

Shaw Loses Move in JFK 'Plot'

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 18 (AP)—Clay L. Shaw, accused by District Attorney Jim Garrison of conspiring to assassinate President John F. Kennedy, lost a last-ditch bid today to have the case thrown out of court.

Criminal District Judge Edward Haggerty turned down two motions that would have grand jury that indicted him against Shaw on grounds the grand jury that indicted him was illegally formed.

At a two-day hearing last week, the lawyers attempted to prove three main points: that women were systematically excluded from grand jury service, that Negroes were systematically included, and that drawings from the jury wheel may have been illegal.

Today's action paved the way for a possible October trial date for Shaw, a 54-year-old retired New Orleans business executive. He is the only man charged so far in Garrison's controversial probe into the Kennedy assassination.

Judge Haggerty, after overruling the two motions, gave the defense until next Tuesday to file any additional motions before setting a trial date.

Garrison claims Shaw participated in a New Orleans-based plot in the fall of 1963 to kill Kennedy.