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454PM URGENT 4-14-68 MHR

TO DIRECTOR (44-38861) BIRMINGHAM (44-1740) MEMPHIS (44-1987)

KNOXVILLE, AND SAN DIEGO (44-387)

FROM LITTLE ROCK (157-1215)

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RE SAN DIEGO TEL TO DIRECTOR APRIL THIRTEEN, LAST.

ROBERT BENJAMIN BRACKEN INTERVIEWED THIS DATE AT LEAD HILL,  
ARK. ADMITTED DRINKING IN VALLEY INN, EL CAJON, CAL., APRIL TWO,  
LAST, AND STATED, "IF KING GOES TO MEMPHIS THE SECOND TIME TO  
RABBLE ROUSE, HE'LL BE KILLED." RECALLS NO OTHER STATEMENT  
REGARDING KING, BUT WAS DRINKING HEAVILY, AND DID NOT INDICATE  
THAT HE HAD ANY INTENTION OF KILLING KING, AND STATED HE HAD NO  
KNOWLEDGE CONCERNING THE MATTER, AND HAD NOT BEEN IN MEMPHIS.

BRACKEN STATES BOARDED SANTA FE TRAIN LEAVING SAN DIEGO,  
CAL., FOUR PM, APRIL TWO, LAST. ARRIVED JOPLIN, MISSOURI, ABOUT  
NOON, APRIL FOUR, LAST. RODE BUS JOPLIN TO SPRINGFIELD, MISSOURI,  
SAME DATE, WHERE CALLED WAYNE RYAN, AT LEAD HILL ABOUT FIVE PM.  
RODE BUS SPRINGFIELD TO MOUNTAIN HOME, ARK., ARRIVING NINE PM,

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AND MET THERE BY RYAN. BRACKEN PRODUCED TRAIN AND BUS TICKETS  
STUBS AS WELL AS TWO INSURANCE POLICIES, ONE OF WHICH DATED  
APRIL FOUR, SIXTYEIGHT, AT JOPLIN, MISSOURI, EFFECTIVE FOUR PM,  
THAT DATE.. BOTH INSURANCE POLICIES WERE IN HIS NAME.

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RE INQUIRY INTO THE DEATH OF MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.

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TO DIRECTOR, ATLANTA, AND MEMPHIS

FROM CHARLOTTE (44-1635)

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RE ATLANTA TELETYPE TO BUREAU APRIL TWELVE LAST AND  
ATLANTA TELEPHONE CALL TO CHARLOTTE APRIL THIRTEEN INSTANT.

INVESTIGATION AT GREENSBORO, N.C., REVEALS THERE IS A  
SIX ONE FIVE STERLING STREET, GREENSBORO, N.C. OWNER AND  
PRESENT RESIDENTS CONTACTED ADVISED H. H. FLETCHER NOT  
KNOWN TO THEM. *e*

INVESTIGATION DETERMINED THERE IS A SIX ZERO ONE  
GUILFORD AVE., GREENSBORO, N.C. NO ONE LOCATED THIS  
ADDRESS TO DATE.

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NO LISTING GREENSBORO DIRECTORYS FOR H. H. FLETCHER  
OR SARAH E. COLLINS.

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INVESTIGATION CONTINUING AT GREENSBORO.

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TO DIRECTOR, NEW HAVEN, AND SAN FRANCISCO  
FROM NEW YORK (44-1609) 1P ---11---

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RE SAN FRANCISCO TEL TO BUREAU FOUR THIRTEEN INSTANT.  
JAMES B. MC KINLEY, DIVISION MANAGER, OTIS ELEVATOR,  
ADVISED PABLO REYES IS A FIELD TECHNICIAN EMPLOYED BY OTIS.

REYES WAS ASSIGNED SAIGON AND MC KINLEY HAS NO KNOWLEDGE  
THAT HE LEFT SAIGON. HOWEVER, STATES THAT IT WOULD NOT BE  
UNUSUAL FOR REYES TO MOVE WITHOUT MC KINLEY'S KNOWLEDGE.

REYES EMPLOYED ABOUT EIGHTEEN MONTHS AGO, ASSIGNED SAIGON  
ABOUT ONE YEAR AGO. REYES DESCRIBED AS A PHILLIPPINE NATIONAL  
WITH DEFINITE ORIENTAL FEATURES. CANNOT BE MISTAKEN FOR  
CAUCASIAN. NO KNOWN HOME ADDRESS.

MC KINLEY WILL DETERMINE REYES EXACT STATUS AND ADVISE  
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TO DIRECTOR

FROM MEMPHIS (157-1092)

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MURKIN, CR.

FOLLOWING IS A SUMMARY OF TODAY'S INVESTIGATIVE ACTIVITIES:

A REVIEW OF MEMPHIS FILES TO IDENTIFY MEMBERS OF THE KKK AND OTHER HATE GROUPS HAS BEEN INITIATED AND A LIST OF NAMES TOGETHER WITH IDENTIFYING DATA WILL BE FURNISHED TO THE BUREAU IN ORDER THAT THEIR FINGERPRINTS MAY BE COMPARED WITH LATENTS NOW AVAILABLE IN THIS CASE.

MOTELS IN THE AREA ARE BEING CHECKED FOR REGISTRATION CARDS UNDER PERTINENT NAMES. MOTEL PERSONNEL ARE BEING QUESTIONED REGARDING THE LOSS OF A BEDSPREAD SIMILAR TO THE ONE RECOVERED IN THIS CASE, AND EFFORTS ARE BEING MADE TO IDENTIFY THE OWNERS OF MUSTANGS WHO STOPPED IN THESE MOTELS IMMEDIATELY PRECEDING KING'S MURDER. LEADS TO IDENTIFY AND ELIMINATE MUSTANG OWNERS ARE BEING SET OUT.

AUTOMOBILE RENTAL AGENCIES ARE BEING CONTACTED TO ASCERTAIN THE NAMES OF PERSONS RENTING WHITE MUSTANGS DURING THE PERIOD JUST PRIOR TO THE MURDER AND TO IDENTIFY PERSONS WHO RENTED

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SIMILAR CARS IN OTHER STATES AND TURNED THEM IN TO RENTAL AGENCIES AT MEMPHIS.

ALFRED H. HARLEY, SPEEDLINE MFG. CO., GREENSBORO, N.C., RENTED A WHITE NINETEEN SIXTY EIGHT FORD MUSTANG FROM NATIONAL CAR RENTAL SYSTEM, INC., METROPOLITAN AIRPORT, MEMPHIS, FIVE THIRTY PM, APRIL THREE LAST, AND RETURNED SAME TO METROPOLITAN AIRPORT EIGHT AM, APRIL FIVE LAST.

MARTIN J. BRENNAN, NINE TWO FIVE SOUTH HOMAN AVE., CHICAGO, ILLINOIS, RENTED A NINETEEN SIXTY EIGHT WHITE FORD MUSTANG FROM NATIONAL CAR RENTAL SYSTEMS AT METROPOLITAN AIRPORT, MEMPHIS, AT SEVEN FIFTY NINE PM, APRIL THREE LAST, AND RETURNED SAME TO AIRPORT EIGHT TWENTY PM, APRIL FOUR LAST.

CHARLOTTE AND CHICAGO HAVE BEEN REQUESTED TO CONDUCT INVESTIGATION CONCERNING HARLEY AND BRENNAN.

INFORMATION FURNISHED BY BOB MC GOWAN, AS REPORTED TO THE BUREAU IN JACKSON TELETYPE, TWO THIRTY AM, APRIL FIVE LAST, REGARDING SUSPECTS OBSERVED BY HIM IN SERVICE STATION AT HIGHWAY SIXTY ONE AND BROOKS ROAD HAS BEEN CHECKED OUT AND FOUND TO BE WITHOUT SUBSTANCE. NO SUSPECTS DEVELOPED AS A RESULT OF THIS INVESTIGATION.

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BUREAU REQUESTED TO ADVISE IF ANY IDENTIFICATION  
LOCATED IN BLUE BAG SUBMITTED BY MEMPHIS WHICH MIGHT ASSIST IN  
DETERMINING MANUFACTURER OF BAG SO THAT IT MAY BE POSSIBLE TO  
DETERMIN SOURCE FROM WHICH SUSPECT MAY HAVE PURCHASED SAMES.

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FBI BIRMGHAM

939PM IMMEDIATE 4-11-68 HEP

TO DIRECTOR, MEMPHIS

FROM BIRMINGHAM (44-1740) 1P

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RE HARVEY EDWARD LOHMEYER.

REBUTEL APRIL ELEVEN, INSTANT.

ALL KNOWN WITNESSES, BIRMINGHAM, SHOWN PHOTOGRAPHS OF ALL  
SUSPECTS DEVELOPED TO DATE, INCLUDING LOHMEYER, WITH NEGATIVE  
RESULTS.

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TO: DIRECTOR ATLANTA BIRMINGHAM LOS ANGELES MEMPHIS MOBILE

FROM: ALBANY (44-493)

MURKIN, CR. OO MEMPHIS.

RE ALBANY AIRTELS APRIL TEN AND ELEVEN LAST, AND ALBANY  
TELCALLS TO BUREAU APRIL TWELVE INSTANT.

LAUNDRY MARKS.

FBI LABORATORY ADVISED TODAY A PILLOWCASE AND BED  
SHEET WERE FOUND IN TRUNK OF SIXTYSIX WHITE MUSTANG  
REGISTERED TO ERIC STARVO GALT WHICH WAS LOCATED ATLANTA  
APRIL ELEVEN LAST. THESE ITEMS CONTAIN THERMO-SEAL LAUNDRY  
TAPES OF APPROXIMATELY SAME SIZE AS TAPES ON ITEMS PREVIOUSLY  
RECOVERED BUT ARE YELLOW IN COLOR AND CONTAIN CODE TWO ZERO  
R DASH THREE. TAPES IN OPINION OF TEXTILE MARKING MACHINE CO.  
WERE PRODUCED BY A DIFFERENT MACHINE THAN PREVIOUS TAPES SINCE  
FIRST THREE CHARACTERS ARE FIFTEEN POINT TYPE AND LAST TWO CHARACTERS  
ARE EIGHTEEN POINT TYPE.

TEXTILE MARKING MACHINE COMPANY SUGGESTS THE TWO ZERO  
IN ABOVE CODE WOULD BE THE LOT NUMBER, THE R MAY MEAN THAT

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THIS WAS A RETURN OF A BATCH OF LAUNDRY AND THE THREE IS THE BUNDLE NUMBER. THEY SUGGEST FIRST CHECKING HOME SERVICE LAUNDRY AND DRY CALANING, HOLLYWOOD, CALIFORNIA, TO DETERMIN IF IF THEY HAVE A SECOND THERMO-SEAL MACHINE.

EACH OFFICE TO WHOM THIS COMMUNICATION DIRECTED SHOULD CHECK ALL LAUNDRIES ON LISTS IN REAIRTELS TO IDENTIFY THIS CODE, OBTAIN SAMPLES IF CODE RECOGNIZED AND FURNISH TO FBI LABORATORY AND ADVISE ALBANY.

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cc: Mr. Conrad]



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FBI ATLANTA

917 PM URGENT 4-12-68 ARK

TO DIRECTOR, MEMPHIS, BIRMINGHAM AND LOS ANGELES  
FROM ATLANTA (44-2386)

MURKIN.

~~RACIAL MATTERS~~

SOIL SAMPLES, SCRAPINGS, SPARE TIRE OF AUTOMOBILE,  
AND SAMPLE OF WINDSHIELD WASHER FLUID FLOWN TO FBI LABORATORY  
BY SA COURIER APRIL TWELVE INSTANT.

INVESTIGATION REVEALED DRIVER UNITED  
CAB COMPANY, CHARLES STEPHENS, ADVISED PICK UP INDIVIDUAL  
EIGHT FORTYONE AM APRIL FIVE LAST AT FRAZIER AND CAPITOL  
STREETS WHICH IS IN VICINITY OF AREA WHERE CAR ABANDONED. HE  
WAS FLAGGED DOWN BY THIS INDIVIDUAL. DESCRIBED INDIVIDUAL AS  
TWENTYNINE TO THIRTY, SIX FT., ONE SEVEN FIVE LBS., SLENDER,  
NEAT APPEARANCE, WEARING BEIGE COLORED TRENCH OR CAR COAT.  
WITNESSES AT SCENE OF ABANDONMENT DID NOT INDICATE INDIVIDUAL  
WEARING TRENCH OR CAR COAT. STEPHENS ADDED DROPPED INDIVIDUAL  
OFF IN FRONT OF GREYHOUND BUS STATION. INVESTIGATION  
GREYHOUND BUS STATION CONTINUING. STEPHENS VIEWED TWO ARTISTS  
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CONCEPTIONS OF UNSUB AND NOTED NO SIMILARITY TO INDIVIDUAL HE PICKED UP.

LOS ANGELES TELEPHONICALLY ADVISED APRIL TWELVE INSTANT GALT LEFT LOS ANGELES MARCH TWENTYSEVEN LAST WITH FORWARDING ADDRESS GENERAL DELIVERY, ATLANTA, GA., UNTIL APRIL TWENTYFIVE SIXTYEIGHT. CHECK AT U. S. POST OFFICE, GENERAL DELIVERY, INDICATES TWO PIECES OF MAIL FOR GALT. ONE IS COPY OF LOCKSMITH LEDGER FROM LITTLE FALL, NEW JERSEY, ZERO SEVEN FOUR TWO FOUR, POSTMARKED MARCH FIVE SIXTYEIGHT. THIS WAS MAILED TO MR. ERIC S. GALT, ONE FIVE THREE FIVE N. SERRANO, LOS ANGELES, CALIF., NINE ZERO ZERO TWO SEVEN. IT WAS FORWARDED TO FIVE FIVE THREE THREE HOLLYWOOD, NINE ZERO ZERO TWO EIGHT. A NOTATION APPEARS "NOT AT ST. FRANCIS HOTEL." IT WAS THEN FORWARDED TO GENERAL DELIVERY, MAIN POST OFFICE, ATLANTA, GA. THIS WILL BE RETURNED TO SENDER ON APRIL NINETEEN NEXT UNLESS CLAIMED. SECOND PIECE OF MAIL IS SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA COMPANY GAS BILL, BOX TWO ONE ONE ONE, HOLLYWOOD, CALIF., NINE ZERO ZERO TWO EIGHT, POSTMARKED HOLLYWOOD, CALIF., APRIL FOUR SIXTYEIGHT. THIS

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SENT TO ERIC S. GALT, ONE FIVE THREE FIVE N. SERRANO, APT. SIX, LOS ANGELES, CALIF. THIS ADDRESS CROSSED THROUGH AND FORWARDED TO FIVE FIVE THREE THREE HOLLYWOOD. THIS WAS CROSSED THROUGH AND WAS FORWARDED TO GENERAL DELIVERY, MAIN POST OFFICE, ATLANTA, GA. COVERAGE EFFECTED AT POST OFFICE. NEWARK TELEPHONICALLY REQUESTED TO OBTAIN SUBSCRIBER INFORMATION FROM LOCKSMITH LEDGER.

INVESTIGATION IN NEIGHBORHOOD WHERE CAR ABANDONED CONTINUED WITH NOTHING FURTHER OF PERTINENCE LEARNED. CHECK OF AIRLINES, TAXICABS, AND CITY BUSES MET WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS. RECORDS OF THE STATION CAPTAIN'S OFFICE, ATLANTA PD, WHICH RECORDS DRUNK ARRESTS NEGATIVE.

COMPREHENSIVE INVESTIGATION OF MIDDLE AND LOW-CLASS HOTELS BEING CONDUCTED. NEGATIVE TO DATE. CHECK OF MOTELS IN AREA NEGATIVE. CHECK BEING MADE OF USED CAR LOTS. CHECK MADE OF PRIVATE SELLERS IN CLASSIFIED COLUMN DAILY NEWSPAPERS APRIL FIVE AND APRIL SIX OF USED CARE NEGATIVE TO DATE. UTILITY CHECKS NEGATIVE. BIRTH RECORDS CHECKED AND NEGATIVE.

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WEARING TRENCH OR CAR COAT. STEPHENS ADDED DROPPED INDIVIDUAL  
OFF IN FRONT OF GREYHOUND BUS STATION. INVESTIGATION  
GREYHOUND BUS STATION CONTINUING. STEPHENS VIEWED TWO ARTISTS  
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CONCEPTIONS OF UNSUB AND NOTED NO SIMILARITY TO INDIVIDUAL HE PICKED UP.

LOS ANGELES TELEPHONICALLY ADVISED APRIL TWELVE INSTANT GALT LEFT LOS ANGELES MARCH TWENTYSEVEN LAST WITH FORWARDING ADDRESS GENERAL DELIVERY, ATLANTA, GA., UNTIL APRIL TWENTYFIVE SIXTYEIGHT. CHECK AT U. S. POST OFFICE, GENERAL DELIVERY, INDICATES TWO PIECES OF MAIL FOR GALT. ONE IS COPY OF LOCKSMITH LEDGER FROM LITTLE FALL, NEW JERSEY, ZERO SEVEN FOUR TWO FOUR, POSTMARKED MARCH FIVE SIXTYEIGHT. THIS WAS MAILED TO MR. ERIC S. GALT, ONE FIVE THREE FIVE N. SERRANO, LOS ANGELES, CALIF., NINE ZERO ZERO TWO SEVEN. IT WAS FORWARDED TO FIVE FIVE THREE THREE HOLLYWOOD, NINE ZERO ZERO TWO EIGHT. A NOTATION APPEARS "NOT AT ST. FRANCIS MOTTEL." IT WAS THEN FORWARDED TO GENERAL DELIVERY, MAIN POST OFFICE, ATLANTA, GA. THIS WILL BE RETURNED TO SENDER ON APRIL NINETEEN NEXT UNLESS CLAIMED. SECOND PIECE OF MAIL IS SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA COMPANY GAS BILL, BOX TWO ONE ONE ONE, HOLLYWOOD, CALIF., NINE ZERO ZERO TWO EIGHT, POSTMARKED HOLLYWOOD, CALIF., APRIL FOUR SIXTYEIGHT. THIS

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SENT TO ERIC S. GALT, ONE FIVE THREE FIVE N. SERRANO, APT. SIX, LOS ANGELES, CALIF. THIS ADDRESS CROSSED THROUGH AND FORWARDED TO FIVE FIVE THREE THREE HOLLYWOOD. THIS WAS CROSSED THROUGH AND WAS FORWARDED TO GENERAL DELIVERY, MAIN POST OFFICE, ATLANTA, GA. COVERAGE EFFECTED AT POST OFFICE. NEWARK TELEPHONICALLY REQUESTED TO OBTAIN SUBSCRIBER INFORMATION FROM LOCKSMITH LEDGER.

INVESTIGATION IN NEIGHBORHOOD WHERE CAR ABANDONED CONTINUED WITH NOTHING FURTHER OF PERTINENCE LEARNED. CHECK OF AIRLINES, TAXICABS, AND CITY BUSES MET WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS. RECORDS OF THE STATION CAPTAIN'S OFFICE, ATLANTA PD, WHICH RECORDS DRUNK ARRESTS NEGATIVE.

COMPREHENSIVE INVESTIGATION OF MIDDLE AND LOW-CLASS HOTELS BEING CONDUCTED. NEGATIVE TO DATE. CHECK OF MOTELS IN AREA NEGATIVE. CHECK BEING MADE OF USED CAR LOTS. CHECK MADE OF PRIVATE SELLERS IN CLASSIFIED COLUMN DAILY NEWSPAPERS APRIL FIVE AND APRIL SIX OF USED CARE NEGATIVE TO DATE. UTILITY CHECKS NEGATIVE. BIRTH RECORDS CHECKED AND NEGATIVE.  
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THIS INVESTIGATION IS BEING CONDUCTED WITH TOP PRIORITY  
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ON THIS DATE RAY HELLIS, THREE EIGHT ONE TWO FRANKLYN, KALAMAZOO, MICHIGAN, ADVISED THAT AS HE WAS NEARING NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE, SOUTHBOUND ON HIGHWAY U.S. THIRTY ONE, MORNING OF APRIL FIVE LAST, HE HEARD RADIO REPORT THAT MURDERER OF KING WAS BELIEVED DRIVING A WHITE MUSTANG. ABOUT THREE THIRTY AM THAT DAY, HELLIS STOPPED AT A SERVICE STATION, POSSIBLY AN ESSO STATION, ON U.S. THIRTY ONE, A BLOCK OR SO SOUTH OF THE INTERSECTION WITH INTERSTATE FORTY EAST. AN ALL WHITE SIXTY SIX OR SIXTY SEVEN MUSTANG HARDTOP BEARING TENNESSEE LICENSE JT ONE ZERO TWO SIX, PULLED INTO SAME STATION AND DRIVER APPEARED TO TURN HIS BACK TOWARD HELLIS. AFTER CAR SERVICED, MUSTANG DEPARTED STATION AT HIGH RATE OF SPEED TRAVELING SOUTH ON U.S. THIRTY ONE.

DRIVER WAS W/M, ABOUT THIRTY YEARS OLD, DARK HAIR COMBED BACK AS IN ARTIST DRAWING AND WEARING WHITE SHIRT, JACKET OR SPORT COAT.

WE DETERMINE OWNER OF TENNESSEE LICENSE JT ONE ZERO TWO SIX AND WHETHER UNSUB MAY HAVE BEEN DRIVING INSTANT MUSTANG.

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FROM: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861) - 909

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RE: HARVEY EDWARD LOWMEYER.

RESFTEL APRIL ELEVEN LAST.

IMMEDIATELY INTERVIEW HARVEY EDWARD LOWMEYER TO  
ESTABLISH HIS WHEREABOUTS DURING PERTINENT PERIOD MARCH  
TWENTY-NINE THROUGH APRIL FOUR AND TO DEVELOP ANY INFORMATION  
HE MAY HAVE RELATING TO THIS CASE, PARTICULARLY REGARDING  
THE IDENTITY OF THE UNKNOWN SUBJECT WHO USED NAME  
LOWMYER.

NO INDICATION IS TO BE GIVEN THAT INQUIRIES ARE IN  
CONNECTION WITH CAPTIONED CASE.

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-388610)

FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (100-100000)

RE: MURDER OF MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.

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TO DIRECTOR, FBI (100-388610)

FROM NEW YORK (100-100000) 4P

MURDER OF MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. - CIVIL RIGHTS

RE NEW YORK TELETYPE TO BUREAU, APRIL TWELVE LAST.

FOR INFORMATION OF THE BUREAU, THE FOLLOWING IS A SUMMARY

OF THE INVESTIGATION CONDUCTED IN NEW YORK CITY:

ON APRIL TWELVE LAST, THE NEW YORK CITY POLICE DEPARTMENT

ADVISED THAT IT HAD RECEIVED A CALL FROM AN INDIVIDUAL

WHO OFFERED HIMSELF AS A WITNESS IN THE CASE OF THE

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RE SACRAMENTO TELS APRIL TEN LAST AND APRIL ELEVEN INSTANT

RE: HARVEY EDWARD LOHMEYER

RECORDS OF THE SAN JOSE, CALIF., PD REFLECT THAT HARVEY  
EDWARD LOHMEYER HAS FBI NUMBER SEVEN THREE ZERO NINE SEVEN NINE A.

HE IS A WM, DOB [REDACTED] QUINCY, ILLINOIS. HE IS  
FIVE FEET EIGHT, ONE FORTY LBS., BROWN HAIR, BLUE EYES, HAS EXTENSIVE  
ARREST RECORD UNDER ABOVE FBI NUMBER IN ILLINOIS AND CALIFORNIA FOR  
SUCH CRIMES AS ROBBERY, RIOTING, AND BURGLARY. LOHMEYER SHOWS  
EMPLOYMENT FOR SPIVEY'S RESTAURANT CHAIN.

ON APRIL ELEVEN, INSTANT, HIS EMPLOYER, VERNON ROGERS, MANAGER,  
SPIVEY'S DRIVE-IN, FIVE THREE FIVE EAST SANTA CLARA ST., SAN JOSE,  
CALIF., ADVISED LOHMEYER PRESENTLY RESIDES AT SIX NINE ZERO CORNELL  
DR., SANTA CLARA, CALIF., AND HAS BEEN EMPLOYED AT SPIVEY'S  
DRIVE-IN, SAN JOSE, FOR PAST FIVE YEARS. ROGERS STATES LOHMEYER HAS  
HAD NO ABSENCES EXCEPT FOR DAYS OFF DURING LAST SIX MONTHS. LOHMEYER  
WORKS SIX DAYS A WEEK AS A CHEF AND IS OFF ON MONDAYS.

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BUAGENTS EXAMINED LOHMEYER'S TIME CARDS FOR PERIOD MARCH TWO NINE, LAST, THROUGH APRIL SIX, LAST, AND DETERMINED HE WAS ON DUTY EACH DAY FROM APPROXIMATELY SIX A.M. UNTIL TWO P.M.

LOHMEYER WAS OBSERVED BY BUAGENTS WITHOUT HIS KNOWLEDGE AND HE APPEARS TO BE SIMILAR IN APPEARANCE TO MUG SHOT ON RECORD AT SANTA CLAR COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE UNDER SAN JOSE PD NUMBER SEVEN EIGHT THREE ZERO TWO.

EMPLOYER DESCRIBED HIM AS MARRIED MAN WITH FOUR DEPENDENTS WHO IS RELIABLE AND STABLE EMPLOYEE.

LOHMEYER UNAWARE OF BUREAU'S INTEREST IN HIS BACKGROUND.

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EMPLOYEE DESCRIBED HIM AS MARRIED MAN WITH FOUR DEPENDENTS  
WHO IS WILLING AND STABLE EMPLOYEE.  
EMPLOYEE AWARE OF FBI'S INTEREST IN HIS BACKGROUND.  
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RAMONA CLARK COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE UNDER SAN JOSE PD NUMBER 8110  
HE APPEARS TO BE SIMILAR IN APPEARANCE TO MAN SHOT ON RECORD AT  
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RE ALBANY TEL APRIL EIGHT LAST, SIX ZERO EIGHT P.M. AND  
NEW YORK TEL APRIL TEN LAST.

INITIAL INVESTIGATION SWAN CLEANERS, EIGHT ZERO FOUR MT.  
VERNON AVENUE, DETERMINED THAT THERMOSEAL TYPE MARKING MACHINE  
MANUFACTURED BY TEXTILE MARKING MACHINE COMPANY, SYRACUSE, NEW  
YORK, TRADED NINE YEARS AGO TO PINNACLE PRODUCTS CORPORATION,  
BLAUVELT, NEW YORK, FOR POLYMARK TYPE MARKING MACHINE.

INVESTIGATION BY NEW YORK OFFICE AT PINNACLE DETERMINED  
THAT THEY DID SELL POLYMARK MACHINES TO SWAN BUT DID NOT TAKE IN  
TRADE THE THERMOSEAL MACHINE.

RECHECK AT SWAN DETERMINED THAT SWAN IN FACT HAD FIVE  
THERMOSEAL MACHINES MANUFACTURED BY TEXTILE AND THAT THESE  
MACHINES WERE SOLD BACK TO TEXTILE IN NINETEEN SIXTY ONE FOR  
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TO DIRECTOR, ALBANY AND MEMPHIS

FROM BUREAU (157-1083)

RE: CIVIL RIGHTS, OO MEMPHIS

RE ALBANY TEL APRIL EIGHT LAST. SIX ZERO EIGHT P.M. AND

NEW YORK TEL APRIL TEN LAST.

INITIAL INVESTIGATION SWAN CLEARERS, FIGHT ZERO FOUR FT.

VERNON AVENUE, DETERMINED THAT THERMOSEAL TYPE MARKING MACHINE

MANUFACTURED BY TEXTILE MARKING MACHINE COMPANY, SYRACUSE, NEW

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ALBANY, NEW YORK, FOR POLYMARK TYPE MARKING MACHINE.

INVESTIGATION BY NEW YORK OFFICE AT FINAGLE DETERMINED

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TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS EACH. MACHINES WERE HELD AT COLUMBUS BY SWAN AT REQUEST OF TEXTILE AFTER TEXTILE REPURCHASED AND WERE SHIPPED BY SWAN FROM COLUMBUS TO PURCHASERS LOCATED BY TEXTILE. TWO MAHINES SHIPPED MAY THREE~~Y~~, NINETEEN SIXTY ONE; TWO ON MAY NINE, NINETEEN SIXTY ONE; AND THE LAST ON JUNE FOURTEEN, NINETEEN SIXTY ONE. SWAN DOES NOT HAVE ANY RECORDS OF PERSONS TO WHOM SHIPMENTS MADE NOR DO THEY HAVE ANY SERIAL NUMBERS OR OTHER RECORDS OF THSE MACHINES.

ALBANY AT SYRACUSE, NEW YORK, RECONTACT TEXTILE TO DETERMINE TO WHOM THEY OLD THE FIVE MACHINES THAT WERE REPURCHASED FROM SWAN CLEANERS.

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ALBANY AT SYRACUSE, NEW YORK, RECONTACT TEXTILE TO  
DETERMINE TO WHOM THEY SOLD THE FIVE MACHINES THAT WERE  
REPRODUCED FROM GUY'S CLEARANCE.

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**TO : DIRECTOR, FBI**  
**FROM : SAC, NEWARK (44-854)**  
**SUBJECT: MURKIN**

**Re: Miami teletype to Bureau, Birmingham, New York, St. Louis, Tampa and Memphis; dated 4/12/68; and Miami teletype to Bureau, Birmingham, Newark, St. Louis and Memphis; dated 4/12/68.**

**For the information of Philadelphia, this investigation is being conducted to eliminate possible suspect DONALD CAMERON GAULT.**

**DONALD CAMERON GAULT, 171 Myrtle Avenue, Millburn, New Jersey, advised on 4/13/68, that he does not know anyone with the name of ERIC STARVO GALT.**

**GAULT advised that he is employed by Continental Assurance, 76 William Street, New York City, and has home office located at 310 South Michigan Street, Chicago. He advised that he was at work on April 4, 1968, and traveled to Garden City, New York, on company business.**

**C. C. Bishop**

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GAULT is member of Naval Reserve, attached to Anti-Submarine Warfare Group VP 933, Willow Grove, Pennsylvania, and required to make frequent week end flights. On the evening of 3/29/68, he flew from Willow Grove, Pennsylvania, to Coco Beach, Florida. He stayed at the Satalite Motel, Coco Beach, Florida, on the nights of 3/29/68, and 3/30/68, with return flight to Willow Grove, Pennsylvania, on 3/31/68.

GAULT described as white male, American, 6'2", 205 lbs., dark blond curly hair, blue eyes; married, wife JANET, and two children; owns only two automobiles, a 1962 Chevrolet station wagon, and a 1959 Hilman station wagon.

LEADS:

NEW YORK

AT NEW YORK CITY

Verify GAULT's employment on 4/4/68.

PHILADELPHIA

AT WILLOW GROVE, PENNSYLVANIA

Verify GAULT's whereabouts on 3/29-31/68.

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Date: 4/13/68

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Re Bureau teletype dated 4/8/68 to all Continental Offices.

No record located in Albany Division regarding the names HARVEY LOW MEYER or LOWMYER as a result of checking indices, city directories, telephone directories, driver's license records, automobile registration records, voter registration records, credit and criminal records.

Bombing suspects in this division have been appropriately checked.

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WAS STOLEN AND EXTENSIVE INVESTIGATION CONDUCTED BY MILITARY AUTHORITIES  
THREE NOT IDENTIFIED. IN CONVERSATION WITH OTHER MEMBERS OF THE  
RESERVISTS, A MARINE RESERVIST FROM COLUMBIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, NAME NOT  
RECALLED, WAS MENTIONED POSSIBLY HAVING STOLEN THE RIFLE. THE UNSUB  
MARINE WAS FRIENDLY WITH ONE DAVE PARRISH, WHO PISKORSKI RECALLED AS

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HAVING HOME RESIDENCE IN EITHER GEORGIA OR ALABAMA, AND THEY OFTEN WENT ON WEEKEND LEAVES TOGETHER. SHORTLY BEFORE PISKORSKI'S RELEASE FROM ACTIVE DUTY AND WHILE TALKING WITH PARRISH, PARRISH TOLD PISKORSKI THAT HE WAS CONCERNED REGARDING THE UNSUB MARINE SINCE IN CONVERSATION WITH PARRISH, HE HAD MENTIONED HE WAS GOING TO KILL MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. PISKORSKI ALSO ADVISED THAT IN BULL SESSIONS DURING THEIR SIX MONTHS TRAINING, THE UNSUB MARINE HAD STATED THAT HE HAD ONCE SHOT A NEGRO AND THAT HE HAD ONCE RUN OVER A NEGRO WITH HIS AUTOMOBILE. PISKORSKI DESCRIBED THIS INDIVIDUAL AS HAVING A DEEP-SEATED PREJUDICE AGAINST THE NEGRO PEOPLE.

PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION OF THIS UNSUB FURNISHED BY PISKORSKI AS FIVE FEET ELEVEN INCHES TO SIX FEET TALL, WHITE, MALE, LIGHT BROWN, HAIR, SLIM, ONE HUNDRED FIFTY TO ONE HUNDRED SIXTY POUNDS AND IN HIS MIDDLE TWENTIES.

PISKORSKI ADVISED THAT ALL OF THE RESERVISTS WERE RELEASED TO INACTIVE DUTY DURING THE MONTH OF DEC. AND THAT IT WAS HIS RECOLLECTON THAT UNSUB AND PARRISH WERE RELEASED PRIOR TO HIS OWN RELEASE WHICH WAS ON DECEMBER TWENTY, SIXTYSIX.

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HE ALSO POINTED OUT THAT UNSUB MARINE HAD ATTAINED HIGH MARKS IN THE OUTFIT ON THE RIFLE RANGE AND WAS AN EXPERT MARKSMAN. PISKORSKI COULD RECALL NO ADDITIONAL INFORMATION AND INDICATED HE WOULD REVIEW PAPERS IN ADDRESS BOOK IN ATTEMPT TO DEVELOP FURTHER IDENTIFYING DATA RE BOTH INDIVIDUALS.

ATLANTA, AT ATLANTA, GEORGIA, WILL AT SIXTH MARINE CORPS RECRUIT AND RESERVE DISTRICT, ATLANTA, GEORGIA, ATTEMPT TO DETERMINE IDENTITY AND CURRENT RESIDENCE OF DAVE PARRISH THROUGH ALPHABETICAL LISTING OF RESERVISTS IN THE SIXTH DISTRICT AREA.

CHARLOTTE, AT CAMP LEJEUNE, N.C., WILL AT CAMP LEJEUNE CHECK WITH BASE LOCATER AND OTHER APPROPRIATE RECORDS, INCLUDING DUTY ROSTERS FOR THE PERIOD DECEMBER, SIXTYSIX, IF AVAILABLE IN ATTEMPT TO DETERMINE IDENTITY AND CURRENT RESIDENCE OF DAVE PARRISH.

WFO, AT WASHINGTON, D.C., WILL AT MARINE CORPS HEADQUARTERS, ATTEMPT TO DETERMINE IDENTITY AND CURRENT RESIDENCE OF DAVE PARRISH THROUGH ALPHABETICAL CROSS INDEX FILE AND OTHER APPROPRIATE RECORDS.  
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FOR INFORMATION RECIPIENT OFFICES, ALL THESE INDIVIDUALS WERE  
ENLISTED PERSONNEL AND HAD RANK OF PRIVATE OR PFC. ALL WOULD STILL BE  
ASSIGNED TO RESERVE OUTFITS IN THEIR HOME AREAS ON INACTIVE BASIS. ALL  
OFFICES WILL, IF PARRISH IDENTIFIED AND LOCATED, SET OUT LEADS FOR  
INTERVIEW RE ABOVE INFO AND IDENTIFICATION OF UNSUB MARINE INVOLVED.

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