Klan Head, Free, Vows New Drive on Negroes

TEXARKANA, Tex., Nov. 17 (UPI)—Robert M. Shelton, Imperial Wizard of the Ku Klux Klan, who was sent to prison for defying Congress, was set free today. He vowed to wage a new crusade against Negroes.

"A silent majority has realized that it is no longer a question of bad Government," said Shelton, who is 40 years old. "It's a question of impossible Government, and we are chained to the infested black carcass that's dragging us down to the low morals and disruption that's in his nation today."

Shelton served nine months of a one-year term in the Texarkana Correctional Institution on a contempt-of Congress conviction for refusing to disclose membership rolls in the United Klans of America, Inc., which he heads.