

DA, Publishers Sued by Novel

\$10 Million in Libel Damages Asked

Former New Orleans law enforcer Gordon Novak filed a \$10 million libel suit in federal court in Chicago Wednesday against District Attorney Jim Garrison and publishers of Playboy magazine.

The suit charges that the magazine's article, "The Assassination of John F. Kennedy," published in the July 1966 issue, contained "a large number of errors and omissions" which "tend to make a false impression of the truth or consequences of the assassination."

Novak charged Wednesday that Playboy printed comments in its July 1966 issue which "are in direct violation of the libel laws of the state of Louisiana and the federal government."

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