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Weisberg Praises

New Orleans Probe

Harold Weisberg, Hyattstown author, well known for his writings on the Kennedy assassination, has praised Jim Garrison, New Orleans district attorney for urging a Senate investigation into the death of the former President.

Garrison, in an interview with the New Orleans States-Item, on Monday, urged that the claim that the Central Intelligence Agency withheld information from the Warren Commission be the focal point for a full-scale investigation.

Weisberg, who returned home Tuesday after an appearance before the Grand Jury in New Orleans, had written in his books that there was involvement with the CIA and has been urging Senate investigation.

Garrison also agreed with the Weisberg position that there had been a coverup by the Federal investigative agencies.

Weisberg said the New Orleans papers have given credit to the local man for his exposure of the part played by the FBI agents.

Weisberg said he found Garrison and his staff a hard working group which is going into much detail in their investigation of the assassination.