

## Memorandum

TO : SAC, NEW YORK

DATE: 9/16/68

FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

SUBJECT: KENSALT  
OO: LOS ANGELESRe: Mr. A. GOLDMAN  
N.B.C.  
30 Rockefeller Plaza  
NEW YORK, N.Y.

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## FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date 9/26/68

Mr. ARTHUR GOLDMAN, Cameraman, National Broadcasting Company (NBC), 30 Rockefeller Plaza, New York, New York, stated that on the night of June 4-5, 1968, he was in New York, New York. He stated that he was in the Ambassador Hotel, Los Angeles, California, approximately two weeks prior to June 4-5, 1968. He has no idea why his name was listed as a registered guest at the Ambassador Hotel, Los Angeles, California, on June 4, 1968, unless possibly NBC had been thinking of sending him there and had made arrangements without telling him.

On 9/25/68 at New York, New York

by SA FRANCIS L. CASHIN/kme

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9/30/68

SAC, NEW YORK (44-1640)

KENSALT  
(OO: LA)

RELA letter to NY 9/16/68 requesting NY to interview  
Mr. A. Goldman, NBC, 30 Rockefeller Plaza, NY, NY.

Enclosed for LA are 22 copies of an FD 302 containing  
the results of an interview with Mr. Arthur Goldman, NBC, on  
9/25/68.

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Date 9/30/681.

ROBERT W. GREENE, Reporter, "Newsday," 550 Stewart Avenue, Garden City, New York, advised he did not check into the Ambassador Hotel, Los Angeles, California, until eight hours after the assassination of Senator ROBERT KENNEDY, therefore, he did not see or notice SIRHAN B. SIRHAN on the night of June 4, 1968. He added he was not acquainted with SIRHAN nor had he ever seen SIRHAN prior to the assassination.

In regards to a possible conspiracy on the part of other individuals acting with SIRHAN, GREENE stated he personally spoke to about twenty two persons at the Hotel just after the assassination, and none of these persons had any knowledge of any conspiracy nor did any of them observe SIRHAN prior to the assassination, or ever see any individual in movement with SIRHAN prior to the assassination, at the Ambassador Hotel.

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by gd SAA JOHN J. GALLAGHER/baa Date dictated 9/26/68

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SAC, NEW YORK

W.E.B. DU BOIS CLUBS OF AMERICA (DCA)  
(LA FILE 100-65227)  
(NY FILE 100-151987) (P)

KENSALT  
(LA FILE 56-156)  
(NY FILE 56- ) ( )

ReLAlet to NY dated 9/17/68.

With regard to the information that the DCA, as of July, 1968, was anticipating the institution of a lawsuit against Mayor SAM YORTY concerning his linking the DCA with SIRHAN B. SIRHAN, a pretext telephone conversation was conducted by SA WALT H. SIRENE on 9/25/68. The guise used was that of an author preparing a book.

A person identifying himself as JARVIS TYNER, of the National Office of the W.E.B. Du Bois Clubs of America, stated, after consulting with the organizational secretary, that to date no suit had been filed against YORTY, however, the lawyers were preparing for such a lawsuit and they had a couple of "interesting arguments". TYNER could furnish no date when the suit might be filed, however, he said that a press conference would be called at the time so as to take advantage of all publicity that they could arrange. Upon further questioning, TYNER said that to his knowledge, no target date had been set for the filing of this suit. No further pertinent information was learned during this conversation.

This information is furnished to the Los Angeles Office for whatever action they deem appropriate.

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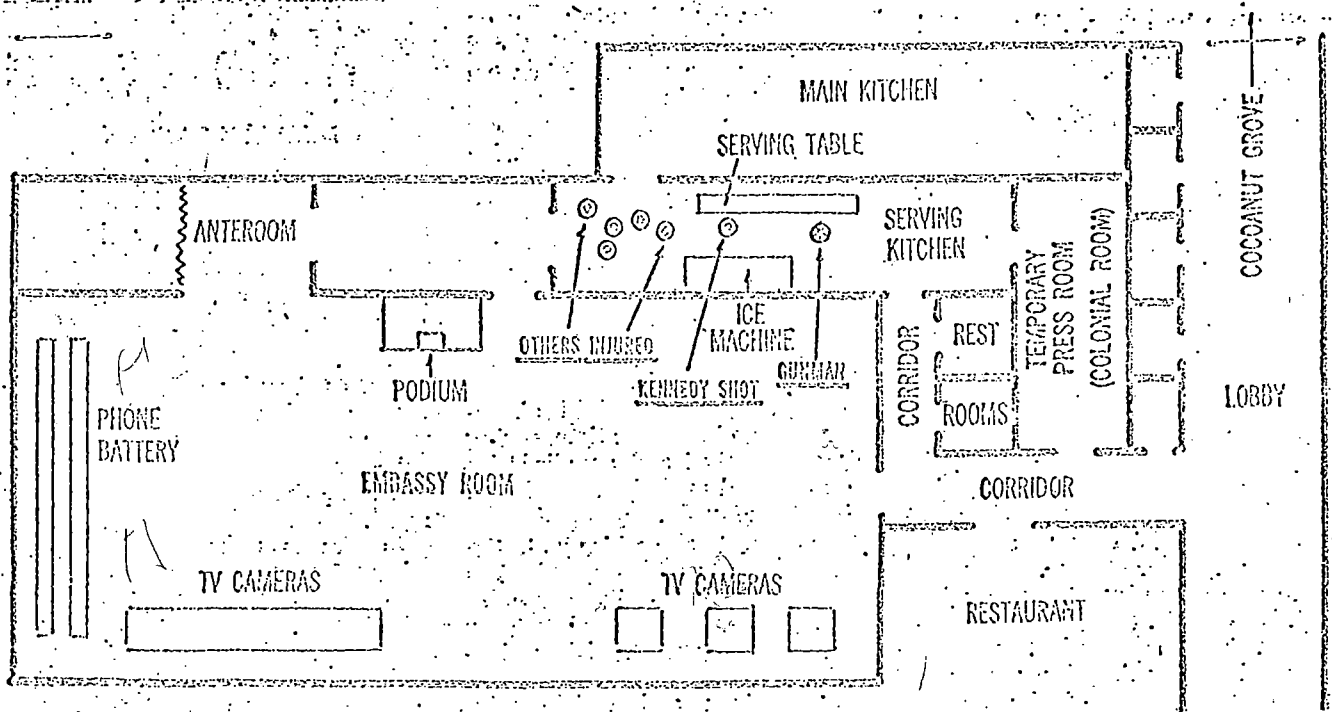


DIAGRAM OF SHOOTING SCENE--Sketch shows the doors leading from behind podium at Embassy

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Enclosed for LA are 22 copies of an FD 302 containing results of interview with Marooney on 9/25/68.

Marooney stated that he was interviewed briefly at the time of the shooting by the LAPD. Marooney gave the LAPD his card and was told he would be contacted if needed. He has heard nothing since then.

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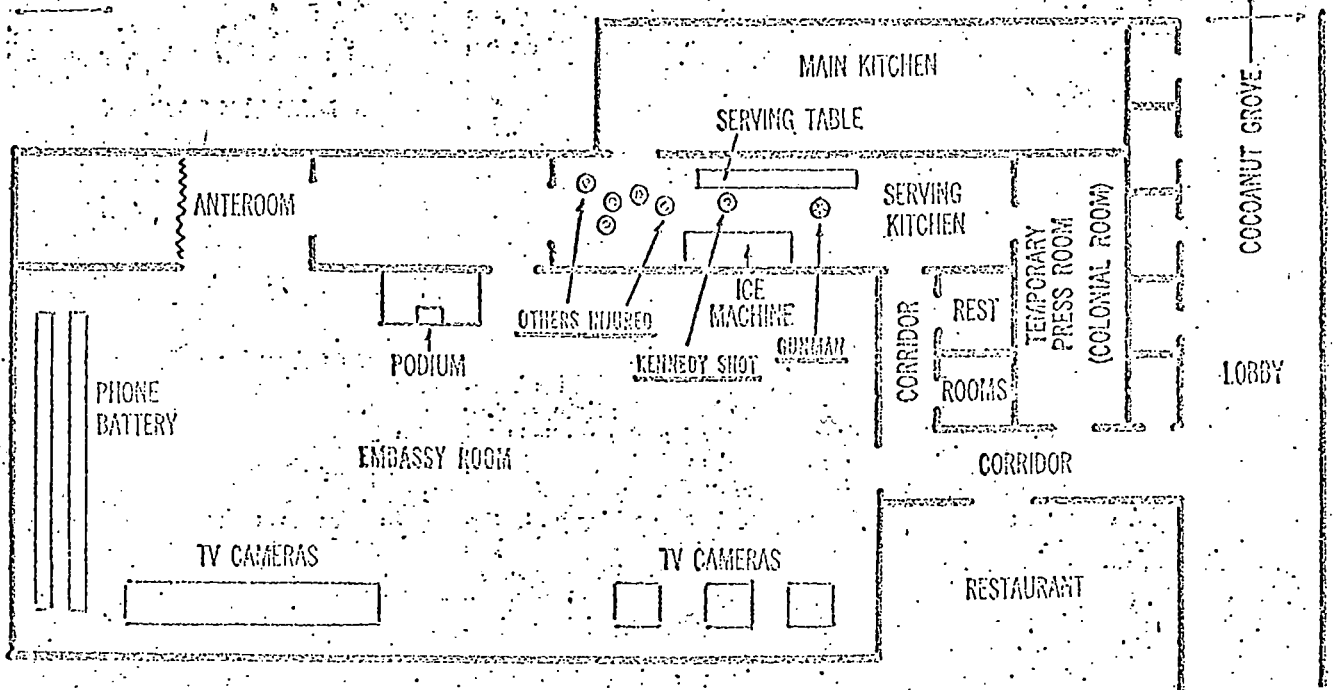


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Enclosed for LA are 22 copies of FD302 containing  
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As to Jules Loh, Pett stated that Loh is based in NY, NY  
but is presently with the George Wallace campaign. Pett stated  
that on the night of 6/4/68 at the time that Senator Kennedy  
was shot, Loh was in Los Angeles registered in the Ambassador  
Hotel but at that time Loh was with the Eugene McCarthy  
campaign which was also in Los Angeles. However Loh was  
not in the Ambassador Hotel at the time of the shooting.

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In view of the above, NY is making no further/to  
locate and interview Loh unless requested by LA.

PETT THINKS THAT ROBERT THOMAS OF AP, Los Angeles  
WAS IN AMBASSADOR HOTEL AT TIME OF SHOOTING.

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FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (44-1640)

SUBJECT: KENSALT  
(OO: LOS ANGELES)

Re Portland airtel to New York dated 9/26/68  
requesting New York to interview Mr. and Mrs. JACK BELL,  
Associated Press.

Enclosed for WFO is a copy of above airtel with  
a copy of Los Angeles letter to Portland dated 9/16/68  
requesting Portland to interview Mr. and Mrs. JACK  
BELL.

Inquiry at Associated Press, 50 Rockefeller  
Plaza, New York, New York, reveals that JACK BELL is  
assigned to Associated Press office, Washington, D.C.

WFO will interview Mr. and Mrs. JACK BELL.

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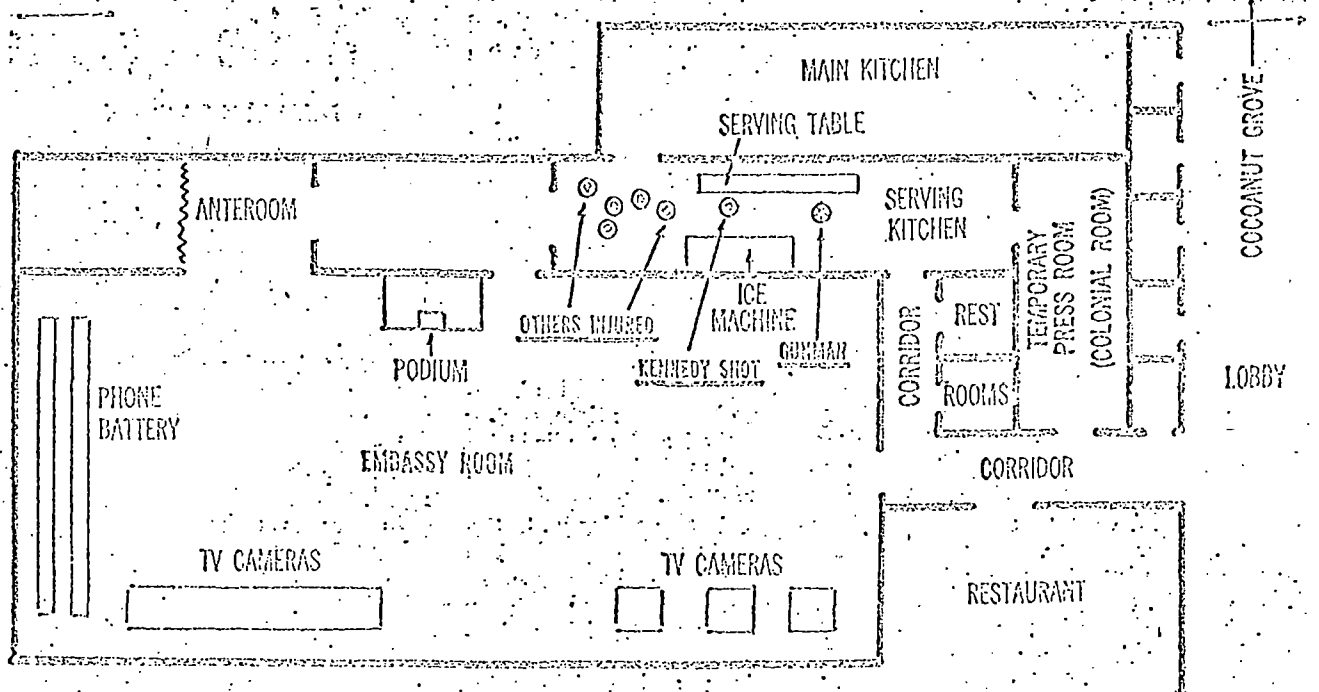


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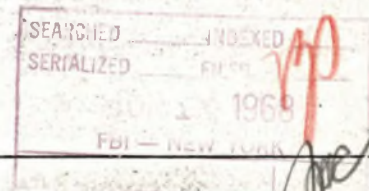
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## SIRHAN'S LAWYER ASKS FOR A DELAY

Judge in Chessman Case  
Designated for Trial

By GLADWIN HILL

Special to The New York Times

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 4 —

Smiling broadly at relatives a few yards away, Sirhan B. Sirhan, who is accused of assassinating Senator Robert F. Kennedy, made his sixth court appearance today, for a brief five minutes.

The 24-year-old Jordanian immigrant was taken from his 13th-floor cell in the Hall of Justice to an adjacent improvised chamber of the Superior Court to witness the formal designation of a trial judge and a motion by his lawyer that the trial be delayed beyond the scheduled date of Nov. 1.

### Change in Schedule Urged

The matter will be discussed at another hearing on Oct. 14, along with defense motions to exclude certain evidence from the trial and gain access to prosecution information.

Sirhan's lawyer, Russell E. Parsons, told Judge Richard Schauer that if the trial began Nov. 1 and the jury was sequestered, as the defense wants, it would mean isolating the jurors during the Thanksgiving, Christmas and New Year holidays. This, the lawyer said,

would be "a terrible ordeal" and would make difficult the job of obtaining jurors.

Instead, Mr. Parsons suggested, the trial might be started early in December with preliminaries to the swearing in of the jury and presentation of evidence, and then recessed until early January.

Judge Schauer, presiding judge of the Superior Court Criminal Division, said the matter should be decided by his designee for the trial, Judge Herbert V. Walker.

Judge Walker, 69, imposed the death sentence on Caryl Chessman, the abductor whose futile battle against execution ended in the death chamber in 1960. Judge Walker also presided in the prosecution in 1957 of Confidential Magazine for scandal-mongering.

Sirhan in his last court appearance on Aug. 2, pleaded not guilty to a charge of first-degree murder in the shooting of Senator Kennedy, and to five counts of assault with intent to kill, growing out of injuries to five bystanders.

### Escorted by Deputies

Today, as in previous hearings, the defendant, escorted by sheriff's deputies, walked casually into the courtroom, attired in dark blue trousers and a light blue open-necked shirt, and took a seat at the counsel table beside Mr. Parsons.

At a similar table on their right were the three deputy district attorneys on the prosecution's staff.

The defendant was not called upon to say anything, and the hearing ended after a brief discussion of the pending defense motions.

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INTERVIEWS

FILE # I-768

PERSON INTERVIEWED: Wilson, Donald A DATE/TIME \_\_\_\_\_

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RESIDENCE ADDRESS 200 Mercer St. Princeton N.J. PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

BUSINESS ADDRESS PUBLISHER OF LIFE (Associate) PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

INFORMATION: (WHO, WHAT, WHEN, WHERE, WHY & HOW)

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INVESTIGATORS MAKING INTERVIEW: \_\_\_\_\_ APPROVED BY: \_\_\_\_\_



INTERVIEWS

FILE # I-356

Person(s) Interviewed: Harris, Susane Gale (Miss)

Date June 25, 1968

Time- 5:30PM

Business Address & Phone None

Residence Address & Phone 10280 Cheviot Dr, L.A. #2730418

Info tation (To be complete the report should include: Who, What, When, Where, Why  
Interviewed at the abv add, date and time. & How)

Description: Fe-Cauc 5'6 1/2 130 DOB 2-22-49 (L.A.) blond hair green eyes.  
Miss Harris was a paid member of the Kennedy Press Staff and traveled with him while the Senator was in the Southern Calif area. She also had a room, #309, in the Ambassador Hotel.

Most of the evening of June 4, 1968, Miss Harris spent at the anchor desk, next to the stage area of the Embassy Room. She ran errands for Mr. Salinger and Mr. Mankiewicz. She also went to the bar, located in the main lobby to get drinks for everybody who wanted them. During those trips, she passed through the kitchen. At no time did she obs Sirhan Sirhan, or a girl in a "Polkadot Dress". During the Senators victory speech, Miss Harris went to her room, #309, to change and to pack. She learned of the shooting upon returning to the anchor desk. She does not remember anybody, outside of the news media people, who took pictures.

Others present at the Hotel. Mostly near the stage, anchor desk and in and out of hallway:

Don Wilson, unk add, Bus: Associate Publisher of Life.

Peter Edelman, unk add or phone.

Carol Breshers, unk add (Kennedy Girl) I-5

Garry Harder, unk add or phone.

Harvey Penner, unk add, phone #6535366.

Ron Norman, unk add, phone 8709670

John Pilger, Bus: London Daily Mirror, phone (area code 202) 2433440 New York.  
Call before Sunday, June 30, 1968.

Ed Bright, unk add, Phone 6231805, Bus 6266261

Garry Bruno, unk add Washington DC, Phone 18012 (?) Kennedy advance man I-301

Dick Bartholme, L.A. Times #6252345

Phillip Burton, 450 Golden Gate Av, San Francisco, #GA13013

Joan Braden, unk add, Phone #714-7292661 and 7293523

Bob Burton, unk add, phone #4722195. I-357

Tom Brokaw, KNBC News.

Bob Cheney, unk add. Mobile Phones #6211255, ZM62645, ZY62645.

Chuck Riley, City News Service, Phone # 6257601.

Mike Coady, Admin Asst, Phone #6524000

Fort Cozart, unk add, Phone 2696047 - 2616112 - 2617839 - 415-2610101.

Leon Coopers, unk add Phone #6272147.

Sylvia Chase, unk add, Phone #6538491, Bus: 9376355.

Betty Coffey, unk add, Phone 916-GI87261.

Betty Duffes, unk add, Phone #2787977, 4363681. I-353

Dick Drayne, unk add, Phone 6599325 (Ted Kennedy's Admin Asst).

Jim and Jackie Dunn, unk add, Phone #3717972. I-297

Karl Elzing, News Week, Phone 3868381.

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Investigators making interview

Approved by:

P. Werth 10909 SUS (Metro)



Paulino Fluegg, x WHHQ Phone #6597645, 6597649 (Stephen Smith's Sec)  
Betty Fisher, x unk add, Phone #6376342.  
Julia Glazier, x unk add, Phone #2722287, Bus: 9376350.  
Les Guthman, x unk add, Phone #2549082.  
Hilton Gwartzman, x unk add, Phone 202-6599285, (May be spelled Gwartzman on other Reports) 35/  
Lloyd Hearn, x unk add, Phone 833 6879, T-492.  
Walter Harvey, x unk add, Phone 8311121, Bus: 9376345.  
Doug Jaffoo, x unk add, Phone #6228987.  
Al Jucraz, x unk add, Phone #AN19112.  
Miguel Jay, x unk add, Phone #9376338, Home # 3468563.  
Mr Kasindorf, x News Week, Phone # 3868381.  
Norman Kemoster, x UP, Phone # 4457755.  
Phil Kerbo, x Nation Magazine, Phone #8799091.  
Dick Kline, 15967 Miami Way, Unk City, Phone #GI44880, T-240  
Fred Leopold, x unk add, Phone #2713300  
Dennis Richard, 252 Lauren Ave, Pacifica, Calif, Phone #415-6265353 -- 3592347.  
Bill Norrie, x unk add, Phone #6257831 Bus: MA57837.  
Tony and Stephanie Profumo, x 960 S Manhattan Pl #18, Phone #7370357.  
Charles Ross, x unk add, Phone # 714- 2347111  
Norbert Schlof, x unk add, Phone #7615143, Bus: #6261411.  
Lucy Salenger, 6000 Cocos Dr, L.A. Phone #4665875, T-354  
Paul Schrade, x 4150 Hillcrest, L.A. unk phone.  
Bill Thomas, x 1499 Market St, San Francisco, Phone #415-6218086.  
Rick Tuttle, x unk add, Phone #4779835.  
Jennifer Tobart, x unk add, Phone #202-6599885 (Gwartzman's Sec)  
Phil Watson, x KPFK Radio, Phone #8775583.  
James Wrightson, x McClatchy Newspaper, Phone #6204818.  
Adam Walinsky, x unk add, Phone #6599280, ext 137 and 148. (Washington Hqs)

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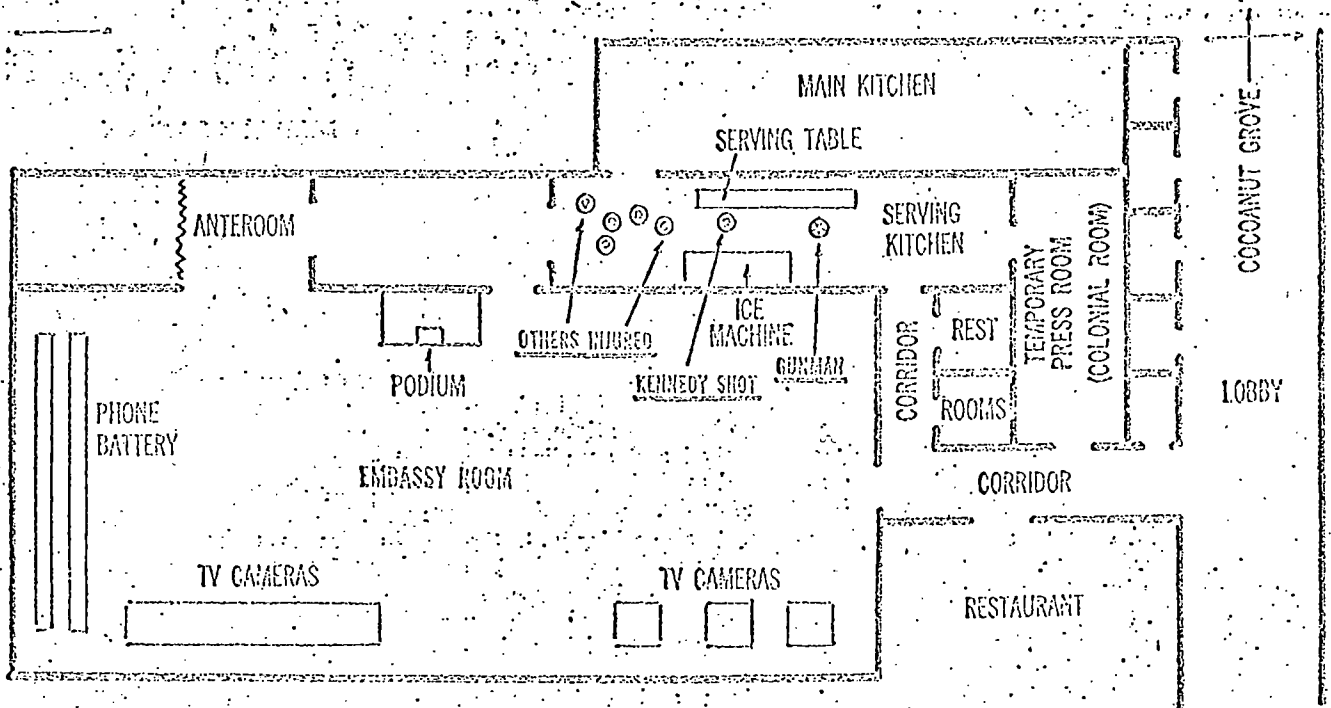


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GREENE, ROBERT

4/65

161-1735-5\*

DOB 9/4/22, NYC

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GREENE, ROBERT

12/57

134-2842-

27 Madison St, NYC

GREENE, ROBERT

12/61

137-8053\*

aka of SAMUEL ROBERT FALVO

DOB 3/31/25 or 26

White

GREENE, ROBERT

6/67

105-20438-2626

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86-20 Park Lane So. Woodhaver, NY

GREENE, ROBERT

2/68

157-927-2321

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GREENE, ROBERT 2/58 92-854-7 p2

reporter for "NEWSDAY, LI, NY paper  
investigator for the NYC  
anti-crime committee in 1955

GREENE, ROBERT 8/65 92-2247-Sub C-92

Newsday reporter

GREENE, ROBERT (NMN)

66-3851-123

DOB 10/1/25

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GREENE, ROBERT 10/65 140-15603-18

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GREENE, ROBERT 3/62 100-107011-1B 1222  
1061 Longfellow Ave.. Bx. p.193

The above named individual signed a petition to the President of the United States seeking a new trial, Presidential Pardon and/or commutation of sentence during 1961. This petition was circulated by the Committee To Secure Justice for Morton Sobell.

GREENE. ROBERT (MRS) 12/56 100-117465\*

see Frieda Lewitter Greene  
DOB 1911 Poland

GREENE, ROBERT. wa.

100-113966\*  
4/53

DOB 12/8/08, Newark. NJ  
130 Fabjan Place  
Newark, New Jersey

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GREENE. ROBERT

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Negro

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chief Investigator  
NYC Anti Crime Comm  
Senior Staff Investigator  
rep of NEWSDAY  
a LI NY daily paper (1951)

GREENE, ROBERT

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205 W. 88th St., NYC  
About 27 yrs of age

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GREENE, ROBERT

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9/63

97-28955-262\*

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53-564\*

alias of Robert Greene

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139 8th Ave.

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GREENE, ROBERT

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747 Orienta Ave.

Mamaroneck, NY

AGE: 41 - 1957 approx.

SEE: ROBERT GREENFIELD



GREENE, ROBERT (T.N.) 7/61 87-23428\*

Re: UNSUB

Interest in the Avhora Motel  
2400 Collins Ave.  
Miami, Fla.

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aka of Arthur Michael Newman  
FBI # 146043-C  
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GREENE, ROBERT 8/57 87-9015-20\*  
6/57 87-9013-2\*  
Alias of Robert Leroy Green.  
DOB 3/26/32 Bermuda  
Negro

GREENE, ROBERT 52-3224\*

aka Robert Greene Jr.  
DOB 5/10/29, Britt, Iowa

GREENE, ROBERT 5/61 43-4402-1\*

(ROBT. GREENE)

31 yrs (1961)

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121-7862-1a1  
1980 Unionport Rd, NYC  
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Date 9/30/681.

ROBERT W. GREENE, Reporter, "Newsday", 550 Stewart Avenue, Garden City, New York, advised he did not check into the Ambassador Hotel, Los Angeles, California, until eight hours after the assassination of Senator ROBERT KENNEDY, therefore, he did not see or notice SIRHAN B. SIRHAN on the night of June 4, 1968. He added he was not acquainted with SIRHAN nor had he ever seen SIRHAN prior to the assassination.

In regards to a possible conspiracy on the part of other individuals acting with SIRHAN, GREENE stated he personally spoke to about twenty two persons at the Hotel just after the assassination, and none of these persons had any knowledge of any conspiracy nor did any of them observe SIRHAN prior to the assassination, or ever see any individual in movement with SIRHAN prior to the assassination, at the Ambassador Hotel.

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by SAA JOHN J. GALLAGHER/lga Date dictated 9/26/68

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ReLAlet to NY 9/16/68 requesting NY to interview Robert W. Greene, Newsday, Garden City, NY.

Enclosed for LA are 22 copies of an FD 302 containing the results of an interview with Greene on 9/26/68.

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On 10/8/68, Miss BARBARA BARD, who identified herself as a reporter at the United Nations and a representative of the "Anglo Jewish Press", telephone #544-7590, advised that the captioned individual, who is head of the Action Committee on American Arab Relations, has recently written a new book entitled "Kennedy and Sirhan". According to Miss BARD, MEHDI alleges that American Jewish Communists rather than SIRHAN are responsible for the assassination of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY. The book in question, according to Miss BARD, is to be released in the near future and she was furnishing this information for whatever value may be placed on it by the FBI.

She further indicated that the book was published by Wagner's Printers, Cedar Rapids, Iowa, and in the event she ever receives any further information concerning captioned individual or the Action Committee on American Arab Relations, she would furnish it to the NYO.

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GEORGE SOROS, ARNHOLD AND BLEICHROEDER, THIRTY BROAD  
STREET, NEW YORK CITY, STATED THAT ON OCTOBER TEN, INSTANT,  
HE MET WITH BLOCK AND WAS OF THE IMPRESSION THAT BLOCK WAS  
GOING TO RETURN TO WASHINGTON, D. C., ON OCTOBER TEN, INSTANT.  
HE THINKS BLOCK STAYED AT THE COMMODORE HOTEL, NEW YORK CITY.  
COMMODORE HOTEL, NEW YORK CITY, HAS NO STEWART BLOCK REGIS-  
TERED THERE.

NEW YORK IS TAKING NO FURTHER ACTION REGARDING IN-  
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