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Garrison Names 3 More in Probe

NEW ORLEANS — (AP) — District Attorney Jim Garrison subpoenaed three men today — two from California and one from Nebraska — as “material witnesses” in his probe into the assassination of President Kennedy.

The three were identified as Loran A. Hall of Kernville, Calif.; Thomas Beckham of Omaha, Neb., and Lynn Howard Jr. of Los Angeles.

Judge Matthew S. Brannif issued the subpoenas and ordered the men to appear before the Orleans Parish Grand Jury Feb. 1 and 2.

The documents said the three would be granted immunity from arrest for anything happening prior to their entry into Louisiana.

IN DALLAS

The subpoena for Hall said Garrison had information that Hall checked into the Dallas YMCA in October, 1963, and remained in Dallas until the time of Kennedy's death there on Nov. 22, 1963.

The subpoena contended that Hall was in Dallas with Jack Ruby “and other individuals believed to be involved in the assassination,” including Lee Harvey Oswald.

Ruby, now dead, shot Oswald to death at the Dallas police station two days after the assassination and Oswald's arrest. Oswald later

was named by the Warren Commission as the lone assassin of the President.

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Hall, the document said, “Brought a weapon to Dallas shortly before the assassination.” It added that he was “arrested and briefly jailed in Dallas in October (1963).”

The Beckham subpoena said he was reported seen in Dallas in November, 1963, with a number of persons “believed to have played a part in the assassination of President Kennedy.”

The subpoena for Howard says Howard arrived in Dallas in October, 1963, checked into the YMCA and remained in Dallas until the time of the assassination.

It says he was in contact with Ruby “and other individuals believed to have been involved in the assassination,” including Oswald.