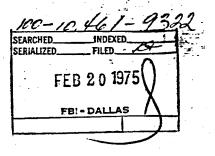
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LEE HARVEY OSVALD, aka INTERNAL SECURITY - R

On 2/20/75 former SA JOHN W. FAIN called and stated that he had just received a telephone call from NICHOLAS HOROCK, who identified himself as being with the Washington office of the New York Times. HOROCK stated that he was checking the archives on this matter and that there was a memorandum that he had seen dated 6/3/60, wherein Mr. HOOVER had stated, "The possibility exists that some impostor might be using the birth certificate of LEE HARVEY OSWALD." HOROCK was asking FAIN if he knew anything about this. FAIN stated he advised HOROCK that he had no comment to make; that he knew nothing about this, and HOROCK indicated that he would probably call Bureau Headquarters.

I called the Bureau and talked to JAMES N. NURPHY in the External Affairs Division and gave him the above information. He stated he knew HOROCK and he appreciated being advised of his possible call.



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