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King Threatens Demonstration At Conventions

By LAWRENCE L. KNUDSON

WASHINGTON (AP) — Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. said Sunday that if his planned poor people's demonstration in Washington does not produce results in Congress, he may stage mass protests at the Democratic and Republican conventions.

King, an ordained Baptist minister, commented minutes after preaching to a predominantly white congregation that filled all 4,000 seats in Washington's prestigious Episcopal cathedral and spilled onto the steps and lawns outside.

"We're not coming to tear Washington apart," King told the congregation. "We're coming to demand to know if the government will address itself to the problems of poverty."

At his news conference, King said his Washington demonstrations will start April 22 with 200 to 300 persons who will talk with congressional leaders. They will be followed later in the week by 3,000 to 4,000 selected demonstrators who will build a shantytown at some still unchosen site inside the city, he said.

King said he expects a mass march, tentatively set for June 15th, will bring hundreds of thousands of demonstrators to the city to confront what he called "the goliath of opposition" to racial progress.

A demonstration which King led in Memphis last week erupted into riotous looting but he said his Washington demonstrators will be "trained in the technique of nonviolence."

In Atlanta, Dr. King's office said King plans to return to Memphis Tuesday where he will likely lead another march and organize some economic actions against discrimination there.

Four top SCLC aides were sent to Memphis to meet Sunday with local leadership from "all elements." The four — Hosea Williams, the Rev. James Bevel, the Rev. Jesse Jackson and James Orange — met with church, labor, business and militant leaders to

work with them on "the issue of action for poverty," a SCLC spokesman said.

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Editor: Eugene Patterson

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3,000 Poor Predicted for King's Drive

WASHINGTON (UPI) — A planner for Martin Luther King's "poor people's campaign" estimates some 3,000 participants will join in building a city of tents, trailers and shacks in Washington next month and will stay here for "days, months—or years."

Tony Henry, District of Columbia coordinator for the demonstration, scheduled to begin April 22, the day Congress reconvenes after the Easter recess, told a news conference that the demonstrators' "city of hope" will be built in sight of the Capitol.

HE SAID a site had not been selected from several considered, but the structures may be erected on the Mall, which runs from the Washington Monument to the Capitol.

Henry said the demonstrators would seek whatever permits are required, but he evaded questions about what they would do if forbidden to carry out their plans.

A pamphlet published by King's Southern Christian Leadership Conference (SCLC), sponsor of the demonstration, said of the campaign:

"We will stay (in Washington) until the government responds, building up the pressure for action by calling for thousands upon thousands of people, rich and poor, to come to Washington or stand up and be counted in demonstrations in their home communities."

BUT HENRY said the participants would be limited to 3,000 in order to keep the demonstration nonviolent.

"We will proceed all the way through to a nonviolent conclusion," he said.

The demonstrators will be limited to the "impoverished" he said, and the number of participants from each region of the country will have to be limited because of the "overwhelming response," he said.

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TO : Mr. D. J. Brennan, Jr. *[Signature]* DATE: April 17, 1968

FROM : S. J. Papich *[Signature]*

CONFIDENTIAL

SUBJECT: MURKIN

[Richard Ober] Central Intelligence Agency (CIA), furnished the following to the Liaison Agent on April 17, 1968: *[Signature]*

A CIA source, characterized as being very reliable, advised that on or about April 15, 1968, an individual identifying himself as *[Gerald Lee Richards]* a U. S. seaman, called at the Tokyo, Japan, office of the National Maritime Union and asked to be signed on a ship as soon as possible. (It should be noted that reference is being made to the office of the U.S. National Maritime Union.) He was asked to furnish his local address in Tokyo, and he refused to do so. He became very agitated and then left. So far he has not returned to the aforementioned office. CIA's source stated that *[Richards]* answers, the general description of the suspect in the instant case, as reported in newspapers. *(u)*

Richards volunteered information indicating that he applied for seaman's papers in San Pedro, California, on June 16, 1964, and that he registered as a member of the National Maritime Union in San Pedro on February 21, 1968. He has Social Security number _____ and U. S. Coast Guard identifying document Z2711-782. He was born _____ in Missouri (town not given). CIA's source described him as 5'10"; 155 pounds; brown hair, receding hairline on both sides; a scar, not prominent, about two and one half inches long across the center of his forehead. His most outstanding characteristic was his grin, described as "disconcerting and resembling a grimace." *(u)*

[Ober] advised that this same information has been given to our Legat, Tokyo. CIA is checking through available sources in Tokyo to establish the whereabouts of *[Richards]*. If this lead washes out, CIA would like to be advised. *(u)*

ACTION: The above information is being directed to the attention of the Civil Rights Section of the General Investigative Division.

SJP:clb *[Signature]* (4)

- 1 - Mr. McGowan (Long)
- 1 - Liaison
- 1 - Mr. Papich

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Date: 4/22/68

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)

FROM: SAC, BALTIMORE (44-669)

SUBJECT: MURKIN

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Ee Re telephone call from ASAC, Atlanta to Baltimore,
4/15/68.

Referenced communication reflected that ^{at} General Delivery, Atlanta, Georgia was a large manila envelope addressed to ERIC GALT, 9533 Hollywood Boulevard, Hollywood, California which address had been crossed out and in turn had been forwarded to General Delivery, Atlanta, Georgia. There was no postmark on the envelope but the reverse side was stamped 4/13/68, Hollywood. The envelope appeared to contain a regular size sheet of paper and a booklet with return address of HEW, Social Security Administration, Baltimore, Maryland.

The files of BA CS-4 were checked and they revealed that a letter postmarked 2/29/68, Los Angeles, California had been mailed to Social Security Administration, Baltimore, Maryland, with return address of ERIC GALT, 5533 Hollywood Boulevard, Hollywood, California 90028. The letter itself is dated 2/29/68, is typewritten except for the written signature ERIC GALT and is as follows:

"Dear Sir:

"Could you tell me what effect the amendments to the Social Security Act 1956, 1960, 1961, 1965. Had in regards two who was covered, such as number of employes a firm could hire without

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-442611)
FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (100-157111) (P)
SUBJECT: [REDACTED] (NY 100-157111)
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"paying social security and when the employer himself had to have social security. Also when the military came under social security. If you don't have this type of information could you tell me who mite. Thanks.

Sincerely

ERIC GALT

5533-Hollywood Blvd.

Hollywood, California.

90028."

A letter dated 4/8/68 from the Department of Health, Education and Welfare was directed to GALT, 5533 Hollywood Boulevard answering his request and forwarding informational pamphlets.

Enclosed for Memphis are xerox copies of the envelope and letter from ERIC GALT to Social Security Administration; HEW, Form 30 Route Slip and HEW reply letter to GALT.

LEAD:

LOS ANGELES DIVISION

AT HOLLYWOOD, CALIFORNIA

Will conduct investigation at 5533 Hollywood Boulevard for any additional information which would be of value in locating subject of this case.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. DeLoach *DL*

DATE: April 23, 1968

FROM : A. Rosen *AR*

SUBJECT: MURKIN

- 1 - Mr. DeLoach
- 1 - Mr. Rosen
- 1 - Mr. Malley
- 1 - Mr. McGowan
- 1 - Mr. Martindale
- 1 - Mr. Long
- 1 - Mr. McDonough
- 1 - Mr. Mohr
- 1 - Mr. Bishop
- 1 - Mr. Conrad
- 1 - Mr. Gale
- 1 - Mr. Sullivan
- 1 - Mr. Trotter

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3/14/68
Springfield

This is the case involving the murder of Martin Luther King, Jr.

It has previously been reported Sandy Smith advised the Bureau that "Life" magazine had information alleging Curtis Way, Newark, had photographs showing James Earl Ray marching with King two weeks before the murder. It has now been determined that the photographs taken by Way are actually photographs of John Patrick O'Rourke, formerly a Sergeant on the West Orange, New Jersey, Police Department for sixteen years. O'Rourke does not appear to have any connection with this case.

The Laboratory has determined that a piece of brown thread from the room Ray had in a "hippie" rooming house in Atlanta is like the brown thread used to mend undershorts abandoned with the rifle in Memphis at the time of the killing. The undershorts have been traced to Ray by the laundry tag.

Information was received from "Life" magazine that one Earl Smith, Memphis, had allegedly been approached regarding a plot to assassinate King. Smith has been interviewed and related that he served six years in the Air Force as an Explosives Ordnance Disposal Technician. In August, 1966, he was employed at a Western Auto store in Memphis and frequented a bar on Bellevue Street. Smith does not recall the exact location or the name of the bar. While in this tavern Smith states he

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COPIES MADE, DATE *5-18-78* BY *APR 30 1968*
RE *MURKIN*
FOR REVIEW AT *10:00* AND/OR DELIVERY
TO HSCA RE REQUEST DATED *5-16-78*
(SEE BUFILE 62-117290)

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Memorandum to Mr. DeLoach
RE: MURKIN

engaged in conversation with another patron and mentioned his military specialty. Two days later he met the same man again in the bar and this man said that since Smith had been in the Air Force he should have contacts for obtaining munitions and explosives. He then requested Smith to get 50 hand grenades and laid \$5,000 in cash on the table saying, "This is yours if you get me the grenades." The man then told Smith that he and four others in Memphis had vowed that one of them would kill Martin Luther King, Jr., in one way or another and this was why they wanted the hand grenades. Smith asked the man if he was a member of the Ku Klux Klan and he replied that he was not. Smith declined to provide hand grenades and was told, "If you can't get them for me, you had better forget it." Smith has had no further contact with this man and does not know his identity. He described him as forty-five years of age, 5' 7" tall, 220 pounds, gray hair, and driving a new Corvette automobile.

After being interviewed Smith alleged that he had been fired from his job because he had furnished information. C. E. Weaver, general manager of the Western Auto store was contacted and said he had not fired Smith but had told him to go home because he was drinking on the job. He also said that Smith had failed to appear at a scheduled meeting of employees at 6:30 a. m., 4/11/68 and he had determined that Smith had been drunk the evening before and had overslept. Weaver considers Smith to be deceitful, unreliable, probably a heavy drinker and Weaver has been considering firing Smith.

Records of the penitentiary at Leavenworth show that Ray was approved for the honor farm in 1957 but was never assigned as he did not feel he could live in the honor farm dormitory because it was integrated.

John Larry Ray, subject's brother, has been located in St. Louis where he operates a bar. John claims he has seen the subject only twice in twenty years, the last occasion being three years ago at Missouri State Penitentiary. John Ray expressed wonder that Ray is being hunted by the FBI since all he has done is "Kill a nigger" and there would be no interest in Ray if King had been white. John Ray said the subject would have no reason to contact him and would not be able to locate him anyway.

Memorandum to Mr. DeLoach
RE: MURKIN

Radio station KNEW, San Francisco, has a recording of a "talk show" that occurred between 9 p. m. and 10 p. m., 4/13/68. An unidentified caller alleged Adam Clayton Powell offered \$20,000 to kill King and stated, "I am a Negro myself and I belong to a militant group. Well, if you turn around and check to find out why he offered \$20,000 on Reverend King's death to four men in a UCLA building. I was there, one of twenty-six men at that party. They had a big fight between the two of them. It was never put in the paper. You have the FBI investigate and find out why the man was offered \$20,000 and a hideout in Bimini. That is why I left Los Angeles, to come up here, because I have heard your program and explain everything to you so you can turn it over to the FBI and let them figure it out."

The caller also said the meeting had been in a white house and when the announcer asked for his name so he could be contacted by the FBI, the caller stated, "Well, I don't want them to contact me because my life ain't worth two cents, on account of the man that hit (censored, censored) it might trip away from him. That is all I am going to say. Thank you." Los Angeles is contacting racial sources for any information as to such a meeting and the statements actually made by Powell.

ACTION:

Every possible means of locating Ray is being vigorously pursued.

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URGENT 4-25-68 TLN

TO DIRECTOR (44-38861) AND KANSAS CITY AND MEMPHIS
FROM BALTIMORE (44-669)2P

PLAINTEXT

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RE BUREAU TEL CALL, APRIL TWENTYFOUR.

BA TEL CALL LITTLE ROCK, INSTANT DATE.

RE; THREATS MADE AGAINST MARTIN LUTHER KING
CARLOS LEE BILLINGS, FORMER IO FUGITIVE NUMBER FOUR ZERO
ONE SEVEN IN ITSP, ITSMV, UFAP - PRISON BREAK CASE, OO
LITTLE ROCK, BUREAU FILES TWO SIX DASH THREE ZERO THREE ZERO
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BILLINGS APPREHENDED FEBRUARY EIGHT SIXTYSEVEN, ARKANSAS,
RECEIVED FIVE YEAR SENTENCES, USDC, LITTLE ROCK, NOVEMBER
TWENTYONE SIXTYSEVEN, AND TRANSFERRED TO U. S. PENITENTIARY,
LEAVENWORTH, NOVEMBER TWENTYNINE SIXTYSEVEN. REC 16 EX-115

FOR INFO OF BUREAU, LHM'S SUBMITTED BY PHILADELPHIA,
MARCH THIRTYONE SIXTYFIVE, CAPTIONED "ALLEGED PLOT TO ASSASS-
INATE MARTIN LUTHER KING, RM," AND BY BALTIMORE, APRIL TWO
SIXTYFIVE, CAPTIONED "MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR., SM-C" SETTING

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OUT INFORMATION RE FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLAR OFFER TO BILLINGS
IN MARCH SIXTYFIVE AT COLUMBIA, S.C., BY INDIVIDUALS ONLY
KNOWN AS JAMES AND EDDIE TO KILL KING, AND BACKGROUND
INCLUDING MENTAL CONDITION.

COPIES OF ABOVE LHM'S BEING FORWARDED AMSD TO KANSAS
CITY FOR REINTERVIEW OF BILLINGS PER BUREAU REQUEST.

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LRC FBI WASH DC

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Mr. Sullivan	_____
Mr. Tavel	_____
Mr. Trotter	_____
Tele. Room	_____
Miss Holmes	_____
Miss Gandy	_____

FBI WASH DC

FBI-BUFFALO

1:56PM URGENT 4/26/68 AMM 1P

TO DIRECTOR (44-38861)

FROM BUFFALO (44-374)

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BUREAU REQUESTED TO FURNISH BUFFALO WITH SUFFICIENT
IO'S FOR REGULAR IO DISSEMINATION OF JAMES EARL RAY, PLUS
AN ADDITIONAL THREE HUNDRED IO'S FOR HANDLING LEADS BUFFALO
DIVISION. *e*

BUREAU ALSO REQUESTED TO FURNISH BUFFALO WITH THREE
HUNDRED PHOTOGRAPHS OF RAY, BACKED UP WITH DESCRIPTION.

RAY ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

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FBI-BUFFALO

1:56PM URGENT 4/26/68 AMM IP

TO DIRECTOR (44-38861)

FROM BUFFALO (44-374)

CP *HR. C. Q. Smith*
1968 *B-110*

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FBI WASH DC

FBI BIRMGHAM

10:32AM URGENT 4-26-68 FAS

TO DIRECTOR AND SAC'S MEMPHIS AND MOBILE
FROM BIRMINGHAM 44-1740

MURKIN.

IN AN EFFORT TO DETERMINE WHETHER THERE MAY NOW BE RESIDING
IN TERRITORY OF BIRMINGHAM OFFICE ANY FORMER INMATES OF MISSOURI
STATE PRISON WHO MAY HAVE KNOWN SUBJECT, CONTACT HAD WITH U. S.
PROBATION OFFICER, BIRMINGHAM. HE WILL CHECK RECORDS AND ADVISE.
CONTACT HAD ALSO WITH WARREN GASTON, STATE PAROLE AND PROBATION
OFFICER, BIRMINGHAM DISTRICT, WHO IS ALSO CHECKING FILES. HE
SUGGESTED COVERAGE OF ENTIRE STATE OF ALABAMA FOR THIS PURPOSE MAY
BE EFFECTED THROUGH CONTACT WITH L. B. STEPHENS, ALABAMA PAROLE AND
PROBATION EXECUTIVE, STATE OFFICE BUILDING, MONTGOMERY, WHO HAS
FILES ON PAROLEES REFERRED TO HIS OFFICE UNDER AND INTERSTATE COMPACT
AND ARE BROKEN DOWN REFLECTING STATE OF REFERRAL.

MOBILE CONTACT STEPHENS, AND OBTAIN THIS INFORMATION.

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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

1 - Mr. Griffith
1 - Mr. Mortimer

SAC, Newark (44-854)

April 26, 1968

Director, FBI (44-38861)

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OO: Memphis

Reurairtel 4/15/68.

Reference is made to Newark airtel dated 4/15/68 which submitted two rolls of microfilm containing photographs of Bank of America Money Orders #0799 18 037 and 0799 19701. These are photographs of originals & specimens Q216 and Q221 respectively, which were submitted with Los Angeles letter dated 4/16/68.

Results concerning the examination of these money orders is set forth in Laboratory report to Memphis dated 4/19/68.

Enclosed herewith for Newark are the two rolls of microfilm.

Enclosures (2)

- 1 - Atlanta (44-2386)
- 1 - Birmingham (44-1740)
- 1 - Los Angeles (44-1574)
- 1 - Memphis (44-1987)

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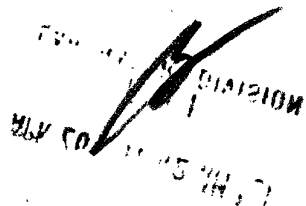
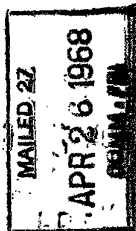
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TO DIRECTOR, LOS ANGELES AND HOUSTON
FROM NEW ORLEANS (15W10673) 11 PAGES

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INVESTIGATION RE MOTELS AND LODGING PLACES ALONG
CHEF MENTEUR HIGHWAY.

INVESTIGATION AT ALL MOTELS AND LODGING PLACES
ALONG CHEF MENTEUR HIGHWAY FROM THE GENTILLY SHOPPING CENTER
TO THE INTERSECTION OF U. S. HIGHWAY NINETY AND HIGHWAY
ELEVEN WHICH IS THE MOST LOGICAL AREA THAT RAY WOULD HAVE
SELECTED A LODGING PLACE DURING THE THREE SEVENTEEN - TWENTYFOUR
SIXTYEIGHT PERIOD NOW COMPLETED WITH NEGATIVE RESULTS.

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INVESTIGATION CONCERNING DELTA AIRLINES FLIGHT SEVEN TWO FIVE, APRIL ONE SIXTYEIGHT, WHERE ON WAS REPORTED RIFLE BOX LABELED "MAUSER UNDER CONTROL OF FLIGHT CAPTAIN."

MAX K. JONES ADVISED THAT HE WAS ASSIGNED AS FIRST OFFICER OF DELTA AIRLINES FLIGHT SEVEN TWO FIVE ONE FOUR ONE SIXTYEIGHT WHICH FLIGHT ORIGINATED FROM NEWARK, NEW JERSEY AND TRAVELED TO NEW ORLEANS WITH STOPS AT WASHINGTON, D. C., ATLANTA, BIRMINGHAM. JONES RECALLS THAT A STEWARDESS HAD BROUGHT A BOX CONTAINING A GUN TO THE CABIN OF THE PLANE. HE SAID THAT THE BOX WAS LARGE ENOUGH IN SIZE TO CARRY

A RIFLE. JONES STATED IT IS NORMAL POLICY TO PUT ANY WEAPONS CARRIED BY PASSENGERS IN THE PILOT CABIN. JONES UPON VIEWING PHOTOGRAPHS OF JAMES EARL RAY STATED HE DID NOT RECOGNIZE RAY.

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RE: TELEPHONE CALL FROM PHONE BOOTH, HOUSTON, TEXAS,
DECEMBER SEVENTEEN SIXTYSEVEN, TO LAKE CHARLES, LA.

CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE, TELEPHONE COMPANY, LAKE CHARLES,
LA., SHOWS THAT PHONE NUMBER, AREA CODE THREE ONE EIGHT,
FOUR SEVEN SEVEN DASH ZERO SIX ONE SIX, IS THAT OF HERTZ
RENT A CAR, MUNICIPAL AIRPORT, LAKE CHARLES, LA., AND THEY
HAVE HAD THAT NUMBER FOR WELL OVER THREE YEARS.

TELEPHONE LOG AT HERTZ OFFICE DOES NOT SHOW ANY
INCOMING CALLS FROM HOUSTON, TEXAS OR OUTGOING TO HOUSTON,
TEXAS DURING PERIOD DECEMBER FIFTEEN THROUGH SEVENTEEN,
SIXTYSEVEN. EMPLOYEES DO NOT REMEMBER RECEIVING SUCH A
CALL. REVIEW OF HERTZ RECORDS DECEMBER FIFTEEN THROUGH
SEVENTEEN, SIXTYSEVEN SHOWS ONLY RENTALS IN AND OUT OF LAKE
CHARLES TO PERSONS WITH COMPANY CREDIT CARDS ALL KNOWN TO
HERTZ EMPLOYEES. PHOTOS OF JAMES EARL RAY SHOWN TO HERTZ
EMPLOYEES. RAY UNKNOWN TO ANY EMPLOYEE AND EACH ADVISED
THEY DO NOT RECALL HAVING RENTED CAR TO ANY SUCH PERSON.

RAY REGISTERED AT PROVINCIAL MOTEL, NEW ORLEANS,
LA., ON DEC. SEVENTEEN, SIXTYSEVEN, UNDER NAME ERIC S. GALT.
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RE ANTHONY CHARLES DECARVELHO, FRIEND
OF CHARLES STEIN.

DECARVELHO INTERVIEWED FOUR TWENTYSIX SIXTYEIGHT AND ADVISED THAT CHARLES STEIN WAS IN NEW ORLEANS THE WEEK BEFORE DECEMBER, TWENTYFOUR, LAST. ON UNRECALLED DATE HE FOUND A NOTE IN HIS DOORWAY FROM STEIN, AND THAT EVEING HE MET STEIN AT RESIDENCE OF MARIE LEE. HE HAS KNOWN STEIN FOR APPROXIMATELY TWENTY YEARS, AND IS A CLOSE FRIEND OF STEIN.

DECARVELHO ADVISED THAT STEIN WAS WEARING A BEARD, WHILE HE WAS IN NEW ORLEANS, AND HE AND STEIN HELD NUMEROUS CONVERSATIONS CONCERNING THE "COSMIC PHILOSOPHY", WHICH DEALS WITH FLYING SAUCERS, SPACE PEOPLE ON EARTH, AND ATTEMPTS TO GET CLOSER TO THE CREATOR. DECARVELHO STATED THAT STEIN IS A BELIEVER IN THIS PHILOSOPHY, AND TRIED TO CONVERT HIM.

DECARVELHO STATED THAT STEIN ADVISED " THE CREATOR PROVIDED FOR ME", IN REFERENCE TO HIS TRIP TO NEW ORLEANS. DECARVELHO ADVISED THAT STEIN CLAIMED AN INDIVIDUAL WHOM HE HAD JUST MET, NAMED GALT, HAD DRIVEN HIM TO NEW ORLEANS, AND HE WAS REFERRING TO THIS INDIVIDUAL WHEN SPEAKING ABOUT THE CREATOR PROVIDING FOR HIM. STEIN ADVISED DECARVELHO

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THAT GALT WAS TRAVELLING THROUGH NEW ORLEANS TO A NEIGHBORING STATE, EITHER MISSISSIPPI OR ALABAMA, ON BUSINESS, AND WAS TO PICK UP STEIN AND TAKE HIM BACK TO LOS ANGELES, AFTER COMPLETION OF HIS BUSINESS.

DECARVELHO STATED THAT STEIN LEFT LOS ANGELES WITH APPROXIMATELY THIRTY DOLLARS, AND THAT GALT PAID FOR EVERYTHING ON THE TRIP. STEIN ADVISED DECARVELHO THAT HE FELT HE WAS ON THE THRESHOLD OF CONVERTING GALT TO THE "COSMIC PHILOSOPHY", AND HOPED TO COMPLETE THIS CONVERSION ON THE RETURN TRIP TO LOS ANGELES.

DECARVELHO STATED ON THE DAY STEIN LEFT NEW ORLEANS, DECARVELHO DROVE TO MARIE LEE'S RESIDENCE TO SAY GOOD-BYE. AS HE WALKED UP TO THIS HOUSE, HE OBSERVED AN INDIVIDUAL STANDING ON THE FRONT STEPS AND CHARLES STEIN TOLD HIM, THIS IS GALT. DECARVELHO AND GALT DID NOT HOLD A CONVERSATION, AND GALT REMAINED ON THE STEPS AS DECARVELHO AND STEIN CARRIED SUTICASES TO GALT'S WHITE MUSTANG.

DECARVELHO STATED THAT GALT HAD SOME PERSONAL ITEMS IN THE TRUNK, WHICH HAD TO BE MOVED BEFORE THE LUGGAGE FOR
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RITA STEIN'S TWO CHILDREN, COULD BE PLACED IN THE TRUNK, AND GALT WALKED FROM THE PORCH AND RE-ARRANGED THE TRUNK TO MAKE ROOM FOR THIS LUGGAGE. DECARVELHO STATED HE OBSERVED SOMETHING THAT APPEARED TO BE A SURVEYOR'S TRANSIT, THAT WAS WRAPPED IN A BROWN LEATHER CASE, SIMILAR TO A GOLF BAG. HE NOTICED NOTHING ELSE UNUSUAL IN THE TRUNK. DECARVELHO ADVISED HE GAVE STEIN AND GALT A MAP WITH DIRECTIONS TO GET OUT OF THE CITY, AND THEY LEFT IMMEDIATELY. ?

DECARVELHO STATED THAT GALT DOES NOT RESEMBLE THE PICTURE TAKEN AT THE BARTENDER SCHOOL IN LOS ANGELES. HE STATED GALT'S FACE IS MUCH MORE SHALLOW.

HE DESCRIBED GALT AS A WHITE MALE, LATE TWENTIES OR THIRTIES, FIVE FEET TEN INCHES, ONE SIX ZERO POUNDS, SLIM BUILD, DARK HAIR, LIGHT BROWN EYES, WITH NO DISTINGUISHING MARKS OR CHARACTERISTICS. DECARVELHO ADVISED THE PHOTOGRAPH THAT APPEARS ON THE IO AND WANTED FLYER THAT WAS TAKEN IN ONE NINE SIX ZERO, IS A GOOD LIKENESS OF GALT WITH THE EXCEPTION OF THE SHORT HAIR.

DECARVELHO ADVISED THAT HE HAS NOT HEARD FROM
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STEIN SINCE THIS TIME, AND ALSO HAS NOT SEEN ANY MEMBER OF STEIN'S FAMILY SINCE THIS TIME. DECARVELHO STATED THAT STEIN, BY HIS VERY NATURE, WOULD BE RELUCTANT TO FURNISH INFORMATION TO ANY POLICE AGENCY, AND THAT STEIN WAS FORMERLY MARRIED TO MICKIE MEDINA.

RE: CHARLES STEIN, JR.

STEIN INTERVIEWED NEW ORLEANS OFFICE FOUR TWENTYSIX SIXTYEIGHT, ADVISED BELIEVES MET FATHER, CHARLES STEIN, SUNDAY WEEK PRIOR TO CHRISTMAS (PROBABLY DECEMBER SEVENTEENTH) AT RESIDENCE OF AUNT MARIE STEIN LEE IN NEW ORLEANS, LA. HE INQUIRED AS TO HOW FATHER ARRIVED IN NEW ORLEANS AND WAS ADVISED THAT HE GOT A RIDE AND FATHER STATED WAS GOING TO STAY ONE OR TWO DAYS AT MOST. STATES NO CONVERSATION CONCERNING NAME ERIC OR GALT BY FATHER ON THAT DATE OR THE FOLLOWING DAY WHEN HE AGAIN SAW HIS FATHER AT THE SAME ADDRESS. DID NOT SEE RAY ON ANY OCCASION AND COULD NOT IDENTIFY PHOTOS OF RAY. MOTHER'S MARRIED NAME MARIE MCLEOD AND BOTH RESIDE THREE FOUR THREE SIX PEOPLES AVENUE, NEW ORLEANS.

MRS. MARIE MCLEOD ADVISED DID NOT SEE EX HUSBAND STEIN AT ANY TIME WHILE HE WAS IN NEW ORLEANS DURING DECEMBER SIXTYSEVEN. STATED HAS NEVER SEEN ANYONE RESEMBLING PHOTO OF GALT OR RAY AS SEEN FROM NEW ORLEANS NEWSPAPERS.

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INVESTIGATION CONCERNING DAILY DELTA AIRLINES

FLIGHT ONE ZERO SIX WHICH LEAVES NEW ORLEANS FOR FRANKFORT,
GERMANY WITH STOPS AT ATLANTA AND WASHINGTON, DC.

ALL CREWS MEMBERS RE DELTA FLIGHT ONE ZERO SIX
FOR APRIL FIVE AND SIX, SIXTYEIGHT INTERVIEWED AND
DISPLAYED PHOTOGRAPHS OF RAY AND ALL ADVISED THAT THEY COULD
NOT IDENTIFY ANYONE ABOARD FOR THOSE DATES, WITH EXCEPTION
OF STEWARDESS RITA REHKOPF. REHKOPF ADVISED THAT UPON
REVIEW OF PHOTOGRAPH OF JAMES EARL RAY THAT THE INDIVIDUAL
THEREIN APPEARED SIMILAR TO A PASSENGER WHO SAT IN THE LAST
THREE ROWS ON THE RIGHT OF THE ONES, FACING THE FRONT OF THE
PLANE. REHKOPF UNABLE TO REMEMBER WHERE THIS PERSON GOT
OFF BUT THINKS HE BOARDED IN NEW ORLEANS. SHE DESCRIBED
HIM AS A WHITE MALE, FORTY - FORTY TWO, FIVE FEET ELEVEN
INCHES, ONE HUNDRED EIGHTY POUNDS, MEDIUM BUILD AND COMPLEXION,
DARK HAIR, CURLY AND COMBED BACK, WEARING SHABBY CLOTHES.
OTHER DELTA AIRLINE PERSONNEL INTERVIEWED IN CONNECTION WITH
THIS PHASE OF INVESTIGATION AND INDICATED REHKOPF IS FLIGHTY
AND EMOTIONAL.
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ON APRIL TWENTY SIX NINETEEN SIXTYEIGHT SA PHIL RODRIGUEZ, OSI ADVISED HIS COMMANDING OFFICER AT SHREVEPORT HAD RECEIVED A CLASSIFIED MESSAGE FROM PARENTS OF RITA REHKOPF, INQUIRING AS TO WHETHER OR NOT THEIR DAUGHTER WAS IN PROTECTIVE CUSTODY OF THE FBI. RODRIGUEZ STATED THAT REHKOPF WAS TO MEET HER PARENTS NOW IN THAILAND IN CALIFORNIA UPON THEIR RETURN FROM OVERSEAS BUT HAD ADVISED HER PARENTS SHE COULD NOT MEET THEM UNTIL "AFTER THE TRIAL" REFERRING TO THE TRIAL OF RAY AND THAT SHE WAS FLYING TO FLORIDA, REASON NOT INDICATED. RODRIGUEZ WAS ADVISED THAT REHKOPF INTERVIEWED BY AGENTS OF THIS OFFICE IN CONNECTION WITH FUGITIVE INVESTIGATION BEING CONDUCTED INSTANT MATTER ALONG WITH NUMEROUS OTHER STEWARDESSES AND CREWMEN OF DELTA AIRLINES AND THAT SHE WAS NOT IN PROTECTIVE CUSTODY OF FBI AND THAT THIS OFFICE HAD NO INFORMATION TO INDICATE REHKOPF WOULD BE INVOLVED IN ANY TRIAL.

REHKOPF TELEPHONICALLY ADVISED NEW ORLEANS OFFICE IN- INSTANT DATE SHE WAS EMOTIONALLY UPSET, NEEDED COMPANIONSHIP AND HAD TELEPHONICALLY CONTACT AN AUNT IN OKLAHOMA WHO SHE

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FEELS WILL FLY TO NEW ORLEANS INSTANT DATE TO ASSIST HER IN
THE ABSENCE OF HER PARENTS.

IDENTIFICATION RECORD CONCERNING CHARLES STEIN
AND MARIE MARTIN, AKA MYRIAL TOMASO.

CHECK OF BUREAU OF IDENTIFICATION, NOPD, DISCLOSES
ARREST HISTORY OF CHARLES STEIN, FBI NUMBER EIGHT
EIGHT ONE FIVE THREE FOUR B. ARREST HISTORY DISCLOSES
STEIN ARRESTED NOPD INITIALLY IN FIFTYTHREE AND LAST
ARRESTED TWO SIXTEEN SIXTYTHREE. ARRESTS INVOLVE NO HONEST
VISIBLE MEANS OF SUPPORT, GAMBLING, POSSESSION OF NARCOTICS,
STOLEN PROPERTY, PANDERING, SOLICITING FOR PROSTITUTION,
POSSESSION OF BARBITUATES.

IDENTIFICATION RECORD NOPD, DISCLOSES ARREST
HISTORY OF MYRIAL TOMASO, FBI NUMBER ONE ONE ZERO NINE
ONE THREE C WITH FIRST ARREST NINETEEN FIFTYFIVE LAST
ARREST NINETEEN SIXTYTWO. ARRESTS INVOLVE VAGRANCY, INVESTI-
GATION OF NARCOTICS, AUTO THEFT, DRUNK, RESISTING ARREST,
POSSESSION OF NARCOTICS, CREATING NUISANCE AND NO VISIBLE
MEANS OF SUPPORT.

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IDENTIFICATION DIVISION REQUESTED TO FORWARD TO
LOS ANGELES, MEMPHIS AND NEW ORLEANS COPIES OF IDENTIFICATION
RECORDS OF MYRIAL TOMASO AND CHARLES STEIN AS IDENTIFIED ABOVE.

HOUSTON - HOUSTON DETERMINE EXACT TIME OF CALL
FROM INSTANT PHONE BOOTH ON EVENING OF DECEMBER SEVENTEEN
LAST.

AIRMAIL BOPY BEING SENT MEMPHIS, ATLANTA, BIRMINGHAM.

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E Re Atlanta teletype to Director, 4/26/68.

Flight of Mrs. JUDY CHANCE, South Pittsburg, Tennessee, telephone number 837-7207, from Atlanta, Georgia, to London, England on 4/5/68 verified. Mrs. CHANCE is visiting husband in military service.

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MEMORANDUM

TO : DIRECTOR

FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (100-100000) (P)

SUBJECT: MURDER OF MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.

RE: NEW YORK

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ON APRIL 29, 1968, THE NEW YORK OFFICE OF THE FBI RECEIVED A TELEPHONE CALL FROM AN INDIVIDUAL WHO STATED THAT HE HAD INFORMATION CONCERNING THE MURDER OF MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.

THE INDIVIDUAL STATED THAT HE HAD BEEN CONTACTED BY AN INDIVIDUAL WHO OFFERED HIM \$10,000 TO ASSIST IN THE MURDER OF MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.

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Re New York airtel to Bureau, 4/23/68.

On 4/25/68, each of the following who were the stewardesses on American Airlines Flight No. 338 from Dallas, Texas, to Philadelphia on 4/6/68 advised the photographs on FBI Identification Order No. 4182, dated 4/20/68, for JAMES EARL RAY do not appear to be of anyone observed on Flight No. 338 on 4/6/68:

VIRGINIA VANCE, 5049 Cedar Springs, Apartment 120, Dallas, Texas, telephone LA 8-3993;

BONNIE CRAVEN, 2625 Hudnall, Apartment 226, Dallas, Texas, telephone LA 6-4156;

JANICE THERRELL, 3726 Fairfax, Dallas, Texas, telephone 521-5349;

ANNETTE BUATT, 2710 Douglas, Apartment 124, Dallas, Texas, telephone LA 1-1548.

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FOLLOWING TELETYPE RECEIVED FROM CINCINNATI APRIL
TWENTYFOUR, SIXTYEIGHT.

"ON APRIL TWENTYFOUR, SIXTYEIGHT, LAWRENCE (NMN) LITTLETON,
SPRINGFIELD, OHIO, SOURCE OF UNKNOWN RELIABILITY, ADVISED HE SAW
MAN CLOSELY RESEMBLING NEWSPAPER PHOTO OF SUBJECT RAY IN BLUE
CAR, MAKE AND MODEL UNKNOWN, BEARING CANADIAN TAG SEVEN TWO
DASH THREE SIX ZERO ON APRIL TWENTYTHREE, LAST, PARKED ON
INTERSTATE SEVENTY, WEST OF SPRINGFIELD, OHIO."

IT IS NOTED NO PROVINCE FOR LICENSE IS GIVEN. IF FEASIBLE,
YOU SHOULD ARRANGE TO HAVE APPROPRIATE INVESTIGATION CON-
DUCTED TO IDENTIFY ABOVE PERSON AND APPROPRIATE INVESTIGATION
CONDUCTED TO DETERMINE WHETHER OR NOT HE MAY BE IDENTICAL
WITH SUBJECT.

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TO DIRECTOR (44-38861)

FROM CINCINNATI (157-1893) P

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JAMES EARL RAY; FUGITIVE; MURKIN. CR

TODAY LAWRENCE (NMN) LITTLETON, SPRINGFIELD, OHIO SOURCE OF
UNKNOWN RELIABILITY, ADVISED HE SAW MAN CLOSELY RESEMBLING NEWSPAPER
PHOTO OF SUBJECT RAY IN BLUE CAR, MAKE AND MODEL UNKNOWN BEARING
CANADIAN TAG SEVEN TWO DASH THREE SIX ZERO ON APRIL TWENTYTHREE LAST
PARKED ON INTERSTATE SEVENTY, WEST OF SPRINGFIELD, OHIO.

BUREAU IDENTIFY OWNER CANADIAN TAG THROUGH LEGAT.

AIRMAIL COPY TO MEMPHIS, BIRMINGHAM, AND KANSAS CITY.

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 FROM: *WJH* SAC, HOUSTON (44-1509)
 SUBJECT: *MURKIN*
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E ReKctel, 4/24/68, and Hotel, 4/25/68.

JUDY CAROL PETERS, nee Thomas, aka Judy Carol Aeby, 10205 W. Hardy, Houston, no telephone, interviewed this date and furnished the following information:

She was married to NEAL EDGAR AEBY for approximately two years in 1960 and 1961. When he was arrested and returned to Missouri in 1961, she came to Houston and has not seen AEBY since that time. She last contacted him on 4/19/62, advising him of the birth of their daughter. She has divorced AEBY and has not corresponded with him since that date. Subject RAY is unknown to her and she has not been contacted by any of AEBY's associates during the past six years. She stated AEBY does not know her exact address and could not locate her himself. *e*

The only relative of AEBY who subject RAY might contact would be brother AUBREY AEBY, Dallas. She does not know the whereabouts of AEBY's relatives and never closely associated with them.

PETERS promised complete cooperation and will immediately advise the FBI of any information received re subject RAY.

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TO DIRECTOR 44-38861
FROM ST. LOUIS 44-775

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RE KANSAS CITY TELETYPE, APRIL TWENTYFIVE, SIXTYEIGHT.

LEMUEL HARRY, FORMER STATE PAROLE OFFICER, BELLEVILLE,
ILLINOIS, FIFTYONE TO FIFTYTHREE, CURRENTLY EMPLOYED BROWN
SHOE COMPANY, ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI, RECALLED LINDA RAY, A
GERMAN WAR BRIDE, FORMERLY WORKED UNDER HIS SUPERVISION AT
WOHL SHOE COMPANY, ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI, ABOUT FOURTEEN YEARS
AGO.

HARRY DOES NOT RECALL JOHN RAY AS A PAROLEE UNDER HIS
SUPERVISION OR AS HUSBAND OF LINDA, IN VIEW OF ASSOCIATION
MORE THAN FOURTEEN YEARS AGO.

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DAILY SUMMARY.

CARLOS LEE BILLINGS, FORMER IO FUG. LOCATED AND INTERVIEWED
MEDICAL CENTER FOR FEDERAL PRISONERS, SPRINGFIELD, MO. LEADS
AND RESULTS OF PSYCHIATRIC EXAM SET FORTH.

THIRTYFOUR PAGES SUBJECT'S HANDWRITING AND HANDPRINTING
OBTAINED FROM MSP, FORWARDED FBI LAB FOR COMPARISONS WITH HARVEY
LOWMYER SIGNATURE ON GUN INVOICE. THESE PAGES CURRENTLY BEING
REVIEWED FOR ADDITIONAL LEADS.

DRIVERS OF BREAD TRUCK IN WHICH SUBJECT REPORTEDLY ESCAPED
MSP INTERVIEWED AND COPIES OF THESE THREE ZERO TWOS BEING FURN-
ISHED BUREAU, MEMPHIS AND ST. LOUIS BY AIRTEL.

LEO PARKER INCARCERATED MSP FOR KIDNAPING IN ST. LOUIS, MO.
SUMMER OF SIXTYSEVEN CLAIMS INNOCENT. BELIEVES SUBJECT COMMITTED
THIS CRIME. ST. LOUIS ADVISED. ALL LOCAL INVESTIGATION CONTINUES
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