

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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Date 6-25-68

WILLIAM MC CARTHY, Boston Herald, Boston, Massachusetts, advised that he covered the California primary election for his paper.

MC CARTHY stated he was not familiar with Senator KENNEDY's plans as to what room he intended to visit at the Ambassador Hotel in Los Angeles and therefore, was not aware of the reason why any change in plans occurred.

MC CARTHY stated he was at the Ambassador Hotel early on the evening of June 4, 1968, but sometime around 9:30 P.M. departed for Senator MC CARTHY campaign headquarters at another hotel. He stated he was not at the Ambassador Hotel when Senator KENNEDY was shot and he did not see SIRHAN B. SIRHAN in person at any time then or previously.

MC CARTHY stated that on that evening at the Ambassador Hotel, he did see an individual who somewhat resembled the photographs he has seen of SIRHAN. MC CARTHY stated he saw this man in the Colonial Room which was used by the working press. MC CARTHY could not pinpoint the time but estimated it was sometime around 9:00 P.M.

He stated this individual asked MC CARTHY for his press credentials which he had clipped onto his suit. MC CARTHY told the man he could not have them and the man wanted to know what MC CARTHY intended to do with them when the day was over. MC CARTHY stated he got rid of the young man with some answer and did not see him again.

MC CARTHY described this person as follows:

Race: White
Age: Early 20's
Height: 5'6"

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by SA JAMES E. HARVEY/jmp Date dictated 6-25-68

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| Weight: | 130 Pounds |
| Build: | Slight |
| Hair: | Dark, curly, short |
| Complexion: | Swarthy, Mediterranean type. |
| Speech: | Normal, not foreign. |
| Clothing: | Velour pullover, short sleeve shirt; other clothing not recalled. |

MC CARTHY stated this man bore a striking resemblance to the photograph he observed of SIRHAN but he did not believe they were identical.

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Date: 6-25-68

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)
FROM : SAC, BOSTON (44-646) (RUC)
SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re WFO teletype to Boston 6-18-68.

Enclosed herewith are nine copies each of two FD-302's reflecting interviews with ROBERT HEALY, Boston Globe, and WILLIAM MC CARTHY, Boston Herald, regarding instant matter.

It is noted both persons interviewed stated they were confronted by a young man in the Colonial Room at the Ambassador Hotel in Los Angeles, who wanted to be given their press credentials. They both stated this man bore a strong resemblance to SIRHAN, but HEALY, who observed SIRHAN at the time he was apprehended, stated the two men were not identical.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/24/68

FROM : SA JOHN K. ANDERSON

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Reference Phoenix teletypes to Bureau 6/13/68 and 6/15/68; Oklahoma City teletype to Bureau, 6/13/68; Detroit teletypes to Bureau, 6/13/68 and 6/15/68; Dallas teletypes to Bureau, 6/13/68 and 6/14/68; Los Angeles teletypes to Bureau, 6/14/68 and 6/18/68, all pertaining to HAGOP H. DJEREDJIAN, aka Jack Djeredjian.

For background information regarding DJEREDJIAN, Mrs. MARGE RODAK, mother-in-law of DJEREDJIAN, advised Agents of the Phoenix office that following the assassination of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY, she, along with her daughter, SHERIE, and HAGOP H. DJEREDJIAN, her son-in-law, were viewing television when a photograph of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN was shown. Mrs. RODAK stated that DJEREDJIAN remarked, upon seeing SIRHAN's photo, "I know that man." She said also that DJEREDJIAN had previously stated to her a couple of days before that Senator KENNEDY was going to be shot, and Vice President HUMPHREY might possibly be shot, and also TED KENNEDY if he runs for office.

Referenced Oklahoma City teletype reports information concerning an interview of DJEREDJIAN in this regard and sets out certain leads for the Los Angeles office.

There follows results of interviews conducted by Los Angeles in this regard.

HIBBARD LAMKIN, Special Agent in Charge, United States Department of State, Office of Security, Los Angeles was interviewed on 6/14/68 by SA JOHN K. ANDERSON at his office in the Federal Building, 300 North Los Angeles Street, and advised as follows:

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LAMKIN advised that HAGOP N. DJEREDJIAN, commonly known as JACK DJEREDJIAN, last visited with Mr. LAMKIN during the afternoon of Monday, May 27, 1968. The purpose of this visit was that DJEREDJIAN wanted LAMKIN to assist him in DJEREDJIAN's dealings with Immigration and Naturalization Service, which agency was attempting to deport DJEREDJIAN. DJEREDJIAN wanted LAMKIN to write a letter attesting to his character. LAMKIN refused to furnish any assistance to DJEREDJIAN because he considers him an unsavory individual. During the occasion of this visit, DJEREDJIAN remarked that he had a one-way ticket to return to Beirut, Lebanon, his home state. He remarked that his wife, SHERIE, was also fed up with the United States and her husband's dealings with Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS); and, therefore, she would accompany him to Beirut and would renounce her United States citizenship. There was no political discussion at all on this occasion nor was there any mention made of former Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY.

LAMKIN stated DJEREDJIAN first came to the attention of the State Department in Beirut, Lebanon, in 1959. DJEREDJIAN served as an informant furnishing information regarding fraudulent visas. DJEREDJIAN subsequently came to the United States in September, 1959, and attended Pasadena City College, Pasadena, California. Since coming to the United States, DJEREDJIAN has visited LAMKIN at his office on many occasions. DJEREDJIAN has lived in various parts of the United States and on several occasions has contacted Mr. LAMKIN telephonically and also written him letters. During most of these contacts, DJEREDJIAN furnished what he considered to be information regarding fraudulent visas. LAMKIN stated, however, that none of this information has ever been found to be truthful.

LAMKIN advised that DJEREDJIAN cannot be believed, and he is constantly telling you lies. He will tell you anything if he thinks you will believe it. LAMKIN considers

DJEREDJIAN to be an unweary individual and a great con artist. He is a glory seeker and welcomes being interviewed by Government agencies for his personal gratification. DJEREDJIAN should be considered extremely unreliable.

LAMKIN was last contacted by DJEREDJIAN telephonically on June 12, 1968. DJEREDJIAN stated he was calling from Wilburton, Oklahoma, where he attends Eastern Oklahoma State College. On this occasion, DJEREDJIAN remarked that the FBI had interviewed his wife, SIERIE, and DJEREDJIAN assumed that the FBI would seek to interview him regarding SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN. DJEREDJIAN told LAMKIN that he thought he had furnished information to LAMKIN regarding SIRHAN, and DJEREDJIAN believes this would have been at the time DJEREDJIAN attended Pasadena City College. LAMKIN stated that he had made a ~~comparatively~~ thorough review of his file and could not substantiate this information. LAMKIN believed that DJEREDJIAN was merely seeking more glory and was being untruthful regarding this statement.

LAMKIN stated he is not aware of any visit DJEREDJIAN might have made to Los Angeles on June 3 and 4, 1968.

LAMKIN described DJEREDJIAN as follows:

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| Birth Data | December 12, 1935 |
| | Beirut, Lebanon |
| Height | 5'7" |
| Weight | 180 pounds |
| Hair | Black curly |
| Eyes | Brown |
| Build | Heavy - he is now grossly overweight |

Mrs. GULENIA AVAKIAN, 13158 Chandler Boulevard,
Van Nuys, was telephonically contacted at her residence. *By SA JOHN K. ANDERSON*
Mrs. AVAKIAN advised that she has known HAGOP DJEREDJIAN since sometime in the early 1960s. DJEREDJIAN used to call her "auntie," although he is not a blood relative.

Mrs. AVAKIAN has not seen DJEREDJIAN in about four years. The last time she saw DJEREDJIAN, he told her he was attending Pasadena City College and was short of money. Mrs. AVAKIAN loaned DJEREDJIAN a few dollars and has not seen him since. She does not know where he has been since that time nor has she heard anything about him since that time. Mrs. AVAKIAN stated she is commonly known as ROSE AVAKIAN.

Mr. ~~HAROLD SCHNEIDER~~, Assistant Manager, Los Angeles Auto Auction, 8001 East Garvey, South San Gabriel, California, was telephonically contacted at his place of business by SA JOHN K. ANDERSON on 6/14/68. Mr. SCHNEIDER advised his records revealed that one HAGOP DJEREDJIAN delivered a 1967 Cadillac El Dorado to the Los Angeles Auto Auction on May 27, 1968. Mr. SCHNEIDER could not state the exact time of the day the automobile was delivered. A check in the amount of \$111.28, payable to HAGOP DJEREDJIAN, was issued to him in payment for his delivery of the automobile.

Mr. SCHNEIDER stated he has no further identifying data concerning HAGOP DJEREDJIAN, since it is not company policy to obtain further information in cases of this sort. He stated that when Mr. DJEREDJIAN delivered the car, he would have had an identification card authorizing him to make such a delivery. This card is not maintained by his company, and therefore they have no further identifying information regarding DJEREDJIAN.

Investigation conducted in this matter regarding DJEREDJIAN to determine any possible association between DJEREDJIAN and SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN at Pasadena City College (PCC) was also negative and is being separately reported.

Los Angeles teletypes of 6/14/68 and 6/18/68 report results of investigation to the Bureau. Los Angeles teletype of 6/18/68 also points out that investigation by all offices involved regarding DJEREDJIAN has failed to establish any known association between DJEREDJIAN and SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN. Investigation also ~~being~~ determined that DJEREDJIAN is a con. artist, a glory seeker, and a liar, and is not to be trusted. It was recommended that all offices discontinue any outstanding investigation UACB.

No further action remains in the matter of DJEREDJIAN unless the Bureau directs otherwise.

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SA LESLIE F. WARREN

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Remarks:

D.C.L., COUNSELLOR AT LAW

LEGAL REPRESENTATION INTERNAL LAW COUNSELORS
7033 SUNSET BLVD. HOLLYWOOD CALIF, 90028.

OFFER to REPRESENT BROTHER OF "SHARIN BESHTARA SHARIN"
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Address all replies.
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7017 SUNSET BOULEVARD
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June 18, 1968

President
Court of the Cassation
Baghdad, Iraq

Your Excellency:

The world, as well as my own nation was shocked by the tragic assassination of Senator Robert F. Kennedy. The alleged assassin Sharin Samhara Sharin is awaiting trial in the County of Los Angeles, California, United States of America.

Under our rules of justice, Mr. Sharin will receive, without cost to him, the best of legal counsel to insure complete due process and protection of his rights prior to, during the trial and, if need be, after the trial; that is, if the matter should go on to a court of higher appeal. I realize you are familiar with our legal system that the rights of the individual are entitled to the highest consideration at all times.

I recently learned that the brother of Mr. Sharin was arrested in Baghdad on the alleged charge of being a spy for a government which you regard as an enemy to Iraq, that is Israel. As one who has practiced International Law for more than 20 years, having appeared world wide as defense counsel, barrister and advocate. In due respect to the rights of Mr. Sharin whom I understand is being held for trial in Baghdad, I freely volunteer my services to defend him against this alleged charge of treason.

I am familiar with Ottoman law from which your law derives, as well as the Civil Code and Islamic law.

Mercy is the main spring of our Maker, whether it be Allah, Jesus Christ, or Jehovah. Awaiting your reply, I remain

Respectfully,

Jess Nathan
Jess Nathan, DCL, Counsellor at Law

President of the BMA Assoc. of IRAQ.

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| To MR BERNARD P BLAIS | Buded |
| Return to SA EUGENE B. MCCARTHY | File number 86-156 |

Name and aliases of subject, applicant, or employee, and spouse

JOHN HENRY FANEY

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| Addresses | 1030 NORTH HARBER AVE, APT 4, CA. |
| Residence | |
| Business | CAL TEX INDUSTRIES 1833 N. EASTERN AVE. LOS ANGELES |
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BERNARD P. BLAIS

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/28/68

FROM : SA J. C. WILLIAMS

SUBJECT: KENSALT

At approximately 9:30 PM on 6/28/68, DELORES SHORTRIDGE, 10404 8th Place, Inglewood, Calif., telephone 757-3296, telephonically contacted the Los Angeles Office to advise that her husband, JAMES SHORTRIDGE, had recognized a photograph of SIRHAN B. SIRHAN in this evening's newspaper as identical with an individual whom he had seen on several occasions at his gas station during the two months prior to the KENNEDY assassination. SHORTRIDGE stated her husband owns and operates a Shell Service Station at 2600 West 6th St., Los Angeles, Calif., telephone DU7-1971, and that upon viewing SIRHAN's photograph in tonight's, he had recalled having seen him driving a 1956 DeSoto and buying gas from his station during the two months prior to the assassination. She said her husband also recalls having seen two or three other "foreign" looking men in the car with SIRHAN on each occasion. PAPER

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Will interview JAMES SHORTRIDGE re his knowledge of SIRHAN.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, Los Angeles (56-156)

DATE: June 28, 1968

FROM : SA John R. Kellison

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On 6/26/68, negatives of three photos taken outside Robbie's Restaurant, 5/20/68, of Senator Robert Kennedy and the crowd, were ~~obtained~~ obtained from F. MAAS 390 Pomona Mall East. (See serial 930)

It was ascertained that Sgts. Sandlin and Strong of LAPD had been in contact with Mrs. ~~W~~Maas and requested that copies of photos be sent them.

These negatives were printed at the LA Office on 6/28/68.

Attached are two sets of three photos. One set of these should be furnished Sgt Sandlin, LAPD. The second set should be filed in LA Office.

The negatives are being returned to Mrs. Maas.

On 6/26/68, a photograph of PETE SMITH formerly of Senator Kennedy's Campaign Headquarters was shown to Mr. LEBEAU, night manager at Robbie's Restaurant. He advised that this person is not identical with the person observed by him on the stairs of the restaurant on 5/20/68, the day of the Kennedy Reception at the Restaurant.

Examination of the above mentioned photos was negative as to identifying anyone in the crowd resembling Sirhan Sirhan.

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TO: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (44-1640)

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re Los Angeles teletype to New York dated 6/25/68 requesting NYO to interview JOHN DAY.

Enclosed are 30 copies of a FD 302 containing the results of an interview with JOHN ISAAC DAY on 6/26/68.

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1- New York

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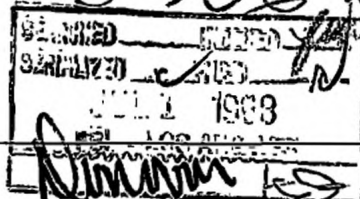
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TO: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)
FROM: SAC, PHILADELPHIA (62-4929)
SUBJECT: KENSALT

Enclosed for Los Angeles are the masters of
FD-302s containing the results of interview with WILLIAM
DEIMER, MATT DOUGLAS, and WALTER DOMBROW. *Return original
to Philadelphia.*

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1 Philadelphia (62-4929)

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Special Agent in Charge

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date June 19, 1968

MYLENE KAYE was interviewed at her residence, apartment 204, Vacation Village Hotel. She stated that she is a featured dancer in the Barefoot Bar at Vacation Village. She stated that MYLENE KAYE is her professional name and that her legal name is ELIEN NORMA MURPHY.

She said the first member of the SIRHAN family she had met was ADEL SIRHAN, brother of SIRHAN SIRHAN. She met ADEL in April, 1966, when she started dancing at the Fez Nightclub in Los Angeles. ADEL played the oud in the orchestra at that nightclub. ADEL had worked at the Fez since about 1960 or 1961. She said that ADEL's brother, SHARIEF SIRHAN, occasionally came to the club, but his brothers SIRHAN, MUNIR, and SAIDAH never came to the club to her knowledge.

MYLENE started to go out with ADEL and around December, 1966, he took her home to meet his family. MUNIR, SIRHAN, and ADEL all live with their mother on Howard Street in Pasadena. This was the first time she met SIRHAN. She did not think much of SIRHAN and on this first occasion he met her she bluntly asked him why he didn't get a job. He said something to the effect that he was busy reading a lot. She realized that she had offended him by her bluntness and she never did get along with him from that day. She considered SIRHAN to be an "odd-ball." He seemed sassy to her. MYLENE said that she regretted having made this remark to SIRHAN and believes that she had resented the fact that all the family seemed to rely on handouts from their mother and all leaned on their mother quite a bit. SIRHAN at the time had seemed like "such a bum" to her.

Subsequently MYLENE frequently called the SIRHAN home to speak to ADEL. Since all three of the boys at the house speak alike she often would not know which one had answered the telephone except that if it was SIRHAN who answered she would know because he was always impertinent in his speech to her.

MYLENE said that she got the impression that ADEL's family did not think much of her because she was a dancer. As a result, she visited the family home only about a total

On 6/14/68 at San Diego, California

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SD 44-394by SA ROBERT E. THORNTON/ojf

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of four times and never got to know the family, other than ADEL, well. The last time she was at the SIRHAN home was Christmas, 1967. SIRHAN was not at home when she arrived, and when he did get home he would not even come into the room where she was.

She said that ADEL told her that SIRHAN had had a bad fall from a horse and that he had been lucky to have lived through it. It is her understanding that after the accident one of his eyes did not seem to focus.

MYLENE said that she and ADEL both quit their jobs at The Fex in June, 1967, thinking that they would get married. She wanted ADEL to get a job other than in the orchestra at the Fex, a job where he would settle down. She went to England for a couple of months during this period and when she returned to Los Angeles she got a job dancing at the Cascades in Anaheim. She and ADEL quarreled off and on and finally broke up about two months ago at which time she came to San Diego to take her present job at the Vacation Village.

MYLENE said that her mother lives in Los Angeles and she goes to Los Angeles every Monday, on her day off, to visit her mother. She frequently looked up ADEL for a date on these Mondays. Her last date with ADEL was on the Monday before the shooting of Senator KENNEDY and on that day they had their "final final" breakup.

Of the brothers, MUNIR seemed to be closest to SIRHAN. ADEL did not seem to know what SIRHAN was doing and he did not speak much about SIRHAN although he stuck up for SIRHAN when MYLENE criticized SIRHAN's rudeness. ADEL was an easygoing person and showed no interest in politics. Even on June 5, 1967, at the time of the Arab-Israeli War, ADEL did not seem greatly disturbed although his mother was greatly upset.

MYLENE said that she does not know who SIRHAN's close friends were nor does she know whether or not he had any girl friends. She does not know whether any of the family had travelled to the Middle East and she never heard any of them talk about wanting to go there. She never knew of any member of the family having gone. She believes that none of the brothers are married.

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She has not seen any member of the family since the shooting of Senator KENNEDY.

MYLENE said that about three weeks ago she went to Dr. VANCE E. KONDON on Garnet Avenue in San Diego for an examination at which time she used the name, Mrs. HANK SIRHAN. She said she does not know why she used this name at the time of this visit.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : SA EMMETT B. DOHERTY

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Lieutenant JOHN KAUZOR, Day Watch, Rampart Division, Los Angeles Police Department (LAPD), advised on 6/5/68, that information had been received earlier today that a SANDRA SERRANO SOLEDAD, 2212 North Marengo, Altadena, residence telephone 794-6514, business telephone 627-9134, who was at the Biltmore Hotel on the night of 6/4-5/68, and furnished information regarding a female who was talking to the suspect, SIRHAN, shortly prior to the shooting. This female was a Caucasian, 23-27 years, 5'6", black hair, dressed in black polka dot dress who ran from the hotel after the shooting saying something to the effect "We finally got him". This female had been with another male in addition to the suspect, SIRHAN, prior to the shooting according to SOLEDAD.

Lieutenant KAUZOR advised that this afternoon at the SIRHAN family home in Pasadena, two females visited about 3:00 P.M. and were interviewed by officers there. They claimed to have known the suspect and his family for seven years, that they were dancers at the Bez and other dance places and that the suspect's brother played an instrument at one of these places. The girls identified as BEVERLY LEE MONROE, 6376 Yucca (Halfax Hotel) and BARBARA KHOERY, 5667 Fountain. The interviewing officers advised that KHOERY was visibly shaken upon being interviewed this afternoon. Lieutenant KAUZOR is now attempting to have officers of the Rampart Division locate and interview these two girls. Investigation at 5667 Fountain by the Rampart Division reflects that a brother-in-law of BARBARA KHOERY named NABILL KHOERY resides at the same address and that he states that BARBARA KHOERY and BEVERLY MONROE left last night reportedly to go to a show and planned to return around 12:30 to 1:00 A.M. and did return sometime in that vicinity and that BARBARA KHOERY left this morning and has not returned.

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The Rampart Division has requested that photographs of suspect's brother who is named ~~SAIDALLAH BISHARA SIRHAN~~ from the Department of Drivers License, Sacramento, California, SIRHAN resides at 1647 North Lake Avenue, Pasadena, and according to his California drivers license K62508; he was born in Palistine on 7/14/32, 5'10", 135 pounds, black hair, brown eyes.

They are also attempting to obtain from the same source photographs of BARBARA KHOERY, white female, age 28, 5'3", 108 pounds, drivers license H494879, and BEVERLY LEE MONROE, white female, age 22, 5'3", 103 pounds, drivers license M840115.

Lieutenant KAUZOR advised that he has units staking out the addresses at 5667 Fountain Avenue, Los Angeles, and at 6376 Yucca.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/6/68

FROM : SA ROBERT H. CLAUDIUS

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On June 5, 1968 in company with detectives of the Los Angeles Police Department and a Secret Service Agent, the writer listened to the interrogation of BARBARA ANTOINETTE KHOURY by Detective Sergeant WILLIAM JORDAN in interrogation room B, Rampart Station, LAPD.

KHOURY advised that she resided at 5667 Fountain Avenue, Apartment 8, Los Angeles, California, telephone HO 5-0648.

KHOURY advised that she does not know SIRHAN SIRHAN very well at all. She said she had not seen SHARIE SIRHAN for a long time until the afternoon of June 5th. She said she has seen ADEL SIRHAN recently. She said she saw ADEL two days ago.

She said that her mother called her on the morning of the 5th of June to advised her that SIRHAN was involved in the shooting of Kennedy. She said that she felt she wanted to go to the SIRHAN home in Pasadena out of compassion for them and to see if she could help in any way.

She advised that she had not conversed with SIRHAN SIRHAN for at least five (5) years. She said she had never talked to him or saw him during that time.

KHOURY stated that about 6 P.M. on 6/4/68 she was at home in her apartment with her brother-in-law, NABIL KHOURY and her small son. She said that BEVERLEY MONROE came to her apartment about 8:00 to 8:15 P.M. and they left shortly thereafter to go to the International Pancake House on Sunset Boulevard. She said the service was very poor at the Pancake House and that they didn't leave till shortly after 10:00 P.M. to drive around Hollywood looking for a movie to attend. She said they decided upon the Pantages Theatre and went into the theatre about 10:30 P.M. to see the movie "Boom"

Sgt. JORDAN asked KHOURY if she had been at the Ambassador Hotel on the evening of June 5, 1968. She stated "I swear on my son's life and may I drop dead that I have never been to the Ambassador Hotel".

KHOURY stated she could not conceive of SIRHAN SIRHAN doing such a bad thing as he has done. She stated she has never gone to any kind of a meeting where Arabs met to talk because she always kept busy with her dancing engagements.

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KHOURY stated that ADEL SIRHAN and BEVERLEY MONROE have known each other for several years because they have worked together as musician and dancer.

KHOURY stated that she herself likes Kennedy and wouldn't want anything to happen to him. She said she doesn't know anyone who would want to kill Kennedy.

Following the interview of BARBARA KHOURY, Sergeant WILLIAM JORDAN then singly interviewed BEVERLEY LEE MONROE, who resides at 6376 Yucca, Apartment 101, Hollywood.

Prior to the interrogation of each individual, their rights were explained to them and they waived those rights. They also waived the right to have an attorney present at the interrogation.

BEVERLEY MONROE stated that after viewing the photograph of SIRHAN SIRHAN explained that she has never known him. She said she only knows ADEL SIRHAN in the SIRHAN family. She said she had known ADEL for about two years as she is a dancer and he is a musician.

MONROE stated that she was home at 6:00 P.M. on 6/4/68 and left about 7:30 P.M. to go to ANTOINETTE's apartment with her own young son. She said she arrived around 8:00 P.M. and that she and ANTOINETTE stayed at the apartment until about 9:00 P.M. She said she drove to ANTOINETTE's apartment in the VW Bus and that they then drove to the International Pancake House near Sunset Blvd and La Brea. She said that the service was very poor at the Pancake House and that they left there after 10:00 P.M. She said they decided on the Pantages Theatre and saw the movie "Boom". She said they arrived at precisely 10:30 P.M. because the movie was just starting.

MONROE stated that after the movie she and ANTOINETTE drove back to ANTOINETTE's apartment. She said they were met at the door by NABIL KHOURY in his pajamas. He said to them "did you know Kennedy has been shot." She said they proceeded to watch television for a good deal of the remainder of the night. She said that she and her son remained at ANTOINETTE's apartment the rest of the night.

She said that they had discovered over television that they knew the SIRHAN Family were involved in the shooting of Kennedy. She said that she had never at any time heard anyone say anything about assassination by the family. She said she has known Arab men who sit around the house and get very emotional in their discussions but she has never known any of them to become violent.

On June 6, 1968 at about 12:35 A.M. Sergeant WILLIAM JORDAN interviewed NABIL KHOURY in interrogation room B at the Rampart Police station. When read his rights, he answered in the affirmative concerning understanding his rights. He waived his rights and also waived the right to have an attorney present.

KHOURY advised that he resides at 5667 Fountain Avenue, Apartment 8, Los Angeles. He advised that he is a pre-medical student at the Los Angeles City College.

KHOURY stated that about 8:00 to 8:30 P.M. on 6/5/68 BEVERLEY MONROE and ANTOINETTE KHOURY left the apartment to go to eat and then go to a movie. He said that he and his brother left the apartment about 8:30 P.M. to get something to eat and when they returned at 9:00 P.M. both women had already gone out. He stated that about 12:30 P.M. to 1:00 P.M. the two women returned to the apartment from the movie. He said that when they got to the apartment door he asked them if they knew that Kennedy has been shot.

KHOURY said that from 8:30 A.M. to 12:00 noon on 6/5/68 he was attending classes at Los Angeles City College. He said that at about 5:00 P.M. on 6/5/68 ANTOINETTE called him and told him that BEVERLEY was coming over to get some clothes. KHOURY stated that when BEVERLEY came over to the apartment, she mentioned that ANTOINETTE had been questioned by the police and the FBI at the SIRHAN house in Pasadena. He said that ANTOINETTE had driven over to the SIRHAN house in his 1963 Ford Galaxie.

Sergeant JORDAN stated that following a lengthy discussion with several other detectives and based upon a lack of evidence and witnesses, the trio interrogated were released. He stated that they were, however, transported to the Parker Center, LAPD, in order that they could all be photographed and fingerprinted. Following this action, the three persons were all driven home by the LAPD.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SA AMADEE O. RICHARDS, JR.

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/6/68

On 6/5/68, ADEL BISHARA SIRHAN, brother of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN was interviewed and advised that he is currently employed two days a week as a musician at the Shaker's Oasis Restaurant at 6756 Hollywood Boulevard. Prior to this time ADEL SIRHAN advised he had been employed as a musician at the Fez, at 1508 North Vermont.

Mr. GENE HAYBER, telephone HO 2-4180, advised the Los Angeles Police Department suspect's brother ADEL has a girl friend, MYLENE MURPHY, a belly dancer, address unknown, who hangs out at "the 7th Veil" and the Fez on North Vermont in Los Angeles.

HAYBER advised that one ISSA MOHAMMED, employed at a liquor store, 5501 South Broadway, a male caucasian, 40 years of age, 5'10" tall, 165 pounds, who occasionally carries a gun, is also a boy friend of MYLENE MURPHY.

LEADS

(1) Will check employment of ADEL SIRHAN, the Shaker's Oasis and Fez Restaurants, interview ADEL's employers to verify this employment and to determine any information from his employers or fellow workers concerning any political affiliations on his part or on the part of his brother SIRHAN that could provide the motivation for this incident.

(2) Will attempt to locate MYLENE MURPHY and interview as stated in above lead.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/6/68

FROM : SA FREDRICK E. BECKER

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re memo of SA AMADEE O. RICHARDS, JR., dated 6/6/68.

During the night of 6/6/68 contact was made with the bartender of the Shaker's Oasis Club, 6756 Hollywood Blvd., Los Angeles, in an effort to verify the part time employment of ADEL BISHARA SIRHAN, brother of SIRHAN SIRHAN. The bartender advised that he was brand new on the job and that the only person who could be of assistance would be HARRY SHAKER, the owner. He further advised that SHAKER resides somewhere in West Los Angeles and he owns the Retake Club in Culver City as well as the Oasis Club. The bartender stated that SHAKER could be contacted from 4:00pm to 7:00pm each day at the Oasis Club.

On the night of 6/6/68 a physical check of the Fez Restaurant, 1508 N. Vermont, Los Angeles, revealed that the restaurant has been closed since 6/4/68 due to some type of serious water damage and it will not be open until 6/8/68 at the very earliest. In view of the above, it was impossible to locate MYLENE MURPHY, reported friend of ADEL SIRHAN, through her reported connection as a "belly dancer" at the Fez.

During the night of 6/6/68, contact was made with ISSA MOHAMMED, 511 So. Van Ness, Los Angeles, phone 380-9840, owner of ISSA's Liquor Store, 5501 S. Broadway, Los Angeles. MOHAMMED stated that he has met MYLENE (LNU) at the Fez Restaurant and he thought she was either married to or living with ADEL SIRHAN. He stated that he does not know SIRHAN SIRHAN. He advised that ADEL SIRHAN was employed at the Fez Restaurant as a musician for two or three years and that about six months ago he started playing for the Oasis Club on Friday and Saturday nights. MOHAMMED stated he thought MYLENE and ADEL were still living together somewhere and that both of them were working as musician and belly dancer in some club in Anaheim or Downey. He stated he has not seen either of them in six months and added that the owner of the Fez Club would probably know where MYLENE was employed.

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It is recommended that during the daylight hours and after 6/8/68 efforts be made to contact the owner of the Fez Club in an effort to determine the whereabouts of MYLENE MURPHY in order that she may be interviewed in regards to any knowledge she may have pertaining to SIRHAN SIRHAN. In the event this contact at the Fez is unproductive it is recommended that ADEL SIRHAN be recontacted regarding MYLENE MURPHYs whereabouts.

It is further recommended that contact be made with HARRY SHAKER at the Oasis Club between the hours of 4:00pm and 7:00p, in an effort to verify ADEL's part time employment at the Oasis and any information he may have pertaining to SIRHAN SIRHAN.

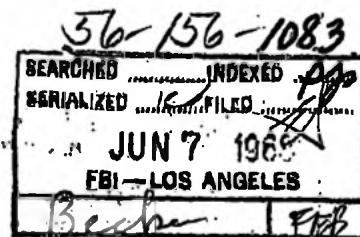
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| Subject's name and aliases SIRHAN SIRHAN | | | Address of subject | | Character of case KENSALT |
| Complainant AUGUST GEORGE FERRERA | | | Complainant's address and telephone number 1738 Chandeleur Dr. San Pedro, Calif. 833-1926 | | Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 6-6-68 Time 1/30 pm |
| Subject's Description | Race | Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female | Height | Hair | Build |
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Facts of complaint

C. stated he and his wife had gone to the night club: ~~FEZ~~
1508 N. Vermont Blvd. LA, telephone: 666-2722, some time ago. C.
stated they had gone there to see the belly dancers but as things turned
out ~~there~~ most of the evening was devoted to singing Arab nationalistic
songs and dancing. C. stated the Arabs there were singing songs about
how this country should be punished and how the president, "LBJ" should
be punished. C. stated after he had seen the picture of the suspect
on TV, even before it was released that he was an Arab, he knew he was
an Arab and that he had seen the suspect at the FEZ the same night as the
above. C. stated it is his impression that the FEZ is sort of a hang-out
for Arab radicals where they openly show there displeaser for the US Govt.
C. seemed very rational to the writer, but quite concerned
about the KENNRDY shooting.



Action Recommended

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Larry E. Mullins

(Agent)

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156) /

DATE: 6/10/68

FROM : SA FRANK M. HAWKINS

SUBJECT: KENSALT

The following investigation was conducted on instant date by the writer and SA FREDRICK E. BECKER.

LOUIS SHELBY, owner of the nightclub "The Fez", 1508 N. Vermont, Los Angeles, advised on 6/10/68 that his nightclub has been closed for the past five days, primarily due to water damage. He stated that since the death of Senator KENNEDY he has been "plagued" by the newspapers and police with respect to so called "Arabic elements and musicians that frequent the 'Fez' perhaps since he features belly dancers". He stated that this afternoon, 6/10/68, he had a previous engagement therefore he preferred to be interviewed in the afternoon of 6/11/68. He suggested that he be telephonically contacted at the Fez Club so he would be available for interview. He indicated he recalled a musician ADEL SIRHAN that was employed for a time at the Fez.

An inquiry as to telephone number 714-274-4630 determined that MYLEEN KAYE, aka EILEEN NORMA MURPHY, is a resident of room 204, Vacation Village Apartments, San Diego, and she is employed as an exotic dancer at the Barefoot Bar, Vacation Village. She also utilizes an address at 342 Columbia Avenue, Apartment 202, Los Angeles, however since she is employed steadily in San Diego she visits Los Angeles on infrequent occasions. Attached is a copy of an interview of KAYE conducted by the Los Angeles Police Department in San Diego.

LEADS

Contact LOUIS SHELBY, The Fez, 1508 N. Vermont, Los Angeles, phone 666-2722, and obtain available information concerning ADEL SIRHAN, his associates, possible association with the W.E.B. DuBois Club which held meetings in a building adjacent to the Fez Club and determine ADEL's exact dates of employment. Will also determine if he knows SIRHAN SIRHAN. *Relates of employment*

Frank M. Hawkins
Will, if not already done, have San Diego interview MYLEEN KAYE for all knowledge she may possess re ADEL SIRHAN and SIRHAN SIRHAN and their close associates and activities in the Los Angeles area.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, Los Angeles (56-156)

DATE: 6-13-68

FROM : SA Albert N. Carlblom

SUBJECT: KENSALT

On this date Detective Kenneth Lloyd Hilaiel, Santa Monica, California Police Department advised that while contacting Mr. Smith, manager of the Miramar Hotel, Ocean Avenue and Wilshire Boulevard, Santa Monica, the latter advised, with apparent reference to the Kennedy assassination, that his relief clerk for three years, named Peter Cardova (ph.) hadnot been seen since last Monday. Smith indicated that Cardova might have gone to Seattle, Washington.

LEAD:

At Santa Monica:

Will contact Mr. Smith, Miramar Hotel, to identify Peter Cardova and ascertain if he has any connection with this case.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/15/68

FROM : SA IRVIN B. WELLS, III

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Mrs. VESTA MORELLO, 12731 Hunnewell Avenue, San Fernando, California, telephone number 361-2845, telephonically advised this date that she is a kitchen employee at the Ambassador Hotel and noted that she was working at the Hotel on the night of 6/4/68, when Senator KENNEDY was shot. She pointed out that she has all ready been interviewed by Bureau Agents and noted that her photograph appears in the June 14, 1968, issue of "Life" Magazine on pages 32 and 33. She advised that she was calling this date to furnish additional information as follows:

At 11:30 a.m., this date the owners of a delicatessen-liquor store located on Foothill Boulevard, at the Southwest corner of Foothill and Mc Clay Streets, advised her that SAN FERNANDO, CALIF several days prior to the assassination, an individual whom they now believe to be SIRHAN SIRHAN, was in the store.

MORELLO was told that this individual has several questions such as what would happen if he were to hold up a store, murder somebody, or if he were to be arrested.

MORELLO explained that she does not know the name of the store or the name of the owners but noted that the store is open from 6:00 a.m., until 10:00 p.m., daily. She advised that the owners of the store, a married couple, are at the store from 6:00 a.m., until 10:00 p.m., daily.

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AT SAN FERNANDO, CALIFORNIA: Will interview owners of above mentioned store to determine if SIRHAN SIRHAN was individual who entered store and asked questions as set forth above.

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TO :SAC, Los Angeles

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DATE: 6-17-68

FROM :SA Albert N. Carlblom

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Attention is called to Bureau teletype to Los Angeles dated 6-12-68 instructing that certain persons including Veronica Deems should be interviewed.

As of this date Deems has not been located. The following investigation was conducted on 6-13-67 in order to locate her for interview:

Detective Kenneth L. Hilaiel, Santa Monica Police Department advised that Deems had phoned him and in his absence left her telephone number as 823-5333, Room 214. A call to that number determined that this is the number for a motel called Jamaica Bay Inn, 4175 Admiralty Way, Marina Del Rey.

Rita Trost, desk clerk, Jamaica Bay Inn advised that she was unacquainted with Veronica Deems and that there was no answer in Room 214 on the phone. She advised that Room 214 has been registered to one Robert Kandle since 6-9-68. The writer knocked on Room 214 but there was no response. The writer left a message for Deems in the mail box for Room 214 but there has been no response from her as a result of doing so. Rita Trost said that she did not recall any name, Veronica Deems, or name similar, in the past couple weeks.

Aida Picasso, Boutique Shop, Hotel Miramar, Ocean Ave. and Wilshire Blvd., Santa Monica, Calif. advised that Deems had worked for her the preceding Friday but had not returned to work since; that she would like to contact Deems herself as Deems had a key to the shop. She advised that Deems had given her as a telephone number, 395-5728, and also the number 823-3865. Picasso said that the latter number was that of the restaurant named Sea Wolf and Deems worked there as a cocktail waitress or in some other capacity. Picasso said that Deems had not been discharged by her but had simply failed to show up since Friday. Since that Friday, Deems had phoned and said that she was sick. Picasso advised that Deems had said something about a person who had bought panty hose and had paid for them at the door to her room.

There was no answer at telephone 395-5728.

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~~Mrs. Blaine Gailing~~ advised that she is owner of the restaurant named ~~Sea Wolf~~, 13955 Tahiti Way, Marina Del Rey, Calif., tel. 823-3865, but does business under the name ~~Ethel A. MacLeod~~. She advised that she knew Veronica Deems aka ~~Roxi~~, who works on week-ends as a cocktail waitress. Mrs. Gailing said that Deems has not been released to her knowledge but indicated some surprise when Deems' time card was not in the expected location. She advised that Veronica Deems has Social Security No. [REDACTED] and as of 3-14-68 her address was 852B 10th St., Santa Monica, Calif. Mrs. Gailing further advised that Deems works daily in a dress shop in the Marina Del Rey Hotel. She indicated that Deems could be located there.

At the Marina Del Rey Hotel it was ascertained there was no dress shop. There were two dress shops located in the vicinity in a shopping center but inquiries at both places were negative in so far as locating Deems was concerned. Deems was unknown to the persons contacted, they said.

~~Mrs. Vi Barone~~, 854 10th St., Santa Monica, tel. 393-5073, advised that she has a tenant in the rear at 852B 10th Street, named Veronica Deems who moved in about October, 1967. For a time a man, supposedly Deems' husband lived in that apartment, his name being ~~Tony Anthony~~. Later another male, name unknown, lived in the apartment. For a time Deems' mother also lived in the apartment. Mrs. Barone advised that on June 11 or 12, 1968, she found a note at her door, apparently from Deems, advising that the writer's mother had had a heart attack and the writer had to leave suddenly. ^{at the time} The writer said that when she arrived, she would call the Baroni family. ^{the writer} The writer said she had to leave to see her mother. She advised that she had Domingo and told the Baroni family to water the plants. Mrs. Baroni advised that Deems has a dog named Domingo. Mrs. Baroni advised that both Deems and her mother speak Spanish and that she understood that the mother lived in Mexico City, Mexico. Mrs. Baroni advised that her husband had been in the Deems' apartment since Deems left but all her things ^{are} apparently in the apartment. Mrs. Baroni advised that she would immediately advise the writer if she learned of Deems' whereabouts or return. She mentioned that the LAPD had been to her home on 6-12-68 asking about Deems. Mrs. Baroni looked outdoors and observed that Deems' car, a white station wagon, was gone from its customary parking spot.

Continued contact will be made with Mrs. Baroni to locate Deems.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC LOS ANGELES (175-0)

DATE: 6/30/68

FROM : SA GEORGE F. BENZ

SUBJECT: UNSUB; Threat Against
President. JOHNSON,
Los Angeles, California,
6/28/68
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Re memo of SA J. CLARE WILLIAMS, 6/28/68 and
Los Angeles tel to Director 6/28/68.

On 6/30/68 at 1:55 A.M. SA BENZ received a phone
call from person identifying himself as ALEXEY TIKHONOFF who
provided the following information on himself:

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| Name | ALEXEY TIKHONOFF |
| DOB | 3/23/36 |
| POB | Raistch (Phonetic), Persia (Iran) |
| Ht. | 5' 9" |
| Wt | 180 |
| Hair | Brown |
| Eyes | Brown |
| Nationality | Russian |
| Citizenship | Iranian |
| INS No. | [REDACTED] |
| Vehicle | None |
| Occupation | Press Operator, Calif. Steel, East LA |
| Education | In Persia |
| Scar | One which is 1/2 inch long over right eye |
| Parents | IVAN and DOUCHA TIKHONOFF (both dead) |
| Stepsister | ROSA LNU, Persia (Iran) |
| Residence | 945 3/4 Bonnie Break, Los Angeles (Phone 268-7947) |

***** Note that this phone number is identical with number listed in
Los Angeles tel to Director
6/28/68. Address also ident.

Roommates at above residence.

- 1) VASCILEY BATAPOV, 5' 9", 150 baldheaded,
age 30-31, employed at Calif. Steel, East
LA.
- 2) ANDREI BRUSEW (Phonetic), heavy set, age
48-52, unemployed.

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TIKHONOFF advised that he had been contacted by either the FBI or the Secret Service on 6/29/68 regarding phone calls to the FBI and the Los Angeles Herald Examiner Newspaper wherein the caller threatened to kill President JOHNSON. TIKHONOFF advised that he provided the following information to FBI or Secret Service Agents.

TIKHONOFF stated that from 4P.M. until he arrived home (945 3/4 Bonnie Brae) by bus early in the morning (1:40 a.m.) 6/29/68 TIKHONOFF had spent his time on 6/28/68 in the company of ~~JANIE ANDERSON~~, 5509 Maywood Ave, Maywood.

With this information as background, TIKHONOFF advised that he had just returned at 1:40 A.M. to 945 3/4 Bonnie Brae after having spent the evening of 6/29/68 with JANIE ANDERSON and that in his judgment something was peculiar in that the lights were not on in the apartment, a ground floor window was open half-way, and the window screen was unhooked. TIKHONOFF advised that he feared that someone might be in his apartment waiting to attack him. SA BENZ provided TIKHONOFF with LAPD No 624-5211 and SA BENZ suggested that if TIKHONOFF feared for his safety that TIKHONOFF could obtain assistance from the LAPD by calling the above number.

TIKHONOFF concluded by insisting several times that prior to his call at 1:55 A.M. 6/30/68, that he had never called the FBI office in Los Angeles regarding a threat to President JOHNSON, that he had never called the Los Angeles Herald Examiner Newspaper regarding a threat to President JOHNSON and that he had no idea as to who had made these calls.

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Date: 6/20/68

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Via AIRTEL

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Via _____

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (62-5481)

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re Los Angeles teletype to San Francisco dated 6/15/68.

CHERYLE PIERCE, 1963 Oak Street, San Francisco, came to the San Francisco Office of the FBI on June 20, 1968 at which time she advised that she knew SIRHAN SIRHAN as a co-worker at Mr. Weiher Health Food Stores in Monterey Park, California, during the four or six week period of her employment during January to February, 1968.

Miss PIERCE said that she only worked on Sundays and that her knowledge and contact with SIRHAN was limited to that of a fellow employee. She stated that SIRHAN was a conscientious worker. He had no visits by personal friends. He never discussed political matters with her and did not engage in any philosophical discussion. She did not observe any sign of mental instability and thought that he was of Mexican ancestry.

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Special Agent in Charge

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HARRY PATZMAN, 2915 West Shorb, Alhambra, California, telephone 282-7637, advised he is employed at the Union 76 Service Station, Fremont and Valley Boulevard, Alhambra. He is a regular customer at the Golden Garter Bar, Alhambra, stopping there two or three times a month during the last six months. He also frequents the Interlude and Stardust Bars in Alhambra.

A group of photographs were shown to PATZMAN including photos of SIRHAN SIRHAN, ROBERT ANDRESE, EDWIN GERALD NESS, and JAMES LLOYD WILSON. PATZMAN did not recognize photos of WILSON or NESS. Regarding the photo of SIRHAN SIRHAN, PATZMAN identified him as appearing identical to a customer seen at the Golden Garter Bar three or four times during the last two months. PATZMAN recalled seeing him the first time about two months ago when PATZMAN went into the bar in the late afternoon. The bar was crowded and PATZMAN sat next to this individual at the bar. He said the man had pimples on his face, looked like a "wetback", and was sloppily dressed. PATZMAN attempted to engage the man in conversation but the man did not even answer him. PATZMAN saw him two or three other times but was never introduced to him. He said the man was always alone and was not observed to associate with anyone else. PATZMAN could furnish no further information concerning this man.

Regarding ROBERT ANDRESE, PATZMAN identified a photograph of this individual as a man known to him only as "BOB", a customer at the Golden Garter Bar in the last two months. PATZMAN believed he had also observed "BOB" at the Interlude and Continental Bars in Alhambra. He knew no background concerning "BOB" such as his residence, employment, or vehicle. The only person ever seen with "BOB" was a young man, 6'2", long and very light blond hair, with a scar under his left eye. PATZMAN saw this man with "BOB" on one occasion at the Golden Garter Bar over a month ago.

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Regarding JAMES LLOYD WILSON, PATZMAN was unable to identify him by name or photograph. PATZMAN recalled, however, meeting a man named "JIM" at the Golden Carter Bar, being introduced to him by the barmaid named "DOTTIE". PATZMAN believed "JIM" was "DOTTIE's" boy friend, and described him as a male, white, 20's, 6', 200 pounds, light brown hair, goatee, and wearing lace-up type of field boots. He saw "JIM" on only the one occasion and probably would not recognize him if seen again. He did not know "JIM" to associate with "BOB" or SIRHAN SIRHAN.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM : SA RICHARD P. DOUCETTE

SUBJECT: KENSALT

DATE: 6/25/68

Re FD 302 of Dr. FRED PARROTT.

In referenced FD 302, PARROTT advised that he observed a white male, dark complexion, 5'7" tall, approximately 25 to 27 years old, leaving the Embassy Room carrying a rolled up newspaper. Shortly after this man passed him, several white males, who PARROTT assumed were members of the KENNEDY party, came by hollering, "Stop that man! Stop that man!", meaning the man carrying the newspaper. PARROTT did not know if they succeeded in catching the man and last observed them leaving the Ambassador Hotel via the south entrance.

PARROTT further advised that he was at the Ambassador Hotel with SAMUEL STRAIN, who can be reached at telephone number AX 3-5327. Lead to interview STRAIN as been assigned to SA WILLIAM B. ATHERTON.

LEADS

(1) Review interviews of those persons responsible for security at the Embassy Room and determine if man carrying the newspaper was apprehended and identified. *Pickman*

(2) Dr. MARCUS MC BROOM, phone numbers: 938-9966 (business); 294-0342 (home). *Holloway*

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MICHAEL WAYNE - HE HAS BEEN INTERVIEWED*

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, Los Angeles (56-156)

DATE: 6-28-68

SA Albert N. Carlblom

FROM :

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Investigation has been conducted concerning information furnished by Veronica Deems, 852B 10th St., Santa Monica, California in connection with this case. This memorandum is being filed to reflect briefly the nature of the information she provided and to reflect information regarding the investigation conducted.

The New York Office advised the Bureau and Los Angeles Office by teletype dated 6-11-68 (56-156-A-135) advised that Veronica Deems, telephone 823-3584, telephoned the New York Office from California saying that Tamara Corovich was on American Airlines Flight #4 departing from Los Angeles at 4:30PM and arriving New York at 12:17AM, 6-10-68. Deems said she was employed at the boutique shop at the Miramar Hotel, Santa Monica, California. She said that she learned of Corovich's departure through the bellboy at the Miramar Hotel. Deems stated that on 6-7-68 the "FBI" confiscated a suitcase at the Miramar Hotel, which Deems believed belonged to Corovich. She indicated that Corovich is the "missing" girl in the Senator Kennedy case. Deems stated that Detective Kenneth Lloyd Hilaiel, Santa Monica Police Department is "aware of the situation" but was but-of-town. Deems could furnish no reason why she believed that Corovich is the "missing girl" in the Senator Kennedy case.

The New York Office teletyped the Bureau and Los Angeles on 6-10-68 (56-156-A-141) advising that Detective Harry Brady, NYC Port Authority Police Department had been informed by American Airlines that Tamara Corovich aka Tamara Corobich was reportedly aboard American Airlines Flight #4 enroute to John F. Kennedy Airport, New York City; that Corobich had "information about assassination". Detective Brady met the flight but Corobich was not aboard. Ben Anderson, Dispatch Manager of Amer. Airlines, JFK Airport, stated that LAPD officer Rathburn had furnished information that Tamara Corobich was on Flight #4. Anderson advised the New York Office that there was no listing for this person on the manifest for Flight #4.

New York Office phoned the Los Angeles Office on 6-9-68 (56-156-410). The girl was named as Tamara Corobich or Tmara Carabich. She allegedly had some information regarding the assassination of Senator Kennedy per the NYC Port Authority Police. He was to arrive on Flight #4. Supervisor Fitzgerald of the New York Office advised there was no one aboard this flight by that name.

Serial 56-156-409 contains information received by the Los Angeles

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Office from the LAPD which had received a call from the Port Authority Police, Kennedy Airport, New York City. The LAPD interviewed Deems and copy of the police report is filed at 56-156-408. The LAPD advised that Corovich had answered a page at the Kennedy Airport and was to be interviewed by the FBI or the PD. LAPD officers advised that Deems was sort of "kooky".

The Bureau by teletype dated 6-12-68 instructed Los Angeles Office to interview LAPD officer Rathburn, Santa Monica Detective Hilaiel and Deems in order to resolve the matter of the "missing girl" in Kensalt.

For investigation to locate Deems, see memorandums for SAC of SA Albert N. Carlblom dated 6-17-68, 6-24-68 (56-156-980) and Los Angeles teletype to Seattle dated 6-22-68 (56-156B-107).

The writer has conducted interviews with the following:

Detective Kenneth Lloyd Hilaiel, Santa Monica PD.
Detective Robert Sollee, " " "
Sergeant Nathaniel Trives, " " "
LAPD Officer William M. Rathburn
Allyn Smith, manager, Miramar Hotel, Santa Monica

Copies of these FD 302s containing results of the above mentioned five interviews are being filed in 56-156.

SA William D. Costigan conducted investigation relative to female occupying Room 236 at the Miramar Hotel. See his memo for the SAC dated 6-7-68 (56-156-279). He also conducted investigation relative to the suitcase found at the Hotel Miramar. See his memorandum dated 6-21-68 (56-156-843).

~~Memo of SA Albert N. Carlblom dated 6-13-68 reflects that Mr. Smith, manager of the Hotel Miramar, informed the Santa Monica PD that his relief clerk, Peter Cardova (ph.) had not been seen since last Monday. Information was furnished SMPD on 6-13-68.~~

The Los Angeles Office informed the Bureau by teletype on 6-14-68 that Detective Hilaiel had been interviewed. (56-156-B-72)

The Seattle Office teletyped the Bur. and Los Angeles Office on 6-22-68 relative to their interview with Deems. She mentioned three separate incidents, unconnected with each other, which she thought might be of value in locating "missing girl". These incidents concerned 1. the Miramar hotel guest 2. the suitcase left at the door of the Hotel Miramar beauty shop. and 3. "Tanara Korovich".

Los Angeles Office files contain case captioned ~~Petre Kalvoda, aka Peter Kalvoda~~; IS - CZ; SOBIR. (LA file 105-20350) ~~Office of Origin~~ Los Angeles. That file reflects that Kalvoda, per INS, U.S. Embassy, Rome, Italy, had been paroled into the U.S. as a refugee-escapee. He was approved for parole to the U.S. on 2-28-66. He was a native of Czechoslovakia born in Blansko on 12-15-44. Los Angeles closed this case on 1-30-67. Subject of that investigation was also known as Petr Kalvoda.

Los Angeles reference 105-11231-203 concerns a communication from INS, Los Angeles, dated 3-30-66 concerning Petr Kalvoda, born in Blansko on 12-15-44. He illegally entered Italy after leaving Czechoslovakia. He left the latter country as he could not endure life under the communist regime. INS advised that he was conditionally admitted to the U.S. on 3-17-66.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC L. A. (56-156)

FROM : SA Leslie F. Warren

SUBJECT: Kensalt

DATE: 6-21-68

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Barbara Rubin aka., Mrs Lon Bruce Rubin, housewife, 5925 Glade Ave., Woodlyn Hills, Cal., phone 883-2133 was interviewed 6-21-68 by SA Warren and Richard M. Woolf. She, as a potential witness was referred to SA Warren 6-5-68 by Jack Fox, Executive Producer of Special Reports, CBS-KNXT News, 6121 Sunset Bl., L. A. 469-1212. X 496. The source of Fox was a call in to CBS.

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A FD-302 will be submitted: Basis for following lead, she said in substance:

WERE HEADED TO RUBIN
She and husband ~~had been~~ watching the election returns in the Alan Cranston headquarters, Ambassador Hotel, L.A., evening of 6-4-68 and am of 6-5-68. She and her husband, Lon, an attorney for Kaufman and Broad Building Co., 10889 Wilshire Bl., L. A. # 879-2780 shortly after midnight went down to the Embassy Room to join the Kennedy party. They could not get into this room due to the crowd at the front entrance. They then went to the kitchen and went through the kitchen into the area where Kennedy was speaking. By the time they worked their way up to within a few feet of the podium where Kennedy was standing, Kennedy was winding up his speech and made some remark about Mayor Yorty. He then started for the kitchen and Rubin and husband followed Kennedy. She and husband got split in the crowd and she got in the kitchen right behind Paul Schrade. She then heard 3 shots but could not see who was shooting because of Schrade being taller than she was. There were five quick shots following and by this time she realized some one was shooting in her direction and she hit the floor along with some young blond girl who she did not know. She then got up a bit later and ran out of the kitchen as best she could looking for her husband who was still back at the entrance to the kitchen from the Embassy room.

Rubin said she recalled when she and her husband went into the kitchen on the way to the Embassy Room, there were only 3 persons in the kitchen. 3 men all dark complexioned 2 short and one tall. The tall one and a short one appeared to be kitchen workers as they were moving about. The other a slight man was just standing there up against the wall about the middle of the room. He did not appear to be doing any thing and did not appear to be one of the kitchen workers. She can not recall any details of his dress. Later after seeing pictures of Sirhan as she did not get to actually see him as she was on the floor and later there was a crown around him, she was of the definite impression he was the person she had seen in the kitchen when she and her husband went through before Kennedy.

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finished his speech.

Photos of Sirhan Sirhan and his brothers were shown her with out advising her who they were. She said she was ~~####~~ of the opinion that the photo of Sirhan Sirhan was that of the person she had seen on her way through the kitchen into the Embassy room before Kennedy finished his speech. This was about 5 minutes before and not more than 7 minutes before Kennedy finished his speech.

Lead: Interview Lon Rubin at residence re his knowledge of the above.

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AIR MAIL

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, HONOLULU (62-874) (P)

SUBJECT: KENSALT
(OO: Los Angeles)

Enclosed for the Bureau is one (1) copy of an FD-302 setting forth results of interview with JOHN ROEDMAN JUSTICE, who worked on the staff of the late Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY and who was at the Ambassador Hotel, Los Angeles, the night of 6/4/68 when Senator KENNEDY was shot.

Enclosed for Los Angeles are eight (8) copies of this FD-302.

On 6/18/68, JERRY JENKINS, 710th Military Intelligence Detachment (MID), Honolulu, Hawaii, telephonically advised that he had learned that day from a Sergeant HICKS of the Mililani Recruiting Station, Honolulu, that one JOHN RODNEY JUSTICE, Skyline Inn, 2628 Waiwai Loop, Room 260, Telephone 814-251, was in the process of enlisting in the U.S. Army. JUSTICE, according to JENKINS' information, was a witness to the assassination of the late Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY in Los Angeles and had either been an aid or on the staff of the KENNEDY party. JENKINS related that he had been informed that JUSTICE had been interviewed by the Los Angeles Police Department.

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It is being left to the discretion of the Office of Origin as to whether or not any available photographs be shown to JUSTICE relating to the unknown female wearing a polka-dot dress at the Ambassador Hotel on the night of 6/4/68. It is to be noted that JUSTICE will probably be in the Honolulu area for only about two weeks while being processed for enlistment in the Army.

It is further being left to the discretion of the Office of Origin as to whether or not RICK ROSEN, mentioned in enclosed FD-302, be interviewed and to further identify the girl, (FNU) O'SULLIVAN, for possible interview.

JUSTICE is presently residing with his father, RICHARD J. JUSTICE, Skylane Inn; and his dad is currently employed by B. G. Marine Services, 1375 Dillingham Boulevard, Suite 201.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 6/28/68

FROM : SAC, HONOLULU (62-674)-RUC

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re Los Angeles airtel to Honolulu, 6/21/68.

Enclosed for Los Angeles are 30 copies of a self-explanatory FD-302 reflecting interview with JOHN RODMAN JUSTICE, plus the 6 photographs forwarded to Honolulu with referenced airtel.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (62-587)

FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (44-1640)

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Enclosed for the Bureau and Los Angeles is one copy to each of a photograph of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY making his speech at the Ambassador Hotel.

Enclosed for the Bureau are 11 colored slides and for Los Angeles 11 colored slides. They are the same and contain #OA79638D. One slide bears the number "25" circled in red.

These slides were obtained on 6/26/68 by SA FRANCIS L. CASHIN from BILL EPPRIDGE, Staff Photographer, "Life" Magazine, Time and Life Building, New York, New York.

"Life" Magazine obtained them from JULIAN WASSER, a photographer who does contract work for "Time" Magazine and "Life" Magazine. WASSER if need be can be contacted through "Life" Magazine's Beverly Hills, California Bureau, 9570 Wilshire Boulevard, Los Angeles, telephone number 213-CR-3-1570.

The slides were taken on 3/26/68, when Senator ROBERT KENNEDY was making a speech at the San Fernando

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Valley State College. They are of interest because in each one is an unknown subject who looks something like SIRHAN SIRHAN and who looks out-of-place on the platform.

The Bureau and Los Angeles are to refer to the slide marked "25" in red. EPPRIDGE identified the following people:

Standing left to right:

1. ~~JOE MOHBAT~~ - Associated Press;
2. Back of white head of hair: WALTER DUBROW, CBS Cameraman;
3. Bald head: GEORGE THAMES, "New York Times" Correspondent;
4. White male with sunglasses: A CBS reporter;
5. White male with glasses: Does not know;
6. White male behind #5: Possibly BILL DEEMER, CBS Soundman;
7. White male behind #6 with just an ear showing: Does not know;
8. White male standing under the "P" in the "Political" sign, wearing a white shirt open at the collar with black wavy hair: This is the unknown subject who looks like SIRHAN SIRHAN.
9. White male with head bent and part of his eyeglasses showing: Does not know;
10. White male with glasses looking straight out: JACK NEWFIELD of the "Village Voice" paper, New York, New York;

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11. White male with sunglasses, head bent:
Does not know;

12. Portion of a head: Does not know;

13. Senator KENNEDY.

Sitting left to right:

1. Maybe a KENNEDY relative;

2. She was around the campaign "quite-a-bit";

3. ~~PATRICIA LAWFORD;~~

4. Part of a male face: Does not know;

5. White male looking out. Thinks he is a
California politician or Congressman;

6. Behind microphone: ~~JESSE UNRUH.~~

The above is set forth for the information of
Los Angeles.

By airtel to Los Angeles dated 6/20/68,
New York forwarded to Los Angeles, copies of FD 302's
containing results of an interview with BILL EPPRIDGE, photo-
grapher for "Life" Magazine. In this FD 302, EPPRIDGE
described a white female who tried to get in front of him
(EPPRIDGE), as Senator KENNEDY was on his way to the Embassy
Room to make his speech.

"Life" Magazine has put out a special edition
on the KENNEDY Family. On page 74-75, is a photograph of
Senator KENNEDY making his speech in the Embassy Room at the
Ambassador Hotel. There is a short woman wearing a kerchief
to Senator KENNEDY's right. EPPRIDGE thinks this
may be the woman who tried to get in front of him.

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EPPRIDGE thinks this woman may be a member of the Farm Workers Union. A copy of the photograph is enclosed for the Bureau and Los Angeles. The picture of the woman referred to is circled.