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TO DIRECTOR (44-38861) AND MEMPHIS
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DAVID G. FOX, GRADUATE STUDENT, UNIVERSITY OF MICH., ANN ARBOR, MICH., ADVISED INSTANT DATE THAT APRIL TWENTY FOUR LAST WHILE VISITING GUATEMALA HE WAS TOLD BY PAULINO JARQUIN, OPERATOR OF RESTAURANT CATOC, KILOMETER EIGHTY SEVEN, DEPARTMENT OF TECTAN, GUATEMALA, THAT JAMES EARL RAY REPORTEDLY IN CENTRAL AMERICA AND WAS REPORTEDLY SEEN IN GUATEMALA. FOX STATED HE WAS RECOGNIZED BY JARQUIN AS AN AMERICAN AT WHICH TIME JARQUIN MADE THE ABOVE STATEMENT. FOX DID NOT QUESTION JARQUIN ABOUT TIME RAY SEEN IN GUATEMALA OR BY WHOM.

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911 PM URGENT 5-1-69 LMT
TO DIRECTOR 44-38861 BALTIMORE
FROM EL PASO 157-186 -P-

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RE PASSENGER RESEMBLING RAY ON AMERICAN AIRLINES FLIGHT THREE
TYPEE EIGHT.

RE NEW YORK TEL TO BALTIMORE FOUR-THIRTY LAST.

LEADS SET OUT PAGE FOUR RETEL FOR DALLAS RE FNU REID, AREA CODE NINE ONE FIVE TELEPHONE NO. FIVE SIX FIGHT-ONE ONE FOUR SIX.

THIS AREA CODE IS EL PASO AND TELEPHONE NO. IS FOR AIRLINES TRAFFIC OFFICE, FT. BLISS, TEXAS.

OFFICE RECORDS RFFLECT PVT. P.J. PEID TRANSFERRED TO ABERDEEN PROVING GROUNDS, MARYLAND, TOOK AMERICAN AIRLINFS FLIGHT EIGHT TWO TO DALLAS, AND AA FLIGHT THHREE THREE EIGHT TO BALTIMORE APRIL SIX LAST. POST LOCATER, FT. PLISS, ADVISED PVT. PAUL I. REID, RA ONE SIX NINE NINE SEVEN SIX SEVEN FIVE, ASSIGNED TO USAGO AND S, ABERDEEN.

BALTIMORE INTERVIEW PVT. REID IN ACCORDANCE WITH INSTRUCTIONS IN RETEL.

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TO FIRECTOR (44-38861) AND LOS ANGELES (44-1574)

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RE LOS ANGELES TELETYPE APRIL TWENTYNINE LAST.

RE: TELEPHONE POCTHS, ST. FRANCIS HOTEL, LOS ANGELES.

TELEPHONE SEVEN THREE FIVE - FOUR TWO ZERO MINE,

GOLDSBORO, NC., LISTED IN NAME JACK H. PENDLETON. ON

APRIL THIRTY LAST PENDLETON'S WIFE ADVISED ON OR ABOUT MARCH

SEVENTEEN LAST SHE PECEIVED CALL FROM HER FATHER-IN-LAW,

EDGAR JOHN PENDLETON, WHO RESIDES AT ST. FRANCIS HOTEL, FIVE

FIVE THREE HOLLYWOOD BLVD., LOS ANCELES REC-116

TELEPHONE FIVE TWO ONE - FOUR SIX EIGHT NINE, PERBROKE,

NO., IS LISTED TO ILA MAE PAUL WHO ADVISED ON MAY ONE LAST

THAT HER SON WILLIE FRENCH PAUL CALLS HER ALMOST EVERY WEEKS WAY & 1948

FROM CALIF. AND STATED SHE FEELS SURE WILLIE CALLED HER ON

OR ABOUT FERRUARY FIFTEEN LAST. HE RESIDES AT FIVE FIVE FOUR

ZERO HOLLYWOOD BLVD., HOLLYWOOD, CALIF.

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CE 44-1365 PAGETWO IN VIEW OF ABOVE, NO FURTHER ACTION BEING TAKEN. INSERT REING FURNISHED MEMPHIS SEPARATELY. MEMPHIS ADVISED BY AIR MAIL. ARMED AND DANGEPOUS. EMD. BJP FBI WASH DC Р

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TO:

DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)

FROM: ///SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (173-65) (P)

SUBJECT: MURKIN

STATUS OF INVESTIGATION

Investigation conducted to date by the San Francisco Division to locate JAMES EARL RAY, MERIC STARVO GALT, aka, has not produced any information regarding his whereabouts.

The check of laundry marks has been completed. Samples of pertinent laundry marks were furnished to the FDI Laboratory who advised submitted specimens were not identical with questioned laundry marks.

Investigation at financial institutions, dancing schools, laundries, license checks, motor vehicles, voter registration, credit, and other public records has not provided an identification of RAY under the GALT or LOWMEYER/LOWMYER names.

Investigation of people with the name GALT has not provided any information regarding RAY.

Record checks at law enforcement agencies have not disclosed any current record of RAY, aka.

San Francisco is presently conducting investigation regarding HAROLD EDWARD NICHOLS - suspect as conspirator. The Bureau and Memphis will be immediately advised of the results of interview which has been authorized by the Bureau.

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This investigation is being closely supervised, leads are on an expedite basis (24 hours), and the Bureau and Memphis will be immediately advised by telephone/teletype of developments.

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TO DIRECTOR (44-38861), DENVER, LOS ANGELES, SACRAMENTO, SAM DIEGO,

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FROM DALLAS (44-2649)

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MURKIN. 00: MEMPHIS.

RF TELEPHONE CALLS BY SUBJECT RAY EN POUTE FROM LCS ANGELES TO NEW ORLEANS. RE DALLAS TEL APRIL THIRTY LAST.

FOR INFO OF OFFICES NOT RECEIVING RE TEL, ON THE ABOVE TPIP

SUBJECT RAY ALLEGEDLY MADE SEVERAL TELEPHONE CALLS FROM COIN TELE
PHONES WHILE IN TEXAS. A CHECK OF TOLL CALLS MADE FROM COIN

TELEPHONES ALONG ROUTE TAKEN BY RAY FOR DECEMBER FIFTEEN, SIXTEEN,

AND SEVENTEEN, OF SIXTYSEVEN, ARE PEINS MADE AND THE FOLLOWING HAVE

BEEN DETERMINED TO DATE. EACH OFFICE SHOULD ESTABLISH THE IDENTITY

OF SUBSCRIBERS TO TELEPHONE NUMBERS LISTED AND ATTEMPT TO IDENTIFY

BY WHOM THE INSTANT TELEPHONE CALL WAS RECOVED FROM. IF RAY MADE

CALL, OBTAIN ALL AVAILABLE INFO CONCERNING HIM.

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CALLS MADE FROM COIN TELEPHONES LOCATED AT ALPINE, TEXAS.

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DECEMBER SEVENTEEN LAST, THREE O FIVE PM, TWO FOUR TWO ZERO SEVEN TWO ZERO, GRAND JUNCTION. COLORADO:

DEC. SEVENTEEN LAST, SIX FORTYFIVE PM, TWO FOUR TWO SEVEN FOUR ONE TWO, GRAND JUNCTION, COLORADO:

- DEC. FIFTEEN LAST, IFN FIFTYTHPEE PM, FOUR TWO EIGHT WINE TWO ZERO SEVEN. ARVADA. COLOPADO:

LOS ANGELES

CALLS MADE FROM COIN TELEPHONES LOCATED AT SAMDERSON. TEXAS.

DEC. FIFTEN LAGT, SEVEN FIFTYING PM, FIVE TWO NINE ZERO ONE THREE THREE, MOORPARK, CALIF.:

DEC. SIXTEEN LAST, TWELVE TWENTYEIGHT PM, FOUR NINE TWO SEVEN THREE NINE SEVEN, SAN CLEMENTF. CALIF:

DFC. SEVENTEEN LAST, ELEVEN THIRTYONF AM, SEVEN THREE FOUR SEVEN FOUR ZERO EIGHT. LOS ANGELES, CALIF.:

DEC. SIXTEEN LAST, ELEVEN FIFTYFIVE AM, FIVE TWO NINE FIGHT FOUR FOUR, MOORPARK, CALIF:

CALL MADE FROM COIN TELEPHONE LOCATED AT ALPINE, TEXAS

DEC. SEVENTEEN LAST, TWELVE FIFTYEIGHT PM, NINE EIGHT FOUR ONE FIVE MINE SIX, ONTARIO, CALIF.:

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SACRAMENTO

CALL MADE FROM COIN TELEPHONE LOCATED AT ALPINE, TEXAS

DEC. SEVENTEEN LAST, SEVEN EIGHTEEN AM, EIGHT FIGHT TWO TWO
MINE SIX, DEL REY, CALIF.:

. SAN DIEGO.

CALL MADE FROM COIN TELEPHONE LOCATED AT SANDEPSON, TEXAS DEC. SEVENTEEN LAST, TWO FORTYTIGHT PM, FOUR FOUR TWO ONF FOUR THREE CME, EL CAJON, CALIF.:

SAN FRANCISCO.

CALL MADE FROM COIN TELEPHONE LOCATED AT SANDERSON, TEXAS

DEC. SEVENTEEN LAST, TWO EIGHTEEN PM, FIVE THREE FOUR TWO
SIX ZERO. CAYLAND. CALIF.

CALL MADE FROM COIN TELEPHONE LOCATED AT ALPINE, TEXAS

DEC. SIXTEEN LAST, TWELVE FIFTYSIX PM, FIVE FOUR FIVE SIX THREE
SEVEN THREE, SANTA ROSA, CALIFORNIA.

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TO DIPPCTOR 44-38861 LOS ANGELES 44-1574 MEMPHIS 44-1987

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FROM EL PASO 157-196 -P-

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TELEPHONE BY SUBJECT BAY ENROUTE FROM LOS AMBELES TO NEW ORLEANS.

REBUTEL TO EL PASO DATED APRIL IMPNTYFIVE LAST, AND EL PASO TEL TO DIRECTOR AND PHOFMIM APRIL TWEMTYMINE LAST, WHICH COMTAINS BUREAU INSTRUCTIONS RE THIS MATTER.

SURVEY OF TELEPHONE BOOTHS ALONG INTERSTATE TEN ENTERING AND LEAVING EL PASC, AS WELL AS MOST LOGICAL POUTE BETWEEN COMPLETED SECTIONS INTERSTATE TEN THROUGH EL PASO, COMPLETED THIS DATE. FOLLOWING TELEPHONE NUMBERS ALONG ROUTE WITH PREFIX OF FIVE THREE TWO:

ZERO MINE NINE SEVEN, ZEPO SIX ONE TWO, ZERO NIME THREE ZERO, ZERO TWO FIVE NINE, ZERO ONE FOUR ZERO.

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ZERO SEVEN THREE MINE,

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FOLLOWING NUMBERS HAD PREFIX OF FIVE KINE EIGHT:

NIME ZERO SEVEN ONE,

MINE ZERO EIGHT FIVE,

MINE ZERO SEVEN SIX,

NIME ZERO FIVE THREE,

MINE ZERO FOUR TWO.

NIME MINE ONE SIX,

MINE ZERO SIX NIME,

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MINE MINE EIGHT THPEE,

NINE ZERO THREE FOUP.

FOLLOWING NUMBERS HAD PREFIX OF EIGHT FIVE NINE:

NINE ZERO ZERO FOUP,

MINE ZERO MINE FOUR,

ONE NUMBER WITH FIVE EIGHT FOUR PREFIX, NAMELY

NIME ZERO EIGHT ONE.

MOUNTAIN STATES TELEPHONE COMPANY, EL PASO, HAS ADVISED RECORDS OF LONG DISTANCE CALLS FROM ABOVE TELEPHONE NUMBERS FILED AT DATA PROCESSING CENTER, MOUNTAIN STATES TELEPHONE COMPANY PHOENIX, APIZONA.

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PUPEAU HAS INSTRUCTED TELEPHONE COMPANY PE CONTACTED TO
DETERMINE LONG DISTANCE CALLS PLACED AT EACH PUPLIC TELEPHONE ON
PERTINENT ROUTES DURING PERIOD DECEMBER FIFTEEN, SIXTEEN
AND SEVENTEN, SIXTY SEVEN AND HAVE EACH CALL CHECKED OUT.

PHOENIX SHOULD CHECK ABOVE NUMBERS AT ABOVE MENTIONED DATA
PROCESSING CENTER FOR PERTINENT DATES AND SET OUT APPROPPIATE
LEADS. COPY MAILED BIRMINGHAM. ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

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FROM: DATROIT (44-989)

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RE DALLAS TEL FOUR THIRTY LAST.

PHONE NUMBER SEVEN SEVEN SIX- FIVE MINE FIVE ZERO ISSUED TO A.B. BROOKS III. TWO TWO NINE FOUR ZERO GAUKLER. ST. CLAIR SHORES. MICHIGAN.

MRS. BROOKS ADVISED THIS DATE PHONE CALL FROM MARATHON. TEXAS. DECEMBER SIXTEEN LAST WAS MADE BY HER GRANDPARENTS MR. AND MRS. JOHN MC CALLUM, RURAL RTE. ONE ROSCOMMON, MICH., WHO WERE VISITING MRS. MC CALLUM'S BROTHER AND HAD RUN INTO AN ICE STORM. PHONE CALL ADVISED MRS. BROOKS RE ICE STORM AND NOT TO WORRY ABOUT GRANDPARENTS.

MRS. BROOKS VIEWED PHOTO OF JAMES EARL RATCAND STATED RAY NOT FAMILIAR TO HER AND SHE HAS NO INFO RE HIM. 99 - 1/2/1/ EX 109 AM COPY TO DALLAS (44-2649).

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455 PM URGENT 5/1/68 PHM

TO DIRECTOR, MEMPHIS

FROM KANSAS CITY 44-760 2P

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DAILY SUMMARY

CURRENT INMATES, MISSOURI STATE PENITENTIARY, (MSP), BOBBY FRED ASHE, ERIC LARSON, ADVISED THAT THEY COULD FURNISH NO PERTINENT INFO REGARDING SUBJECT.

BERNARD TESCHANG, COOK, RENTZ PRISON KNEW RAY AS A "HIDE OUT GUY", REMEMBERS APRIL TWENTYTHREE SIXTYSEVEN, WHEN THE BREAD

ARRIVED ALL MESSED UP. HE STATED THE BREAD BOX WAS LARGE ENOUGH FOR A PERSON TO HIDE IN, BUT COULD FURNISH NO OTHER INFORMATION REGARDING RAY'S ESCAPE.

RECORDS, PHILLIPS PETROLEUM, KANSAS CITY REVEAL MICHAEL
ST. PIERRE RENTED BOATS AT FT. LAUDERDALE, FLA., SEPT. SIXTYSEVEN USING CREDIT CARD ISSUED BY CANADIAN SHELL LTD., TORONTO,
CANADA.

RECORDS MSP REVEAL LEO BARNETT PAROLED TO DEPARTMENT
OF CORRECTION, TALLAHASSEE, FLA. FRED MILLER TRANSFERRED TO
MOBERLY, MO., INTERESTED OFFICES ADVISED.

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ALL PERSONS NAMED SLATTERY LISTED IN GREATER KANSAS CITY DIRECTORY NEGATIVE RE DELTA AIRLINES FLIGHT.

INFO FURNISHED BY LILLIBRIDGE RE MONEY ORDERS VERIFIED BY PRISON RECORDS.

AIRTEL RE MURKIN COST DATA FORWARDED TO MEMPHIS THIS

DATE. LOCAL LEADS CONTINUE TO BE HANDLED IMMEDIATELY.

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TO DIRECTOR, CHICAGO, SPRINGFIELD AND MEMPHIS

FROM ATLANTA 44-2386 4P

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CHARLES V. TYSON, MGR., HERTZ RENTALS, ALBANY, GA., FURNISHED FOLLOWING INFO MAY FIRST, INSTANT:

ON APR. MINETEEN, 'SIXTYEIGHT, HE RECEIVED PHONE
CALL FROM UNIDENTIFIED MALE WHO CLAIMED TO BE CALLING
FROM CORDELE, GA., ASKING IF HE COULD HAVE A CAR AT ALBANY,
GA. AIRPORT FOR JAMES E. BODKEP. THIS INDIVIDUAL STATED
BODKER HAD CREDIT CARDS.

AT TWELVE FIFTEEN PM, APR. NINETEEN, LAST, W/M

IDENTIFYING HIMSELF AS JAMES E. BODKER RENTED 'SIXTYSEVEN

FORD GALAXIE, FOUR-DOOR HARDTOP, WHITE OVER REFE VIN SEVEN A

FIVE SIX C TWO ZERO SEVEN SIX TWO FIVE, BEARING 'SIXTYEIGHT

GEORGIA LICENSE EIGHT J FIVE ZERO THREE NINE. CAR TO BE USED

IN VICINITY OF ALBANY AND RETURNED TO ALBANY, GA., ON

APR. TWENTYTWO, LAST. BODKER USED SHELL OIL CO. CREDIT

CARD NO.

GIVING HOME ADDRESS AS ONE FOUR THREE FOUR ONE S. AVALON

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DOLTON, ILL., AND CLAIMED TO BE MGR OF SUBURPAN MOTORS, ADDRESS NOT GIVEN. GAVE ILL. DRIVER'S LICENSE MO. B THREE TWO SIX FOUR FOUR FIVE THREE ZERO THREE ZERO.

TYSON NOT PRESENT WHEN CAR RENTED. CAR RENTED BY DOTTIE OLIVER, A HEPTZ EMPLOYEE. ANOTHER EMPLOYEE OF HERTZ, WILLIAM YOMAN WAS PRESENT WHEN CAR RENTED.

VEHICLE NOT RETURNED AND TYSON MADE NUMEROUS CALLS TO LOCATE CAR AND BODKER. NO WARRANT TAKEN AS YET. HE CHECKED WITH SHELL CIL CO. IN TULSA, OKLA., AND WAS TOLD THE CARD ISSUED TO BODKER HAD NEVER BEEN USED BEFORE AND WAS ONE OF A PROMOTIONAL GROUP MAILED TO COLLEGE SENIORS. DESCRIPTION GIVEN BY EMPLOYEES PLACES BODKER BEYOND COLLEGE AGE.

SINCE DOLTON, ILL. IS SUBURB OF CHICAGO, TYSON OBTAINED
TELEPHONE NUMBER OF SUBURBAN MTRS, THREE ONE TWO DASH THREE
FIGHT FIGHT DASH FIVE TWO FIGHT ZERO AND CALLED THEM APR.
TWENTYNINE AND THIRTY, LAST, BUT RECEIVED NO SATISFACTION.
HE TALKED TO MR. PANNA, WHO CLAIMED TO BE MGR OF SUBURBAN MTRS.
HANNA FURNISHED VIRTUALLY NO INFO EXCEPT TO SAY BODKER WE
PART-TIME EMPLOYEE AND NOT THEPE.

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DESCRIPTION FURNISHED BY TYSON AS OBTAINED BY HIS
EMPLOYEES FIT GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF JAMES EARL RAY EXCEPT
FOR AGE AND ACCORDINGLY YOMAN AND OLIVER INTERVIEWED AND PHOTO
OF JAMES EARL PAY EXHIBITED.

RENTAL CONTRACT OBTAINED AND BEING FORWARDED TO FBI LAB FOR HANDWRITING AND LATENT PRINT EXAMINATION.

YOMAN DESCRIBED BODKER AS W/M, AGE ABOUT THIRTY, FIVE FT.

ELEVEN, ONE SIX FIVE LBS., DARK BROWN WAVY HAIR COMBED BACK

SLIGHTLY REDDISH TINT, DARK COMPLEXION, OPEN NECK SPORT SHIRT,

DARK PANTS, BEARS CLOSE RESEMBLANCE TO 'SIXTYEIGHT PHOTO AND

HEAD ON 'SIXTY PHOTO OF RAY AND BELIEVES COULD BE IDENTICAL.

YOMAN IS FIFTYFOUR YRS OLD, W/M, LONG-TIME EMPLOYEE
OF HERTZ AND WELL-KNOWN TO THIS OFFICE AND CONSIDERED COMPLETELY
RELIABLE.

OLIVER VIEWED PHOTOS OF JAMES EARL RAY AND STATES BODKER

NOT IDENTICAL. BELIEVES FACE IS THINNER THAN 'SIXTYEIGHT PHOTO

OF RAY AND COULD NOT PICK OUT ANY FACIAL CHARACTERISTICS IN

PHOTO OF RAY RESEMBLING BODKER.

SHE DESCRIBED BODKER AS W/M, AGE THIRTYEIGHT TO FORTY, FIVE FT. TEN TO ELEVEN, ONE FIVE ZERO TO ONE SIX ZERO LBS., END PAGE THREE

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THICK BLACK WAVY HAIR, COMBED BACK, DARK COMPLEXION, THIN FACE LONG MECK, WEARING MUSTARD COLORED SPORT SHIRT WITH DICKIE AT NECK AND DARK BROWN PANTS, MO MOTICFABLE ACCENT AND MOT MERVOUS. OLIVER IS MINETEEN YEAR-OLD W/F ABOUT TO BE MARRIED, IS STILL IN TRAINING. MERVOUS AND NOT BELIEVED TO BE GOOD WITNESS.

CHICAGO IMMEDIATELY CONDUCT INVESTIGATION AT DOLTON, ILL.,
AND SUBURBAN MTRS. IF 'SIXTYSEVEN FORD LOCATED, ADVISE ATLANTA.

SPRINGFIELD REVIEW DRIVER'S LICENSE FILE UNDER NUMBER
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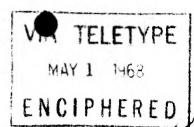
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RE BUREAU TEL TO NEW YORK, FOUR THIRTY PAST.

MRS. CHARLES H. ENGLE, ONE ZERO NINE EAST MAIN STREET, NEW HOLLAND, PA., INTERVIEWED IN PRESENCE OF HUSBAND AND STATED SHE MET COLIN BLACKMAN, TRAILWAYS BUS DRIVER, TORONTO, CANADA, AT WORLD'S FAIR, MONTREAL, AUGUST PAST.

BLACKMAN TELEPHONICALLY CONTACTED HER ABOUT FEBRUARY, CLAIMED
IN JAIL FOR INCOME TAX EVASION. HE CALLED AGAIN ONE WEEK LATER,
STATED COMING TO NEW HOLLAND, PA. SHE STATED BLACKMAN HAS NOT
ARRIVED AND SHE DOES NOT EXPECT HIM. WANTED FLYER FOUR FOUR TWO A
OF SUBJECT JAMES EARL RAY SHOWN MRS. ENGLE WHO STATED BLACKMAN DOES
NOT RESEMBLE RAY. SHE DESCRIBED BLACKMAN AS AGE FOURTY, FIVE FT.
ELEVEN INCHES, HEAVY BUILD, FAT AROUND MIDDLE, DARK GURLY HAIR.
SHE CLAIMED SHE MET BLACKMAN WITH HER GIRL FRIEND KITTY CLICK ONE
FOUR SIX EAST MAIN STREET, NEW HOLLAND, PA.

MRS. KATHERINE CLICK, ONE SIX FOUR EAST MAIN STREET, NEW END PAGE ONE

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HOLLAND, PA., STATED MRS. ENGLE AND SHE WERE IN NEW YORK CITY,
APRIL NINETEEN SIXTYSEVEN AND MET COLIN BLACKMAN AND JOH ELLIS,

TRAILWAYS BUS DRIVERS FROM TORONTO, CANADA. MRS. ENGLE CORRESPONDED
WITH BLACKMAN AND ARRANGED RENDEZVOUS AT WORLD'S FAIR, MONTREAL,
AUGUST PAST BUT BLACKMAN AND ELLIS DUE TO BUS TRIP UNABLE TO KEEP

DATE. BLACKMAN CALLED ENGLE, MONTREAL, AND ARRANGED MEETING IN
BOSTON ON RETURN FROM WORLD'S FAIR. CLICK HAS NOT SEEN BLACKMAN
SINCE AUGUST PAST BUT UNDERSTANDS BLACKMAN EITHER QUIT OR WAS
DISMISSED FROM TRAILWAYS. WANTED FLYER FOUR FOUR TWO A EXHIBITIED
TO CLICK WHO STATED PHOTO OF RAY DOES NOT RESEMBLE BLACKMAN.

AIRMAIL COPY TO MEMPHIS.

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TO DIRECTOR, MEMPHIS. BIRMINGHAM. KANSAS CITY, SPRINGFIELD.

AND CHICAGO

FROM ATLANTA 44-2386 1P

MURKIN

RE CHICAGO TELETYPE. APR. TWENTYFIFTH. 'SIXTYEIGHT, FURNISH-ING SOCIAL SECURITY NO.

AS USED BY JAMES EARL RAY IN TWO EMPLOYMENTS.

ON MAY FIRST, INSTANT, EARL FUOSS, REGIONAL INSPECTOR, 185, ATLANTA. ADVISED CHECK OF NATIONAL COMPUTER FOR IRS INDICATES NOBODY IN -U.S. WITH THIS SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER FILED INCOME TAX RETURN FOR 'SIXTYSIX OR 'SIXTYSEVEN.

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FROM DIRECTOR, RED 544 - 38861.

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PHILADELPHIA OFFICE ON MAY ONE, SIXTYEIGHT, ADVISED BY TELETYPE AS FOLLOWS:

MRS. CHARLES H. ENGLE, ONE ZERO NINE EAST MAIN STREET,
NEW HOLLAND, PA., INTERVIEWED IN PRESENCE OF HUSBAND AND STATED
SHE MET COLIN BLACKMAN, TRAILWAYS BUS DRIVER, TORONTO, CANADA,
AT WORLD'S FAIR, MONTREAL, AUGUST PAST.

BLACKMAN TELEPHONICALLY CONTACTED HER ABOUT FEBRUARY, CLAIMED IN JAIL FOR INCOME TAX EVASION. HE CALLED AGAIN ONE WEEK LATER, STATED COMING TO NEW HOLLAND, PA. SHE STATED BLACKMAN HAS NOT ARRIVED AND SHE DOES NOT EXPECT HIM. WANTED FLYER FOUR FOUR TWO A OF SUBJECT JAMES EARL RAY SHOWN MRS. ENGLE WHO STATED BLACKMAN DOES NOT RESEMBLE RAY. SHE DESCRIBED BLACKMAN AS AGE FORTY, FIVE FEET ELEVEN INCHES,

Tolson HEAVY BUILD, FAT AROUND MIDDLE, DARK CURLY HAIR. SHE CLAIMED

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MRS. KATHERINE CLICK, ONE SIX FOUR EAST MAIN

STREET, NEW HOLLAND, PA., STATED MRS. ENGLE AND SHE

WERE IN NEW YORK CITY, APRIL NINETEEN SIXTYSEVEN AND

MET COLIN BLACKMAN AND JOHN ELLIS, TRAILWAYS BUS

DRIVERS FROM TORONTO, CANADA. MRS. ENGLE CORRESPONDED

WITH BLACKMAN AND ARRANGED RENDEZVOUS AT WORLD'S FAIR,

MONTREAL, AUGUST PAST BUT BLACKMAN AND ELLIS DUE TO

BUS TRIP UNABLE TO KEEP DATE. BLACKMAN CALLED ENGLE,

MONTREAL, AND ARRANGED MEETING IN BOSTON ON RETURN

FROM WORLD'S FAIR. CLICK HAS NOT SEEN BLACKMAN SINCE

AUGUST PAST BUT UNDERSTANDS BLACKMAN EITHER QUIT OR WAS

DISMISSED FROM TRAILWAYS. WANTED FLYER FOUR FOUR TWO A

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FBI, Memphis (44-1987)

May 1, 1968

Date:

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John Edgar Hoover, Director

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To:

D-561857 JK Lab. No.

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4/29/68, from FBI, Jacksonville Specimens received

K212 Piece of cloth containing fourteen samples of laundry tape obtained from Tillman Laundry and Cleaners, Jacksonville, Florida

Specimen received 4/29/68, from FBI, Charlotte

K213 Eight sample laundry tapes obtained from two Thermo-Seal machines located at Canton Laundry, Canton, North Carolina

Specimen received 4/29/68, from FBI, Tampa

Three sample laundry tapes obtained from Winter Park Laundry, Winter Park, Florida

Result of examination:

Differences were noted between the laundry tags represented by K212, K213 and K214 when compared with the laundry tags appearing on Q97 and Q99, but the lack of significant characteristics precluded a definite determination regarding these specimens.

K212, K213 and K214 have been retained.

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Subscriber to telephone number 752-6460, La Fla., is ROBIN C. SHIVER, Westwood Acres, Lake City, SHIVER is in poultry business at Lake City and is own Phillips '66 Service Station. He is reportedly relia a well respected citizen. SHIVER advised in December exact date unknown, he received a telephone call from partner, GARLAND STROBLE, age 35, from Texas regarding poultry business. This was the only telephone call h from the State of Texas.			
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From:

Director, FBI (44-38861)

MURKIN

Re Los Angeles airtel 4-25-68, submitting envelope, Q293, and accompanying message signed Eric S. Galt. Q294 for examination.

Five latent fingerprints of value developed on the envelope and one latent fingerprint of value developed on the message. These latent fingerprints are not identical with the fingerprints of James Earl Ray, FBI \$405942G. These latent fingerprints were compared with latent prints previously reported in this case, but no identification effected.

Result of laboratory examination and disposition of Q293 and Q294 furnished separately.

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