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21. 5/2/68 Form Four Rights Waiver signed by Jack Custar Ham.
FD 368 Voluntary Appearance signed by Jack C. Ham.
22. " " " 5 photo's of Jack C. Ham.
23. " " " 1 color neg. of Jack C. Ham.
24. " " " 1 Interview Log re: Jack C. Ham.
25. " " " 5 photo's of Joseph Feertitta, & 5 photo's stand up of J. Fertitta..
26. " " " 2 photo's of James Earl Ray. (see ser 378)
27. " " " 3 photo's taken by a woman companion of the subj. while he was in Mexico in the fall of 1967 re: Murkin.
28. " " " 1 photo of James Earl Ray. (see ser 371)
29. " " " 2 neg. of De Pugh Minutemen Organization taken 1961 by Look Magazine 3 neg. of Unknown minute men taken 1961 by Look magazine. mm
30. 5/13/68 5 copies of photo's of James Earl Ray.
31. " " " 4 photo's of James Earl Ray. mm
32. 5/15/68 4 photo's of laundry marks. (see ser 564) mm
33. 6/24/68 Anonymous lettr & envelope. mm
34. 6/26/68 Copies of 2 charge tickets. mm

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File No. NY 44-1609-1A ²¹
Date Received 4/6/68
From JACK CUSTAR HAM
(NAME OF CONTRIBUTOR)
15411 E. 41ST ST.
(ADDRESS OF CONTRIBUTOR)
INDEPENDENCE MISSOURI
(CITY AND STATE)
By JAMES F TREILLY 44
(NAME OF SPECIAL AGENT)

To Be Returned ☐ Yes
☒ No

Receipt given ☐ Yes
☒ No

Description:

- 1- Form "Your Rights-Waiver"
dated 4/6/68, signed
Jack Custar Ham.
- 1- FD 368 (Voluntary Appearance)
signed, Jack C. Ham. dated
4/6/68.

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YOUR RIGHTS

Port Authority, P.D.

PLACE LA GUARDIA AIRPORT, Queens

DATE 4/6/68

TIME 3:55 p

BEFORE WE ASK YOU ANY QUESTIONS, YOU MUST
UNDERSTAND YOUR RIGHTS.

YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO REMAIN SILENT.

ANYTHING YOU SAY CAN BE USED AGAINST YOU IN COURT.

YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO TALK TO A LAWYER FOR ADVICE
BEFORE WE ASK YOU ANY QUESTIONS AND TO HAVE HIM WITH YOU
DURING QUESTIONING.

IF YOU CANNOT AFFORD A LAWYER, ONE WILL BE
APPOINTED FOR YOU BEFORE ANY QUESTIONING IF YOU WISH.

IF YOU DECIDE TO ANSWER QUESTIONS NOW WITHOUT A
LAWYER PRESENT, YOU WILL STILL HAVE THE RIGHT TO STOP
ANSWERING AT ANY TIME. YOU ALSO HAVE THE RIGHT TO STOP
ANSWERING AT ANY TIME UNTIL YOU TALK TO A LAWYER.

WAIVER

I HAVE READ THIS STATEMENT OF MY RIGHTS AND I
UNDERSTAND WHAT MY RIGHTS ARE. I AM WILLING TO MAKE A
STATEMENT AND ANSWER QUESTIONS. I DO NOT WANT A LAWYER
AT THIS TIME. I UNDERSTAND AND KNOW WHAT I AM DOING. NO
PROMISES OR THREATS HAVE BEEN MADE TO ME AND NO PRESSURE OR
COERCION OF ANY KIND HAS BEEN USED AGAINST ME.

SIGNED

WITNESS

WITNESS

TIME

James J. Reilly
John W. Minogue

3:55 (4/6/68)

Jack Gustafson
I agree to
being photographed
by an officer of
the Port Authority
Police of New York
City, N.Y.

Jack C. Han
Dan O. Conlon SA FBI, NY

VOLUNTARY APPEARANCE; ADVICE OF RIGHTS
YOUR RIGHTS

Before we ask you any questions, you must understand your rights. You have the right to remain silent. Anything you say can be used against you in court. You have the right to talk to a lawyer for advice before we ask you any questions, and to have him with you during questioning. You have this right to the advice and presence of a lawyer even if you cannot afford to hire one. We have no way of giving you a lawyer, but one will be appointed for you, if you wish, if and when you go to court. If you wish to answer questions now without a lawyer present, you have the right to stop answering questions at any time. You also have the right to stop answering at any time until you talk to a lawyer.

WAIVER

I, Jack C. Nam have come to the New York Office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) of my own choice to talk with Special Agents of the FBI about a crime which they are investigating. I know that I am not under arrest and that I can leave this office if I wish to do so.

Prior to any questioning, I was furnished the above statement of my rights at 3:55 on 4/6/68 at La Guardia Airport
 (time) (date) (place)
 by Special Agent James J. Reilly of the FBI. I have (read) (had read to me) this statement of my rights. I understand what my rights are. I am willing to answer questions and make a statement. I do not want a lawyer. I understand and know what I am doing. No promises or threats have been made to me and no pressure of any kind has been used against me.

Signed

Jack C. Nam
11:53 PM 4-6-68 FBF NYC
 (time) (date) (place)

Witness

James J. Reilly
 Witness John W. Monogue

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Date Received 4-6-68
From FBI (Photo. Lab.)
(NAME OF CONTRIBUTOR)
201 E. 69th St.
(ADDRESS OF CONTRIBUTOR)
NY NY
(CITY AND STATE)
By JAMES E. REILLY 44
(NAME OF SPECIAL AGENT)

To Be Returned ☐ Yes
☒ No

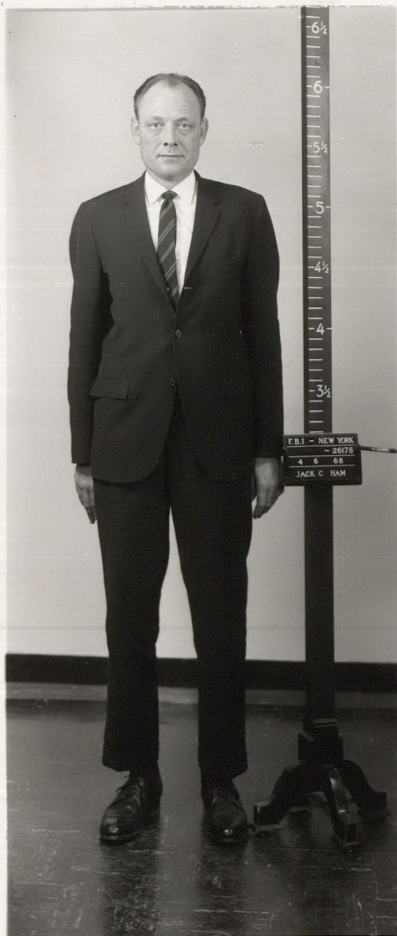
Receipt given ☐ Yes
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Description:

5 Photographs of
JACK E. HAM taken 4/6/68.

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6/10/68

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JACK C. HAM

Photo: 4/6/68

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File No. N44-1609-1A ²⁴Date Received 4/6-7/68From _____
(NAME OF CONTRIBUTOR)_____
(ADDRESS OF CONTRIBUTOR)_____
(CITY AND STATE)
By James F. Reilly ⁴⁴
(NAME OF SPECIAL AGENT)To Be Returned ☐ Yes
☒ NoReceipt given ☐ Yes
☒ No

Description:

1 Interview Log re:
JACK C. HAM.

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INTERVIEW LOG.

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Person Interviewed: JACK CUSTAR HAMM, aka, JACK C. HAM

Interviewing Agents: JAMES F. REILLY, JOHN W. MINOGUE,
DANNY O. COULSON.

Place: Port Authority P.D., La Guardia
Field, Queens, N.Y.

Date 4/6/68

Interview Commenced: 3:55 PM (See ~~attached~~ Waiver)

Advised of Rights by: SA James F. REILLY

4⁵⁰/_P - 5⁰⁰/_P : Suspect went to men's room.

5³⁰/_P - 5⁴⁵/_P : Rested, smoked, took mouthwash

6¹⁵/_P : Interview Terminated. (MICRIN)

7¹⁵/_P : Departed La Guardia Airport, Queens, N.Y., for
FBI office, N.Y., N.Y.

7⁵⁰/_P Arrived FBI, N.Y.O.

8⁰⁰/_P Advised of rights. Form FD 368 read to
suspect. Suspect read Form FD 368.
Suspect stated he would sign it.

8³⁰/_P Fingerprinted

9⁰⁰/_P Sandwiches - Coffee served suspect. Bath-
room facilities utilized.

10⁰⁰/_P Photographed

10³⁰/_P Coffee served suspect.

11⁴⁵/_P - 12²⁵/_A 4/7/68 : Suspect desired rest, - granted.

2²⁵/_P Interview commenced. (SA J. HARRISON, III
participating)

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INTERVIEW LOG (CONT'D)

2 ³⁰_A : Rested - smiled (surprised) No further questioning.
5:50 AM : Suspect enroute to La Guardia Airport, NY

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File No. N944-1609-1A²⁵Date Received 4/18/68From Photo Lab

(NAME OF CONTRIBUTOR)

300 Reel 8 Pk 8143 E 57th St NY 100 1107

(ADDRESS OF CONTRIBUTOR)

Edward R Chay

(CITY AND STATE)

By Edward R Chay

(NAME OF SPECIAL AGENT)

To Be Returned ☐ Yes☒ NoReceipt given ☐ Yes☐ No

Description:

5 Photographs of
Joseph Francis
Gertitta Standen
& 5 Close up Photos.
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(ADDRESS OF CONTRIBUTOR)

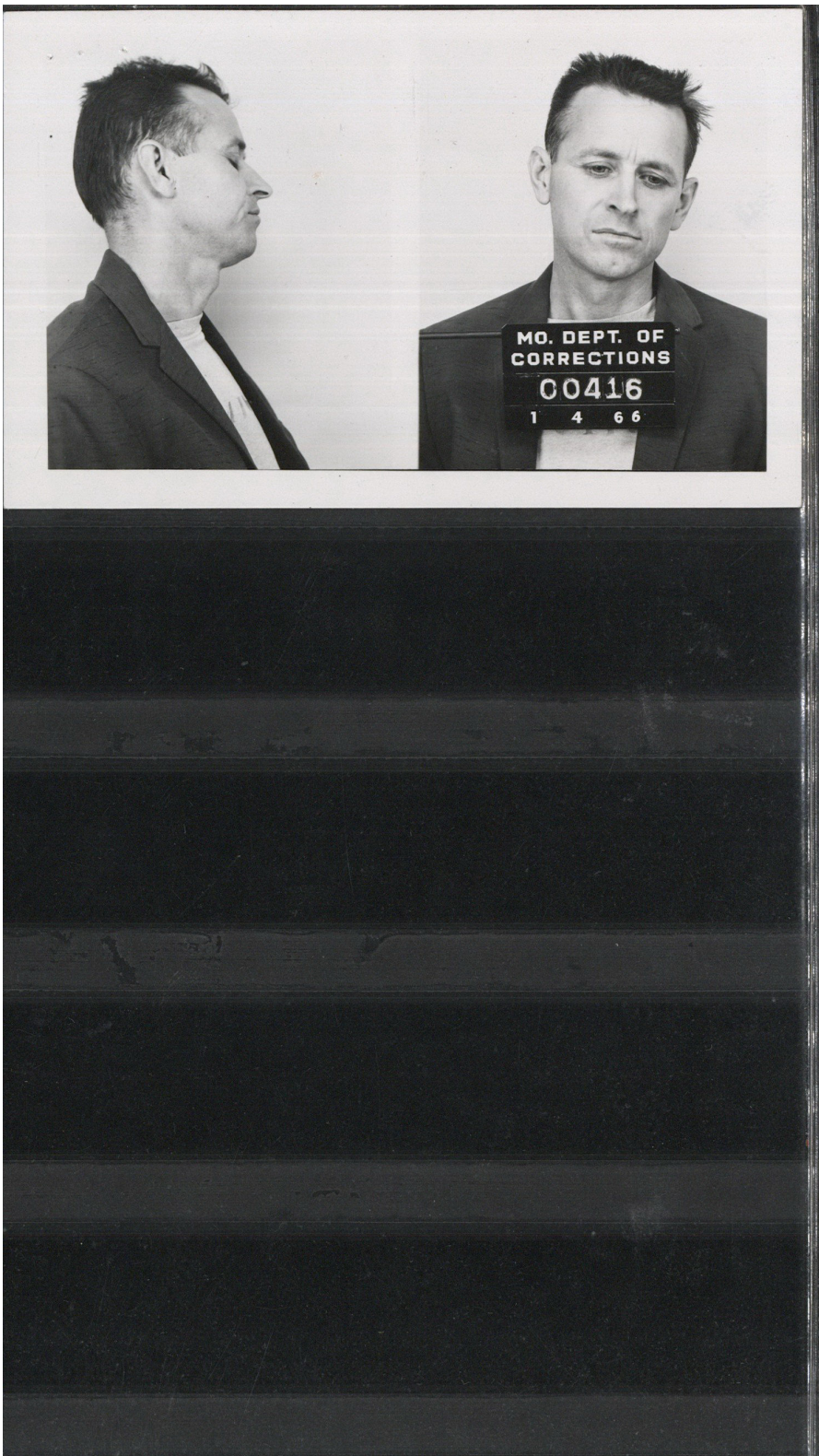
(CITY AND STATE)

By J. Shanley
(NAME OF SPECIAL AGENT)To Be Returned ☐ Yes☒ NoReceipt given ☐ Yes☒ No

Description:

2 photos of Ruby
James Earl Ray.(see 378)Destroyed
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JAMES EARL RAY

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(NAME OF CONTRIBUTOR)

(ADDRESS OF CONTRIBUTOR)

(CITY AND STATE)

By J. Masley
(NAME OF SPECIAL AGENT)To Be Returned ☐ Yes
☒ NoReceipt given ☐ Yes
☒ No

Description:

3 photos taken by a woman
companion of the subject while
he was in Mexico in the Fall
of 1967.

Re. Murkin

2 Destroyed 6/10/68

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Date Received 5/2/68
From Bureau

(name & address of contributor)
By (name of SA) J. Sharkey
To be returned: Yes () No (X)
Description:

photo of James Earl Ray.

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Date Received 4-26-68
From George Hart Editor Time Week
Adlye NYC
(name & address of contributor)
By (name of SA) J. Sharley
To be returned Yes () No (☒)
Description:

2 negatives of DeGugh
Menace men Organization
taken 1961 by Look Magazine
3 neg. of Unknown men
men taken 1961 by Look
Magazine.

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(NAME OF CONTRIBUTOR)

(ADDRESS OF CONTRIBUTOR)

(CITY AND STATE)

By J. Stoxley #23
(NAME OF SPECIAL AGENT)To Be Returned ☐ Yes
☒ NoReceipt given ☐ Yes
☒ No

Description:

5 copies of photo's
of James Earl Ray.

4 Destroyed
6/10/68

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JAMES EARL RAY
FBI No. 405,942 G

JAMES EARL RAY

FBI No. 405,942 G

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INTERSTATE FLIGHT - ROBBERY

F.P.C.: 16 M 9 U 000 12

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Photographs on left taken 1960, other taken 1968

DESCRIPTION

AGE: 40, born March 10, 1928, Alton, Illinois

HEIGHT: 5' 10"

EYES: blue

WEIGHT: 163 to 174 pounds

COMPLEXION: medium

BUILD: medium

RACE: white

HAIR: brown, possibly cut short

NATIONALITY: American

OCCUPATIONS: baker, color matcher, laborer

SCARS AND MARKS: small scar on center of forehead and small scar on palm of right hand

REMARKS: noticeably protruding left ear; reportedly is a lone wolf; allegedly attended dance instruction school; has reportedly completed course in bartending

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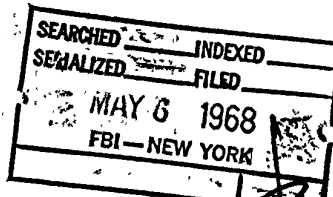
By J. Sharkey #23
(NAME OF SPECIAL AGENT)To Be Returned ☐ Yes
☒ NoReceipt given ☐ Yes
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Description:

4 photos of James
Earl Ray, aka Eric S.
Galt.

3 Destroyed 6/10/68

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Date Received

5/15/68

From

Bureau R/s dtd 5/13/68

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(ADDRESS OF CONTRIBUTOR)

(CITY AND STATE)

By

(NAME OF SPECIAL AGENT)

To Be Returned ☐ Yes☒ NoReceipt given ☐ Yes☒ No

Description:

4 photos of laundry
marks3 Destroyed
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(NAME OF CONTRIBUTOR)

(ADDRESS OF CONTRIBUTOR)

(CITY AND STATE)

By NYO
(NAME OF SPECIAL AGENT)To Be Returned ☐ Yes☒ NoReceipt given ☐ Yes☒ No

Description:

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envelope.

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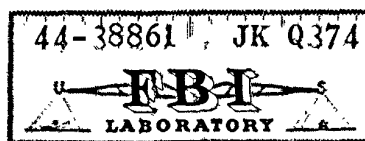
Thank You!
YOUR BUSINESS IS APPRECIATED

Federal Bureau of Investigation, June 10, 68

Gentlemen:

I believe it to be of interest to you to know of a plan ~~of~~ to take Ray from the authorities upon his arrival in the U.S. The people involved have expressed themselves as being undaunted if he is surrounded by 100 Federal Marshals or F.B.I. personnel. They anticipate a large protective force but will not be stopped and expect to lose several in the attempt but there will be martyrs. They have anticipated his surprise return and have placed watchers at every conceivable airport including his forse landing areas.

Because of possible reprisals I must abstain from signing this note to you. I am deeply concerned and hope that no one is hurt.



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File No. Ny 44-1609-1A ³⁴Date Received 6/13/68From John G. O'Toole (Miss Lewy)

(NAME OF CONTRIBUTOR)

10 Columbus Circle

(ADDRESS OF CONTRIBUTOR)

By John F. Hanley

(NAME OF SPECIAL AGENT)

To Be Returned ☐ Yes☒ NoReceipt given ☐ Yes☒ No

Description:

Copies of v. charge tickets

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		TAXES	0.00
		TIPS AND MISC.	0.00
		TOTAL	8.00

TO INSURE ACCURACY, WRITE FIRMLY.

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RECORD OF CHARGE

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		TAXES	4.50
		TIPS AND MISC.	0.00
		TOTAL	19.50

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		TAXES	1.50
		TIPS AND MISC.	0.00
		TOTAL	6.50

TO INSURE ACCURACY, WRITE FIRMLY.

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