The following is subject's identification record as furnished by the FBI Identification Division on April 23, 1968, under FBI # 405 942 G:

CONTRIBUTOR O	NUMBER	ARRESTED OR RECEIVED	CHARGE	DISPOSITION
Army	James Earl Ray #16 163 129	2/19/46		
Sheriff's Office Los Angeles, Calif.	James Earl Ray #B-119908	10/11/49	suspicion of burglary	
PD, Los Angeles Calif	James Earl Ray #139648	10/11/49	suspicion 459 Penal (burglary)	8 months County Jail suspended; 2 years proba- tion served; first 90 days County Jail; 146 12/30/49 Cs129438
SO Cedar Rapids, Iowa	James E. Ray #5937	4/18/50	vagrancy	
PD Alton,	James Earl Ray #7514	7/23/51	no opera- tor's lic- ense - no City Licens	released to pay later
PD Chicago Ill	James Ray #D90696	5/6/52	robbery (Gun)	Grand Jury \$3000
Cook County Jail Chicago Ill	James Ray #131165	.5/9/52	robbery	6/13/52 sen- tenced to peni- tentiary 1 to 2 years
State Peni- tentiary, Joliet, Ill.	James E. Ray #32419	6/13/52	robbery	l to 2 years

CONTRIBUTOR OF FINGERPRINTS		ARRESTED OR RECEIVED	CHARGE	DISPOSITION
State Peni- tentiary Pontiac, Ill.	James E. Ray #19121	7/7/52 1952 in transfer from Joli	robbery	l to 2 years 3/12/54 discharged
SO Edwards- ville, Ill.	James Earl Ray #2640	8/30/54	burglary & larceny	
PD Hannibal Missouri	James E. Ray #40714	3/23/55	investigati of breaking entering Pos Office	&
State High- way Patrol Macon, Mo.	James Earl Ray #B-3376	3/23/55	cashing stolen pos- tal money orders	released to Postal Inspec- tor Kansas City Mo., 3/24/55
USM Kansas City, Mo.	James Earl Ray #12018	3/28/55	forgery U.S. Postal Money Order	
SO Kansas City Mo.	James Earl Ray #29637	3/28/55	forgery - Government	3/7/55, 3 years and 9 months
U. S. Peni- tentiary Leavenworth, Kan.	James Earl Ray #72498-L	7/7/55	Post Office Laws Forge Money Orders	3 years and 9 months 5/20/58, conditional release 3/31/59, maximum 4/5/58, conditional release on charge of Post Office forgery Post Office Money Orders
PD St. Louis, Mo.	James Earl Ray #81071	10/10/59	suspicion of robbery	

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CONTRIBUTOR OF FINGERPRINTS		ARRESTED OR RECEIVED	CHARGE	DISPOSITION
PD St. Louis Mo.	James Earl Ray #81071	10/16/59	suspicion of robbery stealing & fugitive other authorities	
State Peni- tentiary Jefferson City, Mo.	James Earl Ray #00416	3/17/60	"TC" operating motor vehi- cle without permission of owner robbery fir "b/m DDW" (2 charges)	current)

The following is a description of the subject obtained from sources set out elsewhere in this report!

> Name: Sex: Race: Date of Birth:

Place of Birth:

Height: Weight: Hair: Eyes:

Social Security No .: Army Serial Number: FBI Number:

JAMES EARL RAY, aka

Male White

Alton, Illinois

5 10"

163 - 174 pounds

Brown Blue

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RE:

JAMES EARL RAY, aka - 44-563-84 FUGITIVE CR - CONSPIRACY; UFAC - ROBBERY

00: MEMPHIS

Re report of SA JOE C. HESTER 6/5/68 at Memphis.

Page 17, paragraph 4, lime 6 - 12/17/67, should

be 12/7/67.

Please correct your copies.

SAC ROBERT G. JENSEN

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## UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

## Memorandum

TO. SAC, Indianapolis 44-563

DATE: 4/24/68

Paul A. Zolbe

SUBJECT: MURKIN

The following establishments were determined to use the Thermo- Seal Marking Machine in their laundry businesses and it was further establishednt that the code 20-R-3 would not be used by any ofkthem.

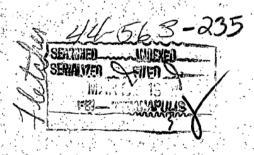
Max Ermish Ermish Cleaners, Terre Haute, Ind

Roy Hawkins- Union Laundry, Terre Ha te, Ind

Fred Adamson- Adamson Fabric Center, Brazil Ind.

Vita Flora- Home Laundry of Greencastle, Ind.

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SAC, Indianapolis (44-563)

DATE: SA PATRICK J. FLETCHER

4/9/68

FROM:

SA ROBERT C. BRAVER

SUBJECT:

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The following investigation was conducted by SA ROBERT C. BRAVER on 4/9/68 in an attempt to obtain information concerning the surname LOWMEYER or LOWMYER:

Telephone directories relating to the following cities were checked with negative results:

Tipton Elwood Goldsmith Kempton Sharpsville Peru

Marion Gas City Jonesboro Fairmount Sweetser Upland Matthews Logansport

Galveston Lucerne

Royal Center

Walton

Young America

Kokomo Amboy

Bunker Hill Burlington Converse Cutler Deer Creek

Flora Forest

Michigantown Geetingsville Greentown Russiaville Swavzee

The following city directories were perused with negative results:

Howard County

Kokomo Marion Fairmount Gas City

Jonesboro Tipton and Tipton County Frankfort and Clinton County Delphi and Carroll County

Logansport

Peru

Indianapolis

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Voter registration records for the following counties were checked:

Cass Carroll Clinton Miami Howard Tipton Grant

Credit bureaus in the following cities were checked:

Frankfort
Tipton
Logansport
Peru
Marion
Kokomo

Arrest records of the following agencies were reviewed with negative results:

Frankfort PD
Tipton County SO
Carroll County SO
Logansport PD
Peru PD
Marion PD
Kokomo PD

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: SAC, Indianapolis ((44-563)

ATTŃ: SA FLETCHER

DATE: 4/9/68

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FROM : SA ERIC C. WILLIAMS

SUBJECT: MURKIN

On 4/9/68 the following individuals were contacted and all advised their respective agencies had no record for a HARVEY LOWMEYER or HARVEY LOWMYER, described as a white male, 36 years of age, 5'8", 150-160 pounds, with black or dark brown hair:

Sergeant JOHN KUZMIZ, Records Office, Gary, Indiana PD;
Lieutenant MIKE ARRENDONDO, East Chicago, Indiana PD;
JOANN WINTER, Clerk, Griffith, Indiana PD;
MARY BAILEY, Clerk, Records Office, Hammond, Indiana PD;
Officer JOHN LAPELL, Valparaiso, Indiana PD;
BETTY PENDER, Clerk, Highland, Indiana PD;
MONA WOCHNER, Clerk, Records Office, Lake County SO, Crown Point, Indiana;
KENNETH PERKINS, Porter County SO, Valparaiso, Indiana;
HATTIE HARPER, Clerk, Credit Bureau, Gary, Indiana;
Mrs. LEE LYNCH, Clerk, East Chicago, Indiana Credit Bureau;
JANICE HAMMOND, Clerk, Hammond, Indiana Credit Bureau;
NANCY LAMBERT, Clerk, Porter County Credit Bureau,
Valparaiso, Indiana;

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ERNEST GUSTAFSUN, Investigator, Immigration and Naturalization Service, Hammond, Indiana.

On 4/9/68 SA DONALD H. LOTZ caused a search to be made of the voter registration records at the Lake County, Indiana Courthouse, Crown Point, Indiana, and failed to locate a HARVEY LOWMEYER or HARVEY LOWMYER listed as a voter. SA LOTZ also checked the city and telephone directories for Lake and Porter Counties, Indiana, with negative results.

#### UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

## Memorandum

TO : SAC, INDIANAPOLIS

DATE: 4/9/68

FROM : SA RONALD A. BARADEL (44-563)

SUBJECT: UNSUB; MURKIN

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The following investigation was conducted this date at Crawfords-ville, Montgomery County, Indiana:

The only taw enforcement agencies in Montgomery County which keep arrest records are the Montgomery County Sheriff's Office and the Crawfords-ville PD.

#### LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES:

E.O. ZACHARY, Jailer, Montgomery County Sheriff's Office, Crawfords-ville, Indiana made available records which failed to show any arrests for anyone by the name of LOWMEYER, LOWMYER, LOHMEYER, or LOHMYER.

Mrs. RUBY COON, Records Section, Crawfordsville PD, Crawfordsville, Indiana advised that they have no arrest record for anyone with the name of LOWMEYER, LOWMYER, LOHMEYER, or LOHMYER.

#### CREDIT AGENCIES:

Mrs. LOIS DAVIDSON, County Credit Bureau, Crawfordsville, Indiana advised that they have nobody in their files by the name of LOWNEYER, LOHNEYER, or LOHNYER.

#### VOTER REGISTRATION LISTS:

Mrs. SHIRLEY RUNYON, County Clerk's Office, County Count House, Crawfordsville, Indiana advised that there is nobody on the voter registration lists for Montgomery County, Indiana by the name of LOWMEYER, LOWMYER, LOHMEYER, or LOHMYER.

#### DIRECTORIES:

A review of the Montgomery County Directory published in 1966, which is the most recent one available, faile to show anyone listed under the names of LOWMEYER, LOWMYER, LOHMEYER, or LOHMYER.

A review of the Crawfordsville City Direc'tory for 1968 failed to reveal anyone listed under the name of LOWNEYER, LOWNYER, EOHNEYER, or

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Telephone directories for the following cities in Montgomery County, Indiang were searched under the manages LOWMEYER, LOWMYER, LOHMEYER, and LOHMYER with negative results:

Advance
Clarks Hill
Colfax
Crawfordsville
Darlington
Hillsboro
Ladoga
Lebanon
Linden
Mechanicsburg
Mellott

New Market
New Richmond
Newtown
Roachdale
Romney
Stockwell
Thorntown
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## Memorandum

TO : SAC, Indianapolis (44-563)

DATE: 4/9/68

FROM:

SA Frederick L. Wilt

SUBJECT:

UNSUB: MURKIN

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The following investigation was conducted by SA Frederick L. Wilt on 4/8/68 in an unsuccessful effort to locate a record of HARVEY LOWMEYER or LOWMYER.

Voters records in the court houses at Benton County, Fowler, Ind., Jasper County, Rensselaer, Ind., White County,, Monticello, Ind., and Newton County, Kentland, Ind. were checked personally by SA Frederick L. Wilt.

Telephone directories covering all towns in Newton,

Jasper, White, and Benton counties were visually checked.

There is no credit bureau in White, Jasper, Newton, and Benton counties or in any of the towns located in these counties.

The following individuals advised their records do not reflect the names of either LOWMEYER or LOWMYER:

Jasper County Sheriff Joe Ferguson, Rensselaer, Ind. White County Sheriff Leroy Farney, Monticello. Benton County Sheriff L.A. Wiemken, Fowler. Newton County Sheriff Pat Mullen, Kentland, Ind. Chief Isadore Bedore, Fowler, Ind. Police Dept. Chief Wayne Shirk, Rensselaer, Ind. Police Dept. Chief Jack Walker, Kentland, Ind. Police Dept.

Except for the records checked as noted above, there are no other arrest records kept in Jasper, White, Newton, and Benton Counties.





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## Memorandum

TO

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**(44-**563)

DATE: 4-9-68

FROM

SA IRVIN K. OWEN

SUBJECT:

MURKIN

Re.Bureau Teletype to all continental offices 4-8-68.

The following investigation was conducted by SA IRVIN K. OWEN on 4-9-68:

In an effort to identify HARVEY LOWMEYER or LOWMYER; all available city and county directories, telephone directories, voters' registration records, credit and arrest records were checked in the counties covered by the Bloomington R.A. In addition the "Marriage Record Index", a list of names of all persons obtaining marriage licenses in the entire State of Indiana from 1958 to 1966 published by the State Board of Health, was reviewed in the Martin County Court House, Shoals, Indiana. In all of the contacts listed below no record could be located of ANY name of LOWMEYER or LOWMYER and none of the persons contacted could recall any person or family of this name residing in this area. During this investigation the following persons were contacted:

#### OWEN COUNTY:

ROBERT LUCAS, County Clerk's Office, Spencer . Sheriff TOM CLARK & D/S DEROY GRAHAM

### GREENE COUNTY:

CLAUDE STORY, County Clerk's Office, Bloomfield Sheriff DALE HORN & D/S JESS MARTIN, "Chief William BURRESS, Linton P.D.

#### DAVIESS COUNTY:

HAZEL GROMER, Washington Credit Bureau Sgt.HARRY BURKHART, Washington P.D. Sheriff RALPH MORGAN, Washington KAREN STEEN, County Clerk's Office, Washington

#### MARTIN COUNTY:

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GEORGE GATES & FRANK STRANGE, Co. Clerk's Office Sheriff OSCAR ALLBRIGHT, Shoals, Indiana

#### MONROE COUNTY:

RUTH POLING KARSELL, Monroe Co. Clerk, Bloomington

In addition to the above listed directories, the Student, Faculty and Staff directories of Indiana University, Bloomington, Indiana were checked with the same results.

The following persons were contacted by SA WILLIAM R. TURNER on 4-9-68, during a similar investigation with negative results.

### MONROE COUNTY

MARY DOUGLAS, Bloomington Credit Bureau Fred MURRAY, Records Clerk, Bloomington PD

### JACKSON COUNTY

JOHN K. LAYTON, Records Clerk, Ind. State
Police, Seymour Post

JAMES FLYNN, Seymour Police Dept.

MARILYN BLISH, Seymour Credit Bureau (Jackson Ca.

JAMES IVORY, Dep. Sheriff

DONALD E. MANION, County Clerk

### BROWN COUNTY

MATHIAS

HAROLD MARIAS, Sheriff - Stated Credit Bureau's in Bloomington and Columbus, Ind. cover all of Brown County.

MILLARD THICKSTUN, County Clerk

### BARTHOLOMEW COUNTY

GARY REECE, Dep. Sheriff
RUBY MC MAHAN, Records Clerk, Columbus PD
DAVID WHALLEY, Credit Bureau of Columbus
FRANK M. RUNGE, County Clerk

### LAWRENCE COUNTY

ERNEST MATHEWS, Chief of Police, Bedford LEVI HATFIELD, Sheriff PAULINE CRAIG, County Clerk BARABARA STEVENS, Bedford Credit Bureau

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# Memorandum

TO :SAC, IP (44-563)

DATE: 4/9/68

FROM :SA WILLTAM M. "ATTITUGLY

SUBJECT: MITSIKTN

Supvr. Tiller was advised today that no record could be located in area covered by the Terre Haute, RA on a person by the last name of LOWNEYER OR LOWNYER.

Following were contacted and records examined: Vigo County

Terre Haute City Directory; ISU Student Directory; Terre Haute, PD, Lt. Ralph Brill; Vigo County S O, Chf Dpty J. Ronnie Lee; Vigo County Voters Registra tion, Mrs. Iris Mays; Terre Tatte Credit Bureau, Kanova Barnett; Current Telephone Directory.

Sullivan County:

Sullivan City Directory; Chief JERRY RING, SPD, HAROLD ROSEBERRY, Sheriff, SCSO; Voter Registration List per BARBRA ANDERSON, County Clerk; Phone Books for Oaktown, Carlisle, Sullivan, Dugger, Hymera, Farmersburg, Shelburn, and Fairbanks; A.B. LETTERMAN, Sullivan Credit Bureau.

Clay County - Sheriff Ghan Van Horn, Brazil, Ind., Chief Stanley Palm, Brazil PD., Credit Bureau of Brazil, Howard Bennett; City Directory for Brazil Ind., Voter Registration for Clay County Sheriff Van Horn, Telephone Directory covering major portion of county with the balance being covered by the Terre Haute City directory

Putnam County- Greencastle Police Chief John Stevens, Sheriff Bob Albright, City Directory for past years up to 1962 and telephone directory covering county, Leóta Bowen, Putnam County Credit Bureau, Chief John Stevens for Voter Registration for entire county

Parke County- Sheriff Deputy Walt Akers, Chief Glenn Catterson Rockville, Ind., Sheriff Max Webb for Voter Registration and Tablma Prall Vermillion-Parke County Credit Bureau, Telephone Directory for entire Parke county.

Vermillion County-Sheriff Frank Turchi for county criminal and Veter Registration, Chief Ben Turchi Clinton PD Thelma Prally 563 24 Vermillion-Parke Credit Bureau, Telephone directory for entire county.

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SA ROBERT C. BRAVER

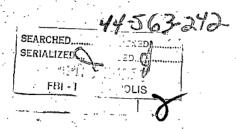
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Re Memphis tel 4/9/68.

The following investigation was conducted by SA ROBERT C. BRAVER on April 10, 1968:

All laundries and dry cleaning establishments in Grand, Howard and Miami counties were contacted and advised that they do not mark garments using adhesive tags and are not aware of any laundries that mark garments using this method.

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# Memorandum

TO

SAC, INDIANAPOLIS (44-563)

DATE:

4/10/68

FROM :

SA WALTER VALENTINE, JR.

SUBJECT:

MURKIN

00: Memphis

Re Memphis teletype, 4/9/68.

All the laundry and dry cleaning establishments in the following counties were contacted:

Cass, Carroll, Clinton, and Tipton

Each advised they had no adhesive-back tags which were placed in their laundry or dry cleaning. Each advised they knew of no laundries which placed adhesive back tags in laundry or cleaning.

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TO : SAC, IP (44-563)

DATE: 4/10/68

FROM : SA HERBERT T. BRADSHAW

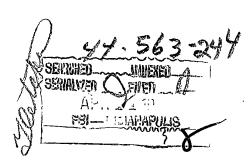
SUBJECT: MURKIN

Re Bureau teletype to all continental offices, 4/9/68.

The following investigation was conducted by SA HERBERT T. BRADSHAW on 4/10/68;

All laundries located in the area covered by the Muncie, Indiana FBI Resident Agency were contacted and none was located which used a cloth laundry marker described in retel.

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SA IRVIN K. OWEN

SUBJECT:

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ReBute1 4-9-68 re. laundry tag.

Mr.LEE V. LEONARD, Owner of Home Laundry and Dry Cleaners, Bloomington, Indiana, advised on 4-10-68 that his company has 2 Thermal Marking Machines manufactured by the Textile Marking Machine Co., Syracuse, N.Y. He stated, however, that they use 2 letters and a number in sequence and that instant marking is not similar to their markings.

LEONARD explained that these machines are only used by laundries which have a very large volumn of work. His company also handles wholesale laundry for smaller laundries in the area. Smaller laundries mark their laundry with hand tags. He stated that his company covers Bloomington, Bedford, Bloomfield, Spencer, Martinsville and Nashville. There are no other companies in this area which use this type of marking machine.

Mrs. D. HUMBAUGH, American Laundry of Washington, Indiana, advised on 4-10-68 that this company covers most of Daviess and Martin counties and uses a hand tag mark. She stated that there are no laundries in this area large enough to use this type of machine.

Mrs. AREBA REDNOUR, Benzol Laundry and Dry Cleaners, Columbus, Indiana, advised on 4--10--68 that this company also covers Seymour, Indiana and uses a hand tag mark. She stated that there are no laundries in this area large enough to use this type of machine.

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## Memorandum

TO : SAC, (44-563)

DATE: 4/10/68

FROM : SA E

SA ERIC C. WILLIAMS

SUBJECT: MURKIN

Re BU teletype to IP, 4/9/68.

On 4/10/68, the following laundries were contacted by the writer and all advised neither they, nor any of their branches use a laundry mark as described in instant teletype: They also advised they could not provide any information re which laundry does use such a mark.

Artistic Cleaners, 3767 Broadway, Gary
B & H Washerette, 1304 Washington, Gary
Eighth Ave. Cleaners, 123 W. 8th Ave., Gary
Emma B Laundry, 1114 W. 25th, Gary
General Overall Supply Service, 1529 Madison, Gary
Hoosier Cut Rate Cleaners, 2115 Broadway, Gary
Kennedy Laundry, 1609 W. 9th, Gary
New Way Laundry & Cleaners, 917 Jefferson, Gary
Peerless Cleaners & Shirt Laundry, 900 W. 25th, Gary
Royal Cleaners, 1120 Aetna, Gary
Slick's Laundry & Cleaners, 38 5th, Gary
Chapman Dry Cleaners & Launderers, 1475 Summer, Hammond
Conkey Cleaners & Laundry, 6837 Calumet, Hammond
Fabrikleen Dry Cleaners & Laundrers, 1475 Summer, Hammond
Hohman Coin Clean, 6921 Hohman, Hammond
Hohman Coin Clean, 6921 Hohman, Hammond
Melody Cleaners, 7501 Calumet, Hammond
Melody Cleaners, 7501 Calumet, Hammond
Monarch Laundry, 6233 Hohman, Hammond
Monarch Laundry, 6233 Hohman, Hammond
Porter's Cleaners & Launderers, 1701 Broadway, E. Chicago
Barney's Cleaners & Launderers, 1701 Broadway, E. Chicago
Barney's Cleaners & Laundries, 4622 Magoun, E. Chicago
Whiting Laundry, 613 Chicago Ave., E. Chicago
Whiting Laundry, 4841 Alexander, E. Chicago
Whiting Launderomat, 1423 119th, Whiting
Day & Night Launderama, 2929 Highway, Highland
Highland Laundry, 2641 Highway, Highland

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Melody Cleaners, 132 Ridge Rd., Munster
Thrifty-Clean Laundry Center, 8620 Kennedy, Highland
Automatic Cleaning Corp., 8427 Kennedy, Highland
Likens Launders & Cleaners, Lowell-Cedar Lake Rd., Cedar Lake
Lowell Cleaners & Laundry, 127 Washington, Lowel
Mickey's Laundry & Cleaners, Lake Shore Dr., Cedar Lake
American Laundry & Dry Cleaning, 152 Lafayette, Valpariso
Chesterton Park Laundry, 303 S. 5th, Chesterton
Dres-Well Cleaners, 105 Porter, Chesterton
Eacht Gary Washerette, 925 Central Ave., E. Gary
East Town Launderette, 11711 E. US 20, Portage
Al's Launderite & Dry Cleaning, 1508 N. Main, Crown Point

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## Memorandum

TO

SAC INDIANAPOLIS (44-563) Attn: SA ERIC WILLIAMS

DATE: 4/10/68

FROM : SA ROBERT L. JOHNSTON

SUBJECT: MURKIN

The following investigation was conducted by SA ROBERT L. JOHNSTON:

Banks and Savings and Loan Assoc. were checked in Poter County, Indiana, for the name ERIC STARVO GALT, White, Male, DofB 7/20/31, 5'11", 175 pounds, for any record.

All banking institutions checked had no record at their respective banks.

The following were contacted:

Chesterton State Bank, Chesterton Indiana, Cashier JAMES REED:

Farmers State Bank, Valpo., Indiana, Cashier JOHN CLIPSTIEN:

lst National Bank, 14 Indiana Ave., Valpo., Indiana. Miss MARY REIBLY:

1st State Bank of Poter. Poter Indiana. Asst Cashier RITA BISHOP;

Portage National Bank, Portage, Indiana, Mrs. SUE KROMBERGUR:

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Chesterton Rural Loan and Savings Assoc., Chesterton, Indiana, Marjorie Dale Cashier.

All above institutions are main banks, the records checked also include the branch banks of these institutions:

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TO : SAC, INDIANAPOLIS (44-New)

DATE: 4/10/68

FROM : SA SEAMANS JL JONES

SUBJECT: MURKIN

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The following investigation was conducted by SA SEAMANS J. JONES on 4/9/68:

### A'T SCOTTSBURG, INDIANA

A check of the telephone cirectory which covers the whole of Scott County failed to reveal the name LOWMEYER, LOWMYER, or variations of the name.

The latest city XXX directory issued in 1966 was checked for above names with negative results.

Sheriff LEON NICHOLAS, Scott County, advised there is no record of the above name or variations in his files.

LYLE MARSHALL, Chief of Police, advised the above name does not appear in his files.

BETTY PFISTER, Scott County Credit Bureau, advised she has no record of above name or variations.

HELEN MEEK, Deputy County Clerk, advised the above name or any variations of it appear in the Scott County voter registeration records.

### AT SALEM, INDIANA

The following persons were contacted:

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Sheriff CLYDE NICHOLS, Washington County.

Arvel #ACKSON, Chief of Police, Salem.

ROBERT BOLING, The Credit Bureau, Salem.

MK MURL O. PEUGH, Washington County Count Clerk, voter register.

AT PAOLI, INDIANA - All investigation negative.

Telephone directory check negative.

There is no credit bureau or city XXXX directory at Paoli.

WARREN PETTY, Chief of Police, Paoli.

Sheriff FARRELL FIELDS, Orange County.

WARD HENDRIX, Orange County Clerk, voter registration records.

AT ENGLISH, INDIANA - All investigation negative

Telephone directory negative.

There is no city directory or credit bureau at English.

There is no police department at English.

Sheriff DONALD BELCHER, Crawford County.

GEORGE BEASLEY, Crawford County Clerk, voter registeration record

AT CORYDON, INDI AN A - All investigation negative

Telephone directory negative, covers all of county.

There is no city directory or credit bureau at Corydon.

There is no police department at Corydon.

Sheriff JOSEPH KESSLER, Harrison County.

MAURICE G. SNIDER, Harrison County Clerk, voter registerations.

AT NEW ALBANY, INDIANA - All investigation negative - conducted 4/10/68

Telephone directory and city directory negative.

ROBERT MILLER, Manager, The Credit Bureau of New Albany

Detective MARION GRANT, PD records.

Sheriff CARL ATKINS, Floyd County, SO records.

VALERIA STOTTS, Voter Registeration Clerk, Floyd County Clerk's office.

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DATE: 4/10/68

FROM

SA WILLIAM R. LISTON

SUBJECT:

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ReBUtel to All Continental Offices.

The following investigation was conducted by SA WILLIAM R. LISTON on April 9, 1968:

A check of current city and telephone directories of area covered by Muncie RA failed to reflect any listing for a HARVEY LOWMEYER or HARVEY LOWMYER.

The following individuals advised their records failed to reflect any listing for a HARVEY LOWMEYER or HARVEY LOWMYER in the voter registration records of their respective counties:

BEVERLY GALVIN, Voter Registration, Muncie, Indiana; MAX HILE, Clerk's Office, Hartford City, Indiana; JOHN HIATT, Clerk's Office, Portland, Indiana; CHESTER HENDRICKSON, Clerk's Office, Winchester, Indiana.

The following individuals advised their records failed to reflect any listing for a HARVEY LOWMEYER or HARVEY LOWMYER:

Muncie, Ind.

Sgt. ROBERT VANDEVENDER, Records, Muncie PD.
MARION CUNNINGTON, Chief Deputy, Delaware County SO.
Mrs. IRENE SHORT, Credit Bureau of Muncie, Inc.

Hartford City, Ind.

Officer K. WHALEN, Hartford City PD.
WALTER WOOLARD, Sheriff, Blackford County.
G. FRED MAJOR, Credit Bureau of Blackford County.

Portland, Indiana

CHARLES PRIVETT, Chief of Police, Portland, Ind.
GEORGE STULTZ, Sheriff, Jay County.
EMILY ESPY, Credit Bureau of Jay County.

Winchester, Indiana

TED JONES, Chief of Police, Winchester, Ind.

JACK COX, Sheriff, Randolph County

FLOYD L. WARREN, Credit Bureau of Randolph County.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA HERBERT T. BRADSHAW on April 9, 1968:

A check of current city directories and telephone directories in Madison County, Indiana, failed to reveal a listing for anyone with the surname LOWMEYER or LOWMYER.

The following persons advised their records are negative

gegarding the surname LOWMEYER or LOWMYER;

ANDERSON, INDAANA

Deputy Sheriff John Clemons, XXXXXX, Madison Co. SO
Officer Charles Hamilton, Records, Anderson, Ind. PD
Mrs. Shirley Todd, Voter Registrations, Madision Co. Courthouse
Mrs. Thursa Berry, Supervisor, Credit Bureau of Anderson, Inc.

### At Elwood, Indiana

Mrs. Dorothy Tancey, Credit Bureau of Elwood, Inc. Patrolman Lee Graham, Records, Elwood PD

### At Alexandria, Indiana

Chief of Police Harold Jones, PD

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TO

SAC, (44-563)

DATE: 4/10/68

FROM

SA WILLIAM T. MURPHYII

SUBJECT:

MURKIN

Re BU teletype to IP, 4/9/68

The following Savings and Loan Associations were contacted on 4/10/68 by SA WILLIAM T. MURPHY II and they could provide no pertinent information re ERIC STARVO GALT:

American Savings and Loan association, 4527 Hohman Ave.

Hammond, Indiana

Calumet Federal Savings and Loan Association, 417 Sibly St.

Hammond, Indiana.

Citizens Federal Savings and Loan Association 5311 Hohman Ave. Hammond, Indiana.

First Federal Savings and Loan Association, 4740 Indianapolis Ave. East Chicago.

First Federal Savings and Loan Association of Hammond,

131 Rimback St. Hammond, Indiana.

Lake Federal Savings and Loan Association of Hammond, 7048

Kennedy St. Hammond, Indiana.

Liberty Savings and Loan Association, 1904 Indianapolis Blvd. Whiting, Indiana.

People's Building Loan and Savings Association 120 Sibly St.

Hammond, Indiana.

People's Federal Savings and Loan Association of East Chicago 4902 Indianapolis Blvd. East Chicago, Indiana.

Security Federal Savings and Loan Association of Lake County

4518 Indianapolis Blvd. East Chicago, Indiana.

Gary Federal Savings and Loan Association, 1700 Broadway St. Gary, Indiana.

Hobart Federal Savings and Loan Association, 555 East 3rd St.

Hobart, Indiana.

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TO

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DATE: 4/10/68

FROM

SA NEAL J. MC LAUGHLIN

SUBJECT: MURKIN

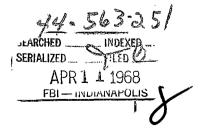
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On 4/10/68, Mr. RICE, Manager, Calumet Lender's Association, Gary, Indiana, advised his firm acts as a clearing house for all loan companies in the Gary area, except for Seaboard Finance Co., and General Finance Co., both of Gary. He stated if an individual has ever applied for or been granted a loan his firm would have the individual's name in file. He stated a search of records failed to locate the name, ERIC STARVO GALT. This information was obtained by SA NEAL J. MC LAUGHLIN.

On 4/10/68, the following finance companies were contacted by SA WILLIAM T. MURPHY II, and advised they have no record of ERIC STARVO GALT ever applying for a loan:

Seaboard Finance Co., 3812 Broadway, Gary, Indiana General Finance Co., 19 West Sixth, Gary, Indiana.

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ro : SAC, Indianapolis (44-563)

DATE: 4/11/68

FROM : SA ROBERT C. BRAVER

SUBJECT: MURKIN

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Re Memphis teletype 4/10/68.

The following investigation was conducted by SA ROBERT C. BRAVER on 4/11/68:

The following were contacted and advised their files were negative with reference to the surname GALT:

### LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES

Marion PD Peru PD Kokomo PD

#### CREDIT BUREAUS

Credit Bureau of Marion Peru Credit Exchange Credit Bureau of Kokomo

#### COUNTY VOTER REGISTRATION OFFICES

Grant County Howard County Miami County

#### FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

Grant County Banks

1. Farmers State Bank, Sweetsers

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### Howard County

- 1. First National Bank, Kokomo
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- 4. Union Bank and Trust Company, Kokomo

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TO : SAC, (44-563)

DATE: 4/10/68

FROM: SA CHARLES B. DEVITT, JR.

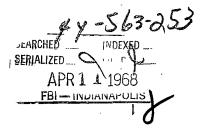
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Re BU tel to IP, 4/10/68.

The following financial institutions were contacted and advised they have no record for ERIC STARVO GALT:

Bank of Indiana, Gary, Indiana
Gary National Bank, Gary, Indiana
Hoosier State Bank of Indiana, Gary, Indiana
Calumet National Bank of Hammond, Indiana
Mercantial National Bank of Hammond, Indiana
First National Bank of East Chicago, Indiana
The First Bank of Whiting, Indiana
State Bank of Whiting, Indiana
American Trust & Savings Bank of Whiting, Indiana

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TO

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DATE: 4/10/68

FROM : SA ERIC C. WILLIAMS

SUBJECT: MURKIN

Re BU tel to IP, 4/10/68.

The following investigation was conducted by SA ERIC C. WILLIAMS:

The following individuals advised their agencies had no record for ERIC STARVO GALT, born

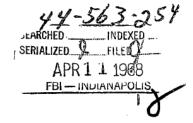
HATTIE HARPER, Greater Gary, Ind. Credit Bureau JANICE HAMMOND, Hammond, Ind. Credit Bureau LEE LYNCH, East Chicago, Ind. Credit Bureau PAT HEWLETT, Porter County Credit Bureau, Valpariso, Ind.

The following individuals were contacted by SA FRANCIS STOREY, JR.; and advised their agencies had no record for ERIC STARVE GALT, born This checking was on 4/10/68.

BETTY HORNER, Clerk, Griffith. Ind. PD DET FRED WILLIAMS, East Chicago, Ind. PD JEAN JOHNSON, Gary, Ind. PD
MARY BAILEY, Hammond, Ind. PD
BETTY TENDER, Highland, Ind. PD
JOHN LE PELL, Valpariso, Ind. PD
CHARLES DALTON, Lake County, Ind. RB S.O. E. JAHNZ, Porter County Sheriff's Office

The City and phone directories for Lake and Porter Counties were checked with negative results for a ERIC STARVO GALT, by SA ERIC C. WILLIAMS, on the same date.

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TO : SAC, Indianapolis (44-563)

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FROM : SA WALTER VALENTINE, JR.

SUBJECT: MURKIN

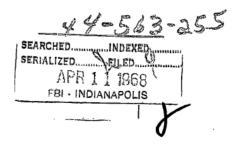
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ReMemphis tel 4/10/68.

The following were contacted re ERIC STARVO GALT with negative results: All law enforcement agencies, credit bureaus, financial institutions, motor registration records, Logansport State Mental Hospital, telephone directories, and city directories, in Cass, Carroll, Clinton, and Tipton Counties.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA John R.Smock:

Don Stein, Crown Laundry, 220 S. 4th. St. Lafayette, Ind.; advised he uses Thermo Seal Tags but the numbers 0 2B-6 or D 2B-6 are not his numbers. His numbers run 1 through 99 in place of the 2B.

Harry Hudlow, Hudlow's Cleaners, 222 North St., West Lafayette, Ind., advised that they use the Thermo Seal Tags but the numbers in question are not their numbers. Their numbers start with a  $66\ N$ .

G. Bender, Modern Cleaners, 1010Main St., Lafayette, Ind., advised that they do not use Thermo Seal.

D. Mikels , Davis Cleaners , 804 Main St. , Lafayette , Ind., advised they do not use Thermo Seal .

Herman Schmidt, Paris Cleaning & Laundry Co., 101 W. Mill, Attica, Ind., advised they do not use Thermo Seal. There are no laundries in Warren County or Fountain County except the Paris Cleaning.

Mrs. William Hubbard, Coppage Laundry & Cleaners, 127 S. Green St., Crawfordsville, Ind., advised they do not use Thermo Seal Tags. She advised that they have the only laundry in Montgomery County.

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# Memorandum

TO

SAC, Indianapolis (44-563)

DATE: 4/10/68

FROM

SA Frederick L. Wilt

SUBJECT:

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The following investigation was conducted on 4/10/68 by the laundries

SA Frederick L. Wilt. Briefly, Man. Contacted

as noted below Man. Marking do not use Thermo Seal Marking

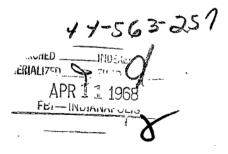
Machines, and the laundry marks "02 B-6" and/or "D2B-6" are totally unfamiliar to these laundries. There are no laundries in White or Newton counties.

Don Stockment, owner, Fowler Laundry and Cleaners, Fowler, Ind., advised this firm uses Key-Tag laundry markers.

George Tonner, owner, Superior Laundry and Cleaners,
Rensselaer, Ind. advised this firm uses Key-Tag laundry markers.

Ike Donnelly, owner, Peerless Cleaner and Laundry,
Rensselaer, Indiana, advised this firm uses Key-Tag laundry
markers.

Except for the above, there are no other laundries in Benton and Jasper Counties, Indiana.





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# Memorandum

TO

SAC, Indianapolis (44-563)
ATTN: SA FLETCHER

DATE:

4/12/68

FROM :

SA ELDON M. PENN

SUBJECT:

MURKIN

This is to advise that on 4/9/68, the following investigation was conducted by SA ELDON M. PENN:

At Vevay, Indiana (Switzerland County)

RALPH BROWN, Sheriff, Vevay, Indiana; FRED JENNINGS, Town Marshal, Vevay; J. C. RAMSEY, County Clerk and Voter Registration.

A check was also made with the telephone directory.

All investigation was negative at Vevay, Indiana. There is no credit bureau or city directory for this area.

At Madison, Indiana (Jefferson County)

The following individuals were contacted with negative results:

WILMA HARRELL, County Clerk and Voter Registration Clerk; HAROLD RAISOR, Sheriff's Office, Madison; NORMAN WILLIAMS, Police Department, Madison; Mr. GARLAND HOOD, Madison Credit Bureau.

All investigation was conducted with negative results.

A check of the city directory, telephone directory was also made with negative results.

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At Vernon and North Vernon, Indiana (Jennings County)

The following individuals were contacted with negative results:

Mr. CHARLES LANE, County Clerk and Voter Registration Clerk; PERRY CUMMINGS, Sheriff, Vernon, Indiana; Mr. KENNETH VANCE, North Vernon Police Department; Mr. J. D. ROSS, North Vernon Credit Bureau.

A check of the telephone directory and city directory was also made with negative results.

## At Jeffersonville, Indiana

The following investigation was conducted on 4/10/68:

Mr. EGBERT GILLHAUS, County Clerk and Voter Registration Clerk;
 Sheriff W. W. GILBERT, SO, Jeffersonville;
 Detective EDGAR BRANHAM, Jeffersonville PD;
 Mr. ROBERT AUSTIN, Jeffersonville Credit Bureau.

A check of the city directory and telephone directory was made with negative results.

All the named HARVEY LOWMEYER and HARVEY LOWMYER and all variations were checked through the above-mentioned individuals' records.

On 4/10/68, all laundries in the Jeffersonville-New Albany, Indiana, area were contacted by SA ELDON M. PENN, and only one was located that used a Thermo Seal-type of laundry marking. This is the New Albany Laundry and Dry Cleaning Company, located at 413 East Main Street, New Albany.

On 4/10/68, Mr. ROBERT KEMP, Manager of this laundry, advised that his company uses a cloth material to mark laundry but that this machine is put out by the Pinacle Products Corporation, Elmsford, New York, and it is made in England. He stated that the