

PIERCE, ROBERT LT. 11-66 44-943*

PIERCE, ROBERT 1948 62-3802-855p.12
1947 62-3802-894
1948 62-3802-921
1948 62-3802-1000
c/o Detroit Athletic Club.
Director of Tucker Corp.

PIERCE, ROBERT 1948 62-3802-684
p. 20

RE: Wayne County Republican Comm.

in Republican 1946 62-3802-683p5
Wayne County

62-3802-277p5

Treasurer of Tucker Corp. 1946 62-3802-277p5

PIERCE, ROBERT 62-3802-376p.2

official of Tucker Co.
age about 51 yrs old in 1948.
Born in Scotland, has red hair.
stock holder.

Maintains Bank 62-3802-811p.12,13,34
Resident at Nat'l Bank of Detroit

1948 62-3802-133p73

PIERCE, ROBERT 67-3648-649

4017 Camerling Ave. Cgo.
Born [redacted] in Wisc.

PIERCE, ROBERT 6/64 7-1089-589 P. 321

PIERCE, ROBERT

65-0-1165
65-0-1164

Informant

Allanson Rd., Mundelein, Ill. 143

PIERCE, ROBERT

11-54

87-0-2572

*Age 28 years old in 1954
Age - check given*

PIERCE, ROBERT

*62-3802-

*in Tech Corp
need work*

PIERCE, ROBERT

*42-3626

alias of Robert S. Pierce
W/M. B. [redacted] Battle Creek, Michigan

PIERCE, ROBERT

9-57

88-1084-

alias of Raymond Stone
FBI# 291337B
B. [redacted]
W/M

PIERCE, ROBERT

2-61

87-12337*

alias of Robert Gene Thompson
B. [redacted] Richmond, N. Va.

ARMSTRONG, JOHNNY

* 42-4035

alias of John Armstrong

ARMSTRONG, JOHNNIE

* 42-4035

alias of John Armstrong

ARMSTRONG, JOHNNIE

2-63

76-2497*

aka... John Armstrong, Jr

W/M

Winston County Miss.

5' 10"

180 lbs.

brown hair

brown eyes

ARMSTRONG, JOHN (MRS.)

9/63

157-233-²⁰⁰

P. 552

Spring St.

Aurora, Ill.

Sister of MYRNA RAY MILLER

ARMSTRONG, JOHN (MRS.)

4-60

147-487*

re: JOSEPHINE MARY ARMSTRONG NEE WAGNER
AKA, DOMINIC SABLA, AKA, GEORGE WAGNER

ARMSTRONG, JOHN (MR.)

10/55

42-0-2552

ASN RA 55 231 275

Dob: [redacted] Waseott, Wisc.

not ident with 42-4035

ARMSTRONG, JOHN (JR.)

7-53

26-19606*

fugitive

alias of John Francis Armstrong

ARMSTRONG, JOHN (JR.) 2-63

76-2497*

W/M

Winston County Miss

5' 10"

180 lbs

brown hair

brown eyes

ARMSTRONG, JOHN

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ARMSTRONG, JOHN

9-53

9-0-1255

4718 N. Winthrop
Chicago, Ill.

complainant- victim

ARMSTRONG, JOHN

26-13266*

A. Jerry Thurman W/M

DOB [redacted] Okla. divorced

ARMSTRONG, JOHN

* 42-4035

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Born [redacted]

White

Ft. Smith Ark.

FBI # 4429460

ARMSTRONG, JOHN

(1943)

* 43-116

alias of William Mertens

Born [redacted] Wisc.

FBI # 721701

White

ARMSTRONG, JOHN

1-52

26-17670

Alias of John Martin

Not Ident to 26-15256

ARMSTRONG, JOHN

12/63

6137-4887

84 yrs in 1963

N/M 633 W 69th St

Chicago Ill (V64)

ARMSTRONG, JOHN

9-67

92-2462*

UNSUBS: SHOOTING AT TRUCK ON TRI-STATE TOLLWAY,
NEAR LIBERTYVILLE, ILL. 9-21-67
JOHN ARMSTRONG, victim

BERRY, ROBERT FREEMAN JR. 12-60 100-37926-24
5201 North Clark St.
Chicago

BERRY, ROBERT FRANCIS (JR.) 7-64 77-14286*

DOB: Marquette, Mich.

HAINES, GLENN
was.

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62-0-19551

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26-1657-4998

HAINES, GLENN

2-59

76-0-347

aka: Glenn Mooney
white, male
age 38, 6', 148 lbs
brown hair and eyes
dark complexion
slender build

HAINES, GLENN

4-64

26-42836*

AKA: MOONEY, GLENN

W/M

DOB: [REDACTED] - Davenport, Iowa

6'

147 lbs.

Brn. hr. & eyes

HAINES, GLENN

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HAINES, GLENN.....

*52-1269

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Date: 5/14/69

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)
 FROM: SAC, MEMPHIS (44-1987) (P)
 SUBJECT: MURKIN

By airtel dated 4/7/69, the Bureau advised that in a third "Look" magazine article, WILLIAM BRADFORD HUIE stated that JAMES EARL RAY had spent the night of 4/2/68 in a motel near Corinth, Miss. The Bureau instructed Jackson to review motel records in and around Corinth to determine the identities of individuals registered there during the period 3/29/68 to 4/3/68. By airtel dated 4/18/69, the Jackson Office advised the Bureau that motel records at Corinth, Miss., had been reviewed under the subject's true name and aliases and had been reviewed for subject's Alabama license number. Nothing identifiable with the subject was located.

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Approved: R. Jensen
Special Agent in Charge

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By airtel dated 5/7/69, copies of which were not furnished the Bureau, the Jackson Office set out leads for those offices to whom copies of this communication are designated. These offices have been requested to interview several hundred persons who spent the night in motels at Corinth, Miss., on or about 4/2/68.

In view of the fact that more than a year has passed since these persons stayed over night at Corinth, and since similar investigation of this type in this case has previously been unproductive, and since HUIE has admitted that RAY frequently is untruthful in statements to him, and further since it is not believed that it is of any particular importance to establish whether or not JAMES EARL RAY stayed over night at Corinth on 4/2/68, all offices will disregard the leads set out in Jackson airtel dated 5/7/69, unless specifically advised by the Bureau to cover same.

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TELETYPE

URGENT

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)
 FROM: MEMPHIS (44-1987) (3P)

MURKIN.

SUBJECT JAMES EARL RAY HAS BEEN RETURNED TO THE SHELBY
 COUNTY JAIL AT MEMPHIS, TENN., FROM THE TENNESSEE STATE PRISON
 AT NASHVILLE, TENN., FOR A HEARING ON MAY TWENTYSIX NEXT ON
 HIS MOTION FOR A NEW TRIAL.

JERRY RAY WAS DISCOVERED BY BUAGENTS TODAY VISITING
 THE SUBJECT AT THE SHELBY COUNTY JAIL. AS JERRY RAY WAS
 LEAVING THE JAIL, HE WAS APPROACHED IN THE CORRIDOR BY BUAGENTS
 WHO REQUESTED THAT HE ACCOMPANY THEM TO SOME PLACE SUITABLE
 FOR INTERVIEW. JERRY AGREED TO GO WITH THE AGENTS INTO ONE
 OF THE SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT OFFICES, AND AS JERRY AND BUAGENTS
 WERE ENTERING THIS OFFICE, THEY WERE JOINED BY THE SUBJECT
 JAMES EARL RAY'S ATTORNEY, J. B. STONER. STONER REFERRED TO
 THE BUREAU AS THE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INTEGRATION AND ADVISED

Airtel JERRY NOT TO ANSWER ANY QUESTIONS. INTERVIEWING AGENTS

Teletype 1 - Birmingham (AM)
1 - Chicago (AM)
 A.M. 1 - Kansas City (AM)
1 - Savannah (AM)
 A.M.S.D. 1 - St. Louis (AM)

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Wilmer *gkw*

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REMINDED JERRY THAT HE HAD BEEN WIDELY QUOTED IN THE NEWSPAPERS AS HAVING SAID THAT JAMES EARL RAY WAS A PART OF A CONSPIRACY TO MURDER MARTIN LUTHER KING. JERRY WAS ADVISED THAT IF HE HAS ANY INFORMATION OF A CONSPIRACY HE SHOULD TURN IT OVER TO THE FBI. STONER AGAIN ADVISED JERRY RAY NOT TO TALK, AND JERRY RAY THEN SAID HIS INFORMATION WOULD BEST BE GIVEN AT A TRIAL. JERRY WAS REMINDED THAT AT THIS TIME THERE IS NO REASON TO BELIEVE THERE WILL BE A TRIAL, AND JERRY RAY WAS ASKED IF BY THE TERM TRIAL HE MEANT HE INTENDED TO TESTIFY BEFORE A GRAND JURY. STONER AGAIN CAUTIONED RAY NOT TO TALK AND SAID HE IS CONVINCED JAMES EARL RAY WILL BE GIVEN A TRIAL FOR THE KILLING OF KING.

AS THE AGENTS TURNED TO LEAVE STONER AND RAY, STONER CALLED OUT TO THE AGENTS TO "BE GOOD" AND TO "PROTECT ALL THE NIGGERS." MOMENTS LATER RAY AND STONER WERE OBSERVED TALKING TO A REPORTER FROM ONE OF THE LOCAL NEWSPAPERS.

NO FURTHER CONTACT IS CONTEMPLATED WITH EITHER JERRY RAY OR WITH STONER.

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SAC AT MEMPHIS HAS RECEIVED INQUIRY FROM LOCAL NEWS REPORTER. REPORTER WANTED TO CONFIRM THAT AGENT HAD BEEN IN CONTACT WITH JERRY RAY AND WANTED TO KNOW WHAT MATTERS HAD BEEN DISCUSSED. REPORTER WAS ADVISED THAT NO COMMENT COULD BE MADE BY THE SAC RE THIS MATTER. SAC DID CONFIRM THAT AGENT BY THE NAME OF JOE C. HESTER IS ASSIGNED TO THIS OFFICE, BUT DECLINED FURTHER COMMENT RE NATURE OF INTERVIEW. REPORTER DID HAVE NAME OF AGENT, WHICH HE HAD RECEIVED FROM HIS EDITOR. NO OTHER INQUIRIES RECEIVED, HOWEVER, MEMPHIS DIVISION WILL CONTINUE WITH NO COMMENT IN REGARD TO INQUIRIES FROM NEWSPAPERS AND OTHER COMMUNICATIONS REPRESENTATIVES.

AM COPIES TO BIRMINGHAM, CHICAGO, KANSAS CITY, SAVANNAH, AND ST. LOUIS. P. END.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, CHICAGO (44-1114)

FROM : SA JOHN H. WILMES

SUBJECT: MURKIN

DATE: 5/20/69

By airtel dated 4/7/69, the Bureau advised Birmingham (44-1740), Jackson (157-9586) and Memphis (44-1987) of the following information:

WILLIAM BRADFORD HUIE has written a third article for "Look" magazine. The article appears in the issue dated April 15, 1969, but this issue was circulated on April 1, 1969. A review of the article reveals that JAMES EARL RAY allegedly registered at the Travelodge Motel, Five Points, Birmingham, Alabama, on March 29, 1968; at a motel near Florence, Alabama, on April 1, 1968; and at a motel near Corinth, Mississippi, on April 2, 1968. It is to be noted that RAY, using the name HARVEY LOWMYER, negotiated the purchase of a rifle at the Aeromarine Supply Company, Birmingham, Alabama, on March 29 and 30, 1968. On April 3, 1968, he was registered at the Rebel Motel, in Memphis, Tennessee.

The Bureau instructed that appropriate investigation should be conducted by Birmingham and Jackson in an effort to establish whether or not RAY was in contact with any individuals immediately prior to the assassination. Birmingham and Jackson were instructed to make inquiry at motels in or near the above cities to determine identities of individuals registered the period 3/29/68 to 4/3/68 and that efforts should be made to identify all individuals listed as well as obtaining descriptions and registrations of automobiles of such persons.

This investigation is directed toward determining if any one individuals might have accompanied RAY or been in contact with him during this period.

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letter to Director 5/14/69
JHW*

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By airtel dated 5/7/69, the Jackson Office furnished copies of FD-302s regarding motel records for the period 3/29/68 to 4/3/68 at Corinth, Mississippi. The following individuals were listed in the 302s as residing in the Chicago Office territory:

As pointed out by the Bureau, there is to be no indication made whatsoever that this investigation has any connection with the case involving JAMES EARL RAY.

The following are the names addresses and other available data regarding residents in the Chicago Division in the Chicago motels during the period 3/29/69 - 4/3/69:

AT CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

JAMES JOHNSON,
Chicago, Illinois
Illinois license IL 4692, Oldsmobile

J. LAMBERT
1508 North Elk Grove
Chicago, Illinois

ROBERT KOMMERS
1255 North Sandberg
Chicago, Illinois

JIMMY W. FAULKNER
776 Sharon
Park City (Chicago), Illinois
Illinois license LB 3491

AT AURORA, ILLINOIS

ROBERT PIERCE
1660 Maple Lane
Elgin, Illinois
(Armin Tool and Manufacturing Company)

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ARTHUR C. STOLL
750 Main Street
South Elgin, Illinois
(Armin Tool and Manufacturing Company)

DONALD E. KOONS
820 East Prairie Avenue
Naperville, Illinois
Tennessee license 11-21359
(government car)

JIMMY SINTER
6111 Prushing (Pershing)
Donners (Downers) Grove, Illinois
Illinois license HN 1228

AT CHICAGO HEIGHTS, ILLINOIS

R. F. BERRY
P.O. Box 638
Midlothian, Illinois

CHARLES COGENGEN
142 Parton Avenue
Calumet City, Illinois
Illinois license 101-101

AT DES PLAINES, ILLINOIS

Mr. ~~and Mrs.~~ J. MAC GREGOR
7704 Adams Street
Forest Park, Illinois
Illinois license JM 7704

W. C. CALVERY
718 North Westemore
Villa Park, Illinois
Illinois license AF 7663, Oldsmobile

W. H. BORG
1995 Big Bend Road
Des Plaines, Illinois
Illinois license BG 6383, Ford

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CLYDE HANCOCK
1807 South 49th Avenue
Lyons, Illinois

BILLY HANCOCK
8430 45th Street
Lyons, Illinois
Illinois license AR 988,
1964 Pontiac

AT JOLIET, ILLINOIS

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. ANDERSON
814 Oakland Avenue
Joliet, Illinois
Illinois license 87-317

BRYON I. COUNTRYMAN
605 North Dixon Avenue
Dixon, Illinois
Illinois license JB 3422,
Thunderbird

Mrs. HARDIN V. PETTINGER
608 Orange
Morrison, Illinois
Illinois license FD 1232,
Oldsmobile

GLENN F. HAINES
534 First Street
Batavia, Illinois
Illinois license KB 3820, Ford

AT ROCKFORD, ILLINOIS

Mr. and Mrs. EARL JURZ
2919 Custer Avenue
Rockford, Illinois

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Mr. W. L. PARKINSON
1115 Harlem Boulevard
Rockford, Illinois

Mr. and Mrs. JOHN THOMPSON
Nelson, Illinois

AT WAUKEGAN, ILLINOIS

BERT YAEGER
4203 South Sheridan
Zion, Illinois
Illinois license MY 8682,
Pontiac Tempest

R. C. BOBO
212 North West Street
Waukegan, Illinois

O. M. KERUS
603 Park Street
Woodstock, Illinois
Illinois license KN 1571,
Cadillac

ALLEN A. HURLEY
1815 Tanglewood Drive
Apartment 1-C
Glenview, Illinois
Illinois license 347-242,
Chevrolet

A. HOUSTON
319 Blodgett
Lake Bluff, Illinois
Illinois license KD 5446, Ford

R. M. DILLON
1156 Sprulewood
Libertyville, Illinois
Illinois license HL 2826

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JOHN ARMSTRONG
1249 Stratford
Deerfield, Illinois
Illinois license KP 2782, Pontiac

JAMES L. LANG
108 Stewart Avenue
Woodstock, Illinois
Illinois license KN 530, Pontiac

Mr. and Mrs. BERT ARBNEY
203 Suncrest
Libertyville, Illinois
Illinois license JR 9411,
Chrysler

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, ATLANTA

SUBJECT: MURKIN
Atlanta File 44-2386
Bufile 44-38861

COMINFIL OF SCLC
RM: IS- C
Atlanta File 100-5718
Bufile 100-438794

Re Atlanta airtel to Bureau, 5/8/69, captioned
as above.

On 6/2/69, AT 1387-R advised the consensus of
opinion among SCLC Executive Staff officers as of the present
time is that JAMES BEVEL is currently in New York City
"recuperating" from the recent medical attention afforded
him. Informant could furnish no further details regarding
BEVEL, but advised it was his understanding that BEVEL's
SCLC pay check continues to be forwarded to him at his
Philadelphia residence.

Information from AT 1387-R, confidential.

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SAC, CHICAGO (44-1114) (RUC)

MURKIN

Re Memphis airtel to Director dated 5/14/69.

Referenced airtel sets out information why it is not of any particular importance to establish whether or not JAMES EARL RAY stayed over night at Corinth, Mississippi, on April 2, 1968, and advised all offices to disregard leads set out in Jackson airtel dated May 7, 1969 unless specifically advised by the Bureau to cover same.

Inasmuch as no information has been received from Bureau regarding coverage of leads set out by Jackson, no further investigation is being conducted by Chicago and this case is being RUCed to the Office of Origin.

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KING'S KILLER TO PROTEST HIS JAIL CONDITION

Nashville, Dec. 4 (UPI) — James Earl Ray will make a rare departure from the Tennessee state prison Dec. 29 to protest to a federal court about his alleged "cruel and inhuman treatment" in a maximum security cell.

United States District Judge William E. Miller today ordered a hearing for the convicted killer of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. and said provisions will be made for Ray's presence at the hearing "under proper security precautions."

Atty. Robert W. Hill of Chattanooga, one of Ray's three lawyers, said Ray would "definitely" be at the hearing.

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James Ray's brother held in robbery

Special to The Daily News

ST. CHARLES, Mo.—John Larry Ray, identified by police as the brother of the convicted murderer of Martin Luther King Jr., was arrested Monday in connection with a \$53,000 bank robbery.

Lt. Evan Thebeau said he arrested the brother of James Earl Ray when he stopped a car driver that had been described as being involved in the robbery of a St. Peters bank, 30 miles west of St. Louis.

Ray was found with \$500 in his possession.

The bulk of the stolen money and four other men are still being sought by police.

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CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

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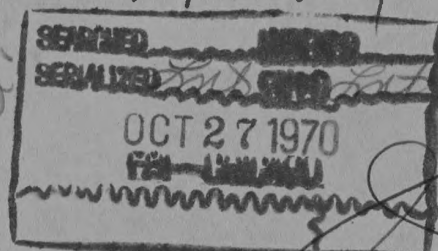
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : ACTING SAC, CHICAGO

FROM : SUPERVISOR CARYL E. SHUPE (S-5)

SUBJECT: DEPARTMENTAL TASK FORCE
SCHEDULED TO VISIT CHICAGO
OFFICE WEEK OF 8/16/76 RE
MURKIN CASE (44-1114), AND
A REVISIT OF SAME TASK FORCE
IN LATE AUGUST OR EARLY
SEPTEMBER, 1976, TO REVIEW
FILES RE SCLC AND MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.

DATE: 7/28/76

On 7/28/76, Supervisor ^{John T.} ~~JAY~~ ALDHIZER, ^{III} Intelligence Division, FBIHQ, telephone 4643, telephonically provided the following information to the writer:

A Departmental Task Force is scheduled to visit the Chicago, Springfield and St. Louis Divisions the week of 8/16/76 to review all files concerning MURKIN. The Chicago file number in that respect is 44-1114.

At a subsequent date, probably late August or early September, 1976, the same task force will revisit Chicago, Springfield and St. Louis to review all files concerning the Southern Christian Leadership Conference (SCLC) (specifically COMINFIL thereof) and the file on MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.

Supervisor ALDHIZER requested he be telephonically recontacted within the next day or so and provided with the name of a coordinator who would assist the Task Force in connection with their review. He also requested that a room be set aside for members of the Task Force along with appropriate office equipment, such as desks, tables and chairs.

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cc to 100-35356 (MLK)

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A review of the closed section regarding 44-1114 reflects that there are 20 volumes, including sub files, in the MURKIN matter. It was also determined in that regard that the case agent at that time was RENEE DU MAINE, who has long been transferred to another division, and that other agents assisting him are no longer available within the Chicago Division. With that in mind, I discussed the matter of a coordinator with SA JOSEPH P. MC CABE of the S-5 Squad, who was more than agreeable to serve in that capacity in connection with captioned matters. It is pointed out that SA MC CABE has had considerable experience in coordinating various projects in the security field within the Chicago Division.

It is noted that the above mentioned Bureau Supervisor stated that the Task Force would have access to all of our Chicago files, including "JUNE" files, but excepting informant files. I was also informed that a teletype setting forth complete and comprehensive instructions in this matter would be forthcoming within the next few days.

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Charles Warner
General Manager

April 8, 1977

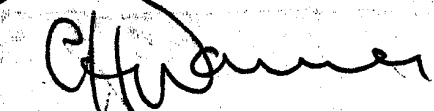
Mr. William Beane
Special Agent in Charge
FBI
219 S. Dearborn
#905
Chicago, Illinois 60604

Dear Mr. Beane:

Attached are the letters that Ms. Dylan has received, as
per our conversation.

Please keep me informed as to any action you may take.

Cordially,


Charles Warner

CW:rp
Attachments

*Acknowledge
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National Broadcasting Company, Inc.
Merchandise Mart Chicago, Ill. 60654

Mr. William Beane
Special Agent in Charge
FBI
219 S. Dearborn - #905
Chicago, Illinois 60604

Doc Hecy

GE-9A-CH (2/76)

219 South Dearborn Street
Chicago, Illinois 60604
April 14, 1977

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Merchandise Mart
Chicago, Illinois 60654

Attention: Mr. Warner

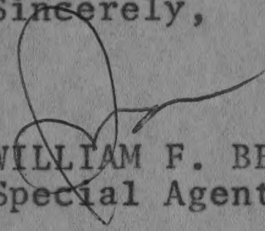
Dear Sir:

This is to acknowledge receipt of your letter dated April 8, 1977, in which you forwarded to this office letters received by Ms Dylan.

A review of all letters fails to indicate any violation of a federal statute coming within the jurisdiction of the FBI; however, in view of the fact that the letters were forwarded by the brother of James Earl Ray, I am taking the liberty of forwarding this material to Washington Headquarters for their information.

In the event additional letters are received by Ms Dylan, which can be construed to contain a threat, please notify this office immediately.

Sincerely,


WILLIAM F. BEANE
Special Agent in Charge

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Enclosed for the Bureau's information are the following:

Envelope to Ms. ELLIE DYLAN, 3/24/77, containing card and newspaper clipping

Envelope to Ms. ELLIE DYLAN, 3/5/77, containing letter

Envelope to Ms. ELLIE DYLAN, 3/25/77, containing letter and xerox copy of newspaper clippings

Brown envelope to Ms. ELLIE DYLAN 2/24/77 containing letter and 4 photos (2 of JAMES EARL RAY)

ELLIE DYLAN is a well known "country Western style" disc jockey, broadcasting on a night time program over WMAQ radio station, Chicago.

WMAQ radio officials are aware of the Bureau's jurisdiction in various fields, including extortion. They have been advised that these letters do not indicate a violation and are being forwarded to the Bureau for information.

No further action is being taken by the Chicago Office.

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To: SAC, Chicago (44-1114)
From: Director, FBI (44-38861)

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Re your letter 4/15/77.

By return mail, suLHM reporting details as to how
you received the enclosures furnished by referenced letter.

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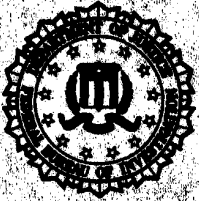
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Chicago, Illinois

April 26, 1977

In Reply, Please Refer to
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JAMES EARL RAY

By letter dated April 8, 1977, Mr. Charles Warner, General Manager, WMAQ Radio, NBC Radio Division, National Broadcasting Company, Incorporated, Merchandise Mart Plaza, Chicago, Illinois, 60654, furnished the following:

1. Envelope to Ms. Ellie Dylan, March 24, 1977, containing card and newspaper clipping
2. Envelope to Ms. Ellie Dylan, March 5, 1977, containing letter
3. Envelope to Ms. Ellie Dylan, March 25, 1977, containing letter and xeroxed copy of newspaper clipping
4. Brown envelope to Ms. Ellie Dylan, February 24, 1977, containing a letter and four photographs (two photographs of James Earl Ray).

This document contains neither recommendations nor conclusions of the FBI. It is the property of the FBI and is loaned to your agency; it and its contents are not to be distributed outside your agency.

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
Re Bureau airtel dated 4/20/77.

Enclosed are the original and five copies
of an LHM submitted as requested in referenced airtel.



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NBC Radio Division
National Broadcasting Company, Inc.

Merchandise Mart Plaza
Chicago, IL 60654 312-861-8222

Charles Warner
General Manager

May 4, 1977

Mr. William Beane
Special Agent in Charge
FBI
219 S. Dearborn
#905
Chicago, Illinois 60604

Dear Mr. Beane:

Thank you for your letter, and for responding so quickly
to our problem.

Both Ms. Dylan and I appreciate your help.

Cordially,



Charles Warner

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I think it was James Earl
Rays brother-
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