

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date August 16, 1968

Mrs. RACHEL WHITE, South 2503 Teko, Spokane, Washington, furnished the following information:

WHITE advised that during the summer she is residing with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. HOWARD FOSTER, South 2503 Teko, Spokane, Washington, while her husband is working in Milton-Freewater, Oregon. She stated that during the school year she and her husband reside at 12D South Fairway, Pullman, Washington.

WHITE stated that on August 13, 1968, she and her sister-in-law, BONNIE WHITE, were returning from Milton-Freewater, Oregon, en route to Spokane, Washington. She stated that as they left Walla Walla, Washington, at approximately 11:30 PM, they observed a young man beside the road hitchhiking in the direction of Spokane, Washington. She stated that they felt sorry for the young man due to the time of night and decided to pick him up. The man gave his name as PHILLIP ETHRIDGE, age 19, and stated that he had come from Alaska and was on his way to Coeur d'Alene, Idaho. He stated that he had been hitchhiking and as he had no place to sleep in Walla Walla, Washington, decided to keep going en route to Coeur d'Alene, Idaho.

WHITE stated that ETHRIDGE got into the back seat of the 1967 Chevrolet two-door hardtop, and sat behind BONNIE WHITE who was sitting on the passenger side of the front seat. WHITE stated that the vehicle in which she was driving belongs to her father, Mr. HOWARD FOSTER.

WHITE stated that at the time ETHRIDGE got into the vehicle, he had only a small creme-colored suitcase. She stated that she did not observe how he was dressed.

WHITE stated that as they proceeded toward Colfax, Washington, ETHRIDGE twice asked how far it was to Spokane, Washington. She stated that at approximately 15 miles from Colfax, Washington, he asked how far it was. She stated that this time BONNIE WHITE was dozing, and after telling ETHRIDGE that it was approximately 15 miles, she

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by SA JAMES T. DAVIS /mm

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heard him moving around in the back seat and assumed that he was getting in a more comfortable position.

She stated that approximately three miles from Colfax, Washington, he again asked how far it was. She once again told him that it was about three miles to Colfax and from there about an hours drive to Spokane. WHITE stated that at this time ETHRIDGE informed them that he had a gun pointed at BONNIE's head and that he was naked and if either girl looked back he would shoot. He told RACHEL WHITE to continue driving. WHITE stated that he did not tell her where to drive and so when she reached Colfax, Washington, she turned towards Pullman, Washington, instead of going toward Spokane. She stated that the reason she turned toward Pullman was that the traffic is usually heavier between Pullman and Colfax and there are more farm houses between Pullman and Colfax than there are between Colfax and Spokane.

WHITE stated that while going through Colfax, Washington, they observed a Colfax policeman and this seemed to make ETHRIDGE extremely nervous. He attempted to cover himself up and keep low as to not be observed. She stated that he also did not notice as they went through Colfax, Washington, that they were proceeding toward Pullman instead of Spokane. She stated that when he was aware that they were going toward Pullman it did not seem to upset him.

WHITE stated that after ETHRIDGE informed that he had a gun, he made several statements to convince them of his seriousness and, it seemed, to build up his own ego. WHITE stated that he informed them that he had killed two policeman and had wounded more men. WHITE stated that she asked him if he did this to everyone that gave him a ride and he informed her that it had just been men in the past that had given him trouble and that he didn't like to kill women. WHITE stated that he then asked them if they had heard of the KENNEDY assassination and the killing of MARTIN LUTHER KING. WHITE stated that they informed that they had informed him that they had and he then stated that he had been in on those killings and so he was not afraid to use a gun.

WHITE stated that as they proceeded toward Pullman, Washington, ETHRIDGE informed them that he was going to have

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them undress and take their car and their money. ETHRIDGE emphasized the fact that he was not going to in any way molest either of them.

WHITE stated that outside Colfax, Washington, they passed a dirt road and at this time he ordered her to stop the vehicle and back up. She stated that she told him that she could not back up and then he informed her to turn around. WHITE stated that she turned the vehicle around and headed back toward Colfax, Washington. As they passed a road, now known to her as the Albion Road, he told her to turn. She stated that they drove about five miles up the road away from the highway at which time he ordered her to stop the vehicle.

WHITE stated that ETHRIDGE told her to get out of the vehicle and go to the left side of the road. She stated that ETHRIDGE then got out on the same side of the vehicle, the driver's side. He told BONNIE not to look but at this time BONNIE turned around to see what was happening and he then ordered her to get out of the vehicle on the driver's side of the car. Both girls were told to cross the road while ETHRIDGE stayed by the car. He then told them to undress. WHITE stated that they did as they were told and while undressing she noticed that ETHRIDGE had a gun in one hand and had a pair of dark pants on but did not have a shirt on. She stated she did not observe whether he had shoes on.

WHITE stated that after undressing, he then ordered the girls to leave their clothes where they had piled them on the side of the road and to walk in the direction of what is now known to them to be Albion. She stated that the car had been left running and the headlights were left on. She stated that they walked away from the vehicle until they were out of sight of the car headlights and then moved off the road in to the ditch where they stopped walking and sat down in an area which was hidden from the road. WHITE stated that at no time had ETHRIDGE made any advances whatsoever toward either girl. She stated that at the time they had undressed and were walking down the road, she looked at her watch and it was 2:30 AM, August 14, 1968.

WHITE stated that she and BONNIE remained in the side ditch for approximately ten minutes and didn't hear any sounds coming from the direction of the car. She stated

that she then heard what they thought was the trunk being closed and a short time after that the vehicle moved in their direction. She stated that ETHRIDGE drove past them and did not appear to notice either girl hiding in the ditch. She stated that he proceeded in the direction of Albion, Washington, and this is the last time that she had seen either ETHRIDGE or the vehicle.

WHITE stated that after ETHRIDGE drove past she and BONNIE proceeded down the road toward the Colfax Pullman Highway. She stated that they observed a road leading off the Albion Road and followed it to a farm house, reaching the farm house at approximately 3:00 AM. She stated that they knocked on the door until the people of the house answered. She stated that they were given clothing and the farmer called the Whitman County Sheriff's Office and reported the incident. A short time later Deputy BERT EATON of the Whitman County Sheriff's Office came to the farm house and began investigation of the incident.

WHITE furnished the following description of the individual known to her as PHILLIP ETHRIDGE.

Race	White
Sex	Male
Hair	Black
Height	5' 7"
Weight	150 pounds
Build	Medium
Complexion	Dark complected and had Indian features
Speech	Spoke with a lisp and had a very distinguishable voice.

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Miss BONNIE LOUISE WHITE, 1303 South Crestline, Spokane, Washington, furnished the following information:

WHITE advised that on August 13, 1968, she and her sister-in-law, RACHEL WHITE, were returning from Milton Freewater, Oregon, to Spokane, Washington. She stated that at approximately 11:30 PM they left Walla Walla, Washington, and observed a man standing on the side of the road hitchhiking near what is known as the Bacon Road. WHITE stated that she has hitchhiked before and therefore understands that it is hard to get a ride, especially late at night, and therefore they decided to offer assistance to the individual hitchhiking. She stated that the man got into the back seat of the vehicle and told them that his name was PHILLIP ETHRIDGE and that he was 19 years of age. She stated that when he entered the car he had with him a small creme-colored suitcase.

WHITE stated that ETHRIDGE told them that he was going from Alaska to Coeur d'Alene, Idaho, where he had employment in a lime plant.

WHITE stated that as they proceeded toward Colfax, Washington, she was dozing in the front seat of the car but she heard the man ask RACHEL several times how far it was to Spokane, Washington. She stated that she also heard some moving in the back seat of the car but did not think anything of it. She stated that she then heard the man state that he had a gun at the back of her head and was naked and if either girl looked back he would shoot. WHITE stated that this was a short distance outside Colfax, Washington.

WHITE stated that as they proceeded to Colfax, Washington, the man made several statements which seemed to be an attempt to scare them and to build up his own confidence. She stated that he told them that he had killed two policemen and had wounded other men. She stated that he also asked them if they had heard of the KENNEDY assassination

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and the killing of MARTIN LUTHER KING. WHITE stated that they informed him that they had and he then told them that he had participated in the killing of these individuals and was therefore not afraid to use a gun. WHITE stated that she then asked him what kind of a gun he had, and he told them that it was a .36 Mauser which was larger than a policeman's gun and had a hairpin trigger.

WHITE stated that when they went through Colfax, Washington, they observed a policeman's car and this seemed to frighten ETHRIDGE a lot. She stated that he attempted to get out of sight and to hide in the back seat. She stated as they proceeded through Colfax, and toward Pullman, Washington, he emphasized the fact that he did not intend to molest either girl but was going to have them undress, take their car, and their money.

WHITE stated that following the man informing them that he had a gun pointed at her head, she heard some noise coming from the back seat that sounded like he was loading the gun, and possibly opening his suitcase which was on the seat beside him. She stated that he had warned them not to look back so she could not observe what was going on in the back seat.

WHITE stated that outside of Colfax, Washington, ETHRIDGE told RACHEL to stop after they passed a dirt road. RACHEL stopped the vehicle and turned around and proceeded back toward Colfax, Washington. When they passed a road leading toward what is now known as Albion, Washington, he informed RACHEL to turn up the road. WHITE stated that they proceeded down the road three or four miles at which time he informed RACHEL to stop the vehicle. He then informed RACHEL to get out of the vehicle and walk to the other side of the road. WHITE stated that the man told her not to look but at this time she had decided to look as the man obviously was going to use the gun on them or abandon them in the country. She stated that she turned around to see what was going on and at that time he ordered them to get out of the vehicle and join RACHEL on the other side of the road. She stated that he stood beside the vehicle and told both girls to undress. WHITE advised that they did as he ordered and he then told them to proceed down the highway. She stated that they walked away from the car toward Albion, Washington, until they were out of sight of the vehicle,

at which time they left the road and hid in the ditch beside the road. She stated that they stayed in the ditch for over ten minutes and during that period of time they heard what they decided was the trunk of the vehicle being closed.

WHITE stated that after ten to fifteen minutes the vehicle passed them and proceeded toward Albion, Washington. She stated that after ETHRIDGE drove past them they then got back on the road and proceeded to the Pullman-Colfax Highway. She stated that when they found a road leading off the Albion Highway up to a farm house, they proceeded to the farm house, beat on the door until they got the people of the house up, and informed them of what had happened. She stated that this was at approximately 3:00 AM. The people of the house gave them clothing and notified the Whitman County Sheriff's Office.

WHITE furnished the following description of the individual known to her as PHILLIP ETHRIDGE:

Race	White
Sex	Male
Hair	Black
Height	5' 7"
Weight	157 pounds
Build	Medium
Complexion	Dark complected like an Indian or Eskimo
Speech	Spoke with a lisp and had a very distinguishable voice.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES

DATE: 9/3/68

FROM : SAC, SEATTLE (26-26371)(RUC)

SUBJECT: KENSALT
OO: LOS ANGELES

MURKIN
OO: MEMPHIS

HOWARD PHILLIP ETHRIDGE
ITSMV
OO: BUTTE

Re Bureau airtel to Seattle, 8/22/68.

Enclosed for Los Angeles and Memphis are one copy each of three FD-302's reflecting interviews with Mrs. RACHEL WHITE, Miss BONNIE WHITE, and HOWARD PHILLIP ETHRIDGE. Prior to interview ETHRIDGE was moved to the Whitman County Jail at Colfax, Washington. Consequently, interview was by Seattle Division rather than Butte.

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Date September 3, 1968

DANIEL JOHN CURTIN, 236 Seventh Street, Jersey City, New Jersey, was interviewed and furnished the following information:

CURTIN advised that in June, 1968, he was a full-time student, majoring in psychology, at Southwest College, Imperial and Western Boulevard, Los Angeles, California, during the time preceding the California Primary. He was a supporter and worker in the campaign of Senator **ROBERT F. KENNEDY**. On election day, June 4, 1968, he was engaged during the greater part of the day in transporting voters to the polls. At approximately 8:00 P. M. he went to the Ambassador Hotel to take part in a **KENNEDY** victory party for the press and campaign workers.

CURTIN stated that at twelve midnight he was in the ballroom of the Ambassador Hotel, when Senator **KENNEDY** delivered his victory speech. CURTIN said that his location during the speech was to the right front of the podium approximately three feet from Senator **KENNEDY**. This location is as he was facing the podium. CURTIN said that Senator **KENNEDY**'s speech lasted approximately nine to ten minutes, and at the conclusion of the speech he (CURTIN) engaged in jubilant shouting with the rest of the individuals in the ballroom.

CURTIN advised that at the end of the speech Senator **KENNEDY** turned and proceeded through the curtains at the rear of the podium into an anteroom. CURTIN stated that he then climbed over the podium and followed the crowd as it was surging after Senator **KENNEDY**. He stated that he was caught up in the movement of the crowd and proceeded through the anteroom into a corridor and then turned right and proceeded toward the kitchen area. CURTIN stated that he did not actually see Senator **KENNEDY** throughout the entire time that the group was moving through the anteroom into the corridor but caught intermittent glances of Senator **KENNEDY** through the moving crowd. CURTIN stated that the procession moved through swinging doors into a pantry area, and at the time he was approximately 15 feet behind Senator **KENNEDY**. CURTIN said that as he was about to go through the swinging doors he heard one loud report followed by two other loud reports in quick succession. CURTIN

On 8/28/68 at Jersey City, New Jersey File # Newark 44-872

by SA THOMAS OTTNEY and

SA HOWARD H. RICE

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Date dictated 8/29/68

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said that he then jumped quickly through the swinging doors and observed Senator KENNEDY falling to the floor in the pantry corridor.

CURTIN stated that the crowd of people immediately behind Senator KENNEDY seemed to suddenly open, enabling him to lunge to the side of Senator KENNEDY as he fell to the floor. CURTIN stated that Senator KENNEDY fell to his right and threw his right arm up in the air as if to grasp the right side of his head.

CURTIN advised that he was one of the very first, if not the first person, to reach Senator KENNEDY, and he immediately handed Senator KENNEDY a string of rosary beads. CURTIN and KENNEDY clutched the beads as CURTIN placed his lips near KENNEDY's ear and began an Act of Contrition prayer.

CURTIN stated that mass confusion in the area occurred at this time, and he recalled hearing various individuals around him screaming, and asking him if he was a priest. CURTIN stated that at this point after being over Senator KENNEDY for approximately a minute an unknown man helped him to his feet and told him that he had done all that could be done. This individual helped CURTIN a few feet away and at this point Mrs. ETHEL KENNEDY and her sister had arrived at KENNEDY's side.

CURTIN stated that it was at this time that he observed ROSIE GREER and several other individuals holding a person later determined to be SIRHAN SIRHAN in the area of the bins several feet down the corridor from KENNEDY's location. CURTIN stated that the surging crowd was screaming and trying to get to SIRHAN, but GREER and others were protecting SIRHAN from the crowd, and at the same time they were trying to subdue him.

CURTIN said that he did not observe the shots being fired, and as he was leaning over Senator KENNEDY, KENNEDY appeared as if he was starting to say something, but if anything was actually said, the noise of the crowd prevented CURTIN from understanding it.

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CURTIN stated that during the next few minutes he was in a state of near shock but recalls the press and television commentators around him asking questions and following him wherever he went in the corridor.

At this time an individual who identified himself as **STU BLOCK** came to **CURTIN**'s assistance and took him upstairs in the hotel away from the press and television commentators. **CURTIN** stated that **BLOCK** told him that he was from San Diego and was a member of the **KENNEDY** staff. While upstairs in the hotel, **CURTIN** was also assisted by **STEPHEN SMITH**, a **KENNEDY** staff member.

CURTIN provided the following description of himself:

Race	White
Sex	Male
Date of Birth	August 15, 1946
Place of Birth	Jersey City, New Jersey
Height	5 feet 10 1/2 inches
Weight	195 pounds
Eyes	Blue
Hair	Light brown
Distinguishing Characteristics	Wears full mustache
Father	PETER PAUL CURTIN, SR.
Mother	Deceased
Brother	PETER PAUL CURTIN, JR.
Sister	Age 26
Military Service	MAURA CURTIN, age 19 United States Marine Corps September, 1965, to April, 1966 Medical discharge under honor- able conditions because of ulcers
Clothing worn by CURTIN on night of June 4-5, 1964	Blue sports coat, light green trousers, yellow shirt, red tie, light green desert boots, green socks

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TO: SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

FROM: SAC, NEWARK (44-872) (RUC)

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re Los Angeles airtel to Newark, dated 8/22/68.

Enclosed for Los Angeles are nine copies of
an FD-302 reflecting interview of DANIEL JOHN CURTIN.

CURTIN advised that he is returning to
Los Angeles on 9/16/68, and can be contacted through
Dr. LETTY CLARK, Dean, Southwest College, Imperial and
Western Blvd. CURTIN has extensive notes, newspaper
articles and other material regarding the incident which
he will take back to Los Angeles with him.

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To: SAC, Los Angeles (56-156)

From: Director, FBI

PERSONAL ATTENTION

KENSALT

Reurairtel 8-22-68. You may advise the Los Angeles Police Department of the following information.

Turner entered on duty in the FBI as a Special Agent on February 5, 1951, in Grade GS-10. He was dismissed effective July 19, 1961, being then in Grade GS-12. Among the charges on which his dismissal was based were that he had demonstrated through various untrue or unjustified statements that he lacked the truthfulness, accuracy, and responsibility required of an FBI Agent, and that he had shown a poor attitude toward the FBI and its Director.

Turner appealed the dismissal to the U. S. Civil Service Commission and was given a hearing. The Commission's Appeals Examining Office in Washington, D. C., sustained his dismissal on December 20, 1961. Turner appealed this decision to the Civil Service Commission Board of Appeals and Review and that Board sustained the dismissal. He then filed a civil action in the U. S. District Court, District of Columbia, seeking reinstatement. The Court denied his motion for summary judgment on May 20, 1963, and granted the Government's motion for summary judgment. Turner appealed to the U. S. Court of Appeals of the District of Columbia Circuit. A three-judge panel affirmed his dismissal April 2, 1964. He then petitioned for a rehearing by the full bench of the Circuit Court and the full bench denied his petition May 20, 1964. Finally, he petitioned to the U. S. Supreme Court for a writ of certiorari and this was denied November 9, 1964.

Throughout the proceedings against him, and even before they began, Turner addressed numerous pleas to members of Congress and other high officials. After the failure of his efforts in the courts he resorted to the radio and the press in a continuing campaign to vilify the FBI and Mr. Hoover. His

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Re: KENSALT

vitriolic articles have appeared in such publications as "Saga," "The Nation," "Playboy," and "Ramparts." He has allied himself with New Orleans District Attorney Jim Garrison's campaign to prove that President Kennedy's assassination was the result of a highly organized plot and not the work of one man (Lee Harvey Oswald) acting alone. Turner's recent book, "The Police Establishment," criticizes law enforcement.

Turner was a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Congress in the 6th District in California in 1968 and lost in the primary. He is 41 and married, residing in Mill Valley, California.

NOTE: Hand print names legibly; handwriting satisfactory for remainder.

Indices: ☐ Negative ☐ See below

Subject's name and aliases SIRHAN SIRHAN			Address of subject		Character of case KENSALT
Complainant MARWAN SABHA			Complainant's address and telephone number 415 N. 3rd St., Alhambra 284-0752		Complaint received <input type="checkbox"/> Personal <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Telephonic Date 9-5-68 Time 10-17am.
Subject's Description	Race	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Height	Hair	Build
	Age		Weight	Eyes	Complexion
	Scars, marks or other data				

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C stated he resides at the above address but works at ~~Lock~~ Lockheed Electronics, telephone number 722-6810 during the day. C said he understands the FBI has been out to his residence about four time now inquiring of his wife about himself and SIRHAN. C said he would appreciate it if the FBI wants to know something that he be contacted about it rather than his wife. He was advised his call would be made a matter of record.

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Philip S. Andrist
(Agent)

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 9/6/68

FROM : SUPERVISOR WILLIAM JOHN ~~NOLAN~~

SUBJECT: KENSALT

MICHAEL MC COWAN, telephone 626-6431, investigator for RUSSELL PARSONS, telephoned at 4:00 P.M., 9/5/68, asking to speak to Agent NOLAN. He was advised that the writer was out of the office and requested that his call be returned.

The writer returned the call at 5:50 P.M., but MC COWAN had left his office.

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TO SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

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FROM SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (62-5481)(RUC)

SUBJECT KENSALT

Attached are six stencils and proof sheets for FD-302's regarding the following requests from your office:

1. Stencils and proof sheets for following investigation in response to Los Angeles airtel to Bureau dated 8/6/68, re Sister M. MADDALENA:

Credit check with Credit Bureau of Palo Alto regarding FEDERICO C. OSUNA, OLGA OLVERA OSUNA and ROBERTO MERCURY.

Check of records, Mountain View Police Department concerning above individuals.

Interview of Mrs. FEDERICO C. OSUNA (RUTILIA), 2127 Stanford Avenue, Mountain View, California, on 8/13/68.

Interview of Mrs. ROBERT KESSLER (OLGA OLVERA OSUNA) at Sunnyvale, California, on 8/13/68.

San Francisco indices are negative re names contained in material furnished by you.

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Special Agent in Charge

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2. Stencil and proof sheet for FD-302 for interview of NANCY WALLACE in response to Los Angeles airtels to San Francisco dated 8/1/68, and 8/9/68, re Mrs. JOHN WALLACE, nee Webber, aka Nancy Wallace.

In the event VALERIE SCHULTE has not been interviewed and such an interview is desired, she can be located through her parents at 466 South Clark, Beverly Hills, California.

3. Stencil and proof sheet for FD-302 for interview of RICHARD ORFALEA in response to Los Angeles airtel to San Francisco dated 8/9/68, re RICHARD ORFALEA; DAVID ROCHE.

In the event PATRICK MC LAUGHLIN has not been interviewed and such an interview is desired, he is in Memphis, Tennessee, and his exact address can be obtained through his parents at 969 South Kenston, Los Angeles, telephone WE 9-1664. Interview with ORFALEA, however, indicates MC LAUGHLIN does not have any pertinent information re KENSALT.

ORFALEA is not acquainted with anyone by the name of DAVID ROCHE and does not recall meeting anyone on the night of June 4-5, 1968, answering his description.

FBI

Date: August 16, 1968

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plaintext or code)Via Airtel _____
(Priority)TO: SACs, Los Angeles
Houston

FROM: Director, FBI

KENSALT RE JOSEPH WILLARD "PAPPY" LUKE

Re Houston airtel 8/8/68, wherein it was indicated Luke positively identified Sirhan's photograph as being identical to the individual in his restaurant, 5/23/68, who stated an intent to kill a senator in California.

This aspect of our investigation into the assassination of the late Senator Robert F. Kennedy must be fully resolved. Houston advise the circumstances surrounding the identification of Sirhan by Luke. Conduct all other logical investigation in order to determine if Luke's story can be corroborated or refuted.

Los Angeles conduct that necessary investigation to definitely account for Sirhan's activities on or about 5/23/68.

Keep Bureau advised.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC (56-156)

DATE: 8/20/68

FROM : SA Thomas J. Bevans

SUBJECT: KENSALT

RE: ~~FARIDEH MONGHATE~~, aka
Mrs. ~~WALTER E. STEINER, Jr.~~
56-156-685

Re: Memo of SA Lloyd D. Johnson dated 6/17/68.

Miss Monghate ~~a~~ student at Pasadena City College (PCC) during the period of 1961-1962 was mentioned by PCC officials as possibly being associated with Sirhan Sirhan.

Attached is a copy of the results of the investigation conducted in regard to Miss Monghate and any possible connection of her with Sirhan.

The original of all FD 302 has been initialed and filed separately.

Summary letter regarding Miss Monghate furnished to INS At Los Angeles.

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In connection with attempts to identify the woman in the polka-dot dress who was allegedly with SIRHAN at the Ambassador Hotel, Mrs. ALICE ALLEN, Secretary to Dr. IRVIN G. LEWIS, Administrative Dean of Students Personnel Services, Pasadena City College (PCC), on June 17, 1968 advised there was an Iranian student who attended PCC in 1961 and 1962 who was extremely attractive in figure, being quite petite. She had no idea whether or not SIRHAN knew this girl, but furnished the following information concerning her:

Name	FARIDEH MONGHATE
Sex	Female
Race	Caucasian (Iranian)
Born	July 18, 1942, in Tehran, Iran
Education	Attended PCC from December 1961, until May 1963, when she withdrew due to illness
Guardian	ASSAN KHATENT , cousin, 649 West Markland Drive, Monterey Park, California
Permanent Residence	16 Daneshar Street, Tehran, Iran
Parents	FAZILLAH MONGHATE , (father) ESHEY MONGHATE , (mother), both at above Iranian address
Prior residences	1961 - 101 North Hill Street, Pasadena; 1962 - 105 North Wilson, Pasadena; December 1963 - 1900 North Grace Avenue, Apartment 12, Hollywood

Mrs. ALLEN stated the girl always seemed to have lots of money, and appeared to be an opportunist. The record reflected Woodbury College, Los Angeles, had requested a transcript of her record from PCC in June 1965

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On June 21, 1968, Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS) file A11 967 731 in the name of FARIDEH STEINER, nee Monghate was reviewed by SA THOMAS J. BEVANS at Los Angeles. A review of this file revealed the following information:

Miss MONGHATE entered the United States at New York City by air on August 3, 1959, entering as a visitor. On September 4, 1959, Miss MONGHATE filed INS form 1-20, certificate for eligibility for non-immigrant "F" student status. At this time Miss MONGHATE was a full-time student at Montebello Senior High School and was residing at 649 West Markland Drive, Monterey Park, California. She listed her nearest relatives (cousin) SPYED HASSAN KHATEMI, home address 312 West Hammel Street, Monterey Park, California.

On August 30, 1961, Miss MONGHATE entered Pasadena City College (PCC) and at this time she gave a home address of 136 South Michigan Avenue, Pasadena, California. On November 22, 1966, Mr. WALTER STEINER, JR., filed INS form 1-134 (affidavit of support). STEINER listed his home address as 999 Palm Terrace, Pasadena, California. He gave a date of birth of October 1, 1938, at Dayton, Ohio. This statement was executed in behalf of Mrs. FARIDEH STEINER female, age 24, born Teheran, Iran, married, relationship, wife. Affidavit reflected that STEINER was employed as a group supervisor for the Los Angeles County Probation Department at Los Padrinos Juvenile Hall, 7285 Quill Drive, Downey, California, and stated he had an annual income of \$5,000. On November 22, 1966, MONGHATE filed INS form 1-181, memo for creation of record of lawful permanent residence. The following background data and physical description of Miss MONGHATE was obtained from this file:

Nationality	Iranian
Date of Birth	July 18, 1942
Place of Birth	Teheran, Iran
Height	5'1"

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Weight	96 pounds
Eyes	Brown
Hair	Black
Occupation	Beautician
Employed by	Christyn Bildon, 801½ West Sixth Street, Los Angeles, California no date given; Mary Megerdichian, 7705 Santa Monica Boulevard, Hollywood, California, no date given
Home Address	999½ Palm Terrace, Pasadena, California
Married to	WALTER E. STEINER, JR., July 24, 1966.

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Mr. HENRY SCHEPPS, 1121 Palm Terrace, Pasadena, California, on June 21, 1968, advised he is the owner of the apartment at 999 Palm Terrace and that Mr. WALTER E. STEINER resided at 999½ Palm Terrace for approximately two years. He stated STEINER left his apartment on February 1, 1968, and believed by him to be living in Downey, California.

Mr. SCHEPPS stated STEINER is employed by the Los Angeles County Probation Department and works at the County facility at Downey. He advised that STEINER was formerly a student at Pasadena City College and resided with a "Latin Type" male prior to leaving the apartment. He said FARIDEH MONGHATE was always a mystery to him and he believed MONGHATE was in Iran. Mr. SCHEPPS advised that MONGHATE went to Iran approximately six or seven months prior to the time STEINER left his apartment and to the best of his knowledge, was still in Iran at the time STEINER vacated the apartment. SCHEPPS stated he was positive MONGHATE was in Iran since he is a stamp collector and STEINER would give him all the stamps from MONGHATE's letters. He stated he would tease STEINER about the fact that MONGHATE would not come back to the United States. SCHEPPS stated he never knew MONGHATE and STEINER to be married and believes STEINER always referred to MONGHATE as his girl friend. He said MONGHATE never resided at 999½ Palm Terrace and he never saw her at the apartment over four or five times in the two years STEINER resided there. He stated he frequents the apartments two or three times a week since it is so close to his residence and because there was always something to do. He said he recalled that on a few occasions STEINER did say he was planning to marry MONGHATE.

SCHEPPS advised he considered STEINER a good tenant and a fine fellow. He stated STEINER had many guests at the apartment and he believes they were mainly friends from Pasadena City College. He said STEINER never discussed

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politics and he did not believe STEINER to be pro-Arab and anti-Semitic. SCHEPPS said he and his wife are both Jewish and he feels that STEINER never expressed himself or showed himself as being against any one class of people.

SCHEPPS stated the "latin type" fellow living with STEINER is believed by him, SCHEPPS, to be a homosexual, stating the man's speech and other characteristics were very feminine.

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Miss JANET GASDIK, Clerk, Los Angeles County Probation Department, 315 North Temple Street, Los Angeles, California, on June 21, 1968, made available for review the personnel file of WALTER STEINER. A review of this file revealed the following information:

Date of birth	October 1, 1938
Place of birth	Dayton, Ohio
Height	6'1 $\frac{1}{2}$ "
Weight	175 pounds
Hair	Brown
Eyes	Brown
Social Security No.	[REDACTED]

Claims honorable discharge from the U. S. Army having served in the Army from August through October 1958, having been discharged since he suffered a leg injury. Army serial number 33-88-38-365. Graduated from high school in 1957 and graduated from Pasadena City College in June 1962, receiving an Associate of Arts Degree with a major in social welfare.

STEINER was a former employee of the Los Angeles County Registrar of Voters and was made a Deputy Probation Officer on April 25, 1966.

File makes no mention of FARIDEH MONGHATE and/or to the fact that STEINER is presently married. STEINER is presently assigned as a Deputy Probation Officer, Unit Supervisor at Los Padrinos Juvenile Hall, 7285 Quill Drive, Downey, California.

Mr. WALTER E. LYND, Director of Los Padrinos Juvenile Hall, 7285 Quill Drive, Downey, California, on June 21, 1968, advised that WALTER STEINER is presently on his staff

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and that STEINER works from 10:00 P.M. to 6:00 A.M. LYND advised STEINER presently resides at Apartment 10, 912 Maltman Avenue, Los Angeles, California, telephone 662-7682. LYND stated he did not know STEINER's marital status.

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Mr. WALTER D. STEINER, apartment 10, 932 Hiltman Avenue, Los Angeles, California, on June 26, 1968 advised he met FARIDAH KONGHATE at Pasadena City College (PCC) during 1962, the exact date not recalled by him. He stated he and KONGHATE were married at Los Angeles, California in June, 1966 and are presently separated.

STEINER stated he knows KONGHATE better than anyone else and knows her to be a very fine person and one raised in the traditions of Iranian women. He said he knows that KONGHATE has not taken an active interest in American politics nor does he know her to be pro-Arab, anti-Semitic, or against any one class of people.

STEINER advised KONGHATE presently resides at apartment 204, 1617 North Fuller, Hollywood, California and is presently employed at Aram Katcher's House of Beauty, 6111 Wilshire Boulevard, as a beautician.

STEINER advised that while at PCC he cannot recall seeing SIRHAN SIRHAN nor does he believe SIRHAN SIRHAN is known to have associated within the group which he and KONGHATE kept while at this school.

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Mr. ROBERT BRESSEL, Manager, Hollywood College of Beauty, 6627 Hollywood Boulevard, Hollywood, California, on July 5, 1968, advised that FARIDEH MONGHATE attended that school from September 30, 1963 through August 1, 1964. Mr. BRESSEL stated he has no personal recollection of Miss MONGHATE.

Miss PATRICIA COPPAGE, Secretary, Registrar's Office, Woodbury College, 1027 Wilshire Boulevard, Los Angeles, California, on July 8, 1968, advised that a review of their records reveal that Miss MONGHATE registered for the fall semester, August 1, 1965, but failed to attend any classes. She advised since Miss MONGHATE "cancelled out," all records regarding Miss MONGHATE's application and transcripts have been destroyed.

Mr. ARAM KATCHER, Aram Katcher's House of Beauty, 6111 Wilshire Boulevard, on July 5, 1968, advised that Miss FARIDEH MONGHATE has worked for him from April 15, 1968, to the present. Mr. KATCHER stated that on June 4, 1968, Miss MONGHATE worked from 9:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. He stated that he knows Miss MONGHATE personally since he, KATCHER, is presently dating one of Miss MONGHATE's cousins.

KATCHER stated that he has never known Miss MONGHATE to be married.

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Mrs. CHRISTYN BILDEN, Owner-operator of Arlene's Beauty Shop, 808½ West 6th Street, Los Angeles, California, on June 21, 1968, advised that FARIDEH MONGHATE worked for her approximately two years after MONGHATE received her operators license. She stated the last thing she heard of MONGHATE is that MONGHATE was told by Immigration authorities to leave the United States since her visa had expired. She advised that MONGHATE reportedly left the United States on July 9, 1967, and to the best of her knowledge, has not returned. Mrs. BILDEN stated she knew WALTER STEINER as MONGHATE's boy friend, but did not know MONGHATE and STEINER to be married. She advised MONGHATE worked for her from October 27, 1964 through June 18, 1966.

Miss MARY MEGERDICHIAN, Owner-operator of Maries Coiffures, 7705 Santa Monica Boulevard, Hollywood, California, on June 25, 1968, advised that FARIDEH MONGHATE worked for her from January 1, 1967, through May 24, 1967, at which time MONGHATE reportedly returned to Iran to visit her family. Miss MEGERDICHIAN stated she does not know if and when MONGHATE returned to the United States.

She advised she knew WALTER STEINER as MONGHATE's boy friend but did not know them to be married. She stated MONGHATE is an exceptionally fine person and never known, to MEGERDICHIAN, to be interested or to take an active part in politics.

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On July 5, 1968, IC MERTON R. ANDERSON, JR. reviewed Los Angeles County Marriage Certificate No 30097 in the name of WALTER ERNEST STEINER, JR., and FARIDEH MONGHATE. A review of this certificate revealed the following information:

Groom	WALTER ERNEST STEINER, JR. , age 27
Usual Address	999 Palm Terrace, Pasadena
Born	October 1, 1938, Ohio
Occupation	Group Supervisor, Juvenile Institution, Los Angeles County Civil Service
Times Previously married	Never
Father of Groom	WALTER ERNEST STEINER, SR.
Born	Ohio
Maiden name of Mother of Groom	MARGARET J. DUCESKA
Born	Ohio
Bride	FARIDEH (NMN) MONGHATE, age 24
Usual Address	1640 Hobart St., Hollywood
Born	July 18, 1942, Iran
Occupation	Beautician
Industry	Cosmetology
Times Previously married	Never
Date of Marriage	July 25, 1966 in Hollywood
License No	12285
Issued	July 25, 1966
Witness	GEORGE VAN RAAFTEN , 301 South St Andrews Place, No 220, Los Angeles
Witness	VIDA VAN RAAFTEN , same address
Minister	H. K. RASBACH, 625 North Mansfield, Los Angeles
Type	Pastor, The American Lutheran Church

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FARIDEH MONGHATE, also known as Mrs. Walter E. Steiner, Jr., Apartment 204, 1617 North Fuller Avenue, Hollywood, California, advised she first came to the United States from Iran as a visitor in 1957 and once in the United States applied and received a student status.

MONGHATE stated she attended Montebello High School from September, 1957 through December, 1961. She stated while in high school she lived with the KATMAN family at 649 Markland Drive, Monterey Park, California. She stated upon completing high school she entered Pasadena City College and attended that school until May, 1963. She advised while attending Pasadena City College, she lived in various apartments in the Pasadena area.

MONGHATE advised after she completed her courses at Pasadena City College she entered the Hollywood College of Beauty and she took a nine to ten month beauty course. She stated once she received her beautician's license she worked for CHRISTYN BILDEN at Arlene's Beauty Shop, 802½ West Sixth Street, Los Angeles, California, for approximately two years during which time she lived in various apartment houses in the Hollywood area. She advised she left BILDEN because of personal reasons and because the working arrangements were not the best as far as she was concerned.

MONGHATE claimed to have married WALTER E. STEINER, JR. on June 5, 1966 and to have resided with STEINER at 999½ Palm Terrace, Pasadena, California from the time of her marriage until she was returned to IRAN in July, 1967. She stated after she left BILDEN she worked for MARY MAGERDICHIAN at Marie's Coiffures, 7705 Santa Monica Boulevard for approximately six to seven months prior to going to IRAN to visit her parents in July, 1967, and returned to the United States February 15, 1968.

She advised upon returning to the United States she had been working for Aral Katcher's House of Beauty, 6111 Wilshire Boulevard, Los Angeles and living at her present address. She advised she is presently residing with VIDA BADIER.

On 6/26/68 at Hollywood, California File # Los Angeles 56-156

by SA THOMAS J. BEVANS/nmb Date dictated 6/27/68

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also known as Mrs. George Van Raalten, who is also from Iran. SA THOMAS J. BEVANS inquired regarding the fact that both she and Miss BADIEE were using their maiden names and living at 1617 North Fuller, while their "husbands" STEINER and VAN RAALTEN are both living together at Apartment 10, 932 Maltman Avenue, Los Angeles, California.

MONGHATE stated she and STEINER had a falling out just prior to her going to Iran in July, 1967, and that they were not divorced and just were separated on a temporary basis. SA BEVANS asked MONGHATE if her and Miss BADIEE's relations were not just "marriage of convenience" in order to satisfy immigration requirements at which time she stated that the relations were not made just to satisfy the immigration requirements.

She advised Immigration and Naturalization Service requirement was not a factor in her marrying STEINER since they planned to marry, but it was a time factor causing them to marry sooner than they had planned.

MONGHATE stated she cannot recall meeting SIRHAN SIRHAN while at Pasadena City College nor did she belong to any political groups or associations while attending the college. She stated she has never had any connections with the Students for a Democratic Society (SDS) or the W. E. B. Du Bois Clubs or to the best of her knowledge does she know anyone connected with either of these groups. She stated that Iranians do not consider themselves Arabs and therefore she would not have anything in common with SIRHAN SIRHAN nor the other Arab students attending Pasadena City College. She believes in good government but has not been active in any American politics while residing in this country. She stated on June 4, 1968, she worked until approximately 6:00 P.M. and stayed home the rest of the evening.

The following description and background information regarding MONGHATE was obtained through observation and interview:

Sex	Female
Race	Caucasian, Iranian extraction
Date of Birth	July 18, 1942
Place of Birth	Tehran, Iran
Height	5'1"

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Weight	96 pounds
Eyes	Brown
Build	Very petite
Hair	Black, worn long
Occupation	Beautician
Husband	WALTER E. STEINER, JR.

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IC BERNARD P. BLAIS on June 24, 1968, caused a check to be made of the records of the Retail Merchants Credit Association, 417 South Hill Street, Los Angeles, California. No record identifiable with FARIDEH MONGHATE and WALTER E. STEINER, JR. was found to be on file with this association.

On June 25, 1968, IC MILLARD T. ANDERSON caused a check to be made of the criminal records of the Los Angeles Police Department and Los Angeles County Sheriff's Office. No record identifiable with FARUDEH MONGHATE and WALTER E. STEINER, JR. was found to be on file with these departments.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (56-156)

DATE: 8/23/68

FROM : SA JOSEPH DOYLE POWELL

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re Serials 1435 and 1546.

The following investigation was conducted at Pasadena, California by SA POWELL:

On 8/2/68 ~~BOB 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. MR. 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. Records prior to 1968 would be maintained by the main office, APCO Inc., P. O. Box 20, Fullerton, California 92632, phone (714) 526-6686. There were customers with a \$10 - \$12 weekly volume.

He further advised that ~~HENRY A. ETIENNE~~, 1072 No. Lake, Pasadena, a watchmaker, formerly operated the concession there. Possibly SERGE ETIENNE is related to him.

On 8/5/68 MR. ~~HENRY ETIENNE~~, supra, advised he operated the above concession prior to May 1968. His son, ~~SERGE ETIENNE~~, worked there with him and then also worked there part time for a few weeks after MR. ETIENNE gave up the concession. MR. ETIENNE was unable to recall anyone named SIRHAN as a customer of the counter. He stated that he knew very few names of 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 be at least familiar. He viewed photographs of the SIRHAN family and was unable to recall any of them as anyone he had seen in the past.

MR. ETIENNE advised he is certain his son would be fully cooperative. He lives in Highland Park and works in the maintenance shop of Lowry's, 568 San Fernando Road, but he does not know his address.

RECOMMENDATION: Inasmuch as there appears to be no basis in fact to the information furnished by ~~MARGARET SCOTT~~, no further action is felt warranted.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, Los Angeles (56-156)

FROM : Director, FBI (62-587)

SUBJECT: KENSALT
CIVIL RIGHTS

DATE: 8/23/68

Rerep SA Amedee O. Richards, Jr., dated 8/7/68
at Los Angeles.

The following corrections have been made in the
Bureau's copies of rerep. Make corrections in your copies
and handle appropriate dissemination thereof.

SECTION I

On page 4, line 3, three-week should be hyphenated
On page 10, last line, the first word, what, has
been changed to that

On page 31, paragraph 3, line 1, above-mentioned
should be hyphenated

On page 31, paragraph 4, line 4, chrome-topped
should be hyphenated

On page 32, paragraph 1, line 5, paragraph 4,
line 4, above-described should be hyphenated

On page 33, line 3, above-described should be
hyphenated

On page 34, paragraph 2, line 2 and line 3, the
words with and two should be cleared

On page 34, paragraph 4, line 12, the word when
should be cleared

On page 38, paragraph 2, line 1, the name should
be COVIAN

On page 40, paragraph 1, line 2, and on page 49,
paragraph 1, line 4, above-described should be hyphenated

On page 52, paragraph 1, last line, the word her
should be inserted so that the sentence reads -- at
her --

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On page 53, paragraph 1, line 4, preceding has been misspelled

On page 58, paragraph 3, last line, insert to after prior

On page 74, paragraph 1, line 3, the name should be BARRY

On page 77, paragraph 2, line 2, him has been corrected to his

On page 85, paragraph 1, line 10, was has been corrected to were

On page 85, paragraph 1, line 12, lead has been corrected to led

On page 91, line 11, he has been corrected to him

On page 93, paragraph 2, line 2, the word activities has been misspelled

On page 94, paragraph 2, line 3, the has been corrected to that to read - - that he would - -

On page 96, line 4, omit and before et cetera

On page 101, paragraph 5, line 2, lead has been corrected to led

On page 105, paragraph 1, line 8, an apostrophe should be placed before the s in KENNEDY's

On page 114, paragraph 5, line 1, curtain has been misspelled

On page 121, paragraph 5, line 6 and line 7, an apostrophe should be placed before the s in the words person's and man's

On page 122, paragraph 3, line 9, lead has been corrected to led

On page 126, line 1, the name should be MARGUERITE. In connection the name is shown in the index as MARGARET.

On page 127, line 4, an has been corrected to and

On page 128, paragraph 4, line 2, assassin was misspelled

On page 138, paragraph 3, line 2 and the last line, the words was and when should be cleared

On page 144, paragraph 2, line 10, above-referred^{to} should be hyphenated

On page 148, paragraph 2, line 3, clear the word leaving

On page 155, paragraph 1, line 5, pleasant-mannered should be hyphenated

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On page 173, paragraph 2, line 10, insert had so the sentence will read -- were dark skinned and had black hair.

On page 177, paragraph 2, line 8, the last word be should be cleared

On page 182, paragraph 4, line 11, staff should be cleared

On page 187, paragraph 2, line 2, correct the word campaigns

On page 195, paragraph 2, line 13, the name should be STEPHEN

On page 199, paragraph 2, line 10, circularization was misspelled

On page 205, paragraph 5, line 4, GRIER was misspelled

On page 206, line 4, GRIER was misspelled

On page 222, paragraph 1, line 9, delete the t at the end of enough

On page 225, paragraph 2, line 5, one-second should be hyphenated

On page 230, paragraph 2, line 2, niece was misspelled

On page 230, paragraph 3, line 1, SIRHAN B. SIRHAN was misspelled

On page 231, paragraph 1, line 8, part-time should be hyphenated

On page 234, paragraph 5, line 2, clear FOREST

On page 240, paragraph 3, line 3, clear the two words, had no, at end

On page 240, paragraph 3, line 4, recollection was misspelled

On page 241, paragraph 3, line 8, it appears that of should be or where sentence reads -- three or --

On page 252, paragraph 2, line 8, clear the word registered

On page 253, paragraph 1, line 3, and line 9, above-described and first-described should be hyphenated

On page 260, line 1, of should be omitted before the word approximately

On page 260, paragraph 1, line 9, the last word should be were

On page 271, paragraph 7, line 2, the last word he should be cleared

On page 278, last line, morning was misspelled

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SECTION II

On page 300, paragraph 2, line 3, assassinated was misspelled

On page 301, paragraph 1, line 1, there should be an apostrophe after the s in STROU'S

On page 304, paragraph 1, line 1, SKYLINE was misspelled

On page 305, paragraph 1, line 2, Manila-type should be hyphenated

On page 306, paragraph 1, line 9, these was corrected to there to read -- there was panic --

On page 308, paragraph 2, line 1, above-mentioned should be hyphenated

On page 311, paragraph 2, line 13, Biltmore was misspelled

On page 314, throughout, KLINE was corrected to KLEIN. In this connection, the index incorrectly shows a reference as KAREN KLIEN.

On page 318, paragraph 2, line 2, omit the e at the end of Ambassador

On page 319, line 2, the name JESSE was misspelled

On page 321, paragraph 1, line 2, self-employed should be hyphenated

On page 322, paragraph 5, line 2, seeing was misspelled

On page 324, paragraph 2, lines 5 and 6, the name is shown as RICHARD A. KLEIN. The index shows it only as RICHARD KLEIN

On page 326, paragraph 3, line 4, pass has been corrected to past

On page 329, paragraph 1, line 8, MARSHALL was misspelled

On page 329, paragraph 1, line 14, lead was corrected to led

On page 330, paragraph 3, lines 7 and 9, the name was corrected to GERIE

On page 332, paragraph 1, line 10, delete dor at beginning

On page 332, paragraph 3, line 1, MENEFIELD was misspelled

On page 337, paragraph 3, line 4, song was misspelled

On page 342, paragraph 2, line 5, Cocoanut was misspelled

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On page 349, paragraph 2, line 4, GRIER was misspelled

On page 352, paragraph 2, line 13, evening was misspelled

On page 361, line 4, clear is at end of line.

On page 365, paragraph 3, line 19, lead was corrected to led

On page 372, paragraph 2, line 16, the name was corrected to STEPHEN

On page 373, paragraph 2, line 3, delete to after the word story

On page 378, line 11, work-type should be hyphenated

On page 383, paragraph 2, line 5, preceding was misspelled

On page 386, paragraph 1, line 2, and on page 388, paragraph 2, line 2, free-lance should have been hyphenated

On page 394, paragraph 2, line 5, where was misspelled

On page 406, line 27, omit the comma between the words press and room

On page 409, in the description, Caucasian was misspelled

On page 414, paragraph 1, line 3, free-lance should have been hyphenated

On page 414, paragraph 3, line 2, got was corrected to get

On page 417, paragraph 1, line 4, a was corrected to an

On page 424, lines 4 and 6, GRIER was misspelled

On page 434, paragraph 2, line 3, GRIER was misspelled and RAFTER was misspelled

On page 424, paragraph 5, line 1, GRIER was misspelled

On page 425, line 11, GRIER was misspelled

On page 426, paragraph 3, line 3, correction has been made so that the sentence reads - - with dark complexion, dark eyes and hair and was wearing - -

On page 431, paragraph 3, line 4, him was corrected to his

On page 432, line 2, well-tanned should have been hyphenated

On page 489 and 490, in the description, Ottumwa was misspelled

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Pages 501 through 509 were duplicate pages of interviews conducted and appearing on pages 492 through 500. Pages 501 through 509 were deleted and attached is a copy of an insert to be placed in Section II of rerep

On page 510, paragraph 2, line 8, SAIDALLAH was misspelled

On page 510, 511, and 512, MYLEEN was misspelled

On pages 511, paragraph 4, line 5, clear second word, was

On page 516, paragraph 2, line 4, 9 a.m. was corrected to 9 p.m.

On page 519, line 5, KALLA and KARADSHEH are misspelled

On page 541 at the bottom Chatsworth was misspelled

On page 548, line 3, occult-type should be hyphenated

On page 559, paragraph 1, line 14, Israel was misspelled

On page 565, paragraph 3, line 2, an apostrophe should appear before the s in SIRHAN'S; p.2, line 2, BISHARA misspelled

On page 577, line 3, SANKARI was misspelled

On page 578, paragraph 1, line 7, ke was corrected to he

On page 598, lines 3 and 7 clear California and recognized

SECTION III

On page 612, paragraph 1, line 1, brought was misspelled

On page 612, paragraph 2, line 6, some was misspelled

On page 613, paragraph 2, line 3, POSITIONS apparently should be PETITIONS

On page 615, paragraph 2, line 2, HEADQUARTERS was misspelled

On page 624, paragraph 4, line 7, correction was made to read - - 5:00 or 5:30 p.m.

On page 628, paragraph 1, line 8, clear KOUSHAN

On page 638, paragraph 3, line 3, delete a at the end of the line

On page 648, paragraph 3, line 2 Campaign was misspelled

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On page 650, last paragraph, last line, word was omitted and correction made so that sentence reads - - support of Mr. KAHAN had been given both of the KENNEDYS.

On page 651, paragraph 2, line 21, persistent was misspelled

On page 653, paragraph 4, line 3, strongly was misspelled

On page 659, paragraph 2, line 2, correction was made to describe the boxes as - - 3 by 5 inch - -

On page 682, paragraph 1, line 2, inadvertent was misspelled

On page 685, paragraph 1, last line, refreshment was misspelled

On page 718, paragraph 3, line 7, industries was misspelled

On page 746, paragraph 3, line 6, pamphlet was misspelled

On page 771, paragraph 3, line 7, assassination was misspelled

On page 777, paragraph 1, line 10, FAHEY'S was misspelled

On page 810, paragraph 3, line 4, clear HENRY

On page 832, paragraph 7, line 4, interfering was misspelled

On page 838, paragraph 1, line 4, clear first word, mailing

On page 839, paragraph 1, line 1, clear DUARTE

On page 844, paragraph 1, line 2, asked was corrected to ask

On page 847, in the description, Havana was misspelled

On page 860, paragraph 2, line 10, may was corrected to many

On page 874, paragraph 7, line 2, approximately was misspelled

On page 878, paragraph 3, third from the last line, subject was misspelled

On page 881, paragraph 2, line 7, individual was misspelled

On page 883, paragraph 3, line 12, criticizing was misspelled

On page 884, paragraph 2, line 7, criticized was misspelled

On page 887, paragraph 1, line 4, occasionally was misspelled

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On page 888, the last paragraph, line 2, telephone was corrected to telephoned.

On page 893, paragraph 3, lines 3, 6 and 11, DUARTE was misspelled

On page 894, paragraph 4, line 13, slide was corrected to slides.

On page 898, BOUCHNAND was corrected to be consistent with the index, to BOUCNAND

On page 902, the last word on the page has been deleted since it appears at the top of page 903

SECTION IV

On page 907, line 14, clear unsuccessful.

On page 911, the appendix relating to the American Nazi Party, Los Angeles, California, the words The late have been inserted before the name of GEORGE LINCOLN ROCKWELL

It was noted that some of the copies of rerep submitted to the Bureau contained one appendix relating to the W. F. B. DU Bois Clubs of America (DCA) while others contained another appendix relating to the same. Attached is a copy of page 913 which is the appendix which should appear in all copies of the report of SA Richards

On page 916, paragraph 1, line 4, the last word in was corrected to on

On page 921, line 5, clear the last word, that

On page 940, paragraph 3, line 1, clear the last word completed

On page 960, the last paragraph, line two, delete the comma

On page 961, paragraph 2, line 6, clear the apostrophe in SPORTSMAN'S

On page 971, paragraph 2, line 7, receipt was misspelled

On page 987, paragraph 2, line 2, seen was corrected to saw

On page 1005, line 1, delete he said that since it is superfluous

On page 1024, paragraph 4, line 5 he was corrected to if so that the sentence "reads if he runs."

On page 1034, in the description, Mediterranean was misspelled

On page 1035, paragraph 2, line 3 add a comma at the end

On page 1045, paragraph 2, line 4, clear Lieutenant

On page 1045, paragraph 3, last line, conclusive was misspelled and probably was corrected to probable

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On page 1046, paragraph 2, line 3, reasonable was corrected to reasonably

On page 1054, last paragraph, line 1, clear headquarters

On page 1070, paragraph 1, line 10, capital A was omitted in Airline

On page 1073, paragraph 1, line 3, clear the word information

The page which was numbered 1110 was out of place in rerep. Page 1111 was changed to page 1110, page 1112 was changed to 1111, and page 1110 was changed to 1112.

APPENDIX

W. E. B. DU BOIS CLUBS OF AMERICA (DCA)

A source advised that on October 26-27, 1963, a conference of members of the Communist Party, USA (CPUSA), including national functionaries, met in Chicago, Illinois, for the purpose of setting in motion forces for the establishment of a new national Marxist-oriented youth organization which would hunt for the most peaceful transition to socialism. The delegates were told that it would be reasonable to assume that the young socialists attracted into this new organization would eventually pass into the CP itself.

A second source has advised that the founding convention for the new youth organization was held from June 19-21, 1964, at 150 Golden Gate Avenue, San Francisco, California, at which time the name W.E.B. Du Bois Clubs of America (DCA) was adopted. Approximately 500 delegates from throughout the United States attended this convention.

The second source advised in September, 1966, that Mike Zagarell, CPUSA Youth Director, stated that in Negro communities the Party still supported the plan to build "left" socialist centers and to solidify the Party base through the DCA. This source also advised in September, 1966; that Daniel Rubin, CPUSA National Organizational Secretary, stated the Party believes the DCA should have a working-class outlook and be a mass organization favorable to socialism, socialist countries and Marxism, and in April, 1967, advised that Gus Hall, CPUSA General Secretary, indicated the DCA primary emphasis should be on developing mass resistance to the draft.

A third source advised in September, 1967, that Jarvis Tyner was elected chairman of the DCA on September 10, 1967, at the Third National Convention of the DCA held in New York, New York, from September 8-10, 1967.

A fourth source advised during August, 1967, that Jarvis Tyner is a member of the National Committee of the CPUSA.

A fifth source advised on September 21, 1967, that the headquarters of the DCA is located at 34 West 17th Street, New York, New York.

APPENDIX

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, Los Angeles (56-156)

DATE: 8/23/68

FROM : Director, FBI (62-587)

SUBJECT: KENSALT

CIA advised through Bureau liaison that in June, 1968, a reliable source discussed with Simon Malley the assassination of Senator Robert Kennedy. According to CIA's source, Malley said the assassination had been perpetrated "by the American Red Hand," as had the assassinations of President Kennedy and Martin Luther King. The source said he told Malley this theory was ridiculous but Malley insisted it was true. CIA advised that arrangements could be made to interview source through Domestic Operations Division Office of CIA in New York City.

New York arrange through CIA to interview source and furnish results to Bureau and Los Angeles for inclusion in next investigative report in captioned matter.

No interview with Malley is desired. For information of Los Angeles, Malley is an accredited UN correspondent for a French language weekly publication and is a U.S. citizen of Egyptian origin. Bufiles reveal he has an unreliable reputation, possesses a "spy" complex and is prone to write half-truths. He has openly attacked the U.S. in his writings.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (62-587)

FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (44-1640)

SUBJECT: KENSALT

Re Bureau airtel to New York, dated 8/12/68, with attached CIA communication dated 8/7/68, concerning rumor circulating in Lebanon on 5/18/68 that Senator ROBERT KENNEDY had been shot.

Miss ALBA GORINI, Employee, Raytheon Company, International Sales and Services, 610 Fifth Avenue, NYC, on 8/22/68, advised that according to her records, one JOSEPH A. STRONG is employed by Raytheon and is currently assigned to its Wayland, Massachusetts Division. She gave the location as:

Raytheon Company,
Equipment Division,
Wayland Laboratories
Boston Post Road
Wayland, Massachusetts
Telephone Number 617-358-2721

The Head Office of Raytheon is located at 141 Spring Street, Lexington, Massachusetts.

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- 2- Boston (Encls. 2)
- 1- Los Angeles (56-156) (INFO)
- 1- New York

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Miss GORRINI stated that there is no employee by the name of JOSEPH STRONG working in Raytheon's New York City office and further stated that her records fail to reflect any other employee by that name except the one working in the Wayland, Massachusetts Division.

Boston interview JOSEPH STRONG, Employee of Raytheon at Wayland, Massachusetts along lines requested of New York in referenced Bureau airtel.

Enclosed for Boston is one copy of each referenced communication.

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date 9/3/68

Mr. JAMES E. SMITH telephonically advised that he had just returned from Australia and had learned through a friend that the FBI in Los Angeles had indicated an interest in talking to him. SMITH stated that he holds dual citizenship in the United States and Australia and at the time of this assassination was working for the campaign of Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY. He advised that he did not witness the actual shooting, and at the approximate time of the assassination he was just about to enter the Ambassador Hotel.

According to SMITH, he determined that the FBI was interested in talking with him from a female acquaintance of his, Miss JOAN HULL of Los Angeles, California, who has already been questioned by the FBI. SMITH said that he did not know SIRHAN SIRHAN and did not believe he could furnish any information concerning the assassination; however, he indicated he wanted to cooperate with the FBI in any way he could.

At the present time he is residing at the Fox Plaza, Room 2715, San Francisco, telephone number 621-9848. He is currently unemployed.

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On 9/3/68 at San Francisco, California File # LA 56-156
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by ALBERT G. HIGGINS / ER Date dictated 9/3/68

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