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Cabbie's Story of 'Plot'

DALLAS, March 10 (AP)—A man who used to drive a Dallas taxicab says he once drove Lee Harvey Oswald and David Ferrie to Jack Ruby's Dallas night club.

Raymon Cummings, 35, has told this story to New Orleans Dist. Atty. Jim Garrison's office, it was learned.

Garrison, investigating an alleged plot into the assassination of President Kennedy, says Ferrie, Oswald and others conspired to kill the President.

Ferrie, Oswald and Ruby all are dead.

A source said the former cabbie decided to contact Garrison's office after he saw a picture of Ferrie in a Dallas newspaper in February. The picture was accompanied by a

story that quoted Ferrie as saying he had never been in Dallas.

Cummings drove a cab part time in Dallas from Jan. 11, 1963 to March 15, 1963.

While a cabbie, the source said, Cummings once picked up three men and drove them to Ruby's Carousel Club.

The three passengers were Ferrie, Oswald and an unidentified man, the source quoted Cummings as saying.

Cummings, according to the source, recognized Oswald as a

man he had driven a few weeks earlier from the bus station to suburban Irving. Both he and Oswald were ex-Marines, Cummings said, and they had talked about the service.

The Warren Commission said Oswald assassinated Kennedy in Dallas Nov. 22, 1963, and that there was no credible evidence of a conspiracy of any kind.

Ruby shot Oswald to death Nov. 24, 1963. He died of cancer last Jan. 3. Ferrie was found dead in New Orleans Feb. 22.