

Memorandum

TO : FILE (100-10461)

DATE: 12/2/63

FROM : SAC SHANKLIN

SUBJECT: LEE HARVEY OSWALD, aka
IS-R-CUBA

Inspector DON MOORE of the Bureau called and talked to Mr. MALLEY and he referred to the photograph of OSWALD holding a rifle across his chest and having a side-arm on, and he stated it was extremely important that we determine who took this photo, when it was taken, why, where, and any other data available.

LEAD: Handle at once.

*Identified James Nease
1611 Farrar
DA 7-6569*

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JGS:mfr
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SA HEITMAN was interviewing MARINA OSWALD at the time above inquiry was received and he was telephonically requested to attempt to get the answers from Mrs. OSWALD.

SA HEITMAN called back and said he had talked to Mrs. OSWALD and she said she recognized the picture he was describing, that she took it about March of 1963 while she and her late husband were living on Neeley Street in Dallas. She said he got himself dressed up, got the gun, posed, and then told her to take the picture. She thought it was a little silly and asked him why he wanted such a silly picture and he merely said "for remembrance sake." (over)

*Approved
SA Shanklin
8/11/63
Copy to
89-43*

*Malley told me
that photo of Oswald
was taken by Nease
11/14. Called to Nease
and he confirmed
12/2/63*

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Mrs. OSWALD said she did not notice the sidearm he had on when she took the picture since he had on dark trousers but she did notice it when she later saw the completed photograph.

Above will be included in a teletype to the Bureau this evening covering the daily interview with Mrs. OSWALD..