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THE MEXICAN SKETCH

Ex-FBI agent found the similarities striking

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"So the emergence of life must have been a much simpler process than people once thought it was, if it could happen in only a few hundred million years."

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To this, based on his own lab's evidence, Dr. Ponnampuruma agrees. With all the constituents of life being synthesized on the primitive earth by energy sources such as lightning, heat and the sun's ultra-violet light, fully active life must have emerged early and inevitably, he feels.

From then it only took another 3.5 billion years to make the human race.

How long it takes for us to reverse the process is another story.

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Communist leaders in Britain yesterday laid wreaths on the tomb of Karl Marx on the 150th anniversary of his

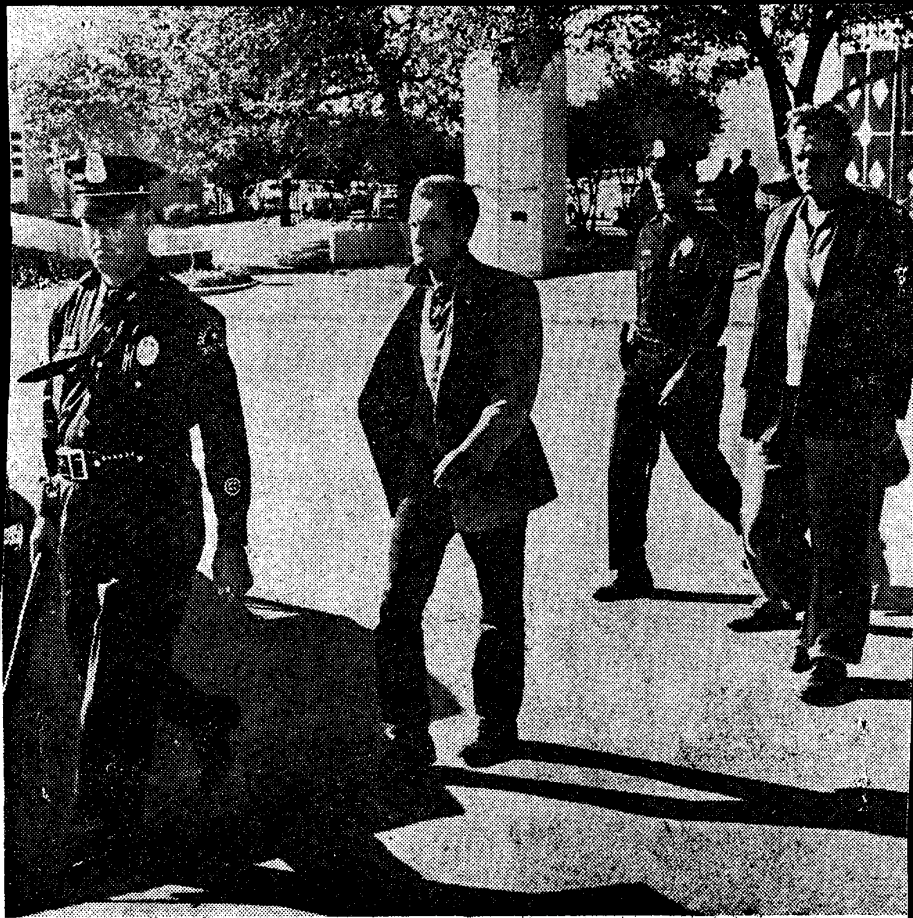
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To some, the mosting route appeared postponement for the federal civilian tary pay increases for July 1—a saving billion.

But this has been politically impossible congressional leader the President himself believes that the pay is merited.

The President said in a letter yesterday that it would be a "serious matter" to go beyond \$4 billion in cuts. But, in a posture of willingness to consider further, he said: "It is essential that we act and act at once on the tax increase he proposed, amounting to \$1 billion."

The following are packages discussed leadership to achieve a \$2 billion reduction in spending.



This is the photo taken after the Dealey Plaza arrest in 1963. The mysterious suspect is second from left, following the policeman.



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 WASHINGTON (UPI) --ATTY. GEN. RAMSEY CLARK EXPRESSED THE BELIEF SUNDAY THAT ESCAPED CONVICT JAMES EARL RAY, ACCUSED OF SLAYING DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, REMAINS ALIVE AND IN THE UNITED STATES. HE SAID HE WAS "VERY OPTIMISTIC" THAT HE WOULD BE CAPTURED.

HE SAID HE FOUND NO EVIDENCE TO SUPPORT THEORIES THAT RAY HAD BEEN HIRED BY CONSPIRATORS TO KILL KING AND THEN HIMSELF KILLED. "WE HAVE NO EVIDENCE TO BELIEVE THAT HE IS NOT STILL ALIVE," HE SAID.

INTERVIEWED ON TELEVISION (ISSUES AND ANSWERS--ABC), CLARK ALSO SAID THE INVESTIGATION WAS STILL OPERATING ON THE ASSUMPTION THAT KING'S KILLER WAS NOT THE AGENT OF CONSPIRATORS.

"OUR EVIDENCE INDICATES A MAN ACTING ALONE," HE SAID. "THIS DOES NOT NEGATE OTHER THEORIES. IT WOULD BE IMPOSSIBLE TO RULE OUT A CONSPIRACY OF THE RIGHT OR THE LEFT OR THE MIDDLE OR ANY OTHER TYPE OF CONSPIRACY. BUT AT THIS TIME, OUR EVIDENCE IS THAT THIS MAN WAS ACTING ALONE."

CLARK, WHO PREDICTED THAT KING'S KILLER WOULD BE APPREHENDED WITHIN A FEW DAYS OF HIS ASSASSINATION IN MEMPHIS, TENN. ON APRIL 4, SAID HE WAS "DISAPPOINTED" THAT HIS PREDICTION WAS WRONG. BUT HE NOTED THAT THE SEARCH FOR RAY WAS "THE MOST MASSIVE MANHUNT ... THAT THE FBI HAS EVER UNDERTAKEN" AND SAID, "I REMAIN VERY OPTIMISTIC THAT WE WILL" APPREHEND HIM.

CLARK DEFENDED THE RECORD OF THE JOHNSON AND KENNEDY ADMINISTRATIONS IN COMBATING CRIME AGAINST A CHARGE LAST WEEK BY RICHARD M. NIXON THAT HE HAD BEEN "INDIFFERENT, LAZE AND INEFFECTUAL."

HE NOTED THAT NIXON CITED FIGURES TO SHOW THAT CRIME RATE HAD GROWN BY 88 PER CENT SINCE JOHN F. KENNEDY TOOK OFFICE IN 1961. HE COUNTERED BY SAYING THAT IN THE 1950S, INCLUDING THE EIGHT-YEAR PERIOD WHEN NIXON WAS VICE PRESIDENT, CRIME HAD INCREASED BY 98 PER CENT.

HE APPEALED FOR CONGRESSIONAL ACTION ON PRESIDENT JOHNSON'S "CRIME IN THE STREETS" BILL NOW BEFORE THE SENATE, BUT URGED CONGRESS NOT TO INCLUDE A SECTION INTENDED TO REPEAL SUPREME COURT DECISIONS TIGHTENING THE CIRCUMSTANCES UNDER WHICH CONFESSIONS CAN BE OBTAINED FOR USE IN TRIALS.

HE SAID ADOPTION OF THE PROPOSAL WOULD BE "A TRAGEDY FOR THE CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS OF OUR CITIZENS" AND HE ARGUED THAT TO "OVERRULE THE CONSTITUTION BY STATUTE" WOULD NOT CONFORM TO THE UNITED STATES' "COMMITMENT TO THE CONCEPT OF RULE UNDER LAW."

CLARK REFUSED TO PREDICT WHETHER PRESIDENT JOHNSON WOULD VETO THE BILL IF CONGRESS ADOPTED IT WITH THE SECTION DESIGNED TO CHANGE THE IMPACT OF THE SUPREME COURT DECISIONS.

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WASHINGTON--A MONTH AFTER A SNIPER KILLED MARTIN LUTHER KING, THE FBI WAS "STILL LOOKING HARD" TODAY FOR THE MAN IT SAYS DID IT--AN EX-CONVICT WHO SPENT NEARLY A YEAR ESTABLISHING A FALSE IDENTITY.

THERE WERE NO INDICATIONS OF ANY IMMINENT BREAK IN THE SEARCH FOR JAMES EARL RAY, ALIAS ERIC STARVO GALT, ALTHOUGH THE MANHUNT FOR HIM HAD FOCUSED AT TIMES AROUND THE WORLD.

OFFICIALS SAID THERE WERE NO INDICATIONS THAT RAY HAD LEFT THE COUNTRY DESPITE A RASH OF REPORTS FROM MEXICO, CANADA, AUSTRALIA, HONG KONG AND WEST GERMANY. THE OFFICIALS POINTED OUT INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL REQUIRES IDENTIFICATION PAPERS THAT CAN EASILY BE CHECKED.

THE FBI HAS A FULL DOSSIER ON RAY, INCLUDING A FULL SET OF FINGERPRINTS, A DETAILED PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION FROM HIS TERMS IN VARIOUS PRISONS AND AN AMAZING ASSORTMENT OF PERSONAL HABITS.

BUT GALT, THE MAN THE FBI SAYS RAY WORKED ON ESTABLISHING FOR A YEAR BEFORE THE APRIL 4 ASSASSINATION OF KING, LEFT BEHIND LITTLE STATISTICAL DATA, PROBABLY BY DESIGN.

THERE IS GROWING BELIEF IN SOME OFFICIAL CIRCLES IN WASHINGTON THAT RAY ACTED ALONE IN ASSASSINATING KING IN MEMPHIS, ALTHOUGH THE ORIGINAL FBI WARRANT FOR HIS ARREST WAS BASED ON A CIVIL RIGHTS CONSPIRACY CHARGE.

RAY ALREADY IS WANTED ON A FEDERAL FUGITIVE WARRANT FOR ESCAPING THE MISSOURI STATE PENITENTIARY APRIL 23, 1967. DESPITE HIS RECORD OF ATTEMPTS TO ESCAPE, RECORDS FROM THE VARIOUS PRISONS WHERE HE SERVED SHOW HE WAS A MODEL PRISONER.

BUT THE RECORDS SHOW THAT TWICE, AT LEVENWORTH PRISON IN 1957 AND DURING HIS TERM IN MISSOURI PRISON, RAY TURNED DOWN OFFERS OF TRANSFERS TO MINIMUM CUSTODY SECTIONS BECAUSE THE HONOR CAMP DORMITORIES WERE INTEGRATED.

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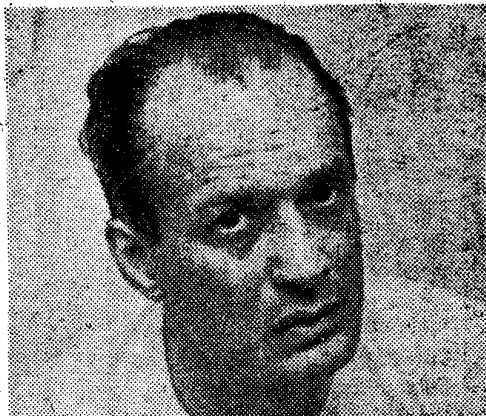
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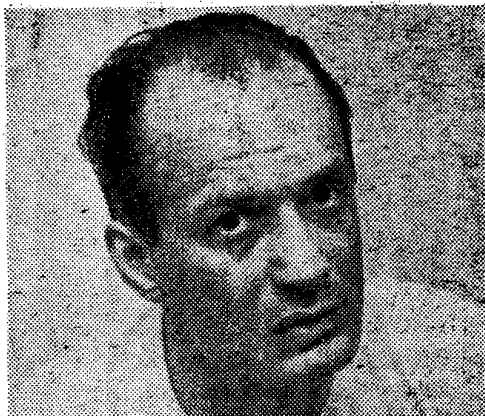
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Maj. Barney Ragsdale, director of the Georgia bureau, said a routine comparison of fingerprints received from the Federal Bureau of Investigation with a set sent by the Missouri State Penitentiary after Ray's escape in April, 1967, revealed the discrepancy.

Although both the F.B.I. and the Missouri warden, Harold R. Swenson, said the wanted poster was an error and a correction should have been received shortly after the original was distributed, Major Ragsdale said that his office had

never received the correction. Atlanta detective superintendent Clinton Chafin said that his office never got the correction and neither did the state police in Georgia and Alabama.

The warden said the mistake had no effect on the search for Ray.

Mr. Swenson told The Atlanta Constitution that it was the only instance of the wrong fingerprints being put on an official warrant bulletin that he could recall.

Mrs. Oneita Peters, a stenographer with the Georgia bureau, when she received a new wanted poster and noted that the fingerprints were different. She said she had no reference in the two sets of fingerprints would have been objectionable.

Special Agent Frank V. Hitt said meanwhile the prints on the F.B.I. identification order "are Ray's prints."

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CABORCA, MEXICO (UPI)--MEXICAN POLICE HAVE ARRESTED A BEARDED
 AMERICAN HITCHHIKER AS A SUSPECT IN THE INTERNATIONAL HUNT
 FOR A MAN WANTED IN THE KILLING OF DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING JR.,
 POLICE HEADQUARTERS SAID TODAY.
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 was instructed
 to check this out.
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 Phoenix, advised
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 had rec'd 2 inquiries
 from TV stations
 on this and he had
 checked with SAC
 but SAC not
 aware of arrest.
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Night Supervisor J.C. WILLIAMS
 Los Angeles called at 3:25 AM
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1ST ADD SUSPECT CABORCA MEXICO 021A YXX TODAY.
POLICE ARRESTED THE MAN IN A CAFE AT THIS TOWN BELOW
THE ARIZONA BORDER WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON. QUESTIONED HIM FOR 12 HOURS
IN HIS \$5-A-NIGHT HOTEL ROOM AND THEN DROVE HIM OFF IN HANDCUFFS
TO THE SONORA STATE CAPITAL OF HERMOSILLO, 120 MILES TO THE
SOUTH.

HOTEL MANAGER CARLOS VALANCIA BELTRAN TOLD UNITED PRESS
INTERNATIONAL HE HAD TOLD POLICE HIS GUEST RESEMBLED
PHOTOGRAPHS OF JAMES EARL RAY, WANTED BY THE FBI IN CONNECTION
WITH KING'S ASSASSINATION.

THE AMERICAN REGISTERED AT CABORCA'S SAN CARLOS HOTEL
UNDER THE NAME OF DAVID KENNEDY, 42, OF BALTIMORE MD.

BELTRAN QUOTED POLICE AS SAYING KENNEDY IDENTIFIED HIMSELF AS
A WALKING TOURIST, BOUND FOR SONORA'S DESOLATE ALTAR DESERT. KENNEDY
SAID HE HAS A DAUGHTER IN BALTIMORE AND HAS BEEN DIVORCED, BELTRAN
SAID.

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2ND ADD SUSPECT CABORCA MEXICO 021A YXX BELTRAN SAID.

LT. ROBERTO FLETCHER OF THE MEXICAN POLICE MADE THE ARREST
AND LED THE QUESTIONING IN THE HOTEL ROOM. HE SURROUNDED THE
HOTEL WITH OFFICERS ARMED WITH PISTOLS.

POLICE SAID THEY FOUND NO WEAPONS ON KENNEDY NOR ANY IN THE
ARMY-TYPE PACK HE CARRIED ON HIS BACK.

BELTRAN SAID KENNEDY TOLD HIM HE ENTERED MEXICO AT THE
ARIZONA BORDER TOWN OF NOGALES.

KENNEDY CHECKED INTO THE HOTEL TUESDAY NIGHT AT 11 P.M.,
BELTRAN SAID. WEDNESDAY, KENNEDY ASKED ABOUT PLACING A TELEPHONE
CALL TO AN UNIDENTIFIED PERSON IN BALTIMORE, THE HOTEL MANAGER
SAID.

THE MANAGER WATCHED HIS GUEST CLOSELY. HE SAID KENNEDY
HAS A TATTOO "SOMETHING LIKE A MONKEY" ON HIS LEFT ARM.
WHEN KENNEDY STEPPED OUT OF ROOM 22 WEDNESDAY, BELTRAN
TELEPHONED POLICE.

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 3RD ADD SUSPECT CABORCA MEXICO 022A VXX POLICE.
 FLETCHER ARRIVED. BELTRAN POINTED TO THE EMPTY ROOM AND SAID
 KENNEDY HAD STEPPED OUT, POSSIBLY TO A NEARBY CAFE. AT THE CAFE,
 FLETCHER FOUND KENNEDY SEATED AT A TABLE, DRINKING.
 ACCORDING TO BELTRAN, FLETCHER HANDCUFFED THE AMERICAN ALMOST
 IMMEDIATELY. SHORTLY THEREAFTER, FLETCHER AND ANOTHER OFFICER--
 ARMED-- LED KENNEDY BACK TO ROOM 22.
 THE INTERROGATION THAT BEGAN IN MIDAFTERNOON LASTED UNTIL 3:30
 A.M. TODAY. THEN FLETCHER LED KENNEDY DOWN THE STAIRCASE AND INTO THE
 CAR, SAYING HE WAS TAKING THE AMERICAN TO HERMOSILLO.
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4TH ADD SUSPECT CABORCA MEXICO C22A XXX HERMOSILLO.

POLICE SAID KENNEDY ENTERED MEXICO, MAKING HIS WAY TO CABORCA THROUGH THE TOWN OF SARIC, ABOUT 25 MILES BELOW NOGALES.

THE AREA BETWEEN NOGALES AND CABORCA IS ONE OF THE NORTH AMERICAN CONTINENT'S HOTTEST, MOST ARID STRETCHES OF TERRITORY. ITS GREATEST POPULATION IS THAT OF RATTLESNAKES. ONE MEXICAN AUTHORITY SAID, "ANY MAN WHO WALKS ACROSS THAT HAS GOT TO BE SOMETHING SPECIAL."

A CARAVAN OF POLICE CRUISERS ESCORTED KENNEDY AND FLETCHER TO HERMOSILLO.

OFFICER EMILIO MERAZZ OF THE CABORCA POLICE HEADQUARTERS SAID THEY HAD BEEN HUNTING SUSPECTS FOR RAY THROUGH DRAWINGS MADE BY A MEXICAN FEDERAL POLICE ARTIST IN MEXICO CITY WORKING FROM FBI INFORMATION.

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SUB SUSPECT CABORCA MEXICO C22A FOR 4TH PGH BENG; THE AMERICAN REGISTERED

THE AMERICAN REGISTERED AT CABORCA, SAN CARLOS HOTEL UNDER THE NAME OF DANIEL DAVID KENNEDY, 42, OF 548 EAST 38TH ST., BALTIMORE, MD. POLICE SAID HIS U.S. PASSPORT WAS NUMBERED 8927475.

IN WASHINGTON, MORE THAN 12 HOURS AFTER THE AMERICAN WAS HANDCUFFED IN CABORCA, AN FBI SPOKESMAN SAID THE HUNT FOR RAY, "NO ARREST HAS BEEN MADE." IN MEXICO AT THE TIME, POLICE HAD MADE NO ANNOUNCEMENT OF ANY FORMAL CHARGES BROUGHT AGAINST THE ARRESTED MAN.

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5TH ADD SUSPECT CABORCA MEXICO C22A XXX INFORMATION.
 IN BALTIMORE, KENNEDY'S 68-YEAR-OLD MOTHER PEARL TOLD UNITED
 PRESS INTERNATIONAL OF THE ARREST, "THAT'S IMPOSSIBLE. THAT'S
 IMPOSSIBLE."

"HE'S JUST A SKINNY OLD THING. IT WOULD TAKE A BLIND MAN TO SAY
 THAT HE RESEMBLED THE MAN THE FBI IS LOOKING FOR," MRS. KENNEDY SAID,
 HER VOICE BREAKING WITH SOBS.

THE MOTHER SAID HER SON WAS WOUNDED AND AWARDED THE PURPLE HEART
 IN COMBAT IN GERMANY DURING WORLD WAR II. "HE IS A MIXED-UP KID AND
 HAS BEEN EVER SINCE THEY FOUND HIM PARALYZED FROM THE WAIST DOWN
 ON THAT BATTLEFIELD IN GERMANY.

"HE WOULDN'T HARM A FLEA. HE WOULDN'T KILL A FLY," SHE SAID.
 MRS. KENNEDY SAID HER SON "WAS ESPECIALLY PARTIAL TO COLORED PEOPLE
 AND THOUGHT THEY WERE NOT GETTING A FAIR BREAK. THAT'S ONE OF THE
 REASONS HE DECIDED TO GO TO MEXICO."

SHE SAID HER SON LEFT BALTIMORE MARCH 24 AFTER ANSWERING A NEWSPAPER
 ADVERTISEMENT FROM SOMEONE WANTING TO DRIVE TO TUCSON, ARIZ., WITH
 EXPENSES SHARED. SHE SAID HER SON HITCHHIKED FROM TUCSON TO
 CABORCA AND CALLED HOME TUESDAY NIGHT.

#1 WIRED HIM 530 YESTERDAY," SHE SAID.

BUT SHE SAID HE HAS NEVER BEEN ABLE TO HOLD A STEADY JOB BECAUSE
 OF HIS WAR WOUNDS AND HAS NO "TRADE." SHE SAID KENNEDY RECEIVES A
 MONTHLY VETERAN'S COMPENSATION CHECK FROM THE GOVERNMENT.

MRS. KENNEDY, A WIDOW, SAID HIS DAUGHTER, KAREN WAS EXPECTING A
 CHILD.

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WASHINGTON--THE FBI REPORTED NO NEW LEADS TODAY IN THE HUNT FOR THE KILLER OF DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING THOUGH PHOTOGRAPHS OF THE PRIME SUSPECT PROBABLY HAVE BEEN SEEN BY EVERY AMERICAN WHO WATCHES TV OR READS A NEWSPAPER.

THERE WAS NO WAY TO ESTIMATE HOW MANY MILLIONS HAVE SEEN THE PHOTOGRAPH OF JAMES EARL RAY, 40-YEAR-OLD ESCAPEE FROM THE MISSOURI STATE PRISON, WANTED IN THE APRIL 4 SNIPER SLAYING OF THE CIVIL RIGHTS LEADER.

ALL THREE TV NETWORKS HAVE DISPLAYED THE PHOTOGRAPHS ON NEWS PROGRAMS. EVERY MAJOR NEWSPAPER IN THE COUNTRY HAS PUBLISHED THEM.

THE PHOTOS WERE USED ON THE ABC NETWORK SERIES PROGRAM, "THE FBI" LAST NIGHT. IT CLAIMS AN AUDIENCE OF SOME 25 MILLION.

THE FBI SAID IT WAS CHECKING OUT EVERY LEAD PRODUCED BY THIS MASSIVE EXPOSURE.

PLACED ON THE FBI'S LIST OF "MOST WANTED" MEN SUNDAY, RAY'S PICTURE WENT ON VIEW IN POST OFFICES AND OTHER PUBLIC PLACES THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY.

CANADIAN AND MEXICAN AUTHORITIES ALSO HAVE BEEN ALERTED TO BE ON THE LOOKOUT FOR RAY, WHOM THE FBI FRIDAY IDENTIFIED AS THE MYSTERIOUS ERICK STARVO GALT AFTER A PAINSTAKING CHECK OF MORE THAN 53,000 FINGERPRINTS IN ITS CRIMINAL FILES.

A WARRANT HAD BEEN ISSUED LAST WEDNESDAY FOR GALT AND A PICTURE OF HIM IN A BARTENDER'S UNIFORM WAS WIDELY CIRCULATED.

AMID STRONG INDICATIONS THAT GALT WAS A CAREFULLY CONTRIVED PERSONALITY WHO DID NOT EXIST, THE FBI FRIDAY IDENTIFIED HIM AS RAY ON THE BASIS OF LATENT FINGERPRINTS FOUND IN THE CASE.

TWO PRISON PHOTOGRAPHS TAKEN IN 1960 WERE CIRCULATED ALONG WITH THE 1968 PICTURE.

THE FBI WAS NOT EXPECTED TO ISSUE ANY MORE REPORTS UNTIL THE SUSPECT IS APPREHENDED.

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What Is a Conspiracy? *A-24*

The most troubling aspect of the charge laid by the Federal Government against the suspected murderer of Dr. Martin Luther King is that it is drawn in terms of a conspiracy. To the non-lawyer, a conspiracy means a plot hatched by many men, worked out in great detail, and executed with precision. This meaning may attach particularly to that word's use in the King case because of the charge by Negro extremists that white America conspired to kill Dr. King. But the legal meaning of a charge of conspiracy, and the reason such a charge is used in cases like this one, are often quite different from the image the word conspiracy is likely to raise.

In legal terms, a plot laid by two men to commit a crime is just as much a conspiracy as a plot hatched by two hundred. So far, no information has been released that indicates this conspiracy against Dr. King involved more than two men—one of them allegedly Eric Starvo Galt and the other a man described as one the accused said was his brother. If that is the extent of any conspiracy, it is a far cry from the kind of conspiracy the extremists have been shouting about.

More importantly, however, the Justice Department may or may not think it has a valid conspiracy charge in the works when it uses that charge in this kind of case. There is probably no Federal charge other than conspiracy that can be laid against the killer of Dr. King. A murder charge

can be filed only by a state, not by the Federal Government. In several civil rights cases in the past, the Government has used the conspiracy charge as a way of keeping full control of the investigation and of bringing its full resources into play. A few years ago, for example, a conspiracy charge was filed in the murder of Medgar Evers, but once the suspect was arrested the conspiracy charge was dropped and no evidence was ever presented to indicate that more than one man participated in that murder. The only other handle the Federal Government has in cases like this is to turn its evidence over to state officials, let them obtain a murder warrant and then ask the FBI to pursue the man as a fugitive. And the FBI is always reluctant to let go of its evidence until a case is sewed up.

It may, of course, turn out that two or more persons were involved in planning the murder of Dr. King. But, on the basis of the information released so far and on the kind of charge placed against Eric Galt, it is presumptuous to leap to such a conclusion.

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F.B.I. ACCUSES GALT OF A CONSPIRACY IN DR. KING SLAYING

Alleges a Plot With Man
He Said Was a Brother to
Violate Victim's Rights

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Hoover Places Suspect in
Memphis at Time of Killing
—Two Photos Released

Text of the F.B.I. statement
is printed on Page 46.

By EVERT CLARK

Special to The New York Times

WASHINGTON, April 17 —
The Federal Bureau of Investigation issued a fugitive warrant today charging Eric Starvo Galt, described as a 36-year-old "loner," with conspiracy in the slaying of the Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.

Dr. King's assassin has been sought since the civil rights leader was killed by a rifle bullet on the balcony of the Lorraine Motel in Memphis on April 4.

The F.B.I. said Galt conspired beginning about March 29 with a man "whom he alleged to be his brother" to "injure, oppress, threaten or intimidate" Dr. King. The conspiracy continued until about April 5, the agency said.

Attorney General Ramsey Clark announced that Galt was being sought as a fugitive on the charge of having conspired to violate Dr. King's civil rights in violation of Title 18, Section 241, of the United States Code.

The maximum penalty on conviction under this law is a \$5,000 fine and a 10-year prison sentence.

Announcement by Hoover

An announcement by J. Edgar Hoover, F.B.I. director, placed Galt in Memphis at the time of the killing and said he then left for Atlanta.

It said that Galt, "who has used the names of John Willard and Harvey Lowmyer in the past," owned the white 1966 Mustang automobile bearing Alabama license plates that was found abandoned in Atlanta one week after the assassination.

John Willard was the name given to a man who fled from a rooming house near the Lorraine Motel just after Dr. King was shot. The man had taken a room in the house, and the fatal shot is believed to have been fired from a bathroom window there.

There was no explanation of the Lowmyer alias.

The Mustang found in Atlanta resembled one seen speeding away from the assassination area.

Sources close to investigators in Memphis said that the Memphis police had almost run Galt down as they went to the murder scene.

The Federal warrant was issued in Birmingham, Ala., where Mr. Hoover said that a .30-'06-caliber rifle equipped with a telescopic sight had been found near a rooming house on South Main Street in Memphis immediately after the shooting. He said an F. B. I. agent had determined that that rifle and a telescopic sight was bought from a gun dealer in Birmingham on March 30.

Suspect Described

The announcement did not directly link Galt to the rifle found in Memphis or say that the .30-'06 was the weapon that killed Dr. King.

Galt was described as 5 feet 8 to 5 feet 11 inches tall, weighing between 160 and 175 pounds and having "brush-cut" brown hair and blue eyes.

"He is said to be a neat dresser and has a medium build," the F.B.I. said.

Those who have met him describe him as a loner and say his "language and diction have a 'rural' quality and suggest that he probably does not have a high degree of education," the agency said.

Galt was said to like vodka, beer and Western and country music and to have a nervous habit of occasionally pulling at an ear lobe, the F.B.I. added.

"His left ear protrudes far-

ther from his head than his right ear," it said.

The F.B.I. released two photographs of Galt, one with his eyes closed and another containing a notation on the back: "Eyes drawn in by F.B.I. artist."

The man whom the agency said Galt had alleged was his brother was not further identified in the announcement here.

Galt traveled extensively in this country and went to Mexico after he bought the white Mustang from a private citizen in Birmingham last Aug. 30, Mr. Hoover said. The car's odometer showed the Mustang had been driven more than 19,000 miles since the purchase, the F.B.I. director said. "Galt's travels in the Mustang included trips to Los

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Angeles, New Orleans, Birmingham and Mexico as well to Memphis and Atlanta," the F.B.I. announcement said.

The suspect left Los Angeles last Dec. 15, drove to New Orleans and "claimed he contacted either an engineering firm or a contracting firm," according to the agency.

He left New Orleans four days later and arrived in Los Angeles on Dec. 21. The agency said.

There was no indication why he had been in touch with the company.

Took Bartending Course

While he was in Los Angeles, Galt "took a course at a school of bartending and was graduated on March 2, 1968," the agency said.

The announcement did not attempt to trace Galt's whereabouts day by day or even week by week. But it placed him in New Orleans in 1964 and 1965, in Birmingham last September and October and in Long Beach, Calif., from last December until last February by saying he took dancing lessons in those places at those times.

"He is said to be an avid dancer," the announcement said.

It also said intensive investigation by the F.B.I. had disclosed that Galt "has claimed to have been employed as a cook on Mississippi River vessels and as a merchant seaman."

Galt should be considered "armed and dangerous" and any information about him should be furnished immediately to the nearest F.B.I. office, the announcement added.

The F.B.I. refused to say where it got Galt's photograph. The pictures show him in a dark suit and a neat, dark bow tie; he might have been wearing a tuxedo at the time. One picture appeared to have been cut out and placed on a different background, as though it might have been taken from a group picture, such as one taken at a nightclub.

Sketch Shown Previously

The photographs were the first to be connected with the case, although F.B.I. agents have been showing a full-face sketch of a suspect to hundreds of persons all through the South.

There was nothing in today's statements to indicate what role the F.B.I. thought the al-

leged other conspirator played, or whether there might be still other suspected conspirators.

Galt's name was first publicly linked with the King murder on April 11, when an F.B.I. bulletin was released in Florida, apparently by mistake, and later withdrawn. The bulletin asked that Galt be located for questioning.

On April 12 the Mustang was found in Atlanta. It apparently had been parked there since about 12 hours after the murder. It was impounded after residents of the housing development where it was found noted that it matched the description of the car wanted in the murder.

The section of the United States Code under which Galt is accused states:

"If two or more persons conspire to injure, oppress, threaten, or intimidate any citizen in the free exercise or enjoyment of any right or privilege secured to him by the Constitution or laws of the United States, or because of his having so exercised the same; or

"If two or more persons go in disguise on the highway, or on the premises of another, with intent to prevent or hinder his free exercise or enjoyment of any right or privilege so secured—

"They shall be fined not more than \$5,000 or imprisoned not more than 19 years, or both."

Memphis Hopes to Try Galt

MEMPHIS, April 17 (UPI)—Tennessee authorities indicated tonight that they would file murder charges in the assassination of Dr. King.

"That will be our immediate consideration," Memphis Fire and Police Director Frank Holloman said in answer to a question of whether there were plans to issue a warrant for the arrest of Galt.

"We look forward to the apprehension of this individual and his ultimate return to Memphis for trial for the murder of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.," Mr. Holloman said.

He would not elaborate on the statement.

M. P. DICKENSON, BENEFIT ADVISER

Captain of Noted Princeton Football Team Is Dead

Special to The New York Times

BOSTON, April 17 — Melville P. Dickenson, a board member of Miller Mason & Dickenson, Inc., employe benefit consultants of Philadelphia, and a retired senior vice president of the Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States, died yesterday at New England Baptist Hospital while awaiting heart surgery. He was 69 years old and lived at 3512 North Oleander Way, Gulfstream, Fla.

Successful Salesman

Before embarking on a successful insurance career, during which he sold Equitable's first \$1-million policy on a single life. Mr. Dickenson had been an outstanding athlete at Princeton University.

He was captain of the 1922 football team, called "The Team of Destiny" because it went undefeated after a poor season had been predicted, and tied for the informal Ivy League championship. Mr. Dickenson was a guard on Walter Camp's third all-America team.

He was a substitute center on the basketball team, and an assistant coach in 1923-4.

Mr. Dickenson kept trim during his business career by playing golf. While working for Equitable, he lived at the Pine Valley Golf Club in Clementon, N. J. He played golf two days before he left Florida for the Boston hospital two weeks ago.

Served in Both Wars

Mr. Dickenson was born in Philadelphia and attended Wyoming Seminary in Bethlehem, N. Y., before entering Princeton, where he graduated in 1922. He was an ensign in the Navy in World War I, and a lieutenant commander in the aircraft carrier in the



Fabian Bachrach

Melville P. Dickenson

MRS. KNICKERBOCKER ADMIRAL'S WIFE, 60

Special to The New York Times

PHILADELPHIA, April 17—Mrs. Marion Reybold Knickerbocker, the wife of Rear Admiral William L. Knickerbocker, retired, who is executive director of the United States Foreign Visitors Association, Inc., died yesterday at the United States Naval Hospital here. She was 60 years old and lived at Greengarden Farm, Palmers Mill Road, Media, Pa.

While her husband was commander of Naval Supply Activities in the nineteen-fifties, Mrs. Knickerbocker managed the Navy Relief Society Thrift Shop at the New York Naval Shipyard. She had accompanied Admiral Knickerbocker at posts in Hawaii, North China and the Philippines and on travels around the world.

Her hobby was genealogical research. She was a descendant of Richard Stockton, a signer of the Declaration of Independence; Pieterse Schuyler, who settled at Fort Orange, which became Albany, in 1650, and Major Philip Reybold, Huguenot who settled in Delaware in 1812.

Besides her husband, Mrs. Knickerbocker is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Richard M. DuBois and her mother, Mrs. Philip Sidney Reybold, both of Philadelphia.

F.B.I.'s Statement on the Hunt for Galt

Following is the text of a statement released by the Federal Bureau of Investigation yesterday concerning a warrant issued for Eric Starvo Galt in the slaying of the Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.:

Attorney General Ramsey Clark announced today that Eric Starvo Galt is being sought by the F.B.I. as a fugitive on a Federal charge arising from the fatal shooting of the Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. in Memphis, Tenn., on April 4, 1968.

Director J. Edgar Hoover stated that a Federal complaint was filed by the F.B.I. in Birmingham, Ala., today charging Galt with conspiring to violate the civil rights of Dr. King in violation of Title 18, Section 241 of the United States Code.

The F.B.I. complaint charges that "on or about March 29, 1968, in Birmingham, Ala., Eric Starvo Galt and an individual whom he alleged to be his brother, entered into a conspiracy which continued until on or about April 5, 1968, to injure, oppress, threaten, or intimidate Martin Luther King Jr. in the free exercise or enjoyment of a right secured to him by the constitution or laws of the United States; namely, the right to freely travel from state to state. In furtherance of this conspiracy Eric Starvo Galt did, on or about March 30, 1968, purchase a rifle at Birmingham, Ala.

Rifle Found

According to Mr. Hoover, a .30'06 rifle equipped with a telescopic sight was found near a rooming house on South Main Street in Memphis immediately after the fatal shooting of Dr. King occurred. The rooming house overlooks the Lorraine Hotel

and Motel where Dr. King was staying.

Mr. Hoover said that F.B.I. agents determined that the .30-'06 rifle had been purchased from a gun dealer in Birmingham, Ala., on March 30, 1968. The telescopic sight was also purchased from this dealer.

The F.B.I. director said that Galt, who has used the names of John Willard and Harvey Lowmyer in the past, is the owner of a 1966 white Mustang bearing Alabama license plates which was located abandoned in Atlanta, Ga., on April 11, 1968.

Investigation disclosed that Galt purchased this car from a private citizen in Birmingham on Aug. 30, 1967. The Mustang odometer showed that it had been driven more than 19,000 miles between late August 1967, and early April 1968.

According to Mr. Hoover, Galt's travels in the Mustang included trips to Los Angeles, Calif.; New Orleans, La.; Birmingham, Ala., and Mexico, as well as to Memphis, Tenn., and Atlanta, Ga. Galt was reported to have been in Memphis on April 3 and 4, 1968, and to have departed from there for Atlanta.

Avid Dancer

Intensive investigation by the F.B.I. has disclosed that Galt has claimed to have been in Florida as a cook on Mississippi River vessels and as a merchant seaman. He is said to be an avid dancer and took dancing lessons in New Orleans in 1964 and 1965; in Birmingham between September and October, 1967, and in Long Beach, Calif., from December, 1967, to February, 1968.

Galt left Los Angeles on Dec. 15, 1967, and drove his white Mustang to New Orleans, where he claimed he contacted either an engi-

neering or contracting firm. He left New Orleans on Dec.

and arrived back in Los Angeles on Dec. 21, 1967.

While in the Los Angeles area earlier this year, Galt took a course at a school of bartending and was graduated on March 2, 1968.

The fugitive is described as a white male. He is approximately 5 feet 8 inches to 5 feet 11 inches tall and weighs between 160 and 175 pounds. He is said to be a neat dresser and has a medium build.

Galt has brown hair which he wears in a "brush" cut. He reportedly has blue eyes; his nose is straight and narrow; his teeth are straight and clean; and he has given his date of birth as July 29, 1931.

Nervous Habit

The fugitive is said to have a nervous habit of occasionally pulling at an ear lobe with his hand. His left ear protrudes farther from his head than his right ear.

According to Mr. Hoover, persons who have met Galt describe him as a "loner" and state his language and diction have a "rural" quality and suggest that he probably does not have a high degree of education. He is said to drink alcoholic beverages and has a preference for vodka and beer. He is a fan of Western and country music.

The Federal statute under which Galt has been charged provides a maximum penalty of 10 years imprisonment and/or \$5,000 fine. Bond of \$50,000 has been recommended.

Galt should be considered armed and dangerous. Any information concerning him should be furnished immediately to the nearest F.B.I. office.

Deaths

DICKENSON—Melville Pierce, in Boston, on April 16, husband of Sarah (Christy) Dickenson of Delray Beach, Fla., father of Mrs. Irene Jordan of New Jersey, Melville P. Dickenson, Jr., of New Jersey and David S. Dickenson of Ohio; also brother of Mrs. Henrietta Stow of New York, David L. Dickenson of Florida and Malcomb Dickenson of Florida. He also leaves 10 grandchildren. Memorial services will be held at the Church of the Palm in Delray Beach, Fla., on Thursday, April 18 at 11 A.M.

DILLER—Jacob, on April 15, 1968. Beloved husband of Gustie Diller, father of Renee Katz; also survived by five grandchildren. Funeral was held Tuesday. Shiva will commence Saturday evening, April 20, at the home of the deceased, 66 Overlook Terrace, N.Y.C. Apt 3C.

DUNCAN—Emmalena (nee Sizer), in Providence, R. I., April 15, 1968. Widow of David Duncan. Residence, 123 Waterman Street, Providence. Funeral at Swan Point Chapel, Providence, Thursday, April 18th at 12:00 Noon. In place of flowers, a contribution may be sent to Butler Hospital, 333 Grotto Ave., Providence.

FELDMAN—Minnie, beloved mother of Dr. Norman Jarvik and Dr. Murray Jarvik. Dear sister of Nettie Schwartz. Loving grandmother. Services today 11:30 A.M. "Schwartz Brothers," 60 E. Tremont Ave., n. Grand Concourse, Bronx.

FERBER—Edna, on April 16, 1968. Beloved sister of Fannie Ferber Fox. Devoted aunt of Mina Fox Klein and Janet Fox Goldsmith. Private services for family and friends Thursday 1 P.M. at Frank E. Campbell, Madison Ave. at 81 St., in lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to American Cancer Society or the Braille Institute for the Blind.

FERBER—Edna. Her fellow members are bereaved by the death of Edna Ferber. She gave stanch and generous support to concerns of authors and dramatists throughout 55 years of her membership—longer than any other membership in our history.

REX STOUT, President.
The Authors League of America
Elizabeth Jewett, Pres., The Authors Guild
Sidney Kingsley, Pres., The Dramatist Guild

FEYER—Celia, beloved wife of the late Louis A., devoted mother of David, Bernard and Leona, dear sister of Lillian Chale, Bertha Archer and Julius J. Kaplan, adored grandmother and great-grandmother. Services today, 1 P.M. at "Nassau North Chapel," 55 North Station Plaza (opp. RR Sta.), Great Neck, L. I.

FINK—Marie S., April 16, 1968, beloved wife of Theodore, devoted mother of Charles. Service Walter B. Cooke Funeral Home, 1 W. 190th St., Friday, 2:30 P.M. Interment Woodlawn Cemetery.

FITZPATRICK—John Vincent, on April 17, 1968. Loving father of Vincent Gerard. Brother of Mrs. Mae G. Dougherty, Mrs. Kathryn U. Carr, and Florence B. Fitzpatrick. Also survived by six grandchildren. Reposing 1:10 P.M. at the Fox Funeral Home, Grand Concourse and 201 St. until Saturday 9 A.M. Requiem Mass Our Lady of Mercy Church, 9:30 A.M. Interment St. Raymond's Cemetery.

FORSCHNER—Dorothea, on April 16. Wife of Frank, daughter of Mary and Peter Rafferty and sister of Winifred Myers. Reposing at Shea Funeral Home, 4504 Skillman Ave., L. I. City, until Friday at 9:00 A.M. Requiem Mass Queen of Angels Church, 9:30 A.M. Interment Maple Grove Cemetery.

GARY—Curtis Case on April 17th, 1968 at Pinehurst, No. Carolina. Beloved husband of Maria P. Gary, devoted father of Curtis Case Gary Jr. and Edwin Fuller Gary and brother of Wyndham L. Gary. Services in Henderson, No. Carolina, to be announced.

GLASNER—Hattie, beloved wife of the late Max, dear sister of Irving Alexander, Lillian Gertel and Tessie Friedman. Services today, 1 P.M. "Schwartz Brothers," 60 E.

Deaths

Adams, Edward L.
Albert, Henry B.
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Apellan, Elizabeth
Benson, David Joseph
Benson, Frederick S.
Blaut, Florence A.
Breitbart, Max
Byrnes, Julia M.
Cassini, A. L.
Charnay, Lillie
Chase, Alice C.
Claman, Emanuel
Cronin, Harold J.
DeLafield, Gladys Hoad
Devaney, Joseph P.
Dickenson, M. P.
Diller, Jacob
Duncan, Emmalena
Feldman, Minnie
Ferber, Edna
Feyer, Celia
Fink, Marie S.
Fitzpatrick, John V.
Forschner, Dorothea
Gary, Curtis Case
Glaser, Hattie
Greenspan, Dina
Grufferman, Leo
Haas, John David
Hecht, Joseph
Holmes, Zillah Vezin
Jacobs, Jerome H.
Johnson, Richard S.
Kabaskallian, Takouhi
Kam, Dina

Kaster, Joseph
Katz, Paul
Lebell, Jules
Loew, Edgar Popper
Lyons, Gertrude E.
Mondsheln, Frances
Nadler, Esther G.
Pauker, Frieda
Potlick, Harry
Rakita, Sidney M.
Regan, Mary A.
Richardson, Bessie
Rieser, Julian
Robinson, Benjamin
Rourke, Cornelius G.
Sanderson, Dorothy L.
Schechter, Gertrude
Schwartz, Joseph
Sefaro, Joseph J. Sr.
Sheerlin, May
Simring, Max
Sindler, Rose
Sonner, Joel P.
Stam, Jesse
Stoen, Josephine
Torrey, Susan Conroy
Towbin, Jessica
Triefler, Harry
Wagenstein, Bernard
Waterman, Dorothy
Weber, Benjamin
Weese, Mrs. Blanche L.
Weltman, Irving
Wilson, Helen F.
Wolfson, Daniel
Wolfson, David

LOEW—Edgar Popper, on April 16, 1968. Beloved father of Alison and Edgar Baileine Loew. Services today at 1:30 P.M. at "The Universal" Funeral Chapel, 52d St. and Lexington Ave.

LEBELL—Jules. King Solomon Lodge #279 F & AM mourns the death of its beloved Brother, a loyal member for 57 years. Masonic services, Thursday noon, at Broadway Memorial Chapel, Broadway at 174 St. A. MARTIN STUCHINER, Master.

LYONS—Gertrude E. (nee McDonald) on April 17, 1968, beloved wife of the late Michael T., dear sister of Loretta McDonald. Reposing at Horne-Darneck Funeral Home, 336 W. 23d St., N. Y. C. Requiem Mass Saturday, 10 A.M., St. Colombas R. C. Church. Interment Calvary Cemetery.

MONDSHEIN—Frances, devoted wife of Irving, beloved mother of Michael, Leslie and dear sister of Cecilia Horowitz and Rita Luloff. Services Thursday, 10 A.M., at Schwartz Brothers "Forest Park Chapel," Queens Blvd., & 76 Rd., Forest Hills.

MONDSHEIN—Frances. It is with extreme sorrow and regret that the Officers, Board of Governors and Members of Engineers Country Club record the untimely passing of their member, Frances Mondsheln. We convey our heartfelt condolences to Irving, her husband, and to the bereaved family.

MADLER—Esther G., in Miami Beach, Fla., on April 15, wife of the late James H. Nadler, mother of M. Harold Nadler, grandmother of James, Andrew and Sarah. Sister of Jeanette Chasenoff, Bena Sloboda and Dora Gruenberg. Services Thursday, April 18, 12:30 P.M., "The Riverside," 76th St. & Amsterdam Ave. In lieu of flowers contributions may be made to your favorite charity.

PAUKER—Frieda. We mourn the loss of our revered, adored and beloved aunt. Her devotion, kindness and generosity will always remain a legacy in our hearts.

S. L. PAUKER, Family Circle.
DR. EDWARD PAUKER, President.
HARRY GARR, loving husband of Tillie,

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SCHECTER—Gertrude, adored wife of Jack, beloved mother of Eleanor I. Morse and Donald A. Schechter, dear sister and devoted grandmother. Services Thursday, 10 A.M. at "The Riverside" Westchester, 27 West Broad St., Fleetwood, Mount Vernon.

SCHWARTZ—Joseph, of Cherry Hill, N. J., formerly of Long Island, beloved husband of the late Bertha, dear father of Arlene Neuman and Shirley Schwartz, loving brother of Leah Saroff, Rose Lipson, Jack, and adored grandfather. Funeral services Thurs., 10:30 A.M. at Gutterman's "Nassau Memorial Chapel," Long Beach Road at Greystone, Rockville Centre, L. I.

SETARO—Joseph J. Sr. on April 15, 1968, beloved husband of the late Maria (nee Guerra). Devoted father of Frank, Joseph Jr., Marie, Dr. Rocco and Lucy McShane; brother of Frances, Prof. Franklin, Rose, and Isabella Nielsen; also survived by three grandchildren and six great-grandchildren. Reposing at the Morisco Funeral Home, 30-12 Astoria Blvd., Astoria, N. Y. until Friday 9 A.M. Mass at Our Lady of Mount Carmel R. C. Church 9:30 A.M. Entombment in Calvary Cemetery.

SETARO—Joseph J., Sr. The Italian Pharmaceutical Society announces with deep sorrow the passing of our past President and faithful Executive Secretary for the past 20 years.

ROGER PAGANELLI, President.
SHEERIN—May. Reposing at Williams Funeral Home on Broadway at 232 St, Bronx, until Friday 9 A.M.

SIMRING—Max, beloved husband of Gladys, loving father of Sheila Freedman, dear brother of Mae Denny, Anna Levine, Abraham, Benjamin, Simon, Charles and the late Jack; devoted grandfather. Services today, 10:15 A.M., "Westminster Chapels," Coney Island Ave. (Ave. H), Brooklyn.

SINDLER—Rose, beloved sister of Hannah Schlagel and Bertha, loving aunt. Services at Parkside Chapel, 1345 Jerome Ave., Bronx (169th St.), today at 1:00 P.M.

SONNER—Joel P., suddenly, on April 17, 1968, beloved husband of the late Carolyn, devoted father of Robert L. and Doris E., dear brother of Agnes Murray, Florence Bornscheuer and Lydia Wells; also survived by 2 grandchildren and 4 great-grandchildren. Service from the Fairchild Chapel, 220-05 Hillside Ave., Queens Village, Friday, 8 P.M. Interment Saturday at Maple Grove Cemetery.

STAM—Jesse, on Wednesday, April 17th, of 16 Whites Ave., Watertown, Mass.; husband of Vivian Steiner, father of James L., Robert A. and Ruth Stam, brother of Hilda Stam of New York and William Stam of Jacksonville, Fla., nephew of Mrs. Samuel Gold. Services at the Levine Chapel, 470 Harvard St., Brookline, Mass., Thursday, April 18 at 3 P.M.

STEEN—Josephine, on April 17, wife of the late John, beloved mother of Mrs. Mary Keane, devoted sister of Katherine and Margaret Torrey, dear grandmother of David, John and Patrick. Funeral from Walter Cody Funeral Home, 1093 St. Nicholas Ave., (165th St.), Sat., 10:30 A.M. Mass, Church of St. Rose of Lima, 10:45 A.M.

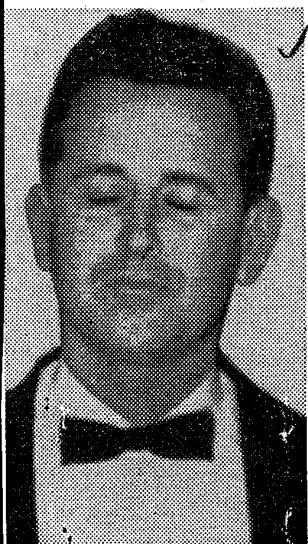
TORREY—Susan Conroy, at home after a long illness, bravely borne, on April 15, 1968. Beloved wife of Clare Morris Torrey. Deceased mother of Peter MacGregor, Katherine (Mrs. Claude E.) Forkner Jr., John Malcolm, Michael Hallam, Susan Eyre and James Alexander Torrey. Sister of Thomas P. Conroy. Survived by 8 grandchildren. Friends may call 5-7 P.M. The Abbey, Lexington, & 60th St. Services at Lady Chapel, St. Patrick's Cathedral, (51 St. entrance) Friday, April 19th at 11 A.M. Those who desire may send contributions to the National Multiple Sclerosis Society 257 Park Ave So. NY.

TOWBIN—Jessica, of Tucson, Arizona, beloved wife of Morris, devoted mother of Cecelia Drucker, loving grandmother of Allen Drucker. Reposing Wed., 7 pm. to 10 pm. Services Thurs., 1:15 p.m., Gailick's "Parkside," Jerome Ave. near 170 St., Bronx.

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Midnight Memorial Vigil in Times Square by DuBois Club

By MICHAEL JAY

HUNDREDS OF New Yorkers staged a memorial vigil for Dr. Martin Luther King in front of the Allied Chemical Building in Times Square. The demonstration was hurriedly organized by members of the Brooklyn College DuBois Club after members learned of King's murder in Memphis.

At 11:45 p.m., as the news flashed across the building's news sign, the Du Bois members assembled with their own signs. "He Had A Dream," read one placard, "An End To Racial Oppression." "He Died For Freedom," said another.

man with tears in his eyes. A group of black youths gathered near the demonstration. They did not join the line.

Several chided the demonstrators, who remained silent. Others argued that the white mourners were not the enemy of America's oppressed black people.

At about 12:30 a.m., a dozen young black people left the area in front of the building and began to run uptown on Broadway, with policemen in hot pursuit. One store window was broken. Several Negroes were arrested.

At 1:10, there were about 100 people in front of the Allied

The group was quickly joined by passersby.

At the outset, most of the participants were white. Before the night was over, there was a racially-mixed group of several hundred encircling the building.

"Who Died For Freedom? Martin Luther King!" they chanted, as a dozen policemen looked on. It lasted almost all night.

Early in the demonstration, it appeared as though there might be trouble. Young black people stared angrily at the white mourners. "You killed my brother, whitey," said one young

Chemical Building. A number of black people had joined the line by then. They chanted, "Who Died For Freedom? Martin Luther King!"

They were soon joined by over 150 people who had marched down Broadway from 103 Street. It was a racially mixed group.

When the people in front of the building saw them coming down the street, they cheered. The cheers were returned by the oncoming group.

The two groups joined.

The merged group was somber. The people were mourning, but they were also angry. Nobody cared what time it was.

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Special to The Worker

ATLANTA — More than 500,000 Americans from all over the country — black and white — marched here last Tuesday to pay their last tribute to the martyred national leader, Dr. Martin Luther King, and to express their determination to move immediately to achieve the objectives set by Dr. King: black liberation, an end to poverty for all, peace in Vietnam and in the world.

Topping the agenda for the future in the minds of the vast throng were the National March of the Poor to Washington beginning April 22, and the organization of the unorganized workers in the South as exemplified in the long and bitter struggle of the Negro garbage workers in Memphis.

The makings of the great national coalition that could bring to reality the program enunciated by Dr. King were present in the magnificent gathering here.

There were many dignitaries at the funeral ceremonies politicians, religionists, bankers, community leaders, labor chieftains. Some of them had come out of a sincere desire to express their grief, many others in fearful response to the pressure from the people of the country.

But the truly significant aspect of the tremendous march

was that it was the expression of the ordinary people of the nation. The marchers and watchers were thousands of the super-exploited and oppressed Negro people. There were the nation's poor. There were thousands of rank-and-file labor unionists. They were there to guarantee the future.

Symbolic of the composition and character of the marchers was the faded-green, rough-planked farm cart, pulled by two mules, which carried the coffin containing Dr. King's body through Atlanta's streets.

The keynote for the South and for the future struggles had been sounded the day before in Memphis, where 80,000 working people from all over the U.S. had marched in support of the 1,300 striking garbage workers and for the right of all workers to organize.

Speaking to the cheering crowd, the Rev. Dr. Ralph D. Abernathy, now head of the Southern Christian Leadership Conference said:

"I am not going to lead my people part of the way. I am going to take them all the way. We are bound for the promised land. We ain't going to let nobody . . . we ain't going to let nobody . . . we ain't going to let nobody . . . turn us around."

"I want to call on the nation that I love to let my people go."

"I want to call on the Congress of the United States to feed the hungry in the land. . . . I want to call on the Congress of the United States to end the war in Vietnam for we are sick and tired of black men dying in Vietnam when they cannot live decently at home."

Mrs. Martin Luther King Jr. told the Memphis marchers:

"Those of you who believed in what Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. stood for, I would challenge you today to see that his spirit never dies, and that we will go forward from this experience — which to me represents the crucifixion — on toward the resurrection and redemption of his spirit."

The spirit of the marches here was expressed in their own words as they walked under the hot sun. A middle-aged Negro woman said:

"I was with the movement in Montgomery. I walked then till

he said ride. I feel like I was a part of him, or he was a part of me. Whatsoever he said do, I was right there. He gave my spirit courage. I'll walk to the end with him all the way."

A Negro school teacher who had come from Detroit, declared: **"It doesn't seem like a hard march. Perhaps, it's the cause. Maybe this will go further than**

the United States, maybe it will help when America and Hanoi sit down at the table."

The voice of another black woman, who had lived two blocks away from the martyred Dr. King, rang through the streets, eloquent with grief and hope, as she sang:

"Black and white, we shall overcome."



HARLEMITES march down 7th Avenue to Central Park rally in memory of Dr. King.

boycott of all Easter finery this year, and for a work stoppage by black workers and those allied with them.

A 48-hour vigil initiated by the Peace Action Council came to an end Monday noon in downtown Pershing Square with a memorial rally. The vigil took place in front of the Federal Building, and numbered between 50 and 200 at all times.

In Pasadena, Burbank, Long Beach, Van Nuys and many other communities mass meetings, memorials and rallies were held. In Wrigley Field Monday afternoon hundreds turned out

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revoked on Feb. 23 after Brown spoke at a rally for Huey Newton, jailed Black Panther leader, in Oakland, Calif.

Feb. 27 he was jailed in New Orleans after a \$50,000 bond was set on the "weapon in interstate flight" charge and another \$50,000 bond was set on a charge that Brown had allegedly threatened a Negro FBI agent. Brown began fasting at that time.

The New Orleans bonds re-

unionists, most of them members of District 65, Retail Wholesale "Department Store Union, AFL-CIO, held a demonstration in the garment center Monday. The throng, which stretched across 7th Avenue between 35th and 38th Streets, heard "white racism" denounced as the killer of Dr. King.

Several speakers emphasized Dr. King's opposition to the

dillo arrived in the middle of the rally and spoke briefly. They left soon afterward.

The rally ended as white and black workers clasped hands and sang "We Shall Overcome."

Also in N. Y. last week, hundreds of marchers, mostly young people, marched downtown from 110th Street and Broadway to the U. N. Plaza, where Mayor Lindsay spoke briefly. About 50

Fatal King Bullet Reported Too Scarred to Identify.

By MARTIN WALDRON
Special to The New York Times

MEMPHIS, Tenn. April 11—Predictions by the Memphis police and by Attorney General Ramsey Clark of a quick arrest in the assassination of the Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. have not materialized.

Dr. King was shot to death on the balcony of a Memphis motel a week ago tonight.

And despite what Mr. Clark called an "unusually large amount of physical evidence," the four men known to have been questioned since the slaying have all been released.

Two of the men were law students who were in Memphis last week to help plan a civil rights demonstration. The third was a bald-headed man arrested over the weekend near the assassination site, and the fourth was a minister arrested Tuesday in Joplin, Mo.

Saw Man Drop Rifle

According to a report today, the bullet that killed Dr. King had been smashed and laboratory technicians of the Federal Bureau of Investigation had been unable to match it with the Remington .30-06 caliber rifle believed to have been the assassin's weapon.

Witnesses said that the rifle

had been discarded by a long-nosed young man who ran from a rooming house near Dr. King's motel immediately after the shooting.

The F.B.I., refused to comment in the report that the bullet could not be identified. But the report was consistent with information furnished by a source in Memphis, who said that the bullet was a soft-nosed and had been squashed, apparently when it hit Dr. King's left shoulder blade.

Soft-nosed bullets are used in big game hunting because they expand on contact and do much more damage than do the steel-jacketed bullets used by soldiers.

The Remington .30-06 caliber rifle cartridges are powerful enough to kill a man at a distance of more than a half-mile.

In another development today, the Remington Company at Bridgeport, Conn., confirmed that one of its 30- '06 rifles had been traced by the F.B.I. through its serial number.

A company spokesman said, however, that employees had been told not to give out information such as where the rifle had been shipped to be sold at retail.

The rifle apparently pur-

chased by the assassin or an accomplice in Birmingham, Ala., last week. A clerk at a gun store near the Birmingham Airport said that the F.B.I. had checked the store's records, but she denied that the rifle was sold there. "That is just a rumor," she said.

There has been no information released on what the many fingerprints found at the site of the shooting revealed.

Frank C. Holloman, director of the Memphis Police and Fire Departments, said on the night of the murder that the sniper had fired from the bathroom of a second-floor rooming house 205 feet from the spot on the balcony of the Lorraine Hotel and Motel where Dr. King was standing.

Detectives found a handprint and numerous fingerprints in the bathroom.

The police refused to say today whether there were any further developments in the investigation of false police broadcasts that drew police attention away from downtown Memphis about 30 minutes after Dr. King was shot.

False reports of a dramatic car chase, including the firing of shots between a white Mustang and a blue Pontiac, were broadcast over the central po-

lice radio shortly after Dr. King had been taken to a hospital.

Witnesses near the scene of the shooting had given statements that led police to believe that the assassin had fled in a white Mustang.

The police dispatcher making the broadcast said that the descriptions of a chase were being fed to him by "police car 160."

A review of a tape recording of the broadcast showed that at one point the dispatcher said that the officer in police car 160 had gotten information from a "complainant."

There was speculation in the Police Department today that Lieut. R. W. Bradshaw, the officer who was assigned to car 160 on the night of the murder, might have been relaying information furnished to him over a citizens band radio.

Lieutenant Bradshaw refused to comment.

In another aspect of the investigation, F.B.I. agents in Mississippi and Alabama were known to have been checking the whereabouts on the night of the murder of known violent segregationists.

The inquiries included many members of the Ku Klux Klan.

So far, the agents have been unable to turn up any useful leads, a source said.

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