

Center to have his radio fixed. He told TIACHER that they would not repair the radio on his new car warranty and said that he was short on money and wanted to know how much the repairs would cost. TIACHER stated that the subject then drove the car around to the back of the repair shop in order that the radio could be removed from the automobile. TIACHER stated that in the meantime, he called the Packard Garage and was told that the subject had been there but did not have warranty papers and would not wait to see the service manager. The radio was then removed from the 1954 Packard and the subject left. TIACHER then checked the radio and found that a transformer was burned out; however, he did not repair it due to subject's statement regarding his shortage of money. The subject returned at approximately 3:20 or 3:50 p.m., and when told that the repairs would cost approximately \$13, he informed TIACHER to go ahead and make the repairs. The subject was told that it would take approximately thirty minutes and he again left the shop. TIACHER continued that the subject returned at approximately 4:00 p.m., paid his repair bill of \$12.09, and when TIACHER was replacing the radio in the subject's car, the subject removed the duffle bag and other belongings of BATTLE and put them in the Radio Center remarking that he would be back to pick them up later. TIACHER stated that at approximately 4:15 p.m., the subject left the Radio Center.

TIACHER continued that during his conversation with the subject, the subject remarked that he was from Chicago, and was again headed in that direction. When TIACHER told the subject that he, himself, had spent considerable time in Chicago, the subject refused to continue the conversation along these lines. The subject also remarked to TIACHER that he had only \$7 left after paying his repair bill of \$12.09.

The following is a description of the subject, DON L. SMUT, as furnished by ALBERT BATTLE:

Sex	Male
Race	White
Age	26 or 27
Height	5' 8"
Weight	185
Build	Heavy
Hair	Light brown, wavy
Complexion	Light
Peculiarities	Gold crown between two front teeth
Wearing Apparel	Blue trousers, red long-sleeved sport shirt with white flower design, no hat or coat. No luggage, and carried only a small shaving kit.

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Residence

Reportedly resided on the south side of Chicago, address unknown.

The following is a description of the subject, furnished by
LEONARD THACER;

Sex	Male
Race	White
Age	26 to 30
Height	5' 6"
Weight	180
Build	Heavy
Complexion	Medium
Hair	Dark brown, wavy
Wearing Apparel	Blue checks, red sport shirt with white flowers
Remarks	Hands smooth and complexion did not have the appearance of a person who was employed as an outside laborer.

Photographs of the signature of the subject appearing on the Repair Order Number 30734 at the Radio Center was taken by SA STAVINS and will be forwarded to the FBI Laboratory for comparison with fingerprint cards bearing the name of RON STOUT.

LEADS:

PORTLAND - VISION

Portland will interview the owner and obtain the facts of the theft and attempt to identify the subject noting the address listed by the subject of 1635 Tremont, Oceanside, California.

Seattle, Chicago and Baltimore will check indices and police department files in an effort to identify and locate the subject.

San Diego will make inquiry at 1635 Tremont, Oceanside, California, and attempt to identify the subject.

Director, FBI

March 8, 1954

SAC, Minneapolis

Attention: Identification Division

UNKNOWN; wa., Don L. Stout, 1954 Packard,
1954 Oregon License 948-198
JTLW
OO: Portland

Transmitted herewith by registered mail is one negative and one photograph of a handwriting of the subject of the captioned case, executed by him on February 23, 1954, at Rapid City, South Dakota.

The Identification Division is requested to make a search of the fingerprint card in an effort to identify the subject and the enclosed handwriting specimen need not be returned.

In the event the subject is not identified through fingerprint records, it is requested the enclosures be transmitted to the FBI Laboratory for search through the National Fugitive Check File.

If the examination results in effecting an identification, it is further requested that background data be furnished the submitting and auxiliary offices.

The following is a composite description of the subject furnished by two witnesses:

Name	Unknown, wa., DON L. STOUT
Sex	Male
Race	White
Residence	Listed at 1635 Fremont, Seaside, California, also claimed South Side, Chicago, Illinois
Age	26 to 30
Height	5' 6" to 5' 8"
Weight	100 to 135
Build	Heavy to heavy-muscular
Hair	Light brown, wavy; dark brown, wavy
Complexion	Fair to medium
Occupation	Claimed service with Merchant Marines
Peculiarities	Gold crown shows between two upper front teeth.

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Enclosure (1)

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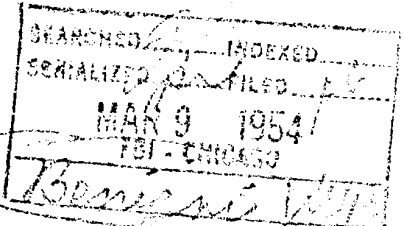
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ADDENDUM TO OFFICES RECEIVING COPIES OF LETTER:

For your assistance in attempting to identify the subject, one photograph of the signature of the subject is enclosed.



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Transmit the following Teletype message to:

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LAWRENCE D. STOUT, WAS DONALD STOUT, DONALD L. STOUT, "LUCKY**

██████████ FUGITIVE--DESERTER-ITSMV. CATHERINE RAE, OWNER, DRIVE AWAY CO, ADVISED HER RECORDS REFLECT SUBJECTS ADDRESS AS 3261 E. 92ND ST, SOUTH CHICAGO, ILL. ACQUAINTANCE ADVISES SUBJECT HAS STATED HE WORKS PART TIME AS BELLHOP AT BLACKSTONE HOTEL IN CHICAGO AND HAS EXHIBITED TO ACQUAINTANCE A BELLHOP'S UNION BADGE. CATHERINE RAE, OWNER OF ABOVE DRIVE AWAY CO ADVISES SUBJECT CALLS HER FROM CHICAGO PERIODICALLY TO ASCERTAIN IF SHE HAS ANY CARS AVAILABLE FOR DELIVERY TO VARIOUS SECTIONS OF THE COUNTRY. RAE ADVISED LAST CONTACT WITH SUBJECT ON OR ABOUT FEB 13, 1954. SUBJECT CONTRACTED WITH ALL STATE DRIVE AWAY(DIFFERENT COMPANY FROM ABOVE) DETROIT FEB 13, 1954 TO TRANSPORT A 1954 PACKARD, MOTOR # M 306 595, 1954 OREGON LICENSE 945198 TO SATERLEE MOTOR SALES, TACOMA, WASHINGTON. SUBJECT LEFT DETROIT ON FEB 13 LAST WITH INSTANT CAR AND TRANSPORTED IT TO LOS ANGELES, CALIF.

INSTEAD OF TO WASHINGTON. IN LOS ANGELES SUBJECT CONTACTED AN UNIDENTIFIED TRAVEL AGENT WHO ARRANGED FOR SUBJECT TO R-CC.

1- SALT LAKE CITY(42-2638)
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TRANSPORT FOUR PASSENGERS TO DETROIT, MICH. SUBJECT PICKED UP THE FOUR PASSENGERS, ONE OF THEM BEING SGT. IRVING LAWLER, DETROIT POLICE DEPT. SUBJECT AND PASSENGERS LEFT LOS ANGELES ON FEBRUARY 26 LAST AND DROVE TO LOS VEGAS, NEVADA. ENROUTE TO LOS VEGAS SUBJECT INFORMED LAWLER THAT IF HE DECIDED TO STAY IN NEVADA AND DO SOME GAMBLING THAT LAWLER COULD DRIVE WHAT HE REPRESENTED TO BE HIS CAR ON TO DETROIT WHERE HIS MOTHER LIVED. AT LOS VEGAS, SUBJECT GAVE KEYS TO LAWLER AND LEFT STATING THAT HE WOULD BE BACK BUT HE DID NOT RETURN. LAWLER CONTACTED SGT. KIM OF THE LOS VEGAS POLICE DEPT AND INFORMED HIM OF THE DETAILS. LAWLER THEN RETURNED INSTANT CAR TO DETROIT ON 3/1/54. SUBJECT DID NOT SHOW UP TO CLAIM THE CAR IN DETROIT. ON MARCH TWO LAST LAWLER CONTACTED SUBJECTS DETROIT ADDRESS WHICH PROVED TO BE ACCURATE AND SUBJECTS MOTHER ADVISED THAT SHE HAD NOT SEEN SUBJECT IN PAST SIX MONTHS. RAY ORLEMAN, OWNER OF ALL STATE DRIVE AWAY COMPANY ADVISED THAT HE WAS IN RECEIPT OF INFORMATION FROM SATERLEE MOTOR SALES, TACOMA, WASH. THAT THE CAR WAS DESTINED FOR P.E. CAMERER C/O NORTH WEST AIR LINES, PORTLAND, OREGON. SATERLEE MOTOR SALES MADE STOLEN CAR REPORT AT TACOMA, WASHINGTON. SGT. LAWLER AND ORLEMAN ADVISE THEY WILL TESTIFY. CAR PRESENTLY IMPOUNDED DETROIT POLICE DEPT IN RUNNING CONDITION. HARTFORD ACCIDENT AND INDEMNITY CO. DETROIT WHO CARRY INSURANCE ON CAR AND HAVE CONTACTED SATERLEE MOTORS SALES, ADVISED OF CARS CONDITION AND LOCATION. AUSA DETROIT AUTHORIZED PROSECUTION AND COMPLAINT WILL BE FILED MARCH 15 next CHARGING VIOLATION DYAR ACT. ^{435A} DETROIT ALSO REQUESTED THAT

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CASE BE PRESENTED TO UNITED STATES ATTORNEY LOS VEGAS IN THAT HE BELIEVES THEY HAVE A STRONGER CASE, HOWEVER, HE WILL GO ALONG WITH HIS AUTHORIZATION IN THE EVENT PROSECUTION IS DECLINED LOS VEGAS. FOR THE INFORMATION OF CHICAGO, SUBJECT REENLISTED U S A RMY AT SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF. SEPT. 4, 1953 AND ABSENTED HIMSELF FROM FORT ORD CALIF. ON SEPT 10, 1953. SUBJECT DESCRIBED AS WHITE, MALE, AGE 25, BORN [REDACTED] AT DETROIT, MICHIGAN, 5' 6 1/2" TO 5' 8", 170 TO 184 LBS, DARK BROWN HAIR, BLUE EYES, FAIR COMPLEXION, 2 1/2" SCAR LEFT FOREARM, 3" SCAR LEFT ^{FOR} FOREARM, 6 1/2" SCAR RIGHT SHIN, SOMETIMES WEARS THIN MUSTACHE, TEETH--FRONT BRIDGE, [REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED] OCCUPATION CAB DRIVER, TRUCK DRIVER, CAR DRIVER AND MERCHANT SEAMAN. SUBJECT HAS FOR PAST TWO YEARS DRIVEN SINGLE CARS FOR VARIOUS DRIVE AWAY ~~COMPANY~~ COMPANIES THROUGH THE COUNTRY. CHICAGO ATTEMPT TO APPREHEND AND INTERVIEW REGARDING CAR. PROTECT IDENTITY OF SOURCES OF ABOVE INFORMATION REGARDING POSSIBLE WHEREABOUTS AND IN NO EVENT LET SUBJECT SEE PHOTO IN THAT IT CAME FROM SAME SOURCE. PHOTO ENCLOSED FOR CHICAGO. SALT LAKE CITY CONTACT SGT KIM, LOS VEGAS PD FOR FURTHER DETAILS CONCERNING EVENTS IN LOS VEGAS AND PRESENT CASE TO U S A THERE AND SUAIRTEL. SALT LAKE CITY OFFICE OF ORIGIN.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC (26-20721)

DATE: March 15, 1954

FROM : SA GENE E. ARNOLD

ATTENTION: SA LOUIS A. LANGILLE

SUBJECT: LAWRENCE D. STOUT, was.
 Donald Stout, Donald L.
 Stoudt, "Lucky"
 ASN RA 15221127
 FUGITIVE; DESERTER;
 ITSMV

Re Detroit teletype to Chicago with carbon
 copies dated 3/12/54.

This is to advise that on March 13, 1954,
 SA CHARLES O. KENNERLY, JR., and the writer conducted
 the following investigation in connection with referenced
 teletype:

Concerning the subject's reported employment
 on a part-time basis as a bellhop at the Blackstone Hotel,
 Balbo Drive and Michigan Boulevard, Chicago, the writer
 and SA KENNERLY contacted the following persons at the
 Blackstone Hotel with negative results:

GERALD DOBBIN, Superintendent of Service, Black-
 stone Hotel; JAMES R. RILEY, House Detective, Blackstone
 Hotel; HAROLD PORTER, Pharmacist, Blackstone Pharmacy; and
 FRANCES SIENA, Clerk.

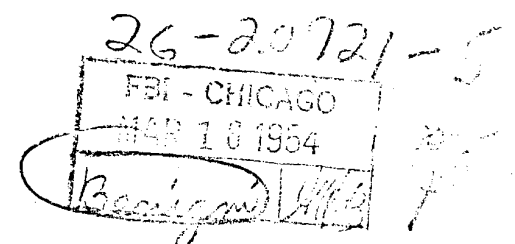
The above persons were displayed a photograph
 of the subject during the course of their interviews.

In connection with the subject's reported resi-
 dence at 3261 East 92nd Street, the following persons
 were contacted with negative results:

GENE BEROZINSKI, Bartender; JOE LOPATA, Bar,
 3265 East 92nd, who owns the apartments at 3261 East
 92nd; WILBUR BOND, Porter at the above bar; and JOHN
 LEWANDOWSKI, Owner, East End Cleaners and South Chicago
 Rescue Mission, 3267 East 92nd.

WILLIAM STEVENSON, Business Agent, Seafarers
 Union, 3261 East 92nd, first floor, advised upon being
 displayed a photograph of the subject and given his name

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that the subject used this address as a mailing address in the past.

STANLEY COBERT, Clerk, Seafarers Union, 3261 East 92nd, advised that the subject picked up his mail at this address about three weeks ago, and that he has not seen him since. COBERT noted that the subject had taken a job on a tug boat as a "pusher" by the Chicago and Albany for one trip in the past.

COBERT advised, however, that the subject has since returned to the Chicago area. He also advised that because he had been given an opportunity to work on the Chicago-Albany run on this one occasion, that he would become a member of instant union.

COBERT took the Chicago Office's number and noted the subject's name, stating that he does not wish to have this person associated with his union, and that when he calls regarding mail or a job, that he will make an appointment with the subject at the union hall and immediately advise this Office.

*The following investigation by SA G H. Benign
The records at CG PD & Credit Bureau Negative
Info obtained from Wm Stevenson reflected subject
resided at Yonkers Hotel, 8th & Wabash.
Mall Ryan, Headcl, Yonkers Hotel, stated no record
of subject
all investigation covered by SA Appolt was
inadvertently covered by GHB on 3/15/54.*

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TO: LOS ANGELES, CHICAGO, DETROIT.
FROM: SALT LAKE CITY

DATE: 3-22-54

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON D. C.

March 31, 1954

To: SAC, Minneapolis

Re: UNSUB; wa.
DAN L. STOUT
1734 Packard,
1954 Oregon License 942-173
LTHV

J. Edgar Hoover
John Edgar Hoover, Director

YOUR FILE NO. 26-8703
FBI FILE NO. 26-103291
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Examination requested by: SAC, Minneapolis

Reference: Letter 3-3-54

Examination requested: Footprint

Specimens:

Qc1 Photograph bearing the signature "DAN L. STOUT".

Results of examination:

It was concluded that the signature on Qc1 was prepared by DONALD LAWRENCE STOUT, FBI-4757380, whose signatures appear on his fingerprint cards on file in the Bureau.

Within the next several days a copy of the identification record, photograph and description of STOUT will be forwarded to your office and all offices receiving copies of this report.

Qc1 was compared with the appropriate section of the National Fraudulent Check File without effecting an identification.

Qc1 is retained in the files of the Bureau.

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The following FBI record, NUMBER

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CONTRIBUTOR OF FINGERPRINTS	NAME AND NUMBER	ARRESTED OR RECEIVED	CHARGE	DISPOSITION
DCGO, Cleveland, Ohio	Lawrence Donald Stout, #00-12	Ident card 3-12-54		
Indiana Veterinary Corp., New Orleans, La.	Lawrence D. Stout, #4383	Ident card 7-12-54		
Army	Lawrence Donald Stout #15421127	5-7-46 Cleveland Ohio		
PD, Detroit, Mich	Lawrence Donald Stout, #1111	Ident card 3-23-54		
Army	Lawrence Donald Stout, #15421127	10-31-46 Detroit Mich		
PD Detroit Mich	Donald Lawrence Stout #97472	5-17-50	Inv Fugitive	5-20-50 POP US Air Force, Springfield Field on chg Fugitive
Spcl. Flat Rock, Mich.	Donald L. Stout #25-1503-50	12-23-47	Auto Larceny (Inv. CF)	
DCGO 3rd ND NY NY	Donald Lawrence Stout #051 1797492-02	Ident card 6-18-49		
DCGO 12ND San Fran Calif.	Donald Lawrence Stout #12295993-012-1	Ident card 6-27-51		
USDB Ft Leavenworth Kans	Lawrence D. Stout #20342	4-3-51	AM 58	
PD Reno Nev	Donald Lawrence Stout #15495	3-16-53	printed & mugged for record	rel after inter-rogation 3-16-53

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CONTRIBUTOR OF FINGERPRINTS	NAME AND NUMBER	ARRESTED OR RECEIVED	CHARGE	DISPOSITION
	As Donald Susan #27472, DO, Detroit, Mich. 5-2-45 Inv. Imp. Seiler 9-7-45 Inv. Seiler; 9-10-45 TOY Fed. Arch.			

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	DESCRIPTION: Race: W Sex: M Height: 65" Weight: 185 Hair: Brown Eyes: Blue Scars and marks: 1 1/2" sc inner left arm; sc below R/knee Birth: 4-30-28 Detroit Mich Occupation: truck driver Residence: Reno Nev in 1953 Citizenship: USA Company: USNS Training Station Sheepshead Bay NY in 1945 Build: Stout Complexion: Med	5/5		

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4-5-54

SAC, PORTLAND (26-9040)

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Don L. Stout; 1954 Packard
1954 Oregon License 949-198
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Re Minneapolis letter to Portland dated 3/1/54.

ROBERT H. WAMPLER, Special Agent in Charge, NATB, Portland, Oregon, advised that instant car has been recovered abandoned by the Detroit, Michigan, PD and impounded by the same.

Inquiry of the Secretary of State's Office, Portland, Oregon, revealed that 1954 Oregon License 949-198 was issued to Mr. P. E. CAMERON, who is a pilot for the Northwest Airlines and operates out of Seattle, Washington.

The records of the Secretary of State's Office also indicated that this license was issued for a "drive-out" from Detroit, Michigan.

In view of the fact that instant car has been recovered in Detroit, Michigan, and since there is no further investigation to be conducted in the Portland Division, Detroit is being considered the office of origin, and no further action is being taken by the Portland Division.

RUC.

Enclosures: To Detroit: One copy of Minneapolis letter to Portland, 3/1/54.
One copy of Baltimore letter to Portland, 3/17/54.
One copy of San Diego letter to Portland, 3/23/54.
One photo of signature of DON L. STOUT.

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Reynair-tel to San Francisco and Detroit, 4/15/54, and San Francisco air-tel to Los Angeles and Detroit, 4/22/54.

Regarding subject's transfer from Fort MacArthur, California, to Fort Ord, California, by United States Army authorities and subsequent A.M. status, the following is being set out for reference to the Bureau and interested offices:

On March 16, 1954, following receipt of Chicago air-tel dated 3/12/54, subject was located and interviewed at the brig at Fort MacArthur, San Pedro, California, by SA RICH E. BERRY. Prior to and subsequent to this interview Captain G. I. BOLLEN, Custodial Officer at Fort MacArthur, was contacted and advised of the process outstanding in this case. He was specifically requested not to release subject for any purpose until certified copies of this process could be forwarded from the Detroit Office.

Legal Officer J. T. BERRY was also contacted on this occasion and notified of the process then outstanding in the Detroit Office. He was requested to have subject released in this district for purposes of pleading under Rule 20, and was advised that certified copies of the complaint and warrant were being forwarded to the Los Angeles Office. It was explained to him that the handling of this case would be facilitated if the Bureau's request for release here was honored.

It. BERRY stated that Fort Ord had primary and sole jurisdiction over subject in accordance with United States Army regulations for purposes of court-martial, and that subject would normally be transferred there from this station within one week of being received here. He stated he would immediately communicate with the United States Army authorities at Fort Ord, California, and request that jurisdiction in this case be transferred to Fort MacArthur. In the meantime he stated that subject would be held in custody and that this notice did serve as a detainer. He stated that the United States Army regulations currently require that the United States Attorney notify the

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legal officer of any part of the receipt of process from another jurisdiction before a release from military custody will be honored. This policy, according to Lt. DORSEY, was adopted due to the failure to prosecute after a request for release based on out of state process which, he claims, has occurred on numerous occasions.

This entire transaction was also discussed in its entirety with Special Agent A. G. LAMANA of the 528th CIP, who was present during the interview of subject at the express request of Lt. DORSEY, and it was mutually agreed that Lt. DORSEY would advise Fort Ord of the circumstances of this case and would request release of jurisdiction for court-martial purposes in order that subject could be released for prosecution here. Subject, in the interim, was to be held at Fort MacArthur until these arrangements could be worked out between Fort MacArthur and Fort Ord.

It was anticipated, following interview of subject, that a possibility existed in the delay of process, inasmuch as subject stated that he had transported this car from Detroit to Tacoma, Washington, in accordance with instructions by agents of the owner but had, after a two day delay in delivery, decided to take the car for what he described as a "joy ride."

Continuous contact with the office of the United States Attorney at Los Angeles, as well as with Lt. DORSEY, was unproductive of any notice of the receipt of process from Detroit or the release of jurisdiction by the United States Army authorities at Fort Ord. In an examination of the files of the United States Attorney's office at Los Angeles it was found that the certified copies of process had been received but had been misfiled, and these copies were located on 4/14/54.

Lt. DORSEY was immediately contacted and advised that he had not heard from Fort Ord and that subject was still in custody at Fort MacArthur. However, on 4/15/54, he telephonically advised that subject had been routinely shipped out to Fort Ord by mistake on 4/2/54, while Captain FORDHAM was absent from the station, and he stated he had not been advised of this. Lt. DORSEY stated that inasmuch as subject was presently at Fort Ord, it would be impossible to return him to this district and he suggested that the legal officer at Fort Ord be contacted and appropriate arrangements be made for subject's release for prosecution there. Both Lt. DORSEY and Captain FORDHAM expressed regret over this incident and described it as a bad error. They were both apologetic, and cooperation here with both of these officers has been very good in the past.

San Francisco Office was immediately notified by radio air-tel and by air-tel dated 4/22/54, and replied subject was transferred there 4/2/54, and was reported AWOL on the same date.

In view of the present circumstances, the Detroit Office should

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immediately contact subject's mother, and both Chicago and Detroit Offices should contact subject's former associates in Car Drive Away companies in an effort to apprehend subject.

San Francisco Office will determine if subject discussed his escape plans with other prisoners who were transferred from Fort MacArthur to Fort Ord on 1/2/54.

SAC Detroit (42-3416)

June 25, 1954

SAC Chicago (26-20721)

LAWRENCE D. STOUT,
ASN 15-221-127, was, FUGITIVE
DESERTER; ITSMV

Re Detroit airtels to Chicago dated 3/12 and 17/54; Los Angeles letter to the Director dated 4/28/54.

The following individuals at the Blackstone Hotel, Balboa Drive and Michigan Boulevard, were shown a photograph of the subject and failed to identify him. The records of the hotel failed to reflect his employment.

GERALD DOBBIN, superintendent of service.

JAMES R. REILLY, house detective.

HAROLD PORTER, pharmacist.

FRANCES SIENA, clerk.

In connection with the subject's reported residence at 3261 East 92nd Street, the following persons were contacted with negative results:

GENE BEROZINSKI, bartender.

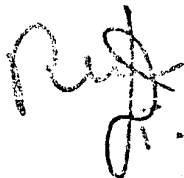
JOE IOPATA, bar at 3265 East 92nd Street, who also owns the apartment building at 3261 East 92nd Street.

WILBUR BOND, porter at the above bar.

JOHN LEWANDOWSKI, owner of the East End Cleaners and the South Chicago Rescue Mission, 3267 East 92nd Street.

STANLEY COBERT, clerk, Seafarer's Union, 3261 East 92nd Street, first floor, advised that the subject received mail through the Union in the latter part of February, 1954, and that he has not seen him since. COBERT noted that the subject had taken a job on a tug boat as a "pusher", between Chicago and Albany for one trip. He also advised that because the subject had taken this one trip he had to enroll in the Union. A review of COBERT'S records reflects that the subject was not active on the Union rolls. COBERT said that he would immediately notify the Chicago office if the subject should contact instant Union again.

GHB:dfj



26-20721-132

SAC Detroit

Re: LAWRENCE D. STOUT

WILLIAM STEVENSON, business agent, Seafarer's Union, advised upon being displayed a photograph and given his name that the subject used this address, 3261 East 92nd Street, as a mailing address in February, 1954. It was STEVENSON'S opinion that while the subject was in Chicago he was residing at the YMCA Hotel, at 8th and Wabash.

The records of the Chicago Police Department and Credit Bureau were negative regarding the subject.

MAT RYAN, house detective, YMCA Hotel, 8th and Wabash, Chicago, advised that he checked the records of the hotel for information on the subject, but none was forthcoming. RYAN was unable to identify the subject's photograph.

In reference to Los Angeles letter, a request was made for Chicago to contact former associates of the subject in car drive-away companies.

A review of the Chicago file fails to show that he had associates in this locale.

Inasmuch as there is no further investigation pending in the Chicago Division, this case is being RUC'd.

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PM URGENT 4/25/68 VLT

TO CHICAGO (44-1114)

FROM SAN FRANCISCO (173-65) (P) 1P

MURKIN

RE: THREATS TO MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.,

REURTEL, INSTANT DATE.

FURNISH STREET AND NUMBER FOR STEWART LINDH.

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PITTSBURGH
SAN FRANCISCO

FROM: SAC, CHICAGO (44-1114) P

MURKIN. OO MEMPHIS.

RE THREATS TO MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.

PITTSBURGH SUBMITTED LHM DATED SEPT. SEVEN, SIXTYSIX
CONCERNING DONALD STOUT, WM, FIVE SEVEN OR EIGHT, TWO HUNDRED TEN
POUNDS, DARK HAIR WITH WAVE IN FRONT.

HARRY P. STEWERT, US. SECRET SERVICE REPORTED HIS
NEPHEW, STEWART LINDH, TWO TWO ZERO SIX, ~~GREENBACH~~ SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.,
CLAIMED HE AND TWO OTHERS THROUGH NEWSPAPER AD OBTAINED RIDE
WITH STOUT. AT KANSAS CITY, MO., STOUT DISAPPEARED WITH THEIR
EFFECTS. BEFORE STOUT DISAPPEARED HE TOLD THEM HE WAS GOING TO
SHOOT KING.

RECORDS FBI, CHICAGO, REFLECT SIMILAR MODUS OPERANDI
BY DONALD LAWRENCE STOUT, AKA LAWRENCE DONALD STOUT, FBI NO.
FOUR NINE FIVE NINE THREE EIGHT ZERO, WM, BORN [REDACTED]
[REDACTED], DETROIT, MICHIGAN, SIMILAR DESCRIPTION, WHO HAS WORKED
AS MERCHANT SEAMAN.

BUREAU SUTEL RECENT ARREST RECORD DONALD LAWRENCE

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STOUT AND LOCATION LATEST POLICE PHOTOGRAPH IN ORDER PHOTO MAY
BE OBTAINED AND SHOWN TO STEWART LINDH. FURNISH CG, PG, SF.

PITTSBURGH DETERMINE LOCATION HARRY P. STEWART
FOR ANY ADDITIONAL DATA HE RECEIVED AND PRESENT LOCATION HIS
NEPHEW, STEWART LINDH.

SAN FRANCISCO LOCATE STEWART LINDH FOR ANY ADDITIONAL
DETAILS AND SHOW HIM PHOTO DONALD LAWRENCE STOUT TO DETERMINE
WHETHER HE IS DONALD STOUT WITH WHOM HE RODE TO KCMO.

CHICAGO CONTINUING INVESTIGATION DESIGNED TO
DETERMINE IDENTITY DONALD STOUT FOR ULTIMATE PURPOSE OF
LEARNING WHETHER HE COULD BE CONSPIRATOR MURKIN.

ALL OFFICES HANDLE IMMEDIATELY AND SUTEL LEADS.

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FROM: SAC, CHICAGO (44-1114) P

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REGTEL, AIRTEL AND LHM, NOVEMBER FOURTEEN, LAST UNDER
CAPTION "MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR., SH - C."

RE: THREATS TO MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.

MRS. JESSIE KILGRAF, SEVEN FIVE TWO LIBERTY STREET,
APARTMENT SEVEN, PENFIELD, NEW YORK ON NOVEMBER THIRTEEN, LAST,
SENT TELEGRAM TO NAACP, CHICAGO STATING "PLEASE FIND DR. MARTIN
LUTHER KING AND WARN HIM HIS LIFE IS IN DANGER. GO EASY ON
SPEECHES FOR AWHILE."

BUFFALO LOCATE AND INTERVIEW KILGRAF FOR BASIS HER
TELEGRAM. SUTEL BUREAU, MEMPHIS AND CHICAGO RESULTS.

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FROM: SAC, CHICAGO (100-35356) (P)

MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. SM - C, OO: ATLANTA.

MR. ED MC CLELLAN, EXECUTIVE SECRETARY, CHICAGO BRANCH,
NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR ADVANCEMENT OF COLORED PEOPLE
(NAACP), ADVISED AS FOLLOWS THIS DATE:NAACP OFFICE CHICAGO RECEIVED TELEGRAM NOON, NOVEMBER
THIRTEEN INSTANT FROM MRS. JESSIE KILGRAF, SEVEN FIVE TWO
LIBERTY STREET, APARTMENT SEVEN, PENFIELD, NEW YORK, TELEGRAM
STATED AS FOLLOWS:"PLEASE FIND DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING AND WARN HIM HIS
LIFE IS IN DANGER. BEGGED EASY ON SPEECHES FOR A WHILE."OFFICER THERON TOOLE, CHICAGO PD, HUMAN RELATIONS
UNIT, ADVISED TODAY PD AWARE ABOVE INFORMATION. ADVISED KING
ARRIVED IN CHICAGO ~~ARRIVED CHICAGO~~ APPROXIMATELY ONE P.M.(1-157-413)
(1-105-16238) (SCLC)
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NOVEMBER ELEVEN LAST VIA NORTHWEST AIRLINES FROM ATLANTA.
KING PARTICIPATED ANTI VIET NAM SEMINAR NOVEMBER ELEVEN LAST
AT UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO CENTER FOR CONTINUING EDUCATION.
DEPARTED CHICAGO LATE SATURDAY P.M. NOVEMBER ELEVEN LAST
OR EARLY NOVEMBER TWELVE LAST FOR NEW YORK CITY, NEW YORK.
WHILE IN CHICAGO NO INCIDENTS OR DISTURBANCES CONNECTED
WITH KING'S VISIT. ^{WAS} ~~MC~~ ADMINISTRATIVE CLELLEN ABOVE IS FORMER CHICAGO PD
OFFICER, ATTACHED TO PD HUMAN RELATIONS UNIT AND IS CURRENTLY
CHICAGO OFFICE LIAISON SOURCE.

ATLANTA FURNISH INFORMATION CONCERNING IMPLIED THREAT
TO KING TO APPROPRIATE LOCAL AUTHORITIES. BUFFALO ADVISE
BUREAU AND ATLANTA RESULTS OF INDICES CHECK RE KILGRAF. THIS
INFORMATION AS WELL AS INFORMATION RE KING'S APPEARANCES
AT UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO BEING INCORPORATED IN LHM FOR
APPROPRIATE DISSEMINATION.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-106670)

FROM: SAC, CHICAGO (100-35356) (P) ✓

SUBJECT: MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.
SM-C
OO: ATLANTA

Re Chicago teletype dated 11/13/67 captioned as above.

Enclosed for the Bureau are 13 copies of an LHM concerning KING. Copies are being provided as indicated to Atlanta and Buffalo for information.

Referenced Chicago teletype requested Buffalo to provide the Bureau and Atlanta with any information available in Buffalo indices concerning Mrs. JESSIE KILGRAF. Buffalo advised indices negative regarding KILGRAF.

Chicago will follow and any subsequent pertinent information will be subsequently provided the Bureau and any interested offices.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Chicago, Illinois
November 14, 1967

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No. 100-35356

MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.

Officer Theron Toole, Human Relations Unit, Chicago Police Department, advised on November 13, 1967, that Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., President, Southern Christian Leadership Conference (SCLC), had arrived in Chicago at approximately 1:00 p.m. on November 11, 1967. King had arrived in Chicago on Northwest Airlines from Atlanta, Georgia, SCLC headquarters. King was in Chicago as featured speaker at the University of Chicago, Center for Continuing Education, where an anti Viet Nam conference, The National Labor Leadership Association for Peace, was being held over the period November 10 through 12, 1967.

Toole advised that King had departed Chicago either late during the evening of November 11, 1967, or early November 12, 1967, reportedly for New York City, New York. While King had been in Chicago, there had been no incidents or disturbances connected with his business here.

Attached to this memorandum are articles from Chicago's daily news media; these articles containing excerpts from King's remarks in his appearance on November 11, 1967, at the Center for Continuing Education.

On November 13, 1967, Edward Mc Clellen, Executive Secretary, Chicago Branch, National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP), advised as follows:

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MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.

The NAACP Office, Chicago, on that date had received a telegram from Mrs. Jessie Kilgraf, 752 Liberty Street, Apartment 7, Penfield, New York. The telegram had stated as follows:

"Please find Dr. Martin Luther King and warn him his life is in danger. Go easy on speeches for a while."

Officer Toole, above, advised on November 13, 1967, that the Chicago Police Department was aware of the above information available to Mc Clellen.

Copies of this memorandum are being made available to the following:

United States Attorney
Chicago, Illinois

United States Secret Service
Chicago, Illinois

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113th MI Group
Evanston, Illinois

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RICHMOND (

FROM: SAC, CHICAGO (44-1114)

MURKIN OO: MEMPHIS

RE: THREATS TO MARTIN LUTHER KING

RE CHICAGO AIRTEL AND LHM DATED APRIL TWELVE, SIXTY EIGHT
CAPTIONED: NSWPP; JOHN MEDIZER.

JOHN C. MEDIZER, WHITE MALE, BORN [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], FIVE FEET ELEVEN INCHES, ONE HUNDRED FORTY FIVE POUNDS,
BLOND HAIR, BLUE EYES, WAS ACTIVE IN CHICAGO UNIT NATIONAL
SOCIALIST WHITE PEOPLE'S PARTY (NSWPP) DURING SUMMER AND FALL,
NINETEEN SIXTY SEVEN.

MEDIZER LIVED FOR TIME AT NSWPP HEADQUARTERS AND ALSO AT
DIPLOMAT HOTEL, CHICAGO. HE WORKED AT ROTO PRINT COMPANY,
CHICAGO UNTIL MARCH TWENTY NINE, SIXTY EIGHT, WHEN HE QUIT
HIS JOB.

CHICAGO NSWPP SOURCE ADVISED MEDIZER BELIEVED ORIGINALLY
FROM WEST FRANKFORT, ILLINOIS AND REPORTEDLY WORKED PRIOR TO

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CHICAGO AS DRUMMER IN NIGHT SPOTS IN DALLAS, TEXAS AREA.

WHILE ACTIVE IN NSWPP AFFAIRS MEDIZER PARTICIPATED IN DEMONSTRATIONS INCLUDING DEMONSTRATIONS AGAINST ANTI VIETNAM PEACE DEMONSTRATIONS WASHINGTON, D.C., OCTOBER TWENTY, TWENTY ONE, SIXTY SEVEN.

VINCENT BURNELL, FORMER, ROTO PRINT COMPANY, HAS ADVISED MEDIZER HAS SSN [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] WAS SHOP WORKER. MEDIZER FREQUENTLY BRAGGED TO COWORKERS ABOUT HIS NAZI PARTY ACTIVITIES AND DISPLAYED LITERATURE AND OTHER NAZI ITEMS. ON MARCH TWENTY, SIXTY EIGHT MEDIZER ADVISED HE WAS QUITTING JOB TO WORK FOR NAZIS IN ARGENTINA, REPORTEDLY ON "FORGED PASSPORT." HE INDICATED HE FIRST WOULD VISIT FRIENDS IN DALLAS.

MEDIZER ALSO DURING EMPLOYMENT MADE VAGUE THREATS AGAINST MARTIN LUTHER KING AND THAT HE WOULD "TAKE CARE OF HIM."

SUBSEQUENTLY MEDIZER PICKED UP PAYCHECK ON MARCH TWENTY NINE, SIXTY EIGHT, STATED HIS PRESENT PLANS INCLUDED A VISIT TO ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI, THEN TRIP TO WASHINGTON, D.C. AREA WHERE HE WOULD DISCUSS HIS PLANS WITH MAJOR KOEHL (MATT KOEHL OF NSWPP) AT ARLINGTON AND DO WHAT EVER "THE MAJOR" WANTED HIM TO DO.

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HE INDICATED HIS PLANS MAY NOT INCLUDE A TRIP TO ARGENTINA
DEPENDING ON WHAT KOEHL HAD TO SAY.

PASSPORT RECORDS, CHICAGO NEGATIVE RE MEDIZER.

MRS. MORRIS, DIPLOMAT HOTEL, CHICAGO HAS ADVISED MEDIZER
LEFT HOTEL LAST OF MARCH STATING HE WAS GOING TO AUSTRALIA.
TALKED OF NAZI ACTIVITIES AT HOTEL, NOTHING SPECIFIC RECALLED.
LEFT NO FORWARDING ADDRESS.

CHICAGO NSWPP SOURCES HAVE NO INFORMATION RE MEDIZER'S
CURRENT WHEREABOUTS. HAVE NO INFORMATION RE MEDIZER INVOLVEMENT
RE MURKIN.

BASED ON STATEMENT MADE RE KING, MEDIZER SHOULD BE LOCATED
AND INTERVIEWED.

RICHMOND AT ARLINGTON CONTACT MATT KOEHL,
NSWPP TO DETERMINE IF MEDIZER LOCATED THERE AND INTERVIEW RE
POSSIBLE INVOLVEMENT MURKIN. IF NOT LOCATED SUTEL LEADS TO
LOCATE.

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MEMPHIS (44-1987)

FROM: SAC, CHICAGO (44-1114)

MURKIN.

RE CHICAGO TEL APRIL TWENTY FIVE INSTANT.

RE THREATS TO MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.

ALFRED GEORGE SCHNEIDER, WHITE MALE, BORN [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] AT CHICAGO, RESIDING FIVE ZERO FIVE
FOUR NORTH LEAVITT, CHICAGO, INTERVIEWED TODAY. EMPLOYED
TWENTY FIVE YEARS AS UNDERWRITER KEMPER INSURANCE COMPANY,
CHICAGO. STATED THAT IN AUGUST, NINETEEN SIXTY SIX, RUMOR
IN HIS NEIGHBORHOOD WAS TO EFFECT THAT KING WAS TO SOON MAKE
SPEECH IN WINNEMAC PARK, LOCATED ACROSS STREET FROM SCHNEIDER
RESIDENCE. SCHNEIDER WAS DRINKING IN LOCAL BAR AND CUSTOMERS
WERE TALKING ABOUT PROPOSED KING SPEECH AT WINNEMAC PARK.
TALK BECAME HEATED AGAINST KING AND CUSTOMER DARED SCHNEIDER
TO CALL POLICE AND REPORT THAT KING WOULD BE KILLED IF HE APPEARED.

SCHNEIDER THEREAFTER RETURNED HOME AND BECAUSE OF DRUNKEN
CONDITION, TELEPHONED LOCAL POLICE DISTRICT STATING THAT IF KING
APPEARED HE WOULD BE KILLED. DENIED HE SAID HE WOULD KILL KING.

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SCHNEIDER'S WIFE INTERVIEWED AND CONFIRMED HE DRINKS TO EXCESS. SHE RECALLED SCHNEIDER'S TELEPHONE CALL TO POLICE ONE NIGHT WHEN HE WAS DRUNK. SHE HAS NO REASON TO BELIEVE THAT IF HE MADE THREAT, THAT HE EVER INTENDED TO CARRY IT THROUGH.

NEIGHBORHOOD INVESTIGATION INDICATED SCHNEIDER AND FAMILY HAVE EXCELLENT REPUTATIONS IN COMMUNITY. NO ARREST RECORD OF SCHNEIDER CHICAGO.

IN VIEW OF FOREGOING, SCHNEIDER CONSIDERED BY CHICAGO AS ELIMINATED AS POSSIBLE CONSPIRATOR MURKIN AND NO FURTHER INQUIRY BEING MADE CONCERNING HIM UACB.

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FBI RICHMOND

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TO DIRECTOR (44-38861) , MEMPHIS (44-1987) AND CHICAGO (44-1114)
FROM RICHMOND (44-657)

MURKIN OO: MEMPHIS

RE CHICAGO TEL INSTANT DATE.

MATT KOEHL, NSWPP LEADER, ARLINGTON, VA., ADVISED THIS DATE
MEDIZER HAS NOT BEEN IN ARLINGTON AND IS STILL RECEIVING MAIL
AT POST OFFICE BOX SIX ONE SIX EIGHT CHICAGO AND FRED CATALANO
MEMBER NSWPP WOULD BE LOGICAL PERSON TO KNOW OF MEDIZER'S WHEREABOUTS.

CG THROUGH CATALANO LOCATE AND INTERVIEW MEDIZER RE POSSIBLE
INVOLVEMENT MURKIN.

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MURKIN.

RE CG AND SF TELS THIS DATE.

RE: THREATS TO MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.

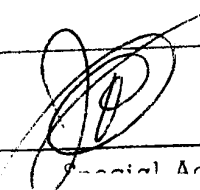
LINDH RESIDES TWO TWO ZERO SIX GREENWICH, SAN FRANCISCO.

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TO CHICAGO (44-1114) PITTSBURGH SAN FRANCISCO
FROM DIRECTOR

MURKIN.

RECHICAGO TEL APRIL TWENTYFIVE LAST.

LAWRENCE DONALD STOUT, AKA DONALD LAWRENCE STOUT, WITH FBI
NUMBER FOUR NINE FIVE NINE THREE EIGHT NAUGHT. MARCH TWELVE FIFTY-
FIVE, FEDERAL CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION SEAGOVILLE TEXAS, VIOLATION
NATIONAL MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT ACT, ONE YEAR ONE DAY. LATEST ARREST
RECORD IDENTIFICATION DIVISION FILES APRIL TEN FIFTYEIGHT, POLICE
BERLIN NEW HAMPSHIRE, THEIR NUMBER FOURTEEN., DRIVING NON - REGISTERED
MOTOR VEHICLE, FIVE DOLLARS FINE PAID. COPIES OF RECORD AND PHOTO
TAKEN IN NINETEEN FIFTYFIVE BEING MAILED AMSD THIS DATE. UNABLE TO
DETERMINE OUR FILES WHERE RECENT PHOTO OF SUBJECT MAY BE OBTAINED.

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TO DIRECTOR 44-3886L, CHICAGO 44-1114

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FROM ATLANTA 44-2386 1P

MURKIN

RE CHICAGO TELETYPE TO BUREAU, APR. TWENTYFIVE, 'SIXTYEIGHT.

RE: THREAT AGAINST KING BY ALFRED G. SCHNEIDER,
EIGHT ONE THREE SIXTYSIXTH.

INFO RE SCHNEIDER'S THREAT RECEIVED BY ATLANTA NIGHT OF
AUG. THIRTEEN, SIXTYSIX BY TELETYPE FROM JACKSON. INFO FUR-
NISHED STATION CAPTAIN'S OFFICE, ATLANTA POLICE, TWELVE TEN AM,
AUG. FOURTEEN, 'SIXTYSIX.

ON APR. TWENTYSIX, 'SIXTYEIGHT, SGT. BOBBY MOORE, SECURITY
UNIT, APD, ADVISED HE COULD LOCATE NO FORMAL RECORD AND HAD NO
RECOLLECTION THAT SCHNEIDER WAS DISCUSSED BY APD WITH
KING. P

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RE THREATS TO MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.

BOSTON AND INDIANAPOLIS REFER TO ^{PITTSBURGH} ~~CHICAGO~~ AIRTEL SEPTEMBER SEVEN, SIXTYSIX, CAPTIONED "MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.; SM-C" AND LHM CONCERNING DONALD STOUT WHO SAID HE WAS GOING TO SHOOT KING.

INVESTIGATION INITIATED TO DETERMINE WHETHER STOUT COULD BE CO CONSPIRATOR THIS CASE. FIRST STEP IS TO DEFINITELY IDENTIFY STOUT.

BOSTON REFER RE LHM, DETERMINE REGISTRATION MASSACHUSETTS SIXTYSIX LICENSE P EIGHT THREE FOUR SEVEN THREE. STOUT POSSIBLY IDENTICAL LAWRENCE DONALD STOUT, AKA DONALD LAWRENCE STOUT. FBI NO. FOUR NINE FIVE NINE THREE EIGHT ZERO, LAST ARRESTED PER BUTEL TODAY, ON APRIL TEN, FIFTYEIGHT, POLICE, BERLIN, NEW HAMPSHIRE, THEIR NUMBER FOURTEEN. IF PHOTO TAKEN AT BERLIN, FORWARD COPY AMSD TO SAN FRANCISCO TO SHOW STEWART LINDH.

BOSTON IMMEDIATELY INITIATE INVESTIGATION TO LOCATE STOUT, WHO WAS ARRESTED BERLIN, AND DETERMINE WHETHER HE IS SAME

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STOUT WHO HAS CAR MENTIONED RE LHM.

INDIANAPOLIS REFER RE LHM, AND AT EASTERN STATES FREIGHT
LINES, TERRE HAUTE, INDIANA, OBTAIN ANY INFO RE DONALD STOUT
TO IDENTIFY AND LOCATE HIM.

SAN FRANCISCO REFER RE LHM IN CONDUCTING INQUIRIES.

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FROM: SAC, CHICAGO (44-1114)

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RE THREATS TO MARTIN LUTHER KING

RE CHICAGO TEL APRIL TWENTY FIVE, LAST TO DIRECTOR,
 AM COPIES TO DALLAS, ST. LOUIS, WFO AND SPRINGFIELD; RICHMOND
 TEL TO DIRECTOR, APRIL TWENTY FIVE, LAST.
NATIONAL Socialist White People's Party,
 FRED CATALANO, (NSWPP) LEADER, CHICAGO, ADVISED, INSTANT,
 MEDIZER REPORTEDLY LEFT CHICAGO ABOUT ONE MONTH AGO. TOLD
 CATALANO WAS GOING TO VISIT FRIENDS IN DALLAS, TEXAS. WOULD
 PROBABLY BE IN TOUCH WITH DALLAS NSWPP UNIT, IN CARE OF
 LT. ALVIS GREY.

ADVISED WOULD PROBABLY SPEND TIME AT TARGET LOUNGE, NEAR
 DALLAS, WHERE MAY HAVE WORKED AS DRUMMER.

ADVISED MEDIZER WOULD MOST LIKELY GO TO ARLINGTON, VIRGINIA
 AT NSWPP HEADQUARTERS AFTER CURRENT TRAVEL.

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VIDNJEVICH, NSWPP, ARLINGTON, MIGHT ALSO HAVE ADDITIONAL INFORMATION RE MEDIZER PRESENT LOCATION.

FOR INFO DALLAS, JOHN C. MEDIZER IS WHITE MALE, BORN [REDACTED] FIVE FEET ELEVEN INCHES, ONE HUNDRED FORTY FIVE POUNDS, BLOND HAIR, BLUE EYES, WAS ACTIVE IN NSWPP IN CHICAGO, SUMMER AND FALL, SIXTY SEVEN.

MEDIZER QUIT JOB AT ROTO PRINT COMPANY, CHICAGO, MARCH TWENTY NINE, SIXTY EIGHT TELLING CO-WORKERS HE WAS GOING TO ARGENTINA TO WORK FOR NAZIS, AFTER FIRST VISITING DALLAS, WHERE HE HAD FRIENDS. CHICAGO NSWPP SOURCE ADVISES MEDIZER WORKED AS DRUMMER IN VARIOUS PLACES IN DALLAS PRIOR TO COMING TO CHICAGO.

MEDIZER DURING EMPLOYMENT CHICAGO MADE VAGUE THREATS AGAINST MARTIN LUTHER KING AND THAT HE WOULD "TAKE CARE OF HIM."

MRS. MORRIS, DIPLOMAT HOTEL, CHICAGO, WHERE MEDIZER RESIDED, ADVISED ^{medizer told} X HER HE WAS GOING TO AUSTRALIA. HE LEFT NO FORWARDING ADDRESS.

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**BASED ON STATEMENT MADE BY MEDIZER RE KING, DALLAS SHOULD
ATTEMPT LOCATE MEDIZER AND INTERVIEW RE ^{ANY POSSIBLE} INVOLVEMENT MURKIN.
IF NOT LOCATED SUTEL LEADS TO LOCATE.
ARMED AND DANGEROUS.**

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Memo

4-26-68

To: SAC, Chicago (44-1114)

From: SA, Robert L. Zimmerman

Subject: MURKIN

RE: THOMAS E. CRAMER, AKA,
THOMAS E. CRAMER

Chicago indices checked 4-25-68 and no references other than 157-1414, the basis for this Murkin lead, were located.

Records of Chicago P.D. checked 4-25-68 and only additional record to that set forth in 157-1414 was that Thomas E. Cramer, 1901 W. School St., a white, male, born 1939, Social Security number

[redacted], reported his automobile stolen under RD #E29849 on 9-20-66.

This RD being obtained for any leads to Cramer's location.

Inquiry at Josephine's Inn, 1801 W. School St., discloses Thomas Cramer was a customer but hasn't been seen

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in almost 2 years. He was from Ohio and rumor has it he returned there.

Inquiry at 1909 W. School St., discloses Thomas Cramer & his wife Iskinda who was a beautician resided at that address ~~from~~ until the end of Nov. 1966 when he left, reportedly to return to Ohio. No forwarding address. He worked for Stuart Warner Co., 1832 W. Shiversy. There is no building at 1901 W. School St.

USPO has no forwarding for Cramer from 1909 W. School.

Inquiry at Stuart Warner discloses Thomas E. Cramer, W, M, born at Lima, Ohio, 5'10", 137#, brown hair, green eyes, Soc. Sec. # as given, wife Iskinda, employed by Stuart Warner 5-29-63 to 4-6-65; 6-15-65 to 9-19-66; 4-18-67 to 4-28-67. His last employment termination was due to failure to report for work. When he terminated in 1965 he left a forwarding address of 234 Prospect St., Foremont, Ohio.

When Cramer was hired on 4-18-67 he listed his address as 3840 W. Sheridan Rd.

No such address however there is a 3840 W. Sheffield. Sheffield becomes Skender Rd. in the next block north.

Inquiry at 3840 W. Sheffield discloses no record of Cramer as a tenant.

USPO has no forwarding on Cramer from 3840 W. Sheffield.

Suggest lead be set forth for Cleveland at Fremont, Ohio to conduct inquiry at 234 Prospect St. in effort to locate Thomas E. Cramer or develop information as to his whereabouts so he can be interviewed.

Additional investigation being conducted here to develop more recent information

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MURKIN.

RE THREATS TO MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.

ON MARCH SEVENTEEN, NINETEEN SIXTY FIVE, ROBERT C. BUXTON, CHICAGO, TELEPHONICALLY CONTACTED CHICAGO OFFICE, STATING "MARTIN LUTHER KING IS A MAN TO BE WATCHED, I'D KILL HIM IF HE GOT IN MY WAY. YES, I AM A THREAT TO HIM".

ROBERT CORNELL BUXTON, WM, BORN [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], BROCKVILLE, ONTARIO, CANADA, NATURALIZED CITIZEN, INTERVIEWED APRIL TWENTY FIVE LAST AT HIS RESIDENCE, THREE ONE ZERO TWO SOUTH WALLACE STREET, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS. EMPLOYED AS STOCKMAN WITH EMIL J. PAIDAR COMPANY, ONE ONE TWO ZERO NORTH WELLS, CHICAGO. DESCRIBED SIX FEET FOUR, TWO HUNDRED FORTY NINE POUNDS, RED HAIR, BROWN EYES, SCAR ON LEFT WRIST.

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