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On August 12, 1958 MAY TRAYNOR was contacted by SA PHILLIP M. KING, at which time she related she had received a telephone call on the evening of August 11, 1958 from Washington, D. C. TRAYNOR stated that the caller advised her he was with the MC CLELLAN Committee and desired to know what information TRAYNOR might possess concerning JOE COSTELLO and ~~BARNEY BAKER.~~ MO

In essence, TRAYNOR stated the individual desired to subpoena her before the MC CLELLAN Committee to testify regarding her knowledge of both COSTELLO and BAKER which she, TRAYNOR, stated she would do.

During the conversation TRAYNOR was advised that this office had received information that she, TRAYNOR, had actually had \$50,000 in her safety deposit boxes, from which she alleged the COSTELLOS stole \$17,500. Further, that this office was aware that JOHN and JENNIE HAGER had visited with her and the COSTELLOS while she and the COSTELLOS were in Las Vegas, Nevada vacationing in 1957.

At this point TRAYNOR stated she would like to be frank and truthful, and related it was true she had \$50,000 in her two safety deposit boxes, and that each box contained \$25,000 at the time she alleges the COSTELLOS stole \$17,500 from them. TRAYNOR related she had not given the true amount previously because she was afraid that she would be investigated again by the Internal Revenue Service for that money.

At this point TRAYNOR was questioned again by SA KING concerning the monies she paid for her settlement with the Internal Revenue Service in 1957. It is noted that TRAYNOR had previously exhibited to SA JACK J. FISHER and SA KING a canceled check of TRAYNOR's, payable to the Internal Revenue Service, in the amount of \$4,000, odd, and another canceled check, payable to attorney MORRIS A. SHENKER, in the amount of \$1,500, which she, TRAYNOR, stated was in settlement of her income tax case and fees to her attorney, MORRIS SHENKER.

It is noted at this point that SL 1143-C had previously advised SA KING that TRAYNOR had indicated to her that she actually had spent \$10,600 to have her income tax case settled, and that she had given MORRIS SHENKER a sum