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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)

FROM : *WC* SAC, KNOXVILLE (44-696) (P)

SUBJECT: *LM* MURKIN

DATE: 7/29/69

Re Knoxville teletype to Bureau, dated 7/15/69.

As set forth in referenced teletype, a Petition for Certiorari in the case of the State of Tennessee versus JAMES EARL RAY was filed in the Court of Criminal Appeals, Knoxville, Tennessee, 7/9/69. This petition was heard before the court at Knoxville, Tennessee, on 7/15/69, and certiorari was denied as not well taken.

There are enclosed herewith for the Bureau and Memphis one copy each of the following petitions and accompanying papers filed in connection with this appeal, to witt:

- (1) Ancillary Petition For Certiorari
- (2) Petition For Writ of Certiorari
- (3) Defendant's Brief
- (4) Reply To Petition For Certiorari
- (5) Order of the Court Denying Certiorari

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TO : SAC, NEW YORK  
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : Assistant Attorney General  
**CIVIL RIGHTS DIVISION**

DATE: **August 5, 1969**

FROM : Director, FBI

SUBJECT: **ASSASSINATION OF MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.**

Reference is made to \_\_\_\_\_ memorandum dated \_\_\_\_\_  
(your file \_\_\_\_\_).

There is enclosed one copy of the report of Special  
Agent \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_  
at \_\_\_\_\_.

A. ☐ This covers the preliminary investigation and no further action concerning a full investigation will be taken by this Bureau unless the Department so directs.

B. ☐ The investigation is continuing and you will be furnished copies of reports as they are received.

C. ☐ The investigation requested by you has now been completed. Unless advised to the contrary no further inquiries will be made by this Bureau.

D. ☐ Pursuant to instructions issued by the Department, no investigation will be conducted in this matter unless specifically directed by the Department.

E. ☐ Please advise whether you desire any further investigation.

F. ☐ This is submitted for your information and you will be advised of further developments.

G. ☒ This is submitted for your information and no further investigation will be conducted unless specifically requested by the Department.

H. ☐ This covers the receipt of a complaint and no further action will be taken by this Bureau unless the Department so directs.

Enc.

**PLEASE SEE NOTE PAGE TWO**

**NOTE:**

Enclosed are a copy of the following petitions  
filed in the appeal of State of Tennessee vs. James Earl  
Ray:

- (1) Ancillary Petition For Certiorari
- (2) Petition For Writ of Certiorari
- (30) Defendant's Brief
- (4) Reply To Petition For Certiorari
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Date: 7/24/69

Transmit the following in \_\_\_\_\_  
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL AIRMAIL  
(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)  
 FROM: *K6C* SAC, BUTTE (173-2) (P)  
 SUBJECT: MURKIN  
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Enclosed for the Bureau are four copies of LHM,  
 which is self-explanatory.

Enclosed for Memphis are two copies of this LHM.

MORRIS R. McCARVER was determined to be residing  
 at the present time in Mud Lake, Idaho, and he will be  
 contacted in the immediate future and advised that the  
 FBI will await his decision to review his hospital records  
 at Topeka State Hospital, Topeka, Kansas, and that if he  
 decides to give his consent to have the Bureau check these  
 records, he should contact the FBI Office at Idaho Falls,  
 Idaho. As soon as he is contacted and advised of this  
 fact, the Butte Division will close its case administratively.

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 2 - Memphis (44-1987) (Enc. 2) ((AM) (Reg.)  
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cc: AAG Civil Rights Division  
 Form 5-34 (10/6/69)

JUL 24 1969

1 cc CIVIL RIGHTS UNIT

Approved: \_\_\_\_\_ Sent \_\_\_\_\_ M Per \_\_\_\_\_

Special Agent in Charge

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI  
FROM : SAC, NEW YORK  
SUBJECT: [Illegible]  
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In Reply, Please Refer to  
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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Butte, Montana  
July 24, 1969

MURDER OF DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING

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On June 19, 1969, MORRIS R. McCARVER was contacted in Roberts, Idaho, and request was made for his written consent to check his record at Topeka State Hospital, Topeka, Kansas. He stated he would like to think this matter over and never did furnish written consent to make this check.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)

DATE: 7/30/69

FROM : ~~NY~~ LEGAT, MEXICO CITY (173-1) (RUC)

SUBJECT: MURKIN

Remylet 5/23/69.

On 7/18/69 MEX 24, an investigative informant, advised that he had conducted investigation in captioned matter at Puerto Vallarta, Jalisco, on 7/16/69:

The informant stated that he interviewed members of the Jalisco State Judicial Police stationed in Puerto Vallarta and all advised that they had no knowledge of any dealings in marijuana or other narcotics by ERIC S. GALT, and that they had never known LUIS GARCIA to be involved in the narcotics trade.

On the same date, the informant located and interviewed ELISA ARELLANO TORRES at Puerto Vallarta. She recalled that GALT had wanted her to buy marijuana for him; however, she said she had never purchased any type of drug for GALT. She said that during the time she had known GALT she could not recall that he had actually purchased any marijuana. She also said that she was quite certain that GALT had not been in business with LUIS GARCIA, the bartender at Puerto Vallarta.

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1 - Mexico City

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

DATE: 7/20/68

DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)

FROM: LEGAT, MEXICO CITY (158-1) (RUC)

SUBJECT: MURKIN

Re Mexico City 8/22/68.

On 7/18/68, an investigative informant advised that he had conducted investigation in captioned matter at Puerto Vallarta, Jalisco, on 7/10/68:

The informant stated that he interviewed members of the Jalisco State Judicial Police stationed in Puerto Vallarta and all advised that they had no knowledge of any dealings in marijuana or other narcotics by RUIZ GARCIA, and that they had never known RUIZ GARCIA to be involved in the narcotics trade.

On the same date, the informant located and interviewed MISS ANITA WARE at Puerto Vallarta. She recalled that GALT had wanted her to buy marijuana for him; however, she said she had never purchased any type of drug for GALT. She said that during the time she had known GALT she could not recall that he had actually purchased any marijuana. She also said that she was quite certain that GALT had not been in business with RUIZ GARCIA, the bartender at Puerto Vallarta.

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Assistant Attorney General  
Civil Rights Division

August 4, 1969

Director, FBI

1 - Mr. Hines

**ASSASSINATION OF MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.**

This will confirm the discussion of Mr. J. William Hines of this Bureau with Mr. J. Harold Flannery of the Civil Rights Division on July 30, 1969, concerning three twenty dollar bills which were obtained from Mrs. Bessie Brewer, the operator of the rooming house where James Earl Ray rented a room at Memphis, Tennessee, on the day of the killing. Ray reportedly paid for his room with a twenty dollar bill; however, it cannot be said with any certainty that Ray was ever in possession of any one of the three bills obtained from Mrs. Brewer. An examination of the bills by the FBI Identification Division failed to disclose any latent fingerprints identifiable with Ray.

This case was prepared for trial by Executive Assistant District Attorney Robert Dwyer, now a Judge on the Tennessee Court of Appeals, who has advised that since he could not prove any link between Ray and these bills, these bills fail to have any evidentiary value. District Attorney General Phil M. Canale, Jr., concurs with Mr. Dwyer and indicates that he has no further use for these bills. Mr. Flannery's advice was requested as to whether or not these bills could now be disposed of.

Mr. Flannery advised on July 31, 1969, that it would no longer be necessary to retain the three bills and that they could be appropriately disposed of. Our Memphis Office is being instructed to make appropriate disposition of the three bills.

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August 4, 1969

1 - Mr. Hines

AIRTEL

To: SAC, Memphis (44-1987)

From: Director, FBI (44-38861) 577

MURKIN

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ReMEairtel 7-24-69.

Information set forth in referenced airtel was brought to the attention of the Department. The Department has advised that it will no longer be necessary to retain the three twenty dollar bills obtained from Mrs. Brewer. Make appropriate disposition of the bills. in accordance with your letter of 6-19-69.

NOTE:

See letter from Director to Assistant Attorney General, Civil Rights Division, dated August 4, 1969. Mrs. Brewer was previously refunded her \$60. Memphis letter of 6-19-69, stated the three twenty dollar bills would be deposited in the Memphis Office Confidential Fund.

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

Re Bureau airtel 7/17/69, concerning the three (3) twenty dollar bills which were obtained from Mrs. BESSIE BREWER, the operator of the rooming house where JAMES EARL RAY rented a room at Memphis, Tenn., on the day of the killing.

It was Mrs. BREWER's recollection that RAY paid for his room with a \$20.00 bill. When BREWER was interviewed several hours after the murder, she had three such bills in her possession. She believed that one of these had been given her by RAY, but she had absolutely no way of knowing which bill he had given her.

The three (3) twenty dollar bills obtained from Mrs. BREWER were submitted to the FBI Identification Division where an examination disclosed no latent fingerprints identifiable with RAY. It cannot be said with any certainty that RAY was ever in possession of any one of these bills. It is entirely possible that BREWER was wrong in her recollection of the manner in which RAY paid for the room, and it is also possible that in the hours between the time she rented the room and her interview with the FBI Agents, she may have disposed of the bill given to her by RAY.

This case was prepared for trial by Executive Assistant District Attorney ROBERT DWYER, now a Judge on the Tennessee Court of Appeals, who has advised that since he could not prove any link between RAY and these bills, these bills fail to have any evidentiary value. District Attorney General PHIL CANALE and I concur with Mr. DWYER. Attorney General CANALE has

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 Special Agent in Charge

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Case: 44-1987

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)  
FROM: SAC, MEMPHIS (44-1987) (P)  
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This case was prepared for trial by Executive Assistant District Attorney ROBERT DWYER, now a Judge on the Tennessee Court of Appeals, who has advised that since he could not prove any link between RAY and these bills, there will be no trial to have any evidence presented. Attorney General JOHN CANALE and I concur with Mr. DWYER.

Approved: \_\_\_\_\_  
Special Agent in Charge

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indicated that he has no further use for these bills, and I recommend that they be disposed of in accordance with my previous suggestion.

The Bureau's attention is called to the fact that other, better evidence is available to connect RAY with the scene of this crime.

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SAC, Memphis

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1 - Mr. McDonough

Director, FBI

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ReMEairtel 8-14-69.

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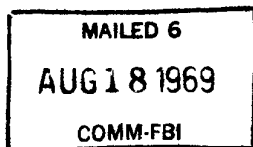
Matter has been referred to Civil Rights Division and it has it under consideration and results will be furnished upon receipt.

This will be followed at Bureau.

1 - Birmingham (44-1740) (Info)

NOTE:

Question of return of safe deposit box rented by Ray under name Eric Galt referred to Department Attorney Brian Lansberg who advised determination would have to be made by Department Attorney J. H. Flannery who is on leave and will return 8-25-69.



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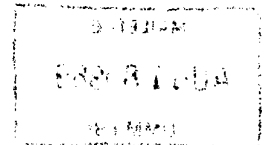
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1 - Mr. McDonough

NOTE:

Question of return of safe deposit box rented by  
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Brian Lashner who advised determination would have to be  
made by Department Attorney J. H. Wisniewski who is on leave  
and will return 8-25-69.



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

Re Birmingham airtel to Memphis dated 8/4/69 advising that officials of the Birmingham Trust National Bank desire the return of the safe deposit box which was originally loaned by them for processing for latent fingerprints.

This safe deposit box is now in the possession of the District Attorney General at Memphis, Tenn., and they have been advised of the request made by bank officials.

It is anticipated that the District Attorney General will be agreeable to the return of this box. It is requested that the Bureau discuss this matter with the Department, if it is thought necessary, and advise Memphis whether or not they have any objection to the return of this box.

It is pointed out that no latent fingerprints were found on this safe deposit box and bank records are available to establish the fact of RAY's having rented a safe deposit box.

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② - Bureau  
 1 - Birmingham (44-1740) (Info)  
 1 - Memphis  
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 Registered..... Special Agent in Charge

originals turned by them for processing for latent fingerprints. Mark declared the return of the same deposit for which was existing that exhibits of the Birmingham Trust International a Birmingham letter to Memphis dated 2/1/58.

It is anticipated that the District Attorney General will be agreeable to the return of this bond. It is suggested that the Bureau discuss this matter with the District Attorney, and advise accordingly, and advise the Bureau of the result of such discussion.

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1 - Mr. McDonough

To: SAC, Columbia (44-299)

REC-128

From: Director, FBI (44-38861) - 5798

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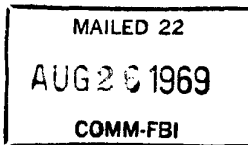
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ReCOlet 8-16-69.

If not already done, Columbia advise appropriate local authorities of alleged threats to McMillan.

1 - Memphis (44-1987) (Info)



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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)

FROM : SAC, COLUMBIA (44-299) (RUC)

SUBJECT: MURKIN

DATE: 8/16/69

On 8/14/69 Mr. GEORGE McMILLAN advised SA PAUL C. TIGUE, JR., that he is a writer commissioned by the Little Brown Publishing Company, Boston, Mass., to write a book about JAMES EARL RAY and moved into a home on Coffin Point, Frogmore, S. C., approximately three months ago with his wife who is writing a book concerning MARINA OSWALD.

McMILLAN stated that he has contacted a Mr. STONER, Savannah, Ga., who is the attorney presently representing RAY on several occasions in order to obtain information for his book. He said that during 1962 he had written an article for the Saturday Evening Post concerning the bombing of a black church in Birmingham, Ala., in which several black children were killed and although he did not specifically indicate that STONER was a good subject in this case he advised he referred to STONER as Mr. X and described him in the article as a man with a limp. McMILLAN said that after this article came out in Saturday Evening Post he had heard that STONER had sworn to kill him but that he has met STONER on several occasions since that time and STONER has made no mention of this.

McMILLAN advised that on the morning of 8/14/69 he attempted to contact STONER telephonically in Savannah and the phone was answered by a man with a young voice who replied to McMILLAN after he identified himself as GEORGE McMILLAN, "don't you think you have got a nerve calling Mr. STONER. You've practically called him a murderer. I know you live in Atlanta Pal and you'd better watch your step. That's all I've got to say." McMILLAN said after this young man made these remarks he hung up on McMILLAN.

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Mr. McMILLAN advised this Agent that he did not wish to make a formal complaint but merely wanted the incident to be a matter of record in case anything should happen in the future.

This information is being forwarded to the Director, Birmingham, Memphis and Savannah inasmuch as the Columbia Office is taking no action in this matter.

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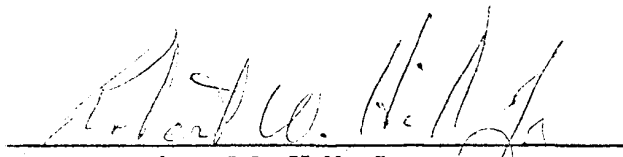
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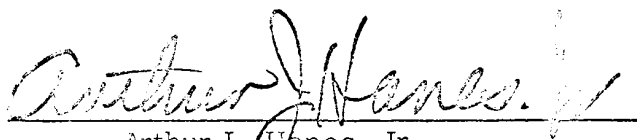
This cause came on to be heard on the 11th day of July, 1969, upon the original petition or complaint, the amended petition or complaint, and the motions of the defendants to dismiss this action on the ground that the petition or complaint fails to state any claim against the defendants upon which relief can be granted, and the further ground that there is no venue of this action in the Middle District of Tennessee, upon consideration of which and the argument of counsel, the Court finds, as appears from the pleadings and the statements of counsel made in open court, that neither the plaintiff nor the defendants are residents of the Middle District of Tennessee, and the Middle District of Tennessee is not the judicial district in which the claim arose, as required by Title 28 USC, Section 1391(a); and, further, that this is not a proper case for the Court to transfer the action to the Western District of Tennessee, where it appears from the statements of counsel made in open court the claim arose, and that such transfer would

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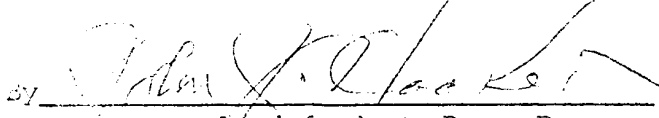
It is, therefore, ordered that the original petition or complaint and the amended petition or complaint be and the same are hereby dismissed without prejudice.

  
Robert W. Hill, Jr.,  
Attorney for Petitioner and Plaintiff

  
United States District Judge


  
Arthur J. Hanes, Jr.,  
Attorney for defendant Arthur J. Hanes

HOOKER, KEEBLE, DODSON & HARRIS

  
Attorneys for defendants Percy Foreman  
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ATTORNEY: J. HANES, JR.

Frederick L. Hanes, Clerk  
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To: SAC, St. Louis

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NOTE:

Although extensive Bureau investigation has not developed any information along the lines of James Earl Ray's purported allegation and since the Department has not dismissed Federal process against Ray and have indicated they desire to have any leads bearing on the assassination of King thoroughly run out, the St. Louis Office is being instructed to obtain the detailed statement which will be reviewed to determine whether any further action is warranted. On the basis of the context of this statement itself there does not appear to be any logical connection between the alleged recruiting of Ray to assist in the overthrow of the Castro regime and the killing of Martin Luther King, Jr. The statement makes reference to Federal Agents and makes no mention of FBI Agents being involved and Ray may be implying CIA Agent involvement.

In previous contacts Ray has been uncommunicative and probably would not furnish any further specifics on this ~~specious~~ allegation.

Upon receipt of the detailed statement it will be thoroughly reviewed and if warranted, appropriate recommendations will be made as to what, if any, further action is indicated.

This should be routed through Mr. Bishop's Office for review.

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## Church Tithes Stolen by NCC

LOS ANGELES (C&F) -- Former Chief of Police Thomas Reddin of Los Angeles recently said, "Much of the money accumulated by the National Council of Churches ends up being given to militant organizations, and these organizations have been active in interfering with the program in Los Angeles, which raises the question: If a Christian gives money to a NCC denomination for what he believes is the 'Lord's Work', how does this money end up in pockets of Satanists, pagans, mixers, destroyers, arsonists and anarchists?"

The obvious answer: It is stolen by legal and quasi-legal means.

## Tactic

Now it can be told. There is a widening breach between young white revolutionists on college campuses and the torch-bearing negro revolutionists. They may work together on occasion, but they are at each other's throats in the long run.

The Councilor staff has, for the past year, fed "information" to each side through its contacts. The Councilor abhors violence, but if white and negro revolutionists must fight, it is better that they fight each other than fight innocent, loyal Americans.

## Pro-Red Leader Sets The Line in Canada

MONTREAL Prime Minister Trudeau of Canada, recently exposed in the United States Congress by Rep. John Rarick as having a pro-communist background, has underlined his own allegiance to the Red world with these two foreign policy statements:

(1) "Canada should recognize (Red) China."

(2) "We must continue to refuse to recognize or trade with Rhodesia."

## HOW TO BUY ROPE FOR YOUR OWN HANGING

SEBASTAPOL, CALIF. - A representative of the United Nations Children's Fund has gone to Hanoi to persuade the North Vietnamese government to accept the UNICEF aid program for North Vietnamese children. American money will help raise sturdy Viet Cong to kill American troops in Vietnam. You can help the Viet Cong economy by contributing generously to Trick or Treat for UNICEF next Halloween or by purchasing UNICEF Christmas cards.

## HERE'S WHERE THE MONEY GOES

AUSTIN -- Rolling in federal money and tax-paid subsidies, former President Lyndon B. Johnson is planning to build a new \$250,000 home on a 19-acre wooded lot in Austin. Life at the ranch is gay as it is in town where whites and other skinheads reside.

## BOOMERANG

CHICAGO, Pa. -- For years the Quaker Community Center has spread black-supremacy literature. Colored people took it to heart. Last week blacks seized control of the Center and now demand a ransom of \$100,000 from whites.

## Conspiracy Of Silence

NEW ORLEANS -- A survey of daily newspapers shows most of them are "playing down" the public's resistance to the federal school takeover.

Double standards in new reporting are both tragic and hilarious in their extremeness. For example:

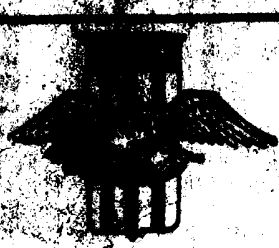
In 1968 several Louisiana daily papers headlined a story from Bogalusa to the effect that negroes had staged a "parade" down main street to protest segregation. This particular parade consisted of six persons, some of whom didn't live in Louisiana.

This week when 12,000 angry white parents filled a stadium in Lake Charles to warn politicians against further surrender to the Nixon Edicts, most of the same daily papers ignored the story. One editor told The Councilor: "We can't encourage rebellion. You let people in this city know that other people are protesting, then you would be encouraging resistance."

## Fact About FBI Monitoring of Martin King

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# 12,000 ANGRY PARENTS SHOW THEIR LOVE FOR CHILDREN

## Will Public School System Survive Now With Takeover?

LAKE CHARLES -- More than 12,000 angry white parents gathered in a stadium here to peacefully voice their opposition to unlawful activities of the Nixon Administration. In clear violation of the 14th amendment, and of

civil rights laws themselves, the Nixon Administration has demanded that children be removed from one area to another to achieve "racial balance."

Local events are an indication of the sleeping giant of public opinion, now beginning to stir in many parts of America. Corrupt politicians and federal judges have not yet, but may soon see the strength of aroused mothers.

In many counties and parishes, school board members are beginning to get the message. When

Lake Charles parents asked board members if they are willing to go to jail if necessary to free local schools from race-mix tyranny, several of them raised their hands and stood up. The spirit of 1776 is not altogether dead in America--at least not when provoked to erectness by angry mothers.

## MAY CLOSE SOME PUBLIC SCHOOLS

The extreme disregard of the Nixon Administration for the feelings of parents may force the closure of many public schools. Already husbands of some school teachers have put their wives on notice to this effect: "We don't need the money badly enough for you to risk your life, or to put up with the obscenities and disgrace that those nuts in Washington propose."

All across the South--and even in the border states--there is talk of abandoning public schools in favor of private schools. The Councilor has offered the Rote Learner Plan as an alternative which could be used to save public schools in these areas which want to save them.

Whether the public schools are worth saving is a different question. Clearly they are not worth the effort in some Southern (and Northern) counties. In others, parents are simply too poor to make the transition from tax-supported local schools to private schools.

Proposed resistance is taking the following forms:

- (1) Defeat of all bond issues for high-mix schools which surrender to the Nixon Edicts.
- (2) Defeat of all school board members who "go along" with the Nixon Edicts.
- (3) Boycotting of all schools in which low educational standards exist, or where the safety of

children is in question. In areas where compulsory attendance laws exist, legislators indicate that they are ready to repeal such laws. District attorneys--such as Frank Salter of Lake Charles--have pledged that they will not enforce compulsory attendance laws in high-mix situations where conditions impose a threat to the safety of the child, or where schools are of such poor quality that children will gain nothing from attendance.

## GLIMMER OF HOPE

One federal judge--not as obnoxious or as haughty as some of his fellow judges--has hinted that there is a way to save the public schools. Judge Ben Dawkins in a statement at Shreveport states in pointed fashion that it is still legal to separate children into different classes on the basis of their ability to learn. This approach would put nearly all negroes in one set of classes and nearly all whites in another. Excerpts from Judge Dawkins' statement appear elsewhere in this issue of The Councilor.

This separation, as outlined in the Rote Learner Plan, appears to be a glimmer of hope for public schools. Whether school board members are intelligent enough to use this "way out" is another question.

In the next issue of The Councilor read "PROFILES IN COWARDICE". This is the story of the dumbest of the Kennedy brothers, Sen. Ted Kennedy of Massachusetts. Ted wants to be president but lacks the courage to help reveal the facts about those who killed his brother John Kennedy.

## BORROWED TIME

WASHINGTON -- Two Black Panthers who revealed gang secrets to congressional probes say they have been "marked for death" by the Panthers.

## Monopoly of Metals Was a Method For European Red Family

DENVER -- A revolutionary European family which subsidized Karl Marx and the Russian Revolution expanded its vast fortunes in the 19th century through metal monopolies.

The Rothschilds acquired a monopoly on the world's mercury mines in Italy and Spain; diamond mines in Africa; gold mines in

North America and South America; tin in the East Indies and Bolivia; and in league with their allies and henchmen in America, a nearly complete monopoly on copper in North and South America and Africa. Some of the Rothschilds use communism as a tool, or weapon, in expanding their holdings.

## Names of Top Actors in Murder Movement May Become Public

WASHINGTON -- The Councilor hopes that the U. S. Senate will make public the name of famous Hollywood actors, politicians and financiers who bankroll a civil rights "Murder Movement."

The "Murder Movement" is operated by the Black Panthers. A Senate investigating committee has been told that the money is coming from a top-secret cabal of "well-known actors, actresses, doctors and political figures."

The Councilor believes that these are some of the people previously revealed in its columns as active in staging elaborate social events to raise funds for the civil rights revolution. It is difficult to believe that they are

not aware that the Panther organization is engaged in assassinations.

## SANTAINO

Watch This Space, as We Spell Out the Name of the Top-Gun Suspect in JFK's Death. The Name ISN'T Oswald

# Finch Wants to Bus Voters From One Part of the Nation to Another

BURAS, La. -- Up until now the most sordid attack on the American election system was that carried out in Louisiana by two Rothschild agents more than 100 years ago.

In earlier feature stories, The Councilor revealed how New Yorker John Slidell and his slippery law partner, Judah P. Benjamin, booted itinerant voters up and down the Mississippi to control elections. Slidell was rewarded for his part in electing a U. S. president in this manner with an ambassadorship appointment, but the host country refused to accept him on moral grounds.

Slidell, a kinsman of Augustus Schoenberg--alias August Belmont--later helped create the U. S. civil war through their agitation--an action in which Americans lost but the Rothschilds, Lehmans, Seligmans and Schoenbergs gained a great deal.

Today Nixon's controversial and morally bankrupt Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare has opened the door for similar tricks. Finch is notorious for bussing school children from one area to another to achieve illegal "racial balance." Now he has taken action to bus people around the nation to achieve "voter balance."

Finch has notified 40 states that they must junk their requirements of a one-year residence for welfare recipients. Most of America's negroes on welfare have been reluctant to move across the nation

to participate in elections for fear of losing their welfare checks. They have been moved back and forth across the Mississippi-Louisiana state line by leftwingers at election time, packing up to go 500 to a thousand miles is something else.

Under the Finch Program, droves of negroes from Washington, D. C. can be moved to Michigan, Indiana, Illinois, Ohio or even California if their votes should be needed to sway an election. Residence requirements for elections are often ignored, and if state officials take them seriously, they, too, will be knocked down.

Recruiters can get these negroes

to move with promises of wine and higher welfare payments, plus the assurance that they will be back home in short order if they don't want to extend their "vacations." In the past, there was usually a 6-months to 1-year lag between the time welfare checks at the former residence were chopped off and new welfare checks could begin.

From the standpoint of "racial balance" Southern states stand to gain from the Finch Program, as welfare payments in California and northern states are generally higher than they are in the South. But from the standpoint of elections, the South stands to lose as much as the rest of the nation

because voters can be returned in sufficient numbers to control home elections "if-and-when needed."

Federal voter registrars are on stand-by in six Southern states to register all comers, regardless of place of residence or qualification to vote. Finch will pressure welfare boards in all parts of the nation to immediately accommodate "newcomers" with federal checks.

Unless something is done quickly to halt the Finch Program, the American electoral process will degenerate into a first-class joke, albeit a cruel one upon working men and women who finance the joke through the sweat of their brows.

## Castro Agent is Judge in Detroit

DETROIT -- One of those judges who decides Detroit cases against whites and in favor of negroes

has been identified as an agent for Fidel Castro, a communist and an ex-convict.

How did he get to power? He was supported by members of the League of Women Voters--an organization badly infiltrated by revolutionists who use the gullible membership to help the world revolution.

According to information in the Congressional Record, Judge George W. Crockett Jr., of Detroit was registered in 1964 under the Foreign Agents Registration Act

as an agent of the Cuban Communist government of Fidel Castro. He has worked with Mexican communists and as a lawyer represented the Michigan Communist Party. He was sentenced to four months in prison on each of nine specific contempt charges in 1949 as a result of his activities in Judge Medina's courtroom in behalf of the Communist Party.

Detroit's negro voters cooperated with the League of Women Voters in placing this Castro agent on the bench.

## Still Fooling The Public

NEW YORK -- Americans in their gullibility still accept as "fact" the pronouncements and shaky opinions of Jack Paar, The New York Times, Ed Sullivan, Richard Nixon and a likeable but thoroughly confused former negro boxer who calls himself "Joe Louis."

Nothing was more obvious 10 years ago than the fact Fidel Castro was a communist and a blood-thirsty murderer, in the employ of International Bankers. But this is the way the above named "experts" reacted to Fidel Castro:

(1) Castro was glorified by the New York Times and by Ed Sullivan as a wonderful modern-day Robin Hood and as the "George Washington of Cuba."

(2) Jack Paar journeyed to Havana to pay his respects to Castro and to portray the bloody murderer as a "good guy."

(3) Richard Nixon served as Chairman of the Fidel Castro Reception Committee and did not kiss Castro in public.

(4) Poor old Joe Louis went to Havana as Castro's handpicked manager of a propaganda program to induce U. S. negroes to subsidize the Castro government.

All of the persons and institutions named above are self-styled experts on race relations and all of them, with the possible exception of Joe Louis, are avowed "integrationists."



PAAR



SULLIVAN

## New Effort to Rewrite Scriptures to Delude

DETROIT -- There is a new effort to rewrite scriptures. Leftwing theologians in various seminaries have long tried to rewrite portions of the Bible to support communism and socialism. Now a number of admitted non-Christians are goingad and encouraging negroes to "bring forth" a black Christ, or to create the myth that Christ was the son of an African chief.

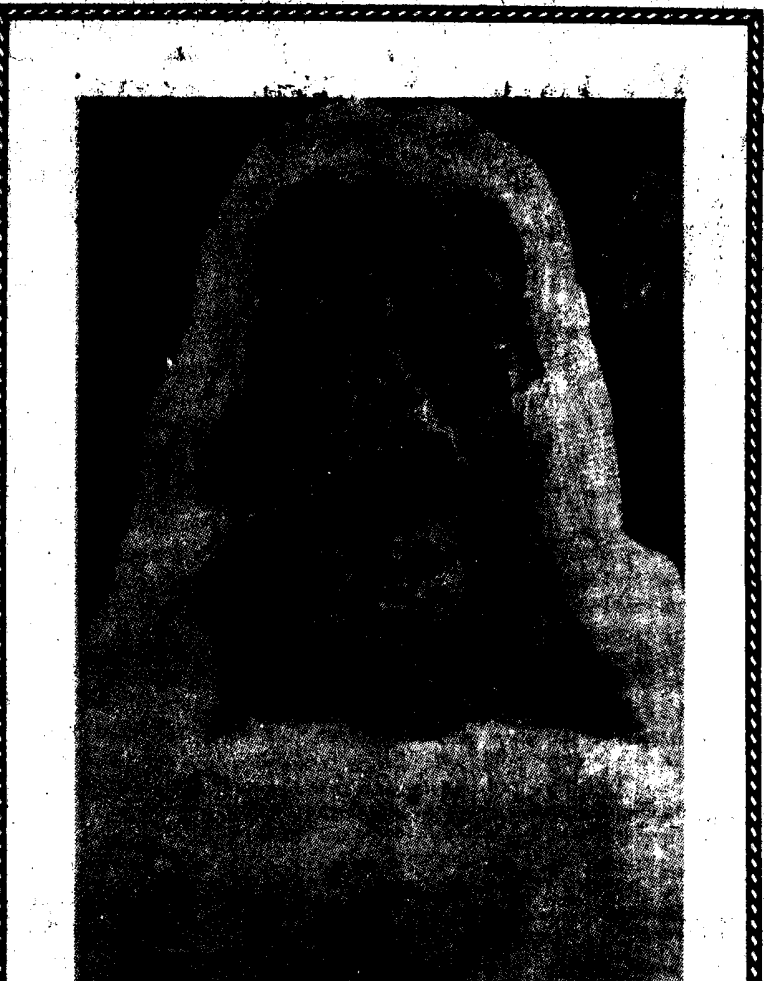
An eager re-writer of the Bible is the "Rev." Albert B. Cleage, Jr., a flamboyant civil rights leader who tells confused colored people:

"Black people cannot build dignity on their knees worshipping a white Christ. We must put down this white Jesus which the white man gave us in slavery and which has been tearing us to pieces." Since the first century of the Christian era, Christ has been depicted as having light-colored hair and fair features. Anti-Christian writers have previously tried to ascribe his parentage to a German soldier, and only recently has the African Chief myth

arisen.

Fundamentalist ministers often take the position that Christ was not of mortal flesh, that He was neither Hebrew nor non-Hebrew. Some contend that the mother, Mary, was more "gentle" than "Hebrew" but since the conception was immaculate, there were no maternal characteristics in the mother. They contend that Christ was the product entirely of the Divine Father, and that Mary was merely the vessel chosen for a wholly Divine Embryo. They bolster their position by pointing out that Christ referred to Mary as "Woman" and not as "Mother".

Up until now, Protestants and Catholics agree on one point: No African Chief was involved. What the future will produce in the seminaries, after silver crosses the palms of corrupt theologians, is anybody's guess. But don't rule out the possibility that future paintings of Christ will be profaned to look like the communist civil rights leader, Martin Luther King. This plan is actually under consideration.



This is the black-painted statue representing Christ at the Sacred Heart Seminary in Detroit. Three negroes, armed with a bucket of paint, blackened the face, hands and feet of the limestone statue on the first day of the Detroit riot of 1967. A group of white men removed the black color on two different occasions, but Rt. Rev. Msgr. Francis X. Canfield, succumbing to mob rule, has decided to leave it black. Apparently he feels that collections will be better, or attendance stronger, if he appeases the civil rights gangs by giving them a "black Christ".



# Questions And Answers About The Rote Learner Plan - A Legal Way to Save Public Schools

There is a sensible, legal and workable way to save public schools in the South. Federal courts have outlawed "Freedom of Choice" but they permit assignment of pupils on the basis of learning ability.

In all the furor over the present school crisis, news media overlook the obvious solution: The Rote Learner Plan.

School board members too often look to the Department of Health, Education and Welfare, or to inexperienced lawyers, for answers to their problems. They should take note of the wishes of parents and other taxpayers.

Sponsors of the Rote Learner Plan believe that it will be necessary to "sell" the idea to the public in general, and that reluctant school board members will implement the plan if the public tells the school boards: "Either give us decent, workable schools, or we will boycott them."

The plan is also a solution for the problems of "quality" which plague schools in

large cities of the north. In general, small town schools in the North are equal to or even superior to the predominantly white schools of the South. But despite larger appropriations, city schools in the North generally lag behind Southern schools in quality education. The reasons are obvious. Public schools too often cater to slow colored pupils while neglecting to provide quality education to those who can learn through deduction. "High-mix" schools simply do not provide proper instruction for either the Rote-Learner negroes nor for the Deductive-Learner whites.

PUPIL ASSIGNMENT IS LEGAL IF IT IS BASED ON TEST SCORES AND NOT UPON SKIN COLOR. Federal Judge Ben Dawkins tells us that all children are not created equal and that it is not necessary to provide them exactly the same type of education. He says the law requires only that all pupils be given an equal opportunity; this is what the Rote Learner Plan provides.

## 1. What are the goals of the Rote-Learner Plan?

To preserve the public school system in the South through quality education for ALL children. To remove some of the inequities and disruptions harmful to both Negro and white children through sudden, harsh, forced "integration."

## 2. Is it legal?

Yes.

## 3. Is it "segregation", "integration" or "discrimination"?

In a sense it is both "segregation" and "integration" but it removes any "discrimination" based upon skin color. It segregates children on the basis of their MEASURED ABILITY TO LEARN. It meets all criteria of federal "integration" laws while removing many of the harsh objections to such federal "integration."

## 4. Do educators approve of the Rote Learner Plan?

Some of the most distinguished authorities in the field of education now recognize that children can best be taught when divided according to their ability to learn.

## 5. What does "Rote Learner" mean?

A Rote Learner is a child who learns best by repetition, through memory and classroom drills. He has a measurable aptitude for this type of instruction which distinguishes him from a "Deductive Learner."

## 6. What is a "Deductive Learner"?

This is an arbitrary term which we apply to the child who learns best through his power to reason and through his ability to comprehend abstract matter. Most white children and some Negro children fit this category.

## 7. Are "Rote Learners" Negro children?

Educational psychologists of national reputation hold that most (but not all) Negro children have a remarkable ability to learn through drills, memory work and repetition. But when these children are required to compete with other children on the basis of abstract thinking, they fail to get the full benefit of classroom time.

## 8. Why do you call the plan "Rote Learner" instead of the "Deductive Learner" plan?

Because we wish to make it clear that we are just as concerned for the needs of the Negro child who now makes poor marks in school as we are for the Deductive Learner who generally does better. If we emphasized the advantages of this plan to the Deductive Learner, there are people in America who would misinterpret this as neglecting the Rote Learner. Therefore we have given the plan a name which makes plain our concern for the Negro child as well as the white child.

## 9. In other words you propose to march all the colored children into one set of classrooms and the whites into another and give segregation a new fancy name?

No. This is not what we propose. When children are assigned to separate classes this will be done WITHOUT the assigning officer knowing the race or skin color of the child.

## 10. How can this be accomplished?

Children of all races and cultures in a

school district are brought together and are given tests which are designed to discover whether they can learn best by Rote Methods or by Deductive Reasoning. Children should be assigned numbers and should take the tests under the same conditions at exactly the same time. Test papers would then be studied by "graders" who have no knowledge of which child is which.

## 11. Do you have a set of questions to propose?

We do not at this time intend to draw up a uniform test because we believe that this would be usurping the function of the local school board. Since some of the backers of the Rote Learner Plan have a personal history of segregation activity, we might be charged with propounding "loaded" questions. Every school board of any size should have available to it educational psychologists who are capable of preparing the tests. Smaller school boards may wish to borrow tests from larger neighbors.

## 12. Should the tests be given by grade or by age?

It is our opinion that all children of age 11 should take the test together rather than all children of, say, the fifth grade. There should be a separate test for each age-group. But here again the final decision as to whether children are to be tested by grade or age should be a local decision made by the local school board.

## 13. Isn't it illegal to give tests which might place most of the white children in one classroom and most of the negro children in another?

Absolutely not. Most schools now have "rapid learners" classes and some have special classes for exceptionally slow youngsters. The federal courts have not ruled against these.

## 14. Then the Rote Learner Plan is just another device for dividing slow and rapid learners into separate classes or separate schools?

Absolutely not. The Rote-Learner Plan goes to the ROOT of the problem. We presume that each child, even the slowest learning little Negro from a tenant farm is entitled to receive the most information that can be given him by a school system. Too often a "slow learner" performs below his achievement capacity because teachers do not have the time to drill him and to take advantage of his memory processes as opposed to his ability to comprehend abstract information.

## 15. Then you propose to make "rapid learners" out of some of the "slow learners"?

This is our intention. Maximum benefits to ALL children should be the goal of any school system based upon Quality Education criteria as opposed to, say, political social experimentation.

## 16. Isn't the Rote Learner Plan a form of "political social experimentation"?

It is not. The key words are "MEASURED ABILITY TO LEARN". The Rote Learner Plan is based on science and not upon the whims of social reformers in Washington or elsewhere. It reserves the schools for Quality Education, and tries to remove them, as far as humanly possible, from naked politics.

## 17. Then you contend that all children are not "equal"?

If all children were "equal" in ability to learn then teaching school would not be a challenging profession. It is our premise that children have an "equal" right to receive as much education as a school plant can give them, and this can be accomplished ONLY by recognizing that one method of instruction does not work best with all children.

## 18. Why not place all children in one classroom regardless of their learning abilities and let the teacher use rote learner methods so that the slowest children can compete?

This is the best way we know of to destroy America's future. A child who learns best by abstract comprehension tends to become bored and moody when subjected to drills and memory work. If this were to happen, then the public schools would produce few great leaders. There would be a shortage of scientists in the years ahead. It is just as wrong to penalize one group of children as it is to penalize another.

## 19. Why do you select TWO categories instead of three, four or a hundred? Aren't there different levels of attainment and different levels of ability beyond these two simple categories?

There certainly are different levels. In fact, every child is different in some way from every other child. In an ideal situation every child would have his own tutor especially chosen to develop that child to his highest level of attainment.

It simply is not possible with limited funds and personnel to give each child his own tutor. In a general way, nearly every child does fit into either the Rote Learner category or the Deductive Learner category.

## 20. Would you put Rote Learners in one school and Deductive Learners in a different one?

This decision belongs entirely to the local school board. No federal court has jurisdiction in this matter, as long as the tests are administered fairly. Some school boards might elect to use separate classes in the same building, rather than separate schools. It is our opinion—and this is merely an opinion—that the children would be happier and attain more in separate schools rather than separate classrooms. Just as educators found it advisable to equip one school to train medical doctors and a separate school for engineers, we believe that schools can best serve their pupils by being oriented toward one type of teaching. Perhaps in sparsely populated areas separate schools will not be feasible.

## 21. Will the Rote Learner Plan prevent bloodshed on campus? Riots? Arson? Knifings? Robbery of younger children by older ones?

No. There will always be some conflict. However, we believe that the Rote Learner Plan will decrease this trouble to a bare minimum. By removing some of the frustrations and conflicts in the classroom, we should be able to reduce some of the turmoil and bloodshed on the school-ground. Experience shows that Rote Learners tend to band together in "gangs" when old-fashioned "mixing" programs force them into competition with the Deductive Learners. It is our hope to reduce this animosity and to make the schoolground a happy place.

## 22. What about teachers? Many of them have been taught certain pedagogic habits

in college. Would you expect them to change?

Most teachers are versatile. A teacher who cannot adjust is rarely capable of teaching abstract, or Deductive Learners. A teacher who responds only to drill might make a very good teacher for Rote Learners. At any rate, teachers would not have to spend as much of their time presiding over battlefield conditions and could therefore devote more time to adjusting to the demands of Quality Education.

## 23. Does President Nixon oppose Quality Education?

We don't know. He claims that he favors Quality Education over social experimentation. Actually, it doesn't matter much because he as president has no authority in local school matters where schools are clearly in compliance with all federal laws and all federal court decisions.

## 24. What do the federal courts say?

Federal courts have contradicted one another, and sometimes a court will contradict itself. But generally these courts have held that discrimination on the basis of race, national origin or skin color is in conflict with the 14th Amendment. No court has given any decision which would outlaw the Rote Learner Plan.

## 25. Can the federal courts outlaw the Plan?

Not under the United States Constitution. This does not mean that all federal courts will be consistently restrained by the Constitution. Certainly a federal judge who would outlaw the Rote Learner

28. In 1954 many Northern people gave lip service to "integration" of public schools and helped provide emotional acceptance for the decision which ended school segregation in the South. Will these people be against us now?

Some of them, but probably not enough to destroy the Plan. Since 1954 there has been an awakening in the North. Men of Goodwill, whether conservative, liberal, Democrat, Republican, American Party, integrationist or segregationist should support Quality Education, and the Rote Learner Plan represents Quality Education at its best. Besides, Northern school boards can gain as much from the Rote Learner Plan as Southern school boards.

A part of the public clamor for school integration in 1954 came from Northern people who thought that integration worked well in their schools and if tried in the South would cause Southern Negroes to halt their migration into Northern cities. The situation is much different now. The Rote Learner Plan provides legal integration of schools without the most dangerous consequences of integration.

## 29. Does Secretary Finch of the Department of Health, Education and Welfare approve of the Rote Learner Plan?

We haven't asked him. We don't really care as long as the plan restores control of local schools to local school boards and takes them from out of his jurisdiction in matters related to school integration. However, Secretary Finch has gone on record as declaring that the law does not require "integration" and that the law does not prohibit "segregation"—that the law merely prohibits racial discrimination. In the Rote Learner Plan we accept legal

## Is your community concerned about the crisis in the public schools?

We are printing a hundred thousand copies of the Rote Learner Plan as an effort to show that there is a sensible, legal way to save public schools in areas where public schools are worth saving. These may be purchased for \$4.00 per hundred, or \$20.00 per thousand, postpaid. (Also printed in more expensive booklet form, available at 25¢ each.) When ordering, specify whether you want booklets (25¢ each) or newspaper folders (\$4.00 per hundred). All funds are used for printing and mailing. Order from Rote Learner Plan, Box 3547, Shreveport, La. 71103.

Plan would be risking his reputation and his career with such a nonsensical decision.

## 26. What if a federal judge does take this chance in order to appease some civil rights group which is more interested in "integration" than in the maximum educational development of Negro and white children?

Under the law, a school board could appeal to higher courts.

## 27. What if the Supreme Court decides to outlaw the Rote Learner Plan when and if an appeal should reach it?

We doubt that a Supreme Court judge would make such a decision unless he has unlawful commitments to some type of pressure group or special interest. Because of the public clamor to remove corrupt Supreme Court judges, it appears that any judge who would make such a decision would be opening his life for close personal scrutiny. The public demonstrated in the Abe Fortas case that Supreme Court justices do not necessarily hold their seats for life.

integration and we remove racial discrimination through testing. He has no room for complaint.

## 30. What about federal court orders which require a certain percentage of each race in each school?

Such federal court orders are in clear conflict with both the Supreme Court and the 14th Amendment. No court has the authority to violate the 14th Amendment which, according to the Supreme Court, prohibits assignments based on skin color or race. Any school board which accepts a "quota system" needs a new lawyer and a little more backbone.

## 31. Under the Rote Learner Plan will there be any Negro children in classes with white children?

Probably so. If a Negro child should prove on his test that he can comprehend abstract concepts to a degree where he can be educated in a classroom with the Abstract Learners, he would be assigned to such a class.

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# BEHIND THE SCENES

## Martin Luther's Phone Calls

Here are some of the facts about the Martin Luther King wiretap, promised in the last issue of The Councilor.

(1) The FBI used as its "reason" for tapping Martin Luther King's phone calls that King was involved with a New York subversive.

(2) Only one newspaper ever dared to print the name of a New York subversive who was funneling money to King: The Councilor.

(3) Name of this subversive is: Corliss Lamont who lived at 460 Riverside Drive in New York City at the time he passed money to King.

(4) Lamont was editor of Soviet Business Today magazine, Chairman of the Congress of American-Soviet Friendship, and was one of the top money contacts of Joe Stalin and Nikita Khrushchev in the United States.

(5) The Councilor learned of Martin Luther King's dependence upon Lamont for funds when it intercepted a briefcase full of papers which had belonged to King. This was about six years ago.

(6) The Councilor learned that Ralph Abernathy, the Martin Luther King lieutenant who "took over" on King's death had visited in Lamont's home and received the money.

(7) The Councilor made this information public. It became obvious to the editor and his associates that the briefcase was a "hot item" and its contents should be displayed publicly as a deterrent against its disappearance or seizure.

(8) Accompanied by armed guards and deputies, the letters and the briefcase were taken across Louisiana and displayed from the stage of a public high school in Natchez, Miss. The Natchez meeting was attended by several hundred persons including one man who publicly identified himself as an FBI agent.

(9) It is not known whether the FBI began its wiretap of Martin Luther King before or after the disclosure of King's connection with communists, but a group in Louisiana decided to launch an all-out effort to inform the nation of King's connections with communism.

(10) The late Judge Leander Perez, working with George Singelmann of New Orleans, had huge billboards printed in New Orleans. These billboards featured a photograph of Martin Luther King lecturing at a communist training school at Montegale, Tenn.

(11) The Councilor directed a campaign to have hundreds of these billboards erected around the nation and printed unsold thousands of postcards with the tattle-tale

photograph. By now the pressure was on the FBI to keep clean tabs on King.

(12) Councilor editor Ned Touchstone and his associate, Courtney F. Smith, flew to Montgomery, Ala. for the unveiling of the first billboard. It was erected on U. S. Highway 80—the Selma Road—under direction of a Montgomery civic leader, Mr. Don Hallmark. When new magazines published a photograph of King looking at the billboard during the Selma March, Editor Touchstone state publicly: "We are in good shape in exposing King if the boys in New York don't decide to kill him. He will be no good to them alive, and they may want to make a martyr out of him. I certainly hope not."

(13) Attorney General Robert F. Kennedy must have been the man who authorized the FBI wiretap of calls involving Martin Luther King. Kennedy had wiretapped Lyndon Johnson and Johnson's business partner, Bobby Baker.

(14) Martin Luther King and FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover exchanged public insults before the Selma March but Bobby Kennedy remained in the background.

(15) The attorney general was meanwhile closely involved with the Southern Conference Educational Fund in New Orleans, an organization led by a communist front in sworn testimony. The Councilor received copies of letters from SCEF leaders which were highly derogatory of King's work, labeling him un dependable. In the same batch of letters was mail from Kennedy to this alleged communist front asking for advice on political matters.

(16) Once when Attorney General Bobby Kennedy denied that he gave authority for controversial wiretaps, FBI director Hoover produced memos proving that Bobby had given authority.

(17) The FBI in making wiretaps is supposed to be concerned only with matters of national security and not with sexual liaisons. But the white woman involved in the King case is a "Queen Bee" with Red connections.

(18) The FBI played its wiretaps of King to a number of United States congressmen. Information given to an agent of The Councilor indicated that the tapes dealt largely with King's sexual involvement with the "Queen Bee." This fact is generally known among congressmen but has never appeared in print, according to our source.

(19) The Councilor did not print the information about the sex wiretaps because The Councilor is concerned with matters of national security and survival of the

Reliable informants have told The Councilor that nearly every major negro agitator in America is "controlled" by a female white communist agent. Fantastic? We don't think so. Our own research indicates that the Reds do indeed use white females as agents of provocation and agents of instruction to foment riots, anarchy and arson. It's time that we face the facts.

nation—not with illicit sex relationships. We did not at that time know that the woman was a "Queen Bee."

(20) After Nicholas Katzenbach became Attorney General, one half of the Justice Department was trying to "hang King" and the other half was coddling him. Katzenbach protected King, and even permitted members of King's radical Red organizations to use Justice Department vehicles for personal driving.

(21) The FBI turned up absolute proof that Martin Luther King's organization was stealing cars to supplement its income from communists and go-gooders. Katzenbach protected King and the various King lieutenants who were involved in this MLK Car Theft Ring. To our knowledge, none of the MLK thieves was ever tried.

(22) Federal authorities—including probably the FBI—have

### BLACKOUT

WASHINGTON—The nation's capital is undergoing a blackout. Negroes now comprise 75% of the population and 91% of the school enrollment.

## Rights Gang Wants To Seize Center

CHICAGO—A civil rights gang, the notorious Blackstone Rangers, is negotiating with corrupt politicians for exclusive control of portions of a \$600,000 federally financed community center to be built this summer in East Chicago Heights.

The Nixon Administration and its Illinois Flunkies negotiated with a Blackstone leader who now faces a murder charge! The Administration is thus paying a reward for murder, rape and arson in a move likely to produce even more attacks upon decent citizens.

## Theft From Cancer Victims Aided Rights Agitation

CLEVELAND, Ohio—Base of the great Rockefeller fortune was the outright theft of money from dying victims of cancer.

William Avery Rockefeller poured stinking crude oil into deceptively labeled bottles, and charged exorbitant prices for this substance as a "Guaranteed Cure" for cancer.

Members of the family have turned this nestegg into a vehicle of social revolution. They have financed both Chinese Communism and civil rights agitation in the U.S.

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information that a King lieutenant was involved in the Memphis assassination of King.

(23) The communist agent who supplied funds to King was the son of International Banker Thomas William Lamont. Lamont was a Rothschild agent at the 1919 peace Conference in Paris, and a close associate of the Warburg Family who also supplied funds to King in the early 1930s.

(24) The communist agent's brother, Thomas Stillwell Lamont, was a director of the Phelps Dodge Corporation.

(25) Katzenbach's aunt by marriage was the notorious Rose Harriet Pastor Stokes, a Russian woman who was jailed in World War I for throwing bombs in the United States to support the Marxist revolution. She married a fellow communist, James G.

Phelps Stokes, president of the Phelps Stokes Corporation, and head of the Russian Information Bureau from 1917-1922 (during the Russian Revolution), Corliss Lamont was a protégé of Phelps Stokes and his Russian wife.

(26) Father of the communist agent James G. Phelps Stokes was Anson Phelps Stokes (1838-1912), a partner in Phelps, Dodge & Co., and an early-day radical and a probable Rothschild agent.

(27) Parents of Katzenbach's aunt, Rose Pastor Stokes, were Jacob Weislander and Anna Lewin of Augustava, Russia. They sent her to the Jewish Free School in London at age eight. By her account she came assistant editor of the Jewish Daily News in New York City at age 24, and a bomb throwing Marxist at age 38. In the meanwhile, at age 27 she had married the multi-millionaire communist.

## 13 Police Shot By Civil Rioters

SACRAMENTO—Civil rights gangs in the California state capital have declared war on law and order. In a single day (June 16) they shot 13 police officers and wounded 8 passengers. Only bright movements were seen when gang members' mischievous reports from the left-leaning Sacramento Union daily paper and gave him a thorough beating, thinking that he was a plain clothes police officer.

In the legislature, California lawmakers continue to pass laws to appease civil rights gangs and to strip from California women the right to defend themselves from negro rapists. Many California women have told The Councilor that they intend to ignore the legislature's coddling actions, and will defend themselves in any way that they can. Under the California state constitution and the U. S. Constitution, the state legislature does not have the right to force citizens to surrender to civil rights gangs. Every citizen has the American right to be secure in his or her person from such attacks, no matter how influential the negro bloc vote is upon the whims of the state legislature.

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32. Would any white children be assigned to schools in which the majority of the children are Negro?

We don't know what the percentage would be, but it is likely to be small. We expect that there are some white children who are not capable of being educated in public schools, whether as Rote Learners or as Deductive Learners. Parents will have to make the ultimate decision as to whether such a child should remain in public school.

33. In many communities bankers, school boards and newspapers are concerned about passage of bond issues. So are many teachers and parents. How would the Rote Learner Plan affect bond issues?

Right or wrong, the Rote Learner Plan is likely to salvage some bond issues which would be voted down. There is a growing attitude among voters to oppose bond issues in "high-mix" school districts where the federal government is running schools. The attitude seems to be: "If the federal government wants to run schools then let the federal government pay for buildings and pay raises." With a return to local control, the school patron is more likely to consider the school a community affair worthy of his support.

34. Will Negro civil rights organizations oppose the Rote Learner Plan?

We expect opposition from those groups which have a heavy infiltration of militants, anarchists and communists agents provocateurs. These groups thrive on bloodshed, arson and confusion. We have the right to expect that Negro organizations which are

truly interested in Quality Education for Negro children to support the Rote Learner Plan.

35. What about politicians? Where do they stand?

Politicians usually respond to the biggest clamor. Most of them hold office by virtue of compromise. The Rote Learner Plan offers them a real opportunity to "get off the hook," especially if a sizeable number of voters give vocal support to the plan.

36. What about the newspapers? Will they support the Plan?

We have a right to expect that locally owned newspapers and some of the chain papers will support the Rote Learner Plan. Chain newspapers controlled directly or indirectly from New York City are likely to oppose the plan for reasons that are not readily apparent to the average citizen.

37. Will teachers support the plan?

Teachers who want to save the public school system should support the plan. It certainly offers them greater professional status and an increased degree of personal safety.

38. Are Educators concerned about the gap in learning abilities?

More than 4,000 educators gathered in Los Angeles recently to study problems of this type. A symposium on "Race and Intelligence" said that school integration as presently practiced is failing to give Negro children full benefit.

39. Did they cite any data?

Dr. William D. Rohrer, professor of educational psychology at Berkeley reported on a recent study his group made of third grade children. "The difference between white and Negro groups in terms of mean percentile scores for reading on the Stanford Achievement Test was impressively large—71.7 vs. 21.8" he said. Dr. Rohrer suggested that Negro children, in general, may need different methods of education giving them "equal opportunity but not necessarily equal methods in instruction."

40. Is Dr. A.R. Jensen author of the Rote Learner Plan?

No. Dr. Jensen has recently cited the need for different forms of instruction, but the Rote Learner Plan was actually devised much earlier by Ned Touchstone. Mr. Touchstone devised the plan in 1966. He was an unsuccessful candidate for State Superintendent of Education in Louisiana in 1967, using the plan as a major part of his platform.

41. Is it correct to say that Louisiana "rejected" the Rote Learner Plan?

Not exactly. Mr. Touchstone did not have sufficient campaign funds to inform the public what the plan was. Few voters ever saw a copy of it. Professional educators made no attempt to study it. Not until Dr. Jensen, a liberal, came to the same conclusion as Mr. Touchstone did educators begin to take a closer look at the Plan.

42. What about the Jensen Study?

Dr. Jensen has reported a study of 160

white and 160 Negro children in the San Francisco Bay area in which the white children showed greater ability to grasp abstract concepts. He said Negro children are not deficient, however, in rote learning and suggested that many disadvantaged children could be taught best through rote learner methods.

43. Are any of the arch-integrationists willing to admit that something should be done for Negro children in the form of specialized instruction?

Yes. This is the basic concept of the Head-Start program, but Head-Start is not working as well as it should because few efforts have been made to utilize Rote Learner concepts. Dr. Robert Nichols, an outspoken integrationist from New York State University has tried to discount heredity and racial traits, but he admits present methods do not properly serve the Negro child. Nichols states that compensatory programs to provide intellectual stimulation missing in disadvantaged homes "do not seem to have been very effective in reducing the differences between the races." He says that the heredity-vs-environment arguments are not of practical importance in our society. He concluded that "what is important is, what can be done to reduce this difference?"

44. What does Mr. Touchstone say about the ability of Negro children to learn?

He says that nature has generally blessed Negro children with strong powers of visual observation and good memories, but has dealt them a cruel blow in the I.Q. division, and in the ability to arrive at deductive conclusions based upon ab-

stract concepts."

45. Have any of the leading universities published studies which support the positions advanced by Mr. Touchstone and Dr. Jensen?

Yes. Harvard University has published Jensen's studies and circulated them to leading educators throughout the nation. Touchstone's studies are more in the nature of "what to do about the problem" than in proving that a problem exists. His writings have been distributed largely to teachers, rather than to the professional education fraternity.

46. What can the average citizen do about this problem?

He can talk about it with school board members, editors of daily and weekly newspapers, and he can discuss it in PTA meetings. Additional copies of the questions and answers are available in inexpensive form for mass distribution (\$20 per thousand). Copies of the pamphlet itself are available for 25¢ each from the Rote Learner Plan headquarters.

47. Is there anything to keep a school board that is presently under court orders from utilizing the Rote Learner Plan.

We know of no prohibition of any kind which would keep a school board from saving its public school system through utilization of the Rote Learner Plan. If there is such a prohibition, it is in direct conflict with the United States Constitution.

## Judge Says Separation Of Whites and Blacks on Ability to Learn is Legal

SHREVEPORT -- In a public statement issued here on July 3 Federal Judge Ben Dawkins said that separation of children according to ability to learn is legal.

This type of separation (which would place nearly all negroes in one set of classrooms and nearly all whites in another) is exactly what the Rote Learner Plan proposes. Here are excerpts from Judge Dawkins' statement:

"We must, indeed we imperatively must, put down the wanton

violence which often grows from internal discontent which so frequently is generated by foreign forces insinuating themselves into our society or by laziness, slothfulness, immoral attitudes, and the ingrained idea of some that the world, meaning taxpayers, owes them a living, just because they are here by no choice of their own. (Editor's Note: Judge Dawkins obviously refers to ex-slaves.)

"This is so wrong, so utterly wrong! But we must remind you

again that the root cause of such attitudes grows not from our system of government, which at times has seemed to try to be all things to all people, but from a lack of fundamental understanding that, regardless of a few words in the Declaration of Independence, all men are NOT created equal except in equality of opportunity for growth, physical, spiritual and material, under our Constitution. "We must help underprivileged people, black or white, when they

are unable to defend themselves. In our public schools, where there are mental laggards, who cannot help their condition by themselves, we must upgrade them as best we can by intensive remedial programs. WE MUST GIVE THEM PROPER TRAINING TO THE LIMIT OF THEIR ABILITY. (Emphasis supplied)

"One step further, we must upgrade our so-called average learners by enrichment of their educational opportunities so that

many present C-average learners who are potentially A-graders who also need help because of possible environmental disadvantage, may reach the full limit of their full capabilities.

"And, finally, at the same time, sound educational principles seem to dictate that the so-called rapid learners, those who naturally are endowed with superior attainment capabilities, are given full opportunity to develop according to their in-born talents regardless of race,

and not be held back to the least common denominator within their schools.

"In other words, while it now is the law of the land, as established both by the Supreme Court edicts and by the congressional Civil Rights Act of 1964, we may not discriminate because of race, but we may do so within our schools according to scientifically proven ability, or lack of it as the case may be, ever trying to be helpful to all."

(Editor's Note: Here is an important message for all school board members and all school patrons who have the wisdom to understand it. You can have low-mix public schools as long as the tests which divide children on the basis of their learning abilities are administered on a color-blind basis. Leading educators, such as Dr. Jensen, are already pointing out that most negro children do not have the ability to compete in "integrated" classrooms.)

bearing these names still thrived while others had become ancient ruins. We will direct you to books in public libraries which will prove that this strange list of cities existed BEFORE Columbus set sail.

### KALAMAZOO KING KULT

KALAMAZOO, Mich. -- Jim Gilmore, owner of Michigan radio and TV interests gave \$5,000 of \$8,000 used in a memorial to communist civil rights leader Martin Luther King at the local public library. Taxpayers will pay cost of shuffling and lending propaganda books purchased with the gift.

### CONFUSED

MOSCOW -- The Soviet newspaper, Pravda, describes U. S. rioters and demonstrators "pale-faced figures."

### GOOD SENSE FROM UTAH

PROVO, Utah--Dr. Ernie Wilkinson, president of Brigham Young University, says "student rioters should be expelled and jailed."

"A young man of character and leadership is more important to our society than a genius who is an anarchist. A university president who refuses to call the police when crimes are being committed on his campus is violating his first duty as a citizen."

### ON ROBBING THE WORKERS TO PAY NON-WORKERS

PITTSBURGH--Cash subsidies from the federal treasury to all poor persons whether they work or not have been urged by Ben W. Heineman, Nixon's chairman of the Presidential Commission on Income.

Not even the Soviet Union is that socialistic.

### Mix-Master Admits Segregation is Not a Crime

WASHINGTON--For months the socialistic HEW Department has viewed voluntary separation of the races as both undesirable and illegal. Secretary Robert H. Finch has, by innuendo, branded segregationists as federal criminals, even though Presidents Washington, Madison, Monroe, Jackson, Lincoln and most of the others were admitted segregationists.

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### ON THE TRAIL OF THE RED HEAD MAN:

## Heyerdahl Proved That Better Engineers Built Reed Boats

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Archaeologists have found depictions of similar reed boats in Egypt, Peru and Easter Island. Heyerdahl has made his point by sailing more than half-way across the Atlantic in such a contraption. For some strange reason the Norwegian explorer has been trumpeting "one world" propaganda in recent weeks. His earlier writings show clearly that some races are better engineers and civilization builders than others. His experience in the reed boat, Ra, should explode the propaganda gambit.

Where Heyerdahl made his mistake is that he went into the interior of Africa and hired black men to build the Ra. It's true that blacks are still weaving reeds in a mimic of an art that thrived 3,000 to 2,000 years ago. It is also true that they are still living in mud huts.

The White men who built the pyramids and sphinx and great libraries of ancient Egypt were certainly better engineers than today's black men of Africa. The black man can mimic. But can he design and build a boat worthy of open seas? Certainly not.

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