Karmazin, Michael

Assistant District Attorney, first mention. Files bill of exception when Judge O'Hara dismisses public bribery indictment against Steve Plotkin and Sanford Krasnoff. *New Orleans States-Item*, 1/22/69

Karno, Nick

5230 Camp St., New Orleans. Among 18 state witnesses subpoenaed for the Andrews trial beginning 8/9/67. *New Orleans States-Item*, 8/1/67

Kaskell, Ralph L.

Attorney for *Maryland National Insurance Company*. He charged District Attorney's office allowed bond forfeiture judgments against *Maryland* to reached \$1,040,000 before taking action to collect. Makes claim in federal court where District Attorney's office seeks dismissal of a *Maryland* suit seeking restraint on state from seizing its assets. Judge Lansing L. Mitchell continues hearing until later date, extending a temporary restraining order against state and District Attorney from seizing the assets. District Attorney's office claims matter still unsettled in state courts and feds therefore lack jurisdiction. Briefs to be filed by 8/22. *New Orleans States-Item*, 7/1/69

[Kaskell is from Deutsch, Kerrigan & Stiles, District Attorney's former law firm]. So is Judge Mitchell; who should recuse himself, says former U.S. Attorney Harry Connick. *New Orleans States-1tem*, 7/2/69

Kaskell appears before grand jury. New Orleans States-Item, 8/7/69

Grand jury indicts him for extortion. He denies he has broken any law. New Orleans States-Item, 8/22/69

Judge Haggerty of overrules motion to dismiss charges of attempted extortion made by Kaskell's attorney, F. Irwin Dymond. *New Orleans States-Item*, 3/30/70

Katz, Jay, Dr.

Yale associate profressor of law and clinical psychology, appeared n *NBC* telecast 6/19/67 attacking psychology, reviewed two manuscripts of what the network said was and Russo's tests under truth serum. Said subjects often have difficulty differentiating between facts and fantasy and said Russo was asked "very leading questions. *New Orleans States-Item*, 6/20/67

Kavanaugh, Joe

Attorney for the *Louisiana Public Service Commission*. Indicted with Gremillion and four others in the *LL&T* fraud case. *San Francisco Examiner*, 2/14/69

Kelleher, Harry

New Orleans attorney, *National Bank of Commerce Building*, not previously associated with the case, subpoenaed with 19 others by Shaw defense for change of venue hearing. *New Orleans States-Item*, 2/29/68

Kellerman, Roy

Secret Service officer who was riding in front seat of JFK car 11/22/63. Subpoenaed by state as Shaw trial witness. *New Orleans States-Item*, 1/16/69

After Justice Department files a consent order, Maryland Circuit Judge orders Kellerman to testify for State at Shaw trial. *New Orleans States-Item AP*, 1/29/69

UPI describes him as now an FBI agent after serving in the Secret Service. San Francisco Chronicle, 1/30/69

Kaye, Connie T.

Identified as a singer, of 711 Royal, New Orleans., who said she was questioned earlier by District Attorney's office after she revealed she had had a run-in with Oswald in 1963 when he objected to some Cuban material in her night club act.

Subpoenaed for 1/21/69 by state in Shaw trial. New Orleans States-Item, 1/13/69

Keating, Lionel, Patrolman Accidentally shoots self in hand in District Attorney's outer office while shedding his gun and holster just before going into court to testify. *New Orleans States-Item*, 3/6/70

Kelley, Walter D.

Attorney who, with John P. Dowling and Lilliam M. Cohen, appeared before Judge Shea as fourth set of attorneys for Dean Adams Andrews, asked for transcript of his trial, grand jury appearances and statements he made to District Attorney and staff. Said they were appearing without compensation. *New Orleans States-Item*, 9/8/67

Kemp, Jim

Television newsman (station not named). APA7GNU 221 to 456 pcs, 3/15/67

Now described as a television announcer, address 1418 Cleveland, subpoenaed by Shaw defense as witness in Shaw trial. *New Orleans States-Item*, 1/16/69

Kemp, Maxine, Mrs.

Testified for state that she was personnel officer's secretary at *East Louisiana State Hospital* where she saw a job application with Oswald's name on it, but that after the District Attorney's investigation began she could not find it. *New Orleans States-Item*, 2/7/69

Kennedy, Edward M. (Ted), Senator Democratic senator from Massachusetts. After RFK's burial in Washington Archibishop Philip M. Hannan of New Orleans returns saying friends are urging Ted to withdraw from political life. *New Orleans States-Item*, 6/10/68

Breaking a 10-weeks silence, calls for an unconditional halt to bombing in North Vietnam. *New Orleans States-Item*, 1/3/69

Says he won't run for office this year but to those who have advised him to retire for safety's sake he says "there is no safety in hiding." *AP* A240bx 441 ped, 8/21/68 [filed EMK]

See his personal file under Kennedy family. Defeats Sen. Russell Long for Senate Democratic whip. *New Orleans States-Item*, 1/3/69

Receives death threat, no details; police patrol around his home at Fairfax, VA. Aide says "similar things have happened before." *AP* A085wx 1048aes [filed kenfam-emk], 1/18/69

Drops many humorous hints at Washington fund-raising dinner that he could be persuaded to run for president in 1972. *San Francisco Examiner AP* [kenfam-emk], 1/23/69

Accident on Chappaquiddick Island involving the death of Mary Jo Kopechne, et seq., 7/19/69 [See EMK-b file]

Kennedy, Regis

FBI agent, New Orleans, who with then agent Warren deBrueys questioned several people there in 1963 about Oswald.

Subpoenaed by grand jury 5/10/67 to testify in Garrison probe, along with deBrueys, Carlos Quiroga, and truck salesman Oscar desSlatte. U.S. attorney Louis LaCour moved that Judge Ben Bagert quash the subpoena because FBI men traditionally do not testify before state grand juries. LaCour said Kennedy had been ordered not to testify by U.S. Attorney General Ramsey Clark. Hearing on motion set for May 16. Garrison said feds, by refusing to testify, "obviously" were taking the 5th Amendment. *AP* 10may67 143pcd Picture

Ibid: Cuban sources in New Orleans said they remember both Kennedy and deBrueys had attended meetings of anti-Castro groups organized in 1961.

Also New Orleans States-Item, 5/10/67

Ordered earlier in the day by Judge Bagert to appear, Kennedy did appear but invoked executive privilege and refused to testify. *AP* AO82 727pcd 17may67

Garrison says Kennedy's testimony essential to show feds covered up Oswald's alleged association with CIA. *LA Times*, Nicholas Chriss, 5/17/67

Among 18 state witnesses subpoenaed by District Attorney for Andrews trial beginning 8/9/67. *New Orleans States-Item*, 8/1/67

Government advisors to the *Friends of Democratic Cuba*, (incorporated 1/9/61) says an informant who was closely involved with the group, were a CIA man named Logan and the FBI's Regis Kennedy. ... *Ramparts*, 1/68, p. 53 William W. Turner.

Subpoenaed by state as witness against Shaw. New Orleans States-Item, 1/13/69

Testifies as state witness at Shaw trial. Confirms he interviewed Dean Andrews re: Clay Bertrand after Andrews called him twice from the hospital. Demurs when asked if he already was investigating the JFK assassination when Andrews called him. Accompanied by U.S. Attorney. Harry Connick, who offers to call Washington to get permission. When it reportedly is obtained, Kennedy answers that he was already investigating the assassination when Andrews called him, and was looking for Bertrand. Examined by Dymond, says he didn't find Bertrand.

Kennedy says he retired last 5/31 after 30 years. New Orleans States-Item, [& proceedings], 2/17/69

Penn Jones account of this question and answer sequence, showing Alcock did not go on and ask how Kennedy learned about Bertrand in the first place. *Midlothian Mirror* [filed magazines], 3/27/69

Kennedy, Robert F., Senator, (D-NY) See William Gurvich 6/8 for half an hour, then rides with him to airport and talked some more. *Newsday* says Kennedy "extremely grateful." Gurvi ch defected 6/23/67 from Garrison probe. *New Orleans States-Item*, 6/23/67, *New York Times*, 6/24/67

Walter Sheridan, now of *NBC*, served as an investigator for the Senate Rackets Committee and as an official of the U.S. Department of Justice. He worked for Robert F. Kennedy in both positions. *New Orleans States-Item*,, 7/13/67

Terence O'Flaherty: From New York comes the official reason for *NBC*'s hasty scheduling of its report on the Garrison investigation. The news department had every assurance that Garrison's aide would defect from the New Orleans district attorney's conspiracy hunt. Instead, he chose to break the story to Senator Robert Kennedy. *San Francisco Chronicle*, 7/6/67

Statement supporting Walter Sheridan. "It is Impossible that Mr. Sheridan would do anything which would in the slightest degree compromise the truth in regard to the investigation in New Orleans." *AP* A102wx 1214aed 19j1y67, also *New Orleans States-item*.

In New York to tape a boast for 9/26/67, Garrison says RFK has made "very positive efforts" to obstruct him. "It is quite apparent to me that for one reason or another he does not want the truth to be brought out. Perhaps he can explain better than I can why his political career is so important." *San Francisco Chronicle Reuters*, 9/22/67

Irish Mafia meeting called by Pierre Salinger decides RFK should continue to support LBJ and not try to pay for nomination. *New Orleans States-Item*, Evans & Novak, 11/7/67

On 1/5/68 National Archives makes public text of agreement between Kennedy family and Archives regarding JFK's clothing and autopsy photos and X-rays. Wording suggests these actually being turned over, but says actually only

that "all right, title and interests" are being transferred. New York Times, 1/6/68

RFK's chances in Louisiana. Similarities between his situation and that of JFK in 1960. *New Orleans States-Item*, Bill Lynch column, 3/23/68

New Orleans States-Item, Baton Rouge man Bill Lynch says RFK has asked McKeithen to prevent District Attorney from subpoening him when he campaigns in New Orleans. No such plans, District Attorney's office says. Story recalls RFK's statement recently in CA that he would not reopen the investigation if elected. New Orleans States-Item, 3/29/68

"Why should I want to talk to him?" says District Attorney who bursts out laughing when McKeithen tells of RFK request. Assures he won't embarrass him in any way. *New Orleans States-Item*, 3/30/68

See also these dates:

3/9/68	Again denies any change in his decision not to seek Democratic nomination.
3/16/68	Makes formal announcement of decision to enter presidential race.
3/31/68	12 hours after LBJ announces withdrawal, wires him to ask for meeting "to discuss how we might
	work together in the interest of national unity during the coming months."
4/1/68	LBJ agrees to meet at a time convenient to RFK.
4/2/68	Jack Anderson says LBJ been telling intimates for several months he did not intend to run, but
	expects to control convention and win nomination for HHH.
4/4/68	Meets with LBJ
4/4/68	Martin Luther King assassinated in Memphis.

Campaigning in southern CA, Kennedy says he would reopen the Warren Report, has seen everything that's in it, etc. Various version this date, also TAPE # 79, 3/25/68

Mark Lane article, "Is Bobby Silent Because (the CIA) Killed His Brother?" Lane appears to credit the Drew Pearson story about the CIA-hatched plot against Castro bouncing against JFK while Bobby had nominal charge, that even one man assigned to the Castro job was aced against JFK. Appears to think Bobby continues to hold to the Warren Report because of fear that LBJ or the CIA will tell all. (In talk at *Contra Costa College*, 5/7/68 Lane says Jack Anderson said the yarn came from the CIA). *LA Free Press*, 4/19/68

Mark Lane, in talk at *Contra Costa College*, says Jack Anderson told someone in the Senate that the Drew Pearson column about the CIA plot to kill Castro came from a CIA official, ostensibly as a signal that the CIA was not

afraid to release basic facts as well. Notes 5/7/69

Lane says Bobby requires TV and radio stations to promise not to ask him any questions on the Warren Report, the Garrison probe, or Lane's book, before granting interview. Owen Spann confirms re: *KGO*. Notes 5/7/68, *LA Free Press*, 4/19/68

Assassinated just before midnight the morning of 6/5. Just after it became apparent he had won the California primary election, just after making victory speech at *Ambassador Hotel* in Los Angeles.

Suspect, Sirhan Beshara Sirhan, seized at scene with pistol in hand.

RFK died roughly 25 hours later, early morning of 6/6. See separate files, RFK and Sirhan.

Mark Lane says that for several weeks before his death RFK had been in touch with District Attorney, through two emissaries who said he did not believe the Warren Report and that if elected he would investigate. When District Attorney said he'd be safer if his real beliefs were made public the reply was that "there are guns between him and the White House; District Attorney said his life more endangered by silence. Lane says minutes after his election victory was assured in California he was executed. *LA Free Press*, 6/21/68

[Saw private correspondence indicating one emissary was Jones Harris of New York, the other named Lind.]

Joseph Lewis, 37, died 9/68(?), following two days of high fever attributed to virus infection; cause of death officially still undetermined at time this note was made. Lewis - former *AP*, *LA Times* and *Time* magazine reporter and writer -- had recently been commissioned by *McGraw Hill* to collaborate with chief detective of LA police department on book about RFK assassination. Private source; [Filed RFK.], 11/31/68

Gerald Mohr, died 11/10/68, Stockholm; cause of death not given. Bill Turner says Mohr told him prior to leaving for Europe that when he returned he was "really going to get to work" on the assassination, presumably that of RFK. Had been just in front of RFK at *Ambassador Hotel* when he was shot. *New York Times*, [Filed RFK.], 11/11/68

RFK's assassination in historical perspective with that of JFK, suggesting parallelisms in cause and effect if not method. Letter suggests RFK may have been necessary to prevent disclosure re: JFK's death. *Minority of One*, 11/68

Senator McCarthy says RFK broke promise not to oppose him for Democratic nomination, and that if he hadn't he'd probably still be alive. *New York Times*, 1/9/69

Hoffa's Plot to kill Robert F. Kennedy by Clark R. Mollenhoff, Argosy, 7/69

KHJ radio, Los Angeles. Interview with District Attorney brings out District Attorney's contacts with RFK and

District Attorney's belief the same power was responsible for all three assassinations, that anyone trying to stop the cold war will be assassinated by another "lone assassin." *New Orleans States-Item*, 7/3/68

In article on coverage of the trial, two who were there discuss Kevin's pro-Garrison stance, but note Jim Phelan was even more pro-Shaw and Hugh Aynesworth still more so, with both working openly to help destroy District Attorney's case. *Columbia Journalism Review*, Spring 1969 (April) [Filed magazines]

Khrushevski, Abraham, Rev. Named as landlord who rented apartment to Robert Lee Perrin and wife in 1963 under mysterious circumstances and where Perrin allegedly committed suicide. *Midlothian Mirror* [magazines], 1/30/69

Kihnell, Larry

Identified as Jefferson Parish sheriff's detective and undercover man who infiltrated SDS. Lectures *INCA* ladies' *Guild* on evils of Communism and the way it leads student dissent groups around by the nose. *New Orleans States-Item*, 7/17/69

Killam, Earl

Brother of Thomas Killam, the Dallas house painter whose partner, Jack Carter, had once lived at same rooming house with Oswald, married a Ruby stripper, and was found dead in Pensacola, FL, amidst shattered plate glass window 3/17/64, police called suicide. Earl asked authorities to exhume body to find exact cause of death. *AP* A84nu et sq 422pcs 22feb67

Killam, Thomas

Dallas house painter who married a Ruby stripper and whose partner, Jack Carter, once lived in same boarding house with Oswald, found dead Pensacola Florida 3/17/64 in midst of shattered plate glass window. Police listed suicide. had, had a mysterious phone call at 4 a.m.. Brother Earl Killam asked authorities to exhume body to determine exact cause of death. *AP* A84 et seq 422pcs 22feb67

Kimble, Jules Rocco

Death and Terror Wear *Klan* Hood, by Hoke May. Describes Kimble, 24, as a young man who says he's a double agent between the *Klan* in New Orleans area and state police. Estimates 600 to 800 members in New Orleans area. Takes author to visit rural house where fiery crosses being made. Talks of guns, bombings and plans to kill civil rights leaders. Has police record for aggravated assault, false impersonation and carrying concealed weapon. *New Orleans States-Item*, (2 stories), 9/8/67

Described as former *Ku Klux Klan* official. Of New Orleans. testified before East Baton Rouge Parish grand jury 10/11/67. *New Orleans States-Item*, 10/12/67

Kimble was taken to Baton Rouge from New Orleans where he had been it parish prison under \$5,000 bond on a charge of impersonating a state police officer. *New Orleans States-Item*, 10/11/67

Said to be a self-avowed member of the *Ku Klux Klan* who got into trouble over bombings in Baton Rouge, approached Garrison's men in hopes of gaining mitigation. Said the day after Ferrie died, he drove Jack Helm, a top KKK official, to Ferrie's apartment where Helm came out with a satchel crammed with papers which were put in a bank safe deposit box; said in 1962 he had flown to Montreal with Ferrie on purported *Minutemen* business. Then he broke contact, called his wife from Montreal, wound up in Tampa where police arrested him. Told District Attorney's men he went to Montreal after Walter Sheridan advised him to clam up and go to Canada where he made contact with CIA. *Ramparts*, 1/68, p. 68, William W.Turner

Allen-Scott (columnists) say Kimble claims he once worked special assignments for CIA. CIA denies it, but Garrison says he'll prove it. *Human Events*, 1/20/68

Kirkwood, James

Described as novelist; author of sympathetic article on Shaw in 12/68, *Esquire* which assumes Shaw's complete innocence and bewilderment that he should be charged with plotting JFK assassination. *Oakland Tribune UPI*, 11/10/68

Farther was James Kirkwood, Sr., mother actress Lila Lee. Has written new novel *Good Times*, *Bad Times*, which made alternate book of the month club choice and has been sold to the movies. Concerns prep school murder of a headmaster. Kirkwood covers the trial for *Playboy* and has a commitment from *Simon and Schuster* to expand it into a book if the testimony warrants. *New Orleans States-Item*, Lagniappe, 2/12/69

Review of Kirdwood's novel, *Good Times/Bad Times*, an account of prep school life with homosexual theme, including a murder. *Saturday Review*

"Most passionately pro-Shaw was James Kirkwood..."

"The Shaw Trial, reporter-participants," by , Roger M. Williams, *Time* Atlanta bureau, and Michael Parks, *Baltimore Sun. Columbia Journalism Review*, Spring 1969 (April) [Filed magazines]

Kirkwood's book on Shaw to appear in January, says c6lumnist Tom Griffin. New Orleans States-Item, 7/2/70

Kirkwood's book will appear this month, says Griffin, and Kirwood will be in New Orleans to autograph copies 10/17. *New Orleans States-Item*, 10/6/70.

Another plug by Griffin New Orleans States-Item, 11/17/70.

Who Killed John F. Kennedy? A review of District Attorney's book and Kirkwood's American Grotesque, by John Leonard. New York Times, 12/1/70

Kitzer, Phillip, Sr. and Jr.

Co-defendants of David R. Kroman in insurance fraud trial at Bismarck, N.D. AP B58 4pps 27mar67

Acquitted (both) on all counts 6/23/67. No mention of Kroman. New York Times, 6/24/67

Klein, Burton

Attorney for Alvin Beauboeuf, charges District Attorney office tried to bribe and threaten client into testifying to a conspiracy. District Attorney office says did offer to help him, but only trying to get the truth. District Attorney produces affidavit signed by Beauboeuf upholding District Attorney version. Klein claims has a tape recording of the alleged threat and bribe try. Affidavit says he tried to sell it to national magazine (unnamed). *AP* 10may67 817pcs & *New York Times* same date.

Garrison charges both Klein and Plotkin (Novel's attorney) being paid by CIA. Both deny it. Says Klein recently went of Washington, Klein says "no basis in fact" for saying he contacted CIA. *AP* 11may67 944pcd

Klein says Beauboeuf lie detector test shows Beauboeuf telling the truth when said he threatened and bribery attempt made. Declines to say where test made. Beauboeuf told newsmen 5/8/67 he going to Washington 5/9/67 to take one. *New York Times*, 5/11/67

Photo of Klein and Beauboeuf, New Orleans States-Item, 5/10/67

Appears as attorney for Miguel Torres, moving to stay Torres' appearance before grand jury because Torres fears self-incrimination and possible charges by District Attorney in connection with *NBC* program. Asks stay until federal court rules on Sheridan grand jury appearance. *New Orleans States-Item*, 8/17/67

Torres returned on habeas corpus write to testify. Klein moved to prevent his testifying; Judge Bagert overruled. *New Orleans States-Item*, 8/23/67

Subpoenaed by New Orleans Grand Jury, appeared but was told jury would not get to him during the day. Said he didn't know why called. Was called for same day as Carlos Marcello. *New Orleans States-Item*, 10/5/67

Klein, Frank

Former assistant District Attorney, New Orleans, listed in origins story on the investigation as having been paid \$345 by the District Attorney's office for "Special counsel" for a "special investigation." *New Orleans States-Item*, 2/17/67

Appears with Milton Brener as attorney for William Gurvich in Gurvich's trial on charge of stealing District Attorney's documents. *New Orleans States-Item*, 9/5/68

Klein, Joan Dempsey

Los Angeles Municipal Judge who granted continuance to Edgar Eugene Bradley and later dismissed his fugitive warrant after Reagan refused extradition. [See Bradley] *AP* 333aes, 11/9/68

Klein, William

Described as brother of an attorney (Burton Klein?) for one of the figures (Beauboeuf?) in the Garrison probe. Identified as one of the incorporators of the *Friends for Democratic Cuba*, a militant anti-Castro group formed in New Orleans in 1961 and later merged with others. See alto Banister, Dalzell. *New Orleans States-Item*, 6/30/67

Kloor, Morris, Dr.

7107 Maple, New Orleans. At hearing 5/2 on motion for new trial for John Cancler, Kloor said Donnell Carroll was not the man he had seen entering a house which John Cancler had been charged with burglarizing. New trial had been asked on basis of Carroll's confession. *New Orleans States-Item*, 7/17/67

New York Times version says Kloor had told District Attorney's office he had seen Cancler and a woman enter the house and emerge with a bag and a suitcase. Cancler had admitted being in the area because he was delivering a prostitute to a nearby fraternity house. District Attorney's office says Carroll's description of the house didn't fit. *New York Times*, 6/12/67, Gene Roberts.

Knight, Nelson

Student pilot, acted as guide to Garrison investigators as they checked several Dallas airports, interviewing about 30 persons. AP52dn 1037pcs 26 Feb. 1967

Knowles, Daniel D.

1615 Elmire Ave., Algiers. Subpoenaed by Shaw defense for pretrial hearing set for 9/11/67. Not further identified in story. *New Orleans States-Item*, 9/6/67

Knowles, Donald L.

Douglas County attorney, Omaha, said he didn't know where Lillie Mae McMaines living. Officials indicated when papers for her arrest arrive from New Orleans she will be taken into custody. *AP* B61 940pcs, 3/28/67

Kohlman, Herman S

Assistant District Attorney. New York Times (Nan Robertson, Washington) 2/24/67

Kohn, Aaron

Director, New Orleans Metropolitan Crime Commission. LA Times (Nelson, Chriss), 2/26/67

Merriman Smith: Kohn if former FBI man who for more than 20 years has specialized in investigating police departments. Came to New Orleans in 1953 at mayor's request, has remained as managing director of the privately financed *New Orleans Metropolitan Crime Commission*. Consists largely of himself and several secretaries, board of directors includes some of the biggest names in city's banking, finance, business and education. He and Garrison have no use for each other. Garrison says "If there is organized crime in New Orleans it is in *the Metropolitan Crime Commission*."

Kohn told Smith the city had elements suffering from emotional illness, "lunatic fringe combining intelligence with distorted emotions." *LA Herald-Examiner*, 3/5/67

Director, New Orleans *Metropolitan Crime Commission*, first mentioned as deprecating Garrison's securing of a pardon for a stripper convicted of lewd dancing. "I'm amazed that a potential big leaguer could get sucked into a bush league play." *LA Times*, Nelson-Chriss, New Orleans, 2/26/67

Garrison and Kohn have no use for each other. Garrison says: "If there is any organized crime in New Orleans, it is the *Metropolitan Crime Commission*." Kohn a former FBI agent who for past 20 years has specialized in cleaning up police departments. Came to New Orleans at request of mayor to do such a job in 1953. *MCC*'s board of directors contains some of the biggest names in town, from the world of banking and finance, business and education.

Shortly after JFK killed, Kohn made report on certain aspects, mentioning lunatic fringe in New Orleans "identifiable through active evidence of destructive hate." Went no further. *LA Herald Examiner*, Merriman Smith *UPI* 3/3/67

There is no question today of Kohn approving anything Garrison does, particularly in connection with his current investigation. *San Francisco Examiner-Chronicle*, *LA Herald-Examiner*, *Long Beach Independent Press Telegram*, Merriman Smith, *UPI*. New Orleans, 3/5/67

With *MCC* president E. C. Upton, Jr. writes letter to Louisiana attorney general P. F. Gremillion urging that he investigate *Newsweek* charge that Garrison's office tried to bribe and intimidate a witness. *New Orleans States-Item*, 6/9/67

Again with Upton, writes another letter to Gremillion urging investigation of *NBC* telecast charges. 6/19/67. Gremillion in Baton Rouge says he knows nothing about it. *New Orleans States-Item*, 6/22/67

Germillion refuses, saying "no authority within the law for such a procedure." *New Orleans States-Item*, 6/23/67 *New York Times*, 6/24/67 (Full quotes)

Second request to Germillion to investigate Garrison. *MCC* says not satisfied with reasons given for refusing first request. *New Orleans States-Item*, 6/27/67

Testified before grand jury, along with *MCC* Vice-President William Monahan. Said he had sent a third letter to attorney general asking a probe of Garrison.

Subpoenaed for District Attorney's office. Kohn had predicted before he went into the jury room that Garrison

would not be there to face him. "We are solving his problem," said the District Attorney in explaining the subpoena for the next day. *New Orleans States-Item*, 6/28/67, Picture

McKeithen says let Garrison finish his probe. "If the attorney general goes in and stops it ... as the MCC wants ... it would raise even more doubts not only in the nation but in the world." New Orleans States-Item, 6/30/67

Tells. *New Orleans Press Club* both McKeithen and Gremillion have refused to acknowledge their authority and responsibility to intervene in Garrison case.

Charges Garrison guilty of all sorts of crimes and that if Baton Rouge won't act then only thing left is initiative petition by citizens for removal proceedings. *New Orleans States-Item*, 7/3/67

Garrison, in asking for early Shaw trial, files motion accusing Kohn of working "in concert with *NBC* representatives" and saying Kohn has admittedly privately he has no knowledge of alleged misconduct "except through magazines and the television network." *New Orleans States-Item*, 7/5/67

Repeats demand Baton Rouge should stop Garrison, this time in talk to *Young Men's Business Club. New Orleans States-Item*, 7/5/67

Announces the *MCC* seeks to obtain the testimony of Judge Malcolm V. O'Hara in the Chicago hearing in which James Hoffa was denied a new trial. Says wants to see if O'Hara played any role on behalf of Hoffa in violation of criminal law or judicial code of ethics. *New Orleans States-Item*, 8/25/67

Publishes 4-column ad in New Orleans States-Item sniping at Garrison. New Orleans States-Item, 8/29/67

MCC calls for Judge O'Hara's resignation, based on his testimony in Chicago. Accuses O'Hara of arranging meeting between Strate and Sheridan where Kohn alleges Strate tried to influence Sheridan, not vise-versa. New Orleans States-Item,.. O'Hara replied that Kohn has been lying about since 1954 and calls him a professional muckraker and charlatan etc. Says if anyone resigns Kohn should. New Orleans States-Item, 9/6/67

McKeithen, after meeting four hours with Kohn and other *MCC* wheels, says he'll have newly created intelligence division of state police investigate allegations of influence on state government by organized crime as made by *LIFE* articles 9/1 and 9/8/67, much info for which Kohn says came from *MCC*. McKeithen says won't investigate Garrison, but only on state level. Says might investigate O'Hara if asked. Kohn says he thinking about asking. *New Orleans States-Item*, 9/7/67

The suspense ends. Kohn asks MicKeithen to start proceedings (suggests state supreme court) to remove Judge

O'Hara for gross misconduct and possible crimes. New Orleans States-Item, 9/8/67

See Bill Lynch's Baton rouge column on McKeithen's agreement to investigate crime influence on state level after talking with Kohn four hours.

Also-editorial calls, in effect, for investigation at local level. New Orleans States-Item, 9/9/67

Garrison asks new grand jury to investigate *LIFE*'s charges of criminal influence and subpoenas Kahn and *MCC* executive staff as first witnesses. Says every individual named in the *LIFE* article will be called. Denies *LIFE* charges. *New Orleans States-Item*, 9/12/67

Says if grand jury finds Kohn's charges true he'll resign and Kohn can recommend a new District Attorney. Says on the other hand if grand jury finds the charges untrue, then Kohn should resign "so that we can have an end to false charges." *New Orleans States-Item*, 9/13/67

McKeithen says he'll resign if *LIFE* charges prove true. Says whoever gave info to *LIFE* should leave the state. Asked if he meant Kohn, replied: "If the shoe fits, let him wear it." *New Orleans States-Item*, 9/14/67

MCC calls upon grand jury to recuse Garrison and Judge O'Hara. New Orleans States-Item, 9/14/67

In federal court, attorneys for Carlos Marcello ask Judge Frederick Heebe to reverse an order of 9/13/67 for a change of venue and instead delay the trial of Marcello on charge of hitting an FBI agent. They argue that because of *LIFE* magazine article Marcello could not get a fair trial anywhere now, and could get a fairer trial in New Orleans (but not right now) because the unreliable source of the articles -- Aaron M. Kohn -- is known to the public (here). Outside the state of Louisiana, this fact is not known." *New Orleans States-Item*, 9/14/67

Spends long day with grand jury. Tells newsmen "We can't present evidence. We can only give information. It is up to law enforcement officers to provide the evidence."

To Garrison's suggestion Kohn should resign if his charges are proved false, Kohn said he would not be drawn into Garrison s "sly public game. Mr. Garrison always wants to bet-with somebody." *New Orleans States-Item*, 9/15/67

"A travesty of justice -- a terrible injustice," says State Senator Michael O'Keefe of Kohn's charge against Landrieu. "Gov. McKeithen thinks something has to be done about this smear." *New Orleans States-Item*, 9/16/67

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MCC issues statement recanting its attack on Landrieu, expresses regret. New Orleans States-Item, 9/20/67

Testified with Gervais, Giarusso et al before grand jury looking into *LIFE* charges of organized crime. Afterward, Gervais told reports *LIFE* charges were totally untrue, called *LIFE* a new comic book. Called the *MCC* a lunatic fringe. "We have a pretty good Government in New Orleans, but not a Utopia. That's why we have elected officials. If Mr. Kohn had his way, we'd have appointed officials, Mr. Kohn would watch them, but we'd have a small problem. Who'd watch Mr. Kohn?" *New Orleans States-Item*, 9/21/67

McKeithen holds long closed-door meeting at International House with MCC members. New Orleans States-Item, 9/21/67

In the Landrieu fuss, city councilman said *MCC* either should changes its methods of operating or consider going out of business. Ladd *MCC*'s apology part of the council's official record. Landrieu issued statement acknowledging the apology but expressing doubt whether the damage done to him and his family could ever be repaired. Said *MCC* has a serious flaw inherent in many organizations of high purpose -- abandonment of responsibility by the membership to a paid staff.

Arrived late for and jury testimony on 9/21, spent about two hours, said nothing when emerged except that he might be called later. *New Orleans States-Item*, 9/22/67

McKeithen says MCC will file a petition instituting a suit to remove O'Hara. New Orleans States-Item calls editorially for investigation of O'Hara. New Orleans States-Item, 9/25/67

Upton returns from New York with McKeithen after conference with *LIFE*, says it's "the best thing that's happened to Louisiana in years."

Kohn, Upton and other *MCC* wheels due before grand jury, with records, also William Dalzell and David Chandler of *LIFE*.

McKeithen says knows of no contact between Garrison and criminals but both Garrison and MCC making a mistake in attacking each other. New Orleans States-Item, 9/27/67

Garrison calls Kohn a professional liar with whom he will not compromise; says because of Kohn's addiction to lying he has been a great problem for law enforcement. Says Kohn is like a witch doctor in a village where all the witches have left town: "He must continue to create a fear of witches if he is to receive his customary gifts from the people of the village." *New Orleans States-Item*, 9/28/67

Judge Braniff denies motion to have O'Hara recuse himself as adviser to grand jury, orders parties back to O'Hara's court, where O'Hara denies motion to recuse Garrison and motion for delay to writs can be filed. *MCC* then appeals motion to state supreme court. *New Orleans States-Item*, 9/28/67

MCC files petition with Attorney General Jack Gremillion signed by 45 persons for removal of Judge O'Hara for gross misconduct and possible high crimes while in office. New Orleans States-Item, 9/28/67

Garrison subpoenas Marcello for Orleans Parish grand dairy (thereby stealing someone's thunder?). State Supreme Court stays order for *MCC* to turn over its records, but also stays proceedings in the *MCC*'s efforts to have Judge O'Hara recused. *New Orleans States-Item*, 9/29/67

MCC tells state supreme court Garrison only trying to "harass, scuttle and destroy" the *MCC* in his request for MCC's records and member list. Also files arguments for Garrison's and O'Hara's recusal. *New Orleans States-Item*, 10/5/67

Testifies with others before Jefferson Parish grand Jury as organized crime probe starts. *New Orleans States-Item*, 10/24/67

Another three hours before Jefferson Parish Grand Jury. Says his faith in the system has been restored. *New Orleans States-Item*, 10/31/67

State supreme court takes under advisement *MCC*'s motion to quash subpoena to submit all its records. Attorney Milton Brener argues subpoena too broad. District Attorney's office (Burnes) replies District Attorney needs to know about paid informers in order to fight organized crime. Says office knows one of them lied and wants to know how much he was paid. Kohn replies *MCC* never bases charges "on info from paid informers, not even Pershing Gervais." Says Gervais had worked as an informant for *MCC*. *New Orleans States-Item*, 11/10/67

Invited to testify before Orleans Parish grand jury investigating organized crime, fails to show, out of town for the week. *New Orleans States-Item*, 11/16/67

Declines, in letter to Assistant District Attorney Ward appear voluntarily before the Orleans Parish grand jury to testify concerning organized crime. *New Orleans States-Item*, 11/22/67

Louisiana Supreme Court reverses Criminal District Court decision upholding subpoena for all *MCC* records, including those about informers. *New Orleans States-Item*, 12/11/67

Spends night in jail after Judge Braniff holds him in contempt for not revealing the name of an informer. "If Mr. Kohn wants to play cops and robbers, he is going to have to come up with something in the way of proof instead of making a sham of the judiciary"

Released on order of state supreme court. He blames Garrison for having him jailed. *New Orleans States-Item*, 12/15/67

Kohn spent 10 days in jail in 1955 for refusing to name informants. Says governor, now that he has been reelected, may feel differently now about crossing swords with the District Attorney. *New Orleans States-Item*, 12/16/67

District Attorney charges arrest of Eugene A. Nolan was jeopardized by bungling of *MCC* flatfoot whom Nolan caught watching his house with binoculars. Nolan arrested on Nassau, New York, County warrant charging him with being New Orleans part of big city bookie rung doing \$100 million yearly business. Freed on \$5,000 bail, refused to waive extradition. *New Orleans States-Item*, 12/19-20/67

MCC denies District Attorney's charge that its bungling tipped off Nolan, or that it had tried to watch Nolan. New Orleans States-Item says Nolan's figured in the jailing of Kohn for contempt. New Orleans States-Item, 12/21/67

Judge Braniff defends his finding of contempt of court regarding Kohn. New Orleans States-Item, 1/15/68

Asks Federal District Judge Herbert W. Christenberry for injunction against District Attorney getting *MCC* records.

New Orleans States-Item says the question which led to Kohn's flailing for contempt in December was "Will you give us the name of the informant who told you Eugene Nolan is presently conducting gambling operations in New Orleans?" New Orleans States-Item, 1/17/68

Reverend Dr. J. D. Grey, pastor of *I*st Baptist Church, elected new president of MCC succeeding E. C. Upton. Vows to continue fight against Garrison. New Orleans States-Item, 1/26/68

Attacks political judges and District Attorneys. New Orleans States-Item, 2/16/68

Two members of outgoing grand jury blast *MCC*'s charges of organized crime in New Orleans as "one man's fantasy." *New Orleans States-Item*, 3/7/68

MCC president Dr. J. D. Grey charges District Attorney's advice to grand jury was "contrived to prevent" any real probe into organized crime. New Orleans States-Item, 3/11/68

District Attorney replies with scathing, sometimes humorous blast citing improvements in law enforcement which have been made despite the "major obstacle" of Kohn and the MCC. New Orleans States-Item, 3/13/68

Nine members of the outgoing grand jury sign statement denying they had been used by the District Attorney, and suggesting that critical statement by Kohn and Grey either was made up or based on knowledge of what went on inside grand jury room obtained through bugging. *New Orleans States-Item*, 3/15/68

State Supreme Court takes under advisement contempt citation against Kohn. Defense attorney Milton Brener wants it reversed so Kohn won't have a third such citation on his record. District Attorney's office argues it's moot because the grand jury concerned has gone out of existence. *New Orleans States-Item*, 3/27/68

Mark Lane, in an account of "Garrison and the Case of the Cancelled Banquet" says"when Kohn was before the grand jury and thus behind the wall of secrecy imposed by the law (which secrecy we now publicly penetrate for the first time) Kohn admitted that he had "no evidence" at all of organized crime charges made by *LIFE* whose correspondent David Chandler who got it from Kohn.' He added that he had 'heard rumors." *LA Free Press*, 4/5/68

Kohn's conviction for contempt by judge Braniff reversed by state Supreme Court, 4-2. *New Orleans States-Item*, 4/29/68

MCC president Dr. J. D. Grey subpoenaed by District Attorney on charge he met secretly with state supreme court justice during Aaron Kohn contempt case. Grey refuses comment. New Orleans States-Item, 4/30/68

Grey denies he met secretly with state supreme court justice. New Orleans States-Item, 5/1/68

Federal District Judge rules Grey does not have to appear before District Attorney, who subpoenaed him. Attorneys Milton Brener and Herbert Garon represented Grey. *New Orleans States-Item*, 5/2/68

State Supreme Court denies a rehearing (sought by District Attorney) of its April decision clearing Kohn of contempt of court and lifting his prison sentence on the charge. *New Orleans States-Item*, 6/5/68

MCC urges rehearing of Judge O'Hara's misconduct case by Supreme Court, which on 6/4/68 found him guilty of misconduct but not of flagrant or gross misconduct. New Orleans States-Item, 6/8/68

Gremillion asks supreme court for rehearing. New Orleans States-Item, 6/15/68

State Supreme court denies rehearing. New Orleans States-Item, 6/29/68

MCC comes out four square in support of the call by state Senator John Schwegan for a state senate investigator; body to probe racketeering in the state. New Orleans States-Item in running the story, also prints an editorial pointing out existence of two other such commissions but says Senate should seriously consider it. New Orleans States-Item, 6/29/68

Supports resolution before state legislature to threaten law enforcement officers with being fired if they do not enforce laws against gambling, prostitution and other crimes. *New Orleans States-Item*, 7/5/68

Kohn calls for Gremillion's resignation after deal revealed in which Gremillion admits he got a loan from an outfit after making a ruling in its favor. *New Orleans States-Item*, 7/9/68

MCC asks state board of ethics for probe and censure of Gremillion and his relations with LL&T. New Orleans States-Item, 7/18/68

Recommends thorough investigation of Gremillion. New Orleans States-Item, 8/8/68

State Board of Ethics refuses to hold public hearing on Germillion's ruling re LL&T Co., but recommends he not pursue private practice while in office. State Senator E.M. Bartlett alleges he negotiated a loan for Garrison to purchase 22,500 shares of LL&T stock and that District Attorney borrowed \$25,000 from AL&T to pay LL&T for the stock. New Orleans States-Item, 9/11/68

MCC (Kohn and Grey) asks state board of ethics to reconsider its refusal to help public hearing on Gremillion's ties with LL&T. Board again declines. New Orleans States-Item, 10/2/68

Asks New Orleans city council to probe alleged ties between councilman Eddie L. Sapir and Carlos, Joseph, Sammy and Vincent Marcello. Says he can produce witnesses. Sapir says he can't prove a thing. *New Orleans States-Item*, 10/2/68

Sapir seeks probe of Kohn's "irresponsible and vile charges" through District Attorney by grand jury. Meeting with District Attorney 10/9t. Councilman Phillip C. Ciaccio calls Kohn's charges, which Sapir denies, "character assassination." *New Orleans States-Item*, 10/4/68

MCC submits written request to city council for probe of alleged Sapir-Marcello links. New Orleans States-Item, 10/5/68

Sapir says District Attorney agrees to grand jury hearing. New Orleans States-Item, 10/9/68

Kohn says Sapir trying to use the grand jury to avoid a public hearing. New Orleans States-Item, 10/10/68

City council turns down Kohn demand for public hearing – no affidavit, man. New Orleans States-Item, 10/11/68

Sapir to appear before grand jury. New Orleans States-Item, 10/17/68

Kohn indicted by grand jury for public intimidation in the Sapir case. Release on \$1,000 bond. Case assigned to Judge Haggerty. Kohn says the charges against him are to divert attention. Steve Plotkin and Sanford Krasnoff, law partners of Sapir, are indicated at sometime on public bribery charge in the unrelated case of the indictment of a cop for manslaughter in the death of a babysitter. *New Orleans States-Item*, 10/18/68

Dr. Grey writes letter to editor upholding MCC's fuss with Eddie Sapir over bingo legalization. New Orleans States-Item, 10/19/68

Kohn pleads innocent to grand jury indictment charge of public intimidation of Sapir. 11/15 set for special pleadings. Kohn again released on \$1,000 bond. *New Orleans States-Item*, 10/22/68

Attorney Milton Brener asks dismissal of indictment charging Kohn threatened Sapir. Denies threats made. *New Orleans States-Item*, 11/13/68

Judge Haggerty takes arguments under advisement, says he'll rule following Tuesday. *New Orleans States-Item*, 11/21/68

Kohn indictment quashed; District Attorney's office plans appeal. Kohn takes out again after Bingo. *New Orleans States-Item*, 12/2/68

MCC demands Gremillion make public details of an investigation of him by the state ethics board. Gremillion refuses. New Orleans States-Item, 12/3/68

Judge Haggerty gives written reasons for throwing out the indictment against Kohn, seeing no "use of violence, force or threats" in his accusations against Sapir. *New Orleans States-Item*, 12/10/68

Kohn acknowledges Walter Sheridan interviewed Fred Leemans in his office, [for Leemans affidavit (not reported by States-Item at the time) to this effect, see *LA Free Press* 1/24/ and AIC Newsletter, 1/25/69] but that he, Kohn did not take part in the questioning and was in and out. *New Orleans States-Item*, 1/8/69

MCC reiterates its position against sin, specifically opposing Bingo or spending police funds patrolling it. New Orleans States-Item, 1/15/69

MCC seeks resignation of state Rep. Salvador Anzelmo in connection with the LL&T probe. New Orleans States-Item, 2/25/69

Asks again for Gremillion resignation. New Orleans States-Item, 2/26/69

MCC will consider action against District Attorney (after Shaw acquittal 3/1). Kohn says MCC has called many times for probe of District Attorney's assassination probe. New Orleans States-Item, 3/3/69

MCC still studying how to extirpate District Attorney. New Orleans States-Item, 3/8/69

MCC defends four Jefferson Parish school board members indicted for activities as board members, charging they victims of District Attorney Frank Langridge and assessor Lawrence Chehardy. New Orleans States-Item, 3/28/69

Kohn refuses to testify before grand jury on organized crime, saying it would just give the District Attorney another opportunity to "persecute rather than prosecute." Says he'll testify, however, if special assistant. District Attorney from outside is named and has nothing to do with District Attorney. Etc., etc. *New Orleans States-Item*, 6/12/69

Kohn proposes new organized crime probe by a new committee to have its own staff and power of subpoena and to be composed of one man from the Bureau of Governmental Research, one from the MCC, and one from the Society of Former Special Agents of the FBI. New Orleans States-Item, 6/24/69

MCC asks federal court injunction against subpoena for Kohn to testify before grand jury probe of organized crime. New Orleans States-Item, 7/16/69

Kohn testifies before grand jury, is asked to do so again next Thursday. Ross Scaccia also testifies. Kohn says District Attorney honored its pledge not to harass him. Denies he "unsuccessfully fought" against his subpoena, that his appearance was by agreement. *New Orleans States-Item*, 7/18/69

MCC urges creation of panel to study Jefferson garish judgeship. New Orleans States-Item, 8/22/69

Kohn revives old charges against Landrieu about pinball machine business. Moon lashes back. *New Orleans States-Item*, 12/11/69

Feud with Landrieu continues. Moon denying he ever threatened seriously to kill Kohn although conceding he did say he'd destroy the *MCC*. Claims Kohn keeps repeating old charges after admitting they're not true. *New Orleans States-Item*, 12/12/69

2 MCC board members guit in election feud. New Orleans States-Item, 12/13/69

"Murderers Are Everywhereooo," Dave Snyder column on *MCC*'s latest disclosures of conflict of interest cases and death threats, all by-products of its Landrieu investigation. *New Orleans States-Item*, 12/13/69

Landrieu wins Democratic primary over Fitzmaurice. GOP candidate Ben C. Toledano says he won't run unless backers provide enough money, *New Orleans States-Item*, 12/15/69

Herman Deutsch tells how Kohn overplayed the pinball machine conflict of interest bit in trying to clobber Landrieu. *New Orleans States-Item*, 12/23/69

Judge Haggerty acquitted. Kohn indicates he'll push campaign to oust him through bar associations to State Supreme Court. *New Orleans States-Item*, 1/27/70

In Washinton, Kohn urges a nationwide clearinghouse to enable businessmen to collect information on the penetration of organized crime into legitimate business. *New Orleans States-Item*, 1/27/70

Judge rules Carlos Marcello must testify in Nick Christiana's slander suit against Kohn. *New Orleans States-Item*, 1/30/70

Christiana drops suit against Kohn. New Orleans States-Item, 2/2/68

Trade Board and MCC urge Haggerty to quit. New Orleans States-Item, 2/12/70

Item in Jack Anderson column [not seen elsewhere] says New Orleans Grand Jury looking into charge that District Attorney fondled genitals of 13-year-old boy swimming with father and brothers at *New Orleans Athletic Club* in 6/69. Says Kohn confirms text of letter someone sent to Anderson about it. [new Grand Jury due 3/1/70, so issue would be moot within week if not acted upon]. Anderson says without attribution that District Attorney's office made much of Shaw's alleged homosexuality during the Shaw Trial [files show no overt reference, either in or out of District Attorney office]. *Yuma, AZ., Daily Sun*

Appears before federal grand jury looking into racketeering. New Orleans States-Item, 3/10/70

Quoted in Harry Kelly article on Mafia and how it is penetrating respectable business. *San Francisco Examiner-Chronicle AP*, 3/15/70

Sued by *Rountowner Motel* for \$500,000 libel damages for saying it was "in the Marcello fold." Motel is in Jefferson Parish." *New Orleans States-Item*, 4/4/70

Blasts McKeithen's crime probe, upholds *LIFE* story that Mafia runs New Orleans. *New Orleans States-Item*, 6/3/70

MCC upholds Kohn for turning over police data in political campaign. New Orleans States-Item, 8/11/70

Tells House Government Operations subcommittee in DC District Attorney has blocked efforts to have grand jury probe Mafia influence. *New Orleans States-Item*, 8/13/70

Firm of MCC president accused of doing business with Marcello, says he didn't know it. New Orleans States-Item, 10/9/70

Kommer, Rex L.

U.S. Weather Bureau meteorologist, Baton Rouge, who introduced temperature records during the Shaw trial for Clinton to show it was consistently hot there during 8-9/63, when several state witnesses said they saw Shaw, Oswald and Ferrie there during a cool spell. *New Orleans States-Item*, 2/22/69

Kordek, Leon W.

Investigator, Louisiana Labor-Management Commission on Inquiry. Met with Gov. and state police officers as crime probe gets under way. *New Orleans States-Item*, 9/28/67

Krasnoff, Sanford

Identified with Steve Plotkin as law partners of city councilman Eddie L. Sapir. Indicted by grand jury for public bribery of witnesses in case of policeman Robert F. Blanchard who was indicted (but charges later dropped) for manslaughter in death of babysitter Susan Goldman, 19 in 5/68. Both Krasnoff and Plotkin say they innocent, released on \$1,000.

On same day the grand jury indicts Aaron Kohn for public intimidation of Sapir in their row over legalizing Bingo for charity wherein Kohn said Sapir had continuous ties with Marcellos. Two cases apparently unrelated. *New Orleans States-Item*, 10/18/68

Pleads innocent with Plotkin to charges of public bribery. 11/1 set for special pleadings. *New Orleans States-Item*, 10/21/68

Betty Jones, the barmaid whom Krasnoff and Plotkin are accused of persuading to change her testimony to shield Blanchard, is indicted for perjury. *New Orleans States-Item*, 10/24/68

Krasnoff, Sanford

Judge O'Hara dismisses public bribery indictment against Steve Plotkin and Krasnoff. Assistant District Attorney Michael Karmazin files bill of exception. *New Orleans States-Item*, 1/22/69

Kramer, John H., III

2126 Pauline. Member of the grand jury that indicted Shaw term ending 8/31/67. With rest of outgoing jury, subpoenaed by Shaw defense for pretrial hearing set for 9/11/67. *New Orleans States-Item*, 9/6/67

Kramer, Joseph

Pseudonym for Richard Case Nagell, he says with DIA authorization. Ramparts, 1/68, p. 58, William W. Turner

Kremer, Daniel

California deputy attorney general who represented Garrison at Edgar Eugene Bradley extradition heaving in Sacramento. Tells Meese Bradley's attorney George Jensen was chipping away at supporting documents and not the central issue, which is whether Bradley is the man Garrison wants. Bradley says no, that Garrison is after the wrong man, that there's another Edgar Bradley. *San Francisco Examiner, New Orleans States-Item, AP* SC11, 6/26/68

Kreutz, Andy

WVUE-TV reporter, subpoenaed by Shaw defense. Interviewed Alcock. New Orleans States-Item, 1/9/69

Kroman, David R.

Minneapolis attorney, with four others, defendant in insurance fraud trial at Bismarck, ND.

Found 3/27/67 partly dazed in locked rented car, shotgun across legs, off road from Minneapolis. Said had been forced off road by two cars which had been following him. He had scheduled a news conference that night to tell his story on the assassination and possibly name names. Said he had been in touch with Garrison. Another attorney, Richard E. Olson, said Kroman had had at least three previous attempts on his life, the last a week ago in Bismarck.

Had been independent Democratic candidate for attorney general in last MN election. Hospital said he had epileptic seizure. *San Francisco Examiner 4-star UPI*, 3/27/67

"I wasn't supposed to get here," said Kroman. Later, U.S. District Judge Edward J. Devitt severed Kroman from four other defendants and declared mistrial in his case, ordered mental examination for "45 days more or less, whatever is necessary." Kroman led out by two federal marshals en route to U.S. Medical Facility at Springfield, MO. Dr. Gerd Fischer had said Kroman's condition caused by epileptic seizure. Kroman denied it. Said he had begun investigating in 1963 after "certain statements were made by a Cuban" and that he had pursued case in Dallas, Miami, Key West, Las Vegas, New Orleans and Kansas City. *AP* B58 4pcs 27mar67

Testifying in own defense, said one car drew abreast of him and occupant pointed a pistol at him, forcing him off the road. Said was carrying documents that would tend to prove or in some cases prove that Oswald did not assassinate JFK and that others did. Judge ruled reasonable cause to doubt sanity and ordered mental exam. *Oakland Tribune, UPI*, 3/28/67

Ibid: declared mistrial. Kroman and other defendants all objected.

Said Garrison has most of it correct but not the whole story. Said he had been attacked 3/18/64 in a Tennessee motel and that on other occasions assailants had tried to take papers from him. Said he began his investigation in 12/63 when he heard "a drunken Cuban blabbing" in a Miami bar. *New York Times*, 3/28/67

Testified in court (without jury present): "Your honor, I have had countless incidents that have never been reported. They were trying to attack me try get material from me. This is not my imagination. I am playing a game I shouldn't have got involved in. I should have walked away from this in 12/63, but I didn't and made a mistake. Your honor, 19 people have died so far in the Kennedy investigation. Scores have been injured. It is miraculous that not one witness has ever been uncovered to either these killings or these injuries. I don't want to be the twentieth, but I will not stop."

Kroman said he became involved when he met a Cuban in Miami, FL, and was told that one Manuel Torres was the killer of President Kennedy. Kroman also said the assassination was planned and executed by "right-wingers" and that Lee Harvey Oswald had nothing to do with the killing. *Minneapolis Star*, Paul Presbrey, 3/28/67

Kroman not mentioned in story on acquittal on all counts of Kroman's four co-defendants, Kitzer Jr. & Sr., Hruban and Magnusson, on 6/23//67 at Bismarck. *New York Times*, 6/24/67

Kroman and 12 other remaining defendants acquitted by dismissal order by U.S. district judge in Minneapolis, requested by U.S. Attorney Patrick J. Foley. No mention of what has happened to Kroman. *New York Times*, 7/26/67

Klan, Ku Klux

The *Klan in Southern California*, its leaders and their links with the *Minutemen*, the *California Rangers*, *The American Nazi Party*, et al., based partly on the report by Attorney General Thomas Lynch. *Dixon Gayer News Letter*, 7/15/65

Krousel, Walter

First assistant to East Baton Rouge Parish District Attorney Sargent Pitcher. Krousel's office burglarized over weekend, possibly in connection with crime probe. *New Orleans States-Item*, 10/2/67