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JUN 14 1968

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442PM URGENT 6-14-68 DMJ

TO DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)

FROM SPRINGFIELD (44-56L) (PP.2)

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RE SPRINGFIELD TELETYPE TO BUREAU JUNE THIRTEEN, LAST.
WILLIAM MAHER, ALTON, SUBJECT'S UNCLE, REITERATED HE
HAS NOT HAD ANY DIRECT WORD FROM SUBJECT FOR TEN YEARS; THAT
HE DOES NOT FEEL SUBJECT CAME TO ALTON SUBSEQUENT TO ESCAPE
FROM MSP BECAUSE HE STATES HE WOULD HAVE KNOWN SUBJECT'S
PRESENCE IN ALTON.

DEPUTY DEMOS NICHOLAS, MADISON COUNTY SO, EDWARDSVILLE,
ADVISED THAT SOURCES, TRICITY AREA, OF GRANITE CITY, MADISON
AND VENICE, ILLINOIS UNABLE TO PROVIDE INFORMATION RE CONTACTS
OF SUBJECT IN THAT AREA; THAT THERE IS NO INDICATION HE MADE
ANY SUCH CONTACTS BETWEEN APRIL AND JULY NINETEEN SIXTYSEVEN.

PHOTOS OF RAY AND ASSOCIATES SHOWN TO VICTIM BANKS IN
VICINITY ALTON WITHOUT EFFECTING ANY IDENTIFICATION.

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SAC, MEMPHIS (44-1987) (P)

FROM: SAC, NEW ORLEANS (44-1987) (P)

SUBJECT: MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.; CIVIL RIGHTS; MURDER; NEW ORLEANS

RE: NEW ORLEANS TELETYPE TO BUREAU, JUNE TWELVE LAST.

FOR INFORMATION OF THE BUREAU, THE FOLLOWING IS A SUMMARY OF THE

NEW ORLEANS INVESTIGATION OF THE ALLEGED ATTEMPT TO ASSASSINATE

DR. KING ON JUNE FOUR LAST, IN NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA.

ON JUNE FOUR LAST, DR. KING WAS ASSASSINATED IN NEW ORLEANS.

THE NEW ORLEANS POLICE DEPARTMENT HAS ADVISED THAT THE

ATTEMPT TO ASSASSINATE DR. KING WAS MADE BY A PERSON WHO

WAS IDENTIFIED AS A MEMBER OF THE BLACK PANTHER PARTY.

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SURROUNDING OFFICES BEING INSTRUCTED TO DISPLAY PHOTOS
OF RAY AND ASSOCIATES TOGETHER WITH INITIATING INQUIRY RE
LAUNDRY MARKS AT LAUNDRIES AND DRY CLEANING ESTABLISHMENTS
AND AREAS.

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CONSECUTING OFFICERS BEING INSTRUCTED TO DISSEMINATE PROCEED

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June 14, 1968

Mrs. Lyle Jermann
1028 Independence
Waterloo, Iowa 50703

L. Jermann

Dear Mrs. Jermann:

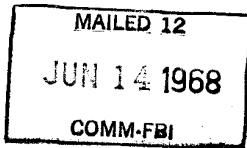
Your letter of June 9th has been received.

With regard to your comments, the investigation leading to the apprehension of James Earl Ray was a cooperative effort of law enforcement agencies on an international scale. The efforts of the FBI, the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, and Scotland Yard were combined in this investigation which culminated with his arrest in England on June 8th. The arrest was made by Scotland Yard because the FBI has no authority to conduct investigations or make arrests outside the United States.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover
Director



NOTE: Bufiles contain no record of correspondent.

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Dear Mr. Hoover,

In this sad and disgusting way people are acting in the U. S. A. don't you think we need more security?

This City I live in is 85,000 and very few have any respect for the Supreme Court or the F. B. I. What are they thinking of to make laws that aid & protect the Criminal? As far as the F. B. I. we have always regarded them highly, but now it seems they can't protect or find anyone. Why not? When you have a powerful Country with all of the latest methods of Crime Control it is getting worse - Aren't you a little embarrassed that England's Scotland Yard had to find Ray? What's wrong?

Why not either study their methods or hire some of their men - We obviously are not getting the job done-

America is the greatest Country in the world & we are losing face.

I love my Country and I'm getting ashamed of the image we are giving the world- Please try to do better and we will all pray for you.

Sincerely

(Mrs) Lyle Jermann

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L. Jermann
1028 Independence
Waters, La
50703

June 9, 1968

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, BUFFALO (44-374) (P)

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Re Buffalo tel, dated 6/13/68.

Superintendent CARL DOEY advised on 6/14/68 that inquiry at Toronto Telephone Company disclosed that records of long distance telephone calls made from the public telephone booth near 962 Dundas Street West, Toronto, Ontario, Canada, were destroyed after 30 days and, therefore, no check could be made of such calls during the pertinent period.

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C. C. - Bishop

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Special Agent in Charge

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- 1 - Bureau
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- ③ - Jackson (44-1987)

Re memo of May 22, 1966, from the Birmingham Bureau.
 Also referenced were 30 days and, respectively, no other copies
 were made. The Bureau advised that, however, directly, copies
 of your Bureau's reference letter were from the Bureau's reference
 letter to the Bureau's reference letter, respectively, from the Bureau's
 reference letter to the Bureau's reference letter on 6/16/66.

NO BUREAU FOR 6/16/66.

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FROM: SAC, MEMPHIS (44-38861) (P)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

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IMMEDIATE 6-14-68

TO DIRECTOR

FROM LEGAT LONDON NO. 63

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SOURCES ADVISE THAT AT MAGISTRATE COURT JUNE ONE EIGHT NEXT
MAGISTRATE WILL ANNOUNCE THAT EXTRADITION HEARING WILL TAKE PLACE
JUNE TWO ONE NEXT. PUBLIC PROSECUTOR WILL THEN ASK FOR ADJOURNMENT ON
LOCAL CHARGES UNDER ALIENS ACT AND FIREARMS ACT.

ON JUNE TWO ONE NEXT, IF DEFENSE IS READY, EXTRADITION HEARING
WILL COMMENCE. IF DEFENSE ASKS FOR MORE TIME HE WILL BE GIVEN UNTIL
JUNE TWO SEVEN NEXT. IF HEARING DOES NOT ACTUALLY START UNTIL JUNE
TWO SEVEN MAGISTRATE IS PREPARED, IF REQUESTED, TO SIT ON JUNE TWO
NINE, SATURDAY, IN ORDER TO EXPEDITIOUSLY DISPENSE WITH MATTER.
FOR INFORMATION.

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TO DIRECTOR

KANSAS CITY

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FROM MINNEAPOLIS (157-450) 4P

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RE MINNEAPOLIS TEL JUNE SEVEN, LAST, AND MEMPHIS TEL
JUNE THIRTEEN LAST.

PAUL BRIDGEMAN, FORMER INMATE, MSP, JEFFERSON CITY,
MISSOURI, REINTERVIEWED AND ADVISED HE SAW JAMES EARL RAY AT
FORTRESS BAR, KANSAS CITY, APPROXIMATELY THREE WEEKS AFTER
HIS DISCHARGE FROM MSP, JANUARY SIXTEEN, 1968. HE ADVISED
AT TIME HE WAS LIVING AT FIVE FOUR THREE EIGHT SKYLINE DRIVE,
MISSION, KANSAS, (ROE VILLAGE). HE ADVISED A MIKE HEAD,
DESCRIBED AS MALE, WHITE, FIVE FEET NINE INCHES, ONE SIX ZERO
POUNDS, SANDY BUSHY HAIR, WHO WORKS FOR HIS FATHER IN SMALL
CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, WAS IN BAR AT TIME, AND SAW BEVERLY HILL
AND WANTED TO KNOW WHO SHE WAS.

BRIDGEMAN STATES EMPHATICALLY HE DOES NOT KNOW BEVERLY
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TO: DIRECTOR

FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (100-100000) (P)
SUBJECT: [Illegible]

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Very truly yours,

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HILL BUT HAS SEEN HER AROUND KANSAS CITY AND BELIEVES HER TO BE A PROSTITUTE. HE STATED SHE MAY BE SISTER TO BUSTER HILL WHO WAS IN MSP AND WAS RELEASED ABOUT SAME TIME RAY ESCAPED. BRIDGEMAN ADVISED HE WAS RELEASED FROM PRISON ON TUESDAY AND RATHBERG VISITED HIM IN KANSAS CITY WITH BRIDGEMAN'S SON THE NINETEENTH, TWENTIETH, AND TWENTY-FIRST OF JANUARY. HE NEXT SAW RATHBERG IN OKLAHOMA CITY WHERE THEY STAYED AT DOWN TOWNER HOTEL. HE RECALLS FIRST TIME HE SAW RATHBERG IN OKLAHOMA CITY WAS APPROXIMATELY ONE WEEK AFTER HE SAW RAY IN KANSAS CITY. BRIDGEMAN ADVISED PRIOR TO BEVERLY HILL ARRIVING AT FORTRESS, BARMAID, KNOWN TO HIM ONLY AS JOYCE, RECEIVED CALL FROM UNIDENTIFIED FEMALE ASKING IF BRIDGEMAN WAS AT BAR. JOYCE TOLD CALLER THAT BRIDGEMAN WAS THERE AND THEN ASKED BRIDGEMAN IF IT WAS ALL RIGHT. BRIDGEMAN ADVISED HE TOLD HER IT WAS OK AND APPROXIMATELY TEN MINUTES LATER, BEVERLY HILL SHOWED UP.

AS POINTED OUT IN REFERENCED MINNEAPOLIS TEL, BRIDGEMAN INSISTS THIS WAS LAST AND ONLY TIME HE SAW RAY SINCE RAY'S ESCAPE MSP.

BRIDGEMAN CERTAIN VEHICLE RAY WAS IN WAS LIGHT BLUE T BIRD AND BELIEVES IT TO BE ABOUT NINETEEN SIXTY-THREE T BIRD.
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HE IS ALSO CERTAIN LICENSE PLATES WERE WHITE WITH RED LETTERS AND BELIEVES CAR TO BE LICENSED IN IOWA.

BRIDGEMAN ADVISED IN BRIEF CONVERSATION WITH RAY, RAY MENTIONED HE WAS "HOT" AND ASKED FOR MONEY. BRIDGEMAN ADVISED HE KNEW RAY HAD ESCAPED AND, THEREFORE, GAVE HIM THIRTY OR THIRTY-FIVE DOLLARS.

BRIDGEMAN EMPHATICALLY DENIED SEEING RAY IN OKLAHOMA WHEN HE HAD PLENTY OF MONEY AND EMPHATICALLY DENIED TELLING ANYONE HE HAD SEEN RAY IN ANY PLACE OTHER THAN KANSAS CITY AS STATED ABOVE.

AS TO BEVERLY HILL, HE BELIEVES AT ONE TIME SHE DID WORK AT COLONY INN, KANSAS CITY, BUT IS NOT CERTAIN. AS TO BUSTER HILL, HE DOES KNOW HE WORKED AS BARTENDER IN JEWEL BOX, KANSAS CITY, AT ONE TIME.

JOYCE DESCRIBED AS A "LITTLE RED-HEADED GIRL".

BRIDGEMAN SUGGESTED POSSIBLE OTHER CONTACTS OF RAY IN KANSAS CITY WOULD BE ONE JIMMY DEVESSÉ WHO CELLED WITH RAY IN C HALL WHILE RAY AT MSP, AND CARL SPERO WHO KNEW RAY AT MSP. BRIDGEMAN BELIEVES BOTH OF ABOVE RELEASED FROM MSP PRIOR TO RAY'S VISIT TO KANSAS CITY IN FEBRUARY.

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KANSAS CITY, CONDUCT INDICATED INVESTIGATION TO VERIFY
OR REFUTE BRIDGEMAN'S STORY.

MEMPHIS, CONSIDER ADVISING OTHER OFFICE TO COVER LEADS
SET OUT IN MINNEAPOLIS TEL JUNE SEVEN, LAST.

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MEMPHIS' CONSIDER ADVISING OTHER OFFICE TO COLLECT LEADS
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TO DIRECTOR MEMPHIS MINNEAPOLIS

FROM KANSAS CITY 44-760 1P

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RE MINNEAPOLIS TELETYPE TO BUREAU INSTANT DATE.

KANSAS CITY TELEPHONE DIRECTORY, KANSAS CITY MO. PD, AND KANSAS CITY LIQUOR CONTROL BOARD FAILED TO REVEAL ANY RECORD IN THE NAME OF BEVERLY HILL. JAMES DUARDI, OWNER, AND KAY HAMMOND, BARMAID, OLD FORTRESS TAVERN, KANSAS CITY, ADVISED THEY DID NOT KNOW ANY PERSON IDENTICAL TO PHOTOGRAPH OF JAMES EARL RAY.

RECORDS, KANSAS CITY, MO. PD, REVEALED THAT PAUL BRIDGEMAN WAS ARRESTED FEB EIGHT LAST AT EIGHTYFIFTH AND TROOST STS., KANSAS CITY, FOR DISTURBING THE PEACE BY FIGHTING IN THE **REC-33** FORTRESS TAVERN AT THAT ADDRESS.

IN VIEW OF THE ABOVE AND IN VIEW OF THE INFORMATION CONTAINED IN MEMPHIS TELETYPE DATED JUNE SEVEN LAST AND DALLAS TELETYPE DATED JUNE SIX LAST, NO ADDITIONAL INVESTIGATION IS BEING CONDUCTED IN THIS MATTER UNLESS ADVISED TO THE CONTRARY BY OFFICE OF ORIGIN.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-441100)

FROM: SAC, [Illegible] (100-441100)

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TO LEGAT LONDON

FROM DIRECTOR FBI (44-38861)

MURKIN.

PRESS ACCOUNTS JUNE FIFTEEN, INSTANT, INDICATE SUBJECT'S BROTHER, JOHN LARRY RAY, IS PLANNING TO TRAVEL TO ENGLAND TO VISIT HIS BROTHER. PRESS ACCOUNTS INDICATE HE INTENDS TO APPLY FOR PASSPORT ON MONDAY, JUNE SEVENTEEN, NEXT.

JOHN LARRY RAY IS WHITE MALE, BORN

ALTON, ILLINOIS, HEIGHT FIVE FEET

TEN TO FIVE FEET ELEVEN INCHES, WEIGHT ONE HUNDRED SIXTY TO ONE HUNDRED SEVENTY POUNDS, BROWN HAIR, BROWN EYES, MEDIUM COMPLEXION, HAS SLIGHT SPEECH IMPEDIMENT. MARITAL STATUS, SINGLE.

INVESTIGATION HAS INDICATED HE VISITED HIS BROTHER, THE SUBJECT, WHILE BROTHER IN PRISON ON AT LEAST NINE OCCASIONS, THE LAST OF WHICH WAS APRIL TWENTY TWO, NINETEEN SIXTY SEVEN, THE DAY BEFORE THE SUBJECT ESCAPED. HE HAS SENT HIS BROTHER MONEY WHILE IN PRISON. DENIES ANY KNOWLEDGE OF BROTHER'S

ESCAPE OR KNOWLEDGE OF HIS WHEREABOUTS FOLLOWING ESCAPE.

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1 - St. Louis (44-775)

1 - Foreign Liaison Unit

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IDENT RECORD FOR JOHN LARRY RAY, FBI NUMBER THREE SIX EIGHT SEVEN TWO FIVE A, INDICATES HE RECEIVED SENTENCE OF TWO TO FIVE YEARS FOR SECOND DEGREE BURGLARY JANUARY TWENTY FOUR, NINETEEN FIFTY, AND SERVED TIME IN STATE REFORMATORY, PENDLETON, INDIANA. ALSO SERVED TIME IN STATE PENITENTIARY MENARD, ILLINOIS, FOR LARCENY OF MOTOR VEHICLE, RECEIVED THERE SIX TWO FIFTY THREE AND DISCHARGED TWO ONE NINETEEN SIXTY.

ABOVE INFORMATION SHOULD BE MADE AVAILABLE TO APPROPRIATE BRITISH AUTHORITIES IN EVENT JOHN LARRY RAY ATTEMPTS TO VISIT SUBJECT. AIR MAIL COPIES TO MEMPHIS AND ST. LOUIS.

CAROL PEPPER, SISTER OF JOHN LARRY RAY AND SUBJECT, HAS ADVISED THAT JOHN LARRY RAY DOES NOT HAVE FUNDS TO MAKE TRIP, THAT SHE DOES NOT INTEND TO FURNISH HIM FUNDS AND SHE DOUBTS IF HE WILL MAKE TRIP TO LONDON.

NOTE: Contents of above discussed with Extra Duty Supervisor Jack Fisher, St. Louis Office on 6-15-68. St. Louis concurs with information and advised that they have nothing additional.

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TO: DIRECTOR (44-38861)

FROM: ST. LOUIS (44-775)

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RE PHONE CONVERSATION THIS DATE WITH SUPERVISOR FRANK HUDSON CONCERNING PUBLICITY THAT SUBJECT'S BROTHER, JOHN LARRY RAY, PLANNING TO VISIT HIM AT LONDON. SUBJECT'S SISTER, CAROL PEPPER, REPORTED JUNE FOURTEEN, LAST, THAT JOHN NOT GOING TO LONDON; THAT HE DOESN'T HAVE MONEY TO GO AND SHE WOULD NOT ADVANCE THE MONEY. HER OBSERVATION WAS THAT FAMILY COULD BETTER HELP HIS DEFENSE AFTER HE IS RETURNED TO THIS COUNTRY. P

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WOULD NOT ADVANCE THE CASE. HIS OBSERVATION WAS THAT EMILIA
GOING TO LONDON. THAT HE DOESN'T HAVE POWER TO GO AND SHE
CANNOT BE THE ONE BELONGED TO THE COMMUNIST PARTY. THAT SHE WAS NOT
GIVEN HER BELONGING TO LONDON WITH AL LONDON. SUBJECT'S BELIEF
WAS THAT CLASSIFIED INFORMATION THAT SUBJECT'S BELIEF. THAT
BE MORE CONVICTION THIS CASE WITH SUBSEQUENT REVENUE

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FROM: SAC, PORTS (44-112)

TO: DIRECTOR (44-38861)

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TO DIRECTOR (44-38861), CHARLOTTE AND MEMPHIS (44-1987)
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COPIES MADE, DATE 5/17/74 BY
RGR/SS. RE M.L. King, Jr.
FOR REVIEW AT FBIHQ AND/OR DELIVERY
TO HSCA RE REQUEST DATED 5/3/74
(SEE BUFILE 62-117200)

ON JUNE FIFTEEN INSTANT MARIKA FOXIE, LONG-DISTANCE
TELEPHONE OPERATOR, WISCONSIN TELEPHONE COMPANY, RACINE,
WIS., CONFIDENTALLY ADVISED AS FOLLOWS AND REQUESTED HER
IDENTITY BE PROTECTED: ON JUNE ELEVEN LAST AT APPROXIMATELY
TEN FORTYTWO PM A MALE CALLER AT UNION GROVE, WIS., CALLED
HER AND SHE ENDEAVORED TO PLACE CALLS TO THE FOLLOWING
NUMBERS IN NORTH CAROLINA FOR HIM: SEVEN ZERO FOUR-SEVEN
FIVE EIGHT-TWO NINE ZERO EIGHT; SEVEN ZERO FOUR-SEVEN FIVE
FOUR FOUR NINE THREE ZERO; AND SEVEN ZERO FOUR-SEVEN FIVE
EIGHT-TWO ONE ZERO ZERO. THE CALLER ALSO ATTEMPTED
TO LOCATE NUMBER FOR RUBY ANDERSON PARKER, ENDERSON, LEONA, NORTH
CAROLINA. FOXIE ADVISED THAT SHE OVERHEARD PORTIONS OF THE
CALLER'S CONVERSATION WITH A PERSON IN NORTH CAROLINA, AND THAT
DURING CALL TO SEVEN ZERO FOUR-SEVEN FIVE FOUR-FOUR NINE
THREE ZERO CALLER WAS ASKED IF HE WERE QUOTE ROBERT END QUOTE AND
REPLIED QUOTE YES. CALLER THEN MADE CALL TO SEVEN ZERO FOUR-SEVEN FIVE
EIGHT-TWO ONE ZERO ZERO CALLER CONTACTED MALE WITH HILLBILLY VOICE

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IN 1967 HE WAS ARRESTED
FOR HARBORING A FUGITIVE
AND FOR OBSTRUCTION OF JUSTICE
AND FOR VIOLATION OF
FEDERAL LAWS

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AND CALLER SAID AS FOLLOWS: QUOTE "I'VE GOT THE HAVE MONEY, A WHOLE LOT OF MONEY TO GET OUT OF THE COUNTRY. I'M GOING TO CALL BACK TOMORROW NIGHT. YOU TELL THE CLAN PAREN(PH) ~~END PAREN~~ TO GET ME SOME MONEY OR I'M GOING TO BLOW THIS THING SKY HIGH. WHEN THEY GET RAY BACK IN THIS COUNTRY HE WILL SPILL HIS GUTS." ~~END QUOTE~~. THE MALE IN NORTH CAROLINA RECEIVING THE CALL SAID, QUOTE "I THOUGHT YOU WERE STRAIGHTENED OUT BEFORE YOU LEFT DOWN HERE" ~~END QUOTE~~. FOXIE HAS IMPRESSION CALLER WAS REFERRING TO JAMES EARL RAY. SHE SAID CALLER MENTIONED SEVERAL TIMES HIS NEED FOR A LOT OF MONEY AND THAT HE WOULD TALK IF HE DID NOT RECEIVE IT. FOXIE DESCRIBED CALLER AS A WHITE MALE WITH A SOUTHERN ACCENT, INTELLIGENT VOICE, APPEARED TO BE IN LATE THIRTY'S OR EARLY FORTY'S. SHE STATED CALLER DID NOT APPEAR UNBALANCED OR INTOXICATED. FOXIE STATED THAT SHE HAD FAILED TO CONTACT AUTHORITIES EARLIER DUE TO FEAR OR RETALIATION SHOULD SHE BECOME INVOLVED.

CHARLOTTE. DETERMINE SUBSCRIBERS OF TELEPHONE NUMBERS SEVEN ZERO FOUR-SEVEN FIVE EIGHT-TWO NINE ZERO EIGHT; SEVEN ZERO FOUR-SEVEN FIVE EIGHT-TWO ONE ZERO ZERO; AND
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SEVEN ZERO FOUR-SEVEN FIVE FOUR-FOUR NINE THREE ZERO. ATTEMPT
TO IDENTIFY ROBERT PAREN LNU END PAREN IN UNION GROVE, WIS. BY
DISCREET INVESTIGATION. CONDUCT INVESTIGATION TO IDENTIFY RUBY
ANDERSON AND APPARENT SIGNIFICANCE OF ABOVE CALLS.

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TO DIRECTOR

FROM LOS ANGELES 44-1574

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REWFOTEL TO BUREAU AND LOS ANGELES

JUNE THIRTEEN LAST CONCERNING BACKGROUND OF FREDERICK JOHN SCHWARTZ.

RECORDS, LOS ANGELES POLICE DEPARTMENT (LAPD), REVEAL SCHWARTZ ARRESTED JULY EIGHT SIXTY SEVEN ON TRAFFIC WARRANT FOR VIOLATION OF LOS ANGELES MUNICIPAL CODE, SECTION EIGHTY EIGHT POINT THIRTEEN POINT B, WHICH IS PARKING VIOLATION. HE FORFEITED BAIL OF FIVE DOLLARS. ON THAT ARREST, SCHWARTZ LISTED OCCUPATION AS ATTORNEY WITH DAHLSTRUM AND BUTTS.

SCHWARTZ ARRESTED DECEMBER ONE SIXTY ON VIOLATION OF CALIFORNIA PENAL CODE (PC) FOUR FIFTY NINE (FELONY) WHEN HE TOOK SIX PAIR MEN'S SOCKS FROM A WEST LOS ANGELES DEPARTMENT STORE. JUN 17 1968 CHARGE CHANGED TO VIOLATION OF SECTION FOUR EIGHT FOUR (PC).

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A MISDEMEANOR, (PETTY THEFT), ON DECEMBER TWO SIXTY, AND
LATER TO VIOLATION OF SECTION FIVE NINETY FOUR (PC),
MALICIOUS MISCHIEF (MISDEMEANOR), TO WHICH HE PLE^E,
ADED

GUILTY AND WAS GIVEN A SIX MONTHS SUSPENDED SENTENCE,
SIX MONTHS PROBATION, AND ONE HUNDRED DOLLAR FINE. ON
MAY FIVE FIFTY SIX, HE WAS ARRESTED BY LAPD FOR VIOLATION
OF SECTION FIVE ZERO THREE (VEHICLE CODE), JOY RIDING
DELINQUENT, AND TURNED OVER TO PARENTS. PARENTS LISTED AS
DOROTHY AND JOHN GRAVES, AND FRED SCHWARTZ.

RECORDS, LOS ANGELES RETAIL MERCHANTS CREDIT ASSOCIATION
(RMCA), REVEAL SCHWARTZ AND WIFE, NORMA JEAN, TWENTY
SEVEN FIVE FOUR WOODSHIRE DRIVE, LOS ANGELES, SUED FOR
EIGHT HUNDRED TEN DOLLARS AND NINETY FOUR CENTS ON
OCTOBER TWENTY SEVEN SIXTY SEVEN, THE AMOUNT CLAIMED OWED
TO AN RMCA CLIENT. NO DISPOSITION GIVEN. ASSIGNED FOR
COLLECTION NOTICES APPEAR IN FILE FOR SCHWARTZ AND WIFE
DATED JULY TWENTY NINE, SIXTY SEVEN, FOR ONE HUNDRED
THIRTY THREE DOLLARS AND SEVENTY ONE CENTS. ALSO FOR ONE
HUNDRED FORTY FIVE DOLLARS AND FORTY ONE CENTS. LATTER
NOTICE NOT DATED AND NO DISPOSITIONS GIVEN.

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RECORDS, CALIFORNIA STATE BAR. LOS ANGELES, REVEAL SCHWARTZ, BORN [REDACTED] DETROIT, MICHIGAN, ADMITTED TO CALIFORNIA BAR ON JANUARY FIVE SIXTY FIVE. HE IS PRESENTLY WITH LAW FIRM OF DAHLSTRUM, WALTON, AND BUTTS. NO INQUIRIES HAVE BEEN MADE TO CALIFORNIA BAR BY BRITISH LEGAL AUTHORITIES RE SCHWARTZ'S LEGAL BACKGROUND.

NO ARREST RECORD LOCATED FOR SCHWARTZ'S WIFE, NORMA JEAN.

FRED DREW SCHWARTZ, FATHER OF FREDERICK JOHN SCHWARTZ, FBI NUMBER SIXTEEN FOUR EIGHT TWO E, HAS RECORD WITH CALIFORNIA BUREAU OF CRIMINAL IDENTIFICATION AND INVESTIGATION DATING BACK TO NINETEEN FIFTY ONE. HE WAS ARRESTED JANUARY NINE, FIFTY ONE FOR VIOLATION OF VEHICLE CODE DEALING WITH MAINTENANCE OF AUTOMOBILE REPAIR SHOP. ON NOVEMBER TWENTY FIVE, SIXTY ONE, ARRESTED BY SANTA MONICA PD FOR DRIVING UNDER THE INFLUENCE OF ALCOHOL AND FINED ONE HUNDRED FIFTY DOLLARS OR FIFTEEN DAYS IN JAIL AND PLACED ON TWO YEARS PROBATION. HE WAS ARRESTED BY LACSO ON FEBRUARY NINE, SIXTY THREE, AND MARCH TWENTY ONE, SIXTY - THREE FOR DRUNK DRIVING. BY LAPD ON JUNE THIRTY, SIXTY THREE

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~~FOR~~ ^{FOR} DRUNK DRIVING AND ON FEBRUARY SIXTEEN SIXTY EIGHT FOR DRIVING UNDER THE INFLUENCE. ON JULY THIRTEEN SIXTY THREE, HE WAS ARRESTED BY THE ELMONTE, CALIFORNIA PD FOR BEING DRUNK IN PUBLIC AND FINED TWENTY ONE DOLLARS OR FOUR DAYS IN JAIL. ON JANUARY TWENTY ONE, SIXTY FOUR, HE WAS ARRESTED BY CULVER CITY, CALIFORNIA PD ON A DRUNK CHARGE. NO DISPOSITIONS AVAILABLE, OTHER THAN THOSE LISTED ABOVE.

RECORDS, RMCA, LOS ANGELES, REVEAL FRED D. SCHWARTZ AND WIFE, DOROTHY, KNOWN TO THAT AGENCY SINCE FORTY EIGHT. HE IS LISTED AS SELF-EMPLOYED AS AN ARCHITECT FROM RESIDENCE. IN MAY FIFTY FOUR, HE IS SHOWN OWING A DELINQUENT ACCOUNT OF SIXTY ONE DOLLARS AND, IN JUNE, FIFTY FOUR AND JULY FIFTY FOUR, IS SHOWN OWING DELINQUENT ACCOUNTS OF THIRTEEN DOLLARS AND SEVENTY THREE DOLLARS RESPECTIVELY. IN SEPTEMBER FIFTY FOUR, HE WAS SUED FOR NINETY FOUR DOLLARS BY AFFILIATED MERCHANTS. IN NOVEMBER SIXTY TWO, SUED FOR FOUR THOUSAND DOLLARS BY A NANCY TAYLOR.

NO ARREST RECORD LOCATED AT LASO OR LAPD FOR DOROTHY GRAVES, SCHWARTZ'S MOTHER.

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NO RECORD, RMCA, LOCATED FOR DOROTHY GRAVES.

MARTINDALE AND HUBBEL LAW DIRECTORY, SIXTY EIGHT EDITION, SHOWS FREDERICK J. SCHWARTZ, BORN DETROIT, MICHIGAN, [REDACTED] ADMITTED TO CALIFORNIA BAR, SIXTY FOUR, PREPARATORY EDUCATION AT UCLA (BACHELOR OF SCIENCE - SIXTY) AND UCLA LAW SCHOOL (BACHELOR OF LAW DEGREE - SIXTY FIVE). SCHWARTZ IS SHOWN AS AN ASSOCIATE OF LAW FIRM OF DALHSTRUM, WALTON, AND BUTTS, LOS ANGELES. FIRM IS DESCRIBED AS GENERAL IN PRACTICE SPECIALITIES.

LOS ANGELES INDICES NEGATIVE FOR FREDERICK JOHN SCHWARTZ, HIS WIFE, MOTHER, AND FATHER.

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Memorandum

TO : Mr. DeLoach

DATE: June 15, 1968

FROM : A. Rosen

SUBJECT: MURKIN

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

Fred Vinson called to advise me that from what he had learned, it would appear that the extradition hearing which has been set for the 21st might be put off until the 25th or the 27th. He was talking to the Chief Clerk of the British Court who he states is a powerful figure and it appears that if Ray requests a continuation for sometime to talk with his attorney, he would get such an extension.

I asked Vinson what his plans were and he stated he would plan to send somebody else over to listen to the extradition hearing and be available over there for consultation.

He wanted to know if there were any further developments concerning Ray's activities while he was in London. I advised him I had not seen anything other than that which had been furnished so far; namely, that he had stayed in the Pax Hotel for a few days and also at the New Earls Court Hotel. He said he knew we were trying to develop further information to account for the time while he was in London. I advised him that we had been in touch with Scotland Yard; that they had a special squad working on the matter and as yet we have not received any information from Scotland Yard concerning his whereabouts other than that already submitted. He said the British do not keep negative information and apparently they have not developed anything as yet.

He said that all reports in this case had been submitted to the Civil Rights Division who had been handling the matter in the past but now that he has returned, he would appreciate being put on the list to receive any information which is disseminated; that he would also like to have a copy of the report previously furnished to the Civil Rights Division. If we have an extra copy, we will forward a copy to Vinson.

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Memorandum to Mr. DeLoach
RE: MURKIN

He mentioned that there was a story to the effect that James Earl Ray's brother in Illinois was going to visit him in London. He was referring to an item in the news indicating that the subject's brother, John Larry Ray, age 35, said he was attempting to contact the Houston lawyer, Percy Foreman, to ask him to represent his brother and that also he allegedly was going to apply for a passport on Monday to visit his brother.

In this connection, the Inspector General of the prison system told Vinson that if subject's brother or any of his family wanted to visit with him, they would probably be allowed to do so. He said they do not search visitors. The only time they can search a person is when the subject has been convicted. We are furnishing background on the brother to the Legat, London, in order that this can be disseminated to the British authorities in order that they might take proper precautions in the event he is allowed to visit the subject. We have already alerted the British authorities, of course, to his ability to escape and the need to exercise the greatest use of security measures which apparently they have done so far.

ACTION: For your information.

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FROM: CHARLOTTE (44-1365)

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RE MILWAUKEE TEL SIX FIFTEEN LAST.

MR. BEN LEAZER, MANAGER, SOUTHERN BELL TELEPHONE CO.,
LENOIR, N.C. IDENTIFIED SUBSCRIBERS OF FOLLOWING TELEPHONE
NUMBERS:

SEVEN ZERO FOUR - SEVEN FIVE EIGHT - TWO NINE ZERO EIGHT
EARL HALL USED CARS, EARL HALL, OWNER, LENOIR, N.C. FORMERLY
EMPLOYED AS MANAGER OF ECONOMY OIL SERVICE STATION
NUMBER TWO, LENOIR, N.C. RESIDENCE ONE ZERO ONE MOEHILL
DRIVE, LENOIR, N.C. RESIDENCE TELEPHONE NUMBER SEVEN FIVE
FOUR - NINE FIVE FIVE ZERO.

SEVEN ZERO FOUR - SEVEN FIVE FOUR - FOUR NINE THREE ZERO -
NON PUBLISHED NUMBER - SUBSCRIBER, PAUL ELLISON SANDERS,
BILLING ADDRESS, RADCLIFF ROAD, LENOIR, N.C. EMPLOYED AS
VICE PRESIDENT, SANDERS MANUFACTURING CO., FURNITURE WOOD-
WORKING FIRM. WIFE, ANN SANDERS, EMPLOYED LENOIR HOSIERY CO.

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NON PUBLISHED NUMBER - SUBSCRIBER SAMUEL JERRY SANDERS,
TELEPHONE LOCATED AT COTTRELL HILL ROAD, LENOIR, N.C.
EMPLOYED AT QUALITY WOOD PRODUCTS, LENOIR, N.C. AS WOOD
LATHE OPERATOR. WIFE, REBECCA.

DEPUTY SHERIFF LEONARD ANDREWS, CALDWELL COUNTY, N.C.
SO ADVISED PAUL ELLISON SANDERS AND SAMUEL J. SANDERS ARE
REPUTABLE INDIVIDUALS IN COMMUNITY. ANDREWS VERIFIED SAMUEL
J. SANDERS LIVES ON COTTRELL HILL ROAD AND STATED HE, ANDREWS,
LIVES NEAR PAUL ELLISON SANDERS. ANDREWS ALSO STATED SAMUEL
J. AND PAUL ELLISON SANDERS HAVE BROTHER ROBERT FRANKLIN
SANDERS WHO HAS BEEN INVOLVED IN BAD CHECK AND STOLEN CAR
MATTERS. ROBERT FRANKLIN SANDERS IS PROBABLY IDENTICAL WITH
CE FILE TWO SIX DASH THREE NINE EIGHT SEVEN THREE UNSUB;
AKA GUY MITCHELL, JAMES C. BATES, ROBERT SANDERS, ITSMV;
ITSP, OO: CHARLOTTE. ROBERT FRANK SANDERS, FBI NO. FOUR
SIX EIGHT SIX SIX NINE ONE, WHITE, MALE, DOB:
 FIVE FEET TEN INCHES, ONE HUNDRED EIGHTY POUNDS.
SANDERS ALLEGED TO HAVE ABANDONED NINETEEN SIXTY-EIGHT
CHEVROLET IN WATAUGA COUNTY, N.C. ON THREE SEVEN SIXTY-EIGHT,
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WHICH WAS RENTED IN SALT LAKE CITY BY INDIVIDUAL USING NAME OF GUY MITCHELL. CURTIS L. WOODARD, POSTAL INSPECTOR, HICKORY, N.C., ADVISED IN NINETEEN SIXTY-SEVEN ROBERT FRANKLIN SANDERS HAD PASSED FRAUDULENT MONEY ORDERS ON BANK OF LAKE WOOD, WASHINGTON. WOODARD ALSO ADVISED HE HAD DETERMINED ROBERT FRANKLIN SANDERS HAD SERVED TIME IN STATE OF WASHINGTON AND PAROLED TO STATE AUTHORITIES ON APRIL ELEVEN, SIXTY-SIX. SANDERS ARRESTED FOR B&E LENOIR, NCPD AND TWICE FOR INVESTIGATION.

DEPUTY SHERIFF LEONARD ANDREWS STATED ROBERT FRANKLIN SANDERS NOT PRESENTLY IN LENOIR, N.C.

CHARLOTTE WILL DISCREETLY INTERVIEW PAUL ELLISON SANDERS AND SAMUEL JERRY SANDERS AT LENOIR, N.C. USING PRETEXT OF ABOVE DESCRIBED AUTO THEFT INVESTIGATION TO DETERMINE IF ROBERT FRANKLIN SANDERS HAS BEEN IN TELEPHONIC CONTACT ON SIX ELEVEN SIXTY-EIGHT.

NO IDENTIFIABLE INFORMATION IN CHARLOTTE INDICES CONNECTING EARL HALL OR SANDERS BROTHERS WITH UKA ACTIVITY.

CE INDICES REFLECT ONE REFERENCE TO RUBY ANDERSON,
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