OHIO Continued

Progressive Cleaners 1613 Tacome Street Dayton SR 32318 SR 30528 SR 30526

CHARLES ROSS Cleaners 3864 East Broad Street Columbus SR 31299

Star Cleaners of Ohio 3180 Bellview Toledo SR 33088 SR 33035

Swan Cleaners 804 Mt. Vernon Avenue Columbus SR 31547

Swiss Cleaners 8920 Euclid Avenue Cleveland SR 32486 SR 30868 SR 30900 SR 30936 SR 30969 SR 31038 SR 30759

OKLAHOMA

Clinton Steam Laundry Clinton, Oklahoma SN33294

Imperial Cleaners 2185 So. Sheridan Tulsa, Oklahoma SN 34356

Stillwater Laundry Stillwater, Oklahoma SNR-33145

Superior Laundry 4400 So. Walker Oklahoma City SN33861

PENNSYLVANIA

A&C Cleaners Farrst Laundry 62 Street & Hazel Avenue 1225 Columbia Philadelphia Philadelphia SR 32740 SR 32160 SR 31893 Barclay Laundry SR 31609 253 South 10 Street Philadelphia Friends Cleaners SR 32052 68&Media Streets

Benjamin Brothers Rigging Company SR 33832
323 North American Street
Philadelphia Ideal Cleaners
SR 33593 783 Broad Street
SR 32073 Chambersburg
SR 32485

Benson Equipment Corporation

Post Office Box 11728

Pittsburgh

SR 33605

Jay Company
Philadelphia
SR 32293

Best Equipment Company 2243 Brynmawr Avenue Philadelphia SR 33908

Betty Brite Cleaners 5001 Wynnfield Avnue Philadelphia SR 33783

B. Cross Company State & Jackson Streets Media SR 33766 New Idea Laundry Company Woodland & Olive Streets Coatsville SR 32452 SR 32451

Philadelphia

Norm's & Speede Inc. Washington & Noble Streets North Norristown SR 32092

Park & Clean Laundry 6351 Roosevelt Blvd. Philadelphia SR 32553

PENNSYLVANIA Continued

Pierce Shirt Laundry 1921 Point Breeze Avenue Philadelphia SR 33626 SR 33625 SR 32681

Saritas Cleaners 519 Davisville Road Willow Grove SR 33536

Service Cleaners 704 East Market Street West Chester SR 31787

Stadhan Supply Company Philadelphia SR 31152

State Cleaners and Dyers 5431 Vine Street Philadelphia SR 32072

Steel's Hanover Laundry Inc. 110 High Street Hanover SR 31348

Tribune Laundry 23 & Clearfield Streets Philadelphia SR 31919 Van Balen Laundry 1403 Fifth Avenue Caraopolis SR 33011

Wharton's Inc. 552 Lancaster Avenue Haverford SR 33958

RHODE ISLAND

Commodore Cleaners Front St. Moonsocket, R.I. SN32924

Norton Supply Co. 11 LaFayette St. Providence, R.I. SN31997

SOUTH DAKOTA

Royal Cleaners & Ldy. 204 Walnut St. Yankton, S.D. SN32717

TEXAS

Athens Laundry & Cleaners Athens SR 31751

Blanton Laundry 1313 Proctor Street Port Arthur SR 31320

Blue Ribbon Laundry 3824 Cedar Springs Dallas SR 33707

Cleco Corporation Hickory at Second Avenue Dallas SR 31257

Driskill Laundry 411 East 19 Street Austin SR 31258 SR 31251

Elite Laundry & Cleaners 412 South Oregon Street El Paso SR R32101

Fishburn Laundry & Cleaners 3200 Ross Dallas SR R32059 SR R32053 SR 30957 W. B. Fishburn Inc. 1200 Main Street Fort Worth SR 30858

Model Laundry Brownsville SR 31840

Monarch Laundry 2815 South Shepard Houston SR 31553 SR 31555

Odessa Laundry 1107 West 10 Odessa SR R32102

Quality Steam Laundry Lubbock SR R32165

Sunshine Laundry & Cleaners 214 East Hutchinson San Marcus SR 33476 SR 31768

Vogue Cleaners 207 East Avenue C Killeen SR 33621

White Star Laundry 4535 Cole Dallas SR R33371 SR R32113 SR R32106

TEXAS Continued

White Star Laundry 530 San Pedro San Antonio SR R31817 SR R31816

C. W. Wilkins Laundry & Cleaners Connoe SR 31694

VERMONT

Beardsley Route 7 Burlington, Vermont SN34084

Palmer Bros. Laundry 72-78 Eastern Ave. St. Johnsbury, Vermont SN31846 SN32701

Williams Laundry 7 Maple St. Vindsor, Vermont SN31337

WEST VIRGINIA

Rockwell Laundry & Cleaners 125 So. Raleigh St. Martinsburg, W. Va. SN33873

WYOMING

Casper Laundry 330 N. Durbin Casper, Wyoming SN R33373

ALL OFFICES PLEASE NOTE: Bureau teletype to All Continental Offices, 4/9/68, stated that all laundries should be contacted in an effort to identify the tape on the shorts and tee-shirt believed to have been abandoned by UNSUB. The Textile Marking Machine Company has advised that the above are the only machines known by that company to be in the above listed states which would be capable of producing the laundry mark on the garments. This company advised that the tapes on the garments are their tapes exclusively and that there is no other marking machine in the world which could have produced the tapes.

Further note, the following are names and addresses with telephone numbers of sales representatives of Textile Marking Machine Company covering the above territories:

DICK BRISTOW.
3462 N.W. 13th Ave.
Gainsville, Fla.
Telephone FR2-1290
Covering Florida, Alabama, Georgia, South Carolina and Southern Mississippi.

JOE COMBS
5232 Devonshire
Oxon Hill, Maryland
Telephone 248-6127
Covering Maryland, Delaware, Pennsylvania,
W. Virginia, Virginia, North Carolina, Eastern
Tennessee and Eastern Kentucky.

FRED WEBER
33 Skylark Lane
Stony Brook, L.I., N.Y.
Telephone 751-2135
Covering Metropolitan New York City, New Jersey,
Connecticut, Rhode Island, Massachusetts, Maine,
New Hampshire, and Vermont.

Upstate New York inquiries should be referred to Textile Marking Machine Co., Syracuse, N.Y., telephone 445-8110

JACK CODY 2929 Chaucer Drive Sherwood Village North Canton, Ohio Telephone 492-5497 Covering Michigan, Indiana, and Ohio.

PETE WUKOVICH
755 Haw horne Avenue
Elmhurst, Illinois
Telephone BR9-6141
Covering Illinois, Eastern Iowa, Minnesota, and
Wisconsin

AL DAVIS
1844 East 48th Street
Kansas City, Missouri
Telephone WA 41312
Covering North Dakota, South Dakota, Nebraska,
Western Iowa, Missouri, Kansas, Oklahoma, Texas,
Arkansas, Louisiana, Northern Mississippi,
Western Tennessee and Western Kentucky.

FRED RAUPAK 18409 Hiawatha Northride, California Telephone EM3-8963 Covering California, Nevada, Utah, Arizona, New Mexico, Colorado, Wyoming, Montana, Idaho, Oregon and Washington.

ALL OFFICES should index names of these locations in their territories for future use in other type cases.

The Bureau has been requested to supply to all of the offices covering the above states copies of color photographs of the tapes attached to the garments recovered. The Bureau has advised that this is being done.

THE ABOVE LIST IS ALPHABETICAL BY STATES AND EACH OFFICE IS RESPONSIBLE FOR DETERMINING THE CONTACTS IN ITS OWN AREA. This has been done in the interest of saving time since there are approximately 3,000 machine locations to be accounted for.

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FBI NEW HAVEN

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

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CONDUCTED RE NAME LOHMEYER.

PITTSBURGH, AT PITTSBURGH, PENNSYLVINIA, 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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DATE: 4/10/68

FROM: SAF. F. Cable

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TO

SAC, PITTSBURGH (44-578) (P)

DATE: 4/15/68

FROM

SA WILLIAM T. HENDON, JR.

SUBJECT:

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OO: MEMPHIS

Re memo of SA WILLIAM LOGAN CURTIS, dated 4/10/68.

In connection with captioned matter, the following laundries were contacted to determine if they used a thermo seal marking machine, with the following identification symbols: 02B-6 or D2B-6. All of these laundries advised that they did not use a thermo seal marking machine, and they were unable to provide the names of any laundries in their communities which used such a machine. The laundries were contacted on 4/10 - 12/68:

A. C. Laundry, Inc., 101 Tiona Street, Punxsutawney, Pa., MACK H. CURRY, Assistant Manager;

Sawyer Laundry, 366 Philadelphia Street, Indiana, Pa., EDWIN SAWYER, owner;

One Hour Martinizing, 715 Philadelphia Street, Indiana, Pa., JOHN HAMMERLE, owner;

Kline's Drycleaner, 54 Barnett Street, Brookfield, Pa., BERNARD KLINE, owner;

Teeters Cleaning Company, 139 Market Street, Leechburg, Pa., JOHN W. TEETERS, owner;

Yee Sam Laundry, Kittanning, Pa., JAMES YEE, Manager

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Memorandum

TO

: SAC, PITTSBURGH (44-578)

DATE:

4/15/68

FROM : SE RAY J. COLIN

SUBJECT: MURKIN

Dance Studios. On 4/15/68, the following were contacted:

HURMANN ROHN, Manager, Continental Pance Studios, 391 3162, advised they had no student by the name of GALT. He said they had one phoney in 1966, who was age 28, blonde about 170 1bs and a complete loss to the Company. This fellow gave the name DONALD R. STOWFILL and signed up for some lessons and while waiting for the financing to go through, he got a number of free lessons. The application, references, he gave were untrue. He gave his address as 64 Lwing Road, Mc KeesBock Pa., formerly of RD # 2, Duncan, Okla. and that he had been employed by b. R. STOWFYLL, Masonry. This man confided to his dance instructor a MISS STURLING, that he had spent time in jail for A and B and that he had killed his wife's lover. All the credit references turned out to be completely false.

JACK BURKHARD Dance Studiod 563 6229 No such student as GALT.

Carol Knight Studio of Dance Arts. 881 3181 Only has ballet, tap dancing ,etc.

MARTHA DAVIS DANCE STUDIOS 431 9933

Has no adult students in ballroom dancing.

BETTE DOUGLAS Dance Studion 443 5609 DETTE DOUGLAS- no such student.

Lester Evans Dance Studios LISTER EVANS- no student by the name of GALT.

Lois Green Dancing School LOIS GRIEN- No adult students.

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Ken and Jean Studio of Dancing. 678 1277 371 5186 No ballroom dancing given.

MAE Kort Bancing School. 766 1350 MRS MAE KORT- No student by the name of GALT.

PUGGY A. MOONLY 731 0188
Miss MOONEY- No such student.

Pittsburgh Playhouse School of the Theatre 621 4445 MISS MICHELLE FAITH, - No student by the name of GALT.

American Talent Academy 471 2313 Now out of business-phone disconnected.

Andrea Dance Studios. 322 4158 Children only.

Barth School of Bancing 281 1632 MRS MANTH BARTH. No student by the name of GALT.

Bonnie Faye Dance Studio. 931 3858 Phone number no longer in service.

Kenneth Rosalene School of Dance. 921 3465 Has no adult students.

Ruth Dance Studios 381 4522 Out of business.

Virginia's School of dancing 372 6400

ESTHER FILLS 531 6949 941 7332 No student by the name of GALT.

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Memorandum

TO

: SAC, PITTSBURGH (44-578) (P)

DATE: 4/15/68

FROM : SA NILE A. DUKE. JR.

SUBJECT: MURKIN

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(00: Memphis)

On 4/11/68 Mrs. PATRICIA SHERIFF, 1610 Williamsburg Place, Churchill, Pa. stated that she has resided at this address for the past five years and during this time the occupants of 1606 Williamsburg Place have been the ROBERT RUFFINGs. She added that the name PAUL LOHMEYER is unfamiliar to her.

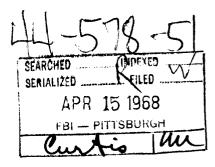
On 4/11/68 A. L. SHANE, 1617 Williamsburg Place, Churchill, Pa., stated that he knew PAUL LOHMEYER but that LOHMEYER had moved to Cleveland, Ohio approximately 6 to 7 years ago to work at the Carling Brewing Company. SHANE described PAUL LOHMEYER as follows:

> Race Sex Height Weight Age

White Male 61411 200 lbs.

Approximately 40 - 50

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, PITTSBURGH (44-578)

DATE: 4/15/68

FROM : SA JAMES V. KINNANE

SUBJECT: MURKIN

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On this date the following operators of dance studies in Erie, Pa. were contacted relative to ERIC STARVO GALT with negative results:

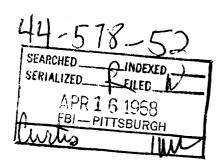
KATHRYN LITTLE, Littsle Dance Studie, 18 N. Park Row.

JAMES W. LONG, Long School of the Dance, 719 State St.

STATIA SUBLETTE, SUBLETTE Dance Studio, 12 E. 10th St.

LT. DONALD GIN ER (NA), Ident. Officer, Eric PD advised that he has no record of GALT.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, PITTSBURGH (丛-578) -P-

DATE: 4/15/68

(ATTN: CURTIS)

FROM : SA DEAN M. HOWEN

SUBJECT: MURKIN

Reurcall today.

The following, the only dance studios in the Beckley, W. Va., advised they had no record or knowledge of ERIC STARVO GALT:

JERRY ROSE, Beckley Dance Theatre, $110\frac{1}{3}$ S. Fayette St., Beckley, W. Va. DELORIS MARINO, Dance Studio, 1st Ave., Beckley.

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Mr. CHARLES W. SPAHR, owner, Monessen Laundry and Drycleaning Company, Second and Donora Avenue, Monessen, Pa.;

Mr. JAMES DRIZOS, owner, American Cleaners, 418 Donner Avenue, Monessen, Pa.;

Mr. JIM CAVIRIS, Manager, Union Cleaners Company, Main Plant, 11th and Donora, Monessen, Pa;

Mr. CARL SMITH, owner, Smith's Ideal Cleaning Company, Main Plant, 2801 Leechburg Road, New Kensington, Pa.;

Mr. FRANK PELLEGRINO, Plant Manager, Walzers Cleaning Company, Main Plant, 408 Eighth Street, New Kensington, Pa.;

Mr. ROY GINTER, Manager, Latrobe Laundry, 1417 Ligenier Street, Latrobe, Pa.

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Memorandum

TO

SAC, PITTSBURGH (44-578) (P)

DATE: 4/15/68

FROM

SA CYRIL J. LAFFEY

SUBJECT:

MURKIN

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OO: MEMPHIS

Rememo of SA WILLIAM LOGAN CURTIS, dated 4/10/68.

On 4/10 and 11/68, the following laundries in Westmoreland County, Pa., were contacted by the writer, however, all sources contacted advised that they did not utilize a thermo marking machine in connection with the processing of laundry items and could not furnish the name of any laundries in the local area utilizing the thermo marking machine:

> Mr. HARRY FINE, Manager, Keystone Laundry and Drycleaning Company, 201 Alwine Avenue, Greensburg, Pa.;

Mr. ERNEST BENFORD, owner, Benford's Master Cleaners and Laundry, 722 Green Street, Southwest, Greensburg, Pa.;

Mrs. LILLIAN PAINTER, Manager, Valet One-Hour Service, 106 South Pennsylvania Avenue, Greensburg, Pa.;

Mrs. SAMUEL (ELIZABETH) RANERI, Manager and wife of owner, Westmoreland Cleaners, 512 New Alexander Road, Route #119, Greensburg, Pa.;

Mrs. MARY KIDD, Supervisor, Model Cleaning and Laundry Company, 14th and Gaskill Avenue, Jeannette, Pa.;

Mr. HERMAN CIARIMBOLI, owner, Youngwood Drycleaners and Laundry, 3 South Fourth,

Youngwood, Pa.;

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TO

SAC (44 478) (P)

DATE: 4/11/68

FROM :

SA ALBERT E. KLEBE, JR.

SUBJECT:

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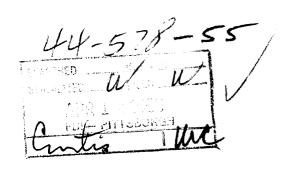
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00: Memphis

Re telecall from SA WILLIAM L. CURTIS, 4/10/68.

On 4/10/68, Captain PAUL E. BARLOW, Captain of the Guards, W. Va. Penitentiary, Moundsville, W. Va., advised from records that CHARLES CECIL CHAPMAN, W. Va. Penitentiary Number 45622, was convicted 7/22/65; that he was sentenced 8/19/65, effective 5/25/65, on charge of malicious wounding to term of 2 - 10 years from Monongalia County; that he was received at the penitentiary on 8/20/65; and that he was presently an inmate at the penitentiary.

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4/15/68

TO

SAC, Pittsburgh (44-578)

FROM

SA Edward R. Fleming, Jr.

ATTN: SA CURTIS

SUBJECT

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Re: DANCING SCHOOLS

There are no popular dance studies within the Martinsburg,

W. Va., PA territory.

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TO

: SAC PITTSBURGH (44-578)

DATE: 4-15-68

FROM : SA SHELDON V. TAFT

SUBJECT: MURKIN

The following dance schools at Huntington, W. Va., were contacted this date regarding ERIC STARVO GALT with negative results:

> Dickinson School of Dance-Mrs. JEAN B. DICKINSON Ruth Fergeson School of Dance- RUTH FERGESON Lee School of the Dance- BOBBIE LEE Mary Rowley Hesson Dance Studio- MARY HESSON Flippin School of Dance-LOUISE FLIPPIN

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TO : SAC, PITTSBURGH (44-578)P

DATE: 4/16/68

FROM : SA JOSEPH A. SMITH, JR.

SUBJECT: MURKIN

The following persons were contacted by this writer on 4/10/68, in regards to a cloth laundry tag made on a Thermo Sezl marking machine, with negative results.

NEW CASTLE, PA.

Bennys Laundry, 329 E. Long Ave, MRS. B. Palladino
Brittons Cleaners, Union Plaza Mr. Thomas Jones
Fish Dry Cleaners, Calls Plaz a Al Scaranto
Jack and Jill Cleaners, 129 E. Wash. Mary Chirumbolo
Mitticas Laundry 208 E. Wallace Robert Zingaro
Smiths Cleaners 20 E. Lawrence JAMES Kaplan

ELLWOOD CITY, Pa.

Ellwood Laundry, 1022 Lawrence Ave., Angelo Rordi Mayflower Cleaners, 222 5th, Name notavailable

BUTLER, PABA

BARTOLIES CLEANERS, 340 Mercer St. Peter Bartoli Butler Auto. Laundry, 122 E. Wayne, George Patrizio

American Laundry, Vine and Reno, Sharon, Pa. Mr. Boyle Chase Laundry, Greenville, Pa. Darrell Chase

The individuals contacted advised that they do not use this type of tag and that they are the only Laundries in the area that would do anything but dress shirts. They advised that for a laundry to use this type of tag they would have to do a large volume of business.

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Memorandum

TO

SAC, PITTSBURGH (44-578)

DATE:

4/17/68

FROM

SA KENT C. DIXON

SUBJECT:

MURKIN

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OO: MEMPHIS

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The following investigation was conducted by SA KENT C. DIXON on 4/10/68.

A review of Pittsburgh file 91-2200, Serial 2350, page 182, determined that CARLTON ROBERT LOHMEYER of the Phoenix Mutual Insurance Company, Law and Finance Building, Executive Suite 1503, Pittsburgh, does not comply with the description of suspect in above captioned case. LOHMEYER described in above file as white male, age 56, 5'5" tall, 135 pounds, small build, completely bald except for rim of hair around lower portion of head.

On 4/10/68, Mr. CHARLES EDWARD LOHMEYER of 105 Washington, Forest Hills, Pittsburgh 21, Pa., was contacted and it was determined that his date of birth was place of birth Pittsburgh. By observation, Mr. LOHMEYER could not be identical with suspect in above captioned case. Mr. LOHMEYER advised that he was employed at; the Fruit Growers Express Co., Pittsburgh, and advised that he has no children.

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DIRECTOR, FBI (44-388919)

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He Tampa teletype to the Bureau, dated 4/13/68: and Newark teletype to the Dureau, dated 4/12/68.

Remarding MORRIS CLATTON STAGGS:

MORRIS C. EXAGGS was arrested for motor violation 4/15/65 and confined to Beaver County Jail. He was born at Josephore, Arkansas, is 6'2", and them weighed 215 pounds. He has a tattee on his left forearn and has FRI Humber 204 664 F.

A photograph of SEAGGS has been obtained and will follow.

Mrs. SETTY KIFFEREGEE, Van Buren Homes, Denver, Pa., SKAUGS' mother-in-law, advised neither she, her husband, or her daughter, SEACOS' wife, have had any contact from SLAGGS and are wasvers of his whoresbouts or activities. She pointed out that her telephone number and her daughter's telephone number and address are unpublished primarily for the reason of avoiding contact with SKACGS. She stated bor nother-in-law, Mrs. RUTH HARRIS, recently had an early morning telephone call believed to be from SKAGGS, but his whereabouts at the time of the call were makeows. 44 - 578 - 60

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The composite drawings of unsub were exhibited to Mrs. HIPPENEGGER, and she stated they did not, in her epinion, look like SKAGGS. She stated SEAGGS' parents reside in Jonesboro, Arkansus, but that family mambers here have no contact with them primarily to avoid disclosing SKAGGS' wife's address.

Mrs. RUTA MARIS, Beaver, Pa., advised that sometime during the week prior to 4/13/68, at exactly 4:50 e.m., she received a telephone call from an individual whom she did not initially recognize by his voice, but he mentioned CAROL, and she then determined it to be MCREIS SKAGGS. She stated she talked to saother individual who was with SEAGOS, but told them who did not wast to talk to them and hong up. She then contacted the operator in an effort to determine where the call had been placed from and the operator told her she could not determine this since it was an out of the district call. Mrs. MARRIS stated the last contact she had was a similarly foolish call in the early hours from SEAGGS prior to Thenkeriving of 1967. She stated her number is the only published telephone number of family wembers in Beaver County, and the only contact point SKAGGS has.

CARGE SEAGGS resides at 1284 Chapel Road, Monaca. Pa., unlisted telephone 775-6957, and is a high school teacher at Bochester High School. Efforts to locate her, both at her residence and telephonically, the afternoon and evening of 4/16/68, were unsuccessful, however, since a photograph of SEAGGS has been obtained, and based on the soutact with CAROL SEAGGS' mother, no further effort will be made to locate her.

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TO:

DIRECTOR, FBI (44-388612)

PROM:

SAC, PITTSBURGH (44-578)(P)

SUBJECT:

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(CO: MEMPRIS)

Re Pittsburgh airtel to the Bureau, dated 4/10/68.

On 4/16/68, K. D. YEATER, Assistant Superintendent, Cabell County Board of Education, Suntington, V. Va., advised SA RAY V. SHOMMAKER that the person who went to Memphis, Tennessee, with DARMY CARLTON MARKINS was JOHN JUSTICE, residence address 4698 Altimer Avenue, Suntington, V. Va. Se said JUSTICE was formerly suployed by the Gwene-Illinois Glass Company, Suntington, as a truck driver, but the employment was terminated several months ago. YEATER said JUSTICE is now believed to be a truck driver for Grey-Bell, Solland, Michigan.

On 4/16/68, LEGMA DOWLING, Personnel Department, Owens-Illinois Glass Company, Numtington, Y. Va., advised SA SHOEMAKER from records that JOHN JUSTICE was employed by that company as a truck driver from 11/20/63 to 3/31/67, when his services were terminated by reason of the trucking operation being closed by Owens-Illinois. She stated the file contains no derogatory information on JUSTICE. She advised from records that JOHN JUSTICE is described as follows:

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TO

SAC, PITTSBURGH (44-578)

DATE:

4/17/68

FROM

SA JOHN S. HUGHES

SUBJECT:

MURKIN

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The following persons were contacted by SA JOHN S. HUGHES on 4/10/68 in an effort to determine if their respective laundries used marking machinery manufactured by the Textile Marking Machine Company of Syracuse, N.Y. All advised that they did not use such equipment and stated that in view of the size of the laundry operations in this area, there is no need for such equipment.

Mr. HERMAN MYERS, F&F Laundry, Altoona, Pa.
Mr. JOHN SWIFT, Wright Laundry, Altoona, Pa.
Miss MARY SANFORD, Associated Laundry, Altoona, Pa.
Mr. JOSEPH FREEMAN, Century Laundry, Altoona, Pa.
Mr. EDWARD VALLELLA, Portage Cleaners, Portage, Pa.
Mr. JOSEPH SMITHMEYER, Ebensburg Laundry,
Ebensburg, Pa.
Mr. JOHN BURKHEART, Henderson Laundry,
Johnstown, Pa.

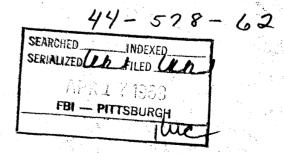
The following persons were contacted on 4/11/68:

Mrs. ROBERT HARRIS, Clearfield Laundry, Clearfield, Pa.
Miss MARY SHAFFER, Troy Laundry, Johnstown, Pa.

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FOR IMPOIATE RELEASE
APRIL 17. 1968

ATTORNEY GENERAL RAMSEY CLARK ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT

ERIC STARVO GALT IS BEING SOUGHT BY THE FBI AS A FUGITIVE ON A FEDERAL

CHARGE ARISING FROM THE FATAL SHOOTING OF THE REVEREND DR. MARTIN

LUTHER KING. JR.. IN MEMPHIS. TENNESSEE. ON APRIL 4, 1968.

DIRECTOR J. EDGAR HOOVER STATED THAT A FEDERAL COMPLAINT WAS FILED BY THE FBI IN BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA, 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 FBI COMPLAINT CHARGES THAT "ON OR ABOUT MARCH 29, 1968, AT BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA, ... ERIC STARVO GALT AND AN 1INDIVIDUAL 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. ALABAMA..."

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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 FBI AGENTS DETERMINED THAT THE 30.06 RIFLE HAD BEEN PURCHASED FROM A GUN DEALER IN BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA, ON MARCH 30, 1968. THE TELESCOPIC SIGHT ALSO WAS PURCHASED FROM THIS DEALER.

THE FBI 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, GEORGIA, ON APRIL 11, 1968. INVESTIGATION DISCLOSED THAT GALT PURCHASED THIS CAR FROM A PRIVATE JCITIZEN IN BIRMINGHAM ON AUGUST 30, 1967. THE MUSTANG'S ODOMETER SHOWED THAT IT HAD BEEN DRIVEN MORE THAN 19,000 MILES BETWEEN LATE AUGUST. 1967. AND EARLY APRIL, 1968.

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ACCORDING TO MR. HOOVER, GALT'S TRAVELS IN THE

JMUSTANG INCLUDED TRIPS TO LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA; NEW ORLEANS,

LOUISIANA; BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA; AND MEXICO, AS WELL AS TO

MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE, AND ATLANTA, GEORGIA. GALT WAS REPORTED TO

HAVE BEEN IN MEMPHIS ON APRIL 3 AND 4, 1968, AND TO HAVE DEPARTED

FROM THERE FOR ATLANTA.

INTENSIVE INESTIGATION BY THE FBI HAS DISCLOSED THAT GALT HAS CLAIMED TO HAVE BEEN EMPLOYED 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 DURING SEPTEMBER AND OCTOBER, 1967; AND IN LONG BEACH CALIFORNIA. FROM DECEMBER. 1967 TO FEBRUARY, 1968.

GALT LEFT LOS ANGELES ON DECEMBER 15, 1967, AND DROVE
HIS WHITE MUSTANG TO NEW ORLEANS, WHERE HE CLAIMED HE CONTACTED
EITHER AN ENGINEERING OR A CONTRACTING FIRM. HE LEFT NEW ORLEANS ON
DECEMBER 19TH AND ARRIVED BACK IN LOS ANGELES ON DECEMBER 21, 1967.

WHILE IN THE LOS ANGELES AREA EARLY THIS YEAR, GALT
TOOK A COURSE AT A SCHOOL OF BARTENDING AND WAS GRADUATED ON MARCH 2,
1968.

THE FUGITIVE IS DESCRIBED AS WHITE MALE. HE IS APPROXIMATELY 5 FEET 8 INCHES TO 5 FEET 11 INCHES TALL AND WEIGHS
BETWEEN 160 AND 175 POUNDS. HE S SAID TO BE A NEAT DRESSER AND
HAS A MEDIUM BUILD.

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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

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.

GALT SHOULD BE CONSIDERED ARMED AND DANGEROUS. ANY INFORMATION CONCERNING HIM SHOULD BE FURNISHED IMMEDIATELY TO THE NEAREST FBI OFFICE.

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TO ALL SACS
FROM DIRECTOR

MURKIN

THE FOLLOWING PRESS RELEASE WAS ISSUED AT WASHINGTON, D.C.,

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YOUR DIVISION TO INSURE IT RECEIVES IMMEDIATE WIDESPREAD DISTRIBU
TION. YOU ARE ALSO AUTHORIZED TO IMMEDIATELY MAKE AVAILABLE TO

ALL MEDIA REPRESENTATIVES COPIES OF THE TWO PHOTOGRAPHS AL
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ADDITIONAL PHOTOGRAPHS AS REQUIRED. YOU SHOULD ATTEMPT TO
INSURE THAT THIS RELEASE AND PHOTOGRAPHS RECEIVE REPEATED
COVERAGE BY RADIO AND TV STATIONS. YOU ARE TO MAKE NO ELABORATION WHATSOEVER REGARDING THIS RELEASE.

FBI WASH DC
647PM URGENT 4/17/68 SAA
TO ALL SACS
FROM DIRECTOR 44-38861

MURKIN

THE PHOTOGRAPHS FURNISHED YOUR OFFICES OF ERIC STARVO GALT BY ROUTING SLIP FOUR SIXTEEN LAST CONTAIN THE COMPOSITE DESCRIPTION OF SUBJECT AS FURNISHED BY VARIOUS WITNESSES. THE PHOTOGRAPH WITH THE EYES CLOSED IS THE ACTUAL PHOTOGRAPH AS TAKEN IN MARCH SIXTY-EIGHT. THE PHOTOGRAPH WITH THE EYES OPEN IS THE SAME PHOTOGRAPH IN WHICH THE EYES HAVE BEEN DRAWN IN BY AN ARTIST.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO

SAC, PITTSBURGH (44-578) (P)

DATE: 4/17/68

FROM:

SA CYRIL J. LAFFEY

SUBJECT:

MURKIN

(OO: MEMPHIS

Re telephonic conversation between SA WILLIAM LOGAN CURTIS and the writer on 4/15/68.

A review of the Bell Telephone Company of Pennsylvania telephone directories for Westmoreland County, Pa., disclosed only one dancing school listed in the Greensburg Resident Agency area, namely, the Romero School of Dance, 300 Hamilton Avenue, Greensburg, Pa.

On 4/15/68, Mr. HENRY L. VENTRESCA, owner and operator, Romero School of Bance, 300 Hamilton Avenue, Greensburg, Pa., advised that he conducts dancing instructions in the central Westmoreland County area operating out of Greensburg, Pa., and in Pittsburgh at Duquesne University.

Mr. VENTRESCA said a review of his records disclosed no one by the name of ERIC STARVO GALT or any variation thereof as ever having been a student of any of his dancing classes or utilized as a dancing instructor or dancing partner of any kind.

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433PM URGENT 4/17/68 JLS

TO DIRECTOR (44-38861), MEMPHIS (44-1987) AND PITTSBURGH FROM CHICAGO (44-1114) 2P

MURKIN

RE MEMPHIS TEL APRIL FIFTEEN SIXTY EIGHT.

RE REQUEST TO CONTACT DIVISION LOANS AND CURRENCY U.S. TREASURY. CHICAGO.

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LOANS AND CURRENCY CHICAGO AND ALSO PARKERSBURG WEST VIRGINIA,

WHERE INFORMATION IS OBTAINED THROUGH USE OF COMPUTERS.

CHICAGO OFFICE, DIVISION OF LOANS AND CURRENCY, BUREAU OF

PUBLIC DEBTS, U.S. TREASURY DEPARTMENT IS INITIATING SEARCH

UNDER NAMES ERIC STARVO GALT AND COMBINATION OF INITIALS ETC.

THIS NAME, JOHN WILLARD AND HARVEY LOW MEYER AND HARVEY LOW MYER.

PITTSBURGH AT PARKERBURG WEST VIRGINIA CONTACT

OFFICE OF BUREAU OF PUBLIC DEBT COMPUTER OPERATION FOR RESULTS

ACHIEVED THROUGH COMPUTER SEARCH AND FURNISH MEMPHIS AND BUREAU

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PERSONAL SEARCH OF RECORDS MAINTAINED CHICAGO.

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TO : SAC PITTSBURGH (44-578

DATE: 4-18-68

FROM: NICHOLAS S. SCIOTTO

SUBJECT: MURKIN

On 4-18-68, Mrs. SHERRY MINSON, 336 Norway Ave., Huntington, W.Va., telephone number C/O Dr. JOHN PLOTT, 523-3804, telephonically contacted the Pgh. office to furnish the following information:

Mrs. HINSON advised that on 4-13-68, she traveled by Greyhound Bus Lines from Huntington, W.Va., to Lancaster, Ohio. She stated that at about 7:30PM either in Portsmouth, Ohio, or Ashlad, Ky., a white male individual boarded the bus and sat beside her. He engaged in a coversation with her at which time he stated he was going to Detroit, Mich. to visit his brother; that he was from Pikesville, Ky., Harlan County. This individual also stated that his brother had just had a Mustang car stolen from him last week.

Mrs. HINSON advised that upon viewing the photograph of ERIC STARVO GALT in the local papers this date, she believes that the above mentioned individual bore a resemblance to that of CALT. She stated that she was skeptical of his story, which was that he was in the Marines stationed at Ft Knox; that he had been in Vietnam in 1958; that he also served in Berlin, and that his brother-in-law was the well known western music personality C ET ATKINS of Knoxville, Tenn.

Mrs. HINSON described the man as being a white male, 35 to 36 years old, 5'11" to 6', 190 lbs., sun tan complexion, black hair, tattoo "H.B." on right hand and L O V E on the hand. She stated this man had been drinking and smoked cigatettes. She stated he asked her to write to hom and she refused, however she did give him her name and address. She believes that it could be possible that he would write to her or contact her at a future date. If he does and she determines any identifying data she will furnish same to this office.



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FROM:

SAC, PITTSBURGH (44-578)

RE:

MURKIN

Retelcon between Philadelphia and Pittsburgh this

date.

Enclosed herewith for Philadelphia and one copy for Memphis is letter received by Pittsburgh from GERALD E. WALLS, inmate, State Correctional Institution, Huntingdon, Pa., dated 4/11/68.

Pittsburgh indices negative re WALLS.

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TO

SAC, PITTSBURGH (44-578)

DATE:

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FROM:

SE RAY J. COLIN

SUBJECT:

MURKIN

At 8:10a, this date, GEORGIA FULLER, 843 Inwood St, Pittsburgh 8, phone 661 7730, advised that she has seen the photo of ERIC STARVO GALT in the morning newspaper and that a patient in West Penn Hospital, Room 31 named Stanley SASINOVSKY, has a startling resemblance to GALT. She said that he has only been in there for a few days and that he is suffering from a beating from his brother.

On 4/20/68 Stenley Samioski was observed to determined to be not ident w/ Ray. We

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FBI PITTSBGH
400PM IMMEDIATE 4/18/68 RLC

TO DIRECTOR (44-38861), MEMPHIS (44-1987) AND CHICAGO (44-1114)
FROM PITTSBURGH (44-578) 2P

MURKIN

RE CG TEL APRIL SEVENTEEN, LAST.

FOLLOWING INFO OBTAINED FROM BUREAU OF PUBLIC DEBT,

PARKERSBURG. W.VA.

ALPHABETICAL SEARCH ON COMPUTER FOR E. S. GALT NEGATIVE;

FOR E. S. GAULT APPROXIMATELY ONE HUNDRED. CHECK FOR H.

LOWMEYER AND H. LOWMYER NEGATIVE. CHECK FOR J. WILLARD REVEALED

APPROXIMATELY ONE THOUSAND. COMPUTER GIVES ONLY BOND NUMBER,

DATE OF PURCHASE AND FOUR LETTERS PERTAINING TO CITY WHERE BONDS

PURCHASED. NO BONDS PURCHASED BY E. S. GAULT IN ATLANTA OR

BIRMINGHAM. IN ORDER TO GET MORE DETAILED INFO FILM INDEX MUST

BE SEARCHED FROM WHICH COPIES OF BONDS CAN BE OBTAINED.

AGENCY PRESENTLY SEARCHING NAME E. S. GAULT AND SEARCH WILL BE COMPLETED AM OF APRIL NINETEEN. NEXT.

IN ORDER TO SEARCH FILM INDEX ON J. WILLARD, AGENCY WILL HAVE TO OBTAIN CLEARANCE FROM THEIR WASHINGTON HEADQUARTERS SINCE IT WOULD TAKE TWENTY EMPLOYEES ALL DAY. AND IF DONE ON

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