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TO: SAC, PITTSBURGH (44-578)
SAC, MEMPHIS (44-1987)

FROM: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)

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RE PG TEL APRIL NINE LAST.

REMAINING LATENT FINGERPRINTS THIS CASE NOT IDENTICAL FINGERPRINTS
DANNY CARLTON MARKINS, BORN [REDACTED] ROACH,
WEST VIRGINIA, ARMY SERVICE NUMBER FIVE TWO FIVE TWO EIGHT ZERO
FIVE THREE. NO PALM PRINTS AVAILABLE.

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NPSIC3964/69 KINDLY TREAT AS URGENT AND REPLY BY RETURN WIRE. THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE RECEIVED FROM QUEBEC PROVINCIAL POLICE MONTREAL

QUOTE WE ARE HOLDING TWO MEN FROM USA (1) WILLIAM ARTHUR LAFLEUR
[REDACTED] 5. FT 10 IN 170 LBS BLUE EYES LIGHT BROWN HAIR ADDRESS 2334 NEW
OVERTON PORTLAND OREGON USA. OWNER AND DRIVER OF A 1966 RED CORVETTE
BEARING LIC KCF-059 OREGON 1968. HE HAS AN I D CARD FROM US AGRI-
CULTURE DEPT BEARING NBR 51 ISSUED 11 JUN 63 NO EXPIRY DATE. VEHICLE
SER NBR 194376 S 111569 DRIVER LIC NBR 847195 OREGON 1968. HE CAME
THROUGH LACOLLE BORDER AROUND NOON TODAY

(2) DOUGLAS DEMPEWOLD DOB [REDACTED] ADDRESS 8 FAIRWOOD POINTE CLAIRE
PQ BORN IN BLAINE TEXAS 5 FT 7 IN 210 LBS . COULD YOU CHECK FOR
CRIMINAL RECORD FOR THESE MEN. WILLIAM ARTHUR LAFLEUR ANSWERS TO
THE DESCRIPTION GIVEN BY THE PAPERS REGARDING THE MURDER OF MR
MARTIN LUTHER KING. HOPING AN ANSWER IN NEAR FUTURE UNQUOTE

LINE EIGHT SHOULD READ OREGON 1968

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CC-MR. Trotter

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By Mr. [REDACTED] 20 APR 1968 Time 1143 PM

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THE DESCRIPTION GIVEN BY THE PAPERS REGARDING THE MURDER OF MR
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BO BORN IN BEAUNE TEXAS 2 11 1 IN SIC RES. COMED AND CHECK FOR
(S) DORRIS DEWBERG DOB [REDACTED] ADDRESS 8 EVIEWOOD BOUL. STAINE
THROUGH PASADENA BORDER AROUND NOON TODAY
SEE NEW 124312 2 11 1968 DRIVER TIC NEW 24102 OREGON 1968. NEW CAME
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ONE HE NEW HOLDING TWO MEN FROM NEW (1) WILLIAM VINCE TAYLOR
BOTTOMING MESSAGE RECEIVED FROM OREGON PROVINCIAL POLICE MONTREAL
MONTREALS KINDLY TRAVEL AS PRESENT AND BEING BY MARTIN KING. THE

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TO: DIRECTOR

FROM: JACKSONVILLE (157-1534)

ASSASSINATION OF MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. RM

2 RE TAMPA TEL TO BUREAU, MEMPHIS AND JACKSONVILLE
APRIL FIVE LAST.

INVESTIGATION ST. AUGUSTINE, FLA., DETERMINED RAY
COCHRANE (PHONETIC) DESCRIBED IN REFERENCED TELETYPE,
IDENTICAL TO RAY D. ETTTEL, MANAGER, GATORLAND, ST. AUGUSTINE,
FLORIDA, WHICH IS OWNED BY ETTTEL'S FATHER.

ETTEL INTERVIEWED AND DENIED KNOWLEDGE OF CAPTIONED
MATTER AND OF EVER HAVING DRAWN BEAD ON MARTIN LUTHER KING.

ETTEL STATED ALTHOUGH HE DID NOT BELIEVE IN KING'S

ACTIVITIES HE FEELS ASSASSINATION UNWARRANTED.

ETTEL STATED HE OWNS SEVERAL RIFLES AND IS AVID HUNTER.

HE ALSO ADVISED HE WAS EMPLOYED BY PACIFIC GUN SIGHT CO., APR 10 1968

OMAHA, NEBRASKA, FROM OCTOBER NINETEEN SIXTY FIVE TO

APRIL NINETEEN SIXTY SIX

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ETTEL STATED ON APRIL FOUR LAST HE WORKED AT GATORLAND, ST. AUGUSTINE, FLORIDA, FROM EIGHT A.M. TO SIX P.M. AND THIS WAS VERIFIED BY WIFE. ST JOHNS COUNTY DEPUTY BOB BISSELL, ST. AUGUSTINE, FLA., NEIGHBOR TO ETTEL STATED HE SAW ETTEL LATE WEDNESDAY NIGHT AT RESIDENCE. DEPUTY SHERIFF VAN LINDSEY, ST. JOHNS COUNTY SO, NEXT DOOR NEIGHBOR TO ETTEL ADVISED HE SAW ETTEL AT RESIDENCE THURSDAY EVENING, APRIL FOUR LAST.

~~AKA RAY X COCHRANE~~
~~RAY D. ETTEL~~ DESCRIBED AS WHITE MALE, DOB [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] AT SOUTH BEND, INDIANA, FIVE FEET ELEVEN INCHES, TWO HUNDRED TEN LBS., MEDIUM TO HEAVY BUILD, BROWN HAIR AND EYES, MEDIUM COMPLEXION, MARRIED WITH TWO CHILDREN, RESIDENCE FIVE ONE ONE A STREET, ST. AUGUSTINE BEACH, FLA.

MEMPHIS AND TAMPA ADVISED AIRMAIL.

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cc-Mr. Trainor

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FBI DENVER

1:42 AM MST URGENT 7-8-68 FCD

TO: DIRECTOR, MEMPHIS, BUTTE, KANSAS CITY, LITTLE ROCK, NEW HAVEN
AND SALT LAKE CITY

FROM: DENVER (157-203) 2P

MURKIN, CR. OO: MEMPHIS.

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RE BOSTON TELETYPE TO BUREAU APRIL EIGHT, SIXTY EIGHT.

FOR INFORMATION KC AND NH, BOSTON OFFICE INTERVIEWED VINCENT JAMES DE PALMA, NEWPORT, R.I., FORMER MINUTEMAN, WHO REPEATED INFO HE PREVIOUSLY FURNISHED TO ATTD INVESTIGATOR KARL E. TERLAU AT DENVER JANUARY LAST TO EFFECT THAT MINUTEMEN PLANNED TO KILL KING, ETC.. DE PALMA ADVISED THAT IF MINUTEMEN RESPONSIBLE ASSASSIN COULD BE MIKE LNU FROM TEXAS DESCRIBED WM, ITALIAN EXTRATION, TWENTY SIX, FIVE FEET TEN INCHES, ONE HUNDRED SEVENTY LBS., LIGHT COMPLEXION, THICK BLACK CURLY HAIR. MIKE OWNED MILK TRUCK PAINTED WHITE WITH KANSAS LICENSE LAST KNOWN TO BE PARKED AT TOPAZ MINING CO. NEAR SALT LAKE CITY.

DENVER FILES CONTAIN COPY OF TERLAU'S REPORT DATED JAN TWENTY TWO, SIXTY EIGHT, AND REFLECT THAT SAME HAS BEEN FURNISHED TO APR 10 1968 LISTED OFFICES. NO ADDITIONAL INFO IN DENVER FILES RE MIKE.

KANSAS CITY AND NEW HAVEN AS OO OF MINUTEMEN AND DE PALMA CASES REVIEW FILES FOR POSSIBLE IDENTITY OF QUOTE MIKE UNQUOTE.

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Mr. TROTTER, Chairman; Mr. BULLIS, Vice-Chairman; Mr. LITTE ROCK, also present.

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BUTTE, LITTLE ROCK, AND SALT LAKE CITY OFFICES SUTEL MEMPHIS
RESULTS OF PRIOR INVESTIGATION TO VERIFY INFO PREVIOUSLY FURNISHED
BY DE PALMA TO ATTD.

DENVER WILL RECONTACT ATTU INVESTIGATOR TERLAU.

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DENIAL NOT RECORDED WITH INVESTIGATION LETTER.
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 RESULTS OF BUREAU INVESTIGATION TO ARRIVE THIS WEEKEND. REASSIGNED
 PHILIP T. LEE BOOK. AND SUCH HAVE BEEN OFFICER JOHN W. HARRIS
 ON 121-802
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TO DIRECTOR, BIRMINGHAM, MEMPHIS, BOSTON, NEWARK, NEW HAVEN
AND NEW YORK

FROM ALBANY /157-273/ 5P

MURKIN CR OO MEMPHIS

RE TEL CALLS TO BUREAU MEMPHIS AND BIRMINGHAM THIS DATE.

SEARCH OF PREMISES BELIEVED OCCUPIED BY UNSUB WHO
ASSASSINATED DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING ON FOUR FOUR SIXTYEIGHT
DISCLOSED SUITCASE IN WHICH WAS LOCATED TEE SHIRT AND UNDER
SHORTS 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 ONE
QUARTER INCH WIDE AND ONE AND ONE SIXTEENTH INCH LONG AND BEARS
LETTERS AND NUMBERS EITHER D TWO B DASH SIX OR ZERO TWO B DASH
SIX.

BUREAU HAS INSTRUCTED THAT ALL TEXTILE MACHINES USING
THIS TYPE TAPE BE LOCATED AND THE MACHINE USING THIS CODE BE
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HE TEL CALLS TO BUREAU MEMPHIS AND BIRMINGHAM THIS DATE.

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FROM ALBANY 4121-5121 26

AND NEW YORK

TO DIRECTOR BIRMINGHAM MEMPHIS BOSTON NEWARK NEW HAVEN

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CALLS BY ALBANY OFFICE TO ALL SALES REPRESENTATIVES OF TEXTILE MARKING MACHINE CO. DISCLOSED THAT ONLY ONE AREA OF UNITED STATES (NORTHEAST) UTILIZES THIS CODE SYSTEM ON THIS TAPE. THE CODE IS AS FOLLOWS: THE FIRST LETTER O OR D STANDS FOR LOT NUMBER; FIRST NUMBER DESIGNATES DAY OF WEEK, TWO BEING TUESDAY; SECOND LETTER IS FIRST LETTER OF THE STORE NAME; LAST NUMBER IS THE BUNDLE NUMBER. COLOR CODING OF TAG MAY DESIGNATE VARIOUS THINGS SUCH AS THE IDENTITY OF A STORE IN A CHAIN. FOR IDENTIFICATION IT APPEARS THAT THE MACHINE PRODUCING THE TAPE WAS DEFECTIVE CAUSING A CUT OFF OF THE TAPE BY ONE SIXTEENTH INCH AND CUTTING A PORTION OF THE FIRST LETTER. ALSO DETERMINED THAT THE USE OF THIS SYSTEM ON LAUNDRY ITEMS IS UNUSUAL IN THAT IT IS NORMALLY USED ON GARMENTS BEING DRY CLEANED.

FOLLOWING ARE DISTRIBUTORS OF THERMO-SEAL MACHINES WHO MAY HAVE SOLD MACHINES TO STORES WHOS NAMES BEGIN WITH THE LETTER B.

BOSTON: LEWIS NATIONAL CORP., ONE MT. VERNON ST.
DORCHESTER, MASS., NEWARK: PROSPERITY DIVISION OF AMETEK
ONE SEVEN TWO FIVE ORIENT WAY RUTHERFORD, N.J.: NEW YORK
DELTA CLEANERS EQUIPMENT CO., EIGHT SEVEN FIVE PROSPECT
AVE., WESTBURY, L.I.; EXCELL LAUNDRY MACHINERY CO. FIVE
ONE FOUR SECOND ST., BROOKLYN, N.Y. WHO SOLD A MACHINE
DELIVERED SEVEN TWENTYTWO SIXTYSIX TO BIG SIX DRIVE IN
CLEANERS, ADDRESS NOT KNOWN AT SYRACUSE, N.Y.;

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MILL NATIONAL CORP. ONE ONE ZERO ONE EAST TREMONT AVE. BRONX,
N.Y. AND KAY-BEE EQUIP. CORP. SEVEN SEVEN DASH ZERO FIVE
SEVENTYSIXTH ST. GLENDALE, L.I..

THESE COMPANIES WILL BE CONTACTED BY OFFICES DESIGNATED
TO DETERMINE IF ANY MACHINES WERE SOLD TO ANY OTHER COMPANIES
BEGINNING WITH LETTER B, WHICH MACHINES MAKE TAPES ONE QUARTER
INCH WIDE AND ONE AND ONE EIGHTH INCH LONG.

FOLLOWING ARE STORES KNOWN TO TEXTILE MARKING MACHINE CO.
WHO HAVE ABOVE DESCRIBED MACHINES AND MAY USE THIS CODING
SYSTEM;

BOSTON: BELFORTIE CLEANERS INC. ONE SIX FIVE HIGH ST.
CLINTON, MASS.

NEWARK: BARCLAY CLEANERS BARCLAY CENTER ROUTE SEVENTY
HADDENFIELD, N.J., BERGEN VALET INC. TWO EIGHT EAST MAIN ST.
BERGENFIELD, N.J.; BOND CLEANERS TWO ZERO FIVE TWO
NOTTINGHAM WAY, TRENTON, N.J.

NEW HAVEN: BARRY CLEANERS THREE ONE SIX BRIDGE APPROACH
NEW LONDON SHOPPING CENTER, NEW LONDON, CONN., BARTON AND
ROY SIX EIGHT JENSEN ST., MANCHESTER, CONN.
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NEW YORK: BELL BOY DRIVE IN CLEANERS THREE SIX ONE
BEACH CHANNEL DRIVE, FAR ROCKAWAY, L.I., BEACHURST CLEANERS
ONE ONE DASH ZERO FIVE ONE FIFTYURTH ST. BEACHURST, L.I.,
BEVY CLEANERS BOICES LANE AND ROUTE NINE W, ULSTER, N.Y.,
BON-ART CLEANERS AND LAUNDRY THIRTYFIFTH AND THREE FIVE ZERO
FIVE JUNCTION BLVD., CORONA, N.Y., JOSEPH G. BRICKNER AND
CHARLES E. MARTIN TWO NINE FIVE MEDFORD AVE., PATCHOGUE, N.Y.,
BRIGHTON LAUNDRY TWO SIX TWO THREE WEST SIXTH ST., BROOKLYN, N.Y.,
BRONX PRESSING MACHINE CO. ONE ONE ZERO ONE E. TREMONT AVE.
BRONX, N.Y. (ALSO LOCATION OF MILL NATIONAL CORP. LISTED
ABOVE AND ALSO HAS SOLD TWO MACHINES IN NINETEEN SIXTYFIVE,
LOCATIONS NOT KNOWN.), BUDGET CLEANERS FOUR FIVE AVENUE
B, N.Y.C. BUDGEWOOD SERVICE TWO FOUR SEVEN TWO THIRD AVE.
BRONX, N.Y., BURRACHIO BROS. ONE TWO FOUR FOUR WEST BROADWAY
HEWLITT, L.I..

ABOVE OFFICES WILL, UPON RECEIPT OF COLOR PHOTO OF TAPE
AND ARTISTS CONCEPTION, IMMEDIATELY CONTACT THESE BUSINESS
PLACES TO IDENTIFY LAUNDRY MARK AND UNSUB. BUREAU

HAS

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INSTRUCTED LEADS MUST BE HANDLED IMMEDIATELY.

BUREAU IS REQUESTED TO FURNISH COLOR PHOTOS OF
LAUNDRY TAPES TO ALBANY, BOSTON, NEWARK, NEW HAVEN AND NEW YORK IN
SUFFICIENT QUANTITIES TO ENABLE COVERAGE OF ABOVE LEADS.

BIRMINGHAM OR MEMPHIS WILL FURNISH COPIES OF ARTISTS
CONCEPTION TO BOSTON, NEWARK, NEW HAVEN AND NEW YORK IN
SUFFICIENT QUANTITIES TO COVER LEADS.

NEW YORK MAY DESIRE TO CONTACT FRED WEBER THREE THREE
SKYLARK LANE, STONYBROOK, L.I., TEL NO. SEVEN FIVE ONE
TWO ONE THREE FIVE WHO IS SALES REPRESENTATIVE FOR TEXTILE
MARKING MACHINE CO. AND WHO MAY BE ABLE TO GIVE ASSISTANCE.

ALBANY WILL DISPLAY PHOTOS OF LAUNDRY TAPE TO EDWARD
BROUTON, TEXTILE MACHINE MARKING CO., SYRACUSE, N.Y. FOR
ANY ADDITIONAL INFO HE MAY BE ABLE TO FURNISH.

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cc Mr. Conrad

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BOSTON, TEXTILE MACHINE MAKING CO., SYRACUSE, N.Y. FOR

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6-08PM W URGENT 3/6/68 RJC

TO DIRECTOR, BIRMINGHAM, MEMPHIS AND MOBILE
FROM NEW HAVEN (157-818)

UNSUB; MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. - VICTIM. CR.

REURTEL TODAY AND TEL CALL AND NH TEL CALL TODAY.

STANLEY LEXEMBURG, VICE PRESIDENT, LIGGETT-REXALL, STAMFORD,
CONN. FURNISHED FOLLOWING AS OUTLETS OF LIGGETT-REXALL DRUG,
ALABAMA.

STORE NO. ADDRESS, CITY AND STATE TEL. NO. MANAGER

1909 7714 EASTWOOD MALL, BIRMINGHAM, ALA. 592-8149 CARLOS CANAS

1911 1931 FIRST AVE., BIRMINGHAM, ALA. 254-3249 AMOS STEPHENS

1912 AGRICOLA S/C 301 D. NORTH 12TH ST, GADSDEN, ALA 542-4987

LEON LEVENS.

1921 ROEBUCK PLAZA S/C 9142 S. 4TH AVE., BIRMINGHAM, ALA. 833-7681

ROBERT LOVE.

1922 5 POINTS WEST 200 BESSNER RD., BIRMINGHAM, ALA. 785-4141

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MEMO FOR

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-441100) FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (100-100000) (P)

SUBJECT: MURDER OF MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.; CIVIL RIGHTS

RE: NEW YORK TELETYPE TO BUREAU, APRIL EIGHT LAST.

ENCLOSED FOR THE BUREAU ARE TWO COPIES OF A LETTERHEAD

MEMORANDUM DATED AND CAPTIONED AS ABOVE, AND TWO COPIES OF A

LETTER.

ADMINISTRATIVE NOTE: NEW YORK OFFICE IS REQUESTING THAT THE

GEORGIA ATTORNEY GENERAL, JAMES EARL RAY, BE INTERVIEWED

RE: NEW YORK TELETYPE TO BUREAU, APRIL EIGHT LAST.

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FOLLOWING AGENTS FOR LIGGETT-REXALL DRUGS.

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9470 2029 CENTER POINT RD., BIRMINGHAM, ALA.

9520 26 MIDFIELD PARK PLACE, MIDFIELD, ALA.

9536 1 DWIGHT SQUARE, GADSDEN, ALA.

9554 1021 SOUTH 20TH ST., BIRMINGHAM, ALA.

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Memorandum

TO : Mr. Rosen *RW*
FROM : C. L. McGowan *dw*
SUBJECT: MURKIN

DATE: April 8, 1968

1 - Mr. Rosen
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At 5:45 p. m. , Mr. A. C. Hayden, Information Unit, Department of Justice, telephonically advised that at 5:30 p. m. , today, Beatrice Rosenberg, a secretary in the Attorney General's Office, had received a telephone call from an individual who identified himself as Frederick Dunstan. Dunstan had a "Negro" accent and claimed he resided on Route 350, ~~Whitefield~~ North Carolina. Dunstan said he was calling the Attorney General to report that that time a white man was in his house, was drunk, had a gun, and said he killed Martin Luther King. Dunstan claimed he was scared and that was the reason for his call.

A check of the postal guide disclosed no Whitefield, but a Whiteville was found. A check of Bureau files disclosed no information identifiable with Dunstan or Dunston. A search slip on possible variations is being sent by the Service Unit; however, no references appear for the locality of North Carolina. *Yc*

ACTION:

At 6 p. m. , Acting Night Supervisor Thomas H. George, Charlotte, was provided the above information and instructed to expeditiously conduct investigation concerning this matter.

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ADDENDUM: WLB:hw 4-8-68 9:20 P. M.

SA George telephonically advised that a check of Whiteville area had failed to identify Frederick Dunstan and investigation with rural mail carriers had failed to disclose a Rural Route 350, Box 350, or Highway 350. He stated Charlotte indices contain no information identifiable with Dunstan under various spellings and that as soon as possible Charlotte would check the records of the power and light and telephone companies in an attempt to identify Dunstan. As soon as investigation is completed, Charlotte will submit a teletype.

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ADDENDUM

HGR:rmr

4/9/68

At 8:15 a. m., 4/9/68, SAC Murphy, Charlotte, was advised that the North Carolina road map indicates a Rural Route 350 that runs between Colerain and Aulander, North Carolina, in Bertie and Hertford Counties. He was instructed to have the rural mail carriers and local authorities contacted in an effort to identify Dunstan and interview him for full details concerning this matter and submit a teletype. SAC Murphy stated there is a Woodville in Bertie County and that could possibly be the town Dunstan mentioned.

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FBI BIRMGHAM

856PM URGENT 4-7-68 HEP

TO DIRECTOR, MEMPHIS, NEW YORK

FROM BIRMINGHAM (44-1740) 3P

MURKIN; CR.

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SUMMARY OF INVESTIGATION:

LIST OF ALL KNOWN CUSTOMERS FOR MARCH TWENTYNINE AND THIRTY, SIXTYEIGHT, OBTAINED FROM INVOICES OF AEROMARINE SUPPLY COMPANY. AVAILABLE CUSTOMERS BEING INTERVIEWED. ONE CUSTOMER RECALLS AN INDIVIDUAL WHO MAY BE IDENTICAL TO UNSUB; HOWEVER, DESCRIPTION VARIES FROM THAT FURNISHED BY AEROMARINE EMPLOYEES IN THAT HE IS DESCRIBED AS HAVING DARK BROWN HAIR WITH TENDENCY TO BE CURLY AND FULL ON SIDES, FULL FACE, WEIGHT ONE SEVEN ZERO, HEIGHT FIVE FEET TEN INCHES.

WHEN SHOWN ARTIST CONCEPTION OF UNSUB HE INDICATED THE EYES AND HAIR WERE NOT SIMILAR TO HIS RECOLLECTION OF UNSUB. STATED HAIR SHOULD BE THICKER AND COMBED STRAIGHT BACK. CUSTOMER STATED HE WAS AT GUN SHOP FROM APPROXIMATELY TWO FIFTEEN PM UNTIL THREE THIRTY PM AT WHICH TIME THIS INDIVIDUAL WAS WATCHING SALESMAN MOUNT BUSHNET FLE. HE CONCLUDED THIS PERSON HAD LITTLE KNOWLEDGE OF GUNS. ONE ADDITIONAL

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CUSTOMER KNOWN TO HAVE HAD CONVERSATION WITH SAME PERSON HAS BEEN IDENTIFIED AND EFFORTS BEING MADE TO LOCATE.

SEVERAL EMPLOYEES PARLIAMENT HOUSE MOTEL INDICATED ARTIST CONCEPTION OF UNSUB FAMILIAR TO THEM AS OCCASIONAL CUSTOMER IN PAST. INVESTIGATION BEING CONCENTRATED TO IDENTIFY THIS INDIVIDUAL.

ALL LIGGETT-REXALL OUTLETS IN DIVISION CONTACTED NEGATIVELY. DETERMINED THESE OUTLETS USE NATIONAL CASH REGISTERS. MEMPHIS REQUESTED TO FORWARD COPY OF CASH REGISTER RECEIPTS TO JACKSONVILLE FOR CONTACT WITH NATIONAL CASH REGISTER COMPANY TO IDENTIFY RETAIL OUTLET UTILIZING RECEIPTS.

ALL LAUNDRIES UTILIZING THERMO-SEAL MACHINE MANUFACTURED BY TEXTILE MARKING COMPANY CHECKED NEGATIVELY.

PENETRATIVE AND THOROUGH NEIGHBORHOOD INVESTIGATION IN AREA OF ONE NINE ZERO SEVEN SOUTH ELEVENTH STREET CONDUCTED IN A FIFTEEN SQUARE BLOCK RADIUS UTILIZING ARTIST CONCEPTION. AREA WILL BE EXPANDED. ALL HOTELS, MOTELS, AIR AND BUS FACILITIES, AUTO AGENCIES, TAXICAB COMPANIES BEING CONTACTED. CAR DRIVERS' TRIP SHEETS AND DISPATCHER LOGS ANALYZED AND APPROPRIATE INDIVIDUALS BEING INTERVIEWED.

NEW YORK REQUESTED TO CHECK AMEXCO FOR ACCOUNTS IN NAMES OF LOWMEYER, LEHMEYER AND WILLARD. DINERS CLUB, BIRMINGHAM BEING

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CHECKED.

LIST OF INDIVIDUALS RENTING AUTOMOBILES BIRMINGHAM MARCH ONE
TO APRIL FIVE, SIXTYEIGHT, BEING EXAMINED AND LOGICAL LEADS BEING
CHECKED.

ALL AIRPORT PERSONNEL RECHECKED WITH ARTIST CONCEPTION WITH
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FBI BOSTON

1204AM URGENT 4--8-68 WMG

TO DIRECTOR, MEMPHIS DENVER LITTLE ROCK LALT LAKE CITY BUTTE WFO
FROM BOSTON

MURKIN CR.

RE NEW HAVEN TEL FOUR-SEVEN LAST.

VINCENT JAMES DE PALMA BORN [REDACTED]

ARMY SER NO. RA ONE ONE THREE SIX ZERO THREE EIGHT ZERO EMPLOYED BY
TRANSIT BUS LINES NEWPORT R.I. SINCE FEBRUARY EIGHTEEN LAST WORKED
NIGHT OF APRIL FOUR LAST UNTIL ONE THIRTY A.M. APRIL FIVE LAST. ALSO
WORKED FEBRUARY TWENTY LAST SEVEN A.M. TO FIVE THIRTY P.M. AND
FEBRUARY TWENTYONE LAST TEN THIRTY A.M. TO FIVE THIRTY P.M. ACCORDING
TO SUPERVISOR AND RECORDS. DE PALMA INTERVIEWED AND DENIED ANY
KNOWLEDGE OF SLAYING OF KING OF BOMBING SOVIET EMBASSY OTHER THAN
THAT IN NEWS MEDIA.

DE PALMA IS IN FEAR OF HIS LIFE FROM MINUTEMEN AND FURNISHED
FOLLOWING INFORMATION ON CONFIDENTIAL BASIS. MINUTEMEN HAD PLANNED
TO KILL KING, RAP BROWN AND STOKELY CARMICHAEL TO PROMOTE CIVIL
STRIKE ON WHICH THEY WOULD CAPITOLIZE AND SEIZE CONTROL. ALSO
PLANNED PROSECUTORS AND INVESTIGATORS.

DE PALMA FURNISHED TO ATTU DENVER COLORADO DETAILS REGARDING

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MINUTEMAN HIDEOUT ON FARM NEAR FAYETTEVILLE, ARKANSAS WHERE HE LAST SAW ROBERT DE PUGH DECEMBER TWENTYTHREE LAST. HE HEARD MINUTEMEN HAVE HIDEOUT IN A NATIONAL FOREST IN MONTANA ONE AND ONE HALF DAY HIKE FROM NEAREST ROAD. DE PALMA IS OF THE OPINION DE PUGH PROBABLY HIDING AT FAYETTEVILLE WITH JOAN WORLEY IS EIGHTEEN YEAR OLD PARAMOUR WALTER PAYSON AND MRS. PAYSON, ALL ARMED AND DANGEROUS AND PROBABLY IN CONTACT WITH OWN FATHER.

HE SUGGESTS THAT IF MINUTEMEN KILLED KING ASSASIN COULD BE MIKE, LNU FROM TEXAS WM/ITALIAN EXTRACTION/ TWENTYSIX YEARS OLD/ FIVE FEET TEN INCHES/ ONE HUNDRED SEVENTY POUNDS/ LIGHT COMPLEXION/THICK BLACK CURLY HAIR. MIKE OWNED MILK TRUCK PAINTED WHITE WITH KANSAS LICENSE WHICH WAS PARKED AT TOPAZ MINING CO. MINUTEMAN FRONT SALT LAKE CITY UTAH WHICH HE PREVIOUSLY IDENTIFIED TO ATTU DENVER COLORADO.

DENVER CONTACT ATTU FOR DETAILS OF INFORMATION FURNISHED BY DEPARTMENT AND ADVISE APPROPRIATE OFFICES.

SALT LAKE CITY, LITTLE ROCK AND BUTTE ADVISE FOR POSSIBLE FUTURE ACTION.

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FBI BOSTON

146AM URGENT 4-8-68 TJT

TO DIRECTOR, MEMPHIS, DENVER, LITTLE ROCK, SALT LAKE CITY, BUTTE, WFO
FROM BOSTON

MURKIN CR.

RE BOSTON TEL SENT YOUR OFFICE, TWELVE TWENTY THREE AM INSTANT
DATE. NEXT TO LAST SENTENCE FIRST PAGE WHICH READS AS FOLLOWS:
ALSO PLANNED PROSECUTORS AND INVESTIGATORS.

SHOULD READ THUS: ALSO PLANNED TO KILL PROSECUTORS AND
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TO DIRECTOR, BIRMINGHAM, MEMPHIS, NEW ORLEANS, SEATTLE.

FROM SALT LAKE CITY 44-253 P 5P

MURKIN, CR. OO MEMPHIS.

RE BOSTON AND DENVER TELS APRIL EIGHT, NINETEEN SIXTYEIGHT.

RE INFORMATION FURNISHED BY VINCENT JAMES DE PALMA SUGGESTING
IF MINUTEMAN KILLED KING, ASSASSIN COULD BE MIKE (LNU) FROM TEXAS,
DESCRIBED AS WHITE, MALE, ITALIAN EXTRACTION, TWENTYSIX YEARS,
FIVE FEET TEN INCHES, ONE SEVEN ZERO POUNDS, LIGHT COMPLEXION,
THICK, BLACK, CURLY HAIR. ACCORDING TO DE PALMA, MIKE OWNED
WHITE MILK TRUCK, BEARING KANSAS LICENSE.

FOLLOWING INFORMATION DEVELOPED SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH, FROM
INVESTIGATION IN FILE "ROBERT BOLIVAR DE PUGH - FUG.; WALTER
PATRICK PEYSON, AKA - FUG.; ET AL; BR - CONSPIRACY," OO SEATTLE.
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INVESTIGATION IN LIFE ROBERT ROGLIAR DE BACH - EUGENE MATHER

FOLOWING INFORMATION DEVELOPED SGT LAKE CITY, UTAH, FROM
WHITE WITH BLACK, BEARING KANSAS LICENSE.

THICK, BLACK, CURLY HAIR. ACCORDING TO DE BACH, MIKE OWNED
FIVE FEET TEN INCHES, ONE SEVEN ZERO POUNDS, LIGHT COMPLEXION,
DESCRIBED AS WHITE, MAGE, ITALIAN EXTRACTION, TWENTYSIX YEARS.
IF MIDDLEMAN KILLED KING, ASSASSIN COULD BE MIKE (TIN) FROM TEXAS.

RE INFORMATION FURNISHED BY VINCENT JAMES DE BACH, SUGGESTING
HE BOSTON AND DENVER 1972 APRIL EIGHT, NINETEEN SIXTYEIGHT.

MURKIN, CR, OO MEMPHIS.

FROM SGT LAKE CITY 44-323 P 2P

TO DIRECTOR, BIRMINGHAM, MEMPHIS, NEW ORLEANS, SEATTLE.

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ON SEPTEMBER TWELVE, SIXTYSEVEN, INDIVIDUAL USING NAME WALTER R. JENNINGS, ACCOMPANIED BY ONE "BILL", RENTED HOUSE ON PROPERTY OF THOMAS SAND AND GRAVEL COMPANY NORTH OF SALT LAKE CITY. JENNINGS IN POSSESSION OF WHITE DELIVERY TRUCK, WITH OUT OF STATE LICENSE. "BILL" DRIVING NINETEEN FIFTYSEVEN TWO-TONE CHEVROLET. WHEN THEY MOVED IN, RENTAL SIGN ON HOUSE WAS TURNED OVER AND "TOPAZ MINING COMPANY" WRITTEN ON REVERSE. NO RRECORD THIS COMPANY OPERATING IN UTAH. JENNINGS DESCRIBED AS WHITE, MALE, THIRTYFOUR TO THIRTYSIX YEARS, FIVE FEET TEN INCHES, MEDIUM BUILD, BLACK HAIR, HEAVY SOUTHERN ACCENT. #BILL# BELIEVED IDENTICAL WITH WALTER PATRICK PEYSON. BY LETTER POSTMARKED DECEMBER FIFTEEN, SIXTYSEVEN, AT NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA, JENNINGS FORWARDED RENT FOR ABOVE HOUSE FOR JANUARY. JENNINGS AND #BILL" BELIEVED TO HAVE MOVED OUT OF HOUSE EARLY JANUARY, NINETEEN SIXTYEIGHT.

ON JANUARY EIGHT, SIXTYEIGHT, PEYSON, USING NAME BILL ERICKSON, RENTED HOUSE AT THREE TWO TWO NORTH NINTH WEST, SALT LAKE CITY. WAS ACCCOMPANIED BY INDIVIDUAL, NOT DESCRIBED, WHO LEFT WITHIN DAY OR SO. PEYSON LIVED THIS ADDRESS UNTIL MARCH FIVE, SIXTYEIGHT, WHEN APPARENTLY LEFT SALT LAKE CITY. DURING THIS

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PERIOD WAS IN POSSESSION WHITE DELIVERY TRUCK, WITH OUT-OF-STATE LICENSE. PEYSON UNEMPLOYED DURING THIS PERIOD BUT HAD PRINTING EQUIPMENT IN HOUSE, WHICH HE MOVED OUT MARCH FIVE, SIXTYEIGHT.

ON JANUARY EIGHTEEN, SIXTYEIGHT, PEYSON WAS ACCOMPANIED BY INDIVIDUAL USING NAME MIKE FREEMAN, DESCRIBED AS WHITE, MALE, TWENTYSIX YEARS, FIVE FEET EIGHT INCHES, BLACK WAVY HAIR, STOCKY BUILD, HAVING SOUTHERN ACCENT, AND DRIVING NINETEEN SIXTYTHREE WHITE CHEVROLET, WITH LOUISIANA LICENSE. FREEMAN ALSO OBSERVED IN SALT LAKE CITY, MARCH FIVE, SIXTYEIGHT, HELPING PEYSON MOVE PRINTING EQUIPMENT. FREEMAN PROBABLY IDENTICAL WITH WALTER R. JENNINGS. NEW ORLEANS CONDUCTING INVESTIGATION TO IDENTIFY FREEMAN.

ON FEBRUARY TWENTYSIX, SIXTYEIGHT, A HOUSE IN CLEVELAND, UTAH, RENTED BY ONE BILL ANDERSON AND HIS SON. THEY WERE DRIVING WHITE DELIVERY TRUCK, WITH OUT-OF-STATE LICENSE PLATES. ANDERSON AND SON POSSIBLY IDENTICAL WITH DE PUGH ANDSON. THE SON LIVED AT CLEVELAND APPROXIMATELY TWO WEEKS AND NO ACTIVITY SEEN AT HOUSE SINCE THAT TIME. HOUSE CHECKED AS RECENTLY AS APRIL EIGHT, SIXTYEIGHT, AND DETERMINED TO BE EMPTY.

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ON MARCH TEN, SIXTYEIGHT, LARRY RUSSELL JAUSSE, AT REQUEST OF PEYSON, KNOWN TO HIM AS BILL ERICKSON, WENT TO CLEVELAND, UTAH AND DROVE DELIVERY TRUCK BACK TO SALT LAKE CITY. JAUSSE SUPPOSEDLY WILL BE CONTACTED AS TO DISPOSITION OF TRUCK, WHICH IS STILL IN HIS POSSESSION. WHEN JAUSSE RECOVERED TRUCK IT BORE UTAH DEALER'S LICENSE PLATE STOLEN FROM DEALER AT GARLAND, UTAH. JAUSSE HAS NO FURTHER INFORMATION REGARDING TRUCK BUT BELIEVES WILL BE CONTACTED. JAUSSE IS MEMBER OF PATRIOTIC PARTY BUT APPEARS COOPERATIVE.

ON MARCH TWENTYSIX, SIXTYEIGHT, PEYSON PHONED GIRL FRIEND, SALT LAKE CITY, HOWEVER REFUSED TO FURNISH ANY INFORMATION AS TO WHEREABOUTS OR ACTIVITIES AND STATED WOULD BE "LONG TIME" BEFORE HE COULD CALL AGAIN. HE INDICATED HE WAS CONSTANTLY MOVING.

IT APPEARS MIKE, REFERRED TO BY DE PALMA, MAY BE IDENTICAL WITH INDIVIDUAL KNOWN IN UTAH AS MIKE FREEMAN AND WALTER R. JENNINGS.

INVESTIGATION CONTINUING TO DETERMINE OWNERSHIP OF WHITE DELIVERY TRUCK IN POSSESSION OF JAUSSE.

NEW ORLEANS REQUESTED TO EXPEDITE INVESTIGATION TO IDENTIFY MIKE FREEMAN.

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NEW ORLEANS REQUESTED TO SANITARY INVESTIGATION TO IDENTIFY
DEFINITE TRUCK IN POSSESSION OF TANGST.

INVESTIGATION CONTINUING TO DETERMINE CIRCUMSTANCES OF WINE
TANGST.

WITH INDIVIDUAL KNOWN TO NEW AS WINE BREWERY AND TANGST.

IT APPEARS WINE BREWERY TO BE DE WINE BREWERY, MAY BE IDENTICAL
HE COULD CALL AGAIN. HE INDICATED HE WAS CONSULTING WINE
MANUFACTURER OR ACTIVITIES AND STATED WOULD BE "LONG TIME" BEFORE
SHELL TAKE CALL. HOWEVER REFUSED TO FURNISH ANY INFORMATION AS TO

ON MARCH TWENTY-SIX, SIXTY-EIGHT, BEARON PHONED SHELL, WHO
APPEARS COOPERATIVE.

WILL BE CONTACTED. TANGST IS MEMBER OF CATHOLIC PARISH.

TANGST HAS NO FURTHER INFORMATION REGARDING TRUCK OR WINE BREWERY.

BEARON'S LICENSE PLATE STOLEN FROM BEARON VI GARAGE, NEW.

IN HIS POSSESSION. WHEN TANGST RECOVERED TRUCK IT WOULD BE NEW.

GA WILL BE CONTACTED AS TO DISPOSITION OF TRUCK, WHICH IS STILL

AND BEARON DEFINITE TRUCK BACK TO SHELL TAKE CALL. TANGST EMPLOYED

OF BEARON, KNOWN TO HIM AS BILL BRICKSON, AKA TO CLEVELAND, NEW

ON MARCH TEN, SIXTY-EIGHT, GARY BRICKSON TANGST, A MEMBER

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SEATTLE REVIEW BANK ROBBERY FILE REGARDING DE PUGH AND
PEYSON FOR INFORMATION AS TO POSSIBLE IDENTITY OF MIKE, REFERRED
TO BY DE PALMA.

NH, BUTTE, DENVER, KANSAS CITY AND LITTLE ROCK ADVISED AIR MAIL.

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MR. SCOTT DENVER KANSAS CITY AND GILFE ROCK ADVISED (18 WVF)
TO SA DE BATH.

REASON FOR INFORMATION AS TO POSSIBLE IDENTITY OF MIKE STRENGTH

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TO DIRECTOR, JACKSON AND MEMPHIS
FROM BIRMINGHAM (44-1740) (P)

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ON THIS DATE, KEN TURNER, RELIANCE STEEL COMPANY, COTTONDALE, ALABAMA, ADVISED THAT EUGENE SMITH MANSFIELD WAS DISCHARGED FROM THE COMPANY ON MARCH TWELVE, SIXTYEIGHT, AND HIS CHECK WAS FORWARDED TO HIM IN CARE OF L. E. MATTHEW; ROUTE THREE, BOX THREE EIGHT ONE M, FLORENCE, MISSISSIPPI. FOR INFORMATION OF JACKSON, COSBY E. MANSFIELD, FATHER, ADVISED THAT WHEREABOUTS OF EUGENE MANSFIELD UNKNOWN; HOWEVER, RECEIVED A CALL FROM HIM LAST WEEKEND AND EUGENE SAID WAS IN MISSISSIPPI, CITY NOT GIVEN.

JACKSON, AT FLORENCE, MISSISSIPPI, DETERMINE WHEREABOUTS OF MANSFIELD DURING PERTINENT PERIOD.

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FROM BIRMINGHAM (44-1140) (P)

TO DIRECTOR, JACKSON AND MEMPHIS

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TO DIRECTOR, LOUISVILLE, AND MEMPHIS
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MURKIN.

TODAY, J. LEWIS MOSS, ONE ZERO TWO LINCETTA ST., YORK,
S. C., TELEPHONICALLY ADVISED THE CHARLOTTE OFFICE THAT AT APPROX-
IMATELY THREE P.M. TODAY, HE STOPPED AT THE SINCLAIR SERVICE
STATION ACROSS FROM THE PEPSI COLA PLANT, ROCK HILL, S. C., TO
PURCHASE GAS. WHILE THERE, AN INDIVIDUAL DRIVING A SIXTY-FIVE
WHITE THUNDERBIRD, BEARING SIXTY-EIGHT KY. LICENSE TWO NINE SEVEN
SIX FIVE THREE, PULLED INTO THE STATION, AND DRIVER PURCHASED
GAS BY USE OF CREDIT CARD. MOSS ADVISED THE DRIVER OF THIS
CAR FIT THE DESCRIPTION AND COMPOSITE PHOTOGRAPH OF THE
INDIVIDUAL WHO SHOT KING.

LOUISVILLE, THROUGH KY. DMV, DETERMINE TO WHOM LICENSE
ISSUED AND DETERMINE HIS WHEREABOUTS OF PERTINENT DATES.

AIR MAIL COPY TO COLUMBIA FOR INFORMATION.

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