

REPORT  
of theFEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: FBI, Memphis (44-1987)  
Re: MURKIN  
CR

Date: April 17, 1968  
FBI File No. 44-38861  
Lab. No. D-560665 JK  
D-560666 JK  
D-560667 JK

Specimens received from Los Angeles, 4/12/68

- Q127 White envelope bearing typewritten address "MR DALE L. DYKEMA, Receiver 3325 Wilshire Boulevard Los Angeles, California. 90005." postmarked "Los Angeles California Annex JA 22 AM 1968"
- Q128 Typewritten letter dated 1/21/68, beginning "DEAR SIR, I AM WRITING..." and signed "Eric S. Galt"
- Q129 Letter dated 12/21/67, addressed to "Eric Galt 1535 North Serrano, Hollywood, California," beginning "Dear Mr. Galt: As you know..." and signed "Dale L. Dykema"

Specimens received from Chicago, 4/12/68

- Q130 Typewritten letter dated 10/5/67, beginning "Dear Sir: I received..." and signed "Eric S. Galt"
- Q131 Typewritten letter dated 10/22/67, beginning "Dear Sir, I ordered four..." and signed "Eric S. Galt"
- Q132 Typewritten letter dated 11/20/67, beginning "Dear Sir, While in Birmingham..." and signed "Eric S. Galt"
- Q133 Order Blank of the Superior Bulk Film Co., Chicago, Ill. for order in the amount of \$337.24, to be shipped to Eric S. Galt, 2608 Highland Ave., Birmingham, Alabama

ALSO SUBMITTED: Six miscellaneous items of correspondence of the Superior Bulk Film Co.

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Specimens received from Newark, 4/13/68

Q134 Enrollment Form of the Locksmithing Institute, Little Falls, N. J., dated 7/31/67, in the name "Eric S. Galt"

Q135 "Confidential Information" form of the Locksmithing Institute, bearing the signature "Eric S. Galt"

Result of examination:

The "Eric S. Galt" signatures on Q128, Q130, Q131, Q132 and Q135 were prepared by the writer of the signatures in this name appearing on items previously submitted in this case.

The typewritten impressions appearing on Q127, Q128, Q130, Q131, Q132 and Q135 were found to be the same style of type but the lack of identifying defects precluded a determination as to whether the same typewriter prepared all of these items; however, no significant differences were noted between the impressions appearing on these items. The style of type appearing on these specimens conforms to a standard for Royal pica style of type spaced ten letters to the inch. This style of type also appears on a typewriter sold under the Singer name.

It was determined that the hand printing appearing the Q133 order blank and the Q134 enrollment form was prepared by the same individual. No questioned hand printing appears on the other items received.

Indented impressions were noted on the reverse side of the Q128 letter. The names "Ray," "Galt" and "Rily" and numerals "ET3623" were some of the notations interpreted on this item. A photograph of the indented writing is enclosed for the information of Los Angeles.

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*J. Edgar Hoover*  
John Edgar Hoover, Director

OO: Memphis

FBI File No. 44-38861  
Lab. No. D-560665 JK  
D-560666 JK  
D-560667 JK

Examination requested by: Los Angeles, Chicago

Reference: Airtels 4/12/68

Examination requested: Evidence personally delivered by Newark, 4/13/68  
Document - Fingerprint

Remarks:

This report confirms and supplements Bureau teletype dated 4/13/68 pertaining to the examination set forth in the attached report.

You will be advised separately of the results of the latent fingerprint examination.

Enclosures (3) (Photograph of Q128, 2 Lab report)  
2 - Chicago (44-1114) Enclosures (2) (2 Lab report)  
2 - Los Angeles (44-1574) Enclosures (3) (Photograph of Q128, 2 Lab report)  
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Re: MURKIN

Date: April 18, 1968  
FBI File No. 44-38861  
Lab. No. D-560921 ET

Specimens received 4/16/68

K62 One Prinz Air Release in sealed carton

## Result of examination:

Specimen K62 is, in all respects, like specimen  
Q119.Specimen K62 is returned herewith. No photographs  
have been retained.

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Examination requested by: Chicago  
Reference: Airtel 4/15/68  
Examination requested: Document  
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Enclosures (3) (K62, 2 Lab report)

- 2 - Memphis Enclosures (2) (2 Lab report)
- ① - Los Angeles (44-1574) Enclosure (Lab report)
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Lab. No. D-560923 JK  
D-560945 JK

Specimens received 4/17/68, from FBI, Los Angeles

- Q216 Bank of America money order #0799 18037, payable to "Locksmithing Institute," signed as purchaser "Eric S. Galt"
- Q217 Bank of America money order #0799 18288, payable to "Free Press, Newspapers," signed as purchaser "Eric Galt"
- Q218 Bank of America money order #0799 18289, payable to "M. Hedgpeth," signed as purchaser "Eric Galt"
- Q219 Bank of America money order #0799 17281, payable to "Locksmithing Institute, Little Falls, N.J.," signed as purchaser "Eric S. Galt"
- Q220 Bank of America money order #0799 19430, payable to "Futura Books," signed as purchaser "Eric S. Galt"
- Q221 Bank of America money order #0799 19701, payable to "Locksmithing Institute," signed as purchaser "Eric S. Galt"
- Q222 Bank of America money order #0799 19702, payable to "Tiffany Enterprises," signed as purchaser "Eric S. Galt"
- Q223 Bank of America money order #0799 19704, payable to "Locksmith Ledger," signed as purchaser "Eric S. Galt"
- Q224 Bank of America money order #0799 19703, payable to "Tiffany Enterprises," signed as purchaser "Eric S. Galt"

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Q225 Sheet of paper bearing typewritten message beginning "Dear Sir, Inclosed is..." signed "Eric S. Galt"

Q225 Post Office Department Application For Delivery of Mail Through Agent, Form 1523, signed "Eric S. Galt"

Result of examination:

It was concluded that the "Eric S. Galt" and the "Eric Galt" signatures on Q216 through Q221, Q223 and Q224 were prepared by the writer of the signatures in this name appearing on specimens previously received. The signatures on Q222 are too distorted for identification with these previous signatures but similarities were noted.

Because of the lack of comparable writings and variations, it could not be determined whether the other writings appearing on Q216 through Q224 were prepared by the writer of the available writings which are attributable to Galt, however, similarities were noted between the payee names on money orders and the "Galt" writings.

Because of the lack of comparable letters and letter combinations necessary for an adequate comparison, it could not be determined whether the "Harvey Lowmyer" signature on the Q72 gun invoice was prepared by the writer of the money orders, Q216 through Q224, and other writings attributed to Galt.

It was concluded that the questioned signatures on Q225 and Q226 were prepared by the writer of the "Galt" signatures on other specimens previously submitted.

The typewritten impressions appearing on Q225 are the same style as those appearing on other items believed emanating from Galt, but the lack of identifying defects precludes a determination that the same typewriter was used to prepared all of these items.

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Q225 Sheet of paper bearing typewritten message beginning "Dear Sir, Inclosed is..." signed "Eric S. Galt"

Q225 Post Office Department Application For Delivery of Mail Through Agent, Form 1583, signed "Eric S. Galt"

Result of examination:

It was concluded that the "Eric S. Galt" and the "Eric Galt" signatures on Q216 through Q221, Q223 and Q224 were prepared by the writer of the signatures in this name appearing on specimens previously received. The signatures on Q222 are too distorted for identification with these previous signatures but similarities were noted.

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FBI File No. 44-38861  
Lab. No. D-560923 JK  
D-560945 JK

Examination requested by: Los Angeles

Reference: Airtel, 4/16/68  
Letter, 4/16/68

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint

Remarks:

You will be advised separately regarding the results of the fingerprint examination and disposition of Q216 through Q226.

This report confirms and supplements Bureau teletype to Los Angeles, Memphis and Birmingham dated 4/17/68.

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### ITEMS FROM 1966 FORD MUSTANG:

Q118 A piece of Kleenex box bearing letters "At pool" on one side and names "Ginger Day and Anita Katzwinkel, 1535 Serrano, Apt. 6," on other side

Q119 One air release shutter in original package

Q120 Sunglasses with case

Q121 Two pieces of cardboard from trunk

Q122 Scraps of paper from glove compartment

Q123 Scraps of paper from under rear seat

ALSO SUBMITTED: Four lifts of latent impressions found on  
auto Rearview mirror  
1967 Alabama license plate 1A 88354  
1968 Alabama license plate 138993

### Result of examination:

It was concluded that the writings appearing on Q118 were not prepared by the writer of the other material attributable to the unknown subject also known as Eric S. Galt. While the limited nature of the "Harvey Lowmyer" signature on Q72 and the lack of comparable letters for comparison precluded an adequate examination, differences were noted between the writings on Q118 and the questioned "Lowmyer" signature.

Among the miscellaneous items in Q122 and Q123 were two tickets stapled together, one red and one green. The top red ticket bears the numbers "4" over "4591" which appear on each half of this ticket. The green ticket is printed "FLAG-TAGS," "STRY-LENKOFF Co.," "Louisville, Ky." "printed in USA."

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Also included in the above were twenty "S&H" green stamps, each of which had "14LK" printed at the top and "627" printed at the bottom.

These items, Q118 through Q123, were examined for indented impressions and other markings but other than that set out above, nothing of significance was noted.

The evidence has been retained.

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Examination requested by: Atlanta

Reference: Letter 4/11/68

Examination requested: Document - Miscellaneous -  
Fingerprint

Remarks:

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This report confirms and supplements the Bureau airtel to Memphis dated 4/12/68.

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2 - Los Angeles Enclosures (2) (2 Lab report)

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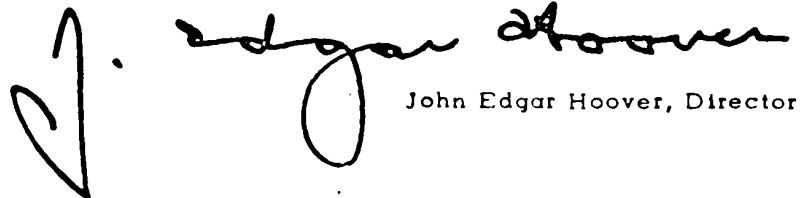
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CR**FBI File No. **44-38861**Lab. No. **D-560787 JK**Specimens received **4/15/68**

**Q173 Change of Address Order, bearing signature  
"Eric S. Galt" (Card indicates change is temporary  
until 4/25/68)**

**Result of examination:**

**It was concluded that the "Eric S. Galt" signature on Q173 was prepared by the writer of the signature in this name appearing on other specimens previously submitted in this matter.**

**The typewriting appearing on Q173 is the same style as that appearing on other items, but the lack of identifying defects precluded a determination as to whether the same typewriter was employed in preparing this item and other specimens believed to have emanated from Eric S. Galt.**

**Specimen Q173 has been retained. Photographs were made.**

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**Result of examination:**

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**The typewriting appearing on Q173 is the same style as that appearing on other items, but the lack of identifying defects precluded a determination as to whether the same typewriter was employed in preparing this item and other specimens believed to have emanated from Eric S. Galt.**

**Specimen Q173 has been retained. Photographs were made.**

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**FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535**

To: **FBI, Memphis (44-1987)**

Date: **April 18, 1968**

Re: **MURKIN  
CR  
OO: Memphis**

*J. Edgar Hoover*  
John Edgar Hoover, Director

FBI File No. **44-38861**  
Lab. No. **D-560787 JK**

Examination requested by: **Los Angeles**

Reference: **Airtel 4/12/68**

Examination requested: **Document - Fingerprint**

Remarks:

**You will be advised separately regarding the results  
of the fingerprint examination.**

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FBI File No. **44-38861**  
Lab. No. **D-500787 JK**

Examination requested by: **Los Angeles**

Reference: **Airtel 4/12/68**

Examination requested: **Document - Fingerprint**

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WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: FBI, Memphis (44-1987)

Re: MURKIN  
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Date: April 19, 1968

FBI File No. 44-38861

Lab. No. D-560919 JK  
D-560789 JK

Specimens received 4/16/68, from FBI, Newark

Q215 White envelope postmarked "Montreal, P.Q., VII, 1967," bearing return address "Eric S. Galt 2589 - Rue Notre Dame Est. Montreal, Canada, Quebec" and hand printed address "Locksmithing Institute Little Falls, New Jersey, U. S. A. 07424"

Specimen received 4/15/68, from FBI, Chicago

K35 Nine sheets of paper bearing known handwriting and hand printing of GINGER NANCE

## Result of examination: 0

It was concluded that the hand printing appearing on the Q215 envelope was prepared by the individual responsible for the preparation of the hand printing on the Locksmithing Institute Enrollment Form and the Superior Bulk Film Company order blank which were previously submitted in this matter.

No significant indented impressions were noted on this envelope.

Except for the word "broult" it was concluded that the questioned writings on Q118 (torn "Kleenex box") were prepared by GINGER NANCE, K35. Similarities were also noted between the word "broult" and the known writings of NANCE but the lack of known writing precluded a definite opinion from being reached.

The submitted items have been retained. Photographs were made.

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To: FBI, Memphis (44-1987)

Date: April 19, 1968

Re: MURKIN  
CR  
OO: Memphis

*J. Edgar Hoover*  
John Edgar Hoover, Director

FBI File No. 44-38861  
Lab. No. D-560919 JK  
D-560789 JK

Examination requested by: Chicago, Newark

Reference: Airtels, 4/13/68 and 4/15/68

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint

Remarks:

You will be advised separately regarding the results of the fingerprint comparisons.

This report supplements and confirms Bureau teletype to Newark, Chicago, Memphis and Los Angeles dated 4/17/68.

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To: FBI, Memphis (44-1987)  
  
Re: MURKIN  
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Date: April 23, 1968  
FBI File No. 44-38861  
Lab. No. D-560880 JK  
PC-A5688 IZ

Specimens received 4/16/68

- Q174 Booklet entitled "What is the John Birch Society"
- Q175 Gulf Oil Company map of Atlanta
- Q176 "Arrow" map of Greater Atlanta
- Q177 Box of Nabisco Saltine Crackers
- Q178 Jar of French's Mustard
- Q179 Coffee cup
- Q180 Water glass
- Q181 Small can of Carnation Evaporated Milk
- Q182 Jar of Maxwell House Instant Coffee
- Q183 Box of "C & H" Sugar
- Q184 One knife (Forgecraft)
- Q185 One National's Citation pencil
- Q186 Wire electric cup hCater
- Q187 One portable Zenith television model #N 2205-6
- Q188 Jar of Kraft's Catalina French Dressing
- Q189 Package of Golden Grain California Lima Beans
- Q190 Can of "Iris" ground black pepper
- Q191 Box of five National's Citation pencils
- Q192 Gulf map of Southeastern USA
- Q193 Shell map of Texas and Oklahoma
- Q194 Map of Mexico
- Q195 Map of Los Angeles published by Mitock & Sons
- Q196 Map of Los Angeles (Atlantic Richfield Co.)
- Q197 Shell map of Louisiana
- Q198 Map of California
- Q199 Enco map of Arizona and New Mexico
- Q200 Standard Oil map of Birmingham and vicinity
- Q201 Tie (Brown with brown, blue and silver diagonal stripes)
- Q202 Pair of grey trousers
- Q203 Booklet entitled "Your Opportunities in Locksmithing"

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Result of examination:

Examination of Q176 ("Arrow" map of Atlanta) revealed the following markings: In area number 17, ink lines were noted on Daniel Street between Arbor Avenue and Boulevard Drive; in area number 03 an ink circle approximately  $\frac{3}{8}$  inch in diameter the center of which would be approximately on Auburn Avenue at Courtland; in area number 14, two ink circles which are approximately concentric with diameters of about  $\frac{1}{4}$  inch and  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch. The centers of these two circles lie approximately at the intersection of Simpson Road and Paines; in area number 09 an ink circle approximately  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch in diameter and the numeral 10 were noted. The center of this circle lies approximately on 14th Street between Crescent Avenue and Peachtree Road; in area number 06 an ink circle approximately  $\frac{3}{8}$  inch in diameter appears. The center of this circle is approximately at the meeting place of Highland View and Ponce de Leon Terrace.

The notations set out below were observed on Q196 ("Atlantic Richfield Co." street map of Los Angeles.") On the top of that side of this map which contains the alphabetical street listings a small pencil circle was noted in the "Van Nuys District" at the intersection of Buffalo Avenue and Oxnard Street.

On the large map on the other side of this map the following markings were noted in the Beverly Hills area. Two vertical lines in ink at the east end of the park which is located at Olympic Boulevard and Heath Avenue; vertical lines in ink at San Vicente Boulevard and Masselin Avenue; an ink line running between the two vertical lines previously mentioned generally following Pico Boulevard and Packard Street; an ink line extending from the vertical lines at the park along Olympic Boulevard to Alfred Street.

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Also noted was an ink marking at Sunset Boulevard and Palm Drive.

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Ink parentheses were noted around the words "Sonma Way" and "Rocca Pl" which are located in Stone Canyon.

The pair of trousers, specimen Q202, is old and soiled. The lining and pockets are yellowed, the two front pockets have holes in them and the edge of the left front pocket is threadbare. The trousers have a "NEEDLECRAFT" label. The waist is 34 1/2 inches and the inseam is 26 inches. A name handwritten in black on the right rear pocket is probably a cleaners mark. This name appears to be "Z SOLOFF;" however, the last two letters are not clear. No invisible cleaners marks were found on Q202.

Several brown to dark brown head hairs of Caucasian origin were found on the trousers and in the pocket debris. These hairs are different from the hairs from the Mustang and Memphis scene. It was concluded that they did not originate from the same source. No hairs were found on the Q201 necktie.

No fibers were found on the Q202 trousers or on the Q201 necktie that could be associated with cloth items previously submitted in this case.

No marks or labels were found on the Q201 necktie.

Examination of the other items described above disclosed no other pertinent information.

The submitted evidence has been retained.

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WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: FBI, Memphis (44-1987)

Date: April 23, 1968

Re: MURKIN  
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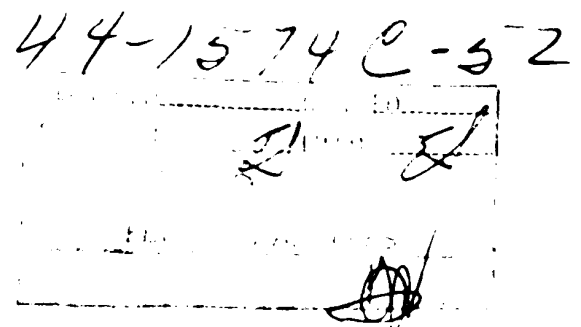
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Result of examination:

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Nofibers were found on the Q202 trousers or on the Q201 necktie that could be associated with cloth items previously submitted in this case.

No marks or labels were found on the Q201 necktie.

Examination of the other items described above disclosed no other pertinent information.

The submitted evidence has been retained.

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WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: FBI, Memphis (44-1987)

Date: April 23, 1968

Re: MURKIN  
CR  
OO: Memphis

*J. Edgar Hoover*  
John Edgar Hoover, Director

Examination requested by: Atlanta

FBI File No. 44-38861  
Lab. No. D-560880 JK  
PC-A5688 IZ

Reference: Letter 4/15/68

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint -  
Hair & Fiber

Remarks:

The results of the latent fingerprint examination of the items described in the attached report will be furnished separately.

This report confirms and supplements Bureau teletype to Memphis, Birmingham, Atlanta and Los Angeles dated 4/16/68 and Bureau airtel dated 4/16/68, which furnished photographs of pertinent portions of the maps to Atlanta, Memphis and Los Angeles.

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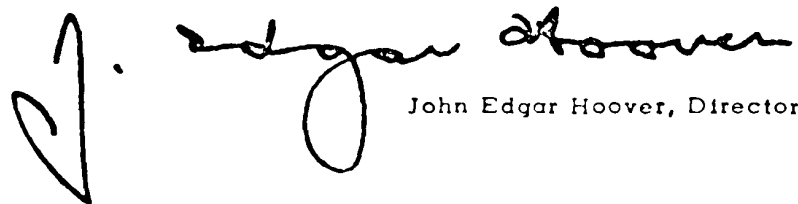


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Date: **April 23, 1968**

Re: **MURKIN  
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OO: Memphis**

  
John Edgar Hoover, Director

FBI File No. **44-38861**  
Lab. No. **D-560880 JK  
PC-A5688 IZ**

Examination requested by: **Atlanta**

Reference: **Letter 4/15/68**

Examination requested: **Document - Fingerprint -  
Hair & Fiber**

Remarks:

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- 1 - Birmingham (44-1740) Enclosure (Lab report)

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AIRTEL

AIR MAIL - REGISTERED

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI  
FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (44-1574) Attn: FBI LABORATORY  
RE: MURKIN

Enclosed for the Bureau is a business card of  
PETER N. GORMAN, a builder, who resides at 9023 Lark Ellen  
Circle, Los Angeles, California.

GORMAN provided this card to SA G. J. MOOREHEAD  
on 4/25/68 and explained that on Friday, 4/19/68, he had  
hired a day laborer from the street in Los Angeles whom he  
described as the slave market. He said that this is where  
transient non-union workers gather for day jobs.

The man he hired demolished a shed that GORMAN  
had on one of his job sites and assisted GORMAN in placing  
several glass doors in his garage. GORMAN asked the man if  
he could work again on 4/20/68 and this was agreed. The man  
wrote his name, telephone number and address on the reverse of  
the enclosed business card. It is shown as follows:

WILLIAM FURBAU  
438-2389  
Cecil Hotel  
644 S. Main St.

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1 - Los Angeles

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When GORMAN went to pick this individual up on the morning of 5/20/68, the man did not appear. GORMAN checked at the hotel and determined that they had no tenant named JUNEAU and that the telephone was a disconnected number. GORMAN did not have a good recollection of the man, however, he said he was similar to a newspaper picture of JAMES EARL RAY. This person said he had been in New Orleans, however, GORMAN also had been in New Orleans and from their conversation he said it was obvious to him that the man was not familiar with that city.

GORMAN provided the following description: White, male, 5'10", 165 pounds, slight to medium build, 40 years, right-handed, brown hair.

GORMAN pointed out that he realized that many of the persons who "shape up" in the slave market are "on the lamb" and that even if this man is not RAY, he might still have reason to conceal his identity.

The Bureau is requested to examine the enclosed card for any handwriting comparisons that can be made. GORMAN stated that he has fingered the card repeatedly and would have obliterated any fingerprints. The Bureau may dispose of this card as they see fit.

The glass doors mentioned herein were inspected for latents and none were located.

REPORT  
of theFEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535To: **FBI, Memphis (44-1987)**Date: **April 23, 1968**FBI File No. **44-38861**Re: **MURKIN  
CR**Lab. No. **D-581272 JK**Specimens received **4/22/68**

**Q255 One order blank for Futura Books, 4533 West Imperial Highway, Inglewood, California, 90304, bearing typewriting and the handwritten signature "Eric S. Galt"**

**Result of examination:**

**It was concluded that the "Eric S. Galt" signature on Q255 was prepared by the individual responsible for the preparation of other signatures in this name which have appeared on specimens previously received.**

**The typewriting on Q255 conforms in style to the questioned typewriting appearing on other items received in this matter, but the lack of identifying defects precludes a definite determination as to whether the same typewriter was employed. However, no significant differences were noted between the typewriting on Q255 and that appearing on other specimens attributed to Eric S. Galt.**

**The submitted evidence has been retained.**

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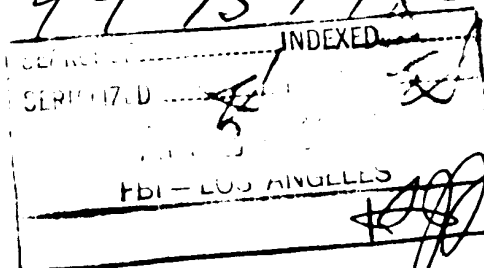
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WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535**

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Date: **April 23, 1968**

Re: **MURKIN  
CR  
OO: Memphis**

*J. Edgar Hoover*  
John Edgar Hoover, Director

FBI File No. **44-38861**  
Lab. No. **D-661272 JK**

Examination requested by: **Los Angeles**

Reference: **Airtel 4/19/68**

Examination requested: **Document - Fingerprint**

Remarks:

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FBI File No. **44-38861**  
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Date: 4/24/68

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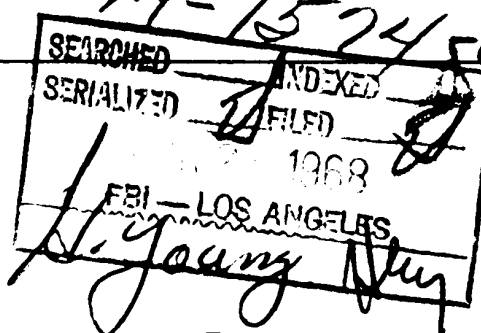
✓ From: Director, FBI (44-38861)

MURKIN

Re Los Angeles airtel 4/19/68, submitting one  
order blank for Futura Books, Q255.

Two latent fingerprints of value were developed  
on Q255. These latent fingerprints are not identical with the  
fingerprints of James Earl Ray, FBI #405942G; Vernon Elmo  
Rife, FBI #4558766; Robert Dale Porter, FBI #4590482; or with  
the latent prints previously reported in this case.

You will receive a separate report relative to the  
results of the laboratory examination and the disposition of Q255.



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AIRTEL

AIR MAIL - REGISTERED

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)  
FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (44-1574) Attn: FBI LABORATORY  
RE: MURKIN

There is enclosed for the Bureau an envelope postmarked 4/24/68 in Los Angeles, California and addressed to FBI, 1340 West 6th Street, Los Angeles, Calif., and a square piece of paper which was in this envelope containing a mailing address sticker for "Mr. Eric S. Galt, 1535 N. Serrano, L.A. 90027".

This letter was sent anonymously.

The Bureau is requested to examine this letter for any latent fingerprints and if any are found to compare them with pertinent prints developed in this matter.

SA's who have carefully handled this material are:

THEODORE J. A'HEARN  
WILLIAM J. NOLAN  
PAUL F. TIERNEY

The Bureau may dispose of this material as it sees fit.

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AIR MAIL - REGISTERED (R.R.R.)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)  
(ATTENTION: FBI LABORATORY, DOCUMENT SECTION)

FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (44-1574)

SUBJECT: MURKIN

Enclosed for the FBI Laboratory are the following items of an evidentiary nature which were obtained from HERBERT G. GREENBERG, 1640 La Cienega Boulevard, Los Angeles, California, by SA THEODORE M. GARDNER on 4/26/68 and which were both inscribed on the back upper left hand corner, "4/26/68, TMA, LA, CALIF.":

- (1) One air mail envelope, postmarked 2/26/68, addressed to Tiffany Enterprises, 8512 Whitworth Dr., Los Angeles, California, bearing a return address of ERIC S. GALT, 5533 Hollywood Blvd., Hollywood, Calif. 90028.
- (2) One typewritten letter dated 2/26/68 bearing the typewritten signature ERIC S. GALT, as well as a written signature.

For the information of the Laboratory, the numerals "998" and all of the writing in what appears to be red ballpoint pen ink were both placed there by either GREENBERG or an employee of Tiffany Enterprises.

The Laboratory is requested to compare the signature appearing on the letter and the type on the letter and envelope with those previously submitted samples in this case in order to determine if the enclosed samples are comparable with the previously submitted samples. Upon completion of the examination, it is requested that the evidence be returned to the Los Angeles Division.

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FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES (44-1574)  
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The enclosure is submitted for latent fingerprint and typewriting examination and to be compared with pertinent information developed in this matter.

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SA THEODORE J. A'HEARN was the only Bureau employee who handled this letter.

The enclosed need not be returned.

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Approved: [Signature] Sent \_\_\_\_\_ M Per \_\_\_\_\_  
Special Agent in Charge

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**REPORT  
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**FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535**

To: FBI, Memphis (44-1987)

Date: April 25, 1968

Re: MURKIN  
CR

FBI File No. 44-38861

Lab. No. D-561274 JK

Specimens received 4/22/68

- K172 Sample #1, laundry tape, obtained from Thermo-Seal machine, Serial No. 32192, Model H5L4
- K173 Sample #2, laundry tape, obtained from Thermo-Seal machine, Serial No. 31900, Model H5L4
- K174 Sample #3, laundry tape, obtained from Thermo-Seal machine, Serial No. 32190, Model H5L4
- K175 Sample #4, laundry tape, obtained from Thermo-Seal machine, Serial No. 32189, Model H5L4
- K176 Envelope No. 5, Wearing Apparel Rate tag, Flat Rate tag and Customer Receipt, of laundry list No. 31053
- K177 Envelope No. 6, Wearing Apparel Rate tag and customer receipt of laundry list No. 30826

**Result of examination:**

The size and style of the numerals and letters on K172 through K175, as well as those appearing on some other known specimens received, are the same as corresponding portions of the laundry tapes appearing on the Q97 sheet and the Q99 pillow case.

Because of the lack of identifying features on which to base a definite opinion, it could not be established that one of the machines used to prepare K172 through K175 was used to prepare the questioned laundry marks. Of these known specimens, only K175 has the letters "O" and "R" spaced the same as on the Q97 and Q99 tags. There are an insufficient number of known specimens available imprinted "2OR-3" to assess the significance of this feature; however, prior examinations indicate this factor alone is not sufficient to identify a laundry tag with a particular machine.

K172 through K177 have been retained.

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- K176 Envelope No. 5, Wearing Apparel Rate tag, Flat Rate tag and Customer Receipt, of laundry list No. 31053
- K177 Envelope No. 6, Wearing Apparel Rate tag and customer receipt of laundry list No. 30826

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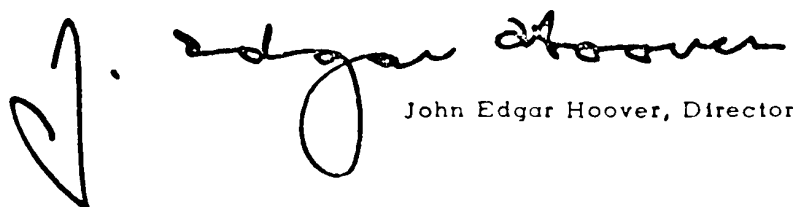


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Date: April 25, 1968

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OO: Memphis

  
John Edgar Hoover, Director

FBI File No. 44-38861  
Lab. No. D-561274 JK

Examination requested by: Los Angeles

Reference: Airtel 4/18/68

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint

Remarks:

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You will be advised separately regarding the results of the fingerprint examination of K176 and K177.

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