

1 Q Where do you live?

2 A 475 South Montana.

3 Q Got a phone over there?

4 A No.

5 Q What kind of work do you do down there?

6 A Bus boy. Room service bus boy.

7 Q Room service, huh?

8 A Yes, sir.

9 Q What can you tell us about what you saw?

10 A Just that I was right next to Kennedy when -- he
11 just finished shaking my hand.

12 Q You are the one that he shook hands with just before
13 he was shot?

14 A Yes, sir.

15 Q He shook hands with three or four guys there?

16 A Yes, he shook hands with John Looney (phonetic) and
17 then there was a cook and then there was another guy that was
18 a butcher, a night shift man, and he turned around -- no, he
19 hadn't finished turning around, he just kept on walking, you
20 know, sort of looking this way.

21 Q Uh hum.

22 A He took two steps and all of a sudden I just seen
23 somebody jumping up, no jumping, you mean, you know, just
24 going over, reaching over and the first time I notice him
25 and then after a little while after it was over, after I was
26 help -- I tried to help Kennedy to straighten up and everything,

1 -- I felt something like burning, like, you know, like when
2 you throw out fire crackers and some --

3 BY SGT. CALKINS:

4 Q Powder burns?

5 A Powder burns, something like that, I see it burn
6 there, I saw it all.

7 Q Uh hum, did you see the gun?

8 A Yes, it was a small gun.

9 Q Would you know it if you saw it again?

10 A No, I don't think I really would.

11 Q Did you see the guy that did it?

12 A Yes, I would.

13 Q Would you know him again?

14 A Yes, I would.

15 Q Did the gun look similar to this, do you remember?

16 A Yes, it looked something like that.

17 Q Something like that?

18 A That was in the rear, I don't know, it's the way,
19 the one, he was up here holding the left leg and he had the
20 gun over here too, like that.

21 BY SGT. MCGANN:

22 Q You mean holding the gun, the guy's arm down that
23 was holding the gun?

24 A No, I mean after they had him, you know, all tied up
25 and everything, after (unintelligible) his leg was right here
26 and he pointed the gun like that then somebody over there come

1 to, you know, to get the gun away from him.

2 BY SGT. CALKINS:

3 Q Are you the last guy that Kennedy shook hands with?

4 A It looks like so.

5 BY SGT. McGANN:

6 Q Did you see anybody -- you were standing there --
7 did you see anybody run away from the thing that looked like
8 they might have been with this suspect?

9 A No, I don't. I wasn't paying any attention to it.

10 BY SGT. CALKINS:

11 Q Well, the suspect reached over somebody like this
12 and pointed the gun, he was reaching past somebody then, huh?

13 A Something like that.

14 Q Uh hum.

15 Q You would know this guy if you saw him again?

16 A I think so, yes.

17 Q Let's see your face. Lean over this way. Did you
18 get some -- turn your face sideways where you said you got
19 some burns?

20 A I felt something, you know, like hot, you know, it
21 was kind of hotty, like reflection from the sun or something.

22 BY SGT. McGANN:

23 Q What's this up here, you get under something up
24 there? You've got it on both shoulders, you must -- oh,
25 carrying, bussing the trays, huh?

26 A Yeah.

1 Q Yeah.

2 BY SGT. CALKINS:

3 Q [REDACTED], thank you very much, I'm sorry you had to wait
4 so long. We couldn't talk any faster to these guys, so we'll
5 get you a ride back to the hotel, is that where you want to
6 go?

7 A I have my clothes down there.

8 Q Pardon?

9 A I have my clothes down there.

10 Q Well, we'll get you -- the bus should be back pretty
11 soon and then they will take you down there.

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RAMPART DETECTIVE DIVISION

INTERVIEWS - JUNE 5, 1968 KENNEDY SHOOTING DR 68-521 466

INTERVIEWED BY M.J. MC GANN HOMICIDE DIV.
R.L. CALKINS

STATEMENT OF EDDIE MINALISAN
Ambassador Motel
849-4342

DATE 6-5-68, 2:40 AM

Escoted from 5th floor to Embassy Room. After speaking, witness
escoted Kennedy down hallway towards colonial room where he was
going to meet press. As they got passed doors, Kennedy faced to
his left and shook hands with several hotel employees. Witness
was to Kennedy's right and slightly ahead of him. Saw susp.
approach from his front. Thought susp. was going to shake Kennedy's
hand. Reached around witness to the witness left and produced gun.
Shot 2 or thee times. Witness grabbed susp. along with Karl Uecker.
They were then assited by Grier and Johnson. Can ID. susp. and gun.

INTERVIEWS

FILE # I-391

PERSON INTERVIEWED: MINNS, Blaise Max DATE/TIME 6-5-68

SEX RACE HAIR EYES HT WT DOB

RESIDENCE ADDRESS PHONE

BUSINESS ADDRESS 3007 W. 5th St. PHONE DU 985-62

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

Heard shots observed suspect w/gun in hand. Johnson took gun
saw suspect w/gun. Male Puerto Rican, wiry hair.

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INVESTIGATORS MAKING

INTERVIEW:

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INTERVIEWS - JUNE 5, 1968 KENNEDY DIVISION DR 68-521 466

STATEMENT OF MINNS, Blaise Max
3007 W. 5th St. #8
DU-98562
Waiter at Ambassador

DATE 6-5-68

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saw suspect w/gun. Male Puerto-Rican, wiry hair.

STATEMENT OF RUTLEDGE, Queen E.
6211 7th Ave.
L.A.
750-2826

DATE 6-5-68

Heard only 3 shots, saw object in hand, cannot I.D. gun or
suspect for sure Male Cauc, dark complexion, thick hair, casual
clothes. 5/4/5.

BLAISE MAX MINNS

MONDAY, JUNE 17, 1968

7:30 P.M.

3400 Wilshire Boulevard - employed as a waiter

3007 West 5th Street, Apt. #8; Telephone DU 9-8562

Witness was interviewed June 17, 1968, 7:30 p.m., in the kitchen area of the Ambassador Hotel. He gave the following account of his recollection on the evening of the shooting.

I was in the hallway leading into the north end of the kitchen when I heard what sounded like firecrackers. I'm not sure how many. I kept walking through the swinging doors into the kitchen. As I looked in, I saw Mr. Timinon to my left. There were no women in this area of the kitchen. I looked south through the kitchen, and I saw a group scuffling. I recognized Mr. Eucker, who had the suspect around the neck and was holding him. I went behind him, and I could see that Senator Kennedy was on the floor. No one walked past me as I entered the kitchen. The only person I saw was Uno Tininson. I'm sure that that's me in the picture behind the colored gentleman (Richard Aubry). I gave a complete statement to the F.B.I.

Collins, Patchett, and MacArthur

RAMPART DETECTIVE DIVISION

INTERVIEWS - JUNE 5, 1968 KENNEDY DIVISION DR 68-521 466

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PERSON INTERVIEWED: MISTRI, Gaymoard DATE/TIME 7-11-68 10:30AM

SEX M RACE _____ HAIR _____ EYES _____ HT _____ WT _____ DOB 3-8-40

RESIDENCE ADDRESS _____ PHONE _____

BUSINESS ADDRESS 825 Del Mar, Pasadena PHONE _____

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

Mistri was in the P.C.C. cafeteria on the night of June 4, with Sirhan Sirhan. The following is an interview with Mistri taken on the above (7-11-68) date.

I have known Sirhan since 1963 at P.C.C. but have never been out with him personally. I've seen him on campus and at functions of the International Club. I saw Sirhan earlier this year inside Santa Anita. There were several other friends of Sirhan at the track who were also known by Mistri. All that was talked about was horses.

On the night of the 4th, I went to Bobs' Restaurant by myself around 6:15PM to have coffee. Around 15 minutes later Sirhan came in and sat down at the counter next to me. First we just chatted about general things, then he read the headline of the Herald Examiner Newspaper that I had and made the remark "This is bad, this is terrible." After this he started talking about the track and horses. (The headline was a statement about the Jordan situation and the gunfire that had broken out between Jordan and Israel.) Sirhan then paid for my coffee and we left. Outside he asked me what I was going to do. I told him I wanted to check the summer scheduals at P.C.C.. He then told me that he would like to come along and we both left for P.C.C.. We entered the cafeteria and obs. some mutual friends sitting at a table. We said hello and sat down. A few minutes later everyone left for class and Sirhan and I remained. He showed me a piece of metal he was holding in his hand that I thought was a slug from a gun. He started talking about rabbit hunting and that he was learning to shoot and hunt. About 7:05PM we left the caffeteria and went back to Bobs' parking lot where our cars were parked. In the lot he again asked me where I was going, stating he would like to play like to play pool with me. I told him I was going to Johns (John Dordy, 176 N. Michigan, Pasadena, Phone SY 5-2033). We both left in our own cars. The time was around 7:15PM.

A check with CIL showed no record or info on Mistri. A check with LAPD Intel. Div. showed no file for this person. Immigration file # [REDACTED] - package out out of file - No other info. Immigration will advise when file is available.

kv/8-13-68

INVESTIGATORS MAKING INTERVIEW:

Harris #111222 / Shaw #11168

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INTERVIEWS - JUNE 10, 1968 KENNEDY SHOOTING DR 68-521 466

STATEMENT OF: G. M. MISTRY, 6-5-68 - approximately 8:40am

825 E. Del Mar

Pasadena, Calif.

TO: LODOLO & BRANDT

6-5-68, RAMPART DETECTIVES

On 6-5-68, approximately 8:40am, in company with my partner Officer D. A. LODOLO #7541, I interviewed GAYOMARD MEHERGI MISTRY at his residence 825 E. Del Mar, Pasadena, Calif. Mr. MISTRY had recognized the photo, of SIRHAN B. SIRHAN, shown on T.V. earlier that day. Mr. MISTRY stated that he had attended Pasadena City College with SIRHAN approximately 3 years ago and had seen him on several occasions since - Mr. MISTRY was shown a mug shot of SIRHAN and stated that this was the same person but he could not recall his (SIRHAN'S) name. Mr. MISTRY further stated that he had had coffee with SIRHAN at Bob's Drive-in, near Pasadena City College, in the early evening of 6-4-68. At this time they had a conversation concerning horse - racing - Mr. MISTRY then went to Pasadena City College. Approximately 6:00 pm, Mr. MISTRY had another conversation with SIRHAN in the Pasadena City College Cafeteria. SIRHAN was seated with 3 or 4 other (thought to be Jordanian by MISTRY) Mr. MISTRY conversed for a short time with SIRHAN and his companions. During the course of conversation SIRHAN asked MISTRY if he had ever shot rabbits when MISTRY replied in the negative no more conversation ensued on that subject. MISTRY also states, that while he was seated with SIRHAN, SIRHAN conversed in Jordanian with his companions. As Mr. MISTRY is from India, he recognized the language but did not understand it. Mr. MISTRY, Officer LODOLO and I also interviewed

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INTERVIEWS CONTINUED - JUNE 10, 1968 KENNEDY SHOOTING

DR 68-521 466

STATEMENT OF: G. M. MISTRY, 6-5-68 - approximately 8:40am

DORDI, JEHANGIR HOM.
176 N. Michigan #3
Pasadena, California
M-Ind- 9-12-40 5-6 130 Blk Brn
Employed as Field Representative of
Stenocord Dictation Service
3755 Beverly Blvd., Los Angeles 666-4600

SALAMEH, GEORGE
115 Calvert Street
North Hollywood, California 985-3612
Employed as Busboy
California Club
6th Street & Flower Street L.A. 622-1391
Works 11:00am/9:00pm

Both the above persons stated that they were acquainted with SIRHAN but did not know him by name. They did state that the following person was a friend of SIRHANS and that both hung out at Bob's Drive-In near Pasadena City College -

BADRAN, MAROUF (NOT INTERVIEWED)
5733 Banner Apt. #3
Highland Park
Attends Pasadena City College

Both MISTRY and DORDI expressed a desire to cooperate with this department in any way that they could.

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PERSON INTERVIEWED: MONTELLANO, David

DATE/TIME 6-25-68/10am

suppl. L-2/K-30

SEX _____ RACE _____ HAIR _____ EYES _____ HT _____ WT _____ DOB _____

TAPE # 29219

RESIDENCE ADDRESS 3314 Maceo, L.A.

PHONE 222-9730

BUSINESS ADDRESS 611 W. Whittier Blvd. Montebello

PHONE 724-2704

Tape #29219, side 1

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

Informant interviewed at his place of employment on above date and time. Montellano and a friend of his HENRY CARREON (K-30) arrived at the San Gabriel Valley Gun Club on 6-4-68, 12:10pm. After obtaining their targets. They went to the rifle range (addendum).

When they arrived Montellano had a conversation with a man and woman who were already firing on the range. The man and woman have been identified as GEORGE MIOCH, Deputy parole officer, and his girl friend CORLISS EDWARDS. They had their teenage children with them, [REDACTED]

MONTELLANO fired his rifle and CARREON fired a pistol. After CARREON fired about 6 rounds, the range master approached them and stated pistols could only be fired on the pistol range.

CARREON complied and went to the pistol range. MONTELLANO remained on the rifle range an additional 10 to 15 minutes, then joined CARREON on the pistol range, target #18 (addendum). As MONTELLANO arrived on the pistol range his attention was directed to target # 5 or 6 where a man was firing in rapid succession. MONTELLANO identified a mug shot of SIRHAN as being that person.

Shortly after MONTELLANO went to the pistol range MR. MIOCH and MISS EDWARDS and their children came to the pistol range and took up a position on target (15 or 16).

When MONTELLANO first arrived on the Pistol Range (12:45pm) a male/cauc, early 30's, 5-10/6, thin hair, heavy set was firing a Ruger or Luger on target # 23 or 24. This person left shortly after MONTELLANO arrived.

There was another person (male/cauc) firing to the left of SIRHAN. This was probably CHARLES KENDALL (I-316).

MONTELLANO went to SIRHAN's position and asked if the gun he was firing was a .22 caliber or .38 caliber. They had a short conversation and SIRHAN stated it was a .22 caliber. After SIRHAN fired a few more rounds MONTELLANO asked what the make of the gun was. SIRHAN pointed to the top of the revolver and he noted it was a Iver Johnson.

MONTELLANO described the Iver Johnson as a Blue Steel in color with a v. [REDACTED]

INVESTIGATORS MAKING INTERVIEW:

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short barrel. MONTELLANO noted a total of eight boxes of .22 caliber shells in front of SIRHAN's position (50 shells to a box). Six of the boxes were super x caliber .22 long rifle and were empty. Two boxes were .22 Caliber Minnie Mags. At least one of these boxes were full as SIRHAN was taking bullets from it to fire. After firing SIRHAN took the casings from the cylinder and placed them in a pile on the bench in front of him. MONTELLANO estimated that there were 350 to 400 empty .22 caliber shell casings. MONTELLANO did not know what SIRHAN did with these casings after he was through.

MONTELLANO and CARREON left the range about 2:00/2:30pm. When they left SIRHAN was still firing. MR. MIOCH and MISS EDWARDS along with their children had left their target before MONTELLANO and CARREON left.

While MONTELLANO and CARREON were on the pistol range they did not see SIRHAN have a conversation with any one else on the range.

During the conversation between MONTELLANO and CARREON and SIRHAN, SIRHAN mentioned he had put a piece of wood on his target and was going to see what effect the Minnie Mags would have. The results of this test were unknown by MONTELLANO.

During their conversation about shells SIRHAN stated the Minnie Mags he was firing were about 25¢ more than the super x but that they were hollowpoint and spread out more on impact.

6-5-68.
5:30 A.M.

MONTELLANO, David R., 3314 Maceo, Los Angeles
DOB 11-14-47
Unemployed

STATEMENT:

Yesterday at about 11:20 A.M., 6-4-68, my buddy, Henry Carreon and I went to the San Gabriel Valley Gun Club, 4001 Fish Canyon Road, Duarte. We went to the range and unpacked our stuff and waited for the next break, approximately 30 minutes. Then we put our targets out there and started shooting. About 20 minutes after we started shooting, the range officer came and told us that we could not shoot my pistol at this section, as only rifles are allowed. We talked it over and decided Henry would shoot the pistol for a while and I would stay with the rifle. Henry went over there and started shooting and I was shooting my rifle on the rifle range. As I was shooting, I heard this rapid firing. I thought it was a Luger, with a long clip on it, an automatic, because it sounded real loud and very rapid. I walked over to the pistol range to see the man who was firing it, and then I saw Henry firing my gun, a .22 magnum Colt, and I asked him (Henry) who the gentleman shooting this rapid fire was. He said that it was the man down there and to his (Henry's) left, west. There were two men down there, and I thought it was the first one, but it wasn't. The first man was an Anglo-Saxon, in his fifties; and the second one was the one that was actually firing the pistol. I could see the shape of the gun, and thought it was a .38 from the way it sounded. It was very loud. So, I stayed there and shot a few more rounds with my pistol. Then I went back to the rifle range and shot a few more rounds. After 1:00 P.M., I approached the second man, described as 5'5" or 5'6", approximately 145 pounds, very curly, dark hair, with high cheek bones, and of Latin descent, and asked him if that was a .38 and he said no. He said that it was a .22. I was in doubt and said, "That loud; a .22?" He said, "Yeah." So he put down the gun. Then I approached him and started conversing with him and about that time he picked up the gun again and flipped open the lid where you put the bullets in and picked up a small screwdriver, and injected the bullets from the cylinder. Then he started inserting the rounds. - I don't know how many, into the cylinder. During our conversation the gentleman asked me how I aimed my gun. I told him that mine didn't have a sight and that I held it firm in a downward position. I told him that this way I could get better accuracy. He said, "Oh," and then fired one or two shots with his gun, holding it like I had told him. After that, Henry asked the gentleman how many rounds does that hold, 6? The man said, "No, it holds 8." Then he put down the gun again and talked to us. I left and went to get my gun to show him and brought my gun over and he asked me if it was a .22, and I said, "No, a .22 magnum." About that time I noticed that he had approximately 8 boxes of .22 ammunition, six of which I think were Super-X brand, and two boxes that

6-5-68
5:30 A.M.

MONTELLANO, David R.

said Mini-Mag. I had never seen anything like this before so I asked him about it and he proceeded to tell me that they were about 25¢ more expensive and were a hollow point and upon impact on an object, they spreaded more. So thereabouts, he showed me the difference in size between the Super-X and the Mini-Mag. I saw approximately 400 expended casings to his left and about seven empty boxes to his right. During this conversation between this gentleman and I, he told me that he stopped shooting at the stationary target and at the break he had placed a small piece of wood about 2½ inches in length and placed it way above the target and was shooting at it to see what damage it would have on the wood. He told me that he wasn't even getting close to the wood and it was making him angry. Henry asked him who made the gun and he didn't say anything and he took a couple of shots, and then pointed at the top of the gun where the name was. After I saw the name of the gun to be Ivar-Johnson, I noticed that it was an 8 shot, 2-inch, double action. After a while we left him. I think the distance between where the man was standing and shooting at the target and piece of wood is approximately 30 feet or more. A short time later we left. I heard about Senator Kennedy being shot at about 1:00 A.M., June 5, at my house. After hearing the description of the suspect, Henry asked me about the individual at the range, what he was wearing, and I started thinking. I said that it was dark trousers, might have been blue, and he was wearing a shirt. As soon as the caliber of the weapon was announced, I began to realize that it was too much of a coincidence, especially when they said 8 shot. Henry called the police station a short time later. Approximately 4:15 A.M., an officer came to my house and identified himself as Officer Estrella, Los Angeles Police Department, Homicide Division, who had some mugs with him. Of the six mugs that I saw, I picked one which in my mind was the individual at the range. On the mug the following was there: C-6-5-68, Los Angeles PO, J BK 495 139. I came to the police station and dictated this statement. I have read it and consider it accurate.

David Montellano
David R. Montellano (Signed)

SUBJECT <u>Statements of witnesses regarding Kennedy 217 P.C.</u>		
DATE & TIME OCCURRED <u>6-4-68 1:00 P.M.</u>	LOCATION OF OCCURRENCE <u>San Gabriel Valley Gun Club</u>	DIVISION OF OCCURRENCE <u>Outside</u>
TO: (Rank, Name, Assignment, Division) <u>Captain Hugh I. Brown, Commander, Homicide Division</u>		DATE & TIME REPORTED <u>6-5-68 8:15 A.M.</u>

DETAILS:

Sir:

The attached statements are from a David R. Montellano of 3314 Maceo and a Henry A. Carreon, 1838 Workman, both of Los Angeles. These witnesses, while practicing shooting a .22 caliber Colt revolver at the San Gabriel Valley Gun Club, 4001 Fish Canyon Road, Duarte, on 6-4-68 at approximately 1:00 P.M., observed a male Latin, described as 5'5", 130-135 pounds, black curly hair, very thin build, brown eyes, fitting a .22 caliber revolver, 8 shot, at a target. After conversing with the above male Latin, witnesses went to Montellano's home.

At approximately 1:00 A.M. on 6-5-68, witnesses had heard of Senator Kennedy and others being shot. The more they heard of the description of the suspect of the shooting and the description of the weapon used, the more they were convinced that the suspect was the same male Latin that they had spoken to at the gun range the afternoon before.

Upon hearing that the weapon used was an Iver-Johnson .22 caliber, 8 shot, they telephoned the Los Angeles Police Department. At approximately 4:15 A.M. on 6-5-68, Officer Estrella, #10658, Homicide Division, went to Montellano's home with six mugs. Witnesses observed the six mugs and both picked out the mug that was taken earlier in the morning of the suspect taken into custody. Witnesses were positive that the mug shown to them and the person they conversed with at the gun range on 6-4-68 is the same person. Witnesses also stated that they can identify the weapon.

DATE & TIME TYPED <u>6-5-68 8:15 A.M.</u>	DIVN. RPTG. <u>HD</u>	CLERK <u>ed</u>	EMPLOYEE(S) REPORTING <u>R. E. Estrella</u>	SER. NO. <u>#10658</u>	DIVN. <u>Homicide</u>
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INTERVIEW

KENNEDY SHOOTING JUNE 5, 1968 DR 68-521 466

(Sgt. H. Binyon #7086 Adm Vice & D. W. Lott #11319 Adm Vice)

Date: June 5, 1968 4:30 P.M. - Samuel Morales TN: Moore

Acting upon information rec'd from Grand, Intell. Div., the above officers proceeded to the Knickerbocker Hotel in Hollywood, to interview one Samuel Morales, True Name - MOORE, Regarding the Kennedy shooting:

5:05 P.M. June 5, 1968

Contacted Mr. Morales in the lobby of the Knickerbocker Hotel and proceeded to his Room #1129, and rec'd the following information: Mr. Morales was a promoter for minority groups and is connected with Rev. Abernathy, and associated in the present Poor Peoples March, being conducted in Washington, D.C., When Mr. Morales was asked if he had any direct knowledge of the shooting; the assailant; or any of his associates, Mr. Morales replied that "he knew nothing of his own knowledge or experience but that he felt this was a Communist inspired conspiracy. Mr. Morales had one request; and that was, to put him in touch with the CIA Agent so that he could elaborate on the above mentioned conspiracy. It is the officer's opinion that Mr. Morales had no tangible evidence or knowledge of the Kennedy shooting, or any surrounding circumstances.

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On September 26, 1968, Sergeant MIKE NIELSEN, Los Angeles Police Department (LAPD), S.U.S. Unit, made available a copy of an interview conducted by the LAPD with JAMES MUNDELL. The interview is as follows:

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[Signature]

INTERVIEWS JUNE 9, 1968 8:15 P.M. KENNEDY SHOOTING

DR 68 521 466
Wilson #10173
McGuire #10151

MURPHY, Eileen Norma
342 Columbia Apt. 202, L.A.

Second address Vacation Village Apt. 204, San Diego.
PH: Area 714 274 4630

Subject interviewed in San Diego at above address. Above subject stated that she had been associated with the Sirhan family in excess of a year and had been previously been engaged to marry Adel Sirhan. However, the marriage did not take place due to friction between their families. Above subject stated that she had seen Sirhan Sirhan on only approximately 3 occasions. One occasion was at the Sirhan residence in Pasadena at the time both of their families met prior to the planned marriage. Another time was during a past Christmas. The subject stated that she had very little conversation with Sirhan Sirhan and during the time she was employed as a dancer (See attached brochure) at the Fez Supper Club on Vermont, she never saw Sirhan at the club as she had the other brothers of the family. To her knowledge Sirhan did not hang around the Arabic cocktail lounges.

Above subject stated the last time she saw Adel Sirhan was on Monday, June 3, 1968, and their conversation was relative to not seeing each other any more for personal reasons. On this date Officers observed the above subject in the presence of a male identified by the above subject as Ali Azadan, male Arab, 26, 5-11/6-0, 175, dark hair, dark eyes, a musician who has been playing at the Barefoot Bar located at Vacation Village.

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Interview of Eileen Norma Murphy

The above subject Murphy uses the alias of Myleen Kaye. Subject informed Officers that she wished to make it known that she had visited a Dr. Condon, a Gyn. specialist, for the purpose of obtaining birth control pills at which time she used the additional alias of Mrs Hank Sirhan using the same street in Pasadena as the Sirhan family residence but changed the numbers.

Subject identified photos of the following:

#1 Sirhan Sirhan #2 Adel Sirhan #3 Munir Sirhan #4 BarbKhoury whom the subject called Annette #5 Beverly Corey. The subject could not identify Joe Bedard. The subject thought that the oldest brother of the Sirhan family was Sudalah (phonetic) Sirhan.

The above subject is a registered alien from Australia having a alien card # [REDACTED], date of birth 7-27-43. Subject also has a Calif. temporary lic. # [REDACTED].

Subject could not associate Sirhan Sirhan with anyone to her knowledge even a brother who might furnish further information in regards to his past activities or associates.

Above subject is afraid of getting noteriety or publicity which could cause her to lose her present job.

Subject stated that Sirhan Sirhan's mother is Greek Orthadox and the entire family is very anti-Jewish. Subject will contact Lt. Kauzer on 6-10-68 for possible additional information.

C. H. Wilson #10173 Intell.
R. F. McGuire #10151 "

Interview of Eileen Norma Murphy

Reporting officers interviewed Louis S. Horvath who is the manager of the Barefoot Bar, phone number 274 4630, San Diego. The manager informed officers that on June 4, 1968, the above subject made 2 performances at the Barefoot Bar at 9:30 p.m. and 11:30 p.m. the subject finishing her last show at approximately 12:15 a.m. on the early morning hours of June 5, 1968. When the above subject was interviewed in regards to this time period, she stated that she thought she had finished at approximately 12:15 or 12:30 a.m.

The above subject informed officers that she had heard the events following the Kennedy shooting and watched it on television in San Diego, further that she was aware that officers were looking for a female in a polka dot dress but that she had no dress fitting that description.

C. H. WILSON #10173 Intell.

R. F. MC GUIRE #10151 "

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INTERVIEWS - JUNE 11, 1968

KENNEDY SHOOTING

DR 68-521 466

INTERVIEW OF EILEEN MURPHY
342 S. Columbia #202
Los AngelesINTERVIEWED BY PHILLIPS, 12167, Metro
RATHBURN, 11790, Metro
INTERVIEWED ON 6-11-68

Officers interviewed Miss Murphy on 6-10-68, at 7:15 p.m. She stated that she had met *Adel* SIRHAN about two years ago when she was dancing at the FEZ NIGHT CLUB on Vermont in Hollywood where he was playing in the band. She became engaged to him and they were supposed to get married in June 1967, but they called it off because both of their families were against the marriage; they continued to date, however, until Monday, June 3, 1968, when they stopped seeing each other for good. During the time she dated, Adel, she went to his home in Pasadena on several occasions and met his family. She met SIRHAN SIRHAN about three times and talked to him on the phone a few times. She stated that SIRHAN SIRHAN was very quiet when she was around and that she got the impression that he was a "loner" spending much of his time in his room by himself. She stated that once she asked him he didn't get a job and that he replied that he had other things to do and that he spent a lot of his time in the library reading. Miss Murphy further stated that SIRHAN SIRHAN frequently used Adel's vehicle, V/W, which is dirty yellow, in color and has Calif. Lic. #JYT 419.

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INTERVIEWS

FILE # I-1812

PERSON INTERVIEWED: MURRAY, Dave DATE/TIME 8-1-68 6:20 PM

SEX M RACE C HAIR Blk EYES Blu HT 5-11 WT 185 DOB 7-2-25

RESIDENCE ADDRESS 400 Isabella St. Willmette, Ill. PHONE (312) 256-3442

BUSINESS ADDRESS 401 N. Wabash Ave., Chicago PHONE (312) 321-3000

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

MURRAY is a reporter for the Chicago Sun Times. He arrived at the Ambassador Hotel during the speech. He went to the Colonial Room and was advised by Dick Drayne that: "We're going to bring him in here so the writing press can have a crack at him."

MURRAY was in the Colonial Room 5 to 10 minutes when he walked into the kitchen to meet Kennedy. He was a few feet into the kitchen, and looking at some TV lights, when he heard shots.

It took a few moments for MURRAY to orient himself to the location of the shots. When he did, he ran toward the sound. On his right, he observed a struggle in progress at one of the serving tables. He couldn't distinguish any individuals in the struggle, but did see a gun.

In front of him, MURRAY observed a wall of people who seemed to be leaning forward. He saw Kennedy lying on the floor, blood streaked across his face. He was lying on his back, head raised, eyes half open. Kennedy's right fist was raised off the floor and was twitching.

BBC had a camera in the kitchen and appeared to be taking pictures during the shooting.

MURRAY did not see the shooting. He cannot ID anyone in the kitchen. After seeing Kennedy, he ran to a telephone to meet a 2:30 AM deadline. (12:30 AM PDT)

He did not see Sirhan prior to the shooting. He did not see a woman in a polka dot dress. He was interviewed by the FBI. He did not have a camera. He wrote articles for the Chicago Sun Times.

MURRAY did not observe anyone run from the kitchen after the shooting.

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S/Sgt. D. D. Varney #10833

APPROVED BY:

Lt. Col. M. H. H.

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On September 26, 1968, Sergeant MIKE NIELSEN, Los Angeles Police Department, S.U.S. Unit, made available a copy of an interview conducted by the Los Angeles Police Department with Dr. WILLIAM B. NEAL. The interview is as follows:

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INTERVIEWS

FILE # I-1882

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PERSON INTERVIEWED: Dr. William B. NEAL DATE/TIME 8-2-68 9:30 AM
Hospital

SEX M RACE C HAIR Brn EYES Brn HT 5-11 WT 175 DOB 3-2-18

RESIDENCE ADDRESS 1526 Edgemont La. PHONE 663-8411

BUSINESS ADDRESS _____ PHONE _____

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

Witness has not been interviewed by FBI or any news media.

Witness first saw victim William Weisel at Kaiser Hospital 6-5-68, approximately 2:30 AM. Examination disclosed that Weisel has sustained a bullet wound to the stomach. The bullet did not penetrate the stomach wall. The bullet was removed and personally given by witness to an LA police officer. It was an identifiable lead bullet. Victim was discharged from doctors care 5-10-68. The bullet was removed by Dr. NEAL and given to Nurse E. Brown who in turn gave the bullet to Det. L. M. Orozco #11072 6-5-68.

RAMPART DETECTIVE DIVISION

INTERVIEWS - JUNE 10, 1968 KENNEDY SHOOTING DR 68-521 466

INTERVIEW OF: EDWIN JERALD NESS (INTERVIEWED AT LA CO. JAIL) 6-9-68 2:55pm
1101 Ferina #4
Norwalk
868-9543

INTERVIEWED BY: JACQUES/HUGHES
RAMPART

This subject was interviewed at the LA CO. Jail where he was in custody on four misdemeanor charges under bkg. #722135. This subject was a roommate of JAMES WILSON and DOROTHY MANNING at the Main Street address in Alhambra. He indicated that this cohabitation occurred in May. At that time he was working at the International Excursion Co., at 1000 So. Meridian Street. He worked there with JAMES WILSON. He indicated that WILSON went to work in Monterey Park, and was brought home on occasions by a BOB, who is a man that resembles SIRHAN SIRHAN. He described BOB'S car as a 1962 Blue, Comet or Valiant. NESS stated that Saturday 6-8-68, he was shooting pool at a bowling alley in Norwalk and received a call from DOROTHY MANNING whom he is living with asking him to come home. When he got home, DOROTHY told him that her mother had called and stated that FBI was looking for her and JIM WILSON. NESS and DOROTHY drove to Santa Ana to look up JAMES WILSON. They found him at a bar that he called the Pink Pussy Cat. The residence of WILSON was described as a block or block and a half away from this bar in some yellow apartments, where he was living with his brother, RICHARD WILSON. NESS stated that he asked WILSON what the FBI wanted with him and what he had done wrong. WILSON denied any knowledge and stated that he wished DOROTHY MANNING find out and let him know.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SA R. J. LA JEUNESSE, JR.

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 8/13/68

Re: Mrs. KATHRYN ANNE NEWMAN,
aka Kathryn Anne Burch:

On 8/8/68, Sergeant MIKE NIELSON, LAPD, S.U.S. Unit, made available a copy of an interview with Mrs. KATHRYN ANNE NEWMAN conducted by the LAPD on 7/2/68.

A copy of that interview is attached hereto.

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Richard

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Person(s) Interviewed: NEWMAN, Kathryn Anne (Mrs) Date July 2, 1968
AKA Burch " " Time- 8:45PM

Business Address & Phone 1239 - 28 ST N.W., Washington DC,
#301-7212982

Residence Address & Phone c/o CHARLEMEGNE PULIN, Defense Hwy, Gambrilas, Md.

Information (To be complete the report should include: Who, What, When, Where, Why, & How)

Interview conducted at 16960 Jeanine Pl, Granada Hills, at the abv date and time.

Description: Fo Cauc 5'5 1/2 125 red hair green eyes, DOB Nov 18, 1933, Wadena, MN Minn. Graduated from the American University, Wash DC.

Informant was member of the Kennedy staff and as such was assigned to work the anchor desk, adjacent to the Embassy Room and the hallway, arriving there at approx 6:30PM, June 4, 1968.

Informant made approx four (4) to five (5) trips from the anchor desk through the kitchen corridor prior to 10:30PM, at which time she went to dinner, outside the hotel.

Informant came back and resumed her duties at the anchor desk just prior to Kennedy's arrival at the Embassy Room, and was at this location during the shooting.

Informant never saw Sirhan B. Sirhan, a girl in a "Polkadot Dress nor anybody taking pictures, other than News Media. She identifies picture of Sirhan.

Informant has not been contacted by any other Law Enforcement Agency, or News Media.

Others present at the Hotel:

Chip LaPlaca, add poss obtainable through Dick Tuttle. I-8a5

Jane Kearnes, Washington DC staff.

John B. Martin, Washington DC staff (speech w riter)

Lew Kaden, " " " " " "

Jim Flug " " " "

Bob Flug " " " "

Tom Farrell, Law Firm of Paul Weiss & Rivkin, New York, NY.

Adrian Lieb, Washington DC staff

Charlene Lewis, through Tom Lewis, Beverly Wilshire Hotel. (owner)

Dun Gifford, Washington DC staff L-11

Nick Zumas, " " " "

Henry Harris " " " "

Investigators making interview

Approved by:

P. Werth 10909 SUS (Metro)

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date 7/19/68

Lieutenant ROY KEENE, Los Angeles Police Department,
made available the results of an interview with NIWA YOSHIO
which is as follows:

*PD Interview attached
to original P.D. 302
See Ser 7/12/68*

On 7/11/68 at Los Angeles, California File # Los Angeles 56-156

by SA R. J. LA JEUNESSE, JR./mdm Date dictated 7/12/68

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RAMPART DETECTIVE DIVISION

INTERVIEW - JUNE 6, 1968

KENNEDY SHOOTING

DR 68-521-466

NOERNBERG, KENNETH - JUNE 6, 1968 1840 Winona, Hollywood Res. 661-8119. Bus Ma 94747 Ext. 1144

Officer interviewed Noernberg at his res. above loc. He stated, "I was working on the primary returns at the I.B.M. Bldg. at 3425 Wilshire Blvd. approx 5 mins after I heard Kennedy was shot, I took a coffee break. I went outside to the catering wagon and bought a cup of coffee. I then saw a Sherriff running up the street. I then walked E/B on Wilshire on the S/Side of the street, towards the Ambassa dor to see what was happening, I ran up the side walk under the canopy at the Ambassador. I then obs. a M/C 25-40 Med. Built Blond straight hair, parted on rt. side, fair comp. with a med tan and straight long nose. He entered a cab that was pkd in a group of 3 to 5 cabs and told the Cab driver "Lets Get the Hell out of Here." The cab driver was a M/C 30-40 yrs. Light, tight waved hair, light comp. This all happened before the Police or Ambulance had arrived and there was no crowd comming from the hotel at this time. All of the above took approx 2-3 mins after I had left the I.B.M. Bldg.

Dan Moriarty 12673 Metro
Fred Reno 11662 Metro "

RAMPART DETECTIVE DIVISION

INTERVIEWS - JUNE 10, 1968

KENNEDY SHOOTING

DR 68-521 466

INTERVIEW OF: MRS. SUZANNE M. ORRICK 3:40pm
696½ So. Mariposa Avenue
DU2-4418

INTERVIEWED BY: OFFICERS - HERRAN 7389
- MICHAELSON 3665
INTELLIGENCE DIVISION

Miss MINETT S. ORRICK, 19, Bus. Pacific Telephone, 666-0001. On June 4th, 1:30pm subjects were in Ambassador coffee shop - observed 1 F/C and 1 M/C at table 6 feet away - F/C wearing plastic white hat (blue polka dots) with SENATOR EUGENE MCCARTHY hatband around the hat. The F/C was also dressed in a blue and white polka dot dress. Possible sleeveless, normal knee length, age approximately 19. M/C was also about 19 years. Subjects were observed for about 30 minutes. The ORRICKS left the coffee shop before the young female and young male. Mrs. ORRICK does not believe she could recognize either subjects. She does believe the girls hair was light blond. The young man is described a full red-blooded American type not Latin or Arabian. The girl was active looking and slim in build - same description would apply to the young man. Both sun tanned. Mrs. ORRICKS attention was attracted to the couple because of the MCCARTHY hatband being worn in the KENNEDY headquarters.

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INTERVIEWS - JUNE 8, 1968
10 A.M.

KENNEDY SHOOTING

DR 68 521 466
Splawn

[REDACTED]

PH: OL 22505

[REDACTED] age 13, called in. He stated: I was in the kitchen area and approximately 16 or 17 ft. away from the man that was doing the shooting. I saw him but I didn't see the gun in his hand. I heard one shot that I -thought was a balloon popping. There was a pause of about 15 seconds and then I heard several shots fired rapidly. A man approximately 1½ ft. from me was hit and fell. A woman ran by me yelling "They shot him, they shot him." She ran out. Then I ran and hid behind some camera. The woman was wearing a white dress with black polka dots and I think she had blonde hair. She was about 5-6, light complexion and in her late 20s or early 30s. I had seen her earlier walk by me carrying some drinks.

I thought I had seen the suspect that did the shooting a little earlier working in the kitchen but I'm not sure.

RAMPART DETECTIVE DIVISION

PHONE CALLS - JUNE 8, 1968

KENNEDY SHOOTING

DR 68-521 466

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10:20 p.m. White

Brondall, Van Nuys Dets. A Janet ~~Parker~~, 8555 Balboa, 349-4548 called, told him that she was at the Ambassador that night. Saw 3 guys in seedy dress. Believed that one was Sirhan. She works at 16666 Ventura Blvd., 981-6800, Ext. 309.

EMPLOYEE'S REPORT

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SUBJECT INTERVIEW WITH PERSONS PRESENT AT P.C.C. CAFETERIA ON 6/4/68		
DATE & TIME OCCURRED 6/4/68 6:15/7:15 PM	LOCATION OF OCCURRENCE PCC CAMPUS CAFETERIA	DIVISION OF OCCURRENCE PASADENA
TO: (Name, Rank, Assignment, Division) LT. PENA, S.U.S.		DATE & TIME REPORTED JULY 16, '68

Pasadena City College

On July 10/11, '68, Officers conducted (5) five interviews with the below listed persons, all of whom were with SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN on the night of 6/4/'68 except #5 who is the brother of GHALEB BADRAN.

1. GAYMOARD MISTRI, 825 E. Delmar St., Pasadena
2. MAROF MOHAMMAD BADRAN, 5733 Benner St., Highland Park
3. ABDO JABRE MALKE, 356 S. Waldo, Pasadena
4. ANWAR JOHN SAYEGH, (Anour Saigh), 2497 Ridgeway Rd., San Marino
5. GHALEB MAHAMMAD BADRAN, (Not present at meeting with SIRHAN) 5733 Benner St. #7, Highland Park.

All subjects concur on the time and location of the by-chance meeting with SIRHAN and all stories relate generally with that of the FBI interviews. C-original interviews for specific information.

The following stories were related to investigating officers by the aforementioned subjects:

On the night of the 4th MISTRI went to Bobs' Restaurant for a cup cup of coffee. Around 15 minutes later (6:25 PM) SIRHAN entered the restaurant and sat down next to MISTRI at the counter. General conversation and salutations were exchanged then SIRHAN observed the headline of the Herald Examiner Newspaper (Statement about the Jordan, Isrial situation and that gunfire had again broken out) stating "This is bad, this is terrible." SIRHAN then started talking about the track and horses. SIRHAN then paid for MISTRIS coffee and they both walked outside. SIRHAN then asked what MISTRI had planned and was informed that MISTRI was going to look at the summer schedual at P.C.C. SIRHAN stated he would like to come along and both walked to P.C.C which is directly next to the Restaurant. Both entered the Cafeteria and observed several mutual friends sitting at a table. They all exchanged salutations then MISTRI and SIRHAN sat down. At the table were M. BADRAN, MALKI, SAYEGH, AND other unknown persons. SAYEGH and SIRHAN discussed religion for a short time and SIRHAN stated he was Catholic. They also discussed coming over to the U.S. from Arabia. At a few minutes later, around 7:00 PM, everyone left for class except SIRHAN and MISTRI. SIRHAN showed MISTRI a piece of metal he was holding in his hand and started talking about rabbit hunting and that he was learning to shoot and hunt. MISTRI thought this metal was a slug from a gun. About 7:05 PM both left the cafeteria and went back to Bobs' parking lot where their cars were parked. SIRHAN then asked MISTRI if he would like to play pool

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with him and MISTRI declined stating he had other commitments. Both then left the parking lot in their own vehicles. The time was about 7:15 PM.

Also contacted in regard to this investigation were the Hostess and the manager of Bobs' Restaurant. The Hostess cannot recall SIRHAN ever being in the Restaurant and the Manager cannot recall SIRHAN being in the Restaurant of the night of the 4th.

Immigration files and Visa applicant records were also checked of the above mentioned subjects. (See original reports)

All the persons contacted stated that SIRHAN was in good spirits on the night in question, Was chearfull, and gave the appearance of having no problems at all.

All persons present at the two meetings were checked through LAPD records and Intellegance Divisions and CII with negitive results.

This is information related to Captain Hugh I Brown from Bill Curtin over the telephone on June 27, 1968 at 4 P.M.:

They told us that the U.S. Consulate General in Jerusalem had visa applicant records on three of these individuals. The three of them are the two brothers and HALKI. I will give you the information on each one of these three.

The first one is BADRAN HARGUP and they have the same date of birth that you gave me. Address of FOB 123, Jerusalem, black hair, brown eyes, height 177 cm. - I don't know what that breaks down to. He applied for a student visa on January 18, 1963 to study at Pasadena City College. He never did complete processing at Amman for the visa. He stated that his uncle, and he didn't give the name of the uncle, would help to support him. He said his uncle was moving permanently to Beirut, Lebanon. The card on his noted that the brother's visa, that would probably be CHALEB, had been extended in the United States from February 13, 1963 to January 31, 1964. There was also a notation on the card that an inquiry had been received from the U.S. Consul in Valencia, Spain, on the subject - on HARGUP, indicating that as of August 9, 1963, HARGUP was studying there. It appears likely that he received his U.S. visa in Beirut. I don't know why they say that. His Jordanian passport, same number, issued January 6, 1963, at Jerusalem.

CHALEB MOHAMMED, same date of birth at Beitun, the same FOB 123, Jerusalem, brown hair, brown eyes, height 160 cm., 143 pounds, single. He was issued a student visa on January 18, 1961, valid until January 18, 1965, to study at Los Angeles Pacific College. CHALEB stated that his father was a teacher in Jerusalem. His uncle, MOHAMMED D. SILIHAN SIAM, said to reside at 5002 Nanto Vista Street, Los Angeles 42, California. His uncle, who had been a building contractor in Jerusalem, sent CHALEB \$750 to defray expenses for his trip to the United States. His passport # [REDACTED] issued September 17, 1960, in Jerusalem.

ABDO HALKI, date of birth, April 12, 1948, in Jerusalem, FOB 1260, Amman, Jordan, applied for a visa on June 7, 1966. No record the visa was ever issued. Consul received a petition in July, 1966, for ABDO's sister to have ABDO immigrate under her sponsorship to the United States.

The sister is named ELLEN JABRA MU ADDI, maiden name ALKI, 135 East Marand Street, Duarte, California. A petition, dated July 23, 1966, to have him immigrate under her sponsorship to the United States. She was born March 3, 1935 in Jerusalem, naturalizing in Los Angeles May 20, 1966 under # [REDACTED]. She was planning a petition for entrance for entrance of the following family members:

Parents: JABRA and SHEMOUNI HALKI
Brothers: HANNA and MURQUES
Sisters: JULIE and MARY

The family apparently resided in Amman, Jordan, since ABDO listed his address at that FOB since 1958. That is all on these three.

They didn't come up with anything on MISTRI from the U.S. Embassy in Amman, Jordan or the U.S. Consulate General in Jerusalem.

INTERVIEWS

FILE # 1-306

PERSON INTERVIEWED: PATRUSKY, Martin DATE/TIME 6-5-68

SEX _____ RACE _____ HAIR _____ EYES _____ HT _____ WT _____ DOB _____

RESIDENCE ADDRESS _____ PHONE _____

BUSINESS ADDRESS 5361 San Vicente #163 Brookside PHONE _____

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

"hook hands w/Kennedy observed shooting saw gun out probably
can't ID either. 3 or 4 feet away. Co-op. Checkered trousers (?)
sneakers, M-Mex, 28/30, little guy, 5/5-6

*See Also Tapes Interview
28931
filed under Eddie Minnison
6/5/68*

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INTERVIEWS - JUNE 5, 1968

KENNEDY SHOOTING

DR 68-521 466

STATEMENT OF SCOTT ENYART
549 S. Lucerne
L.A.
Ph: 931-5023
Fairfax Hight

DATE 6-5-68

Friend of Enyart, Brend Gold, 901 So. Reniston, 939-8877, also took photos at time of shooting.

STATEMENT OF ESTELYN DUFFY
13361 Dobby
Van Nuys
786-7662 (School Teacher)

DATE 6-5-68, 4:20 AM

Sounded like a whip (shots) 8/10 saw woman bleeding didn't see shooting or suspect.

STATEMENT OF GLEN H. MIDBY (21)
15440 Shermanway
Building 4, Apt. 304
785-8132/785-9231

Was in Colonial Rm, heard shots ran to where susp. was being held. Did not see any other person walking or running from hallway away from scene. Can ID suspect.

STATEMENT OF DANNY G. BOBBITT
1853 Cherokee #203
L.A. (Unemployed)

Susp. asked for Kennedy room, also asked for phone #, had something with him like towel or newspaper tucked under his arm. Male Cauc, 35, 5-8, med, dark wavy hair, dark eyes dark complexion.

STATEMENT OF PATRUSKY, Martin NMI
5361 San Vincente #163
Brookside - PH: 870-1666

DATE 6-5-68

Shook hands w/Kennedy observed shooting saw gun but probably can't ID either. 3 or 4 feet away. Co-op. Checkered trouser(?) sneakers, M Mex, 28/30, little guy, 5/5-6

Name:

Business Address & Phone:

Martin

Ambassador Hotel Banquet rm.

& Phone:

Vicente #163

or Receiving Info:

Date & Time Received:

Mac Arthur/Collins

6-17-68 5:30pm

Re:

states he was standing in the corridor where the shooting occurred, entrance to the employees eating area. As he recalled, there were people to his left, which would be toward the mental tables where the shooting occurred; 3 or 4 people. He shook hands with Sen. Kennedy just prior to SUS PEREZ shaking hands with the Sen. (Investigation to this date Perez was the last person to shake hands with Sen.) He recalls a man, 19-21, 5-4/5-5, average build, wearing a white dress (no poka dots) near him about the same time. This female known as "Robin" a friend of Ira Goldstein. He was present when the shooting occurred.

At the shooting and the arrival of the Sen in the room he recalled the man coming up to a group of people he was speaking with and the suspect asking the group as to whether or not the Sen. was to "Come this way".

Same as above

SEN - RESULTS:

Interview necessary.

MS
Completed: 6/18/68

Approved By: L. T. R.

Informants Name:

PATRUSKY, Martin

Business Address & Phone:

Ambassador Hotel Banquet rm.

Residence & Phone:

5361 San Vicente #163

Investigator Receiving Info:

Patchett/Mac Arthur/Collins

Date & Time Received:

6-17-68 5⁰⁰pm

INFORMATION:

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ASSIGNED TO:

Same as above

ACTION TAKEN - RESULTS:

No re interview necessary.

Date/Time Completed: 6/18/68

Approved By: *LT. R...*

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FILE # I-155

PERSON INTERVIEWED: PEREZ, JESUS DATE/TIME 6-5-68

SEX RACE HAIR EYES HT WT DOB

RESIDENCE ADDRESS 1415 S. Burlington #3 PHONE

BUSINESS ADDRESS PHONE

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

Case Prep has interviewed and taped. Nothing further.

Susp stood in pantry hallway and asked at least four times, "Is Mr. Kennedy coming this way." Was told by Perez he didn't know. Susp asked other persons, "Is Mr. Kennedy coming this way." Susp described as male, olive skinned (Perez does not think suspect speaks Spanish) short, blk hair. Suspect shot Kennedy, tackled by several persons. Did not see anyone with suspect during 1/2 hour suspect stood in hallway. Can ID suspect and gun.

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INVESTIGATORS MAKING INTERVIEW:

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3 RECORDED AT RAMPART DETECTIVE DIVISION
4 JUNE 5, 1968

5 QUESTIONED BY: SGT. R. L. CALKINS #7287, HOMICIDE DIVISION
6 SGT. M. J. McGANN #10329, HOMICIDE DIVISION
7 REPORTED BY: JUDY C. HERNANDEZ, INTERNAL AFFAIRS DIVISION

8 (*) INDICATES UNINTELLIGIBLE CONVERSATION.

9 Q What's your name, sir?

10 A Jesus Perez.

11 Q How do you spell your first name?

12 A Like Jesus, J-e-s-u-s.

13 Q What's middle name or initial?

14 A You mean my last name?

15 Q Do you have a middle name?

16 A No.

17 Q No middle name. What's your last name, then?

18 A Jesus Perez.

19 Q P-e--

20 A P-e-r-e-z.

21 Q What's your address, there, Jesus?

22 A 1415 South Barrington.

23 Q 1415 South Barrington?

24 A Yes, sir.

25 Q Is that in Los Angeles?

26 A Yes.

Q Have a phone there?

A No, I don't (*).

1 Q Where do you work, at the Ambassador?

2 A Yes, I work at the Ambassador.

3 Q What is your job there?

4 A I work in the kitchen, like kitchen porter or
5 helper or something there.

6 Q I'm Sgt. McGann from Homicide downtown, Jesus.
7 What can you tell me about what happened tonight? What
8 was your part in this deal?

9 A Well, I was standing there at the steam table,
10 you know, about a half hour.

11 Q By the steam table?

12 A Yeah and--

13 Q Kind of a make-shift little drawing. This
14 would be the steam table right along here and this would
15 be what you call the pantry room or pantry area?

16 A Yes, uh huh (yes). Yes.

17 Q And this is where they come out of the Embassy
18 Room and this, apparently, is a hallway where employees
19 could gather?

20 A Uh huh (yes).

21 Q And this would be the Colonial Room, which, I
22 understand, they were using as a press room tonight?

23 A Uh huh (yes).

24 Q Now, where were you at, again?

25 A I was--this--this--supposed to be the Embassy?

26 Q Yes, over in here.

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2 Q Uh huh (yes).

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1 He said (*) with the girls , the girl. So he was here, then,
2 for about a half-hour when Mr. Kennedy come through here.
3 He shaked hands with her. I shaked hands with him. I told
4 him, "Senor Kennedy, mucho gusto," in Spanish. Then when
5 that, I was give my hand to him there and all the (*)
6 guys try to shake hands with him right here; so they come
7 over him, shaking the hands, when over here, in my back--

8 Q Your back. You are still standing here in this
9 pantry hallway?

10 A Yeah, I was standing like here. He shake my
11 hand out here, but the guys come to shake hands right here
12 and over here I hear the shot over my--close to my eye--
13 ear. Pow. Pow. I think about four or five shots. I'm
14 not very sure, about four or five shots, pow--I think he
15 was doing that to take the people away, is what I was think,
16 but after that I see a gun, a gun like this, and I stand
17 like that so then everybody jump on him. The guy was with
18 Mr. Kennedy jumped on him and dragged the guy like this,
19 you know, shooting.

20 Q In other words, he moved the gun away, up in the
21 air, or he was forced to move the gun up in the air?

22 A Somebody--I heard somebody tried to move the
23 gun or put the gun like this and I hear a shot right in my--
24 and I was standing here. I hear that shot so I see two men
25 laying on the floor and everybody jump on him and say, "Why
26 you do that?" and, you know, the gun.