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Domestic Intelligence Division

INFORMATIVE NOTE

Date 6/10/68

This relates to the murder of avalien grocery store owner from Jordan by a Militant black nationalist in Chicago, Illinois. Although the killing may have been an act of revenge over the assassination of Senator Robert F. Kennedy, Chicago has no information confirming this possibility at this time.

Inter-Division Information Unit of the Department and White House Situation Room was advised. Information being included in summary teletype to White House and interested officials and agencies. Copy of attached sent Attorney General.

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REACTION TO ASSASSINATION OF SEWATOR ROBERT F. KENNEDY. RM.

DETECTIVE DALE BUEHLER. AREA ONE MOMOCIDE. CHICAGO PD ADVISED INSTANT THAT SATURDAY TEN AM LAST TWO/MALE NEGROES SUBSEQUENTLY IDENTIFY AS ROBERT SMITH KNOWN AS YAREE AMEER/AND HALF-BROTHER MICHAEL WALTON: ENTERED SUPREME GROCERY STORE, THREE FOUR THREE EAST FIFTY FIRST STREET. CHICAGO, AND WITHOUT WARNING ASSASSINATED OWNER BENT OVER ARRANGING DISPLAY. THREE WITNESSES OBSERVED SUBJECTS ENTER STORE. APPROACH OWNER AND WITHOUT UTTERING A SOUND FIRE TWO SHOTS FROM THIRTY EIGHT CALIBER REVOLVER WHICH STRUCK HEAD! OF ABBER RAYYAN, MALE, AGE FIFTY ONE, ARAB. ALIEN FROM JORDAN WHO HAS BEEN IN U.S. FOR FIVE YEARS. HE DIED Included in summary to White House FIFTEEN MINUTES LATER. and Attorney Concret.

BUEHLER AND OFFICIALS CHICAGO PD BELIEVE THIS MURDER PER-PETRATED AS REVENGE OR DEMONSTRATION OF EMOTION BY BLACK MILITANTS OVER ASSASSINATION OF SENATOR ROBERT F. KENNEDY BY JORDANIAN ARAB NATIONAL. CHICAGO PD MAINTAINING STRICT CENSORSHIP cc 's to A6+1010 END PAGE ONE 6/9/67 ERS/GR

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OF APPARENT MOTIVE OF KILLING FROM NEWS SOURCES TO PREVENT SIMILIAR
RETALIATION BY ARAB NATIONALISTS OR BLACK POWER ADHERENTS IN CHICAGO
AREA. NO WARRANTS ISSUED FOR SMITH OR WALTON AS YET.

PD HOLDING MATERIAL WITNESS AARON LEE MEYERS WHO DROVE CAR CARRYING KILLERS.

MYERS INTERVIEWED INSTANT HAD NO KNOWLEDGE OF SUBJECTS CONNECTION OTHER THAN SMITH LEADER OF YOUNG NEGRO HATE GROUP NEAR FORRESTVILLE HIGH SCHOOL FORTY THIRD STREET AND LANGLEY. CHICAGO.

CHICAGO SOURCES HAVE ADVISED ROBERT SMITH ALSO KNOWN AS YAREE

AMEER IS LEADER OF YOUNG BLACK MILITANTS AND FORMERLY CLOSELY ASSOCIATED
WITH ROBERT BROWN, MIDWEST REGION DIRECTOR, SNCC.

ROBERT SMITH AND MICHAEL WALTON SHOULD BE CONSIDERED ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

ADMINISTRATIVE: RE BUREAU TELEPHONE FROM H.H. WALLACE, DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE TO CHICAGO TWO PM INSTANT. ROBERT SMITH IS AGITATOR INDEX SUBJECT. CHICAGO SOURCES HAVE NO INFORMATION THAT SUBJECTS' ASSASSINATION OF ARAB IN ANYWAY CONNECTED WITH CHICAGO BRANCH OF SMCC OR NATIONAL ORGANIZATION. NO LOCAL DISSEMINATION BEING MADE TO PREVENT POSSIBLE REACTION TO KILLING.

CHICAGO PD INVESTIGATION CONTINUING. CLOSE LIAISON BEING MAINTAINED WITH PD. BUREAU WILL BE ADVISED OF PERTINENT DETAILS.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (62-587)

FROM: PAG, SAN FRANCISCO (62-5481)

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Re SF airtel to Bureau, 6/6/68.

On page two, paragraph three, line six, seventh and eighth words, "Nazi Party"should be "Navy petty". Bureau and Los Angeles please correct accordingly.

SF copies corrected.

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June 13, 1968

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1 - Mr. Cooke

Mrs. Mary Steinback 345 North Quince Street Exeter, California 93221

Dear Mrs. Steinback:

I have received your letter dated June 5,

I appreciate your bringing your observations to my attention and assure you that all possible avenues are being explored in the investigation of the death of Senator Robert F. Kennedy.

Appropriate copies of the photographs that you forwarded have been made and the originals are being returned to you herewith.

MAILED SI JUN 1 3 1968 COMM-FBI Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover Director

Report

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2 - Los Angeles (Enclosures - 3)
Enclosed for Los Angeles for the completion of your
file are a copy of Mrs. Steinback's letter and copies of
the photographs she forwarded to the Bureau.

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NOTE

Correspondent forwarded photographs of persons she identified as Cuban indicating that she hopes they will be of assistance to the Bureau in the investigation of the attempted assassination of Senator Robert F. Kennedy.

Correspondent previously forwarded to the Bureau by letter dated 8/11/67 some papers she found in a telephone booth for whatever value they might be. That letter was acknowledged "Thank you for your observations."

TRUE COPY

Wed. Morn; June 5, 1968

Dear Sir or Sirs;

I am enclosing photographs of a two men who are from Cuba the picture was taken during summer before 1952 these men came down to visit neighbor of mine at that time. I kept the pictures in album all this time I just thought it might help as they said they were from Los Angles area but came over from Cuba and the short fellow was supposed to be a lightweight boxing champion from Cuba what I thought was maybe it would help to look in this area boxing or wrestling in Los Angles I cant remember thier names but hope pictures might help I was living in Long Beach when pictures were taken.

Yours Sincerely;

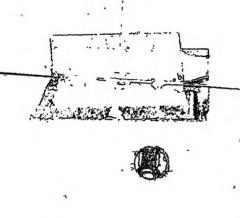
/s/ Mrs Mary Steinback 345 North Quince St. Exeter California 93221

P. S.

My husband and I are both greif stricken over the attempt of assination of on Senator Robert Kenendy and hope this information might help.

Hed mon. Dune 5, 1968 Dear Ser or fire (RINSALT)

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MISS MELEN D WARDE 24 EVERETT AVE. NORWOOD. MASS. 02062

June 7, 1968

The F.B.I., Washington, D. C.

RE: In connection with the

Gentlemen:

Asassination of Sen.Robert F. Kennedy.

For what it may be worth for possible investigation, while driving on Route 128 North into Boston, a car passed us with a lone woman driver, wearing a "white dress with large black polka dots" on same.

The registration of the car is

394,683 Mass.

Wery truly yours wards
(Miss) Helen D. Wards

Phone: 762 - 0727

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June 13, 1968

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1 - Mr. Cooke

Miss Helen D. Warde 24 Everett Avenue Norwood, Massachusetts 02062

Dear Miss Warde:

I have received your letter dated June 7, 1968.

Thank you for furnishing your observations in connection with the assassination of Senator Robert F. Kennedy.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover Director

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2 - Los Angeles (Enclosure) Enclosed for Los Angeles is a copy of Miss Warde's letter.

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NOTE

Miss Warde is not identifiable in Bureau files.

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June 12, 1968

Mrs. Albert E. McManus 2922 Baywater

San Pedro, California 90731

E. MARY Dear Mrs. McManus:

Your letter of June 5th has been received.

I appreciate your offer to be of assistance, and it is indeed most encouraging to hear from concerned citizens who express a desire to be of help. If you should learn of any information which you believe would be of interest, please advise a representative of our office which is located at 1340 West 6th Street, Los Angeles, California 90017.

> Sincerely yours, J. Edgar Hoover

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Wednesday, June 5, 1968

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director Federal Bureau of Investigation Department of Justice United States Government Constitution Avenue & 10th Street, NW Washington, D.C. 20530

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Dear Sir:

All America is, of course, astonished and chagrined at the attempted murder of Senator Robert F. Kennedy.

I feel this a most opportune time to offer whatever assistance I am in a position to, if nothing more than sincere moral support, for the welfare of my Country.

I am a City of Los Angeles employee since 1941, employed in the Port of Los Angeles, Board of Harbor Commissioners office, and a resident of San Pedro (City of Los Angeles), California.

There are many citizens like me, my neighbors, etc., who want to help and can, if but directed.

Yours very truly,

K. Mary McManus

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Mr. Frank M. Cresta 3589 Nottingham Lane Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19114

Dear Mr. Cresta:

I have received your letter dated June 6, 1968.

Thank you for bringing your observations to the attention of this Bureau.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover Director

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NOTE:

Bureau indices contain no record identifiable with Frank Cresta.

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June 6, 1968

Dear Sir,

I am writing this letter in regards to a suspician I have of the brutal Assasinations of President Kennedy, Rev. Martin Luthor King and Now Senator Robert Kennedy.

I am sure that your most able agency already has noticed the coincidence that the last name of all three men begin with the letter K.

My suspicion is that the Klu Klux Klan may be responsible for these atrocious acts of violence. I am basing my theory on the fact that the Klan hates Negroes and Catholics.

Senator Kennedy's assasin was obviously paid with the four one hundred dollar bills to kill him.

It is very hard for me to swallow the theory that Sirhan Sirhan killed Mr. Kennedy because of the remarks made in support of the Israelites.

I do hope your agency is already looking into this possibility. Any reply would be greatly appreciated.

I only wish Ichad the ability and the power to help my country end these sensless crimes against All Americans. Thank you for any consideration taken.

Frank M. Cresta 3589 Nottingham lane Phila. 19114 Pa. Sincerely

/s/ Frank Cresta

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To: DIRECTOR

FROM: MIAMI 62-0

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MRS. JOHN KEASLER - COMPLAINANT
THREAT AGAINST THE KENNEDY CHILDREN

AT ONE DASH THIRTY AM , JUNE EIGHT , MRS. JOHN KEASLER ,
SIX NINE EIGHT FERNWOOD ROAD, KEY BISCAYNE, DADE COUNTY FLORIDA,
WIFE OF MIAMI HERALD NEWSPAPER COLUMNIST, TELEPHONICALLY ADVISED AS
FOLLOWS.

AT TWELVE DASH FORTYFIVE AM , JUNE EIGHTH, MRS KEASLER RECEIVED ANONYMOUS TELEPHONE CALL FROM A WOMAN WHO SOUNDED MATURE, WHITE, SOBER, AND WHOSE VOICE HAD NO DISTINGUISHING CHARACTERISTICS. THE WOMAN ASKED TO TALK WITH MR. KEASLER WHO HAD ALREADY GONE TO BED. IN AS MUCH AS THE KEASLERS RECEIVE MANY CRANK CALLS SHE TRIED TO QUESTION THE WOMAN RELATIVE TO PURPOSE OF THE CALL. THE WOMAN WOULD NOT TELL HER EXCEPT TO SAY THAT THE CALL CONCERNED THE KEASLER CHILDREN. SHE THEREFORE GOT HER HUSBAND OUT OF BED AND TO THE PHONE. END PAGE ONE

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Mr. Tolson Mr. DeLoach

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MR. KEASLER THEN TALKED WITH THE WOMAN FOR A SHORT WHILE. HE TOLD MRS. KEASLER THE WOMAN HAD SAID SHE DID NOT HAVE ANY INFORMATION ABOUT THE KEASLER CHILDREN BUT SHE DID WANT TO TELL HIM THERE WOULD BE AN ATTEMPT ON THE LIVES OF THE KENNEDY CHILDREN WHEN THE FUNERAL CORTAGE PASSED THE JUSTICE BUILDING IN WASHINGTON SATURDAY AFTERNOON. SHE DID NOT SPECIFICALLY IDENTIFY WHICH KENNEDY CHILDREN.

MRS. KEASLER SAID HER HUSBAND HAD TOLD HER THAT HE THOUGHT WOMAN WAS A CRANK, HAD GONE BACK TO BED, AND HAD INTENDED DOING NOTHING ABOUT THE CALL; HOWEVER, SHE BEGAN WORRYING AND DECIDED TO NOTIFY THE FBI.

CASIMIR SZPAK, ASST. SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE, SECRET SERVICE NOTIFE
AT ONE DASH FORTY AM JUNE EIGHTH.

LHM FOLLOWS.

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Star Route B, Box 392 Franklin, Louisiana June U, 1968

(OKENSALT)

District ttorney Evelle C. Younger Los Angeles County Los Angeles, California

Bear Mr. Younger:

There was a word mispelled in my letter to you of June 7th. The word should have been prisoner instead of prisonment—a typographical prior.

further suggestion: I would not allow his lawyer to see him or psychologists to question him unless they change their clothes and wear clothes furnished by you. I would give them a complete search down-to-the fine points realizing how easy it is to conceal a poison on their person.

You searched the judge before Sirhan's hearing; an example to his lawyer how thorough you have to be.

Wishing you luck,

C. A. pplantis, Jr.

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SUBJECT : KENNEDY ASSASSINATION:

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SUMMARY JON KIMCHE CLAIMS BELIEVE HIS SOURCE. (WHOM HE DECLINES TO NAME) OF INFO FOR SIRHAN STORY REPORTED LONDON 9869 IS RELIABLE. HE SUGGESTS TWO ASPECTS: ARE: SUSCEPTIBLE OF CHECKING. BRITISH AUTHORITIES SHARE OUR DOUBTS ABOUT KIMCHE'S GENERAL RELIABILITY.

IN HOUR-LONG EXCHANGE SAT AFT. AT EMBOFFS QUARTERS KINCHE STUCK TO MAIN OUTLINE OF HIS ALLEGATIONS RE SIRHANS TRIPS FROM US: TO NEAR: EAST. AFFORDING KIMCHE SEVERAL OPPORTUNITIES TO BACK AWAYNOT RECORDED FROM HIS EVENING STANDARD STORY, EMBOFF APPEALED TO JUN 21 1968 HIS SENSE OF PUBLIC RESPONSIBILITY, PROMISED USG WOULD PROTECT INFO: AND EVINCED SYMPATHETIC INTERESE IN KIMCHE'S NEW PUBLISHING VENTURE: (LONDON: A=3472) KINCHE KEPT REITERATING HE COULD NOT PROVE HIS: INFO CORRECT BUT HIS: SOURCE USUALLY RELEABLE SEEMED UNIMPRESSED BY POSSIBILITY THIS MIGHT BE. SIMPLE CASE OF MISTAKEN IDENTITY'S

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A. EXPLAINED HE HAD TO POSTPONE LAST NIGHTS' APPOINTMENT WITH EMBOFF IN ORDER, SEE A CAIRO SOURCE WHO STOPPED AT LONDON AIRPORT TWO HOURS' THEIR MEETING UNRELATED TO SIRHAN CASE'

B. VOLUNTEERED THAT HIS STORYS REFERENCES TO TAN ARAB GOVERNMENT" AS SOURCE OF HIS: INFO ON SIRHAN WERE UNTRUE. HE CITED "AN ARAB GOVERNMENT TO PROTECT" MYSELF AND MY SOURCE."

C. SAID HE REFLECTED HARD AND RE-CHECKED WITH HIS SOURCE BEFORE PUBLISHING JUNE 13 ARTICLE. CHECKED WITH SOURCE AGAIN AFTER EMBOFF PHONED FOR APPOINTMENT. (EMBOFF DID NOT SPECIFY SUBJECT, BUT KIMCHE KNEW.)

4. KIMCHE MADE FOL POINTS IN RESPONSE EMBOFFS PROBES:

A. HIS CONTACTS WITH SOURCE ARE DIRECT. LAST NIGHT THEY CONVERSED BY PHONE.

B. OVER TWO YEARS SOURCE HAS BEEN MALMOST ALWAYS RIGHT. HE PROVIDED INFO FOR KINCHES MAY 7 EVENING STANDARD PIECE RE "SURPRISE AIDE MEMOIRE" SENT BY SOVIETS TO ARAB GOVTS INCLUDING JORDANS (ARTICLE POUCHED MAY 8 TO NEA/ARN, NEA, IAI, IO, UNP, AMMAN, BEIRUT, JERUSALEM, TEL AVIV, ETC.). THOUGH THIS STORY DENIED BY JORDANIAN EMB LONDON AND OTHER AUTHORITIES, LATER, "SIR HAROLD MCGUIRE" COMPLEMENTED KINCHE ON ACCURACY HIS INFO. SAME SOURCE ALSO GAVE KINCHE INFO FOR: JUNE 6 ARTICLE (LONDON, 9621) REFATAH STUDENT ACTIVITIES IN PARIS "AND PHILADELPHIA," WHICH OTHER SOURCES LATER: CONFIRMED! TO KINCHE.

COMMENT: PHILADELPHIA NOT MENTIONED IN: JUNE: 6 ARTICLE.

C. KIMCHE WILLING COOPERATE WITH US "100 PERCENT"
BUT CAN'T NAME SOURCE. YEARS AGO HE WAS BADLY BURNED
BY IDENTIFYING A SOURCE. AND HAS: NEVER! DONE: SO SINCE
DESPITE MANY ENTREATIES BY ISRAELI AND BRITISH OFFICIALS.
LATER KIMCHE SAID HE COULD TELL US SOURCE IF LATTER:

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APPROVED. BUT KIMCHE: DOUBTED SOURCE WOULD.

D. INFO RE SIRHANS TRIPS. "WAS: FLOATING AROUND IN FATAH CIRCLES" TO: WHICH SOURCE HAS ACCESS. IN ANOTHER CONTEXT KIMCHE SAID SOME ARAB DIPLOMATS: BEING DRAWN INTO FATAH SUPPORT ACTIVITIES. SOME OF THEM: UNWILLINGLY.

E. SOURCE CERTAIN SIRHAN: VISITED NE: INCLUDING DAMASCUS IN 1964 AND CAIRO IN 1966. SOURCE: LESS: SURE ABOUT EARLIER TRIP. PRESUMABLY FBI COULD ASCERTAIN WHETHER SIRHAN PHYSICALLY PRESENT IN: U.S. THROUGHOUT 1964 AND 1966.

F. KIMCHE: WAS DOUBTFUL ABOUT SOURCE S INFO RE SIRHAN'S MARRIAGE AT 13. BUT SOURCE INSISTED MARRIAGE TOOK PLACE 1957 AT SALT. PRESUMABLY LOCAL RECORDS BEING CHECKED.

G. RELUPI STORIES (TEL AVIV 4128) INCLUDING THEORY OF MISTAKEN IDENTITY INVOLVING STHRAN. SALIM EMLABER KHABÎR SIRHAN OF DETROIT, KIMCHE COMMENTED ONLY THAT THE ASSASSINES FATHER HAS MADE CONTRADICTORY STATEMENTS.

HE LAST NIGHT SOURCE TOLD KIMCHEFFATAH QUITE CONFIDENT SIRHAN WOULD NOT TALK BUT ARE SENDING SPECIAL TEAM TO LOS ANGELES TO KILL HIM IF HE DOES.

5. WHILE DISCUSSING MUTUAL ISRAELI ACQUAINTANCES. KIMCHE SAID HIS CLOSE RELATIONS: WITH IDF: AND: AMB: TO U.K. REMEZ WERE UNIMPAIRED BY LAST YEAR'S FLAP OVER JEWISH OBSERVER.

6. KIMCHE OFFERED SHARE ANY FUTHER PERTINENT INFO WITH REPORTING EMBOFF, PRIOR LATTER S: JUNE: 18 TRANSFER AND SUB-SEQUENTLY WITH OTHER EMBOFF.

7. ON CONTINGENCY BASIS EMBASSY JUNE 14 CHECKED VIA APPROPRIATE CHANNELS POSSIBILITY THAT HMG MIGHT HAVE SOMEONE WITH WHOM KIMCHE! LIKELY BE FORTHCOMING. U.K. AUTHORITIES RESPONDED THAT THEY DID: NOT PLACE CREDENCE IN KIMCHE'S RELIABILITY AND DOUBTED THEY COULD GET THE TRUTH FROM HIM.

8. DEPT. RPT. FURTHER IF DESIRED. GP-3 BRUCE

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: June 10, 1968

FROM

SAC, ST. LOUIS (44-782)

SUBJECT:

KENSALT

On June 7, 1968, D. JEFF LANCE, 611 Olive Street, Attorney-at-Law and former U. S. Attorney, EDMO, advised that he is the Missouri campaign manager for Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY, and that he, LANCE, had received telephonic information from CHARLES HENRY BYFORD to the effect that BYFORD had heard that St. Louis Attorney RICHARD D. FITZGIBBON, Jr., former USA, EDMO, made a comment to the effect that Senator KENNEDY would never take office. BYFORD claimed that he had a tape recording of this information.

Mr. LANCE told BYFORD such information was personally offensive to him since he had a high personal regard for Mr. FITZGIBBON. Mr. LANCE stated that he attached no significance whatsoever to BYFORD's remarks in view of his known instability.

CHARLES HENRY BYFORD appears in St. Louis file 70-11734 (Bufile 70-38596), and in St. Louis file 2-32 (Bufile 2-1670).

By airtel dated March 14, 1968 in the matter captioned "CHARLES H. BYFORD; JOHN W. MACY - VICTIM, EXTORTION", St. Louis file 9-1965, the Bureau advised that the subject is a chronic letter-writer and is

In view of the above information, St. Louis is taking no further action.

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1 - Mr. B. Cooke

Mrs. Edward L. Farr, Jr. Acton Ridge Road East Wakefield, New Hampshire 03830

Dear Mrs. Farr:

I have received your letter dated June 10, 1968, with its enclosure.

I appreciate your cooperation in furnishing your observations to this Bureau.

Sincerely yours.

John Edgar Hoover Director

BHC:pah (3) NOTE:

Mrs. Farr is not identifiable in Bureau files.

No action appears warranted.

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Attention: Mr. Hoover

No doubt I am one of hundreds who noticed the similarity in the picture of Sirhan B. Sirhan, as printed in Boston Herald Traveler p. 36 Sec. A. June 9th, and the central figure above Mark Rudd's arm in picutre on article about Rudd in the Boston Herald Traveler magazine of June 9th. If it isn't the same man it must be a brother.

Instead of contacting the newspaper, I thought it best to send the clippings direct to you.

Best wishes to you in your work.

(Mrs.) Mildred S. Farr

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Rudd's parents don't agree with

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little of the idealism and hope of the early Kennedy years, that has endured the war in Vietnam, during young adulthood that thinks of the Cold War as merely a historical event, and whose parents have given them both the money and the time to fight the world their parents made.

Rudd's economically secure childhood was in marked contrast to his parents. The children of emigrants from Lithuania and Poland the family name of Rudnitsky was changed about 20 years agol, Jacob and Bertha Rudd were married in Elizabeth, N.I. in 1933 "with about \$3 to our names," Mrs. Rudd recalled.

The jobless young husband joined the infantry, fought in the Philippines during World War II, and retired in 1947 as a lieutenant colonel. The elder Rudd then spent 14 years as a civilian supervising post exchanges for the Defense Department before starting a real estate business in 1961, but he continues to serve in the Reserves.

The Rudds' younger son showed flaring enhusiasm for a variety of projects: the ham radio, Boy Scouts, jazz, even a diet that lopped off his haby fat. However, Rudd recalled that Mark would get deenly involved in something and then lose interest.

"He could be very impressed by different people be met, particularly those with some position of authority," Rudd said.

At the same time the young man was developing an awareness of the poor. He recalled recently: "I lived in a middle class home and I could the about material things anyway; be'd just as soon sleep in the woods as anywhere."

While he altended Columbia High School in Maplewood, which sends 80 per cent of its graduates to college, Mark began to develop an interest in politics. He urged his father to pay his Negro employes higher wages and wrote columns in the school paper denouncing "conformity" and "stagnation"

Despite top grades he was rejected by Harvard and decided on Columbia, where the freshman year Rudd considered himself "politically undeveloped" and spent much of his time writing plays ("confused existentialism") and visiting a girl friend at Sarah Lawrence College,

The turning point in Rudd's political development came when a friend introduced him to the leaders of a newly formed campus chapter of Students for a Democratic Society. The friend was Mike Neumann, the stepson of Herbert Marcuse, the philosopher whose criticisms of the "repressive" nature of contemporary society have made a great impact on New Left thinking. Rudd described what happened:

"I had always had a humanist bent, but when I got to Columbia I started reading people like Marcuse and Lenin, Marcuse was very important to me. He made it clear that revolutions come from the will to revolution, which is itself a product of historical situation, Marcuse showed that within that process people can play a revolutionary role.

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Mark Rudd (in white shirt at left center) raises his arm toward New York City Folice Chief Inspector Sanford Garelik.

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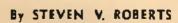


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DATE: Director, FBI (Attn. FBI Laboratory) 6/10/68 (62-587)

FROM

AC, San Francisco (62-5481)

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Re LA tel 6/8/68.

Enclosed is original cancelled check #262013 dated 4/5/68 issued by Argonaut Insurance Company to SIRHAN SIRHAN, 696 E. Howard, Pasadena, California.

Check is endorsed with the name of the payee.

FBI Laboratory is requested to compare handwritten endorsement on above check with other handwriting submitted by the Los-Angeles Office. Results of examination should be submitted to Los Angeles Office.

On completion of examination, check should be forwarded to San Francisco Office so it may be returned to Argonaut Insurance Company.

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DIRECTOR, FBI (62-587)

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Re Sacramento teletype to Bureau dated 6/5/68.

(Priority)

Referenced teletype advised that JAMES MC EVOY, IN, Ph.D., Department of Sociology, University of California at Davis, California, had stated that a person resembling the photograph of SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN had been ordered away from the hallway near stage where Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY was to speak.

Professor MC EVOY stated this occurred in the hallway of Freeborn Hall, University of California at Davis, California, on 5/16/68, where Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY spoke. Professor MC EVOY stated that the individual had been ordered out of the hallway by University policeman JOSEPH GALLARDO and the incident had been observed by Professor KENNETH HAUF.

On 6/6/68, inquiry at the University of California Police Department revealed that the officer who had ordered the individual out of the hallway was Patrolman JOHN ADAMS REINWAND of the University Police Department. REINWAND stated that the individual whom he ordered out of the hallway definitely was not SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN although there were some similar features. He stated that he had seen photographs of SIRHAN and was certain of this.

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Professor KENNETH HANE Political Science Department, University of California at Davis, California, stated he was the person who had observed the above incident. He stated his recollection was that although this individual appeared to be of Middle East extraction and had features similar to that of SIRHAND, he did not believe that they were identical. He stated that his wife, who was in the hallway at the time, might recall the individual.

On 6/6/68, Mrs. HEIDI BUSSE HANE, 1925 East Eighth Street, Davis, California, advised that she recalled the individual who had been requested to leave the hallway behind the stage where Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY was to speak. She stated that while there was a definite resemblance between this individual and SIRHAN, she did not believe they were identical. She stated that a friend, Mrs. KIRSTE STEINMO, a teaching assistant at the University, was also there at the time and might recall the incident.

On 6/8/68, Mrs. KIRSTE STEINMO, 5344 McMillan Drive, Fair Oaks, California, advised that she did recall the individual who had been requested to leave from behind the stage at Freeborn Hall, University of California at Davis, California, when Senator ROBERT F. KENNEDY spoke. She stated that the individual who was what she considers to be the Mediterranean type which includes Arabs, had features which she believes were similar to that of SIRHAN; nowever, she has seen photographs of SIRHAN and this individual definitely is not identical with SIRHAN. She added that she was able to see this individual from about seven feet away and for several minutes.

In view of the above, no further investigation is being conducted by the Sacramento Division in the above incident.