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NEW ORLEANS, MARCH 6 (AP)-THE AMERICAN CIVIL LIBERTIES UNION OF LOUISIANA SAID TODAY DIST. ATTY. JIM GARRISON "HAS COMMITTED SERIOUS BREACHES OF PROFESSIONAL ETHICS" THAT COULD JEOPARDIZE ANY CONVICTIONS GROWING FROM HIS KENNEDY ASSASSINATION PROBE.

IN A STATEMENT THE ACLU SAID GARRISON'S INVESTIGATION HAS BECOME A "ROMAN CIRCUS" AS THE RESULT OF PUBLICITY.

"IT APPEARS THAT MR. GARRISON SHOULD BE MAKING EVERY EFFORT TO MAKE HIS CASE AS VALUD AS POSSIBLE," THE STATEMENT SAID, "SO THAT THE ACCUSED CONSPIRATORS MIGHT BE BROUGHT TO JUSTICE, RATHER THAN GIVING HIS ROLE AS PUBLICIST FIRST PRIORITY."

GARRISON COULD NOT BE REACHED FOR COMMENT ON THE ACLU STATEMENT. AIDES SAID HE HAD NOT BEEN IN HIS OFFICE TODAY.

THERE WERE NO NEW REVELATIONS RESULTING FROM THE PROBE.

THE ACLU SAID THE U.S. SUPREME COURT "HAS PUT PROSECUTORS ON NOTICE THAT CONVICTIONS OBTAINED PRINCIPALLY THROUGH AN EXCESS OF PREJUDICIAL, PRE-TRIAL PUBLICITY. . .WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO STAND."

"ASSUMING THAT HE HAS A GENUINE CASE AGAINST CONSPIRATORS, HIS PRESENT ACTIVITIES COULD QUITE POSSIBLY SERVE TO PROTECT THOSE GUILTY OF A CONSPIRACY TO ASSASSINATE PRESIDENT KENNEDY," THE ACLU STATEMENT ADDED.

GARRISON HAS SAID HE WILL PROVE KENNEDY WAS KILLED AS THE RESULT OF A PLOT HATCHED HERE IN THE FALL OF 1963.

ONE MAN, CLAY SHAW, WAS BOOKED LAST WEDNESDAY FOR CONSPIRING TO KILL THE PRESIDENT. AND GARRISON SAID OTHER ARRESTS WOULD FOLLOW.

SHAW'S PRELIMINARY HEARING IS SCHEDULED FOR MARCH 14 BEFORE CRIMINAL DIST. COURT JUDGE BERNARD J. BAGERT.

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