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KERRYTHORNEY

Thornley to create a false picture of Oswald as a Communist . . . His testimony prevented anyone from examining whether Oswald might have been sent to Russia as a U.S. agent, which he was:"

Probe and Per Harvey

JFK 'Dumping' Plan Denied by Sorensen United Press International

Former White House aide asked her boss three days before C. Sorensen said fore his death about his preference for a 1964 running mate.

She said: "He looked ahead and without hesitating, he reflected in 1964.

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Evelyn Lincoln, personal secretary to the late President, said in a book to be published March 4 that she

and without hesitating, he replied, 'At this time, I am thinking about Gov. Terry Sanford of North Carolina. But it will not be Lyndon.' "

Sorensen, President Kenneddy's closest staff associate and a long-time political adviser.

a long-time political adviser, was contacted by phone at his New York office and asked his assessment of this report.
"I was in constant conversa-

tion with the President about tion with the President about his political thinking in general and his thinking on 1964 in particular at that very period, and at no time did he ever entertain the slightest thought that Lyndon Johnson would not be his running mate in 1964 "Scrensen said in 1964," Sorensen said.