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# Memorandum

TO : SAC, BIRMINGHAM (44-1740) (P)

DATE: 4/13/68

FROM : SA DONALD GUTHRIE

SUBJECT: MURKIN  
CR  
(OO: MEMPHIS)

Mr. NEWTON H. DE BARDELEBEN, President, The First National Bank of Birmingham, Main Office, advised the morning of 4/12/68 that he had in his office a bank employee with information which might be in connection with captioned case. SA GUTHRIE immediately proceeded to the bank to see Mr. DE BARDELEBEN and there was introduced to Mr. CARL GRIMES, the Manager of the Tarrant City Branch of First National Bank. The information furnished is relative to a possible suspect named ROBERT BORSARI, who gave an address in Tarrant City, Alabama, of another person named JOHN GALLAWAY, who runs a shoe shop in Tarrant City and who by telephone notified the bank that he was introducing BORSARI to the bank to open an account. In opening the account, BORSARI indicated employment with Redken Laboratories in Van Nuys, California. Mr. DE BARDELEBEN caused a check of Standard and Poor's Directory and Dun and Bradstreet Directory and was unable to find reference to this company. Noting that one of the canceled checks on the account of BORSARI was for \$600.00 payable to Adamson Ford in Birmingham, he caused a check to be made with Adamson Ford thinking that the \$600.00 was downpayment of a car; but was informed that there was no record of a sale of a car to BORSARI.

Xerox copies of the canceled checks and signature card of BORSARI were furnished by Mr. DE BARDELEBEN and photographs of the checks were made and the film was sent to the FBI Laboratory by airtel. Teletype preceded airtel advising Bureau and Memphis of this additional information.

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TO : SAC, BIRMINGHAM (44-1470) (P)

DATE: 4/12/68

FROM : SA NORMAN D. MIDDLETON

SUBJECT: MURKIN

Re Mustang ads in newspaper 8/27/67.

On 4/10/68, the following individuals were shown an artist's sketch of the unknown subject with negative results: Investigation also continuing in an attempt to locate an individual who had been a potential customer for a Mustang during the month of August, 1967.

Roebuck Auto Sales, Inc.  
9008 Gadsden Highway  
Birmingham, Alabama  
BILL BRILL, Used Car Salesman  
BOB BALES, Used Car Salesman  
BOB HENDERSON, Used Car Salesman  
JOSEPH ZEGRALLI, Used Car Salesman  
BILL MC CORMICK, Used Car Salesman.

Jim Skinner Ford Company  
210 Roebuck Plaza Drive  
Birmingham, Alabama  
Used Car Salesman  
CHARLES FRANEY  
GERSHON SMITH  
BUD BOWERS  
ERNIE COOPER  
BOB FINCHER

On 4/10/68, Mrs. COMER JONES, Operator, Texaco Service Station, 1724 Bankhead Highway, Irondale, Alabama, advised that she and her husband have operated the Texaco Service Station since December, 1967. She advised she does not know who operated the station during August, 1967, and has no information concerning an ad placed in the

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Birmingham News for a 1965 Mustang on 8/27/67.

Contacts With Financial Institutions.

On 4/11/68, the following individuals were contacted at Birmingham area banks and were displayed an artist's conception of the unknown subject. All individuals contacted advised the unknown subject is not known to them and they cannot recall any individual who recently obtained a large amount of money in \$200 bills.

First National Bank of Birmingham  
Five Points West Branch  
Tellers - MINNIE MOUDRY  
LOU GAFFNEY  
LINDA MOON  
EDNA KNIGHT  
VIRGINIA MARLAR  
RICHARD STUMB, Vice President and Branch Manager.

Exchange Security Bank  
Five Points West Branch  
Tellers - ELIZABETH POOLE  
MARGARET DE JOHN  
SALLY MURPHY  
ANITA BECKMAN  
BEATRICE HARDIN

BTNB  
Five Points West Branch  
Tellers - BETTY MIZE  
PENNY ELLIOTT  
DOT JOHNSEY  
ANITA TERRY  
BETTY BOYD  
CHRISTINE PENINGTON  
DIANE WALLACE

Guaranty Savings and Loan Association  
Five Points West Branch  
Mr. EDWARD ROBERTS, Manager  
Tellers - LOUISE EZELL  
JEAN PULLIAM.

Jefferson County Federal Savings and Loan  
Association - Five Points West Branch  
Tellers - CAROL MC CARTY  
Mrs. GILBERT S. ISBELL  
TOMMIE BOOKER.

BTNB  
Midfield Branch  
Tellers - Mrs. IRENE HILTON  
CAROL NOE  
Mrs. JEAN ANDREWS  
Mrs. HELEN ADCOCK.

First National Bank of Birmingham  
Hueytown Branch  
JON E. ANDREWS - Branch Manager  
Tellers - Mrs. BONNIE WOOD  
Mrs. SHIRLEY ODOM  
Mrs. BILLY MC KEE  
PEGGY J. COWEN  
JUDY HAVEN  
BONNIE ARNETTE  
FRANCES HICKS.

First National Bank of Birmingham  
Wylam Branch  
C. G. LECROY, Assistant Vice President and  
Branch Manager  
Tellers - SUE SELLARS  
Mrs. BOBBY CRAIG  
Mrs. LONNIE MC CAW  
RON HOLLIS.

Central Bank and Trust Company  
Midfield Branch  
Tellers - JUDY NORTHCUTT  
FRANCES GRIFFIN

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**PEGGY RILEY  
JOYCE WILSON  
DELENE WILLIAMS  
RAY STONE.'**

**First National Bank of Birmingham  
Valley Road Branch  
Tellers - Mrs. RONNIE CADDLE  
DANA SCHREDER  
JEAN HEARON  
MARCIA CARMICHAEL  
JUDY JONES.**

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DATE: 4/12/68

FROM : SA FRANK R. SLAPIKAS

SUBJECT: MURKIN  
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OO: MEMPHIS

The following investigation was conducted by  
SA FRANK R. SLAPIKAS at Birmingham, Alabama.

On 4/12/68, JOSEPH WALLIS, Manager, City Cab Company, 2928 7th Avenue, made available trip sheets for the period 8/26/67 through 9/3/67. A review of these sheets reflected the following:

On 8/28/67, driver JESSIE W. INGRAM, at approximately 8:00 a.m. picked up one passenger at the YWCA, Birmingham, and destination was listed as 2601 Highland Avenue, Birmingham, amount of fare was 80¢.

On 8/28/67, driver PAUL THACKER had a fare from Fifes Restaurant, Birmingham, and destination was listed as 2600 Highland Avenue, Birmingham, amount of fare was 80¢, number of passengers not listed.

On 4/12/68, JESSIE W. INGRAM, Taxi Driver, City Cab Company, 2928 7th Avenue, viewed his trip sheet for 8/28/67, and indicated his fare from the YWCA to 2601 Highland Avenue was a white female who resided at the YWCA and was employed at the office building located at 2601 Highland Avenue.

On 4/12/68, PAUL THACKER, 1528 7th Avenue North, Bessemer, Alabama, was contacted at the City Cab Company, 2928 7th Avenue, where he is employed as a Taxi Driver. THACKER furnished the following information:

THACKER viewed his trip sheet for 8/28/67, and indicated his fare from Fifes Restaurant, 2325 4th Avenue, Birmingham, to 2600 Highland Avenue, Birmingham, was a food delivery for a number of nurses who are employed

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at the Louis Carter Convalescent Home and there were  
no passengers involved.

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DATE: 4/12/68

FROM : SA ROBERT M. BARRETT

SUBJECT: MURKIN

Re: ARTIST'S CONCEPTIONS OF UNSUB.

On 4/11/68 the artist's conceptions based on information from Memphis witnesses and the one based on information from Birmingham witnesses were exhibited to witnesses JOHN W. DE SHAZO, JOHN DENNIS HANNERS, DON WOODS, and U. L. BAKER. The following comments concerning these artists' conceptions were obtained and subsequently furnished telephonically 4/11/68 by SA ROBERT M. BARRETT to the Bureau Exhibits Section personnel at Memphis, who had prepared these drawings.

Witness JOHN DENNIS HANNERS stated the Memphis conception was unacceptable to him in every way. He stated the Birmingham conception was the closest but that the hair at the crown of the head was thicker and wavier and the face was thinner, especially the jawbone area. HANNERS said the age depicted in the Birmingham conception was most accurate.

Witness DE SHAZO said that the hair portrayed in the Memphis conception was better than that in the Birmingham conception, in shade and in the way it was combed. He said, however, that the hair was too high on the head and the head was too round in the Memphis conception. Concerning the Birmingham conception, DE SHAZO said the head was too square. He stated the age portrayed in the Birmingham conception was good and that portrayed in the Memphis conception was too young. He said the complexion in the Birmingham conception should be lighter, such as that in the Memphis conception. He recalled that the tie portrayed in the Memphis conception was good in that the Unsub also had his tie askew at the time DE SHAZO observed him.

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Witness DON WOODS stated the Memphis conception was entirely unacceptable to him. He said the age, the hair, eyes, and mouth on the Birmingham conception were very good, but that the face, especially the jaw area, should be narrower. He said the jaw area of the Unsub was similar to that of movie actor WARREN BEATTY. WOODS stated, however, there was something he could not pinpoint missing from the Birmingham conception.

Witness U. L. BAKER stated the Memphis conception was entirely unacceptable. He said the head in the Birmingham conception should be rounded, with a more receding hairline. He said the age in the Birmingham conception was good, but the eyes should be smaller and the face should be narrower in the lower part. BAKER then said, "I don't believe I could identify him again if he came into the store right now".

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TO : SAC, BIRMINGHAM (44-1740) (P)      DATE: 4/13/68

FROM : SA JERRY L. EMMONS

SUBJECT: MURKIN  
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OO: MEMPHIS

On 4/10/68, SA JERRY L. EMMONS contacted the firms listed below at Birmingham, Alabama. Files and invoices were searched by the Agent in an attempt to determine if anyone, who might be identifiable with the unknown subject, purchased tires for a 1966 Mustang. In addition, the artist's conception of the unknown subject was exhibited to all employees of these firms. The results of this investigation proved to be negative.

A. C. BRONAUGH and all employees  
Huffstutler-Walters Tire Company  
600 6th Avenue South

P. N. REDDING and all employees  
Goodyear Store  
700 South 21st Street

On 4/11/68, SA's WILLIAM H. LEE and JERRY L. EMMONS conducted the same investigation at the following firms:

BILL ROGERS, JR. and all employees  
Lee Rogers Tire Company  
311 South 21st Street

Mrs. CLYDENE ROGERS and all employees  
Chace Rubber Company  
401 South 21st Street

DE WITT SHAW and all employees  
U. S. Royal Tires  
2030 3rd Avenue South

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E. F. AVERY and all employees  
Lynn Strickland Tire Company  
200 21st Street South

ERWIN CALDWELL and all employees  
B. F. Goodrich Store  
500 South 20th Street

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TO : SAC, BIRMINGHAM (44-1740) (P)      DATE: 4/13/68

FROM : SA'S RONALD P. KLUG AND PETER JOHN BODKIN

SUBJECT: MURKIN  
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OO: MEMPHIS

AT BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA:

## LOUNGES

The following listed individuals were contacted on 4/11 and 4/12/68, between 8:00 P.M. and 2:15 A.M., each was exhibited the artist conception of the suspect in this matter. All of these individuals advised that the suspect was unknown to them and had never been a customer of their establishments to the best of their knowledge:

The Cane Break  
1926 4th Avenue North

JO KELL, WILLDEEN DAVIS, HOLLIE HICKS, and H. H. BELL.

Starlight Lounge  
5th Avenue and 19th Street North.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. BISCONTI,

PEARL DIAL

Port Said  
5th Avenue and 19th Street North.

SAMMY MASTERS ROBERTS, JO ANN LAWHON, and HELEN HALL.

Theo's Grill  
425 North 19th Street

C. M. GRAMMES

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LOUISE GAILEY

The Inn Club  
1331 North 3rd Avenue

ED GALCKLEY

Tito's Lounge  
1st Avenue and 13th Street

VALENTINE ROYBAR

HOTELS AND MOTELS

St. Francis Motor Lodge  
Homewood, Alabama  
J. B. RUSSELL

Holiday Inn South  
1548 Montgomery Highway

EVERETT WHITFIELD

DAN SMITH

BOB LOWORY

Sharaton Hotel  
2040 Highland Avenue South

WILLIAM WALKER

Parliament House  
420 South 20th Street

C. P. HOWELL

Mrs. G. BURNS

Ranch House Motel  
2125 7th Avenue South

LLEW JOHNS

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Holiday Inn East  
7941 Crestwood Boulevard

J. L. MC DONALD

SOLOMAN DRIVER

Motel Birmingham  
7905 Crestwood Boulevard

J. C. LARGIN

WILLIE PORTIS

Mecca Hotel  
302 North 17th Street

PAUL T. PRICE

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FROM : SA JERRY L. EMMONS

SUBJECT: MURKIN  
CR  
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On 4/12/68, SA JERRY L. EMMONS contacted the firms listed below at Birmingham, Alabama. These firms' files were searched for any policies which might have been issued to JOHN WILLARD, J. WALLIS VERNON, JEROME VERNON, and ERIC STARVO GALT, and could find nothing identifiable with any of them.

Mrs. BETTY CORCORAN  
East End Insurance Company  
104 77th Avenue North

A. J. DANIELS  
A. J. Daniels Insurance Company  
2004 13th Avenue South

Mrs. DOROTHY COLE  
Peoples Insurance Agency  
911 Bank for Savings Building

A.J. POLHILL  
Alabama Motorists Service Agency  
2007 1st Avenue South

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DATE: 4/13/68

FROM : SA HENRY A. SNOW

SUBJECT: MURKIN  
CR  
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## SUSPECT

A review of the file entitled "ROBERT BOLIVAR DE PUGH - FUGITIVE; WALTER PATRICK PEYSON - FUGITIVE; ET AL; BR - CONSPIRACY; OO SEATTLE," reflected possible resemblance of the photographs of the two fugitives in that case (Birmingham file 91-2352), with the artist conception of the unknown subject in this matter.

SA ROBERT M. BARRETT exhibited photographs on 4/8/68 of DE PUGH and PEYSON to the witnesses at the Aeromarine Supply Company who did not know any resemblance to the individual who had purchased the rifle there.

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TO : SAC ( 44-1740 )

FROM : SA Joseph T. Landers

SUBJECT: MURKIN  
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DATE: 4/11/68

Re. Memo of ASAC RALPH J. RAMPTON, dated 4/10/68

The following investigation conducted by SA JOSEPH T. LANDERS on 4/11/68.

The records of the sheriff's office and divorce records for a period of 1943 to present, were checked at the following places as to any record of arrest or divorce.

Register in Chancery, Talladega, Alabama  
Talladega County SO.  
Circuit Court & SO, Pell City, Alabama  
Circuit Court and SO, Ashville, Alabama.

These records fail to reflect any information as to the following names.

JOHN WILLARD, HARVEY LOWMEYER, ERIC STARVO GALT. LOWMEYER HARVEY, ERIC STARVO, ERIC LOWMEYER, ERIC GALT, HARVEY WILLARD, ERIC WILLARD. ERIC HARVEY, JOHN GALT, JOHN STARVO, JOHN ERIC, HARVEY JOHN, JOHN LOWMEYER.

The artist's conception has been shown to the following person with negative results.

Clay Slate, Anniston, Alabama 4/9/68  
T.J. CEdmons, " " "  
C.J. Blewster, " " "  
Charles R. Hodges, former COP, Oxford, Alabama 4/10/68  
Clarence Roberts, Asst. COP, Talladega, Ala. "  
John Fariß, COP, " " "  
Albert Higgins, COP, Sylacauga, Alabama, "  
Red Wood, Sheriff, St Clair County, 4/11/68  
Lee Allen Thompson, Deputy Sheriff, Ashville, Ala. 4/11/68  
Ruble Bowlin, COP, Pell City, Ala. 4/11/68  
Christine Smelley, Clerk, Divorce Records, Talladega, Ala. 4/11/68  
Mrs Ann Love, Clerk, Divorce Records, Pell City, Ala.  
Mrs Jean Browning, Clerk, Divorce Records, Ashville, Alabama.

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# Memorandum

TO : SAC, Birmingham

DATE: 4-12-68

FROM : HOMER E. PARKER  
SPC

SUBJECT: MURKIN

SA DICK HAMILTON, Atlanta FBI Office, telephoned Birmingham Office at 10:31 PM, 4-12-68, and said Washington was sending 2 packages, one for Atlanta and one for Birmingham, via airline and requested that Atlanta make arrangements to send Birmingham's package from Atlanta. SA HAMILTON said Birmingham's package would be in possession of the Captain of EAL Flight 635 arriving Birmingham 3:31 AM, 4-13-68, and requested that SA meet plane and obtain package. He said he did not know the contents of the package.

On instructions received from SAC, SA RALPH N. BUTLER was requested to meet the plane.

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TO : SAC, Birmingham (44-1740)

DATE: 4-12-68

FROM : SRA Charles W. Perry

SUBJECT: MURKIN

Re ASAC telephonic instructions given 4-10-68 to check divorce records in Etowah and Cherokee Counties for past twenty years for any divorce record in name of Eric Starvo Galt, HARRY LOMEYER or JOHN WILLARD.

Mrs. Mary Nell Thornton, Register in Chancery, Gadsden, made available her records which were checked for the period of 1947 through the present date and they were negative so far as the names of the above suspects.

Mrs. L. Coffee, Register in Chancery, Centre, Ala, on 4-11-68 made available all of her records of divorce for the period 1937 through the present date and after checking these records it was determined they did not contain any divorce record for suspect under the above names.

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TO: SAC's ATLANTA (44-2386)  
MEMPHIS (44-1987)  
BIRMINGHAM (44-1740)

FROM: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)

MURKIN

RE ATLANTA TEL APRIL TEN.

LATENT FINGERPRINTS THIS CASE NOT IDENTICAL  
FINGERPRINTS JACK DEMPSEY BOSLEY, FBI NUMBER ONE SIX  
TWO SIX TWO FIVE A. NO PALM PRINTS HERE FOR DEMPSEY.

Sent Via \_\_\_\_\_ M Per \_\_\_\_\_  
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SA LARRY K. SYLVESTER

MURKIN

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(OO: MEMPHIS)

RE ELIMINATION OF SUSPECT JOHN HILL.

On 4/11/68, BETTY GOWAN, Secretary of Personnel, American Cast Iron Pipe Company, Birmingham, Alabama, advised that her personnel records reflected that JOHN L. HILL, 1515 10th Avenue, South, was currently employed as a core plate remover since 6/9/66. She stated payroll records reflect HILL had worked 8 hours on 3/29/68 and had worked 8 hours every day from 4/1/68 through 4/5/68. HILL's record showed that he was born on [redacted] white male, 5'11", 197 lbs. Photograph in personnel record showed HILL to have black hair with a heavy face and heavy eyebrows. His hair at the time of the photograph was long and parted on the left side.

On 4/11/68, WILLIAM BREWSTER, Foreman, American Cast Iron Pipe Company, stated that he was the working supervisor of HILL and had been such for the last 8 months. BREWSTER viewed the composite sketch of subject prepared by the FBI Laboratory and advised it was definitely not HILL and in his opinion bore no resemblance to HILL.

In addition, this Agent personally viewed photograph of HILL as contained in personnel records and saw no resemblance to the composite sketch as prepared by the FBI Laboratory.

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TO DIRECTOR (44-38861), BIRMINGHAM (44-1740), NEWARK, ST. LOUIS  
(44-775), AND MEMPHIS (44-1987)  
FROM MIAMI (44-1854)

MURKIN CR. OO MEMPHIS

RE MIAMI TEL TO DIRECTOR, BIRMINGHAM, NEW YORK, ST. LOUIS,  
TAMPA, AND MEMPHIS FOUR TWELVE INSTANT.

JOSEPH JAMES GAULT AND SIMMONE MATTE GAULT INTERVIEWED THIS DATE.  
GAULTS ACQUAINTED WITH NO ONE NAMED ERIC STARVO GALT OR KARL GALT OR  
WITH ANYONE WHO KNEW FAMILY WHO MIGHT HAVE USED  
THESE NAMES. GAULT BORN IN SCOTLAND [REDACTED]  
AND STATES THAT GAULT AND GALT ARE BOTH ACCEPTED VERSIONS OF SPELLING  
THAT NAME AND ARE OFTEN USED INTERCHANGEABLY.

THE GAULT HAS SON BY FORMER MARRIAGE NAMED DONALD CAMERON GAULT,  
WHOM HE HAS NOT SEEN SINCE NINETEEN TWENTY EIGHT AND WHO WAS BORN IN  
[REDACTED] AND WHO IS CURRENTLY IN U. S. NAVY.

FORMER WIFE OF JOSEPH JAMES GAULT, MRS. GEORGE STEADLEY, ONE FIVE  
EIGHT BEACH STREET, JERSEY CITY, NEW JERSEY IN ZERO SEVEN THREE  
ZERO SEVEN, IN ALL PROBABILITY KNOWS WHEREABOUTS OF DONALD  
CONERON GAULT.

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NEWARK LOCATE MRS. GEORGE STEADLEY, ONE FIVE EIGHT BEACH STREET,  
JERSEY CITY, NEW JERSEY, ASCERTAIN WHEREABOUTS OF DONALD CAMERON GAULT,  
AND SET FORTH LEADS TO HAVE HIM INTERVIEWED.

CORR PAGE ONE, SECOND PARA OF BODY. .'. FIRST SENTENCE SHOULD READ  
GAULT NOT THE GAULT

END

NK...JON

FBI NEWARK

BH...SSP

FBI BIRMGHAM

SL...

ME...CAF

FBI MEMPHIS

SL... SL PLS ACK...

ALL OTHER OFFICES PLS DISCP

FBI BIRMGHAM

FBI LOS ANG.

1:55PM URGENT 4-12-68 LLR

TO DIRECTOR (44-38861) & BIRMINGHAM, MEMPHIS, ATLANTA, CHICAGO  
FROM LOS ANGELES (44-1574) SPAGES

MURKIN.

RE LOS ANGELES TEL THIS DATE.

RE ANITA LOUIS KATZWINKEL AND GINGER NANCE, AKA, GINGER  
CUNNINGHAM, GINGER DAY, MRS. CHARLES DAY, AND MRS. KENNETH NANCE.

KATZWINKEL LOCATED LIVING IN COMMON LAW WITH THOMAS  
RUSSEL HUNTER, FBI NUMBER ONE TWO ONE THREE SIX FOUR E,  
ADDRESS ONE SEVEN TWO SEVEN NORTH GARFIELD PLACE, APT. NINE,  
HOLLYWOOD, ADVISED GINGER NANCE, SUE HARRIS, AND SHE GREW  
UP TOGETHER IN DIXON, ILLINOIS. SEVERAL YEARS AGO HARRIS  
SENT TO CALIFORNIA TO LIVE WITH HER AUNT, MRS. NORMA C. COSS.

MAY LAST NANCE AND KATZWINKEL LEFT DIXON IN AUTOMOBILE  
BELONGING TO NANCE'S HUSBAND, CHARLES DAY EN ROUTE TO CALIFORNIA.  
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CAR BROKE DOWN AND ABANDONED IN OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLAHOMA. THEN THEY OBTAINED A RIDE WITH TWO WHITE MALES FURTHER IDENTITY UNKNOWN WHO DROVE THEM TO CALIFORNIA.

UPON ARRIVAL IN CALIFORNIA, THEY CONTACTED HARRIS WHO AT THIS TIME WAS LIVING IN COMMON LAW WITH THOMAS MARTIN FLIKEID, FBI NUMBER THREE FIVE FOUR ZERO THREE NINE B. HARRIS OPERATING AS CALL GIRL. SHE OBTAINED APARTMENT FOR NANCE AND KATZWINKEL AT PALMS APTS., SUNSET BOULEVARD, HOLLYWOOD. ACCORDING TO KATZWINKEL, SHE REMAIED THERE ONLY THREE DAYS AND THEN MOVED INTO APT. SIX, ONE FIVE THREE FIVE SERRANO, HOLLYWOOD. KATZWINKEL ADVISED RENTED THIS APARTMENT IN HER NAME FOR THREE WEEK PERIOD BUT AFTER LIVING THERE ONLY TWO DAYS MET AND ENTERED INO COMMON LAW ARRANGEMENT WITH HUNTER AT ABOVE ADDRESS. NANCE CONTINUED TO RESIDE AT SERRANO APTS. FOR ABOUT THREE WEEKS. THEREAFTER, NANCE LEFT RETURNING TO DIXON, ILLINOIS. NANCE ABANDONED MISCELLANEOUS PERSONAL BELONGINGS AND CLOTHING ITEMS IN APARTMENT UPON DEPARTURE.

KATZWINKEL ADVISED NANCE ARRESTED ON FRAUDULENT CHECK CHARGES AFTER RETURNING TO ILLINOIS AND RECEIVED SIX MONTH SENTENCE. KATZWINKEL DENIED ANY KNOWLEDGE OF ERIC GALT AND

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WAS UNABLE TO EXPLAIN HOW HER NAME AND ADDRESS WOULD BE IN HIS POSSESSION. STATED SUE HARRIS OPERATED AS INDEPENDENT CALL GIRL. STATED HARRIS USED KATZWINKLE'S NAME TO OBTAIN PHONE AS HARRIS OWED LARGE BILL UNDER TRUE NAME. FLIKEID NOT KNOWN TO BE EMPLOYED AND KATZWINKEL STATED HE DID NOT PIMP FOR HARRIS. PHOTOS OF JAY VERNON SHOWN TO KATZWINKEL WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS.

KATZWINKEL DESCRIBED: WFA, BORN [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] MENDOTA, ILLINOIS, FOUR FEET ELEVEN INCHES, ONE HUNDRED FIFTY POUNDS, RED BROWN HAIR, BROWN EYES, PARENTS HARRY B. AND LOIS KATZWINKEL, ONE ONE ZERO THREE ILLINOIS AVENUE, MENDOTA CLAIMS NO PRIOR ARREST.

HUNTER INTERVIEWED AND ADVISED HE MET KATZWINKEL THROUGH HARRIS AND FLIKEID. SHE MOVED IN WITH HIM DURING LATE SUMMER LAST. HUNTER STATED KATZWINKEL HAD BEEN IN CALIFORNIA ONLY A FEW WEEKS BEFORE THEY GOT TOGETHER. WHEN THEY FIRST MET, SHE RESIDED IN APARTMENT ON SERRANO STREET WITH GINGER NANCE. AFTER SHE MOVED IN WITH HIM, NANCE KEPT APARTMENT FOR FEW MORE WEEKS AND THEN RETURNED TO DIXON, ILLINOIS. HUNTER ADVISED NEVER HEARD OF ERIC GALT NOR COULD HE IDENTIFY PHOTO OF JAY VERNON.

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RE: ERIC STARVO GALT

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PART OF MISSING PERIOD AFTER GALT LEFT TWO THREE THREE  
FIVE SERRANO ACCOUNTED FOR. ERIC GALT REGISTERED AT ST. FRANCIS  
HOTEL, FIVE FIVE THREE THREE HOLLYWOOD BOULEVARD, LOS ANGELES  
JANUARY TWENTY ONE, SIXTY EIGHT, LEFT MARCH SEVENTEEN, SIXTY  
EIGHT, AND RESIDED ROOM FOUR NAUGHT THREE AT RENT OF EIGHTY  
EIGHTY DOLLARS PER MONTH. LEDGERS REFLECT TWO PAYMENTS MADE,  
EIGHTY FIVE DOLLARS EACH, MARKED PAID IN CASH. AT TIME OF  
DEPARTURE LEFT FORM CARD OF U. S. POST OFFICE FOR FORWARDING  
HIS MAIL TO GENERAL DELIVERY, MAIN POST OFFICE, ATLANTA, GEORGIA,  
UNTIL APRIL TWENTY FIVE, SIXTY EIGHT. NO INSTRUCTIONS LEFT  
WHAT TO DO WITH ANY MAIL SUBSEQUENT TO THAT DATE. BUSINESS  
CARD LOCATED IN FOLD OF REGISTRATION CARD WHICH HOTEL EMPLOYEES  
CANNOT ACCOUNT FOR. CARD IS FOR STANLEY HOTEL, ONE SEVEN FIVE FIVE  
NORTH WILCOX AVENUE, LOS ANGELES, AND BEARS INK NOTATION ROOM  
TWO TWO ONE. ROOM HAS BEEN OCCUPIED BY OTHERS ALMOST  
CONTINUOUSLY SINCE DEPARTURE. NO PROPERTY WAS LEFT BEHIND  
AT TIME OF DEPARTURE. LOCATION OF HOTEL IS NEAR ROMPAGE  
HARDWARE AND HOME SERVICE LAUNDRY AND DRY CLEANING. ATLANTA  
ADVISED TELEPHONICALLY OF FORWARDING ADDRESS.

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INVESTIGATION CONTINUING AT ST. FRANCIS HOTEL, AND  
ALL-OUT EFFORT BEING MADE TO DETERMINE SIGNIFICANCE OF STANLEY  
HOTEL BUSINESS CARD. NO CAR WAS OBSERVED BY HOTEL EMPLOYEES,  
NOR DID GALT APPLY FOR A PARKING PERMIT ON HOTEL PARKING LOT.

ALL PHASES OF INVESTIGATION AT LOS ANGELES PROCEEDING  
TO FURTHER IDENTIFY AND LOCATE GALT. BUREAU AND INTERESTED  
OFFICES WILL BE KEPT DV ADVISED.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : SAC, BIRMINGHAM (44-1740) (P)

DATE: 4/13/68

FROM : SA HENRY A. SNOW

SUBJECT: MURKIN  
CR  
(OO: MEMPHIS)

On 4/8/68, Rev. HASTY KIM YOW, JR., a Negro resident of Bessemer, Alabama, at 3326 10th Avenue, North, phone 428-0617, telephonically contacted the Birmingham Office at 8:40 A.M., and reported as follows:

A few minutes prior to his call, he had been standing in front of the Bright Star Cafe on 19th Street in Bessemer when he noticed a yellow cab from Birmingham discharge a passenger who was carrying a blue suitcase and who shook hands with several white men standing in front of the cafe. He stated that he believed the profile of that individual resembled the artist sketch which had originated from Memphis of the unknown subject depicting a rather long nose. He stated that he followed the unknown white male from the Bright Star Cafe a distance of several blocks to his apparent residence at 1903 Berkley Avenue, Bessemer, which appeared to be a residence converted into four apartments.

A short time later, interview was had with WARREN A. SIMMONS, 1903 Berkley Avenue, which is the left downstairs apartment, in the presence of his wife, CORA J. SIMMONS. The above individual was eliminated as a possible suspect from personal observation during interview and related that his father, JAMES MARION SIMMONS, had died at Miami, Oklahoma, on 3/31/68 and that he had traveled to Miami, Oklahoma, for the funeral, having left Birmingham at 6:00 P.M., 4/1/68, by Trailway Bus and had returned to the Greyhound Bus station at Birmingham at 7:30 A.M., on the date of interview, 4/8/68. He was not aware until arrival

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at Birmingham that the Birmingham Transit buses were on strike so it was necessary for him to obtain the services of a Yellow Cab to take him to Bessemer, Alabama, where he got out of the cab at the Bright Star Cafe and walked to his residence. The following descriptive data was obtained during interview:

Name	WARREN A. SIMMONS
Age	40
Height	6'1"
Weight	145 lbs.
Build	Tall, slender
Hair	Brown, normal haircut
Eyes	Blue
Marital status	Married
Children	3
Occupation	Medical vacation from Pullman Standard Company plant, Bessemer, Alabama. He normally works as a welder.

Mr. SIMMONS produced the memorial listing services at the funeral of his father in Miami, Oklahoma, during the pertinent period.

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# Memorandum

TO : SAC, BIRMINGHAM (44-1740) (P)

DATE: 4/13/68

FROM : SA JOHN F. JANSEN

SUBJECT: MURKIN  
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On 4/13/68, Postal Inspector HUGH EDGERTON, Federal Building, Birmingham, made available United States Post Office Firm mailing sheets and correspondence of ERIC S. GALT. EDGERTON advised that the receipts for items #6712586 and 6712968 have not yet been located but that attempts will be made to do so. EDGERTON advised that these items are the property of United States Postal Inspector FRANK C. FREYER, Chicago, and that contact with FREYER should be made through Postal Inspector M. J. MC GEE or his Deputy in Chicago.

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DATE: 4/13/68

FROM : SA CLARENCE E. WRIGHT

SUBJECT: MURKIN  
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## ADMINISTRATIVE PAGE - INFORMANTS

On 4/4/68, BH 216-R was contacted regarding the shooting of MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR., and he stated he had no information about the Klan being involved in this matter and did not think that any Klansman would do this as this would tend to hurt the Klan and southerners in general. He stated that he thought ROBERT M. SHELTON was in town; however, he was not positive.

On 4/5/68, BH 418-R advised that he was in West Monroe, Louisiana, attending a Klavern meeting at 7:30 P.M., on 4/4/68. He returned to Tuscaloosa, Alabama, early on 4/5/68. He stated that he thought ROBERT M. SHELTON and MELVIN SEXTON were in Tuscaloosa on 4/4/68; however, he would check and advise later.

On 4/8/68, BH 418-R advised that he had discreetly inquired and that ROBERT M. SHELTON and MELVIN SEXTON both advised that they were in Tuscaloosa all day on 4/4/68. He stated that there was no indication that the Klan knew anything about the shooting and no information available that anyone had contacted the National Office for any kind of help. He advised that SHELTON indicated that he thought the shooting was the worse thing that could have happened as far as the Klan and southerners were concerned. //

On 4/8/68, BH 423-R advised that ROBERT M. SHELTON was with him working in the Klan Press Office

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most of the day on 4/4/68. He stated that SHELTON was with him from about 10:00 AM to about 6:00 PM. MELVIN SEXTON was in Tuscaloosa on 4/4/68 and BH 423-R saw him about 6:00 PM at the National Office on 4/4/68. They both appeared very shocked at the news that KING was shot and stated that they felt it was a very bad thing for the Klan.

On 4/5/68, BH 236-R was contacted and he advised that he had no information about the Klan being involved in the shooting of MARTIN LUTHER KING.

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127PM URGENT 4-13-68 KAM

TO DIRECTOR, MEMPHIS, BIRMINGHAM

FROM KANSAS CITY(44-760) P 1P

MURKIN. OO ME.

RE BIRMINGHAM TEL APRIL TWELVE LAST AND KANSAS CITY TEL APRIL TWELVE LAST.

HOWARD M. GALT, CHANUTE, KANSAS, ADVISED ONLY KNOWN RELATIVES IN CALIFORNIA ARE SISTERS, RUTH GALT, SAN FRANCISCO; MRS. JAMES (CORINNE) KEGEL, SAN MATEO AS SET OUT RE KANSAS CITY TEL. GALT ADVISED COUSIN RALPH GALT, INSTRUCTOR UNIVERSITY OF ALABAMA AT BIRMINGHAM IS ACTIVE IN CIVIL RIGHTS MOVEMENT AND RALPH'S SON REPORTEDLY SERVING PRISON SENTENCE AS CONSCIENTIOUS OBJECTOR.

BIRMINGHAM INTERVIEW RALPH GALT RE POSITIVE WHEREABOUTS ERIC STARVO GALT.

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TO: DIRECTOR /44-38861/

ATLANTA

BIRMINGHAM /44-1740/

MEMPHIS /44-1987/

CHICAGO

FROM: LOUISVILLE /44-947/

MURKIN. OO:MEMPHIS.

RE BU AIRTEL APRIL TWELVE, LAST, NO COPY CHICAGO, AND  
BUCALL TO LOUISVILLE EVENING, APRIL TWELVE.

FOR INFO CHICAGO, AS RESULT SEARCH OF SUSPECT  
MUSTANG LOCATED APRIL ELEVEN, LAST, IN ATLANTA, CERTAIN  
ITEMS LOCATED WHICH MAY FURNISH BASIS FOR PRODUCTIVE LEADS.  
ITEMS INCLUDE TWO TICKETS STAPLED TOGETHER, ONE RED AND  
ONE GREEN, THAT APPEAR TO BE LAUNDRY OR DRYCLEANING TICKETS.  
PRINTED THEREON - RED TICKET - "PRINTED IN USA, PATENT  
PENDING, "FOUR" ON TOP AND "FOUR FIVE NINE ONE" ON BOTTOM  
AND ON THE GREEN TICKET, "FLAG - TAGS" - STRY-LENKOFF CO.  
LOUISVILLE, KY. FT. THIRTYFIVE, PRINTED IN U.S.A."

MRS. RITA S. BERMAN, VICE PRESIDENT-TREASURER, STRY-  
LENKOFF COMPANY, LOUISVILLE, AND SHARON ELLIOT, OF STRY-  
LENKOFF, ADVISES PORTION OF GREEN TAG MARKED "FLAG-TAGS"  
STRY-LENKOFF COMPANY, ETC. IS MANUFACTURED BY THEIR COMPANY.

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THIS IS A SPECIAL ATTENTION TAG USED FOR DRYCLEANING AND ORIGINAL TAG IS FIVE INCHES LONG AND ONE INCH WIDE. THIS TAG IS PRINTED ON WET STRENGTH TAG STOCK PAPER, TRADE NAME PERMOFIBER, AND MANUFACTURED IN TEN DIFFERENT COLORS. SAMPLES OF THIS TAG AND COLORS USED FURNISHED FBI, LOUISVILLE.

MRS. BERMAN ADVISES THEY ARE INTERNATIONAL DISTRIBUTORS OF THIS TAG AND SELL THROUGH OVER FIVE HUNDRED UNITED STATES DISTRIBUTORS INCLUDING THE ARMED FORCES AND ALSO SELL DIRECT TO AN UNKNOWN NUMBER OF OTHER CUSTOMERS. MRS. BERMAN ADVISES SHE WILL COMPILE A MAILING LIST OF ALL HER DISTRIBUTORS AND OTHER CUSTOMERS, HOWEVER, THIS CANNOT BE DONE BEFORE MONDAY, APRIL FIFTEEN, NEXT.

THE RED TAG BEARING NUMERALS FOUR OVER FOUR FIVE NINE ONE IS NOT MANUFACTURED BY STRY-LENKOFF BUT IS MANUFACTURED BY IDENTIFICATION INCORPORATED , TWO TWENTYSEVEN SOUTH SEELEY AVENUE, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS. NUMERALS ON RED TAG COULD MEAN AS FOLLOWS: THE NUMERAL FOUR COULD BE CONSIDERED A MAJOR NUMBER AND COULD POSSIBLY MEAN A LOT NUMBER OR A STORE

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NUMBER IF CHAIN STORE IS INVOLVED. THE SERIES FOUR FIVE NINE ONE COULD MEAN AS FOLLOWS: NUMBERS FOUR FIVE NINE WOULD RELATE TO A PARTICULAR SERIES FOR A GIVEN DAY OR PERIOD OF TIME AND THE NEXT DIGIT, ONE, COULD MEAN ONE ARTICLE RECEIVED. STRY-LENKOFF IS NOT ABLE TO BE MORE SPECIFIC REGARDING THESE NUMBERS ON RED TAG. ELLIOT ADVISES THAT WHEN ARTICLE OF CLOTHING RECEIVED THIS RED TAG CALLED A ONE TEAR TAG, WOULD BE AFFIXED TO ARTICLE OF CLOTHING ALONG WITH STRY-LENKOFF SPECIAL ATTENTION TAG, WHICH SHOWS SPECIAL HANDLING SUCH AS REPAIR, ETC. ANOTHER DUPLICATE PORTION OF RED TAG WOULD BE AFFIXED TO INVOICE CONCERNING ARTICLE OF CLOTHING. AFTER CLOTHING PROCESSED IT WOULD THEN BE MATCHED WITH THE DUPLICATE RED TAG APPEARING ON INVOICE. THE RECEIPT AND DUPLICATE RED CARD SHOULD BE MAINTAINED BY THE LAUNDRY. THIS RED TAG IS FOR DRYCLEANING.

ELLIOT ADVISES IT WOULD NOT BE UNCOMMON FOR THE STRY-LENKOFF TAG TO BE USED WITH THE RED TAG.

CHICAGO AT CHICAGO. CONTACT IDENTIFICATION INCORPORATED

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TO DETERMINE CUSTOMERS OF IDENTIFICATION INCORPORATED AND  
SIGNIFICANCE OF RED TAG AND NUMBERS.

AIRTEL FOLLOWS ENCLOSING SAMPLES OF STRY-LENKOFF TAG  
TO BUREAU AND ENCLOSING PHOTOGRAPH OF TWO  
TAGS FOUND IN MUSTANG TO CHICAGO, AS FURNISHED BY REAIRTEL.  
SUSPECT ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

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324PM URGENT 4-13-68 MS

TO DIRECTOR (44-38861) BIRMINGHAM, MEMPHIS (44-1987) LOS ANGELES  
AND SACRAMENTO (100-427)  
FROM SAN FRANCISCO (173-65) 2P (P)

MURKIN

RE BUREAU AND KANSAS CITY TELS APRIL TWELVE LAST.

NO RECORD OF ARREST LOCATED FOR ERIC STARVO GALT AT  
SAN JOSE PD, SANTA CLARA PD AND SO, OAKLAND PD AND ALAMEDA COUNTY  
SO AND SAN LEANDRO PD.

FOR INFO SACRAMENTO, HARVEY EDWARD LOHMEYER WHEN INTERVIEWED  
AT SANTA CLARA, CALIF., ON APRIL TWELVE LAST, ADMITTED SERVING  
PRISON TERMS AT SAN QUENTIN AND SOLEDAD.

MISS RUTH GALT, ONE THREE SEVEN FIVE GREEN ST., SAN FRANCISCO,  
ADVISED HER FAMILY NAME IS OF SCOTCH ORIGIN. SHE STATED SHE HAS  
KEPT TRACK OF HER FAMILY GENEALOGY AND DOES NOT KNOW OF ANY  
RELATIVE WITH THE NAME ERIC STARVO GALT.

MRS. JAMES KEGEL, NEE GALT, INTERVIEWED AND COULD FURNISH  
NO INFORMATION RE SUSPECT GALT. SHE ADVISED SHE HAS COUSIN CLARENCE  
GALT RESIDING ROUTE ONE, BOX ONE ONE EIGHT, CARPINTERIA, CALIFORNIA.  
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OTHER PERSONS NAMED GALT, GAULT LOCATED TO DATE IN SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION CAN ACCOUNT FOR THEIR WHEREABOUTS DURING PERTINENT PERIODS AND COULD FURNISH NO INFORMATION RE SUSPECT GALT.

SACRAMENTO, IF NOT ALREADY DONE, WILL CHECK DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS AT PLACES WHERE LOHMEYER KNOWN TO HAVE BEEN ARRESTED AND INCARCERATED IN AN ATTEMPT TO DETERMINE WHETHER ANY RECORD FOR SUSPECT GALT WAS INMATE AT SAME TIME AS LOHMEYER.

LOS ANGELES, AT CARPINTERIA, IF NOT ALREADY DONE SO, CONTACT CLARENCE GALT.

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FBI LOS ANG.

3:37PM URGENT 4-13-68 JXT

TO DIRECTOR, MEMPHIS, TAMPA, BIRMINGHAM  
FROM LOS ANGELES (42-31444) (P)

JAMES LEE KIDDER, AFSN ONE NINE FOUR  
FIVE THREE THREE TWO TWO, FUDE. OO: LOS ANGELES.  
BUFILE FORTY-TWO DASH TWO ZERO FIVE ONE NINE TWO.

RE BUTEL APRIL TWELVE LAST CAPTIONED "MURKIN" RE SUSPECT  
JAMES KIDDER.

KIDDER ABOI MAY SEVENTEEN SIXTY-SIX FROM GRAND FORKS  
AIR FORCE BASE, NORTH DAKOTA AND DROPPED AS DESERTER JUNE  
FIFTEEN SIXTY-SIX. DESCRIBED AS WHITE MALE, DOB [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] TULARE, CALIFORNIA, FIVE FEET NINE  
INCHES, ONE THIRTY-EIGHT POUNDS, BLUE EYES, BROWN HAIR,  
SCAR ON BRIDGE OF NOSE, SOCIAL SECURITY NO. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] SELECTIVE SERVICE  
NO. [REDACTED]

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TO SAC BIRMINGHAM (44-1740)  
FROM SAC, MOBILE (157-2627)

MURKIN. CR. OO MEMPHIS.

RE ALBANY TEL TO BUREAU, ET AL. APRIL TWELVE LAST.

MR. W. R. PFASSMAN, LILLY - WHITE LAUNDRY, DEMOPOLIS,  
ALA. FARMS OUT CUSTOMERS LAUNDRY FOR CLEANING BY NORTHINGTON  
CLEANERS, TUSCALOOSA, ALA. WHICH HE ADDED USES THERMO -  
SEAL LAUNDRY TAPE. HE SUGGESTED MRS. BURGIN OF NORTHINGTON,  
TELEPHONE SEVEN FIVE SIX DASH FIVE FIVE FOUR SIX BE  
CONTACTED FOR FURTHER DETAILS. PFASSMAN USES NO THERMO -  
SEAL LAUNDRY TAPE.

SUGGEST BIRMINGHAM INCLUDE THIS INTERVIEW WITH  
OTHERS CONDUCTED WITH LAUNDRY PROPRIETORS AT BIRMINGHAM  
REQUESTED IN RETEL. NO INSERT BEING SUBMITTED BY MOBILE.

AIRMAIL COPIES BEING DESIGNATED FOR MEMPHIS. PENDING.

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FBI TAMPA

459PM URGENT 4-13-68 BLW

TO DIRECTOR, BIRMINGHAM, LOS ANGELES, MEMPHIS AND ST. LOUIS  
FROM TAMPA (157-3231) 2P

MURKIN, OO ME.

RE TAMPA TEL TO BUREAU APRIL TWELVE LAST AND MIAMI TEL  
TO BUREAU APRIL TWELVE LAST.

WARREN MILTON GALT, FIVE SIX ZERO SEVEN GULF DRIVE, HOLMES  
BEACH, FLA. REINTERVIEWED THIS DATE AND ADVISED FATHER, CLARENCE  
GALT DECEASED. FATHER HAD ONLY TWO BROTHERS NAMES UNKNOWN WHO  
DIED IN INFANCY. HAD BROTHERS LIVED WOULD BE SIXTY FIVE AND  
SEVENTY YEARS OLD, FATHER WOULD BE SIXTY SEVEN. FATHER HAS NO  
LIVING BROTHERS AND HAD NO SISTERS. MOTHER HAD ONLY ONE BROTHER,  
CLAUDE SNEED, ONE ZERO ZERO ONE THREE CLAIRMONT DRIVE, ST. LOUIS, MO.

WARREN HAS ONLY TWO STEPSONS, JOHN DUPUREUR, THIRTY THREE  
YEARS OLD, EMPLOYED BY UNKNOWN BRIDGE PAINTING CONTRACTOR, LINTON,  
IOWA AND ALLEN DUPUREUR, TWENTY FOUR YEARS EMPLOYED AMERICAN  
INSURANCE CO., ST. LOUIS, MO. RESIDES TWO THREE ONE ONE GARDNER  
DRIVE, ST. LOUIS.

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WARREN HAS ONLY ONE BROTHER, HOMER GALT, DOB [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] ST. LOUIS, MO. HOMER MARRIED TWICE IN

ST. LOUIS IN NINETEEN FORTY FOUR DIVORCED SAME YEAR. REMARRIED  
NINETEEN FORTY SIX OR FORTY SEVEN TO NELLIE, MAIDEN NAME UN-  
KNOWN BUT PREVIOUSLY MARRIED. NO CHILDREN TO KNOWLEDGE AND  
UNKNOWN IF STILL MARRIED. LAST KNOWN RESIDING LOS ANGELES.  
UNCLE, CLAUDE SNEED, ST. LOUIS, MAY KNOW LOCATION OF HOMER.

OTHER RELATIVES OF WARREN ARE CHARLES GALT, RESIDES ON  
WASHINGTON AVE., ST. LOUIS, MO., WHO HAS SON, STEWART GALT,  
ADDRESS UNKNOWN; AND MARTIN GALT, ADDRESS UNKNOWN, FERGUSON,  
MO., WHO HAS SON, MARTIN, JR., ADDRESS UNKNOWN.

WARREN FORMERLY EMPLOYED AMERICAN CAR AND FOUNDRY CO.,  
ST. LOUIS, MO., NOV. SIXTY FIVE TO SEPT. SIXTY SEVEN WHEN  
MOVED TO FLA.

ABOVE NAMES ONLY GALT KNOWN TO WARREN AND ERIC STARVO  
GALT UNKNOWN TO WARREN GALT.

SUGGEST ST. LOUIS CONTACT CLAUDE SNEED FOR LOCATION OF  
HOMER GALT.

LEADS TO CONTACT OTHER MEMBERS OF WARREN GALT FAMILY  
BEING LEFT TO DISCRETION OF ST. LOUIS.

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TO: DIRECTOR (BY MAIL)  
ATLANTA (44-2386)  
MEMPHIS (44-1987)  
LOS ANGELES (44-1574)  
BIRMINGHAM  
FROM: SACRAMENTO (100-427)

MURKIN.

RE: ATLANTA TELETYPE APRIL THIRTEEN,  
SIXTY EIGHT.

FOR INFORMATION OF LOS ANGELES, ATLANTA  
TELETYPE SET OUT AS FOLLOWS:

DL BUREAU REFLECTS ONE JOHN DOUGLAS GALT,  
W/M, BORN [REDACTED] CALIF. DL NO. R DASH  
EIGHT SEVEN SIX EIGHT FIVE, ARRESTED ATLANTA POLICE  
DEPARTMENT NOV. NINETEEN AND DEC. SEVEN SIXTY, ON  
TRAFFIC CHARGES. GALT WAS CONVICTED ATLANTA TRAFFIC  
COURT. CALIF. DL WAS PICKED UP BY APD AND TURNED OVER  
TO GEORGIA STATE PATROL, WHICH AGENCY SUBSEQUENTLY  
MAILED THE DL TO CALIF. AUTHORITIES.

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INVESTIGATION REFLECTS GALT REPORTEDLY CAME TO ATLANTA NOV. SIXTY SIX FROM CALIF. TO WORK FOR AN UN IDENTIFIED SUB CONTRACTOR. THIS SUB CONTRACTOR HAD A CONTRACT WITH LOCKHEED AIRCRAFT FOR THE MANUFACTURE OF PLASTIC TOOLS. RECORDS, LOCKHEED AIRCRAFT NEGATIVE RE JOHN DOUGLAS GALT AS CHECKED TO DATE.

SACRAMENTO SECURE COPY OF CALIF. DL R DASH EIGHT SEVEN SIX EIGHT FIVE AND ANY BACKGROUND AND DESCRIPTIVE DATA OBTAINED IN DL FILES RE JOHN DOUGLAS GALT. SUTEL ATLANTA AND MEMPHIS.

AM SENT BUREAU. P.

MARY PRICE, CALIFORNIA DMV, DDL, ADVISED APRIL THIRTEEN, SIXTY EIGHT, THAT CALIFORNIA DRIVER'S LICENSE NO R EIGHT SEVEN SIX EIGHT FIVE ISSUED JULY FIFTEEN, SIXTY SIX AT BELLFLOWER, CALIF. TO JOHN DOUGLAS GALT, SIX SEVEN EIGHT SEVEN GARDENIA, LONG BEACH, CALIF.

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DESCRIBED AS WHITE, MALE, BORN [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] FIVE FEET TEN INCHES, ONE FIFTY FIVE LBS.,  
BROWN HAIR AND BLUE EYES. THIS LICENSE WAS  
SURRENDERED BY GALT TO THE STATE OF GEORGIA AND  
SENT TO DMV, CALIFORNIA, AS A RESULT OF CONVICTION  
NOVEMBER TWENTY ONE, SIXTY SIX OF GALT., IN GEORGIA  
FOR IMPROPER TURN AND CHASING AT EIGHTY FIVE MPH  
IN A THIRTY FIVE MPH ZONE. LICENSE WAS SUSPENDED

LICENSE IS STILL IN THE DMV IN SACRAMENTO  
AND WAS NEVER RETURNED TO GALT.

DMV RECORDS REVEALED THE FOLLOWING TRAFFIC  
VIOLATION CONVICTIONS IN CALIFORNIA:  
SEPTEMBER TEN, SIXTY FIVE, SECTION TWO ONE FOUR FIVE  
THREE DASH A, LONG BEACH.  
NOVEMBER TWENTY TWO, SIXTY FIVE, SECTION TWO FOUR SIX  
ZERO THREE, HUNTINGTON BEACH.



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MARCH FOURTEEN, SIXTY SIX, SECTION TWO TWO THREE FIVE ZERO  
(SPEED), COMPTON.

MARCH THIRTY ONE, SIXTY SIX, SECTION TWO ONE FOUR FIVE  
SEVEN (A) COMPTON.

MAY TWENTY THREE, SIXTY SIX, SECTION TWO ONE SIX FIVE  
EIGHT (A) COMPTON.

JUNE FIFTEEN, SIXTY SIX SECTION TWO TWO THREE FIVE ZERO  
HUNTINGTON BEACH.

JUNE SEVENTEEN SIXTY SIX, SECTION TWO TWO THREE FIVE  
ZERO, LONG BEACH.

GALT CALLED FOR HEARING SEPTEMBER THIRTEEN,  
SIXTY SIX, BY LONG BEACH, DMV AT WHICH TIME RECORD  
REVIEWED AND PLACED ON NEGLIGENT DRIVER PROBATION,  
EFFECTIVE SEPTEMBER TWENTY FIVE SIXTY SIX.

SUBSEQUENT CONVICTION WAS RECORDED  
OCTOBER THIRTEEN, SIXTY SIX, FOR SECTION TWO SEVEN  
ONE FIVE ZERO LONG BEACH, CALIF. AT WHICH TIME OF

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HEARING SEPTEMBER THIRTEEN, SIXTY SIX GALT GAVE  
OCCUPATION AS PLASTIC TOOL MAKER, AIR CRAFT  
ENGINEERING CORPORATION, ONE FIVE FIVE FIVE FIVE  
MINNESOTA STREET, PARAMOUNT, CALIFORNIA.

SACRAMENTO WILL SECURE COPIES OF  
DRIVER'S LICENSE WITH PHOTO AND WILL FORWARD  
TO ATLANTA.

LOS ANGELES DEVELOP BACKGROUND RE  
JOHN DOUGLAS GALT THROUGH REVIEW OF RECORDS AIRCRAFT  
ENGINEERING CORPORATION, ONE FIVE FIVE FIVE FIVE MINNESOTA  
STREET, PARAMOUNT, CALIF. AND THROUGH LOGICAL  
LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES, AND SUTEL ATLANTA  
AND MEMPHIS.

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LAST SENTENCE IN PARA. ONE SHD READ:

LICENSE WAS SUSPENDED BY GEORGIA COURT FOR ONE  
HUNDRED EIGHT DAYS.

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