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 James Earl Ray & Walter Terry Rife & 1 photo of
 " " " "

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[Signature]

File No. 44-374 1A1
Date Received 4/8/68
From Mr. J. C. Trapp
(NAME OF CONTRIBUTOR)
Quanda State Corp
(ADDRESS OF CONTRIBUTOR)
Helmuth, N.Y.
(CITY AND STATE)
By Croft
(NAME OF SPECIAL AGENT)

To Be Returned ☒ YesReceipt given ☐ Yes☒ No☐ No

Description:

Handwriting of Mr.
Alvin Eugene French

sent to Bureau
airtel 4/9/68
r/m

File No. 44-374-1A2Date Received 4/8/68From Howanda State Hospital

(NAME OF CONTRIBUTOR)

Dr. F.C. Tripp

(ADDRESS OF CONTRIBUTOR)

Belmont, N.Y.

(CITY AND STATE)

By SA James A. Confort

(NAME OF SPECIAL AGENT)

To Be Returned ☒ Yes☐ NoReceipt given ☐ Yes☒ No

Description:

Sent to Ident with airtel
4/8/68 E

Returned from Ident 4/12
Returned to Howanda
4/16 E

File No. 44-374-1A3
Date Received 4/8/68
From Rev. Clarence F. French
(NAME OF CONTRIBUTOR)
3893 Mansomville Rd.
(ADDRESS OF CONTRIBUTOR)
Mansomville Pa
(CITY AND STATE)
By William F. Ringer
(NAME OF SPECIAL AGENT)

To Be Returned ☒ Yes
☐ No

Receipt given ☐ Yes
☒ No

Description:

Photo of Mr. Alvin Eugene French.

Sent to Memphis by
Airtel 4/9/68 E

File No.

44-3741a4

Date Received

4/12/68

From

Bureau

(NAME OF CONTRIBUTOR)

(ADDRESS OF CONTRIBUTOR)

(CITY AND STATE)

By

(NAME OF SPECIAL AGENT)

To Be Returned ☐ Yes
☐ NoReceipt given ☐ Yes
☐ No

Description:

3 photos of two shirts
shirts bearing
laundry marks



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File No. 44- 374 /a5Date Received 3/13/68From Robert Edgemoor
(NAME OF CONTRIBUTOR)IMS
(ADDRESS OF CONTRIBUTOR)Buffalo
(CITY AND STATE)By Eddy
(NAME OF SPECIAL AGENT)To Be Returned Yes ☐
No ☒Description: Copy of contents of
IMS file on Robert
Shadoft.

PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

NAME **SHADOFF, ROBERT JAMES**

DATE OF BIRTH **FEB. 14. 1944** SEX **M**

BIRTHPLACE **TORONTO YORK Co.**

REGISTRATION **FEB. 21. 1944** (DATE) **[REDACTED]** (NUMBER)

ISSUED AT **TORONTO, ONTARIO, CANADA**

THE **24** DAY OF **NOV.** 1981

John Yaremko
(REGISTRAR GENERAL)

R. R. [Signature]
(DEPUTY)

BIRTH CERTIFICATE

2394 A. R. CANADIAN BANK NOTE COMPANY LIMITED

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12/5/61

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Not sufficient information in file to justify inclusion in L.O. Book

Kept only - permanent taking not established

James B. Korn S11 (Buf) 1/10/62

Name (Last, in CAPS)		(First)	(Middle)	No.	
SHADOFF,		ROBERT	JAMES	A [REDACTED]	
Alias		Sndx Code			
		S 310			
Entered: (Mo.) (Day) (Year)	(Port)	(Class)	Born: (Country)	(Mo.) (Day) (Year)	
Aug 11, 1961	BUF		Canada	2 14 44	
Type of Action:			Name of Sponsor:		
Inv. - Lookout					
Action on VP: (Decision)		(Mo.) (Day) (Year)	(Section)	(Forwarded to Consul at:)	
Naturalized: (Mo.) (Day) (Year)		(Court No.)	(Court Location)	(Certificate No.)	
FCO	Date	FCO	Date	FCO	Date
BUF	10/25/61				
Accession No.			Box No.		
Form G-361 (Rev. 7-1-60)		INDEX CARD		Triplicate	

on SEP 29 1961
by [Signature]

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Form G-143
(Rev. 4-10-61)

GPO 909765

LOOKOUT NOTICE WORKSHEET

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
Immigration and Naturalization Service

Soundex Code		Preparation Date		File No.	
Last Name		First		Middle	
SHADOFF		ROBERT		JAMES	
Address: No. and Street		City		State	
66 CONDON AVENUE		TORONTO, ONT.		CANADA	
Date of Birth		Country of Nationality		Canada Code	
Month	Day	Year			
2	14	44	CANADA		
Case Code		Passport or Seaman's Book No.		File Control Office Symbol	
				Cancellation	

RECORD OF ILLEGAL ALIEN APPREHENDED OR LOCATED				File Number	
Family Name ROBERT JAMES SHADOFF		Given Name ROBERT JAMES SHADOFF		Initial ROBERT JAMES SHADOFF	
Nationality (Citizenship) CANADIAN		Passport Number		Color of Hair BROWN	Color of Eyes BROWN
United States Address NONE		Airline & Flight No. or Vessel of Arrival		Height 70	Weight 150
Permanent Address 66 CONDOR AVENUE, TORONTO, ONTARIO, CANADA		Passenger Boarded At		Occupation Restaurant work	
Birthdate FEBRUARY 14, 1944		Date of Action 8/14/61		Scars or Marks Scar inside rt. wrist Mole between lft. index & m	
Birthplace TORONTO, ONTARIO, CANADA		Location Code GPI - BUN		Social Security No. NONE	
Visa Issued At		Form ☐ Lifted ☐ Not Lifted		F.B.I. No.	
Date Visa Issued		Send C.O. Record Check To: BUN		Method of Location LOCAL PATROL	
Immigration Record CLAIMS NONE		Criminal Record 2 arrests, theft of money, 1959 theft, 1960, BOTH IN TORONTO		Status at Entry LEGAL-VISITOR	
Name, Address and Nationality of Spouse SINGLE		Number & Nationality of Minor Child -		Status When Found IN TRAVEL	
Father's Name and Nationality JOHN SHADOFF CANADIAN		Mother's Name and Nationality SIMONE GASSE CANADIAN		Apprehended/Located (At/Near) DARIEN, N.Y.	
Property in U. S. Not in Immediate Possession NONE		Deportation Charge RALEB		Date 8/13/61	
Narrative (Time, Date, Place, Manner of Last Entry - Furnish Details)				(See Reverse)	
ALIEN last entered the United States at about 10 PM, August 11, 1961, from Fort Erie, Ontario, Canada, to Buffalo, New York, via Peace Bridge. He was admitted to go to Watkin's Glen, N.Y., to attend the motorcycle races there over the weekend, and was to return to Canada the afternoon of August 13, 1961. Subject was apprehended on Highway 20 about 30 miles East of Buffalo, N.Y., in company with two other motorcyclists, both with prior immigration records and criminal records. Subject admitted being arrested in 1959 for stealing money in Toronto several times, for which he received one years probation, also for stealing gasoline in 1960, received a suspended sentence of one year and probation for that year. Alien was carrying his brother-in-law's birth certificate, XXXXXXXXXX which he admitted he used while in the United States to circumvent the N.Y. State Liquor Law age restrictions. Alien attempted several times to lie to questioning officers, and evaded telling the truth until finally admitting the above facts					
I-103's Lookout Book UOT Approved		Neg Neg Yes Yes		<i>[Signature]</i> JOHN M. CHRYST (Signature and Title)	

(Continue on Reverse)

Received (subject and documents) (report of interview) from Officer

Disposition **U/D to FT. ERIE, ONT. CANADA 8-13-61** 19 at () M.

(Receiving Officer)

INSTRUCTIONS

On line 4, if entry was without inspection, strike out the printed language and insert E.W.I., at port or nearest point of entry, and date; i.e. "E.W.I. 2 mi. east ELP 5-6-60".

On lines 8 and 9, if alien is in possession of document other than a visa, insert type, number, place and date of issuance, i.e. "BCC # 138965 ELP 5-15-60".

Give careful attention to the data reported in the Narrative. Include date, exact time and place, and manner of entry. If assistance rendered, furnish full details. Furnish circumstances of arrest if not routine. State details of travel while in the U. S. including all pertinent intelligence information. Status at entry and status when found shall conform to those categories under Parts I and III, Form G-23.12. Use code word for deportation charges.

In interview cases furnish full details as to health, humanitarian aspects, and the information required in G-135 block below.

Furnish information copy to appropriate CPI and/or DD when required by O.I. 103.1(a) and 103.1(b).

If an alien has claimed U. S. citizenship or prosecution is contemplated, fill out Form I-215a.

If an alien is required to be registered, check the block marked "Alien Registration."

NARRATIVE (Continued)

(11) At entry	(12) 1 - 6 months	(13) 4 - 30 days	(14) 7 from 1 - 1 year	(15) Over 1 year	(16) In agriculture	(17) Industry and other /	(18) Seeking Employment	(19) In institutions	(20) In travel	(21) Fingerprinted	(22) Photographed
Part II. Length of time illegally in U.S.				Part III. Status when found							

G-135 INFORMATION

Residence last five years (Street and Number, RFD, etc.)		(City, State and Country)		From	To
Prior residences, if available					
Employment last five years (Employer's name and address)		Occupation or profession		From	To
Prior occupation (Not included above)					
Organizations (Include any society, clubs, etc., with which now or previously affiliated)					

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

8-22-61C

J. Edgar Hoover
Director.

The following FBI record, NUMBER 913 474 D, is furnished FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY.

CONTRIBUTOR OF FINGERPRINTS	NAME AND NUMBER	ARRESTED OR RECEIVED	CHARGE	DISPOSITION
PD Toronto Ontario Canada	Robert James Shadoff #1695-60	6-6-60	theft (3 chgs)	susp sent prol 1 yr
USINS Buffalo NY	Robert James Shadoff #BUN-CPI	8-13-61	dep proc	to Canada 8-13-61

RECEIVED
U. S. DEPT. OF JUSTICE
AUG 22
BUFFALO 7, NEW YORK

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CC: RCMP Fingerprint Section Ottawa Ontario Canada				

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ROYAL CANADIAN MOUNTED POLICE

IDENTIFICATION BRANCH, HEADQUARTERS - OTTAWA

1911 - "FIFTY YEARS OF FINGERPRINT SERVICE IN CANADA" - 1961

FPS. #361999

- x 1. U.S. BORDER PATROL, BUFFALO, N.Y.....ROBERT JAMES SHADOFF, #B-61-91
2. METRO PD. TORONTO, ONT.....ROBERT JAMES SHADOFF, #1695/60

U.S. BORDER PATROL
AUG 25 1961
BUFFALO 7, NEW YORK

ALL CORRESPONDENCE TO BE
ADDRESSED: -

THE COMMISSIONER,
R. C. M. POLICE,
OTTAWA

ATTENTION: IDENTIFICATION BRANCH

FILE NO. _____



HEADQUARTERS

OTTAWA,
CANADA

AUG. 22, 1961

FPS. #961999
(PART 1)

THE FOLLOWING CONVICTIONS FOR INDICTABLE OFFENCES,
SUPPORTED BY FINGERPRINTS, ARE RECORDED IN RELATION TO THE SUBJECT
OF OUR FPS. #961999

1960 - JUNE 6, TORONTO, ONT.

THEFT (3 CHGS.) - SUSP. SENTENCE - PROBATION 1 YEAR -
AS ROBERT JAMES SHADOFF, METRO PD. #1695/60

W. H. H. H. Supt.
Officer in Charge,
Identification Branch.

ALL CORRESPONDENCE TO BE
ADDRESSED:-

THE COMMISSIONER,
R. C. M. POLICE,
OTTAWA

ATTENTION: IDENTIFICATION BRANCH

FILE NO. _____



HEADQUARTERS

OTTAWA,
CANADA

AUG. 22, 1961

FPS. #961999
(PART 2)

THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION, NOT NECESSARILY SUPPORTED
BY FINGERPRINTS, APPEARS IN THE FILE OF OUR FPS. #961999

1961 - AUG. 13, BUFFALO, N.Y.
VIOLATION OF IMMIGRATION LAWS -
VOLUNTARY DEPARTURE TO CANADA -
AS ROBERT JAMES SHADOFF, US. BORDER PATROL #B-61-91

W. H. Hanson Supt.
Officer in Charge,
Identification Branch.

**U. S. COURT HOUSE
BUFFALO 2, N. Y.**

Date	NOV. 21, 1961
File	A [REDACTED] pjb

/birth

ROBERT JAMES SHADOFF

Name		Sex	Race		
Present address					
Prior addresses					
Birthplace		Birthdate	Occupation		
TORONTO, ONT., CANADA		FEB. 14, 1944			
Identifying marks					
FA: JOHN MO: SIMONE					
Eyes	Hair	Height	Weight	Complexion	Fingerprint Classification
Remarks:					
SIR: For our official use would you please furnish this office with a copy of subjects birth certificate.					
YOURS TRULY					

Please advise what your records reflect concerning any investigation, arrest or conviction of the subject, or any other information relevant to his moral character or loyalty. A self-addressed envelope is enclosed for your use.

Requesting Officer	<i>C. H. Mac Neider</i>	Title	Asst. District Director for Investigations
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FOR USE BY AGENCY PERFORMING RECORD SEARCH

☐ No Record	☐ Record as follows (use reverse side if more space is required)	
<i>LS</i>		
Signature	Title	Date
<i>R. G. Connelly</i>		<i>24/11/61</i>

Form G-305
(7-21-58)

File No. 44-374 1a6Date Received 4/16/68From Museum (Serial 33)
(NAME OF CONTRIBUTOR)

(ADDRESS OF CONTRIBUTOR)

(CITY AND STATE)

By _____
(NAME OF SPECIAL AGENT)To Be Returned ☐ Yes
☒ NoReceipt given ☐ Yes
☐ No

Description:

6 photos of Mr.
Alvin Eugene French



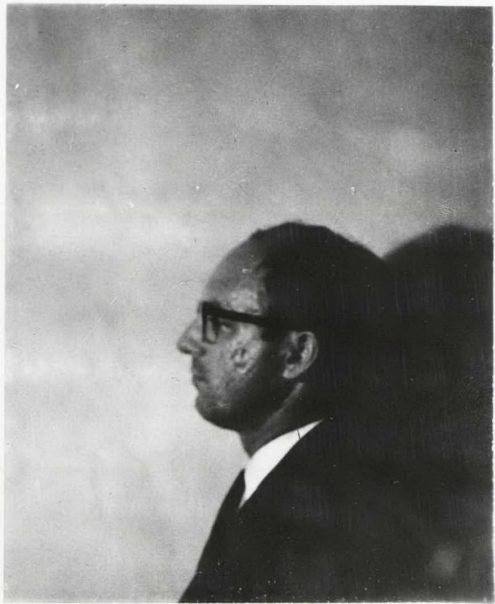
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Mr. Alvin Eugene French



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Mr. Alvin Eugene French



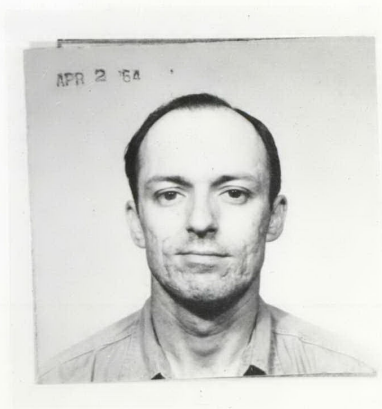
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Mr. Alvin Eugene French



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Mr. Alvin Eugene French



2025 RELEASE UNDER E.O. 14176

Mr. Alvin Eugene Smith

File No. 44-374 1a7Date Received 4/12/68From Bureau
(NAME OF CONTRIBUTOR)

(ADDRESS OF CONTRIBUTOR)

(CITY AND STATE)

By _____
(NAME OF SPECIAL AGENT)To Be Returned ☐ Yes
☒ NoReceipt given ☐ Yes
☐ No

Description:

Photos of Artists'
Conception of Unsub



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Description of subject
from Memphis

White

Male

5'11"

160 - 170 lbs.

Medium Build

Dark brown or black hair;
combed straight back, no part.



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Male

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160 - 170 lbs.

Medium Build

Dark brown or black hair;
combed straight back, no part.



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Description of subject
from Memphis

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Male

5'11"

160 - 170 lbs.

Medium Build

Dark brown or black hair;
combed straight back, no part.



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Description of subject
from Memphis

White

Male

5'11"

160 - 170 lbs.

Medium Build

Dark brown or black hair;
combed straight back, no part.



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Description of subject
from Birmingham:

White

Male

Age 36

5'8" - 5'10"

150 - 160 lbs.

Medium complexion

Dark hair (probably brown)