

FBI MIAMI

800PM EST 5-2-68 URGENT RGT

TO DIRECTOR (44-38861) ATLANTA (44-2386) BIRMINGHAM (44-1740)

AND MEMPHIS (44-1987)

FROM MIAMI (44-1854) (P)

MURKIN.

RE EASTERN AIRLINES (EAL) FLIGHTS, MONTREAL TO ATLANTA, AUGUST TWENTY TWO THROUGH TWENTY SIX LAST.

RECORDS, EAL, MIAMI, INDICATE FLIGHTS ONE ZERO NINE AND ONE THREE ONE SCHEDULED MONTREAL TO ATLANTA AUGUST TWENTY TWO THROUGH TWENTY SIX LAST. BIRMINGHAM PASSENGERS USED SAME FLIGHTS TO CONNDBT IN ATLANTA FOR BIRMINGHAM. TICKETS THOSE FLIGHTS EXAMINED. NONE FNTND IN NAME OF ANY ALIAS OF SUSPECT RAY.

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802PM EST 5-2-68 URGENT RGT

TO DIRECTOR (44-38861) ATLANTA AND ALBANY
FROM MIAMI (44-1854) (P)

MURKIN - CR.

RE ATLANTA TEL TO DIRECTOR, APRIL THIRTY LAST, AND KANSAS
CITY TEL TO DIRECTOR, MAY FIRST LAST.

RE MICHEL ST. PIERRE.

NEIGHBORHOOD CHECKS VICINITY OF TWO ONE FIVE ONE NW ONE
HUNDRED NINETEENTH ST., RE MICHEL ST. PIERRE NEGATIVE. CHECKS WITH
POSTAL AUTHORITIES, MIAMI, NEGATIVE. NO FORWARDING ADDRESS FOR
MICHEL ST. PIERRE ON RECORD WITH MIAMI POSTAL AUTHORITIES.

MICHEL ST. PIERRE, TWO TWO FOUR ZERO COULONGES VILLE DE AND
THIRTY FOUR PRUDENTIAL - VERMONT (LOCAL ADDRESS TWO ONE FIVE ONE NW
ONE HUNDRED NINETEENTH STREET, MIAMI) RENTED BOATS FROM CRAFTS LTD.,
INC., FT. LAUDERDALE, FLORIDA, SEPTEMBER TWO AND THREE, SIXTYSEVEN.
HE USED SHELL CREDIT CARD FIVE FIVE FIVE ZERO FOUR SEVEN ZERO SIX
SEVEN IN PAYMENT OF RENTALS, GAS AND OIL.

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RENTAL CONTRACTS SIGNED BY "SAL LAPI" AND "GORDON KNOLL" AGENTS FOR CRAFTS LTD., INC. LAPI SHOWN PHOTO OF JAMES EARL RAY AND STATES DUE TO LAPSE OF TIME AND PHOTOS, COULD NOT SAY IF IDENTICAL. NOTATION ALSO APPEARED ON CONTRACT OF FIVE ONE FOUR DASH SIX SIX THREE DASH TWO TWO EIGHT EIGHT. FIVE ONE FOUR AREA CODE FOR MONTREAL, CANADA.

JENNIFER WARREN, TITLE CLERK, SCOTT MOTORS, HALLANDALE, FLORIDA, ADVISED SHE HANDLED TRANSFER OF TITLE FOR MICHEL ST. PIERRE AT REQUEST OF ANGELO CIULLA, OWNER, AUTORAMA, FT. LAUDERDALE, FLORIDA. AUTORAMA NO LONGER IN EXISTENCE AND CIULLA BEING SOUGHT FOR INTERVIEW IN CAR RING CASE INVOLVING CANADIAN CARS. HIS PRESENT WHEREABOUTS UNKNOWN.

MRS. FLORENCE BLAKENEY, FORMER EMPLOYEE, SCOTT MOTORS, NOTARIZING FLORIDA TITLE FOR ST. PIERRE NO LONGER EMPLOYED THERE AND EFFORTS TO CONTACT AT RESIDENCE NEGATIVE.

MIAMI FILE TWENTY SIX DASH THREE TWO EIGHT SIX FOUR, ENTITLED "ROBERT ALLARD; ANDRE BEAUDIN; JEAN CLAUDE BEAUDOIN; FRANK COTRONI; JEAN CLAUDE BISSENETTE, AKA CLAUDE DAoust, JEAN DES MARAIS, REGGIE LALONDE; WILLIAM POMERLEAU; FRANK SAVARIA; STEVE SMITH,

MM (44-1854)

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ITSMV", ALBANY FILE TWENTY SIX DASH ONE TWO FOUR NINE SIX, REFLECTS IN ALBANY TEL TO MIAMI DATED SEPTEMBER THIRTEEN SIXTYSEVEN, THAT QUEBEC PROVINCIAL POLICE, MONTREAL, ADVISED CLAUDE DAOUST, AKA BISSONETTE, ARRESTED EVENING SEPTEMBER TWELVE LAST IN POSSESSION WHITE SIXTY SEVEN OLDSMOBILE CONVERTIBLE. WHEN ARRESTED DAOUST HAD CANADIAN SHELL CREDIT CARD OF MICHAEL ST. PIERRE, TWO ONE FIVE ONE NW ONE HUNDRED NINETEENTH ST., MIAMI, FLORIDA, AND HAD FLORIDA REGISTRATION ISSUED AUGUST THIRTY ONE LAST, FOR SIXTYSEVEN CADILLAC CONVERTIBLE, ID F SEVEN ONE ONE TWO SEVEN NINE FIVE, FLORIDA REGISTRATION ONE W ONE SEVEN NINE ONE THREE ZERO.

ALBANY DETERMINE SUBSCRIBER TO PHONE FIVE ONE FOUR DASH SIX SIX THREE DASH TWO TWO EIGHT EIGHT. INTERVIEW BISSONETTE CONCERNING BOAT RENTALS, FT. LAUDERDALE, FLORIDA, WHO ACCOMPANIED HIM TO FLORIDA AND DETERMINE WHETHER OR NOT HE IS IDENTICAL TO SUBJECT RAY AND/OR MICHEL ST. PIERRE. ALBANY ALSO INTERVIEW BISSONETTE RE THEFT OF CADILLAC, IF NOT ALREADY DONE.

MEMPHIS ADVISED AM. ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

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859 PM URGENT 5-2-68 ARK

TO DIRECTOR, MEMPHIS, BIRMINGHAM, LOS ANGELES, SPRINGFIELD,
CHICAGO AND ST. LOUIS
FROM ATLANTA (44-2386) 1P

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SUMMARY OF INVESTIGATION MAY TWO SIXTYEIGHT.

EXPANDED TAXICAB CHECK AND REVIEW OF TRIP SHEETS CONTINUING.
NEGATIVE TO DATE.

EXPANDED AIRLINES CHECKS CONTINUING. NO PERTINENT INFO
OBTAINED TO DATE.

CONTACT OF INDIVIDUALS OFFERING USED CARS FOR SALE IN
CLASSIFIED ADS CONTINUING. NEGATIVE TO DATE.

INVESTIGATION OF STOLEN CARS, INCLUDING THOSE FURNISHED BY
NCIC FOR THE PERTINENT PERIOD CONTINUING. NO PERTINENT INFORMATION
OBTAINED TO DATE.

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FBI DETROIT

9:57PM URGENT 5/2/68 LPS 1P

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861) AND SACS ATLANTA AND MEMPHIS

FROM: SAC, DETROIT (44-989)

MURKIN.

RE DETROIT TEL TO DIRECTOR, ATLANTA AND MEMPHIS FIVE ONE LAST.

RE WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN LEE AND HAROLD G. ANDERSON.

RECORDS OF ALL METROPOLITAN DETROIT LOCALS OF BRICKLAYERS
AND MASONS UNION REVIEWED THIS DATE AND NO ONE IDENTIFIABLE
WITH HAROLD G. ANDERSON CONTAINED THEREIN.

ATLANTA FORWARD FULL PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION AND SOCIAL SECURITY
NUMBER OF ANDERSON TO DETROIT, IF KNOWN, IN ORDER THAT ALL CONTRACTORS
IN METROPOLITAN DETROIT AREA MAY BE CONTACTED.

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10:05PM URGENT 5-2-68 DPK

TO DIRECTOR (44-38861), MEMPHIS, NEW ORLEANS, BIRMINGHAM,
KANSAS CITY, AND ATLANTA
FROM LOS ANGELES (44-1574)

MURKIN

RE CHARLES STEIN

REINTERVIEW OF CHARLES JOSEPH STEIN, MAY TWO INSTANT.
PURPOSE OF INTERVIEW WAS TO REVIEW INFORMATION PREVIOUSLY
FURNISHED BY STEIN AND OBTAIN FROM HIM DETAILED INFORMATION
REGARDING HIS MEETING OF INDIVIDUAL KNOWN TO HIM AS ERIC
GALT (JAMES EARL RAY), THE DISCUSSIONS THEY HAD, THEIR
TRIP TO AND FROM NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA, THEIR ACTIVITY
WHILE IN NEW ORLEANS, AND THEIR ACTIVITY IN LOS ANGELES
SUBSEQUENT TO NEW ORLEANS TRIP. AGENTS CONDUCTING
INTERVIEW, ONE OF WHOM IS FAMILIAR WITH NEW ORLEANS AREA,
HAD IN THEIR POSSESSION EXTENSIVE INFORMATION REGARDING
STEIN'S BACKGROUND.

STEIN FURNISHED SUBSTANTIALLY THE SAME INFORMATION
AS IN PREVIOUS INTERVIEWS. STEIN ADVISED ONLY ACTUALLY
OBSERVED GALT (RAY) MAKING ONE PHONE CALL; HOWEVER, DELIVERED
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MAY HAVE MADE OTHER CALLS WHILE NOT IN STEIN'S PRESENCE. STEIN STATED ONE CALL HE OBSERVED MADE FROM PUBLIC COIN BOX PHONE BOOTH DURING NIGHT PRIOR TO ARRIVAL NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA. STEIN ADVISED ARRIVED IN NEW ORLEANS ON DECEMBER SEVENTEEN LAST.

STEIN ADVISED HE AND LOUIS LOMAX DID NOT LOCATE PHONE BOOTH IN QUESTION, WHEN TRIP RETRACED BY THEM. FEELS THIS DUE TO FACT LOMAX TRACED TRAVEL IN REVERSE FROM WAY IT ACTUALLY OCCURRED. STEIN STRONGLY FEELS BY RETRACING TRIP ROUTE FROM LOS ANGELES TO NEW ORLEANS HE WOULD BE ABLE TO LOCATE PHONE BOOTH IN WHICH CALL WAS MADE BY GALT (RAY).

STEIN DENIED GALT EVER VISITED HIM AT THREE THREE, FOUR ZERO FLOYD TERRACE, HOLLYWOOD, NOR EVER HAVING MET GALT BEFORE THEIR MEETING IN SULTAN ROOM, ST. FRANCIS HOTEL, HOLLYWOOD, NIGHT OF DECEMBER FOUR LAST. DENIES EVER HAVING FURNISHED ANY TYPE DRUG TO GALT (RAY), OR EVER HAVING SEEN GALT(RAY) USE ANY. STEIN ADMITTED PAST ARRESTS FOR POSSESSION BARBITUATES AND STATED WOULD KNOW A "DOPEHEAD" IF HE SAW ONE. STATED GALT WAS NOT A "DOPEHEAD", BUT POSSIBLE HE MIGHT HAVE TAKEN "PILLS", ALTHOUGH NEVER IN PRESENCE OF STEIN.

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STEIN STATED HE WAS QUITE IRRITATED WITH LOUIS LOMAX, BECAUSE LOMAX USED HIM FOR PUBLICITY PURPOSES. STEIN EXPRESSED CONCERN FOR HIS LIFE FROM THE KILLER OF MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR., BECAUSE OF PRESS EXPOSURE GIVEN HIM BY LOMAX.

IT WOULD APPEAR THAT STEIN TELLING TRUTH AS BEST HE REMEMBERS OF HIS ASSOCIATION WITH GALT (RAY).

BUREAU MIGHT DESIRE TO CONSIDER RETRACING STEIN'S TRIP WITH GALT (RAY) TO NEW ORLEANS, WITH PURPOSE IN MIND OF LOCATING PHONE BOOTH IN WHICH STEIN PERSONALLY OBSERVED GALT (RAY) MAKING CALL. POSSIBLE SUCH RETRACING MIGHT BE PRODUCTIVE IF CONDUCTED IN LOGICAL MANNER AND MIGHT POSSIBLY BRING OTHER FACTS TO MEMORY OF STEIN.

STEIN ADVISED HE RECALLS THAT GALT (RAY), ON TRIP TO NEW ORLEANS, TOLD HIM NAME AND ADDRESS OF PERSON HE WAS GOING TO SEE. STEIN STATED NAME WAS ITALIAN SOUNDING, WAS A WELL-KNOWN NAME IN NEW ORLEANS, AND ADDRESS GAVE STEIN MENTAL PICTURE OF CHALMETTE-INDUSTRIAL CANAL AREA. STEIN ADVISED WHEN ATTEMPTING TO LOCATE PHONE BOOTH ON TRIP WITH LOUIS LOMAX, LOMAX ASKED HIM IF SAM RISCHELLE (PHONETIC)

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WAS PERSON NAMED BY GALT (RAY). STEIN ADVISED TOLD LOMAX HE COULD NOT REMEMBER NAME, NOR COULD HE RECALL IT DURING INTERVIEW, THIS DATE.

REINTERVIEW WITH RITA STEIN

RITA STEIN, AKA RITA ROSAS; SISTER OF CHARLES JOSEPH STEIN REINTERVIEWED TODAY SEPARATELY BUT SIMULTANEOUSLY WITH REINTERVIEW OF HER BROTHER, PURPOSE WAS TO REVIEW IN DETAIL WITH HER FACTS SURROUNDING ORIGINAL MEETING WITH ERIC GALT AND ATTEMPT TO FILL OUT ANY FACTS SHE MIGHT HAVE OVERLOOKED DURING ORIGINAL INTERVIEWS.

INFORMATION FURNISHED WAS IN AGREEMENT WITH INFORMATION ORIGINALLY FURNISHED. CLAIMS NEVER MET GALT PRIOR TO MEETING WITH HIM IN SULTAN ROOM BAR, IN ST. FRANCIS HOTEL, HOLLYWOOD, IN MID-DECEMBER SIXTY SEVEN, DAY BEFORE HE DROVE HER BROTHER TO NEW ORLEANS TO BRING BACK HER DAUGHTERS KIM AND CHERYL. STATES SHE WAS INTRODUCED TO HIM THAT EVENING BY HER COUSIN, MARIE MARTIN, WAITRESS IN SULTAN ROOM BAR. SHE SAID SHE TRIED TO MAKE HIM UNDERSTAND THAT IT WAS ESSENTIAL SHE GET HER KIDS BACK FROM NEW ORLEANS, AND QUOTE THIS WAS NO PLAY CLOSE QUOTES. HE CLAIMED HE UNDERSTOOD, AND STATED HE WOULD BE GLAD TO TAKE HER AS HE WAS ON VACATION AND NOT WORKING. SHE WENT HOME AND TOLD HER BROTHER THERE WAS A GUY AT SULTAN ROOM BAR THAT WAS WILLING TO DRIVE HER TO NEW ORLEANS. HAD CHARLIE GO TO SULTAN ROOM TO SIZE HIM UP THAT EVENING.

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NEXT MORNING SHE CONVINCED CHARLIE HE SHOULD GO TO NEW ORLEANS IN HER PLACE, AS SHE WAS AFRAID TO RIDE ALONE TO NEW ORLEANS WITH MAN SHE HAD NOT PREVIOUSLY KNOWN. GALT SHOWED UP AT HER HOUSE EARLY THAT AM AND SAID THAT HE WAS DOING A FAVOR FOR HER, AND SHE COULD DO A FAVOR FOR HIM BY HAVING HER BROTHER, HER COUSIN MARIE, ACCOMPANY HIM TO REGISTER AT WALLACE HEADQUARTERS, AND FOR HER TO DO LIKEWISE. SHE AND BROTHER AND COUSIN AGREED, AND DROVE IN HIS WHITE MUSTANG TO WALLACE HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH HOLLYWOOD. SHE RODE IN BACK SEAT WITH HER TWO SONS. GALT, MARIE AND CHARLIE RODE IN FRONT SEAT.

FOLLOWING RETURN TO HER HOME ON FRANKLIN STREET, GALT AND CHARLIE LEFT FOR NEW ORLEANS.

NEXT SAW GALT EARLY AM ON THE MORNING HE AND CHARLIE RETURNED WITH HER TWO DAUGHTERS FROM NEW ORLEANS. HE HELPED UNLOAD CAR AND LEFT IMMEDIATELY THEREAFTER. RETURNED BRIEFLY NEXT DAY TO DELIVER CHILD'S BLACKBOARD OVERLOOKED IN UNLOADING CAR PREVIOUS MORNING. SHE INSISTS HE NEVER ENTERED HER HOME FARTHER THAN HALF WAY ACROSS FRONT ROOM. NEVER HAD FOOD OR DRINK OR USED BATHROOM IN HER HOME. SHE ALSO INSISTS SHE HAS NO KNOWLEDGE HE WAS OR MAY HAVE BEEN NARCOTICS USER OR PEDDLER.

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ADDED ON THIS INTERVIEW THAT HER SECOND HUSBAND, STANLEY LINO ROSAS, WHO DIED OF OVERDOSE OF MORPHINE IN HOLLYWOOD, WAS NOT KNOWN TO HER TO BE ADDICTED TO NARCOTICS; HOWEVER, SHE SAYS HE ADMITTED TO HER AFTER THEIR MARRIAGE THAT HE HAD BEEN ARRESTED ON NARCOTICS CHARGE IN LOUISIANA. SHE CLAIMS SHE DOES NOT KNOW DETAILS OF THAT ARREST; WHETHER HE WAS USER OR PUSHER. THINKS HE MAY HAVE SERVED TIME IN ANGOLA STATE PEN, BUT IS NOT SURE. SAYS THIS WAS ALL BEFORE SHE MET HIM.

PHOTO OF GALT (JAMES EARL RAY) TAKEN BETWEEN AUGUST SIXTY SEVEN AND FEBRUARY SIXTY EIGHT, FURNISHED BY U.S. POSTAL INSPECTORS, EXHIBITED TO RITA STEIN. SHE STATES THIS IS BEST LIKENESS OF GALT OF ANY PHOTOS SHE HAS SEEN. PHOTO OF GALT IN DARK GLASSES TAKEN DURING FALL SIXTY SEVEN PUERTO VALLARTA RESHOWN AND SHE STATES IT IS VERY POOR LIKENESS. STATES GALT'S WALK, POSTURE, AND STATURE WAS NEVER RELAXED, IMPRESSED HER AS ALWAYS BEING IN STATE OF MILITARY ATTENTION. CHARLES STEIN ALSO EXPRESSED OPINION THAT PHOTO FURNISHED BY USPO BEST LIKENESS OF INDIVIDUAL HE KNEW AS GALT.

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RE GALT'S CORRESPONDENCE WITH "SWINGER" CLUB.

U.S. POSTAL INSPECTORS OFFICE FURNISHED PHOTOGRAPH OF GALT TAKEN DURING PERIOD AUGUST SIXTY SEVEN TO FEBRUARY SIXTY EIGHT AND LETTER WRITTEN BY GALT FEBRUARY SEVENTEEN LAST. THESE ITEMS FURNISHED U.S. POSTAL INSPECTORS BY PATRICIA K. ANDERSON TWO EIGHT ZERO ZERO GLENVIEW, LOS ANGELES WHO RECEIVED LETTER AND PHOTOGRAPH FROM GALT RESULTANT FROM HER NAME BEING INCLUDED ON LIST OF QUOTE THE LOCAL SWINGER END QUOTE A CORRESPONDENCE CLUB IN DOWNEY, CALIFORNIA.

JAMES E. O'DOWD AND ANN L. MEYERS, OWNERS OF QUOTE THE LOCAL SWINGER END QUOTE STATED THEY RECALLED INDIVIDUAL NAMED ERIC GALT HAD SENT IN FEE OF ONE DOLLAR FOR LIST OF SWINGERS. BOTH RECALLED GALT HAD SENT FIVE LETTERS TO CLUB FOR TRANSMITTAL TO INDIVIDUALS INCLUDED IN LIST OF SWINGERS BY SYMBOL NUMBER. NO RECORD OF INDIVIDUALS TO WHOM GALT SENT LETTER MAINTAINED. RECORDS THIS CLUB CONTAIN NAME OF PATRICIA SHUBERT, TWO EIGHT ZERO ZERO GLENVIEW, LOS ANGELES.

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RE ADVERTISEMENT PLACED IN LOS ANGELES FREE PRESS BY GALT.

ON MAY TWO INSTANT, GENE TURNER, ACCOUNTANT, LOS ANGELES "FREE PRESS", L.A. AVANT GARDE NEWSPAPER, MADE AVAILABLE ADVERTISEMENT PLACED BY ERIC S. GALT ON JANUARY THIRTY LAST. ADVERTISEMENT PROBABLY RECEIVED AT "FREE PRESS" BY MAIL. ADVERTISEMENT READS: "SINGLE MALE CAUC. THIRTY SIX YEARS. FIVE ELEVEN ONE HUNDRED SEVENTY LB. DIGS FR. CULT. DESIRE'S DISCREET MEETING WITH PASSIONATE MARRIED FEMALE FOR MUTUAL ENJOYMENT, AND/OR FEMALE FOR SWING SESSIONS APT. FURN. WILL EX. PHOTO. WRITE ERIC S. FOUR ZERO SIX SO. SECOND ALHAMBRA, NINE ONE EIGHT ZERO TWO."

NOTATION BELOW ADVERTISEMENT READ "RETURN NAME AND ADDRESS, ERIC S. GALT. SAME AS ABOVE. INCLOSED IS M.O. FOR FOUR DOLLARS TWENTY FIVE CENTS, RUN ADD UNDER THIRTY ONE UNIT SYSTEM. THANKS"

EXAMINATION OF ABOVE REVEALED ENTIRE CONTENTS TYPEWRITTEN USING RED RIBBON. NO HANDWRITING INVOLVED.

TURNER STATED ADVERTISEMENT RAN IN FEBRUARY TWO DASH EIGHT LAST EDITION OF ABOVE PAPER, ALSO MADE AVAILABLE.

ABOVE ADDRESS IN ALHAMBRA IS THAT OF C. M. HEDGPETH INTERVIEWED BY BUREAU AGENTS ON APRIL FOURTEEN LAST. HE STATED GALT WAS PAYING CUSTOMER OF HIS MAIL FORWARDING SERVICE AT FOUR ZERO
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SIX SOUTH SECOND STREET FROM FEBRUARY ONE LAST TO MARCH ONE LAST. ALL MAIL WAS TO BE FORWARDED TO GALT AT ST. FRANCIS MOTEL IN HOLLYWOOD. HEDGPETH STATED HE WAS CERTAIN GALT NEVER RECEIVED ANY MAIL THROUGH HIS FORWARDING SERVICE.

PHOTOGRAPH OF GALT, LETTER AND ORIGINAL OF LA FREE PRESS ADVERTISEMENT FURNISHED BUREAU FOR LABORATORY EXAMINATION VIA AIR TODAY.

LOS ANGELES WILL LOCATE AND INTERVIEW PATRICIA K. ANDERSON FOR INTERVIEW.

INVESTIGATION CONTINUES AT LOS ANGELES.

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SAC, ATLANTA (44-2386) (P)

5/2/68

SUPV. CHARLES S. HARDING

MURKIN

Lockers should be checked at the bus station, train station and airport to determine if there are any lockers which have been opened by the proprietors and whether subject RAY could have abandoned any personal belongings in a locker at one of the above establishments.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, ATLANTA (44-2386) (P) DATE: 5/2/68

FROM : SUPV. CHARLES S. HARDING

SUBJECT: MURKIN

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, ATLANTA (44-2386) (P) DATE: 5/2/68

FROM : SUPV. CHARLES S. HARDING

SUBJECT: MURKIN

It is recommended subject RAY's photo be displayed to airport limousine drivers for any information concerning this matter.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, ATLANTA (44-2386) (P) DATE: 5/2/68

FROM : SUPV. CHARLES S. HARDING

SUBJECT: MURKIN

It is recommended that pawn shop records of the APD be checked for any information which may indicate that RAY had pawned some personal belongings.

It is also recommended that Capt. HOWARD BAUGH of the APD, who has been close to Mrs. KING, be contacted for any information he may possess in this matter.

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*Pawn shop records checked by
JSH for Ray - known as - negative
Capt Baugh - APD took ~~for~~ contacted
on daily basis - he maintained contact w/ Murkin
& his secretary - nothing obtained of value
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, ATLANTA (44-2386) (P) DATE 5/2/68

FROM : SUPV. CHARLES S. HARDING

SUBJECT: MURKIN

It is recommended RAY's photo be displayed to the owners and managers of gunshops in the Atlanta area.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, ATLANTA (44-2386) DATE 5/2/68

FROM : SA CHARLES S. HARDING

SUBJECT: MURKIN

It is noted BERNARD LEE of SCLC was MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.'s confidante, valet and constant companion. It is recommended LEE be interviewed, preferably away from SCLC headquarters. Although he should not be shown maps in our possession, he should be interviewed concerning the area of Highland View and Ponce de Leon Terrace, the area which was circled on map by RAY, to determine if MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. had any interest in that area.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA SCOTT T. FENSTERMAKER at Atlanta, Georgia:

On April 23, 1968, JOYCE BANDY, Al Rent-A-Car, 399 Spring Street, N. W., advised that they were missing no cars that were rented out between March 24, 1968, and April 6, 1968, and that she did not recognize subject's photograph.

On April 23, 1968, HAL R. YALMAZ, American Rent-A-Car, 672 Peachtree Street, N. E., advised likewise.

On April 23, 1968, it was observed that Atlanta Rent-A-Car, listed in the phone book as being at 1915 Piedmont, is apparently out of business since there is no indication of a car rental business in that vicinity and the telephone operator advised that their phone number has been discontinued.

On April 23, 1968, a sign on the office of Continental Rent-A-Car, 527 Courtland Street, was observed which stated that the business had been moved to 273 Whitehall Street.

On April 24, 1968, JESSE AKINS, Airways Rent-A-Car, 273 Whitehall, advised that he did not recognize subject's photograph. He stated that they were missing one car that had been rented out between March 23, 1968, and April 6, 1968, but that it had been rented out to a company with whom they had done business, and he was certain that subject could not have been involved in the transaction.

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On April 24, 1968, FAYE BREWER, Econo Car Rental, 842 Peachtree; CARL L. TURNER, Avis Rent-A-Car, 1711 Peachtree Street; and HERBERT M. DANGERFIELD, Aero Rent-A-Car, 617 West Peachtree, advised that they did not recognize subject's photograph and that they were missing no cars that had been rented out between March 23, 1968, and April 6, 1968.

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On April 24, 1968, inquiries at the Atlanta Cabana Hotel, 870 Peachtree, N. E., revealed that Hertz no longer has an office there. Also, inquiries at the Riviera Motel, Peachtree Street, revealed that Budget Rent-A-Car does not have an office there, but only a phone connection to its office in the Dinkler Plaza Hotel.

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1203P EDT URGENT 5/1/68 VSC
TO DIRECTOR, DETROIT, AND MEMPHIS
FROM ATLANTA 44-2386 1P

MURKIN

RE DETROIT TEL TO BUREAU AND ATLANTA, APR. SIXTEEN, LAST.

RE TEL REFLECTS WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN LEE REINTERVIEWED
AND WAS SHOWN COMPOSITE OF SUBJECT BASED ON DESCRIPTION OF
WITNESSES IN MEMPHIS.

FURTHER EFFORTS TO LOCATE HAROLD G. ANDERSON WHO LEFT
ATLANTA WITH LEE, UNSUCCESSFUL TO DATE. RELATIVE AND FORMER
EMPLOYER OF ANDERSON UNABLE TO FURNISH INFO RE PRESENT WHERE-
ABOUTS.

DETROIT EXHIBIT PHOTO OF JAMES EARL RAY APPEARING ON
I.O. FOUR ONE EIGHT TWO. ALSO DETERMINE FROM LEE IF HE HAS
ANY FURTHER INFO CONCERNING POSSIBLE WHEREABOUTS OF HAROLD G.
ANDERSON OR TYPE OF WORK ANDERSON MIGHT SEEK. ATTEMPT TO
ASCERTAIN NAMES OF INDIVIDUALS WITH WHOM ANDERSON MIGHT
COMMUNICATE.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, Atlanta (44-2386) (P)

DATE: 5/2/68

FROM : SA HARRY L. LEE

SUBJECT: MURKIN

Reference is made to the memorandum of SPC ALVIN R. KNOLES dated 4/20/68 in this matter, further identified as Serial #1391.

This memorandum discloses that at 9 P.M., on 4/28/68, an anonymous telephone call was received by SPC KNOLES to the effect that an individual resembling the subject, wearing dark glasses, purchased a newspaper daily from the Crescent and 12th Street area between 5 and 5:30 PM every afternoon. This caller suggested that a "lookout" be maintained over this area each day at that time, and the caller then terminated the call.

An examination of this area discloses that there is no newspaper stand in the area at 12th and Crescent St., nor is a newsboy stationed at that area during that time. This area adjoins a parking lot behind the C & S Bank at 12th and Peachtree and the C & S Bank Drive-In windows, which are located on the southwest corner of 12th and Crescent Streets.

There are no newspaper boxes at 11th and Crescent Streets in view of the fact that Peachtree Street immediately adjacent to that area has a large number of newspaper boxes and a news stand.

It does not appear that further inquiry in this matter is warranted.

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TO : SAC, MEMPHIS
FROM : SAC, CHICAGO (44-1114)
SUBJECT: MURKIN

Re New Orleans tel, dated 4/29/68.

Re tel, look-alike, O'Hare Airport, Chicago,
4 9 68, Delta Airlines Ticket Office, 2:00 P. M., April
9, 1968.

LOU MYERS, Field Ticket Office Manager, Delta Airlines, O'Hare International Airport, advised that from his records the two ticket agents working the express baggage check-in counter where seat selection formerly was located were JOHN WINNICK and PAUL VANA. MYERS said that Delta handles from four to five thousand passengers a day from O'Hare, and advised that the seat selection is now handled, and was at that time handled, at each gate. However, if H. ALVIN SHARPE is a frequent Delta traveler, he would have recalled that this is where seat selection had been for a number of years.

WINNICK interviewed at length, however, he recalled nothing of incident described in re tel. He has seen many photographs of subject, and states he cannot recall any person resembling subject.

PAUL VANA recently married, on honeymoon at the Island of Aruba, off the coast of South America, and unavailable until 5/8/68.

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AT O'HARE INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT. Will discuss
above with PAUL VANA upon his return to Chicago.

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16/17/18

LEONARD WATTSMAN
Wm. Gurley
Americus UT. 1.17

H.O. JONES JR
E.L. Paole
John R. Blake
W.C. Page

R.B. Zimmerman
W.D. Anderson
Mrs. Amen P. Helms

A.A. McILWATH
Aladdin Insulators ST. Pl.
A.M. UT

U.B. Bush Co.
Ga. Highway Dept.
Station Plate

J Ray STUDSTILL 04
A.V. ARNOLD 04
JAMES F. TRAINER 04
AL. DAs

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ORIGINAL MAIL WITH TICKETS

No. 7-0217999

DEALER OR JOBBER
RANDY JONES
TOLSON SERVICE STATION
201 Perry St
COLUMBIA GEORGIA

CUSTOMER ACCOUNT NO.	AMOUNT	TOTAL AMOUNT OF CREDIT	DOLLARS	CENTS
04 X 07 994 990.5	773	340 19	340	19
03 X 03 304 689.4	538			
04 X 07 042 819.8	622			
04 X 06 612 190.3	96.43			
04 X 04 402 8130.8	101.13			
04 X 00 0692 112.6	595			
04 X 05 5833 191.4	33 15			
03 X 03 3917 191.4	2.13			
04 X 08 5530 560.7	801			
04 X 00 0185 496.7	440			
04 X 03 3401 444.0	175			
03 X 01 561 630.5	500			
04 X 05 5833 624.9	284			
04 X 00 69 560.3	761			
04 X 01 42 849.0	514			
04 X 01 100 001 549.3	711			
04 X 01 1128 758.7	609			
04 X 07 7436 425.1	630			
04 X 00 0236 510.4	750			
04 X 05 5833 191.4	3192			
04 X 01 7122 095.1	500			
04 X 09 0015 00.8	573			
	340 19			

COPY'S TOTAL IN BOX AT UPPER LEFT

DEALER'S SIGNATURE
Randy Jones

No. 7-0218000

DEALER OR JOBBER
RANDY JONES
TOLSON SERVICE STATION
201 Perry St
COLUMBIA GEORGIA

CUSTOMER ACCOUNT NO.	AMOUNT	TOTAL AMOUNT OF CREDIT	DOLLARS	CENTS
03 X 07 2607 685.9	670	972.4	972	4
03 X 05 5862 018.3	629			
04 X 05 5833 191.4	25.52			
04 X 03 3641 181.1	528			
04 X 08 951 510.9	200			
04 X 02 2436 510.2	789			
04 X 09 0170 849.0	268			
04 X 01 7720 645.7	612			
04 X 03 455 318.5	486			
04 X 07 7940 970.3	260			
04 X 05 100 601.2	523			
04 X 07 7011 628.3	704			
04 X 05 5123 191.4	401			
04 X 01 42 849.0	571			
	15			
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	19			
	20			
	21			
	22			

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DEALER'S SIGNATURE
Randy Jones

08 8550 560 2 00801

R B ZIMMERMAN
413 Judy Lane
AMERICUS GA

1960

BILLING COPY

PAID BY
ANDY JONES
AMERICUS GA
87 9007 104

PURCHASER'S SIGNATURE
X *R. B. Zimmerman*

CO. ISSUING CARD

DATE
4 15 68

VEHICLE LICENSE NO.

STATE

QUANT	PRICE	AMOUNT
17.5	3.89	723
1.2		78
SALES TAX		
TOTAL		

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GRAND TOTAL

8 01

No. 335762

PURE OIL CO.
A DIVISION OF UNION OIL COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA

76 UNION PURE

FORM 130-54 10-66

*INCLUDES APPLICABLE FEDERAL, STATE AND LOCAL MOTOR FUEL TAXES

TERMS: PAYABLE UPON RECEIPT OF STATEMENT

03 3641 187 1

00525

CAREY HOOKS

494 Paper Mill Rd
Marietta GA

1964

not handwritten

ANDY JONES
AMERICUS GA
57 9007 104

PURCHASER'S SIGNATURE

X Carey Hooks

BILLING COPY

4 17 68

CO. ISSUING CARD

Pure

Firebird GASOLINE

REGULAR

QUAN. PRICE

5 25

AMOUNT

PURCHASE SUPERDUTY HIGH HP

VEHICLE LICENSE NO.

STATE

SALES TAX

TOTAL

EXTENDED
TERM SALE
CHECK HERENO. OF
MONTHSGRAND
TOTAL

5 25

No. 135668

PURE OIL CO.
A DIVISION OF UNION OIL
COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA

TERMS PAYABLE UPON RECEIPT OF STATEMENT

00 0236 510 4

00750

A V ARNOLD

RFO
AMERICUS GA

1957

ANDY JONES
AMERICUS GA
57 9007 104

PURCHASER'S SIGNATURE

X Arnold

BILLING COPY

4 16 68

CO. ISSUING CARD

Firebird GASOLINE

REGULAR

QUAN. PRICE

193 389

AMOUNT

PURCHASE SUPERDUTY HIGH HP

VEHICLE LICENSE NO.

STATE

SALES TAX

TOTAL

EXTENDED
TERM SALE
CHECK HERENO. OF
MONTHSGRAND
TOTAL

750

No. 325779

PURE OIL CO.
A DIVISION OF UNION OIL
COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA

TERMS PAYABLE UPON RECEIPT OF STATEMENT

00 0692 112 6

00595

JOHN D BLAKE

RT 2 BOX 128 A1
AMERICUS GA

1966

ANDY JONES
AMERICUS GA
57 9007 104

PURCHASER'S SIGNATURE

X John D Blake

BILLING COPY

4 15 68

CO. ISSUING CARD

Firebird GASOLINE

REGULAR

QUAN. PRICE

153 389

AMOUNT

PURCHASE SUPERDUTY HIGH HP

VEHICLE LICENSE NO.

STATE

SALES TAX

TOTAL

EXTENDED
TERM SALE
CHECK HERENO. OF
MONTHSGRAND
TOTAL

5 96

No. 325779

PURE OIL CO.
A DIVISION OF UNION OIL
COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA

TERMS PAYABLE UPON RECEIPT OF STATEMENT

07 7720 095 7

00500

JAMES F TRAINOR

P.O. BOX 265
DAMASCUS GA

1963

ANDY JONES
AMERICUS GA
57 9007 104

PURCHASER'S SIGNATURE

X J F Trainor

BILLING COPY

4 16 68

CO. ISSUING CARD

Firebird GASOLINE

REGULAR

QUAN. PRICE

128 389

AMOUNT

PURCHASE SUPERDUTY HIGH HP

VEHICLE LICENSE NO.

STATE

SALES TAX

TOTAL

EXTENDED
TERM SALE
CHECK HERENO. OF
MONTHSGRAND
TOTAL

5 00

No. 325778

PURE OIL CO.
A DIVISION OF UNION OIL
COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA

TERMS PAYABLE UPON RECEIPT OF STATEMENT

07 7720 095 7

00643

JAMES F TRAINOR
P.O. Box 265
Damascus, Ga.

1963

BILLING COPY	
PURCHASER'S SIGNATURE X James F Trainor	
CO. ISSUING CARD	
RANDY JONES AMERICUS GA 57 9007 104 4 18 68	
Firebird GASOLINE	
SUPER <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	REGULAR <input type="checkbox"/>
PERFUMED <input type="checkbox"/>	SUPERDUTY <input type="checkbox"/>
HIGH HP <input type="checkbox"/>	
QUANTITY 165.389	PRICE 5.62
SALES TAX 78	STATE
TOTAL	
EXTENDED TERMINAL SALE CHECK HERE	NO. OF MONTHS
GRAND TOTAL	6.43
No. 135707	
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07. 7436425

00630

J. Roy. Studstill

BILLING COPY	
PURCHASER'S SIGNATURE X J. Roy. Studstill	
CO. ISSUING CARD	
RANDY JONES AMERICUS GA 57 9007 104 4 16 68	
Firebird GASOLINE	
SUPER <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	REGULAR <input type="checkbox"/>
PERFUMED <input type="checkbox"/>	SUPERDUTY <input type="checkbox"/>
HIGH HP <input type="checkbox"/>	
QUANTITY 162.389	PRICE 6.30
SALES TAX	STATE
TOTAL	6.30
EXTENDED TERMINAL SALE CHECK HERE	NO. OF MONTHS
GRAND TOTAL	6.30
No. 335781	
PURE OIL CO. A DIVISION OF UNION OIL COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA	
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J. Roy. Studstill
212 Daniel St
Americus Ga

02 2607 685 9 00670

GEORGE B FRANKS
707 VIRGINIA AVE
GLENNVILLE GA

JUL 68

BILLING COPY

PURCHASER'S SIGNATURE
George B Franks

CO. ISSUING CARD

ANDY JONES
AMERICUS GA
57 9007 104

Firebird GASOLINE
REGULAR ☒ HIGH HP ☐

QUANT. PRICE AMOUNT
4 17 68 592

SALES TAX TOTAL

GRAND TOTAL 670

NO. OF MONTHS 1

TERMS: PAYABLE UPON RECEIPT OF STATEMENT

PURE OIL CO.
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COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA

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03 3407 444 0 00175

MRS AMON P HELMS
120 W. Church St
AMERICUS GA

1960

BILLING COPY

PURCHASER'S SIGNATURE
Mrs Amon P Helms

CO. ISSUING CARD

ANDY JONES
AMERICUS GA
57 9007 104

Firebird GASOLINE
REGULAR ☒ HIGH HP ☐

QUANT. PRICE AMOUNT
4 15 68 173

SALES TAX TOTAL

GRAND TOTAL 175

NO. OF MONTHS 1

TERMS: PAYABLE UPON RECEIPT OF STATEMENT

PURE OIL CO.
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COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA

FORM 139-54 10-66

03 3917 197 7 00263

HEYWOOD JERKINS
114 Highland Dr
Americus GA

AUG 68

BILLING COPY

PURCHASER'S SIGNATURE
Heywood Jerkins

CO. ISSUING CARD

ANDY JONES
AMERICUS GA
57 9007 104

Firebird GASOLINE
REGULAR ☒ HIGH HP ☐

QUANT. PRICE AMOUNT
4 15 68 51

SALES TAX TOTAL

GRAND TOTAL 263

NO. OF MONTHS 2

TERMS: PAYABLE UPON RECEIPT OF STATEMENT

PURE OIL CO.
A DIVISION OF UNION OIL
COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA

FORM 139-54 10-66

03 3076 687 4 00535

WILLIAM N GURLEY
Dienah Road
Americus GA

AUG 68

BILLING COPY

PURCHASER'S SIGNATURE
William N Gurley

CO. ISSUING CARD

ANDY JONES
AMERICUS GA
57 9007 104

Firebird GASOLINE
REGULAR ☒ HIGH HP ☐

QUANT. PRICE AMOUNT
4 15 68 53

SALES TAX TOTAL

GRAND TOTAL 535

NO. OF MONTHS 5

TERMS: PAYABLE UPON RECEIPT OF STATEMENT

PURE OIL CO.
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COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA

FORM 139-54 10-66

03 0755 496 7 00535

W. A. ANDERSON
108 N. Whitehead St
Warrenton GA

1959

BILLING COPY

PURCHASER'S SIGNATURE
W. A. Anderson

CO. ISSUING CARD

ANDY JONES
AMERICUS GA
57 9007 104

Firebird GASOLINE
REGULAR ☒ HIGH HP ☐

QUANT. PRICE AMOUNT
4 15 68 44

SALES TAX TOTAL

GRAND TOTAL 440

NO. OF MONTHS 4

TERMS: PAYABLE UPON RECEIPT OF STATEMENT

PURE OIL CO.
A DIVISION OF UNION OIL
COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA

FORM 139-54 10-66

02 2430 550 2

0078

MRS S W FERGUSON

411 Broad Street
Hawkinsville, Ga.

JUL 68

BILLING COPY

SOLD BY RANDY JONES AMERICUS GA 57 9007 104	PURCHASER'S SIGNATURE <i>S.W. Ferguson</i>		CO. ISSUING CARD <i>Am</i>
	DATE 4 18 68		VEHICLE LICENSE NO.
Firebird GASOLINE SUPER <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> REGULAR <input type="checkbox"/>		QUANT. PRICE AMOUNT 138 539	STATE
PURELUBE SUPERDUTY <input type="checkbox"/> HIGH HP <input type="checkbox"/>		1 250	
SALES TAX			
TOTAL			
EXTENDED TERM SALE CHECK HERE	NO. OF MONTHS	GRAND TOTAL	No. 135706
		7.89	

*INCLUDES APPLICABLE FEDERAL, STATE AND LOCAL MOTOR FUEL TAXES

TERMS: PAYABLE UPON RECEIPT OF STATEMENT

PURE OIL CO.
A DIVISION OF UNION OIL COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA

FORM 139-54 10-66

01 1561 030 5

00500

EMMA S COMER

RFD

Smythville GA

JUN 68

BILLING COPY

SOLD BY RANDY JONES AMERICUS GA 57 9007 104	PURCHASER'S SIGNATURE <i>Emma S Comer</i>		CO. ISSUING CARD <i>Am</i>
	DATE 4 17 68		VEHICLE LICENSE NO.
Firebird GASOLINE SUPER <input type="checkbox"/> REGULAR <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		QUANT. PRICE AMOUNT 173 500	STATE
PURELUBE SUPERDUTY <input type="checkbox"/> HIGH HP <input type="checkbox"/>			
SALES TAX			
TOTAL			
EXTENDED TERM SALE CHECK HERE	NO. OF MONTHS	GRAND TOTAL	No. 335706
		5.00	

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A DIVISION OF UNION OIL COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA

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05 5862 453 2

00629

CLARENCE A PARKER

Vienna Road
Americus GA

JUL 68

BILLING COPY

SOLD BY RANDY JONES AMERICUS GA 57 9007 104	PURCHASER'S SIGNATURE <i>X.C.A. Parker</i>		CO. ISSUING CARD <i>Am</i>
	DATE 4 17 68		VEHICLE LICENSE NO.
Firebird GASOLINE SUPER <input type="checkbox"/> REGULAR <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		QUANT. PRICE AMOUNT 18 629	STATE
PURELUBE SUPERDUTY <input type="checkbox"/> HIGH HP <input type="checkbox"/>			
SALES TAX			
TOTAL			
EXTENDED TERM SALE CHECK HERE	NO. OF MONTHS	GRAND TOTAL	No. 335706
		6.29	

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PURE OIL CO.
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05 5093 624 9 00284

A A MCILWRAITH
Holly Hill Farm RT3
Americus GA 1961

RANDY JONES
AMERICUS GA
57 9007 104 4 17 68

PURCHASER'S SIGNATURE *[Signature]*

CO. ISSUING CARD

Firebird GASOLINE
SUPER ☒ REGULAR ☐ QUAN. 86 PRICE 300 AMOUNT 2580
PURELUBE ☐ SUPERDUTY ☐ HIGH HP ☐ STATE GA
SALES TAX 16
TOTAL 2596

EXTENDED TERM SALE CHECK HERE

NO. OF MONTHS 284 GRAND TOTAL 2596 No. 33572

PURE OIL CO.
A DIVISION OF UNION OIL
COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA

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07 7940 970 5 00773

312 Columbia Ave.
Americus GA
Loonard Whitman

RANDY JONES
AMERICUS GA
57 9017 104 4 15 68

PURCHASER'S SIGNATURE *[Signature]*

CO. ISSUING CARD

Firebird GASOLINE
SUPER ☒ REGULAR ☐ QUAN. 29 PRICE 384 AMOUNT 11136
PURELUBE ☐ SUPERDUTY ☐ HIGH HP ☐ STATE GA
SALES TAX 40
TOTAL 11176

EXTENDED TERM SALE CHECK HERE

NO. OF MONTHS 773 GRAND TOTAL 11176 No. 33576

PURE OIL CO.
A DIVISION OF UNION OIL
COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA

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07 7940 970 5 00760

Loonard Whitman
Americus GA

RANDY JONES
AMERICUS GA
57 9007 104 4 18 68

PURCHASER'S SIGNATURE *[Signature]*

CO. ISSUING CARD

Firebird GASOLINE
SUPER ☒ REGULAR ☐ QUAN. 206 PRICE 384 AMOUNT 79104
PURELUBE ☐ SUPERDUTY ☐ HIGH HP ☐ STATE GA
SALES TAX 40
TOTAL 79144

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NO. OF MONTHS 760 GRAND TOTAL 79144 No. 135697

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06 6121 763 8 07643

E L POOLE
New ERA
Americus GA 1960

RANDY JONES
AMERICUS GA
57 9007 104 4 15 68

PURCHASER'S SIGNATURE *[Signature]*

CO. ISSUING CARD

Firebird GASOLINE
SUPER ☐ REGULAR ☐ QUAN. 69 PRICE 384 AMOUNT 26556
PURELUBE ☐ SUPERDUTY ☐ HIGH HP ☐ STATE GA
SALES TAX 223
TOTAL 26779

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NO. OF MONTHS 7643 GRAND TOTAL 26779 No. 33570

PURE OIL CO.
A DIVISION OF UNION OIL
COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA

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Investigation Pure Oil Company, Palatine, Illinois

The Atlanta Division advised on April 25, 1968, that Mr. RANDOLPH B. JONES, Pure Oil Company Dealer, Americus, Georgia, advised he sold gas to an individual on April 16, 1968, who closely resembled 1968 photo of JAMES EARL RAY. Mr. JONES described the car he believed the person to be driving as well as furnishing a physical description of this individual. He also stated that he believed the individual purchased gas on a temporary Pure Oil Credit Card, which he believes expires in August or September, 1968. He also advised that the credit card slips were purchases on April 16, 1968, and had already been forwarded to the Pure Oil Company Retail Department, Palatine, Illinois.

On April 26, 1968, Mr. CLYDE E. PHODES, Accounting Department, Pure Oil Company, Palatine, Illinois, was telephonically contacted by SA RENE J. DUMAINE, at which time he advised that the package of credit card slips mailed in by Mr. JONES on April 17, 1968, would already be in the Balance process, Accounting Department, and would take until at least April 30, 1968, to locate. He said it is possible that he would be able to locate the credit card slips mailed in on April 22, 1968. He requested that he be furnished with the Transmittal Slip number used by JONES in submitting the credit card transactions.

On the same date, Mr. RHODES was furnished with the following transmittal numbers:

4/18/68 - 7-0217999
7-0218000

4/22/68 - 7-0217997
7-0217998

The foregoing were obtained from the Atlanta Division in contact with Mr. R. B. JONES. Mr. RHODES advised that he had located all of the credit card slips submitted on April 22, 1968. A review of these slips did not reveal any

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credit card slips for any transaction on April 16, 1968.

In a continuing review of Pure Oil Company records, in conjunction with Mr. RHODES and THOMAS DAVINI by SA ROBERT F. PEVAHOUSE on April 29 and 30, 1968, located the list of credit card invoices submitted by Mr. JONES on April 18, 1968. Credit card purchase number 0882579109 was made by Lt. Col. WILKERSON, however, the invoice itself could not be located and the address was not yet in file. The charge for credit card number 603-855-3685 is another company credit card and the ticket was already been separated elsewhere. No further effort will be made to locate this card in view of the comments made by Mr. JONES. It should be noted that this review did not reveal any purchase made on a temporary Pure Oil Credit Card.

*Probably duplicate
from another*

There were purchases made by the following companies:

Americus Utility
Aladdin Insulators
Georgia Highway Department
V. R. Bush Company
Southern Bell of Georgia
Simplex Nail
W. C. Page

The charge for H. O. JONES, JR. was not further checked out since it was in the amount of \$101.43, which could not have been a mere gas purchase.

A review of the credit card slips submitted reveals the following purchases for gasoline on April 16, 1968:

A. U. ARNOLD
RFD Americus, Georgia

JAMES F. TRAINOR
P.O. Box 265
Damasous, Georgia

J. ROY STUDSTILL
212 Daniel Street
Americus, Georgia

5/1/68

AIRTEL

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)

FROM : SAC, CHICAGO (44-1114)

SUBJECT: MURKIN

Re Chicago tel to Atlanta dated 4/26/68 and Atlanta tel to Director, Memphis, and Chicago, 4/25/68, re look alike observed at R. B. Jones, Pure Oil Station, Americus, Georgia, 4/16/68.

Enclosed for the Bureau and Memphis is one copy of investigative insert setting forth investigation at Pure Oil Company, Palatime, Illinois. Enclosed for the Atlanta office are two copies of the above mentioned insert. In addition, there is enclosed for Atlanta Office are two Xerox copies of the transmittal slip and credit cards submitted to Pure Oil Company by R. B. JONES on 4/18/68.

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AT AMERICUS, GEORGIA. Will utilize the enclosed credit slips in further interview of RANDOLPH B. JONES in an effort to establish the identity of the person he believed to be identical with subject at his gas station on 4/16/68.

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- 2 - Atlanta (44-2386) (AMSD) (Enc. 4)
- 1 - Memphis (44-197) (Enc. 1)
- 1 - Chicago

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, ATLANTA (44-2386)

DATE: 5/2/68

FROM : SA HILBERT ARPS

SUBJECT: MURKIN
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Detective R. L. HART, Burglary Squad, DeKalb County Police Department, stated to SA HILBERT ARPS on 5/2/68 they have had in custody since about 4 days after the shooting of Dr. M.L. KING, STANLEY CHAPMAN SAMS, who had in possession, the Phillips 66 Credit Card No. [REDACTED] in the name of CLAUDE S. BURDEN and various invoices, showing use of this credit card.

The attached list was prepared by Detective HART from items in possession of SAMS. SAMS felt that the travel indicated by the invoices may be of interest in the MURKIN case. He also furnished a photograph of SAMS, Atlanta Police Department No. 206524, dated 1-10-66, and said none of the items need be returned.

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gr
Kerry *des*
W. Hunt



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Buy U.S. Savings Bonds Regularly on the Payroll Savings Plan

AT 44-2386

CFR:SWO

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The following investigation was conducted on April 23, 1968, in Atlanta, Georgia by SA CHARLES F. ROESNER:

Mrs. ETHEL ELLINGTON, Clerk, Georgia Selective Service System Headquarters, 901 West Peachtree Street, advised that a search of her files failed to reveal any information in the name of ERIC STARVO GALT, or JAMES EARL RAY.

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CFR
Roesner *CFR*

AT 44-2386

TLL:met

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Re: Residents, 107 14th Street, Atlanta, Georgia

Investigation at 113 14th Street, N.E., Atlanta, revealed GALT rented room number 2 at that address on March 24, 1968, paying one week's rent in advance, and he again paid a second week's rent on March 31, 1968. It was determined that the landlord of 113 14th Street also operates the same type house next door at 107 14th Street, N.E. A check of his records revealed that HAROLD LOYD rented room number 6 at 107 14th Street, N.E., for the week starting March 18, 1968, and for the week starting March 25, 1968. He listed his home address as 571 Conquest Street, Macon, Georgia.

On April 16, 1968, SA JOHN H. BRANDT attempted to locate HAROLD LOYD at 571 Conquest Street, Macon, Georgia, and determined that this is a fictitious address. A review of the City Directory for Macon, Georgia, revealed one HAROLD A. LOYD, an employee of the Sign Maintenance Company, 680 Law Street, N.W., Atlanta, Georgia.

HAROLD LOYD, 5642 1/2 East Yale Street, College Park, Georgia, was contacted at his place of employment, Sign Maintenance Company, 680 Law Street, N.W., Atlanta, by SAs TRAVIS L. LYNCH and MARION E. CHERK on April 17, 1968, and he furnished the following information:

LOYD was moving to Atlanta from Macon, Georgia, around March 18, 1968, and he rented room number 6 at 107 14th Street, N.W., Atlanta, for a week, beginning March 18, 1968, and paid a week's rent on that date. He only stayed in the room at night to sleep and he was there from Monday night, March 18, 1968, until Saturday night, March 23, 1968. He did not stay around his room during the daytime, and merely used the room to sleep until he could find a permanent residence in the Atlanta area. He did not return to the room, and he did not pay rent for the week of March 28, 1968.

Mr. LOYD's room was on the second floor at 107 14th Street, N.E. He met none of the residents in that building or the building next door during the period of time he was there, except a large, heavy-set man who rented a back room, whom he spoke to on one occasion. He did not learn this man's

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name. On another occasion, at night, someone came into the building looking for another individual whom LOYD did not know.

Mr. LOYD observed photographs of ERIC S. GALT and advised he has observed no one resembling GALT and he definitely did not observe anyone resembling GALT at 107 14th Street or in that vicinity, and he knows that the two individuals he saw while residing at 107 14th Street were not identical with GALT.

Mr. LOYD listed his permanent address when he registered at 107 14th Street as his mother's address at 571 Conquet or Colquit (phonetic), Macon, Georgia. He is not sure of the name of the street where his mother resides because she recently moved there from 1179 Boulevard, Macon, Georgia.

Mr. LOYD offered his cooperation and advised that in the event he observes anyone resembling GALT he would immediately notify the FBI Office in Atlanta.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC (44-2386)

DATE: 5/1/68

FROM : SA THOMAS R. HENRY, JR.

SUBJECT: MURKIN

Reference Springfield airtel to Atlanta 4/25/68 (serial # 1361)

Raymond Curtis recontacted at the Whitfield County Jail, Dalton, Ga. 5/1/68 and advised after viewing the photo of Harvey Edward Lohmeyer that neither the photo or the name was familiar to him. He stated that at no time when in the Jackson County Jail, Kansas City Mo. did he get a good look at the man he mentioned as keeping Subject RAY in spending money, however he did not believe Lohmeyer was that individual.

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During this interview he was again questioned concerning the one million dollar bounty ", " KK of the south" and the " Southern Businessmens association " that he was quoted as saying on the national TV. He stated that by KK he did not mean the klan but either Kennedy & King or Kill King was his understanding of these initials when he heard them in prison.

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