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TO DIRECTOR, MEMPHIS, CHICAGO, CLEVELAND, DENVER, LOS ANGELES SAM FRANCISCO. SEATTLE. AND LOUISVILLE

FROM BIRMINGHAM 44-1740

MUPKIN.

EPIC STARVO GALT. TWO SIM ZERO EIGHT HIGHLAND AVENUE SOUTH,
BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA, DEVELOPED AS POSSIBLE SUSPECT THIS CASE.

GALT WHITE MALE, DOB _______, ONWER OF NINETEEN
SIMTYSIM MUSTAME, NINETEEN SIXTYSEVEN ALABAMA LICENSE ONE A EIGHT
EIGHT THREE FIVE FOUR, NINETEEN SIXTYEIGHT ALABAMA REGISTRATION
ONE DASH THREE EIGHT NINE NINE THREE.

RECEIVING OFFICES IMMEDIATELY CONTACT CREDIT CARD OFFICES
TO DETERMINE WHETHER GALT HAS A STANDARD OIL COMPANY CREDIT CARD
AND, IF SO, DETERMINE PURCHASES MADE BY HIM FROM MARCH ONE,
NINETEEN SIXTYEIGHT. TO DATE. ADDRESSES LISTED BELOW:

CHICAGO. STANDARD OIL DIVISION OF AMERICAN GIL COMPANY, CENTRAL CREDIT CARD OFFICE, ONE SIX FIVE NORTH CANAL STREET,

CHICAGO. ILLIMOIS.

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CLEVELAND. STANDARD OIL COMPANY OF OHIO, MIDLAND BUILDING, CLEVELAND, OHIG.

DENVER. CHEVRON SERVICES, POST OFFICE BOX FIVE NINE MINE, DENVER, COLORADO.

LOS ANGELES. STANDAPD OIL COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA, POST OFFICE BOX SEVEN FIVE NINE THREE, SANFORD STATION, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO. STANDARD OIL COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA,
WESTERM OPERATIONS CORPORATION, POST OFFICE BOX THREE FIVE SIX
FIVE, RINCON ANNEX, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA.

SEATTLE. STAUDARD OIL COMPANY, POST OFFICE BOX TWO TWO ZERO, SEATTLE, WASHINGTON.

LOUISVILLE. STANDARD OIL COMPANY OF KENTUCKY, E.P. CENTER, POST OFFICE BOX EIGHTEEN SIX ZERO, LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY.

INDIVIDUAL TO CONTACT IS MR. F. D. GLAZE. GLAZE SHOULD BE REQUESTED TO CONTACT FOUR DIVISIONS UNDER HIS JURISDICTION, ATLANTA, JACKSON, LOUISVILLE, AND JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA.

LOUISVILLE LEAD TELEPHONICALLYFURNISHED DUE TO SEOGRAPHICAL AREA COVERED.

ALL OFFICES IMMEDIATELY SUTEL.

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TO DIRECTOR MEMPHIS BUTTE CHICAGO DETROIT LOS ANGELES (INFO)

PHILADELPHIA PITTSBURGH AND LOUISVILLE

FROM NEW YORK 44-1609 3P

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RE BIRMINGHAM TEL TO BUREAU APPIL SEVEN LAST: MEMPHIS TEL TO ALL SASC APRIL SEVEN LAST AND NEW YORK TEL TO DIRECTOR APRIL EIGHT LST.

WHEN PURCHASING RIFLE IN BIRMINGHAM AND NAME JOHN WILLARD IN REGISTRATION AT MEMPHIS. BIRMINGHAM REQUESTED NEW YORK OFFICE TO CONTACT AMERICAN EXPRESS CO. TO DETERMINE IF EITHER NAME APPEARED AS CREDIT CARD HOLDERS AND THEREAFTER SET OUT APPROPRIATE LEADS TO ELIMINATE OR IDENTIFY AS UNSUB THIS CASE.

REVIEW OF AMERICAN EXPRESS RECORDS AT NEW YORK REVEAL NO

CREDIT CARD FOR HARVEY LOWMEYER OR VARIATIONS OF NAME.

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RECORDS REFLECT THE FOLLOWING AMERICAN EXPRESS ACCOUNTS UNDER THE NAME JOHN WILLARD:

JOHN A. WILLARD, JR., EMPLOYED WITH MONTANA RR ASSOCIATION, BOX ONE ONE SEVEN TWO, HELENA, MONTANA.

JOHN THE WILLARD, AGE TWENTY EIGHT IN NINETHEN SIXTY FIVE, RESIDES AT FOUR FOUR ZERO SEVEN TWO MORTH BEACH, APARTMENT D, LANCASTER, CALIFORNIA, TELEPHONE NUMBER OF THE FOUR THREE EIGHT AS OF NINETHEN SIXTY FIVE, AT WHICH TIME ME WAS DESCRIBED AS BEING SINGLE. PRIOR TO THIS DATE HE WAS FIRST LIEUTENANT AT EDWARDS AIR FORCE BASE, CALIFORNIA, FOR THREE YEARS. BANK REFERENCES REFLECT HE HAS A BANK ACCOUNT AT THE COMMERCIAL MATIONAL BANK, SHPEVERORT, LA, AND HAS A BANK ACCOUNT AT AMERICAN BANK AND TRUST CO., PLANK ROAD, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

JOHN F. WILLARD, EIGHT ONE FIVE SOUTHERN ROAD, YORK, PA., TELEPHONE NUMBER EIGHT FOUR THREE - SEVEN FIVE THREE FOUR.

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JOHN H. WILLARD, IVY HILL, HARLAN, KENTUCKY.

JOHN K. WILLARD, LAKE GROVE ROAD, PETOSKEY, MICHIGAN, TELEPHONE MUMBER DI SEVEN - THREE 7ERO ONE FOUR.

JOHN RODERICK WILLARD, ONE ZERO TWO WINE PARKVIEW AVE.,
NEW KENSINGTON, PA., TELEPHONE NUMBER ED FIVE - SIX SEVEN NINE TWO.

JOHN WILLIAM WILLARD, SP., FIVE TWO TWO FOUR DAVIS STREET, SKOKIE, ILLINOZE, TELEPHONE NUMBER OR FIVE - FIVE FIVE FOUR TWO.

ALL OFFICES CONDUCT APPROPRIATE INVESTIGATION TO ELIMINATE OR IDENTIFY PERSONS WHO ARE AMERICAN EXPRESS CREDIT CARD HOLDERS USING THE NAME OF WILLARD.

FOR INFO OF LOS ANGELES, JOHN DEE WILLARD APPEARS TO BE IDENTICAL WITH JOHN D. WILLARD, JR., SET OUT IN RE TEL DATEDAPRIL EIGHT LAST AND IF SO, SHOULD NOT BE REINTERVIEWED.

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ATTN: LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

FROM: SAC, CHICAGO (44-1114)

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CHARLES RAY HOOVER, WHITE MALE, FIVE FOOT ELEVEN,
ONE HUNDRED FIFTY FIVE POUNDS, BROWN HAIR, BLUE-GREEN EYES,
SLENDER BUILD, RUDDY COMPLEXION, BORN

, AT HARTFORD, KENTUCKY, SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER
, ARRESTED

APRIL SEVEN LAST BY CHICAGO PD AS VAGRANT. AT TIME OF ARREST,

APRIL SEVEN LAST BY CHICAGO PD AS VAGRANT. AT TIME OF ARREST,
SUBJECT HAD ON PERSON A CARTRIDGE SHELL CASE MARKED "TWO FOUR
FOUR REM". BECAUSE OF DESCRIPTION POSSESSION OF SHELL CASE
SUBJECT'S FINGERPRINTS SHOULD BE COMPARED TO THE LATENTS
IN THIS MATTER. SUBJECT CLAIMED TO BE KOREAN VETERAN.

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TO CHICAGO

FROM MINNEAPOLIS (157-450) 1P

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BY TELETYPE DATED APRIL EIGHT, LAST, THE BUREAU REQUESTED MINNESPOLIS OFFICE TO CHICK INDICES AND IDENTIFY ALL KLAN MEMBERS, MINUTEMEN, OTHER MATE GROUP MEMBERS, RABBLE ROUSERS, AND ANY OTHER INDIVIDUALS KNOWN TO HAVE VIOLENT PROCLIVITIES LOCATED WITHIN THE MINNEAPOLIS DIVISION AND TO ASCERTAIN THE WHEREABOUTS DURING PERTINENT PERIODS WHICH ARE MARCH TWENTY-EIGHT, THIRTY, AND APRIL FOUR, LAST.

RICHARD A. LANDKAMER, FORMERLY OF EIGHT SIX NINE

FOURTH A VENUE SOUTHWEST, FARIBAULT, MINNESOTA, HAS BEEN

DESCRIBED BY SOUPCES OF MINNEAPOLIS OFFICE AS RIGHT WING

EXTREMIST. IN RECENT PAST, HE HAS MOVED TO ONE FIVE FIVE

NORTH PINE AVENUE, APAPTMENT FIVE ONE FIVE, CHICAGO, AND IS

ALLEGED TO BE CURPENTLY EMPLOYED AS A PROGRAMER FOR ST.LUKES

HOSPITAL.

CHICAGO, ACCOUNT FOR LANDKAMER'S WHEREABOUTS ON MARCH

TWENTY-EIGHT, THIRTY, AND APRIL FOUR, LAST.

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TO CHICAGO

FROM MEMPHIS 44-1987 2 P

MURKIN.

ON APRIL THREEE LAST JOHN SCOTT CANDRIAN, WHITE MALE BORN

AT CHICAGO, ILL., MADE APPLICATION

FOR TOURIST CARD AT MEXICAN CONSULATE, MEMPHIS, TENN., AND WAS

I SSUED TOURIST CARD #

SAME

DATE, NOTING EXPECTED ENTRANCE DATE INTO MEXICO AS APRIL

THIRTEEN, NEXT.

CANDRIAN IS A STUDENT AT MEMPHIS STATE UNIVERSITY MEMPHIS, AND LISTS HOME ADDRESS AS ONE THREE THREE NINE WESTERN AVE., CHICAGO, TELEPHONE THREE NINE SIX- FIVE ZERO SIX ONE. CANDRIAN NOT AVAILABLE MEMPHIS AS UNIVERSITY CURRENTLY ON SPRING VACATION.

WORLDWIDE PUBLICITY HAS BEEN ATTACHED TO ALLEGED INVESTIGATION
BEING CONDUCTED TO LOCATE CANDRIAN IN MEXICO AS A SUSPECT
BASED ON INFO FURNISHED TO PRESS BY MEXICAN CONSULATE, MEMPHIS.
ALTHOUGH IT IS NOT BELIEVED CANDRIAN IS IDENTICAL WITH UNSUB,
IT IS BELIEVED HE SHOULD BE LOCATED AND ELIMINATED DUE TO

THIS PUBLICITY.

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CHICAGO LOCATE CANDRIAN AND ELIMINATE AS SUSPECT. IF
CANDRIAN NOTA AVAILABLE, OBTAIN PHOTO OF HIM AND FORWARD
MEMPHIS, OR IF HE HAS BEEEN FINGERPRINTED, REQUEST IDENTIFICATION
DIVISION TO COMPARE HIS PRINTS WITH LATENTS DEVELOPED ON
EVIDENCE SUBMITTED BY MEMPHIS.

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FROM:

SAC, CHICAGO (44-1114)

MURKIN.

RE BIRMINGHAM TELETYPE TO DIRECTOR, MEMPHIS, CHICAGO, CLEVELAND, DENVER, LOS ANGELES, SAN FRANCISCO, SEATTLE AND LOUISVILLE APRIL NINE INSTANT.

CURT HESTER, SUPERVISOR OF INVESTIGATIONS, STANDARD OIL, DIVISION OF AMERICAN OIL COMPANY, CENTRAL CREDIT CARD OFFICE, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS, UNABLE TO LOCATE CREDIT CARD IDENTIFIABLE WITH ERIC STARVO GALT BASED ON INFORMATION FURNISHED.

CHICAGO INDICES NEGATIVE GALT.

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TO ALL CONTINENTAL OFFICES

FROM DIRECTOR 44-37661 2P

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AMONG ARTICLES RECOVERED AT SCENE OF SHOOTING,

APPARENTLY ARANDONED BYUNSUB, WERE A PAIR OF BROWNISH

CHECKERED PRINT UNDERSHORTS AND WHITE JOCKEY TEE SHIRT

BEARING CLOTY LAUNDRY TAGS. THESE TAGS WERE MADE BY A

THERMO SEAL MARKING MACHINE MANUFACTURED BY THE TEXTILE

MARKING MACHINE COMPANY, SYRACUSE, NEW YORK. THESE TAGS

ARE OME QUARTER INCH WIDE AND ONE AND OME SIXTEENTH

INCH LONG, RED IN COLOR AND BEAR MARKING WHICH APPEARS

TO BE "O THOB CASH SIX" OR "D TWOB DASH SIX." ONLYA

PORTION OF THE FIRST CHARACTER IS PRESENT ON EACH TAG,

AND THIS CHARACTER IS GUT ON A SLIGHT BIAS. NO OTHER

VISIBLE LAUNDRY MARKS WERE FOUND ON EITHER GARMENT.

IMMEDIATE CHECKS OF LOGICAL LAUNDRIES SUGGESTED BY TEXTILE MARKING COMPANY HAVE TO DATE BEEN UNPRODUCTIVE.

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UPON RECEIPT, ALL OFFICES SHOULD IMMEDIATELY TELEPHONICALLY CONTACT ALL LAUNDRIES IN YOUR DIVISIONS TO IDENTIFY LAUNDRY USING THIS CODE AND THESE TAGS AND PURSUE LOGICAL LEADS DEVELOPED.

IF PERTINENT LAUNDRY IDENTIFIED, IMMEDIATELY ADVISE
BUREAU MELEPHONICAULY.

THIS MUST BE GIVEN TOP PRIORITY HANDLING TO INSURE THAT THESE CHECKS ARE IMMEDIATELY RUN OUT.

UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES SHOULD ANYONE BE TOLD THIS INVESTIGATION IS IN COMMECTION WITH CAPTIONED MATTER.

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SAC, MEMPHIS (44-1987)

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SAC, CHICAGO (44-1114)

MURKIN.

RE MEMPHIS TELETYPE TO CHICAGO INSTANT.

RE JOHN SCOTT CANDRIAN.

ONE THREE THREE NINE SOUTH WESTERN AVENUE, CHICAGO, NON-EXISTENT. INVESTIGATION CONDUCTED AT ONE THREE THREE NINE NORTH WESTERN AVENUE, CHICAGO, DID NOT DEVELOP ANYONE BY ABOVE NAME LIVING AT THAT ADDRESS NOR ANYONE OF COLLEGE AGE ATTENDING COLLEGE MEMPHIS. NEIGHBORHOOD PUERTO RICAN.

CHICAGO INDICES AND BUREAU OF RECORDS AND COMMUNICATIONS, CHICAGO PD, NEGATIVE RE CANDRIAN.

TELEPHONE THREE NINE SIX-FIVE ZERO SIX ONE NOT CHICAGO NUMBER. PREFIX THREE NINE SIX LOCATED NORTH ANTIOCH, WISCONSIN. INQUIRY LONG DISTANCE OPERATOR REVEALS NO LISTING FOR CANDRIAN THAT TOWN.

SUGGEST MEMPHIS CONTACT APPROPRIATE INDIVIDUALS AT

MEMPHIS STATE UNIVERSITY AND OBTAIN HOME ADDRESS AND OTHER

BACKGROUND INFO RE CANDRIAN SO THAT CHICAGO CAN CONDUCT

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TO CHICAGO 44-1114 MEMPHIS 44-1987

FROM DIRECTOR 44-38861 1P

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RE CHICAGO TELETYPE APRIL NINE.

LATENT FINGERPRINTS THIS CASE NOT IDENTICAL

C HARLES RAY HOOVER, BORN

HARTFORD, KENTUCKY, FBI NUMBER NINE FIVE SIX FOUR NINE
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FROM: SAC, CHICAGO (44-1114)

MURKIN.

RE BUREAU TEL TO ALL CONTINENTAL OFFICES AND CHICAGO
TEL TO DIRECTOR, ET AL, BOTH APRIL EIGHT LAST.

RE HARVEY LOWMEYER OR LOWMYER, THE FOLLOWING CONTACTS
MADE WITHOUT OBTAINING ANY ADDITIONAL INFO RE CAPTIONED

TOTAL:

INDIVIDUAL:**

ALL MAJOR PDS AND CREDIT BUREAUS IN TEREITORY. UNLISTED
TELEPHONE NUMBERS ILLINOUS BELL TELEPHONE, CHICAGO, ALL PHONE
DIRECTORIES IN TERRITORY, ALL RECORDS CHICAGO CRIME COMMISSION,
AND ALL RECORDS ILLINOIS BOARD OF PAROLE, CHICAGO.

RECORDS OF UTILITY COMPANIES AND VOTOR REGISTRATION LISTS NOT MAINTAINED SO THAT NAME CHECKS COULD BE CONDUCTED.

ALL VARIATIONS OF SURNAME ALSO CHECKED, SAME RESULTS.

ALL BOMBING SUSPECTS APPROPRIATELY ELIMINATED.

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TO MEMPHIS AND CHICAGO

FROM ATLANTA (44-23-6)

MURKIN, CR.

RE MEMPHIS TELETYPE APPIL BIGHT SIXTYBIGHT AND ATLANTA

TELETYPE TO MEMPHIS APPIL MINE SIXTYBIGHT.

SUSPECT JESSE WINLARD EDWARDS NOT EMPLOYED BY WILLIAMS
CONSTRUCTION COMPANY SINCE DECEMBER SIXTYFIVE. EMPLOYMENT
RECORDS REFLECT EDWARDS' SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER AS

PECCEDS REFLECT

EDVARDS PIVORCED FROM PATRICIA KELLY EDWARDS MARCH TEN SIXTY
FIVE. "DWARDS' SIGTER, MRS. JAMES R. KELLY, RESIDES AT EDWARDS WEIGHT

RESIDENCE, EIRMT ZERO FIVE THIRTIETH STREET, COLUMBUS, GA.,

AND ON INTERVIEW APRIL HIME SIXTYEIGHT STATED HER DROTHER, JESSE FALLER MILLARD EDWARDS, IS PRESENTLY MORKING AS A SEAMAN FOR UNKNOWN

SHIPPING COMPANY SINCE JUNE SIXTYSEVEN. SHE RECEIVED A CALL FROM

HIM ABOUT A MONTH AGO FROM CORPUS CHRISTI, TEXIAS. AT THAT THREE AND DROW

HE SAID HE WAS GOING TO SEA IN A FEW DAYS AND THE SHIP WAS SOING TO AFRICA. HE SAID HE MOULD CALL HER WHEN HE GOT BACK IN ABOUT STATES.

TO AFRICA. HE SAID HE MOULD CALL HER WHEN HE GOT BACK IN ABOUT STATES.

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OR MIGHT WEEKS. SHE FOES NOT KNOW THE HOME PORT OR OFFICE OF SHIPPING COMPANY, OP ANY INDENTIFYING NUMBER FOR EDWARDS.

MRS. KELLY MADE AVAILABLE A SNAPSHOT OF EDWARDS TAKEN IN
JAMUARY SIXTYFOUR AND ADDED THAT EDWARDS AT PRESENT LOOKS MUCH
OLDER THEN THE SNAPSHOT SHOWS. HIS HAIR IS ALL WHITE AND HAIR
LINE HAS RECEDED ALL THE WAY BACK ON HIS HEAD. THE SNAPSHOT IS
BEING FORWARDED MEMPHIS BY MAIL. MRS. KELLY STATED HER BROTHER
WALKS WITH NOTICEABLE LIMP. MRS. KELLY STATED HER BROTHER IS AN
AVIB HUNTER AND OWNS SEVERAL RIFLES AND SHOTGUMS WHICH HE CLEANED
AND PACKED AND PUT ANAY IN THE ATTIC BEFORE HE LEFT TO GOT TO
SEA IN JUNE SINTYZEVEN. THEY MAVE NOT BEEN TOUCHED SINCE.

PS. KELLY STATED SHE DOES NOT HAVE THE ADDRESS OF EDWARDS.

FORMER VIEW BUT SAID THE WIFE USES THE NAME OF PATRICIA KELLY

EDWARDS AND HAS AN APARTMENT IN CHICARC. HER THREE YEAR OLD.

SON IS WITH HER AND SHE IS SUPPOSED TO BE WORKING BUT EMPLOYER

UNKNOWN.

OF APRIL MIME SIXTYEIGHT MRS. LOUISE SMEAD, GEORGIA
DRIVERS LICENSE BUREAU, ADVISED GEOPGIA DRIVERS LICENSE NUMBER
MIME MIME SIX FIVE SEVEN SIX WAS ISSUED MARCH SIXTEEN FORTYFIVE
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TO JESSE WILLARD EDVARDS, FIGHT ZERO FIVE THIRTIETH STREET,

COLUMBUS, GA., THEN EMPLOYED U.S. MERCHANT MARINE. THIS LICENSE

REMEMED SEPTEMBER FIVE SINTYTHTER MAICH WILL EXPIRE JULY EIGHTEEN

SIXTMETERT. AT TIME OF RENEWAL SAME ADDRESS AS ABOVE FURNISHED.

EDWARDS TESCRIDED AS MAITE MALE, BORN

BLUE MYES, BROWN MAIR, ONE MUMDRED SEVENTY FIVE LBS., FIVE FEET

MINE INCHES. MRIVERS LICENSE BUREAU RECORDS REFLECT ON

FEBRUARY IMENTIFIVE MIFTYMEVEN EDWARDS WAS FINED INENTYTHO DOLLARS

AND FIFTY CEMTS FOR SPEEDING BY OPDIMARY'S COURT, FAYETTEVILLE,

GA. MO FURTHER DETAILS.

ON APRIL MINE SIXTYEIGHT MRS. LORETTA BROOKS, GEORGIA

MOTOR VEHICLE BUREAU, ADVISED ONE MINE SIXTYFIVE GEORGIA

LICENSE FOUR R THREE FOUR EIGHT ZERO ISSUED MARCH TWENTYFIVE

SIXTYFIVE TO J.W. EDWARDS, EIGHT ZERO FIVE THIRTIETH STREET,

COLUMBUS, GA., FOR MINETERN SIXTYFOUR WILLIS. ATLANTA INDICES

NEGATIVE RE EDWARDS.

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FBI WASH IC 953AM URGENT 4-10-68 SAA TO ALL CONTINENTAL OFFICES FROM DIRECTOR 44-33761 1P

MURKIN OO: MENBHIS.

RE: SUSPECT ERIC STARVO GALT

IMMEDIATELY CHECK YOUR INDICIES, ALL STATE SELECTIVE SERVICE HEADQUARTERS. CITY AND TELEPHONE DIRECTORIES. DRIVERS LICENSE BUYEAUS, MOTOR VENICLE DIVISIONS, FINANCIAL. INSTITUTIONS. CONDUCT CREDIT AND CRIMINAL CHECK AND CONTACT OTHER LOGICAL SOURCES TO OBTAIN ANY INFORMATION WHATSOEVER RE SUSPECT GALT. DRIVERS LICENSE ISSUED IN ALABAMA DESCRIBES GALT AS WHITE MALE, BORN

FIVE FEET ILEVEN INCHES, ONE HUNDRED SEVENTY-FIVE POURDS. BLUE EYES, DROWN HAIR.

THIS MUST BE GIVEN TOP PRIORITY AND ALL LEADS MUST BE COVERED BY TELETYPE TO THOROUGHLY RESOLVE. NO INDICATION TO BE GIVEN THAT THIS LEAD IS IN CONJUNCTION WITH MURKIN CASE.

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TO:

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REBUTEL ALL CONTINENTAL OFFICES APRIL NINE SIXTY EIGHT.

DIRECTOR (44-38861), AND SACs MEMPHIS (44-1987)

LAUNDRY MARK INQUIRY CHICAGO INDICATES TAPE USED IN

THERMO SEAL MARKING MACHINE MANUFACTURED BY TEXTILE MARKING

MACHINE COMPANY, SYRACUSE, NEW YORK, AND DISTRIBUTED

BY LIMITED NUMBER OF COMPANIES IN COUNTRY. DISTRIBUTORS

MAINTAIN INVENTORIES BY COLOR OF TAPE AND CAN FURNISH

NAMES OF LAUNDRIES ONE QUARTER INCH RED TAPE SOLD TO IN

PAST. TO FACILITATE INQUIRY, ALBANY AT SYRACUSE OBTAIN

FROM TEXTILE LIST OF DISTRIBUTORS OF ONE QUARTER INCH TAPE

AND ADVISE PERTINENT OFFICES.

ARMED TO FORWARD PHOTOS OF TAPE TO

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TO DIRECTOR, CHICAGO, CLEVELAND, JACKSONVILLE, LOS ANGELES,

MEMPHIS, NEW YORK, RICHMOND, SAN FRANCISCO

FROM KANSAS CITY 44-750 4P

MURKIN

REBUTEL TO ALL CONTINENTAL OFFICES, APRIL NINE LAST.

ALVIE A. DAVIS, MIDWEST FACTORY REPRESENTATIVE FOR THERMO SEAL MARKING MACHINE CO., SYRACUSE, N.Y., ADVISED THIS DATE THAT THE TAPE DESCRIBED IN REFERENCED TELETYPE WOULD HAVE HAD TO COME FROM A FIVE-CHARACTER THERMO SEAL MACHINE WHICH IS GRADUALLY BEING REPLACED BY A SIM-CHARACTER WACHINE. HE ADVISED THAT THE COLOR OF THE TAPE AND THE CHARACTERS ON THE TAPE WOULD MEAN NOTHING TO AUYOME EXCEPT THE ONE WHO PRODUCED THE TAPE.

TAVIS MADE AVAILABLE A LIST OF LAUNDRIES WHICH STILL USE THE FIVE-CHARACTER MACHINE IN HIS DIVISION, AND LEADS TO CONTACT TYPESE LAUNDRIES ARE BEING SET OUT SEPARATELY BY

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DAVIS ALSO ADVISED THAT THE FOLLOWING INDIVIDUALS REPRESENT
THERMO SEAL IN THEIR PARTS OF THE COUNTRY, AND RECEIVING OFFICES
SHOULD CONTACT THE INDIVIDUALS IN THEIR DIVISIONS TO
OBTAIN LISTS OF LAUNDRIES WHICH USE THE FIVE-CHARACTER THERMO SEAL
MACHINE AND SET OUT LEANDS TO HAVE THESE LAUNDRIES CONTACTED:

WEST COAST:

FRED RAUPACH, ONE EIGHT FOUR ZERO NINE HIAWATHA, NORTHRIDGE, CALIF., TELEPHONE EM THREE DASH EIGHT NINE SIX THREE.

KENNETH ALBERT, ONE THREE FIVE FOUR FIVE CLOSE ST.,
WHITTIER. CALIF.. TELEPHONE WH ONE - ZERO EIGHT EIGHT ZERO.

HOWARD HAMALIAN, TWO ZERO EIGHT SEVEN VALLEY GREEN DR., APT. SEVEN SIX, CUPERTINO, CALIF., TELEPHONE TWO FIVE THREE-EIGHT THREE THREE EIGHT.

JOHN POPP, PORTLAND, ORE., ADDRESS UNKNOWN, BUT STATED HE WAS A PREACHER.

NORTH CENTRAL:

PETER WUKOVICH, SEVEN FIVE SIX HAWTHORNE, ELMHURST, ILL.,

ELEPHONE BR NINE-SIX ONE FOUR ONE.

JACK CODY, LIVES OUTSIDE OF CLEVELAND, ADDRESS UNKNOWN, HOWEVER, WUKOVICH WOULD KNOW. IT IS NOTED THAT IT IS JACK CODY WHO COVERS TENN.

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PAUL COMPS, SIX THREE TWO TWO KAYMOOD DR., FALLS CHURCH, VA., TELEPHONE HU ONE-MINE THREE TWO TWO (COMBS RECENTLY DECEASED AND BROTHER, MAME UNKNOWN, NOW BUNNING BUSINESS.)

SOUTH:

AVE.. GAINESVILLE, FLA., TELEPHONE FR TWO-ONE TWO MINE ZERO.

MACHINE COULD HAVE BEEN SOLD BY A CUSTOMER TO ANOTHER LAUNDRY, HOWEVER, MIS COMPANY OFFERS A VERY MIGH TRADEIN ALLOWANCE IN THE PURCHASE OF ANOTHER MACHINE, AND HE CONSIDERS IT UNLIKELY ANY SUCH MACHINE IS IN EXISTENCE. HE IS SURE MONE EXISTS IN HIS DIVISION AND IN VIEW OF THE FACT THAT ALL FIVE-CHARACTEP MACHINES TRADED IN IN THE LAST THREE YEARS MAVE BEEN RECONDITIONED AND RESOLD AS SIN-CHARACTER MACHINES.

CHICAGO IMMEDIATELY ADVISE CLEVELAND THE WHEREABOUTS OF JACK CODY.

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IF PERTIMENT LAUNDRY IDENTIFIED, IMMEDIATELY ADVISE BUREAU TELEPHONICALLY.

THIS MUST BE GIVEN TOP PRIORITY HANDLING TO INSURE THAT THESE CHECKS ARE IMMEDIATEMALY RUN OUT.

UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES SHOULD ANYONE BE TOLD THIS INVESTIGATION IS IN CONNECTION WITH CAPTIONED MATTER.

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FROM: SAC, CHICAGO (44-1114)

MURKIN.

RE NEW YORK TELETYPE TO BUREAU, ETAL, APRIL NINE LAST.

RE JOHN WILLARD LEADS

ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

JOHN WILLIAM WILLARD, SR., SKOKIE, ILLINOIS, HAS BEEN REGIONAL DIRECTOR, WASHINGTON NATIONAL INSURANCE COMPANY, FOR TWENTY FIVE YEARS, IS A WHITE MALE IN MID FIFTIES. ELIMINATED BY DESCRIPTION AND REPUTATION. HIS SON RESIDES TWO TWO ZERO NINE NORTH REDWOOD DRIVE, ANNAHEIM, CALIFORNIA. EMPLOYMENT UNKNOWN, DOES NOT HAVE AMEXCO CREDIT CARD. LOS ANGELES CONDUCT APPROPRIATE INVESTIGATION TO ELIMINATE.

44-1114-41

Approved:

Memorandum

ro : SAC, CHICAGO (44-1114)

DATE: 4/10/68

SA RENE J. DUMAINE

SUBJECT: MURKIN

(OO: MEMPHIS)

SUMMARY INFO

The following information was obtained from the Memphis Division and is not to be discussed outside the Bureau. Any investigation conducted re suspect ERIC STARVO GALT should be discreet and on a confidential basis.

KING was shot at 6:00 p.m. on April 4, 1968, from the back window of a flop house overlooking KING's motel. The murderer evidently left the flop house through the front entrance and while going to his car saw an unidentified Sheriff's Deputy running down the street with his gun drawn. It is surmised that this is the reason that the murderer dropped the box containing the rifle which was wrapped in a bedspread and his suitcase by a small business establishment.

The owner of the establishment heard the thud of the box being dropped went out to the street, looked both ways, and saw no one. At this point, a white car pulled away from the curb and drove off at a fairly high rate of speed. One of the colored persons in the establishment stated that the car was a Mustang. In addition, sometime around 5:30 p.m., a man and wife parked their car on the same street directly behind a car identified as a white Mustang. This vehicle bore red and white license plates but the witness is not sure as to whether it was red numerals with white background or vice versa. It is noted that Alabama plates are red and white.

In the suitcase dropped with the box containing the rifle were a pair of brownish-checkered undershorts and a white jockey T-shirt bearing cloth laundry tags. The tags are made by a thermo seal marking machine manufactured by the Textile Marking Machine Company, Syracuse, New York.

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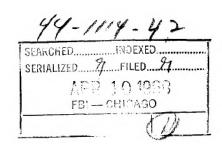
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These tags are one quarter inch wide and one and one sixteenth inch long, red in color and bear marking which appears to be "02B-6" or "D2B-6". Only a portion of the first character is present on each tag, and this character is cut on a slight bias. No other visible laundry marks were found on either garment. This office and other offices are in the process of attempting to trace instant tag.

Further investigation by Birmingham Division has developed that on March 29, 1968, a man using the name HARVEY LOWMEYER or LOWMYER purchased a Marlin rifle. He returned the next day, March 30, 1968, made some comment that he was not satisfied with the Marlin rifle, and traded it in for a .30-06 Remington rifle. The composite description at the end of this memo is based upon the salesman's impressions as well as other witnesses in Memphis. The Identification Division has indicated that there are identifiable latent prints on the rifle and on the Redfield scope plus a binocular case which might have been found in the motel room. This fact is not known but the case does tie in to the murderer. There is also pālm prints for comparison purposes.

ERIC STARVO GALT is the prime suspect at the moment because he answers the general physical description of the murderer plus the following:

Memphis determined that GALT was registered in the Rebel Motel, Memphis, Tennessee, and checked out on April 4, He was driving a white Mustang with Alabama plates. Birmingham further developed that he lived in the rooming house in Birmingham, Alabama, from September 1 to December 1, 1967. The Mustang was bought from a private individual and was paid for with \$1900.00 cash. GALT did not test drive the vehicle saying that he had no driver's license but that he would According to Memphis, GALT is a complete 'mystery obtain one. man" and they are attemptint to concentrate efforts to develop background information concerning him. Birmingham did develop that GALT resided at 2608 Highland Avenue South, Birmingham, and was the owner of a 1966 Mustang bearing 1967 Alabama license 1A88354. Further check shows 1968 Alabama registration as 1-38993.

CG 44-1114 GALT is described from driver's license info as a white male, DOB , height 5'11", weight 175 pounds, blue eyes, brown hair. The composite description of the unknown subject in this case is white male, 26-40 (however believed to be closer to 30), height 5'8"-5'11", weight 150-170 pounds, dark brown hair (combed straight back without part), eyes light, probably blue or green, build medium, complexion smooth, gives the impression of being very clean cut and neat appearing. At time of murder, he was wearing a dark suit, white shirt and necktie. No cigarette butts were found in the rented room. Rifle was right-handed leading to the assumption that the subject is also right-handed. In all teletypes relating to the laundry tag investigation and investigation surrounding GALT, the Bureau has stated that under no circumstances should anyone be told these investigations are in connection with MURKIN. UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES SHOULD THIS INFORMATION BE DISSEMINATED OUTSIDE THE BUREAU. AGENTS SHOULD BE CAUTIONED TO USE EXTREME CAUTION WHEN CONDUCTING INVESTIGATION TO MAKE CERTAIN THAT INQUIRY CONCERNING SUSPECTS IS IN NO WAY CONNECTED WITH THIS INVESTIGATION. THESE MEMORANDA ARE BEING CHARGED TO EACH INDIVIDUAL AND MUST BE RETURNED TO THE ASAC WHEN THEY SERVE NO FURTHER PURPOSE. - 3 -2025 RELEASE UNDER E.O. 14176

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RE MEMPHIS TEL APRIL NINE LAST REQUESTING INVESTIGATION

RE JOHN SCOTT CANDRIAN.

RECORDS, MEMPHIS STATE UNIVERSITY, MEMPHIS, TENN., REVEAL CANDRÍAN'S FATHER AS BEING WILLIAM J. CANDRIAN WITH RESIDENCE ADDRESS ONE THREE THREE NINE COURTLAND, PARK RIDGE, ILL.

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TO DIRECTOR, MEMPHIS, NEW YORK, PHILADELPHIA, ATLANTA,

DALLAS, SAN FRANCISCO, LOS ANGELES, CHICAGO AND ST. LOUIS.

FROM CLEVELAND (44-565) 2P

NURKIN. 00: MEMPHIS.

RE SUSPECT ERIC STARVO GALT.

RE BUREAU TEL TO ALL CONTINENTAL OFFICES APRIL TEN INSTANT.

RAY HOSSHART, FORMER BUAGENT, ARSON AND FRAUD DIVISION,

AMERICAN INSURANCE ASSOCIATION, (AIS), VILLIAMSON BLDG.,

CLEVELAND, ONIO CONTACTED RE CAPTIONED SUSPECT, IT BEING NOTED

AIS MAINTAINS REGIONAL NAME INDEX BUREAUS THROUGHOUT THE U.S.

OF ALL TYPES INSURANCE CLAIMS, PERSONAL INJURY AND OTHERWISE.

MOSSHART ADVISED CV INDEX BUREAU INDICES NEGATIVE RE GALT

BUT NOTED THE CLEVELAND FILES COVER A FIVE STATE AREA ONLY.

HE NOTED ADDITIONAL REGIONAL OFFICES ARE LOCATED IN ATLANTA,

CHIGAGO, DALLAS, LOS ANGELES, PHILADELPHIA, SAN FRANCISCO,

GENERALLY, RECORDS OF ABOVE OFFICES ARE AVAILABLE ONLY
TO INSURANCE PEOPLE AND ATTORNEYS, BUT IN VIEW OF COOPERATIVE
ATTITUDE ON PART OF REGIONAL CLEVELAND OFFICE, IT IS SUGGESTED
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BUREAU ALSO LOCATED AT NEW YORK CITY.

ST. LOUIS AND NEW YORK CITY WITH EXECUTIVE OFFICES AND A FOREIGN

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RECEIVING OFFICES TACTFULLY ATTEMPT TO CHECK SUSPECT'S MANE THROUGH THESE INDEX BUREAUS.

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601 PH INGENT 4-10-68 GDS TO DIRECTOR, CHICAGO AND MEMPHIS FROM CLEVELAND (44-565) 1P

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PE KANSAS CITY TEL TO BUREAU, ET AL, APRIL TEN, SIXTYEIGHT.

JACK CODY RESIDES TWO NINE TWO NINE CHAUCER DR., NORTH

CANTON, CHIO, TELEPHONE FOUR NINE TWO DASH SIX FOUR NINE

SEVEN. CONTACT WITH NEIGHBORS REFLECTS CODY PRESENTLY VISITING

WIFE'S RELATIVES, CHICAGO, ILL., WHOSE NAME AND ADDRESS UNKNOWN,

AND WILL NOT RETURN UNTIL APRIL FIFTEEN, SIXTYEIGHT.

CHICAGO IS REQUESTED TO ASCERTAIN THROUGH PETER WUKOVICH LOCATION OF CODY AT WIFE'S RELATIVES, IF POSSIBLE, AND OBTAIN ALL POSSIBLE INFORMATION.

AIR MAIL COPY TO BIRNINGHAM.

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RE KANSAS CITY TELETYPE DATED APRIL TEN INSTANT.

LAUNDRY TAGS. PETER WUKOVICH, ELMHURST, ILLINOIS, ADVISED JACK CODY VISITING IN CHICAGO. CONTACT WITH MRS. JACK CODY INDICATES CODY TRAVELING ON BUSINESS, EXPECTED TO RETURN TO CHICAGO TONIGHT OR EARLY APRIL ELEVEN, AT WHICH TIME WILL CONTACT CHICAGO OFFICE AND FURNISH LIST OF LAUNDRYS USING IN HIS FIVE-CHARACTER THERMO SEAL MACHINES PERATERRITORY. CHICAGO WILL FURNISH LIST TO CLEVELAND WHEN AVAILABLE.

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ERIC STARVO EALT, TWO SIX ZERO EIGHT HIGHLAND AVENUE SOUTH, BIRHINGHAN, ALABAMA, REGISTERED OWNER OF WHITE NINETEEN SIXTYSIX MUSTANG. VIN SIX T ZERO SEVEN C ONE NINE ZERO SIX FOUR SEVEN. BEARING NINETEEN SIXTYEIGHT ALABAMA LICENSE ONE - THREE EIGHT NINE NINE THREE. IS PRIME SUSPECT IN THIS CASE.

ALL OFFICES CHECK ABOVE VIN FOR POSSIBLE RE-REGISTRATION. NO INDICATION TO BE GIVEN THAT THIS LEAD IS IN CONJUNCTION

WITH MURKIN CASE.

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FROM MEMPHIS (44-1987) 6P

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SUSPECT ERIC MALT, WHITE HALE, DOB

FIVE FEET ELEVEN INCHES, ONE SEVEN FIVE
POUNDS, BLUE EYES, BROWN HAIR, REPORTEDLY A BARGE OR RIVER
BOAT MAN, HAD RESIDED TWO SIX ZERO EIGHT HIGHLAND AVENUE,
BIRWINGHA, LAST FALL. SUSPECT STAYED REBEL MOTEL, HIGHWAY
SEVENTY-ONE, MEMPHIS, ARRIVING SEVEN FIFTEEN PM, APRIL
THREE, LAST, DEPARTED APPROXIMATELY NOON, APRIL FOUR, LAST,
VIVING WHITE MUSTANG, NINETEEN SIXTY-EIGHT ALABAMA LICENSE
ONE - THREE EIGHT NINE NINE THREE. OTHERS REGISTERED AT
MOTEL IN ADJACENT ROOM WERE ANDY GAST, ROUTE SIX, FREMONT,
ONIO; WILLIAH HESTER, ONE ZERO NINE FOREST AVENUE, TROY,
ALABAMA. FOLLOWING SUSPECT'S DEPARTURE ROOM THIRTY-FOUR
L. N. PAGE, ONE TWO EIGHT TWO ABBE ROAD, SHEFFIELD, OHIO,
OCCUPIED SAME, ROOM THIRTY-FOUR, EIGHT THIRTY PN FOR APRIL

FOUR, LAST.

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SUSPECT CLAIMED EMPLOYMENT INGALLS SHIPYARD, PASCAGOULA, MISSISSIPPI, BUT RECORDS REFLECT OWLY INEZ COVART GALT, WHITE FEMALE, AGE TWENTY-FIVE - THIRTY, EMPLOYED AUGUST TWENTY-ONE - SEPTEMBER SEVEN, MINETEEN FORTY-FOUR, SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER

SUSPECT DEPARTED HIGHLAND ADDRESS ABOUT DECEMBER L, LAST,
FOR NEW JOB ON BARGE OR TWOBOAT AT MOBILE. WHILE RESIDING
BOARDING HOUSE LAST FALL RECEIVED PACKAGE FROM CHICAGO
RETURNED BY HIM TO THE MAIL ORDER HOUSE UNOPENED. SUSPECT
REPORTEDLY OBTAINED DUPLICATE ALABAMA BRIVER'S LICENSE
MARCH ONE, LAST, CLAIMING LOUISIANA DRIVER'S LICENSE EXPIRED
MINETEEN SIXTY-TWO. USCG HEADQUARTERS HAS NO PORT SECURITY
CARD OR MERCHANT MARINE Z CARD ON GALT. UNSUB ABANDONED
CERTAIN TRADE ARTICLES AFTER SHOOTING OF KING ON APRIL FOUR,
LAST. ONE ARTICLE IS A BAR OF CASHMERE BOUQUET SOAP, A
WRAPPER OF FRIENDSHIP INNS, NAME OF MOTEL OR TOWN NOT
LISTED.

ATLANTA CONTACT EARL FUOSS, REGIONAL INSPECTOR, SE END PAGE TWO PAGE THREE

REGION, IRS, TO LOCATE PAST INCOME TAX RETURNS EARL GALT WINETEEN SIXTY TO PRESENT.

AT LAGRANGE, GEORGIA CONTACT TOWN AND COUNTRY MOTEL, FRIENDSHIP INNS' AFFILIATE, AND CHECK RECORDS OF GUESTS OF MARCH TWENTY TO APRIL THREE, LAST, UNDER THE NAMES JOHN WILLARD, HARVEY LOWMEYER, AND SUSPECT GALT. NOTE SUSPECT GALT DRIVING ABOVE BESCRIBED MUSTANG WITH ALABAMA LICENSE.

AT MARIETTA, GEORGIA: WILL AT THE TRAVELERS HAVEN
MOTEL CONDUCT SAME INVESTIGATION
AT PERRY, GEORGIA, WILL AT THE COLONIAL MANOR
MOTEL CONDUCT SAME INVESTIGATION.

AT BALTINGRE, THROUGH BALTINORE SOURCE FOUR DETERMINE CURRENT INFORMATION ON INEZ COVART GALT.

AT BIRMINGHA, WILL IMMEDIATELY FORWARD COMPOSITE SUSPECT TO OFFICES RECEIVING THIS COMMUNICATION.

AT CHICAGO, CONTACT SEARS AND ROEBUCK, MONTGOMERY
WARD, SPEIGELS AND ALDENS FOR CUSTOM OR MAIL ORDER RECORD
OF PACKAGE DIRECTED TO GALT AT BIRMINGHAM TO DEVELOP BACKGROUND
INFORMATION.

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CLEVELAND AT FREMONT, INTERVIEW ANDY GAST, ROUTE SIX, RE KNOWLEDGE AND CONTACT WITH SUSPECT.

AT SHEFFIELD, OHIO, INTERVIEW L. N. PAGE, ONE TWO EIGHT TWO ABBE ROAD RE ANY OBJECTS LEFT IN ROOM BY SUSPECT FORNER OCCUPANT, REBEL MOTEL, AS WELL AS KNOWLEDGE OF SUSPECTS.

JACKSON AT COLUMBUS, CONTACT COLUMBUS MOTEL WILL CONDUCT SAME INVESTIGATION AS REQUESTED OF ATLANTA.

AT JACKSON, WILL AT THE FOLLOWING NOTELS CHDUCT SAME INVESTIGATION AS THAT REQUESTED AT ATLANTA:

COLUMBUS - COLUMBUS MOTEL

CORINTH - SOUTHERN MOTEL

GREENVILLE - GILHARA MOTOR HOTEL.

GREENWOOD - NAAMAN'S NOTEL

HATTIESBURG - DUNAS MOTEL

TUPELO - TOWNHOUSE MOTEL

WEST POINT - MARSHALL MOTEL

MOBILE AT PIGEON FORGE, WILL AT THE VACATION LODGE MOTEL CONDUCT SAME INVESTIGATION AS REQUESTED OF ATLANTA.

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LOUISVILLE AT PADUCAH, REVIEW NATIONAL MERITIME UNION AND ILA RECORDS FOR INFORMATION RE SUSPECT GALT WORKING ABOARD BARGES OR RIVER BOATS.

MOBILE AT TROY, INTERVIEW WILLIAM HESTER, ONE ZERO NINE FOREST AVENUE, RE KNOWLEDGE AND CONTACT WITH SUSPECT AT REBEL NOTEL.

AT MOBILE, WILL CONTACT ALL BARGE AND RIVER BOAT COMPANIES
TO LOCATE EMPLOYMENT RECORD AND BACKGROUND INFORMATION
OF SUSPECT GALT WHO MAY NOT BE A UNION MEMBER.

WILL CONTACT LOGICAL SEAMAN'S BOARDING HOUSES FOR RECORD OF SUSPECT.

NEW ORLEANS AT BATON ROUGE, REVIEW MOTOR VEHICLE RECORDS

NINETEEN SIX ONE - SIX-TWO TO LOCATE DRIVERS LICENSE AND BACKGROUND

OF SUSPECT GALT.

ST. LOUIS, WILL CONTACT SIU AND NMU UNION HALLS FOR RECORD OF SUSPECT GALT.

WILL ALSO CONTACT EAGLE BOAT AND FUEL, ECONOMY BOAT STORE, ORY BROTHERS MARINE, ST. LOUIS FUEL AND SUPPLY AND WAYNE VAHLLE, INC., RE PAST EMPLOYMENT OF SUSPECT GALT. END PAGE FIVE

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AT SAVANNAH, RE CONTACT SAVANNAH MOTOR LODGE AND CONDUCT

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TO DIRECTOR AND CHICAGO FROM WASHINGTON FIELD 2P

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GOETZ OERTEL EMPLOYED NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION, FOUR ZERO ZERO MARYLAND AVENUE, S.V., ROOM FIVE ZERO ONE SEVEN (TELEPHONE CODE THIRTEEN - TWO ZERO ONE FIVE SEVEN), WASHINGTON, D. C., ADVISED APRIL TEN INSTANT AS FOLLOWS:

OERTEL IN CHICAGO APRIL THREE LAST AND TOOK CAB WHEREIN BRIVER MADE STATEMENT TO EFFECT THAT KING WOULD BE KILLED AND BY A WHITE NAM. CAB COMPANY AND DRIVER'S NAMES UNKNOWN. GERTEL ENTERED CAB AT SHERMAN HOTEL WEDNESDAY, APRIL THREE LAST, AT ABOUT EIGHT THIRTY AM AND WAS DRIVEN TO ILLINGIS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY ON THIRTYFIFTH STREET (VEST END) ARRIVING AT ABOUT EIGHT FIFTYEIGHT AM.

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OERTEL DESCRIBED DRIVER AS WHITE MALE, POSSIBLYHAVING A POLISH NAME, MEDIUM BUILD, AGE IN FIFTIES, HAGGARD FACE, LONG SHARP NOSE, VERBOSE AND FANATICAL TALKER. NO DESCRIPTION OF CAB.

OERTEL ADVISES BELIEVES CAN IDENTIFY DRIVER BY PHOTOGRAPH. CHICAGO HANDLE.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI AND SACS MEMPHIS (44-1987)
INDIANAPOLIS
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FROM: SAC, CHICAGO (44-1114)

MURKIN.

REBUTEL ALL CONTINENTAL OFFICES APRIL NINE, SIXTY EIGHT.

LAUNDRY MARKS. ROBERT DE LASHMIT, VICE PRESIDENT,
CARMAN CONLEY COMPANY, CHICAGO, DISTRIBUTOR, THERMO SEAL
MARKING TAPE, ADVISED FOLLOWING LAUNDRIES OUTSIDE CHICAGO
OFFICE TERRITORY PURCHASED RED TAPE DURING LAST YEAR:
NEW WAY LAUNDRY AND CLEANERS, NINE ONE SEVEN WEST JEFFERSON,
GARY, INDIANA; DRAPERS UNLIMITED, FOUR FOUR ZERO STEWART
AVENUE, KALAMAZOO, MICHIGAN; CAPITOL LAUNDRY, TWO ZERO ZERO
ZERO SAGINAW, LANSING, MICHIGAN; SANITARY LAUNDRY, ONE FOUR
ZERO ZERO EAST GRAND RIVER, LANSING, MICHIGAN; GUNDERSON
LAUNDRY, FOUR ONE MAIN STREET, MENASHA, WISCONSIN;

INDIANAPOLIS, DETROIT AND MILWAUKEE CONTACT LAUNDRIES
YOUR AREAS RE LAUNDRY MARK SET OUT IN REBUTEL.

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TO: MEMPHIS (44-1987); BIRNINGHAM (44-1740); CHICAGO SPRINGFIELD

FROM: ST. LOUIS (44-775)

MURKIN, CR. OO: MEMPHIS.

RE: SUSPECT ERIC STARVO GALT.

REBUTEL ALL CONTINENTAL OFFICES, APRIL TEN, LAST.

GALT CLAIMED EMPLOYMENT AS "BARGER" OUT OF ST. LOUIS.

CHECK RECORDS FOLLOWING BARGE LINES YOUR DIVISION TO DETERMINE PRESENT OR PAST EMPLOYMENT.

JOLIET, ILL., AL MECHLING BARGE LINES.

CAHOLIA4 ILL., COOPER TERMINAL CO., INC.; FOX TERMINAL.

ALTON, ILL., AMERICAN COMMERCIAL LINES; COMMERCIAL

TRANSPORT CORP; NORMAN BROTHERS; WISCONSIN BARGE LINES.

HARTFIELD, ILL., NATIONAL MARINE SERVICE.

SHEFFIELD, ALA., ARROW TRANSPORTATION CO.

PITTSBURGH, PA., UNION BARGE LINES.

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RE BUTEL. APRIL NINE, SIXTY-EIGHT.

THERMOSEAL MARKING MACHINE, MANUFACTURED BY TEXTILE MARKING MACHINE COMPANY ORIGINALLY SOLD TO MODEL LAUNDRY AND DRY CLEANERS, RACINE, WIS. TRADED TO ADELMAN DRY CLEANERS AND LAUNDRY, INC. MILWAUKEE, WIS. IN MAY, SIXTY, AND SUBSEQUENTLY TRADED TO PINNACLE PRODUCTS, CO., CHICAGO, ILL., APPROXIMATELY TWO AND ONE HALF TO THREE YEARS AGO.

CHICAGO CONTACT PINNACLE PRODUCTS, DETERMINE CURRENT LOCATION OF MACHINE AND OBTAIN SAMPLES.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI AND SACS MEMPHIS ALBANY

FROM: SAC, CHICAGO (44-1114)

MURKIN.

LAUNDRY MARKS.

RALPH YONKE, AMERICAN LAUNDRY INSTITUTE, JOLIET, ILLINOIS, ADVISED PETER WUKOVICH, ELMHURST, ILLINOIS, IS AREA DISTRIBUTOR FOR THERMO SEAL MARKING MACHINES. YONKE ADVISED NO KNOWN STANDARD SYSTEM SET UP FOR CODING TAPES.

WUKOVICH FURNISHED LIST OF LAUNDRIES HIS TERRITORY USING THERMO SEAL MARKING MACHINES, LEADS SET OUT.

CHICAGO PD MISSING PERSONS BUREAU ADVISED ANNUAL LETTER SENT TO LAUNDRIES REQUESTING MARKINGS USED DURING LAST YEAR.

NO RESPONSE OBTAINED.

LIST OF PURCHASERS OF RED TAPE FOR THERMO SEAL MARKING MACHINES DURING LAST YEAR OBTAINED FROM CHICAGO DISTRIBUTOR. LEADS SET OUT.

JACK CODY, THERMO SEAL DISTRIBUTOR, CLEVELAND AREA, INCLUDING TENNESSEE, EXPECTED IN CHICAGO TODAY, LIST OF LAUNDRIES USING

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THERMO SEAL IN HIS TERRITORY WILL BE OBTAINED AND LEADS SET OUT. CLEVELAND ADVISED TEN LOST

ALBANYAT SYRACUSE, OBTAIN LIST OF TAPE DISTRIBUTORS
FROM TEXTILE MARKING MACHINE COMPANY, AND SUTEL LEADS.
ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

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FBI MEMPHIS

11:19AM 4-11-68 URGENT MEN

TO CHICAGO AND BIRMINGHAM

FROM MEMPHIS 44-1987

MURKIN

RE MEMPHIS TEL CALL TO CHICAGO THIS DATE.

IN ADDITION TO INVESTIGATION PRESENTLY BEING CONDUCTED IN CHICAGO, FOLLOWING NAMES SHOULD BE CONSIDERED IN ALL INQUIRIES:

JOHN WILLARD, HARVEY/LOWNEYER, ERIC STARVO GALT, JAY WALLIS VERNON,

AKA. JEROME WALLIS VERNON.

VERNON MAY BE OF INTEREST SINCE HE OPERATED LAUNDRY IN LOS
ANGELES WITHIN APPROXIMATELY FIVE BLOCKS OF WHERE DUCK BILL PLIERS SOLD.
DUCK BILL PLIERS RECOVERED MEMPHIS DIVISION IN MATERIAL DROPPED BY
SUSPECT. OPINION OF MEMPHIS DIVISION THAT PLIERS ARE TYPE THAT MAY
BE USED IN HANDLING OF WIRING IN CONNECTION WITH RELAY SWITCHES OR
SIMILAR ELECTRICAL WIRING.

POSSIBILITY EXISTSTHAT BIRMINGHAM LEAD REGARDING MAIL ORDER HOUSES MAY INVOLVE ELECTRONIC OR SOME FORM RADIO EQUIPMENT. IN ADDITION TO MAIL ORDER HOUSES ALREADY BEING CHECKED BY CHICAGO.

CHICAGO SHOULD ALSO MAKE INQUIRIES AT MAIL ORDER HOUSES IN CHICAGO

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