

'Deep Throat' Tells His Alibi

Philadelphia

The man identified as "Deep Throat" by H. R. Haldeman says he has proof he was out of the country when the secret informant gave key information about the Watergate scandal.

In his book, "The Ends of Power," Haldeman, former White House chief of staff, said he be-

lieves Fred Fielding — who served as assistant to Presidential Counsel John Dean — is "Deep Throat" and said former President Richard Nixon thought so too.

Sunday's Philadelphia Bulletin said Fielding showed a Bulletin reporter a passport, government expense vouchers and a presiden-

tial letter of introduction showing that he was on a five-day assignment in Latin America starting Jan. 23, 1974.

In their book, "All the President's Men," Washington Post reporters Bob Woodward and Carl Bernstein refer to a critical meeting on Jan. 24, 1974, with "Deep Throat."

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