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NEW ORLEANS (AP)-CARLOS QUIROGA, 30-YEAR-OLD CUBAN EXILE, WAS SUMMONED TO APPEAR TODAY BEFORE THE ORLEANS PARISH GRAND JURY IN CONNECTION WITH THE NEW ORLEANS INVESTIGATION OF THE ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN F. KENNEDY.

QUIROGA, WHO HAS DENIED ANY KNOWLEDGE OF A PLOT TO KILL KENNEDY, WAS A CLOSE FRIEND OF SERGIO ARCACHA SMITH, A FUGITIVE WITNESS IN DIST. ATTY. JIM GARRISON'S INVESTIGATION.

QUIROGA WAS A MEMBER OF THE CUBAN DEMOCRATIC REVOLUTIONARY COUNCIL FOUNDED BY ARCACHA. THE ANTI-CASTRO ORGANIZATION CLOSED ITS OFFICES HERE EARLY IN 1962.

ARCACHA, NOW FIGHTING EXTRADITION FROM TEXAS, WAS ACCUSED BY GARRISON OF HAVING CONSPIRED WITH GORDON NOVEL AND THE LATE DAVID W. FERRIE TO BURGLARIZE A MUNITIONS BUNKER AT HOUMA IN AUGUST 1961.

GARRISON HAS CHARGED THAT FERRIE, LEE HARVEY OSWALD AND CLAY SHAW, 54-YEAR-OLD RETIRED EXECUTIVE, CONSPIRED HERE IN SEPTEMBER 1963 TO KILL KENNEDY.

NOVEL, 29-YEAR-OLD FORMER NEW ORLEANS BAR OWNER, ALSO HAS BEEN RESISTING EXTRADITION ON THE BURGLARY CHARGE. ANOTHER SET OF EXTRADITION PAPERS WAS SENT TO COLUMBUS, OHIO, ON ^{22 MAY} MONDAY AFTER THE OFFICE OF GOV. JOHN MCKEITHEN RECEIVED THEM FROM GARRISON.

THE FIRST EXTRADITION PAPERS, FILED ABOUT A MONTH AGO, WERE REJECTED BY GOV. JAMES RHODES OF OHIO WHO CLAIMED THERE WERE TECHNICAL ERRORS.

RHODES ALSO WANTED TO KNOW IF A FEDERAL CRIME WAS INVOLVED IN THE CHARGE OF BURGLARY CONSPIRACY.

THEN IN A FOLLOWUP LETTER APRIL 24, RHODES ASKED FOR ASSURANCES THAT GARRISON DID NOT PLAN TO QUESTION NOVEL ABOUT THE ASSASSINATION.

GARRISON SAID SUCH A DEMAND WAS INCREDIBLE.

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