

Witness Points Finger at Shaw at JFK Plot Trial

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NEW ORLEANS (UPI)—The prosecution today bolstered its claim that Clay L. Shaw and Lee Harvey Oswald were together in a rural Louisiana town in the late summer of 1963 with a witness who pointed a finger at Shaw to identify him in the crowded courtroom.

In the second day of testimony in the trial of the 55-year-old retired businessman on charges of conspiring to murder President John F. Kennedy, the state called William Dunn, a

Clinton, La., farmer and construction worker. He was the sixth prosecution witness.

Dunn said he had been working with the Congress of Racial Equality during a voter registration drive in late August or early September, 1963, and saw Shaw at the wheel of a parked Cadillac in front of the registrar's office. The witness said Oswald stood in line nearby to register. He said the man at the wheel was "a big man, big shoulders with gray hair."

"Do you see that man in court?" asked Asst. Dist. Atty. Andrew Sciambra.

"I do," replied Dunn. He pointed a left forefinger at the silver-haired, 6-foot-4 Shaw. Dunn identified Oswald from a picture as "one white boy" he saw in line with a group of Negroes.

New Orleans policeman Frank F. Hayward, another prosecution witness today, testified he participated in the arrest of Oswald Aug. 9, 1963, when

Oswald got into "a violent argument" with two Cubans while distributing pro-Castro literature.

Other witnesses testified in the opening day of testimony Thursday that they saw Shaw, Oswald and Ferrie together three months before the murder of President Kennedy.

The state's big gun testimony previously was that the three were overheard plotting the killing in mid-September, 1963. That story was from Perry Raymond Russo in a preliminary hearing two years ago. Russo will be a star witness for Garrison in this trial.

Defense attorney F. Irvin Dymond said in his opening statement he intended to prove that Shaw, 55, a retired businessman and New Orleans cultural leader, not only did not conspire with but "never knew nor laid eyes on" the other two.

The Thursday testimony had them together in a black Cadillac 120 miles north of New Orleans in late August or early September, 1963.

Garrison, in his opening statement, said that in further surprise testimony he will have Shaw and Ferrie discussing the assassination in some detail in a party as early as June, 1963.

That testimony about a plot hatching five months before the slaying of Kennedy in Dallas on Nov. 22, 1963, may come from a witness today whom the state