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ARRAIGNMENT FIRST

Normal Trial Vowed for Shaw

Criminal District Court Judge Malcolm V. O'Hara says a new trial for Clay L. Shaw on perjury charges will proceed in an orderly, normal way.

"First he must be arraigned," said Judge O'Hara yesterday after he was assigned the trial by lot in a drawing of folded pieces of paper from the clerk of the court.

"THE DEFENSE or state could set a date of arraignment, but if not, it will be within a week to 10 days," Judge O'Hara said.

"Then, the case will come to trial after all preliminary motions have been disposed of," he said.

New Orleans District Attorney Jim Garrison leveled the new charges at Shaw Monday, two days after a 12-man jury unanimously acquitted Shaw of charges he conspired to kill President John F. Kennedy.

GARRISON charges Shaw lied under oath in testifying on his own behalf when he denied knowing David W. Ferrie, an airplane pilot now dead, and Lee Harvey Oswald.

The perjury charges carry a penalty of one to 10 years imprisonment and \$1,000 fine for each count. Shaw was released on his own recognizance Monday.

Judge O'Hara said the defense can ask a preliminary hearing, but is not automatically entitled to one. "It would be to my discretion," he said.

IN VIEW OF the widespread national publicity given Shaw's first trial, the judge said he will consider setting guidelines for the press. "But I just got this case . . . and I haven't formulated any policies yet," he said.

"A lot can happen before this thing comes to trial."

Another trial was brewing in connection with Garrison's as-

sassination conspiracy probe. Assistant District Attorney William Alford Jr., yesterday leveled charges in a bill of information against Thomas Bethell, a former investigator for Garrison.

BETHELL, A former London school teacher, was charged with unlawful use of movable property for allegedly showing the state's trial memorandum in the Shaw case to Salvador Panzeca, a Shaw attorney, last August.

Bethell appeared at the court clerk's office yesterday afternoon and was released on his own recognizance bond. He would not comment on the charge.

Bethell's case was to be assigned by a lot today to one of the eight sections of court.

The charge carries a penalty of six months in jail or \$100 fine.

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