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JAMES EARL RAY  
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File No.

44-578-1A15

Date Received

5-8-68

From

Bureau

(NAME OF CONTRIBUTOR)

(ADDRESS OF CONTRIBUTOR)

(CITY AND STATE)

By

(NAME OF SPECIAL AGENT)

To Be Returned ☐ Yes

☒ No

Receipt given ☐ Yes

☒ No

Description:

Photos of James Earl Ray



JAMES EARL RAY  
FBI No. 405,942 G

PC

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CIVIL RIGHTS - CONSPIRACY  
INTERSTATE FLIGHT - ROBBERY

F.P.C.: 16 M 9 U 000 12

M 4 W 101

Photographs on left taken 1960, other taken 1968

**DESCRIPTION**

AGE: 40, born March 10, 1928, Alton, Illinois

HEIGHT: 5'10"

EYES: blue

WEIGHT: 163 to 174 pounds

COMPLEXION: medium

BUILD: medium

RACE: white

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NATIONALITY: American

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REMARKS: noticeably protruding left ear; reportedly is a lone wolf;  
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(CITY AND STATE)

By \_\_\_\_\_  
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**Description:**

*Photo of Laundry Marks  
on shirt and Bed Linen  
for James Earl Ray*



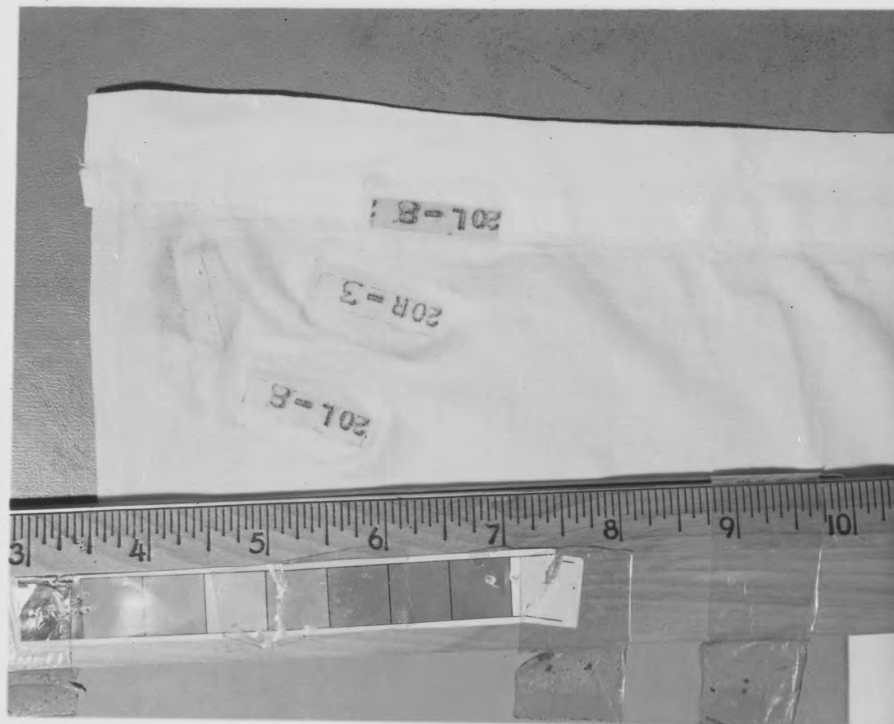
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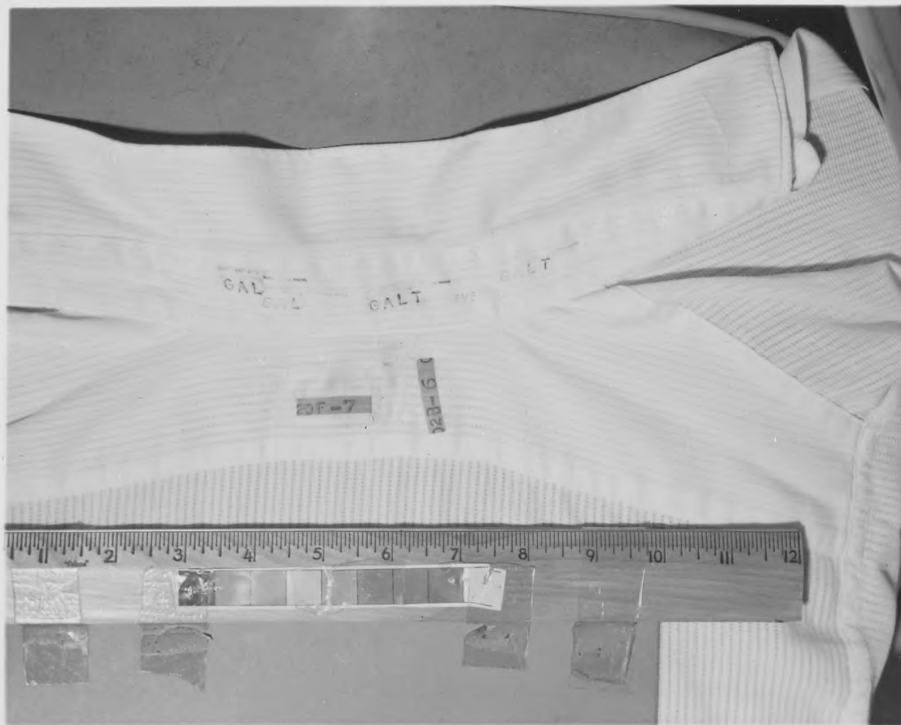
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File No. 44-578-1A5  
Date Received 4/16/68  
From Van Bolen Laundry  
(NAME OF CONTRIBUTOR)  
1408 5th Ave  
(ADDRESS OF CONTRIBUTOR)  
Corcoran Pa  
(CITY AND STATE)  
By Thos A. Augher  
(NAME OF SPECIAL AGENT)

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## Description:

Sample of Thermo  
Seal Marking

Machine  
SP # 33011

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