OPTIONAL FORM NO. 10 MAY 1962 EDITION GSA FPMR (41 CFR) 101-11.6

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO

: SAC, SEATTLE (44-371) (P)

DATE: 5/13/68

FROM

: SA JESSE A. ROGERS

SUBJECT: JAMES EARL RAY

MURKIN

J. G. WALTERS

Re memo of SA JESSE A. ROGERS dated 5/16/68.

On May 10, 196\(\beta\), at 3:15 PM SA JESSE A. ROGERS conducted an extensive investigation in the vicinity of Pioneer Square, First Avenue and Yesler Street and could locate no one who in any manner resembled JAMES EARL RAY nor could anyone be located resembling the person described in the referenced memo.

Jan: pla
(2) yela

SERIALIZED (



SAC, SEATTLE (44-371) (P

5/13/68

SA JESSE A. ROGERS

JAMES EARL RAY MURKIN

J. G. WALTERS

Re memo of SA JESSE A. ROGERS dated 5/10/68.

On May 10, 1968, at 3:15 PM SA JESSE A. ROGERS conducted an extensive investigation in the vicinity of Pioneer Square, First Avenue and Yesler Street and could locate no one who in any manner resembled JAMES EARL RAY nor could anyone be located resembling the person described in the referenced memo.

JAR:pla (2)

SCARCHED OF HILD OF SERIALIZED OF AN 1 3 1968 FBI - SEATILE

DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)

May 17, 1968

SAC, SEATTLE (44-371) (P)

MURKIN

CR

OO: MEMPHIS

Re Bureau airtel dated 5/9/68.

Enclosed for the Bureau are original and three copies of a LHM concerning statements allegedly made by WILLIAM B. LEE, the results of investigation into LEE's background and results of interview with LEE.

2 - Bureau (Enc. 4) 2 - Seattle

TBW: bgv

(4)

19

Social 20 Sc. 19-58.00 44-371-308 Seattle, Washington May 17, 1968

SE 44-371

RE: MURDER OF DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.

On April 30, 1968, WYATT STANLEY, North 6118 Cook, Spokane, Washington, was drinking in Casey's Gay 90's, 457 Northtown Shopping Center, Spokane, and engaged in a conversation and had a few drinks with an individual who identified himself as BILL LEE. During the conversation, the matter of racial problems came up, and LEE indicated he was from the South and subsequently said he would pay STANLEY \$10,000 to kill RAP BROWN or STOKELY CARMICHAEL. He mentioned the Ku Kluz Klan and the Minutemen and said "We" will furnish couriers or planes for carrying this out and any kind of gun wanted. LEE then remarked the mark has been put on RAP BROWN, STOKELY CARMICHAEL, and ROBERT KENNEDY. He then gave STANLEY a business card from Follett Music Company, West 1131 First Avenue, Spokane, and on the back wrote the name "BILL LEE" then "yes---," "no---," and "where---" LEE said he could be called at that place and STANLEY was simply to answer yes or no and to indicate where he could be contacted. STANLEY said LEE had been drinking but did not appear to be intoxicated.

ROBERT FOLLETT, Follett Music Company, Spokane, stated LEE was employed by him as a salesman on March 23, 1968, and was employed by him in Spokane, Washington, or the immediate vicinity on April 4, 1968. FOLLETT also stated that LEE is a "blowhard" and that he recalls that when Dr. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR., was killed, LEE had remarked he had been offered \$5,000 to do this job four or five years ago.

It was determined that LEE had been employed by radio station KSPO, Spokane, prior to the time he was employed by Follett Music Company.

This document contains neither recommendations nor conclusions of the FBI. It is the property of the FBI and is loaned to your agency; it and its contents are not to be distributed outside your agency.

TBW: bgv

RE: MURDER OF DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.

Records of Shelling and Shelling Employment Agency, East 9822 Sprague, Spokane, Washington, through whom LEE was employed by KSPO, showed LEE's address as West 1117 Garland, Spokane, gave his wife as ELVA, showed employment in October, 1967, at Tubbs Electric, Spokane; in May, 1967, with the Washington Health Service, Seattle, Washington; May, 1965, to February, 1967, with Koret of California, 611 Mission, San Francisco, California; January, 1960, to May, 1965, with Nixon Merchandising Company; 3961 Sepulveda, Los Angeles, and from 1954 to 1960 with ABC Corporation, Los Angeles. LEE claimed two years of college with the University of Alabama, 1957, to 1959, and service in the U.S. Navy from 1948 to 1952.

On May 13, 1968, Mrs. WILLIAM B. (ELVA) LEE, employed as a youth director at the Valley Methodist Church, Spokane, Washington, advised that IEE was an orphan but had been reared by WILLIAM S. and EMA RUTH LEE, and had grown up in Waycross, Georgia. He served in the Navy from 1948 to 1952, received an Honorable Discharge, and they were married in Norfolk, Virginia, in February, 1953.

After marriage, they went to Atlanta, Georgia, where he was employed by the Credit Department at W. T. Graham Company. They went to Albany, Georgia, in 1954 where he werked for a loan company and subsequently transferred to Montgomery, Alabama, stayed in Montgomery until about 1959 where he changed employment to Sears Roebuck and Company. They went to Leesburg, Florida, in 1959, where he was Credit Manager for the Sears and Roebuck Store, then he quit Sears and Roebuck Company and went to Los Angeles, California, in March, 1960.

After several months of unemployment in Los Angeles, he went to work with the Westinghouse Corporation in the wholesale credit department and thereafter started "job jumping." During the time they were in California, he worked painting automobiles for a milk company, at a hotdog stand, and was unemployed much of the time. He then went to work for Koret of California as a trainee and was transferred to the Spokane, Washington, territory in September, 1966.

After coming to Spokane, he stayed with Koret until about February, 1967, and had subsequently worked for Pitney-Bowes, the Washington Health Service, Radio Station KSPO, and most recently with Follett Husic Company. She said he was employed there March 23, 1968, and is still employed.

RE: MURDER OF DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING. JR.

Mrs. LEE said he had not been back to any portion of the South since leaving in 1960 to Los Angeles, California. She described him as a very prejudice person, stated that he drinks considerably, and had made many wild statements.

She said he came home a few weeks ago saying that he had heard that someone would pay \$5,000 to "knock off" CARMICHAEL. She said his talk, apparently the result of alcohol, has no credibility at all, and she believes she is in need of psychiatric care. She said they have five children; and while he apparently loves the children, he is completely irresponsible as far as supporting them is concerned.

Mrs. LEE concluded that she has never had reason to believe that her husband has any knowledge whatever concerning the death of Doctor KING and has no contact whatsoever with anyone back in Tennessee, Alabama, Mississippi, or Georgia.

On May 14, 1968, WILLIAM B. LEE was interviewed at his residence at West 117 Garland Avenue, Spokare, Washington. When he was honorably discharged from the United States Navy in 1952, he went to work for the W. T. Graham Company, subsequently married his wife, ELVA, in March, 1953, in Norfolk, Virginia, then went to Albany, Georgia, where he was employed by a finance company.

He was transferred by this company to Montgomery, Alabama, in 1954 and then changed to employment with Sears Roebuck and Company in Montgomery. He was transferred as a Credit Manager for Sears Roebuck and Company to their store in Leesburg, Florida, but subsequently left Leesburg in January, 1960, to go to Los Angeles, California. In Los Angeles, he was employed by Nixon Merchandising Company and then by Koret of California as a trainge. He said there were other short time employments in California; but after training with Koret, he was sent to Spokane, Washington, as a District Representative in September, 1966. He said that since this time, he has been with his family in Spekane. He left Koret of California in February, 1967, and since that time has been employed by Pitney-Bowes, Washington Health Service, KSPO Radio and is presently employed by Follett Music Company and has been since March 23 1968.

MURDER OF DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.

LEE has not been back to visit in the South since he left there in 1960. He said he has a strong feeling of loyalty toward the South and the southern people, that he does not particularly hate the Negro race, but believes in a segregated society. He stated he believes that riots, lootings, and killings are not helping the United States; and should the South ever call on him to take a stand, he would do so immediately.

LEE stated that in about 1953, when he was living in Albany, Georgia, that his uncle, T. A. CLEMENTS, Route 2, Sylvester, Georgia, who died in 1964, had told him he would give him \$100 to shoot MARTIN LUTHER KING. He said that he did not know whether his deceased uncle was serious but that whether he was or not, he could never kill a man in cold blood.

LEE said that about three or four weeks ago, he was drinking in Casey's Restaurant in Spokane and that he was in a conversation with an unknown individual. He said he and this man were discussing racial problems, and this individual said he would pay \$5,000 to see STOKELY CARNICHAEL on RAP BROWN killed. He said ROBERT KENNEDY's name was not mentioned at this time, but he does recall that later something was said regarding ROBERT KENNEDY and his stand on racial issues. LEE denied that he had ever said anything to anyone about killing BROWN or CARMICHAEL and that he could not raise any money under any circumstance

LEE advised he has not been in contact with any of his old associates in Georgia or Alabama and since coming to the West Coast in 1960, has not been further east than Montana. He says he knows nothing about the murder of MARTIN LUTHER KING other than what he has read in the newspapers or seen on television or head over the radio. He denied belonging to any hate group of any kind.

The following description was obtained by observation and interview:

> Name Address

WILLIAM B. LEE West 1117 Garland, Spokane, Washington

Date of Birth Place of Birth Height

Waycross, Georgia

MURDER OF DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. 135 pounds Weight Halr Brown Slender Bulld . Left arm, U. S. Navy Tattoo . Scare None 5583917 Navy Serial No. Wife ELVA Children Five, reside at home Follett Music Company, Spokane, Occupation Washington ...

DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)

May 17, 1968

SAC, SEATTLE (44-371) (P)

MURKIN

CR

OO: MEMPHIS

Re Bureau airtel dated 5/9/68.

Enclosed for the Bureau are original and three copies of a LHM concerning statements allegedly made by WILLIAM B. LEE, the results of investigation into LEE's background and results of interview with LEE.

2 - Bureau (Enc. 4)
2) - Seattle
TBW: bgv
(4)

44-371-308

Seattle, Washington May 17, 1968

SE 44-371

RE: MURDER OF DR. WARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.

On April 30, 1968, WYATT STANLEY, North 6118 Cook, Spokane, Washington, was drinking in Casey's Gay 90's, 457 Northtown Shopping Center, Spekane, and engaged in a conversation and had a few drinks with an individual who identified himself as BILL LEE. During the conversation, the matter of racial problems came up, and LEE indicated he was from the South and subsequently said he would pay STANLEY \$10,000 to kill RAP BROWN or STOKELY CARMICHAEL. He mentioned the Ku Klux Klan and the Minutemen and said "We" will furnish couriers or planes for carrying this out and any kind of gun wanted. LEE then remarked the mark has been put on RAP EROWN, STOKELY CARMICHAEL, and ROBERT KENNEDY. He then gave STANLEY a business card from Follett Music Company, West 1131 First Avenue, Spokane, and on the back wrote the name "BILL LEE" then "yes ---," "no---," and "where---." LEE said he could be called at that place and STANLEY was simply to answer yes or no and to indicate where he could be contacted. STANLEY said LEE had been drinking but did not appear to be intoxicated.

ROBERT FOLLETT, Follett Music Company, Spokane, stated LEE was employed by him as a salesman on March 23, 1968, and was employed by him in Spokane, Washington, or the immediate vicinity on April 4, 1968. FOLLETT also stated that LEE is a "blowhard" and that he recalls that when Dr. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR., was killed. LEE had remarked he had been offered \$5,000 to do this job four or tive years ago.

It was determined that LEE had been employed by radio station KSPO, Spokane, prior to the time he was employed by Follett Music Company.

This document contains neither recommendations nor conclusions of the FBI. It is the property of the FBI and is leaned to your agency; it and its contents are not to be distributed outside your agency.

RE: MURDER OF DR. MARKIN LUTHER KING, JR.

Records of Shelling and Shelling Employment Agency, East 9822 Sprague, Spokane, Washington, through whom LEE was employed by KSPO, showed LEE's address as West 1117 Garland, Spokane, gave his wife as ELVA, showed employment in October, 1967, at Tubbs Electric, Spokane; in May, 1967, with the Washington Health Service, Seattle, Washington; May, 1965, to February, 1967, with Korat of California, 611 Mission, San Francisco, California; January, 1960, to May, 1965, with Nixon Merchandising Company; 3961 Sepulveda, Los Angeles, and from 1954 to 1960 with ABC Corporation, Los Angeles, LEE claimed two years of college with the University of Alabama, 1957, to 1959, and service in the U.S. Navy from 1948 to 1952.

On May 13, 1968, Mrs. WILLIAM B. (ELVA) LEE, employed as a youth director at the Valley Methodist Church, Spokane, Washington, advised that LEE was an orphan but had been reared by WILLIAM S. and EMA RUTH LEE, and had grown up in Waycross, Georgia. He served in the Navy from 1948 to 1952, received an Honorable Discharge, and they were married in Norfolk, Virginia, in February, 1953.

After marriage, they went to Atlanta, Georgia, where he was employed by the Credit Department at W. T. Graham Company. They went to Albany, Georgia, in 1954 where he worked for a loan company and subsequently transferred to Montgomery, Alabama, stayed in Montgomery until about 1959 where he changed employment to Sears Roebuck and Company. They went to Leesburg, Florida, in 1959, where he was Credit Manager for the Sears and Roebuck Store, then he quit Sears and Roebuck Company and went to Los Angeles, California, in March, 1960.

After several months of unemployment in Los Angeles, he went to work with the Westinghouse Corporation in the wholesale credit pepartment and thereafter started "job jumping." During the time they were in California, he worked painting automobiles for a milk company, at a hoteog stand, and was unemployed much of the time. He then went to work for Koret of California as a trainee and was transferred to the Spokane, Washington, territory in September, 1966.

After coming to Spokane, he stayed with Koret until about February, 1967, and had subsequently worked for Pitney-Bowes, the Washington Health Service, gadio Station KSPO, and most recently with Follett Music Company. She said he was employed there March 23, 1968, and is still employed.

RE: MURDER OF DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.

Mrs. LEE said he had not been back to any portion of the South since leaving in 1960 to Los Angeles, California. She described him as a very prejudice person, stated that he drinks considerably, and had made many wild statements.

She said he came home a few weeks ago saying that he had heard that someons would pay \$5,000 to "knock off" CARMICHAEL. She said his talk, apparently the result of alcohol, has no credibility at all, and she believes she is in need of psychiatric care. She said they have five children; and while he apparently loves the children, he is completely irresponsible as far as supporting them is concerned.

Mrs. LEE concluded that she has never had reason to believe that her husband has any knowledge whatever concerning the death of Doctor KING and has no contact whatsoever with anyone back in Tennessee, Alabama, Mississippi, or Georgia.

On May 14, 1968, WILLIAM B. LEE was interviewed at his residence at West 117 Garland Avenue, Spokane, Washington. When he was honorably discharged from the United States Navy in 1952, he went to work for the W. T. Graham Company, subsequently married his wife, ELVA, in March, 1953, in Norfolk, Virginia, then went to Albany, Georgia, where he was employed by a finance company.

He was transferred by this company to Montgomery, Alabama, in 1954 and then changed to employment with Sears Roebuck and Company in Montgomery. He was transferred as a Credit Manager for Sears Roebuck and Company to their store in Leesburg, Florida, but subsequently left Leesburg in January, 1960, to go to Lbs Angeles, California. In Los Angeles, he was employed by Nixon Merchandising Company and then by Koret of California as a trainee. He said there were other short time employments in California; but after training with Koret, he was sent to Spokane, Washington, as a District Representative in September, 1966. He said that since this time, he has been with his family in Spokane. He left Koret of California in February, 1967, and since that time has been employed by Pitney-Bowes, Washington Health Service, KSPO Radio and is presently employed by Follett Music Company and has been since March 23, 1968.

RE: MINDER OF DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.

LEE has not been back to visit in the South since he left there in 1960. He said he has a strong feeling of loyalty toward the South and the southern people, that he does not particularly hate the Segre race, but believes in a segregated society. He stated he believes that riots, lootings, and killings are not helping the United States; and should the South ever call on him to take a stand, he would do so immediately.

LEE stated that in about 1953, when he was living in Albany, Georgia, that his uncle, T. A. CLEMENTS. Route 2, Sylvester, Georgia, who died in 1964, had told him he would give him \$100 to shoot MARTIN LUTHER KING. He said that he did not know whether his deceased uncle was serious but that whether he was or not, he could never kill a man in cold blood.

LEE said that about three or four weeks ago, he was drinking in Casey's Festaurant in Spokane and that he was in a conversation with an unknown individual. He said he and this man were discussing racial problems, and this individual said he would pay \$5,000 to see STOKELY CARNICHAEL or RAP BROWN killed. He said ROBERT KENNEDY's name was not mentioned at this time, but he does recall that later something was said regarding ROBERT KENNEDY and his stand on racial issues. LEE denied that he had ever said anything to anyone about killing BROWN or CARNICHAEL and that he could not raise any money under any circumstance.

IME advised he has not been in contact with any of his old associates in Georgia or Alabama and since coming to the West Coast in 1960, has not been further east than Montana. He says he knows nothing about the murder of MARTIN LUTHER KING other than what he has read in the newspapers or seen on television or head over the radio. He denied helonging to any hate group of any kind.

The following description was obtained by observation and interview:

Name Address WILLIAM B. LEE West 1117 Garland, Spokane, Washington

Date of Birth Place of Birth Height

Wayeross, Georgia

4

RE: MURDER OF DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.

Weight
Hair
Bulld
Tattoo
Scars
Havy Serial No.
Wife
Children
Occupation

135 pounds
Brown
Slender
Left arm, U. S. Navy
None
5583917
ELVA
Five, reside at home

Five, reside at home Follett Music Company, Spokane, Washington

5/15/68

PLAIN TEXT

AIRTEL

TO:

SAC, MEMPHIS

FROM:

SAC, NEW YORK (44-1609)

SUBJECT:

MURKIN CIVIL RIGHTS (00: MEMPHIS)

Re Wilshire Book Company.

Re Houston airtel to the Dureau dated 5/11/58.

On 5/15/68, CERARD DORR RAY was eliminated as being identical with subject JAMES EARL RAY. While in Washington, GERARD DORR WAY resided at 327 First Avenue East, Pacific, Washington. His wife is BARBARA JEAN RAY and she received a magazine through Wilshire Book Company under the name B.J. RAY.

SUBJECT RAY SHOULD BE CONSIDERED ARMED AND

DANGEROUS.

2- Memphis Houston (INFO) Seattle (INFO) New York (44-1609)

JFS: jrf

SERIALIZEDO DIFED

MAY 1 1968

MEN SEALLE

FBI, U. S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE STATE TELETYPE SYSTEM

SE 44-371

5/16/68

t a		
Transmit in STATEL by te	letype to: APB WASHINGTON	
Transmit in (Type in "plaintext" or "code") by te	tetype to:	
WANTED		
UNKNOWN SUBJECT AKA	WILLIAM A. MARSHALL, WHITE	MALE,
MMERICAN, FORTY TO FORTY	IVE, FIVE FEET NINE INCHES	ONE
SIX FIVE TO ONE EIGHT ZEF	O POUNDS, DARK HAIR, FAIR	O MEDWUM
COMPLEXION, DRIVING SIXTY	SEVEN PLYMOUTH FURY III CO	VERTIBLE
COLOR GOLD, BLACK TOP, CA	LIFORNIA LICENSE UTW 102,	VIN P M
27 F 74238208. AUTO OBTA	INED BY UNSUB, CHULA VISTA	, CALIFORNIA,
MAY FOURTEEN LAST, FOR DE	MONSTRATION AND HAS NOT RE	rurned.
SUBJECT WANTED FOR QUESTI	ONING, REPEAT QUESTIONING	NLY , NO
. WARRANT, BY FBI SAN DIEGO	•	
CONSIDER ARMED AND	ANGEROUS.	
: IN INFORMATION RECE	VED NOTIFY FBI SEATTLE AT	ONCE.
	* !	
FBI SEATTLE		
J.E. MILNES, SAC		
	41 371	3010
*		1
JEM; kny	Coynu (2)	· M
1	2	,
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	953	K
Approved:	SentM Per	

SEAF3 5-16-68 APB. WASHINGTON TAMTED UNKNWOM SUBJECT AKA WILLIAM A. MARSHALL, WHITE. MALE. AMERICAN, FORTY TO FORTYFIVE, FIVE FEET NINE INCHES, ONE SIX FIVE TO ONE EIGHT ZERO POUNDS, DARK HAIR, FAIR TO MEDIUM COMPLEXION, DRIVING SIXTYSEVEN PLYMOUTH FURY III CONVERTIBLE, COLOR SOLD, BLACK TOP, CALIFORNIA LICENSE UTW 102, VIN P M 27 F 74238208. AUTO OBTAINED BY UNSUB, CHULA VISTA, CALIFORNIA., MAY FOURTEEN LAST, FOR DEMONSTARATION AND HAS NOT RETURNED. SUBJECT WANTED FOR QUESTIONING. REPEAT QUESTIONING ONLY, AND NO WARRANT. BY FEI SAN DIEGO. CONSIDER AMXXX ARMED AND DANGEROUS. IF INFORMATION RECEIVED NOTIFY FBI SEATTLE AT ONCE. 44-371-306 FBT SEATTLE JE MILNES, SAC KNY . 2155

F B I SEATTLE

FBI SANDIEGO

5:19PM URGENT 5-16-68 JLN

TO DIRECTOR (44-38861), SPRINGFIELD, MEMPHIS (44-1987), SEATTLE, PORTLAND, SAN FRANCISCO, SACRAMENTO, LOS ANGELES, BUTTE, SALT LAKE CITY, LAS VEGAS, PHOENIX, ALBUQUERQUE AND EL PASO.

FROM SAN DIEGO (44-387) 3P

MURKIN.

RE WILLIAM A. MARSHALL.

A. MARSHALL DESCRIBED HEREAFTER SIGNED AN ESCROW CONTRACT
TO PURCHASE A HOME AT BONITA, CALIFORNIA, FOR FIFTYONE THOUSAND
DOLLARS GIVING A PROMISSORY TYPE CHECK FOR FIVE THOUSAND
DOLLARS AND INDICATED HE HAD A SIXTYFIVE THOUSAND DOLLAR
CERTIFIED CHECK IN HIS HOTEL ROOM.

MARSHALL CLAIMED TO BE EMPLOYEED FOR INTERNATIONAL HARVESTOR COMPANY, BLOOMINGTON, ILLINOIS, AND RECENTLY TRANSFERED TO SAN DIEGO AREA. DESIRED HOUSE SO FAMILY COULD MOVE TO SAN DIEGO FROM ILLINOIS.

END PAGE ONE

PAGE TWO

ON SAME AFTERNOON MARSHALL ATTEMPTED TO PURCHASE AN AUTO AT CHULA VISTA, CALIFORNIA, DISPLAYING ESCROW CONTRACT AND ADVISED HE DESIRED HIS WIFE TO SEE AUTO AND IN VIEW OF ESCROW CONTRACT SHOWING FIVE THOUSAND DOLLAR DEPOSIT SALESMAN GAVE MARSHALL KEYS TO HIS CAR DESCRIBED HEREINAFTER IN APB AND MARSHALL HAS NOT RETURNED CAR.

VARIOUS WITNESSES WHO WERE IN COMPANY OF MARSHALL FOR
UP TO THREE HOURS STATE MARSHALL POSSIBLY IDENTICAL JAMES EARL
RAY. ONE PERSON ALMOST POSITIVE OF IDENT. TWO OTHERS SAY RESEMBLANCE
BETWEEN PHOTOS AND MARSHALL.

FOLLOWING APB COVERING STATE OF CALIFORNIA TRANSMITTED:

"WANTED. UNKNOWN SUBJECT ALSO KNOWN AS WILLIAM A.

MARSHALL, WHITE, MALE, AMERICAN, FORTY TO FORTYFIVE, FIVE

FEET NIME, ONE SIX FIVE TO ONE EIGHT ZERO LBS., DARK HAIR,

FAIR TO MEDIUM COMPLEXION: DRIVING SIXTYSEVEN PLYMOUTH FURY

III CONVERTIBLE, COLOR GOLD, ELACK TOP, CALIFORNIA LICENSE

UTW GNE ZERO TWO, VIN P M TWO SEVEN F SEVEN FOUR TWO THREE

EIGHT TRO ZERO EIGHT. AUTO OFTAINED BY UNSUB, CHULA VISTA,

CALIFORNIA, MAY FOURTEEN LAST, FOR DEMONSTRATION AND HAS NOT

RETURNED. SUBJECT WANTED FOR QUESTIONING, REPEAT QUESTIONING

PAGE THREE

ONLY, NO WARRANT, BY FBI SAN DIEGO. CONSIDER ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

ALL WESTERN OFFICES RECEIVING THIS TELETYPE REQUESTED TO SUBMIT SIMILAR APB THEIR TERRITORIES.

FOR INFO NO STOLEN REPORT FILED RE AUTO AS CHULA
VISTA, CALIFORNIA, POLICE DEPARTMENT UNABLE TO ACCEPT DUE
TO CIRCUMSTANCES UNDER WHICH MARSHALL OBTAINED AUTOMOBILE.

SPRINGFIELD AT BLOOMINGTON, ILLINOIS, CONDUCT APPROPRIATE

INVESTIGATION TO IDENTIFY WILLIAM A. MARSHALL.

BUREAU MAY DESIRE TO ENTER AUTO IN NCIC.

ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

OTHER OFFICES ADVISED SEPRATELY.

END

KNY

F B I SEATTLE

FB!

Date:	May	16.	1968
Duic.	21144 7		2000

			Date: May 16, 1968
Transmi	it the following in		(Type in plaintext or code)
	Λ γ' Τοσυρίτ		
Via	A IRTEL		A IRMA IL (Priority)
	TO:	DIRECTOR, FBI	(44-38861)
	FROM:	SAC, SEATTLE	(44-371) (P)
	SUBJECT:	MURKIN CR OO: MEMPHIS	
		RE:	KENNETH LEE WADE MISSOURI STATE PENITENTIARY
	of which		sco airtel to Bureau, 5/8/68, a copy to Kansas City.
		lect DONALD RIC	S. Penitentiary, McNeil Island, Washing HARD BUSSMEYER was transferred January tentiary, Leavenworth, Kansas.
			LEAD
	At U.S.	ITY DIVISION Penitentiary cth, Kansas	
	reported	E in a series o	DONALD BUSSMEYER, who was arrested of Los Angeles robberies and who was the Missouri State Penitentiary
Will intervi			BUSSMEYER to determine if he has present whereabouts.
	3 - Bures 2 - Kanss 2 - Mempl 2 Scat EEO: bgv (9)	as City ais tle carched	44-371-304
Ąŗ	pproved:Spec	ial Agent in Charge	SentM Per

FBI

Date:	May	9,	1968
-------	-----	----	------

Transmit the following in	, -
	(Type in plaintext or code)
ViaAirtel	
·—	(Priority)

To: All SACS

LEGATS, Mexico City

Ottawa

From:

Director, FBI

(44-38861)

MURKIN

OO: MEMPHIS (44-1987)

In order to cover the possibility that subject may have died since commission of the crime, the U.S. Census Bureau and Department of Health, Education and Welfare were contacted and they advised that no central records of unidentified deceased are maintained by those agencies. It was suggested that each state may maintain such a record in their Bureau of Vital Statistics or similar agency.

There is no known Federal law requiring the maintenance of such information; and it is possible that if any record of unidentified dead is maintained, it would only be maintained at local police departments, morgues, medical facilities, or the like.

Each office covering state capitals should check to ascertain if such records are maintained, and if so, should check records for the period from 4-5-68, to date, for any information which might possibly identify subject Ray with unident ified deceased person over that period.

If there is no central record repository maintained in the various states or nationally in the case of Mexico and Canada, you should, in connection with your contacts with law enforcement agencies on this case or other Bureau matters, make appropriate inquiries relative to

Olympial With Few

Sont Wig

Airtel to All SACS and LEGATS, Mexico City and Ottawa RE: MURKIN

unidentified dead for the period beginning 4-5-68; and if fingerprints on such dead are maintained, they should be compared with those on the Identification Order on Ray in order to effect identification or nonidentification. This should be handled in the normal course of business and only reasonable investigation should be pursued along these lines.

The Identification Division has placed an appropriate stop on unidentified deceased inquiries it may receive. If feasible, appropriate offices and Legats, Mexico City and Ottawa should place similar stops with appropriate state, local or national agencies in your territories.

Armed and Dangerous.

FBI

The state of the state of	Date: May 10, 1968 (Type in plaintext or code)			
Transmit the following in				
ViaAirtel	·			
	(Priority)			
To: All SACS				
LEGATS, Mexico	City			
Ottawa				
From: Director, FBI				
, ·				
MURKIN				
i	,			
	rmation and investigative assistance, bok a bartending course in			
Los Angeles, California,	during the early part of 1968.			
and prior to his departing	ng Los Angeles, in March of 1968, e calls to country clubs in an			
effort to obtain employme				
This should be	borne in mind in covering leads			
in connection with this				
Armed and Dang	gerous.			
1				
muras fro \$111 by M				
See A M				
more and to [1] bo				
المرتبع المرتب				
	-14-371-302			
	1.0 No. 1919 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 19 1			
·				
	(Burne 1/PU)			
,2	I man & allants			
Sent Via	of men & all agets			

OPTIONAL FORM NO. 10
MAY 102 EDITION
GSA FPMR (41 CPR) 101-11.5
UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO SAC, SEATTLE (44-371)

DATE5/15/68

FROM SA JOHN E. CONNOR

SUBJECTMURKIN

On April 27, 1968, Dispatcher W. J. HARTER, Lynnwood Police Department, advised that WILHELM HOERSCHGEN, 6606 - 202nd S.W., Lynnwood, had just contacted the police department to advise that he thought he may have seen JAMES EARL RAY. HARTER put HOERSCHGEN on the telephone, and HOERSCHGEN advised that he had been at a boat house in Edmonds along with his eight year old son, and in leaving there and proceeding west driving up 196th Street, going up the hill out of Edmonds, he had been behind a truck and was driving quite slowly when he noticed a man walking along the side of the road.

He said that he picked this individual up and drove him from there to the intersection of 196th and Highway 99 in Lynnwood. He said the man told him that he came from Canada, was in the military service there testing rockets and that in his business he drove 40,000 to 50,000 a year. He said this person told him that he was going up toward Everett and that he put him out on the corner of Highway 99 and 196th Street telling him to stand at the bus stop which is located on the east side of Highway 99, just north of 196th Street, this being a good place to get a ride.

HOERSCHGEN continued that he went on about his business, going to the Lynnwood Tavern where he spent a few minutes and then into a nearby store to get a couple of cigars. He said that he then drove back by the intersection of Highway 99 and 196th Street and noticed that this person was no longer there. He said that he thought this was strange since the man told him that he would be walking to Everett, so he drove up Highway 99 to the Paine

44-371 JEC:msw (1) SERRCHED INDEXED SERIALIZED DE 1968
FBI - SEATILE

Appel VI



SE 44-371

Field turnoff and did not see him anywhere along the way. He said that he then got to thinking about this, and it appeared to him that this man had lied to him when he told him he was going to walk to Everett (in spite of the fact that he put him out at the bus stop and told him this was a good place to hitchnike).

HOERSCHGEN continued that he got to thinking about this, and since it appeared that subject was lying to him here and he could not understand how a man in the service would be driving 40,000 to 50,000 miles per year, as the man said, he thought it was strange. He continued that he then remembered this man had a wild look in his eyes and, therefore, thought maybe he was wanted or running from something.

HOERSCHGEN said he had seen all of the publicity on television and in the newspapers about the KING killing and, therefore, came to the police department to report this matter thinking that this man might possibly be RAY. He described the individual as follows:

Race
Sex
Age
Hair
Height
Weight
Complexion
Eyes

Remarks

Hairline

Ears

White Male 35

Brown, crewcut

180 Pale

Unrecalled as to color, but had a "wild glance".
Had no noticeable accent except that he talked through his nose

Not considered to be high; he stated, in fact, the forehead appeared to him from eyebrows to hairline to be quite narrow. Appeared to have large ears

HOERSCHGEN stated that he did not get much of a head-on view, seeing only the profile. He said that he had looked at the wanted flyer hanging in the police station and

SE 44-371

could not say if the individual he had picked up was or was not RAY. He reiterated that the main thing that made him report this matter was the fact that he felt this person had lied to him and the fact that he had a "wild glance" in his eyes.

HARTER advised that he had requested Edmonds PD cars to check Highway 99 from Lynnwood south to the King County line and had his own cars check Highway 99 north from 196th to the Paine Field crossing and south from 196th to the city limits with negative results.

SA CONNOR immediately checked Highway 99 from Paine Field north to Everett and checked the Greyhound Bus Station and the Great Northern Railroad Station, Everett, with negative results.

Captain LOUIS BODINE, Shift Captain, Everett PD, was furnished descriptive data given by HOERSCHGEN including the fact that the individual HOERSCHGEN was talking about was wearing khaki pants, white stockings, dark shoes and a dark sports jacket. He advised that he would have both patrol and detective crews alerted and that should such a person be located, appropriate steps would be taken to identify him

On April 29, 1968, Captain BODINE and Officer HARTER both advised that nothing pertinent relative to the described individual was developed by their respective departments.

In view of the nebulous nature of the original information, it does not appear that further investigative effort is warranted or feasible.

F. B. I. Not Doing Job In King Slaying, Says Author

A syndicated newsman and author investigating the slaying of the Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., believes James Earl Ray, the man sought by the Federal Bureau of Investigation in connection with the killing, is actually "two men."

Louis Lomax of the North American Newspaper Alliance also believes "the F. B. I. is not doing the job."

LDMAX WAS here to speek at Seattle and Bellevue Community College groups on "Alternatives to a Long, Hot Summer."

Lomax said the "F. B. I. is up a tree," because Ray is two men.

"The F. B. I. sent out the wrong set of fingerprints on Ray, and they say Ray was taking dancing lessons in New Orleans when he actually was in prison in 1964-65," Lomax said.

HE ALSO said J. Edgar Hoover, F. B. I. director, "should remove himself from the case because he hated Martin Luther King's guts."

Lomax said his investigation of the killing and of Ray has led "to pegging a couple men in New Orleans. That's where the answer is, in New



LOUIS LOMAX

Orleans and in Birming-

He said the information gathered in the investigation will be turned over to the F. B. I. His comments were made after addressing a group of Seattle Community College students and faculty members:

HE TOLD THEM, a "guaranteed annual wage is just around the corner," and that presidential candidates Senator Eugene McCarthy and Gov. Nelson Rockefeller will soon endorse the propos-

This will come during the next presidential term as part of a complete re-arrangement of priorities in American society. Lomax said. The guaranteed annual wage, he said, could be almost completely financed with money now financing welfare programs.

(Indicate page, name of newspaper, city and state.) Seattle Times Seattle, Wash. 5/3/68 Edition: Night Final Authors Editor: Henry MacLeod Title: MURKIN Character: Classification: 44-371 Submitting Office: Seattle Being Investigated. " 44-371 -MAY 1 91988

OPTIONAL FORM NO. 10 MAY 1962 EDITION GSA FPMR (41 CFR) 101-11.6

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO

SAC, SEATTLE (44-371)

FROM:

SA REESE H. CHIPMAN

SUBJECT:

MURKIN

On 5/10/68, an individual who refused to divulge his identity, but who sounded as though he possibly was a Negro, telephonically contacted this office on a matter he stated was very urgent. He advised that he had observed JAMES EARL RAY last Sunday, 5/5/68 in the Green Parrot Theater. He said he saw this same individual again on the street on Tuesday. This individual who refused to give his name but gave his initials as HLS, said he was not interested in collecting any reward but only interested in seeing RAY killed. He described the individual he believed to be JAMES EARL RAY as follows:

Race Sex Age Height Clothing White
Male
About 30 years old
About 5'10"
Wearing cowboy boots, tan cowboy
type pants and a dirty white
stetson hat. He was wearing
large contour type sunglasses.

DATE:

5/14/68

This individual was advised that should he see the particular person again, he should notify this office or the police department at once, and he promised to do this.

RHC:ms (2)

44-371-299

SERIALIZED OF FILED

MAY 1 5 1968

FBI — SEAT LE



OPTIONAL FORM NO. 10
MAY 1982 EDITION
GSA FFMR (41 CFR) 101-11.6
UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (44-371)

DATE: 5-13-68

FROM .

SPC PETER JAMES WEBB

SUBJECT: N

MURKIN

STEVE SHAWLEY, General Aviation Services Supervisor, Boeing Field, RO-7-4430, telephonically contacted this office tonight as follows:

SHAWLEY was checking his old files on aircraft parking spaces tonight and turned up a registration for space in the name of EARL J. RAY, and thought it bore similarity to the subject of MURKIN.

The files reflect space was rented at the south end of Boeing Field in November, 1967, to EARL J. RAY, 8654 46th S.W., telephone WE-5-0638, to tie down a Cessna 120 (an older two place aircraft), number N 77301. RAY kept the space until January, when he apparently left the area, in aircears for his space rent.

SHAWLEY can be contacted at Boeing Field on days starting Wednesday. He said the space was rented to RAY by Galvin Flying Service, the previous supervising agency, and they could provide more info on RAY.

PJW:pjw (2)

De Muril 132



OPTIONAL FORM NO. 10
MAY 1822 EDITION
GSA FPMR (41 CFR) 101-11.6

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (44-371)(1)

DATE: 5/15/68

FROM: SA JOHN C. NETTER

SUBJECT: MURKIN

OO: MEMPHIS

Re memo of SA VERNON P. COYNE dated 5/8/68.

On May 10, 1968, the most recent photographs of JAMES EARL RAY were furnished to NEIL MODIE, a reporter for the "Columbian" newspaper, Vancouver, Washington.

(1) JCN/drm

44-371-291

SEARCHED NOEXED

HALIZED FILED.

MAY 1968



OPTIONAL FORM NO. 10
MAY 1982 EDITION
GSA FPMR (41 CFR) 101-11.6
UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

то

SAC, SEATTLE (44-371) (P)

DATE:

5/15/68

FROM:

SA SIDNEY E. RUBIN

SUBJECT:

MURKIN

On May 9, 1968, Mrs. BRAZAEU, telephone WE 7-8042, telephonically contacted the writer and advised that the evening of May 8,1968, she was reading a Post Intelligencer, and noted an article concerning the above captioned matter, and noted the picture of the subject in this case. BRAZAEU stated she recalled that during the latter part of April, 1968, while driving north on Rainier Avenue, near the bridge to Mercer Island she was stopped at a traffic light and noted a compact car, possibly a Falcon or a Comet parked beside her in the right lane. The lone occupant of this car was noted as staring towards her, and she therefore noticed this individual.

BRAZAEU stated this occured during the middle part of the afternoon, but was unable to provide any further details as to time or exact date.

BRAZAEU stated that upon reading the above mentioned article, she recalled this individual appeared to resemble the subject that she noted in the above cited automobile incident.

BRAZAEU stated that the description in the newspaper fit similar to the individual she ingted during the latter part of April, 1968.

BRAZAEU also stated the individual she recalled in April, 1968 was not as heavy as the photograph displayed in the Post Intelligencer newspaper of May 8, 1968, and was unable to provide any further descriptive information.

On May 9, 1968, the case Agent SA VERNON P. COYNE was advised of the above telephone call.

SER/bjb
(2)



SERIALIZED (A) FILED MAY P5 1968

AIRTEL

AIR MAIL

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)

FROM: SAC. SEATTLE (44-371)(P)

SUBJECT: MURKIN

OO: MEMPHIS

RE: R. BUCKLEY-LOOK ALIKE

Re Bureau airtel to Seattle, dated 5/13/68,

ROBERT WARRE BUCKLEY, 10002 Des Moines Way South, Seattle, Washington, advised today that he had been a guest at the Carriage Inn Motel in Van Nuys, California. Mr. BUCKLEY indépendently advised from his own records that he had been a guest at the motel from 4/21 through 4/27/68 and he said that he was in Van Nuys, California on a business trip at that time with three other associates who work with him in Seattle.

No further investigation concerning this particular aspect of this case being conducted by Seattle.

ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

3-Bureau (RM)

1-Memphis (44-1987) (RM)

2-Seattle

¥\$C: MS (6) ______

.

5/14/68

AIRTEL

ARMAIL

TO:

DIRECTOR, FBI (44-3861)

FROM:

SAC, SEATTLE (44-371) (P)

SUBJECT:

MURKIN

OO: MEMPHIS

RE: SUSPECT GORDON ANDERSON

Re Bureau airtel to Seattle dated 4/30/68

On May 9, 1968, GORDON ANDERSON, 7314 - 146th S.W., Tacoma, Washington, was personally interviewed by SA ELGIN E. OLROGG and was eliminated as a suspect in this matter.

ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

3 - Bureau

1 - Memphis (44-1987)

2)- Seattle

VPC:mm

(6) WITH

44-371-294

Coyne UP

			, FBI				
	•		Date: 5/14/68	3			
Transmit	the following in		(Type in plaintext or code)				
	A TYNETET	ለ ማነሻው - <i>ከተ</i> /			l i		
Via	AIRTEL	AIR MA	(Priority)			,	
					-		
					i I		
	TO :	DIRECTOR, FB	(44-38361)	•	!		
	FROM:	SAC, SEATTLE	(44-371)(P)		f	`	
	SUBJECT:	MURKIN			1:		
.]		OO: MEMPHIS	RE: S	SIMILAR	NAME O	F EARL RAY	ĺ
	advised t issued to	the People's hat it had con	ne manager of the A National Bank of V ne to his attention RAY by a Mrs. ROGE Shington.	Washingt n that a	on, te check	had been	,1 y
	endorseme	ty Supermarke	reported this check t, Memphis, Tenness ne numbers "743-979 imber.	see, and	under	the	
	both to b	reau and the l e negative co	ONNOR checked the readmonds Police Department Mrs. ROGEN 274 80th West, Edmo	artment R L. MIL	and fo LER al	und so known	
	have been Edmonds a for Darig had previ	Snohomish Cou listed since rea from Seat old Farms. Hously been em	termined that the santy, Everett, shown January, 1965, contle. Mr. MILLER was wife, KATHERYN In the sance at least y.	w that t ming to as liste MILLER, City in	he MIL the d as a and Mr Seattl	driver . MILLER e having	
	3-Bureau 2-Memphis 2-Seattle VPC:ms (7)	(44-1987) Searched Jerialized Indexed Filed	So.	yu- g	371-	293	
Apı	proved:		Sent	M Per			

Special Agent in Charge

SE 44-371

A next door neighbor of the MILLERS, one Mrs. JAMES FARMER, 19730 80th Place West, Edmonds, advised that Mr. and Mrs. MILLER and their teenage daughter live next door; that both Mr. and Mrs. MILLER work in Seattle; and that one is a native of the Seattle area and the other a native of the Memphis, Tennessee area and still has relatives in that area.

On the evening of 5/6/68, Mr. and Mrs. ROGER L. MILLER, 19724 80th West, Edmonds, Washington, advised that Mrs. MILLER comes from Memphis, Tennessee, originally and that her sister, MELVA, has been married to EARL RAY for approximately the past 11 years and that they presently reside at 2680 Frisco Street in Memphis, Tennessee, with their two children.

The MILLERS advised that RAY is approximately 38 years of age, a white male, 5'6" in height; 140 pounds in weight; and has coal black hair. They said he has lived in the Memphis area all his life toothe best of their knowledge and that he has been employed in iron work and in a battery shop there. They said he was previously in the military service and has never been in prison to their knowledge. The MILLERS said that EARL and his wife have lived in Memphis ever since they were married and his mother still lives next door. The MILLERS said that EARL's father died approximately one year ago and that he has sisters and brothers in the same area.

Mrs. MILLER stated that as soon as she and her husband read in the newspaper the identity of the suspect in the KING killing, they thought of the name of Mrs. MILLERS brother—in—law; and having known of his whereabouts and activities of the past 11 years and knowing what he looked like, realized that this was only a similarity in names. The MILLERS concluded that to their knowledge, Mrs. MILLER'S brother—in—law's relatives are all in the Memphis area and they were in no way connected with or related to the person charged in the KING killing.

LEAD:

MEMPHIS DIVISION At Memphis, Tennessee

Will, if not already done so at 2680 Frisco Street, check out EARL RAY and determine whether any of his relatives could be identical with JAMES EARL RAY.

ARMED AND DAMGEROUS.

OPTIONAL FORM NO. 10 MAY 1962 EDITION GSA FPMR (41 CFR) 101-11.6

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SEATTLE (44-371)

DATE: May 14, 1968

FROM :

SA WALTER R. BAILEY

SUBJECT:

MURKIN

OO: MEMPHIS

On May 8, 1968, CATHRYN YOUNG, 23501 66th Avenue West, Mountlake Terrace Washington, was interviewed at the U. S. Post Office, Mountlake Terrace Branch. She advised that a man who looked like JAMES EARL RAY had purchased an envelope from her on April 30, 1968. She stated that she had just read an article in "Life" magazine concerning RAY and had seen a 1959 photograph of him. YOUNG advised that the very next person to step up to the counter looked like RAY. She stated that he wore a dark suit and black shoes. She stated that she told the night clerk at the Seattle Office that he was a "young man," but she now thought he was between 40 and 50 years old. When she was asked how much she thought the man weighed, YOUNG replied that she could not remember what the "Life" magazine article had stated that RAY weighed. YOUNG advised he might have been 175 pounds. She described him as 5' 10' tall with brown hair. She said he wrote something in the Post Office lobby and then departed in a dark green Mustang, 1967 model she thought, with Washington license No. SDB- (?).

She stated that the 44-371-la 11 photo of RAY still resembled the man although the photo in "Life" magazine made RAY look much younger. She was unsure whether the man in the Post Office looked as old as the recent photo of RAY.

WRB: bgv (2) /

SEARCHED INDEXED SERIALIZED OF FILED 1968
FBI - SEATTLE



Buy U.S. Savings Bonds Regularly on the Payroll Savings Plan

DECODED COPY

XX Radio

☐ Teletype

URGENT

5-14-68

TO:

ALL FIELD DIVISIONS

FROM:

DIRECTOR

MURKIN.

IN VIEW OF FACT THAT SUBJECT SPENT A CONSIDERABLE SUM OF MONEY FROM APRIL TWO THREE, ONE NINE SIX SEVEN TO APRIL FOUR, ONE NINE SIX EIGHT, AND THE SOURCE OF HIS MONEY HAS NOT BEEN DETERMINED, HIS PHOTOGRAPH SHOULD BE DISPLAYED TO APPROPRIATE WITNESSES IN UNSOLVED BANK ROBBERIES AND BANK BURGLARIES IN THOSE INSTANCES WHERE WITNESSES ARE AVAILABLE. YOU SHOULD ALSO CONSIDER THE REQUESTING OF POLICE DEPARTMENTS TO DISPLAY PHOTOGRAPH OF RAY TO WITNESSES IN THEIR UNSOLVED ROBBERIES.

ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

OPERATOR:

ERB TOR:

2:11PM

CODEWORK: RMT

TOD:

2:40PM

g Erilger

If the intelligence contained in the above message is to b disseminated outside the Bureau, it is suggested that it be suitably paraphrased in order to protect the Bureau's cryptographi ϕ systems.

FΒΙ

Transmit the following in	Dαte: May 13, 1968
	(Type in plaintext or code)
Via AIRTEL	(Priority)
FROM: DIRECTOR, FBI MURKIN RE: R. BUCKLE ReSEairtel 5/8 Seattle has not to eliminate R. Buckley intelly determine whether Des Moines Way South, Second	(44-371) (P) (44-38861) Y - LOOK ALIKE
Sent Via	MAY 14 1838 FBI—SEATTLE M Per

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

то SAC, SLA TLE (44-371)

DATE: 5/13/68

FROM

SA JOHN L. RETCHAM (P)

SUBJECT: MURICIN

On 5/10/68 SAs JOHN L. KETCHAN and JOHN PLIEGE, being apprised of information that a man named ILSTER had allyed same date that he had seen RAY, the KING murderer in the afternoon in Pioncer Square, and later ad seen him coming out if the B & R, 1st and Yester, contacted the ff. individuals, allyadvised they had seen no one resempling photographs (otherwise being identified as these) of AY:

B. & R., operator, TWINKS ODEKIRK, no costoners, all had cone over to the Peuthouse Penthouse CHALLE PUZZO
Blue Banjo, DON XVXX TORGT
Beat officers: COLE and O'BRIEN
Geneva Tavern, CAROL HANIS
Princess Tavern; CARNEL MACK

j1k (1)

SEARCHED INDEXED SERIALIZED FILED FI

5-11-60.

A TOTAL

THE MIL

TO

DIRECTOR, FRI

PHOM:

SAC, HOUSTON (44-1509)

MOJET: WILL

Mar New York tolet he to Bureau dated 4-23-68.

THE: WILDHITE BOOK COMMANY, LEE ANDELES, CALIFORNIA

On May 10, 1966, BETTARD D. WOODS, Chief of Cerurity, Exerny Company, Sets Bulleing, 11915 Ft Coming Real, Clear Loke City, Houston, Texas, adviced the Stationary of the Coming Real Stations, and food the Stationary of Besides to Bosing at Mauston, but is presently electroned with the Bosing of Mauston, but is presently electroned with the Bosing Only of Greenen Aries on and Engineering Co., Bethouse, Long Island, New York, Mis supervisor is Every

HADA

MIN YORK

Contact CSALD D. May to determine the lightly of 3. J. May and if he is related to subject JAMES EAST MAY.

3-Burcan (AM) 2-Memohim (AM) 3-Seattle (Info) (AM) 2-Mew York (AM) 2-Houston

)58-26 (12) 44-31-288 ISEARCHEU MINIEXER

MAY 1 3 1968

Sent Via ____

	Date: May 8, 1968
nit the following in	(Type in plaintext or code)
Airtel	
	(Priority)
All SACS and	LEGATS
) RIT	
From: Director, FBI	. (44–3,6661)
MURKIN OO: MEMPHIS (44-1987	
OO: MEMPHIS (44-150)	,
In connec	ction with the captioned case there has
been speculation tha	at James Earl Ray concocted the alias
of Eric Starvo Galt	by combining the names of characters leming and from a book "Atlas Shrugged"
	speculation is based on the fact that in
	s by Ian Fleming there is a character
	Blofield and in "Atlas Shrugged" there I John Galt, as well as one named Eric
Starnes. Ernst Stav	ro Blofield is a formidable person,
John Galt is a "soci	lal drop out' and Eric Starnes is
described in the boo	ok as a "whiner" from a low-class family.
	of the above and in order that Agents
	tigation can be alert to the possibility
of Ray's utilizing a Fleming's books, the	an alias based on characters in ere is set out as an attachment to
of Ray's utilizing a Fleming's books, the this airtel a list of	an alias based on characters in ere is set out as an attachment to of various characters in those books
of Ray's utilizing a Fleming's books, the this airtel a list of for your assistance.	an alias based on characters in ere is set out as an attachment to of various characters in those books
of Ray's utilizing a Fleming's books, the this airtel a list of	an alias based on characters in ere is set out as an attachment to of various characters in those books
of Ray's utilizing a Fleming's books, the this airtel a list of for your assistance.	an alias based on characters in ere is set out as an attachment to of various characters in those books
of Ray's utilizing a Fleming's books, the this airtel a list of for your assistance.	an alias based on characters in ere is set out as an attachment to of various characters in those books
of Ray's utilizing a Fleming's books, the this airtel a list of for your assistance.	an alias based on characters in ere is set out as an attachment to of various characters in those books
of Ray's utilizing a Fleming's books, the this airtel a list of for your assistance.	an alias based on characters in ere is set out as an attachment to of various characters in those books
of Ray's utilizing a Fleming's books, the this airtel a list of for your assistance.	an alias based on characters in the is set out as an attachment to of various characters in those books 144-371-227
of Ray's utilizing a Fleming's books, the this airtel a list of for your assistance.	an alias based on characters in the is set out as an attachment to of various characters in those books A44-371-287 SEANCHED INDEXED
of Ray's utilizing a Fleming's books, the this airtel a list of for your assistance.	an alias based on characters in the is set out as an attachment to of various characters in those books A44-371-287

M Per_

CHARACTERS IN BOOKS

Smyert Shpionam

BY IAN FLEMING

CASINO ROYALE

James Bond

de Villorin Goytchev

Duclos Garrad-Jones

Dasilva Petchora

Clements Donovan

Caffery Harthrop-Vane

Fawcett Ventnor

Herr Nummer Mace

Herr Ziffer Savarin

Smersh Mathis

Deauville Charles Dasilva

Le Touquet Kingston

Zographos Monsieur Muntz

Royale

Cypher Trouville

•

Strasbourg Vesper Lynd

Archivist Dior

Alsace Lorraine

Monsieur Sixte

Lord Danvers

Carmel Delane

Signor Tomelli

Rene Mathis

Monsieur Versoix

Adolph Gettler

Herr Gettler

DIAMONDS ARE FOREVER

Galland

Sillitoe

Daker

Jacoby

Bronsteen

Sefton Delmer

DeBeers

Ronnie Vallance

Rufus B. Saye, wa,

Jack Spang

Peter Franks

Tiffany Case

Sergeant Dankwaerts

Sergeant Lobiniere

Mister Grunspan

Willy Behrens

George Feyer

Michael Tree, wa,

Shady Tree

Seraffimo Spang

W. Winter

Mike Hammer

Rocky

Felix Leiter

Pickapepper

Mauve Decade

Bill Winfrey

Kid Tatters

Lame-Brain Pissaro

Belair Stud

Mr. Weiss

Windy Wint

Boofy Kidd

Ernie Cuneo

Jack Entratter

Bobby Bilbo

Mr. Lucian

Frasso

McGonigle

Captain Hook

B. Kitteridge

Mr. Rothblatt

THE DIAMOND SMUGGLERS

Ian Fleming

Sir Reginald Leeper

Mr. Swart

Brigadier Rademeyer

Volk

Bernard Nealon

John Blaize

Williamson

Prospector Katze

du Raan

Mr. Louwrens

Sergeant Cilliers

Andries Coetzze

Alexander Foote

Desmond

Percy Sillitoe

Ernest Oppenheimer

J. A. Brink

Claasens

Bill Syer

Fuchs

LeBeers

THE DIAMOND SMUGGLERS

Van Blommestein & Birt

Tim Patterson

Piet Willers

T. S. Patterson

Blake

Davis

de Graaf

Mrs. Coetzze

Christine Granville

Sammy Silberstein

Captain van der Westhuisen

William Percival Radley ("Tony")

Donald Miles

Henry Orford

Blaize

Bernard Nealon

Harry Morgan

Finkle

William N. Witherspoon

P. M. R. Willis

Ardayast Powanlian

David Mitchel

Frank Wile

Max Pop

Francis Gballeit

Arthur Sherman

Belcher

Herbert Cox

Monsieur Diamant

Harry Openheimer

Kutze

Groffelaar

Patrick Sullivan

Leiser Weitman

John Gundry

Willy Rosen

Sillitoe

Henry Brasseur

Kheir

Mr. Capper

Robert Johnson

Ernest Oppenheimer

THE DIAMOND SMUGGLERS

Lyall

Philip Schreiber

Amschel Benny Engel

M. Lallet

M. Mario Pinci

Alio Giwa

Nathan Ascher Glatt

Dr. H. P. Lowe

H. J. Browning (Mr.)

Solomon Cukrowicz

David Gollansky

Alahaju Mustafa Ibrahim

Mike Collins

R. F. Sheldon

Mr. H. Rogers

Harras

DOCTOR NO

John Strangways

M

Bill Templar

Stoker Smith

James Molony

Dr. Peter Steincrohn

Major Boothroyd

Quarrel

Hugh Foot

Mr. Pleydell-Smith

Ben Gibbons

Josiah Smith

John Bryce

Waygood Otis

Julius No

Lemmy

FOR YOUR EYES ONLY

Rattray

Bates

Proctor

Pyramus

Thisbe

Havelock

Jimmy Farquharson

Aschenhe im

Fayprince

Henriques

Feddens

Major Gonzales

von Hammerstein

Colonel Johns

Haversack

Burns Martin

Monty

Ethan Allen

Robin Hood

Harvey Millers

Godalming

Cheltenham

Tunbridge Wells

Governor

Philip Masters

FOR YOUR EYES ONLY

Tattersall

Whitehall

Albergo Colomba D'oro

Signor Kristatos

Ronnie Vallance

Santos

Enrico Colombo

Van Cleef

Mr. Toad

Albergo Daniell

Milton Krest

Mr. Abedana

Professor Hildebrand

FROM RUSSIA WITH LOVE

Donovan Grant

"Red" Grant

Krassno Granitsky

"Granit"

Dr. Baumgarten

Colonel Arkday Fotoyev

Lt. Col. Nikolai Godlovsky

General Ivan Aleksandrovitch Serov

Colonel General Grubozaboyschikov

Lt. General Slavin

Lt. General Vozdvishensky

Tokaev

Khoklov

Petrov

Rene Mathis

Drax

Colonel Klebb

Kronsteen

Makharov

Fouche

Professor Deniken

Darko Kerim

Lermontov

Swaine

Adeney

Wilkinson

Kerim Bey

Cecil Beaton

-5-

FROM RUSSIA WITH LOVE

GOLDFINGER

Croesus

David Somerset

Bianco

Major Dansey

Gvllius

Vavra

Krilencu

Zora

Vida

Boris Kerim

Melchior Benz

Kurt Goldfarb

Stefan Trempo

"Tempo"

Captain Norman Nash

Wilbur Frank

Comtesse Metterstein

Rosa Malheur

Blackwell

Schwab

Santos

Johnny Crawford

Auric Goldfinger

Mr. Armour

Jill Masterton

Colonel Smithers

Sassoon

Ellerman

Lord Cowdray

Hambros

Williamson

Oppenheimer

Boris Anrep

Hopton Wood

Alfred Blacking

Farquharson

Hawker

Lord Lonsdale

Homer

Philip Scrutton

Foulks

Hagen

Bernard Darwin

Mr. Scotland

Le Touquet

Tilly Masterton

Dr. Foch

Mr. Gold

Helmut M. Springer

Rothschilds, Barings, Jed Midnight

Billy (The Grinner)Ring

Jack Strap

Mr. Solo

Jim Colossino

Slappy Hapgood

Giulio -

Bloody Morgan

Cortez

GOLDFINGER

O' Brien
Weathership Charlie
Dutch Schuyts
Napoleon, Hitler

LIVE AND LET DIE

Grady

Arthur Fein

Buonaparte Ignace Gallia

Tee-Hee Johnson

Leigh Fermor

Samuel D. Baldwin

Mr. Halloran

Captain Dexter

Zachary Smith

Baron Samedi

Sam Miami

G-G Sumatra

Flannel

Mr. Bryce

Quarre1

THE MAN WITH THE GOLDEN GUN

Ħ.

Captain Walker

Major Townsend

Mr. Robson

Sir James Molony

Bill Tanner

Ramon "The Rod" Rodriguez

Enrico Scaramanga

Harold L. Peterson

Oliver Winchester

Beau Desert

Commander Edmund G. Ross

Mark Hazard

Tony Hugill

Mr. Brown

Francisco Scaramanga

Mr. Hendriks

Sam Binion

Leroy Gengerella

Hal Garfinkel

7-

THE MAN WITH THE GOLDEN GUN

Louie Paradise

Mr. Travis

Mr. Nick Nicholson

Stanley Jones

King Tiger

Sir Alexander Bustamante

Mr. Scramble

Mr. Arosio

Rastafari

Macdonald

Bannister

Percival Sampson

Lister Smith

Justile Morris Cargill

Donatz

Guderian

MCONRAKER

Hugo Drax ("Hugger")

Jack Hobbs

Gordon Richards

Basildon (Basil)

Tranby Croft

Steffi Esposito

Meyer

Gibbon

Longchamp

Brevett

Canfield

Dangerfield

Max

Porterfield

Grimley

General Bealey

Duff Sutherland

Morphy

Ronnie Vallance

Tallon

Gala Brand

Egon Bartsch

Professor Train

Dr. Walter

Willy Krebs

Marie Laurencin

Leica

Baxter

Professor Bhose

Galatea

Graf Hugo von der

Drache

Kaltenbrunner

Otto Skorzeny

Group Captain Tandy

Peter Trimble

Detective-Inspector

Vivian