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about the assassination of President John F. Kennedy

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<u>Die Wahrheit über den Kennedy-Mord</u> (in German) 266 pp., cloth, Zurich, September 1966	\$ 5.00
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MEMORANDUM

February 5, 1969

RE: CONVERSATION HELD WITH WILLIAM BRADFORD HUIE ON FEBRUARY 4, 1969,  
REGARDING STATE OF TENNESSEE VS. JAMES EARL RAY.

Yesterday General Canale, James Beasley, John Carlisle and myself met with Mr. Bradford Huie. This meeting took place in Mr. Huie's room, No. 1108, Rivermont Hotel. When we entered the room, Mr. Huie was alone and started telling us that his interest in the James Earl Ray case was only as a businessman. He related that he had no concern for James Earl Ray one way or the other, other than it was strictly a business situation existing between him and Arthur Hanes, former counsel for Ray and now his attorney Percy Foreman. He further stated that his only other interest other than business in that matter was a earnest desire to get and expose other co-conspirators of Ray. He further related that he wanted to know whether there existed a possibility of there not being a trial in this matter. He felt that a trial should be averted in the common interest of the country and the state of Tennessee and that his thinking was that Ray would ultimately end up and be a witness for the State of Tennessee. He stated that he would like to see Ray and confer with him and that was the reason he was now in the city other than meeting with us. He wanted to explore the possibility with us of him being permitted by the Court to go up and confer personally with Ray and that his main objective would be to convince Ray that he should plead guilty. He also enquired of us as to how much time he would have to serve on a ninety-nine year sentence and also on a life sentence. He interrupted his relating of this statement to enquire as to the possibility of the State not wanting to try this case. He was informed by the General and myself that was our business and we like to try law suits. He felt that if he could confer with Ray that he would have Ray amenable to pleading guilty. He also related that he thought Mr. Foreman whom he had known quite a few years had made a bad mistake by getting into this case. He related that he told Mr. Foreman that this was not a Candis Moessler trial and that he was going to get knocked off in this case. He further related that he told Mr. Foreman James Earl Ray killed Martin Luther King and that everybody knew and was aware of that fact. He further

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related that Mr. Foreman had done some soul searching since he had entered into the defense of James Earl Ray and that Mr. Foreman wanted out of this case. He then began to related that he had traveled extensively checking out information given to him from Ray through Hanes. Ray's story about his complicity in the murder of King. He related that Ray had spent some time in Puerto Vallarto, Mexico, and that Ray had registered at a hotel in Acapulco on October 8 and had made a long distance phone call from that hotel to Corpus Christi, Texas. He related that the Mexican police had checked his registration and found out this fact four days after Ray had left the hotel. He stated that Ray, after killing Dr. King went to Birmingham and he is convinced that he met with someone in Birmingham that night and then on to Atlanta. From Atlanta he is convinced from what he knows about the case that Ray went to Gary, Indiana, and met Jerry his brother. He further stated that Ray went to Toronto and held himself to be Bridgman and Sneyd and that he spent nine days in Montreal and that this can be verified by the fact that in Montreal he robbed a food store. He stated further that Ray came in here on the third and stayed in a motel here and that on the fourth he got a hair cut on Union Avenue, that he had a fixation about getting hair cuts everywhere he went. Stated that Ray bought the binoculars; Ray took the rifle up into his room in the rooming house and that Ray told him that he was sitting in the Mustang car when the fatal shot was fired and an unnamed party came down the steps, jumped in the back of the Mustang, pulled a sheet over him and they fled the scene. An earlier version was he stated Ray told him he was to be in the room and to get the room so that they might meet an unnamed, unknown party and discuss the sale of weapons. Huie related that Ray would tell Hanes and himself a story and they would check this story out and would find that Ray had lied. They would then confront Ray with the fact that they had found out that Ray had told them lies and then Ray would relate another story. Mr. Huie was conveying to us that Ray was apt to lie on many occasions. Mr. Huie says that from his knowledge of cons and from being a police reporter shows that Ray's behavior was par for the course for that type of person. I asked Mr. Huie if prior to our meeting if he had not turned over to Percy Foreman all the handwritten notes that Ray had delivered to him. Mr. Huie

told us that on the advise of his attorneys he had given every scrap of paper in Ray's handwriting to Percy Foreman shortly after Foreman came into the case. I asked Mr. Huie if as he had stated earlier that his only interest in this matter was helping to effect the apprehension and exposure of co-conspirators, how he felt that his turning notes of Ray's over to Foreman was fair and consistent with that statement. I also asked Mr. Huie if General Canale hadn't on many occasions asked to confer with him and he had put General Canale off until this date. I reiterated that I couldn't see how his acts in delivering Ray's notes to Foreman was compatible with his statement that his only interest in the case was the exposure and apprehension of co-conspirators. Mr. Huie stated he would have to reflect on that for a while in view of what I had said. He related after reflection that if any time during the trial that we needed to verify something Ray is supposed to have said that that we thought would be beneficial, he would be available and would co-operate with us to that extent. I asked Mr. Huie if he had not made a statement that he had copies of all of these notes and would deliver them upon request to the State of Tennessee. He stated he might have made such a statement but he didn't have any material in his possession that he could copy. Mr. Huie related examples of Ray's lying to him as follows: The version of the escape from the Missouri Penitentiary as published in LOOK magazine was found to be a lie upon subsequent checking by Mr. Huie. The information as published in reference to the hold up of the house of prostitution in Montreal was later admitted to be a lie by Ray and in truth and in fact he held up a food center in Montreal along in early August of 1967 but when questioned about this by Mr. Huie, Ray said it was a half truth because in 1959 he did rob a house of prostitution in the same manner that he described to Mr. Huie. Mr. Huie related that he tried to verify Ray's hold up in Alton, Illinois, a bank and obtaining in the neighborhood of \$20,000 and Mr. Huie stated that he never could verify that he held up the bank in Alton, Illinois. Mr. Huie further related that he had working with him on verifying Ray's story a investigator by the name of Groovich (phoenetic). He then related that Oswald had lived in Exchange Alley in back of the Monte Leon Hotel and that

at that time the Monte Leon family had as their guests, pilots who had been ransomed from Cuba who had participated in the invasion of the Bay of Pigs. Huie related that Ray on his trip to New Orleans with Stein had met unknown, unnamed parties in a bar from which diagrams made by Ray, Huie concluded was across the street from the Monte Leon. Huie started relating about John F. Kennedy not supporting the invasion of Cuba and that because of that there was much resentment for the Kennedy family among the rescued participants of the invasion of Cuba. He further related that Garrison didn't have anything in his opinion other than a conspiracy that began and ended in the atmosphere of New Orleans. We asked Mr. Huie pointed questions about prior statements made by him in different localities as to him making the assertion that there are other co-conspirators. He stated he might have made statements of that kind. We asked Mr. Huie that if he had any facts or evidence or proof in his possession from any source that would indicate to him from his knowledge of this matter if there were and if there are any co-conspirators. He said that he did not have any proof and that his statements were based on suppositions and inferences that he had drawn from checking Ray's story. We informed Mr. Huie that in view of the fact that he had made these statements about the country and in particular Shelby County that we were handing him a subpoena for his appearance before the Shelby County Grand Jury on Friday, February 7. Mr. Huie accepted his subpoena and said he was not and would not try to avoid it and would be here and would testify. Mr. Huie also added that from his interviewing witnesses he had found that the FBI in showing mug shots to different witnesses for identification purposes that there had been in a group of pictures shown two or three pictures of the same individuals. Mr. Huie stated that the green spread that was used by James Earl Ray to wrap the bundle with the rifle that he dropped on Main Street had come from California. Mr. Huie state that he had purchased an identical rifle that Ray used from Donald Wood at Aeromarine Supply and that he had gone to the rooming house and re-enacted the assassination and that he was convinced that anyone could have made a shot of that kind. It did not take a marksman. Mr. Huie

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Mr. Huie further related that it struck him as peculiar that Ray did make trips to Aeromarine Supply which is in the vicinity of the airport in Birmingham and that also in that location was the headquarters of General Doster. He stated that Doster assembled the pilots that participated in the Bay of Pigs Invasion. He also stated that it was a known fact that people could come and go there in General Doster's headquarters who were of like character as Ray. Mr. Huie further related that Ray and his brothers were 100 per cent convinced that Wallace was going to be elected president of the United States and that we knew that Ray was politically motivated toward Wallace because of his activities in Los Angeles. He further related that Ray is very disappointed at this time in that Wallace was not elected and that he didn't receive the support from the people that he thought he was going to receive by killing King. Mr. Huie felt that Jerry Ray knew prior to the killing what James Earl was going to do and that he knew after the killing and that he assisted James Earl Ray.

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Date: 2/25/69

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)  
FROM: SAC, JACKSON (157-9586) (P)

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Enclosed for the Memphis office are 9 copies each of two FD 302s.

On 2/25/69, Sgt. RAYMOND H. CURRY, Base Photo Laboratory, Columbus Air Force Base, Columbus, Miss., advised SA LAWRENCE W. GORMAN that he is maintaining in his possession a \$1.00 bill which had inscribed on it the following:

JAMES EARL RAY  
322-3561

On 2/25/69, GEORGE MC CULLY, State Security Officer, South Central Bell Telephone Company, Jackson, Miss., advised that there is no such telephone listing as 322-3561 in the state of Mississippi.

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Will search indices and if negative, will consider setting forth leads to determine subscriber to telephone number 322-3561. It being noted that the subject is familiar at Atlanta, Birmingham, Memphis, and Los Angeles.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)

DATE: 2/27/69

FROM : SAC, SPRINGFIELD (44-561) - P -

SUBJECT: MURKIN

RE Springfield airtel and LHM 1/10/69.

On 2/24/69 HENRY STUMM, Alton, Illinois, was recontacted as a matter of course re any possible press inquiries in recent weeks, and he advised there have been none. He reiterated his former position on this matter and stated that he will refer all such inquiries to his attorney.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)  
 FROM: SAC, MEMPHIS (44-1987) (P)  
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*Mr. Powder-1/320*  
*Handley*

ReBuairtel 2/18/69.

Attorney DON OWENS, Memphis, Tenn., who is one of the advisors to Judge W. PRESTON BATTLE in this matter, advised SA JOE C. HESTER on 2/24/69 that Fingerprint Examiner GEORGE J. BONEBRAKE will not be heard regarding possible contempt action until after subject's trial. Mr. OWENS stated he will privately discuss this with Judge BATTLE and will advise us of the new date when BONEBRAKE is to appear.

Memphis will follow this matter with Mr. OWENS if he has not advised us within 30 days.

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Enclosed are two copies of a resume regarding testimony of SA John P. Dunphy, Exhibits Section, at the forthcoming trial of subject Ray.

One copy should be retained in your file and the other should be furnished to Attorney James C. Beasley in the Office of the District Attorney General, Shelby County, Memphis, Tennessee.

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NOTE: Based on cover memo J. P. Dunphy to Mr. Callahan dated 2/26/69 captioned as above.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-441111) FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (100-111111) (P)  
SUBJECT: [REDACTED]

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RE NEW YORK TELETYPE TO BUREAU, FEBRUARY TWENTY SEVEN LAST, AND BUREAU TELETYPE TO NEW YORK, FEBRUARY TWENTY EIGHT LAST, BOTH CAPTIONED AS ABOVE.

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

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : Mr. Callahan

DATE: 2/26/69

FROM : J. P. Dunphy

SUBJECT: MURKIN

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This is the case involving the killing of Martin Luther King.

Two trial models were prepared by the Exhibits Section for the Shelby County District Attorney General's Office, Memphis, Tennessee, for use in the forthcoming trial of subject Ray. These models were delivered on 2/15/69. Normally the prosecution is furnished with a resume of that which I will be able to testify to concerning the models. Such a resume is attached, along with a letter to SAC, Memphis instructing that he furnish a copy to James C. Beasley, one of the county attorneys who will be handling the prosecution.

## RECOMMENDATION:

That the attached letter be approved.

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EX 106

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JOHN P. DUNPHY, Special Agent, FBI, to introduce three-dimensional exhibit of buildings at 418-424 Main Street and exhibit of surrounding area including those and other buildings.

Can testify that:

He is a Special Agent with the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

Associated with the Federal Bureau of Investigation for 20 years, 14 of these years as a Special Agent.

Present position is Section Chief in charge of the FBI Exhibits Section.

He visited the area depicted by models on November 19, 20, 21, and 23, 1968.

In the course of his official duties on the above dates, he made personal observations and measurements of the above buildings and area.

Thereafter he caused to be constructed, under his supervision, scale models of the buildings and the area in vicinity of the buildings.

He will set forth a scale for each of the two models, namely 3/16 inch equals one foot for the area model, and 1/2 inch equals one foot on the buildings model designated 418-424 Main Street, Memphis, Tennessee.

He was advised by Assistant District Attorney James C. Beasley that the primary purpose of the area model is to demonstrate the relative positions of the buildings and streets and the primary purpose of the buildings model is to demonstrate the relative positions of the various rooms, hallways, entrances, and stairways. In the interest of simplicity and clarity he was instructed to omit decorative details of the interior and exterior, color schemes, textures, etc.

Following the construction of the models he thereafter checked the accuracy of the work and can state that the models are a reasonably accurate representation of the areas in question.

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As an aid to take measurements directly from the models, he caused to be altered two commercial tape rules in such a way that one rule is now  $3/16$  inch scale for measurement of the area model, and the other rule is now  $1/2$  inch scale for measurement of the buildings model. He thereafter checked the accuracy of the two altered tape rules and found them to be correct.

He will state whether or not the models in the courtroom are the models regarding which he has been testifying.

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FROM: SAC, BIRMINGHAM (44-1740) (P)

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ReBuairtel, 2/14/69.

The following investigation was conducted by  
SA HENRY A. SNOW at Birmingham, Alabama:

Dr. FERDINAND F. SCHWARTZ resides at 5305 11th Avenue, South, phone 595-0213, and maintains his office at 916 South 20th Street, Birmingham, phone 251-8480, which is in the Five Points South area, not far distant from the rooming house in which RAY resided under the alias ERIC S. GALT. Dr. SCHWARTZ is rather elderly and possibly somewhat eccentric but has a reputation as a successful physician in the field of arthritis and physical medicine and in the past, several agents of the Birmingham office have been benefited by him.

On 2/20/69 telephonic contact was made with the secretary of Dr. SCHWARTZ for an appointment to discuss this matter. For the purpose of checking her files, the name of GALT was given, and shortly thereafter she telephonically advised that such a file was located and an appointment scheduled for 3:00 p.m. on 2/25/69, the earliest date since he spends some time each week as a consultant at the VA Hospital and Partlow State School at Tuscaloosa.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-442881) (P)  
FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (100-157000) (P)  
SUBJECT: MURDER OF MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.  
RE: NEW YORK TELETYPE TO BUREAU, FEBRUARY 19, 1969.

THE NEW YORK OFFICE HAS BEEN ADVISED THAT AN INDIVIDUAL WHO IDENTIFIED HIMSELF AS "JOHN DOE" TELEPHONED THE NEW YORK OFFICE ON FEBRUARY 19, 1969, AND 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. THE INDIVIDUAL STATED THAT HE HAD REFUSED THE OFFER AND WANTED TO REPORT THE MATTER TO THE FBI.

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RE: NEW YORK TELETYPE TO BUREAU, FEBRUARY 19, 1969.  
THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION WAS OBTAINED BY

NEW YORK OFFICE:

NY 100-157000

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-442881) (P)

FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (100-157000) (P)

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Upon keeping the appointment, Dr. SCHWARTZ stated that after consulting his attorney, he had been advised that it would be improper to divulge any information from his patient's file without written consent from the patient, or some legal paper such as a subpoena or court order. He stated that the patient had not been referred to him by anyone but had "walked in off the street".

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AT MEMPHIS, TENN.:

Will advise Attorney General PHIL A. CANALE of the above and notify Birmingham of his opinion in this matter.

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Date: 2/28/69

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FROM: SAC, MEMPHIS (44-1987) (P)

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The names of those persons registered at the Rebel Motel, Memphis, Tenn., on the night of 4/3/68 have been compared with the names of individuals registered at other hotels and motels where JAMES EARL RAY is known to have stayed, and no duplicates were noted. Investigation in this regard has failed to indicate that any individual named RAOUL was registered in any one of these places at the same time as the subject RAY or that any individual other than RAY was registered in more than one of these motels.

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Mr. Gale	_____
Mr. Rosen	_____
Mr. Sullivan	_____
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TO DIRECTOR (44-38861) AND NEW HAVEN

FROM LOS ANGELES (44-1574) 1P

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RE LOS ANGELES TELETYPE, FEBRUARY TWENTY EIGHT LAST.  
RECORDS FOR SHANGRI LODGE, PANORAMA CITY, CALIFORNIA  
REVIEWED MARCH THIRD INSTANT AT BEKINS RECORDS CENTER,  
BEVERLY HILLS. NO RECORD LOCATED FOR REGISTRATION OF ERIC S.  
GALT, GREG BIRMINGHAM, OR LEO MC NAMARA FOR MARCH FOURTEEN  
LAST. NO FURTHER ACTION BEING TAKEN AT LOS ANGELES.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)  
 FROM: SAC, KANSAS CITY (44-760) P  
 SUBJECT: MURKIN

Re Bureau airtel to Kansas City, 1/29/69.

On 2/4/69, WILBUR O. MORTON while confined at the Sedgwick County Jail, Wichita, Kansas, was interviewed by SA ELMER P. FLETCHER. MORTON was reminded of the conversation with him on a previous occasion and it was impressed upon him that he understand the FBI cannot be a bargaining agent between him and any tribunal nor can the FBI act as an intermediary between MORTON and any other individual in such a matter as this. He was informed no consideration would be given to a previous proposal.

At this point MORTON stated he had been before the local state court and had been given an additional 10 to 20 years for his part in a local armed robbery, therefore, he had no need of assistance at this point.

MORTON was queried again as to the identity of any person who might have pertinent information in this case. He declined to identify the person supposedly having information about comments by RAY while in the Missouri State Penitentiary. MORTON then suggested some inquiry might be made at the Kansas State Penitentiary, Lansing, Kansas, concerning HAROLD HEMINGER and if his background appeared "interesting" consideration be given to interview him as to his knowledge of RAY while the latter was an inmate at Missouri State Penitentiary.

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FROM: SAC, NEWARK (100-100)

JO: MILWAUKEE, WIS (N-88821)

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LEADS:

KANSAS CITY

AT LANSING, KANSAS

Will at the state penitentiary attempt to identify and interview inmate HAROLD HEMINGER regarding any information he may have of JAMES EARL RAY.

AT JEFFERSON CITY, MISSOURI

Will review records at Missouri State Penitentiary to determine if an inmate was confined there by the name of HAROLD HEMINGER at the same time as JAMES EARL RAY.

*no action*  
*245 AM 3/1/69*  
*read*

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TO DIRECTOR (44-38861) AND NEW HAVEN

FROM LOS ANGELES (44-1574) 1P

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MURKIN.

RE NH TEL CALL TO LA FEBRUARY TWENTY EIGHT INSTANT.

LEO MC NAMARA ADVISED NEW HAVEN OFFICE FEBRUARY TWENTY EIGHT INSTANT THAT HE AND GREG BIRMINGHAM FLEW TO LOS ANGELES ON MARCH FOURTEEN LAST, BIRMINGHAM REGISTERED AT SHANGRI LODGE, NINE FIVE ONE ZERO VAN NUYS BOULEVARD, PANORAMA CITY, AS EIRC S. GALT.

INVESTIGATION SHANGRI LODGE REVEALED RECORDS AVAILABLE. ARRANGEMENTS MADE TO REVIEW RECORDS FOR MARCH LAST ON MARCH THREE NEXT. THEY ARE NOW IN STORAGE AT BEKINS RECORD STORAGE, BEVERLY HILLS, CALIFORNIA. BUREAU AND NEW HAVEN WILL BE ADVISED.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)

FROM : LEGAT, BONN (62-66) (P)

SUBJECT: MURKIN

DATE: 2/26/69

ReBuairtel to Bonn dated 2/18/69.

Representative bookstores in the Bonn area, including the larger ones specializing in foreign-language publications, have no listing in their records of JOACHIM JOESTEN as an author and have no listing of a book with the title, "The James Earl Ray Hoax."

JOESTEN shows his address in Munich as in care of RAHIM. There is no listing under this name in the Munich Telephone Directory. A telephone pretext is therefore not possible.

The 66th Military Intelligence Group is headquartered in Munich, and they have a subordinate unit whose specialty is procurement of publications. They regularly obtain a great variety of books, newspapers and periodicals of a wide range of subject matter from a variety of countries including those behind the Iron Curtain. They have so far been unable to find any trace of JOESTEN's book. From their discreet inquiries they have so far been unable to determine if the book is available without cost.

The CIA locally has also obtained no information about the book and has been unable to determine if it might be available at no cost.

We note that JOESTEN's previous books have been published in London, Zurich, and Paris, and it does not appear from JOESTEN's current offering that he has a publisher for the current book.

We have not yet received a final report from our sources and will report further developments.

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IN SENATE  
JANUARY 11, 1911.  
REPORT  
OF THE  
COMMISSIONERS OF THE LAND OFFICE  
IN RESPONSE TO A RESOLUTION PASSED BY THE SENATE  
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Date: 2/27/69

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)  
FROM: SAC, KANSAS CITY (44-760) P  
SUBJECT: MURKIN

Mr. HARRY LAUF, Records Officer, Missouri State Penitentiary (MSP), Jefferson City, Missouri, advised IC WILLIAM C. MC DONALD on 2/25/69, that he furnished the original fingerprint card of JAMES EARL RAY, MSP No. 00416, to FRED WILKERSON, Director of Penal Systems in the State of Missouri, shortly after RAY was identified as the possible assailant of MARTIN LUTHER KING. Mr. LAUF stated that it was his understanding FRED WILKERSON sent them to the U. S. Department of Justice, Washington, D. C., to be used in the extradition hearing of RAY in London. Mr. LAUF stated the fingerprint card has not been returned to him as yet and requested any assistance the Bureau could give in locating and returning the card to him.

The Bureau and Memphis are requested to attempt to ascertain the location of the original fingerprint card so Mr. LAUF can be advised.

Mr. LAUF also stated that the attorney for RAY has contacted MSP officials and indicated that he will travel to Jefferson City, Missouri, in the near future to confer with officials at the penitentiary and review files concerning RAY.

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2-Memphis (44-1987)  
2-Kansas City  
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Approved: KED  
Special Agent in Charge

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Letter concerning KVA.  
to confer with officials of the Department and return  
with letter to Jefferson City, Missouri, in the near future  
KVA has contacted MSP officials and indicated that in  
Mr. FINE also stated that the attorney for  
could so Mr. FINE can be advised.  
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The Bureau and Memphis are requested to attempt

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ERED WILKINSON sent them to the U. S. Department of  
KING. Mr. FINE stated that it was the understanding  
was identified as the possible assistant of MARTIN LUTHER  
systems in the State of Missouri, shortly after KVA  
MSP No. 0012 to ERED WILKINSON, Director of Penal  
the original fingerprint card of JAMES EARL RAY,  
IC MARTIN C. MC DONALD on 3/22/68, that he transferred  
SOUTHERN (MSP), Jefferson City, Missouri, advised  
Mr. MARK FINE, Records Officer, Missouri State

SUBJECT: MURKIN

FROM: SAC, KANSAS CITY (44-300) E

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)

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To: SAC, Memphis (44-1987)

From: *ST-103* Director, FBI (44-38861) *5593*

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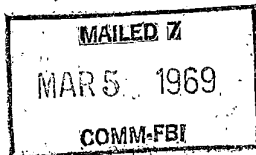
ReKCairtel 2/27/69.

The Department has advised that the original fingerprint card of James Earl Ray received from Missouri State Penitentiary (MSP) in connection with the extradition of Ray from England to the United States was forwarded to Mr. Phil M. Canale, Jr., State Attorney General, Shelby County, Memphis, Tennessee, on 8/30/68, by United States Department of State.

Memphis should bring request of MSP officials to the attention of Mr. Canale. Keep the Bureau and Kansas City advised of this matter.

Kansas City should bring the above to the attention of MSP officials.

1 - SAC, Kansas City (44-760) (for info)



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NOTE:

The Criminal Division of the Department in cooperation with the U. S. Department of State, handled extradition of James Earl Ray from London, England, to Memphis, Tennessee, extradition finalized on 7/19/68. In connection with the extradition the Department requested and received the original fingerprint card of James Earl Ray from Missouri State Penitentiary (MSP). One of the charges of extradition was escape from MSP.

The Department received the original fingerprint card and transmitted it with other documents through the State Department to London, England for extradition proceedings. According to the Department the fingerprint card was returned to the <sup>STATE</sup> Department who in turn forwarded this card to Mr. Canale in Memphis, Tenn., who is prosecuting the state's case against Ray.

The officials of MSP have requested return of this original fingerprint card and in view of the fact the card is now in possession of Mr. Canale, Memphis being instructed to bring the request of MSP officials to the attention of Mr. Canale. Kansas City being instructed to bring location of card to the attention of MSP officials.

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Date: 3/5/69

Transmit the following in \_\_\_\_\_  
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(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)  
 FROM: SAC, MEMPHIS (44-1987) (P)  
 SUBJECT: MURKIN

Re Birmingham airtel to the Bureau dated 2/25/69 regarding Dr. FERDINAND F. SCHWARTZ of Birmingham, Ala., who has declined to make available his file concerning ERIC GALT except upon the issuance of a subpoena.

On 4/3/69, Executive Assistant Attorney General ROBERT DWYER, Memphis, Tenn., was advised of this fact by SA JOE C. HESTER. Mr. DWYER stated he does not desire to issue a subpoena at this time but may do so later.

It is recommended that Birmingham take no further action as Mr. DWYER is aware of the existence of this record and can initiate efforts to secure same.

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 2 - Birmingham (44-1740)  
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Registered..... Special Agent in Charge

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TO: SAC, NEW YORK

FROM: SAC, NEW YORK

SUBJECT: BUREAU (44-1000)

RE: BUREAU

and can interfere directly to resolve same.  
action re NY. BUREAU is aware of the existence of this record.  
It is recommended that BUREAU take no further

action is approved at this time but may do so later.  
BY JON C. HENLEY. RE: BUREAU stated no other was needed to  
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except from the presence of a subpoena.  
has decided to make certain this case concerning ERIC GALT  
concerning DR. BENJAMIN A. SCHWARTZ of BUREAU. NY. and  
no BUREAU stated to the BUREAU dated 4/2/69.

REMARKS: BUREAU

RE: BUREAU (44-1000) (6)

TO: BUREAU FBI (44-38861)

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Date: 3/5/69

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)  
 FROM: SAC, MEMPHIS (44-1987) (P)  
 SUBJECT: MURKIN  
 (OO Memphis)

Re Kansas City airtel to the Bureau dated 2/27/69 concerning subject RAY's fingerprint card which was sent by HARRY LAUF, MSP, Jefferson City, Mo., to FRED WILKERSON, Missouri Director of Penal Systems.

Enclosed for Kansas City is the fingerprint card of the subject RAY which had been forwarded to District Attorney General PHIL M. CANALE by persons in the U. S. Department of State. Mr. CANALE stated he has no use for this card and desires that it be returned to the MSP.

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THIS CASE AND COPIES ARE TO BE RETURNED TO THE NGB.  
DEPARTMENT OF STATE. MR. CUNYNE STATED HE HAS NO INFO FOR  
ATTEMPTED CONSPIRACY WITHIN N. CUNYNE IN CONNECTION TO THE N. C.  
OF THE SUBJECT AND WHICH HAS BEEN REFERRED TO OFFICE  
PROCESSED FOR KANSAS CITY AS THE ATTEMPTED CONSPIRACY

MISSOURI DIRECTOR OF LOCAL SYSTEMS.  
ADMINISTRATIVE, NGB, JEFFERSON CITY, MO., TO BUREAU DIRECTOR,  
CONCERNING SUBJECT AND, ATTEMPTED CONSPIRACY WHICH WAS SENT BY  
RE KANSAS CITY ATTORNEY TO THE BUREAU DATED 1/23/68

(OO MEMPHIS)

REVISION: BUREAU

FROM: SAC, MEMPHIS (44-1984) (P)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)  
 FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (44-1574)  
 SUBJECT: MURKIN

Re Memphis airtel to Los Angeles 2/28/69.

Enclosed for the Bureau are five copies and to  
 Memphis and New Orleans two copies each of Letterhead  
 Memorandum (LHM) recording interview with CHARLES JOSEPH  
 STEIN.

cc: AAG Civil Rights Division  
 Form 8-94

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 1 cc CIVIL RIGHTS UNIT

- 3 - Bureau (Enc. 5) (RM)  
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 2 - New Orleans (157-653) (Enc. 2) (RM)  
 2 - Los Angeles

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
Los Angeles, California

March 4, 1969

In Reply, Please Refer to  
File No.

*CH* JAMES EARL RAY *LH*

*CH* Charles Joseph Stein was interviewed in Los Angeles on February 13, 1969 and furnished the following information:

During April, 1968, he was contacted by a reporter from the "Los Angeles Times", a daily metropolitan Los Angeles newspaper. This reporter was named Larsen. During the conversation with Larsen, they discussed a memorandum slip, the type used in hotels to give messages regarding incoming telephone calls during ones absence, which Stein had received from James Earl Ray. This slip had the address of Stein's sister, Marie Lee, where Stein stayed while in New Orleans, Louisiana during December, 1967 when he and Ray travelled from Los Angeles to New Orleans and return. This slip also bore a phone number which Stein cannot recall. Stein said that he did not now have the slip of paper in his possession since he has moved several times during the interim.

Stein felt that the phone number might be of great financial value since he felt the phone number might be the location where James Earl Ray could be located. According to Stein, Larsen offered him \$15 or \$20 for the slip which he felt was not enough money.

Following the conversation with Larsen, Stein said he spent his last dollar to call the phone number on the slip, which was a New Orleans phone number. He said that the person answering the phone identified the number as being that of the Greyhound Bus Station in New Orleans. Stein continued that Ray was eager to leave New Orleans for the return trip to Los Angeles but that he wanted to stay a day or two longer. Stein suggested to Ray that they check weather conditions prior to departing New Orleans for Los Angeles since on the trip to New Orleans, they had encountered a snow storm. Stein continued that Ray called the fire station, who suggested he call the Greyhound Bus Depot for weather

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JAMES EARL RAY

information. According to Stein, Ray did call the Greyhound Bus Station and made a notation on the memorandum slip.

Stein stated during interview that he is eager to go to Memphis, Tennessee, to be a witness in the Ray trial. He said he intends to take with him a camera or a photographer to record his actions as a witness and that he intends to write a book about his experiences in this case. Stein said that he will embellish on his story to make the book a good seller and to profit financially from it.

Stein was asked if he had ever heard Ray mention anyone named Raul, to which he answered negatively. He said he knows of no connection between the assassinations of President John F. Kennedy, Senator Robert F. Kennedy and Martin Luther King, Jr.

Stein continued that James Garrison, New Orleans District Attorney, had contacted his sister, Marie Lee in New Orleans asking to have Stein contact him. Stein said he made two attempts to call Garrison collect but the calls were not completed.

Stein advised that he had called the District Attorney's Office in Memphis to obtain permission to telegraph Ray in prison for information concerning the December, 1967 trip to New Orleans. Stein said that the District Attorney "took the fifth amendment" and while permission was not granted, Stein did telegraph Ray in prison. As of the date of interview, Stein stated he had not received any information from Ray.

During the interview with Stein, on several occasions, he digressed into the realm of metaphysical thought concerning the continuous creations of many new Christs. Stein stated that he had no permanent address in Los Angeles, but that he is living on a day-to-day basis with friends.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
Los Angeles, California

March 4, 1969

In Reply, Please Refer to  
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JAMES EARL RAY

Charles Joseph Stein was interviewed in Los Angeles on February 13, 1969 and furnished the following information:

During April, 1968, he was contacted by a reporter from the "Los Angeles Times", a daily metropolitan Los Angeles newspaper. This reporter was named Larsen. During the conversation with Larsen, they discussed a memorandum slip, the type used in hotels to give messages regarding incoming telephone calls during ones absence, which Stein had received from James Earl Ray. This slip had the address of Stein's sister, Marie Lee, where Stein stayed while in New Orleans, Louisiana during December, 1967 when he and Ray travelled from Los Angeles to New Orleans and return. This slip also bore a phone number which Stein cannot recall. Stein said that he did not now have the slip of paper in his possession since he has moved several times during the interim.

Stein felt that the phone number might be of great financial value since he felt the phone number might be the location where James Earl Ray could be located. According to Stein, Larsen offered him \$15 or \$20 for the slip which he felt was not enough money.

Following the conversation with Larsen, Stein said he spent his last dollar to call the phone number on the slip, which was a New Orleans phone number. He said that the person answering the phone identified the number as being that of the Greyhound Bus Station in New Orleans. Stein continued that Ray was eager to leave New Orleans for the return trip to Los Angeles but that he wanted to stay a day or two longer. Stein suggested to Ray that they check weather conditions prior to departing New Orleans for Los Angeles since on the trip to New Orleans, they had encountered a snow storm. Stein continued that Ray called the fire station, who suggested he call the Greyhound Bus Depot for weather



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information. According to Stein, Ray did call the Greyhound Bus Station and made a notation on the memorandum slip.

Stein stated during interview that he is eager to go to Memphis, Tennessee, to be a witness in the Ray trial. He said he intends to take with him a camera or a photographer to record his actions as a witness and that he intends to write a book about his experiences in this case. Stein said that he will embellish on his story to make the book a good seller and to profit financially from it.

Stein was asked if he had ever heard Ray mention anyone named Raul, to which he answered negatively. He said he knows of no connection between the assassinations of President John F. Kennedy, Senator Robert F. Kennedy and Martin Luther King, Jr.

Stein continued that James Garrison, New Orleans District Attorney, had contacted his sister, Marie Lee in New Orleans asking to have Stein contact him. Stein said he made two attempts to call Garrison collect but the calls were not completed.

Stein advised that he had called the District Attorney's Office in Memphis to obtain permission to telegraph Ray in prison for information concerning the December, 1967 trip to New Orleans. Stein said that the District Attorney "took the fifth amendment" and while permission was not granted, Stein did telegraph Ray in prison. As of the date of interview, Stein stated he had not received any information from Ray.

During the interview with Stein, on several occasions, he digressed into the realm of metaphysical thought concerning the continuous creations of many new Christs. Stein stated that he had no permanent address in Los Angeles, but that he is living on a day-to-day basis with friends.

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