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The following investigation was conducted by
SA JOHN M. DUNAY, on April 10, 1968, at Hammond, Louisiana:

BROOKS ROBINSON, Chief of Police, Hammond
Police Department, made available his records which were
checked with negative results for the names HARVEY LOWMAYER
and ERIC SERVO GALT and their variations.

The following investigation was conducted by
SA JOHN M. DUNAY, on April 11, 1968, at Hammond, Louisiana:

The following advised that there was no record
in their files for the names ERIC SERVO GALT or HARVEY
LOWMAYER or their variations:

JO ANN HUSSER,
Louisiana Gas Service,,
104 Southwest Railroad Avenue

DORIS HARPER,
Louisiana Power and Light Company,
Church Street

LUDA HILL,
Southeast Hammond Water Company,
Highway 51, North

The following were contacted and advised that
they did not use a Thermo-Seal marking machine for their
laundry marks:

CLAIRE BOOTH,
Barksdale Cleaners,
117 W. Thomas

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CLAIRE ROGERS,
One Hour Martinizing,
221 W. Thomas

Mrs. PETE GRANNABLE,
Pete's Cleaners,
120 S. Holly

PAUL GRANNABLE,
Paul's Cleaners,
211 E. Charles

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The following investigation was conducted by
SA JOHN M. DUNAY on April 10, 1968, at Kentwood, Louisiana:

The following advised that there was no record
in their files for the names ERIC SERVO GALT or HARVEY
LOWMAYER or their variations:

Mrs. NICK SALADINO,
Louisiana Power and Light Company,
Avenue F

FLORENCE STRICKLAND,
Tangipahoa Parish Library,
Box 53

The following were contacted and advised that they
did not use a Thermo-Seal marking machine for their laundry
marks:

G. BUNCH,
Bunch's Cleaners,
Avenue G

B. J. COOK,
Cook's Cleaners,
College Road

Mrs. B. GLASGOW,
Ray's Cleaners,
223 Avenue F.

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The following investigation was conducted at Amite, Louisiana, on April 10, 1968, by SA JOHN M. DUNAY:

The following advised that there was no record in their files for the names ERIC SERVO GALT or HARVEY LOWMAYER or their variations:

Mrs. LADY GAY HOUSTON,
Louisiana Power and Light Company,
103 West Chestnut Street

Mrs. BARBARA CARPENTER,
Tangipahoa Parish Library,
200 East Mulberry

She also advised that her records contained the names of all members of the library, including the branches.

The following were contacted and advised that they did not use a Thermo-Seal marking machine for their laundry marks:

J. THOMPSON,
Amite Cleaners,
112 S.W. Central Avenue

RICHARD K. CURIER,
Service Cleaners,
105 East Central Avenue

Mrs. LOUIS PECORA,
Pecora's Cleaners,
106 East Chestnut Street

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The following cleaners and laundries were contacted by SA WILLIAM T. BROOKS on the dates indicated with negative results with respect to use by these establishments of cloth marking tags made by Thermo Seal Marking Machine:

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Hahnville Cleaners
Morgan Street
Hahnville, Louisiana
CLAYTON BYRD, Owner

Freeman Cleaners
Second Street
Luling, Louisiana
MABLE GAUBERT, Clerk

Luling Cleaners,
Pall Maillaire Road
Luling, Louisiana
Mrs. FRANK BOSCO, Owner

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Cayette Cleaners
River Road
St. James, Louisiana
FELIX WILLIAMSON, JR., owner

Gramercy Cleaners
River Road
Gramercy, Louisiana
RAOUL BERTHELOT, Owner

Wash-O-Mat
Plum Avenue
Gramercy, Louisiana
Mrs. VIOLA GAINES, Clerk

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Airline Cleaners
735 North Airline Avenue
Gramercy, Louisiana
ROBERT J. PERTUIS, JR., Owner

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Englade Cleaners
West Sixth Street
Reserve, Louisiana
Mrs. ETHEL DUHE, Clerk

LaPlace Cleaners
801 Main Street
LaPlace, Louisiana
Same Day Cleaners
Riverlands Shopping Center
LaPlace, Louisiana
Mr. G. BURES, Owner

Norco Launderama
St. Charles Street
Norco, Louisiana
RONALD CARMOUCHE, Owner

Norco Cleaners
River Road
Norco, Louisiana
ANDY YURCHAK, Owner

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ADMINISTRATIVE:

The following investigation was conducted at New Orleans, Louisiana, by Special Agent KEVIN J. HARRIGAN:

On April 17, 1968, NO 1484-C advised that a check of records at the Baptist Mission for the past six years was negative regarding ERIC STARVO GALT. CI was furnished lists of other possible names used by GALT, including that of HARVEY LOWMYER and also the name of JOHN WILLARD. CI was requested to check various spellings and other possible combinations of these names, but with negative results.

CI advised, however, that he located a registration card for an ERNEST SUMPTER GAULT. Examination of this registration card showed that GAULT stayed at the Baptist Mission on May 25, 1965. He listed his address as 1911 West 18th Street, Little Rock, Arkansas. His occupation was listed as painter and merchant marine seaman. His Social Security Number was [REDACTED] His nearest relative was listed as CLEO NELSON (sister), same address as GAULT. This registration card showed GAULT to be a white male, 5' 7" tall, 145 pounds, age 44.

CI viewed photographs of ERIC STARVO GALT, but with negative results. Photographs were displayed to other employees working other shifts and who have been known to Special Agent HARRIGAN for many years, but with negative results.

On April 18, 1968, NO 1189-C, who is a homosexual and who operates a French Quarter bar patronized exclusively by French Quarter homosexuals, was furnished a photograph of ERIC STARVO GALT; however, CI, who claims to be personally familiar with practically every homosexual in the French Quarter area, advised subject's photograph unknown to him. CI stated he would make discreet inquiry concerning GALT among the "gay" crowd that frequents his bar.

On April 18, 1968, NO 1369-C, who operates a French Quarter bar frequented mostly by homosexuals and

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lesbians, was furnished a photograph of ERIC STARVO GALT; however, he advised subject's photograph, name and aliases are unknown to him.

On April 19, 1968, PCI [REDACTED], presently unemployed, but who is a known prostitute, and who frequents bars patronized by homosexuals, lesbians and hop-heads and who has worked in the French Quarter for several years, was contacted regarding ERIC STARVO GALT. His photograph was again displayed, but with negative results.

On April 19, 1968, BILL KILLEEN, Manager, Marian's Bar, 615 Iberville, was contacted regarding ERIC STARVO GALT. It should be noted that KILLEEN is an admitted homosexual who has been contacted on numerous occasions by Special Agent HARRIGAN during the past three years. KILLEEN operates a bar which caters primarily to French Quarter homosexuals and lesbians and he personally is acquainted with most of these people in the French Quarter. However, he advised subject's name and photograph are unknown to him.

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SUSPECT ERIC STARVO GALT
SUSPECT JOHN WILLARD
SUSPECT HARVEY LOMYER

ADMINISTRATIVE:

On April 15 and April 16, 1968, the following informants and reliable sources of SA KEVIN J. HARRIGAN were contacted regarding ERIC STARVO GALT, JOHN WILLARD, and HARVEY LOMYER. In addition, various combinations of these names were also discussed. However, results of these inquiries were all negative.

It should be noted that these informants and sources either manager or frequent bars or other places frequented by dope users. These sources are familiar with most of the dope activities in the French Quarter area. They are also familiar with several of the seamen who are large users of dope in the French Quarter area. Persons who were contacted who are not informants have furnished reliable information to SA HARRIGAN in the past and are considered trustworthy:

NO 1369-C (operates Pirates Den, frequented almost exclusively by seamen and prostitutes)

NO 1189-C (operates Wanda's Bar, frequented by homosexuals and dope users)

JOSEPH WILLARS, Manager, Safari Lounge (frequented by Negro and white beatniks and hippies and notorious hangout for dope users)

Mrs. FLOYD ROGERS, Manager, Maison Dela, 929 Dumaine (hippie flophouse occupied by hippie and beatnik element)

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[REDACTED], former French Quarter barmaid, currently unemployed but who regularly frequents bars on Decatur Street, and elsewhere in French Quarter which are hangouts for hippie element.

BILL KILEEN, Manager, Marann's Bar (frequented by beatniks, homosexuals and dope users)

It should be noted that NO 819-C who is familiar with most of the dope activities and terms advised after being furnished with information that person sought by the FBI is believed to be using a type of dope contained in a green capsules stated he believes such capsules are called "Up's" whose correct identity are Dexamyl Spansule. CI stated that after a person has taken these capsules which are considered a form of dope, his eyes water slightly, the pupils of his eyes become enlarged and the users frequently suffer hallucinations and is noted for various irrational behavior. CI stated that Up's are very common in the French Quarter area and through contact with right people can be obtained in several of the low class bars.

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The following investigation was conducted by Special Agent PHILLIP M. KING:

On April 23, 1968, Mr. Charles Abercrombie, Kohler's Snow White Laundry and Dry Cleaning Company, 1861 North Dorgenois Street, was contacted by Special Agent PHILLIP M. KING. Mr. Abercrombie stated that the code "20R-3" was not used by their company and suggested that possibly the Chalmette Launderers and Cleaners might use such a number.

Mr. E. S. FAVRE, Manager, Chalmette Launderers and Cleaners, 2901 Tulane Avenue, advised that his company does use thermo seal machines, but that they do not use any codes with letters, explaining that all their codes are with numerals only.

Mr. HENRY J. WENTZ, Plant Manager, Morrisons Laundry - and Cleaners, 4114 South Claiborne Avenue, advised that his company does not use thermo seal machines or tapes used by thermo machines for marking their items. He stated they staple the laundry tag to the item or pin it with a small safety pin. Further, he advised they do not use any codes similar to "20R-3."

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ALLEN PARISH, LOUISIANA

The following investigation was conducted by SA GEORGE M. CAMERON, on April 15, 1968:

The following listed cleaning and laundry establishments were contacted with negative results, to determine if they used Textile Marking Machine Company, Syracuse, New York, Thermoseal marking tapes, or if J2B-6 or 22b-6 were markings used by them:

AT ORLEANS, LOUISIANA.

Butler One-Hour Cleaners, Owner BOB BUTLER,

Lee's Cleaners, Owner, ED LESHOTTE,

BUCK'S Unique Cleaners, Owner, BENNIE MOSLEY,

J. & S. Cleaners, Owner, JAMES JOHNSON.

AT OBERLIN, LOUISIANA.

Oberlin Cleaners, Owner, LUTILE J. BONNIE.

AT MONROE, LOUISIANA.

Savant's Cleaners, Owner, J. R. SAVANT

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The following investigation was conducted by
SA BYRON V. MACDONALD on April 12, 1968, and April 15, 1968:

The following contacted concerning the Thermo Seal
Marking Machine manufactured by Textile Marking Machine
Company with negative results:

WINNFIELD, LOUISIANA

MARVIN HARRELL, Manager, Harrell's Cleaners, Winnfield,
Louisiana

GAIL GARRETT, Co-owner, Garrett's Cleaners, Winnfield,
Louisiana

L. D. TAYLOR, Owner, Taylor's Laundry and Cleaners,
Winnfield, Louisiana.

JONESBORO, LOUISIANA.

Mrs. A. S. ELKINS, Seamstress, Jonesboro Cleaners,
Jonesboro.

Mr. CLYDE TYLER, Owner, Tyler's Cleaners, Jonesboro,
Louisiana.

Mr. ARTIE CARSON, Owner, Carson's Cleaners, Hodge,
Louisiana.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA GEORGE M. CAMPBELL, on April 12, 1968:

The following listed cleaning and laundry establishments were contacted with negative results, to determine if they used Textile Marking Machine Company, Syracuse, New York, Thermoseal marking tapes, or if 02B-6 or D2B-6 were markings used by them:

AT SULPHUR, LOUISIANA.

Frensley's Cleaners, Owner, CHARLES FRENSELY,

Clarence's Courtesy Cleaners,

Sulphur Dry Cleaners,

Up-to-date Cleaners, CLARA MCLANCON, Manager,

Martinizing One-Hour Cleaners and Branches, Manager,
J. D. LANE.

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LAUNDRY TAGS

The following investigation was conducted by
SA PATRICK R. COONEY at Shreveport, Louisiana on April 11,
1968:

GEORGE GUILLIOT, Owner, Rudolph Ramelli, Inc.,
967 Travis Street, advised that his company is the sole
distributor of laundry tags in the entire northwest area
of Louisiana.

He stated that the only products he carries made
by the Textile Marking Machine Company of Syracuse, New York,
is the paper laundry tag. He stated at one time he did order
the cloth laundry tags from this company but that he has
not distributed any of these cloth laundry tags to any laundry
in northwest Louisiana. Mr. GUILLIOT added that he does not
know of anyone in the surrounding state area who uses the
cloth laundry tags manufactured by the Textile Marking
Machine Company of Syracuse, New York. He stated that the
only cloth laundry tags he distributes is that one made
by the Liberty Company.

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CHECK FOR LAUNDRY TICKET

The following operators of laundry and dry cleaning establishments were contacted by Special Agent RONALD W. BEINNER on April 11, 1968, and advised that they do not use a thermo seal marking machine to attach laundry tags to articles of clothing processed by them:

- ~~A. W. PHILLIPS~~, City Dry Cleaners, Plain Dealing, Louisiana;
- ~~GRAY MC KENZIE~~, Mac Dry Cleaners, Plain Dealing, Louisiana;
- ~~A. H. MAYNOR~~, Modern Cleaner, Vivian, Louisiana.

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RE: LAUNDRIES AND CLEANERS

On April 10, 1968, the following dry cleaning establishments were contacted in regards to the Thermo-Seal Marking Machine at Abbeville, Louisiana, by SA JOHN SATTERTHWAITE, with negative results:

~~Blue's Cleaners~~
~~505 Alphonse Street~~

~~Love's Cleaners and Fur Storage~~
~~135 South Main Street~~

~~One-Hour Martinez~~
~~208 Charity Street~~

~~Nu Way Cleaners~~
~~211 Donald Frederick Boulevard~~

~~City Cleaners~~
~~112 South Jefferson Street~~

~~Spic & Span~~
~~802 South State Street~~

~~Scalisi Cleaners~~
~~119 North State Street~~

On April 11, 1968, the following cleaning establishments were contacted in regards to the Thermo-Seal Marking Machine at St. Martinville, Louisiana, by Special Agent JOHN SATTERTHWAITE with negative results:

~~Landry Cleaners~~

~~Mier Cleaners~~

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LAUNDRY TAG

The following investigation was conducted by
SA RONALD A. HOVERSON at Opelousas, Louisiana, on April 10,
1968:

The following laundries and cleaners were contacted
concerning the Thermo Seal Marking Machine with negative
results:

~~ABC Cleaners~~
~~836 South Railroad~~

~~Boatman's~~
~~240 North Main~~

~~Gabriel Cleaners~~
~~South Oak~~

~~Layssard's Cleaners~~
~~782 North Oak~~

~~Lincoln Street Cleaners~~
~~450 Lincoln~~

~~Opelousas Steam Laundry~~
~~110 East Litell~~

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The following investigation was conducted by SA LELAND A. LYNN:

AT NEW IBERIA, LOUISIANA

On April 10, 1968, the following persons were contacted at the laundries indicated and all advised they do not use a Thermoseal Marking Machine and are not familiar with a coating type tape as a laundry mark and none used the Textile Marking Machine Company identification. None were familiar with the laundry mark code "02B-6 or D2B-6:"

Mr. ERNIE NUGENT, Teche Cleaners and Laundry

Mr. WAYNE PARKER, East Main Exclusive Cleaners

Mr. EVELYN VIATOR, Viator's Cleaners

Mrs. NOLAN BARROS, Helton's Cleaners

Mrs. MARIE SALES, Parkview Quality Cleaners

Mrs. GEORGE MEYERS, Derowen Cleaners

AT JEANERETTE, LOUISIANA

On April 10, 1968, Mr. CLIFFORD BODIN, owner of Broussard's Cleaners, advised that he is not familiar with a Thermoseal Marking Machine tape for laundry and to his knowledge no laundries in southwest Louisiana use a marking machine type identification as all identification is made by either marking the name in the clothing with a special type of pencil or is washed in a net bag.

AT FRANKLIN, LOUISIANA

On April 11, 1968, the following persons were contacted at the laundries indicated and all advised they do not use a Thermoseal Marking Machine and are not familiar with a coating type tape as a laundry mark and none used the Textile Marking Machine Company identification. None were familiar with the laundry mark code "02B-6 or D2B-6:"

Mr. ROLAND TOLEDEAU, Fifth Street Laundry

Mr. WAYNE HAYDEL, Haydel Cleaners

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Mrs. HAZEL WALKER, Martin's Cleaners

Mr. ANTHONY SCELFO, Scelfo's Cleaners

AT MORGAN CITY, LOUISIANA

On April 11, 1968, the following individuals advised they do not use a Thermoseal Marking Machine and are not familiar with a coating type tape as a laundry mark and none used the Textile Marking Machine Company identification. None were familiar with the laundry mark code "02B-6 or D2B-6:"

Mr. PAUL CITRANO, Citrano Brothers Cleaners

Mrs. EMILY BERGERON, Dixie Cleaners

Mr. LEROY PRATHER, One Hour Martinizing

GEORGE THAMMESCH, George's Dry Cleaners and Laundry

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VBC:jah

The following investigation was conducted by
SA VINCENT B. COYLE on April 12, 1968, at Monroe, Louisiana:

C. D. CHATMAN, Owner, The Royal Cleaners, Water-
proof, Louisiana, telephonically advised that he operated
the only laundry in Tensas Parish and he does not use cloth
laundry tags.

ROBERT BYARGEON, Owner, Byargeon Cleaners, 301
Prairie Street, Winnsboro, Louisiana, telephonically advised
that he operated the only laundry in Franklin Parish, and he
does not use cloth laundry tags.

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The following investigation was conducted by
SA DONALD E. VAN PELT on April 12, 1968:

The following individuals representing all cleaner
and/or laundry establishments in Vernon Parish and Beauregard
Parish, Louisiana, were contacted and advised that all marking
done by their establishments were accomplished either by indelible
ink or by tagging laundry items by use of paper tags and staples:

AT BEAUREGARD PARISH, LOUISIANA

FRANK BLANCHARD, JR.
Blanchard Cleaners
104 Cedar
DeRidder, Louisiana

EARL MARSHALL
Service Cleaners
112 Shirley
De Ridder, Louisiana

A. D. CRAWFORD
One Hour Martinizing
306 West First Street
De Ridder, Louisiana

AT VERNON PARISH LOUISIANA

HANK BERWICK
Berwick Cleaners
119 East Texas
Leesville, Louisiana

HERBERT LEWIS
Lewis Cleaners
406 South Third
Leesville, Louisiana

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GERALD BURN
Delux Cleaner and Laundry
Highway 171 South
Leesville, Louisiana

HENRY FORD
Ford Cleaners
401 Maggie
Leesville, Louisiana

PEGGY SHILLINGS
One Hour Martinizing
1001 South Fifth Street
Leesville, Louisiana

OSCAR SMITH
Smith Cleaners
303 East Texas
Leesville, Louisiana

W. L. EWING
Prefecto Cleaners
Fort Polk, Louisiana

PETE SNOW
French Unique Cleaners
Fort Polk, Louisiana

WAYNE RIGGLEMAN, Supervisor, Post Laundry, Fort Polk, Louisiana, advised that the Fort Polk Laundry uses the Thermo Seal method of marking laundry items, but the machine used in this process is manufactured by the National Marking Machine Company and therefore their marking system uses a four digit number prefix being alphabetical letter.

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The following investigation was conducted by
SA MCINNIS L. WARD:

At Lake Charles, Louisiana.

The following persons, all engaged in the
cleaning and laundry business, advised on April 11, 1968,
that they do not use a thermo marking machine on their
laundry, but use the method set forth. All advised they
know of no local company using a textile marking machine:

CLYDE G. GUILOTT
Owner, AAA Cleaners
3402 Ryan Street
(Uses paper tags fixed by staples)

H. E. KOHLER
Owner, Acme Cleaners
2200 Ryan Street
(Uses paper tags fixed by staples)

JAY ASSUNTO
Owner, Assunto Superior Cleaners
305 Lawrence Street
(Uses paper tags fixed by staples)

H. P. RICHARD
Owner, Broad Street Cleaners
1926 Broad Street
(Uses paper tags fixed by staples)

JERRY SCALISI
Owner, City Valet Cleaners
813 E. Prien Road
(Uses pen with special ink)

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RUFUS MAYFIELD, JR.
Owner of Esquire Cleaners
106 North Shattuck Street
(Uses pen with special ink)

MATTIE SHELTON
Owner of Flash Cleaners
1718 Opelousas
(Uses paper tags fixed by staples)

C. E. HARTMAN,
Owner of Hartman's Cleaners
418 Louisiana Avenue
(Uses marking pencil)

RALPH BOUTTE
Owner, Haskell Street Cleaners
632 Haskell Street
(Uses paper tags fixed by staples)

LEROY J. VICTORIAN,
Owner, Joe's Cleaners
2017 Vine Street
(Uses paper tags fixed by staples)

MRS. CHARLES MASTERSON
Owner, Maplewood Cleaners and Laundry,
Maplewood, Louisiana
(Uses paper tags fixed by metal prongs)

At Lake Charles, Louisiana.

The following investigation was conducted by
SA GEORGE M. CAMPBELL, on 4/11/68:

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The following listed cleaning establishments were contacted with negative results, to determine if they used Textile Marking Machine Company, Syracuse, New York, Thermoseal marking tapes, or if 02B-6 or D2B-6 were markings used by them:

Modern Cleaners
523 Seventh Street
CHARLES BOGGS,
Manager

Monarch Cleaners
123 South Ryan Street
Mrs. PHILLIP SHAHEEN, Sr.
Clerk

Nu Way Cleaners
2601 Ryan Street
Mrs. E. WAITS,
Clerk

One Hour Martinizing
Southgate Shopping Center
Ryan Street
Mrs. ETHEL BROUSSARD
Manager

Prater Street Cleaners
1226 North Prater Street
Mrs. LEVINIA SIMON
Manager

Runte-Lake Cleaners
1030 Broad Street
JAMES RUNTE
Owner

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Vincent's Cleaners, Hatters, and Shoe Repair
201 Ryan Street
VINCENT PECCORINO
Owner

Victory Cleaners
1603 Opelousas Street
Mrs. MARY E. REED
Manager

Varsity Cleaners
3417 Greinwich Blvd.
Mrs. H. E. GILL
Clerk

At Maplewood, Louisiana.

Stephens Cleaners.
107 W. Parish Road
WALTER STEPHENS
Manager

At Westlake, Louisiana.

Rusty's Cleaners
Westwood Road
RUSTY SEVIER
Manager

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RE LAUNDRY MARKINGS

The following investigation was conducted by
SA WILLIAM E. DENT at Monroe - West Monroe, Louisiana:

The following laundries in the Monroe - West
Monroe areas were contacted on the dates indicated and
all advised that they did not use the Thermo Seal Marking
Machine and did not use laundry tags similar to the
markings used in instant case:

April 12, 1968

Acme Cleaners and Laundry,
501 North Third Street,
Monroe - E. H. CROWLEY, Manager

Haddad Cleaners,
609 North Fifth Street,
Monroe - H. Z. HADDAD, Owner

Martin's Cleaners,
301 South 24th Street,
Monroe - R. J. MARTIN, Manager

Monroe Linen Service, Inc.
405 South Grand Street,
Monroe - CHARLES E. EVERITT, Manager

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Monroe Steam Laundry
436 South Grand Street
Monroe - R. O. JOHNSON, Manager

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Unique Cleaners and Laundry
401 Cypress Street,
West Monroe - KENNETH L. ADAMS, Manager

Ober's Laundry,
2403 South Grand Street,
Monroe - JACK R. OBER, Manager

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The following investigation was conducted by SA
RICHARD K. BUTZ:

On April 17, 1968, the following individuals were contacted at places which teach dancing in the Baton Rouge area and each person checked the files of their individual dance studio, for the period that they have been in business, under the names of ERIC STARVO GALT, HARVEY LOWMYER and JOHN WILLARD. Each advised that a check of their records failed to show any individual using these names as taking dancing lessons at their establishment:

WILLIAM FINNERTY, Director,
American Career College,
650 Yteele Boulevard

JACK TRAVIS,
Fred Astaire School of Dancing of Baton Rouge,
257 Main Street

Mrs. BETTY SINGLETARY,
De Ville Ballroom Dance Studio,
7270 Exchange Place

Mrs. POLLY DRAGO,
Polly Drago School of Dancing,
633 Oak Villa Boulevard

JEAN JEFFIE
Jean Jeffie Dance Studio,
7270 Exchange Place

VIVIAN J. BURCH
La Vivienne Studio of Dance,
14488 Florida Boulevard

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MARGARET MARTIN LUKER
~~Margaret Martin Luker School of Dancing,~~
~~131 West Drive~~

MARGARET POWELL
~~Powell/Meise Dancing School,~~
~~2016 Perkins Road~~

MARGE HANNAMAN,
~~Universal Studios,~~
~~2833 Wyandotte~~

On April 18, 1968, a photograph of ERIC STARVO GALT, also known as HARVEY LOWMYER and JOHN WILLARD, was exhibited to each of the above individuals and each advised that they could not identify the person in the photograph as being any person that they recalled taking dancing lessons from their place of business.

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The following investigation was conducted by
SA EUGENE J. TEREFEENKO at Shreveport, Louisiana:

On April 18, 1968, the following individuals were contacted and exhibited a photograph of ERIC STARVO GALT. Each individual advised that his respective records do not reflect the subject's name as a student or instructor, nor is the subject's photograph familiar to him.

LILLIAN TURNER, Lillian Turner/School of Dance;

J. O. HILTON, Manager, Fred Astaire/School of Dance;

GENEVIEVE F. PAYNE, Manager, Lea Darwin Schools of Dance;

PAUL COATES, Paul Coates Ballet Academy;

HAZEL GRIFFIN, Hazel Griffin School of Dance;

NANCY J. DAVISON, Assistant Manager, Beth McBride Dance Studio;

LEON BOCHA, Manager, Arthur Murray School of Dance.

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The following investigation was conducted by
SA TROY H. CIST:

AT HAMMOND, LOUISIANA

HUEY HUSSER, 213 Scanlan Street, on April 18, 1968, advised that he and his wife have operated the only dance studio in this area for the past several years. His wife conducted most all the dancing lessons, and classes were held on a once-per-week basis.

He said that they have never had male employees, and consequently have no records of past employees, but said he knows for a fact that they have never had an associate or student named GALT, LOWMEYER, or WILLARD. He said he had seen the photograph of ERIC STARVO GALT in this morning's paper, and the man is unknown to him.

BROOKS ROBINSON, Chief of Police, advised the L'Ecole De Dance studio operated by HUEY and JOAN HUSSER in the Channell Shopping Center and in their home is the only one that has been in existence in this area during the past five years, and the only one in Tangipahoa Parish, to his knowledge. He said that he understood that since the Fall of 1967, Mrs. HUSSER has been working with the New Orleans Saints football team in instructing the female marching group in their routine, and has devoted very little time to her dance studio.

Chief ROBINSON also stated he had seen the photo of GALT in this morning's paper, and did not recognize him as anyone he had ever seen or known.

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The following investigation was conducted by
SA JACK EVANS MEHL at Slidell, Louisiana:

On April 18, 1968, Mrs. ROSEMARY CLEMENT, owner and operator of Rosemary Clement's Dance Studio, 2757 Carey Street, Slidell, Louisiana, advised that a search of her records failed to reveal any information identifiable with ERIC STARVO GALT, HARVEY LOWMYER, or JOHN WILLARD. CLEMENT further stated that she searched her records for variations of spelling of the above names, and could find nothing.

According to CLEMENT, she is the only dance studio in Slidell, Louisiana, that has taught ballroom dancing, and that there are no other ballroom dance studios in Slidell.

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DANCING SCHOOL

On April 18, 1968, Special Agent JOHN SATTERTHWAITE conducted the following investigation, with negative results:

~~Boudreaux's~~ Studio, 119 Julia Street, New Iberia, Louisiana;

~~Gail's~~ School of Dance, 160 Duperier Street, New Iberia, Louisiana;

~~Violet's~~ School of Dance, 519 Charles Street, New Iberia, Louisiana;

~~Miller's~~ School of Dance, 1205 South State Street, Abbeville, Louisiana.

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DETAILS AT ALEXANDRIA, LOUISIANA

On April 18, 1968, SA PAUL R. LANCASTER checked the Alexandria-Pineville City Directory and Telephone Directory, and the Marksville and Bunkie City Directories. This check showed that there was only one dance studio, and this was located at Alexandria, Louisiana.

On April 18, 1968, Mr. DONALD T. SANDERS, Millie's School of Dancing, 2210 Madeline, advised his wife manages the aforesaid school, but she has been ill for the past two months and has not held any classes. This school is strictly for children, no adults. Mr. SANDERS said he is positive there are no adult dance schools or classes in central Louisiana.

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DANCING SCHOOLS

The following investigation was conducted by
Special Agent JOHN SATTERTHWAITE on April 18, 1968, at
Lafayette, Louisiana:

The following dancing schools were contacted with
negative results:

White School of Dancing
819 Foreman Drive;

Gerami School of Dancing
410 Maurice Street;

Gertrude LeBlanc School of Dancing
1201 West Congress Street;

Elaine Mann School of Dancing
120 Leonie Street.

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DANCE STUDIOS

The following investigation was conducted by Special Agent WILLIAM E. DENT, JR. at Monroe-West Monroe, Louisiana, on April 18, 1968:

A check of city telephone directories, as well as other directories for the cities of Monroe and West Monroe, Louisiana, and all of the thirteen parishes in Northeast Louisiana covered by the Monroe Resident Agency, revealed that there is only one adult dance studio in the area, which is located at Monroe.

Mrs. ROBERT THOMPSON, owner and manager of Roxie and Robert Thompson Dance Studio, 511 Bres Avenue, Monroe, Louisiana, advised that she and her husband operate a small studio at this address. She advised that no one by the name of ERIC STARVO GALT, JOHN WILLARD, or HARVEY LOWMEYER, or names similar to these have been students of theirs within the last year. Mrs. THOMPSON further advised that she had observed a photograph of ERIC STARVO GALT, as publicized in the local newspaper that morning, and neither she nor her husband could identify this photograph as being anyone they had ever seen.

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DANCING SCHOOLS

The following investigation was conducted by Special Agent LELAND A. LYNN on April 18, 1968, at Lafayette, Louisiana:

Mr. HUEY DUGAS, Salesman, Abdella's Department Store, advised that he attended the Arthur Murray Dancing School in Lafayette in 1959 and 1960. The school was operated by Mr. ROY TRUXILLO, who departed Lafayette about 1960 or 1961, for San Juan, Puerto, Rico. This school was owned by a Mr. COLE in Baton Rouge, Louisiana, who also operated an Arthur Murray School in Baton Rouge.

Mr. DUGAS stated that he was familiar with the dancing schools in Lafayette and, to his knowledge, there have not been any ballroom dancing schools in Lafayette since that time.

Mrs. KATHLEEN T. DALY, 111 Baudoin Drive, former owner of the Thibodeaux Academy School of Dancing, 819 Foreman Drive, and JUNE MONTGOMERY, 714 Foreman Drive, advised that they do not teach adult ballroom dancing, and all the dancing schools in Lafayette are for children of ballet dancing. Both advised that ERIC STARVO GALT is not known to them.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA STANLEY C. LOS, JR., at New Orleans, Louisiana:

On April 19, 1968, MARTHA UHLICH, 522 Bertrand Street, New Orleans, Louisiana, advised that her son, LAWRENCE, was employed at Johnny's Diesel Injection Service, 613 Papworth, Metairie, Louisiana.

On April 19, 1968, LAWRENCE UHLICH provided the following information:

UHLICH had attended the downtown branch of the Continental Dance Studio regularly from September or October, 1964, until the summer of 1965. ERIC STARVO GALT was not known to him either by name or picture. UHLICH was unable to recall the names of any of the students, but he remembered the following female instructors:

JACKIE CORVEL (Phonetic), (FNU) BORIS (Phonetic), (FNU) LORRAINE, and (FNU) KELLY. When UHLICH started taking lessons, JUANITA WELCH was the Director of the downtown branch. Mr. (FNU) HART (Phonetic) replaced her during the spring of 1965. Continental was owned by a Mr. (FNU) MYERS (Phonetic).

Many of the dance parties were held at the Macambo Club at Canal Street and Jeff Davis Highway, which was owned by PAUL (LNU).

UHLICH had no pictures which were taken at the dance studio.

UHLICH added that JACKIE CORVEL left Continental and went to work as a waitress at the Governor House, Canal Street and Claiborne Avenue. She later married and went to live somewhere in Florida.

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ASSOCIATES WITH THE
CONTINENTAL DANCE STUDIO

The following investigation was conducted by
SA LEONARD A. STEINBACH at New Orleans, Louisiana:

On April 19, 1968, a review of the New Orleans city directory, telephone directory, and criss-cross directory under the name of WILLIAM LANGFORD revealed that an individual by the name of WILLIAM H. LANGFORD resided at 111 Ringold.

On April 19, 1968, Mr. B. T. KAYLOR, Manager, New Orleans Credit Bureau, advised a review of his records under the name of WILLIAM LANGFORD indicated that he was presently residing at 6552 Melanie Street, New Orleans.

On April 19, 1968, contact was made with Mr. WILLIAM LANGFORD, 6552 Melanie Street, at which time Mr. LANGFORD advised that he had never taken lessons from the Continental Dance Studio.

It is to be noted that Mr. LANGFORD advised that when he lived in New Orleans, he had telephone number 488-4317 but he received many telephone calls for another individual by the name of LANGFORD, whom he did not know.

Mr. LANGFORD stated he moved from New Orleans, Louisiana, to Tucson, Arizona, in late 1964 and returned in late 1965.

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The following investigation was conducted by
SA GARY M. LATURNO at New Orleans, Louisiana, on April 19,
1968:

A check of the current New Orleans telephone
directory did not reflect a record of an individual with
the last name of ~~BAUER~~ and the initials ~~D. A.~~.

A check of the 1964 New Orleans city directory
did not reflect a record of an individual with the last name
BAUER and with the initials D. A.

A check of the 1965 New Orleans city directory
reflected that one ~~MARVIN M. BAUER~~, 1866 Gentilly Boulevard,
Apartment 7, was married to one ~~DI ANN BAUER~~. MARVIN BAUER
was employed by the Checker Cab Co., 2008 St. Claude Street,
New Orleans, Louisiana.

A check of the 1967 New Orleans city directory
reflected that MARVIN BAUER and wife DI ANN resided at 7917
Oak Street, New Orleans, Louisiana.

Mr. E. BERKHART, Manager, Checker Cab Co., 2008
St. Claude Street, advised that MARVIN M. BAUER is no longer
employed by Checker Cab. Mr. BERKHART advised that approxi-
mately one year ago BAUER was employed as a store detective
at Kress Department Store on Canal Street in New Orleans.

NOLAN RICHE, Security Officer, Kress Department
Store, 923 Canal Street, New Orleans, Louisiana, advised
that ~~MARVIN BAUER~~ left the employment of Kress Company
approximately eight months ago. He was employed by ISAAC
and VINSON Detective Agency, at the Kress Company as a
store detective.

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Mr. EARL A. WISER, ISAAC and VINSON Detectives, Inc., 225 Baronne Building, advised that MARVIN BAUER was employed by ISAAC and VINSON but left the employment of the agency on July 24, 1967. During August, 1967 ISAAC and VINSON received an inquiry from the U. S. Civil Service regarding BAUER. Mr. WISER understands that BAUER is currently employed by the U. S. Corps of Engineers in New Orleans.

Mr. WALLACE J. FARGE, Assistant Personnel Officer, U. S. Corps of Engineers, foot of Prytania Street, advised that MARVIN BAUER is employed with the U. S. Corps of Engineers as a boat operator and currently resides at 125 North Genois Street, New Orleans, Louisiana.

B. T. KAYLOR, Manager, New Orleans Retailers Credit Bureau, advised that his records reflect a Mrs. DIANE BAUER who resides at 125 North Genois Street, New Orleans, Louisiana. Mrs. BAUER's husband is MARVIN BAUER and he is employed with the U. S. Corps of Engineers in New Orleans. KAYLOR does not have any other listings of females with the last name of BAUER and initials of D. A. or D.

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The following investigation was conducted by
SA JOHN E. DECKER at New Orleans, Louisiana:

On April 19, 1968, CECILE VERRET, nee ROBERT,
400 Avenue C, Westwego, Louisiana, furnished the
following information:

VERRET advised that she was a student at the
Continental Dance Studio, 729 Common Street, New Orleans,
Louisiana, for less than a year. VERRET stated that
she was not sure that this was in 1965 or 1966. VERRET
advised that the names ERIC S. GALT and JOHN WILLARD and
HARVEY LOWMEYER meant nothing to her and that she had
never known anyone by these names. VERRET was then shown
photographs of ERIC S. GALT and she advised that this
individual did not look familiar to her and that she had
never seen him before.

VERRET stated that the only instructor that
she could remember was a Mr. (First Name Unknown) DEE,
who was her instructor while she was a student. VERRET
said that she could not remember anything else concerning
this Mr. DEE and could not remember the names of any
of the other instructors. VERRET said that a Mr. MYERS
ran the studio while she was a student, but that's all she
knew about this individual.

VERRET stated that she could not remember any
of the students names at the Continental Dance Studio
due to the fact that she had not become personally
acquainted with any of them. VERRET said that she had no
records pertaining to the dance studio nor did she have
any photographs from there.

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The following investigation was conducted by
SA RONALD G. HINKLE at New Orleans, Louisiana:

The following people were contacted in an effort
to locate a SANDRA CHEVELLE on April 19, 1968, with
negative results:

LOUIS FRITSCH
Records
New Orleans, Louisiana Police Department

MARIAN WEILBACHER
Bureau of Identification
New Orleans Police Department

LORETTA CHESTNUT
Traffic Records
New Orleans Police Department

MARIE NUSS
New Orleans Internal Revenue Service
600 South Street

A review of the New Orleans Telephone Directory
and City Directories from 1962 - 1968 failed to reveal
any information on a SANDRA CHEVELLE.

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The following investigation was conducted by
SA KEITH D. COY at New Orleans on April 19, 1968:

LYNN M. NELSON, Personnel Director, Roosevelt Hotel, advised that after reviewing his records he could find no one with the first name of ROSE and a last name of CAVANAUGH, who had ever worked at the Roosevelt Hotel.

JERRY URSIN, Convention Manager, Roosevelt Hotel advised that there has been no one who ever played at the Blue Room who has the first name of ROSE and a possible last name of CAVANAUGH. URSIN further advised that possibly someone in the capacity of a dance instructor may have been hired in the summer months when DANNY HOCTOR and his Dance Caravan USA come to the Roosevelt Hotel. URSIN further advised that when HOCTOR comes he hires dancing instructors from local dancing studios to help teach in his dancing classes. URSIN continued by stating that DANNY HOCTOR's address is 1721 Broadway, New York, New York.

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The following investigation was conducted by Special Agent WILLIAM E. BOE and PATRICK C. CAHILL on April 19, 1968 at New Orleans, Louisiana:

A 1964 Polk City Directory revealed LOUISE ANGLIN, a student, resides at 2621 Banks, Apartment A. The same directory indicates Mr. LEE P. KETTERINGHAM resides at 8127 Hickory Street, New Orleans. Subsequent City Directories fail to reflect any information regarding LOUISE ANGLIN.

MARY CURRENCE, Clerk, Office of the Registrar, Tulane University, advised that records of all Divisions of Tulane, including Sophie Newcomb College were negative regarding LOUISE ANGLIN ever registering as a student since 1962 to date.

Mrs. LEYSA PAZ, Clerk, Office of the Registrar, Loyola University, advised that records of her office fail to identify a student as LOUISE ANGLIN during years 1964 and 1965.

Mrs. EDWARD MITTELBRONN, 8126 Hickory Street, advised she has never been acquainted with any of the occupants of 8127 Hickory Street during the past as it has been a transient residence. She advised that Mrs. FOSSIER of 8125 Hickory Street owns the building and could provide further information. Mrs. FOSSIER is employed in the Welfare Department of the City Hall.

Observations of Apartment location at 2621 Banks Street indicate that the apartments are managed by Hasperue Realty, telephone number 486-5194.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA DANIEL P. MC LAUGHLIN on April 19, 1968, at New Orleans, Louisiana:

AURORA WEBBER, 4512 South Carrollton Avenue, advised as follows:

She was a key member of the Continental Dance Studios from May, 1964, to November, 1965. She was exhibited a photograph of ERIC STARVO GALT and advised that the photograph appears similar to the person she used to know as an instructor at Continental Dance Studios. She stated she does not recall this person's name but does recall that he was a very poor dancer for an instructor. She stated that she does not know anyone by the name of ERIC STARVO GALT, HARVEY LOWMEYER, JOHN WILLARD or any variations of these names.

She advised she recalls the following persons as being connected with the Continental Dance Studios:

MARLIN MYERS, owner
CHARLES HART, franchise manager
PETTY JONES, instructor
Mrs. (First Name Unknown (FNU)) ALPHONSO, student
(FNU) REYNOLDS, instructor, may be with Arthur Murray's, New Orleans
SAM CALON (phonetic), instructor, currently works at Chrysler Michoud
ORLEANA MILLER, student, owns costume shop, 1218 Dryades
(FNU) STRICKLAND, male instructor from Tampa, Florida
(FNU) VAUGHN, female instructor from Miami, Florida
FILOS MARCUS, instructor, drafted into Army
SARAH VAN SCOTER, 8330 South Claiborne Avenue
(FNU) FISH, female student, Claiborne Towers, New Orleans
GEORGE JUNKER, student, address unknown, in real estate business
Mr. and Mrs. ANDREWS, students, first names unknown, address unknown
(FNU) LANFRIER, male instructor, was with Continental in Miami, Florida
(FNU) HOMER, student, address unknown
JONIE LAVERN, instructor, address unknown
(FNU) PAUL, male instructor, address unknown

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Mr. and Mrs. ~~MORRELL~~ (phonetic), students, first
names unknown, address unknown
~~JANIE CAVALIER~~, female instructor, address unknown
(FNU) ~~GAGLIANO~~, student, address unknown
~~JOHN WILLIAMS~~, instructor, address unknown
(FNU) ~~OWENS~~, male instructor, used to work for Arthur
Murray's, New Orleans
(FNU) ~~MILLER~~, male instructor, may be working Arthur
Murray's, Baton Rouge, Louisiana
~~FLOYD GREEN~~, student, lawyer with office in Carondelet
Building
~~CHARLIE SHORT~~, instructor, address unknown