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PASCAGOULA, MISS., BUT SPENDS SOME WEEKENDS IN EVERGREEN
WITH PARENTS. REPORTEDLY SEPARATED FROM HIS WIFE WHO IS
BELIEVED TO BE IN HOUSTON OR DALLAS.

HOUSTON DISCONTINUE EFFORTS TO LOCATE HARDEN.

JACKSON CONDUCT INVESTIGATION AT INGALL' SHIPBUILDING
CO., PASCAGOULA, MISS., TO LOCATE HARDEN AND DETERMINE IF
HE MAY BE LOGICAL SUSPECT. PENDING.

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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20537

TO:

Date **4-10-68**

SAC, Memphis (44-1987)

Your inquiry **ReHOTel
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- ☐ Attached furnished in reply to your inquiry.
- ☐ Attached furnished in compliance with request from
- ☐ Only record available attached.
- ☐ This matter is receiving attention and you will be advised at an early date.
- ☐ Supplementing FBI Laboratory report dated
- ☐ Records FBI #
are furnished since there is a possibility that one may pertain to the subject in whom you are interested.
- ☐ Fingerprint files fail to disclose
- ☐ Confirming FBI wire of
- ☐ A wanted notice has not been placed as subject appears to be in custody.
- ☐ When you no longer desire your notice maintained, please advise.
- ☐ If you determine subject to be in custody, please advise so that your notice may be canceled.
- ☐ Subject of your inquiry searched in name indices only. Enclosed record(s) possibly identical. If identical, resubmit request and wanted (or flash) notice will be placed.
- ☐ If it is determined that the subject of this record is not the individual in whom you are interested, please advise.
- ☐ Your communication is returned.
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☒ Copy to: **SAC, Houston (44-1509) (1 Encl.)**

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TO ALL SACS

FROM DIRECTOR 44-38861 2P.

MURKIN

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INVESTIGATION HAS ESTABLISHED THAT AN INDIVIDUAL USING
THE NAME ERIC STARVO GALT WAS IN MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE, ON
APRIL FOUR, SIXTYEIGHT, REPORTEDLY DRIVING A NINETEEN
SIXTYSIX WHITE MUSTANG WITH ALABAMA LICENSE ONE DASH
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LOCATE THIS INDIVIDUAL FOR QUESTIONING IN CONNECTION WITH
THIS MATTER.

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GALT HAS DEPARTED THE COUNTRY.

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TO THE EFFECT THAT ERIC STARVO GALT IS WANTED FOR QUESTIONING
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APB to be
handled by SAC, SA.
per Tel call 4:30 pm, 4-11-68
K.L.

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1966 Mustang
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UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES SHOULD IT BE INDICATED TO ANYONE AT ANY PLACE THE NATURE OF THE CASE IN WHICH GALT IS WANTED FOR QUESTIONING BY THE FBI.

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635PM URGENT 4/11/68 GJM

TO ALL SACS

FROM DIRECTOR 1P

MURKIN

REBUTEL THIS DATE TO PLACESTOPS ON ERIC STARVO GALT
AND A NINETEEN SIXTYSIX WHITE MUSTANG. DISREGARD
REFERENCED TELETYPE AND CANCEL ANY ALL POINTS BULLETINS
THAT MAY HAVE BEEN ISSUED.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : FILE (44-1509)

FROM : *KH* ASAC KARL V. HETHERINGTON

SUBJECT: MURKIN.

DATE: 4/11/68

At 6:25 p.m., 4/10/68, ASAC RALPH RAMPTON, Birmingham, called and stated that the names of the following individuals who are suspects in the captioned matter should be checked against all crew members or passengers departing from ports within the Houston area since 4/4/68, date of assassination:

ERIC STARVO GALT

HARVEY LOWMEYER or LOWMYER

JOHN WILLARD

He stated that he was advising all other offices from which ships depart in this area, and the results should be furnished to the Bureau, Memphis and Birmingham.

SA WEIR, to whom this case is assigned, was advised of this request.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date April 10, 1968

A review of the Army service record for DONNIE LEON HARDEN, Army Serial Number [REDACTED] on file at the Military Personnel Records Center, St. Louis, Missouri, disclosed that HARDEN served in the U. S. Army on active duty from May 1, 1958 at Montgomery, Alabama, to honorable discharge from active duty and transferred to the Reserve at Oakland, California, March 31, 1961. He thereafter entered on active duty in the Army at Montgomery, Alabama on May 22, 1963, and served until honorable discharge due to hardship at Fort Sam Houston, Texas, June 4, 1965. Rank at time of discharge was Specialist Fourth Grade. He also had inactive service in the Alabama National Guard, April 21, 1955 to April 30, 1958, and May 15, 1962 to December 17, 1962. He served in the inactive U. S. Army Reserve from April 1, 1961 to April 30, 1962. His military occupation was listed as Communications Center Specialist. His civilian occupation was listed as Welder, Farmer and Musician (singing and guitar). The file failed to show any courts-martial or absences without official leave but did indicate a reduction in rank in December, 1962, while in the National Guard due to inefficiency. No details appear.

Top secret clearance was granted him on September 30, 1958, based on a background investigation completed September 24, 1958 by the Army Security Agency, Third Army Area, Dossier Number [REDACTED].

The following description appeared in the file:

Race	White	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <div style="text-align: right; font-weight: bold;">44-1509-51</div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div>SEARCHED</div> <div>INDEXED</div> </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div>SERIALIZED</div> <div>FILED</div> </div> <div style="text-align: center; margin-top: 5px;"> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">APR 10 1968</div> <div style="font-family: cursive; font-size: 1.2em;">L. J. King</div> </div> </div>
Sex	Male	
Height	6' 2"	
Weight	235 pounds	
Hair	Brown	
Eyes	Blue	
Born	April 21, 1938, Conecuh County, Alabama	
Relatives	VADA HARDEN, nee Colburn, wife; born 1934, Texas; date and place of marriage - not shown.	

On 4/10/68 at St. Louis, Missouri File # SL 44-775

by IC R. DOUGLAS KING/jtc Date dictated 4/10/68

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Parents	LEON and ALICE HARDEN, Route C, Evergreen, Alabama
Brother	PAUL M. HARDEN, Route C, Evergreen, Alabama
Brother	LARRY H. HARDEN, Route C, Evergreen, Alabama
Parents-in-law	SAM and SYBIL COLBURN, 701 Roxella, Houston, Texas
Social Security Number	[REDACTED]
Selective Service	Registrant of Local Board 18, Evergreen, Alabama, #1-18-38-69
Character	(All Evergreen, Alabama)
References	J. C. JOHNSON, Sheriff's Department; DELMA BOWERS, Southern Coach and Body Company; ROBERT KENDALL, State Senator; WILEY SALTER, State Representative; MABRY COOK, Cook's Service Station.

Employments were listed as follows:

June, 1956 to August, 1956: A. W. Williams Drilling Company, West Virginia Street, Mobile, Alabama, supervisor, SAM HAGERMAN;

September, 1956 to November, 1956: Fletcher and King, Andalusia, Alabama; LEELAND FLETCHER, supervisor;

November, 1956 to April, 1958: Southern Coach and Body Company, Evergreen, Alabama; supervisor, DELMA BOWERS;

April, 1961 to December, 1961: Southern Coach and Body Company, Evergreen, Alabama;

May, 1962 to August, 1962: Conecuh County Survey Department, Evergreen, Alabama; supervisor, MARLON WILKINS;

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September, 1962 to November, 1962: Brown and Root Construction Company, Houston, Texas; PAUL JAMES, supervisor;

November, 1962 to March, 1963: Peden Iron and Steel Company, Houston, Texas; ARCHIE VERHAGEN, supervisor;

April, 1963 to May, 1963: Southern Coach and Body Company, Evergreen, Alabama; supervisor, CLEVE GARNLY.

Throughout his service his home address is listed as Route C, Evergreen, Alabama. In 1963, an address of 6125 Ridgemont Avenue, Houston, Texas appeared and his address at the time of final discharge was listed as 701 Roxella, Houston, Texas.

He has blood group "O". He received an expert's badge in the M1 carbine. He had foreign service of one year, eight months, and 15 days in the Pacific Theater.

A letter from his wife appeared in the file dated April 2, 1965, addressed to Lieutenant General J. L. RICHARDSON, Fort Houston, Texas, which alleged that HARDEN had made false statements in applying for a hardship discharge. She stated HARDEN had indicated he was going to run his father's firm in Evergreen, Alabama, and that she was a nervous wreck worrying about him going overseas, all of which was untrue. She stated that he had a job waiting for him at Brown and Root Construction Company as a heavy equipment operator. She further stated that he had been a different man since his service in Okinawa as he had beaten her several times and had spent one night in jail on arrest by the Alamo Heights Police Department in San Antonio, Texas for having beaten her. She stated his temper and filthy language were terrible. She stated she had tried to leave him but had been told by him he would kill her and all three of their children if she did. She stated he purchased a rifle and cartridges the following day. She stated he had torn up several pieces of their furniture, half of her clothing, broken her watch, and had choked her on several occasions. She further alleged mistreatment of their 15 month old son.

The file further reflected a statement by HARDEN that his wife had previously suffered a complete nervous

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breakdown and that she apparently was approaching a similar breakdown at the time of his discharge.

A 1963 photograph of HARDEN appears in the file.

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Re Bureau teletype to Indianapolis and St. Louis,
4/9/68, and St. Louis teletype to Memphis, Houston, and
Mobile, 4/10/68.

Re: Suspect DONNIE LEON HARDEN

Enclosures: For Memphis, 9 copies of FD-302
concerning review of military record for HARDEN; for Mobile,
Houston and Dallas, one copy each of FD-302 concerning HARDEN's
military record.

LEADS:

MOBILE and HOUSTON DIVISIONS

Conduct appropriate investigation to locate HARDEN
and determine if he may be logical suspect.

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TO MEMPHIS 44-1987

FROM HOUSTON 44-1509

MURKIN. CR.

RE: JAMES STEDMAN.

ON APRIL ELEVEN, LAST, NORVIL WILSON, CONSTRUCTION SUPT., HO, ADVISED THAT DAY BEFORE HE HAD OVERHEARD STEDMAN STATE THAT HE, STEDMAN, HAD AN IDEA WHO KILLED MARTIN LUTHER KING BUT HE HOPED HE WAS WRONG.

STEDMAN IS EMPLOYED BY T.R. WALDROP CO., AIR CONDITION CONTRACTORS, WHO IS SUB-CONTRACTING ON APT. PROJECT, HO. WALDROP RECORDS REFLECT STEDMAN BORN JAN. THIRTY ONE, THIRTY SEVEN AND EMPLOYED BY WALDROP SINCE FEB. TWENTY SEVEN, LAST. HE CAME TO HO FROM MEMPHIS, DRIVING SIXTY TWO CHEVROLET STATION WAGON, TENN. LICENSE KN THREE SIX SIX SIX, SHELBY COUNTY, WIFE BETTY. STEDMAN A DIABETIC.

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STEDMAN DENIED KLAN AFFILIATION.

MEMPHIS CHECK INDICIES, INFORMANTS AND CONDUCT CRIMINAL CHECK DETERMINING IF STEDMAN WANTED AT MEMPHIS AS HE APPEARED UPSET THAT HIS PRESENT LOCATION BE KNOWN.

AS A RESULT OF INTERVIEW, STEDMAN BECAME EXTREMELY UPSET AND BELLIGERENT AND INDICATED THAT HE NOW HAD REASON TO GET A PERMIT TO BUY A GUN IN ORDER TO KILL ANYONE WHO MIGHT GIVE HIM TROUBLE. STEDMAN ACCUSED AGENTS OF ATTEMPTING TO "PUT THE SCREWS TO HIM". STEDMAN WAS ADVISED THAT ANY PROBLEMS THAT MIGHT ARISE WERE OF HIS OWN DOING AS AGENTS CAME IN GOOD FAITH SEEKING INFO AND NOT ACCUSING HIM OF MURKIN.

STEDMAN DESCRIBED WM, FIVE FT. NINE IN., ONE FIVE ZERO LBS. BROWN EYES, BUSHY, CURLY HAIR.

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Date: 4/12/68

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FROM: SAC, HOUSTON (44-1509)

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830PM URGENT 4/8/68 GJM

TO ALL CONTINENTAL OFFICES

FROM DIRECTOR 44-38861 2P

MURKIN

THIS IS THE CASE INVOLVING THE MURDER OF MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR., ON APRIL FOUR, LAST, IN MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE.

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

IT HAS BEEN DETERMINED THAT A RIFLE ACQUIRED NEAR SCENE OF CRIME WAS PURCHASED BY INDIVIDUAL USING THE NAME HARVEY LOWMEYER OR LOWMYER.

LOWMEYER OR LOWMYER IS GENERALLY DESCRIBED AS WHITE MALE, THIRTYSIX YEARS OLD, FIVE FEET EIGHT INCHES TALL, ONE HUNDRED FIFTY - ONE HUNDRED SIXTY POUNDS, BLACK OR DARK BROWN HAIR.

IN VIEW OF THE UNUSUAL NATURE OF THE NAMES LOWMEYER AND LOWMYER, ALL OFFICES SHOULD IMMEDIATELY CHECK YOUR INDICES, ALL CITY DIRECTORIES, ALL TELEPHONE DIRECTORIES COVERING YOUR TERRITORIES, ALL DRIVERS LICENSE RECORDS, ALL AUTOMOBILE

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REGISTRATION RECORDS, VOTER REGISTRATION RECORDS, AND
CREDIT AND CRIMINAL RECORDS ON THE SURNAMES LOWMEYER
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DO NOT CONFINE YOUR CHECK TO HARVEY LOWMEYER AND LOWMYER
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HANDLE IMMEDIATELY AND GIVE TOP PRIORITY ATTENTION.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC (44-1509)
ATTENTION: SA JAMES S. WEIR

FROM : SA PENROD W. HARRIS

SUBJECT: MURKIN
Bureau File 44-38861

DATE: 4/10/68

Re Memo of SA JAMES S. WEIR, 4/9/68, (Serial 15); and telephonic instructions of SA C on 4/10/68, to conduct investigation re ERIC STARVO GAULT.

The following investigation was conducted by SA PENROD W. HARRIS:

AT CORPUS CHRISTI, TEXAS

On 4/10/68, the following persons checked their respective records under the names ERIC STARVO GAULT, and LOWMEYER and ~~LOWMYER~~ LOWMYER, and advised they were unable to locate any record under any of these names:

GORDON LEWIS, Retail Merchants Association;
W.L. BURCH, Identification Officer, Nueces County Sheriff's Office;
JEFF BAGWELL, Identification Officer, Corpus Christi Police Department;
EVELYN MILLER, Clerk, Local Draft Board 97.

In addition, the current Southwestern Bell Telephone Company directory for Corpus Christi; and the Corpus Christi City Directories for the years 1960 through 1967, were checked under these names, but no listing was located.

On 4/10/68, Mrs. ROMA FERGUSON, Auto License Department, office of Assessor and Collector of Taxes, advised that auto licenses in Nueces County are listed by license number only and not be name of the person to whom issued. Accordingly, there is no manner in which it can be ascertained if a particular person has an automobile license issued in this county.

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SAC (44-1509)
ATTENTION: SA JAMES S. WEIR

4/10/68

SA PENROD W. HARRIS

MURKIN
Bureau File 44-38861

Re Memo of SA JAMES S. WEIR, 4/9/68, (Serial 15); and telephonic instructions of SA C on 4/10/68, to conduct investigation re ERIC STARVO GAULT.

The following investigation was conducted by SA PENROD W. HARRIS:

AT CORPUS CHRISTI, TEXAS

On 4/10/68, the following persons checked their respective records under the names ERIC STARVO GAULT, and LOU MEYER and ~~LOU MEYER~~ LOU MEYER, and advised they were unable to locate any record under any of these names:

GORDON LEWIS, Retail Merchants Association;
W.L. BURCH, Identification Officer, Nueces County Sheriff's Office;
JEFF BAGWELL, Identification Officer, Corpus Christi Police Department;
EVELYN MILLER, Clerk, Local Draft Board 97.

In addition, the current Southwestern Bell Telephone Company directory for Corpus Christi; and the Corpus Christi City Directories for the years 1960 through 1967, were checked under these names, but no listing was located.

On 4/10/68, Mrs. ROMA FERGUSON, Auto License Department, office of Assessor and Collector of Taxes, advised that auto licenses in Nueces County are listed by license number only and not by name of the person to whom issued. Accordingly, there is no manner in which it can be ascertained if a particular person has an automobile license issued in this county.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC (44-1509)
ATTENTION: SA JAMES S. WEIR

FROM : SA PENROD W. HARRIS

SUBJECT: MURKIN

DATE: 4/11/68

RE: CHECK WITH U. S. CUSTOMS

The following investigation was conducted by SA PEN-
ROD W. HARRIS:

AT CORPUS CHRISTI, TEXAS

On 4/11/68, REUBEN TRAYNHAM, Inspector in Charge, U. S. Customs, Oil Industries Building, advised as follows: His agency receives a list of crew members and passengers of all United States vessels departing from Corpus Christi and vicinity direct for foreign ports. Since 4/3/68, there has been only one such departure, a Marine Sea Transport Service vessel. TRAYNHAM checked the list of crew members and passengers, and advised it did not contain the name ERIC STARVO GAULT, HARVEY LOWMEYER, HARVEY LOWMYER, or JOHN WILLARD, or any logical variations of these names.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, HOUSTON (44-1509)

DATE: 4/12/68

FROM : IC VICTOR B. ROGERS

SUBJECT: MURKIN

Re Memo of SA JAMES S. WEIR to SRAs, 4/9/68 and
Bureau teletype to all Continental Offices 4/8/68.

On April 11, 1968 the following individuals
advised their files contain no record concerning HARVEY
LOWMEYER or HARVEY LOWMYER:

Mrs. DORA KUHN
Credit Bureau of Greater Houston

Mrs. LOIS MOERBY
Records Division
Houston Police Department

Mrs. POLLY KIRKBRIDE
Identification Division
Houston Police Department

Lieutenant REX FULLERTON
Identification Division
Harris County Sheriff's Office

Mrs. MARY C. SMITH
Voter Registration Section
Harris County Tax Office,
Houston, Texas

A review of the Houston telephone and city directories
reflects no listing of an individual by the name of HARVEY
LOWMEYER or HARVEY LOWMYER.

Houston indices negative concerning HARVEY LOWMEYER
or HARVEY LOWMYER.

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TO ALL CONTINENTAL OFFICES
FROM DIRECTOR 44-38861 1P

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To: SAC, Albany

From: *YMF* Director, FBIASSASSINATION OF MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)

FROM: SAC, ALBANY (44-493) (P)

SUBJECT: MURKIN ✓
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Re Bureau teletype, 4/9/68, and Albany airtel to Bureau, 4/10/68.

For the information of offices not previously advised, the following is set forth:

Search of premises believed occupied by Unsub who assassinated Dr. MARTIN LUTHER KING on 4/4/68, disclosed suitcase in which was located tee-shirt and undershorts bearing laundry mark on red tape with black lettering believed to be thermo-seal type, manufactured by Textile Marking Machine Co., Inc., Syracuse, N. Y. The tape is $\frac{1}{4}$ " wide and 1 $\frac{1}{16}$ " long and bears letters and numbers 02B-6.

Experts at Textile Marking Machine Co. advise type on this machine is unusual in that the first two characters are 15 point type and the last three characters are 18 point type, with the middle character, the letter B, probably being narrow rather than regular type. The usual machine carries 15 point type for the first three characters and 18 point type for the last two characters.

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Special Agent in Charge

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Textile Marking Machine experts also stated this machine is defective in that it is producing a tape 1 1/16" long instead of 1 1/8" long and is not projecting the tape far enough resulting in cutting off a portion of the first letter. The code used in the Northeast part of the U. S. is as follows:

The first letter O stands for lot number; the first number 2 indicates the day of the week, two being Tuesday; the second letter indicates the first letter of the store name, this is the letter B; the last number is the bundle number, this is 6. Color coding of the tag may designate various things such as a different month or the identity of a store in a chain. Experts also state the use of this system on laundry items is unusual in that the system is normally used on garments being dry cleaned.

The Bureau has instructed that all textile machines using this type tape be located and machines using this code be identified.

The following is a list of locations of Thermo-seal marking machines by states in alphabetical order made available by Mr. DONALD BROTON, Textile Marking Machine Co., 2204 Erie Blvd. East, Syracuse, N. Y., on 4/7-10/68:

CALIFORNIA

Acme French Laundry
802 East Cota
Santa Barbara, California

Serial #32698

Albert Cleaners
300 East Valley Blvd.
Alhambra, California

Serial #32499

Ambassador Laundry
3504 Main Street
San Diego, California

Serial # R 31550, 31531

Ambassador Laundry
201 East Haley
Santa Barbara, California

Serial #31084
Serial #34292
Serial #31397

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CALIFORNIA (Con't)

American Laundry
7 Sacramento
Placerville, California

Serial #31267

American Laundry
13th Empire
San Jose, California

Serial #R32411

American Laundry and Cleaners
800 Empire
San Jose, California

Serial #R31873,
Serial #R31871

Sesma Cleaners
Anaheim, California

Serial #30663

Arlington French
2426 West Washington
Los Angeles, California

Serial #R33297

Arrow Laundry and Cleaners
3020 West Magnolia Blvd.,
Burbank, California

Serial #31248
Serial #31277

Atlas Cleaners and Dyers
15428 Parthenia
Sepulveda, California

Serial #R32322

Automatic Laundry and Cleaners
424 South Indian Road
Palm Springs, California

Serial #R31551

Avalon Laundry
3020 Hines
Culver City, California

Serial #32189, Serial #32190,
Serial #32191, Serial #32192,
Serial #31900

Bariteau Laundry and Cleaners
496 West San Fernando
San Jose, California

Serial #33890
Serial #33050
Serial #33048

Bariteau's of Santa Cruz
620 Water Street
Santa Cruz, California

Serial #33107

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CALIFORNIA (Con't)

Baseline Laundry	Serial #32580
26212 Baseline	Serial #32662
San Bernardino, California	Serial #32668
Beach Cities Laundry	Serial #31393
620 Main Street	Serial #31394
Huntington Beach, California	
Bell-Boy, Inc.	Serial #32087
7445 Girard Avenue	
LaJolla, California	
Biels Laundry and Cleaners	Serial #R33547
1611 W st Commonwealth	Serial #30640
Fullerton, California	
The Biltmore Hotel	Serial #31276
515 South Olive Street	
Los Angeles, California	
Blue Bird Laundry and Cleaners	Serial #33447
3350 El Cajon Blvd.	Serial #33458
San Diego, California	
Blue White Laundry	Serial #32259
526 South Greenleaf	
Whittier, California	
Carlos Laundry and Cleaners	Serial #R32445
949 Lauren	Serial #R32442
San Carlos, California	Serial #R32444
Carters Drive-In Cleaners	Serial #33846
75850 East Baseline	
29-Palms, California	
Christensen Laundry and Cleaners	Serial #33480
8410 Melrose	
West Hollywood, California	
China Boy Laundry	Serial #32423
502 South Cleveland	
Oceanside, California	

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CALIFORNIA (Con't)

Colfax Laundry, Inc.
10241 Woodley Avenue
Grand Hills, California
Serial #33580

Colfax Cleaners
10243 Woodley Avenue
Mission Hills, California
Serial #32716

Colonial Cleaners
2355 Chesnut
San Francisco, California
Serial #32586

Community Linen Rental Service
900 North LaBrea
Los Angeles, California
Serial #31487

Consolidated Laundry
404 East Monterey
Pomona, California
Serial #R32653
Serial #R32643
Serial #R32652

Courtesy Laundry
835 Moffett Road
Mountainview, California
Serial #R32868

Credit Cleaners
21650 Alessandro Blvd.
Riverside, California
Serial #R32178

D and B Automatic Laundry
and Dry Cleaners
1331 South Saviers Road
Oxnard, California
Serial #32547

D and D Laundry
127 West Olive
San Bernardino, California
Serial #32572, Serial #32625

Davis Laundry
Davis, California
Serial #32795

Delite Laundry
1607 Brooklyn Avenue
Los Angeles, California
Serial #31449 Serial #31392
Serial #31454 Serial #31447

DeLux Cleaners and Laundry
761 West Main
Barstow, California
Serial #33292

Deluxe Cleaners
1366 E Street
San Bernardino, California
Serial #32501

Deluxe Cleaners and Laundry, Inc.
Mather AFB
Sacramento, California
Serial #R31986

Deluxe Laundry
761 West Main Street
Barstow, California
Serial #R31947

Deluxe Laundry
1745 E Street
Oakland, California
Serial #30942

Deluxe Laundry
1745 East 14th Street
Oakland, California
Serial #30948
Serial #30941

Desert Hand Laundry and Cleaners
4775 East Ramon Road
Palm Springs, California
Serial #33642 Serial #32702
Serial #32704 Serial #32703
Serial #R31655

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CALIFORNIA (Con't)

Diamond Laundry and Cleaners
398 West San Carlos Street
San Jose, California
Serial #31438

Domestic Laundry and Dry Cleaners
70 North Ventura Avenue
Ventura, California
Serial #R32412

Economy Cleaners
1915 West San Carlos Avenue
San Jose, California
Serial #32258
Serial #32279

Enterprise Laundry and Linen
Supply
620 North Fresno Street
Fresno, California
Serial #31995

Arthur J. Sanders Company
c/o Excel Laundry
1077 West Baker Street
Costa Mesa, California
Serial #32749

Expert Laundry and Cleaners
3632 East Broadway
Long Beach, California
Serial #R33349

F. and M. Cleaners
1436 Cherry
Long Beach, California
Serial #32781
Serial #R32386

Fairfax Laundry
101 Bolines Road
Fairfax, California
Serial #33620

Fashion Cleaners
Saratoga and Stevens Creek Road
Santa Clara, California
Serial #32090

Flair Fine Cleaners
11702 San Vicente Blvd.
Brentwood, California
Serial #33786

Fletcher Cleaners
5039 York Avenue
Los Angeles, California
Serial #33307

Comet Laundry and Cleaners
1227 Arteria
Long Beach, California
Serial #32523

French Laundry
417 East Mill Street
Porterville, California
Serial #32899

George Cleaners and Laundry
44759 North Beech Avenue
Lancaster, California
Serial #32627

Gold Coast-Coronet Laundry, Inc.
1838 East 41st Place
Los Angeles, California
Serial #R32321

Golden State Drive-In Cleaners
2175 Winchester Blvd.
Campbell, California
Serial #32503

Hal's Cleaning Center
541 Oceana Center
Pacific, California
Serial #33619

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CALIFORNIA (Con't)

Healdsburg Steam Laundry
206 Healdsburg Avenue
Healdsburg, California
Serial #33113

Heavens the Cleaners
712 Wagon Wheel Road
Ventura, California
Serial #32067

Hi-Lo Laundry
3969 Sepulvada
Culver City, California
Serial #33780
Serial #33802

Highland Drive-In Cleaners
1201 LaSalle Avenue
Seaside, California
Serial #31632

Holly Laundry and Cleaners
48 Broadway
Chula Vista, California
Serial #30769

Home Laundry and Cleaning
200 North Fairview
Santa Ana, California
Serial #R32035

H-Hour, Inc.
1915 West San Carlos
San Jose, California
Serial #32667

Ideal Hand Laundry and Dry
Cleaners
906 East Orange Grove Avenue
Pasadena, California
Serial #32714

Imperial Laundry and Cleaners, Inc.
2165 South Elm
Fresno, California
Serial #R31614

Imperial Cleaners and Laundry
11942 Garden Grove Blvd.
Garden Grove, California
Serial #31539

Jan Mar Laundry
705 East Garvey Blvd.
Monterey Park, California
Serial #32894
Serial #R32325
Serial #R32326

Joy Cleaners and Laundry
7076 Sepulveda Blvd.
Van Nuys, California
Serial #31634

Kimball Cleaners
3569 West 8th Street
Los Angeles, California
Serial #32705

Kings Laundry and Cleaners
First and Broadway
Atwater, California
Serial #31241

Kleen Kraft Laundry
3709 Avalon Blvd.
Los Angeles, California
Serial #R32177

Paramount Cleaners
LaCrescenta Shopping Center
LaCrescenta, California
Serial #R33144

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CALIFORNIA (Con't)

LaMesa Automatic Laundry
8367 Lemon Avenue
LaMesa, California
Serial #31680

Lee's Laundry and Cleaners
11521 East Rosecrans
Norwalk, California
Serial #R32382, #R32381

Lido Cleaners
1782 Newport Blvd.
Costa Mesa, California
Serial #32761

Laundry and Dry Cleaning Equip-
ment Company
1142 Mission Street
San Francisco, California
Serial #32051

John P. Lynch Company
1401 16th Street
San Francisco, California
Serial #31330

Madera Cleaners and Laundry
321 South C Street
Madera, California
Serial #31418

Magic Cleaners and Laundry
10711 Sepulveda
Mission Hills, California
Serial #R32676

Mar-Den Laundry
1024 North Lake Street
Burbank, California
Serial #33649

Mar-Dean Laundry
8905 Glenoaks
Sun Valley, California
Serial #33645

M.B.L., Inc.
1060 O'Brien Drive
Menlo Park, California
Serial #31490, Model H5K-1
Shipped from factory 5/9/60.

Melcraft Corporation
825 North LaBrea
Los Angeles, California
Serial #32360

Melcraft Corporation
825 North LaBrea
Los Angeles, California
Serial #32334 Serial #32329
Serial #32328

Menlo French Laundry
558 Oak Grove
Menlo Park, California
Serial #33005 Serial #32785
Serial #33046

Merlen Laundry
1322 V Street
Sacramento, California
Serial #31381
Serial #31401

Modern Way Laundry
1129 West 25th Street
Los Angeles, California
Serial #31068

Midway Laundry
3460 Midway Drive
San Diego, California
Serial #32739

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CALIFORNIA (Con't)

New Era Laundry and Cleaners
(Distributor)
408 East Orange Grove
Pasadena, California
Serial #33540
Model H5K-4
Shipped from factory 4/1/65

North Side Laundry
3040 State Street
Santa Barbara, California
Serial #32507

Nu System Cleaners
First and Front Street
Selma, California
Serial #R32324

Nu Way Laundry
8th and C Streets
Victorville, California
Serial #32573
Serial #32505

Ojai Valley Cleaners
345 East Ojai Avenue
Ojai, California
Serial #33044

Orange Villa Laundry
1772 North Tustin
Orange, California
Serial #33041

Orchid Cleaners and Laundry
1535 South Nevato Blvd.
Nevato, California
Serial #33704

Paralamo Laundry
4928 Paramount Blvd.
Lakewood, California
Serial #33116
Serial #32765

Paramount Cleaners
400 West Main Street
Santa Maria, California
Serial #31374

Peninsula French Laundry
1251 California Drive
Burlingame, California
Serial #33352
Serial #R31885

Pride Laundry
5867 West 3rd Street
Los Angeles, California
Serial #R32969

Pullman Colonial Laundry and
Cleaners
665 16th Street
San Diego, California
Serial #31907, Serial #32495

Rancho Cleaners
198 East Baseline
Rialto, California
Serial #R32384

Ray-fa Cleaners and Laundry
4362½ South Figueroa
Los Angeles, California
Serial #34045

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CALIFORNIA (Con't)

Ricardo's Cleaners and Laundry
24232 Hawthorne Blvd.
Walteria, California
Serial #31154

Riverside (dba)
Washwell
4021 West Alameda
Burbank, California
Serial #32938

Robin Cleaners and Laundry
Hamilton AFB, California
Serial #32799

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Ross Cleaners & Laundry
2500-02 South Saviers Rd.
Oxnard; SN 31388

Rytina Laundromat
2525 Yorktown
Sacramento; SN 32878

Sainte Claire Laundry
867 Sherman St.,
Santa Clara; SN 31431; 31433

Sanitary Laundry
2140 O'Farrell
San Francisco; SN 31315; 31274

San Diego Finish Laundry
1130 25th St.
San Diego; SN R33792

San Diego Fluff Dry Laundry
1130 25th Street
San Diego; SN 31271

Nicolay-Ketzbeck, Inc.
Sanimatic Laundry
8611 West 3rd St.
Los Angeles; SN 30902

Sanimatic Cleaners & Laundry
8611 West 3rd St.
Los Angeles; SN 31432

Sanitary Golden West Laundry
3815 Broadway
Oakland; SN 33047; 31879;
SN 31880; 31878; 31881

Sanitex Cleaners & French
Hand Laundry, Inc.
1631 16th St.,
Bakersfield; SN 31386; R33348;
SN R32867

San Leandro French Laundry
San Leandro; SN 33616

San Leandro French Laundry
251 Estudillo Ave.
San Leandro; SN 32711; 31815;
SN 31814

San Rafael Laundry & Cleaners
926 Third St.
San Rafael; SN 33617

Santa Fe Laundromatic & Dry
Cleaners
10018 Orr and Day Road
Santa Fe Springs; SN 32715

Saratoga Laundry
1173 B Campbell
San Jose; SN 31637

Sarin Equipment Co.
1093 Natoma St.
San Francisco; SN 32902

Savoy Cleaners & Laundry
220 North Verdugo Rd.
Glendale, Calif; SN 33110

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CALIFORNIA (CONT.)

Sequoia Laundry & Cleaners
53 North Perry St.
Redwood City; SN 33572

Sequoia Linen
53 Perry St.
Redwood City; SN 33613

Sesma Cleaners
130 Elm Street
Anaheim; SN R33595

Sid's Cleaners
709 West Duarante
Arcadia; SN 32209

Sloan Laundry & Cleaners
3001 North Main St.
Los Angeles; SN R32387

Space Dry Cleaning & Laundry
Vandenberg Air Force Base,
Calif.; SN 31901

Sparkle Laundry
2941 Tulare St.
Fresno; SN 32855

Sparkle Laundry & Cleaners
1011 West San Bernardino
Covina; SN 32357

Sparkle Cleaners & Laundry
1100 Harbor Blvd.
Anaheim; SN 32049

Sparkle Laundry & Cleaners
624 Scenter St.
Taft; SN R32416

Sparkle Laundry & Cleaners
121 Niles St.
Bakersfield; SN 32261

Speedway Laundry
4759 Valley Blvd.
Los Angeles; SN R32533

Speedway Laundry & Cleaners
4757 Valley Blvd.
Los Angeles; SN R32489; R32487

Spic & Span Dry Cleaners
& Laundry
5910 Edinger,
Huntington Beach; SN R33505

Stanford Cleaners
2875 ElCamino
Palo Alto; SN 32506

Stonewood Laundry & Cleaners
9043 Stonewood Ave.,
Downey; SN 33038

Sudden Service
1412 Blakstone
Fresno; SN 32438

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Superior Laundry
500 West Main St.
Santa Maria; SN 31790; 31385

Swiss Cleaners & Laundry
9051 Woodman Ave.
Pacoima; SN 33308

Tinkerbell Laundry & Cleaners
Chatsworth and Balboa
Granada Hills; SN R32630

Towne Cleaners, Inc.
425 North Santa Anita Ave.
Arcadia; SN R32512

Triwest Equipment Co.
808 El Camino
Menlo Park; SN 32756

Troy Laundry & Cleaners
1309 California Way
Longview; SN 32659

29 Palms Cleaners, Inc.
6376 Adobe Rd.
29 Palms; SN 31413

Unique Cleaners & Laundry
2307 G Main
Ventura; SN 33131

University City Washette
and Cleaners
3316 Governor Drive
San Diego; SN 32211

University of Santa Clara
Santa Clara; SN 32338

Valet Service
5218 East Beverly Blvd.
Los Angeles; SN 32712

Valley of the Moon Laundry
17533 Sonoma Highway
Boyes Hot Springs; SN R33147;
SN 32784

Van Shirt Finishing
1601 Raymond
Monrovia; SN R32413; R32385

Velvetone Laundry
8628 Woodman
Panorama City; SN 33622

Village Cleaners
Thousand Oaks Shopping Center
Thousand Oaks; SN 33097

Vogue Cleaners
315 North Verdugo
Glendale; SN 33483

Walters Laundry
2679 Randolph
Huntington Park; SN R33368

Weber Aircraft Corp., c/o
Base Cleaners,
North Air Force Base
San Bernardino; SN 32797

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Williams Laundry
223 East Santa Fe St.
Fullerton; SN 31633; 31679;
SN 31640

Wise N. Knapp
9322 Katella
Garden Grove; SN 32885

Wright's Laundry & Cleaners
670 Broadway
El Centro; SN 33651

Yee Yuen
1719 West Adams
Los Angeles; SN R32974;
SN 32700

City French Hand Laundry
and Cleaners
4414 South Vermont
Los Angeles; SN 31216; 31217

Marshall Steel Co.
5427 Telegraph
Oakland; SN 31226

Gold Coast Laundry
1838 East 41 Peace
Los Angeles; SN 31230

Fremont Laundry & Cleaners
954 Villa
Mountain View; SN 31232

City Cleaners
302 Third St.
Oceanside; SN 31238

Kings Laundry & Cleaners
First and Broadway
Atwater; SN 31241

American Laundry
7 Sacramento
Placeville; SN 31267

SanDiego Fluff Dry Laundry
1130 25th St.
San Diego; SN 31271

Mar-Ray Cleaners
853 West Manchester
Los Angeles; SN 31275

Biltmore Hotel
515 South Olive St.
Los Angeles; SN 31276

Arrow Laundry & Cleaners
630 East 6th Street
Santa Anna; SN 31277

Home Laundry
200 Fairview
Santa Anna; SN 31277

White Rose Laundry
1537 West Santa Barbara
Los Angeles; SN 31288; 31289

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Mar-Ray Cleaners
853 West Manchester
Los Angeles; SN 31301

Corfee Laundry & Dry
Cleaning, Inc.
2414 16th Street
Sacramento; SN 31303

Sanitary Laundry
2140 O'Farrell
San Francisco; SN 31315

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HAWAII

ABO Laundry
210-C Puuhale Road
Honolulu, Hawaii
SR 32327

Perfection Dry Cleaners, Inc.
650 Kilani Blvd.
Wahiawa, Hawaii
SR R32811

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IDAHO

Enterprise Laundry
612 Main Street
Kellog, Idaho
SN 33558

Troy Parision Laundry
625 West Center St.
Pocatello, Idaho
SN 31907

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ILLINOIS

Alice Cleaners
1110 Granville
Chicago, Illinois
SN 33881

Biehls Cleaners
4819 Sterling
Peoria, Illinois
SN 33844

Breens Laundry
11 North La Grange Road
La Grange, Illinois
SN 33052

Brookside Corp.
8701 West Elm Street
Mc Henry, Il.
SN 32917

Central Laundry
155 East Cass Street
Joliet, Il.
SN 33764

Champion Laundry
2500 West Fullerton
Chicago, Il.
SN 31372
SN 31304

Cloth Care
1016 Busse Highway
Park Ridge, Il.
SN 33468

Home Launderers
Third and Lincoln
Bloomington, Il.
SN R33366

Illinois Laundry and Cleaners
719 Columbus Street
Ottawa, Il.
SN 31307

Joliet Home Laundry
133 East Jefferson St.
Joliet, Il.
SN 32624
SN 33514

K Cleaners
5545 North Milwaukee
Chicago, Il.
SN 33833

F. W. Means & Co.
2137 West Madison
Chicago, Il.
SN 32697
SN 32782

Model Laundry
164 La Salle St.
Aurora, Il.
SN 32570

Model Souders Inc.
518 N. Neil St.
Champaign, Il.
SN 32494