

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
COMMUNICATIONS SECTION
APR 15 1968

TELETYPE

APR 16 10 13 AM '68

APR 13 10 34 AM '68

REC'D - CIV RIGHTS
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APR 18 10 23 AM '68

REC'D - ROSEN
FBI

4-18-68

airtel

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To: SAC, Charlotte (44-1365)

From: Director, FBI (44-38861)

MURKIN

Reurtele 4-18-68.

Unidentified latent fingerprints and latent impressions
this case are not identical with fingerprints of ROBERT FRANKLIN
WILLIAMS, FBI #372 433 F. No palm prints here for Williams.

- 2 - Memphis (44-1987)
- 1 - Atlanta (44-2386)
- 1 - Norfolk
- 1 - Indianapolis
- 1 - Rosen

JTB:wgc
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Airtel mailed from Ident. Div. 4-18-68 wgc

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144-38861-1224

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To: SAC, Jacksonville (44-769)

From: Director, FBI (44-38861)

MURKIN

Reurairtel 4-16-68.

Submitted major case prints of suspect CLYDE COURTNEY are not identical with latent impressions previously reported remaining unidentified in this case.

Submitted prints and photograph retained Identification Division.

2 - Memphis (44-1987)

1 - Rosen

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MAIL ROOM TELETYPE UNIT ☐

4-18-68

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air mail

To: SAC, St. Louis (44-775)

From: Director, FBI (44-38861)

MURKIN

Reurtele 4-18-68.

Unidentified latent fingerprints and latent impressions this case are not identical with fingerprints of DAVID ERNEST HAWKINS, Army service #US53004203, born 6-6-29, Wellborn, Florida. No palm prints here for Hawkins.

This confirms and supplements telephone call of 4-18-68, to El Paso Division.

- 2 - Memphis (44-1987)
- 1 - Jacksonville (44-769)
- 1 - El Paso
- 1 - Miami
- 1 - Rosen

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MAIL ROOM ☒ TELETYPE UNIT ☐

79 APR 23 1968

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Date: 4/18/68

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL _____
(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)

FROM: SAC, WFO (44-703) (P)

MURKIN - CR

Re WFO telephone call to Richmond (SA JESSIE C. HALL,
Alexandria RA) 4/18/68.

On 4/17/68, Mrs. JEROME POLAHA, 2413 North Utah
Street, Arlington, Virginia, telephone 527-4032, telephonically
advised the Washington Field Office that her husband had
immediately recognized the artist sketch of the unknown subject
in the murder of MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. as a former college
schoolmate. A review of school yearbooks revealed the girl
this individual married.

Mrs. POLAHA suggested that her husband be contacted
for further details. He can be reached at their residence
during the day and is employed at Billy's Restaurant, 1025
Vermont Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C., as a waiter between
5:30 p.m. and 2:00 a.m.

Richmond contact JEROME POLAHA at his residence.

ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

- 3 - Bureau
2 - Memphis (44-1987)
1 - Birmingham (44-1740) (Info) EX-105
2 - Richmond (44-651)
1 - WFO

RWD:sas
(9)

AIRTEL

APR 18 1968

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Approved: _____ Sent _____ M Per _____
Special Agent in Charge

4/19/68

MEMPHIS, TENN. (44-1987)

TO DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)

FROM SAC, MEMPHIS (44-1987)

RE: MURDER OF MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. (44-1987) (P)

On 4/19/68, Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director, FBI, advised that the FBI is currently conducting an investigation into the activities of the Southern Christian Leadership Conference (SCLC) and its affiliates. It was stated that the FBI is particularly interested in the activities of the SCLC in the Memphis area, and that the FBI is currently conducting an investigation into the activities of the SCLC in the Memphis area.

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Very truly yours,

W. J. RICHARDS

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44-38861-1288 April 16, 1968

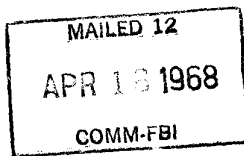
Mr. Charles Morgan, Jr.
Director
Southern Regional Office
American Civil Liberties Union
5 Forsyth Street, Northwest
Atlanta, Georgia 30303

Dear Mr. Morgan:

Your communication of April 14th has been received. You may be assured that the investigation you mentioned will be carried out with the highest degree of thoroughness and dispatch without apology to anyone for the manner in which it is conducted.

Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover
John Edgar Hoover
Director



NOTE: Bufiles reflect that Morgan is the Director, Southern Regional Office of the ACLU and is well known for being involved in numerous civil liberties issues. He represented Negro plaintiffs who gained admission to the University of Alabama; was involved in the matter regarding ordering of integration in Lowndes County, Alabama, and also represented Captain Howard Levy's court martial in 1967. Levy is the individual who refused to teach medical skills to Special Forces personnel and was found guilty of promoting disloyalty and disaffection.

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55 APR 25 1968

MAIL ROOM ☐ TELETYPE UNIT ☐

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JOHN EDGAR HOOVER

, DIRECTOR FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION US DEPT OF JUSTICE

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FROM PUBLISHED REPORTS AND FROM CONVERSATIONS HERE IN BIRMINGHAM

AND ELSEWHERE IT IS INCREASINGLY APPARENT THAT YOU ARE AWARE

OF THE IDENTITY OF A PERSON OR PERSONS ALLEGEDLY INVOLVED IN

THE SLAYING DR MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. IN ORDER NOT TO PREJUDICE

THE RIGHTS OF ANY SUCH PERSON OR PERSONS OR YOUR INVESTIGATION

THE CONTENTS OF THIS TELEGRAM WILL NOT AT THIS TIME BE MADE

PUBLIC BY ME.

THE NATION CAN ILL AFFORD THE DEATH OF ANOTHER APPARENT

ASSASSIN FOR THAT TO OCCUR IN THIS INSTANCE WOULD REND THE

FABRIC OF AMERICA.

ASSUMING THAT THE IDENTIFY OF SUCH PERSON OR PERSONS IS KNOWN

MR. DELOACH FOR THE DIRECTOR

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Mr. Callahan	✓
Mr. Conrad	✓
Mr. Felt	✓
Mr. Gale	✓
Mr. Rosen	✓
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|| 3. TO TAKE EACH OF THE ABOVE STEPS EVEN AT THE RISK OF THE LIVES OF THE LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICIALS INVOLVED.

RESPECTFULLY

CHARLES MORGAN JR AS DIRECTOR SOUTHERN REGIONAL OFFICE AMERICAN
CIVIL LIBERTIES UNION 5 FORSYTH STREET NW ATLANTA GA. 30303

CC: Mr. Bishop

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Mr. Conrad	_____
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Mr. Gale	_____
Mr. Rosen	_____
Mr. Sullivan	_____
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ORIG: MR. DELOACH FOR DIRECTOR

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1 - Mr. McGowan
1 - Mr. Rosen

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COMM-FBI
APR 18 1968
MAIL ROOM

(4)
NEW YORK

NOTE: Glossy prints furnished previous to I.C.

1 - Mr. Rosen
1 - Mr. McDonough

Name: **ERIC STARVO GALT**

ALIASES: **Harvey Lowmyer, John Willard**

Fingerprint Classification:

FBI Number: **Same as W.F. 442**

Offense: **Same as W.F. 442**

Description: **Same as W.F. 442**

Include signature of "Eric S. Galt"

Photographs: **Same as W.F. 442**

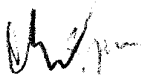
Criminal Record:

Caution: **Same as W.F. 442**

~~Method of Operation (for Check Circular only) - see page 2:~~

Process: **Same as W.F. 442**

IF YOU HAVE INFORMATION CONCERNING THIS PERSON, PLEASE CONTACT YOUR LOCAL FBI OFFICE. PHONE NUMBER LISTED BELOW. OTHER OFFICES LISTED ON BACK.

 JOHN EDGAR HOOVER, DIRECTOR
Federal Bureau of Investigation, Washington, D. C. 20535 

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APR 12 1968
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Mr. Tolson	_____
Mr. DeLoach	_____
Mr. Mohr	_____
Mr. Bishop	_____
Mr. Casper	_____
Mr. Callahan	_____
Mr. Conrad	_____
Mr. Felt	_____
Mr. Gale	_____
Mr. Rosen	_____
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Mr. Tavel	_____
Mr. Trotter	✓
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Miss Gandy	_____

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FBI NEW YORK

5:00 PM URGENT 4-12-68AWS

TO DIRECTOR AND ATLANTA (PLAIN)

FROM NEW YORK 44-1609

MURKIN; CIVIL RIGHTS; OO: ME.

ANONYMOUS FEMALE TELEPHONICALLY CONTACTED NYO THIS
DATE AND ADVISED THAT FINGERPRINTS OF CLAUDE ALBERT CASS,
AGE THIRTY FOUR, SHOULD BE COMPARED AGAINST UNSUB'S.
SHE STATED CASS IS EMPLOYED AS CITY DASH COUNTY MARSHAL,
ATLANTA, GEORGIA, AND STATED THAT CASS' SUPERIOR, CHIEF
MARSHAL, SHOULD NOT BE CONTACTED RE THIS INQUIRY.

ATLANTA CONDUCT APPROPRIATE INVESTIGATION TO ELIMINATE
OR IDENTIFY CASS AS UNSUB.

BUREAU REQUESTED TO CONDUCT NAME CHECK SEARCH OF INDICES
OF IDENTIFICATION DIVISION, FOR FINGERPRINTS OF CLAUDE ALBERT
CASS AND COMPARE WITH UNSUB'S.

MAIL COPY TO ME.

END

WA...MAL

FBI WASH DC

51 APR 24 1968

CC-MR. ROSEN

REC-75

44-38861-1289
6 APR 19 1968

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FBI

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Date: 4/14/68

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plaintext or code)Via **AIRTEL** _____
(Priority)

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI
 FROM : SAC, MEMPHIS (44-1897)
 SUBJECT: MURKIN

Enclosed are two Xerox copies each of FD-302's covering interviews regarding following phases of this investigation:

Investigation at Rebel Motel
 Investigation at Lorraine Motel
 Investigation in rooming house area
 Investigation at Canipe's Amusement Co.
 Investigation at York Arms
 Transmittal of evidence.

Also enclosed are two Xerox copies each of a composite photo of the 410-424 S. Main Street section and an insert of information provided by Dr. JERRY T. FRANCISCO concerning the autopsy and cause of death.

Also enclosed are 2 Xerox copies each of a crime scene sketch and a partial map of the City of Memphis.

3 - Bureau (Enc.-58)

1 - Memphis

JCH:ME

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AMEL.....

Edison.....

A. B.

A. N.

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RAE.

Reid.

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44-3886-1290
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Sent _____ M Per _____

Special Agent in Charge

4-18-68

airtel

air mail

To: SAC, Knoxville

From: Director, FBI (44-38861)

MURKIN

Reurtelecall 4-17-68.

Unidentified latent fingerprints and latent impressions
this case are not identical with fingerprints of JAMES HOWARD SPEARS,
FBI #334 700 A. No palm prints here for Spears.

2 - Memphis (44-1987)

1 - Rosen

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51 APR 24 1968

MAIL ROOM ☐ TELETYPE UNIT ☐

4-18-68

airtel

regular mail

To: SAC, New York (44-1609)

From: Director, FBI (44-38861)

MURKIN

Reurtelecall 4-18-68.

Unidentified latent fingerprints this case are not identical with fingerprints of JOSEPH FRANCIS FERTITTA, FBI #843 928 F. No palm prints here for Fertitta.

2-Memphis
1-Rosen

JTB:wgc
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Airtel mailed from Ident. Div. 4-18-68 wgc

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51 APR 24 1968

MAIL ROOM ☒ TELETYPE UNIT ☐

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. DeLoach

DATE: April 15, 1968

FROM : A. Rosen

SUBJECT: MURKIN

1 - Mr. DeLoach
1 - Mr. Rosen
1 - Mr. Malley
1 - Mr. McGowan
1 - Mr. McDonough
1 - Mr. Mohr
1 - Mr. Martindale
1 - Mr. Bishop
1 - Mr. Conrad
1 - Mr. Sullivan

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This case concerns the murder of Martin Luther King, Jr.

Galt's correspondence locksmithing school received a change of address for Galt on 3/30/68 showing he would be at 113 14th Street, N. E., Atlanta. Jimmie Delton Garner, manager of this "hippie" rooming house has now been interviewed.

Garner was approached on a general line of inquiry concerning recent tenants without mentioning the name Galt. Garner named Galt as a tenant who had recently left without completing a week he had paid for in advance. A complete review of Garner's records revealed no mention of Galt and Garner alleged this was an oversight as he collected the rent away from the location of his records.

Garner stated Galt arrived about 6:00 p. m., 4/5/68, driving a black car, probably a Ford, 1962 or 1963 model, possibly bearing a Tennessee license. Galt first contacted Fred C. Jones, a tenant, who directed him to Garner, and Galt told Garner he was a welder from the Carolinas but had been working in another state. Galt was placed temporarily in Room 5 at 107 14th Street, and on 4/7/68 moved to Room 6 at 113 14th Street. Garner saw him move a paper bag or box of possessions but did not note any luggage.

On 4/7/68, Harold G. Anderson, an employee of the Albert Pick Motel, was brought to Garner by Fred C. Jones and was given Room 2, 113 14th Street. Garner noted Galt and Anderson became friendly but nothing indicated a prior acquaintance.

WLM:rmr
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FBI
APR 15 8 44 AM '68

APR 15 8 54 AM '68

RECEIVED, DATE 5/4/78 BY
J. Edgar Hoover
TO: FROM: AND/OR DELIVERY
TO: FROM: RE: DATED 5/3/78
(SEE BUREAU 02-117250)

FBI
LABORATORY DIVISION

APR 15 12 17 PM '68

RECEIVED CONRAD

Memorandum to Mr. DeLoach
RE: MURKIN

At about 9:00 p. m., 4/9/68, Garner says Galt and Anderson came to his room stating they were checking out. Galt said he had received a call from a friend in Michigan telling him that welders are better paid there. They were leaving for Michigan that night and Anderson hoped to get a job as a welder's helper. Anderson received a partial refund from two weeks rent previously paid. Galt was paid through 4/11/68 but did not ask for a refund. He did receive a refund of a key deposit. Garner noted beer bottles in Anderson's room and presumed they had been drinking there.

Garner said he could not remember Galt's first name but volunteered he had seen mail for Galt and accompanied Agents to the table where mail is left for tenants. Three pieces of mail for Galt from the locksmithing school were on the table postmarked 4/1/68, 4/9/68 and 4/10/68. He remarked that his sister, Robbie Lee Garner, visited him last Friday or Saturday at which time she noticed the mail for Galt and commented this was the same name as the King murder suspect. Garner said he did not feel it was likely his tenant was identical with the suspect and thus did not feel compelled to tell anyone.

Garner maintained throughout he had never seen or heard of Galt before 4/5/68. He could offer no explanation as to why Galt would receive mail postmarked 4/1/68. Garner denied Galt left anything with him for storage. He said Rooms 4 and 5 are reserved for storage but contain nothing but linen and possibly a few items of no value left behind by roomers. Garner's description of Galt resembles that of the subject.

The rooming house records on Anderson show his next of kin as G. F. Anderson, Atlanta, telephone 448-4672. Garner described Anderson as 40 years of age, 5' 9", 155 - 160 pounds, light brown hair, medium to fair complexion.

After the interview Garner telephoned the Agents to say he had re-examined his records and feels Galt is identical with William Lee, Route 1, Gastonia, North Carolina, who registered 4/5/68 and gave person to be notified in emergencies as Betty Retireman, 1952 Waltz Street, Warren, Michigan. Investigation is being conducted at Gastonia, North Carolina, Warren, Michigan, and Atlanta is locating Garner's sister and Anderson's father.

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Memorandum to Mr. DeLoach
RE: MURKIN

Two Agents have rooms in Garner's rooming house in an undercover capacity. One is in Room 2 and noted that Room 4 has a new padlock. In casual conversation with Garner, Garner told the Agent about one week ago a clean cut young man said he would be gone over a week and rented room 4 for storage of personal effects. By taking the hinges off the connecting door from Room 2, the Agent examined Room 4. There is no bed in this room. There is a brown Zenith portable television set. Marie Martin, Los Angeles, has stated she traded a white General Electric portable television set to Galt; however, she is color blind and her description of the controls matches the Zenith set in Room 4. Also in Room 4 is a brand of sugar sold in California but not in Georgia, a map of Atlanta with four circled areas, one of which is the general area of King's home and one of which is the general area of SCLC headquarters. There was also a John Birch Society pamphlet. Except for a desk and an easy chair, there is nothing else of monetary value but there are a few minor items of food, a bread knife, a coffee warmer and a clip-on tie.

To avoid compromising the Agent in Room 2, Garner was not questioned about the items found in Room 4. The rooms alleged by Garner to have been occupied by Galt have been treated for fingerprints, some paper and other items of unknown value were recovered from one of the rooms that has not been re-rented, and sheets allegedly used by Galt in the second room have been obtained. They are being forwarded the Laboratory.

Galt advised the Locksmith Institute, Little Falls, New Jersey, that he was taking a course from American Business Consultants, Long Beach, California. Xavier Von Koss, owner of American Business Consultants, stated he has been in business since May, 1966, teaching self-hypnotism and "powers of the mind." He teaches by consultation only, keeps no records and does not recall Galt either by name or by the artist's concept of the subject.

In correspondence with the locksmithing company, Galt listed as references Mrs. Rita Steen and Mrs. Marie Deninno, Los Angeles. Charles J. Stein has advised that on 12/14/67 he was in the Sultan Bar, St. Francis Hotel, Los Angeles, accompanied by

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Memorandum to Mr. DeLoach
RE: MURKIN

his sister, Rita Stein, and his cousin, Marie Martin, also known as Marie Dennino, who had a room in the St. Francis. They became acquainted with Galt in the bar and he offered to drive Stein to New Orleans to pick up Rita Stein's two children and return them to Los Angeles. Galt stipulated that he would only do this if the two women registered to vote and gave their party affiliation as George Wallace's American Independent Party.

Stein states that on 12/15/67 Galt drove Stein and the women in his white Mustang to a voting registration office and let them out at the door. Galt entered the office later as they were completing their registrations and Stein gained the impression Galt was known to the people in the office.

Upon leaving the registration office the women were dropped off at Stein's residence and after stopping at Galt's Serrano Street address the two men drove to New Orleans without stopping to sleep, arriving there 12/17/67. While en route Galt made a number of calls to unknown persons from pay telephones, mostly in Texas.

In New Orleans Galt declined an invitation to stay at the home of Stein's mother and Stein directed him to a motel.

Galt had said he wanted to contact an engineering or contracting firm in New Orleans. On 12/18/67 Stein accidentally met Galt on the street and Galt said he had contacted the people he was interested in and was ready to return to Los Angeles but Galt telephoned later that day to say a storm was blocking their route. Galt, Stein, and the two children left New Orleans 12/19/67 and returned to Los Angeles without stopping except for food and gasoline, arriving in Los Angeles 12/21/67. Stein has not seen him since.

Galt paid for all purchases in cash and Stein says Galt mentioned he was from Alabama and planned to return there. Stein gained the impression Galt was involved in the California Campaign of George Wallace. On one occasion Galt told Stein that if Negroes want to be free men they should go North or West; if they want to be slaves they should stay in the South.

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Memorandum to Mr. DeLoach
RE: MURKIN

Galt further told Stein he recently returned from Mexico where he formerly owned a bar in partnership with a Mexican to whom he recently sold his interest. This is being checked out.

Stein made available undeveloped film taken during the trip to New Orleans. He said Galt might be in one of the pictures. The film has been developed by the Bureau and no photograph of Galt was found. Stein subsequently stated he had found another roll of color film and a roll of black and white film that might have a picture of Galt. The black and white film has been developed by the Los Angeles Office. There was no picture of Galt. The color film is presently being processed at the Bureau.

The records of the Providence Motel, New Orleans, show that Eric S. Galt, using Galt's old Birmingham address, registered 12/17/67 and checked out 12/19/67. He made no long distance calls and records of local telephone calls have been destroyed. Two sheets of paper that may have indented writing were found in the telephone book in the room occupied by Galt. This paper and the registration card are being examined in the Laboratory.

The telephone company check Eric Galt used for payment of rent at the St. Francis Hotel, Los Angeles, has been traced. It represents a refund from a deposit Galt posted for telephone service at 1535 North Serrano, Los Angeles, which was discontinued 1/22/68. Only one long distance call had been charged to Galt. This was made 12/10/67 to telephone number 209-753-2353, which is listed for Bear Valley Lodge, 40 miles east of Lake Alpine, California. Sacramento is checking this out. Los Angeles is checking for records of local calls made by Galt. One local call from Galt's telephone has been traced to the Los Angeles campaign headquarters of George Wallace.

It has been established by hotel records that Galt stayed at Hotel Rio, Puerto Vallarta, Jalisco, Mexico, from 10/19/67 to 11/6/67. Additional details are being obtained.

It has previously been reported Galt took dancing lessons in Birmingham in September, 1967, and in New Orleans in 1964-65.

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Memorandum to Mr. DeLoach
RE: MURKIN

Murlin and Jane Meyers, who gave dance lessons to Galt in Birmingham and New Orleans, say he is "crazy" about dancing but a poor dancer and difficult to teach because he cannot remember instructions. He gave no information about himself and answered questions with yes or no answers. He was a loner who did not mingle and made no effort to make friends.

Catherine Norton, National Dance Studio, Long Beach, California, states she frequently gave lessons to an Eric Galt from December, 1967, to February, 1968. Galt told her he was a merchant seaman not presently working and was attending bartending school. He did not appear friendly with dance students or instructors. Galt did attend one party of approximately 20 dance students but arrived and left alone, stayed to himself during the party and was uncommunicative. He drank an alcoholic punch at the party. Norton said in general Galt was withdrawn and often evasive. She described him as about 27 years old, having brown, crew cut hair, slightly protruding ears, straight, narrow nose, blue eyes, slight Southern accent, rural language and diction suggesting he does not have a high degree of education, 5' 11", 165-170 pounds, teeth straight and clean, fingernails clean and trimmed, wore gold ring with dark stone, always neatly dressed with coat, tie and shiny black alligator shoes, and wore a tie tac and cuff links. He had a nervous habit of occasionally pulling at an ear lobe. She described him as a good dancer.

Rodney Arvidson, owner of above studio, stated Eric Galt, 1535 North Serrano, Los Angeles, took a \$499.00 dance course from December, 1967, until February, 1968, when he said he quit abruptly to go to a bartending school. He believed Galt had recently been in Mexico and thinks he is a Southerner from his references to Alabama. Galt said he was a merchant seaman. Arvidson, who speaks Spanish, says Galt does not speak Spanish and speaks English poorly, is socially inept, an introvert, and a poor dancer because he wouldn't loosen up. He rarely smiled and when he did it was a "nervous, crooked smile." Arvidson also said Galt was a loner, unemployed, and paid cash for his lessons by taking a wad of bills from his pocket.

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Memorandum to Mr. DeLoach
RE: MURKIN

All offices are checking dancing schools and Los Angeles
is checking bartending schools for any record of Galt.

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Vigorous investigation is continuing.

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FBI BIRMGHAM

734PM IMMEDIATE 4-12-68 HEP

TO DIRECTOR, ATTENTION IDENTIFICATION DIVISION AND MEMPHIS
FROM BIRMINGHAM (44-1740) 1P

MURKIN

FRANK CLIFFORD BEEBE, DATE OF BIRTH

, SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER

, DEVELOPED AS LOOK-ALIKE. BEEBE SERVED U. S. NAVY

WORLD WAR II, SERIAL NUMBER UNKNOWN.

IDENTIFICATION DIVISION IS REQUESTED TO SEARCH PRINTS OF
FRANK CLIFFORD BEEBE AND COMPARE AGAINST LATENT FINGERPRINTS
DEVELOPED IN THIS CASE.

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TO DIRECTOR, ATLANTA AND MEMPHIS
FROM DETROIT (44-989) 2P

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REMYTEL TO DIRECTOR, ATLANTA, CHARLOTTE, MEMPHIS FOUR
FIFTEEN LAST AND DE CALL TO AT THIS DATE.

15 WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN LEE, TWO ZERO ONE TWO BELMONT,
HAMTRAMCK, MICH., INTERVIEWED FOUR FIFTEEN LAST AND ADVISED HE ARRIVED
ATLANTA LATE AFTERNOON FOUR FIVE LAST FROM DETROIT. HE WENT TO
ROOMING HOUSE ON FOURTEENTH STREET, N.E. (ADDRESS UNKNOWN) AND OBTAINED
A ROOM. AT APPROXIMATELY FIVE PM FOUR FIVE LAST HE MET A WHITE
MALE AT THE CORNER, TWO DOORS FROM THE ROOMING HOUSE. HE DESCRIBED
THIS MAN AS TWENTY FIVE TO TWENTYSIX, FIVE EIGHT, ONE FORTY FIVE,
SLENDER BUILD, SHORT LIGHT BROWN HAIR COMBED STRAIGHT BACK, BLUE
EYES, LIGHT COMPLEXION, GRAY SUIT, WHITE SHIRT, TIE (UNDONE) AND
TWO DAY GROWTH OF BEARD. HE DID NOT ASK THIS MAN'S NAME AND IT WAS
NOT VOLUNTEERED.

THIS MAN SAID HE HAD JUST COME IN FROM TENNESSEE AND HAD JUST
DROPPED A HOT CAR. HE INDICATED THE CAR WAS RELATIVELY NEW. THE
MAN WANTED SOME MONEY AND WHEN HE FOUND OUT LEE WAS ALSO BROKE SAID
THEY SHOULD GET TOGETHER AND PULL A JOB. LEE DECLINED.

LEE TOLD THE MAN HE COULD GET SOME HELP FROM THE HIPPIES WHO
LIVED TWO DOORS FROM THE ROOMING HOUSE.

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LEE AGAIN SAW THE MAN ON THE STREET MONDAY FOUR EIGHT LAST BUT DID NOT SPEAK TO HIM. LEE LAST SAW HIM AFTERNOON OF TUESDAY FOUR NINE LAST AS LEE WAS LEAVING FOR MICHIGAN. THE MAN TOLD LEE HE WAS LIVING WITH THE HIPPIES AND WAS PAYING THEM ONE DOLLAR A DAY TO HIDE HIM. THE MAN INDICATED HE WAS TO GET SOME DIFFERENT CLOTHES FROM THE HIPPIES.

TO THE BEST OF LEE'S KNOWLEDGE THIS MAN DID NOT OCCUPY A ROOM AT THE BOARDING HOUSE AT ANY TIME.

COMPOSITES BASED ON DESCRIPTIONS AT BIRMINGHAM AND MEMPHIS WILL BE EXHIBITED TO LEE THIS DATE AND RESULTS WILL BE FORWARDED BUREAU AND INTERESTED OFFICES.

AIR MAIL COPIES TO BIRMINGHAM AND CHARLOTTE.

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TO DIRECTOR JACKSONVILLE LITTLE ROCK NEW ORLEANS

AND MEMPHIS (PLAINTEXT)

FROM NEW YORK 44-1609 3P

MURKIN; CIVIL RIGHTS; OO-MEMPHIS

RE NEWARK TEL TO BUREAU, NEW YORK AND MEMPHIS

DATED APRIL FIFTEEN LAST.

RE (FIRST NAME UNKNOWN) GALT OR GAULT, EMPLOYED
BY THE UNITED FRUIT COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY, AS SEAMAN.

RECORDS OF UNITED FRUIT COMPANY CHECKED AND NEGATIVE
FOR ANYONE UNDER NAME GALT. FOLLOWING FORMER EMPLOYEES,
WITH LAST NAME GAULT LOCATED IN COMPANY RECORDS..

MALCOLM A. GAULT, U.S. MERCHANT MARINER'S ID
NUMBER Z SEVEN SEVEN THREE NINE FOUR ONE, DATE OF BIRTH,

[REDACTED], JONESVILLE,
SOUTH CAROLINA. LAST LISTED ADDRESS, EIGHT FOUR ZERO
CONTI STREET, POST OFFICE BOX TWO SIX EIGHT THREE,
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NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA. OTHER ADDRESSES LISTED AS
POST OFFICE BOX TWO FOUR TWO ONE, NEW ORLEANS; POST
OFFICE BOX ONE THREE NINE FOUR, MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE;
AND POST OFFICE BOX TWO SIX EIGHT THREE, LAWTEY,
FLORIDA. NEXT OF KIN WAS LISTED AS COLON M. GAULT,
FATHER, HORNSBY, TENNESSEE; AND PAULINE TURNER, SISTER,
POST OFFICE BOX ONE FOUR NINE FIVE JACKSON, TENNESSEE,
AND HORNSBY, TENNESSEE.

MALCOLM A. GAULT IS IDENTICAL WITH FELLOW EMPLOYEE
REFERRED TO BY ALBERT LEVY IN RE TELETYPE IN CONNECTION
WITH SHIP S. S. ESPARTA. GAULT RETIRED JULY THIRD,
NINETEEN SIXTYTHREE.

SUMPTER E. GAULT, U.S. MERCHANT MARINER'S ID
NUMBER Z NINE FIVE NINE TWO THREE ONE-DI, DATE OF BIRTH,
, IN ARKANSAS, WAS SHOWN
TO LAST RESIDE AT ONE NINE ONE ONE WEST EIGHTEENTH
STREET, NORTH LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS. HIS NEXT OF KIN
SHOWN AS RULDE, MOTHER, SAME ADDRESS. CONNECTED WITH UNITED
FRUIT COMPANY AND SHIP VERAGUA DURING MAY AND JUNE,
NINETEEN FIFTY EIGHT.

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ROBERT GAULT, DATE OF BIRTH, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], CONNECTED WITH UNITED FRUIT COMPANY, AS
MERCHANT MARINE DURING NINETEEN FORTY TWO. ONLY LISTED
ADDRESS THREE NINE-SIX EIGHT FIFTY NINTH STREET,
WOODSIDE, LONG ISLAND, NEW YORK.

IN VIEW OF SIMILAR NAME TO SUSPECT ERIC STARVO GALT,
AND MARINE BACKGROUND, RECEIVING OFFICES ARE TO INTERVIEW
PERSONS ABOVE LISTED AS RESIDING IN THEIR FIELD TERRITORY
IN AN EFFORT TO DETERMINE IF POSSIBLY A RELATIVE OF PRIME
SUSPECT. DUE TO AGES OF ABOVE SEAMEN APPARENTLY
NOT IDENTICAL WITH SUSPECT.

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FBI CLEVELAND

10:45PMURGENT MJB 4-9-68

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861), ATTENTION IDENTIFICATION DIVISION,
LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION.

FROM: SAC, CLEVELAND (44-565)

MURKIN.

RE CLEVELAND TEL TO BUREAU FOUR SIX SIXTYEIGHT.

JOSEPH A. SVESTKA, ONE ZERO SIX SIX ZERO CARNEGIE AVE., CLEVELAND,
OHIO, GRADUATE HOUSE IDENTIFIED AS DRIVER OF NINETEEN SIXTYSEVEN OPEL
AND IS A GRADUATE STUDENT AT CASE WESTERN RESERVE UNIVERSITY, CLEVELAND, OHIO.

SVESTKA ADVISED HE WAS FORMERLY EMPLOYED PHILCO CORPORATION REDSTONE ARSENAL, NASA, MARSHALL SPACE FLIGHT CENTER , NARTHROP SPACE LABORATORY. ALL AT HUNTSVILLE ALABAMA.

SVESTKA STATED THAT ON THREE DASH TWENTYNINE DASH THIRTY DASH SIXTYEIGHT HE WAS IN BLISSFIELD, MICHIGAN, AND FROM FOUR DASH ONE DASH FIVE DASH SIXTYEIGHT WAS IN HUNTSVILLE, ALABAMA AT RESIDENCE OF RICHARD M. WYSKIDA, TWO ZERO ZERO SPRING VALLEY COURT, HUNTSVILLE, ALABAMA.

SVESTKA DESCRIBED AS W/M, DOB [REDACTED] DETROIT, MICHIGAN, FIVE FT. NINE IN., ONE FOUR ZERO LBS., GREEN EYES LIGHT BROWN HAIR, RECEEDING HAIRLINE OVER TEMPLES, MEDIUM BUILD,
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861), ATTENTION IDENTIFICATION DIVISION.

FROM: SAC, CLEVELAND (44-562)

RE: MURDER OF MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.

RE: CLEVELAND TEL TO BUREAU FOUR SIX EIGHT.

AND IS A GRADUATE STUDENT AT CASE WESTERN RESERVE UNIVERSITY, CLEVELAND, OHIO. GRADUATE HOUSE IDENTIFIED AS DRIVER OF NINETEEN SIXTYSEVEN CORVETTE. GRADUATE HOUSE IDENTIFIED AS DRIVER OF NINETEEN SIXTYSEVEN CORVETTE. GRADUATE HOUSE IDENTIFIED AS DRIVER OF NINETEEN SIXTYSEVEN CORVETTE.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)
Attn: Identification Division,
Latent Fingerprint Section

FROM: SAC, JACKSONVILLE (44-769) (P)

SUBJ: MURKIN
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Suspect: CLYDE COURTNEY

Enclosed for the Bureau are the following:

One photograph of CLYDE COURTNEY, taken by the Jacksonville Police Department on 4/13/68, under Jacksonville Police Department Number 178069.

Also enclosed is one set of Major Case Prints of CLYDE COURTNEY consisting of the rolled impressions together with palm prints and tips. These were taken by the Jacksonville Police Department and need not be returned.

Enclosed for Memphis is a photograph of suspect CLYDE COURTNEY as described under enclosures for Bureau.

The Single Fingerprint Section of the Identification Division is requested to compare the above Major Case Prints with any latents available in connection with subject matter. Major case prints need not be returned upon completion.

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Special Agent in Charge

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IDENTIFICATION DIVISION
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Enclosed for the Bureau are the following:

One photograph of JOHN GUNTER, taken by the
Tomballville Police Department on 4/15/68, under identification
number 100-100-100.

Also enclosed is one set of Major Gene Smith's
fingerprints consisting of the rolled fingerprints and
which were taken on 4/15/68. The fingerprints were
submitted to the Department and were not returned.

Enclosed for the Bureau are the following:
One set of fingerprints of a person named John Smith.

The following information was received from the Tomballville
Police Department on 4/15/68: John Smith, 44 years old, born
12/12/23, is a white male, 5'10" tall, 175 lbs., brown eyes,
brown hair, and is married. He is currently unemployed.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)
FROM: SAC, SAN ANTONIO (44-1242) (P)
RE: MURKIN
DRIVERS LICENSE RECORDS

Re Bureau teletype to Albuquerque, 4/16/68.

On 4/17/68 a check with Texas Department of Public Safety, Austin, Texas, revealed that the drivers license records for the State of Texas are not computerized and are not filed by date of birth; therefore, it is not possible to check these records utilizing a birthdate.

Drivers license records, Texas Department of Public Safety have been checked concerning HARVEY LOWMEYER and LOWMYER, ERIC STARVO GALT, with negative results. These records are negative concerning JOHN WILLARD with a date of birth of .

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