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Cabbie Says Oswald, Ferrie Visited Ruby Club

DALLAS, Tex. (AP)—A former Dallas cab driver has told the New Orleans district attorney's office that he once drove David Ferrie and Lee Harvey Oswald to Jack Ruby's Dallas nightclub.

Raymond Cummings, 35, said he contacted Dist. Atty. Jim Garrison's office after he saw a picture of Ferrie in a Dallas newspaper, and an accompanying story that said Ferrie said he had never been in Dallas, a source said.

Cummings, who was a part-time Dallas cabbie from Jan. 11, 1963, till March 15, 1963, would not talk with reporters today.

But a qualified source divulged his sensational story to the Associated Press.

Cummings was driving a cab when he took a man from the Dallas bus station to suburban Irving. He said the passenger was Lee Harvey Oswald. He said he remembered this man because both men were ex-Marines and talked about the service. Also, Oswald, he said, said he did not have enough money for the fare but he took him anyway.

A few weeks later, Cummings said, according to the source, he picked up three men on a Dallas street and was told to take them to Ruby's Carousel club. He said these three men were Oswald, Ferrie and an unidentified man.

He said he recognized Oswald and they talked more about the Marines. He said Ferrie's unusual face caused

him to keep glancing at it in the mirror. Ferrie's face was burned once and he wore a wig and false eyebrows.