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EDWARDS stated that when she went to the range she was wearing ourple capris and a purple velour top with a white turtle neck blouse underneath, white tennis shoes and a blond medium length wig, which she frequently wears. EDWARDS stated that to the best of her knowledge this was all the information she could provide in this matter.

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GEORGE STEPHEN MIOCH, 14043 East Olive, Baldwin Park, California, was interviewed at the residence of CORLÍSS EDWARDS, 735 Donnabeth, West Covina, California. MIOCH advised that on June 4, 1968, he and his girl friend, CORLISS EDWARDS, went to the San Gabriel Valley Gun Club, 4001 Fish Canyon Road, Duarte, California. He stated that they were accompanied by his daughter, MARA MIOCH, and EDWARDS' son, ROBERT EDWARDS. He stated that they arrived at the gun club at approximately ll a.m. They first went to the rifle range and fired a .22 caliber rifle and then went to the pistol range, which is adjacent to the rifle range at approximately 12:15 p.m. He stated they had a .38 caliber Mauser automatic belonging to EDWARDS, which they wanted to fire on the pistol range. He stated that to the best of his knowledge they were shooting around gun position No. 13. He stated that they noticed an individual firing at a gun position approximately ten to twenty feet from theirs. MIOCH stated that he would describe this individual as being of a small build, possibly of foreign extraction with dark hair and firing a very small handgun. He stated at one time, during the course of the time that they spent on the pistol range, he remembered another individual coming close to the previously described individual and asking him if he would move his car. MIOCH stated that he did not notice what kind of a car this individual had in the parking lot. He stated that this was the only conversation that he recalled the previously described individual having during the time that MIOCH's party was at the pistol range. At this time, MIOCH was shown a number of photographs including one of SIRHAN SIRHAN, Los Angeles Police Department Number 495 139. MIOCH picked out a photograph of SIRHAN SIRHAN, Los Angeles Police Department Number 495 139, as being identical to the individual whom he had seen on the pistol range at the San Gabriel Valley Gun Club. MIOCH further advised that one thing that attracted them to notice SIRHAN was the fact that he was shooting very rapidly and shooting at a target that appeared to be a very short distance from him.

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MIOCH advised that prior to actually going to the pistol range, he and EDWARDS engaged in a discussion close to the range master's booth relative to the firing of the Mauser automatic. He stated that he made a comment to EDWARDS to the effect that she had better learn how to shoot that gun before tonight MIOCH stated that he made this comment because he felt that EDWARDS needed to know how to shoot the gun for her own protection. He stated that he recalled that he made this statement in a rather harsh tone of voice.

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INVESTIGATION CONCERNING ALLEGED STATEMENT MADE BY SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN IN GOLDEN GARTER BAR, ALHAMBRA, CALIFORNIA IN LATE MAY 1968 - "WE WILL WAIT TILL HE GETS INTO TOWN AND THEN WE WILL GET HIM"

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It was previously reported by ANDREW MARTIGANI, co-owner of the Golden Garter Bar, 2605 West Valley Boulevard, Alhambra, California, that in late May, 1968, an individual, he believed to be SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN, was in the bar and was overheard making statement, "We will wait till he gets into town and then we will get him". Following is additional investigation in this matter:





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STEVE STUART, 12025 East Broadway, Whittier, California, was reinterviewed and advised as follows concerning an individual with whom he shot pool at the Golden Garter Bar, Alhambra, California, on one occasion in May, 1968:

When he observed a picture of SIRHAN SIRHAN on a news telecast shortly after Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY was shot, he thought SIRHAN resembled someone he had seen. On the same day shortly after he observed the telecast, one of the MARTIGANI brothers (he is unable to recall which brother) phoned him to tell him that SIRHAN had been in their bar, the Golden Garter.

STUART later observed a photograph of SIRHAN SIRHAN in a newspaper. At that time, which was after one of the MARTIGANI brothers called him, he believed that SIRHAN SIRHAN may have been the individual with whom he shot pool at the Golden Garter Bar. After thinking about this matter and the statement made by the MARTIGANI brother that SIRHAN SIRHAN had been in the bar, STUART says that the individual with whom he shot pool resembled SIRHAN SIRHAN in appearance. He said he only saw that individual in the bar once. At that time the man was alone and during the game of pool they had very little conversation.

STUART stated he normally frequented the bar after 6:00 p.m. After observing a photograph of ROBERT ANDRESE, he said he could not recall having seen ANDRESE in the Golden Garter Bar or at another location.

He said in his opinion this matter concerning the possibility that SIRHAN SIRHAN had been in the Golden Garter Bar was "created by the MARTIGANI brothers who desire attention;" also that the "MARTIGANI brothers are pathological liars."

STUART said he had no factual information concerning SIRHAN SIRHAN or any associates at the Golden Garter Bar.

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Detective DON TRUMBLE, Alhambra Police Department was interviewed and furnished the following information:

Detective TRUMBLE advised that he had seen an individual he believed to be SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN at the Golden Garter Bar on at least one occasion during May, 1968.

At the time of this interview, a photograph of ROBERT RICHARD ANDRESE was exhibited to Detective TRUMBLE and also ANDRESE was physically present. After viewing ANDRESE and his photograph, Detective TRUMBLE advised that this was not the individual he had observed in the Golden Garter Bar, Alhambra during May, 1968 as indicated above. He also stated that to the best of his knowledge, he had never seen ANDRESE before.

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WILLIAM T. WOODBURN, 12719 Ledford Street, Baldwin Park, California, was interviewed at his place of employment, Royal Industries Incorporated, 1035 Westminister, Alhambra, California, at which time he furnished the following information:

WOODBURN is called "WALKING BILL" by numerous of his acquaintances and periodically frequented the Golden Garter Bar, West Valley Boulevard, Alhambra, California, prior to the death of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY.

At the Golden Garter Bar, WOODBURN has played pool on occasion with an individual whose facial features somewhat resemble those of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN, but who is definitely not identical to SIRHAN.

A photograph of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN was displayed to WOODBURN and he stated positively that he is not identical to the man he played pool with at the Golden Garter Bar, and that he has never seen SIRHAN before.

A photograph of ROBERT RICHARD ANDRESE was displayed to WOODBURN and he advised that this photograph is identical to the person he played pool with at the Golden Garter Bar in Alhambra.

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On June 18, 1968, KATHY VENNE, 1145 South Chapel Avenue, Alhambra, was interviewed and furnished the following information:

VENNE advised that she is a barmaid by profession and her last employment was the Red Jax Bar, 39 West Main Street, Alhambra. Further, that on a temporary basis for one or two nights she worked at the Golden Garter Bar, West Valley Boulevard, Alhambra.

During the course of interview, photographs of ROBERT RICHARD ANDRESS were exhibited to VENNE. She stated, that she had never seen this individual.

Photographs were also exhibited to VINNE of JAMES LLOYD WILSON. She stated that she likewise had never seen this individual and was certain that she had not been introduced to him at the Golden Garter Bar.

Photographs of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN were exhibited to KATHY VINNE and she advised that she had never seen this individual in person, but had seen his photograph in the newspapers numerous times since the death of Senator KENNEDY.

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> INVESTIGATION CONCERNING ALLEGATION THAT SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN WAS AT DAVE'SACOFFEE SHOP, ALHAMBRA, CALIFORNIA, ON JUNE 4, 1968

It was previously reported that SIRHAN .SIRHAN had been a customer at Dave's Coffee Shop, 2 East Main Street, Alhambra. A neighborhood investigation was conducted in that vicinity to determine if SIRHAN had been seen by other people in that locality. The following people were contacted, all with negative results:

> Dr. BARRY BLEEK, 1 East Main Street, Alhambra, California

> CHARLES HILL Hill's Hearing Aids 12 Garfield Alhambra, California

F. D. TITUS Titus Pharmacy 24 Garfield Alhambra, California

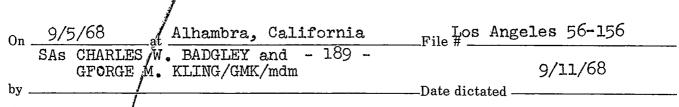
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DAVID PHILLIPPS, Owner, Dave's Coffee Shop, 2 East Main Street, Alhambra, California, provided Pate following information:

PHILLIPPS was shown a photograph of the SIRHAN family. PHILLIPPS stated that the photograph of MUNIX SIRHAN looked very much like the individual whom he had seen with SIRHAN SIRHAN in his place of business prior to the assasination of ROBERT F. KENNEDY. PHILLIPPS stated that he could not make a positive identification in this matter, but the photograph of MUNIR bears a strong resemblance to the individual as he recalls him.





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LENORA HOSTETTER, Waitress, Dave's Danefee Shop, 2 East Main Street, Alhambra, provided the following information:

Upon being shown a photograph of the SIRHAN family, HOSTETTER advised that the photograph of SHARIF SIRHAN and MUNIR SIRHAN both looked familiar to her as being possibly the individual whom she had seen with SIRHAN SIRHAN in the coffee shop. HOSTETTER stated that the facial characteristics of MUNIR looked familiar, but she did not recall the individual who was with SIRHAN as wearing glasses. For this reason, she felt that SHARIF might possibly be the individual. HOSTETTER stated that she could not be positive regarding these identifications, but these were her feelings as best she can recall.

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INVESTIGATION OF ALLEGATION
THAT SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN WAS A
STEADY CUSTOMER OF FILM DEPARTMENT
AT LUCKY DISCOUNT STORE,
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MARGARET SCOTT, 14341 Haywood, telephonically advised that she was formerly employed at the Lucky Discount Store, 488 East Villa Street, Pasadena, California, in the Jewelry Department. She explained that the Jewelry Department also had a film processing service and that SIRHAN SIRHAN was a steady customer. She stated that he spent an average of \$10.00 to \$12.00 a week on films and processing and owned a very expensive camera.

Mrs. SCOTT stated that SIRHAN SIRHAN was particularly noticed by her and some of the other employees of the Jewelry Department, because of his personality. She stated that he would be very indignant if his films were not ready or if there was any problem with the way they were processed. She continued that they had a part-time employee at the Jewelry Department named SERGE ETIENNE who was a student at Pasadena City College. She stated that SIRHAN SIRHAN was friendly with SERGE, and when he came in for his films, he would talk with SERGE. She stated that she did not know where SERGE resided but assumed he lived locally in the Pasadena area.

Mrs. SCOTT stated that she was furnishing this information to the FBI because she felt there was a possibility that some of SIRHAN's film may still be at the store and had not been picked up by him.

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ROBERT MEDINA, Manager of the jewelry and photography counter at Lucky Discount Store, 488 East Villa, advised that he has been manager of this counter since July 11, 1968. MEDINA checked his records of all film processed from his counter in 1968, without locating any record of any film ever having been deposited there by anyone named SIRHAN.

MEDINA further advised that he did not know anyone named SERGE ETIENNE who had ever been employed at the Lucky Discount Store in Pasadena, but that HENRY A. ETIENNE, 1072 North Lake Street, Pasadena, had formerly operated the concession at Lucky Discount Store. MEDINA advised that ETIENNE was a watchmaker and possibly SERGE ETIENNE was related to him.

MEDINA observed photographs of members of the SIRHAN family, including SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN, and stated that he did not recall having ever seen any of them previously.

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HENRY A. ETIENNE, 1072 North Lake Street, advised that he had operated the jewelry and photography counter at Lucky Discount Store, 488 East Villa, Pasadena, prior to May 1968. He advised that SERGE ETIENNE was his son, and that SERGE had also worked part-time at the counter for a few weeks after ETIENNE gave up the concession. ETIENNE was unable to recall anyone named SIRHAN as a customer of the counter. He stated that he knew very few names of his customers, but if there had been a customer who had a volume of photography business in the range of \$10 to \$12 per week, his name would at least be familiar.

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INVESTIGATION CONCERNING ALLEGED PURCHASES OF AMMUNITION BY SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN AT LOCK, STOCK 'N BARREL GUN SHOP, SAN GABRIEL, CALIFORNIA

It was previously reported that when interviewed on June 16, 1968, LARRY KENNETH ARNOT, Salesman for the Lock, Stock 'N Barrel Gun Shop, had advised that an individual, who he identified as SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN, purchased ammunition at the gun shop on June 1, 1968. At that time SIRHAN was reportedly accompanied by two other individuals, one resembling SHARIF SIRHAN.

A polygraph examination was afforded ARNOT on August 5, 1968, at the Scientific Investigation Division, Los Angeles Police Department, by Lieutenant E. HERNANDEZ. A copy of the results of this polygraph examination was furnished SA R. J. LA JEUNESSE, JR., on August 12, 1968, by Detective Sergeant MIKE NIELSEN, S.U.S. Unit, Los Angeles Police Department.

The polygraph report is set out as follows:

August 7, 1968

TO: Lt. Manual Pena, OIC Background Conspiracy Section S.U.S

FROM: Lt. E. Hernandez, Investigator Background Conspiracy Team

SUBJECT: Polygraph Examination of Mr. Larry Arnot

On August 5, 1968 a polygraph examination was administered to Mr. Larry Arnot, 517 Melcanyon Rd., Duarte, California, Ph#358-8787.

The examination was administered by Lt. Hernandez in the polygraph facilities of Scientific Investigation Division Room 432A, Parker Center.

The purpose of this examination was to determine the truthfulness in Mr. Arnot's statements given to the F.B.I. on June 16, 1968. When he informed them that he had sold (4) four boxes of ammunition to suspect Sirhan Sirhan and two other dark foreign-looking Males who were present with Sirhan at the time of the ammunition purchase on June 1, 1968.

On that day, June 16, 1968, F.B.I. Agents Bruce Bradford and Norbert Linker showed Arnot (5) five photographs of Sirhan and his (4) four brothers. Arnot identified Sirhan as being the person that purchased the ammunition, and also selected a photograph of Shariff Sirhan, as "Bearing a strong resemblance to the individual that was present with him." Arnot said that he would be unable to identify the third person that was present in the store on that day.

Prior to instrumental testing on the polygraph, Arnot was questioned regarding the statement given by him to the F.B.I. on June 16, 1968. He maintained that his original story as given to the F.B.I. was true to the best of his recollection.

Arnot was shown a total of 17 look-alike photographs by Lt. Hernandez. These included four of the Sirhan brothers. Arnot looked over each of these photographs carefully and selected the following three photographs:

- (1) Photograph of Munir Sirhan
  - (2) Photograph of look-alike Bk No. 63481-1965.
- (3) Photograph of another look-alike Bk No. 102661-1966

After selecting Munir Sirhan's photograph, Arnot commented that he felt he had been brain-washed because he had observed Munir's photograph on a number of previous occasions and therefore he felt that this was influencing his opinion. As to the other two look-alike

photographs that he selected, Arnot stated that he believed he remembered the two people depicted on the photographs as being present with Sirhan on June 1, but was not positive.

The instrument and its functions were discussed with Mr. Arnot, as were the theory and procedures of the polygraph examination. He was given an opportunity to ask questions concerning any phase of the examination. The questions which were to be asked instrumentally were reviewed with Mr. Arnot before any instrumental testing began.

A polygraph was obtained prior to the examination, which established that patterns capable of interpretation could be obtained. Responses were provoked. This indicated that Mr. Arnot would be a proper subject for polygraph testing.

During the course of the examination, physiological tracings at points where crucial questions were asked suggest very strongly that Mr. Arnot was being untruthful. He was specifically asked if he honestly remembered seeing any person with Sirhan inside the Lock, Stock N' Barrel Gun Shop on June 1, 1968, and his responses at this salient point indicate that he does not remember seeing anyone with Sirhan on that day. Further, after carefully evaluating the examination charts, it is the opinion of this examiner that Larry Arnot does not in fact remember Sirhan or the business transaction that took place on June 1, 1968 when the ammunition was purchased by Sirhan.

Larry Arnot was informed of the results of the examination and the conclusions that were arrived.

After a short period of interzogation, Arnot ultimately admitted that the only logical explanation for his failing the test was because he had lied.

He explained that the truth was that he was confusing the sale of ammunition to three other dark complextion men, and in his mind he was trying to convince himself that this was the Sirhan incident. However, he said that he could truthfully remember Sirhan being in the store on June 1. He knows that he sold Sirhan the ammunition because of a sales receipt which he made out, but he just cannot remember Sirhan or the sale.

As too the two men that he had described as being with Sirhan, he stated that he had probably been mislead by Mrs. Donna Harrick. She had told him that Sirhan and two other men had been in the store on a day previous to June 1. Therefore, he had assumed that these two men could have been with Sirhan on June 1.

Again Arnot was reminded that he had no sound basis to form this assumption, and he admitted that he did not.

Arnot requested that the previous reports as given to the F.B.I. be corrected. (Statements of Larry Arnot in file S.U.S Tape \$29325)

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It was previously reported that when interviewed on June 16, 1968, Mrs. DONNA HERRICK, wife of BENJAMIN J. HERRICK, owners of Lock, Stock 'N Barrel Gun Shop, had advised that on or about April 3, 1968, she had observed SIRHAN SIRHAN in company with two males of foreign descent at her place of business. She further advised that SIRHAN had attempted to purchase some 357 Magnum Tank Piercing ammunition on April 3, 1968.

A polygraph examination was afforded Mrs. HERRICK on August 5, 1968, at the Scientific Investigation Division, Los Angeles Police Department, by Lieutenant E. HERNANDEZ. A copy of the results of this polygraph examination was furnished SA R. J. LA JEUNESSE, JR., on August 12, 1968, by Detective Sergeant MIKE NIELSEN, S.U.S. Unit, Los Angeles Police Department.

The polygraph report is set out as follows:

August 7, 1968

TO: Lt. Manual Pena

OIC Background Conspiracy Section S.U.S

FROM: Lt. E. Hernandez

Investigator, Background Conspiracy Team

SUBJECT: Polygraph Examination of Mrs. Donna Herrick

9436 Pentland, Temple City, Calif. Pha AT 67877

Mrs. Herrick was administered a polygraph examination on August 6, 1968 at the Polygraph Facilities of Scientific Investigation Division.

Mrs. Herrick informed that she was the wife of Benjamin J. Herrick and that they owned the Lock, Stock N' Barrel Gun Shop at 8972 East Hungtington Drive, San Gabriel, Calif.

The purpose of this examination was to determine if Donna Herrick had been truthful to agents of the F.B.I. when she told them that on or about April 3, 1968 she had observed Sirhan Sirhan in company of two Males of foreign decent at her place of business.

On that day, June 16, 1968, she informed the F.B.I. that she was positive Sirhan had attempted to purchase some 357 Magnum Tank Piercing ammunition, and she selected photographs of Adel and Munir Sirhan as bearing a strong resemblance to the men that were with Sirhan. Further, Herrick stated that she remembered Sirhan had such a heavy accent that she was unable to understand him. In fact, she asked her husband for assistance to help interpret what Sirhan was saying.

During the pre-test interview, Donna Herrick was questioned regarding the statement she had given to the F.B.I. on June 16, 1968, and she maintained that the statement was true.

Additional questions were asked relative to the date that she observed Sirhan (on or about April 3, 1968). She then modified her statement, and then changed it again ultimately saying that Sirhan could have been in the store during the week of March 27 or during the week of April 10, 1968. However, she definitely remembered Sirhan having a very heavy accent.

When Mrs. Herrick was informed that as a matter of fact, suspect Sirhan speaks English very well and has no trace of any accent what so ever, Mrs. Herrick stated "Well, maybe he was mumbling."

At this point of the pre-test interview, Mrs. Herrick was asked if she would voluntarily submit to a polygraph examination, she considerefor a few moments and then agreed to take the test. The instrument and its functions were discussed with Mrs. Herrick and she was explained the theory and the procedures that would be followed during the course of the examination.

Prior to instrumental testing, a polygramiwas obtained to determine whether she was a proper subject and capable of producing patterns adequate for interpretation. Responses were provoked, which indicated that Mrs. Herrick was a proper subject.

During the course of the examination, physiological tracings at points where crucial key questions were asked, indicate quite strongly that Mrs. Herrick was being untruthful.

After the initial tests, two additional series of questions were asked and each of these contained questions relative to four key issues which had been previously asked and to which Mrs. Herrick had responded strongly with indications of deception.

- (1) Was there anything that Mrs. Herrick had told the polygraph examinor about Sirhan that was not true?
- (2) Did Mrs. Herrick honestly remember ever seeing Sirhan inside her store in person?
- (3) Did Sirhan ever try to buy ammunition from Mrs. Herrick in person?
- (4) Did Mrs. Herrick honestly believe that the person she had told the examinor about was not Sirhan?

Upon conclusion of the polygraph examination, Mrs. Herrick was informed that her responses clearly indicated that she was either mistaken or that she was deliberately being untruthful, but that she could not honestly say that she remembered seeing Sirhan or talking to him in person. Further, she was informed that her answers to the above questions were clearly indicative of deception. To this, Mrs. Herrick stated that she admitted she was confused, but she did believe Sirhan had been at her store, and again she was informed that the results of the polygraph examination did not show this. (Complete statement recorded in tapes \$29328 & 29329. These tapes in file in S.U.S)

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INVESTIGATION CONCERNING PHOTOGRAPH
TAKEN OF SENATOR ROBERT F. KENNEDY AND
OTHERS BEFORE KENNEDY'S ASSASSINATION WHICH
MAY INCLUDE SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN

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On July 31, 1968, HUGH J. MC DONALD, Assistant Press Secretary, Office of the late Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY, furnished a photograph taken by STEVE SCHAPIRO, Free Lance Photographer, in May, 1968, at the Los Angeles International Airport. This photograph shows KENNEDY shaking hands with an unidentified individual while another person, who resembles SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN, is standing beside KENNEDY with his hand outstretched to shake hands with KENNEDY. WILLIAM BARRY of the KENNEDY staff appears on the other side of KENNEDY in the photograph.

The following investigation was conducted to determine if the individual in the photograph is SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN:

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STEVE SCHAPIRO, free lance photographer, 170 West 73rd Street, New York City, New York, phoneD#87-5087, who markets photographs through the Black Star Distributing Company at 450 Park Avenue South, New York City, New York, advised the following:

SCHAPIRO said that he had taken many pictures while traveling with the Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY campaign party. He remembers these photographs had been furnished to the KENNEDY family. He marketed others through the Black Star Distributing Company.

SCHAPIRO, following the examination of the photograph obtained July 31, 1968, from HUGH J. MC DONALD, Assistant Press Secretary to the late Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY, said it looked like one that he had taken. said the photograph was taken at the Los Angeles International Airport sometime in March of 1968, shortly after Senator KENNEDY announced that he would run for the office of the President. KENNEDY was on a campaign tour which carried him to Kansas and then to California. He had chartered a plane and had gone to San Francisco and on the return trip to Los Angeles, they stopped at several cities in Central California. Upon arrival at the Los Angeles International Airport about midday or early afternoon, a large crowd, larger than expected, had gathered and as KENNEDY was walking through a narrow passageway leading into the main area of the terminal, the photograph was taken. SCHAPIRO could not recall the name of the airline chartered or the name of the terminal. KENNEDY normally chartered flights through American Airlines. The only person besides KENNEDY recognized by SCHAPIRO was WILLIAM BARRY, a KENNEDY aide. He was standing beside KENNEDY. The two youths were not associated with any organized group. In fact, if any organized group had been present, SCHAPIRO had no knowledge of it. The youth in the picture in question

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who is getting ready to shake hands with Senator KENNEDY, is definitely not a picture of SIRHAN SIRHAN according to SCHAPIRO, who based his opinion on having examined numerous photographs of SIRHAN SIRHAN.

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STEVE SCHAPIRO, free lance photographer, 170 West 73rd Street, New York, New York, telephone number 787-5087, called the New York Office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), and stated that on August 13, 1968, he spoke with a Special Agent of the FBI in Los Angeles, California and observed a photograph of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY that he (SCHAPIRO) had taken sometime in March, 1969, at the Los Angeles International Airport

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ONDINE VAUGHN, free lance photographer and actress, 1221 North Genesee Avenue, Los Angeles, California, advised the following:

Miss VAUGHN, who was previously interviewed June 21, 1968, had traveled with the Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY campaign party as a photographer. She did work for STEVE SCHAPIRO, who distributes photographs through the Black Star Distributing Company in New York City. Miss VAUGHN examined the photographs of Senator KENNEDY which had been obtained through the office of HUGH J. MC DONALD, Assistant Press Secretary of the late Senator. One picture taken by STEVE SCHAPIRO of the Black Star Distributing Company shows KENNEDY shaking hands with an unidentified individual. Another person who resembles SIRHAN SIRHAN is standing next to KENNEDY with his hand outstretched to shake hands with KENNEDY. VAUGHN said that she was unable to identify the youth who is in the photograph who is about to shake hands with KENNEDY, and the only person she knew in the photograph besides Senator KENNEDY was WILLIAM BARRY, on the right side of the photograph. 'BARRY was a Senator KENNEDY aide. VAUGHN said the photograph appeared to her to have been taken at the Los Angeles International Airport at an entrance of a terminal utilized for the arrival of important persons. She speculated that the time probably would have been in May of 1968, during one of Senator KENNEDY's campaign trips to Los Angeles.

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INVESTIGATION CONCERNING INDIVIDUAL WHO CAME INTO PAPPY'S STEW HOUSE, RAYWOOD, TEXAS, ON MAY 23, 1968, AND STATED WAS GOING TO CALIFORNIA TO "GET ONE OF THOSE SENATORS"

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JOSEPH WILLARD "PAPPY" LUKE, age 61, owner of Pappy's Stew House, General Delivery, Highway 90, Raywood, Texas, telephone 587-9059, advised around 11:00 a.m., on Thursday, one and one half weeks ago (date of May 23, 1968) a lone male came into Luke's restaurant and had a Coke and a bowl of stew. The man, believed to be named John (last name unknown) stated he was a salesman for the Broker Food Company and traveled all over the United States. stated he had just left Houston, Texas, and was traveling to New Orleans, Louisiana. LUKE told the man about LUKE's copyrighted Mulligan Stew and offered the man \$1,000 to promote the stew. The man declined and stated he was going to California. The man then made the following statement: "My life isn't worth two cents. I am going to the campaign meeting in California and straighten that s--- out there I am going to turn California upside down. I am going to get one of those Senators. I am going to kill them sons-of-b----." LUKE inquired why. The man replied, "Because they are killing the Communists. want to make it good for the Communists."

The man was not carrying any papers or other articles. He never displayed any identification. Nothing was observed in the man's car. LUKE tried to get the man to take his coat off as the restaurant was quite hot, but the man refused. The man paid for his food with a roll of bills approximately three inches in diameter. The man spun his wheels and drove east on Highway 90 at a very high rate of speed.

LUKE advised that there were no other witnesses to this incident.

The man was described as follows:

	Name Race Age Height	JOHN (Last Name Unknown) Caucasian 25-28 years 5'4" - 5'6"
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> Weight Hair

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Features

Jewelry Vehicle

125-135 pounds Black, long, straight, combed back Dark Dark (looks French or Syrian) Numerous short, vertical scars on both cheeks and right forehead (looked like fingernail scratches) Slim face, pointed chin, a large number of vertical wrinkles around mouth; no facial hair, tattoos, marks, or glasses; soft spoken (note LUKE is hard of hearing) Gold watch on wrist 1967-1968 tan Ford sedan, large body style, number of doors unknown, 1968 Texas license plates, white sidewall tires, Texas inspection sticker on left corner of window, commercial radio antenna, had red and yellow lights on sides of fenders, no spot light, looked brand new.

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JOSEPH WILLARD "PAPPY" LUKE, Pappy's Stew House, General Delivery, Highway 90, Raywood, Texas, was shown a photograph of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN which appeared on the front page of the Beaumont Enterprise, Beaumont, Texas newspaper dated June 6, 1968. Mr. LUKE, after viewing the photograph, stated positively that this photograph was identical to the man who came into Luke's restaurant on May 23, 1968.

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JOSEPH WILLARD "Pappy" LUKE, owner of Pappy's Stew House, General Delivery, Highway 90, Raywood, Texas, advised he had been unable to recall anything additional concerning the description or comments of the man who came into his restaurant on May 23, 1968, and made various claims regarding his intention to kill a senator in California. advised the photograph of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN which he viewed around the first of August, 1968, was in his opinion identical to that man who came into his restaurant on May 23, 1968. LUKE advised he has never owned a television set nor has he viewed anyone else's television set within the last six months. LUKE stated he could not read and has not looked at a newspaper for several years. He advised he was certain he had not seen a photograph of SIRHAN until a photograph was shown him by the FBI. LUKE stated he was hard of hearing but he was certain the man had said what LUKE reported on June 5, 1968.

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A photograph of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN was shown the following residents of Raywood, Texas, on August 23, 1968. None of the persons had ever observed anyone similar to SIRHAN in Raywood:

CLARENCE JOHNSON Johnson Texaco Service Station

JIMMY TAYLOR Johnson Texaco Service Station

LEON FREGIA
Johnson Texaco Service Station

PERCY L. DeCUIR
DeCuir Enco Station

CHARLES HAGEN DeCuir Enco Station

MARTHA FRANKLIN
Ma-&-Pa's Trading Post

Mrs. APPO LaFOUR LaFour Food Market

It was noted there were no other residences or businesses in the small town of Raywood, Texas, that would have provided an opportunity for someone to view the man who spoke to J. W. LUKE on May 23, 1968.

Deputy Sheriff WILL AUTREY, Liberty County Sheriff's Office, Liberty, Texas, advised on August 23, 1968, his office had developed no information regarding the identity of the man who spoke to J. W. LUKE regarding a possible assassination attempt in the state of California.

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INVESTIGATION CONCERNING PERNELL EZZELL,
WHO ALLEGEDLY TELEPHONED A FORMER
EMPLOYER IN FLORIDA FROM DENVER,
COLORADO, ON JUNE 6, 1968, AND STATED
HE HAD A GREAT AMOUNT OF MONEY OBTAINED
AS A RESULT OF HIS PART IN ASSASSINATION OF DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING AND
SHOOTING OF SENATOR ROBERT F. KENNEDY



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# PERNELL EZZELL

On June 6, 1968, Mr. FRANK WETZEL, Manager, Perdue Radio, Television and Appliances, Incorporated, 2425 Colonial Drive, Orlando, Florida, furnished the following information:

PERNELL EZZELL is a former employee who has been missing about three weeks on this last occasion. He has previously left his job on past occasions and has been taken back. He called WETZEL on the morning of June 6, 1968 from 4:15 a.m. to 5:15 a.m. saying he was in Denver, Colorado. Mr. WETZEL said EZZELL seemed as though he were nervous, crazy or drunk.

EZZELL alleged to WETZEL that he had a great amount of money. He said he had a pile of \$20.00 bills which he had obtained as a result of his part in the assassination of Dr. MARTIN LUTHER KING and the shooting of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY. EZZELL remarked that he had proof he was in Orlando, Florida when KING was shot and he was in Las Vegas when KENNEDY was shot if he were to need it. He alleged he was on the payroll of "CIA" and "OSI". He remarked that he had a "38", a "357", a "30-30" and a "306" type of guns in the trunk of his car. He said he was using a U-Drive-It car in Las Vegas the previous day with the "357" gun on the seat when he was stopped by a deputy. He said the deputy released him when he produced his Associated Detective Agency card andhis gun permit which he read the number from as being #92B.

Mr. WETZEL said that EZZELL did not threaten any one during his call or indicate that he intended to do any harm to anyone else.

WETZEL said that EZZELL indicated that he was his only friend in Orlando, Florida and he just wanted to talk to him to find out if he could come back to Orlando.

On June 6, 1968, Mrs. FAY EZZELL, 636 22nd Street, Orlando, Florida furnished the following information.

She advised that she married PERNELL EZZELL on February 25, 1967, this being her third marriage. She said they have one infant by this marriage and she has children by previous marriages. She said that EZZELL has caused her extreme anxiety and debt during their short period of marriage. She said he has deserted her at least three times and he was last seen by her over three weeks ago. said that he had been treated for extreme alcoholism during their short marriage on at least two occasions by Doctor HERBERT COLLINS in Orlando, Florida and she had taken him to the Florida Sanitarium Hospital, Orlando, Florida for the same type treatment. She advised that he has been also treated at the Cherry Hospital for extreme alcoholism but she could not recall the name of the town in which the hospital is located. She said that she hoped that her husband does not return.

Mrs. EZZELL said that PERNELL had called her on June 6, 1968 about ... 2:00 a.m. and the call lasted until about 3:00 or possibly a little later. She said he stated he was in Denver, Colorado. She said that on one occasion the call was interrupted by an operator who requested that he make a new call for credit charges which he did but the operator did not specifically identify herself as being in Denver, Colorado. EZZELL said that PERNELL had called her on the morning of June 5, 1968 during the early hours saying that he was in Las Vegas, Nevada but she had no way of knowing his actual whereabouts at that time. She said that on both occasions he did not divulge his address or location. She said that in April, 1968, he was drinking heavily and she refused to allow him to come to the house with her children. She said he went to several motels around the Orlando. Florida area and ran up very large bills on credit cards which caused her financial difficulties. She said that on this occasions his drinking was only terminated when she took him to Dr. COLLINS for treatment of extreme alcoholism. She said that the doctor gave him tranquilizers to bring his shaking under control. She said he is a hopeless alcoholic and that when he is drinking he becomes affected mentally. Mrs. EZZELL advised that in the past PERNELL EZZELL when drinking had delusions of grandeur. She said that he would refer to big news stories in the newspapers and try to cause her to believe that he was in some way connected with military service intelligence and he would have to check on these news worthy events.

She said that on several occasions when he was drinking and he had disappeared he would finally call her telling her that he had a large sum of money and that he would buy her all sorts of new presents. She said that on these occasions she found him penniless and drunk in North Florida.

Mrs. EZZELL said that when PERNELL called her on the past two mornings he had not made any allegations involving himself in any assassination plots on Dr. KING or Senator KENNEDY. She said he had not threatened anyone on these occasions except her when she told him she was weeking employment. He said that if she obtained a job he would come by and pick up the baby.

Mrs. EZZELL said that PERNELL did have some sort of a gun which he kept in his car because she would not allow him to bring it into the house. She said he had a permit to carry this gun because he worked as a guard during the night time at Associated Detective Agency, Orlando, Florida. She said he worked in the day time as a television technician for the Perdue Radio, Television and Appliances. Incorporated.

Mrs. EZZELL said that she has been receiving numerous bills from oil companies and American Express credit card which she did not open but forwarded to his mother in North Carolina because she could not pay them. She advised that she feels that her financial situation is so destitute that she will lose her home and furniture because of previous bills made by EZZELL.

On June 6, 1968, Dr. HERBERT COLLINS, 3558 South Orange Avenue, Orlando, Florida, advised that he treated PERNELL EZZELL for about the past couple of years due to extreme alcoholism the last period of treatment being in April, 1968. He said this man is unstable but he did not further describe him.

On June 6, 1968, the files of the Orlando, Florida Police Department furnished by MARIAN HARRISON revealed PERNELL EZZELL was arrested on June 2, 1961 being charged as a public drunk; on Noveber 19, 1961 being charged with driving while intoxicated; and he was picked up on suspicion of auto theft March 9, 1962 at which time he was turned over to the Orange County Sheriff's Office. No photograph or fingerprint records for EZZELL were available.

On June 6, 1968, BERNICE FOGARTY, Orange County Sheriff's Office, Orlando, Florida, Identification Division and Deputy PHILIP MURPHY, Plain Clothes Division, both advised that they could locate no information pertaining to EZZELL in their files.

The following physical description was obtained from Mr. WETZEL and Mrs. EZZELL:

Name: PERNELL EZZELL Race: White

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Date of Birth: April 26, 1932
Place of Birth: Fayetteville,
North Carolina

Height: Weight:

Hair: Sandy and wavy

Eyes: Blue Marital Status: Married

Wife: FAY EZZELL 636 22nd Street

Orlando, Florida Children: 1 infant child from

that marriage

5'10" 185

Relatives:

Mother: ACRIE EZZELL

Route 4
Box 236
Clinton. N. C.

Brother: THOMAS OZELL EZZELL

Age 33

Favetteville, N.C.

It is noted that on July 5, 1967, Officer JAMES WATFORD, Kissimmee, Florida, Police Department, advised the Tampa Office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) that PERNELL EZZELL had made statements to EZZELL's wife that he was an agent of the Central Intelligence Agency (CIA) and in this capacity had to make secret trips, leaving his wife alone for periods of time. WATFORD indicated he knew of no one else who had been told by EZZELL that he was a CIA agent, and that there was no evidence EZZELL had obtained anything of value from anyone other than his wife.

On August 4, 1967, a representative of the CIA, Washington, D. C., advised that a check of CIA personnel files failed to disclose any individual named PERNELL EZZELL as being employed by that agency.

On August 28, 1967, Assistant United States Attorney KENDELL WHERRY, Middle District of Florida, was informed of above facts by a Special Agent of the FBI. Mr. WHERRY stated that the facts were insufficient to constitute a violation of the Impersonation Statute, and that he would therefore decline presecution of EZZELL.

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PERNELL EZZELL was interviewed at the Shreveport, Louisiana, Resident Agency. At the outset of the interview EZZELL was advised of his rights but declined to sign a waiver of same. EZZELL declined to furnish a signed statement but voluntarily furnished the following information:

EZZELL denied that he had received or was ever in possession of a great amount of money as a result of his participation in the murder of MARTIN LUTHER KING and the assassination of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY. He further denied stating to anyone he was on the payroll of the OSI and CIA.

EZZELL said he definitely did not participate in any manner, nor did he have any knowledge of or information concerning the murders of MARTIN LUTHER KING and Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY.

EZZELL admitted that he was glad KING was dead as he felt KING was a troublemaker, but emphasized that he did not have anything to do with killing him.

EZZELL said he could not remember making any statements to anyone regarding any of the above. He admitted that he may have made them when he was in a drunken condition, but could not recall making any such statements. He said he often has black-out periods which occur when he is drinking and he has been known to appear sober even when he is in a drunken state.

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his being responsible for another girl's pregnancy at the time

EZZELL stated he has never confronted WETZEL with any of the above, but WETZEL has told him that he called him one night when he was drunk and cursed him out. EZZELL said he could not remember this call.

EZZELL advised that he has a serious drinking problem, but he did not consider himself an alcoholic. He said he was treated in the Veterans Administration Hospital, Fayetteville, North Carolina, for drunkeness shortly after his release from the Air Force in 1953. He further advised he had been a patient at Cherry Hospital, Goldsboro, North Carolina, for about 2 months during the past year. While at this hospital he underwent a number of psychiatric tests. He did not know the results of the tests.

EZZELL stated that he has had this serious drinking problem since his marriage in November 1967. He indicated he was forced to marry his wife as a result of her pregnancy prior to their wedding. He said, since his marriage he has been under constant pressure from his wife and in addition has serious financial problems.

EZZELL advised that because of his heavy drinking and the resulting "black-outs" he is not able to fix exactly his whereabouts on specific dates during the past year. However, he remembered the night of MARTIN LUTHER KING's death and said he was drunk at the time. He was registered at the Motel South, Orlando, Florida. With him at the time was a girl friend, whom he identified as VIOLET ALLRED, a nurse, who operates the Clear Lake Manor Nursing Home, Orlando, Florida. He said she is about 38 years of age. He recalled hearing of KING's death on the T.V. on the night it happened.

EZZELL said he did not remember where he was the night Senator KENNEDY was shot.

EZZELL could not account for his whereabouts on the night of June 5, 1968 and said he could not recall where he was at all during the month of June as he again was on a drunk.

EZZELL remembers flying from Orlando, Florida,

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to Los Angeles twice in recent months. The last was about August 4, 1968 when he flew via Delta Airlines. He stayed in Los Angeles four days and left driving a rented car after an unsuccessful effort in finding a job. On his way to Shreveport he stopped briefly at Phoenix, Albuquerque, and Hope, Arkansas. He claimed he pawned his 357 magnum revolver with a police officer in Hope, Arkansas, for \$45 on August 23, 1968. The gun was purchased for his second job as a security guard with Associated Security Company, Orlando, Florida. He claims he has never used the gun in commission of a crime.

EZZELL believed the previous trip to Los Angeles was made in June 1968 when he flew via Delta Airlines from Orlando, Florida. He was looking for a job on the occasion also. He stayed only two days and remembers returning from California via an unrecalled airline and that he stopped at Las Vegas, Denver, New Orleans and Miami. He does not remember if he stayed in any of these cities for any length of time. After reaching Miami he rented a car and drove to Orlando.

EZZELL claims he had no employment other than his jobs in Orlando and that he financed his trips with the money earned from working these two jobs, along with using his credit cards.

EZZELL recalled after driving from Miami he did not go home, but to a motel with Miss ALLRED. The following day he drove back to Miami and then returned to Orlando by bus. He thinks he rented the car at Miami from either Hertz or Avis-Rent-A-Car.

EZZELL stated he has not worked any where since August 4, 1968, and that he presently had in his possession \$36.00 which was left over from the sale of his gun.

EZZELL claimed he pawned a .38 Colt "Cobra" in Los Angeles on the last trip at an unrecalled pawn shop and that he presently has no weapon.

EZZELL could not recall any other details concerning his first trip to Los Angeles, he said he was drinking heavy on these trips and could not remember anything much about them. He could not remember the names of motels where he stayed. He claimed he has no friends in Los Angeles and