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Enclosed for the Bureau and LA are two copies each of  
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 regarding Sen. ROBERT. F. KENNEDY's appearance in San Fran-  
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The author of the article and editor of the paper is  
 MARVIN GARSON, BUFILE 100-437794, SF File 100-47870.  
 It will be noted GARSON is currently on SI. For this reason,  
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SUBJECT: KENNEDY ASSASSINATION.

REF: LONDON 9869.

FOLLOWING ARTICLE BY JON KIMCHE QUOTED IN TOTO FROM JUNE 17  
EVENING STANDARD. ENTITLED: FBI PROBE MIDDLE EAST TRAVELS.

QUOTE: THE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION AT HOME AND UNITED  
STATES OFFICIALS ABROAD HAVE BEEN ACTIVE OVER THE WEEKEND IN  
SEEKING TO PENETRATE THE SICKENING SMOKE SCREEN WHICH IS  
SETTLING ON THE ROBERT KENNEDY ASSASSINATION--ESPECIALLY OVER  
SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN'S IMMEDIATE PAST. THEY HAVE BEEN PROBING  
NEW INFORMATION COVERING AT LEAST FOUR FOREIGN COUNTRIES  
CONCERNING SIRHAN'S MOVEMENTS. IN DOING SO THEY ARE SATISFIED  
THAT SIRHAN'S CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS FOR A FAIR TRIAL WILL NOT  
BE JEOPARDISED. ON THE CONTRARY, IT IS THOUGHT THAT TIMELY  
ACTION AND REVELATION MAY PROTECT HIS LIFE MORE EFFECTIVELY  
THAN FORMALISTIC SILENCE--ESPECIALLY IF SIRHAN SHOWS ANY  
INCLINATION TO TALK FREELY. NEW INFORMATION WHICH HAS REACHED  
THE U.S. GOVERNMENT CLAIMS TO GIVE DETAILS OF SIRHAN'S JOURNEY  
TO SYRIA IN 1964, THE TIME HE WENT, WHERE HE WENT, HOW HE WENT,  
AND WHAT HE DID. UNQUOTE.

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REF: LONDON 9621.

1. FOL IS TEXT JOHN KIMCHE ARTICLE ENTITLED QTE BOBBY:  
RIDDLE OF TRIPS BY SIRHAN. UNQTE IN JUNE 13 EVENING STANDARD.

2. QTE. STARTLING NEW EVIDENCE ABOUT THE IDENTITY OF THE MAN  
CHARGED WITH KILLING ROBERT KENNEDY HAS BEEN PRODUCED BY AN  
ARAB GOVERNMENT. THE GOVERNMENT HAS BEEN MAKING AN INTENSIVE  
INVESTIGATION INTO THE BACKGROUND OF SIRHAN BISHARA. THE NEW  
INFORMATION, WHICH IS BEING COMMUNICATED TO THE UNITED STATES  
AUTHORITIES, MAY OPEN UP AN ENTIRELY NEW LINE OF INQUIRY INTO  
THE MOTIVATION AND ORGANIZATION OF THE ATTACK ON KENNEDY. IT  
ALSO INDICATED CONSIDERABLE VARIATION IN THE ACCOUNTS SO FAR  
GIVEN OF SIRHAN'S PAST AND MOVEMENTS. HIS FULL NAME IS GIVEN  
AS SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN ABU KHATAR. HE WAS FIRST BROUGHT TO  
THE UNITED STATES AS A FOUR-YEAR-OLD CHILD IN 1948--NOT IN  
1957. HE RETURNED TO JORDAN IN 1957 AND THE RECORDS SHOW THAT  
HE WAS MARRIED IN THE ORTHODOX CHURCH AT ES SALT, 15 MILES  
WEST OF AMMAN ON JUNE 27, 1957, WHEN HE WAS ONLY 13, TO LEILA

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YUSSEF MIKHAEL FROM ES SALT. LATER THAT YEAR SIRHAN RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES AND THREE MONTHS LATER HIS WIFE WAS BROUGHT TO HIM. THE RECORDS OF HIS JOURNEY ARE NOT VERY PRECISE AND PROBABLY NOT VERY IMPORTANT, AS BOTH HUSBAND AND WIFE WERE LITTLE MORE THAN CHILDREN. RATHER MORE INTEREST CENTRES ON THREE LATER JOURNEYS WHICH SIRHAN MADE, ESPECIALLY ON THE LST TWO WHICH, ACCORDING TO THIS INVESTIGATION, WERE MADE IN 1964 AND 1966. IN 1964 SIRHAN, ACCORDING TO THESE RECORDS, RETURNED TO THE MIDDLE EAST FOR SEVEN MONTHS, FOUR OF WHICH HE SPENT IN DAMASCUS. WHERE HE WAS FOR THE REST OF THE TIME IS NOT STATED. IN 1966 HE IS SAID TO HAVE SPENT AN EVEN LONGER PERIOD IN THE MIDDLE EAST, INCLUDING A STRETCH OF FIVE MONTHS IN CAIRO. HE RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES, ACCORDING TO THIS REPORT, AT THE BEGINNING OF 1967. THE ARAB GOVERNMENT IS CONVINCED THAT ITS RECORDS ARE ACCURATE BUT THEY ARE BEING SENT TO THE UNITED STATES SO THAT THEY CAN BE CHECKED WITH THE INFORMATION ASSEMBLED BY THE FBI. THERE IS AN EVIDENT AND INCREASING DISINCLINATION, HOWEVER, FOR WITNESSES TO TALK AND EVEN THOSE WHO SPOKE AT FIRST-- SUCH AS SIRHAN'S FATHER -- HAVE NOW ADJUSTED THEIR RESPONSES. LAST WEEK SIRHAN'S FATHER CURSED HIS SON. YESTERDAY HE WAS DENOUNCING KENNEDY AND PREPARING TO GO TO LOS ANGELES TO STAND BY HIS SON. UNQTE. BRUCE.

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REF: STATE 176785, AMMAN: 5231

SUBJ: KENNEDY ASSASSINATION

1. JORDANIAN REACTION TO DEATH OF SENATOR KENNEDY ONE OF GENERAL DISMAY. JORDANIANS WE HAVE TALKED TO HAVE BEEN PARTICULARLY DISTURBED BY ASSOCIATION OF SIRHAN WITH THEIR COUNTRY AND INJECTION OF ARAB-ISRAEL DISPUTE IN THE ASSASSINATION.

2. KING HUSSEIN'S TELEGRAMS EXPRESSING HIS AND JORDAN'S SORROW TO PRESIDENT JOHNSON, MRS. ROBERT KENNEDY, SENATOR EDWARD KENNEDY AND AMBASSADOR SHRIVER, AND FOREIGN MINISTER RIFA'I PERSONAL MESSAGE TO AMBASSADOR (AMMAN 5212) REQUESTING HE TRANSMIT GOJ'S CONDOLENCES TO KENNEDY FAMILY HAVE SET OFFICIAL TONE. JORDANIAN EMBASSIES IN WASHINGTON AND NEW YORK ALSO ISSUED STATEMENTS OF SYMPATHY AND CONDEMNED ACT OF ASSASSINATION.

3. PRESS, RADIO AND TV PLAY ON ASSASSINATION WAS REPORTED BY USINFO (AMMAN 5231). REACTION OF KING AND WORLD AND ARAB LEADERS COVERED FULLY IN LOCAL MEDIA, BUT ROLE OF SIRHAN, WHO GIVE WIDE COVERAGE

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JUNE 6, PLAYED DOWN ON JUNE 7. EDITORIAL COMMENT BEYOND THAT REPORTED AMMAN 5231 WAS CARRIED IN AD-DIFAA. OWNER-EDITOR IBRAHIM SHANTI WROTE JUNE 8 THAT ASSASSINATION CAME AS GREAT SHOCK TO ARABS. ARAB WORLD HAD MANY ENEMIES, HE SAID, BUT NOT SENATOR KENNEDY WHOSE HUMANITARIAN PRINCIPLES BENEFITED NOT ONLY US BUT ALSO ENTIRE WORLD OF WHICH ARABS A PART. SHANTI CONCLUDED IN HOPE NOT RELATED TO ARABS AND PALESTINE.

4. IN RESPONSE TO INQUIRIES, MEMORIAL BOOK WAS OPENED IN EMBASSY LOBBY JUNE 7 FROM 8:00 A.M. TO 1:00 P.M. AND AGAIN ON JUNE 8. THOSE CALLING AT EMBASSY TO SIGN INCLUDED PRIMIN TALHOUNI, CHIEF OF ROYAL CABINET SHARIF HUSSEIN BIN NASSER, PRINCE RA'D, FORMER PRIMIN WASFI TELL, SEVERAL CABINET MEMBERS INCLUDING FONMIN RIFA'I, DIPLOMATS, PROMINENT BUSINESS AND RELIGIOUS LEADERS AND A NUMBER OF STUDENTS AND ORDINARY JORDANIAN CITIZENS. EMBASSY WILL RETAIN MEMORIAL BOOK IN AMMAN UNTIL ADVISED BY DEPT AS TO APPROPRIATE DISPOSITION. EMBASSY ALSO REQUESTS ADVISE ON APPROPRIATE DISPOSITION OF LETTERS OF CONDOLENCE ADDRESSED JUST TO THE EMBASSY. SYMMES

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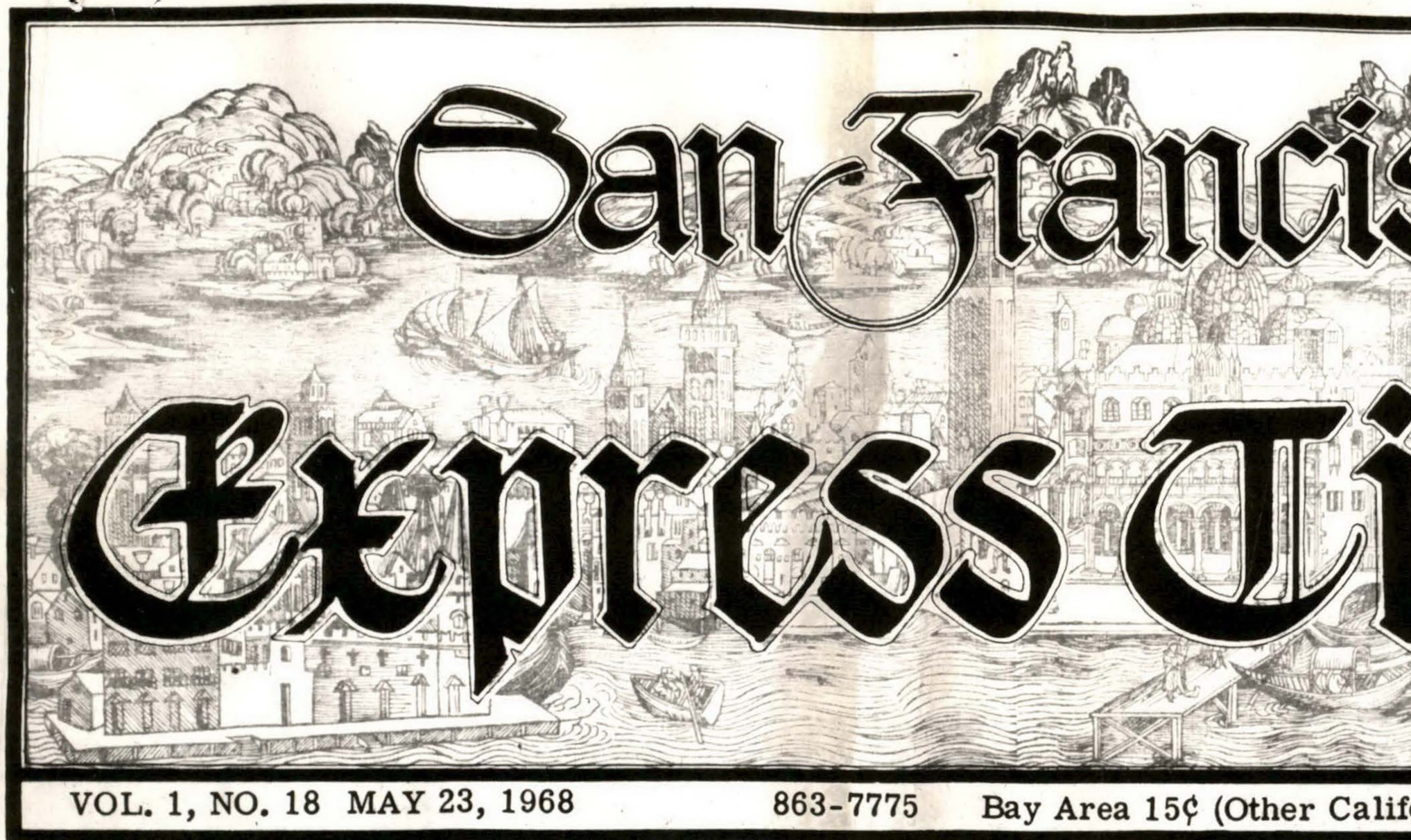
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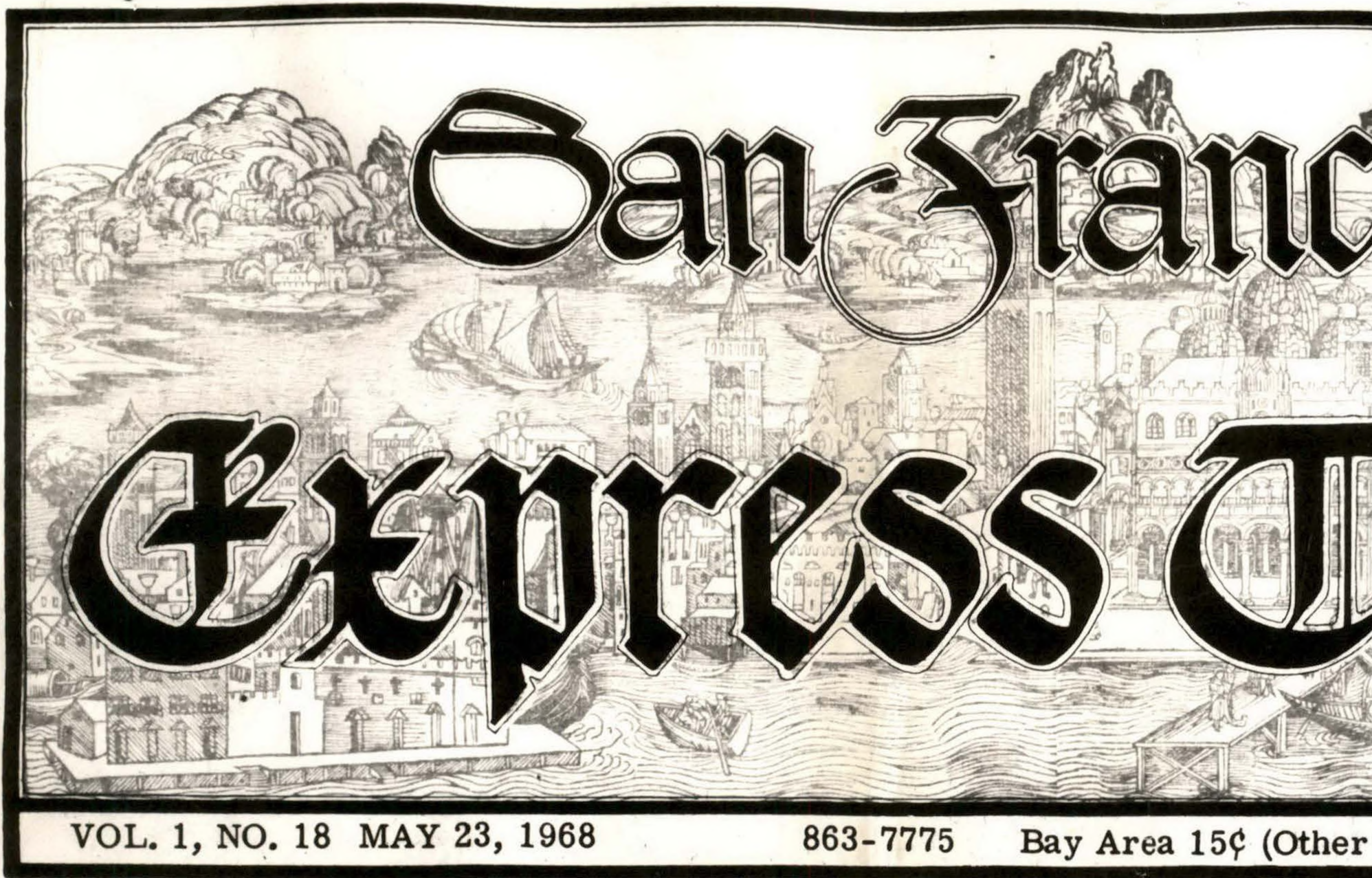
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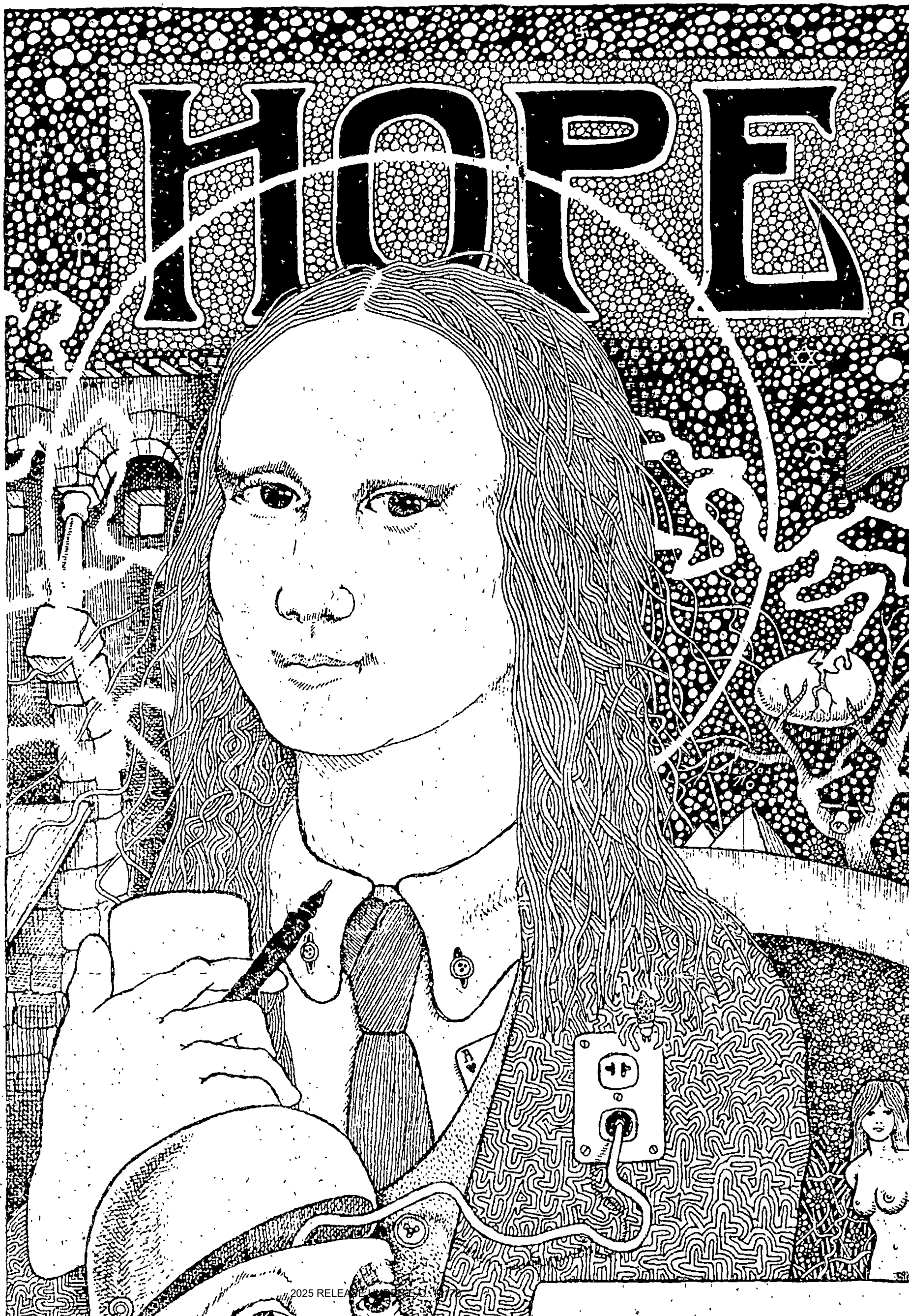


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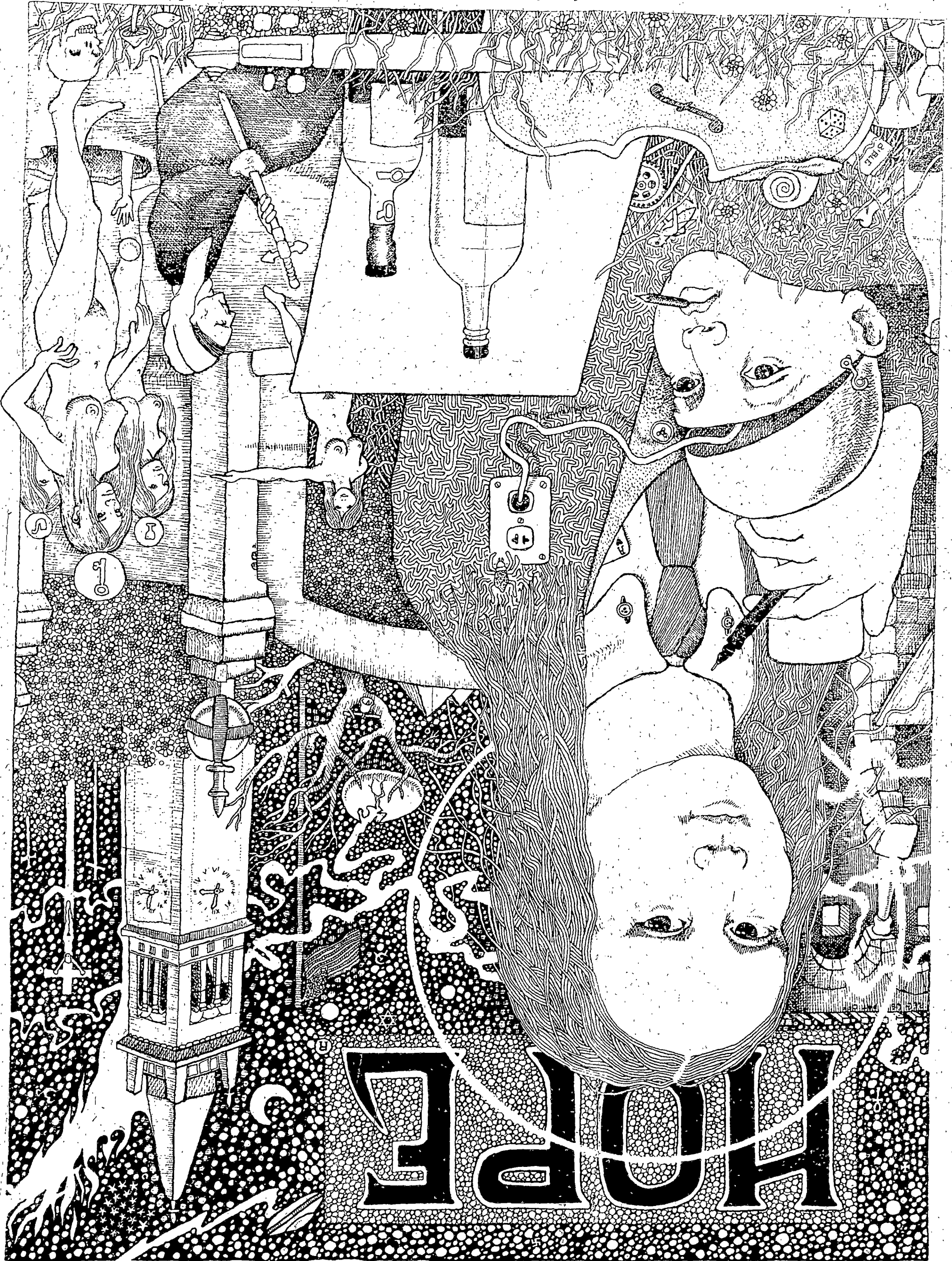
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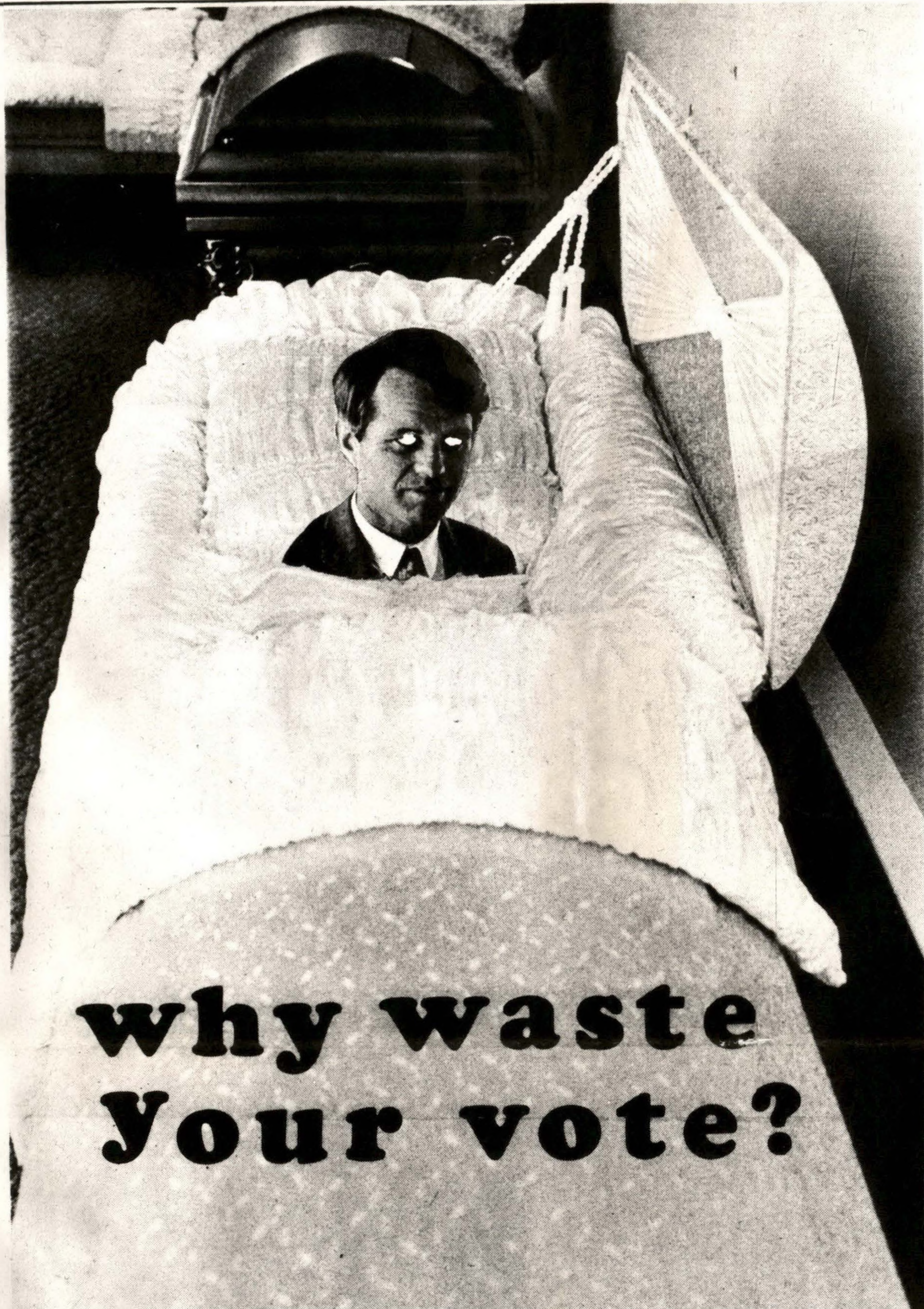
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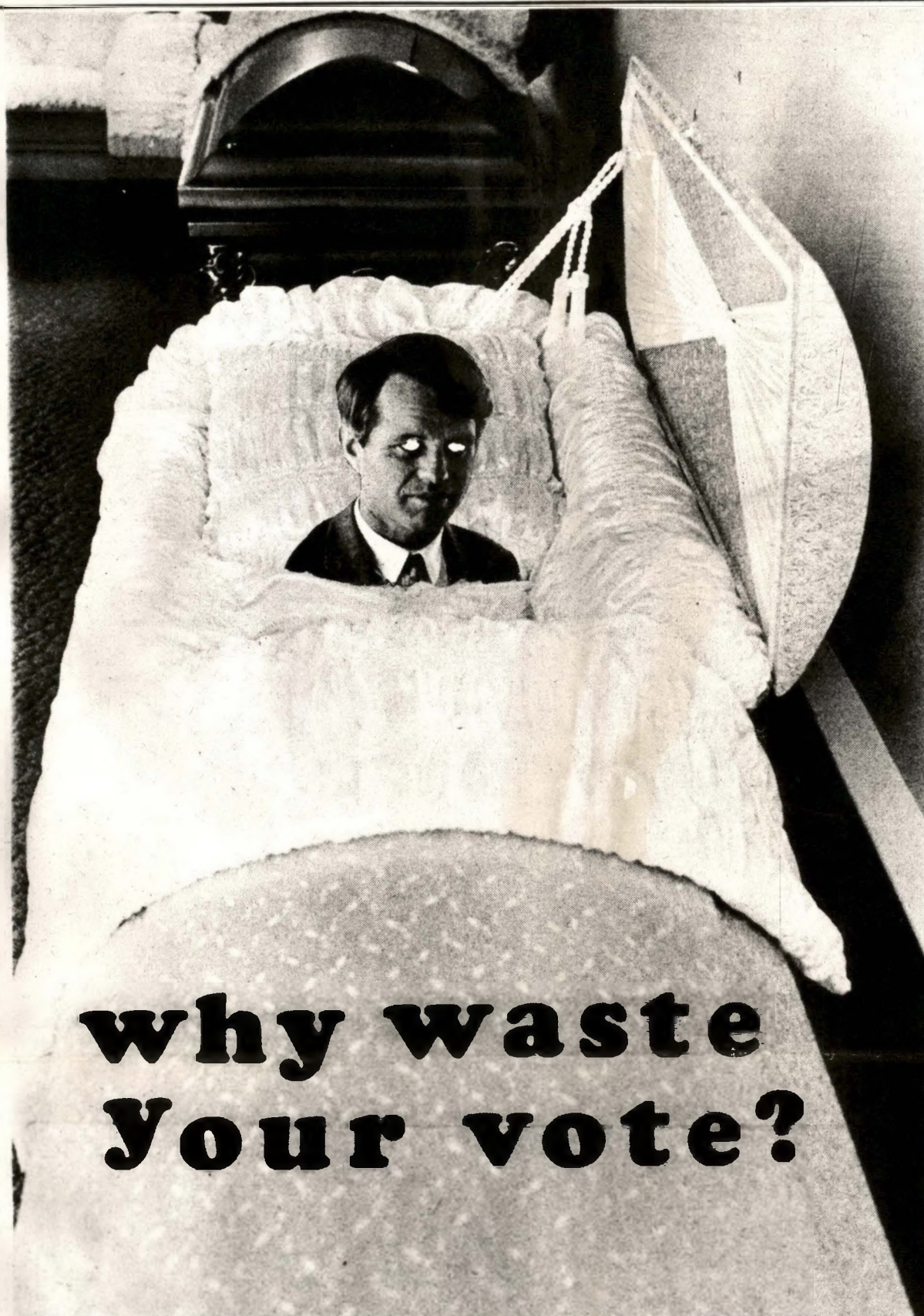
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## why waste Your vote?

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Saturday night I went to Robert Kennedy's \$100 a plate fund-raising dinner at the Sheraton-Palace Hotel. The benign ghost of President Warren G. Harding, who dies in the Palace in 1923 (poisoned by his wife) historians (suspect) made a brief appearance at the bar before the dinner began. I was the only one who noticed him.

"Why, Mr. Harding," I said. "I'm so pleased to meet you. I just finished telling my host that your administration was the model of how the presidency ought to be run."

"Have a drink, son." We drank, and I laid a joint on him.

"Thanks a lot, son. Hard to find around here. Mexican girl—cutest little piece of ass you ever saw—used to bring a bunch of reefers whenever she came visiting the White House. But I ain't been able to find any of this stuff since the time all the kids and the colored came in here to the Palace to lay around and sing songs. When was that—'62, '63? Been pretty dull around here these last five years."

"What do you think about Kennedy?" I asked.

"I don't see throwing away your vote on a dead man. They're gonna kill him—and anyway, there ain't much there to kill. I'm a lot more alive than he is."

I rejoined my hosts for dinner. They were political novices who had become active in the Kennedy campaign, helped organize the dinner, and wanted to use their complimentary tickets in "bridging the communications gap." Several times they had to rescue me from ushers and police who did not believe I had a ticket.

I was gracious at the dinner table; despite my Peace and Freedom Party button (which many guests took as a deliberate insult), I did not heckle or jeer. In fact, when Senator Kennedy made his entrance, I squealed: "Oh, he's gorgeous!" although he wasn't.

At a sizable distance, or in a photograph, he looks beautiful, but closer up he is a wax doll, pink flesh melting under the lights, hair of an entirely indeterminate color (gray? brown? sandy blond? It was as if his designers had not yet made up their minds and were flipping through a set of color overlays).

It was a good speech. The jokes weren't very funny (which hardly mattered—the audience was ready to laugh for any mention of Teddy or Ethel); but the serious part of it sounded very sincere indeed.

Do you want a political analysis? The rhetoric was New Left, the program was Eisenhowerian. "People have to participate in the decisions that affect their

lives"; "we must return government to the people." He talked against poverty and also against centralized federal bureaucracy. What would he do? It came down to this: tax incentives to encourage businesses to set up operations in poverty areas.

"He's talking your talk," I said to another guest, a Rockefeller Republican from Denver (also invited, presumably, to bridge the communications gap).

"Yes," he said, "very good. But why wasn't that done in the first Kennedy administration?"

"Wasn't it?" I asked. "Hmm, guess not."

The speech finished, people crowded around the Senator to get his autograph,

## Pomp and Circumstance

paul glusman

The Vietnam Commencement on the UC campus was held Friday without any major incidents. It was a pompous and circumstantial honoring of members of the senior class who face induction and will refuse to serve.

Much of the controversy over the ceremony concerned its non-controversial nature. Radicals attacked it because it sought to honor draft refusers without going into the implications of draft refusal regarding American imperialism, university complicity, and the basic nature of the American system of channeling people by goading them with carrot and stick into serving the "national interest."

The right wing, including Governor Reagan, attacked the ceremony because it was allegedly illegal. Reagan also called it "obscene."

The Regents originally banned the commencement on campus, but the Campus Draft Opposition got around the ban by holding it as a noon rally on Sproul steps. Administration and court reaction to this subterfuge is yet to be determined. Radicals then attacked the CDO for not fighting strongly enough for the Greek Theater and for cutting down the program to fit the noon slot. As a concession to the radicals, the CDO permitted a representative of the Black Panthers to speak briefly.

About seven thousand students attended the event and heard from Robert Hutchins how bad the war was. Other speakers commented as to how wonderful and brave draft resisters were. Pledge "A" signers, those who vowed not to serve in the army, wore blue armbands. Pledge "B" signers vowed their support. I was looking for pledge "C" to morally support any professor who got in trouble over the ceremony (although not actually ENCOURAGING them to do so).

Phil Ochs sang "I Ain't A-Marchin' Anymore" despite Reese Erlich's suggestion that he sing "Love me, I'm a Liberal," "Draft Dodger Rag" might have been nice too.

Despite the bland nature of the event, it was held—very publicly in direct opposition to the orders of The Regents and the Governor. Repercussions are expected.

thrusting books and bumper stickers and all kinds of scraps of paper at him. I happened to have with me an Express Times with Jeff Blankfort's classic photo on the cover, the naked man entirely unnoticed in the crowd at the Civic Center rally April 27. I conceived the idea of having the Senator autograph it.

It took a good twenty minutes to worm my way through, but finally I was face to face (or face to mask, rather) with the Senator.

"May I have your autograph, Senator?"

I smiled. He took the paper tentatively with one hand, beginning to make preliminary signature motions with the other; blinked, focused on the picture; and then gave me a look of pure hatred and disgust, like a man opening his refrigerator and finding a giant spider there. He made a motion with his hand as if to squash me.

On the way out, unautographed newspaper under my arm, I ran into President Harding again. "Buy a paper, sir?" and held it up. He looked at the picture, chuckled, and pulled a quarter from his pocket. I fumbled for change, taking my time. He winked to let me know he was hip to my hustle. "Keep the change, son," he said.

## CLEAVER

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of which I am as proud, Governor, as I imagine you are of the office you hold. You may have heard of my Party, Governor, I certainly have heard of yours. We visited you last year, May 2nd, in Sacramento, and, if I may say so, were very badly received, because, as I understand it, some of us brought our guns with us, even though your men had their guns with them. Moreover, your men turned their guns on us, although we did not do the same thing to them. We were told that your men had the right to have their guns but that ours didn't. We argued the point, of course, but evidently our arguments fell on dissenting ears, because our men with guns were arrested and some of them

had to serve a jail sentence. I was arrested also, but quickly released, with all charges dropped, when a judge discovered that I should not have been arrested in the first place, because I was there as a reporter, with proper credentials, for RAMPARTS Magazine, of which I was then and still am, a staff writer, and because I did not have a gun, and because, in reference to my being on parole, I had the written consent of my parole agent to be there. That was the only time, in the eighteen months I was out on parole, that I was ever arrested. Since that situation was resolved as it was, I think it would be fair to say, Governor, that in the eighteen months that I was out on parole, I was never arrested for cause.

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MISS PAT RILEY, SENATOR KENNEDY'S OFFICE ADVISED TODAY COMPLETE MANIFEST OF PRESS MEMBERS EN ROUTE FROM LOS ANGELES, EXPECTED WDC MONDAY NEXT. WFO WILL IMMEDIATELY HANDLE INTERVIEWS OF THOSE RESIDING THIS JURISDICTION. OUT OF STATE INTERVIEWS WILL BE IMMEDIATELY TELETYPED TO INTERESTED OFFICES.

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JIM WILSON, BOB FUNK AND BILL LEWIS, CBS PHOTOGRAPHERS.

PIERRE SALINGER PRESENTLY ON VACATION IN THE BAHAMAS, WILL  
INTERVIEW UPON HIS RETURN.

BILL BARRY, FORMER SA, HEAD SECURITY MAN SENATOR KENNEDY'S  
OFFICIAL PARTY, STATED HE FURNISHED TAPED INTERVIEW LA PD  
JUNE FIVE LAST. STATED ASSISTED SENATOR KENNEDY'S WIFE FROM  
SPEAKERS PLATFORM, SHE STATED "STAY WITH THE SENATOR." AT  
THIS POINT UNKNOWN INDIVIDUAL, POSSIBLY KNOWN TO FRED DUTTON,  
CALLED TO GO ANOTHER WAY AND DIRECTED SENATOR TOWARD KITCHEN  
HALLWAY. RELATED THAT ROUTE TO VICTORY PARTY WAS THROUGH  
CORRIDOR TO THEIR LEFT FROM ANTEROOM AND STAGE.

BARRY FOUGHT THROUGH INTENSE CROWD IN EFFORT TO CIRCLE  
SENATOR'S RIGHT FLANK AND TAKE CUSTOMARY POSITION IMMEDIATELY  
IN FRONT OF KENNEDY. STATED SOMEONE DECIDED IT WAS BEST TO  
SEE THE "PENCIL PRESS" SO THEY COULD GET EARLY A.M. STORIES  
BEFORE GOING TO THE VICTORY PARTY IN ANOTHER ROOM.

BARRY ASSISTED IN ARREST OF SIRHAN AND DIRECTED RECOVERY OF  
GUN; THEN RETURNED TO AID KENNEDY. BARRY DEPARTING KENNEDY'S

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TO DIRECTOR (62-587)

FROM LOS ANGELES (56-156)

KENSALT - SUMMARY

SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN

RE ATTENDANCE AT MEETING OF ROSICRUCIANS ON MAY  
TWENTY EIGHT, NINETEEN SIXTY EIGHT

THEODORE R. STEVENS, MASTER PASADENA ROSICRUCIANS CHAPTER,  
PROVIDED LIST OF MEMBERS WHO ATTENDED MEETING OF THIS ORDER ON  
NIGHT OF MAY TWENTY EIGHT LAST. STEVENS AND A SHERMAN LIVINGSTON, A  
SUPERVISOR OF PASADENA CHAPTER OF ROSICRUCIANS, PREVIOUSLY IDENTIFIED  
SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN AS BEING IN ATTENDANCE AT THAT MEETING THAT  
NIGHT. ALL THOSE IN ATTENDANCE AT MEETING OF MAY TWENTY EIGHT ARE  
BEING INTERVIEWED.

THIS PHASE OF INVESTIGATION OF IMPORTANCE AS SIRHAN BISHARA  
SIRHAN WAS PREVIOUSLY REPORTED TO HAVE BEEN SEEN IN PORTLAND,  
OREGON, AT KENNEDY RALLY ON SAME NIGHT OF MAY TWENTY EIGHT LAST.  
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RE HANDWRITING AND NOTATIONS IN NOTEBOOK OF SIRHAN  
BISHARA SIRHAN

ADEL BISHARA SIRHAN AND SAIDALLAH BISHARA SIRHAN  
IDENTIFIED HANDWRITING AND NOTATIONS CONTAINED IN THE  
NOTEBOOK ENTITLED PASADENA CITY COLLEGE AS THAT OF THEIR  
BROTHER SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN. THIS NOTEBOOK WAS TAKEN  
FROM ROOM OF SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN BY LAPD ON JUNE FIVE LAST.  
ANOTHER BROTHER, MUNIR BISHARA SIRHAN ADVISED HANDWRITING APPEARING  
IN THREE BY FIVE NOTEBOOK TAKEN FROM ROOM OF SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN  
APPEARS TO BE THAT OF HIS BROTHER, SIRHAN.

RE EMPLOYMENT

KEITH YOUNG, FOUR ZERO ZERO SOUTH MYRTLEWOOD STREET, WEST  
COVINA, CALIFORNIA, ADVISED DURING LATTER PART OF SIXTY THREE  
AND EARLY PART OF SIXTY FOUR, HE WAS EMPLOYED AT ELITE MOTOR  
SERVICE, TWO FIVE TWO NINE EAST FOOTHILL BOULEVARD, PASADENA,  
CALIFORNIA. WHILE WORKING AT THIS LOCATION, YOUNG ADVISED HE  
FIRST CAME INTO CONTACT WITH SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN, WHO ALSO  
WORKED AT THIS SAME LOCATION AND HE RECALLS ON ONE OCCASION  
SIRHAN TELLING HIM HE, SIRHAN, WAS FROM JORDAN. YOUNG STATED HE  
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ASKED SIRHAN IF JORDAN WAS A GOOD COUNTRY TO LIVE IN AND SIRHAN TOLD HIM JORDAN WAS ONE OF THE BEST PLACES IN THE WORLD.

HE ADVISED THAT SIRHAN THEN ASKED HIM WHAT HE, YOUNG, THOUGHT ABOUT UNITED STATES AND HE TOLD SIRHAN THAT UNITED STATES WAS NO DOUBT BEST COUNTRY IN THE WORLD. YOUNG STATED HE RECALLS SIRHAN STATING "LIKE HELL IT IS." YOUNG STATED THAT AT THIS TIME HE DISCONTINUED HIS CONVERSATION WITH SIRHAN AND THEY NEVER HAD ANY FURTHER DISCUSSIONS. YOUNG STATED THAT FROM THAT DATE ON HE NEVER HAD ANY FURTHER POLITICAL DISCUSSIONS WITH SIRHAN. YOUNG STATED SIRHAN DID NOT HAVE ANY FRIENDS AND HE NEVER MET ANY OF SIRHAN'S RELATIVES OR SAW HIM WITH ANY GIRLS. HE ADVISED WHEN SIRHAN WAS NOT WORKING, HE WOULD SOMETIMES DROP BY AT STATION BUT NEVER SEEMED TO TALK TO ANYONE.

YOUNG STATED HE DID NOT KNOW OF ANYONE THAT WOULD HAVE BEEN CLOSE TO SIRHAN AND BEST WAY HE COULD DESCRIBE HIM WAS AS BEING A LONER. YOUNG STATED DURING TIME HE KNEW SIRHAN, HE NEVER OBSERVED SIRHAN WITH ANY TYPE OF WEAPON AND WAS UNDER IMPRESSION SIRHAN WOULD NOT BE TYPE OF PERSON TO PARTICIPATE IN ANY TYPE OF VIOLENCE.

ROGER GLEN MOORE, CURRENTLY RESIDING IN DUARTE, CALIFORNIA, ADVISED HE WORKED AT JACK DAVIS' GARAGE ON FOOTHILL BOULEVARD,  
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PASADENA, CALIFORNIA, AND WHILE THERE CAME TO KNOW SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN, WHO WAS WORKING FOR PROPIETOR JACK DAVIS IN SERVICE STATION SECTION OF THIS BUSINESS. MOORE STATED SIRHAN WAS A PART DASH TIME EMPLOYEE WHILE ATTENDING PASADENA CITY COLLEGE. MOORE STATED HE NEVER BECAME PARTICULARLY FRIENDLY WITH SIRHAN DURING TIME THEY WERE BOTH EMPLOYED AT THIS BUSINESS NOR DID THEY SOCIALIZE. ON OCCASION HE AND SIRHAN MAY HAVE HAD A BEER IN STATION BUT THEY NEVER WENT OUT TOGETHER.

MOORE STATED AS BEST AS HE COULD RECALL, SIRHAN DID NOT SOCIALIZE WITH ANYONE AND HE, SIRHAN, DID NOT HAVE FRIENDS COME BY STATION TO VISIT HIM.

MOORE STATED HE AND SIRHAN NEVER HAD ANY POLITICAL DISCUSSIONS AND HE CANNOT RECALL SIRHAN EVER HAVING MADE ANY REMARKS WHATSOEVER WHICH CAN BE CONSTRUED AGAINST THE UNITED STATES. HE SAID HE DID NOT EVEN RECALL NATIONALITY OF SIRHAN.

WITNESSES TO SHOOTING OF SENATOR ROBERT F. KENNEDY

RE PAUL W. GRIECO

PAUL W. GRIECO, WOODBURY COLLEGE, STUDENT, ADVISES WAS IN KITCHEN AREA, AMBASSADOR HOTEL, TEN TO FIFTEEN MINUTES BEFORE KENNEDY WAS SHOT. GRIECO ADVISED HE WAS IN TIGHT CROWD

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APPROXIMATELY TEN TO TWELVE FEET BEHIND KENNEDY BUT HIS VIEW WAS BLOCKED AND HE DID NOT SEE SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN SHOOT KENNEDY.

GRIECO ADVISED HE HEARD SEVERAL SHOTS IN RAPID ORDER. AFTER FIRST PANIC OF CROWD HE OBSERVED KENNEDY LYING WOUNDED ON FLOOR AND HE KNELT AND ATTEMPTED TO STOP BLEEDING OF KENNEDY'S HEAD WITH HIS HAND. ACCORDING TO GRIECO, KENNEDY ASKED HIM, "IS PAUL ALRIGHT. IS EVERYBODY ALRIGHT." THEN APPARENTLY KENNEDY LAPSED INTO UNCONSCIOUSNESS. GRIECO STATED HE DID NOT OBSERVE SIRHAN UNTIL AFTER ATTEMPTING TO COMFORT KENNEDY WHEN SIRHAN WAS BEING RESTRAINED. GRIECO DID NOT SEE MURDER WEAPON AND HE DOES NOT RECALL SEEING SIRHAN IN KITCHEN AREA PRIOR TO KENNEDY APPEARANCE AND SHOOTING.

RE JUDY MARIE ROYER

JUDY MARIE ROYER, PRIVATE SECRETARY TO FORMER CALIFORNIA GOVERNOR, PAT BROWN, ADVISED SHE WAS AT AMBASSADOR HOTEL ON NIGHT JUNE FOUR LAST WORKING WITH SENATOR KENNEDY CAMPAIGN STAFF. STATED SHE PROCEEDED SENATOR KENNEDY AS HE LEFT EMBASSY ROOM AFTER HIS SPEECH AND WALKED TOWARD COLONIAL ROOM TO MEET WITH PRESS. ROYER STATED SHE DID NOT OBERVE SHOOTING; HOWEVER, SHORTLY AFTER SHE HEARD SHOTS SAW ROOSEVELT GRIER HOLDING INDIVIDUAL SHE RECOGNIZED AS INDIVIDUAL SHE HAD SEEN APPROXIMATELY ONE TO TWO HOURS BEFORE SENATOR KENNEDY'S SPEECH. SHE STATED SHE

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OBSERVED THIS INDIVIDUAL IN PASSAGE WAY BEHIND STAGE OF EMBASSY ROOM. ROYER STATED SHE TOLD THIS INDIVIDUAL TO LEAVE AREA AND SHE OBSERVED HIM ENTER EMBASSY ROOM. SHE COULD FURNISH NO SPECIFIC TIME FOR OBSERVATION; HOWEVER, POSITIVELY IDENTIFIED PHOTOGRAPH OF SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN AS INDIVIDUAL SHE HAD SEEN STRUGGLING WITH ROOSEVLET GRIER AND SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN IS SAME INDIVIDUAL SHE HAD SEEN APPROXIMATELY ONE TO TWO HOURS BEFORE IN PASSAGE WAY BEHIND EMBASSY ROOM. WHEN SHE OBSERVED INDIVIDUAL WHOM SHE LATER IDENTIFIED AS SIRHAN<sup>A</sup>, IN PASSAGE HE WAS ALONE.

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RE REVEREND LEO HILL

TERRY MICKEY WELCH OF SOUTHFIELD, MICHIGAN, WHO WAS EXERCISE BOY WITH SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN AT GRANJA VISTA DEL RIO THOROUGHBRED HORSE FARM AT CORONA, CALIFORNIA, ADVISED REVEREND LEO HILL, PASTOR CIRCLE CITY BAPTIST CHURCH, NINETH AND SHERIDAN, CORONA, CALIFORNIA, MIGHT HAVE INFORMATION RE SIRHAN.

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REVEREND LEO HILL, ONE EIGHT ONE ONE VIA SANTIAGO, CORONA, CALIFORNIA, ADVISED DID NOT KNOW SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN NOR DID HE HAVE INFORMATION SIRHAN HAD EVER ATTENDED HIS CHURCH. REVEREND HILL DID RECALL TERRY WELCH WHO WORKED AS JOCKEY IN CORONA AREA BUT DID NOT RECALL WELCH HAD EVER BROUGHT ANYONE, WHO COULD HAVE BEEN SIRHAN, WITH HIM WHEN WELCH VISITED REVEREND HILL.

TERRY WELCH ALSO ADVISED TELEVISION ACTOR BUDDY EBSSEN AND TELEVISION AND MOVIE ACTOR DALE ROBERTSON KEPT HORSES AT GRANJE VISTA DEL RIO AND WOULD PROBABLY REMEMBER SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN.

MRS. DALE ROBERTSON, WIFE OF DALE ROBERTSON, ADVISED HER HUSBAND HAD TALKED TO A REPRESENTATIVE OF LIFE MAGAZINE AND HAD TOLD HIM HE HAD NOT RECALLED SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN.

DALE ROBERTSON CURRENTLY OUT OF CITY AND ARRANGEMENTS BEING MADE TO INTERVIEW HIM.

BUDDY EBSSEN UNABLE TO FURNISH ANY PERTINENT INFORMATION RE SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN.

RE INVESTIGATION SAN GABRIEL VALLEY GUN CLUB

CASTINGS OF AMMUNITION RECOVERED FROM SAN GABRIEL VALLEY GUN CLUB WERE FORWARDED TO BUREAU FOR COMPARISON WITH CASING FROM TWENTY  
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TWO CALIBER GUN IN POSSESSION OF SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN AT AMBASSADOR HOTEL, LOS ANGELES, ON NIGHT OF SHOOTING OF SENATOR KENNEDY.

ALL INDIVIDUALS KNOWN TO HAVE BEEN AT SAN GABRIEL VALLEY GUN CLUB ON DATE OF JUNE FOUR LAST ARE BEING INTERVIEWED RE THEIR KNOWLEDGE CONCERNING PRESENCE OF SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN AT RANGE ON THAT DATE.

RE TEACHERS AND INSTRUCTORS OF SIRHAN AT JOHN MUIR HIGH SCHOOL AND PASADENA CITY COLLEGE

RECORDS OF JOHN MUIR HIGH SCHOOL AND PASADENA CITY COLLEGE WERE REVIEWED AND LIST PREPARED OF ALL TEACHERS WHO TAUGHT SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN AT JOHN MUIR HIGH SCHOOL AND ALL INSTRUCTORS AT PASADENA COLLEGE WHO WERE KNOWN TO HAVE HAD A CLASS WHICH SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN ATTENDED.

INVESTIGATION CONTINUING TO INTERVIEW ALL TEACHERS AND INSTRUCTORS AND TO DATE SEVEN HIGH SCHOOL TEACHERS AND SIX INSTRUCTORS FROM PASADENA CITY COLLEGE LOCATED AND INTERVIEWED. NO INFORMATION DEVELOPED FROM THESE INTERVIEWS WHICH WOULD INDICATE ANY UNDUE INFLUENCE OF THESE TEACHERS OR INSTRUCTORS ON SIRHAN.

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RE LOCATION OF SIRHAN BISHARA SIRHAN ON JUNE TWO LAST.

BUREAU PREVIOUSLY ADVISED DAVID BERRY VOGEL ATTENDED RECEPTION FOR SENATOR ROBERT F. KENNEDY AT AMBASSADOR HOTEL ON EVENING JUNE TWO LAST. VOGEL, ACCOMPANIED BY LONG TIME FRIEND AND CLASSMATE, WILLIAM BURTON BLUME. BLUME FURNISHED SIGNED STATEMENT. ADVISED HE WAS EMPLOYED AT SHOW CASE LIQUOR STORE AT ONE THREE SEVEN FOUR NORTH LAKE AVENUE, PASADENA, AND KNEW SIRHAN WHEN SIRHAN WAS WORKING AT PASADENA ORGANIC FOOD COMPANY, WHICH IS LOCATED NEXT TO HIS FORMER PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT.

BLUME ADVISED DURING THIS EMPLOYMENT HE CASUALLY GREETED SIRHAN UPON SEEING HIM FROM TIME TO TIME BUT HE NEVER ENGAGED IN ANY LENGTHY DISCUSSION WITH HIM. BLUME IDENTIFIED SIRHAN AS BEING INDIVIDUAL HE SAW ON JUNE TWO LAST AT AMBASSADOR HOTEL.

RE INFORMATION FURNISHED BY JOHN FAHEY CONCERNING ACTIVITY AT AMBASSADOR HOTEL, JUNE FOUR LAST.

IN CONNECTION WITH INFORMATION FURNISHED BY FAHEY TO EFFECT THAT AN INDIVIDUAL APPEARED TO BE OBSERVING HIM WHILE HE AND UNKNOWN GIRL HAD BREAKFAST IN COFFEE SHOP AT AMBASSADOR HOTEL. HE OBSERVED PICTURES OF SIRHAN SIRHAN AND HIS BROTHERS, SHARIF, MUNIR AND SAIDALLAH AND INDICATED THE MAN HE THOUGHT WAS OBSERVING HIM RESEMBLED MUNIR ~~SIRHAN~~ SIRHAN.

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ON JUNE THIRTEEN LAST, WHEREABOUTS MUNIR SIRHAN VERIFIED FROM EIGHT FIFTY FOUR AM WHEN HE PUNCHED TIME CLOCK AT WASH DEPARTMENT STORE TO SIX PM WHEN HE LEFT STORE. DURING DAY HIS WHEREABOUTS VERIFIED THROUGH INTERVIEW OF VERNON MOST, HIS SUPERVISOR WHO WORKED WITH HIM THAT DAY.

INVESTIGATION CONTINUING THIS PHASE OF INVESTIGATION.

RE FOREGIN BROADCASTS ON KILLING

NUMEROUS PERSONS ABROAD HAVE REPORTED HEARING FOREIGN BROADCASTS CONCERNING DEATH OF SENATOR KENNEDY DAYS IN ADVANCE OF ACTUAL HAPPENING. BUREAU CONSIDER ASKING CIA CONCERNING POINT OF ORIGIN OF THESE FOREIGN BROADCASTS. *1/11/68*

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CIA ACCUSED OF INVOLVEMENT IN KENNEDY MURDER

Havana Domestic Service in Spanish 2145 GMT 6 Jun 68 F

[Inside the News: Commentary by Lazara Rodriguez Alenman and Pedro Lobaina]

[Summary] Lobaina: I believe that it is important to point out that there are two versions of the reasons for the Kennedy shooting. One of them is that the killing was performed by a fanatic, an individual who attacked Kennedy on the eve of the anniversary of Israel's attack on the Arab countries, and at a time when Israel has just attacked a Jordainian village, killing 30 people. Another version says that he was an individual sent by the Central Intelligence Agency, paid by the groups within the United States who prefer a hard, violent, war policy rather than the reformist policy of concessions which Kennedy favored.

In spite of this, I believe that while these two possibilities have been stated, it would not be the least bit strange if he [Kennedy's killer] had been both a fanatic and an individual hired by the Central Intelligence Agency, which as is known, works on human weaknesses and carefully picks out an alienated person, an undoubted fanatic, as in this case, for activities of this type in which it is necessary to eliminate someone. It would not be strange if the CIA is mixed up in this. In spite of all this, the version that the killer is a fanatic is a somewhat naive story, because Kennedy's death undoubtedly brings many benefits to the Democratic Party and to President Johnson's candidate, Hubert Humphrey. It would not be the least bit strange if the interests which struck in Dallas against John F. Kennedy are the same ones that have struck and murdered his brother and candidate for the presidency, Robert Kennedy.

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FROM: SAC, OKLAHOMA CITY (62-2858) (P)

JACK E. HARRISON, aka  
 Joe Harrison  
 MISC - INFORMATION CONCERNING  
 (TROPUS)

Re Oklahoma City teletype to Director and Los  
 Angeles 6/7/68 entitled KENSALT.

Enclosed for the Bureau are two copies of a  
 self-explanatory letterhead memorandum with two copies of an  
 FD-376 concerning captioned individual.

Enclosed for Los Angeles is one copy of a letter-  
 head memorandum and FD-376 for dissemination to Secret Service,  
 Los Angeles, with letterhead memorandum attached.

For the information of the Bureau, PATRICK H.  
 STEELE, Special Agent in Charge, Secret Service, Oklahoma, was  
 telephonically advised of the information concerning this  
 matter. Mr. STEELE was also advised that the reason this in-  
 formation was being furnished was specifically because of the  
 obvious mental derangement of HARRISON as well as the forth-  
 coming Republican Governors Conference June 13, 1968.

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In Reply, Please Refer to

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Director  
United States Secret Service  
Department of the Treasury  
Washington, D. C. 20220

Dear Sir:

The information furnished herewith concerns an individual who is believed to be covered by the agreement between the FBI and Secret Service concerning Presidential protection, and to fall within the category or categories checked.

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John Edgar Hoover  
Director

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Oklahoma City, Oklahoma  
June 11, 1968

RE: JACK E. HARRISON

On June 7, 1968, an individual giving his name as Joe Harrison, employed by Knott's Rambler Automobile Agency, Tulsa, Oklahoma, contacted the Tulsa Resident Agency of the FBI, and stated a customer named Mac Spadden, an employee of Sinclair Oil, left a car in that agency for repair. Harrison claimed that during the conversation, Mac Spadden said he just returned from California, that he knew the shooting was going to happen, and that one Sirhan brother was supposed to "get" Kennedy and the other was supposed to "get" Mc Carthy.

Harrison also telephonically contacted Kennedy Headquarters, Tulsa, Oklahoma, relating the same information to then except giving Mac Spadden's address as 5654 59th Street, Muskogee, Oklahoma.

A check at Muskogee revealed address given to be fictitious.

Sinclair Oil Company's employees checked by the FBI, and it was found that the only employee at Sinclair named Mac Spadden was Larry Mc Spadden who was interviewed and did not fit the description given by Harrison on the phone, does not possess a Rambler, and knows nothing of reported conversation.

A check of records at Knott's Rambler showed one R.R. Mc Fadden, 4126 South Birmingham Place, Tulsa, left a car for air conditioning repair on June 6, 1968. Mc Fadden is a retired merchandise manager from Sears and a substantial appearing individual. Mc Fadden was interviewed by the FBI and advised he left his car at Knott's Rambler, had a conversation with someone regarding repairs and was perturbed over having the car there on three previous occasions, but said he had no conversation regarding the assassination of Senator Robert Kennedy.

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Re: Jack E. Harrison

The service manager at Knott's Rambler said Harrison worked from June 3, 1968 to June 6, 1968 when he left saying he had to see a lawyer regarding family problems and has not returned.

*JOE HARRISON*

Mrs. June Canary contacted the Tulsa Resident Agency of the FBI and advised she was the ex-wife of Harrison, and said his correct name was Jack E. Harrison. She stated there would be absolutely no merit to anything Harrison said. She said he was an alcoholic and has been in a mental hospital at Vinita, Oklahoma on two occasions within the last two years for alcoholism. She said she saw him June 6, 1968 when he was drinking excessively and did not know his whereabouts as of June 7, 1968.

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FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (62-5481)

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Re: SAMIR M. ~~KHALAF~~ no loc

Re WFO tel to Bureau, 6/10/68, and SF tel to Bureau, 6/11/68.

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On 6/12/68, ADEB ~~KHALAF~~, 1423 35th Ave., San Francisco, and his mother, CLARA BUTRUS ~~KHALAF~~, of the same address were interviewed regarding their knowledge of KHALAF.

Both stated that KHALAF is unknown to them. All of the KHALAFs in San Francisco are related to their family and none of them have this name. They said that there were also families with this same name in Chicago, Detroit, and Houston, to whom they are related. They were not aware of any KHALAFs in either St. Louis or Massachusetts. They both commented that KHALAF is a very common Jordanian name.

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INFORMANT

ON JUNE TWELVE SIXTYEIGHT, MRS. AGNES PARRISH, FIVE FOURTEEN EAST OAK ST, APT F, OJAI, CALIF., WHO IS EMPLOYED AT VENTURA COUNTY HUMANE SOCIETY, NINE SEVEN THREE FRONT ST, VENTURA, AND PRESENTLY VISITING HER DAUGHTER, MRS. SHELDON STAHL, SEVEN NINE ZERO ONE HENRY AVE, APT B ONE ZERO FIVE, PHILA, PHONE IV THREE SIX NINE FIVE TWO, CALLED THIS OFFICE TO REPORT THE FOLLOWING -

PARRISH MANAGED THE STARLITE APT. HOUSE, SIXTEEN THIRTYFIVE N. HORBART BLVD, LOS ANGELES, CALIF, DURING JULY SIXTYSEVEN AND DURING PERIOD JUNE THRU AUG. SIXTYSEVEN, TWO UNKNOWN ARAB MEN RENTED APT. AT STARLITE. THEY ROOMED IN EITHER APT. TWENTY OR TWENTYONE.

PARRISH ADVISED SHE BELIEVES, AFTER SEEING PICTURE OF SIRHAN SIRHAN IN PAPER, THAT HE WAS ONE OF MANY THAT VISITED THESE MEN ON NUMEROUS OCCASIONS DURING PERIOD SHE MANAGED APT. THESE MEN ALONG WITH OTHERS, TOOK PART IN NUMEROUS DEMONSTRATIONS CONDUCTED IN LOS

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ANGELES AGAINST THE ARAB-ISRAELI WAR.

PARRISH ADVISED THE STARLITE IS OWNED BY HAROLD GERSHMAN AND THAT  
A REVIEW OF THE REGISTER WOULD SHOW THE NAME OF THE TWO ARAB MEN.

SHE ADVISED SHE WILL RETURN TO HER APT. IN OJAI ON JUNE  
EIGHTEEN AND WOULD FURNISH ANY ADDITIONAL INFO SHE CAN RECALL.

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*cc - Mr. Shuster*

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ReSDteletype 6/12/68, airmail copy of which forwarded original Rosicrucian sign-in sheet to Bureau instead of Los Angeles.

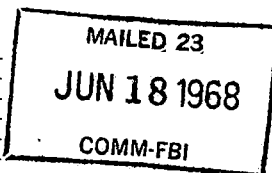
Enclosed herewith for Los Angeles is the original Rosicrucian sign-in sheet received by Bureau.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: LOS ANGELES (56-156)  
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ON JUNE TWELFTH, NINETEEN SIXTY EIGHT, MRS. FRANCES HOLLAND, FIVE FIVE TWO ELDORADO DRIVE, ESCONDIDO, CALIFORNIA, ADVISED THAT SHE IS SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA GRAND COUNSELLOR OF THE ROSICRUCIAN ORDER, ALSO KNOWN AS ANCIENT MYSTICAL ORDER ROSAE CRUCIS (AMORC). SHE SAID STATE AND INTERNATIONAL HEADQUARTERS OF AMORC HAVE DESIGNATED HER TO HANDLE ANY INQUIRIES CONCERNING SIRHAN SIRHAN'S MEMBERSHIP IN AMORC. SHE SAID SIRHAN IS MEMBER OF SUPREME GRAND LODGE, SAN JOSE, WHICH IS A CORRESPONDING MEMBERSHIP AND HE DID NOT ATTEND MEETINGS BUT RECEIVED CORRESPONDENCE AND INSTRUCTIONS BY MAIL FROM SAN JOSE AND SUBMITTED HIS LESSONS BY MAIL.

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MRS. HOLLAND SAID THE SAN JOSE OFFICE MAINTAINS A COMPLETE FILE OF CORRESPONDENCE WITH ALL MEMBERS WHICH FILE CONTAINS MEMBER'S ORIGINAL APPLICATION FORM. SHE UNDERSTANDS THAT FBI AGENTS AT SAN JOSE WERE PERMITTED TO REVIEW SIRHAN'S FILE AND WERE GIVEN A DUPLICATED COPY OF HIS APPLICATION BLANK.

AMORC HAS LOCAL LODGES AND CHAPTERS TO WHICH SOME MEMBERS BELONG, ALTHOUGH MEMBERSHIP IN A LOCAL GROUP IS NOT REQUIRED. MRS. HOLLAND SAID SHE HAS CHECKED AND DETERMINED THAT SIRHAN WAS NOT A MEMBER OF THE PASADENA CHAPTER OR ANY OTHER LODGE OR CHAPTER. HE DID, HOWEVER, ONCE, AND ONLY ONCE, VISIT ONE OF THESE SUBORDINATE BODIES. HE ATTENDED THE WEEKLY MEETING OF THE PASADENA CHAPTER ON THE EVENING OF JUNE FOUR, NINETEEN SIXTY EIGHT. MRS. HOLLAND MADE AVAILABLE A PAGE OF THE GUEST REGISTER OF THE PASADENA CHAPTER, WHICH BEARS THE SIGNATURE SIRHAN SIRHAN,

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SIX NINE SIX EAST HOWARD, PASADENA, AND REFLECTS THAT HE IS A MEMBER OF AMORC, WITH MEMBERSHIP NUMBER EIGHT DASH FOUR ONE THREE DASH FOUR SEVEN SEVEN. ON DATE COLUMN OF THIS FORM, SIRHAN ENTERED THE DATE APRIL SIXTEEN, NINETEEN SIXTY EIGHT. MRS. HOLLAND SAID THIS IS AN ERROR AND SIRHAN PROBABLY USED THIS DATE BECAUSE THE LAST PREVIOUS REGISTRATION WAS ON THAT DATE. MRS. HOLLAND CONFIRMED BY TALKING TO THE SUPERVISOR OF THE PASADENA CHAPTER THAT SIRHAN VISITED THAT CHAPTER ON THE EVENING OF JUNE FOUR, NINETEEN SIXTY EIGHT. THIS SUPERVISOR IS SHERMAN LIVINGSTON, TWO FIVE FIVE FIVE VISTA LAGUNA TERRACE, PASADENA, TELEPHONE NUMBER SEVEN NINE FOUR DASH SIX ONE FOUR ONE. LIVINGSTON TOLD HOLLAND HE RECALLS SIRHAN TELLING PEOPLE AT THE MEETING HOW TO PRONOUNCE HIS NAME. LIVINGSTON LOOKED FOR SIRHAN AFTER THE MEETING BUT WAS UNABLE TO FIND HIM.



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IN SIGNING IN, SIRHAN SHOWED HE WAS FIRST DEGREE. MRS. HOLLAND SAID THAT THIS IS A BEGINNER'S DEGREE WHICH WOULD INDICATE MEMBERSHIP OF LESS THAN ONE YEAR.

AMORC HAS NO FULL TIME HALL IN PASADENA. THE CHAPTER MEETS EVERY TUESDAY NIGHT. MASTER OF THE CHAPTER IS THEODORE R. STEVENS, EIGHT EIGHT SIX PULLMAN STREET, LOS ANGELES, TELEPHONE NUMBER TWO FIVE SEVEN DASH NINE THREE SIX EIGHT.

MRS. HOLLAND SAID SHE WILL CALL LIVINGSTON AND STEVENS ON EVENING OF JULY TWELFTH, NINETEEN SIXTY EIGHT, TO INSTRUCT THEM TO COOPERATE IN ANSWERING INQUIRIES FROM THE FBI. SHE SAID WIVES OF BOTH THESE INDIVIDUALS ARE UPSET WITH BAD PUBLICITY GIVEN AMORC IN THE PRESS AND LIVINGSTON AND STEVENS SHOULD BE CONTACTED BY TELEPHONE TO ARRANGE APPOINTMENT. LOS ANGELES WILL HANDLE INTERVIEWS OF LIVINGSTON AND STEVENS FOR INFORMATION CONCERNING SIRHAN'S VISIT TO THE PASADENA CHAPTER BEFORE THE ASSAULT ON KENNEDY.

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ORIGINAL VISITOR SIGN IN SHEET TO LOS ANGELES VIA AIR  
MAIL. TWO COPIES TO BUREAU VIA AIR MAIL.

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# Memorandum

TO : Mr. DeLoach

DATE: 6/13/68

FROM : A. Rosen

SUBJECT: KENSALT

1 - Mr. DeLoach  
1 - Mr. Rosen  
1 - Mr. Malley  
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Legal Attache Minnich called from London to furnish the results of his check concerning United Press International Dispatch No. 84, which is datelined at London, and states that an Arab Government (not identified) indicates that Sirhan returned to the Middle East in 1964 for 7 months and spent 4 of these months in Damascus. Sirhan returned again in 1966, spent 5 months in Cairo, and returned to the United States at the beginning of 1967.

It will be recalled that Mrs. Mildred Stegall called from the White House and expressed the interest of the President in this matter, who wanted to know if there was anything at all to this. The President indicated he understood that if such data had been received it would probably have been received through the State Department's channels. A check was to be made by us.

Legal Attache Minnich advised that his check at the Embassy disclosed that the same information had been sent by the Embassy to the State Department at 8:55 p. m. London time (3:55 p. m. Washington time). Mrs. Stegall called the Bureau at 1:30 p. m. our time.

The dispatch to the State Department is datelined London No. 986. It is a straight report from the article with no observations, analysis, or any other comments. Minnich has determined that this message was relayed by Steve Pralmer who is in the Political Section of the Embassy. Minnich has also learned that Steve Pralmer allegedly is a friend of Jon Kimche with the "Evening Standard" newspaper as a correspondent. Kimche is the man who claims to have close contact with Arab governments (AND THE NEWS REPORT INDICATES HE WAS PROBABLY THE SOURCE OF IT.)

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