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WITHERS CONSIDERED ALEXANDER TO BE A SEGREGATIONIST
AND A SCHIZOPHRENIC. MEMPHIS INTERVIEW WITHERS RE
LOCATION ALEXANDER AND ANY INFORMATION CONCERNING
ASSASSINATION.

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TO DIRECTOR AND NEW YORK AND MEMPHIS PLAINTEXT
FROM NEWARK 44-854

MURKIN

RE SUSPECT ERIC GALT

ALBERT LEVY, THIRTY FOUR WILLOW TERRACE, HOBOKEN, N.J.,
TODAY ADVISED THAT HE IS A COMPANY ENGINEER FOR UNITED FRUIT CO.,
AND ABOUT FOUR YEARS AGO WORKED WITH AN INDIVIDUAL, (FNU) GALT,
OR GAULT IN THE ENGINE DEPT. OF THE S.S. ESPARTA. LEVY
DESCRIBED THIS INDIVIDUAL AS WHITE MALE, ORIGINALLY FROM GULF
AREA, AGE FIFTY FIVE TO SIXTY, ONE FIFTY LBS., WORE GLASSES, AND
A MEMBER OF NATIONAL MARITIME UNION. FOLLOWING EMPLOYMENT WITH
UNITED FRUIT CO., GALT WENT TO WORK FOR AMERICAN EXPORT LINES. 26 Blwy
LEVY ADVISED THAT UNITED FRUIT CO. RECORDS RE GALT WOULD BE
MAINTAINED AT PIER THREE, NORTH RIVER, NEW YORK, AND THAT HE
COAST GUARD WOULD ALSO HAVE A RECORD OF HIM. LEVY REQUESTED THAT
HIS NAME NOT BE USED AS SOURCE OF INFORMATION.

IN VIEW OF SIMILAR NAME AND MERCHANT MARINE BACKGROUND,
NEW YORK CHECK UNITED FRUIT CO., UNION, AND COAST GUARD RECORDS,
AND SET OUT LEADS TO ELIMINATE AS SUSPECT OR RELATIVE OF SUSPECT.

MAIL COPY TO BIRMINGHAM.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, NEW YORK (44-1609)

DATE: 4/15/68

FROM : SA JOHN F. SHANLEY #23

SUBJECT: MURKIN
CIVIL RIGHTS
(OO: MEMPHIS)

By airtel dated 4/11/68, the Albany Office furnished a list of locations of Thermo-Seal Marking Machines which was made available by the manufacturer of the machines, Textile Marking Machine Co.

Each Resident Agent to whom instant memo is designated is instructed to contact the operator of each machine and obtain samples of the tape used in these machines. If the machine operator will accommodate you, ask that the tape be in the following code: 02B-6.

In the event the address furnished is incorrect or if the operator no longer has the machine, conduct appropriate investigation to locate the machine and obtain samples.

No indication should be given that instant investigation is in connection with captioned matter.

It has been suggested that in contacts with the below-listed establishments, the actual operators of the machines be contacted rather than supervisory personnel.

The machine operators are listed below by the area covered by the resident agency:

KINGSTON:

Bevy Cleaners
Boic's Lane and Route 9W,
Ulster, New York
Serial #33092

- 1- Kingston RA *J. Kunt* 1- White Plains RA *T. Lynch*
1- Babylon RA *C. Curry* 1- Poughkeepsie RA *H. Eschle*
1- Garden City RA *J. Tanager* 1- Suffern RA *T. Ford*
1- New York (44-1609)

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BABYLON:

American Drive-In Cleaners
Islip
Long Island, New York
Serial #32280

Joseph G. Brickner
295 Medford Avenue,
Patchogue, New York
Serial #31472

Fiesta Cleaners
Huntington Station
Long Island, New York
Serial #32340

GARDEN CITY:

Churnin's Royal Cleaners
232 West Park Avenue,
Long Beach, New York
Serial #31724

Burrachio Brothers, Inc.,
1244 West Broadway,
Hewlett, Long Island, New York
Serial R32873

Circus Drive-In Cleaners
1969 Jericho Turnpike
Elwood, New York
Serial #32753

Cleaners Marketing
937 Port Washington Blvd.,
Port Washington, New York
Serial #33831

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GARDEN CITY (Cont'd:)

Jim Dandy Cleaners
166 Dutch Broadway
Elmont, New York
Serial #R31708

Deluxe Cleaners
113 Jericho Turnpike
New Hyde Park, New York
Serial #32249

Dyckman Laundry
66 Herbhill Road,
Glen Cove, New York

Delta Cleaners Equipment Co.
875 Prospect Ave.,
Westbury, Long Island

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H5S4	BL	33956	7/15/66
H5M4	B1	32796	11/11/63
H5M4	B1	32745	8/7/63
		33556	4/7/65
H5L4		32457	10/26/62
		32353	6/11/62
		32354	5/29/62
		32153	1/3/62
		32155	11/6/61
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		31606	12/15/60
		31717	12/14/60
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GARDEN CITY (Cont'd):

Jim Dandy Cleaners
33 Glen Cove Avenue,
Glen Cove, New York
Serial #31283

K and G Cleaning Corporation
Plainview Road,
Plainview, New York
Serial #31305

Lil-Joy Cleaners
Jericho Turnpike
Floral Park
Long Island, New York
Serial #33656

Loronet Cleaners
581 Merrick Road
Lynbrook, Long Island, N.Y.
Serial #33872

Nobility Cleaners and Tailors
2950 Hempstead Turnpike,
Levittown, Long Island, New York
Serial #33918

Oceanside Laundry
2525 Long Beach Road
Oceanside, New York
Serial #32404; 32403

Pamper Cleaners
248 North Broadway
Hicksville, New York
Serial #32696

Peter Pan Cleaners
Valley Stream, New York
Serial #32863

Jem Cleaners
84 North Village Avenue,
Rockville Centre, New-York
Serial #31339

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GARDEN CITY (Cont'd):

Tres-bon French Cleaners
Franklin Square
Long Island, New York
Serial #31272

Triple S Cleaners
Cobb Spring Road
Syosset, Long Island,
New York
Serial #31380

Tres-bon Drive-In Cleaners
Albertson
Long Island, New York
Serial #31916

WHITE PLAINS:

House of Clean
1209 Boston Post
Mamaroneck, New York
Serial #32739

Ivory Cleaners
134 McQuistin Parkway, North
Mt. Vernon, New York
Serial #32482; 32491; 32453

National Cleaners
425 East Third Street,
Mt. Vernon, New York
Serial #32649

Pride Cleaners
Washington Street,
Peekskill, New York
Serial #R33498

Reds Trucking
Iselin Street,
Yonkers, New York
Serial #33049

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WHITE PLAINS (Cont'd:)

Tanglewood Cleaners
266 Central Avenue,
Yonkers, New York

POUGHKEEPSIE:

Clean Fair Laundry
29 New Market Street,
Poughkeepsie, New York
Serial #R33030;
R32870

Johnny on the Spot
Craft and Spackenhill Road
Poughkeepsie, New York
Serial #R33539; R31579

SUFFERN:

Ivory Cleaners
Mid-Valley Maul Shopping
Center
Newburg, New York
#33109

Ivory Cleaners
Route 59
Nyack, New York
Serial #32492

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GEORGE GOLDBERG, Bronx Pressing Machine Company, 1101 East Tremont Avenue, Bronx, New York, advised that the S & J Enterprise, Inc., is located at 1585 Front Street, East Meadow, Long Island and SHERMAN OZNER is the Manager of this company. They have machine with serial #33785.

SAC, NEW YORK (44-1609)

4/11/68

SA HEINRICH VON ECKARDT #31

MURKIN
CIVIL RIGHTSS

At 10:50am on this date, the Dominican Consul General RAMON CASTILLO telephonically contacted the NYO and asked to be contacted at his office immediately by Bureau agents as he had information of national importance.

He was interviewed at the Dominican Consulate, 1270 Avenue of the Americas, NYC, by SAS HEINRICH VON ECKARDT and JOHN A. BEHRINGER at 11:30am to 12:15pm. at which time he furnished the following information:

Last night while reading the Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic, newspaper "Listin' Diario" edition of 4/9/68, he noticed a composite drawing of the alleged assassin of MARTIN LUTHER KING and he thought it resembled someone he had seen recently. This morning, while reading the NY Spanish language newspaper "El Tiempo" he saw another composite drawing of the same individual which confirmed his impression that he had recently seen this person. He then remembered that this person had a striking resemblance with a man who was seated next to him on the evening of April 5, 1968, on a Pan American flight from New York to San Juan, Puerto Rico, leaving NY at 8:15pm. (possibly PAA flight 287, but Castillo was not sure of the flight number). He ~~remembered~~ remembered this man as he appeared to be extremely nervous, more so than the usual air traveller. He noted that this man ordered and drank in rapid succession 6 to 8 double scotchs on the rocks. During the flight this man attempted to engage CASTILLO in conversation but CASTILLO limited the conversation to a minimum due to CASTILLO's limited English. CASTILLO remembered that when the man noticed that CASTILLO was reading a Dominican newspaper, "El Caribe", he began his conversation by asking CASTILLO how conditions were in the Dominican Republic. CASTILLO replied that things were progressing satisfactory. In order not to appear impolite, CASTILLO continued the conversation by asking the man if he was going to Santo Domingo. The man said he was not, but was going to San Juan where he wanted to spend a vacation.

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The man then asked CASTILLO what he thought of Puerto Rico, to which CASTILLO replied that it was a very nice island and the people are friendly. The man then asked CASTILLO what he thought of the assassination of the Rev. MARTIN LUTHER KING. CASTILLO said that he thought this was a horrible crime. The man made no further mention of KING after this. CASTILLO said that this was the extent of their conversation. CASTILLO stated that when the plane arrived in San Juan, he, CASTILLO, got off the plane before this man but noticed this man got off the plane also and the last time he saw him this man was walking toward the air terminal building. CASTILLO noted that this man did not appear to be intoxicated when he last saw him. No one seemed to be accompanying this man when CASTILLO last saw him.

CASTILLO stated that he ~~xxxxxx~~ occupied a window seat on this flight, the unknown man occupied the middle seat and an unknown woman occupied the aisle seat. These seats were in the Economy ~~flight~~ section of this flight, toward the front of the plane. The only conversation that CASTILLO noted between the unknown man and unknown woman was when the man ordered ~~xxxxxx~~ one of his drinks, the woman asked him to order a drink for her also. The woman drank two double scotches on the rocks, which the unknown man paid for. The woman smoked incessantly, even during periods when the "No Smoking" sign was lighted. The man offered CASTILLO a Lark cigarette. The woman smoked extra long king size cigarettes, brand name unknown.

CASTILLO stated that all conversation was done in the English language between himself and the unknown man, but CASTILLO stated that his English is so limited that he was unable to tell whether the man spoke with any type of accent.

CASTILLO described the unknown man as follows:

Age:	45 to 47 years of age
Height:	5'9"
Weight:	170 lbs.
Build:	Medium
Hair:	Possibly dark brown (Castillo not sure of this)
Eyes:	Color unknown
Complexion:	Light, appeared to have a slight yellowish tint
Race:	White
Clothing:	Well dressed, dark grey tropical weight suit, appeared to be well groomed, color of shoes, shirt and tie not recalled.
Scars or marks:	None visible. Did not wear glasses. did not have mustache. Hands appeared to be well groomed, not the hands of a laborer. Had a high forehead. The ears in the composite picture in "El Tiempo" are very similar to unknown man.

The forehead, looks and lips of composite in "El Tiempo" bear strong resemblance to unknown man.

CASTILLO described the unknown woman as follows:

Age:	30 years old
Race:	White
Height:	5'5"
Weight:	130 lbs.
Hair:	Dark brown

He could not further describe this woman.

CASTILLO noted that the same stewardess served the unknown man all of his drinks, therefore she may be able to furnish further descriptions of unknown man and woman.

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TO : SAC, NEW YORK (44-1609)

DATE: 4/11/68

FROM : SA JOHN J. HAYES #12

SUBJECT: MURKIN
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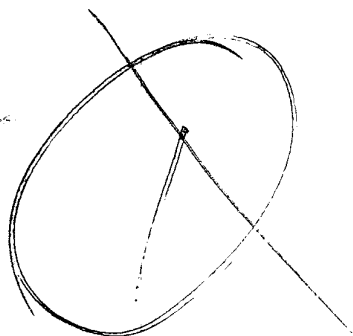
At 1:30 p.m., this date, Supervisor JACK THOMPSON, U.S. Secret Service, 90 Church Street, New York City, telephone #264-7204, telephonically advised the writer that at 12:30 p.m. this afternoon the White House received a call from an individual who identified himself as TIM ELMENDORF, 6319 Park View Garden, Apartment 2, Riverdale, New York, who advised that he knew who killed MARTIN LUTHER KING and that "they" are after him also. The person receiving the call at the White House commented that the caller appeared to be "mental".

Supervisor THOMPSON said that this information was also given to Detective DOOLEY, Shield #2752, New York City Police Department, simultaneously with the call to this office.

THOMPSON said Secret Service is taking no action but would like to know if our investigation determines that ELMENDORF is "mental" so that they can make an appropriate notation.

Indices of NYO have not been checked. Agent JOHN F. SHANLEY was notified of the above information at 1:35 p.m., this date.

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TO : SAC(44-1609)

DATE: 4/12/68

FROM : SA(A) JAMES PETER BOLAND

SUBJECT: MURKIN
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On 4/11/68 Det. Barney Rosen, NYC PD Lab, 205 E 20th St., advised his laundry mark file contained Thermo Seal marks for NYC, Long Island, NY, and some incomplete New Jersey marks. About 50% of these listings have samples from the machine. This lab has also a partial listing by model and serial# of users of Thermo Seal Identification Machines in State of NY. Rosen believed the listing of marks to be complete and are part of a continuing survey conducted by patrolmen on the beat.

A search of lab files by Rosen failed to find a mark identifiable with tag on T shirt or shorts in color photo. He furnished the following laundries which use B as an indicator:

Triple B Cleaners 43 Cold Spring Road, Syosset, NY, WA 1-7965 (4/64) sample is gray ZB3-8, about 1 1/8 x 1/4 "

Budget Drive In Cleaners 295-05 Hillside Ave., Bellerose, LI, NY, FI7-9748 (3/65), sample red in color QBS - 2, about 1 1/8 x 1/4 "

Johnny On The Spot 105-29 64th Rd., Forest Hills, LI, NY, (1/65) sample red HB - 22, about 1 1/8 x 1/4 "

All Star Shirt Laundry, 89 Gerry St., Brooklyn, NY, EV 8-3410, no sample, uses B as a plant #.

Ivory Cleaners, 840 E 233 St., Bronx, NY, (7/64) also uses a red Thermo tag ; sample on file 1/4" x 1 1/16 or 1"; sample in lab had first portion of its first letter cut off but appeared to be OZ2 - 5.

On 4/11/68 Det. Davis Solomon, NY PD Lab advised that he had not seen such tabs used on underwear except possibly in a hotel valet service catering to transients.

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Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL
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TO: SAC, ALBANY
FROM: SAC, MEMPHIS (44-1987) P
RE: MURKIN

In an effort to assist in handling administratively the reams of material being submitted to Memphis Division as office of origin, it is requested all offices in submission of messages use caption which will aid in handling paper. For example, should your office have investigation to report in connection with a specific suspect it would aid if, before entering into the body of text, you would utilize sub-heading after reference, such as "SUSPECT - JOHN ALLEN DOE," or another appropriate caption might be "LAUNDRY CHECKS."

Suitable sub-headings on communications will greatly facilitate the handling of material. Please comply.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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REGGIE SMITH, cameraman, Columbia Broadcasting System (CBS), Atlanta, Georgia, telephonically contacted SA JAMES O. INGRAM on April 12, 1968. He stated he had just arrived in Atlanta upon instructions issued by officials of CBS. The news media is presently carrying headlines indicating that ERIC STARVO GALT is a prime suspect in the murder of Dr. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. at Memphis, Tennessee. A white Mustang registered to GALT was found in Atlanta, on April 11, 1968, abandoned. Through news media, SMITH has obtained description of GALT and believes he has information which could be of value to the FBI. He furnished the following information:

On Saturday, April 6, 1968, he and his soundman, LEROY COLLINS, traveled to Spelman College, Atlanta, Georgia, to film persons viewing the body of Dr. KING, or incidents. The first roll of film that he shot was of a group of about ten people. There was one lone white male who viewed the body in this first group and he and his soundman, COLLINS, noticed the unknown male pass by the coffin and smile. He appeared to laugh, looked around to see if anyone was observing him, and he left "with a smile on his face." SMITH did not consider the incident of any value at that time, until he reviewed the information on GALT and GALT's description.

He described the unknown subject who viewed the body of KING as a white male, in his early thirties, 5' 10" to 5' 11", weight 160 - 170 pounds, dark hair, and was wearing a light-colored suit. SMITH suggested that the FBI may desire to review his first can of sixteen

On 4/12/68 at Jackson, Mississippi

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millimeter sound film which is presently stored at CBS Headquarters, New York, New York. He identified the film as the only white male on the first roll of film and feels he has a good photograph of him. SMITH stated he would contact SA INGRAM later and advise where he could be reached, if needed, in the future.

At 12:32 P.M., April 12, 1968, SMITH telephonically advised from Atlanta that he was residing at the Roswell Road Apartments, Atlanta, telephone number 252-3428, and could always be reached through CBS Headquarters, Atlanta 873-3195.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)

FROM: SAC, JACKSON (157-9586)

MURKIN
(OO: Memphis)

Re Jackson telephone calls this date to the Bureau, Atlanta, and Memphis.

Enclosed for Memphis, the office of origin, are twenty copies of an FD-302 with one copy each to the Bureau and designated offices, with the exception of two to New York.

REGGIE SMITH, Columbia Broadcasting System (CBS) cameraman, has furnished reliable information to the Jackson Office on several occasions over the past years.

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Will contact CBS Officials, News Department,
and review a sixteen millimeter sound film recorded
by CBS cameraman REGGIE SMITH at Atlanta, Georgia,
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9:55 PM URGENT 4-13-68 NLB

TO DIRECTOR (44-38861), ATLANTA, BIRMINGHAM, MEMPHIS
AND NEW YORK
FROM LOS ANGELES (44-1574)

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MURKIN

RE LA TELETYPE APRIL TWELVE LAST.

AIRLINES PHASE - CONTINUING INVESTIGATION AT LOS ANGELES
DISCLOSED E.N. GAULT USED STATLER-HILTON HOTEL, LOS ANGELES
AS CONTACT POINT FOR DELTA AIRLINES RESERVATIONS MARCH TWENTY-
SEVEN LAST. RECORDS STATLER-HILTON, LOS ANGELES DISCLOSED
MR. AND MRS. E.N. GAULT CHECKED INTO STATLER-HILTON, NINE
THREE ZERO WILSHIRE BOULEVARD, AT SIX FIFTY-THREE P.M. ON
THREE TWENTY-FIVE LAST. CHECKED OUT AT NINE ZERO FOUR A.M.
ON NINE TWENTY-SEVEN LAST. GAULT LISTED RESIDENCE FOUR ZERO
FIVE LEXINGTON AVENUE, NEW YORK CITY. EMPLOYMENT LISTED AS
COCA DASH COLA COMPANY. GAULT PAID CASH. NO CREDIT TRANSACTIONS
LOCATED. CHECK OF HELICOPTER, LIMOUSINE, RENTAL CAR TRANS-
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SUFFICIENT TO DETERMINE ANY POSSIBILITY IF GAULT IS POSSIBLY IDENTICAL WITH THE ERIC GALT BEING SOUGHT IN THIS MATTER. FOR INFORMATION OF NEW YORK, REFERENCED TELETYPE ADVISED RECORDS, DELTA AIRLINES, LOS ANGELES, INDICATE E.N. AND M. GAULT TRAVELED TOURIST CLASS, DELTA FLIGHT EIGHT TWO TWO, ATLANTA, GEORGIA, MARCH TWENTY-SEVEN LAST. POSSIBLE RESERVATION INFORMATION CONCERNING ADDRESS AND TELEPHONE NUMBER AVAILABLE, DELTA HEADQUARTERS, ATLANTA.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC (44-1609)

FROM : SA WILLIAM W. HAMILTON (#17)

SUBJECT: MURKIN

DATE: 4/13/68

HANNES K. WATZLAWEK, Night Supervisor, San Francisco Office, telephonically advised at 2:00 a.m. Eastern Standard Time, 4/13/68, that Hertz Rent-a-Car Agency, San Francisco Airport had advised San Francisco Office that an individual who closely resembled the composit drawing of Unsub, who assassinated MARTIN LUTHER KING had attempted to rent a car for travel to NYC. Unsub stated his name was (FNU) REYES but furnished no further personal identification. He advised that he worked for Otis Elevator Company, Electronics Division, 35 Ryerson Street, Brooklyn, New York telephone UL 5-6800 and stated his supervisor the above was Mr. MARVIN GANT.

After ascertaining price of rental to NYC, subject stated that he would not rent a car and would probably buy one to drive to NY. Subject advised Hertz personnel he just arrived from Vietnam, has a German wife and plans a stop in Lawton, Oklahoma.

San Francisco requested NY to ascertain if above information could be verified. As subject told Hertz personnel he planned to stay in a hotel in the airport area and San Francisco was anticipated calling out agent personnel for a shake-down of numerous hotels and motels in airport area.

SA HAMILTON ascertained that local telephone numbers listed for Otis Elevator were connected to answering service and all listed Otis numbers were called with negative results as to ascertain available Otis personnel to verify employment of REYES and GANT.

A search of Key Facility (135) Indexes on 10th Floor reflected that GERALD CARROLL, 2317 Wallace Avenue, Bronx, NY, was listed as Personnel Manager and Security Officer for Otis Elevator, Brooklyn, New York, CARROLL was telephonically contacted by the writer at 231-8544.

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CARROLL was not advised of the matter of the inquiry but only that it was a matter of immediate interest to the FBI to ascertain identity of GANT and REYES. CARROLL stated that REYES is only known to him by his last name and he has no personal knowledge of him but believes that he is employed as a field representative in Stamford, Connecticut, and sometimes travels overseas. CARROLL further stated that MARVIN GAUT is a supervisor with Otis Elevator, Brooklyn, NY, and is a reputable employee.

The above was telephonically furnished to the San Francisco Office and San Francisco advised that a teletype would be forthcoming to further verify identity of REYES through Otis personnel records.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, NEW YORK (44-

FROM : SA ROBERT M. MCCARTIN #43

SUBJECT: MURKIN

DATE: 4/13/68

At 11:10PM, 4/13/68, Mrs. ANITA BINSSE, Age: 52, 377 Ocean Parkway, Apartment C-12, Brooklyn, N.Y. telephonically contacted the NYO and advised that approximately one week ago, exact date unrecalled, she accompanied her daughter BARBARA, Age: 21 to the "ELECTRIC CIRCUS", located at an unrecalled address in the Greenwich Village section of NYC.

While at the "ELECTRIC CIRCUS" they met an individual known only to them as "JERRY", who began dancing with BARBARA. During the course of the evening, according to Mrs. BINSSE, "JERRY", who she described as a white male, age: 27, 5'9", light hair, and wearing sports clothes, constantly talked about the murder of Dr. MARTIN LUTHER KING. She related this "JERRY" appeared to be very pleased over the killing of KING, and stated something to the effect, "It had to be done - it was the will of God." During the course of the evening "JERRY" stated he had been a merchant seaman, and related stories of his travels.

At the conclusion of the evening, Mrs. BINSSE advised "JERRY" drove both she and her daughter to her Ocean Parkway address in what Mrs. BINSSE described as a tan colored Mustang, license tags unknown. She further stated, she could furnish no information as to where this "JERRY" lived, nor did she know his surname, and during their trip home did not appear to be familiar with the area.

Mrs. BINSSE stated she heard through the news media that the suspect in the murder of KING was a seaman and operated a Mustang, and for this reason was furnishing the above information to the FBI, for whatever value it might possess, and would be available for further interview. She further stated that she is divorced, unemployed and her daughter BARBARA is now residing with her, Mrs. Binsse's former husband at RFD, Valatie, Columbus County, New York.

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TO DIRECTOR , MEMPHIS, CINCINNATI, NEW YORK, PITTSBURGH, AND BIRMINGHAM
FROM NEW HAVEN (157-818)

MURKIN-CR.

RE: NEW YORK TELETYPE APRIL ELEVEN LAST, TOLOCATE WALTER LOHMEYER .
DOB DECEMBER TEN, NINETEEN SEVEN, NEW HAVEN , CONNECTICUT, SOCIAL
SECURITY NO. [REDACTED]
REGARDING BACKGROUND AND RELATIVES WITH LEADS FOR CINCINNATI, NEW HAVEN
AND NEW YORK; AND BUREAU TELETYPE TO ALL OFFICES, APRIL EIGHT LAST,
RE LOHMEYER.

INVESTIGATION, NEW HAVEN OFFICE, DETERMINED WALTER LOHMEYER, DATE
OF BIRTH DECEMBER TEN, NINETEEN SEVEN, NEW HAVEN, CONN. SOCIAL SECURITY
NO. [REDACTED] PRESENTLY
RESIDES FOUR SIX DORSET LANE, STAMFORD, CONN. EMPLOYED AS ENGINEER
PERKIN-ELMER CORPORATION, WILTON, CONN. SINCE NINETEEN SIXTY ONE.
APPLICATION, DATED NINETEEN SIXTYONE, EXECUTED BY LOHMEYER FOR PERKIN-ELMER
REFLECTS ONE BROTHER, CARLTON R. LOHMEYER, BORN NINETEEN NINE, NEW HAVEN
RESIDING NINE ZERO SIX ROLLING ROCK ROAD, PITTSBURGH, PENNSYLVANIA.
WALTER LOHMEYER HAS NO CHILDREN, NO OTHER RELATIVES LISTED, HAS NOT
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TRAVELED FOR PERKIN-ELMER ,AND WAS AT WORK DURING PERTINENT PERIOD.

REFERENCED BUREAU TELLETYPE SETS FORTH INVESTIGATION TO BE
CONDUCTED RE NAME LOHMEYER.

PITTSBURGH, AT PITTSBURGH, PENNSYLVANIA, WILL DETERMINE CARLTON
LOHMEYER AND IF ANY MEMBERS OF FAMILY USING NAME HARVEY LOHMEYER.

NEW YORK DISCONTINUE LEAD.

CINCINNATI REVIEW INVESTIGATIVE REPORTS ON HARVEY LOHMEYER FOR
ANY ADDITIONAL RELATIVES AND SET FORTH APPROPRIATE LEADS.

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353PM URGENT 4/15/68 EOM

TO DIRECTOR (44-38861) AND MEMPHIS (44-1987) AND NEW YORK (44-1609)
FROM CHICAGO (44-1114) 1P

MURKIN.

RE LOS ANGELES TEL TO DIRECTOR THREE ZERO SIX AM INSTANT.

GALT
AMERICAN BARTENDING SCHOOL, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS, ONLY SCHOOL
OF THIS TYPE IN STATE, CONTACTED THIS DATE REGARDING JOHN WILLARD,
HARVEY LOWMEYER, ERIC STARVO GALT, AND OTHERS WITH NEGATIVE
RESULTS, HOWEVER, RECORDS NOT COMPLETE.

OWNER SUGGESTED CONTACT AMERICAN TRADE SCHOOL DIRECTORY,
CRONER PUBLICATION, QUEENS VILLAGE, NEW YORK, TELEPHONE NUMBER
2 1 2 4 6 4 - C 8 6 6
TWO ONE TWO - FOUR SIX FOUR - ZERO EIGHT SIX SIX, AS A DIRECTORY
CONTAINING ALL BARTENDER SCHOOLS IN US.

NEW YORK CONTACT ABOVE PUBLICATION AND OBTAIN LISTINGS.
SET OUT APPROPRIATE LEADS TO HAVE THESE SCHOOLS CONTACTED
FOR ANY POSSIBILITY OF SUSPECT GALT IN ATTENDANCE. IT IS
NOTED THAT CHICAGO SOURCE INDICATES THERE ARE A LIMITED NUMBER
OF THESE SCHOOLS.

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TO DIRECTOR 44-38861 MEMPHIS 44-1987 LOS ANGELES, ATLANTA, NEW YORK,
AND LOUISVILLE

FROM BIRMINGHAM 44-1740

MURKIN. CR. 00: MEMPHIS.

RE BUREAU AIRTEL, APRIL TWELVE, NINETEEN SIXTYEIGHT, SETTING
FORTH LIST OF ITEMS OBTAINED FROM SEARCH OF SUSPECT MUSTANG LOCATED
APRIL ELEVEN, NINETEEN SIXTYEIGHT, IN ATLANTA.

ITEM THREE IN REFERENCED AIRTEL WITH REGARD TO
S AND H GREEN STAMPS, THESE STAMPS ISSUED BETWEEN SEPTEMBER EIGHT,
NINETEEN SIXTYSEVEN AND SEPTEMBER TWENTYTWO, NINETEEN SIXTYSEVEN, BY
STANDARD SERVICE STATION, TWO TWO ZERO ZERO HIGHLAND AVENUE, BIRMINGHAM.
MANAGER OF THIS STATION PREVIOUSLY ADVISED INDIVIDUAL FITTING GALT'S
DESCRIPTION AND DRIVING WHITE MUSTANG WAS CUSTOMER AT HIS STATION IN
SEPTEMBER, NINETEEN SIXTYSEVEN.

ITEM FOUR REFERENCED TO DRY CLEANING TICKETS, THESE TICKETS
HAVE BEEN IDENTIFIED BY NUMBER AS HAVING COME FROM THE MAYFIELD
CLEANERS, TWO TWO TWO TWO HIGHLAND AVENUE, BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA, AND
WERE ISSUED ON OCTOBER THREE, LAST FOR THE DRY CLEANING OF ONE COAT
UNDER NAME OF GAULT.

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A CHECK OF ADDITIONAL DRY CLEANING RECEIPT BOOKS REFLECTS THE NAME GAULT ON OCTOBER ONE, SIXTYSEVEN, FOR THE DRY CLEANING OF TROUSERS, SEPTEMBER TWENTY, SIXTYSEVEN, IN NAME OF GAULT, DRY CLEANING OF TROUSERS, SEPTEMBER TWELVE, SIXTYSEVEN, IN NAME OF GAULT, DRY CLEANING OF TROUSERS AND TIE, OCTOBER TWO, SIXTYSEVEN, DRY CLEANING OF TROUSERS UNDER NAME OF GAULT, AND SEPTEMBER FIVE, SIXTYSEVEN, TWO SHIRTS AND ONE COAT DRY CLEANED UNDER NAME OF GALT.

RECEIVING OFFICES DISCONTINUE EFFORTS TO IDENTIFY ITEMS THREE AND FOUR.

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4:34 PM DEFERRED 4/15/68 PXB

TO DIRECTOR (44-38861), MEMPHIS (44-1987)

CHARLOTTE; CINCINNATI (157-1893)

COLUMBIA (44-299), DETROIT; NEW YORK

(44-1609)

FROM ALBANY (44-493) 4P

MURKIN, CV

RE ALBANY AIRTEL APRIL ELEVEN LAST; CINCINNATI TEL TO
BUREAU APRIL THIRTEEN LAST, COLUMBIA TEL TO BUREAU APRIL
TWELVE LAST.

RE: LAUNDRY MARKS

FOR INFORMATION OF DETROIT, THERMO-SEAL MACHINES LISTED
IN REFERENCED ALBANY AIRTEL SHOWN TO BE WEIN BROTHERS, ONE
THREE FIVE ZERO ZERO WEST MC NICHOLS, DETROIT, ARE NO LONGER
LOCATED AT THAT ADDRESS ACCORDING TO RECORDS OF TEXTILE
MARKING MACHINE COMPANY, SYRACUSE. IT WAS DETERMINED FROM
FURTHER CHECK OF RECORDS THAT JACK WEIN, WHO FORMERLY RESIDED
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AT ONE FIVE TWO THREE ONE MILLER, OAK PARK, MICHIGAN, WAS IN BUSINESS AT THAT LOCATION WITH MARSHALL STILLMAN, ONE EIGHT NINE FOUR SEVEN GOLDWIN, SOUTHFIELD, MICHIGAN, AND WEIN, WHO WAS ALLEGEDLY A HOODLUM, REMOVED ALL MACHINERY AND RECORDS FROM THAT LOCATION AND DISAPPEARED. WEIN WAS ALLEGEDLY THE SUBJECT OF FRAUD INVESTIGATION IN DETROIT AND MAY HAVE BEEN SUBJECT OF BANKRUPTCY INVESTIGATION BY BUREAU.

FOR THE INFO OF CINCINNATI AND NEW YORK, TEXTILE MARKING MACHINE COMPANY, SYRACUSE, ADVISED THAT THE COMPANY'S CORRESPONDENCE AND INVOICE RECORDS PRIOR TO NINETEEN SIXTYTWO HAVE BEEN DESTROYED; THEY ARE THEREFORE UNABLE TO LOCATE ANY RECORD REGARDING MACHINES LOCATED AT SWAN CLEANERS, COLUMBUS, OHIO, AS OF SIXTYONE. THEY STATED THAT THEY WOULD NOT HAVE PAID THIS COMPANY FOR THE MACHINES UNDER CIRCUMSTANCES THAT COMPANY WAS PURCHASING EQUIPMENT OF COMPETITOR. COMPANY STATES THIS HAS NEVER BEEN DONE. THEY ADVISED THAT MACHINES

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WERE PROBABLY SOLD BY POLY-MARK AS POLY-MARK EQUIPMENT WAS
INSTALLED.

FOR INFO OF NEW YORK, TEXTILE MARKING MACHINE COMPANY
ADVISED THAT POLY-MARK IS KNOWN TO HAVE TAKEN IN TRADE AT
LEAST SEVENTY FIVE OR EIGHTY THERMO-SEAL MACHINES. THEY
ADVISED THAT POLY-MARK SHOULD HAVE RECORDS OF MANY MORE THAN
FOUR MACHINES SINCE POLY-MARK CONSTANTLY ADVERTISES IN THE
TRADE JOURNELS THAT THEY HAVE NUMEROUS USED THERMO-SEAL
MACHINES FOR SALE. THEY NOTED THAT IT IS REQUIRED THAT THEY
MAINTAIN RECORDS FOR FIVE YEARS AND THAT IT WOULD BE REQUIRED
THAT THEY MAINTAIN RECORDS OF SALES OF MACHINES WHETHER
NEW OR USED FOR AT LEAST THAT PERIOD OF TIME.

FOR INFO OF COLUMBIA AND CHARLOTTE, THE TAPE ON INSTANT
GARMENTS HAS BEEN DEFINITELY IDENTIFIED AS BEING THERMO-SEAL
TAPE MADE BY TEXTILE MARKING MACHINE COMPANY AND PRODUCED
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BY A THERMO-SEAL MACHINE. THE COMPANY ADVISES THAT TAPE
IS DEFINITELY AND OBVIOUSLY DISTINGUISHABLE FROM POLY-MARK.

CHARLOTTE DISCONTINUE CONTACT POLY-MARK REPRESENTATIVE,
EXCEPT FOR LOCATION OF THERMO-SEAL MACHINES.

ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

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445 PM URGENT 4-15-68 MLE

TO DIRECTOR (44-38861), NEW YORK, BIRMINGHAM (44-1740), ATLANTA
(44-2386) AND MEMPHIS (44-1987)
FROM CHICAGO (44-1114) 2P

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MURKIN.

JOSEPH P. O'CONNOR, AUDITOR, MERCHANDISE NATIONAL BANK,
CHICAGO, TODAY MADE AVAILABLE DRAFT NUMBER [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] F. P. S. PURCHASED AT THE EXCHANGE SECURITY BANK, BIRMINGHAM,
ALABAMA, SEPTEMBER TWENTY EIGHT, NINETEEN SIXTY SEVEN, PAYABLE
TO SUPERIOR BULK FILM COMPANY, CHICAGO, FOR AMOUNT THREE HUNDRED
THIRTY SEVEN DOLLARS AND TWENTY FOUR CENTS, DRAWN ON THE FIRST
NATIONAL CITY BANK OF NEW YORK, NEW YORK, BEARING AUTHORIZED
SIGNATURE BOB SELLERS, NOT ENDORSED BY GALT. THE ORIGINAL CHECK
DEPOSITED BY SUPERIOR BULK FILM COMPANY, CHICAGO, ON OCTOBER TWO,
NINETEEN SIXTY SEVEN, WAS RECEIVED FROM ERIC S. GALT, TWO SIX ZERO
EIGHT HIGHLAND AVENUE, BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA, FOR PAYMENT OF
CAMERA EQUIPMENT.

BIRMINGHAM OBTAIN REQUISITION OR PURCHASE FORM FROM
EXCHANGE SECURITY BANK AND SUBMIT TO BUREAU FOR LAB AND LATENT
PRINT EXAMINATION.

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NEW YORK OBTAIN ORIGINAL DRAFT AND SUBMIT TO LATENT
PRINT SECTION FOR EXAM.

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FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (44-1609)

MURKIN, CR, OFFICE OF ORIGIN, MEMPHIS. *Serial 117*

REFERENCE IS MADE TO LOS ANGELES TELETYPE, APRIL THIRTEEN, LAST. INVESTIGATION AT COCA COLA COMPANY, NYC, E.N. GALT IS NATIONAL CHAIN STORE MANAGER FOR COCA COLA COMPANY AND HAS BEEN WITH THE COMPANY FOR A NUMBER OF YEARS. HE IS DESCRIBED AS A WHITE MALE, AGE FIFTY FIVE, RESIDING AT WESTCHESTER COUNTY, NEW YORK, WITH HIS WIFE.

UNSUB SHOULD BE CONSIDERED ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

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TO DIRECTOR, MEMPHIS, NEW YORK, BALTIMORE, MILWAUKEE, LOS ANGELES
WFO, CHICAGO, AND KANSAS CITY (PLAINTEXT)

FROM NEWARK (44-854)

MURKIN.

RE BUTEL FOUR FOURTEEN AND NK TELEPHONE CALLS TO BU FOUR FIFTEEN
SIXTY EIGHT

(Cigarette)
RE ERIC STARVO GALT - LOCKSMITHING INSTITUTE RECORDS.

GEORGE DURYEA, DIRECTOR, LOCKSMITHING INSTITUTE (LI) FURNISHED
~~TOO~~ ENVELOPE USED BY GALT TO REQUEST ENROLLMENT IN LI COURSE.
ENVELOPE BEARING RETURN ADDRESS OF MONTREAL, CANADA FORWARDED
TO BUREAU BY AIRTEL TODAY.

DURYEA ADVISED THAT LI USES THE FOLLOWING PUBLICATIONS TO
ADVERTISE-

NEW YORK AREA-

INCOME OPPORTUNITIES, SCIENCE AND MECHANICS, WOODWORKER

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2 ALL PUBLISHED BY DAVIS PUBLICATIONS, FIVE ZERO FIVE PARK AVE., NYC, ,6
POPULAR MECHANICS PUBLISHED BY HEARST CORP., FIVE SEVEN FIVE
LEXINGTON AVE., NYC

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4 MECHANIX ILLUSTRATED, TRUE MAGAZINE, BOTH PUBLISHED BY FAWCETT
PUBLICATIONS, SIXTY SEVEN WEST FORTY FOURTH ST., NYC.

5 TRUE MEN'S STORIES, PUBLISHED BY FEATURE PUBLICATIONS, THIRTY
TWO WEST TWENTY SECOND ST., NYC.

6 FOR MEN ONLY, STAG, MALE, MEN, ACTION FOR MEN, TRUE ACTION,
MAN'S WORLD AND COMPLETE MAN'S MAGAZINE, ALL PUBLISHED BY MARTIN
GOODMAN, SIX TWO FIVE MADISON AVE., NYC.

7 MAN'S LIFE, PUBLISHED BY CRESTWOOD PUBLISHING CO., THIRTY TWO
WEST TWENTY SECOND ST., NYC.

8 OFFICIAL DETECTIVE, MACFADDEN'S MENS GROUP, BOTH PUBLISHED BY
MACFADDEN-BARTELL CORP., TWO ZERO FIVE EAST FORTY SECOND ST., NYC

9 INSIDE DETECTIVE, FRONT PAGE DETECTIVE, BOTH PUBLISHED BY DELL
PUBLISHING CO., SEVEN FIVE ZERO THIRD AVE., NYC.

10 ARGOSY, PUBLISHED BY POPULAR PUBLICATIONS, TWO ZERO FIVE EAST
FORTY SECOND ST., NYC.

11 IMPACT, FOUR SEVEN ZERO SEVENTH AVE., NYC.

12 HARDWARE AGE, ONE ZERO ZERO EAST FORTY SECOND ST., NYC.

HARDWARE RETAILERS, FIVE TWO ZERO FIFTH AVE., NYC.

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BALTIMORE AREA-

J. GRUBER'S ALMANACK, HOTEL ALEXANDER, HAGERSTOWN, MD.

NATIONAL OBSERVER-CLASSIFIED, DOW JONES AND CO., ONE ONE FIVE
ZERO ONE COLUMBIA PIKE, SILVER SPRINGS, MD.

WFO AREA-

CARPENTER-NATIONAL CARPENTER'S UNION, AFL-CIO, WASHINGTON,
DC.

MILWAUKEE AREA-

SPARE TIME, SEVEN FOUR FOUR NORTH FOURTH ST., MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN.

KANSAS CITY AREA-

WORKBENCH, PUBLISHED BY MODERN HANDCRAFT, FOUR TWO FIVE ONE,
PENNSYLVANIA AVE., KANSAS CITY, MO.

CHICAGO AREA-

NATIONAL CUSTODIAN, PUBLISHED BY AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF MAINTENANCE,
SEVEN ONE ZERO WILSON AVE., GLENDALE, CALIF.

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CHICAGO AREA-

ONE ZERO THREEE THREE BETTER WAYS PUBLISHED BY POPULAR MECHANICS,
PRESS, CHICAGO, ILL.

LI ALSO USED HOME CRAFTSMAN, HOME STUDY AND MEN'S WORLD BUT THESE
PUBLICATIONS ARE OUT OF BUSINESS. ALSO USED IS MONEY MAKING
OPPORTUNITIES, NO ADDRESS IMMEDIATELY AVAILABLE. LI BURNS TRASH.
UACB BY CLOSE OF BUSINESS FOUR SIXTEEN NEXT ABOVE OFFICES WILL
CONTACT MAGAZINES IN THEIR AREAS TO DETERMINE IF THERE ARE ANY
SUBSCRIBERS USING NAME GALT AND RUN OUT ANY LOGICAL LEADS
DEVELOPED. NO MENTION SHOULD BE MADE THAT THIS INQUIRY HAS TO
DO WITH CAPTIONED MATTER.

CORR ON PAGE FTHREER LEAD LISTED FIRST FOR CHICAGO SHOULD
ACTUALLY BE FOR LOSANGELES AND ON PG FOR FOUR LINE EIGHT
NAME THAT WILL BE CHECKED IS ERIC S. GALT.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, NEW YORK (~~44-1609~~) (44-1609)
attn: sa JOHN SHANLEY # 23

DATE: 4/12/68

FROM : SA WILLIAM R. WALL # 28

SUBJECT: MURKIN
CIVIL RIGHTS

After contacting, FRANK & RUTH CUSHING 34 Carnegie Ave. Huntington, N.Y., neighbors to WALTER LOHMEYER, when he resided at 223 Blueberry La., Hicksville, N.Y. and the following neighbors of LOHMEYER at his address, 2 Salt Aire Pl., Northport, N.Y.:

Mrs A. LAWRENCE RAPUZZI 9 Salt Aire Pl., Northport

Mr THOMAS PRITCHARD 18 " " " "

Mr. FOREST SMITH 21 Sea Cove Ave., "

and USPO Letter Carrier, CLIFFORD KLAUS, USPO, Northport, N.Y.;

Mrs KATHERINE HENDRICKSON 88 Lucinda La., Babylon, N.Y., ex wife to WALTER LOHMEYER was contacted and furnished the following information:

She divorced LOHMEYER in April, 1960. LOHMEYER had been married twice previously to that marriage and has since remarried. There have been no children born of any of these marriages.

LOHMEYER is believed by her(and the above contacted neighbors to be living in the Darien area of Connecticut), but she does not know the address. His mother, ELSIE (PITZER) LOHMEYER did reside at 27 Intervale Rd. Darien, Connecticut. LOHMEYER is an engineer, but she does not know the name of the company for whom he is presently working. He was born in December, either 1907 or 1908.

LOHMEYER has only one brother, CARLTON LOHMEYER, who in 1958 sold his home located at; 88 Foxboro Dr. East Gate, Pitcairn, Pennsylvania. CARLTON is in his late 50's and has one son STEVEN, who is approximately 18. WALTER LOHMEYER has no other relatives known to her by the name of LOHMEYER.

All of the neighbors and friends contacted as set forth above have affirmed that LOHMEYER is in his early 60's and has had no children by any of his marriages known to them.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, NEW YORK (44-1609)

DATE: April 15, 1968

FROM : Director, FBI (44-38861)

SUBJECT: MURKIN
CR
(OO: Memphis)

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Director, FBI (44-38861)

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TO ALL SACS PLAINTEXT
FROM DIRECTOR 44-38861 3P

MURKIN.

ERIC STARVO GALT, THE PRINCIPAL SUSPECT, HAS BEEN REPORTED AS HAVING ATTENDED DANCING SCHOOLS IN BIRMINGHAM, NEW ORLEANS AND CALIFORNIA. ALL OFFICES SHOULD IMMEDIATELY CHECK ALL DANCING SCHOOLS IN YOUR TERRITORIES FOR ANY RECORD OF PRIOR ATTENDANCE AT ANY SUCH SCHOOLS BY GALT AND RUN OUT ANY LEADS DEVELOPED. GALT REPORTEDLY SIGNED UP FOR A ONE YEAR DANCING COURSE IN NEW ORLEANS IN NINETEEN SIXTYFOUR; TOOK DANCING LESSONS FOR SEVERAL WEEKS IN BIRMINGHAM BEGINNING IN SEPTEMBER NINETEEN SIXTYSEVEN; AND TOOK A FOUR HUNDRED NINETYNINE DOLLAR DANCE COURSE FROM DECEMBER NINETEEN SIXTYSEVEN TO FEBRUARY NINETEEN SIXTYEIGHT AT LONG BEACH, CALIFORNIA.

ONE DANCE INSTRUCTOR HAS STATED THAT GALT IS "CRAZY" ABOUT DANCING BUT A POOR DANCER AND DIFFICULT TO TEACH
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BECAUSE HE DOES NOT REMEMBER INSTRUCTIONS. HE WAS DESCRIBED AS AN INTROVERT WHO VOLUNTEERS NO INFORMATION AND REPLIES WITH YES OR NO ANSWERS WHEN ASKED; DID NOT MINGLE WITH OTHER STUDENTS AND MADE NO EFFORTS TO MAKE FRIENDS OR CONVERSE WITH ANYONE.

ANOTHER DANCE INSTRUCTOR STATED GALT IS A GOOD DANCER, DISPLAYED SLIGHT SOUTHERN ACCENT, RURAL CHARACTERISTICS OF LANGUAGE AND DICTION, TEETH STRAIGHT AND CLEAN, FINGERNAILS CLEAN AND NEATLY TRIMMED; WORE GOLD RING WITH DARK STONE; ALWAYS NEATLY DRESSED WITH SUIT AND SHINY SLIP ON TYPE BLACK ALLIGATOR SHOES WITH THIN SOLES, BLACK HOSE AND WORE TIE TACK AND CUFF LINKS. SMOKED FILTER CIGARETTES AND HAD NERVOUS HABIT OF OCCASIONALLY PULLING AT EAR LOBE. OWNER OF STUDIO STATES GALT SPOKE OF ALABAMA, SAID HE WAS A MERCHANT SEAMAN; SPOKE OF BEING IN MEXICO BUT DID NOT SPEAK SPANISH AND SPOKE ENGLISH BADLY; WAS SOCIALLY INEPT, AN INTROVERT AND A POOR DANCER BECAUSE HE WOULD NOT LOOSEN UP. SMILED RARELY AND WHEN HE DID IT WAS A NERVOUS CROOKED SMILE; PAID CASH FOR LESSONS TAKING A WAD OF BILLS FROM POCKET.

ERIC STARVO GALT DESCRIBED AS FIVE FEET ELEVEN INCHES, ONE HUNDRED SEVENTYFIVE POUNDS, BLUE EYES, BROWN HAIR, BORN JULY TWENTY THIRTYONE, PLACE NOT GIVEN.

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GALT MAY HAVE USED THE NAME HARVEY LOWMYER OR JOHN WILLARD OR ANY VARIATION OF THESE TWO NAMES OR ANY OTHER NAME. IN CONNECTION WITH ANY INQUIRIES, NO INDICATION SHOULD BE GIVEN INQUIRIES ARE IN CONNECTION WITH CAPTIONED CASE.

UNSUB ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

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TO ALL SACS PLAINTEXT

FROM DIRECTOR 44-38861 3P

MURKIN.

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