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The office of a top investigator into the alleged break-in at the Democratic party headquarters in Washington was broken into and searched, Newsweek magazine said here yesterday.

The office of Martin Dardis, a senior investigator of the alleged break-in at party headquarters in the Watergate Hotel, was searched five days after he had received subpoenaed bank records crucial to the case.

The records concerned an alleged \$25,000 payment, by the Finance Committee to Re-elect the President to the leader of the Watergate incident.

Dardis is investigating the matter from the Miami angle — some of the money allegedly changed hands on a Miami golf course.

"Nothing was taken, but the fact that the intruders picked out Dardis' office from the dozen on the floor persuaded investigators that they were interested in the Watergate raid," Newsweek said.

Reuters.