

## 'Kennedy Plot' Figure Once Worked for CIA

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Gordon Novel, sought as a witness in District Attorney Jim Garrison's Kennedy assassination investigation, worked for the Central Intelligence Agency in early 1961, Novel's attorney said yesterday.

Steve Plotkin, Novel's lawyer, made the statement after the New Orleans States-Item said it had discovered a letter written by Novel and apparently directed to an official of the CIA.

Plotkin said Novel served as an intermediary between the CIA and anti-Castro Cubans in New Orleans and Miami prior to the April, 1961, Bay of Pigs invasion.

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