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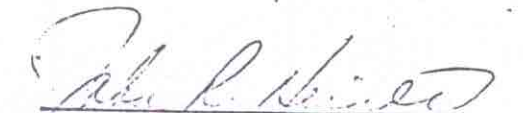
I went into the Marines on July 1957 and from there we went straight overseas. Although I did not realize it LEE HARVEY OSWALD must have been on the ship with us. I arrived at Atsugi, Japan, in the latter part of August 1957. Within a month after arriving at Atsugi, Japan, I had occasion to speak to LEE OSWALD. The wife of a friend of mine from New Orleans had died giving birth to a child. Her maiden name was OSWALD, and I asked LEE OSWALD if he was related to her. He said that he was not. This is the only time that I ever really carried on any conversation with LEE HARVEY OSWALD.

Shortly after this conversation, OSWALD was court martialed, approximately November of 1957. I saw him occasionally policing the grounds under the direction of the Military Police.

After this OSWALD was transferred to M.A.C. 1 (Marine Air Control 1). This company was engaged in radar, and G.C.A. (Ground Control Approach). All members of this company had to have a security clearance.

Shortly after this, the Marine Air Wing that I was attached to was transferred to Formosa. I was not aware of whether or not OSWALD was transferred with us since I did not see him again for the rest of my active duty in the service.

I have never seen nor heard from LEE OSWALD since the time I spoke to him at Atsugi Air Base.


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