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TO DIRECTOR (44-38861) AND MEMPHIS (44-1987)

FROM-LITTLE ROCK (157-1215)

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ERE MEMPHIS TEL INSTANT DATE.

MRS. RUTH WHICHARD RE-INTERVIEWED INSTANT DATE. SHE ADVISED THAT SHE WAS IN LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS ON THREE TWENTYNINE THIRTY SIXTYEIGHT AND HAD NO CONTACT WITH WILLIAM JAY OGLESBY ON THESE DATES AND HAD NO KNOWLEDGE OF HIS WHEREABOUTS ON THESE DATES.

AS TO WHY SHE DID NOT CONTACT THE FBI PRIOR TO INSTANT DATE. SHE EXPLAINED THAT ON THE DAY OF DR. KING WAS KILLED, FOUR FOUR SIXTYEIGHT, SHE WAS AT THE RESIDENCE OF HER SISTER-IN-LAW, MRS. PHYLIS LONG, POWELL AND HOME STREETS, MEMPHIS TENN., TELEPHONE THREE TWO SEVEN DASH ONE EIGHT SIX TWO. ABOUT TWO PM THIS DATE OGLESBY CAME TO MRS. LONG'S RESIDENCE. HE LEFT A FEW MINUTES LATER AND WAS GONE UNTIL ABOUT THREE PM. OGLESBY WAS WITH HER CONSTANTLY UNTIL AT LEAST MIDNIGHT. OGLESBY COULD NOT HAVE KILLED DR. KING.

WHICHARD ADVISED SHE WAS CONCERNED ABOUT OGLESBY BUT DID NOT BECOME ALARMED UNTIL ABOUT SEVEN THIRTY PM THURSDAY FOUR EIGHTEEN SIXTYEIGHT W 38861-12 END PAGE ONE

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WHICHARD ADVISED THAT SHE HAD NEVER BEEN EMOTIONALLY INVOLVED OR HAD AFFAIR WITH OGLESBY. SHE HAD MET OGLESBY THROUGH HIS SISTER WHEN WHICHARD LIVED IN LITTLE ROCK IN JANUARY NINETEEN SIXTYEIGHT WITH HIS SISTER BONNIE WALKER WHO NOW RESIDES ONE FIVE ONE THREE GREGORY, JACKSONVILLE, ARKANSAS. WHICHARD EXPLAINED THAT SHE HAD MEARLY USED OGLESBY FOR A PLACE TO STAY AND FOR TRANSPORTATION IN MEMPHIS AREA. SHE EXPLAINED THAT SHE FREQUENTLY USED MEN AS SHE WAS NOT EMPLOYED.

WHICHARD ADVISED SHE HAD NO ILL FEELINGS FOR NEGROES AND DID NOT APPRECIATE OGLESBY ATTITUDE TOWARD NEGROES. THROUGH OGLESBY OFTEN MEMTIONED GIRLS, SHE FELT THAT HE DOES NOT ASSOCIATE WITH GIRLS OTHER THAN HERSELF.

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TO DIRECTOR, MEMPHIS, BIRMINGHAM, AND PHOENIX.

FROM EL PASO (157-186) P

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RE NYO TEL CALL ONE TWENTYFIVE PM THIS DATE TO EL PASO AND BUREAU. AND EL PASO CALL TO BUREAU CONCERNING SPANISH LANGUAGE TELEGRAM RECEIVED BY NYO FROM ALEJANDROX RIVERA. HERMOSILLO. SONORA. MEXICO. THIS DATE.

FOR INFO MEMPHIS, BIRMINGHAM, AND PHOENIX, NEW YORK RECEIVED TELEGRAM TIMED NINE FORTY NINE AM. MST. TODAY WHICH WHEN TRANSLATED STATED: I HAVE LOCATED THE PERSON RESPONSIBLE FOR ASSASSINATION OF MARTIN LUTHER KING. PLEASE CALL ME TODAY AT THREE DASH TWO SIX DASH EIGHT FIVE. I DO NOT SPEAK ENGLISH. SIGNED ALEJANDRO RIVERA.

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LEROY KNIGHT, SENIOR STUDIO ENGINEER, WREC-TV ADVISED THAT

WILLIAM JAY SGLESBY HAS BEEN EMPLOYED AS STUDIO TECHNICIAN

WREC-TV AT HOTEL PEABODY IN MEMPHIS SINCE FALL OF NINETEEN SIXTY

FIVE. SALARY APPROXIMATELY ONE HUNDRED FIFTY DOLLARS PER WEEK.

NORMALLY WORKS FROM TWELVE ZERO ONE AM ON FRIDAY TO SIX PM ON

MONDAY OF EACH WEEK. WAS OFF DUTY ON APRIL THREE, FOUR, SEVENTEEN

AND EIGHTEEN, SIXTYEIGHT. OGLESBY CAME TO WREC-TV FROM AN NBC

STATION AT EL PASO, TEXAS.

OGLESBY IS NOT MARRIED, HAS NEVER EXPRESSED INTEREST IN

HUNTING TO FELLOW EMPLOYEES. HAS NEVER EXPRESSED ANTI-NEGRO OR

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To:

SAC'S. Miami (44-1554) Memphis (44-1987)

From:

Director, F 53 (44-38861)

He Miami airtel 4-17-58, audmitting palm prints of SA David N. Jellison and fingerprints and palm prints of Esthryn Hobson for elimination purposes.

Latest prints previously reported on the evidence submitted by the Miami Office, Q124 through Q126, are not focatical with the palm prints of SA Jellison or the fingerprints and palm prints of Robson. The palm prints of SA Jellison are being retained permanently in Latent Fingerprint Section. Fingerprints and palm prints of Hobson are being retained temporarily in the Latent Fingerprint Section.

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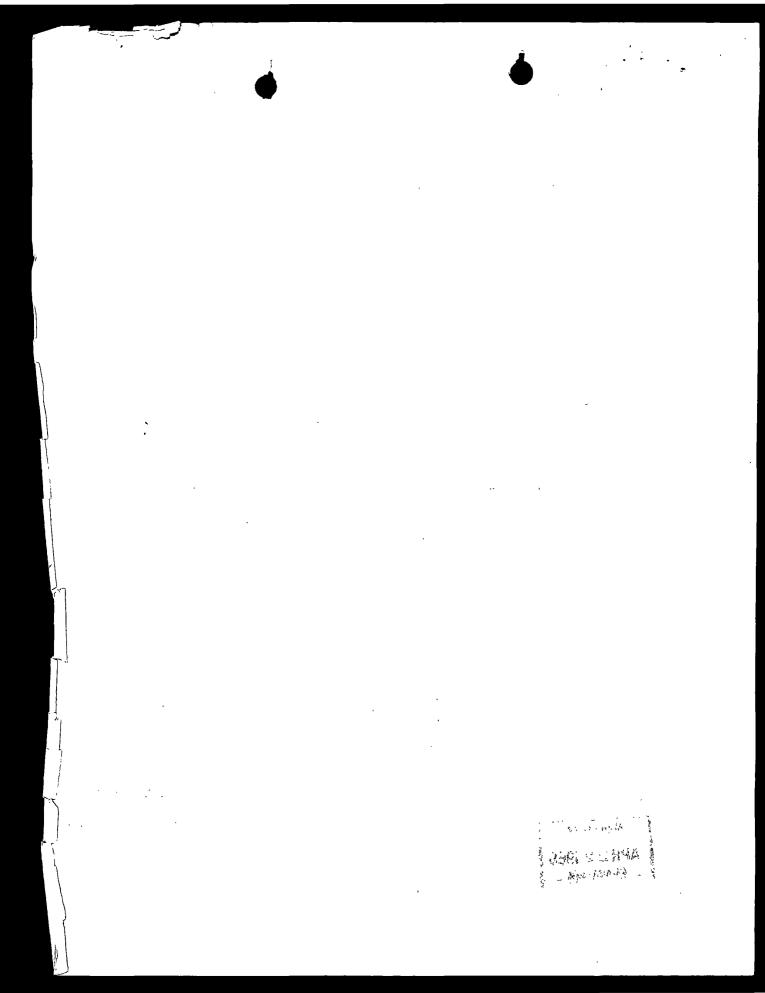
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: FBI, Memphis

Re: MURKIN

Date: April 22, 1968 | (3) | FBI File No. 44-38861

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Results of examination:

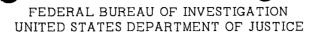
Group "O" human blood was identified on Q76, Q77, Q78, Q79 and Q83.

Human blood too limited in amount for grouping purposes was found on Q82, Q84 and Q85.

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Laboratory Work Sheet

Re:

UNSUB, aka

John Willard:

MARTIN LUTHER KING. JR. -

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File # 44-38861-1437

Lab. # PC-ASS30 BX GH JU/S

EXPEDITE

Examination requested by:

FBI. Memphis (44-1987) Airtel 4-4-69

Examination requested:

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Date received:

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Result of Examination:

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Specimens submitted for examination

CLOTHING PROM MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.

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078 Suit jacket

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Q80-Q81 Pair of socks

Q82 Undersborts

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Q84-Q85 Pair of shoes

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TO:

DIRECTOR, FBI

ATTENTION: PBI LABORATORY

FROM:

SAC, MEMPHIS (44-1987) (P)

SUBJECT:

UNSUB, aka

John Willard; MARTIN LUTHER KING. JR. -

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(00 Memphis)

Submitted herewith in separate enclosure is the clothing Dr. KING wore at the time of the shooting. This was removed at St. Joseph Mospital in Memphis and brought to the Memphis PD by Det. E. S. EEHKLEY, Memphis PD, and turned over to SAC ROBERT G. JENSEN. Preliminary examination indicates what appears to be bullet entry in collar of shirt and collection of large amounts of blood on clothing. This being submitted to Laboratory as possibility exists it may determine point of entry at which bullet entered KING's body. Laboratory also conduct serology examination and any other examination deemed appropriate by Laboratory.

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To:

SAC'S, Atlanta (44-2388)

Memphis (44-1987)

From:

Director, FBI (44-38861)

MURKIN

Re Atlanta sirtel 4-17-68, submitting two key blanks, Q240 and Q241, a metal strip, Q244, and a business card, Q245, for examination.

No latent impressions of value were developed on these items.

Result of laboratory examination and disposition of these items subjects of a separate communication.

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		Enclosed for Bureau, Detroit and Memphis	are
		two copies each of a photo of FRANK B. STEVENS,	
		FBI #4-564-424, who it will be noted, bears a stresemblance to suspect ERIC STARVO GALT. Enclose	ed also
		for Memphis are one xerox copy each of the Person	LATE OF STREET
		History and Identification records of FRANK BASS. CHARLES FREDERICK RICE and CHARLES DUANE DUBOIS,	
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		Square, Cincinnati, furnished the above photo and information.	
		MURRELL, in addition, advised that an int	
		of his agency, who has furnished reliable information the past, also advised that STEVENS, address	
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was possibly connected with the slaying of KING. The source stated that STEVENS purchased two tickets to Memphis and left for there from the Detroit Metro Airport a day or so before KING's death. STEVENS told one of his associates that he had a big deal coming up just prior to his departure, however, he is alleged to have told other people he was going to Ohio and STEVENS has not been seen since the slaying.

MURRELL indicated the above information was furnished orally by Detroit ATT to Detroit FBI, however, no background data or photographs were apparently available at that time, 4/15/68.

MURRELL stated that STEVENS had been arrested by ATT on 5/22/67 in Michigan for violation of the National Firearms Act, and has been out on bond since that date.

MURRELL stated that STEVENS was arrested on that date with CHARLES DUBOIS, FBI #694 285 B, presently in prison, and CHARLES FREDERICK RICE, FBI #756 363 F, and that any additional data concerning these individuals, if believed involved, could be obtained from CHARLES J. QUANDER, Special Investigator, ATT, Detroit, Michigan.

Unless Bureau and Memphis already cognizant of data re STEVENS on basis of previous telephonic ATT contact with Detroit, FBI, Bureau may desire to have Identification Division compare fingerprints of STEVENS with latents available, and Memphis may desire to exhibit enclosed photographs of STEVENS to available witnesses regarding the possibility STEVENS may be GALT.

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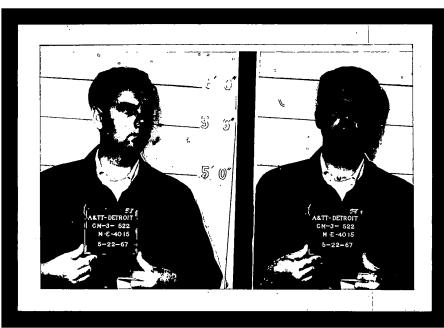
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DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)

ATTN: LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

FROM:

SAC SAN ANTONIO (44-1242)

RE:

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ReButel to all offices 4/8/68.

Enclosed herewith to Memphis is a photograph and to the Bureau photograph and fingerprints of DAVID DEWITT GREER.

On 4/10/68 PAUL LEONARD, owner of the Sea Ranch Motel on S. Padre Island, Texas, advised that on the past Saturday night he went by the home of BILL HUCKABY, Missouri carpenter doing work for him, re additional work desired. A drinking party was in progress, and he was introduced to persons present including a man who had just driven in from Tennessee. He mentioned "it must be a mess back there", and the Tennessee man replied "it's only the beginning; if RAP BROWN or STOKELY CARMICHAEL show up there, they wont last 15 minutes", and further stated it was a woman rather than a man who killed KING. On Tuesday, 4/9/68, this same Tennessee man came to do the work requested by LEONARD. That evening LEONARD watched the Walter Cronkite TV newscast and saw the artist's sketch of the murder suspect who was believed driving a white car, and he had a feeling he had seen this individual. On Wednesday morning he suddenly realized the Tennessee man was a "dead ringer" for the artist's sketch. He recalled the man was referred to as DAVE.

DAVID DEWITT GREER, aka "Dave", located at the waterfront residence of HUCKABY in Port Isabel, Texas, advised as follows:

He has been residing for some time at Rt. 7, Sparta, Tenn property owned by J. W. OERTLA who manages the Travelodge Motel at Roanoke, Va., as caretaker working on the side as carpenter, and he was there during March, 1968, and to 4/5/68. On the latter date he boarded the Greyhound bus at 12:30 PM at Crossville, Tenn., being taken to the bus by SONNIE BROWN LEWIS, JR., Rt. 4, Box 242A, Crossville, Tenn.; and he arrived at Memphis, Tenn., at 9:55 PM where his wife had come, by preagrangement, from Little Rock. They then Edrove to Port Isabel, Texas, leaving Memphis immediately. Bishop_

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no knowledge as to details of the assassination of KING or of possible suspects. He has a drinking problem, and while under the influence of alcohol may have indicated he knows something which he does not. He does not recall saying he knew anything about the murder.

GREER submitted to fingerprinting and photographing.

He is described as follows:

Race: White Sex: Male Age: 32. Birth: at White House, Tenn. Height: 220 lbs. Weight: Hair: Eyes: Dark brown, reddish tinge Pale blue Occupation: Carpenter:

GREER pointed out his car which is a white, considerably rusted, Thunderbird with 1967 Tenn. license 15-5671 with 1968 Tab.

Although GREER's description does not fit that of the suspect in this case his fingerprints are furnished the Bureau in order that they may be compared with latent prints developed in this case, if desired.



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SAC, KANSAS CITY (44-760)

DIRECTOR, PBI (44-38861) - 144

RE: MURKIN

Re KC airtel 4-11-68 submitting major case prints of LYNN RAY CLEVELAND.

Remaining unidentified latent prints in this case are not identical with the finger or palm prints of CLEVELAND.

Prints of CLEVELAND are being retained temporarily in Identification Division.

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TO:	DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861) ATTENTION: LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION IDENTIFICATION DIVISION
FROM:	SAC, KANSAS CITY (44-760) P
SUBJEC	OO MEMPHIS
	Reference Kansas City teletypes 4/9, 10/68.
prints Missou	Enclosed are six (6) cards bearing major case of LYNN RAY CLEVELAND, obtained 4/10/68 at Joplin, iri.
to cha	On the morning of 4/10/68, CLEVELAND entered a of guilty in Joplin Municipal Court, Joplin, Missouri, arge of vagrancy and on same date sentenced to three in city jail. Normal release time 5:00 pm, 4/12/68.
	Bureau is requested to compare major case prints EVELAND with latents obtained in captioned matter.
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MAY 1962 EDITION GSA GEN. REG. NO. 27 UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT Memorandum Mr. Roseh DATE: April 17, 1968 l - Mr. Long C. L. McGoway FROM I with peacely MURKIN SUBJECT: ASAC Mason G. Working, Kansas City Office, has advised that they have located a birth record for one James Eugene Gault, born at St. Louis, Missouri. He requested a check of Identification Division files for any prints. Ford in the identification Division advised they have a record on James Eugene Gault, FBI # 171 119 C, who was born on St. Louis, Missouri, is 73 inches tall, has brown eyes and brown hair, weighs 168, and has slender build. He has one arrest on 10-6-65, by Sheriff's Office, Poplar Bluff, Missouri, petty larceny, no disposition given. This individual was fingerprinted as an applicant to carry arms on 2-14-56, by St. Louis Police Department. He was fingerprinted by Civil Service Commission at VA Hospital, Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, as applicant for job as plumber-purchase and hire-WAE No. 958-161-55. His address at that time was given 9957 Lark Street, Lemay, Missouri. There is no photo in file. ACTION: Latent Fingerprint Section was requested to compare James Eugene Gault's fingerprints with unidentified latents this case. Above information from the Identification Division record was furnished to Security Patrol Clerk Gene Thomeczek, Kansas City Office, per request ASAC Working. 44-38861-1442 HEH: hw (2)

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Bruder, Latent Fingerprint Section, advised Gault's prints compared with unidentified latents this case and are not identical. Kansas City Office advised,

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TO DIRECTOR (44-38861) AND MEMPHIS (44-1987)

FROM LITTLE ROCK (157-1215) 1P

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REQUESTING INFO BE OBTAINED FROM DRIVERS LICENSE RECORDS ON WHITE
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IN VIEW OF THIS COST AND THE VARIED ASPECTS, BUREAU ADVICE IS
REQUESTED WHETHER OR NOT TO PROCEED. PENDING.

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FBI KAN CITY 701PM URGENT 4-17-68 DJB TO DIRECTOR (44-38861) & MEMPHIS (44-1987) FROM KANSAS CITY (44-760) 3P

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SUMMARY OF INVESTIGATION CONDUCTED THIS DATE.

SOUTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE CO. ADVISED NO RECORD OF TELEPHONE IN NAME ERIC S. GALT OR AT FIVE ZERO SEVEN CHESTNUT (NO SUCH ADDRESS). NO RECORD OF TOLL CALL TO MONTREAL, CANADA, MAR. ONE, SIXTYSEVEN.

INVESTIGATION AT ALL LOGICAL RESIDENCES. ROOMING HOUSES. HOTELS ON CHESTNUT STREET NEGATIVE RE GALT.

MANAGER. NOGGLE BAKERY CO. ADVISED NO BAKERY SCHOOLS KANSAS CITY AREA; FURNISHED NAMES OF SCHOOLS IN MINNEAPOLIS AND CHICAGO (INTERESTED OFFICES ADVISED BY TELETYPE 44-38861-1444 REC- 74 LEADS) . EX-115

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DIVISION NEGATIVE. 4 APR 23 1968 BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS, TOPEKA, KS., IN PROCESS OF

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BUAGENTS CURRENTLY REVIEWING BIRTH RECORDS, BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS, JEFFERSON CITY, MO., FOR MALES BORN SAME DATE. THIS WILL BE COMPLETED NOON APRIL EIGHTEEN NEXT.

SELECTIVE SERVICE RECORDS FOR MO. AND KANSAS BEING OBTAINED FOR ALL INDIVIDUALS REGISTERED ON OR ABOUT JULY TWENTY, FORTYNINE, AND FOR TWO-WEEK PERIOD THEREAFTER.

RECORDS, DRIVER'S LICENSE BUREAU, JEFFERSON CITY, MO.,
REFLECT THAT THEIR DRIVER'S LICENSES EXPIRE THREE YEARS AFTER
APPLICATION FOR LICENSE AND HAS NOTHING TO DO WITH BIRTH
RECORDS. THEREFORE, TASK TO OBTAIN NAMES OF MALE DRIVERS IN
MO. BORN APPEARS INSURMOUNTABLE.

BUD BILLINGS, HEAD OF MOTOR VEHICLE DEPARTMENT, TOPEKA,
KANSAS, UNAVAILABLE THIS DATE. HE IS ONLY ONE WHO CAN AUTHORIZE
OBTAINING OF MALE DRIVER'S LICENSES EXPIRING ON BIRTH DATE OF
YULY TWENTY. MOTOR VEHICLE DEPARTMENT STATES THAT ALL DRIVER'S
LICENSES IN THE STATE MUST BE RUN THROUGH THE IBM MACHINE IN
ORDER TO OBTAIN THE ONES EXPIRING ON JULY TWENTY AND NUMEROUS
EXTRA OPERATORS WOULD HAVE TO BE UTILIZED TO DO SO. EFFORTS
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