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LEADS continued

THE ST. LOUIS DIVISION

AT ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI

1. Will continue to maintain contact with MAY TRAYNOR and HARRY SCHNEIDER, as well as confidential informants, potential confidential informants and confidential sources mentioned herein.

2. Will consider additional interviews with BOB and ED JAMES, of Ace Cab Company, at the appropriate time in view of their present attitude towards COSTELLO.

One copy of instant report is being furnished the Little Rock Office in view of the investigation of JOHN FRANCIS KINNEY and WILLIAM MANSKER CLUBB by that office.

One copy of instant report is being furnished to Chicago Office in view of the investigation presently being conducted by that office.

The following information was obtained from confidential informants, Potential Criminal Informants and confidential sources.

SYNOPSIS: LOUIS DONALD SHOULDERS has refused to assist WILLIAM MANSKER CLUBB financially and indicates CLUBB will "snitch". JOSEPH COSTELLO states SL 1143-C is an "FBI informant and police snitch". He indicates informant will suffer physical violence. When discussing his testimony on August 19, 1958, before Senate Rackets Committee, COSTELLO stated, "Only a few people know anything about the GREENLEASE case and they won't talk". LOUIS DONALD SHOULDERS manifests intense hatred for TOM BUGG, apparently because he feels BUGG was responsible for the arrest of LOUIS IRA SHOULDERS on an abortion charge. COSTELLO received check from John J. Dowling Realty Company dated August 8, 1958, in amount of \$8,645.95. Information regarding bank account of BARBARA COSTELLO, the SHOULDERS' and purchase of cabs by Ace Cab Company set out. ROSE MARIE MITCHELL, friend of COSTELLO, interviewed. MAY TRAYNOR's safe deposit box records examined. Registration records of Mayflower Hotel, Washington, D.C., regarding individuals from St. Louis, obtained. LOUIS IRA SHOULDERS and COSTELLO "highly aggravated" over testimony before Senate Rackets Committee regarding instant case. Records of loans made to ROBERT BERNARD BAKER of Teamsters Union obtained.

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LDS has also indicated that he does not like his father's present wife, and both she and his father know his feelings in this respect.

Previous mention has been made that LDS advised PCI that he had been offered \$10,000 to kill HAROLD GIBBONS, Teamsters Union Official. LDS has now told PCI that the person who made this offer was a Union Official from Chicago, Illinois, and who was put in touch with LDS by BARNEY BAKER, Teamster Business Agent, who recently testified before the Senate Labor Rackets Investigating Committee.

On September 4, 1958, PCI advised that she spent the evening of September 3, 1958, with LDS, but nothing of pertinent interest occurred. They went to a drive-in and also stopped by the apartment of MARY and BILL SANDERS, who stated they had been at his mother's earlier in the day.