

Club Owner Testifies About Gervais Tapes

French Quarter nightclub owner Nick Karno today testified before the Orleans Parish Grand Jury in connection with its probe of tapes made by former U.S. informer Pershing Gervais.

Karno, owner of the "500 Club," was in the grand jury room for almost an hour and a half, leaving at 1:30 p.m.

The nightclub owner left the room shortly after he entered to confer with his attorney, Chuck Pisano.

A scheduled appearance by lawyer Floyd Greene before

the grand jury earlier today was postponed for two weeks when Greene said his attorney was out of town.

Instead, the jury made an inspection tour of the Orleans Parish Coroner's office and the morgue area.

The jury several times has attempted to question Greene, attorney for the Orleans Parish inheritance tax collector, regarding allegations he has split his fees with City Councilman Clarence O. Dupuy.

Green refused to answer the jury's questions and once was

found in contempt of court and sentenced to serve 10 days in jail. A federal court set aside the conviction.

The grand jury has been probing the Greene matter intermittently since January when Greene testified at an alimony hearing that he gave al but \$700 a month of his job fees to Dupuy, passing on a total of \$73,000 in one 10-month period.

Dupuy has denied receiving any more money from Greene.

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