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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOUISVILLE (44-947)

DATE: 6/11/68

FROM : SA CHARLES A. KINCAID

SUBJECT: MURKIN-COST DATA

At 1:30 P.M. this date, June 4, 1968, the writer telephonically furnished the following cost data figures for the Louisville Office during the month of May, 1968 to SA GYLIE of the Memphis Office:

1. Number of Manhours Spent on Case

A. Special Agents

1. Regular-329 hours and 20 minutes

2. Overtime-32 hours and 15 minutes

Total 361 hours and 35 minutes.

B. Clerical Employees-40 hours and 45 minutes

2. Total mileage traveled by Bureau cars-2811 miles.

3. There were no unusual or out-of-the-ordinary costs incurred by the Louisville Office.

4. Peak number of Special Agent Working on Case-25.

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ROUTING SLIP TO ALL FIELD OFFICES

FROM: *RW* SAC, MEMPHIS (44-1987) (P)

RE: JAMES EARL RAY, aka -
FUGITIVE
CR - CONSPIRACY; UFAC - ROBBERY

OO: MEMPHIS

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

Page 17, paragraph 4, line 6 - 12/17/67, should
be 12/7/67.

Please correct your copies.

SAC ROBERT G. JENSEN

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Corrected
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Date: 6-12-68

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TO: SAC, ALBANY
FROM: SAC, MEMPHIS (44-1987) P
MURKIN

In view of subject's apprehension, any office having outstanding leads or requests for circularization in any publication of any kind should cancel outstanding request now.

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2 Albany
1 All Continental Offices
1 Memphis

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Approved: _____

Special Agent in Charge

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Per _____

June 12, 1968

AIRTEL

AIR MAIL

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)

FROM: SAC, LOUISVILLE (44-947) P

SUBJECT: MURKIN

Reference Springfield teletype to Bureau,
dated 6/10/68.

On 6/11 and 12/68, photographs of JAMES EARL RAY were displayed to LARRY MC INTOSH and former owners of Mens Style Shop, Mayfield, Kentucky. Mr. WATT C. SEAY and EDWIN WILSON all advised that on an average of one year they sell over 40 dozen Royal De Luxe Stetsons and that the pictures of JAMES EARL RAY are completely unfamiliar to them. All advised that most likely the hat purchased at Mayfield, Kentucky, was done so by a cash purchase and no record would be kept of such a transaction. All stated no charge record was available of information concerning the purchase of a Royal De Luxe Stetson.

Further, photographs displayed to COP of Mayfield, Kentucky, Sheriff Graves County, Mayfield, Kentucky, and County Judge Graves County all advised they are unable to make an identification concerning JAMES EARL RAY.

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Ray Found In 200,000 Photo Search

OTTAWA (AP) — A dozen Canadian Mounties spent 19 nights scanning more than 200,000 passport applications to trace James Earl Ray.

The painstaking search by the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, which led to Ray's arrest in London last Saturday, began one week after the man charged with killing Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. left Canada May 6.

Ray's use of the names of four Toronto men helped him elude detection, live quietly in Toronto for nearly a month, then fly to Europe with a false birth certificate and passport under the name of Ramon George Sneyd. He obtained the passport April 25 and flew to London May 6.

An FBI photo of Ray was sent to officers at 131 Canadian points of entry on April 22. There has been no explanation of the delay to May 13 before the search started, or what led the Mounties to suspect the wanted man might have obtained a Canadian passport.

Ministry Permitted Search

After the Foreign Ministry gave permission for the search, the dozen Mounties, headed by a corporal began scanning thousands of applications made since late April 1967, when Ray escaped from prison in Missouri.

On June 1 a young constable matched the FBI photo of Ray with the passport photo submitted under the name Sneyd.

The application listed Ray's transient Toronto address and gave the name of a travel agency, which enabled authorities to find out quickly when Ray left the country. A week later, Scotland Yard arrested him in London as he was about to board a plane for Belgium.

Ray's features were similar to a dozen photos in the passport files, and a number of routine checks were made before Sneyd's file turned up.

The distinguishing features were the shape of Ray's chin, the set of his ears and his hairline. He had disguised himself slightly by wearing heavy-rim glasses and tightening his mouth.

Some Questions Still Unanswered

The Mounties are now trying to find how Ray assumed the names of the four Toronto men, how he got the passport and what connections he may have had in Canada.

Ray, during the past year, has used the names of four men living in the Toronto suburb, Scarborough Sneyd, a police constable; Eric St. Vincent Galt, a warehouse foreman; Paul Bridgeman, a teaching consultant; and John Willard, an insurance appraiser.

He began using Galt's name after a visit to Montreal last summer, and bought a car in the United States under the name of Eric Starvo Galt. Galt signed his name Eric St. V. Galt, with small circles instead of periods, and the police believe Ray saw the signature and misread it.

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Louisville Times

Louisville, Ky.

Date: 6/13/68
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Editor: Barry Bingham
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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOUISVILLE (44-947) (P) DATE: 6/13/68

FROM : SA THOMAS J. UTASKI

SUBJECT: MURKIN

OO: MEMPHIS
BUFILE 44-38861

Re memo of SA THOMAS J. UTASKI dated 5/9/68.

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SAC, LOUISVILLE (44-947) (P)
ATTENTION: CHARLES A. KINCAID

6/18/68

SA M. WESLEY SWEARINGEN

MURKIN

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6/5/68.

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in Kentucky except EARNIE in Monticello.

Results of the above interviews are being submitted
for the information of the Louisville Office.

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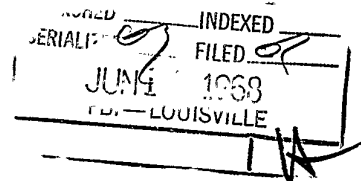
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INTENSIVE MANHUNT FOR RAY TERMINATES IN ENGLAND

It is fortunate that James Earl Ray, believed to have assassinated Dr. Martin Luther King, has been apprehended in London. The first steps have been taken to return him to the United States for trial.

It is expected that he will be tried for murder in the Tennessee courts in Memphis where the crime was committed.

It was the most intensive manhunt in history. Ray went under the alias of Galt. Then when his flight took him to Toronto, the former convict took the name of Sneyd.

It seems that the Royal Canadian Mounted Police were helpful in locating the matching fingerprints. Thousands of hours of police work in 50 states and a dozen foreign countries finally ended with the fugitive's arrest in London.

It is fortunate that the slayer has been caught and it will be an interesting trial. It is important to find out where Ray got the considerable sum of money with which to finance his extensive travels. It may be disclosed that the heinous crime was the result of a conspiracy.

(Indicate page, name of newspaper, city and state.)

Richmond
Daily Register
Richmond, Ky.

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AIR MAIL

TO: SAC, MEMPHIS (44-1987)

* FROM: SAC, LOUISVILLE (44-947) P

SUBJECT: MURKIN

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1. Number of Man Hours Spent on Case.

A. Special Agents

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2. Overtime 6 hours

Total 84 hours

B. Clerical employees 10 hours

2. Total Mileage Traveled by Bureau Cars 625

3. There were no unusual or out-of-the ordinary costs incurred by the Louisville Office.

4. Peak number of Special Agents Working On Case

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SAC, MEMPHIS (44-1987)

July 1, 1968

SAC, LOUISVILLE (44-947) (RUC)

MURKIN

There are enclosed herewith eight copies of FD-302 reflecting interview of C. M. BAYHI, Southern Greyhound Lines, Lexington, Kentucky, relative to the tracing of Greyhound Bus Ticket utilized from Knoxville, Tennessee, to El Paso, Texas. As indicated in previous correspondence, the original of this bus ticket is being retained in the 1-A envelope of the Louisville Office awaiting instructions from the Memphis Division as to appropriate disposition to be made thereof.

In view of the apprehension of JAMES EARL RAY and inasmuch as there appear to be no outstanding leads in this case and all stops have been removed, this case is being considered RUC.

2 - Memphis (Enc. 8)

① - Louisville

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Date 5/24/68

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C. M. BAYHI, Auditor, Southern Greyhound Lines, Lexington, Kentucky, advised that a search of their records at Southern Greyhound Headquarters at Lexington, revealed that ticket number 13 000 82239 42 was issued by Augusta Nichols, Dye number 3, Knoxville, Tennessee, their ticket agent at Knoxville, Tennessee. The ticket was issued on April 7, 1968, and was from Knoxville, Tennessee, to Los Angeles, California, via Memphis, Tennessee and El Paso, Texas. The amount of the ticket was \$70.35 and it indicates that there was baggage that was checked on this ticket.

Mr. BAYHI advised that this ticket was used on April 7, 1968, and the purchaser left Knoxville Tennessee, at 8:15 PM on April 7, 1968, in a bus and being driven by JESSE G. BROWN of Nashville, Tennessee. This bus arrived at Nashville, Tennessee, on April 8, 1968, at 12:25 AM. The same bus then left Nashville on April 8, 1968, at 1:30 AM after a little over an hour layover and arrived at Memphis, Tennessee, at 6:35 AM on April 8, 1968. The driver of this bus was BERNARD FORESTER who lives at Memphis, Tennessee.

Mr. BAYHI stated that the Southern Greyhound Lines would have been the carrier from Knoxville to Memphis, Tennessee, and the passage from Memphis to El Paso, would have been by Central Greyhound Lines, and from El Paso to Los Angeles by Western Greyhound Lines.

Mr. BAYHI furnished the above described Greyhound passenger ticket to the interviewing Agent.

On 5/20/68 at Lexington, Ky.

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by SA J. ROBERT SAFFELL/brs

Date dictated 5/20/68

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SAC, LOUISVILLE (44-947)

7/12/68

SAC, MEMPHIS (44-1987) (P)

MURKIN

Re Louisville letter to Memphis, 7/1/68.

Louisville is requested to return the original of the Southern Greyhound Bus Lines ticket to the appropriate official of the Southern Greyhound Lines at Lexington, Kentucky; however, maintain a Xerox copy of same in Louisville files in the event the Memphis Division desires any further action to be taken with this ticket at a later date.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOUISVILLE (44-947)

FROM : *R65*
QJH SAC, MEMPHIS (44-1987) (P)

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TO: ALL SACs

FROM: SAC, MEMPHIS (44-1987) (P)

SUBJECT: MURKIN

Re Bureau airtel to Memphis, 7/9/68.

The Bureau has requested that all divisions continue to submit monthly cost data until further notice.

In view of the above, all divisions are requested to comply with the Bureau's instructions, including offices who have negative cost data to report.

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Special Agent in Charge

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Special Agent in Charge

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P. O. Box 1467
Louisville, Kentucky 40201
July 25, 1968

Mr. C. M. Bayhi
Auditor,
Southern Greyhound Bus Lines
219 East Short Street
Lexington, Kentucky

Dear Mr. Bayhi:

Enclosed herewith is the original of Bus Ticket
Number 130008222942, which you turned over to Special
Agent J. Robert Saffell of this Bureau on May 20, 1968,
for possible evidentiary purposes.

Inasmuch as this ticket has now served its
purpose, it is being returned herewith.

May I express my sincere appreciation for your
cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely,

Palmer M. Baken, Jr.
Special Agent in Charge

44-947-358

RM

1-Addressee
1-Louisville (44-947)
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August 1, 1968

AIRTEL

AIR MAIL

TO: SAC, MEMPHIS (44-1987)

FROM: SAC, LOUISVILLE (44-947) P

SUBJECT: MURKIN

COST DATA:

The Louisville Office has no cost data to report
for the month of July.

2 - Memphis
1 - Louisville
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SAC, MEMPHIS (44-1987)

7/25/68

SAC, LOUISVILLE (44-947) (RUC) (P)

MURKIN

Re Memphis letter to Louisville, 7/12/68.

On 7/25/68, the original of Southern Greyhound Bus Ticket Number 130008222942 was returned to Mr. C. M. BAYHI, Southern Greyhound Bus Company, Lexington, Kentucky.

~~Inasmuch as there appears no further investigation to be conducted in the Louisville territory, this case is being RUC'd.~~

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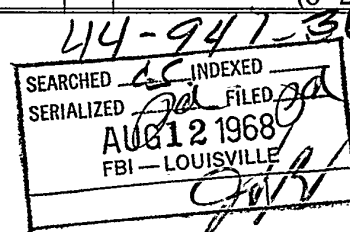
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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

Date 8-2-68

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George William Tyree, Jr. 20 L 1 U OIO 16 S 1 U OOO	4, 714, 268	3337	3780			Federal process dismissed. (8-2-68)
Don Ferris McCall, Jr. 21 M 1 U 15 L 3 Wr	327, 089 B	3338	4092			Located Northridge, Calif., 7-17-68. (8-2-68)
James Earl Ray ✓ 16 M 9 U OOO 12 M 4 W IOI	405, 942 G	3339	4182	442 442A		Extradited London, England to Memphis, Tenn., 7-19-68.
John Michael Walton 17 I 30 W OMI I 32 W IOI	356, 640 E	3340	4200			Located Lowndes Co., Alabama, 8-2-68. (8-2-68)
Robert Vance Walton 14 M 13 U OOM 12 Ref: 13 I 25 U OOO 26	361, 075 E	3341	4201			Located Lowndes Co., Alabama, 8-2-68. (8-2-68)
James Joseph Scully 2 M 21 W 19 Ref: 21 I 17 Ra 19	1, 170, 115	3342	4202			Located Arcadia, Calif., 7-23-68. (8-2-68)
Jimmie Johnson 20 L 1 Ut 6 Ref: U M 1 U T	11, 215 F	3343	4203			Located St. Louis, Missouri, 7-15-68. (8-2-68)



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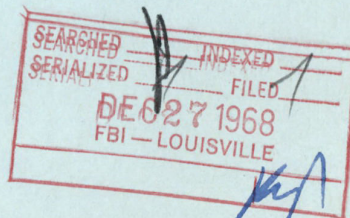
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)

FROM: SAC, LOUISVILLE (44-947) (RUC) *fyf*

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Re Louisville airtel dated 4/16/68, no copy WFO, enclosing for Bureau and Memphis copies of FD-302s recording information furnished on 4/15/68 and 4/16/68 by Mrs. JASPER D. WARD as to her knowledge of events occurring at the Lorraine Motel, Memphis, Tennessee, on 4/4/68, when Dr. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. was murdered.

It is to be noted that Mrs. WARD is a liaison source of the Louisville Division and during a contact with her on 2/4/69, among other information she furnished, she advised as follows:

She has recently learned from a source, whose identity she is not at liberty to disclose but who she considers reliable, that reportedly JAMES R. CORTEZ was in Memphis, Tennessee, the night Dr. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. was killed. Supposedly, CORTEZ, in the company of two other persons, identities not known to Mrs. WARD, flew to Memphis, Tennessee,

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from Washington, D. C., in connection with the garbage strike turmoil. The three individuals may have arrived in Memphis several days before 4/4/68, and supposedly were part of the "militants" rather than Dr. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.'s peaceful protesters.

Mrs. WARD commented her source, in telling her of the above, inferred the source may feel the reported presence of CORTEZ in Memphis, Tennessee, on the date Dr. KING, JR. was killed may in some way be connected with the recent published statement of Reverend JAMES BEVEL that BEVEL has information to the effect that Dr. KING, JR. was not murdered by JAMES EARL RAY. Mrs. WARD stated, however, that she feels this is pure speculation on her source's part.

For information of Memphis, it is noted that JAMES R. CORTEZ is currently a very controversial figure in Louisville, Kentucky. He has been in jail in Louisville since 6/1/68 under a variety of charges. CORTEZ came to Louisville from Washington, D. C., on 5/25/68, and was a leading speaker at a Negro rally in the West End of Louisville on 5/27/68, after which rioting and looting erupted, in Louisville, and continued for the next several days. CORTEZ has received much news publicity since being in Louisville and is of considerable interest to local authorities as he was the only reported "outsider" who had any leading part in events leading up to the Louisville disorders.

For the further information of Memphis, it is noted that the Washington Field Office has advised Louisville that on 4/10/68, CORTEZ voluntarily contacted Washington Field claiming to be an acquaintance of STOKELY CARMICHAEL and affiliated with the Student Non-violent Coordinating Committee (SNCC) and volunteering to furnish information to Washington Field for a price. Thereafter, on several occasions, CORTEZ did

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furnish Washington Field information but CORTEZ did not advise Washington Field of his plan to come to Louisville in May of 1968, and CORTEZ made no contact with Louisville FBI upon his arrival in Louisville.

LEADS:

THE WASHINGTON FIELD OFFICE:

AT WASHINGTON, D. C.

Will advise Louisville and Memphis whether or not Washington Field is in possession of any information indicating CORTEZ was in Memphis, Tennessee, around the time of the murder of Dr. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. If so, furnish Louisville complete information regarding CORTEZ' reported activities there, together with whether or not such information could be disseminated to reliable local authorities in the event inquiry may be received from them concerning this report.

THE MEMPHIS DIVISION:

AT MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE.

Will conduct same investigation at Memphis as requested of Washington Field.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-1987)

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Review of WFO files concerning JAMES R. CORTEZ reveals no information to the effect that CORTEZ was in Memphis, Tennessee, at the time of the murder of Dr. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. CORTEZ telephonically contacted the WFO 4/10/68 and volunteered his assistance concerning STOKELY CARMICHAEL and the Student Non-Violent Coordinating Committee (SNCC).

CORTEZ stated he arrived in WDC on Friday, 4/5/68, after having called STOKELY CARMICHAEL earlier that week from Kansas City, Kansas, where he (CORTEZ) was living (address not indicated). CORTEZ indicated previous employment at Allis-Chalmers, Independence, Missouri, and indicated that he had an extensive arrest record. He described himself as a petty thief who had been released from Leavenworth Penitentiary on 6/16/67. CORTEZ's FBI record (FBI number 4-395-670) indicates that in 1968 he resided at 1706 East 35th Street, Kansas City, Missouri. His occupation was listed as a bricklayer.

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In view of the above, no additional investigation is being conducted by WFO

Leads at Kansas City concerning verification of CORTEZ's presence within the Kansas City area is being left to the discretion of the OO.

Information copy of this communication is being furnished to Louisville in view of their interest in this case.

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Ray Pleads Guilty and Gets 99 Years in Slaying of Dr. King

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Louisville Times

Louisville, Ky.

MEMPHIS, Tenn. (AP)—James Earl Ray today pleaded guilty of murdering Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. and was sentenced to 99 years in the Tennessee State Penitentiary.

Ray, in pleading guilty, told the court he wanted to add a statement that he did not agree with "the theory there was no conspiracy" in the killing of the Negro civil-rights leader last year.

"You have pleaded guilty to first-degree murder and it is the judgment of the court that you be confined for 99 years in the state penitentiary," Criminal Court Judge Preston Battle intoned at 12:12 p.m.

Ray could be eligible for parole in 33 years.

The state had previously said it would ask the death penalty for Ray. The state's electric chair has not been used since 1961.

The entire proceeding, from original guilty plea to setting of the sentence by the jury, lasted less than 3½ hours.

A minute before the judge passed sentence, Ray sat quietly in a checked blue sport coat and dark pants as the judge asked the jurors if they still agreed to a state-defense arrangement that Ray plead guilty and accept the sentence.

All 12 raised their right hands in assent.

The judge then thanked the jurors and all others who had helped in the case. He repeated defense and prosecution con-

tentions that there was no evidence of a conspiracy in Dr. King's slaying.

Should any such evidence arise, the judge made it clear, the state will prosecute.

"I've never had hopes of anything except . . . to save this man's life," said Ray's lawyer, Percy Foreman, of Houston, Tex. "It took me months to prove to myself . . . that it was not a conspiracy."

Five witnesses then testified to the actual fact of Mr. King's slaying, at the Lorraine Motel here April 4, 1968. This is necessary under Tennessee law in a case where the death penalty could be involved.

The jury was chosen from a venire picked two weeks ago, but the jurors themselves had no idea, a court spokesman said, that they would be assigned to the Ray case until court began this morning.

Before the jury entered the courtroom, Judge Battle questioned Ray at length about his decision to plead guilty.

Questioned by Judge

Here is the exchange between the judge and the prisoner:

"Has your lawyer explained all your rights to you?" the judge asked. These rights include, Battle said, the right of

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trial by jury, with penalties on conviction ranging from 20 years to death, with various appeals possible. "Do you understand these?"

"Yes, sir," Ray replied.

"Is this what you want to do?" the judge asked.

"Yes, I think so."

The judge then explained that a guilty plea means that Ray waives his right to appeal any pre-trial rulings which have gone against him. "Do you understand this?"

"Yes, sir."

Q. Has anything else been promised to you besides the 99-year sentence to induce you to plead guilty?

A. No.

Q. Has any pressure been put on you to induce you to enter a plea of guilty?

A. No.

Q. Are you pleading guilty because you killed Dr. Martin Luther King in such a manner that you would be found guilty of first-degree murder under the laws of this state?

A. Yes, I'm pleading guilty.

Soon thereafter, the jury was brought into the courtroom. Dist. Atty. Gen. Philip Canale and Foreman then made their usual opening statements to the jury, both of them alluding to the official theory that there was no conspiracy.

At this point, Ray stood up and said, "I don't want to change things. I just want to add something. I don't agree with the theory that there was no conspiracy."

Attorney Breaks In

At this point, Foreman interrupted Ray to say that Ray was pleading guilty to first-degree murder, "not to anything about a conspiracy."

"Will this change any of the answers

you gave me previously?" the judge asked.

"No sir," Ray replied.

"I want to ask you again if you are pleading guilty that you killed Martin Luther King under circumstances under which you could be found guilty of first-degree murder under the laws of this state?"

"Yes, sir."

At that point, testimony began simply to establish the fact that Dr. King was killed. Five witnesses were called, in this order:

✓ The Rev. Samuel B. Kyles, a Memphis Baptist minister with whom Dr. King was to have had supper on the night of his death.

✓ Chauncey Eskridge, of Chicago, a lawyer and close friend of the civil rights leader.

✓ Dr. Jerry Francisco, the Shelby County coroner, who discussed the single rifle wound which Dr. King received.

✓ Inspector N. E. Zachary, chief Memphis homicide officer.

✓ Robert Jensen, in charge of the Memphis FBI office.

Ray's voice, as he answered the judge's questions, was barely audible and somewhat quavering.

Today was his 41st birthday.

Two of the jurors are Negroes and all are men. The same jury has been on duty since it was empaneled on other cases in Battle's court.

About 30 spectators were in the courtroom, five of them Negroes. The news-men's section, which holds about 40, was filled.

In Atlanta, the Rev. Martin Luther

King, Sr., father of the slain civil rights leader, said he had no comment on Ray's plea. Mrs. Martin Luther King Jr., widow of the slain man, was reported to be out of the city and not immediately available.

Ray, an escapee from the Missouri State Penitentiary, was arrested in London last June 8, two months and four days after Dr. King was killed.

Ray was returned to Memphis in July after lengthy extradition proceedings and since then has been held under extraordinary security precautions in an air-conditioned and TV-monitored cell block of the Shelby County jail.

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Was Ray Dr. King's Paid Assassin?

James Earl Ray's plea of guilty in the assassination of Dr. Martin Luther King does not, unfortunately, close the book on this case.

It eliminates the agony of a long and costly trial. It results in a practically maximum sentence for the accused—a 99-year term which cannot be considered for parole before 30 years have passed and Ray is 71 years old.

It does not, however, erase the suspicion that Ray shot Dr. King for money, that he was the agency of a racist conspiracy. Ray himself refused to accept the statements of his own counsel, Percy Foreman, and the Memphis prosecutor, P. M. Canale, that he acted on his own. After he pleaded guilty, and after the opening statements by defense and prosecution, the defendant told Judge Preston W. Battle: "I don't want to change things. I just want to add something. I don't agree with the theory that there was no conspiracy."

Both trial attorneys agreed that they had no evidence of a conspiracy to introduce at the trial. Former U.S. Attorney General Ramsey Clark and FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover both have said that hundreds of investigators who worked on the case in the United States, Mexico, Canada



James Earl Ray

and Europe found no evidence of a conspiracy. There is evidence that Ray is intensely prejudiced against Negroes.

However it is hard to believe that a man who had escaped from the Missouri State Penitentiary, and who is alleged to have supported himself apparently rather well by smuggling operations in Mexico and Canada,

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would have suddenly plotted an ideological assassination that would make him the object of an international search. Money, illegally obtained, seems to have been more of an obsession of Ray's than any dedication to principle, misguided or otherwise.

It may be that Ray's smuggling and robberies during his year of freedom were profitable enough to finance his Memphis misadventure, and his subsequent flight—ultimately to England. It may be that through some distorted logic he thought that by killing Dr. King he could redeem himself. It may be, but it seems improbable.

Ray's curious statement in court may have been a deliberate attempt to fan the conspiracy idea—but if so, to what purpose? He was aware already that he faced a virtual lifetime in prison—barring another escape. And if he expected further help or reward from the conspirators, why did he raise the issue?

He may decide to talk. The Justice Department has said investigation of a possible conspiracy "is still open." Any scrap of information that Ray provides can and certainly will be minutely examined.

Today the case remains clouded.

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Death Penalty Wanted For King's Slayer; Call 99 Years 'Too Light'

By Lester Pope
Defender News Editor

Louisville area blacks seem disgruntled with the 99-year sentence given James Earl Ray for the assassination of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr., and most of those we interviewed seem convinced that the assassination was a conspiracy.

Our street poll was conducted in and around 28th and Greenwood where we talked to several area residents about the slaying. Many of those interviewed did not wish to give their names.

"Anybody with common sense can see that it was a conspiracy--it's a white man's program--it's a government conspiracy," said

L. C. Robinson, who was dining in the Little Palace Restaurant at the time of the interview.

A young man also in the restaurant refused to give his name but said: "They should have killed him. And he said himself that there was a conspiracy."

Another man said that "he's a damn white racist murderer. Damn right, he should have got the chair. And if the government wasn't racist itself, it'd catch the rest of them involved in this thing."

Mrs. Charles Weathers commented: "No, I don't think his sentence was strong enough. I think they should give him what he gave--death. Certainly, I believe there was a conspiracy. There's

no way in the world that that man could get that far away without money, and he didn't have it himself. He had help. Now, I've got prejudice in me because of the way I have been treated by the white man. I can't really see why the white man should hate Negroes; it should be the blacks that hate the whites."

"They should give it to him good. He killed a good man, and sure ain't no good himself. I bet he didn't do it by himself. There was a lot of them involved in that killing, and they should get it too. They sure shouldn't let him off without killing him like he killed Dr. King, and they should do the same for the rest of them," said another who refused to give his name.

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"I know there was a lot of whites who wanted to kill Dr. King. I got a neighbor who said he got just what he deserved. In a sense it wasn't just this Ray fellow that killed Dr. King. It was all them prejudiced whites that killed him. But he went down fighting for

peace, so maybe they should let this Ray live.

Dr. King wouldn't have wanted him killed. I just don't know," said an elderly woman who refused to give her name for publication.

Reginald Starnes, a resident of Detroit who was visiting Louisville said:

"I think it was a conspiracy, but I don't believe in capital punishment. I think the sentence they gave Ray was a reasonable one."

"Hell no, they should kill him," was all one man would comment.

Miss Laura Weathers told us: "I don't believe in the death penalty, but I believe Ray should get hard labor. There should be an investigation to find out about this conspiracy."

Another woman said that she felt the death sentence "would let him off too easily. He should be put in solitary confinement."

Ray's lawyer, Percy Foreman, requested a hearing this past Monday at which time Ray pleaded guilty, a jury was called, and a three-hour trial was held at the end of which Ray was sentenced by Judge W. Preston Battle to 99 years in prison. The trial was held on Ray's 41st birthday; the 99-year sentence means he will not be eligible for parole until he

Both the prosecutor Phil M. Canale and defense attorney Foreman said they did not believe the assassination was part of a conspiracy, but Ray stood up during the trial and said that he did not agree with this official opinion that no conspiracy was involved.

Canale said that he felt that racial hatred was the motive for Ray's slaying of Dr. King last April 4.

Mrs. Coretta Scott King, the widow of Dr. King, said: "This plea of guilty cannot be allowed to close the case or to end the search for the many fingers which helped pull the trigger."

The all-male jury was composed of two blacks and 10 whites.

Ray was taken Tuesday to the Tennessee State Penitentiary at Nashville.

The prosecutor told newsmen that he had consulted with local Negro leaders and Mrs. King before agreeing to accept the 99-year sentence. He said that Mrs. King and other members of the Southern Christian Leadership Conference, which Dr. King had headed, had said that they did not wish Ray or anyone else found guilty of a crime executed.

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Mr. DON M. STRICKLAND, Manager, Holiday Inn, Highway 72 West, Corinth, Mississippi, made available the motel registration records for the period March 29, 1968, through April 3, 1968. The following individuals were registered during this period:

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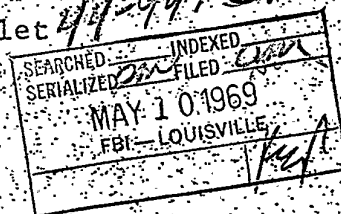
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