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ELMER M. BOOMHOWER was interviewed at his residence, 10156 Collett Avenue, Granada Hills, a section of Los Angeles, telephone 842-7124. He stated he is employed by the Ace Guard Service, 8720 Woodley Avenue, Sepulveda, California, telephone 844-5717.

BOOMHOWER related that on June 4, 1968, he went to work at 6:00 p.m. at the Ambassador Hotel. He was a security guard in the hall outside Senator ROBERT KENNEDY's suite. This was several floors from the area where Mr. KENNEDY was shot. He stated that he was at a post outside Room 518, which was several doors from the Presidential Suite where Senator KENNEDY was a guest. He could hear a television program concerning the events taking place in the Embassy Room of the hotel and in that way about 12:15 a.m. heard the news that Mr. KENNEDY had been shot. He stated that almost immediately JOHN GLENN, who was in the KENNEDY suite, left that place and immediately went downstairs. Some time later, on orders from the Security Office of the hotel, he reported to the Guard Room on the first floor and still later made a check of the ballroom and other places on the first floor checking hotel property and to help calm down the guests and visitors.

BOOMHOWER stated he did not see anyone resembling SIRHAN SIRHAN. He said he has seen SIRHAN's photograph in the newspapers.

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RUBY REBECCA TRUM (Mrs. JOSEPH TRUM), 1136 $\frac{1}{2}$ Cornwell, Los Angeles, California, home telephone number 225-5862, was interviewed at her place of employment, Ambassador Hotel, 3400 Wilshire Boulevard, Los Angeles, California, where she is a waitress in the hotel coffee shop. TRUM furnished the following information:

On June 4, 1968, TRUM arrived at work at about noon and worked until 8:00 PM. At approximately 8:30 PM that day, she left work and went home.

TRUM could furnish no information relative to the assassination of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY as she was home at the time of the shooting.

A photograph of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN, dated June 5, 1968, bearing Los Angeles, California, Police Department Booking Number 495 139, was displayed to TRUM. After viewing the photograph, TRUM advised that she has never seen the individual in this photograph.

TRUM advised that she was born on December 11, 1909, in Ireland.

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ALFRED TODD JONES, 845 South Burnside Avenue, Los Angeles, California, home telephone number WE 5-4971, was interviewed at his place of employment, Ambassador Hotel, 3400 Wilshire Boulevard, Los Angeles, California, where he is counter manager of the hotel coffee shop. JONES furnished the following information:

On June 4, 1968, JONES arrived at work at approximately 7:00 AM and worked at the coffee shop counter until approximately 3:00 PM, when he left the hotel grounds.

JONES could furnish no information relative to the assassination of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY. JONES stated that he was at home and had retired for the night at the time of the shooting.

A photograph of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN, dated June 5, 1968, bearing Los Angeles, California, Police Department Booking Number 495 139, was displayed to JONES. After examining the photograph, JONES advised that to his knowledge he has never seen SIRHAN.

JONES further advised that he was born on October 9, 1909, at Cairo, Illinois.

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VERA PATTEN, 6566 Fountain Avenue, Hollywood, California, home telephone number HO 4-5289, was interviewed at her place of employment, Ambassador Hotel, 3400 Wilshire Boulevard, Los Angeles, California, where she is a switchboard operator. PATTEN furnished the following information:

On June 4, 1968, PATTEN worked from 4:00 PM to 8:00 PM. After getting off of work at 8:00 PM, PATTEN remained at the Ambassador Hotel until approximately 10:00 PM, spending most of the evening in and around the Embassy Room. She left the hotel at about 10:00 PM, went out for dinner, after which she went home. She did not return to the Ambassador Hotel again until 4:00 PM on June 7, 1968.

PATTEN advised that she had no information relative to the assassination of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY.

A photograph of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN, dated June 5, 1968, bearing Los Angeles, California, Police Department Booking Number 495 139, was displayed to PATTEN. After viewing this photograph, PATTEN advised that she has never seen this person.

PATTEN advised that she was born on January 11, 1919, at Auburn, New York, and that her Social Security Number is [REDACTED]

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ELIZABETH CUSOLITO (Mrs. JOHN CUSOLITO), 1189 $\frac{1}{2}$ Muirfield Road, Los Angeles, California, home telephone number WE 4-2460, was interviewed at her place of employment, Ambassador Hotel, 3400 Wilshire Boulevard, Los Angeles, California, where she is a waitress in the hotel coffee shop. CUSOLITO furnished the following information:

On June 4, 1968, CUSOLITO arrived at work at approximately 6:00 PM, and worked until midnight. The doors of the coffee shop were locked at about midnight, after which CUSOLITO spent approximately 10 minutes straightening her assigned area. At approximately 12:10 AM on June 5, 1968, CUSOLITO went to the dressing room and changed from her waitress uniform to her street clothes and left the hotel at approximately 12:20 AM on June 5, 1968.

While at the hotel that night, CUSOLITO neither heard nor observed anything relating to the assassination of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY.

A photograph of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN, dated June 5, 1968, bearing Los Angeles, California, Police Department Booking Number 495 139, was displayed to CUSOLITO. After viewing the photograph, CUSOLITO advised that to her knowledge, she has never seen this person.

CUSOLITO advised that she was born on May 14, 1903, at Cleveland, Ohio.

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DAVID KAL HAINES, 220 East Sierra Madre Avenue, Apartment F, Sierra Madre, California, furnished the following information:

He is nineteen years old and a student at Pasadena City College, Pasadena, California. Since the end of April 1968, he was a volunteer worker at the Pasadena Headquarters of the Youth for KENNEDY Club. On Tuesday, June 4, 1968, he was busy at the Youth for KENNEDY Headquarters in Pasadena until approximately 9:00 p.m. At that time, he and a fellow worker, RAY (last name unknown), decided to go to the Ambassador Hotel in Los Angeles to await the election returns. They went in RAY's automobile, arriving at the Ambassador at approximately 9:45 p.m. They joined the throng that had gathered in the lower level ballroom where television sets were placed to follow the returns.

He met several of his fellow workers from Pasadena and recalls meeting SANDRA SERRANO, who was in charge of the Pasadena Youth for KENNEDY Club, sometime between 10:00 p.m. and 11:00 p.m. SERRANO was in a group standing near a bar set up in the foyer area at the entrance of the ballroom. As she was obviously underage, he ordered her a screwdriver drink from the bar and chatted with her for awhile. To his knowledge, that was the only drink she had that evening.

He rejoined the crowd in the ballroom and was at that location when the news that Senator KENNEDY had been shot was received. He watched the proceedings on television in the ballroom for some time and then started to move through the crowd in the ballroom looking for his friends. He came across his fellow worker, RAY, who had taken him to the Ambassador, who was in a complete state of collapse at the news and was lying on the floor. He and a girl, name unknown, who had met RAY at the ballroom, gave assistance to RAY and he remained with them until RAY was sufficiently recovered, that he could leave RAY in the girl's care. He then lent assistance to an unidentified elderly lady who asked him to take her to her automobile parked on a side street

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in the vicinity of the hotel, which he did. Upon returning to the hotel, he again met SANDRA SERRANO, who was with another Pasadena worker, IRENE CHAVEZ. They met in the vicinity of the shop area or arcade of the lower level. He estimates that this was at least one hour after he first heard of the shooting.

SERRANO was extremely upset, crying, and distraught. He recalls her saying "Oh, DAVID, you don't know what I have seen" and "What should I do". She also said other things which he cannot now recall, but as he was also upset and trying to get back in the ballroom to where he had left RAY, he attached no significance to what SERRANO had said. He believed it only related to the fact that Senator KENNEDY had been shot. He then returned to the ballroom, searched for his friends, and had no further contact or conversation with SERRANO.

While he was at the Ambassador Hotel, both prior to and after the shooting, he did not see anyone resembling the photographs or general description of suspect, SIRHAN SIRHAN, nor could he recall seeing any women in a white dress with black polka dots.

He has known SANDRA SERRANO since April 1968, and she was in charge of the Pasadena Office of the Youth for KENNEDY Club. He considers her to be a reliable, level headed and a responsible person.

He is entering the Marine Corps in mid-July 1968 and prior to that time will spend two weeks vacationing in Texas where he can be reached in care of Mr. BOB PHILLIPS, 4007 Cornelia, Greenville, Texas.

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NAJEEB H. KHOURY was interviewed at his residence, 5767 Fountain Avenue, Apartment 8. After the agents identified themselves, KHOURY was advised of the FBI's interest in the shooting of U.S. Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY.

KHOURY advised he was a Medical student, University of Guadalajara, Mexico City, Mexico. He returns to Los Angeles each vacation and during the summer to make enough money for the next semester's expenses. During these periods he plays the "Oud", a musical instrument, at the Arabian night club, La Fez, 1508 North Vermont, Los Angeles. SIRHAN SIRHAN had a brother, ADEL SIRHAN, who also worked at the La Fez, but KHOURY was only casually acquainted with him. Through this brother, KHOURY met two or three other members of the SIRHAN family, but he never knew SIRHAN SIRHAN. The only time KHOURY ever visited the SIRHAN home was approximately one year ago following the death of AIDA SIRHAN, a sister and the victim of Leukemia.

KHOURY stated he had always been pro-KENNEDY. He explained that he considered President JOHN F. KENNEDY a real friend of the Arabs and felt ROBERT F. KENNEDY shared these views. For this reason he was shocked that a Jordanian, or any Arab for that matter, would kill ROBERT KENNEDY. KHOURY denied that he belonged to any organizations, pro-Arab or otherwise.

The following description was obtained from observation and interview:

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Name	NAJEEB H. KHOURY
Alias	Jim Khoury
Race	White (Arabian)
Birth Data	August 31, 1938 Nazareth, Palestine
Height	5'9"
Weight	140 pounds
Hair	Black
Eyes	Green
Occupation	Student
Relatives	BARBARA ANTOINETTE KHOURY, wife (Married Los Angeles, 1965)
	NABIL KHOURY, brother Age 21 (Lives with NAJEEB KHOURY)
	HABIB KHOURY, brother Age 30 (Lives near Edgemont and Santa Monica Boulevard, Los Angeles, phone 660-0038)
Residence	5767 Fountain Avenue Apartment 8 Los Angeles
Vehicle	1965 Chevrolet, California license RFU 882
Arrests	Denied

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Mrs. BARBARA ANTOINETTE KHOURY, nee Wayshak, was interviewed by SA PAUL CHAMBERLAIN, JR. and SA JOHN E. TRUAX, who identified themselves to her as Special Agents of the FBI, at her residence 5667-Fountain Avenue, Apartment 3.

BARBARA KHOURY advised that she has known SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN and in fact his entire family for a period of approximately seven years. She stated that she first came in contact with the family in 1961 when she initially dated ADEL SIRHAN, a brother of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN, and through him met the entire SIRHAN family. Mrs. KHOURY disclosed that she has not personally talked to SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN for a period of approximately four years, but she stated that she has been in contact with ADEL SIRHAN as recently as one week ago.

Mrs. KHOURY stated that on the evening of June 4, 1968, the night of the election in Los Angeles, California, her friend BEVERLY COREY, also known as Beverly Monroe, came to her residence driving her Volkswagen bus arriving at approximately 8:00 or 8:15 p.m. KHOURY stated that she and BEVERLY COREY shortly thereafter left the apartment in BEVERLY's Volkswagen bus and drove to the International Pancake House on Sunset Boulevard in Hollywood, California, where they stayed until approximately 10:00 p.m. KHOURY advised that upon leaving the International Pancake House they drove around the Hollywood area looking for a movie to attend. KHOURY disclosed that they decided upon the movie "Boom" playing at the Pantages Theatre in Hollywood and entered this theatre at approximately 10:30 p.m.

KHOURY stated that the show in question let out at approximately 12:00 to 12:30 a.m. at which time she and BEVERLY COREY drove directly to her, KHOURY's, residence where they were met at the door by her brother-in-law NABIL KHOURY, who advised them that Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY had been shot.

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KHOURY stated that she and **BEVERLY COREY** stayed up the remainder of the evening watching the television reports of the shooting.

Mrs. **KHOURY** stated that during the morning hours of the following day, June 5, 1968 she was called by her mother who advised her that the individual accused of shooting Senator **KENNEDY** had been identified as **SIRHAN SIRHAN**. She stated that inasmuch as she was familiar with the **SIRHAN** family she wanted to be of some assistance to them.

Mrs. **KHOURY** advised that the following day she and **BEVERLY COREY** travelled to the **SIRHAN** residence in Pasadena, California in order that they might offer any assistance necessary to the **SIRHAN** family.

BARBARA KHOURY advised that she has **not** been to the Ambassador Hotel for a period in excess of one year and positively was not even in the vicinity of this hotel on the evening of June 4 - 5, 1968.

Mrs. **KHOURY** stated that she does not own a white dress with black polka dots and claims the only polka dot dress she does own **is** a brown dress with white dots. She stated she had not worn this dress for a period in excess of three weeks.

Mrs. **KHOURY** advised that she has no knowledge whatsoever of any of the political philosophy possessed by **SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN** or for that matter his brother **ADEL SIRHAN**. She stated that her original connection with **ADEL SIRHAN** started in that he was a musician playing music at the La Fez nightclub in Hollywood, California, where she formally danced as an exotic dancer.

Mrs. **KHOURY** stated that the last time she saw **ADEL SIRHAN** was on the evening of Saturday, June 1, 1968 when he stopped by her apartment for approximately five minutes to pick up photographs of her to be used for publicity reasons.

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Mrs. **KHOURY** stated that she positively could furnish no further information which would be of assistance in the investigation involving **SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN**.

The following is a description of **BARBARA KHOURY** as obtained through observation and interview:

Name	BARBARA ANTOINETTE KHOURY
Alias	Antoinette Khoury
Sex	Female
Race	Caucasian, Syrian extraction
Weight	108 pounds
Height	5'2"
Hair	Brown
Eyes	Brown
Date of birth	August 23, 1939
Place of birth	Brooklyn, New York
Marital status	Married
Husband	" JIM " KHOURY (medical student at the University of Mexico, extension at Guadalajara, Mexico)
Ex-husband	BRUCE DALTON (divorce obtained in 1962)
California driver's license	[REDACTED]
Residence	566 Fountain Avenue Los Angeles, California Apartment 8
Occupation	Belly dancer
Last place of employment	Greek Village Hollywood Boulevard Hollywood, California (terminated employment May 27, 1968)

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GREGORY BION ABBOTT, 928 West Huntington Avenue, Apartment 4, Arcadia, California, furnished the following information:

He is nineteen years old and has just completed his Sophomore year at Yale University. At present, he is employed as a messenger by Noble, Cooke, 618 South Spring Street, Los Angeles, California, a stock brokerage firm. He intends to return to Yale on approximately September 15, 1968.

Upon arriving home from Yale, he volunteered his services to the Youth for KENNEDY Club in Pasadena and worked there on Monday June 3, 1968, until 9:00 p.m. and on Tuesday, June 4, 1968, the day of the California primary.

On June 4, 1968, at about 8:15 p.m., he and some of his fellow-workers decided to go to the Ambassador Hotel in Los Angeles to await the election returns. He went to the Ambassador with SANDY SERRANO, IRENE CHAVEZ, GEORGE FREDERICKS and a MIKE (last name unknown) in FREDERICKS' auto.

They arrived at the Ambassador Hotel at approximately 9:00 p.m. and joined the crowd which had gathered in the ballroom on the lower level of the hotel to watch the election returns on television sets which had been set up there. The group split up and went their separate ways after agreeing to get together later on in the evening for the ride home.

ABBOTT stated that he spent most of the evening in the ballroom with DINAH CHURCHILL, 945 Hilgard Avenue, Apartment 105, Westwood, California, whom he met at the gathering. He recalls seeing SANDRA SERRANO at least once, in the crowd, prior to the news of the shooting.

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He was in the lower level ballroom when he first heard the news that Senator KENNEDY had been shot. This is directly below the ballroom where Senator KENNEDY made his victory speech. He believes that approximately twenty minutes later he left the ballroom, with DINAH CHURCHILL, and was in the long corridor leading to the entrance of the lower level ballroom, when he again met SERRANO. She was alone, sobbing hysterically and talking incoherently. He took her into his arms and attempted to comfort her. He cannot recall anything in particular that SERRANO said, at that time, but his impression was that it simply dealt with the horrible fact that Senator KENNEDY had been shot.

As his companion, DINAH CHURCHILL, was also visibly upset and standing alone down the corridor, he excused himself and took DINAH out of the hotel.

He was, thereafter, in and out of the hotel several times searching for SANDRA and IRENE CHAVEZ in order to take them home, but saw neither one. He assumed they had obtained other rides and left the hotel at approximately 2:30 a.m. to return to Pasadena.

During the period he was at the Ambassador Hotel, both prior to and after the shooting, he did not see anyone resembling the photograph or description of suspect SIRHAN SIRHAN, nor could he recall seeing any women in a white dress with black polka dots.

He first met SANDRA SERRANO on June 3, 1968, at the Youth for KENNEDY Headquarters in Pasadena where she was in charge. He had an opportunity to talk to her extensively on both June 3 and June 4, 1968 and considers her to be a reliable and responsible person.

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JOSE MARTINEZ CARBAJEL, Busboy, Coffee Shop, Ambassador Hotel, 3400 Wilshire Boulevard, Los Angeles, was interviewed at his place of employment and advised that he was on duty at the coffee shop from 4:00 p.m. until midnight, June 4, 1968. CARBAJEL stated that following his duty period he went to the Embassy Room on the second floor of the hotel. By the time he had completed his duty in the coffee shop it was approximately 12:10 or 12:15 a.m. on June 5, 1968. He went directly to the main kitchen on the second floor which is adjacent to the Embassy Room and was told by an unidentified individual that Senator KENNEDY had been shot.

CARBAJEL advised that he arrived upon the scene after the shooting had occurred. He stated that he did not hear any sounds resembling gunfire as he approached the room. He saw no one leaving the kitchen area as he arrived.

CARBAJEL stated that he entered the main kitchen and saw a person who he described as a busboy holding Senator KENNEDY's head. CARBAJEL was unable to describe any other action occurring in the room when he arrived.

A photograph of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN was displayed to CARBAJEL but he was unable to state whether he had seen an individual resembling SIRHAN in or about the hotel both during the time which he was on duty and following when he was upstairs. He left the hotel at approximately 1:25 a.m., June 5, 1968.

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Mrs. ROSA E. CASTELLANOS, Coffee Shop Waitress, Ambassador Hotel, 3400 Wilshire Boulevard, Los Angeles, California, was interviewed at her place of employment and advised that she was on duty from approximately 4:00 p.m. until 12 midnight, June 4, 1968. Mrs. CASTELLANOS stated she was in the coffee shop the entire evening and went directly home following work.

A photograph of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN was displayed to Mrs. CASTELLANOS but she was unable to advise whether she had seen this individual in or about the hotel on June 4, 1968.

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ROBERT THOMAS JAMES, Counterman, Coffee Shop, Ambassador Hotel, 3400 Wilshire Boulevard, Los Angeles, California, was interviewed at his place of employment and advised that he was at the hotel from approximately 4:00 p.m. June 4, 1968, until 12:04 a.m., June 5, 1968, after which time he departed for home. While on duty, he remained in the coffee shop the entire time, took no breaks, and never went upstairs near the Embassy Room.

A photograph of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN was displayed to JAMES but he was unable to state that he had seen this individual in or about the hotel on June 4, 1968, or June 5, 1968.

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WALTER KOPEC, Countermañ, Coffee Shop, Ambassador Hotel, 3400 Wilshire Boulevard, Los Angeles, California, was interviewed at his place of employment and advised that he was on duty from 3:00 p.m., June 4, 1968, until approximately midnight on that date. KOPEC advised he left the hotel shortly after midnight and went home. He was in the coffee shop the entire evening and never went near the Embassy Room upstairs.

A photograph of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN was displayed to KOPEC but he was unable to state that he had seen an individual resembling SIRHAN in the hotel on June 4, 1968.

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MAX GOOD, Medical Administrative Officer of the Day, Wadsworth Hospital, Veterans Administration (VA), Wilshire and Sawtelle Boulevards, furnished the following information:

He advised that personnel records of hospital employees are located in building 218 of the VA Center on Sawtelle Boulevard. He advised that those records are kept locked during the weekend and would not be available for review until Monday, June 17, 1968.

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Dr ABRAHAM SHEDLOV, M. D., Wadsworth Hospital, Veterans Administration (VA), Wilshire and Sawtelle Boulevards, furnished the following information:

He is assistant to the Chief of the Admitting Section, Dr. MANNY COHEN, of the Wadsworth Hospital. In such a capacity, he advised he had access to the admitting records of the hospital employees dated June 12, 1968.

He advised upon examination of the Admitting Records for that date only one woman was admitted for a nervous condition and her name was CAROL FRANZEN. He said he had no other pertinent information as to her identity.

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Dr. EDWARD MARSHALL, M. D., Apartment 1, 1408 Armacost Avenue, furnished the following information:

He is a part-time doctor at Wadsworth Hospital, Veterans Administration (VA), Wilshire and Sawtelle Boulevards. He was acting in that capacity on the evening of June 12, 1968, and advised that at approximately 6:30 p.m. a young lady, who is employed by the VA Hospital in the Dietary Kitchen, came to him for treatment. She claimed to be nervous and too distraught to work. She did not reveal the reason for her nervous condition and he did not pursue the matter. She stated that she lived alone but that her parents did live nearby. He advised her that she should not stay alone, but should go to her parents home. He further advised her that she should seek psychiatric treatment

MARSHALL advised that he did not pay much attention to the girl as he had other patients waiting on him, but that later when he read in the paper about the girl in the polka dot dress being sought in connection with the murder of ROBERT F. KENNEDY, he thought that this girl seemed to fit the description. He did not know her name but gave the following description of her:

Race	White
Sex	Female
Age	23 to 24
Height	5'5"
Weight	120 pounds
Hair	Brunette
Eyes	Brown
Build	Medium to slender
Complexion	Olive

MARSHALL said that she spoke good English with a slight accent and could not tell whether she was of Mexican or of Mediterranean descent. He stated that he feels that

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she was probably a Mediterranean because she had an excess amount of hair on her face and arms, which he described as a good characteristic of Mediterranean people.

MARSHALL said that the person who would have the admitting records indicating the name of this girl would be Dr. MANNY COHEN, Chief of the Admitting Section.

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At 4:02 PM, an anonymous telephone call was received at the Los Angeles Office of the FBI from a male individual. This person advised that the girl in the white dress with black polka dots the Police are looking for in connection with the shooting of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY is possibly a "belly dancer" who previously worked at the Greek Village on Hollywood Boulevard in Los Angeles. He further stated that her name is ANTOINETTE (phonetic) last name unknown, and that she is married to an Arab who is now believed to be in Mexico. He also mentioned that ANTOINETTE last name unknown, is believed to at one time have dated one of SIRHAN SIRHAN's brothers.

He stated he had no further pertinent information.

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PETER J. PITCHESS, Sheriff, Los Angeles County, Hall of Justice, Los Angeles, California, advised that on the afternoon of June 7, 1968, his office had been telephonically contacted by a young woman named CATHEY S. FULMER, and she advised his office that she believed she was the girl in the polka dot dress referred to in the newspapers.

Sheriff PITCHESS stated that he had deputies of the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Office pick this young lady up at her residence and bring her to his office where he held her pending the arrival of detectives of the Los Angeles Police Department.

Sheriff PITCHESS stated CATHEY FULMER told him that she had been in the Embassy Room of the Ambassador Hotel in Los Angeles, California, on the evening of June 4, 1968, and the early morning of June 5, 1968, where Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY was shot.

Sheriff PITCHESS stated CATHEY FULMER told him that she had worn a polka dot scarf over her dress on the evening of June 4, 1968, and she further told him that after Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY was shot she ran from the Ambassador Hotel screaming "They have shot him". Sheriff PITCHESS stated that CATHEY FULMER told him that she did not say "We have shot him", and she further told Sheriff PITCHESS that she did not know SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN.

Sheriff PITCHESS stated CATHEY FULMER did tell him that she had recognized photographs of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN appearing in local newspapers as an individual she believes she saw at the Ambassador Hotel in Los Angeles on the evening Senator KENNEDY was shot.

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Sheriff PITCHESS stated CATHEY FULMER told him she believes she saw SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN on approximately four occasions prior to the shooting of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY, and she also told Sheriff PITCHESS she believes SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN is the individual she pushed aside to make room for a small Negro girl near the stage when Senator KENNEDY was making his victory speech.

Sheriff PITCHESS stated that CATHEY FULMER would be taken to the Rampart Street Division of the Los Angeles Police Department for interviewing by detectives of the Los Angeles Police Department.

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Records, United California Bank, Pasadena Main Branch, 505 East Colorado Boulevard, reflect that SHARIF B. SIRHAN, 696 East Howard Street, Pasadena, California, obtained a loan on February 6, 1968, in the amount of \$500.00, payable in 12 monthly installments of \$44.16 each. These records reflect that on March 18, 1968, two payments were made and on March 21, 1968, the loan was paid off.

These records reflect that the nearest relative of SHARIF B. SIRHAN is SAIDALLAH B. SIRHAN, 1659 North Lake, Pasadena, California.

These records reflect that the employment for SIRHAN was the ITT Cannon Electric, 3208 Humbolt Street, Pasadena, California. It was reflected that SIRHAN was employed in production control at a salary of \$492.00 per month and had been employed by this company for three years.

These records further reflect that SIRHAN had a loan in the amount of \$700.00 at the United States National Bank, North Lake Avenue, Pasadena, California, and had had a prior loan with General Motor Acceptance Corporation, Pasadena, California.

The above information is to be made public only following the issuance of a subpoena duces tecum which subpoena should be directed to Mr. STANLEY C. DYE, Operations Officer, at the above referred to bank.

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Mrs. DEBORAH D. MOKHTARIAN, 6656 Holt Avenue, telephone number SP 6-0840, advised that she was born in the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics and as a small child she moved with her family to Persia and was raised in Persia. Mrs. MOKHTARIAN stated that she immigrated to the United States and became a resident of Pasadena, California, during 1954, and she became a United States citizen in 1959, receiving her United States Citizenship papers in the United States District Court at Los Angeles, California, sometime during 1959.

Mrs. MOKHTARIAN stated that she is a Christian and that she became associated and a member of the First Baptist Church, located on North Marengo Avenue in Pasadena, California. She stated that during the period of 1954 to 1956, she resided with her husband on Grand Oaks Avenue in Pasadena.

Mrs. MOKHTARIAN advised that sometime during 1956, she met Mrs. MARY SIRHAN at the First Baptist Church located on North Marengo Avenue in Pasadena, California. Mrs. MOKHTARIAN advised that Mrs. MARY SIRHAN had six children, five boys and one girl. Mrs. MOKHTARIAN stated that she recalls that the SIRHAN boys also attended the First Baptist Church during the period 1956 through and including 1958, but their attendance was sporadic.

Mrs. MOKHTARIAN stated that from her own experience in Persia as a Christian, she felt that the SIRHAN family, who were Moslems, were probably "using" the First Baptist Church to secure material things in the United States.

Mrs. MOKHTARIAN stated that she recalls that during the period that Mrs. MARY SIRHAN attended the First Baptist Church in Pasadena, California, there was a church dinner wherein the church members each brought their own food. Mrs. MOKHTARIAN stated that she recalls that the SIRHAN family brought Jordanian food and also that a Jordanian flag was on their (SIRHAN family's) table.

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Mrs. MOKHTARIAN advised that she recalls that Mrs. MARY SIRHAN told her (Mrs. MOKHTARIAN) that her (Mrs. SIRHAN's) husband came to New York City for a short period but that he did not come to California as he did not like the ways of the United States and returned to Jordan.

Mrs. MOKHTARIAN stated that sometime during the period of approximately 1958 through and including 1962, she lived on Fiske Avenue, which was about one block away from where the SIRHAN family resided on Howard Street in Pasadena.

Mrs. MOKHTARIAN stated that of the five boys of Mrs. MARY SIRHAN, the one that stood out in her mind and the only one that she could recall by name was SIRHAN SIRHAN. Mrs. MOKHTARIAN stated that she had occasion to meet SIRHAN SIRHAN at the bus stop in the mornings during the period 1958 through and including 1962. Mrs. MOKHTARIAN stated that these meetings with SIRHAN SIRHAN were occasional in nature and clearly by accident. Mrs. MOKHTARIAN stated that she was always struck by the fact that SIRHAN SIRHAN was always extremely bitter, resentful and extremely unhappy. Mrs. MOKHTARIAN stated that she could never recall observing SIRHAN SIRHAN smiling or in a good mood.

Mrs. MOKHTARIAN stated that in view of the fact that she was a newcomer to the United States and also a new United States citizen that she had a deep respect and love for the laws of the United States. Mrs. MOKHTARIAN stated that in her conversations with SIRHAN SIRHAN he constantly complained that he did not like the laws and orders of the United States and that he felt that there was no justice in the educational system of the United States. Mrs. MOKHTARIAN stated that she recalls on one occasion that SIRHAN SIRHAN related to her that he thought that he, SIRHAN SIRHAN, should be given a college degree in one year and that he should not have to work for this degree. Mrs. MOKHTARIAN stated that SIRHAN SIRHAN related on occasion that he did not like to work for a living and felt that other people and the United States should give him money to live on. Mrs. MOKHTARIAN stated that she was aware of the fact that SIRHAN SIRHAN was not a citizen of the United States and on one occasion she asked SIRHAN SIRHAN if he had become a citizen of the United States and that he (SIRHAN SIRHAN) responded by saying, "No. Never".

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Mrs. MOKHTARIAN stated that she had never visited the SIRHAN family in their home nor had the SIRHAN family visited with her (Mrs. MOKHTARIAN). Mrs. MOKHTARIAN stated that her only contact with the SIRHAN family was through the First Baptist Church in Pasadena, California, and also in contacts with them in the neighborhood of Fiske Avenue and Howard Street, Pasadena, and also in markets and stores in the neighborhood. Mrs. MOKHTARIAN stated that most of her contacts and conversations with SIRHAN SIRHAN were while waiting at the bus stop near their neighborhood.

Mrs. MOKHTARIAN stated that one other thing comes to her mind about SIRHAN SIRHAN. He also complained about the lack of religious ceremonies at the First Baptist Church. Mrs. MOKHTARIAN stated that she advised SIRHAN SIRHAN if he wanted to be a Christian and wanted more ceremonies in church services that he should attend the Catholic Church.

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Mr. HECTOR MOKHTARIAN, 830 Elizabeth Street, Pasadena, California, telephone number 794-3698, employed as an Operations Officer at the United States National Bank, 132 East Colorado Boulevard, Pasadena, California, business telephone 793-0611, advised that he was born August 24, 1926, at Arak, Iran, that he immigrated to the United States on August 28, 1948, and that he became a United States citizen on June 21, 1961, at Los Angeles, California.

Mr. MOKHTARIAN stated that his mother is DEBORAH and that she resides at 6656 Holt Avenue, Los Angeles, California, and that his father is ALEX MOKHTARIAN who resides at 115 North Craig Street, Pasadena, California.

Mr. MOKHTARIAN stated that his parents formerly attended the First Baptist Church located on North Marengo Avenue in Pasadena, California.

Mr. MOKHTARIAN stated that about one or two days after the death of Senator ROBERT KENNEDY, he was talking to his mother on the telephone and she had mentioned that she knew Mrs. MARY SIRHAN through the First Baptist Church in Pasadena, California.

Mr. MOKHTARIAN advised that the SIRHAN family was not known by him. Mr. MOKHTARIAN stated that he had never met any members of the SIRHAN family.

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Mr. ALEX MOKTARIAN, 115 North Craig Street, Pasadena, California, home telephone number 449-1586, employed in the Purchasing Department, Home Savings and Loan Bank, Lake Street and Colorado Boulevard, Pasadena, California, business telephone 545-5174, advised that he was born February 12, 1907, in Tehran, Persia, that he immigrated to the United States in December, 1954, and that he became a citizen of the United States in March, 1960, at Los Angeles, California.

Mr. MOKTARIAN stated that he is a Christian and that during the period 1956 through 1957, he resided on South Grand Oaks Street in Pasadena, California, and started to attend the First Baptist Church at 75 North Marengo in Pasadena.

Mr. MOKTARIAN stated that he recalls meeting a family who was from Jordan and were members of the First Baptist Church. This family was the SIRHAN family. Mr. MOKTARIAN stated that he recalls a dinner at the church where Mrs. SIRHAN brought Jordanian food to this affair.

Mr. MOKTARIAN stated that it was his recollection that he met Mrs. SIRHAN only on two or three occasions and that he never met the SIRHAN children. Mr. MOKTARIAN stated that he never had any other social contacts with Mrs. SIRHAN other than the two or three meetings with her at the First Baptist Church. Mr. MOKTARIAN stated that he could recall nothing else about Mrs. SIRHAN or her family other than they were Moslems and that they were from Jordan.

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EVERETTE C. BUCKNER, 129 East Bennett Street, Glendora, California, was interviewed at the San Gabriel Gun Club, 4001 Fish Canyon Road, Duarte, where he is presently employed in the capacity of a line officer.

Mr. BUCKNER stated he was working on the morning of June 4, 1968, in the area of the target shed, when an individual came to the shed and purchased a pistol target. He advised he is responsible for the sale of targets and ammunition, and said he told this man to sign the non-member register, which was done, and that this individual, after obtaining his target, then proceeded to the vicinity of position number 1 or 3 at the extreme end of the pistol range. He said he could not definitely pinpoint the time of day, but estimated that it was sometime after 10:00 a.m. He said he did not, at this time, observe this individual firing the pistol, but knew that firing was taking place from the noise at that end of the range. He could not recall whether there were any other shooters on the pistol range at this particular time.

He said sometime thereafter, possibly 30 minutes or so, a couple approached the target shed and the man told him he desired a target for the rifle range, and that the girl wanted to shoot a pistol. He said he told this man that it would be necessary for them to separate, inasmuch as rifle firing is not permitted on the pistol range, and the male then obtained his target and started to walk toward the rifle range. He said at this point he made the comment to the man, "Arn't you going to help your wife set up her target?" He said this man replied to this comment rather angrily, "She's not my God damn wife." At this time the man then proceeded alone toward the rifle range area.

BUCKNER said he then took the pistol target for the girl and started walking toward the pistol range, at which time the girl made a comment to him to the effect, "This is the first time I have shot this gun, but I have to shoot it today." BUCKNER said he

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told the girl that it was against the Gun Club's rules for him to assist her in any way with the gun, loading or anything else, but that he would, on his own, help her in setting up her target. He said that they went to a position near the end of the pistol range, which would be position number 22 or 23, and he thereafter set up the girl's target at the 15 yard line. He said after returning to the line he watched the girl fire for a short period of time, and noted that she was a very bad shot, inasmuch as she was not even hitting the target. He said during this period of time the man who had come earlier was at the extreme other end of the range firing his pistol, although BUCKNER paid little or no attention to him.

He said he returned to the target shed and a short time thereafter the man who had come earlier came to the shed and asked him if he sold ammunition. He said he replied in the affirmative, at which time this individual said to him, "I want something that won't misfire." He said he told this man that he had the regular .22 shells, which this man was firing, for sale at \$.85 a box, but that he also had a more expensive shell, which he believed sold for \$1.40. He said he told this man he had never seen any of the expensive shells misfire, and that at this time, the man said he wanted a box of this shell. He said he then sold a box of the expensive shells to the man, at which time the man then returned to his firing position.

BUCKNER exhibited a box of .22 long high velocity rifle shells, Imperial brand, which bore the stamped letter "D" on the base, which he said he was quite certain was the same kind of shell he sold to this man. It was noted that the price of \$1.05 was marked on the box of this particular shell.

Following this incident, the time not being noted, he walked to the pistol range to see how the girl was doing with her shooting. He said he was approximately two to three feet from

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her at this time, and at this point the man, referred to previously, walked up to him with his target in his hand and said to him, "How's this for shooting?" He said he observed the target of this man, and noted that all shots were in the bulls-eye area. He said he told this man that this was very good shooting and was, in fact, the best shooting he had seen on this range. He said the man was quite elated over his fine pistol shooting and seemed to be very happy.

Immediately following this conversation, he said this man then walked over to the girl, who was having difficulty with her shooting, and made some type of remark to her to the effect that he would show her how to do it. He said the girl then commented to this man, "God damn you, you son of a bitch, get out of here or they will recognize us." He said this man did not leave and continued to show her how to shoot the gun. He said he did not overhear any further conversation and did not know whether there had been any further conversation.

Following this he said he did not observe this man again and assumed that he must have left.

Sometime thereafter the man with whom the girl had come and who had shot the rifle, came to the pistol range area and the girl, rather jubilantly, showed him her target, which had one hole in the bulls-eye. He said the man then made some kind of comment to the girl to the effect she had fool's luck. He said he overheard no further conversation and following this he assumed that the man and woman left, although he did not see them leave the range.

Mr. BUCKNER said he did not observe the gun fired by this girl very closely, but said he believed it was a .22, that it was a small gun, and it was his recollection that it had a pearl handle.

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With respect to the rifle shot by the man, BUCKNER said that the rifle had been brought by this man, but he stated he could not recall anything about it, as to whether it was in a case or not. He said in all probability it had been in a case, but he could not state this as a fact.

Mr. BUCKNER was exhibited a photograph of SIRHAN SIRHAN, LAPD #BK 495139, and after viewing this photograph positively identified this photo as being of the man who had come to the range earlier on June 4, 1968, who had shot at the extreme end of the pistol range, at position one or three, who had purchased a box of ammunition from him, and who had had conversation with the girl.

With respect to the girl he said he had never seen her at the range before, but noted he had only worked at the range for approximately two weeks previous to this time. He described this girl as white; 25-30 years; 5'6" - 5'8" tall; 135 pounds; blonde hair, worn shoulder length; rather husky build; attractive, and wore very little make-up.

He described the male accompanying this girl as white; 30 years; 5'10" - 6'; 175-180 pounds; long hair and rather slight in build.

He said it was his recollection that the man accompanying the girl had purchased both targets and that while it was a regulation that anyone firing had to sign the register, he did not believe that this man had signed the register.

He stated he felt that should he see this girl again in person that he would be able to recognize her, and that if anything further came to his mind concerning this incident he would immediately notify the FBI.

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WILLIAM ATALIC, 903 Holley Avenue, Arcadia, California, was interviewed at the San Gabriel Valley Gun Club, 4001 Fish Canyon Road, Duarte, where he is employed as a general handyman.

Mr. ATALIC was queried as to any recollections he had concerning the day of June 4, 1968, which was the day immediately preceding the shooting of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY.

He said that on this particular day he had been working in the morning near the target shed putting in a new curbing and as the job was rather complicated, paid very little attention to any people at the range. He stated, however, that he recalls seeing a young man at the range whom he assumed had been target shooting, but said he paid little attention to him, as he had no reason to watch his movements.

He said after watching television following the shooting of Senator KENNEDY he observed an individual, identified by the name of SIRHAN SIRHAN as the person who had probably shot Senator KENNEDY, and after viewing this person said he felt sure that this was the same man he had seen at the range on the morning of June 4, 1968, mentioned above. He stated, however, he could not state this for a fact.

Mr. ATALIC was also queried as to whether he had observed any females at the range on June 4, 1968, at which time he stated it was his vague recollection that a girl had been at the range sometime during this day, but stated he could not be certain of this, as he had paid no attention to anything going on about him.

Mr. ATALIC advised he could recall nothing further about the events of June 4, 1968, but that should he recall any further information he would immediately contact the FBI.

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HARRY HICKS, 429 East Foothill, Monrovia, California, was interviewed at the San Gabriel Valley Gun Club, 4001 Fish Canyon Road, Duarte, California, where he is employed as a general handyman.

Mr. HICKS was queried as to any recollections he might have concerning the events at the range on June 4, 1968, this being the day immediately preceding the shooting of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY.

Mr. HICKS advised that on this particular day he was working at the extreme further end of the rifle range painting, removing poles, and doing other odd jobs, and noted that in the area where he was working there was little or no activity.

He said, however, that he recalled that sometime in the late morning of this day he noted, at a distance, a man and woman, and observed this woman appeared to be quite shapely. He said he believed he made a comment to one of the other workers, whom he could not now identify, to the effect that it would probably be better to have this man set up the targets and then for firing to commence while he was placing the targets. He said he made this comment in jest, thought nothing further of it, and following this resumed his working.

He said he did not observe this couple either arriving or leaving, and had no further information of any kind relative to this day.

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CHARLES JENKINS, 244 West Colorado, Monrovia, California, was interviewed at the San Gabriel Valley Gun Club, 4001 Fish Canyon Road, Duarte, where he is employed in the capacity of a carpenter.

Mr. JENKINS was queried as to any recollections he might now have concerning events at the range on June 4, 1968, which was the day immediately preceding the shooting of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY.

Mr. JENKINS stated on this particular day he had been working with HARRY HICKS at the extreme end of the rifle range, and in this position was removed from any activity that may have been going on at the range.

He said he was busy with his work, paid no attention to any individuals, and that he had no information which he felt might be beneficial. He stated he definitely could not recall having seen any man or woman.

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SA GEORGE M. KLING and SA CHARLES W. BADGLEY reinterviewed HENRY ADRIAN CARREON, 1838 Workman Street, Los Angeles, California. CARREON provided the following information:

Since the assassination of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY, he stated that he had seen many pictures of the individual arrested in the matter, SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN.

CARREON stated that this individual (SIRHAN) was definitely the individual whom he had seen and talked with at the San Gabriel Gun Club, 4001 Fish Canyon Road, Duarte, California on June 4, 1968.

Additionally CARREON stated that to the best of his knowledge he believed that SIRHAN was firing at the far end of the pistol range around five positions possibly 3, 4 or 5.

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On June 12, 1968, Special Agents GEORGE M. KLING and CHARLES W. BADGLEY contacted DAVID RALPH MONTELLANO and identified themselves as agents of the FBI. MONTELLANO stated that he was willing to talk to the FBI and provided the following information:

MONTELLANO stated that he is currently residing at 3314 Maceo, is 20 years of age, and is currently unemployed.

On June 4, 1968, he and HENRY CARREON decided to go to the San Gabriel Valley Gun Club, 4001 Fish Canyon Road, Duarte, California, and to do some target shooting. He stated that they arrived at the range at approximately 11:30 a.m., and after securing their targets, went to the rifle range in order to fire a .22 caliber Marlin carbine rifle. After firing several rounds, MONTELLANO said that he and CARREON heard some rapid firing coming from the pistol range, which is adjacent to the rifle range. MONTELLANO said that he and CARREON discussed the matter briefly and then decided to go to the pistol range to see what kind of weapon was being used in connection with this rapid firing.

MONTELLANO advised that he and CARREON then went to the pistol range and at the far end of the range they saw an individual whom he described as approximately 5'4" - 5'5" in height, 115-120 pounds, dark complexion, bushy haired, and dressed in light colored clothing, firing around gun position four or five. MONTELLANO said that he asked the individual, "Is that a .38?" and the individual replied, "No, it's a .22." MONTELLANO stated that he observed about six boxes of Super X Western .22 long rifle shells in front of the individual on the bench, and two boxes of .22 caliber mini magnum shells. He stated that he thinks CARREON asked the individual if his gun was single or double action. He stated that the individual replied "It's single action"; however, he later changed his mind and said, "I was confused, it's double action." MONTELLANO stated that on one occasion, the individual showed he and CARREON the weapon, and he personally observed

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MONTELLANO stated that this party was firing a .32 caliber chrome plated gun, with white or pearl handles, and possibly a magazine loaded automatic. He stated that at least on one occasion he recalls either the man or one of the boys gave assistance to the woman who was firing the gun. He said that earlier when he and CARREON were on the rifle range, he remembered this party being there, and he recalled the man said something to the effect, "She has never shot a pistol before and I wanted to teach her." He said that he thought he would recognize the man and the younger of the two boys if he were to see them again; however, he doubted if he would recognize the woman and the other boy. He stated that he had the impression that the party was a man and his younger wife and two sons or possibly a man, his daughter, and two sons.

MONTELLANO further advised that he, at no time, saw the individual firing at the far end of the pistol range, come over to converse with, or observe the four members of the party during their time on the pistol range or rifle range.

MONTELLANO, upon being shown pictures of various individuals, picked out a photograph of SIRHAN SIRHAN as positively being the individual whom he had seen firing at the far end of the pistol range, and had engaged in conversation. MONTELLANO stated that he is aware that SIRHAN is currently under arrest for the assassination of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY and he is certain that the individual at the range was SIRHAN SIRHAN.

MONTELLANO stated in conclusion, that if he could recall any additional details regarding the occurrences on the firing range that he would contact the Los Angeles FBI Office.

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WALTER GEORGE RICH, 10812 East Indiana Street, Whittier, telephone 695-3040, advised that he is a student at the University of Nevada and is home for summer vacation.

On the evening of June 4, 1968, he accompanied his cousin, TIMOTHY PAUL RICH, to the Ambassador Hotel to observe the activities of the KENNEDY campaign. They arrived at the Ambassador Hotel at approximately 11:00 p.m.

They worked their way into the Embassy Room where they had determined KENNEDY would possibly make an appearance sometime during the evening.

While in the Embassy Room, WALTER's cousin, TIMOTHY, went to the area near the righthand side of the stage in order to determine where he might be able to get close enough to Senator KENNEDY to hand him an envelope containing photographs taken by TIMOTHY during KENNEDY's last campaign in California. While TIMOTHY was gone to this area, WALTER remained in the central part of the Embassy Room.

TIMOTHY returned to WALTER shortly before Senator KENNEDY arrived to make his speech. They both remained in the Embassy Room where KENNEDY and other members of his staff made speeches. Shortly before KENNEDY finished his speech, WALTER asked his cousin if he was going to give KENNEDY the photographs to which TIMOTHY indicated in the affirmative and they made their way to a passageway at the rear of the stage area.

WALTER stated that behind the stage was a hallway. He did not know where the hallway lead if one went behind the stage; however, if one went "to the right" they would enter an area which he subsequently learned was the kitchen.

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WALTER advised that he walked into the kitchen area before KENNEDY came through the hallway, but took no notice of any particular individual.

While waiting for KENNEDY to finish his speech, WALTER and TIMOTHY assisted an individual in forming a line to keep people from entering the hallway from the Embassy Room.

Shortly thereafter, WALTER observed KENNEDY leave the stage area and enter the passageway into the kitchen.

At about that time, TIMOTHY and WALTER became separated. WALTER attempted to follow KENNEDY into the kitchen area and as he was entering the kitchen area, he heard three sharp noises which resembled a cap pistol.

At almost the same instant the crowd in front of him opened leaving a greater gap between him and Senator KENNEDY. WALTER saw a man fall backwards to the floor with blood "all over his face and seemingly suspended in the air". WALTER also saw Senator KENNEDY lying on the floor.

The crowd closed up the gap and immediately pandemonium broke out.

WALTER and TIMOTHY immediately left the kitchen area and hid behind a wall. WALTER advised that he did not hear any shots after the initial three shots were fired, but he observed at least two other individuals, both men, inside the anteroom to the kitchen who had apparently been shot.

After remaining outside the kitchen for about a minute, TIMOTHY was able to re-enter the kitchen; however, WALTER remained outside. WALTER stated he observed no further activities inside the kitchen and did not, at any time, see the individual resembling a photograph he had seen of SIRHAN SIRHAN.

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WILLIAM DUANE ALLEN, Director, Vocational Business and Industrial Education, Pasadena Unified School District, 351 South Hudson, advised that he had been a counselor at John Muir High School in Pasadena, from 1960 to 1966. He stated that he had been counselor to SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN during SIRHAN's junior and senior years, this being September 1961 to June 1963. ALLEN advised that when SIRHAN's identity was made public, ALLEN had reviewed some old records he maintained to see if he had counseled SIRHAN. ALLEN advised that SIRHAN was not the kind of student who frequented his office as either a very good student or a very bad student. ALLEN advised that he remembered SIRHAN because of SIRHAN's insistence upon taking basic courses in high school with no industrial or business courses in his schedule. ALLEN stated that he had advised SIRHAN to take one easier course each semester so SIRHAN could get better grades, but that SIRHAN had remained insistent on taking basic education courses. ALLEN advised that SIRHAN had a language problem in school which hindered him on testing, and that SIRHAN's test scores did not reflect his ability.

ALLEN stated that he did not recall any conversations with SIRHAN which might have reflected SIRHAN's political beliefs or about his family background. ALLEN advised that he could only recall the context of one conversation and that was in regard to SIRHAN's first and last name being the same. ALLEN advised that SIRHAN never discussed anything of a personal nature and that all counseling sessions were academically oriented.

ALLEN furnished a form which he called a "Senior Data Sheet." ALLEN advised that this form had been furnished to SIRHAN to list interests, school activities, honors, positions held and any other noteworthy high school accomplishments. ALLEN displayed the form which had nothing listed on it and was unsigned. ALLEN advised that this form was for the counselor's benefit so that he could provide background information to interested colleges that would inquire about

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a particular student. ALLEN advised that SIRHAN's record shows that he did not participate in any high school extra-curricular activities. ALLEN further advised that it was not uncommon that an academically average student would not participate in any activities. ALLEN further advised that he was the sponsor for numerous activities at John Muir High School and that he could not recall SIRHAN at any function, social or otherwise, or participating in any class project. ALLEN advised that SIRHAN was definitely not a class leader.

ALLEN advised that his record shows that SIRHAN received several deficiency notices, which are a note to the student's parents that the student is doing below "C" average work in a particular course. ALLEN advised that according to his record and the high school transcription, SIRHAN usually was able to do at least "C" average work, which indicated to him that SIRHAN had not been a lazy student and could respond to suggestion.

ALLEN advised that SIRHAN had taken the California Cadet Corps course all three years in high school. ALLEN advised that this was almost identical to the high school Reserve Officers' Training Corps sponsored by the Federal Government, also known as ROTC. ALLEN advised that the California Cadet Corps is sponsored by the State of California at the John Muir High School to provide the same type of curriculum as Pasadena High School, which has an ROTC program. ALLEN advised that the California Cadet Corps is a military science course, which would include military history, drill and some rifle range practice. ALLEN advised that Major MARCUS L. YOUNG, who teaches the course at John Muir High School could provide more detailed information and may have roll books reflecting SIRHAN's attendance. ALLEN advised that Major YOUNG is commissioned by the California Cadet Corps and did not know exactly what military standing his rank of Major possessed.

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Detective Sergeant WILLIAM J. LEE, Scientific Investigations Division (SID), Los Angeles Police Department (LAPD), Los Angeles, California, reviewed the photographs furnished by Detective Lieutenant CHARLES HUGHES on June 11, 1968, with SA R. J. LA JEUNESSE, JR. Sergeant LEE was present at the Ambassador Hotel when these photographs were taken by CHARLES COLLIER, a civilian employee of the SID.

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The photographs are numbered 1 through 23 and are described as follows:

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- 1 - Embassy Room, Ambassador Hotel, looking north, area vacated by R. KENNEDY, prior to shooting. Exit from stage area is directly to rear of podium.
- 2- Embassy Room, Ambassador Hotel, N.E. view, looking into kitchen area through doorway, "A".
- 2-A View facing west, depicting doorway giving access to stage and podium area, Embassy Room, Ambassador Hotel. Police Officer points out location of possible bullet mark on door jamb; later determined not to have been caused by a bullet.
- 3- View facing S.W. near kitchen double doors, Ambassador Hotel, toward camera position in photograph No. 2.

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- 3-A View facing N.E. from door leading to Embassy Ballroom in photo no.3.
- 4- View looking west from kitchen double doors toward KENNEDY press area.
- 5- View facing east depicting area into kitchen where R. KENNEDY walked prior to shooting.
- 6- Kitchen service area where KENNEDY was shot looking west. White X's on floor indicate position of victims.
- 7- Kitchen service area, looking east, depicting location of victims after shooting, shown by X's.
- 8- Looking east to west, depicting area where KENNEDY and other victims were felled.
- 8-A View, looking S. W., in kitchen service area, showing one of double doors shown in photo no.3-A. X marks denote positions of victims shot, not KENNEDY.
- 9- S.W. view of kitchen service area, from end of steam table, depicting area where shooting victims were located.
- 10- Photo showing close-up view of beads and elephant bell depicted in photo no. 10-A.
- 10-A View showing east end of steam table, kitchen service area, depicting miniature elephant bell and multi-colored beads on floor.

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- 10-B Close-up view of miniature elephant bell and beads shown in photo no.10 and 10-A.
- 11- View depicting police officers and female witness in kitchen service area; witness showing position of suspect while holding gun.
- 12- View facing east, depicting male showing position of suspect as witness observed him in kitchen service area.
- 13- Closer view of photo no.12.
- 14- View looking west from kitchen service area, showing possible marks made by projectiles.
- 15- Officer, LAPD, pointing out possible projectile marks on upper hinge area of north double door, which is closed door in photo no.3-A.
- 15-A Close-up view of photo no. 15.
- 15-B Close-up view of photo no.15.
- 16- View looking generally west - southwest, showing doorway to stage area, Embassy Room, Ambassador Hotel. Photo taken from direction of kitchen service area.
- 16-A Close-up of mark indicated on photo no. 16.
- 17- Double doors at west end of kitchen service area, depicting LAPD Officer pointing out holes in door frame. Photo shows door frame between double doors. View shows outside area of doors shown in photo.no.3-A.

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- 17-A Close-up view of photo no..17. Holes do not pass through wooden frame.
- 18- View showing center door frame, between double doors inside kitchen service area. Reverse side of door depicted in photos no.17 and 17-A. Holes shown do not pass through wooden frame.
- 18-A Close-up view of photo no..18.
- 18-B View of left edge or frame of left double door, looking from kitchen service area, facing west, depicting holes in wood frame area.
- 19- View of kitchen service area, looking west, depicting crime scene examination.
- 19-A Same view as photo no. 19, depicting plotting of bullet trajectories.
- 20- Officer, LAPD, showing location of gun, when one of the bullets was fired. View is looking west.
- 20-A Photo showing same area as photo no.20, depicting path of bullet after it was fired.
- 20-B Close-up view depicting continued path of bullet shown in photo no. 20 and 20-A.
- 20-C View looking east, depicting continued bullet path shown in photo no. 20-B.

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- 20-D View facing west, depicting bullet trajectory as in photo no. 20 through 20-C; this is at terminal point, outside kitchen service area (anteroom). No bullet or mark located.
- 21- Photo depicting sixth ceiling tile, (see photo no. 19) from west end of kitchen service area and fourth tile from north wall. Pointer indicates bullet hole.
- 21-A Same ceiling tile as shown in photo no. 21, showing probe inserted into another bullet hole.
- 22- Officer, LAPD, holding probe pointing to where a bullet struck ceiling above tile. Finger points to location where bullet struck tile frame. String protrudes through elongated bullet hole in fourth panel from double doors and fourth panel from north wall.
- 22-A Close-up view of photo no. 22.
- 22-B Close-up view of photo no. 22.
- 22-C Close-up view of photo no. 22.
- 23- Unable to identify.