



He Denies He Was the Leak

Salem, Ore.

Yeoman Charles E. Radford denied repeatedly yesterday that he was the source of leaks from National Security Council files in 1971.

Radford, 30, is a career specialist in stenography and office procedures who was on the staff of two admirals who were the Navy's liaison offices to the National Security Council.

He worked for rear Admiral Rembrandt C. Robin-

son and then for Rear Admiral Robert O. Welander, who succeeded to the liaison post when Robinson was killed in a plane crash.

Radford, said he had been accused of having leaked papers to Anderson, but that he maintained then and now that he was not guilty. He also denied that he knew of any security leaks to the office of Admiral Thomas H. Moorer, chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

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CHARLES RADFORD
Aide to two admirals