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NEW ORLEANS AP -The New Orleans States-Item said in a copyrighted story Friday that Dist. Atty. Jim Garrison will seek to show that Lee Harvey Oswald was an undercover agent who aided the cause of anti-Castro Cubans here.

"Garrison's investigation is said to have taken a definite trend toward what are believed to be indications that persons employed by the CIA were responsible for Kennedy's death," the newspaper said.

The Warren Commission, named by President Lyndon B. Johnson to investigate the assassination of President John F. Kennedy in Dallas, Tex., Nov. 22, 1963, reached the conclusion that Lee Harvey Oswald was the sole assassin.

Garrison's Kennedy assassination investigation, the States-Item said, "will show that . . . Oswald was not a Communist."

The Warren Commission decided that Oswald was a confused, Communist-oriented young man who was driven to kill Kennedy by a deep need for public recognition.

The New Orleans' sun-toting district attorney, often flamboyant and unorthodox, has been conducting his own investigation into the Kennedy slaying since last fall. He has obtained a grand jury indictment of wealthy retired businessman Clay L. Shaw on a charge of conspiring to murder the President.

The States-Item said its latest information came from informed sources "as additional evidence pointed increasingly toward a deep involvement of U.S. Central Intelligence Agency activities among certain principals in the district attorney's continuing inquiry."

The sources, the newspaper continued, "painted a picture of Oswald which was diametrically opposed to the one sketched by the Warren Commission."

Marguerite Oswald has claimed on several occasions that her son Lee was some sort of government agent. Last fall she declared in a radio interview that "my son went to Russia with the full knowledge of the Marine Corps and my government" in 1959.

The New Orleans-born Oswald went to the Soviet Union in 1959 after being released from Marine Corps Service. He attempted to renounce his U.S. citizenship. In 1962 he returned to this country with a Russian wife and a baby daughter.

The States-Item said Garrison's office believes that Oswald's activities here in behalf of the pro-Castro Fair Play for Cuba Committee were "no more than a cover for his real job as an operative who worked closely with militant anti-Communist Cuban groups."

The newspapers said the investigations of Oswald's dealings in New Orleans are said to center on the fact that he used the address of a Camp Street building which also housed the offices of two avowedly anti-Communist organizations.

"One was the Cuban Revolutionary Democratic Front, headed by Sergio Arcacha Smith, a current fugitive from Garrison's investigation," the newspaper said. "The other was Guy Bannister Associates, led by the stormy onetime Federal Bureau of Investigation official and assistant superintendent of New Orleans police."

Oswald's connection with the 514 Camp St. address is one of the many puzzling events surrounding him. The Warren Commission noted that Oswald had FPCC literature with that address in his possession when he was arrested here for scuffling with three Cuban refugees. The commission concluded, however, that Oswald had no connection with the address although it did not explain why he used it.

Arcacha's office was officially closed in early 1962. He moved to Dallas. Garrison recently obtained a warrant for Arcacha's arrest on a charge of conspiring to burglarize an oil company's explosives bunker near Houma, La., in 1961.

Arcacha is currently fighting extradition to Louisiana. He has refused repeatedly to talk to Garrison's investigators in Dallas unless they agree to question him in the presence of Dallas police officers.

Bannister, who died of a heart attack in 1964, had a private detective agency in the same building when Oswald was here.

The States- item said Bannister "is believed to have worked in cooperation with a U.S. military intelligence office here."

Shaw, 54, has been free on \$10,000 bond since his arrest M:FL-1503 Garrison named Oswald and David W. Ferrie, a former airlines pilot with a homosexual record, as co-conspirators in the plot.

Oswald was slain by Jack Ruby in a Dallas police station two days after the death of Kennedy. Ferrie died last Feb. 22 while under investigation by Garrison's office.

Shaw's attorneys filed four motions in criminal district court Thursday aimed at killing Garrison's charges against the gray-haired world War II Army major. At the same time, a motion was filed in court asking that perjury charges against Dean A. Andrews Jr., be thrown out.

Andrews, a rotund, jive-talking lawyer who told The Warren Commission that Oswald consulted him on legal matters, was indicted on a charge of lying to the grand jury when he was quizzed in connection with Garrison's probe.

Andrews told the Warren Commission that a voice he knew as Clay Bertrand telephoned him after the Kennedy assassination and asked that he go to Dallas to represent Oswald. Garrison claims that ~~Clay Bertrand~~ was an alias used by Shaw.

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