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## Clark Denies

# Plans to Prosecute Garrison

WASHINGTON — (UPI) — Attorney General Ramsey Clark denied yesterday that he had said that he would prosecute New Orleans district attorney Jim Garrison.

Clark said a report that he

made such a statement in Charlottesville, Va., Friday night was erroneous.

Clark was said to have made the remark during an informal question and answer session at the Univer-

sity of Virginia's student legal forum.

Clark also said, according to the report, that Garrison "took a perfectly fine man, Clay Shaw, and ruined him just for personal aggrandize-

ment."

Clark said he never made the statement about Garrison and Shaw and stressed that the Justice Department had no plans to prosecute Garrison.

A Justice Department spokesman said that Clark "discussed this matter hypothetically in response to a question. He stated no conclusion."