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five years on robbery conviction; CHESTER EELEY (ph) from St. Louis, who is still confined; CHARLIE LAWSON, from St. Louis, who was released in 1965 after serving assault sentence, and WALTER STRAKEY, who is now believed to be in the Texas State Pen.

LEADS

ST. LOUIS:

AT ST. LOUIS, MO.:

Reinterview JOHNNIE VELANTI, as to his association with RAY, as claimed by BROWN, and as to all background of VELANTI as furnished by BROWN. Obtain further identification of JAMES RAYE and/or JAMES WRAY, from VELANTI. From VELANTI ascertain what hall RAY resided in during VELANTI's association with him. Ascertain if he knew RAY to work as a "walk boy" in any hall; if he knew RAY to participate in poker games, and, if so, who operated the game, and if RAY ever bet on any sporting events, and, if so, with whom. Ascertain if VELANTI's wife was injured in the same accident in which VELANTI's oldest child was killed, as claimed by BROWN. Identify place in Mexico where VELANTI claimed he could go to and hide and get along with the people.

Upon identification of FNU ALLEN from Kennett, Mo., will locate and interview ALLEN as to his knowledge of RAY and the identities of the two persons with him in the red Mustang in June, 1967, in Columbus, Ga.

KANSAS CITY:

AT JEFFERSON CITY, MO.:

Will identify the persons identified by BROWN as his closest friends in the pen and set out leads to have them interviewed as to the veracity of BROWN, their knowledge of his association with VELANTI and/or RAY, their knowledge of any convict organization in the pen.

Will ascertain identity of "SLICK" STEDHAM and JOHNNIE JOHNSON and have them located and interviewed as to

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their knowledge of RAY, his gambling habits, and their association with him, if any. Will determine if JOHNSON and BOBBY ASHE are related.

Will identify FNU ALLEN from Kennett, Mo., and set out lead to have located and interviewed per information furnished by BROWN.

Will review records of BROWN for any information as to his stability, reliability and veracity. Will furnish photos of all persons identified by BROWN, as set out above, to be used in reinterview of BROWN, if deemed appropriate by Birmingham.

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Date: 5-29-68

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

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)
 FROM: SAC, ST. LOUIS (44-775) P
 RE: MURKIN

Re SI airtel, 5-25-68.

RE: FORMER NEIGHBOR

Investigation at the Village of LaGrange, Mo., 5-29-68, by SA JAMES A. DUFFEY indicated that LAFAYETTE DILTS and his girl-friend, MAHALA LA MARR, have never resided in LaGrange. One commercial fisherman, BURT SMITH, stated he has known DILTS in the past, last knew him he resided at Quincy, Ill., address unknown. He stated DEWEY LOCK, a commercial fisherman, Quincy, Ill., will know DILTS' whereabouts and believes LOCK can be located through YANCEY's FISH MARKET, Foot of Broadway, Quincy, Ill. States DILTS will also be known there.

THE SPRINGFIELD OFFICE AT QUINCY, ILL.:

Will contact employees of YANCEY's FISH MARKET in an effort to locate DEWEY LOCK and for info re LAFAYETTE DILTS' whereabouts, in order that he may be interviewed re any information he may have concerning subject or subject's family.

A & D.

3 - Bureau
 1 - Memphis (44-1987)
 2 - Springfield (44-561)
 1 - St. Louis
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Approved: TJS
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 Special Agent in Charge

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AIRTEL

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)

FROM: SAC, ST. LOUIS (44-775) P

RE: MURKIN

Re St. Louis, 5-23-68.

RE: FORMER NEIGHBOR

Investigation at the Village of Lagrange, Mo., 5-23-68, by SA JAMES A. DUFFY indicated that LAFAYETTE DINTS and his wife friend, MANAIA LA MARR, have never resided in Lagrange. One commercial fisherman, BURT SMITH, stated he has known DINTS in the past, last known him he resided at Quincy, Ill., address unknown. He stated DREWY LOCK, a commercial fisherman, Quincy, Ill., will know DINTS' whereabouts and believes LOCK can be located through YANCY'S FISH MARKET, Foot of Broadway, Quincy, Ill. States DINTS will also be known there.

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TO SACS LOS ANGELES (44-1574)
MEMPHIS (44-1987)

FROM DIRECTOR FBI

MURKIN: CR.

REMETEL MAY TWENTYNINE.

LATEST ARREST RECORD IDENTIFICATION DIVISION FILES FOR JAMES
WILBOURN ASHMORE WITH FBI NUMBER FOUR EIGHT SIX NINE FIVE TWO NINE
mz IS NOVEMBER NINE SIXTYTHREE, SHERIFF TAVARES FLORIDA, HIS EIGHT FIVE
ll SEVEN EIGHT, AFFRAY, DISPOSITION UNKNOWN.

COPY OF PHOTOGRAPH BEING FORWARDED TO MEMPHIS AND LOS ANGELES.

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TO DIRECTOR, FBI (100-441100)
 FROM SAC, NEW YORK (100-158888)
 RE: [Illegible]

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Airtel

1 - Mr. McGowan
1 - Mr. Hudson

To: SACs, Kansas City (44-760)
St. Louis (44-775)
Springfield (44-561)

From: Director, FBI (44-38861)

MURKIN

ReSLtel 5/23/68 to Bureau, Memphis and Springfield re information furnished indicating bank of Alton, Illinois, was the bank which Gawron and Ray had cased.

If not already handled, Springfield should take necessary action to see that following items are covered:

Photographs of Ray should be exhibited to the bank robbery witnesses.

Advise Kansas City of complete description of clothing found and Kansas City will determine whether any items of clothing are possibly prison issued.

Springfield also furnish Kansas City with pertinent identity of laundry marks so that Kansas City can determine if any of these marks were possibly placed on items of clothing at the Missouri State Penitentiary.

Springfield should contact local sporting goods stores with respect to the cap which was found which contains a fishing emblem.

If not already handled, have Louisville attempt to identify the Mens' Style Shop, Gray and Wilson, Mayfield, Kentucky, for any information regarding purchaser of the hat.

1 - Memphis (44-1987) (for info)

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I - Mr. McGowan
I - Mr. Hagan

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**Airtel SACs, Kansas City, St. Louis, Springfield
RE: MURKIN**

The manufacturer of the sawed-off shotgun should be contacted for any pertinent information that firm may be able to furnish.

The bank robbery file discloses that laundries in Alton, Illinois, have been checked with respect to the laundry marks on the clothing found; however, there is no indication of laundries having been checked in surrounding areas. Be certain this is done.

Springfield request the Laboratory to compare the hair specimens obtained in the bank robbery case to hair specimens obtained in the Murkin case.

Recontact suspects and informants for any information they may have regarding Ray and whether or not he could have been involved in the bank robbery.

Recontact Ray's uncle, William E. Mayher, 118 East Seventh Street, Alton, Illinois, for any information he may have regarding the bank robbery.

All leads are to be given continuous and expeditious attention.

ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

Sutel daily results of investigative activity concerning this bank robbery. Such teletypes are to be submitted under the "MURKIN" caption and are to continue until the issue is fully resolved as to whether Ray was or was not involved in the bank robbery.

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1 - Mr. McGowan
1 - Mr. Hudson

To: SACs, Memphis (44-1987)
Houston (44-1509)

From: Director, FBI (44-38861)

MURKIN

Re suspects W. Davis, B. Chidlow, Vincent
Walter and Lawrence Rand.

Reference is also made to report of SA James S.
Weir dated 5/17/68 at Houston.

Pages three and four of rerep set forth
information furnished by Lupy Delao who operated the
limousine which transported six persons from the Houston
Airport during the early morning of April 5, 1968.
According to Delao, three of the men were dropped at the
Sheraton-Lincoln Hotel, two were dropped at the Rice Hotel
and one was dropped at the Downtowner Motel. Investigation
was conducted by Houston at the Rice Hotel, as well as
neighboring hotels; however, there is no indication of any
investigation being conducted at either the Sheraton-
Lincoln Hotel or the Downtowner Motel. Delao ~~sine~~ advised
that the two individuals he dropped at the Rice Hotel
indicated at first that they intended to be dropped at
the Downtowner Motel.

If not already handled, Houston should immediately
conduct additional investigation at the Sheraton-Lincoln
Hotel and the Downtowner Motel, as well as other hotels and
motels near those two sites. Determine if any guests
checked in following the arrival of Delta Flight 157. If
such persons are located and identified, you should set out
appropriate leads to interview them if they are no longer

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Airtel SACs, Memphis and Houston
RE: MURKIN

in Houston. Through the records of Delta Airlines, Houston should also determine other persons who were aboard the flight and attempt to identify, locate and interview.

Memphis, if not already handled, should determine whether or not Walter and Rand had reservations at the William Len Hotel. Also determine the method utilized in paying for their rooms - cash, check or credit card. Determine from car rental agencies in the area of the William Len whether any vehicles were rented during the pertinent period to individuals named Davis, Chidlow, Walter or Rand.

This phase of the investigation is to be given your continued expeditious attention so that it may be resolved at the earliest possible time.

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1 - Mr. Long

Airtel

To: SAC, New Orleans (157-10673)

From: Director, FBI ^{REC-12}
(44-38861)

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ReNOairtel to Bureau dated 5/24/68.

You should furnish the Bureau the type of individuals and business firms to be circularized in your referenced communication.

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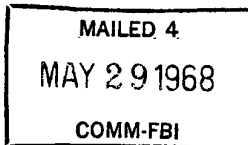
1 - Memphis (Information)

NOTE:

New Orleans is requesting Bureau authority to expand up to \$60.00 in circularizing of Identification Orders of Ray to over 5,000 individuals and business firms in the New Orleans area. They are endeavoring to effect widest possible circulation. New Orleans is being requested to furnish the type of such individuals and firms.

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1 - Mr. Low

NOTE: New Orleans is receiving Federal authority to extend up to \$50,000 in circulation of Federal Reserve notes to over 2,000 individuals and business firms in the New Orleans area. They are endeavoring to effect widest possible circulation. New Orleans is being requested to furnish the time of such individuals and firms.

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Date: 5/24/68

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TO : Director, FBI (44-38861)
FROM : SAC, New Orleans (157-10673)(P)
SUBJECT: MURKIN
(OO: Memphis)

In an effort to give the widest possible circulation of Identification Orders of JAMES EARL RAY, New Orleans has determined that the Port of New Orleans has a mailing list comprising over 5,000 individuals and business firms of all types, including the shipping industry. This mailing list also includes foreign distribution.

This mailing list is not made up on the normal addressograph plates, but are gummed stickers with names and addresses which are affixed to the printed material. The Port of New Orleans utilizes a local mailing service with a special machine which does affix the stickers to the material and the Port of New Orleans has advised that they will make these gummed stickers available to use free of charge.

Inquiry at the local mailing service has determined to affix these gummed stickers to the Identification Orders, they would not charge the FBI more than \$10.00 per thousand.

Bureau authority is requested to expend up to \$60.00 in the mailing of these Identification Orders. Please advise.

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③ - Bureau
1 - Memphis
2 - New Orleans
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C. C. Bishop

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

10. *Chrysomelidae* (10 spp.)

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DATE: April 19, 1968

- 1 - Mr. DeLoach
- 1 - Mr. Rosen
- 1 - Mr. Malley
- 1 - Mr. McGowan
- 1 - Mr. Mohr
- 1 - Mr. Bishop
- 1 - Mr. Sullivan
- 1 - Mr. Felt

TO : Mr. DeLoach
FROM : A. Rosen
SUBJECT: MURKIN

FOIA# 256,939
ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
DATE 1-3-86 BY 9145 JEP/BJP

In view of current developments, there does not appear to be any need for Inspector Joe Sullivan to be in Atlanta, Georgia, or Memphis, Tennessee. We are now engaged in a fugitive investigation and all offices will have to focus their full attention to any leads which might develop as a result of our inquiries.

In view of the aforementioned, it would seem desirable to release Inspector Sullivan from his present assignment.

He had been in Newark for the purpose of beefing up the Racial Informant Program there. He has finished this project and the Domestic Intelligence Division feels that this same procedure is most desirable in Detroit, Michigan.

RECOMMENDATION:

I have spoken with Sullivan and he has no reason for remaining in Atlanta. It is recommended he be instructed to immediately proceed to Detroit, Michigan, and en route stop by the Seat of Government for a half-day conference with Domestic Intelligence Division.

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RCB/SS RE M.L. King, Jr.
FOR REVIEW AT FBIHQ AND OR DELIVERY
TO HQA RE REQUEST DATED 5/3/78
TOLL CHIEF (2-117555)

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Date: 4/27/68

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(MAIL)
TO DIRECTOR (44-38861) AND CHARLOTTE
FROM NORFOLK (44-268)

MURKIN

RE JOHN FRANCIS SMALLWOOD

RE BUREAU TELETYPE TO NORFOLK APRIL TWENTY-SIX, LAST,
AND BUREAU TELETYPE TO ALL SACS APRIL TWENTY-SIX, LAST.

REBUTEL TO NORFOLK ADVISED REVIEW OF BUFILE ON KING
REVEALED IT WAS REPORTED THAT JOHN FRANCIS SMALLWOOD, SUFFOLK,
VA., HAD REPORTED THREE WHITE MAN FROM TYNER, N.C., HAD
OFFERED HIM A SHOTGUN AND RIFLE TO SHOOT KING WHEN HE SPOKE
AT SUFFOLK, VA., ON JUNE TWENTY-EIGHT, NINETEEN SIXTY-THREE.
AT TIME THIS INFO RECEIVED IT WAS INDICATED SMALLWOOD WAS
CONSIDERED INTELLIGENT AND VERY DEPENDABLE. BUREAU ADVISED
THAT ALTHOUGH SUBJECT RAY HAS BEEN IDENTIFIED AS THE ASSAILANT
YOU SHOULD CONDUCT INVESTIGATION TO DETERMINE IF SMALLWOOD
OR ANY OF THE THREE PERSONS WHO ALLEGEDLY CONTACTED HIM MIGHT
BE IMPLICATED AS A CONSPIRATOR. **REC 109** 44-38861-4047

CHARLOTTE REFER TO CHARLOTTE FILE ONE FIFTY-SEVEN DASH
THREE NINE SIX RE SMALLWOOD AND THREE WHITE MALES, REFERRED TO **APR 29 1968**

1-Original to Bureau (MAIL)

1-Mail copy to Memphis

1-Memo 44-268 DGF:sdh (3)

Approved: _____
Special Agent in Charge

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THIS DATE IT WAS DETERMINED AT SUFFOLK, VA., SMALLWOOD AND FAMILY LEFT AREA IN NINETEEN SIXTY-FOUR AND RETURNED TO WIFE'S RELATIVES, CARE OF HERBERT MODLIN, ROUTE ONE, TYNER, N.C. ONE FORMER NEIGHBOR IN SUFFOLK RECALLS SMALLWOOD SAYING HE MIGHT GO TO FLORIDA.

CHARLOTTE CONDUCT INVESTIGATION AT TYNER, N.C., TO LOCATE AND INTERVIEW SMALLWOOD AS PER LEAD SET FORTH ABOVE BY BUREAU.

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END.

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FBI SAN FRAN

9:32 PM URGENT 5/28/68 KCK

TO DIRECTOR (44-38861), LOS ANGELES (44-1574), & MEMPHIS (44-1987)
FROM SAN FRANCISCO (173-65) (2P)

Mr. Tolson	_____
Mr. DeLoach	_____
Mr. Mohr	_____
Mr. Bishop	_____
Mr. Casper	_____
Mr. Callahan	_____
Mr. Conrad	_____
Mr. Felt	_____
Mr. Gale	_____
Mr. Rosen	_____
Mr. Sullivan	_____
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Miss Gandy	_____

MURKIN.

RE SACRAMENTO PHONE CALL TO SAN FRANCISCO, MAY TWO FOUR, LAST,
AND MEMPHIS TEL TO BUREAU AND SACRAMENTO, MAY TWO FOUR, LAST.

REFERENCED MEMPHIS TEL REQUESTED REVIEW OF CALIFORNIA
STATE HEALTH DEPARTMENT RECORDS BECAUSE SUBJECT IS KNOWN TO HAVE
CONSORTED WITH PROSTITUTES WHILE LIVING IN MEXICO DURING OCTOBER
AND NOVEMBER, LAST. DR. PHILLIP CONDIT, DIRECTOR, BUREAU OF
COMMUNICABLE DISEASES, TWO ONE FIVE ONE BERKELEY WAY, BERKELEY,
CALIFORNIA, ON MAY TWO EIGHT, INSTANT, ADVISED HIS OFFICE CAN
REVIEW RECORDS FOR SYPHILIS PATIENTS BUT THAT RECORDS FOR
GONORRHEA AND OTHER VENEREAL DISEASES ARE MAINTAINED BY COUNTY
HEALTH DEPARTMENTS AND THERE IS NO CENTRAL INDEX MAINTAINED.

LOS ANGELES CONTACT DR. WALTER SMART, LOS ANGELES
COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT, VENEREAL DISEASE CONTROL PROGRAM, FOR
ANY RECORD OF TREATMENT OF THE SUBJECT UNDER KNOWN NAME AND ALIASES.

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TO DIRECTOR

FROM SAC, NEW YORK

RE NEW YORK TELETYPE TO BUREAU, MAY 28, 1968

TO DIRECTOR (100-441141), (100-441141), (100-441141), (100-441141)

FROM NEW YORK (100-441141) (P)

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RE NEW YORK TELETYPE TO BUREAU, MAY 28, 1968. NEW YORK OFFICE IS CURRENTLY CONDUCTING AN INVESTIGATION OF THE ACTIVITY OF THE BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP) IN NEW YORK CITY. THE BPP IS A RACIAL ORGANIZATION WHICH IS ENGAGED IN A CAMPAIGN OF VIOLENCE AND TERROR. THE BPP IS CURRENTLY ACTIVE IN NEW YORK CITY AND IS ENGAGED IN A CAMPAIGN OF VIOLENCE AND TERROR. THE BPP IS CURRENTLY ACTIVE IN NEW YORK CITY AND IS ENGAGED IN A CAMPAIGN OF VIOLENCE AND TERROR.

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SAN FRANCISCO AT BERKELEY, CALIFORNIA: WILL MAINTAIN
CONTACT WITH DR. CONDI TO OBTAIN RESULTS OF RECORD REVIEW PROMISED
FOR MAY THREE ONE, NEXT, AND JUNE THREE, NEXT.

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VIA TELETYPE

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TO DIRECTOR (44-38861) AND MEMPHIS (44-1987) (PLAINTEXT)
FROM PHILADELPHIA (44-1368) (P) 2P

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COPIES MADE, DATE 5/27/78 BY
REB/SS RE M.L. King, Jr.
FOR REVIEW AT FBIHQ AND/OR DELIVERY
TO HSCA RE REQUEST DATED 5/31/78
(SEE BUFILE 62-117290)

MR. TROTTER
McCallahan
L. King

ON MAY EIGHT LAST BODY OF UNKNOWN DECEASED FOUND PARTIALLY BURIED
IN GRAVE NEAR MAHANAY CITY, PA. BODY CLOTHED ONLY IN SHORTS AND
UNDERSHIRT; POWDER, BELIVED LIME, IN GRAVE. EXAMINING PATHOLOGIST.
FOUND THREE BULLETS IN CHEST CAVITY. BODY IN ADVANCED STATE OF DECAY,
NO POSSIBILITY FINGERPRINTS BEING OBTAINED, PATHOLOGIST STATING OF
OPINION BODY IN GRAVE SIX MONTHS. ON MAY SEVENTEEN LAST, DR. WILTON
M. KROGMAN, ARCHEOLOGIST, UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA, EXAMINED BODY
AND STATED OF OPINION BODY IN GRAVE ONLY FOUR TO SIX WEEKS. KROGMAN
OF OPINION BODY IS THAT OF MIDDLE AGED WHITE MALE, FIVE FT NINE IN
TO SIX ONE IN, MUSCULAR BUILD, ABOUT TWO HUNDRED POUNDS, DESCENDANT
OF NORTHERN ITALY OR CENTRAL EUROPE. TEETH IN UPPER JAW MISSING OR
DISLODGED BUT THOSE IN LOWER JAW INTACT AND CONTAIN SEVERAL FILLINGS.
LOWER JAW IN POSSESSION OF PSP, READING, PA, WHO ARE RETAINING.

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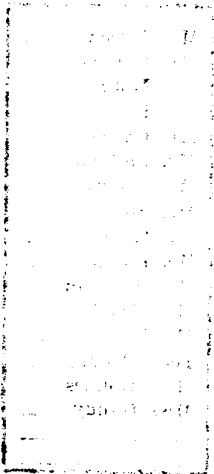
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ON THIS DATE PSP, READING, REQUESTED, AT SUGGESTION FBI PHILA, THAT
TEETH BE COMPARED WITH DENTAL RECORD OF JAMES EARL RAY, AKA-FUGITIVE,
IO NO. FOUR ONE EIGHT TWO. IF DENTAL RECORD OF RAY IS AVAILABLE OR
CAN BE OBTAINED FROM PRISON OR OTHER RECORDS, MEMPHIS REQUESTED FURNISH
PHILA WITH RECORDS, INCLUDING AVAILABILITY OF X-RAYS AND NAMES
OF DENTISTS SO ARRANGEMENTS CAN BE MADE TO HAVE DENTIST COMPARE WITH
TEETH IN LOWER JAW OF UNKNOWN DECEASED.

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SAC, Kansas City (44-760)

May 31, 1968

Director, FBI (44-38861) — 7/01

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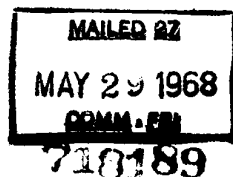
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Reurairtel 5/20/68 submitting two X-rays and accompanying X-ray reports obtained from the Missouri State Penitentiary.

The X-rays which you submitted have been duplicated for use by the Bureau and the original X-rays are returned herewith.

Enclosures (7)

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)

ATTENTION: FBI LABORATORY

FROM: SAC, KANSAS CITY (44-760) P

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Enclosed for the Bureau are two X-rays and X-ray reports obtained from the X-ray Department, Missouri State Penitentiary.

Upon a review of subject's file, it was felt that dental X-rays were taken of subject's teeth in 1965; however, these are X-rays of subject's sinus cavities, but the profile has a good picture of subject's teeth. Also, it appears subject's right elbow was X-rayed; however, neither this nor dental X-rays are available. A complete search of the X-ray Department and dental laboratory at the hospital failed to reveal new additional X-rays regarding RAY. Those enclosed were furnished by Warden HAROLD SWENSON to SA ROWEN B. AYERS on 5/17/68, and are being forwarded for whatever use these may be in this case.

It is requested that when they are of no further value to the FBI, they should be returned to the Missouri State Penitentiary, Jefferson City, Missouri.

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Letter to Kansas City
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)

FROM: SAC, SACRAMENTO (100-427)

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ReButel to all SACs 5/21/68.

Inquiry, California State Department of Motor Vehicles (DMV), 5/22/68, reveals that 15,000 applications for driver's licenses (includes renewals) are received each day from 140 issuing stations.

DMV advised that a recent survey indicated that it would take two people 10 working days to review film received from one issuing office for a 2-month period.

Applications, after handling, are filed by soundex, and with such a tremendous volume in question, the task of reviewing two months' applications becomes impossible.

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TO DIRECTOR (44-38861)

FROM SAN ANTONIO (44-1242)

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RE BUREAU RAD, MAY TWENTYONE LAST.

RAY SUNDAY, MANAGER, DRIVERS LICENSE BUREAU, TEXAS DPS
AUSTIN, TEXAS, ADVISED IT IS NOT POSSIBLE TO CHECK DRIVERS
LICENSE APPLICATIONS FOR MONTHS OF APRIL AND MAY SIXTYEIGHT
CONCERNING ALL MALE CAUCASIANS OVER THIRTY YEARS OF AGE AND
UNDER FIFTYFIVE YEARS SINCE THESE APPLICATIONS CAN BE
RETRIVED ONLY BY NAME CHECK. IN VIEW OF THIS, LEADS SET
FORTH IN REFERENCE COMMUNICATION CANNOT BE COVERED BY THE
SAN ANTONIO DIVISION AT AUSTIN.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)

FROM: SAC, KANSAS CITY (44-760) P

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OO: MEMPHIS

Re Kansas City airtel to the Bureau, 5/17/68.

A photostatic copy of subject's Missouri State Penitentiary file was forwarded to the Bureau with referenced communication; however, some of the pages were too faint to read, thus the following seven copies, which are as legible as possible, are being furnished herewith to the Bureau.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)

FROM: SAC, KANSAS CITY (44-197)

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OO: MEMPHIS

Re Kansas City airtel to the Bureau, dated 5/22/68.

A photostatic copy of subject's financial statement, dated 5/15/68, was forwarded to the Bureau (44-38861) for information. However, some of the names were misspelled. There are following seven copies, which are as follows as possible, and being furnished herewith to the Bureau.

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)
FROM : SAC, SAVANNAH (44-1768) (P)
SUBJECT: MURKIN

Re Bureau airtel, 5/22/68.

RE: HOLT CHEW

WILLIAM SMITH CHEW, son of HOLT CHEW, advised on 5/10/68 that he had picked up his father at the airport in Augusta, Ga., and he brought his father immediately to the Paradise Motel in Screven County, Ga. He advised that he and his father had visited various cities in this area for the purpose of inspecting and investing in land to be developed into a restaurant chain. This restaurant chain will probably be known as "Chewbys".

The results of this interview have been set out in an FD-302 and copies furnished to Memphis and Denver by Savannah letter dated 5/16/68.

Inasmuch as HOLT CHEW did not stay in Augusta, Ga., no investigation was conducted in that city.

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2 - Savannah

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TO: DIRECTOR ; MEMPHIS AND SPRINGFIELD
FROM: ST. LOUIS (44-775) 3P

MURKIN - SUMMARY

RE JOHN EUGENE GAWRON.

SPRINGFIELD SEE BUAIRTEL MAY SIXTEEN LAST FOR GAWRON ALLEGATIONS
OF RAY BR PARTICIPATION SIXTY SEVEN.

GAWRON REINTERVIEWED LATE LAST NIGHT. REVEALED LOCATION OF
BANK ROBBED TO BE ALTON, ILL., AND IDENTITY OF UN NAMED MAN WHO
ALLEGEDLY TOLD HIM HE AND RAY ROBBED SAME AS JIMMIE LNU. LAST
SAW JIMMIE WITH MAN PREVIOUSLY UNKNOWN TO HIM NAMED JOHNNY LNU
WHEN THEY VISITED HIM NIGHTS OF MAY THIRTEEN AND FOURTEEN LAST.
EX CONS JOHNPAUL VELANTI AND JAMES H. CARPENTER FBI NUMBER TWO
THREE ZERO TWO FOUR THREE, ALL KNOWN TO HAVE VISITED GAWRON THOSE
DATES.

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SL FILES INDICATE BANK OF ALTON, ALTON, ILL., ROBBED BY TWO
UNSUBS, JULY THIRTEEN SIXTY SEVEN, SEE BUFILE NINE ONE DASH TWO
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SEVEN FOUR NINE FOUR, SPRINGFIELD FILE NINE ONE DASH THREE SIX NINE NINE. DESCRIPTION OF NUMBER TWO MAN COULD FIT RAY. DESCRIPTION NUMBER ONE MAN DOES NOT FIT CARPENTER WHO IS FIVE FEET EIGHT, ONE FORTY LBS, SLENDER.

SL CITY JAIL RECORD ESTABLISHED CARPENTER IN CITY JAIL, SL, FROM JUNE FIVE SIXTY SEVEN TO MARCH ONE SIXTY EIGHT. COULD THEREFORE NOT HAVE PARTICIPATED IN BR, OR HAVE CONTACTED GAWRON AS CLAIMED IN SIXTY SEVEN.

GAWRON LED AGENTS TO ABOVE BANK. IDENTIFIED IT AS ONE HE AND RAY HAD CASSED IN FIFTY NINE. MO PLANNED WAS SUBSTANTIALLY SAME USED IN ACTUAL BR. SAID HAD DELIBERATELY MISLED SA'S AS TO AMOUNT OF LOOT AND LOCATION TO GAIN TIME TO BE SURE HE WOULD BE IN CLEAR. HE AND RAY PLANNED TO STAY WITH WEEK FOOD SUPPLY AT ROOMING HOUSE IN ALTON WHICH HE DESCRIBED AND LED SA'S TO AT ONE TWO ZERO NINE FOURTH STREET.

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IN VIEW OF ABOVE, GAWRON BEING CONSIDERED KNOWN UNRELIABILITY.
OTHER OFFICES RECEIVING REFERENCED AIRTEL BEING ADVISED BY AIRTEL.
RE JERRY RAYNES, JOHN LARRY RAY, CAROL PEPPER.

SOURCES AND SPOT CHECKS INDICATE NO SIGNIFICANT ACTIVITY.
RE JUDGE JOHN C. CASEY

JUDGE CASEY NOT AVAILABLE THIS EVENING. WILL BE CONTACTED
PRIOR TO TIME COURT IN SESSION TOMORROW.
EFFORTS TO LOCATE FELLOW PRISONERS, TOLL CALL AND LOOK ALIKE
RESOLUTIONS CONTINUING.

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TO DIRECTOR 44-38861, CLEVELAND 44-565 AND WASHINGTON FIELD
WASHINGTON FIELD VIA WASHINGTON
FROM MIAMI 44-1854 2 P

MURKIN, CIVIL RIGHTS

THREATS AGAINST SEN. ROBERT F. KENNEDY, MIAMI, FLA. FOLLOWING
ASSASSINATION OF DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. BY ROLAND CHESLEY
TALBOTT, JR. INFORMATION CONCERNING

RE CLEVELAND TELETYPES (TWO) TWO BUREAU, MAY TWENTYTHREE,
SIXTYEIGHT.

INDIVIDUAL NAMED ROLAND REFERRED TO IN REFERENCED TELETYPES
IDENTIFIED AS ROLAND CHESLEY TALBOTT, JR., FORMER KLANSMAN,
KLAVERN SIX, UKA, FT. LAUDERDALE, FLA., AND RICHMOND, VA., AREA.
MIAMI FILE ONE FIVE SEVEN DASH ONE NINE NINE THREE, BUREAU FILE
ONE FIVE SEVEN DASH SEVEN TWO EIGHT SIX.

TALBOTT INTERVIEWED, MIAMI, THIS DATE AND ADVISED HE HAS
BEEN "SHOOTING HIS MOUTH OFF" SYMPATHIZING WITH INDIVIDUALS
RESPONSIBLE FOR KING'S DEATH EVER SINCE APRIL FOUR. STATES HE
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TO DIRECTOR 44-38861, CLEVELAND 44-100 AND WASHINGTON 44-100 (PRIORITY)

WASHINGTON 44-100 (PRIORITY)

FROM MIAMI 44-100 (PRIORITY)

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RE MIAMI TELETYPE TO BUREAU AND CLEVELAND MAY 23, 1968.

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IS OF OPINION ADAM CLAYTON POWELL, H. RAP BROWN AND STOKELY CARMICHAEL SHOULD ALSO BE SHOT. STATES THAT HE BELIEVES BOBBY KENNEDY IS RESPONSIBLE FOR ALL THE RACIAL UNREST IN THIS COUNTRY AND THAT HE SHOULD ALSO BE STOPPED, BUT NOT THROUGH VIOLENT MEANS. STATES HE IS A FORMER KLANSMAN AND BELIEVES IN THE SUPREMACY OF WHITE RACE. STATES EVEN THOUGH HE MAKES THESE STATEMENTS, HE HAS NO INTENTION OF PERPETRATING ANY SUCH ACTION AND IS NOT ACQUAINTED WITH ANYONE WHO WOULD DO SO.

RECORDS, MC GAHEY CHRYSLER, PLYMOUTH, INC., MIAMI, FLA., INDICATE TALBOTT AT WORK ON PERTINENT DATE.

WASHINGTON FIELD OFFICE NOTIFY OFFICE OF SEN. ROBERT F. KENNEDY, U.S. SECRET SERVICE, AND OTHER APPROPRIATE AGENCIES IN WASHINGTON, D.C. OF ABOVE THREAT.

APPROPRIATE AGENCIES ADVISED.

LHM FOLLOWS.

AIRMAIL COPIES TO MEMPHIS AND RICHMOND.

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ANYONE WHO WOULD DO SO.

RECORDS, NO BARRY CHRYSLER, RICHMOND, IND., ...
INDICATE TALKING AT WORK ON PENDING DATE.
WASHINGTON FIELD OFFICE NOTICE OF ...
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)

FROM: SAC, JACKSONVILLE (44-769)

SUBJ: MURKIN
(OO: ME)

Re Bureau radiogram 5/21/68 and Jacksonville airtel to Bureau, 5/24/68.

Re: DRIVERS LICENSE BUREAU CHECKS FOR ALL
DRIVERS LICENSE APPLICATIONS - MONTHS OF
APRIL AND MAY, 1968.

On 5/27/68, a conference was held with Major E. W. KEITH, Capt. A. E. REDDICK, Mrs. ELLEN HARRISON and Mrs. CAROLYN MARTIN, of the Department of Public Safety, Drivers License Division, Tallahassee, Fla., to make a more thorough and exhaustive study of details in reviewing all drivers license applications in the State of Florida for the months of April and May, 1968, and a more accurate determination of numbers involved.

Major KEITH explained his figure of 900,000 drivers licenses issued in a year that he had previously furnished was erroneous and that was the number of examinations given, rather than the number of applications received or licenses issued.

He advised this figure is high since several examinations are sometimes given to the same individual and a student or inexperienced driver will be given a visual and written examination before being issued a restricted license or learner's permit and thereafter return for a road test examination each of which is counted as an examination. The survey now reveals the following information:

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1 - Memphis
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DRIVERS LICENSE APPLICATIONS

MONTHS: APRIL AND MAY, 1968

STATE OF FLORIDA

Number of applications for drivers licenses:

70,000

(Source: Major E. W. KEITH.)

LOCATION OF APPLICATIONS:

1. Tallahassee:

April - filed 27,000 (3 counties not yet reported
out of 67).

May - 3,000 (none filed since 5/24/68).

All filed alphabetically.

May (unfiled) - Unknown

2. Drivers License Examination Stations

April - 5,500

May - 5,000

Information furnished by Major KEITH from a sampling
of Inspection Stations throughout the state.

3. County Judge's Office

to be forwarded to Tallahassee.

April - 4,000

May - Unknown, approximately 26,000
most of which will be in Tallahassee
before 6/15/68.