

QQFBI MEMPHIS

FBI BOSTON

10:00 AM URGENT 4/10/68 1P NTY
TO DIRECTOR, SACS BIRMINGHAM AND MEMPHIS
FROM SAC BOSTON 157-644 P

MURKIN. CR. 00:MEMPHIS.

RE NEW HAVEN TELETYPE TO DIRECTOR AND BOSTON TELETYPE TO
DIRECTOR APRIL EIGHT LAST.

JOHN TORRES, BRAYTON AVENUE, SOMERSET, MASSACHUSETTS,
OWNER, NU-BRITE CLEANSERS AND DYERS, ONE FIVE SEVEN BRIGHTMAN
STREET, FALL RIVER, MASSACHUSETTS, OBSERVED COLOR PHOTOGRAPH OF
LAUNDRY MARK AND ADVISED HE HAD NEVER USED THIS CODE. IN HIS
LIMITED USE OF THERMO SEAL MACHINE, TORRES CODED FIRST LETTER OF
DAY OF WEEK (OR TU FOR THURSDAY), FOLLOWED BY BUNDLE NUMBER
IN NUMERICAL ORDER. HE DOES NOT KNOW ANY OTHER SPECIFIC LAUNDRY
USING THERMOSEAL MARKING.

AIRMAIL COPY TO NEW HAVEN.

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TO ALL CONTINENTAL OFFICES

FROM DIRECTOR 44-38861 1P

MURKIN OO: MEMPHIS.

RE: SUSPECT ERIC STARVO GALT

IMMEDIATELY CHECK YOUR INDICIES, ALL STATE SELECTIVE SERVICE HEADQUARTERS, CITY AND TELEPHONE DIRECTORIES, DRIVERS LICENSE BUREAUS, MOTOR VEHICLE DIVISIONS, FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS, CONDUCT CREDIT AND CRIMINAL CHECK AND CONTACT OTHER LOGICAL SOURCES TO OBTAIN ANY INFORMATION WHATSOEVER RE SUSPECT GALT. DRIVERS LICENSE ISSUED IN ALABAMA DESCRIBES GALT AS WHITE MALE, BORN [REDACTED] [REDACTED] FIVE FEET ELEVEN INCHES, ONE HUNDRED SEVENTY-FIVE POUNDS, BLUE EYES, BROWN HAIR.

THIS MUST BE GIVEN TOP PRIORITY AND ALL LEADS MUST BE COVERED BY TELETYPE TO THOROUGHLY RESOLVE. NO INDICATION TO BE GIVEN THAT THIS LEAD IS IN CONJUNCTION WITH MURKIN CASE.

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TO MEMPHIS

FROM RICHMOND

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WILLIAM HACKNEY, FIFTEEN HUNDRED STARBROOK DRIVE, CHARLOTTE, NORTH CAROLINA, TELEPHONE, FIVE TWO FIVE DASH THREE NAUGHT NINE FOUR, PASSING THROUGH RICHMOND, VIRGINIA ADVISED HAD JUST SEEN ARTIST CONCEPTION OF UNSUB. AND BELIEVES INDIVIDUAL ANSWERING THIS DESCRIPTION SEEN BY HIM LAST FRIDAY, APRIL FIVE LAST.

HACKNEY SAW INDIVIDUAL ON EASTERN AIRLINE FLIGHT LEAVING ATLANTA, GEORGIA TEN THIRTY AM, ARRIVING CHARLOTTE, NORTH CAROLINA JUST BEFORE NOON. INDIVIDUAL SITTING ON AISLE EIGHT TO TEN SEATS FROM FRONT OF TOURIST SECTION PORT SIDE. DESCRIBED, WM AT LEAST SIX FEET, PERHAPS SIX FEET TWO INCHES, SLENDER BUILD, FAIR COMPLEXION, BLACK HAIR COMBED TO RIGHT, WEARING EXPENSIVE LIGHT BROWN SUIT WITH NARROW WHITE STRIPE AND EXPENSIVE BROWN SHOES. HANDS WELL MANICURED. INDIVIDUAL OBVIOUSLY TRAVELING ALONE. APPARENTLY JOINED FLIGHT AT ATLANTA AND DEPARTED CHARLOTTE. ONLY DISCREPENCY HACKNEY NOTED BETWEEN ARTIST CONCEPTION AND INDIVIDUAL WAS UNSUB APPARENTLY HAS BULBOUS NOSE WHEREAS INDIVIDUAL HAD SHARP POINTED NOSE. INDIVIDUAL IN LATE TWENTIES.

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IN VIEW OF EXTENSIVE INVESTIGATION REQUIRED TO ELIMINATE THIS SUSPECT, BEING LEFT TO DISCRETION OF OFFICE OF ORIGIN AS TO WHETHER OF NOT LEAD SHOULD BE SET OUT TO ATTEMPT TO LOCATE INDIVIDUAL DESCRIBED BY HACKNEY.

HACKNEY REQUESTED THAT ANY CONTACT WITH HIS RESIDENCE BE DONE DISCRETELY AS HIS WIFE IS RECOVERING FROM SERIOUS CANCER OPERATION.

MAIL COPIES SENT ATLANTA AND CHARLOTTE.

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FBI CHICAGO

1117 AM URGENT 4-10-68 MLE

TO DIRECTOR (44-38861), MEMPHIS (44-1987) AND ALBANY
FROM CHICAGO (44-1114) 1P

MURKIN.

REBUTEL ALL CONTINENTAL OFFICES APRIL NINE SIXTY EIGHT.

LAUNDRY MARK INQUIRY CHICAGO INDICATES TAPE USED IN
THERMO SEAL MARKING MACHINE MANUFACTURED BY TEXTILE MARKING
MACHINE COMPANY, SYRACUSE, NEW YORK, AND DISTRIBUTED
BY LIMITED NUMBER OF COMPANIES IN COUNTRY. DISTRIBUTORS
MAINTAIN INVENTORIES BY COLOR OF TAPE AND CAN FURNISH
NAMES OF LAUNDRIES ONE QUARTER INCH RED TAPE SOLD TO IN
PAST. TO FACILITATE INQUIRY, ALBANY AT SYRACUSE OBTAIN
FROM TEXTILE LIST OF DISTRIBUTORS OF ONE QUARTER INCH TAPE
AND ADVISE PERTINENT OFFICES. BUREAU REQUESTED TO FORWARD
PHOTOS OF TAPE TO ALBANY AND CHICAGO.

ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

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FBI MOBILE

12:41PM URGENT 4/10/68 LDM

TO DIRECTOR, MEMPHIS, AND JACKSON (157-9586)
FROM MOBILE (157-2627)

MURKIN.

RE JACKSON TELETYPE TO DIRECTOR, MOBILE, MEMPHIS,
FOUR NINE SIXTY EIGHT.

MR. ROBERT BERNEY, ONE FOUR ONE TWO, DAUPHIN, MOBILE,
ALABAMA, ADVISED THIS DATE, THAT MR. JOHN D. WILLARD WAS
EMPLOYED BY HIM FOR APPROXIMATELY TWO AND ONE HALF YEARS PRIOR
TO MARCH SIXTY SEVEN, AT WHICH TIME WILLARD LEFT MOBILE.

BERNEY STATED HE RECEIVED A LETTER FROM WILLARD, JANUARY
SIXTY EIGHT, ADVISING WILLARD, PRESENTLY EMPLOYED ROSENBLATT
AND SON, INC., NAVAL ARCHITECTS, MARINE ENGINEERS, SEVEN
ZERO SEVEN BROADWAY, SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA.

AS MOBILE NOT FURNISHED BACKGROUND INFORMATION, JACKSON
REQUESTED TO SET OUT LEAD TO SAN DIEGO. P.

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FBI ST LOUIS

1250PM URGENT 4-10-68 DCJ

TO: DIRECTOR, MEMPHIS AND BIRMINGHAM

FROM: ST. LOUIS (44-775)

MURKIN CR. OO MEMPHIS.

RE SUSPECT ERIC STARVO GALT

RE BIRMINGHAM TEL TO BUREAU, APRIL NINE, LAST, AND BUREAU
TEL TO ALL CONTINENTAL OFFICES, APRIL TEN INSTANT.

WILLIAM WALTER CORTOR, FORMER SL NINE SIX NINE DASH S,
WHO WORKED ON U.S. INLAND BARGES, THIRTYNINE TO SIXTYTHREE,
ADVISED INSTANT DATE THAT AMERICAN SEAMEN WORKING ON BARGES
NEVER REFER TO THEMSELVES AS "BARGERS". HE STATED THIS TERM
IS USED BY EUROPEANS WHO WORK ON BARGER.

IN VIEW OF ABOVE, AND POSSIBLE FOREIGN ORIGIN OF NAMES
KARL AND ERIC STARVO GALT, IT IS SUGGESTED, IF NOT ALREADY DONE
ALL INS RECORDS BE INCLUDED IN THIS NAME SEARCH. P
END CORR TEXT LINE EIGHT, WORD EIGHT SHLD BE BARGES.

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1:01 PM URGENT 4/10/68 HEH
TO BIRMINGHAM AND MEMPHIS
FROM LITTLE ROCK (157-1215) 2P

MURKIN.

RE BIRMINGHAM TELETYPE TO BUREAU, LITTLE ROCK AND
MEMPHIS, APRIL NINE LAST, BIRMINGHAM FILE FORTY-FOUR DASH
ONE SEVEN FOUR ZERO, RE MUSTANG WITH NINETEEN SIXTY-SEVEN
ARKANSAS LICENSE TWO DASH TWO ONE FOUR FOUR NINE, LICENSE
REGISTERED TO RICHARD RUSSELL, THIRTEEN AVALON, PINE BLUFF,
ARKANSAS, FOR NINETEEN SIXTY-SIX FORD MUSTANG.

RICHARD TALBERT RUSSELL, WHITE MALE, AGED TWENTY-TWO,
LOCATED VISITING MOTHER AT TWO THREEE ZERO ONE WEST THIRTY-
FOURTH, APARTMENT ELEVEN, PINE BLUFF, ADVISED AS FOLLOWS:

PURCHASED NINETEEN SIXTY-SIX MUSTANG TWO-DOOR, WHITE
HARDTOP, SIX CYLINDER, FROM LEWIS BOGGUS MOTOR, INC., POST
OFFICE BOX ONE FIVE EIGHT ZERO, CORPUS CHRISTI, TEXAS, JUNE
ELEVEN, NINETEEN SIXTY-SEVEN, FINANCED THROUGH MERCANTILE
NATIONAL BANK, CORPUS CHRISTI. TRADED MUSTANG APRIL FOUR
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LAST TO WOOD CHEVROLET, BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA. SALESMAN
HANDLING TRADE WAYNE LAGLE. MUSTANG STILL HAS NINETEEN
SIXTY-SIX TEXAS LICENSE H P C TWO SEVEN FIVE ON FRONT.

RUSSELL EMPLOYED WIRE MILL, U. S. STEEL, BIRMINGHAM,
ALABAMA, RESIDES TWO ONE SEVEN TWELFTH STREET SOUTH,
APARTMENT TWO A, BESSEMER, ALABAMA. TITLE TO MUSTANG HELD
BY MERCANTILE NATIONAL BANK. RUSSEL MADE TRIP TO PINE
BLUFF TO OBTAIN PURCHASE ORDER ON MUSTANG TO DELIVER TO
WOOD CHEVROLET AND WILL RETURN TO BIRMINGHAM WITHIN NEXT
TWO DAYS.

RUSSELL HAS NO PAPERS WITH VIN NUMBER OF MUSTANG.

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FBI ATLANTA

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URGENT 4/10/68 VSC

TO DIRECTOR, JACKSONVILLE, MEMPHIS AND TAMPA
FROM ATLANTA 44-2386 1P

MURKIN. CR. 00: MEMPHIS

RE. TELETYPE FROM DIRECTOR, APR. NINE, LAST.

INQUIRY, ALBANY, GEORGIA, REFLECTS THERMOSEAL
MARKING MACHINE MANUFACTURED BY TEXTILE MARKING
MACHINE COMPANY, SYRACUSE, NEW YORK, SOLD SOUTHEAST
AREA BY DICK BRISTOW, THERMOSEAL MARKING MACHINE COMPANY,
GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA. HE SHOULD HAVE LISTING FOR ALL
LAUNDRIES PURCHASING THIS MACHINE SOUTHEAST AREA.

JACKSONVILLE AT GAINESVILLE, FLA. IMMEDIATELY
CONTACT BRISTOW FOR LIST OF CUSTOMERS HAVING THIS
MACHINE AND SET OUT LEADS. P

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TO DIRECTOR, MEMPHIS AND CHARLOTTE
FROM ATLANTA 44-2386

MURKIN. CR. OO: MEMPHIS

RE TELETYPE FROM DIRECTOR, APR. EIGHT, LAST.

CREDIT BUREAU, ALBANY, GEORGIA, HAS ONE NAME
PHONETICALLY CORRESPONDING WITH LOWMEYER. RECORDS
REFLECT ONE CAPT. DONALD L. LOWMEIER, MARINE CORPS
SN [REDACTED] IN NINETEEN SIXTYSEVEN,
WAS RESIDING SIXTEEN VANDERGRIFT, JACKSONVILLE, NORTH
CAROLINA, PREVIOUSLY IN VIETNAM AND PREVIOUSLY RESIDING,
ALBANY, GA. WIFE 'S NAME, HELEN. NO OTHER IDENTIFYING
DATA.

CHARLOTTE AT JACKSONVILLE, N. C. APPROPRIATELY
CHECK OUT CAPT. LOWMEIER. P

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132 PM URGENT 4-10-68 JGA

TO DIRECTOR, MEMPHIS, JACKSONVILLE, ATLANTA, MOBILE,
LITTLE ROCK, JACKSON, NEW ORLEANS
FROM BIRMINGHAM 44-1740

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MURKIN

ERIC STARVO GALT IS SUSPECT THIS CASE AND PREVIOUSLY RESIDED AT
TWO SIX ZERO EIGHT HIGHLAND AVENUE, BIRMINGHAM, ALA. HE IS
DESCRIBED AS WHITE MALE, BORN [REDACTED] FIVE FEET
ELEVEN INCHES, ONE SEVEN FIVE POUNDS, BLUE EYES, BROWN HAIR.
IN BIRMINGHAM HE PURCHASED SIXTYSIX WHITE MUSTANG, VIN SIX T ZERO
SEVEN C ONE NINE ZERO SIX FOUR SEVEN, WHICH WAS LAST KNOWN TO BEAR
SIXTYEIGHT ALABAMA LICENSE ONE DASH THREE EIGHT NINE NINE THREE.

ALL OFFICES CHECK DMV RE POSSIBLE REREGISTRATION OF THIS CAR
AND SET OUT APPROPRIATE LEADS.

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157PM URGENT 4-10-68 MLC

TO MEMPHIS (44-1987)

FROM INDIANAPOLIS (44-563)

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MURKIN, CIVIL RIGHTS

REURTEL APR. NINE LAST.

GERALD J. ROONEY IS RCA PERSONNEL MANAGER AND HAS BEEN
TRANSFERRED TO MEMPHIS PLANT, RCA. HANDLE.

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211 PM 4/10/68 URGENT CLV 3P

TO: DIRECTOT, MEMPHIS, AND LOS ANGELES
FROM: SACRAMENTO (100-427) (P)

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MURKIN. CR

RE BUREAU TELETYPE, APRIL NINE, LAST, SIX ELEVEN P.M.

MRS. LEONARD JACOBSEN, CO-OWNER, SIERRA LAUNDERERS AND CLEANERS,
FOUR ZERO SEVEN NORTH WASHINGTON, SONORA, CALIFORNIA, FURNISHED THE
FOLLOWING INFORMATION ON APRIL TEN, INSTANT:

HER LAUNDRY USES A THERMO SEAL MARKING MACHINE, AS DESCRIBED
IN REFERENCED TELETYPE. THE TAG USED IS ONE AND ONE-TENTH INCHES
LONG BY FIVE-SIXTEENTH INCHES WIDE, WHICH CAN BE REDUCED BY
LAUNDERING TO ONE-FOURTH INCH WIDE. RED TAPE IS USED BY THIS LAUNDRY
TO DESIGNATE SPECIAL SERVICE, ALTHOUGH THEY USE OTHER COLORED TAPES.
THE FIRST LETTER, INDICATED AS O OR D IN REFERENCED TELETYPE, SINCE
ILLEGIBLE, COULD FEASIBLY HAVE BEEN MO FOR MONDAY, SINCE HER
LAUNDRY, AS WELL AS OTHERS, USES THE FIRST TWO LETTERS OF THE DAY OF
THE WEEK AS THEIR INITIAL CODE. THEREFORE, HER LAUNDRY NO LONGER
USES A NUMBER AS THE SECOND CHARACTER. THE THIRD CHARACTER, 3 IN

REFERENCED TELETYPE, WOULD DESIGNATE THE WEEK OF THE SEARCHER, BASED ON
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A FIFTYTWO WEEK YEAR; HOWEVER, THE YEAR WOULD NOT NECESSARILY START IN JANUARY. THE FINAL NUMERAL WOULD PARTICULARLY IDENTIFY THE CUSTOMER. MRS. JACOBSEN ADVISED THAT FOR A SHORT PERIOD OF TIME DURING THE PAST, AN OLD TIME EMPLOYEE WAS AT THE LAUNDRY, AND USED A SEPARTE CODING SYSTEM; HOWEVER, SYSTEMATIC SEARCH FAILED TO LOCATE A CUSTOMER CODE SIMILAR TO THAT DESCRIBED IN REFERENCED TELETYPE.

MRS. JACOBSEN ADVISED THAT HER MACHINE IS AN OLD STYLE MACHINE, WITH THE FOLLOWING UNUSUAL CHARACTERISTICS: THE FIRST THREE CHARACTERS OF THE CODE ARE CONSIDERABLY SMALLER THAN THE FINAL CODE DIGIT, SIX AS DESCRIBED IN REFERENCED TELETYPE. THE SIX REACHES FROM TOP TO BOTTOM ON THE TAPE. THE DASH BETWEEN THE B AND THE SIX, AS DESCRIBED IN REFERENCED TELETYPE, IS A DOUBLE DASH, COMPARABLE TO AN EQUAL SIGN, LEVEL WITH THE TOP AND BOTTOM OF THE FIRST THREE CHARACTERS. ON EACH END OF THE TAPE A HALF CIRCLE OR SEMI-CIRCLE HAS BEEN CUT IN THE CENTER OF THE TAPE BY THE MACHINE.

MRS. JACOBSEN ADVISED THAT ALL THERMO SEAL MACHINES IN THE WESTERN UNITED STATES ARE SERVICED BY A SINGLE INDIVIDUAL, ONE BOB CHESTNUT, TEXTILE MARKING COMPANY, LOS ANGELES, CLAIFORNIA, EXACT
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ADDRESS UNKNOWN. SHE ADVISED THAT CHESTNUT HAS ACCOMPLISHED CONSIDERABLE CONVERSION WORK ON THE VARIOUS MACHINES THROUGHOUT THE WESTERN UNITED STATES, AND WOULD BE ABLE TO NARROW THE SEARCH CONSIDERABLY IF THE TAPE IN QUESTION COULD BE COMPLETELY DESCRIBED.

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BUREAU AND/ OR MEMPHIS REQUESTED TO FURNISH ADDITIONAL COMPREHENSIVE DETAILS REGARDING MARKING, POSITION OF CHARACTERS, ETC., AS INDICATED ABOVE, TO SACRAMENTO, TO COMPLETELY AND POSITIVELY ELIMINATE THE ABOVE LAUNDRY, AND TO LOS ANGELES FOR DISCUSSION WITH BOB CHESTNUT.

LOS ANGELES IMMEDIATELY ATTEMPT TO LOCATE AND INTERVIEW BOB CHESTNUT.

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FBI KAN CITY

230 PM URGENT 4/10/68 PHM

TO DIRECTOR, CHICAGO, CLEVELAND, JACKSONVILLE, LOS ANGELES,
MEMPHIS, NEW YORK, RICHMOND, SAN FRANCISCO
FROM KANSAS CITY 44-760 4P

MURKIN

REBUTEL TO ALL CONTINENTAL OFFICES, APRIL NINE LAST.
ALVIE A. DAVIS, MIDWEST FACTORY REPRESENTATIVE FOR THERMO
SEAL MARKING MACHINE CO., SYRACUSE, N.Y., ADVISED THIS
DATE THAT THE TAPE DESCRIBED IN REFERENCED TELETYPE WOULD HAVE
HAD TO COME FROM A FIVE-CHARACTER THERMO SEAL MACHINE WHICH
IS GRADUALLY BEING REPLACED BY A SIX-CHARACTER MACHINE. HE
ADVISED THAT THE COLOR OF THE TAPE AND THE CHARACTERS ON THE
TAPE WOULD MEAN NOTHING TO ANYONE EXCEPT THE ONE WHO PRODUCED
THE TAPE.

DAVIS MADE AVAILABLE A LIST OF LAUNDRIES WHICH STILL USE
THE FIVE-CHARACTER MACHINE IN HIS DIVISION, AND LEADS TO
CONTACT THESE LAUNDRIES ARE BEING SET OUT SEPARATELY BY
KANSAS CITY.

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DAVIS ALSO ADVISED THAT THE FOLLOWING INDIVIDUALS REPRESENT THERMO SEAL IN THEIR PARTS OF THE COUNTRY, AND RECEIVING OFFICES SHOULD CONTACT THE INDIVIDUALS IN THEIR DIVISIONS TO OBTAIN LISTS OF LAUNDRIES WHICH USE THE FIVE-CHARACTER THERMO SEAL MACHINE AND SET OUT LEADS TO HAVE THESE LAUNDRIES CONTACTED:

WEST COAST:

FRED RAUPACH, ONE EIGHT FOUR ZERO NINE HIAWATHA, NORTHRIDGE, CALIF., TELEPHONE EM THREE DASH EIGHT NINE SIX THREE.

KENNETH ALBERT, ONE THREE FIVE FOUR FIVE CLOSE ST., WHITTIER, CALIF., TELEPHONE WH ONE - ZERO EIGHT EIGHT ZERO.

HOWARD HAMALIAN, TWO ZERO EIGHT SEVEN VALLEY GREEN DR., APT. SEVEN SIX, CUPERTINO, CALIF., TELEPHONE TWO FIVE THREE-EIGHT THREE THREE EIGHT.

JOHN POPP, PORTLAND, ORE., ADDRESS UNKNOWN, BUT STATED HE WAS A PREACHER.

NORTH CENTRAL:

PETER WUKOVICH, SEVEN FIVE SIX HAWTHORNE, ELMHURST, ILL., TELEPHONE BR NINE-SIX ONE FOUR ONE.

JACK CODY, LIVES OUTSIDE OF CLEVELAND, ADDRESS UNKNOWN, HOWEVER, WUKOVICH WOULD KNOW. IT IS NOTED THAT IT IS JACK CODY WHO COVERS TENN.

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EAST COAST:

FRED WEBER, THREE THREE SKYLARK LN., STONEY BROOK, NY.

PAUL COMBS, SIX THREE TWO TWO KAYWOOD DR., FALLS CHURCH, VA., TELEPHONE HU ONE-NINE THREE TWO TWO (COMBS RECENTLY DECEASED AND BROTHER, NAME UNKNOWN, NOW RUNNING BUSINESS.)

SOUTH:

DICK BRISTOW, THREE FOUR SIX TWO NORTHWEST THIRTEENTH AVE., GAINESVILLE, FLA., TELEPHONE FR TWO-ONE TWO NINE ZERO.

DAVIS ADVISED IT IS CONCEIVABLE THAT A FIVE-CHARACTER MACHINE COULD HAVE BEEN SOLD BY A CUSTOMER TO ANOTHER LAUNDRY, HOWEVER, HIS COMPANY OFFERS A VERY HIGH TRADEIN ALLOWANCE IN THE PURCHASE OF ANOTHER MACHINE, AND HE CONSIDERS IT UNLIKELY ANY SUCH MACHINE IS IN EXISTENCE. HE IS SURE NONE EXISTS IN HIS DIVISION AND IN VIEW OF THE FACT THAT ALL FIVE-CHARACTER MACHINES TRADED IN IN THE LAST THREE YEARS HAVE BEEN RECONDITIONED AND RESOLD AS SIX-CHARACTER MACHINES.

CHICAGO IMMEDIATELY ADVISE CLEVELAND THE WHEREABOUTS OF JACK CODY.

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IF PERTINENT LAUNDRY IDENTIFIED, IMMEDIATELY ADVISE
BUREAU TELEPHONICALLY.

THIS MUST BE GIVEN TOP PRIORITY HANDLING TO INSURE THAT THESE
CHECKS ARE IMMEDIATELY RUN OUT.

UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES SHOULD ANYONE BE TOLD THIS
INVESTIGATION IS IN CONNECTION WITH CAPTIONED MATTER.

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237PM URGENT 4-10-68 BJP

TO MEMPHIS 44-1987 BIRMINGHAM 44-1740

FROM DIRECTOR 44-38861 2P

MURKIN

RE MEMPHIS AIRTEL APRIL NINE AND BIRMINGHAM
AIRTEL APRIL NINE.

TWO LATENT FINGERPRINTS DEVELOPED ON REBEL MOTEL
REGISTRATION CARD DATED APRIL THREE LAST SUBMITTED WITH
MEMPHIS AIRTEL. ONE OF THESE LATENTS IDENTICAL FINGERPRINT
SA JOHN W. BAUER, OTHER LATENT FINGERPRINT NOT IDENTICAL
FINGERPRINTS SA BAUER, SA STEPHEN M. DARLINGTON, OR SAC JENSEN.

ONE LATENT FINGERPRINT DEVELOPED ON BIRMINGHAM ITEM
NUMBER ONE QUOTE RECORD OF ACCESS TO SAFE DEPOSIT BOX NUMBER
FIVE FIVE ONE SEVEN OF ERIC S. GALT, END QUOTE AND ONE LATENT
FINGERPRINT ON BIRMINGHAM ITEM NUMBER TWO QUOTE CONTRACT
FOR SAFE DEPOSIT BOX END QUOTE..

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THESE LATENT PRINTS COMPARED WITH EACH OTHER
AND WITH ALL LATENT PRINTS REMAINING UNIDENTIFIED THIS
CASE BUT NO IDENTIFICATION EFFECTED.

LABORATORY ADVISING SEPARATELY.

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FBI BIRMGHAM

253 PM URGENT 4-10-68 JGA

TO DIRECTOR, DALLAS, MEMPHIS AND MOBILE
FROM BIRMINGHAM 44-1740 P

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INFORMATION SET FORTH HEREINAFTER WAS OBTAINED ON HIGHLY
CONFIDENTIAL BASIS. THE INFORMATION PERTAINS TO TELEPHONE
CALLS PAID FOR AT A TELEPHONE PAY STATION OUTSIDE A ROOMING
HOUSE AT WHICH OTHER INDIVIDUALS OTHER THAN SUSPECT NAMED
HEREINAFTER HAD ACCESS, AT TWO SIX ZERO EIGHT HIGHLAND AVENUE
SOUTH, BIRMINGHAM. SUSPECT RESIDED AT ABOVE RESIDENCE FROM
AUGUST TWO SIX, LAST TO NOVEMBER SEVENTEEN, LAST.

SUSPECT IS ERIC STARVO GALT, WHITE MALE, BORN [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] FIVE FT. ELEVEN, ONE SEVENTY FIVE LBS., BLUE
EYES, BROWN HAIR. WHEN KNOWN TO BE IN BIRMINGHAM, AUGUST TO
DECEMBER, LAST, HE PURCHASED SIXTYSIX WHITE MUSTANG, LAST KNOWN
TO BEAR SIXTYEIGHT ALA. LICENSE ONE - THREE EIGHT NINE NINE THREE.

DISCREETLY CONDUCT INVESTIGATION AT LOCATIONS INDICATED
BY SUBSCRIBERS BELOW BUT IT IS IMPERATIVE THAT BACKGROUND
INFORMATION BE DETERMINED ON SUSPECT.

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ON OCT. ELEVEN, LAST, CALL PLACED TO THREE SIX FIVE - SIX ZERO ONE EIGHT, SUBSCRIBER P.D. STRICKLAND, NINE ONE SEVEN LODER, PRATTVILLE, ALA., AND ON OCT. TWELVE, LAST, CALL MADE TO SAME NUMBER.

OCT. TWO TWO, LAST, EIGHT THREE EIGHT - TWO ZERO THREE FIVE, FT. WORTH, TEXAS, A MISS JONNIE POUNDERS WAS CALLED BY JAMES POUNDERS, ROOM TWO SIX, SUBSCRIBER DETERMINED TO BE MARY BUCHANAN, THREE FIVE ZERO NINE NORTH HALTON ROAD, FT. WORTH, TEX.

EXPEDITE INVESTIGATION, LOOKING TOWARD IDENTIFICATION OF GALT.

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TO DIRECTOR, MEMPHIS, SAN DIEGO
FROM JACKSON (157-9586)
MURKIN.

RE JACKSON TEL APRIL NINE AND MOBILE TEL APRIL TEN.
NO CC SAN DIEGO.

FOR INFO SAN DIEGO, SUBJECT CHECKED INTO ROOMING
HOUSE DIRECTLY ACROSS FROM LORRAINE HOTEL AFTERNOON
APRIL FOUR, SIXTY EIGHT, MEMPHIS, TENN, AND USED NAME
JOHN WILLARD. AT SIX ZERO ONE P.M., APRIL FOUR, KING
SHOT AND KILLED AS STOOD ON BALCONY. SUBJECT RAN OUT OF
ROOMING HOUSE AND DROPPED BAG AND WEAPON. SUBJECT
GENERALLY DESCRIBED AS WHITE MALE, TWENTY SIX TO FORTY,
FIVE FEET EIGHT INCHES TO FIVE FEET ELEVEN INCHES,
ONE HUNDRED FIFTY TO ONE HUNDRED SEVENTY POUNDS, DARK
BROWN OR SANDY HAIR, COMBED STRAIGHT BACK, EYES BLUE
OR GREEN, MEDIUM BUILD, WELL DRESSED, DARK SUIT,
NEAT IN APPEARANCE. POSSIBLY NONSMOKER SINCE NO MATCHES
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OR CIGARETTES FOUND IN PERSONAL BELONGINGS OR ROOM. WEAPON USED BY SUBJECT TRACED TO BIRMINGHAM WHERE PURCHASED FEBRUARY TWENTY NINE AND RETURNED ON MARCH THIRTY WHERE TRADED FOR REMINGTON THIRTY POINT ZERO SIX. JACKSON OFFICE IS ATTEMPTING TO ACCOUNT FOR EVERY JOHN WILLARD WITHIN MISS. RECORDS INGALLS SHIP BUILDING CORP., PASCAGOULA, REVEALED ONE JOHN D. WILLARD EMPLOYED IN SIXTY SEVEN AS INSPECTOR. INVESTIGATION REVEALED LAST KNOWN EMPLOYED BY ROBERT BERNEY, MOBILE.

ROBERT BERNEY, MOBILE, ADVISED THIS DATE JOHN D. WILLARD WAS EMPLOYED BY HIM ABOUT TWO AND ONE-HALF YEARS PRIOR TO MARCH SIXTY SEVEN, AT WHICH TIME WILLARD LEFT MOBILE. RECEIVED LETTER FROM WILLARD JANUARY SIXTY EIGHT ADVISED HE WAS EMPLOYED ROSENBLATT AND SON, INC., NAVAL ARCHITECTS, MARINE ENGINEERS, SEVEN ZERO SEVEN BROADWAY, SAN DIEGO, CALIF.

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SAN DIEGO THROUGH APPROPRIATE RECORDS AS WELL AS
INTERVIEW OF WILLARD, ELIMINATE HIM AS SUSPECT DURING
PERIOD MARCH TWENTY NINE, THIRTY AND APRIL FOUR, LAST.
ADVISE BUREAU, MEMPHIS OF RESULTS AND SUBMIT THREE ZERO
TWO'S WHERE APPROPRIATE.

AIRMAIL COPY SENT MOBILE.

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TO DIRECTOT, LOS ANGELES, AND MEMPHIS
FROM CHICAGO (44-1114)

MURKIN.

*Willard
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RE NEW YORK TELETYPE TO BUREAU, ETAL, APRIL NINE LAST.

RE JOHN WILLARD LEADS

JOHN WILLIAM WILLARD, SR., SKOKIE, ILLINOIS, HAS BEEN
REGIONAL DIRECTOR, WASHINGTON NATIONAL INSURANCE COMPANY,
FOR TWENTY FIVE YEARS, IS A WHITE MALE IN MID FIFTIES.
ELIMINATED BY DESCRIPTION AND REPUTATION. HIS SON RESIDES
TWO TWO ZERO NINE NORTH REDWOOD DRIVE, ANNAHEIM, CALIFORNIA.
EMPLOYMENT UNKNOWN, DOES NOT HAVE AMEXCO CREDIT CARD. LOS
ANGELES CONDUCT APPROPRIATE INVESTIGATION TO ELIMINATE.

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TO DIRECTOR, NEW ORLEANS AND MEMPHIS

FROM BIRMINGHAM 44-1740 P

MURKIN. CR.

Galt info

RE BIRMINGHAM TELETYPE TO BUREAU, APRIL TEN, INSTANT.

ERIC STARVO GALT REPORTEDLY MADE STATEMENT WHEN PURCHASING MUSTANG IN BIRMINGHAM, HE FORMERLY WORKED ON BARGE IN LOUISIANA. INVESTIGATION BIRMINGHAM REFLECTS BARGE CREWS EMPLOYED AND OPERATE OUT OF LOUISIANA. ROBERT SMITH, TERMINAL EMPLOYEE, TRIANGLE REFINERY, BIRMINGPORT, ALABAMA, ADVISED CROCHETT BARGE COMPANY, NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA, EMPLOYS AND HANDLES RECORDS OF BARGE PERSONNEL THAT COMPANY.

MRS. GLORIA RIGSBY, SECRETARY, VULCAN ASPHALT AND REFINERY COMPANY, CORDOVA, ALABAMA, ADVISED CAPT. E. D. PARRA, ROUTE TWO, BOX TWO NINE FIVE, GILLIANO, LOUISIANA, PHONE NUMBER AREA CODE FIVE ZERO FOUR (SIX THREE TWO - SEVEN FIVE SEVEN FIVE), HIRES ALL BARGE PERSONNEL THAT COMPANY, OPERATING INTO BIRMINGHAM AREA.

NEW ORLEANS, IF NOT ALREADY HANDLED, WILL IMMEDIATELY CONTACT CAPT. PARRA AND CROCHETT BARGE COMPANY, NEW ORLEANS, AND ASCERTAIN IF GALT WAS FORMER EMPLOYEE.

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407AM URGENT 4-10-68 RJM

TO DIRECTOR, MEMPHIS, BIRMINGHAM, AND SACRAMENTO
FROM LOS ANGELES (44-1574)

MURKIN, CR.

RE LOS ANGELES TELETYPE TO BUREAU, MEMPHIS, BIRMINGHAM,
AND SACRAMENTO APRIL NINE LAST CONCERNING SUSPECT THERAL BURNS
LYMAN, FBI NUMBER NINE ZERO EIGHT ONE THREE ZERO E.

RETEL SHOULD BE CORRECTED AS FOLLOWS: PAGE FOUR, PARAGRAPH
TWO, LINE TWO WORD THREE AND LINE THREE WORD EIGHT READING QUOTE
LOHMEYER UNQUOTE SHOULD READ QUOTE LYMAN UNQUOTE.

AM COPIES TO SAN DIEGO AND SALT LAKE CITY CORRECTED.

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415PM URGENT 4-10-68 WTA

TO DIRECTOR (44-38861) AND MEMPHIS (44-1987)
FROM COLUMBIA (44-299) 2P

Willard

MURKIN - 00: MEMPHIS.

RE LOS ANGELES TELETYPE TO BUREAU, MEMPHIS, AND
BIRMINGHAM, APRIL NINE LAST.

PHYLLIS BELLAMY, MYRTLE BEACH, S. C., HAS NOT ASSOCIATED
WITH JOHN OR LILLIAN WILLARD FOR TWO YEARS, NO KNOWLEDGE
PRESENT ACTIVITIES EXCEPT WILLARD PRACTICING ATTORNEY
CONWAY, S. C.

COP H. T. BARKER (NA), CONWAY PD, ADVISED JOHN WILLARD,
ATTORNEY, CONWAY, S. C., ARRESTED HIS DEPARTMENT NUMEROUS
TIMES NINETEEN SIXTY - NINETEEN SIXTYFOUR, DRUNK CHARGE ONLY.
NO INFO TO INDICATE WILLARD A RACIST. SAID SAW WILLARD
AT HEARING, CONWAY, S. C., APRIL ONE LAST. DESCRIBED WILLARD
AS WM, DOB [REDACTED] SIX FEET,
ONE HUNDRED SEVENTYFIVE LBS., BROWN HAIR GREYING, BROWN EYES.
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SAM COX, PERSONAL FRIEND OF COP BARKER, OCCUPIES FLOOR SPACE DIRECTLY BELOW WILLARD'S OFFICE AND ADJACENT TO ENTRANCE. COX SAID SAW WILLARD IN CONWAY SEVERAL DIFFERENT DAYS FURING APRIL ONE THROUGH FIVE, NINETEEN SIXTYEIGHT. SAID WHEN WILLARD AT OFFICE, PARKS CAR BEHIND OFFICE. DURING APRIL ONE THOUGH FIVE, NINETEEN SIXTYEIGHT, RECALLS SEEING WILLARD'S CAR BEHIND OFFICE EACH DAY.

DETAILS FOLLOW. BIRMINGHAM AND LOS ANGELES ADVISED BY AM.

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FBI CLEVELAND

423PM URGENT 4-10-68 LJJ

TO DIRECTOR, MEMPHIS, NEW YORK, PHILADELPHIA, ATLANTA,
DALLAS, SAN FRANCISCO, LOS ANGELES, CHICAGO AND ST. LOUIS.
FROM CLEVELAND (44-565) 2P

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RE SUSPECT ERIC STARVO GALT.

RE BUREAU TEL TO ALL CONTINENTAL OFFICES APRIL TEN INSTANT.

RAY MOSSHART, FORMER BUAGENT, ARSON AND FRAUD DIVISION,
AMERICAN INSURANCE ASSOCIATION, (AIS), WILLIAMSON BLDG.,
CLEVELAND, OHIO CONTACTED RE CAPTIONED SUSPECT, IT BEING NOTED
AIS MAINTAINS REGIONAL NAME INDEX BUREAUS THROUGHOUT THE U.S.
OF ALL TYPES INSURANCE CLAIMS, PERSONAL INJURY AND OTHERWISE.
MOSSHART ADVISED CV INDEX BUREAU INDICES NEGATIVE RE GALT
BUT NOTED THE CLEVELAND FILES COVER A FIVE STATE AREA ONLY.
HE NOTED ADDITIONAL REGIONAL OFFICES ARE LOCATED IN ATLANTA,
CHICAGO, DALLAS, LOS ANGELES, PHILADELPHIA, SAN FRANCISCO,
ST. LOUIS AND NEW YORK CITY WITH EXECUTIVE OFFICES AND A FOREIGN
BUREAU ALSO LOCATED AT NEW YORK CITY.

GENERALLY, RECORDS OF ABOVE OFFICES ARE AVAILABLE ONLY
TO INSURANCE PEOPLE AND ATTORNEYS, BUT IN VIEW OF COOPERATIVE
ATTITUDE ON PART OF REGIONAL CLEVELAND OFFICE, IT IS SUGGESTED
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RECEIVING OFFICES TACTFULLY ATTEMPT TO CHECK SUSPECT'S
NAME THROUGH THESE INDEX BUREAUS.

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429PM EST URGENT 4/10/68 CHC

TO DIRECTOR BIRMINGHAM (44-1740) MEMPHIS (44-1987)
FROM LOUISVILLE (44-947)

MURKIN. CR. OO: MEMPHIS.

RE BIRMINGHAM TELETYPE TO DIRECTOR APRIL NINE, LAST.

F. G. GLAZE, CREDIT CARD DEPARTMENT, STANDARD OIL
COMPANY OF KENTUCKY, LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY, ADVISES
IMPOSSIBLE TO ASCERTAIN IDENTITY OF PURCHASER OF GASOLINE
AT ARNOLD'S TRUCK STOP, TUSCUMBIA, ALABAMA, DURING PERIOD
MARCH TWENTYNINE THROUGH APRIL FOUR, LAST; THIS INDIVIDUAL
REPORTEDLY DRIVING WHITE MUSTANG WITH ARKANSAS TAGS.
GLAZE STATED IN ORDER TO IDENTIFY, NECESSARY HAVE EITHER
CREDIT CARD NUMBER OR NAME OF HOLDER. GLAZE STATES OVER
FOUR HUNDRED THOUSAND SUCH TICKETS RECEIVED DAILY AT
LOUISVILLE FROM VARIOUS STATES SERVICED BY STANDARD OIL
OF KENTUCKY AND IMMEDIATELY CO-MINGLED AND POSTED AGAINST
ACCOUNT OF VARIOUS CUSTOMERS.

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TO HOUSTON, BIRMINGHAM (44-1740) AND MEMPHIS (44-1987)
FROM ST. LOUIS (44-775) 2P

MURKIN. CIVIL RIGHTS. OO: MEMPHIS.

RE BIRMINGHAM TELETYPE TO BUREAU, MEMPHIS, ST. LOUIS AND
NEW ORLEANS, APRIL NINE, LAST, CONCERNING SUSPECT ERIC
STARVO GALT, AND BUTEL APRIL TEN LAST TO ALL SACS.

INQUIRY AT ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI, DETERMINED THAT COMPLETE
EMPLOYMENT RECORDS FOR SIOUX CITY AND NEW ORLEANS BARGE LINES,
INC., ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI, WOULD BE AT MAIN OFFICE OF COMPANY
AT FIVE ZERO ONE TWO TELEPHONE ROAD, HOUSTON, TEXAS.

FOR THE INFORMATION OF HOUSTON, BIRMINGHAM OFFICE
REPORTED THAT SUSPECT GALT, DATE OF BIRTH ,

ONCE INDICATED HE HAD BEEN EMPLOYED AS BARGER OUT
OF ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI, BETWEEN ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI, AND
NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA. GALT INDICATED HE HAD AN UNCLE, KARL
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~~GALT~~, ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI.

HOUSTON, DETERMINE IF GALT EVER EMPLOYED BY PREVIOUSLY
MENTIONED BARGE LINES.

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435PM URGENT 4/10/68 OJS

TO DIRECTOR (AIR MAIL) MEMPHIS, ST. LOUIS
FROM INDIANAPOLIS (44-563)

MURKIN

REBUTEL TO INDIANAPOLIS AND ST. LOUIS APR. NINE LAST.

ON APR. TEN INSTANT, LTC RICHARD E. COOLEY, U. S. ARMY
PERSONNEL SERVICES SUPPORT CENTER, FT. BENJAMIN HARRISON, IND.,
ADVISED SA KENNETH E. MORRIS THE TWO ZERO ONE PERSONNEL FILE
FOR DONNIE LEON HARDIN, ASN RA [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] WAS TRANSFERRED TO U. S. ARMY ADMINISTRATION CENTER,
ST. LOUIS, MO. ON JUNE TWO TWO, SIXTYFIVE . REFERENCED TEL HAS
SET OUT LEAD FOR ST. LOUIS TO REVIEW THIS FILE.

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TO MEMPHIS (44-1987)

FROM ST. LOUIS (44-775)

Galt

MURKIN. CIVIL RIGHTS. OO: MEMPHIS.

RE BIRMINGHAM TELETYPE TO BUREAU, MEMPHIS, ST. LOUIS AND
NEW ORLEANS, APRIL NINE, LAST, CONCERNING SUSPECT ERIC
STARVO GALT.

INQUIRY CONCERNING SUSPECT ERIC STARVO GALT DETERMINED
THAT MAIN OFFICE OF SOUTHERN TOWING COMPANY, A BARGE LINE,
HIGHWAY EIGHTYFOUR, WEST CARUTHERSVILLE, MISSOURI, IS
LOCATED AT MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE.

MEMPHIS, ASCERTAIN IF GALT EVER EMPLOYED BY THAT
COMPANY.

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TO DIRECTOR, MEMPHIS, BIRMINGHAM, SEATTLE
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RE BUREAU TEL TO ALL OFFICES DATED APRIL TEN INSTANT.

RE SUSPECT ERIC STARVO GALT

FILES OF MINNEAPOLIS OFFICE INDICATE ONE THOMAS STONER
GALT, BORN DECEMBER FIFTEEN, NINETEEN THIRTYNINE, WAS HONORABLY
DISCHARGED FROM USAF, SERIAL NUMBER [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] IN NINETEEN SIXTYTHREE FOR UNSUITABILITY DUE
TO CHARACTER OF BEHAVIOR DISORDERS (PACIFIST). FATHER IS
LOWELL TRUMAN GALT WHO IN NINETEEN SIXTYSIX WAS EMPLOYED AS
STATISTICAL ADVISOR, ANKARA, TURKEY, POSSIBLY WITH THE U.S.
GOVERNMENT. DICKINSON STATE COLLEGE, DICKINSON, NORTH DAKOTA,
INDICATES TRANSCRIPT FOR THOMAS GALT SENT SIX THREE SIX THREE
NORTHEAST RADFORD DRIVE, SEATTLE, WASHINGTON, APRIL FOUR,
LAST.

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SEATTLE, UNDER SUITABLE PRETEXT INTERVIEW INTERVIEW THOMAS STONER
GALT FOR ANY KNOWLEGE HE MAY HAVE OF SUSPECT ERIC STARVO GALT.
THIS MUST BE GIVEN TOP PRIORITY AND ALL LEADS MUST BE COVERED
BY TELETYPE TO THOROUGHLY RESOLVE. NO INDICATION TO BE
GIVEN THAT THIS LEAD IS IN CONJUNCTION WITH MURKIN CASE.

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TO DIRECTOR, BIRMINGHAM AND MEMPHIS
FROM MINNEAPOLIS 157-450

Galt

MURKIN. CR. OO - MEMPHIS.

INVESTIGATION, MINNEAPOLIS, REVEALS FRANCIS ELMER GALT,
BORN [REDACTED] SHAWNEE,
OKLAHOMA, WAS CONVICTED OF SSA, NINETEEN FORTYEIGHT, IN USDC,
DES MOINES, IOWA, AND SENTENCED TO FOUR YEARS, OCTOBER TWENTY-
ONE, NINETEEN SIXTYSIX. HE WAS PAROLED APPROXIMATELY THREE
WEEKS AGO AND IS RESIDING WITH HIS WIFE AT ONE ONE ZERO
TROUDFIT STREET, MADISON, WISCONSIN, EMPLOYED AS SWIMMING
INSTRUCTOR AT YMCA.

LESTER PAUL GALT, BROTHER OF FRANCIS, BORN [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] CLEVELAND, OHIO, RESIDES AT MINNEAPOLIS,
BUT IS NOT READILY AVAILABLE FOR INTERVIEW.

REV. RALPH MARTIN GALT AND WIFE, PARENTS OF FRANCIS AND
LESTER, RESIDE AT FIVE FIVE ZERO ONE COURT "G", FAIRFIELD,
ALABAMA.

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ABOVE MEMBERS OF GALT FAMILY ARE PACIFISTS AND REV. GALT REPORTEDLY SERVED TIME IN PRISON DURING WORLD WAR TWO FOR REFUSING TO SERVE IN THE ARMED FORCES. INASMUCH AS REV. GALT WOULD BE IN A BETTER POSITION TO SATTE IF ERIC STARVO GALT IS A RELATIVE AND TO FURNISH WHEREABOUTS, NO FURTHER EFFORTS BEING MADE TO LOCATE AND INTERVIEW LESTER GALT BY MINNEAPOLIS.

INVESTIGATION CONTINUING.

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TO DIRECTOR AND MEMPHIS

FROM NEWARK (44-854)

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Trade magazines*

MURKIN

RE LAUNDRY MARK INVESTIGATION.

DURING CONTACT WITH RICHARD V. WHALEN, NJ INSTITUTE OF LAUNDRY AND DRY CLEANERS, IT WAS POINTED OUT THAT THE LAUNDRY INDUSTRY HAS FOUR PRINCIPAL TRADE PUBLICATIONS WHICH IN THE PAST HAVE RUN PHOTOGRAPHS OF LAUNDRY MARKS FOR LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES.

THESE PUBLICATIONS ARE AS FOLLOWS:

ONE - THE GUIDE TO TEXTILE MAINTENANCE, PUBLISHED BY MCFADDEN BUSINESS PUBLICATIONS, SEVEN SEVEN SEVEN W. PEACHTREE ST., N.E., ATLANTA, GEORGIA.

THIS MAGAZINE IS VERY POPULAR WITH THE LAUNDRY INDUSTRY IN THE SOUTH.

TWO - DRY CLEANING WORLD, PUBLISHED BY BUSINESS PUBLICATIONS, TWO HUNDRED MADISON AVE., NEW YORK CITY.

THREE - TSM (TEXTILE SERVICE MANAGEMENT), PUBLISHED BY THE
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RUBEN H. DONNELLY CORP., FOUR SIX SIX LEXINGTON AVE., NYC.

FOUR - AMERICAN LAUNDRY DIGEST, PUBLISHED BY TRADE
MAGAZINES, INC., FIVE HUNDRED W. DEARBORN ST., CHICAGO, ILL.

THIS INFORMATION IS FURNISHED IN THE EVENT THE BUREAU
SHOULD DECIDE IN THE FUTURE TO UTILIZE THE TRADE PUBLICATIONS.

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TO DIRECTOR (44-38861) AND MEMPHIS (44-1987)
FROM LAS VEGAS (157-133)

MURKIN. OO: MEMPHIS.

REBUTELS, APRIL NINE AND TEN, SIXTY-EIGHT.

ALL LAUNDRIES IN STATE OF NEV. HAVE BEEN CONTACTED CONCERNING
USE OF THERMO-SEAL TAPE MACHINES. SEVERAL LAUNDRIES LOCATED WHO
UTILIZE THESE MACHINES, BUT THE CODE ZERO OR D TWO B DASH SIX UNKNOWN
TO THEM. SAMPLES FROM THESE COMPANIES BEING FORWARDED TO BUREAU
FOR EXAMINATION UNDER SEPARATE COVER. EXPERIENCED CLEANER AND
LAUNDRY OPERATOR, LAS VEGAS, ADVISES RED TAPE ORDINARILY USED ONLY
FOR ONE-DAY SERVICE OR SPECIAL SERVICE IN LAUNDRY INDUSTRY.

RE SUSPECT ERIC STARVO GALT. LAS VEGAS INDICES NEGATIVE; CITY
AND TELEPHONE DIRECTORIES FOR STATE OF NEV. NEGATIVE; STATE FINANCE
INSTITUTIONS NEGATIVE; STATE SELECTIVE SERVICE HEADQUARTERS NEGA-
TIVE; MOTOR VEHICLE AND DRIVERS LICENSE DIVISIONS AND PUBLIC
UTILITIES NEGATIVE.

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TO DIRECTOR, FBI (44-33861) AND MEMPHIS
FROM SPRINGFIELD (44-561)

Lowmeyer

MURKIN, CR.

RE BUREAU TELETYPE TO ALL OFFICES APRIL EIGHT LAST AND
SPRINGFIELD TELETYPES TO BUREAU APRIL EIGHT APRIL NINE
LAST.

PURSUANT TO REFERENCED BUREAU TELETYPE, SPRINGFIELD DIVISION
INDICES, CITY DIRECTORIES, TELEPHONE DIRECTORIES, DRIVERS
LICENSE RECORDS, AUTOMOBILE REGISTRATION RECORDS, VOTER
REGISTRATION RECORDS AND CREDIT AND CRIMINAL RECORDS WERE
CHECKED RE SURNAMES LOWMEYER OR LOWMYER WITH NEGATIVE
RESULTS. P.

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TO ATLANTA 44-2386 MEMPHIS 44-1987

FROM DIRECTOR 44-33861 1P

MURKIN.

RE ATLANTA AIRTEL APRIL NINE.

LATENT FINGERPRINTS AND PALM PRINT

THIS CASE NOT IDENTICAL FINGERPRINTS AND PALM PRINTS

OF DR. ALVIN E. FRENCH. SUBMITTED INKED IMPRESSIONS

OF FRENCH RETAINED TEMPORARILY.

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TO MEMPHIS 44-1987 AND BIRMINGHAM
FROM NEW YORK 44-1609

Galt

MURKIN, CIVIL RIGHTS, OO- ME.

RE ME TEL TO NY APRIL TEN ONE NINE SIX EIGHT.

NY MARINE INDEX BUREAU RECORDS NEGATIVE RE ERIC S. GALT.
NATIONWIDE MARINE INDEX BEING CIRCULARIZED, HOWEVER, ANSWER
NOT EXPECTED UNTIL APRIL FIFTEEN NEXT DUE TO HOLIDAY APRIL
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TO DIRECTOR AND MEMPHIS

FROM DETROIT (44-989) 1P

MURKIN

RE BU TEL TO ALL CONTINENTAL OFFICES APRIL NINE LAST
AND DETROIT TEL TO BUREAU AND SACS CLEVELAND AND MEMPHIS,
APRIL NINE LAST.

CONTACT WITH NINE KNOWN LAUNDRIES, DETROIT, MICHIGAN, THREE
KNOWN LAUNDRIES, FLINT, MICHIGAN, AND ONE KNOWN LAUNDRY,
LA PEER, MICHIGAN, USING THERMO SEAL MARKING MACHINE REVEALED
THEY DO NOT USE SAME SEQUENCE OF MARKINGS FOUND ON UNDERSHORTS AND
TEE SHIRT OF UNSUB. LIKewise TWO KNOWN LAUNDRIES, LANSING,
MICHIGAN, FAIL TO USE SAME SEQUENCE AS FOUND ON UNSUB'S CLOTHING.

INVESTIGATION CONTINUING IN CONTACTING LAUNDRIES IN
MICHIGAN USING INSTANT MARKING MACHINE AND TO IDENTIFY OTHER
LAUNDRIES USING THIS MACHINE.

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