

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI
(ATTN: FBI LAB)

DATE: 4/22/68

FROM : SAC, NEW ORLEANS (157-10673)

SUBJECT: MURKIN

Re: SCOTT NORDAL (LOOKALIKE)

The following items are being submitted under separate cover:

1) Copy of application blank dated 3/24/68 for individual known as SCOTT NORDAL for employment.

2) One piece white paper approximately 2 by 4."

Item 1 was obtained from the Court of Two Sisters, New Orleans, where NORDAL worked as a waiter through 4/13/68 and picked up his final pay check on 4/15/68.

Item number 2 was obtained from the room he occupied at 623 Royal St. until 4/17/68.

The Bureau is requested to examine both specimens for latent fingerprints and to conduct handwriting comparisons. Any evidence developed should be compared with the fingerprints and handwriting of JAMES EARL RAY and WALTER TERRY RIFE, FBI number 455 8766. Advise Memphis and New Orleans of results.

The Court of Two Sisters have requested that item 1 be returned to them when comparison complete.

- 3 - Bureau
(1 - Package) (RM) (AMSD)
1 - Memphis (Info)
2 - New Orleans
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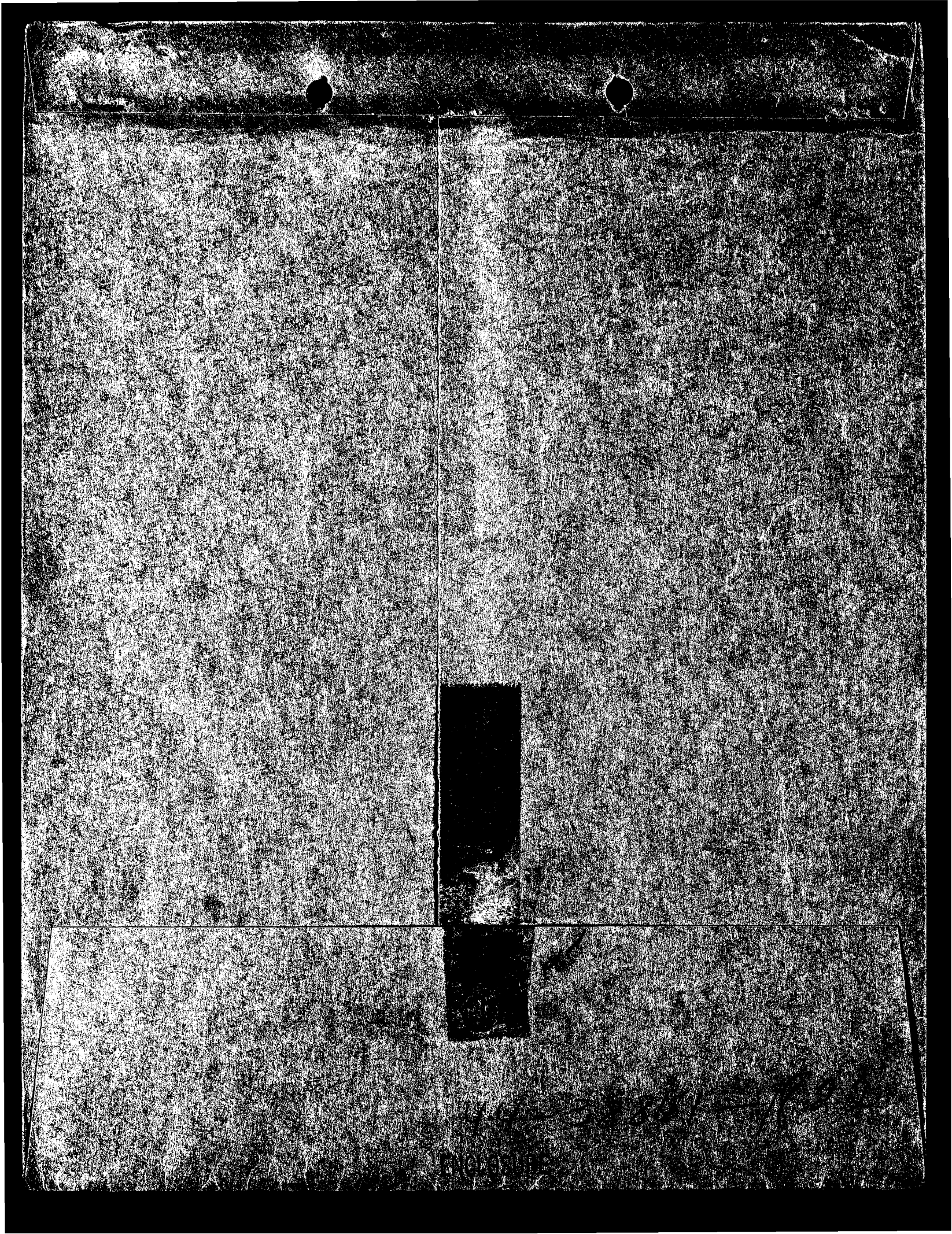
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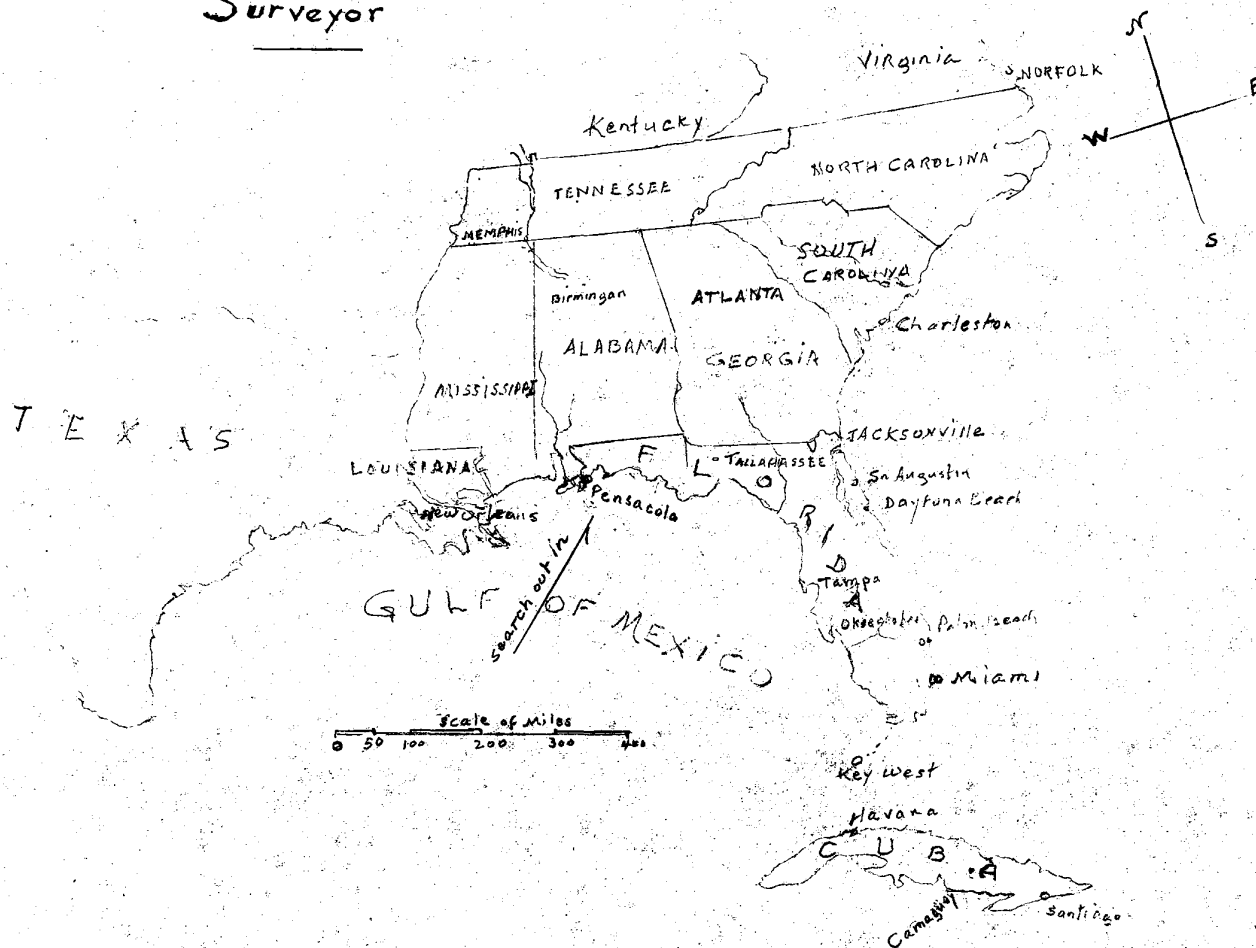


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Map of one possible
danger Zone

April 21st. 1968

L.W. Lamadrid
Surveyor



44-38861-1822

SECRET LETTER

Washington, D.C.
April 22 - 1968

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Director F. B. I.
Washington D.C.

Dear Mr Hoover:

Please take in consideration the following information leading to the arrest of

James Earl Ray

- 1.- On August 30-1967 (Galt) bought a white Mustang from a private in Birmingham for \$2,000 ~~cash~~. Who supplied this money ?. It may be Fidel Castro from Cuba.
- 2.- On March 2nd. 1968 (Galt) was graduated at a school of bartender in Los Angeles, California.
- 3.- On March 29-1968, in Birmingham he bought a rifle caliber 30 weapon using the name Lowmyer. The next day, he returned and said his brother had told him to get a 30.06 Remington G.
- 4.- He was seen in Memphis on April 3 and 4 and is known to have departed from there for Atlanta.
- 5.- On April 4-1968 used the Willard alias when he registered at the flophouse and took a room which gave a clear view of the door of King's room at the Lorraine Motel in Memphis, Tenn.
How did he knew that the room he was renting gave a clear view of the door of King's room ?.
- 6.- On the evening of April 4 King was shot to death on the balcony of a Motel in Memphis, Tenn., by a single shot fired by a sniper from the window of the flophouse , 205 feet away.
- 7.- FBI said Galt is the owner of the Mustang seen in front of the flophouse the day King was shot and later (next day) was found abandoned in an Atlanta Ga. housing development. The car's odometer showed that it had been driven then 19,000 mi. between the date of purchase August 30-1967 and the day it was found in Atlanta April 5-1968 (219 days = 86 mi. per day).
- 8.- Soon after the assassination, Stokely Carmichael was undecided as to what response he should make. Then, intelligence sources said, he received a call from the Cuban press agency (Prensa (ha) in New York, after which he appeared on Washington streets waving a pistol and urging blacks to arm. "A lot of people who were afraid to pick up guns will now pick up guns", he said later. (Time April 19-1968 page 17).

ENCLOSURE ATTACHED

7311/Specimen
ENCLOSURE

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Rule/dep 4-25-68
E. J. T.

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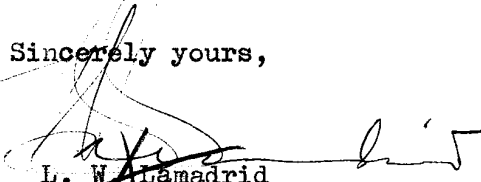
To Mr. J. Edgar Hoover

9.- From Atlanta is easy to go to Key West and from there to Cuba, where James Earl Ray ought to be already or in some place in the coast, trying to go to Cuba or waiting for a plane from Castro to go to Cuba.

To search out in Pensacola may be of good result because Ray might have left the white Mustang abandoned in Atlanta in order to turn the police from the right trails.

I pursue to disclose the connections of Fidel Castro with the disorders in the U.S.

Sincerely yours,


L. W. Madrid
2730 Wisconsin Av. N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20007

Adj. 1 sketch

L. W. Lamadrid
2730 Wisconsin Av. N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20007



Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
DIRECTOR
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
Pennsylvania Av. at 9th. Street N.W.
Washington, D.C.
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1211 Girard Street
Akron, Ohio, 44301
April 9, 1968

LOUISE NOLT - INFT

Attorney General Ramsey Clark
Justice Department
Washington, D.C.

Dear Attorney General Clark:

MARKIN

On Sunday afternoon, April 7, 1968, driving north on Interstate 71 in Ohio, near the Ashland exit sometime between 1:00 and 1:30 P.M. was a white male driving a car with an Alabama license plate 3-34652. His car was a very old model, very pale blue (almost white because it was so faded) with a top entirely rust covered and almost solid red-rust color. He drove at speeds of from 70-90 miles per hour, heading north. He attracted my attention first when he passed me, with his right hand covering his face, then cut his car immediately in front of me. On a very foolish and dangerous impulse indeed, I followed him for about half an hour. Each time that he passed another car, his right hand went up to cover his face. From his speed and attempt to conceal his profile I had the uncanny feeling that he was in interstate flight for some reason, and was trying to avoid being recognized. At the lower part of his back window was the sign KKK 2---. I could not see the last three numbers clearly. These were black numbers about 2½ to 3 inches high.

Please check the driver of Alabama 3-34652. Could he possibly be the murderer of Dr. Martin Luther King? Some 60 hours after the crime in Memphis, he could have driven to Ohio in that time.

This is no crank letter, sir. I am just trying to help out at this time of trouble.

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Thank you very much.

Sincerely,

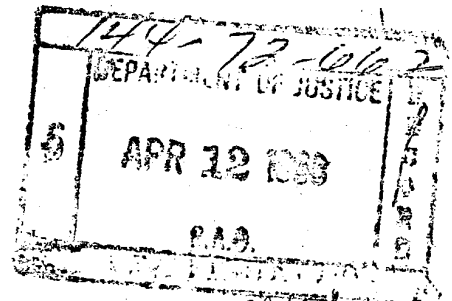
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No action necessary
See Bureau airtel (Miss) Louise Nolt

to Mobile 4-12-68 Louise Nolt

Miss Nolt wrote
same letter to Bureau.

Akron, Ohio 4/12/68 444



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April 9-1968

Attorney General Ramsey Clark
Washington - D.C.

MURKIN

Dear Mr. Attorney General:

Would you watch a re-run
of the hour long memorial
to Dr King - on Channel 2
on Sunday ^{daytime} last - April 7th?

A man taking communion
in a Memphis church
(Catholic) strongly re-
sembled the ~~sketch~~ ^{sketch} of
sketch of Dr. King's
murderer.

It might have been
Channel 4. I wrote a

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No action
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W.A.

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Letter - tore it up - and
then decided to write
again. It looked as
if he was with two
very young children.

I wondered at the
time why so young
children were taking
communion with all
the adults.

The resemblance was
striking. I compared them.

Sincerely yours,

Patricia Aelga
GREENWICH
Greenwich
PATRICIA AELGA
CONN

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

ROUTING SLIP

TO:	NAME	DIVISION	BUILDING	ROOM
1.	Mr. Long			
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| <input type="checkbox"/> SIGNATURE | <input type="checkbox"/> COMMENT | <input type="checkbox"/> PER CONVERSATION |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> ANSWER OR ACKNOWLEDGE ON OR BEFORE _____ | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> PREPARE REPLY FOR THE SIGNATURE OF _____ | | |

REMARKS

More transmittals.

MURKIN

*No action
Necessary*

FROM:	NAME	BUILDING & ROOM	EXT.	DATE
	J. Harold Flannery	Main 1135	3831	4/18

April 11, 1968

101-401 LWARMINET - INET
603 NANIKA - Crescent
RICHMOND, VANCOUVER, CANADA

No acct
Necessary
JH

Mrs. M. Warbinek
603 Nanika-Crescent
Richmond-Vancouver
B.C. Canada

Dear Sir

I would like to have this letter kept in confidence - right or wrong this is my personal guess.

I watched Dr. (Martin Luther King) Jr's funeral on T.V. which was heartbreaking, as I and thousands of others had great respect for him.

If you would rerun the film from the start, and watch the marchers closely, when the church ceremony was over and after they had put Mr. King on the mule cart, as the people started to follow the cart, the camera's stood for a minute or so - on one area - the white man in that area from side to front looked somewhat like the sketch of of the Assassin, I might be wrong - but the TV camera's most of the time show much more clearly and sometimes view things the naked eye refuses to see. I am sure you can view the film again. And I am sure not even the camera men paid attention. I being a housewife viewed the T.V. very closely and after seeing the drawing of the man - this one man marching in a space with one or 2 persons in back, that was the first thought to my mind how alike

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this man and the drawing look, with a
smiling snert on his face. Wishing
you luck. But please once again
keep this letter in confidence. I think
the film is worth while looking into.
Please reply if this letter I remain
is received.

Sincerely

Mrs. Warbinek

FBI WASH DC

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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
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Mr. Tolson	_____
Mr. DeLoach	_____
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Mr. Bishop	_____
Mr. Casper	_____
Mr. Callahan	_____
Mr. Conrad	_____
Mr. Felt	_____
Mr. Gale	_____
Mr. Rosen	_____
Mr. Sullivan	_____
Mr. Tavel	_____
Mr. Trotter	_____
Tele. Room	_____
Miss Holmes	_____
Miss Gandy	_____

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1135PM URGENT 4-10-68 GEB

TO DIRECTOR, MEMPHIS, BOSTON, NEW HAVEN, SEATTLE, KANSAS CITY
DENVER, BUTTE

FROM LITTLE ROCK (91-3143) (100-3442) (157-1215)

MURKIN, OO MEMPHIS.

MINUTEMEN, (BUFILE 62-107261) OO KANSAS CITY.

DUANE IVAN CARLSON, ETAL, BR - CONSPIRACY. (BUFILE 91-28872)

OO SEATTLE.

RE BOSTON TEL TO BUREAU ETAL DATED FOUR NINE LAST CAPTIONED
MINUTEMEN, CONCERNING INTERVIEW OF VINCENT J. DE PALMA AND LOCATION
OF HIDE-OUT FOR ROBERT BOLIVAR DE PUGH AND WALTER PATRICK PEYSON
IN VICINITY OF FAYETTEVILLE, ARKANSAS.

FARM DESCRIBED BY DE PALMA LOCATED IN EXTREMELY HILLY AREA
APPROXIMATELY FOUR MILES FROM STRICKLER, ARK., A TOWN CONSISTING OF
ONE GROCERY STORE, LOCATED APPROXIMATELY TWENTY MILES SOUTHWEST OF
FAYETTEVILLE, ARK. FARM OWNED AND OCCUPIED FOR PAST FOUR YEARS
BY MR. AND MRS ANDREW J. (MADINE) WALKER, . WALKER AKA ACE
APPROXIMATELY FIVE FEET TALL, BORN [REDACTED] AT MC COOK,

NEB. AS OF MARCH NINETEEN SIXTY HAD SON CHARLES WALKER, SEATTLE, WASH.

FARM CONSIST OF TWO HUNDRED NINETYSEVEN ACRES.

SQUAD OF AGENTS LED BY SAC CONDUCTED SEARCH OF FARM PREMISES

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THIS DATE. TWO BUNKERS DESCRIBED BY DE PALMA LOCATED NEAR CREEK RUNNING THROUGH WALKER FARM. FIRST BUNKER GAVE NO INDICATION OF MODIFICATION. SECOND BUNKER SHOWED EXTENSIVE DIGGING AND BLASTING BUT WAS NOT COMPLETED. WAS APPROXIMATELY THIRTY FEET BY EIGHT FEET IN AREA AND SIX TO EIGHT FEET DEEP. ALSO HAD NEAR BY UPPER AREA. HAD STEPS AT ONE END APPEARING TO BE ESCAPE HATCH. COVER HAD NOT BEEN PLACED OVER BUNKER BASED ON INFORMATION FURNISHED TELEPHONICALLY BY DE PALMA IT APPEARS THERE HAS BEEN NO ACTIVITY AT BUNKER SINCE DE PALMA LEFT IN DECEMBER NINETEEN SIXTYSEVEN. PHOTOGRAPHS TAKEN. NO WEAPONS OR OTHER CONTRABAND LOCATED. THERE WAS NO INDICATION EITHER BUNKER HAD BEEN INHABITED. IN VIEW OF LOCATION OF ABOVE AREA DE PALMA APPEARS TO BE GIVING CREDITABLE INFORMATION.

WALKER AND WIFE ADMIT MEMBERSHIP IN PATRIOTIC PARTY BUT DENY EVERY MEETING DE PUGH OR PEYSON OR KNOWLEDGE OF MINUTEMEN ACTIVITIES. EXTENSIVE NEIGHBORHOOD INVESTIGATION GAVE NO INDICATION DE PUGH OR PEYSON PRESENTLY AREA.

END

BJM

FBI WASH DC

CLRP

cc - Mr. Sullivan

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4/24/68

1 - Mr. Hudson

Airtel

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To: SAC, Memphis

From: Director, FBI (44-38861) 1827

MURKIN

Re Unsub; ~~License Plate~~ EV-7925 (no state listed).

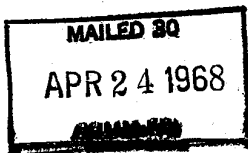
Enclosed are two copies of a letter dated 4/15/68 forwarded to the Bureau by the Civil Rights Division.

Attempt to identify complainant and conduct any necessary investigation.

Enclosures (2)

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MAIL ROOM ☒ TELETYPE UNIT ☐

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MURKIN

Memphis, Tenn.
4-15-68

Dear Mr. Clark

I am writing this in Hoping
That This will be. Able to
Help you. I was at 1491
Lauderdale. 4-4-68. Time 5:55
p.m. This is. ON the south side
Memphis. A man walk in and
said That King had been
shot. I left out and went to
my car. Then I heard on my
Radio That he Had been shot.
Then I heard That the police
was shooting at a blue car.
Then I left 1491 Lauderdale
when I got to parkway. Lauderdale
I saw this **REC-33** car going east
on parkway. Then the light change
44-72-662, 44-38861 1827

NOTE: Copy of letter received via routing slip from
J. Harold Flannery, Civil Rights Division.

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1 letter returned CRU
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And I pull out and went
East on parkway. I overtake
him at parkway + Bellevue. Then
that is when I saw that police
transistor radio. Then I began
to wonder why he was listening at
the radio. And was driven a hot
modern car. but I was not thinking
that he could have been the
one that shot Dr. King. I
know who did. The time this car
was at parkway - Lauderdale 6:15 AM
6:20 PM. 44-68. IF you can look
into this. I think you will have
your man. he had on dark red
vest ~~and~~ and the radio was same color.
The vest was. he was thin man
with dark hair about 20-25 years

(3)

Old. The car ~~that~~ he was
driven was white convertible
Olds. Aboth 1965-66 The lic. plat
was. BV-7925.

Mr. Clark I Hope This will Help
you. AND I DONT want Memphis
To know This. you understand
I Think That They will Kill
me. IF This man say That
This white convertible was not
At Parkway Lauderdale
I Think you will have your
MAN. Mr. Clark I Trust you
because Chuck all over Memphis
IF you Have To come to,
Memphis. you can come to
United Cab Co.
255 Vance

4/24/68

Airtel

To: SAC's, Atlanta (44-2266)
Memphis (44-1987)

From: Director, FBI (44-38861) - 1828

MURKIN

Re Atlanta letter 4/19/68, submitting a luncheon check.

No latent impressions of value developed on the luncheon check, which is being retained temporarily in Latent Fingerprint Section.

MAILED 10
APR 24 1968
COMM-FBI

1 - Birmingham (44-1740)

1 - Mr. Rosen

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861) DATE: 4/19/68
ATTN: IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

FROM: SAC, ATLANTA (44-2386) (P)

SUBJECT: MURKIN

PATSY PIKE, a waitress at Mammy's Shanty Restaurant, Atlanta, Georgia, advised on 4/18/68, she served lunch to ERIC S. GALT, whose photograph appeared in the newspapers on 4/18/68.

Enclosed is the luncheon check which this individual presented to the cashier upon leaving the restaurant.

The Identification Division is requested to process the enclosed check for latent fingerprint impressions and thereafter to compare any latents developed with latent prints previously developed in this case.

- 2 - Bureau (Enc. 1) (RM)
1 - Memphis (Info)
1 - Birmingham (Info)
2 - Atlanta
DFT:lcc
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ENCLOSURE

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Noted
4-24-68
G.T.B.

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L.F.P.

SPECIMENS DETACHED IN LFPS

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REC'D - LFPS
FBI

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1. The first step is to identify the problem. In this case, the problem is that the company is not meeting its sales targets.

Year	Age	Sex	Height (cm)	Weight (kg)	Body Mass Index (kg/m ²)
1990	18	M	175	75	24.2
1991	19	F	165	60	22.0
1992	20	M	180	80	24.7
1993	21	F	170	70	24.2
1994	22	M	185	85	24.2
1995	23	F	175	75	24.2
1996	24	M	190	90	25.0
1997	25	F	180	80	24.7
1998	26	M	195	95	25.0
1999	27	F	185	85	24.2
2000	28	M	200	100	25.0
2001	29	F	190	90	25.0
2002	30	M	205	105	25.0
2003	31	F	195	95	25.0
2004	32	M	210	110	25.0
2005	33	F	200	100	25.0
2006	34	M	215	115	25.0
2007	35	F	205	105	25.0
2008	36	M	220	120	25.0
2009	37	F	210	110	25.0
2010	38	M	225	125	25.0
2011	39	F	215	115	25.0
2012	40	M	230	130	25.0
2013	41	F	220	120	25.0
2014	42	M	235	135	25.0
2015	43	F	225	125	25.0
2016	44	M	240	140	25.0
2017	45	F	230	130	25.0
2018	46	M	245	145	25.0
2019	47	F	235	135	25.0
2020	48	M	250	150	25.0
2021	49	F	240	140	25.0
2022	50	M	255	155	25.0
2023	51	F	245	145	25.0
2024	52	M	260	160	25.0
2025	53	F	250	150	25.0
2026	54	M	265	165	25.0
2027	55	F	255	155	25.0
2028	56	M	270	170	25.0
2029	57	F	260	160	25.0
2030	58	M	275	175	25.0
2031	59	F	265	165	25.0
2032	60	M	280	180	25.0
2033	61	F	270	170	25.0
2034	62	M	285	185	25.0
2035	63	F	275	175	25.0
2036	64	M	290	190	25.0
2037	65	F	280	180	25.0
2038	66	M	295	195	25.0
2039	67	F	285	185	25.0
2040	68	M	300	200	25.0
2041	69	F	290	190	25.0
2042	70	M	305	205	25.0
2043	71	F	295	195	25.0
2044	72	M	310	210	25.0
2045	73	F	300	200	25.0
2046	74	M	315	215	25.0
2047	75	F	305	205	25.0
2048	76	M	320	220	25.0
2049	77	F	310	210	25.0
2050	78	M	325	225	25.0
2051	79	F	315	215	25.0
2052	80	M	330	230	25.0
2053	81	F	320	220	25.0
2054	82	M	335	235	25.0
2055	83	F	325	225	25.0
2056	84	M	340	240	25.0
2057	85	F	330	230	25.0
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1. The first group of variables is the "control" group, which includes variables that are expected to influence the dependent variable but are not the primary focus of the study. These variables are typically measured at the baseline and are used to control for confounding factors. The control group variables are: age, sex, education, income, and health status.

1. The first step in the process is to identify the problem or issue that needs to be addressed. This involves gathering information and understanding the context of the problem.

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N/A FBI. WASH. DC
11:05 PM 4/20/68
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
COMMUNICATION SECTION

APR 20 1968

FBI CLEVELAND

9:30 PM URGENT 4-20-68 SLO TELETYPE

TO DIRECTOR 44-38861, KANSAS CITY 88-9449 AND MEMPHIS 44-1987.

FROM CLEVELAND 44-565

Mr. Tolson	
Mr. DeLoach	
Mr. Mohr	
Mr. Bishop	
Mr. Casper	
Mr. Callahan	
Mr. Conrad	
Mr. Felt	
Mr. Gale	
Mr. Rosen	
Mr. Sullivan	
Mr. Tavel	
Mr. Trotter	
Tele. Room	
Miss Holmes	
Miss Gandy	

MURKIN.

OO: MEMPHIS.

JAMES T. BOND, AKA JAMES SNYDER - W/M, DOB [REDACTED]

PRESENTLY IN CUYAHOGA COUNTY JAIL CLEVELAND, OHIO, ON CHARGE
CARRYING A CONCEALED WEAPON. ADVISED THIS DATE THAT HE KNEW SUBJECT AT
MISSOURI STATE PENITENTIARY JEFFERSON CITY, MISSOURI FROM OCT.

NINETEEN SIXTYTWO UNTIL DECEMBER NINETEEN SIXTYFIVE.

BOND STATED THAT HE WAS INCARCERATED, K HALL, CELL ONE EIGHT
SEVEN AND RAY'S CELL WAS ONLY FOUR AWAY. HE STATED RAY WAS A "BREAD
MAN" WHOSE DUTIES CONSISTED OF SLICING BREAD FOR MEALS.

BOND STATED THAT HE WAS CONSIDERED A FRIEND OF RAY'S BUT ONLY
BECAUSE WHEN BOTH HAD FREE TIME THEY WOULD TALK ABOUT VARIOUS MATTERS.

BOND STATED THAT RAY HAD NO CLOSE FRIENDS BUT DESCRIBED HIM AS
A "FRIEND" ON AMPHETAMINE POWDERS. HE STATED THAT RAY ALWAYS HAD AN
"OUTFIT" IN HIS CELL STATING THAT AN OUTFIT WAS A "NOSE DROPPER
WITH NEEDLE" TO SHOOT A SOLUTION MADE UP OF AMPHETAMINE POWDER.

BOND STATED THAT RAY WOULD PURCHASE A SPOONFUL FOR FIFTY
DOLLARS TO ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS AND THEN WOULD BREAK IT UP AND SELL
IN SMALLER PACKAGES. BOND FURTHER STATED THAT RAY WAS A MAIN LINE
SHOOTER FOR A NUMBER OF YEARS AND BECAUSE OF THIS WAS HIGHLY NERVOUS

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AND DID NOT EAT MUCH. HE STATED THAT RAY IF AT ALL SMOKED AND DRANK VERY LITTLE.

BOND STATED THAT RAY IF AMPHETAMINE POWDER WAS NOT AVAILABLE WOULD BREAK UP "BENNIES".

BOND ADVISED THAT RAY WAS STRICTLY A LONE WOLF AND NEVER DISCUSSED HIS OWN PERSONAL BACK GROUND. HE STATED THAT HE WAS AN AVID READER OF SEX BOOKS AND GIRLIE MAGAZINES AND THAT HE HAD NEVER KNOWN HIM TO ENGAGE IN ANY HOMOSEXUAL ACTS.

BOND STATED THAT AT TIMES PERHAPS ONCE OR TWICE A MONTH WOULD GET MONEY FROM THE OUTSIDE TO BUY THE AMPHETAMINE. BOND STATED THAT RAY WOULD GET A LETTER SMUGGLED OUT AND THE PERSON WOULD SEND A CHECK DIRECTLY TO THE INMATE RAY WAS PURCHASING THE DRUG FROM AND AS SOON AS THE CHECK CLEARED BOND WOULD GET THE AMPHETAMINE.

BOND CONFIDED AFTER BEING ASSURED HIS NAME WOULD NOT BE MENTIONED *THAT THE INDIVIDUAL FROM* RAY MADE HIS DRUG PURCHASES WAS JIM BRADLEY WHO HE DESCRIBED AS THE TOP CON.

BOND STATED RAY ON MANY OCCASIONS MADE ANTI NEGRO STATEMENTS AND WOULD CONSIDER HIM A RACIST.

KANSAS CITY AT JEFFERSON CITY WILL REVIEW MISSOURI SP MAILING RECORDS OF JIM BRADLEY AND CONSIDER INTERVIEW OF BRADLEY TO DETERMINE
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WHO SENT CHECKS TO COVER SUBJECTS PURCHASE OF AMPHETAMINES.

GIVE NO INDICATION OF BOND'S COOPERATION IN THIS MATTER SINCE A
RETAINER BY MISSOURI IS OUTSTANDING AND HE FEARS RETALIATION
SHOULD IT BE KNOWN INFORMATION FURNISHED BY HIM.

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RE PHOENIX TEL TO BUREAU APRIL TWENTY ONE LAST
REGARDING PAUL VARNER LINDHARD.

BERNARDO CARILLO, TWO SIX ZERO FOUR EIGHT FARMFIELD
ROAD, CALABASAS, CALIFORNIA, FRIEND OF PAUL VARNER LINDHARD
ADVISED TODAY THAT LINDHARD IS ART STUDENT AT INSTITUTO
ALLENDE, SAN MIGUEL DE ALLENDE, GUANAJUATA, MEXICO.
LINDHARD TELEPHONED CARILLO YESTERDAY TO ADVISE OF
TRANSMISSION DIFFICULTY NEAR MAZATLON, MEXICO, AND TODAY
CARILLO WIRED MONEY TO LINDHARD AT HOTEL PLAYA, MAZATLON,
MEXICO. CARILLO BELIEVES LINDHARD INTENDS TO VISIT UNKNOWN
FEMALE BEFORE RETURNING TO ABOVE SCHOOL.

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RE PHOENIX TEL TO BUREAU APRIL TWENTY ONE LAST
REGISTRATION OF VEHICLE LINDHARD.
FERRARDO GARCIA, TWO SIX ZERO FOUR FIVE FIVE FIVE
FOUR, CALIFORNIA, FRIEND OF PAUL VAN DYKE LINDHARD
ADVISED TODAY THAT LINDHARD IS ART STUDENT AT IMPERIAL
UNIVERSITY, SAN DIEGO OF CALIFORNIA, CHANDLER, ARIZONA.
LINDHARD TELEPHONED GARCIA YESTERDAY TO ADVISE OF
TRANSPORTATION DIFFICULTY NEAR PASADENA, ARIZONA, AND TODAY
GARCIA WENT HOME TO LINDHARD'S HOTEL ROOM, PASADENA
ARIZONA. GARCIA ADVISED LINDHARD INTENDS TO VISIT UNIV
OF CALIFORNIA, BERKELEY TO VISIT SCHOOL.
BUREAU REQUESTED TO ADVISE THAT, MEXICO OF
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Re Charlotte teletype to Bureau and Cincinnati,
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The following investigation was conducted by
SA FREDRICK J. BEASLEY at Hamilton, Ohio, on 4/16/68:

Mr. GEORGE MEECE, owner of the Butler Cleaners,
South Erie Highway, Hamilton, Ohio, advised that he
purchased the entire cleaning plant of the Imperial
Cleaners of Cincinnati, Ohio, around 1960. Included in
the machinery purchased was a Thermo-Seal Marking Machine,
but this machine has never been used by the Butler Cleaners,
even though it remains in their possession. Mr. MEECE
stated that his company has never used any such short
marking as 02B-6 or D2B-6.

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TO DIRECTOR, MEMPHIS, BIRMINGHAM, AND NEW ORLEANS, KANSAS CITY,
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FROM ATLANTA 44-2386

W. J. McGowan

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RE ATLANTA TELETYPE TO ABOVE OFFICES, APR. TWENTYONE
SIXTYEIGHT.

ON APR. TWENTYONE, LAST, SHERIFF G. T. MAULDIN, (NA),
DALTON, GEORGIA, ADVISED, RAYMOND LOUIS CURTIS CURRENTLY SERVING
LIFE SENTENCE FOR MURDER, ADVISED EARLIER HE SERVED TIME ON
THREE OCCASIONS WITH JAMES RAY. MAULDIN STATED CURTIS' INFO
PROBABLY RELIABLE. CURTIS INTERVIEWED WHITFIELD COUNTY JAIL,
APR. TWENTYONE, LAST, ADVISED FIRST ACQUAINTED RAY IN MARCH
FIFTYFIVE, JACKSON COUNTY JAIL, KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI, WHERE
RAY INCARCERATED ON POST OFFICE BURGLARY CHARGE JUST SUBSEQUENT
TO RELEASE FROM PRISON IN MENARD, ILLINOIS. CURTIS, AT TIME
UNDER ARREST FOR ARMED ROBBERY AND BANK ROBBERY. DURING THIS
PERIOD, CURTIS AND RAY CELL MATES FOR SIX TO SEVEN MONTHS. RAY
HAD FRIEND (NAME UNRECALLED), WHO VISITED HIM IN JACKSON
PRISON. FRIEND HAD BEEN CELL MATE OF RAY WHEN RAY AT MENARD,

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ILLINOIS. THIS MAN KEPT RAY IN SPENDING MONEY WHILE RAY IN PRISON AND WOULD HARBOR RAY. RAY HAD ANOTHER CLOSE FRIEND (NAME UNRECALLED) OF ITALIAN DESCENT, APPARENTLY "A BIG MAN" IN SYNDICATE. THIS ITALIAN HAD APPARENTLY OPERATED WITH RAY IN PAST AND ENGAGED WITH RAY IN HANDLING STOLEN POST OFFICE MONEY ORDERS AND TRAVELERS CHECKS. AFTER SIX TO SEVEN MONTHS AS CELL MATES, JACKSON COUNTY JAIL, RAY SENTENCED TO THREE YEARS ON POST OFFICE BURGLARY CHARGES, TRANSFERRED TO LEAVENWORTH FEDERAL PENITENTIARY. TWO WEEKS LATER, CURTIS RECEIVED SIXTEEN YEARS SENTENCE FOR BANK ROBBERY AND SENT TO LEAVENWORTH. WHILE CONFINED LEAVENWORTH DURING THIS PERIOD, RAY SPOKE OF NO GIRL FRIEND AND CORRESPONDED WITH NONE. RAY MENTIONED HE "OPERATED" FREQUENTLY OUT OF QUINCY, ILLINOIS, WHICH MEANT "ENGAGED IN BURGLARY AND PAYROLL JOBS." WHILE HE AND RAY WERE INCARCERATED, THEY ENGAGED IN CROOKED POKER GAMES AND TOOK FELLOW PRISONERS FOR MONEY. RAY GOOD POKER PLAYER AND EXCELLENT CARD HANDLER. RAY MENTIONED UNDER WORLD AND HOODLUM CONNECTIONS (NAMES UNRECALLED) IN CHICAGO, DETROIT, TAMPA, AND TIJUANA, MEXICO AREAS. SERVING SEVEN TO EIGHT MONTHS WITH RAY AT LEAVENWORTH, CURTIS TRANSFERRED U.S. PENITENTIARY, ATLANTA, GA. CURTIS SERVED U.S. PENITENTIARY, ATLANTA, AND IN JUNE, SIXTYTWO, SENT BACK MISSOURI STATE PENITENTIARY, JEFFERSON CITY, MISSOURI, TO SERVE

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ON ARMED ROBBERY CHARGES. WHILE IN STATE PENITENTIARY JEFFERSON, MISSOURI, AGAIN INCARCERATED WITH RAY. ON OCCASIONS IN SAME CELL TOGETHER IN "B" HALL AND "C" HALL. SERVED TOGETHER FROM SIXTYTWO TO SIXTYSIX. WHILE IN "B" AND "C" HALLS, THEY WERE TOGETHER IN THREE-MAN CELL, WITH THIRD INDIVIDUAL (WHOM CURTIS STATED COULD VERIFY FOLLOWING FACTS, BUT WHOM CURTIS REFUSED TO IDENTIFY). DURING THIS INCARCERATION PERIOD, PRESIDENT JOHN F. KENNEDY ASSASSINATED AND WORD CAME FROM OUTSIDE THIS PROBABLY CONSPIRACY, AND KENNEDY HAD "BOUNTY" ON HIS HEAD. CURTIS, UNABLE TO GIVE FURTHER DETAILS ON "BOUNTY". HE STATED IN SIXTYTHREE TO SIXTYFOUR, DR. KING'S MOVEMENTS BECAME TOPIC OF CONVERSATIONS AT STATE PENITENTIARY AND WORD GOT AROUND TO PRISONERS THAT "KK OF THE SOUTH" WHO APPARENTLY WENT TO BUSINESSMEN HAD RAISED ABOUT MILLION DOLLARS FOR "BOUNTY" ON KING'S HEAD. CURTIS, UNABLE TO GIVE FURTHER IDENTIFICATION OR INFORMATION OF KK OF SOUTH. FROM 'SIXTYTWO TO 'SIXTYSIX BEFORE CURTIS RELEASE, RAY MENTIONED A DOZEN TIMES "HAD HE KNOWN ABOUT A BOUNTY ON JOHN F. KENNEDY'S HEAD AND HAD HE BEEN OUT, HE WOULD HAVE COLLECTED IT". RAY STATED A DOZEN TIMES THAT "IF HE GOT OUT IN TIME AND IF KING WAS STILL ALIVE, HE WOULD LIKE TO GET THE BOUNTY ON KING". RAY NEVER MENTIONED WHOM HE WOULD CONTACT TO GET BOUNTY BUT ADVISED

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CRIMINAL ELEMENTS KNEW HOW TO CONTACT SUCH PEOPLE. ABOVE STATEMENTS BY RAY OVERHEARD BY THIRD CELL MATE MENTIONED ABOVE. RAY HAD FRIEND IN NEW ORLEANS (FIRST NAME UNKNOWN), COIN (PHONETIC) SPELLED LIKE "QUARTER OR DIME", WHO APPARENTLY A FENCE, WELL CONNECTED WITH HOODLUM ELEMENTS AND WHO IN 'FIFTYFIVE WAS FIFTYFIVE OR SIXTYFIVE YEARS OLD, WHOM WOULD HARBOR RAY. CURTIS KNEW NO CLOSE FRIENDS OF ASSOCIATES OF RAY. RAY ALLEGEDLY THRU PRISON GRAPE VINE HAD WIFE, BUT NEVER MENTIONED BY RAY; HOWEVER, FEW PRISONERS MENTION FAMILY CONNECTIONS. RAY ALSO MENTIONED GAMBLING IN LOS ANGELES. RAY WAS "HIGH LIVER" WHEN OUTSIDE AND WOULD ASSOCIATE WITH PROSTITUTES, TAKING ONE FROM TOWN TO TOWN. RAY WITH REGARD TO KING'S KILLING INDICATED HE WOULD MAKE ALL RULES AND WOULD IN ALL PROBABILITY DEMAND BOUNTY MONEY BE PUT IN BANK. RAY MENTIONED THREE FOREIGN COUNTRIES WHICH HE HAD READ ABOUT, WHICH CURTIS ASSUMED RAY WOULD GO TO IF OUT OF UNITED STATES. THESE ARE NEW ZEALAND, BRAZIL, AND SWITZERLAND. CURTIS OF OPINION, NOT OVER THREE PEOPLE WOULD BE INVOLVED IN ACTUAL ASSASSINATION. IT WOULD HAVE BEEN WELL PLANNED WITH DIVERSIONARY MEASURES AND SECOND INDIVIDUAL, NOT RAY, WOULD HAVE DRIVEN GETAWAY CAR TO ATLANTA AS DIVERSIONARY MEASURE. CURTIS WILL NOT TESTIFY, AS HE FEARS FOR HIS LIFE, IF INFO GETS OUT. HE DEMANDED IDENTITY BE PROTECTED. IN SPITE OF ABOVE, SHERIFF MAULDIN ADVISED CURTIS HAS ALSO GIVE ABOVE INFO PRIOR TO INTERVIEW BY FBI TO LLOYD GULLEDGE, REPORTER, DALTON NEWS

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CITIZEN NEWSPAPER, DALTON, GEORGIA. MAULDIN NOT PRESENT DURING THIS INTERVIEW AND DOES NOT KNOW WHAT INFO CURTIS GAVE GULLEDGE. MAULDIN STATED CURTIS THREE TO FOUR DAYS AGO RECEIVED LETTER WITH RETURN ADDRESS, MISSOURI STATE PENITENTIARY. CURTIS KNOWS NO SPECIFIC RACIAL HATREDS BY RAY, WHO IS MEAN IF CROSSED, BUT NOT AGGRESSIVE INDIVIDUAL. HE SAID IF RAY RETURNED TO ATLANTA AFTER ASSASSINATION, IT WOULD PROBABLY HAVE BEEN TO COLLECT BOUNTY.

KANSAS CITY AT JEFFERSON CITY, MISSOURI. (1) DETERMINE THIRD CELL MATE WITH RAY AND CURTIS IN "B" AND "C" HALLS, BETWEEN 'SIXTYTWO TO 'SIXTYSIX (INDIVIDUAL ALLEGED TO BE AT MISSOURI STATE PENITENTIARY), VERIFY CURTIS' STORY. (2) THRU POLICE AND INFORMANT CONTACTS IDENTIFY ITALIAN WHO WAS "A BIG MAN" IN SYNDICATE BETWEEN KANSAS CITY AND CHICAGO AND WHO STOLE POST OFFICE MONEY ORDERS AND TRAVELERS CHECKS FOR SUBJECT RAY. (3) DEVELOP INFO FROM INMATES AND OTHER SOURCES RE RAY'S ALLEGED WIFE. (4) DEVELOP INFO RE PRISON GOSSIP RE "MILLION DOLLAR BOUNTY ON KING'S HEAD".

NEW ORLEANS AT NEW ORLEANS, LA.,) DEVELOP INFO RE COIN (PHONETIC).

SPRINGFIELD AT MENARD PRISON, MENARD, ILL. IDENTIFY RAY'S FORMER CELL MATE IN MENARD STATE PRISON.

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SPRINGFIELD AT QUINCY, ILL. CONTACT INFORMANTS AND SOURCES TO DEVELOP BACKGROUND INFO RE SUBJECT.

DETROIT, LOS ANGELES, SAN DIEGO, AND TAMPA CONTACT LOGICAL INFORMANTS TO DETERMINE IF SUBJECT KNOWN TO HOODLUM ELEMENTS.

SAN DIEGO NOTE SUBJECT ALLEGEDLY VISITED TIJUANA IN PAST.

AM COPIES SENT TO CHICAGO, DETROIT, LOS ANGELES, SAN DIEGO AND TAMPA.

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SAN DIEGO WERE SUBJECTS WITNESSED ACTING TOGETHER IN 1961.

CONVICTED TO DETERMINE IF SUBJECTS KNOWN TO PROSECUTE ATTORNEYS.

BRISOL, FOR WAREHOUSE, SAN DIEGO, AND SAN DIEGO CONTROL POSITION, IN-
DETERMINED BACKGROUND INFO RE SUBJECT.

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TO DIRECTOR, CHICAGO, SPRINGFIELD, KANSAS CITY AND MEMPHIS
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RE ATLANTA AND SPRINGFIELD TELETYPES APRIL TWENTYTWO.

RAYMOND LOUIS ~~CURTIS~~ REINTERVIEWED CONCERNING PORTION OF
INFORMATION PREVIOUSLY FURNISHED, CONCERNING RAY'S REPORTED
INCARCERATION AT MENARD PRISON.

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CURTIS ADVISED HE DID NOT SERVE TIME WITH SUBJECT RAY AT
MENARD PRISON BUT RELATED ONLY WHAT RAY TOLD HIM CURTIS, WHILE
BOTH WERE IN KANSAS CITY COUNTY JAIL FOR SIX OR SEVEN MONTH
PERIOD. CURTIS ADVISED HE NEVER HEARD RAY MENTION SERVING TIME
AT JOLIET OR PONTIAC PRISONS, BUT IF HE DID, HE WAS SURE RAY
WOULD HAVE BEEN SHIPPED TO MENARD FOR DISCHARGE PURPOSES.

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CURTIS FURTHER DESCRIBED UNKNOWN CLOSE ASSOCIATE OF RAY
IN JACKSON COUNTY ~~MISSOURI~~ JAIL AS THE CELL MATE OF RAY
PERSON CONVICTED ON SAME CHECK CHARGE WITH RAY.

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CURTIS WHILE CONFINED WITH RAY AND UNKNOWN SECOND MAN
IN JACKSON COUNTY RECALLS A THIRD UNKNOWN MALE VISITING RAY
AND HIS CODEFENDANT. APPEARED THIRD MAN WAS REAL CLOSE TO BOTH

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RAY AND CELLMATE. CURTIS ADVISED JAIL VISITORS LOG MORE THAN LIKELY WILL NOT REFLECT IDENTITY OF THIRD MAN. CURTIS COULD NOT RECALL NAME OF THIRD MAN OR DESCRIPTION.

CURTIS ADVISED HE WAS CONFINED JEFFERSON COUNTY JAIL WITH RAY AND CO-DEFENDANT FROM MARCH NINETEEN FIFTYFIVE TO JULY NINETEEN FIFTYFIVE. CURTIS, RAY AND SECOND MAN ALL ENDED UP AT LEAVENWORTH WHERE WAS RELEASED PROBABLY IN NINETEEN FIFTYEIGHT. SECOND MAN WHO IS ASSOCIATED WITH RAY DESCRIBED AS WHITE MALE, THIRTYSIX, FIVE FEET TEN INCHES DASH SIX FEET, ONE EIGHT ZERO POUNDS WHO WAS STRONGLY BUILT AND SPENT HIS THREE YEARS AT LEAVENWORTH ON BODY CONDITIONING AND LIFTING WEIGHTS.

CURTIS ADVISED HE LAST SAW RAY IN JEFFERSON COUNTY JAIL IN MAY OR JUNE SIXTYSIX. CURTIS RELUCTANT TO TALK FURTHER THIS MATTER.

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