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Synopsis: CHARLES J. STEIN reinterviewed relative to his trip from Los Angeles, California, to New Orleans, Louisiana, and return with RAY during December, 1967 and the retracing of this trip with LOUIS LOMAX, Los Angeles television personality and newspaper reporter during April, 1968. STEIN provided information regarding his own background and possible associates of RAY. RITA STEIN, sister of CHARLES J. STEIN and associate of RAY while in Los Angeles, interviewed relative to phone calls made by her. MARIE MARTIN interviewed, furnished personal information about RAY. Investigation conducted regarding alleged female associates of RAY as reported by LOUIS LOMAX in news media and CHARLES STEIN resulted that allegation erroneous. RAY joined "The Local Swinger", a correspondence club and sent photograph of himself and letter to PATRICIA K. ANDERSON requesting date. He also submitted advertisement to Los Angeles Free Press, avant garde newspaper, requesting dates. Neighborhood investigation in vicinity of St. Francis Hotel and 1535 North Serrano Avenue, residences of RAY while in Los Angeles not productive as to present location of RAY. Individuals from Los Angeles area registered at Rio and Tropicana Hotels, Puerto Vallarta, Jalisco, Mexico, during October and November, 1967 interviewed regarding knowledge of RAY with negative results. ANITA KATZWINKEL, whose name appeared in material located in abandoned 1966 Mustang in Atlanta, Georgia, stated she did not know RAY. Bed linen located

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in 1966 Mustang determined to have been included in Los Angeles laundry order of RAY's. Interview of associates at National Dance Studio and International School of Bartending developed information relative to RAY's habits, personal appearance and description. RAY received treatments from Dr. MARK O. FREEMAN, Clinical Psychologist, to overcome shyness and gain social confidence during November and December, 1967 in Los Angeles. RAY purchased Japanese handcuffs from mail order house in Los Angeles during February, 1968. Toll calls made from phone listed to RAY while residing at 1535 North Serrano Avenue, Los Angeles, reviewed and no pertinent information developed. RAY while residing in Montreal, Canada, during July and August, 1967, purchased money orders for merchandise ordered from Los Angeles mail order houses. Tire on abandoned 1966 Mustang made from mold manufactured in Lynwood, California. RAY directed letter to American-Southern Africa Council, Washington, D.C. requesting information on Rhodesia stating he received Council's address from John Birch Society, Los Angeles. He is unknown to John Birch Society. CHARLES STEIN advised RAY drove him, RITA STEIN and MARIE MARTIN to American Independent Party, headquarters, Los Angeles, to register affiliation with that political party. RAY unknown to RODERIC BURNS DUFF, active in presidential campaign for GEORGE C. WALLACE. FBI Laboratory reports typewritten impressions on letters sent by RAY to "The Local Swinger" and advertisement sent to "Los Angeles Free Press" to be the same as impressions previously submitted. ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

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ASSOCIATES OF JAMES EARL RAY

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One photograph of ERIC S. GALT, as obtained from TOMAS LAU, International School of Bartending, 2125 Sunset Boulevard, Los Angeles, California, was shown to CHARLES J. STEIN at 5666 Franklin Avenue, Los Angeles, California. STEIN commented, "That's him, that's him". STEIN stated that the individual in the photograph shown was ERIC S. GALT.

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CHARLES J. STEIN, 5666 Franklin Avenue, Los Angeles, California, was reinterviewed and advised that he can recollect one telephone call made by JAMES EARL RAY while they were enroute to New Orleans. STEIN advised that the call was made from a telephone booth located near Houston, Texas, west of Houston. He advised that at approximately 9:00 p.m. on December 16, 1967, RAY was driving and turned off the freeway onto an access road paralleling the freeway heading toward Houston. He stated RAY stopped at a phone booth by a service station. He does not recollect the particular gas sold at this station. He advised that a liquor store was next to the service station, but does not recollect on what side. He stated that at the point they turned off, the freeway was eight lanes across, and there was a fence between the freeway and the access road. He stated that he does not remember how far away from Houston they were at the time of the phone call. STEIN advised that at the time of the call he bought a cup of coffee in the service station and some candy or gum in the liquor store. STEIN advised that the above information is accurate. He advised that he did not intentionally withhold this information upon prior interviews, and only recently remembered the details of the phone call.

STEIN also advised that he has been contacted by LOUIS LOMAX, a Los Angeles newspaper man. STEIN stated that LOMAX told him he was the "key" to the KING case. STEIN stated LOMAX told him that if they solved the case, they would split the reward. STEIN advised that he told LOMAX he did not believe they could capture RAY. STEIN advised that LOMAX then told him that they need not capture RAY to collect the reward, but only obtain the information giving the solution to the case. STEIN also advised that four thousand dollars had been mentioned to him as payment for his cooperating with a newsman in investigating this case. STEIN refused to state whether this newsman was LOUIS LOMAX. He advised that LOMAX was to contact him at 4:00 p.m. today. STEIN stated that he has been

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truthful in all prior interviews by the FBI, and will remain cooperative with the FBI. He stated that he will report all information that comes to him, but he also fears that the FBI could prevent him from collecting half of the reward by immediate investigation of information he obtains.

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Mr. CHARLES J. STEIN voluntarily appeared at the Los Angeles FBI Office, 1340 West Sixth Street, and after being advised of the identity of the interviewing agents was interviewed regarding a newspaper article authored by LOUIS LOMAX, which had appeared in the New Orleans, Louisiana "Times-Picayune Newspaper" on April 24, 1968.

STEIN was asked whether or not he had furnished information to LOMAX regarding his and JAMES EARL RAY's trip to New Orleans in December, 1967, which he had not furnished previously to the FBI. STEIN commented that he had been working with LOMAX in trying to develop information regarding people who knew RAY while in Los Angeles and regarding the present whereabouts of RAY. In this connection, STEIN advised that he and LOMAX have recently interviewed several people in the Los Angeles area whom STEIN stated had information concerning RAY but who were afraid to furnish this information to the FBI because they were involved in "other things" and believed these "other things" would come to the attention of the FBI if they furnished what they knew concerning RAY. STEIN stated that he knew these people, that they would talk to him, and that he was helping LOMAX interview these people. He stated these people were not afraid of him as they would be afraid of an agent of the FBI or any other law enforcement officer. STEIN stated that LOMAX was also paying good money for information from these people and that they were talking to him.

STEIN was then asked the identity of these people, and he advised that he did not wish to reveal their identities because they did not want their identities to be revealed and he did not want to misplace their trust in him. STEIN also stated that he felt it would be morally wrong to furnish information to the agents which he had obtained while in the company of LOMAX, and in affect, he would consider himself as having stolen this information from LOMAX. When pressed further to reveal the identities of the persons whom he and LOMAX had interviewed and whom allegedly knew RAY while in

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Los Angeles, STEIN asked "If you are so anxious to learn who these people are, why don't you go see LOMAX. He knows who they are and he has the whole picture."

When asked whether he had furnished information to LOMAX to the effect that RAY had been seen in the parking lot of the Sears and Roebuck's Company Store located on Pico Boulevard on or about Valentine's Day, 1968, STEIN advised that he had not furnished LOMAX with this information. When asked where he thought LOMAX obtained this information, STEIN stated it was possible that his sister, RITA STEIN, gave this information to LOMAX.

When asked what information he had regarding a woman by the name of JERI, STEIN advised that JERI is a blonde girl, about 5'2", and according to information developed by he and LOMAX, JERI lived with RAY while RAY resided in Los Angeles. According to STEIN, JERI was presently in Milwaukee, Wisconsin and has used several names in the past, one of which he believed was DARELL. When asked to furnish the source of this information, STEIN declined to furnish the identity of the specific source but claimed this information had been developed by he and LOMAX during interviews of people who claimed to have known RAY while RAY was in Los Angeles.

STEIN then advised he and LOMAX had also determined that there was a girl who worked out of the Vegas Club located on Hollywood Boulevard across from the St. Francis Hotel who had dated RAY one time while he was in Los Angeles. STEIN further described this girl as a white female, short and fat in stature who goes by the name of HELENA, the Greek Goddess. According to STEIN, this girl continues to reside in the Los Angeles area.

When asked about a second trip RAY made to New Orleans, Louisiana, from Los Angeles, California, several days following Valentine's Day, 1968, STEIN advised that here again, he and LOMAX had developed information

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Mr. CHARLES JOSEPH STEIN, 5666 Franklin Avenue, was contacted at his residence, and after being advised of the identity of the interviewing agents, he was interviewed regarding his association with the man known to him as ERIC STARVO GALT, who is also known as James Earl Ray.

Prior to the outset of the interview, a black and white Polaroid photograph, depicting a male Caucasian seated in a chair, was shown to STEIN. He was asked if he knew who that person was, or if he had ever seen the person depicted in the photograph before. STEIN, without hesitation, answered, "Yeh". He was then asked the identity of the person. STEIN replied, "That's GALT. ERIC GALT." STEIN was then asked if the photograph was a good likeness of GALT. STEIN replied that it was a very good likeness. The background of the photograph was pointed out to STEIN, and he was asked if he knew any apartment or hotel room in the Los Angeles area whose walls were covered with flowered wallpaper like that shown in the photograph. STEIN stated that he did not. He was then asked if he owned a Polaroid camera, if RITA STEIN or MARIE MARTIN owned one, or if he knew whether GALT owned one. STEIN replied he did not own a Polaroid camera, he did not believe RITA STEIN or MARIE MARTIN owned one, and he never observed one in GALT's possession

STEIN was then asked to furnish information regarding his initial meeting with GALT. In response to this request, STEIN advised that on the night of December 14, 1967, at about 8:00 or 9:00 P.M., he was sitting at home, 5660 Franklin Avenue. RITA STEIN was not there, and STEIN was alone except for RITA's two small boys. At about 8:00 or 9:00 P.M., RITA STEIN came home alone. When she came in, RITA said that she and MARIE had been asking around the Sultan Room about getting a ride to New Orleans, Louisiana. MARIE is MARIE MARTIN, cousin of CHARLES and RITA STEIN, and the Sultan Room is a hotel bar, located in the St. Francis Hotel, 5533 Hollywood Boulevard, Hollywood, California. STEIN advised that at the time in question, MARTIN was employed as a cocktail waitress at the Sultan Room.

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After telling CHARLES STEIN about asking around the Sultan Room in order to secure a ride to New Orleans, RITA STEIN then stated they had met a guy at the Sultan Bar who was willing to take CHARLES to New Orleans so he could pick up two of RITA's children. RITA then told CHARLES STEIN she wanted him to meet this individual. RITA STEIN then left the apartment to return to the Sultan Room. CHARLES STEIN stated that after his sister RITA left, he got dressed and went to the Sultan Room. STEIN did not recall how he traveled to the Sultan Room that night, nor did he recall RITA's mode of transportation. He thought it possible she might have borrowed MARTIN's car.

STEIN then advised that when he arrived at the Sultan Room he saw MARTIN and RITA standing at the far end of the bar next to a man seated at the bar. One of the girls motioned for him to come over to where they were gathered. He did so, and as soon as he had walked up to them, either MARTIN or RITA introduced him to the man, saying, "CHARLIE, this is ERIC." MARTIN then told STEIN that "This is the guy who will take you to New Orleans to pick up RITA's two children". STEIN stated the children referred to are RITA's two girls, KIM and CHERYL, and at that time RITA was planning to bring them from New Orleans to Los Angeles. At this point in the interview, STEIN was asked if this was the first time he had ever met the man whom he knew as ERIC GALT. STEIN replied that this was the first time he had ever met GALT.

STEIN advised he did not recall if the arrangements for the trip to New Orleans were made at this time. He stated he does not drink alcoholic beverages, and believes he had a glass of orange juice and left. He explained he did not believe any specific arrangements were made for the trip, because when he was introduced to GALT he got strong "vibrations" from GALT that made him feel uneasy. When asked to explain "vibrations", STEIN advised GALT seemed somewhat apprehensive about meeting him and going to New Orleans with him. STEIN advised he got the definite impression at the time that both RITA and MARTIN had given GALT the idea he would make the trip to New Orleans with RITA, and then when he, STEIN, came on the "scene" GALT felt he was being set up.

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STEIN advised he recalls thinking both RITA and MARTIN were using him and GALT to do something for them. STEIN explained he could understand GALT's apprehension at the time, for GALT expected to take RITA on the trip and when he was introduced to a "big, hairy ape", GALT must have thought he was being set up for a robbery. STEIN advised he really thinks that must have been the case, because MARTIN told him later that after he, STEIN, had left the Sultan Room, GALT made a comment to the effect of, "That he would hate to have to kill someone." STEIN stated MARTIN told him of this remark after KING's assassination; if she had told him about it before, he would never have made the trip with GALT. After leaving the Sultan Room, STEIN returned home and went to bed. He could not recall if RITA returned with him, or she stayed at the Sultan Room and returned home later.

Around 9:00 or 10:00 A.M., December 15, 1967, MARIE MARTIN came to STEIN's residence on Franklin Avenue, to discuss details of the arrangements for the trip to New Orleans. GALT also showed up at his home. STEIN was unable to recall if GALT came with MARTIN or alone. The arrangements for the trip to New Orleans were explained by MARTIN to STEIN in the presence of GALT. MARTIN stated, "If we register for WALLACE, ERIC will pay the expenses for the trip." STEIN again advised he does not recall if MARTIN and GALT came to his home together because he had just gotten out of bed. RITA STEIN was also present during this conversation. When asked what GALT said during the time MARTIN was telling him of the arrangements, STEIN advised that GALT just stood there with a smile on his face, not saying anything. Everyone present agreed to register to vote for GEORGE WALLACE, ex-governor of Alabama.

Thereafter, CHARLES and RITA STEIN, MARIE MARTIN, ERIC GALT, and possibly RITA's two boys, left the apartment and got into GALT's white Ford Mustang which was parked in front of the STEINs' house.

STEIN advised that GALT drove, he sat in the passenger seat in front, and RITA STEIN, MARIE MARTIN, and the two children, if they were along, sat in the back seat. GALT drove

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them directly to the voter registration office. While en route GALT explained to everyone they did not have to vote for WALLACE, but just register for the American Independent Party so WALLACE could get enough signatures to qualify for the California primary ballot. STEIN advised that GALT made a few other comments while driving to the voter registration office but he could not recall what they were. He did advise that GALT seemed to know the way to the registration office, which was on Lankershim Boulevard, across the street from the Riviera Sofa Company.

STEIN advised that upon arriving at the voter registration office, he, RITA, MARIE, and GALT entered the office. STEIN, RITA and MARIE were registered by an elderly white woman in the office. She was further described by STEIN as being about fifty to sixty years old, wearing glasses, giving the appearance of being short in stature, but of medium build, having grey, short hair, and having a pleasant personality. Also present in the office was another person whom STEIN described as a white male, forty to fifty years old, slender build, tall, slightly grey hair, possibly wearing glasses, and dressed in business attire. Upon completion of registration, all three were issued voter registration receipts. GALT did not register. While they were being registered, GALT sat nearby. GALT made a few remarks to the man present, but STEIN did not recall what they were. While in the office, GALT and STEIN both served themselves coffee from a coffee urn which was located on a table to the rear of the room in which they registered.

STEIN advised he received the definite impression that GALT seemed to be familiar with this voter registration office. When asked why he received this impression, STEIN stated that he could not pinpoint anything specifically that GALT said or did, but he recalled that GALT appeared more relaxed while at the office and seemed to know right where the coffee urn was located.

After leaving the registration office, everyone returned to STEIN's home on Franklin Avenue in GALT's car. STEIN then advised he packed his belongings to take on the trip. MARIE MARTIN had a box of clothes she wanted dropped off at the home of her mother, LORRAINE CALLAWAY, in New Orleans.

STEIN loaded his suitcase in the trunk of GALT's Mustang. He observed GALT's suitcase was also in the trunk, and he, in fact, had to move it to make room for his own. This was a blue suitcase, and STEIN advised it appeared similar to the one depicted in photographs he has seen of GALT's suitcase, subsequent to the assassination of KING. STEIN advised that also located in the trunk, on the right hand side, was what appeared to be a Kodak camera box. This box was yellow and black in color, was about two and a half feet long, and a foot wide. STEIN stated he did not recall any lettering on the box, and presumed it was a Kodak camera box because of the familiar yellow and black colors used by the Kodak Company. STEIN did not recall seeing anything else in the trunk of the car. When he entered the car, he observed some papers in the glove compartment as he was putting some candy in there. He did not closely inspect these papers. In addition to loading his own suitcase into the trunk of the car, STEIN advised he loaded the box of clothing brought by MARTIN in the back seat of the Mustang. He did not observe anything else in the back or front seat area.

After loading up his belongings, STEIN advised that he and GALT entered the car, GALT drove, and they traveled to GALT's apartment at 1535 North Serrano Street in Hollywood. GALT told STEIN he wanted to pick up his mail there before leaving. When they arrived at the Serrano apartment, GALT got out of the car and went inside the building. STEIN remained in the car. GALT was not gone long, and returned carrying at least two letters which he placed in an inside breast pocket of his suit coat. Both letters were in white envelopes, but one envelope was a long, business-type envelope. STEIN advised he did not know if there were more than two letters, nor was he able to observe any addresses on the envelopes.

STEIN advised they left the Serrano apartment at about 12:00 noon, on December 15, 1967, and began the trip to New Orleans, Louisiana from there. They did not stop for gasoline prior to leaving the Los Angeles area. As STEIN recalled, the gas gauge of the Mustang showed a full tank of gas when they left the city. STEIN stated they stopped for gas for the first time at an unknown location in what he thought was the State of Arizona. He did recall that it was dark when they stopped. When they stopped, GALT got out of the car,

but STEIN remained in it. While at the gas station a woman asked STEIN where he was going and he told her New Orleans. This woman then said they had better spend the night because the sheriff had told her the roads ahead were in bad condition due to a heavy snowfall.

STEIN stated he did not tell GALT about the woman's remarks because he wanted to be sure GALT would continue the trip. They drove through the entire night, and took turns driving while the other slept. At this point, STEIN was asked why he and GALT did not spend the night in a motel at any place during the trip. In reply, STEIN advised he did not really want to spend the night anyplace because GALT was already paying for everything and he did not want to impose on him anymore. Further, STEIN advised that at one point during the trip, GALT asked him if he wanted to stop at a motel and he, STEIN, told him no, that they could take turns driving and drive straight through to New Orleans. GALT agreed with this. He also advised the matter was not brought up again, and they also drove straight through on the return trip to Los Angeles; but he personally would preferred to have stopped at a motel on the return trip.

At this time in the interview, STEIN mentioned that during the trip to New Orleans, GALT told him the name and address of the person with whom he had business with in New Orleans. STEIN stated that at the beginning of the trip to New Orleans he was under the impression GALT was making the trip as a favor to RITA STEIN and MARIE MARTIN. On what he believes was the morning of the first full day on the road, STEIN advised, he told GALT he was really grateful to him for doing such a kind thing. When he told GALT this, GALT answered him by stating that he was not doing anyone a favor because he had business to conduct in New Orleans. GALT mentioned the name and address of the person he was going to see. STEIN advised he did not recall either the name or address of this person; however, he did state that the name was an Italian-sounding name, was a well-known name in New Orleans, and the street name gave him a mental picture of the Chalmette - Industrial Canal area of New Orleans.

Sometime early the next morning, December 16, 1967, STEIN recalled being in New Mexico. He had observed snow on the ground all through Arizona and New Mexico. He recalls specifically traveling through Las Cruces, New Mexico and El Paso, Texas. He believed it was in, or near, El Paso, Texas, where GALT purchased a used tire for the Mustang at a tire store which had a large pile of used tires piled near the front of the store. The tire cost four dollars. STEIN advised that GALT purchased the tire because the tire on the right front side of the Mustang was a larger size than the other tires. He stated that at the time he thought it peculiar for a man, who had as much money as GALT appeared to have, should have such bad tires on his car. GALT did not have the tire put on his car at the same place he purchased it. He continued to drive down the road for about two hours and then pulled into a service station to have the tire changed. Later in the evening of this same day, December 16, GALT made a telephone call from a public coin box phone booth. STEIN recalled that he was sleeping; but then woke up, saw they had stopped and observed GALT standing in the phone box talking on the phone. GALT talked for quite some time. STEIN was of the opinion this call was made somewhere in the vicinity of Houston, Texas. He also stated it was dark at the time as he can recall the light in the phone booth shining down on GALT while he made the call. STEIN advised he did not recall the general surroundings of the area in which the phone booth was located; or, whether it was in a gas station, a shopping center, or standing by itself. He did think, however, that if he saw the phone booth again he would probably recall it. STEIN was questioned further regarding this phone call and, in response to questions, advised this phone call was the only one he actually observed being made by GALT. However, at several other stops they made GALT was out of his sight for short periods of time and during these times GALT could have made other phone calls. STEIN advised that when GALT returned to the car after making the phone call, he, GALT, appeared to be tense and somewhat deep in thought. This condition lasted about twenty minutes or a half hour. When asked if he recalled traveling through Houston, Texas, STEIN stated he did not recall passing through there but commented he was sleeping off and on during this time.

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At about 12:00 noon, December 17, they arrived in Kenner, Louisiana, and stopped along Airline Highway where STEIN took over driving the Mustang because he was familiar with the area. STEIN drove directly to LORRAINE CALLAWAY's house located on Bartholemew Street in New Orleans. STEIN got out of the car and delivered the box of clothing for MARIE MARTIN. GALT remained in the car. CALLAWAY was sitting on the front porch and STEIN talked to her for a few minutes. She did not know he was coming to New Orleans and did not recognize him at first because he was wearing a beard. STEIN did not mention GALT's name to CALLAWAY during their conversation. Then STEIN returned to the car and drove to his cousin's house which is located near CALLAWAY's home. STEIN did not recall the exact location of this house, nor did he know her name, other than to call her "T.T.". His purpose in going there was to borrow her car while he was in New Orleans but she was using it. During this stop, GALT remained in the car. STEIN then drove with GALT to his mother's home, located at 1907½ Royal Street. His mother's name is CLOVINA ALONZO. He had to park about one half block from her house. GALT remained in the car and his mother did not see him. He asked GALT if he wanted to come in and meet his mother, but GALT told him no, that he wanted to get to a motel so he could clean up and change his clothes. STEIN advised he recalls thinking at the time he did not know why GALT was in such a hurry to get cleaned up because his suit looked very presentable even though he had slept in it for three days.

After unloading his belongings, STEIN then drove GALT to the Provincial Motel, located a short distance from his mother's house. GALT got out of the car and went inside and registered at the motel. While registering, GALT gave his name loud enough to the desk clerk, that STEIN, outside the motel, could hear him say, "ERIC GALT".

After he had registered, GALT got back into the Mustang and drove STEIN back to his mother's house. GALT dropped STEIN off and started on his way back to the Provincial Motel. He went just a short distance, when he returned, and asked STEIN for further directions as to how to return to the motel. STEIN gave him further directions, and GALT drove off again.

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Later that same day, around 2:00 or 3:00 P.M., STEIN went for a walk with his son, CHARLES STEIN, JR., and a friend of his son's, by the name of SAL, last name unknown. They walked through the French Market area of the French Quarter, down Canal Street, and then over to the new Trade Mart Building located on Canal Street near the Customs Building which STEIN stated he had never seen before.

STEIN then advised that later during the evening of December 17, he was at the home of his sister, MARIE LEE. GALT commented he had seen STEIN and the two boys earlier that day near the Trade Mart Building. GALT stated he was having a beer at a bar in the area at the time he observed STEIN and the two boys. STEIN advised that GALT visited him at his sister's home where STEIN ended up staying while in New Orleans. STEIN advised he could not recall exactly how GALT knew how to get to his sister's home, but it was possible he gave GALT his sister's telephone number so GALT would have someplace to get in touch with him. STEIN stated that probably GALT contacted him at his sister's that night and he gave GALT the directions to her house. STEIN stated he recalled going out and waiting in the front of his sister's house for GALT to arrive. This was at about 8:00 P.M. GALT came into the house and STEIN introduced GALT to his sister. They talked a short while, but GALT did not have much to say; however, by the remarks GALT made STEIN formed the impression GALT was familiar with the New Orleans area. During this visit, GALT stated he had seen the persons he had business with in New Orleans sometime prior to his arrival at MARIE LEE's house. STEIN advised that GALT asked if STEIN was ready to go back to Los Angeles yet. STEIN stated that when the trip to New Orleans was discussed with him originally, it was planned to return from New Orleans on Wednesday (March 20, 1967). STEIN stated he was surprised GALT wanted to return so quickly, and suggested to GALT they stay overnight anyway. He told GALT they should check the weather before leaving, because he did not want to drive back through any snow storm. STEIN told GALT this because STEIN wanted to remain in New Orleans for a while to visit friends and rest up. GALT was agreeable to remaining in New Orleans until they checked further into the weather conditions. GALT then left the LEE home by himself.

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STEIN advised that the following day, December 18, he did all he could to avoid seeing GALT because he wanted to visit further with his relatives. On the evening of December 19, GALT arrived at the home of MARIE LEE to pick up STEIN and return to Los Angeles. To the best of his recollection, STEIN advised that he and GALT, his sister MARIE LEE, a friend of his by the name of CHARLES CHARVELLO (Phonetic), and his mother, Mrs. CLOVINA ALONZO, were also present. CHARVELLO (Phonetic) helped STEIN load his belongings into GALT's car. STEIN advised that he then got into CHARVELLO's Yellow Cab, and he and CHARVELLO (Phonetic) drove to his mother's house to pick up RITA STEIN's two daughters, KIM and CHERYL. GALT followed them in his white Ford Mustang. Thereafter, STEIN, GALT and the two children departed New Orleans en route to Los Angeles, California. They left New Orleans from Mrs. ALONZO's home.

STEIN advised that on the return trip they drove straight through, stopping for gas and food only, which consisted mostly of hamburgers. They arrived back in Los Angeles on December 21, 1967, sometime during the morning. GALT dropped STEIN and the two children off at 5666 Franklin Avenue.

STEIN advised that at one time during the trip to and from New Orleans, GALT told STEIN that he had sold his interest in a bar in Mexico to his Mexican partner not further identified.

STEIN advised that on the way to New Orleans, while passing through what he recalled was the State of Arizona, GALT was driving and STEIN was asleep in the front passenger's seat. STEIN stated he awoke to find the car in a skid. The force of the skid kept STEIN from raising his head. The car spun around several times and finally ended up off the road. STEIN advised this occurred during the snow storm sometime after the first gasoline stop. Prior to dropping off to sleep, before the skid occurred, STEIN stated he had asked GALT if he wanted him to drive, but GALT told him no, that he was used to driving in snowy weather. STEIN stated he recalled telling GALT, before he dropped off to sleep, that if he did go into a spin because of the ice on the road, he should not "hit" the brakes because that would only make the spin worse. After

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they had spun off the road, STEIN asked GALT if he had "hit" the brakes, and at first GALT denied doing so. However, he later admitted "hitting" the brakes and laughed about the incident. STEIN advised that they pulled out of the spin when the front bumper got caught on a strand of wire fence. STEIN feels that if this had not occurred, they would have turned over.

Regarding the trip to New Orleans, STEIN further advised that at the beginning he forgot GALT's name. He was embarrassed about this, so the next morning following the day they left Los Angeles, he came right out and asked GALT what his name was. STEIN advised that GALT repeated to him about three or four times, "ERIC GALT".

When STEIN was asked if he ever observed the Alabama license plates on GALT's white Mustang, STEIN stated he first observed GALT's white Mustang parked in front of the St. Francis Hotel, on Hollywood Boulevard on the evening of December 14, 1967, when he went there to meet GALT at the Sultan Room. STEIN stated he did not recall the license number, but did recall noting that the name "Alabama", or an abbreviation thereof, was written on the license plate. In addition to the plates on the car, STEIN stated he observed two license plates lying on the rear panel, below the rear window, inside the car. These plates had black numbers on a white background; however, he did not observe from what state they were issued because only a portion of one plate was visible. These plates were not there when GALT arrived at 5666 Franklin Avenue, the following morning to take STEIN and the others to the WALLACE voter registration office, nor did STEIN ever see them again.

At this point in the interview, STEIN was asked if he ever saw GALT again subsequent to the time they had returned to Los Angeles from New Orleans. He advised he did observe GALT on a couple of occasions at the Sultan Room of the St. Francis Hotel. On one of these occasions, GALT mentioned to him that he had "just finished bartending school". STEIN advised that sometime after this, either RITA STEIN or MARIE MARTIN mentioned to him that GALT was going to New Orleans

again. STEIN said he thought GALT liked hamburgers because that was all he ate on the trip to New Orleans. STEIN was not familiar with where GALT ate his meals while in Los Angeles.

At this point in the interview, STEIN was asked if GALT's white Ford Mustang was ever at 3340 Floyd Terrace, Hollywood, or had GALT ever visited that address while STEIN resided there. STEIN advised that the first time he ever saw GALT was on the night of December 14, 1967; that he never laid eyes on GALT prior to that time and GALT never visited him at 3340 Floyd Terrace. STEIN did advise that for a part of the time he resided at that address he was employed as a salesman for Burbank Ford Company, Burbank, California, at which time he was given the use of a canary yellow Ford Mustang sedan. This car was used by STEIN for both business and personal use and was often parked at 3340 Floyd Terrace.

At this point STEIN was advised that the interviewing agents had information which indicated that a white Ford Mustang, bearing Alabama license plates, was observed at 3340 Floyd Terrace around Thanksgiving Day, 1967, and again around mid-December, 1967. In reply, STEIN advised that this information was incorrect and whoever gave this information to the agents must have confused the white Mustang with his yellow Mustang.

STEIN was then advised that the agents had information which indicated that he was possibly engaged in the sale of some type of drugs. STEIN admitted to having been arrested in the past for narcotics violations but stated that he had never been convicted on any of the charges and denied being involved at the present time in any illegal drug activity or having been so involved while he resided at 3340 Floyd Terrace.

STEIN was then asked if he had ever furnished any drugs to GALT, or had ever observed GALT use any drugs while on the trip to New Orleans. STEIN advised that he had never furnished GALT with any drugs, nor did he ever observe him taking any drugs at any time. STEIN was then asked if the trip

he made with GALT to New Orleans had not been, in fact, a trip made by the two of them to procure drugs. STEIN emphatically denied this and further denied in engaging in any type of drug activity with GALT. STEIN then advised that he had no information in his possession which would indicate to him that GALT was involved in any illegal drug activity. STEIN then stated he would never even have "talked to the cops" about this matter in the first place if he were involved in any illegal activity with GALT. STEIN advised that due to his past experiences he knows a "dopehead" when he sees one, and that in his opinion, GALT was not a user of "hard drugs", such as heroin or morphine. STEIN did state, however, that GALT could have been a "pillhead", but he, STEIN, never personally observed him taking any pills. STEIN advised that on one occasion on the trip to New Orleans GALT's eyes looked a little droopy, but he, STEIN, attributed this to lack of sleep rather than use of drugs.

STEIN advised that the agents were in possession of information which indicated there was an unusually heavy amount of traffic into 3340 Floyd Terrace during the time he resided there. STEIN attributed the heavy traffic to the fact he had many relatives who visited him at that address. He also said that he had many "hippie" friends who also visited him at that address with whom he held philosophical discussions.

STEIN was then asked what his purpose had been in digging holes in the backyard of the residence located at 3340 Floyd Terrace. He stated that he had been attempting to rid the area of gophers. STEIN was then asked about two young men who were reportedly lying in a stupor in the back-yard of the Floyd Terrace address looking up into the sky while he stood over them. STEIN advised that these two men were "looking for flying saucers", and that, he, was helping them as he believed in the existence of flying saucers.

STEIN was then asked about the large number of automobiles that were being worked on at the Floyd Terrace address during the time he resided there. STEIN advised that

during a short period of time, while he resided at that address, he operated an automobile repair and reconditioning business and would do the work in the garage at 3340 Floyd Terrace.

STEIN was then asked about his statement made during a previous interview during which Agent GARDNER was present, to the effect that he and LOUIS LOMAX, the newspaper reporter, had talked to some people who knew GALT while he was in Los Angeles and these people had furnished information regarding GALT. STEIN had refused to identify these persons because they were involved in "other things" that would come to light if they furnished the information they had regarding GALT. In reply, STEIN advised that this was true and there were still people who were involved in certain illegal activities that had nothing to do with the assassination in any manner who did not wish to come to the attention of the law enforcement authorities. When questioned further regarding these persons, STEIN declined to identify them. STEIN did advise, however, that he had helped LOMAX identify DARRELL DENNIS who now resides in Milwaukee, Wisconsin, who allegedly dated GALT on one occasion while he resided in Los Angeles.

STEIN advised at this point that he is completely disillusioned with LOUIS LOMAX because he feels LOMAX "used" him solely for publicity purposes and really was not interested in solving the murder of MARTIN LUTHER KING. STEIN advised LOMAX initially had promised him that he would split the reward money if STEIN assisted him in solving the case. LOMAX was supposed to pay all the expenses of the trip but that LOMAX had, in fact, failed to reimburse him for about thirty-five dollars which STEIN expended on the trip with LOMAX to locate the phone booth from which GALT had made a call. STEIN stated that LOMAX has publicly identified him as the "key to the case", and as such has placed him, STEIN, on the spot. STEIN stated that since he has been so identified he is worried that "whoever took the shot at KING, may also take a shot at me".

When asked if he, in fact, had located the phone booth from which GALT had made the phone call while he was accompanied by LOMAX, STEIN advised that he had not. He stated that LOMAX made the trip in reverse from the way he and

GALT had made it and for this reason, he, STEIN, had been unable to locate the phone booth used by GALT. STEIN was of the opinion that if allowed to make the trip in the sequence he had made it with GALT he feels certain he could locate the phone booth from which GALT made the call.

The following background and descriptive data was obtained during the course of the above interview:

Name	CHARLES JOSEPH STEIN, also known as Charles Stein, Charlie Stein
Race	Caucasian
Sex	Male
Nationality	American
Birth Data	May 11, 1929, New Orleans, Louisiana
Height	6'
Weight	235 pounds
Hair	Black, balding at top
Eyes	Brown
Complexion	Ruddy
Characteristics	Wears full beard and mustache
Marital Status	Divorced
Relatives	Father: CHARLES STEIN Address Unknown
	Mother: CLOVINA ALONZO 1907½ Royal Street New Orleans, Louisiana
	Step-father: WILLIE ALONZO 1907½ Royal Street New Orleans, Louisiana
	Brothers: None
	Sisters: MARIE LEE Address Unknown New Orleans, Louisiana
	RITA STEIN 5660 Franklin Avenue Los Angeles, California
	Children CHARLES J. STEIN, JR., age 16 New Orleans, Louisiana

Ex-wives:	MERCEDES MEDINA Kenner, Louisiana GLORIA HALL Last known to reside in State of Mississippi. MARIE CATALANA New Orleans, Louisiana (mother of CHARLES STEIN, JR.)
Residence	5660 Franklin Avenue Los Angeles, California December 1967 to present
Prior Residence	3340 Floyd Terrace Hollywood, California December 1966 to December 1967 1964 to 1965 resided at following locations, exact dates and addresses unrecalled: Cahuenga Boulevard, near Highland Avenue Hollycrest and Barham Boulevard Fountain Avenue Mansfield Avenue 1300 block of Citrus Flores Street (upon arrival in Los Angeles in 1964)
Occupation	Salesman
Employment	Unemployed for past 5 to 6 months, currently receiving unemployment benefits.
Last Employment	Brand Ford Motor Company, Burbank, California
Prior Employments	Over past two years has worked at following car agencies in Los Angeles area: Burbank Ford Company Harrison Motor Company Felix Chevrolet Company
FBI Number	881 534 B
Prior Arrests	Admits prior arrests for possession narcotics, but advises never convicted on any charge.

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RITA STEIN, 5666 Franklin, advised she did not know GINGER DAY, GINGER NANCE, ANITA KATZWINKEL, SUE HARRIS, SUE FLIKIED, or TOM FLIKIED. STEIN further advised she had no knowledge about a slip of paper or tissue box cover with the names GINGER DAY and ANITA KATZWINKEL on it.

STEIN observed a photograph of a Zenith portable television set, gray and white in color. STEIN advised that it looked like the set which MARIE MARTIN had traded to ERIC GALT.

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Date 5/2/68

RITA STEIN, 5666 Franklin Avenue, Hollywood, advised that she recalled calling her sister MARIE LEE at the Ivanhoe Piano Bar in New Orleans, during the late part of December 1967. She stated she could not recall the purpose of the telephone call, but thought it was to tell her that the children had made the trip safely. STEIN further advised that she calls her mother with some regularity because of her mother's ill health. STEIN could not remember the exact dates of the calls but has called during March and April of 1968. STEIN advised that the calls are usually general conversation and that she could not recall anything pertaining to RAY being mentioned.

STEIN furnished a copy of her most recent telephone bill which she displayed to interviewing agents. She advised that the telephone company had erroneously charged her for a telephone call to 947-0930 in New Orleans. It was noted that the call was made collect to the STEIN telephone on March 12, 1968, and the charge was $8.40. STEIN advised she knew no one in New Orleans at that number. RITA STEIN, in the presence of an agent, called the 947-0930 number in New Orleans to determine if it was that of a friend or relative. After a brief conversation over the telephone, STEIN advised that the person in New Orleans was no one she knew as a friend or a relative. She advised that the party had sounded like a person of the Negro race and when STEIN asked if they were, the reply had been yes. STEIN advised she had no Negro friends in New Orleans.

STEIN also advised that the telephone company had also erroneously charged her for a telephone call to a Maryland number 957-2337, on March 19, 1968, which she had been told would be removed from her bill. The charges on the Maryland call were $8.50.

STEIN advised that the telephone was listed under the name RODE. She advised this was done so she would have privacy.

STEIN advised that the utilities at the 5666 Franklin Avenue residence were listed under the name ROSAS.

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STEIN observed a photograph of RAY taken November 1967, in Mexico. She advised it was not a good likeness of RAY.

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Date 4/16/68

One photograph of ERIC S. GALT, as obtained from TOMAS LAU, International School of Bartending, 2125 Sunset Boulevard, Los Angeles, California, was shown to RITA STEIN at 5666 Franklin Avenue, Los Angeles, California. RITA STEIN stated, "Yes, that's him. That's ERIC GALT".

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Date 4/16/68

One photograph of ERIC S. GALT, as obtained from TOMAS LAU, International School of Bartending, 2125 Sunset Boulevard, Los Angeles, California, was shown to MARIE MARTIN at the St. Francis Hotel, Room 201, 5533 Hollywood Boulevard, Los Angeles, California. MARIE MARTIN stated, "Yes, that's definitely ERIC GALT".

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Date 5/15/68

MARIE MARTIN, St. Francis Hotel, Room 201, 5533 Hollywood Boulevard, advised that she first met individual who introduced himself as ERIC GALT on or about December 14, 1967, in the Sultan Room, a bar at the St. Francis Hotel where she had been employed intermittently as a cocktail waitress. GALT, who had been drinking at the bar, carried on conversation with MARTIN while she was waiting on other customers. MARTIN asked GALT if he would drive her home. GALT asked where she lived, and she replied, New Orleans. GALT was agreeable and asked when MARTIN wanted to leave. MARTIN said she explained to GALT that her cousin, RITA STEIN, has two children in New Orleans and RITA wanted someone to take RITA to New Orleans and bring the children back to Los Angeles. RITA STEIN, who was also present at the bar, joined the conversation. RITA suggested that her brother, CHARLES STEIN, travel with GALT to New Orleans to pick up the children instead of RITA. RITA left the Sultan Room and returned a while later with her brother, CHARLES STEIN. Upon learning that RITA and MARTIN wanted CHARLES to go to New Orleans, GALT said he would make the trip if MARTIN and the two STEINs would register to vote and list the political party sponsoring former governor GEORGE C. WALLACE as their political candidate. MARTIN and the two STEINs agreed to the conditions set down by GALT and made arrangements to register the following day. The two STEINs left and GALT commented to MARTIN words to the effect that if this was a setup, he had a gun and would hurt CHARLES. The following morning GALT, accompanied by the two STEINs, picked up MARTIN at the St. Francis Hotel in GALT's Mustang and they drove together to the Voters Registration Office located on or near Lankershim Boulevard. MARTIN said that RITA came to her room unaccompanied by anyone else to advise her that ERIC GALT, CHARLES STEIN, and herself were ready to go register.

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At the Registration Office, MARTIN and the two STEINs registered and were issued registration receipts, however, GALT did not register. Upon completion of the registration, they drove together back to the St. Francis Hotel, at which time MARTIN went to her room and brought a box of clothing down to the car which she had requested to be delivered to her mother in New Orleans. Her mother, LORRAINE CALLAWAY, resides at 611 Bartholomew Street, New Orleans. The box of clothing was placed in GALT's car and GALT and the two STEINs left.

About a week later, MARTIN said she saw GALT again in front of the St. Francis Hotel for the first time since his return from New Orleans. GALT asked MARTIN if she was short of money and pressed a twenty dollar bill into her hand. Later in the Sultan Room bar, MARTIN said she questioned GALT concerning his activities while in New Orleans. MARTIN asked GALT if he visited any of the "strip joints" while in New Orleans. GALT claimed he did not and that he had visited some friends. Upon further questioning, MARTIN said the friends lived in the Industrial Canal area of New Orleans, on or near the Chef Menteur Highway. MARTIN advised that GALT did not further elaborate on the identity of these friends.

After his return from this trip, GALT was a fairly regular customer at the Sultan Room. MARTIN said she suggested to GALT that he move into the St. Francis Hotel because it was economical and he would not be bothered by neighbors if he engaged in late-hour activity.

MARTIN advised that she was in GALT's room at the St. Francis Hotel on only one occasion. She advised this occurred around February 14, 1968, which she recalls was Valentine's Day. On this occasion, while in the Sultan Room bar, GALT asked MARTIN what type of television set she owned. She said it was a portable and GALT asked if she would like to trade television sets. GALT remarked that he wanted a portable set because it was easier to transport while traveling. They both then went to GALT's room to bring his

television set to MARTIN's room. While moving the television set, she observed a "girlie type" magazine containing a variety of nude and semi-nude female photographs. She advised she observed no photographic equipment in the room nor did she photograph GALT. She said she asked GALT if he had a Polaroid camera because she wanted to send some photographs of herself to her boy friend, RONALD DENINNO, who is currently in prison. GALT said no.

MARTIN advised the only time GALT was ever in her room at the St. Francis Hotel was when he brought his television set into her room and took away her portable set. As part of the exchange of the television set, GALT gave her a twenty dollar bill. GALT commented he was going to be traveling south. MARTIN asked if he would be going through New Orleans, and he said yes. MARTIN asked if he would drop off another package at her mother's home, and he agreed. MARTIN says she gave GALT a box containing phonograph records and clothing. She requested that GALT deliver the box to the home of her mother and in the event her mother was not home, to leave it with a neighbor.

A couple of weeks later, while MARTIN was sleeping, GALT knocked at the door of her room and asked if he could leave a set of weights with her. MARTIN advised she did not bother to get up and she told GALT to leave the weights outside of the door. GALT called her later the same date on the phone and she asked him for some money for taking care of the weights. GALT claimed he was broke but said he would leave her ten dollars for taking care of the weights. MARTIN advised GALT left ten one dollar bills in an envelope at the Registration Des. of the St. Francis Hotel. GALT claimed he was waiting for some money from his brother, whom he did not further identify. MARTIN stated that later in the day, the hotel management called her room and requested that she immediately remove a set of barbells from the hallway in front of her room door.

MARTIN made the following observations concerning GALT which were the result of her contacts mainly in the Sultan Room bar over approximately a three-month period:

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MARTIN advised that GALT used Spanish phrases on occasion and she felt he was possibly proficient in the Spanish language. MARTIN advised that she could not speak Spanish. MARTIN said on one occasion GALT commented that she, MARTIN, reminded him of a girl he knew in Guadaljara. Another time during conversation at the Sultan Room bar, GALT said that while in Mexico, he had smoked marijuana but said it did nothing for him. MARTIN said she never saw GALT use any type of drug or narcotic and based on his statement, she felt he was not an addict. She said GALT claimed he lived in Mexico for about six years. He claimed he had been to see the cock fights while in Mexico but did not enjoy them because he felt they were too brutal.

MARTIN advised on one occasion she recalls showing GALT an ad in the "Los Angeles Free Press" newspaper which read, "Wanted, hot-tempered man, send photo". She said at one time, she lent GALT a bartender's instruction booklet which she had borrowed from the lobby of the hotel and GALT had kept it overnight and returned it the next day. She advised she has since returned the book to the hotel lobby.

MARTIN advised that her cousin, RITA STEIN, formerly resided at 3340 Floyd Terrace, Los Angeles, California, where she, MARTIN, frequently visited. She advised that she never saw GALT or his white Mustang at this address and that RITA STEIN moved from this address around Thanksgiving of 1967. Shortly thereafter, CHARLES STEIN vacated the premises.

Concerning a public coin box telephone booth located in the liquor store parking lot directly behind the Floyd Terrace address, she advised that both she and RITA STEIN utilized this phone on occasion. Concerning the name, MIMI, written on this phone booth wall, she advised she is known by the name of MIMI by some of her close friends and she indicated they used this phone booth because RITA STEIN's telephone service had been discontinued because of non-payment. She advised she may have written her name on the phone booth wall. She said GALT, to her knowledge, never utilized this phone because during this period of time, he knew neither the STEINs or herself.

1965

MARTIN was questioned concerning the activity of CHARLES STEIN whileat the Floyd Terrace address, specifically, what he had buried in the backyard. MARTIN stated that CHARLES STEIN had a "weird" philosophy which included some type of "sensory contact with nature" and on occasions he would spend long periods of time staring at the sky, observing the various celestial bodies. On one occasion when she was in ill health, CHARLES placed his hand on her knee and after spending approximately fifteen minutes in what appeared to be a trance, asked her to remove her pants which he buried in the backyard. Later, he dug them up and returned them to her.

Concerning the mirrors on the bedroom ceiling at 3340 Floyd Terrace, she advised that these were installed by RITA STEIN and her former husband, STANLEY ROSAS, while "freaking out" which she said meant it was just another method to add sexual stimulation while engaged in sexual activity.

MARTIN advised that ANITA KATZWINKEL, SUE HARRIS, and GINGER DAY were unknown to her and she never had contact with any of these individuals. She advised that it was a normal practice for prostitutes working in the area of Hollywood and Western Avenues to leave their names and phone numbers with bartenders, bellboys, and other potential contact joints in the area.

In answer to a direct question, MARTIN replied that the STEINs moved to their Franklin Avenue address in November of 1967.

When asked if she was ever arrested where she utilized the name, MARIE PEREZ, she said she had never utilized the name, MARIE PEREZ.

She said that her physician, Dr. FREDKOFF, maintains an office at 1913 North Western Avenue. She said she had no knowledge of Dr. R. FLEMING JONES, 1546 North Highland, Los Angeles, California.

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She said that she knew NORMAN COX, the occupant of Room 206, St. Francis Hotel, only casually. She said she knew no other person in Room 206. She said that she knew two individuals, CHUCK (LNU) and AL (LNU), who mutually resided in Room 205 of the St. Francis Hotel, but who moved from that room to an unknown address in April, 1968.

She advised that according to her knowledge and her opinion, ERIC GALT had no acquaintanceship of CHARLES STEIN and/or RITA STEIN prior to her meeting GALT at the Sultan Room in early December of 1967.

MARTIN said that she had no intimate relationship with GALT and was not involved with him in the romantic sense in any way. She stated that she did not so much as even kiss him.

MARTIN said that she was not a prostitute and that she had never been a prostitute. She said that she had been employed only as a dancer and cocktail waitress and/or barmaid.

MARTIN provided the following description of herself:

Sex	Female
Race	Caucasian
Date of Birth	October 7, 1932
Height	5'6"
Weight	125 pounds
Hair	Black, wears wig
Eyes	Brown
Former Husbands	JULIUS DE GRASSE, married in 1950 JAMES J. HAYDEN, married in 1958 DEWAYNE E. LATIMER, married in 1960

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LA 44-1574

INVESTIGATION TO DETERMINE ASSOCIATES OF JAMES EARL RAY NAMED JERI, ALSO KNOWN AS DARELL AND HELENA

During interviews of CHARLES J. STEIN during April and May, 1968, it was learned from him that while in the company of LOUIS LOMAX, LOMAX had determined during interviews in the neighborhood of the St. Francis Hotel, Los Angeles, where JAMES EARL RAY as ERIC S. GALT resided from January 21, 1968 to March 17, 1968 that RAY had lived with a woman known as JERI, also known as DARELL. This information, according to STEIN, was developed by he and LOMAX during interviews of people who claimed to have known RAY while he was in Los Angeles, California. It was also determined, according to STEIN, that RAY had also dated a girl named HELENA.

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Date April 26, 1968

In an attempt to determine if DYRELL DENNIS was a legitimate person and possibly identical with a mysterious blond female reported by LOUIS LOMAX to be a friend of JAMES EARL RAY, a photograph of DENNIS was exhibited to JOE PETERS, Bartender, Sultan Room, 5533½ Hollywood Boulevard, Los Angeles, California.

Mr. PETERS advised that the female depicted in the photograph of DYRELL DENNIS was the same person who used to frequent his bar from January, 1968 through March, 1968. He advised that DENNIS was considered to be a "Dike" since she had very small breasts and she often wore men's pants. He further stated that DENNIS was a "lush" who drank to excess. He stated that he tried to keep her from coming into his bar in view of the fact that she did not have any identification. He stated that to the best of his knowledge DENNIS had no association with JAMES EARL RAY. He stated that the only time he ever saw RAY talk to DENNIS was one day when DENNIS was standing next to a juke box and RAY approached her. He stated that he could not hear what RAY was saying to DENNIS but he could observe DENNIS shaking her head in a negative manner. PETERS advised he knows of no other contact between RAY and DENNIS.

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Date April 26, 1968

In an attempt to determine if DYRELL DENNIS was a legitimate person and possibly identical with a mysterious blond female reported by LOUIS LOMAX to be a friend of JAMES EARL RAY, a photograph of DENNIS was exhibited to ALLEN THOMPSON, St. Francis Hotel, 5533 Hollywood Boulevard, Los Angeles, California.

Mr. THOMPSON advised that he recognized the female in the photograph as being identical with a female he has seen come out of the Sultan Room bar in the same building as the hotel and proceed through the hotel lobby to the restrooms. He advised that he has not observed DENNIS on any other occasions. He stated that he has never seen DENNIS in the company of JAMES EARL RAY and knows of no relationship or associations between RAY and DENNIS.

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In an attempt to determine if DYRELL DENNIS was a legitimate person and possibly identical with a mysterious blond female reported by LOUIS LOMAX to be a friend of JAMES EARL RAY, a photograph of DENNIS was exhibited to JAMES MORRISON, Bartender, Rabbits Foot Club, 5623 Hollywood Boulevard, Los Angeles, California.

Mr. MORRISON stated that he recognized the female in the photograph as being a photograph of a female that he has observed in his bar a few times in the past and most likely during the month of March, 1968. He stated that he has never seen DENNIS in the company of any other person that he can identify or recall. He advised that he knew absolutely nothing about DENNIS.

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Date 5/7/68

EDGAR JOHN PENDLETON was interviewed at the Orthopedic Hospital, Room 602, 2400 South Flower Street, Los Angeles, at which time he furnished the following information:

PENDLETON advised he resided in the St. Francis Hotel, 5533 Hollywood Boulevard, Los Angeles, from March 8, 1968, to April 16, 1968, when he entered the Orthopedic Hospital, Los Angeles, for surgery on his hip. While residing at the St. Francis Hotel he became acquainted with DYRELL DENNIS and RAY SELMA (phonetic). He became acquainted with RAY SELMA approximately ten days after moving into the St. Francis Hotel. PENDLETON met DENNIS after meeting RAY SELMA. When PENDLETON first became acquainted with RAY SELMA, SELMA did not have a room at the hotel.

PENDLETON related he was in receipt of a letter from DENNIS, bearing the return address of 435 West Michigan Street, Apartment 208, Milwaukee, Wisconsin. DENNIS had furnished her telephone number as 271-9720. DENNIS' letter stated in part, "Have you seen Ray? I hope he is okay."

PENDLETON stated LOUIS LOMAX had been in contact with him on two occasions, the second time after he had received the above letter from DYRELL DENNIS. He gave LOMAX DENNIS' address and told LOMAX that DENNIS was well acquainted with RAY SELMA. LOMAX told PENDLETON that he had obtained his name from MARIE (last name unknown)(LNU), a cocktail waitress at the Sultan Room, who had advised him that PENDLETON knew DENNIS and RAY SELMA.

PENDLETON commented the RAY SELMA which he knew is described as a Mexican-American, 37 to 40 years of age, dark complexion, and a wino. PENDLETON advised he had last seen RAY SELMA at the St. Francis Hotel on April 13 or 14, 1968. PENDLETON recalled that on one occasion about the first of April, 1968, RAY SELMA had a seizure similar to epilepsy.

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PENDLETON called the police ambulance for SELMA and by the time they arrived, SELMA had recovered. SELMA refused to be taken to the hospital. SELMA was presumed by PENDLETON to be a narcotic user.

PENDLETON stated that DYRELL DENNIS is a narcotic user as she has asked for some of his pain pills. He related that he is of the opinion that DENNIS is also a prostitute. PENDLETON described DENNIS as 33 years of age, blonde, sandy hair, medium build, and light complexion. He advised that DENNIS had resided at the Hollywood Roxie, Room 202, Los Angeles, for at least one night.

Photographs of JAMES EARL RAY were shown to PENDLETON who stated he could not recognize any of the individuals depicted in the photographs as being identical with the description fitting JAMES EARL RAY or RAY SELMA.

Mr. PENDLETON stated that he used the telephone in the lobby of the St. Francis Hotel to call his son, Sergeant JACK HAROLD PENDLETON, 712 Maxwell Street, Seymour-Johnson Air Force Base, Goldsboro, North Carolina, who has telephone number 735-4209, while he was a resident of the St. Francis Hotel.

The letter from DYRELL DENNIS received by Mr. PENDLETON was postmarked on April 19, 1968, at Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

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Date 5/10/68

EDGAR JOHN PENDLETON, interviewed at the Orthopedic Hospital, 2400 South Flower, and formerly a resident of the St. Francis Hotel, 5533 Hollywood Boulevard, Los Angeles, advised that Los Angeles Police Department (LAPD) photo taken December 16, 1965, NK 59621, of RAY FERNANDEZ SESMA was identical to the person PENDLETON knew as RAY SELMA (phonetic).

PENDLETON advised that SESMA had stayed at his room in the St. Francis Hotel off and on during the first part of 1968. PENDLETON advised that SESMA had poor health and drank very heavily and for this reason PENDLETON had told SESMA not to stay at his room. PENDLETON advised that this was about the first week of April. PENDLETON stated that he had not seen SESMA since that date.

PENDLETON advised that SESMA was a drifter and wino. He also advised that he had never known SESMA to have a room or apartment of his own and usually would congregate with other winos when ever he (SESMA) could find them. PENDLETON advised that SESMA had once suggested that they live in a place on Serrano Street. PENDLETON thought that this place was in the 1600 block of Serrano and got the impression that numerous heavy drinkers stayed there.

PENDLETON advised that SESMA had mentioned about getting a job as a cook but further advised that SESMA had never held a job while he knew him. PENDLETON advised that if he heard from SESMA he would immediately advise the FBI.

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Date 5/1/68

PAUL MC KAY, Night Clerk, St. Francis Hotel, 5533 Hollywood Boulevard, was interviewed and furnished the following information:

MC KAY stated that he is not acquainted with anyone by the name of RAY FERNANDELL. He stated that there are no fry cooks employed at the St. Francis Hotel.

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1 Date 5/1/68

GIL MARTIN, Owner, Sultan Room, St. Francis Hotel, 5533 Hollywood Boulevard, was interviewed and furnished the following information:

MARTIN stated that RAY FERNANDELL is unknown to him. He stated that he does not employ anyone by that name at the Sultan Room and that he does not employ any fry cooks. He advised that there were no fry cooks employed at the St. Francis Hotel.

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Date 4/30/68

JAMES E. MORRISON, 1911 Grace Avenue, Los Angeles, California, was asked if he knew of a middle-aged belly dancer of Greek descent named "HELENA". He said that he did. He said this individual had been excluded from the Rabbit's Foot Club. He said that she frequents the Greek Village, a restaurant near Hollywood and Vine, in Hollywood, California. He said that he believes that she used to dance at that location and also the Seventh Veil on Sunset Boulevard.

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1 Date 4/30/68

HARRY STREEM, Owner, Vegas Club, 5510 Hollywood Boulevard, Los Angeles, California, was asked in reference to JAMES EARL RAY, also known as Eric Starvo Galt, if he knew of a middle age belly dancer of Greek descent named "HELENA" and/or a Caucasian female with blond hair named "JERI". STREEM said that he believed he knew of "HELENA". He said if his memory is correct, she used to dance at a night club that specializes in eastern dancing, located on the south side of Sunset Boulevard between La Brea and Fairfax Avenues. He advised that he did not know of any Caucasian female named "JERI", in reference to RAY, also known as, Galt.

He stated that his last bar girl at the Vegas Club was DANA RAVEN, who was recently arrested, approximately two weeks ago. He said prior to arrest she only worked for a few weeks. He described her as a slender, dark Caucasian, female.

STREEM stated that prior to the employment of RAVEN, he employed Barbara (Last Name Unknown), a buxom, blond, Caucasian, female. He said that BARBARA was employed by him for in excess of a year prior to the termination of her employment. STREEM said that subsequent to her employment at the Vegas Club, he thought she was employed at the "Fat Cat" located on Western Avenue.

STREEM stated that LOUIS LOMAX, a Los Angeles television personality, and an unknown Caucasian male with a beard, were in the Vegas Club the same day asking if he knew of "JERI" and "HELENA". He said that he provided to them essentially the same information.

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Date 4/30/68

HARRY WEINER, Owner, The Fat Club, 1516 North Western Avenue, Los Angeles, California, was asked if he had recently employed a buxom blond, Caucasian, female named BARBARA (Last Name Unknown). He advised that he had employed no such woman. WEINER was asked if he knew of a middle agelbelly dancer named "HELENA". He said that he had and that to his knowledge she worked at the Seventh Veil on Sunset Boulevard, Hollywood, California. WEINER was asked if he knew a Caucasian female with blond hair named "JERI", that was also a street hustler. He said that he knew of no such woman.

WEINER was shown photographs of JAMES EARL RAY. He advised that this individual is not familiar to him.

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1 Date 4/30/68

JOE PETERS, Bartender, Sultan Room, St. Francis Hotel, 5533 Hollywood Boulevard, Los Angeles, California, was asked of his knowledge of a middle aged belly dancer of Greek descent named "HELENA", who was allegedly asked for a date by RAY. He stated that he had been asked the same question by LOUIS LOMAX, a Los Angeles television personality, that same day. He thought he knew of such a woman. He said he did not know the location of her residence nor her last name. PETERS stated that she was just an occasional drifter that frequented the bar.

PETERS was asked if he knew of a Caucasian female with blond hair named "JERI". PETERS said he knew of no such woman.

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MIKE BADALIAN, Manager, Seventh Veil, 7180 Sunset Boulevard, Los Angeles, California, advised that he has in his employment a HELENA VLAHOS. He said that she is a belly dancer and of Greek descent. He advised that she is presently living at apartment 302, 640 North Kingsley Drive, Los Angeles, California. He stated that her present telephone number is 665-6846. He stated that she is living with her sister.

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HELENA VLAHOS, apartment 302, 640 North Kingsley Drive, Los Angeles, California, was shown photographs of JAMES EARL RAY. She advised that these photographs are unfamiliar to her. She stated that she knows of no one by the name of JAMES EARL RAY and/or ERIC STARVO GALT. She said that she has worked at the Seventh Veil steadily since January 1968. She advised that she worked at the Seventh Veil during June, July, and August of 1967. She said that during September, October, November, and December she was working at the "Arabian Nights", a night club in Fresno, California.

VLAHOS said that she does not go to any bars and night clubs east of the Hollywood Freeway, on Hollywood Boulevard. She said to her recollection she has never been to the Sultan Room at the St. Francis Hotel.

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MARIA VLAHOS, apartment 302, 640 North Kingsley Drive, Hollywood, California, stated she was the sister of HELENA VLAHOS. She was shown photographs of JAMES EARL RAY. She said the individudal in these photographs is familiar to her. She said that she remembers this individual coming into the Fex, 1508 North Vermont Avenue, Los Angeles, California. She said that she works at the Fez as a cocktail waitress and dancer. VLAHOS stated that this individual is familiar to her because of the strange way in which he came into the Fez, walked about and then left. This is unusual for the type of clientele that frequents this night club. She stated that she knows of no other information concerning this individual.

VLAHOS stated that she does not frequent bars east of the Hollywood Freeway, on Hollywood Boulevard. She stated that to the best of her knowledge she has never been to the Sultan Room in the St. Francis Hotel.

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Date 4/29/68

MELODY MARGARET O'BRIEN, was interviewed at her residence, 5545 Carlton Way, apartment 202, Los Angeles, at which time she furnished the following information:

When asked if she was acquainted with ERIC STARVO GALT, JAMES EARL RAY, CHARLES J. or CHARLEY STEIN, RITA STEIN, or MARIE MARTIN, who is also known as Marie Dennino and Marie Martinello, she replied that she was not acquainted with any of these individuals. When asked if she was acquainted with a JERI or HELEN, she replied that she was not acquainted with a JERI, but did know a HELEN, whose last name she could not recall, who was a topless dancer at "The Mouse Trap" on Valley Boulevard, Industry, California, at the same time as O'BRIEN. She added that HELEN had formerly been employed as a topless dancer at "The Stairway", 6274 Hollywood Boulevard, Los Angeles, prior to her employment as a topless dancer at "The Mouse Trap". She stated that HELEN resided on Russell Avenue, Los Angeles, exact address unknown, but in the vicinity of Western Avenue and Hollywood Boulevard, Los Angeles. HELEN was described by O'BRIEN as:

Race	White
Sex	Female
Age	22-23 years
Height	5'3"
Eyes	Blue
Build	Busty, well built, and aspiring to become an actress
Hair	Brunette, wears blonde wig

O'BRIEN advised she knew of no reason why her telephone number, 461-2050, would be written in a telephone booth in the St. Francis Hotel. She related she had never been in the St. Francis Hotel or the Sultan Room, nor did she know anyone residing at the St. Francis Hotel. She related that she was a topless dancer and many of the patrons who come to watch her dance get her name. They thereafter obtained her telephone number from the telephone book or telephone operator as her number is published. She stated she had been told that

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her name and telephone number was even written in the men's restroom at the places where she had danced topless. She commented she had danced topless in various places in the Los Angeles area until she terminated her last place of employment the past Saturday, April 20, 1968. She was shown photographs of JAMES EARL RAY at which time she advised she could not recognize the individual depicted in the photographs. She further added that she could not recognize JAMES EARL RAY as an individual who patronized the places where she danced. O'BRIEN stated she did not know anyone who drove a white Mustang with Alabama license plates.

O'BRIEN advised that for a period of about four months ending February 1967, she received a series of telephone calls at her residence which is the number listed above. Each call was placed at approximately 2 a.m. She advised the caller was a male, who she believed to be in his twenties. The caller would ask to meet her. She refused on every occasion and, therefore, did not learn the caller's name or the location from which he was calling. O'BRIEN stated she had notified the Hollywood Division of the Los Angeles Police Department, but telephone calls ceased before any action could be taken.

O'BRIEN advised she had been living with a roommate, MARTIN VILLAIRE, during the past two years and he may have had an acquaintance at the St. Francis Hotel, who placed her telephone number on the wall.

The following description of O'BRIEN was obtained through observation and interview:

Name	MELODY MARGARET O'BRIEN
Race	White
Sex	Female
Hair	Dark brown, worn long
Eyes	Brown
Height	5'2"
Weight	120 pounds
Age	24 years
Date of Birth	June 1, 1943
Place of Birth	Los Angeles, California
Education	Hollywood Presbyterian Hospital 9th, 10th, and 11th grade - The Old Mission of San Gabriel 12th grade - graduated Azusa High School, 1960
Relatives	HARRY VICTOR O'BRIEN, deceased 1962

	Mother, MARGARET ROSE O'HALLERN deceased at MELODY O'BRIEN's birth Sister, SHARON O'BRIEN deceased at City of Hope, Duarte, California from Leukemia
Prior admitted Arrests	"Runaway" from San Gabriel Orphanage, Arrested for indecent exposure and lewd dancing - Norwalk, California, and placed on probation-one year summary, drunk driving.
Scars	½" scar on lip 1" traceotomy scar, center of throat result of auto accident, teeth also had to be removed as result of accident.
Employments	Monrovia Nursery - while in high school, R. A. Rowan Insurance Company, Los Angeles, California Subsequent employment was as topless dancer. South Forty Inglewood, California April 1966, worked one night Plaid Rabbit Norwalk, California March 1966 to August 1966 Cherry Patch Los Angeles and Wilmington, California August 1966 to October 1966 The Mouse Trap October 1966 to February 1967 Satin Doll February 1967 to April 20, 1968

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Date 4/29/68

MARTIN EDWARD VILLAIRE, 5545 Carlton Way, apartment 202, Hollywood, was interviewed at his residence at which time he furnished the following information:

MARTIN EDWARD VILLAIRE, advised that he did not know CHARLES J. STEIN, CHARLEY STEIN, RITA STEIN, MARIE MARTIN, also known as Marie Deninno or a girl by the name of JERI. VILLAIRE advised that he did not know JAMES EARL RAY or ERIC STARVO GALT nor did he recognize a photo of RAY as an associate of his.

VILLAIRE stated he did know a HELEN that had worked at a bar with MELODY O'BRIEN about one year ago. He advised that HELEN was a topless "Go-Go"dancer, who he described as:

Race	White
Sex	Female
Age	20
Height	5'3"
Hair	Brunette
Build	Well proportioned and attractive

VILLAIRE stated that he had seen a picture of HELEN in a "Nudie" magazine. VILLAIRE did not know HELEN's last name.

VILLAIRE advised that he did not know why MELODY O'BRIEN and his phone number was written in the phone booth at the St. Francis Hotel. VILLAIRE advised that the only person he had known who ever resided at the hotel was DOUG EMBRY. VILLAIRE advised that EMBRY had come from Ohio about two weeks ago and had stayed at the St. Francis Hotel till he moved to downtown Los Angeles.

VILLAIRE advised that he had received some phone calls from an unknown male, beginning about the first of December 1967, and continuing until mid January 1968. He

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advised that the caller would ask for MELODY and try to get her to meet him. VILLAIRE advised that the calls were received about 2 a.m. and were so frequent that he contacted the Hollywood Division of the Los Angeles Police Department. VILLAIRE advised that the calls ceased before anything was done to identify the caller.

VILLAIRE advised he had been in California for about two and one-half years and had resided in his current address with MELODY O'BRIEN for about two years. VILLAIRE advised that he was an actor but had not yet been employed.

The following description was obtained through interview and observation:

Name	MARTIN EDWARD VILLAIRE
Date of Birth	August 26, 1946
Place of Birth	Detroit, Michigan
Sex	Male
Race	White
Height	6'
Weight	155-160 pounds
Hair	Light brown
Eyes	Brown
Scars of Marks	None observed
Parents	FRANCIS VILLAIRE YVONNE RAYMOND VILLAIRE
Occupation	Actor
Employer	None
Military Service	None
Education	High School St. Mary of Redford Detroit, Michigan
Driver's License	California SO 82793

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INVESTIGATION CONCERNING LETTER SENT TO PATRICIA SCHUBERT THROUGH "THE LOCAL SWINGER" AND ADVERTISEMENT PLACED IN THE "LOS ANGELES FREE PRESS" BY ERIC S. GALT

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POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT
POSTAL INSPECTOR IN CHARGE
SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF. 94101

IN REPLY REFER TO

April 30, 1968

Mr. Wesley G. Grapp
Special Agent in Charge
Federal Bureau of Investigation
1340 West 6th St.
Los Angeles, Calif. 90017

Dear Mr. Grapp:

As of interest in connection with the investigation of ERIC S. GALT, I am attaching the following documents from our investigative file on "The Local Swinger", a correspondence club operating from P. O. Box 3802, Downey, Calif. 90242:

(a) Copy of typewritten letter dated February 17, 1968, signed "Eric S. Galt" and directed via "The Local Swinger" to one Patricia K. Anderson, 2800 Glenview Avenue, Los Angeles.

(b) Copy of Polaroid photograph of a subject purporting to be Eric S. Galt which was transmitted with the original of the letter cited in (a).

The letter and photograph were furnished to this Service by Patricia K. Anderson, who considered the letter objectionable, for our use in investigating "The Local Swinger" as a suspected medium through which obscene materials are transmitted and exchanged.

The address shown on (a) is the address of the St. Francis Hotel, which has been mentioned in press releases concerning Eric S. Galt. The telephone number shown on (a) is the desk telephone of the St. Francis Hotel. The Polaroid code number on the reverse of the photograph, of which (b) is a copy, indicates that the film was manufactured in August 1967.

Post Office Box 3802, Downey, was rented on January 31, 1968, by James O'Dowd, who supplied the business address 8115 East Imperial Highway and the telephone number 861-1926.

Our investigation of "The Local Swinger" is assigned to Inspector L. O. Poindexter, of our Los Angeles office, and it will be satisfactory to consult with him directly should any additional information concerning the enclosures be desired. Inspector Poindexter can be reached at 688-2161.

Sincerely yours,

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James V. P. Conway
Postal Inspector in Charge

2-17-68

DEAR MISS:

I AM ANSERING YOUR LISTING IN THE LOCAL SWINGER SINCE I THINK I SHARE MOST OF YOUR INTEREST, WITH EMPHASIS ON FRENCH CULT. AND SWING SESSIONS. I HAVE JUST RETURNED FROM MEXICO AFTER FIVE YRS. AND THE FEW FEMALES I HAVE MET DON'T GO FOR THE SWING PARTIES AND IT TAKES TWO TO SWING. THE SAME ROUTINE GETS BORING, DON'T YOU THINK.

WILL CLOSE UNTIL I HERE FROM YOU.

5-11-1701 B. 36 YRS.

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Date May 4, 1968

ANN L. MEYERS, 8115 East Imperial Highway, Downey, California, co-owner of The Local Swinger, along with JAMES E. O'DOWD, advised that the two began the operation in February 1968 for the purpose of mailing list of local swingers to those who desired such a list. She stated that they placed an advertisement in the Los Angeles Free Press, offering to send a list of local swingers to anyone who paid the price of $1.00. In addition it was understood that for each letter sent to The Local Swinger, the sender would have to pay $1.00.

MEYERS stated that about the middle of February 1968 they received a note from ERIC S, GALT, and also a dollar, and a request for a list of swingers. Shortly after they received what she believed were five letters being sent to five individuals who coded names appeared in their list. MEYERS stated that no record was kept of those who received these letters. She did recall that one PATRICIA SCHUBERT was the recipient of one such letter, but she did not know the other four. The $5.00 for the five letters was in cash.

MEYERS viewed pictures of JAMES EARL RAY but stated that she had never seen RAY, or had never met the man who wrote under the name of ERIC S. GALT.

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Date May 4, 1968

JAMES E. O'DOWD, 8115 East Imperial Highway, Downey, California, one of the co-owners of The Local Swinger, a correspondence club, stated that this club used Postoffice Box 3802, Downey, California for receipt of their mail.

O'DOWD stated that in about February 1968 he and ANN L. MEYERS started The Local Swinger by inserting an advertisement in the Los Angeles Free Press, offering to send a list of local swingers to anyone who sent in the amount of $1.00. About the middle of February they received a note from ERIC S, GALT, along with $1.00, asking for the list. Shortly thereafter they received five letters, along with $5.00, these letters to be sent to individuals whose coded names appeared in The Local Swinger list. O'DOWD explained that each time a letter is sent on to another individual they charge $1.00, and in this case he believed that five letters were sent. O'DOWD stated that they kept no records of the individuals who were to receive these letters, but he did recall that one was sent to PATRICIA SCHUBERT, and the other four to four other unknown individuals.

O'DOWD viewed photographs of JAMES ERRL RAY but stated that he had never seen RAY, or had never met the man who wrote under the name of ERIC S. GALT.

O'DOWD reviewed his records and stated that he did not keep the note requesting that a list of swingers be sent to ERIC S. GALT, and he had no idea who GALT had contacted.

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PATRICIA ANDERSON, 2800 Glenview Avenue, Los Angeles, California, advised that she first became aware of "The Local Swinger" when she received a letter dated February 17, 1968 from ERIC S. GALT which she considered obscene in content. She immediately turned this over to the Postoffice, as well as two others which she received from other persons.

PATRICIA ANDERSON stated that all communications to her came in her maiden name, PATRICIA SCHUBERT. She believes that her name might have been bought from a mailing list as she subscribes to magazines using this name. She has never subscribed to "The Local Swinger", has never written to pen pal clubs, or subscribed to "Los Angeles Free Press".

MRS. ANDERSON viewed a group of pictures of JAMES EARL RAY, but she stated that she never saw the man, nor did she ever try to communicate with GALT despite the fact that she received his phone number and address on the letter sent to her by GALT.

PATRICIA KATHLEEN ANDERSON stated that she was a secretary in the Claims Department, U.S. Fidelity & Casualty Company, Los Angeles, California, and resides with her aged mother and ill 54 year old brother at the residence. At the present time she is separated from her husband, LEE T. ANDERSON, 7942 East Hayne Place, Tuscon, Arizona.

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In connection with the investigation of "The Local Swinger", Post Office Box 3802, Downey, California, a correspondence club, JAMES E. O'DOWD and ANN L. MEYERS, sponsors of the club advised on May 2, 1968 that they recall having sent a list of local swingers to ERIC S. GALT in February, 1968. They advised they had taken many of these names from the "Los Angeles Free Press", an avant garde newspaper. O'DOWD and MEYERS stated it has been their experience that many of these addresses are not accurate and some persons either send inaccurate addresses or send addresses of other individuals as a joke.

The following persons, identities supplied by O'DOWD and MEYERS, were contacted in an effort to determine if they had received any correspondence from ERIC S. GALT or JAMES EARL RAY. None of the following listed individuals recalled having received mail or contact through any media from ERIC S. GALT or JAMES EARL RAY. They all advised that he is unknown to them:

EVELYN RODRIGUEZ
1649 South Berendo Street
Los Angeles, California

SELMA MAHOOD
255 North Cordova Street
Burbank, California

PAUL LEVY
1400 Purdue Street
West Los Angeles, California

ROXANNE KENNERLY
Apartment 9,
213 North Alexandria Street
Los Angeles, California

DOROTHY MEACHAM
Manager, Carolina Hollywood Motel
1520 North La Brea Avenue
Los Angeles, California

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BETTY WISHARD
BARBARA SNELL
1625 North Martel Avenue
Los Angeles, California

AUGUSTA L. CADE
1429½ South Cloverdale Avenue
Los Angeles, California

MARIA G. URIADO
820 North Eastern Avenue
Los Angeles, California

LINDA WAPATO
Apartment 2
4259 Verdugo Road
Los Angeles, California

BETTY KRAKER
1336 North Edgemont Street
Los Angeles, California

Mrs. MICHAEL VAN TEFFLIN
15050 Parthenia Street
Sepulveda, California

BRYAN GRANT, also known as
Bryan Pearson
13469 Rand Drive
Sherman Oaks, California

MARIA MONTES
11954 East 168th Street
Artesia, California

HAROLD L. CONRAD
7901 Hesperia Street
Canoga Park, California

SANDY TERRY
2543 West 225th Place
Torrance, California

MELODY MC CARTHY
420 Irving Street
Glendale, California

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NETTIE COHEN
15729 Eucalyptus Avenue
Apartment 3
Bellflower, California

SHARON NORBERG, nee Mitchell
32548 Crescent Avenue
Elsinore, California

CAROLYN BROCKS
1200 North Orange Grove Avenue
Los Angeles, California

MARY GALVAN
818 Oak Street
Duarte, California

Mrs. HAROLD YAZELL, nee Pablita L. Scott
304 South Oakland Avenue
Pasadena, California

Mrs. J. YOUNG, also known as Ann,
Mrs. Brown, Liz Wood
3711 Mc Clintock Street
Los Angeles, California

ROBERT LEE HOFFMAN
229 South Ardmore Avenue
Los Angeles, California

CHARLES ANDERSON
6402 Haas Avenue
Los Angeles, California

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1 Date 5/3/68

GENE TURNER, Accountant, employed by the Los Angeles "Free Press" at 938 North Fairfax, was interviewed at that address. He stated that the records of the "Free Press" indicate that a want ad was received in the "Free Press" office on January 30, 1968, from an individual identifying himself as ERIC S. GALT. Accompanying this advertisement was the sum of $4.25. The records do not indicate in what form this money was received. The advertisement was made available by TURNER. It is typewritten, using red type in capital letters. It reads as follows:

"Single male Cauc. 36 yrs, 5-11, 170 lbs Digs Fr. Cult. desire's discreet meeting with passionate married female for mutual enjoyment, and/or female for swing session apt. furn. will ex. photo. Write ERIC S. 406 So. 2nd St. Alhambra, 91802."

Also in red typing below the above advertisement was a notation as follows:

"Return name and address, ERIC S. GALT. Same as above. Inclosed is M. O. for $4.25, Run ad under 31 unit system. Thanks."

TURNER stated that this advertisement ran in the February 2-8, 1968, issue of the "Free Press." He stated that the address listed in the advertisement of 406 South Second Street, Alhambra, California, is an address of a mail forwarding service which is used quite frequently by persons placing advertisements in the "Free Press." TURNER made available copies of the February 2-8, 1968, issue of the "Free Press."

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Mr. C. M. HEDGPETH, 406 South Second Street, Alhambra, California, advised on April 14, 1968 that ERIC GALT, 5533 Hollywood Boulevard, Los Angeles, California, subscribed to his Mail Forwarding Service from February 1, 1968 to March 1, 1968 and paid $3.00 in cash for this service. GALT requested mail received for him through HEDGPETH be forwarded to him at the St. Francis Hotel, 5533 Hollywood Boulevard, Los Angeles, California. HEDGPETH stated he had no record showing GALT ever having utilized this service.

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NEIGHBORHOOD INVESTIGATION IN THE VICINITY OF THE ST. FRANCIS HOTEL, 5533 HOLLYWOOD BOULEVARD, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA

The following investigation, in addition to that previously reported in this report, was conducted in the vicinity of the St. Francis Hotel, Los Angeles, California, in an effort to determine information regarding the associates of JAMES EARL RAY and his present whereabouts.

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1 Date 4/29/68

ALLAN O. THOMPSON, Manager, St. Francis Hotel 5533 Hollywood Boulevard, Los Angeles, California, was asked if there was a male Caucasian fitting the description of JAMES EARL RAY, also known as Eric Starvo Galt, in room 507. THOMPSON advised that there was no male occupant in that room. He said that this room has been occupied for several years, at least ten, by NAOMI MILNE, who is a Caucasian female employed as a nurse.

He said that this woman is allegedly from Australia. He said that she has few visitors.. She stated that he is well aware of the appearance of RAY, also known as Galt, and would notice him if he came into the hotel. He stated that no individual appearing like RAY has come into the hotel since RAY's departure on March 17, 1968.

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Date 4/30/68

JAMES E. MORRISON, Bartender, Rabbit's Foot Club, 5623 Hollywood Boulevard, Los Angeles, California, advised that he resides at 1911 Grace Avenue, Los Angeles, California. He was shown photographs of JAMES EARL RAY, and he advised this individual is identical with a customer who frequented the Rabbit's Foot Bar. He said that he recalled this individual because of his frequency as a customer at the bar. MORRISON stated that he became engaged in a political discussion with RAY concerning ROBERT F. KENNEDY and GEORGE WALLACE. He said that RAY became rather incensed and vehemently supported WALLACE. On one other occasion, MORRISON said that RAY had a discussion with a frequent female customer of the bar whose name was PAT GOODSELL. This discussion concerned Negroes and civil rights movement. MORRISON said that RAY became very involved in the argument and began dragging her towards the door saying, "I'll drop you off in Watts and we'll see how you like it there". MORRISON said that another customer who knew the girl, separated them. MORRISON said that subsequent to this event GOODSELL died through an overdose of some type of medicine. He said that she formerly resided at the Carlton Towers, an apartment complex, in the neighborhood. He discribed her as:

Race	Caucasian
Sex	Female
Age	Approximately 27

MORRISON said that RAY habitually drank vodka or screwdrivers. He said that he was a very quite customer and it was unusual for him to become involved in an argument. MORRISON said that he believes he used the name "DOUG" while at the bar.

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Date 4/30/68

BO DEL MONTE, Bartender, Rabbit's Foot Club, 5623 Hollywood Boulevard, Los Angeles, California, advised that his home address is 1229 North Bronson, Los Angeles, California. He advised after observing photographs of JAMES EARL RAY, that RAY was identical to a customer who frequented the Rabbit's Foot Club, from approximately January until the middle of March 1968. He described RAY as wearing usually a dark suit, with a bow tie. He said that his appearance was that of a rural person from Alabama, who has just recently come to the "big city". He said that RAY wore his crew cut to long, or he was allowing his hair to grow.

DEL MONTE recalled the incident in which RAY became involved in a heated discussion with a Caucasian female and began dragging her towards the door of the bar saying, "I'll drop you off in Watts and we'll see how you like it there". DEL MONTE recalled that shortly after this incident a Negro patron of the Rabbit's Foot Club, and his date, were struck on the head by a rock or brick while in a nearby parking lot.

DEL MONTE acknowledge that RAY often spoke support for Governor WALLACE.

DEL MONTE said that RAY drank vodka straight or in screwdrivers. DEL MONTE said that RAY purchased a key for the key club, which is operated by the Rabbit's Foot Club. He stated that he believes RAY gave him the name "DOUG COLLINS", when he purchased his key. DEL MONTE said that the writing of this name was by himself, and RAY furnished no other information as to residence.

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~~DONALD M. MURPHY, 1729 Huntley Drive, Los Angeles, California,~~ was interviewed at "The Frolic Room", a cocktail lounge, owned and operated by him. He advised that he also owned both "Pampered Pup" walk-up eating stands located on North Western Avenue and Vine Street, Los Angeles, California, respectively. He advised that he leased this operation to CECIL PAYNE. He advised that this leasing operation is not a formalized agreement.

MURPHY was shown photographs of JAMES EARL RAY. He said that the individual portrayed is identical to a caucasian male that frequented the "Rabbit's Foot" bar and the "Sultan Room" at the St. Francis Hotel, a few months ago. MURPHY advised that he also saw this same individual at the "Pampered Pup" located at 1715 North Western Avenue. MURPHY said that he may have conversed with this individual on occasion during casual "bar chatter". He advised that if he did, he does not recall the nature of the conversation. MURPHY stated he does not recall the individual's name or any of his associates. He said that usually this individual was alone.

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GAYLE DRUM, occupant, room 401, St. Francis Hotel, 5533 Hollywood Boulevard, Los Angeles, California, was shown photographs of JAMES EARL RAY. She said the individual portrayed is identical to a former occupant of the St. Francis Hotel. She stated that she collided with this individual a few months ago, when delivering a plate of biscuits to FLORENCE THOMPSON, who resides in room 424. She said that this individual appeared very concerned that he had injured her. DRUM said that she has no other knowledge of this individual or of his associates.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date 5/13/68

ALAN O. THOMPSON, Manager, St. Francis Hotel, advised that HARRY ELWOOD LUNSFORD, aka Woody, is known to him as a painter, who lived at the hotel for approximately one year. He advised that LUNSFORD worked intermittently at the St. Francis Hotel. THOMPSON said that LUNSFORD drinks alcoholic beverages excessively and frequently. He said in his opinion LUNSFORD has difficulty in recalling past events accurately. He advised "if LUNSFORD wasn't in a mental fog from turpentine fumes, he was from drinking". He said that LUNSFORD is sickly with a chronic stomach illness.

THOMPSON said the assistant manager at the St. Francis, who was fired in December, 1967, is, in fact, MARTIN GETZ. He advised that GETZ was hired by the hotel management on a temporary basis to administer the hotel operation during the absence of THOMPSOM who was going to Oakland, California. He stated that GETZ's employment was terminated because of the return of THOMPSON to the St. Francis.

DAVID (LNU), as referred to by LUNSFORD, was identified by THOMPSON as DAVID P. BAILEY, Social Security Number 204-18-3517, who formerly lived at 508 West Vines, Stowe, Pennsylvania and who provided a forwarding address as c/o R. N. BECK, 22 Belden Place, San Francisco, California, 94104. THOMPSON said that he does not recall the reason for the termination of BAILEY's employment at the St. Francis Hotel. BOB (LNU), as referred to by LUNSFORD, was identified by THOMPSON as being BOB EVANS. THOMPSON advised that EVANS resided at the hotel on an intermittent basis for approximately two years. He said that EVANS lived at the hotel during the time of LUNSFORD's residence but not during the time period of the residence of JAMES EARL RAY, aka Eric Starvo Galt.

The individual described by LUNSFORD as "a crippled old man who has lived at the hotel for approximately 15 years", could not be determined, in fact, by THOMPSON. He said there

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are several elderly males residing at the hotel who are incapacitated for some reason or other. He advised that the individual best fitting this description is MURRY ROSENMAN. THOMPSON said ROSENMAN utilizes a cane and has lived at the hotel for approximately 15 years. He advised that any association between ROSENMAN and JAMES EARL RAY, aka Eric Starvo Galt, is unlikely.

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Date 5/15/68

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ALAN O. THOMPSON, manager, St. Francis Hotel, ~~5533~~ Hollywood Boulevard, Los Angeles, California, advised that in his opinion, JAMES EARL RAY, also known as Eric Starvo Galt, frequently, perhaps generally, cooked his meals in his room at the St. Francis Hotel. He stated that this opinion is based upon the amount of food and the type of food left in the refrigerator at RAY's room in the St. Francis upon his departure and the residue left in and on the stove in his room.

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Date 5/15/68

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FLORENCE THOMPSON, occupant, Room 424, St. Francis Hotel, 5533 Hollywood Boulevard, Los Angeles, California, was shown photographs of JAMES EARL RAY. After observing these photographs, she said that the individual portrayed was identical to a recent occupant of Room 403. She said that the photograph that she liked best was the one in which he was wearing sun glasses. She advised that the occupant of Room 403, ERIC GALT, habitually wore sun glasses. She also said that he was a neat dresser and normally wore dark suits.

THOMPSON said that she remembered JAMES EARL RAY, also known as Eric S. Galt, in that he always slammed the door to his room when entering or leaving. She said that she reported this to the desk of the St. Francis Hotel on one occasion. Because of his habit of slamming the door, she said she knew of his arrival and departure. She said he left the room about 7:30 AM and returned about 5:00 PM. She said because of this regularity, she believed him to be employed, but did not know of any specific employment.

THOMPSON said that she saw RAY with no male or female associates. She advised that she knew of him having no unusual habits. She remarked that must have eaten within his room, because of the frequency in which he carried groceries.

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Mrs. ALVIN ROWE, occupant, room 405, St. Francis Hotel, 5333 Hollywood Boulevard, Los Angeles, California, was shown photographs of JAMES EARL RAY. She advised that the individual in the photographs is familiar to her, however she cannot identify the individual or associate him with any set of events. She said she cannot relate him to any former or present tenants of the St. Francis Hotel.

ROWE advised that Mrs. FRANK VALDEZ is her daughter and that they occupy the same room at the St. Francis Hotel.

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JOHN DOUS, owner and operator of "Angeleno's", a cocktail lounge located at 1657 North Western Avenue, Los Angeles, California, advised that he knew HARRY ELWOOD LUNSFORD, also known as "Woody". He said that "Woody" was employed by him to paint during a recent remodeling of the cocktail lounge. DOUS said that ANN SCHELL is a female associate and is in no way involved in the ownership of "Angeleno's" as stated by LUNSFORD. He said that the reason SCHELL is a frequent customer at the bar, is that she is a friend.

DOUS was shown photographs of JAMES EARL RAY. After observing these photographs, he said that this individual is not familiar to him. DOUS was asked if the names "Ginger Nance," "Ginger Day," and/or "Anita Katzwinkel," were familiar to him concerning female "hustlers" in the Hollywood and Western vicinity. He said that they were not.

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Date 4/30/68

LOUISE LARSON, Manager, Larson Book Store, 5534 Hollywood Boulevard, was shown photographs of JAMES EARL RAY. After observing these photographs, she said that she is absolutely sure that this individual was in her book store within the past few months. She stated that she could not recall the specific date nor the individual's name. She said that he was just a customer that came into the book store and browsed about.

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Date 5/7/68

VINCE SCADURO, 4046 Skyline Drive, Thousand Oaks, owner, Vince's Bar, 5140 Sunset Boulevard, Hollywood, furnished the following information:

Vince's Bar has been in continuous operation since November 1967. SCADURO owns and operates the bar and has been in the bar every day that it has been open since November 1967.

No one using the name ERIC GALT has been in the bar to SCADURO's knowledge. SCADURO could not identify a photo of JAMES EARL RAY as a person who had been in his bar at any time in the past.

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Date 4/14/68

THOMAS A. CARR, Room 416, St. Francis Hotel, 5530 Hollywood Boulevard, Los Angeles, California stated that he was the night shift desk clerk. He said that his hours were from 3:30 P.M. to 11:30 P.M. CARR was shown two artists conceptions of ERIC S. GALT, and he advised the individual as portrayed in the sketches was unfamiliar to him. He said that the name ERIC GALT is unfamiliar to him. He advised that he was employed at the hotel during the period January 21, 1968 through March 17, 1968.

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Date 4/29/68

~~NORMAN COX,~~ tenant, St. Francis Hotel, 5533 Hollywood Boulevard, Los Angeles, California, was shown photographs of JAMES EARL RAY. COX stated that this individual is familiar in appearance to him and that he is well aware of his involvement in the MARTIN LUTHER KING assassination. He said; however, that he did not know RAY while he was a tenant in the St. Francis Hotel. He stated he has no information as to the present location of RAY.

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MURRY ROSENMAN, resident at the St. Francis Hotel, was shown photographs of JAMES EARL RAY, aka Eric Starvo Galt. He advised that the individual in the photographs is not familiar to him. He said the names ERIC STARVO GALT and JAMES EARL RAY are not familiar to him as being persons of whom he has knowledge. He said that he does not have knowledge of any past residents of room 403.

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LEONA BLAIR, occupant, room 402, St. Francis Hotel, 5533 Hollywood Boulevard, Los Angeles, California, was shown photographs of JAMES EARL RAY. She advised that the individual is not familiar to her.

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Mrs. FRANK VALDEZ, occupant, room 405, St. Francis Hotel, 5533 Hollywood Boulevard, Los Angeles, California, was shown photographs of JAMES EARL RAY. She advised that the individual in the photographs is familiar to her, however she cannot identify the individual or associate him with any set of events. She said that she cannot relate him to any former or present tenants of the St. Francis Hotel.

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CHARLES SALGEDO, occupant, room 425, St. Francis Hotel, 5533 Hollywood Boulevard, Los Angeles, California, was shown photographs of JAMES EARL RAY. He said that he saw the individual in the photograph at the Sultan Room of the St. Francis Hotel on several occassions. He said that he did not know the name of this individual or knew of any of his associates. SALGADO said that he never talked to this individual, nor did he know him as being a tenant of room 403, St. Francis Hotel.

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INVESTIGATION AT 1535 NORTH SERRANO AVENUE, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA, WHERE RAY RESIDED NOVEMBER, 1967 TO JANUARY, 1968

Investigation at Cort Fox Ford Company, 4531 Hollywood Boulevard, Los Angeles, on April 11, 1968 revealed that RAY had furnished an address of 1535 North Serrano, Los Angeles, when he had his car serviced.

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DIANE M. DI GENOVA was interviewed in regards to any information she might possess concerning ERIC GALT. She stated that she resides alone at Apartment 16, 1535 Serrano Avenue, Los Angeles, California and has lived there for more than a year. She stated she could not recall the occupant of Apartment 6 and was shown composite drawings of ERIC GALT. She stated that she could not recognize this individual. She stated she had no information concerning the resident of Apartment 6.

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GEORGE E. SNELLING was interviewed at Room 210, 1150 South Olive, Los Angeles, California. He stated he resides along with his wife in Apartment 9, 1535 Serrano Avenue, Los Angeles, California. He stated he could not recall the occupant of Apartment 6 and was shown composite drawings of ERIC GALT. He stated that he could not recognize this individual. He stated he had no information concerning the resident of apartment 6.

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ELSIE SNELLING was interviewed in Apartment 9, 1535 Serrano Avenue, Los Angeles, California where she resides with her husband. She stated she could not recall the occupant of Apartment 6 and was shown composite drawings of ERIC GALT. She stated that she could not recognize this individual. She stated she had no information concerning the resident of Apartment 6.

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JOHN ROBERT GUERIN, security officer of the building located at 3223 West Sixth Street, Los Angeles, was interviewed at his business address, at which time he furnished the following information:

GUERIN stated that he moved into Apartment 6 at 1535 Serrano Avenue, Los Angeles, on July 28, 1967. He moved from this apartment on October 1, 1967. He related the names ANITA KITZWINKEL and GINGER DAY do not mean anything to him. He related that to the best of his knowledge he has never met either of the above two persons. He recalled that when he moved into the apartment there was a woman's magazine, the exact title he does not recall, but similar to McCalls, and another article, which he could not describe, which contained some names written on it. Sofar as Mr. GUERIN is aware, the above articles were left in the apartment by himself when he moved from this apartment in October 1967.

Mr. GUERIN related that he came back to the apartment building at 1535 Serrano Avenue on a couple of occasions to visit with tenants he became acquainted with while a tenant. He could not recall having ever seen the individual who moved into Apartment 6 after he had moved out.

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INVESTIGATION CONCERNING LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA RESIDENTS VISITING AT PUERTO VALLARTA, JALISCO, MEXICO, DURING PERIOD OCTOBER 19 THROUGH NOVEMBER 13, 1967

Investigation to determine associates and past activities of JAMES EARL RAY, it was determined that RAY as ERIC STARVO GALT stayed alone at the Hotel Rio, Room 212, Morelos 86, Puerto Vallarta, Jalisco, Mexico from October 19, to November 6, 1967. On November 7, 1968, GALT checked into Hotel Tropicano, Puerto Vallarta, where he had Room 417. He checked out of the hotel on November 13, 1967.

The following individuals residing in the area of California covered by the Los Angeles Office who were registered at the above hotels in Puerto Vallarta during the period October 19 through November 13, 1967 were contacted regarding their knowledge of RAY. A photograph of RAY was shown to these individuals and they all advised they neither met nor observed any individual identifiable with JAMES EARL RAY, also known as Eric Starvo Galt.

Captain MARSHALL V. BEEBE
49 Larkspur Avenue
Corona Del Mar, California

Mr. and Mrs. ALBERT FRANCIS FULLER
11541 Garden Drive
Garden Grove, California

Mr. and Mrs. RAYMOND D. MITCHELL
12181 Ora Drive
Garden Grove, California

Mr. and Mrs. STEVEN JONES
Apartment 6, 4737 Artesia Boulevard
Lawndale, California

Mr. and Mrs. GELMER C. BOGGS
10761 Landale Street
North Hollywood, California

Mrs. JOSEPH INE VARELA
CONSUELO MARIN
3022 East Fifth Street
Los Angeles, California

Mr. and Mrs. ROBERT A. BRIGHAM
1730 Gates Avenue
Manhattan Beach, California

FRANK G. MILLER
ROBERT KAMYKOWSKI
10401 Mc Cormick Street
North Hollywood, California

HAYES SCHLUNDT
Apartment 6, 130 North Michigan
Pasadena, California (Temporary address)

Avenida Chapalita 1261
Colonia Chapalita
Guadalajara,
Jalisco, Mexico (Permanent address)

Dr. E. G. SCHNEIDER
Mrs. DELIGHT (E.G.) SCHNEIDER
2189 Lake Marie Drive
Santa Maria, California

Mr. and Mrs. GENE S. MANTLE
7120 Texhoma
Van Nuys, California

Mrs. DAVID (JOAN) HEINZ
415 Calle Granada
Santa Barbara, California

Mr. and Mrs. GERALD J. FAY
1377 Raymond Avenue
Long Beach, California

L. C. HOLLIDAY
20325 Mason Street
Torrance, California

Mr. J. P. HAYWARD, 124 Mira Mar, Long Beach and Mrs. JOHN W. HODGKIN, 5331 East Ocean, Long Beach, California, have been unavailable for interview due to being out of state in constant travel status.

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Mrs. ELIZABETH MONICA ZWOLINSKI, 18712 Nordoff Street, Northridge, California, advised that POPSON is her maiden name and that she is a widow. She has resided at this address for 16 years. She stated she was a guest at the Rosarita Beach Hotel, Puerta Vallarta, Mexico, during March, 1968, but was not in Puerta Vallarta during October or November, 1967. She continued that she travels extensively, however, she does not utilize her maiden name. She related that she has relatives named POPSON, but none with the initials V.J. and she does not know V.J. POPSON.

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INVESTIGATION CONCERNING GINGER DAY
AND ANITA KATZWINKEL, WHOSE NAMES
APPEARED ON PIECE OF BARDBOARD RECOVERED
FROM TRUNK OF ABANDONED 1966 WHITE MUSTANG
IN ATLANTA, GEORGIA

The Atlanta Office of the FBI advised on April 11, 1968 that examination of the 1966 white Mustang bearing 1968 Alabama license 1-38993 on April 5, 1968, was conducted and a piece of cardboard was located in the left rear well of the trunk. On this piece of cardboard was written, "'GINGER DAY' ANITA KATZWINKEL, 1535 Serrano, Apartment 6."

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Miss ANITA LOUISE KATZWINKEL was contacted at her residence of Apartment 9, 1727 North Garfield Place, and after being advised of the identity of the contacting agents, she was interviewed regarding her knowledge of ERIC STARVO GALT, GINGER DAY and SUE HARRIS.

At the outset of the interview, KATZWINKEL was shown two black white photographs of the person named ERIC STARVO GALT, and was asked if she had ever seen this person before or if she knew anyone who resembled him. She stated she did not.

She then volunteered the information that she had been listening to various news broadcasts regarding GALT, and had heard that GALT drank beer and vodka and listened to country and western music. She advised that GINGER DAY, also known as Ginger Nance, favored beer and vodka and would listen only to country and western music.

KATZWINKEL was then asked if she knew any persons who used the names of CHARLIE STEIN, RITA STEIN or MARIA BARINO (phonetic). She advised that she did not.

KATZWINKEL was then asked whether SUE HARRIS had ever made any obscene movies. She advised that one time HARRIS told her she had made a nude film with LOU. KATZWINKEL advised that LOU, whose last name she did not know, was one of several call-girls who worked for HARRIS.

According to KATZWINKEL, the film was made at HARRIS' apartment located on Orange Drive, in Hollywood, California and that LOU arranged the filming of it. It was at this same apartment that HARRIS was arrested by the Los Angeles Police Department for prostitution. LOU and some other girls were arrested along with her. KATZWINKEL advised that HARRIS only mentioned making nude films to her one time. This film was made prior to the time KATZWINKEL and GINGER DAY came to the Los Angeles area.. At the time it was made, LOU, her boy friend JOHNNY BENELLI (phonetic), SUE HARRIS, and several other girls were

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working out of, and living at, HARRIS' apartment on Orange Drive. HARRIS, at the time of her arrest, also worked out of a bar located on Hollywood Boulevard, which is now known as the Blue Bongo.

KATZWINKEL advised that she met LOU ont time during November or December, 1967, at HARRIS' residence, Apartment 102, 1831 Gramercy Place, Hollywood, California. She described LOU as follows:

Sex	Female
Race	White
Height	5'10" to 6'
Hair	Blond, long, shoulder length
Age	22 years
Characteristics	Very pretty; intelligent; possibly has some college education; originally from New Orleans, Louisiana; and lives common-law with JOHNNY BENELLI (phonetic)

KATZWINKEL stated she did not know if LOU and BENELLI (phonetic) still reside in the Hollywood area. She did state that although she never met BENELLI (phonetic), somehow she received the impression that he is about forty years of age, or at least a good deal older than LOU.

KATZWINKEL stated she was very close to SUE HARRIS, and knows HARRIS kept records of all dates filled by herself, or by one of the girls working for her. She would not accept any dates from anyone unless they were known to her. These records contain the customer's name, which is always an alias; his description, phone number; residence; employment; the date the trick was turned; and how much money the customer paid. These records are kept in four books and on notebook paper. One book is a small address book, and another is a recipe book. These records are kept by HARRIS so as to give her an idea how much money has been earned and who her customers are.

In addition to the above KATZWINKEL advised she never made any obscene or nude films for HARRIS, nor did she believe that GINGER DAY ever did.

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ANTHONY HARRISON, 2134 West View Street, Los Angeles, California advised he played guitar at the Paul Vegas Club, 5510 West Hollywood Boulevard, Los Angeles until February 1968. He advised that he was acquainted with ANITA KATZWINKEL and GINGER NANCE only to the extent that he thought two girls by those names were customers of the Vegas Club. He stated that he had absolutely no information pertaining to either girl. HARRISON advised that he had no information pertaining to any person using the name of ERIC GALT, but he thought that the person depicted in the artist conception received from Memphis, Tennessee resembled an unknown caucasian male, whom he thought he had seen as a customer in the Vegas Club. HARRISON stated that the word "OLKAHOMBE" was completely unfamiliar to him and when shown a photograph of a note bearing names GINGER DAY and ANITA KATZWINKEL HARRISON stated he had no knowledge concerning the note.

HARRISON advised that during the months of January and February 1968, he had a partner playing guitar with him at the Vegas Club. HARRISON stated that a male caucasian using the name of ALLAN LEE and who had the true name of ALLAN LEE STODDARD was from the State of Oklahoma and it is very likely, he stated, that STODDARD was known to some of the Vegas Club customers as "Oklahoma". HARRISON stated that in February 1968, STODDARD reportedly left California in order to return to his home in Enid, Oklahoma. HARRISON stated that he had no further background information pertaining to STODDARD and did not know his whereabouts.

HARRISON described STODDARD as follows:

Name	ALLAN LEE STODDARD
Alias	Allan Lee
Sex	Male
Race	Caucasian
Age	25 - 27
Height	5'10" - 5'11"

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Weight	165 to 170 pounds
Hair	Brown
Eyes	Blue
Home	Enid, Oklahoma

HARRISON was shown artist composite drawings received from Memphis, Tennessee and Birmingham, Alabama and he advised that STODDARD did not look similar to either of the composite drawings.

AT LOS ANGELES POLICE DEPARTMENT

The following review of the records of Administrative Vice Division was conducted by SA HOMER E. YOUNG on April 25, 1968:

SUSAN LEE HARRIS was arrested on April 27, 1967 at 1757 North Orange Drive, Apartment 303, Los Angeles, California, by Officers T. D. PIERCE, Number 10383, and C. F. CORBITT, Number 10424 on charged of 647 b Penal Code (Prostitution). Also arrested on this same date at the same apartment was KELLIE O'NEIL, Booking Number 266210, on the same charges.

Officers received information that by going to Apartment 303 (telephone 876-8672) that they could secure a prostitution date. Officers went to this location on April 27, 1967 and were admitted to the apartment by HARRIS for the purpose of having a prostitution date with HARRIS and O'NEIL.

HARRIS was described as being a barmaid having Social Security Number 338-36-3384, a female, white, American, 25, born April 12, 1942, 5'6", 145 pounds, brown hair, hazel eyes, Booking Number 266211.

The foregoing is contained on DR 67-485 099.

SUSAN HARRIS was arrested on May 15, 1967 at 5:00 P.M., along with LOUISE EMILY BENNETT at 1865 North Fuller Avenue, Apartment 314, by officers C. F. CORBITT, Number 10424 and T.D. PIERCE, Number 10383, on charges of 266i Penal Code (Pandering) Subsection C.

Officers had received information that BENNETT, using the name of LU TOMENY, was operating prostitutes at this location as well as through the telephone number of 876-8288 and was located in the apartment of SUSAN HARRIS at 1757 North Orange Drive, Apartment 303, Los Angeles. Also, that a 1965 Ford, red four-door bearing California license SNT 829 was being used by this group.

Also located at this address during this arrest was JOHN R. BONELLI who admitted to officers that he had been working this group of prostitutes but that he intended getting out of the business following this arrest.

The foregoing is contained on DR 67-496 812.

It was noted that information had been furnished to the police that the boyfriend of BENNETT's came in from San Diego periodically in order to make collections from the earnings of the prostitutes.

JOHN R. BONELLI was arrested by officers C. F. CORBITT, Number 10424, and T.D. PIERCE, Number 10383, on charges of 2661 Penal Code Subsection C (pandering) on May 15, 1967 at 5:00 P.M., at 1865 North Fuller Avenue, Apartment 314, Los Angeles, telephone 876-6518. At the time of his arrest, BONELLI furnished an address of 603 North New Hampshire Avenue, Apartment 2, Los Angeles. The name of JOHN R. BEFFEL, JR., was reflected as an alias for this individual on this report.

The following descriptive data was set forth:

Sex	Male
Race	White
Nationality	American
Age	35
Height	5'10"
Weight	150
Hair	Brown
Eyes	Brown
Birth data	May 12, 1932 in Wisconsin
Employment	Gardon Grove Home Reference Library

The foregoing is contained on DR 67-496 812.

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CHARLES J. STEIN, 5666 Franklin, advised he did not know GINGER DAY, GINGER NANCE, ANITA KATZWINKEL, SUE HARRIS, SUE FLIKIED, or TOM FLIKIED. STEIN further advised that he knew nothing about a slip of paper with the names of GINGER DAY and ANITA KATZWINKEL on it,or how it got into the trunk of GALT's car.

STEIN observed a photograph of a Zenith portable television set, gray and white in color. STEIN advised that the television set looked like the set which MARIE MARTIN had traded to ERIC GALT.

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Mr. JOHN REEVES, Chief of Security Officers, Paramount Pictures Corporation, 5451 Marathon Street, Hollywood, California, advised by phone that the Paramount Pictures Corporation and the Desilu Studios had been purchased by the Gulf-Western Corporation and the two studios had been merged effective August of 1967 and the firm was now known as Paramount Pictures Corporation. The former Desilu Studios located at 780 North Gower Street, Hollywood, had telephone number 469-5911, and up until just the past few weeks a person calling this latter number would be brought into the Paramount Pictures Corporation switchboard, and channeled to the proper department. Recently the telephone number has been changed and calls now are made through 463-0100.

During 1967, the Desilu number of 469-5911 would have been a good number. He, however, from available directories did not identify an extension 125 as being in existence on the Desilu switchboard or later on the Paramount board following the merger. He suggested that inquiry be made in the Data Processing Department of Paramount Pictures and also with the Chief Telephone Operator who might furnish any additional information concerning a possibility of an extension 125 being utilized.

Mr. REEVES said that he had no personal knowledge of anyone by the name of VINCE, having been employed in the Data Processing Department at the old Desilu Studios or the Paramount Studios.

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LUCILLE JACKSON, Chief Telephone Operator, Paramount Pictures Corporation, 5451 Marathon Street, Hollywood, California, advised by phone that neither the Paramount Pictures Corporation nor the recently merged Desilu Studio Corporation had any extension 125 past or present which was utilized if someone called the number 469-5911, an old Desilu Studio number and ask for extension 125. She explained further that there was an extension 125 off the Paramount board, however, it went to Stage 5 and that persons could call out from that extension but the operators on incoming calls did not ring calls into that extension.

JACKSON said that she could not identify anyone by the name of VINCE, an IBM operator, who may have been associated in any way with the Data Processing Department at the old Desilu Studios or at the Paramount Pictures Corporation.

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Date 4/16/68

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ANGELA ROBERTS, Data Processing Department, Paramount Pictures Corporation, 5451 Marathon Street, Hollywood, California, advised by phone that she recalled that VINCE STELLY was employed a couple of months in the Fall of 1967 in the Data Processing Department at the Desilu-Paramount Studios. He would normally have been reached on phone number 469-5911, Extension 725. He worked a later night shift briefly and was released for not showing up for work on a regular basis. Her personal descriptive recollection of VINCE STELLY was as follows:

Sex	Male
Race	Negro
Age	30-35
Height	About 5' 10"
Weight	180 pounds
Build	Well build figure
Hair	Dark
Eyes	Dark
Complexion	Very light, but did not look too much like a Negro.

He claimed to have been formerly employed by Liquor Wholesale Outlet in Culver City, California and had been an IBM operator in the past.

ROBERTS said she recalled VINCE asking her on one occasion as to whether she knew a mutual acquaintance, MARGE MESSENGER, who apparently had worked at the Liquor Wholesale Outlet at the time VINCE claimed to have worked there. MESSENGER's husband BUDDY MESSENGER, now deceased, was a former film producer at Desilu Studios. MARGE MESSENGER was last known to be residing in the Playa Del Rey area of Los Angeles and from what VINCE had said, she might possibly be well acquainted with VINCE.

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Mr. RAY STRUCK, Data Processing Department, Paramount Pictures Corporation, 5451 Marathon Street, Hollywood, California, advised by phone that he recalled that during the Fall of 1967 there was an employee in the Data Processing Company by the name of VINCE STELLY who could have been reached by calling 469-5911, Extension 725. This extension went into the key punch operators room and that while STELLY worked on Univac Equipment, he could have been classified as an IBM operator. STELLY was employed only a short period and according to available records in the processing department, resided at 4434 Fifth Avenue, Los Angeles, California, telephone 291-8375.

STRUCK described VINCE STELLY as:

Sex	Male
Race	Negro
Complexion	Light
Height	5' 11"
Age	28-30
Weight	170-180
Build	Slender

He suggested a check of the payroll records for further data.

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Records of the Paramount Pictures Corporation, 5451 Marathon Street, Hollywood, California, disclosed that VINCENT DE PAUL STELLY, Social Security Number 434-54-8223, had been employed by the Paramount Pidures Corporation September 18, 1968 as an equipment operator in the Data Processing Department and was terminated October 10, 1967 for failure to show up for work. He furnished an address of 4434 Fifth Avenue, Los Angeles, California. No phone was listed in the payroll records. A W-2 Form sent to him following his termination of employment carried the same address. The person listed to notify in case of illness was CATHERINE STELLY, of the same address, mother.

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INVESTIGATION CONCERNING MATERIAL
LOCATED IN 1966 WHITE MUSTANG
ABANDONED IN ATLANTA, GEORGIA

Included in material located was a portion of what appeared to be classified advertisement from a newspaper. Also included were bed linen which bore laundry mark 20R-3.

The following investigation was conducted regarding the above items.

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Investigation was conducted to ascertain the name and date of the newspaper from which the two classified advertisement scraps had been taken. In doing so, Mrs. CARLTON SHAW, Carlton Shaw Realty, 13025 Ventura Boulevard, Studio City, California, telephone ST 8-7631, was contacted on April 18, 1968, as that firm had an advertisement appearing in one of the scraps.

Mrs. SHAW advised that their advertisement was in the Los Angeles Times on November 19 and December 3, 1967.

Inspection of library copies of the Los Angeles Times, Times Mirror Square, Los Angeles on April 18, 1968, developed that these scraps of newspaper were taken from the Los Angeles Times dated Sunday, November 19, 1967, pages 51, 52, 53, 54.

The December 3, 1967, issue was eliminated as the advertisement pertaining 626 South Alvarado, in that issue was not immediately preceded by the advertisement pertaining to 6326 Lexington, which was the case on the scrap of paper recovered in the Mustang.

The following investigation relates to investigation at the address of 626 South Alvarado, which is one of the addresses appearing on these scraps of newspaper.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date April 29, 1968

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On April 16, 1968, FRANK T. WOOD, Manager of The Palms Wilshire, 626 South Alvarado Street, Los Angeles, California, advised that he has been manager since November 27, 1967, but prior thereto he was relief manager since April 1, 1967.

When asked if he had any knowledge of any person named ERIC STARVO GALT, WOOD advised that he had none except that he may have heard it over the radio or television in connection with the murder of MARTIN LUTHER KING. WOOD advised that no person with that name is presently a tenant at this address and that this name was not recognized as that of any tenant since November, 1967. He said that he would make a check of the hotel's records in this regard.

When WOOD was furnished a description of GALT, he said that he could not identify any person on the basis of it, tenant or otherwise.

On April 18, 1968, WOOD was recontacted and he advised that a search of his hotel records, which go back to January, 1967, developed no information that ERIC STARVO GALT or any person named GALT was a tenant at The Palms Wilshire.

WOOD said that subsequent to April 16, 1968 he had spoken to ANN SMITH who was manager of these premises prior to November 27, 1967, but she had no knowledge of the name ERIC STARVO GALT and could not recall any person fitting the description which he (WOOD) had given her.

WOOD was shown photographs of GALT on April 18, 1968, with eyes open and with eyes shut, but he said he could not identify them.

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by SA ALBERT N. CARLBLOM/dey Date dictated 4/24/68

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Date 4/18/68

FAYE BERNARD, Manager, Avalon Cleaners and Laundry, Incorporated, 5662 Hollywood Boulevard, made available a double entry ledger, Standard Blank Book Number 66, which contained records of the laundry customers covering the period from August 7, 1967, to April 18, 1968. A review of the records disclosed the following entries:

	Date Received	Ticket Number	Customer	Flatwear	Finish	Date Picked Up	Cost
Page 78	12/4/67	30826	GALT	L8	---	12/21	1.64
Page 85	12/15/67	31053	GALT	R	F7	12/22	1.52

The following additional records were located:

Receipt number 30826 for wearing apparel rate section and customer receipt section of laundry list with GALT written on it.

Receipt number 31053 for wearing apparel rate section, flat rate section, and customer receipt section with GALT written on it.

FAYE BERNARD advised that all flatwear and finished laundry were marked with a Thermo Seal Marking Machine. She advised that all marking and laundry work was done at Avalon Cleaners and Laundry, Incorporated, main plant at 3020 Hines Avenue, Culver City, California. She further stated that the plant records would reflect the color of tape and laundry mark number given to a particular customer's laundry on any given day.

BERNARD was shown a photograph of ERIC STARVO GALT. She advised she was unable to identify the photograph as a person who had been a customer at the Avalon Cleaners.

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Date 4/18/68

FRED BACK, Owner, Avalon Cleaners and Laundry, Incorporated, 3020 Hines Avenue, advised that he used four Thermo Seal Marking machines at his laundry plant. The machine serial numbers were obtained:

	Serial Number	Model Number
Machine number one	32192	H5L4
Machine number two	31900	H5L4
Machine number three	32190	H5L4
Machine number four	32189	H5L4

Samples of laundry mark 20R-3 were obtained from all machines.

BACK advised that the Avalon Cleaners and Laundry, store number 20, located at 5662 Hollywood Boulevard, was one of 25 Avalon stores where laundry was picked up for processing at the main plant, and that this particular store was assigned the code number 20. BACK advised that all Thermo Seal Laundry Marks for this store would begin with the numerals 20.

BACK further advised that laundry list receipt ticket number 31053 for store number 20 reflected that finished laundry and flat laundry had been checked into the main plant and marked on December 18, 1967. BACK advised that all laundry was logged for store 20 according to receipt number and that receipt number 31053 shows that the flatwear laundry mark was 20R-3, which was printed on white tape.

BACK advised that the letter R and the white tape are used as a means of checking the particular day work is done and the numeral 3 is the lot number given to each separate bundle of laundry from a particular store.

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BACK advised that the flatwear processed on December 18, 1967, cost $.38 and would indicate that two sheets were processed. BACK stated sheets cost $.19 each and pillowcases cost $.09 each to launder. BACK further advised that the finished laundry cost $1.14 which would indicate six shirts were processed according to price lists in effect at that time.

BACK furnished one Piece Count Ledger, labeled Laundry Prices and Count, covering the period May 14, 1963, to April 18, 1968, which shows on page 108 that on December 18, 1967, white Thermo Seal tape was used with the code letter R on flatwork.

BACK also furnished one lot control ledger for color marking tapes, which shows on page 62 that on December 18, 1967, white Thermo Seal tape with code letter R was used on flatwear laundry.

BACK also furnished one Ledger Sheet for cash inventory for store number 20, Hollywood and Wilton, dated December 20, 1967, which shows that laundry list number 31053 for flatwear laundry was priced to the customer for $.38 and was marked 20R-3. Also received on this ticket was finish wear laundry priced to the customer at $1.14 and marked 20F-7.

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LA 44-1574

INVESTIGATION AT NATIONAL DANCE STUDIO, LONG BEACH, CALIFORNIA, WHERE RAY ATTENDED CLASSES DECEMBER, 1967 TO FEBRUARY, 1968

During the course of the investigation to determine background of JAMES EARL RAY it was ascertained that he probably attended some dance school in the Los Angeles area. Through a telephonic survey of the various dance schools throughout the Los Angeles area it was determined from Mr. RODNEY ARVIDSON, owner, National Dance Studio, 2026 Pacific Avenue, Long Beach, California, that ERIC GALT enrolled at this school during the first week of December, 1967 and took lessons until approximately February 12, 1968.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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Date 4/17/68

SHARON RHOADS, employed at Charter Title, 9033 Wilshire Boulevard, Los Angeles, California, was interviewed by SAs GEORGE E. AIKEN, Jr. and E. RHEAD RICHARDS in the vicinity of her employment on April 16, 1968, at which time she advised as follows:

She stated that she was employed on a part-time basis as an evening dance instructor at the National Dance Studio located at 2026 Pacific Avenue, Long Beach, California.

She stated that she recalled one ERIC S. GALT as a former student whom she instructed. She stated that as she recalled, GALT was her dancing pupil from about the first week in December 1967 through approximately the middle of February 1968.

In recalling GALT, she offered the following information concerning him:

She said that GALT was a very neat person and that he dressed immaculately, often in expensive clothes. He always appeared at the dance studio cleanly shaven, wearing white shirt and tie, and either a sport coat and slacks or a suit. She stated he also owned an expensive looking pair of alligator loafers, which he often wore with a sport suit. She stated that his hands were very well kept, and his nails may have been professionally manicured, but she could not state this with absolute certainty. She stated, however, that she had never seen his hands soiled or his fingernails dirty. His fingernails were well filed and trimmed and were worn short and neat. She stated that he was left handed inasmuch as she had noticed him on two occasions writing, and at the time she observed him writing, she made a mental note that he was a "south paw."

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GALT was very ill at ease in crowds and gave her the impression that he prefers to be either alone or with no more than one other individual. He was an introvert and was very hard to converse with. She stated that in the approximate two months that she knew him, only towards the last did he feel confident enough with her that he would joke with her. She stated that toward the end he showed somewhat of a humor, which she believed very few people knew he had. He was always ill at ease around others and could not relax while in conversation with any other individual. He always fidgeted, pulled at his ears, played with his hands, and looked in every direction but at the person with whom he was conversing. She stated that he smiled with a one-sided smile and that he smiled very infrequently.

He would never talk about himself, but in general conversations she was led to believe that he came to Los Angeles from Mexico, possibly around Mexico City. He told her that he was unemployed; was a former merchant seaman; that he wished to return to sea, and that he received sufficient proceeds from the sale of a bar that he could "get along without being gainfully employed."

RHOADS stated that she was of the opinion that GALT entertained the thought of asking her for a date on many occasions, but his backwardness prevented him from actually doing so. During the dancing lessons he always centered his conversations around dancing techniques and never talked in general terms about himself. She believes he was a Southerner, and she recalled that possibly the first or second week during January 1968, he did not attend dancing instruction, and upon his return, stated that he had visited a brother in the State of Louisiana. RHOADS stated that during the two month period that she knew GALT, he changed residences twice in Hollywood, California. She at no time associated with GALT socially. She was not acquainted with any of his associates, and through conversations, GALT told her that he had no particular "hobby."

She stated that GALT seemed to compensate for his social inaptness by his attire and placing his schedule on precise projects which he was participating in.

As an example, she stated that GALT took dancing lessons she believed to overcome some of his shyness. He pursued the dancing lessons quite vigorously, doubling up on the number of lessons normally taught per week so as to take the maximum number of lessons in the shortest possible time. He abruptly quit dancing, telling her that he had enrolled in bartending school and was having a conflict in his schedule.

RHOADS was of the opinion that he had toyed with his dancing lessons sufficiently to satisfy himself and was "running off on another tangent." She also stated that GALT was not sufficiently busy she believed to have not pursued both courses, because GALT told her that he slept rather late, had lunch, took a nap in the early afternoon, went to bartending school in the late afternoon, and would then attend dancing lessons in the early evening. This, he explained to her, was his typical day, which was not a busy, productive, or strenuous one in her mind.

She stated that GALT was very slow in his mental processes. He often did not understand jokes and did not react favorably to a friendly gesture extended to him. RHOADS stated that during one conversation with GALT she made mention that it was odd that he did not wear any jewelry, that is ring or watch, since he was so well dressed otherwise. GALT replied that he detested jewelry of any sort, and to her knowledge, she never saw him wear a watch, ring, or cuff links, or any other items of jewelry.

RHOADS could remember nothing else of the mannerisms, background, etc. of GALT. She stated that GALT was a white male, weighing about 165 pounds. She stated that he had brown hair; was in his middle 30s; had a medium complexion, and spoke with a Southern accent. She stated that from his diction she believed him to be high school educated. To her knowledge, he spoke no foreign language.

His hair was short but not a flattop or Butch haircut. She stated that she could not recall whether or not he had a part in his hair but for some reason doubted that his hair was parted. His eyes were described as pretty and blue in color.

She stated that should she remember any further information pertaining to GALT, she would immediately contact the Los Angeles Division of the FBI.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

1 Date 4/18/68

PATTY HARRIS, 2027 Junipero Avenue, Long Beach, California, GE 8-9691, a student at Long Beach City College, telephonically advised she was formerly employed as a dancing teacher at the National Dance Studio at Long Beach and had as a student, ERIC GALT. She stated that as she recalls he had a course of some 50 hours, and she taught him on the average of about one hour a week for about a month and a half during the early part of this year. He did not finish all of his dance lessons.

During this period, on several occasions, she and he discussed Mexico in general. He told her that he was from Mexico and that he had a business there with someone else. She said he said he was in business with a friend. He told her something about being in the Los Angeles area to attend school but that he had not obtained any employment. He told her that he intended to return to Mexico.

She said he had a very limited knowledge of the Spanish language. In their discussions, he indicated that he had been in Mexico City and to Cuernavaca, Mexico. He did not tell her where his business was nor where he was living in Mexico.

Through conversation, he indicated that at least on one occasion he had visited a night club in Mexico City known as Senoryel (phonetic), which she also has visited. She stated that this night club had three separate rooms or lounges with different types of music in each. She stated that she thought he was in his early 30s and about 5'8" or 5'9" in height. She noted that she is 5'5" herself and did not regard him as too much taller than she.

She advised that she did not date GALT herself nor does she know anyone who did date him or had any social contact with him.

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by SA RICHARD B. GEORGE/eb Date dictated 4/18/68

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She said she believes that ROD, the owner of the dance studio, at one time or another had told her that GALT was a restaurant owner.

She stated that she could not recall if GALT smoked but believes that on several occasions she smelled liquor on his breath.

She stated that she would be agreeable to being re-contacted concerning this matter, and this was the only information she could recall at this time concerning GALT.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

1 Date 4/29/68

JOHN F. PRICE, manager of the Time Out Cafe located at 2054 Pacific, several doors north of the National Dance Studios, advised that during the months of December 1967 and January 1968, as he recalled, an individual who appeared identical with JAMES EARL RAY appeared at his bar about two or three times a week. This individual, according to PRICE, always appeared at the Time Out Cafe alone and sat alone. He was a good tipper; dressed well, and in conversation with people always talked about dancing. PRICE stated that he firmly suspected that this individual was attending dance lessons at the National Dance Studios several doors south of the Time Out Cafe.

PRICE stated that, as he recalled, this individual always wore a dark tie and on occasion was invited by other patrons of the bar to enter a game of billards or shuffleboard, always declined the invitation.

PRICE stated that this individual always entered the bar on foot, and he, PRICE, never saw a vehicle which this individual might have driven.

He stated that this individual had a Southern drawl, or perhaps more actually a country boy manner of speaking.

PRICE could furnish no further information about this individual. He was shown photographs of JAMES EARL RAY, at which time he stated that he was certain that RAY was the individual who appeared at his bar during December 1967 and January 1968.

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INVESTIGATION AT INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL OF BARTENDING, LOS ANGELES, ATTENDED BY RAY FROM JANUARY 19, 1968 TO MARCH 2, 1968

During interviews of the personnel at the National Dance Studio, it was learned that RAY might possibly have attended a bartending school somewhere in the Los Angeles area. Investigation subsequently determined that RAY had attended bartending school at the International School of Bartending, 2125 Sunset Boulevard, Los Angeles.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

1 Date 4/17/68

TOMAS LAU, Director, International School of Bartending, 2125 Sunset Boulevard, advised ERIC GALT was not fluent in Spanish and could only say a few words in Spanish. These words, however, were correctly pronounced by him. LAU stated he now recalls that GALT had mentioned to him that he had lived in Puerto Vallarta, Mexico for about three years. The exact dates of this residence are unknown. LAU could not recall GALT ever mentioning the reason he had been living in Mexico.

LAU stated he thought it rather peculiar that someone would spend three years in Mexico and would not take the trouble to learn the language. He never questioned GALT in this regard.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

1 Date 4/16/68

RICHARD GONZALES, 1404 North Manzanita was interviewed at his residence at which time he furnished the following information:

He advised he is a former student of the International School of Bartending, 2125 Sunset Boulevard, Los Angeles, California at the same time that ERIC GALT, known to him as ERIC, attended the school. He stated they both graduated from the school on the same date and he has not seen GALT since. During conversations with GALT, while attending school, he learned from GALT that GALT had lived in Mexico for about three years, the exact dates and places unknown. GALT claimed to have gotten along well with Mexicans, liked Mexico very much and planned to return there to live.

On the date that graduation took place, in response to a question from TOMAS LAU, Director of the above school, as to what he, GALT, planned to do, GALT stated he was going to go to Birmingham, Alabama to visit his brother for about two weeks. He did not mention the name of his brother or his exact address. He indicated he would possibly return to Los Angeles after this trip to Alabama. GALT indicated he had been a chef in the Merchant marine, sometime in the past, serving on seagoing vessels. GALT never mentioned any other type of employment or members of his family but did imply he had been married once though was not presently married.

At the bartending school, GONZALES found GALT to be very quiet and one who kept to himself. He was also quite slow in mastering the bartending school curriculum and often displayed nervousness. GONZALES stated he thinks that GALT is right handed.

GONZALES stated that GALT never mentioned any women and it was not known whether he drank much. He did not smoke. GONZALES stated that GALT usually wore a business suit to school, however, gave the appearance of one who felt ill at ease in such clothing and it would be more fitting to his personality for him to wear more casual clothing.

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GONZALES stated he never saw GALT's car and he was led to believe that GALT usually drove his car to school. GONZALES stated however that on at least one occasion did not drive his car to school because he, GALT, had allegedly lost his billfold, which contained his driver's license and it was not known if this billfold was ever recovered.

GALT claimed the reason he was taking this bartending course was because as a chef he had occasion to serve cocktails on board ship. He stated he did not feel qualified to mix these drinks properly and so was taking this course.

Concerning descriptive information on GALT, GONZALES furnished the following information:

He stated GALT never used profanity and talked like a fairly educated person. GALT was not observed wearing any rings although did wear a watch which had no distinguishing characteristics. He usually wore a short sleeve with his business suit and no tattoos or scars were observed. GALT's hair was brown with some graying on the sides GONZALES stated that GALT wore dark brown wing tipped shoes and had a slight southern accent. He stated GALT had a medium frame although somewhat of a large stomach. He never mentioned being in the military and did appear to know a few words in Spanish and what words he did say in Spanish were correctly pronounced.

GONZALES stated that within the next two weeks he is going to move to Oakland, California and will be taking up permanent residence at 1640 Sixth Avenue, Oakland, California. He stated that his mother, Mrs. NINA GONZALES, who lives at 1625 Sixth Avenue, Oakland, California, telephone 832-3723, will always know his whereabouts.

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LA 44-1574

PSYCHOLOGICAL TREATMENT RECEIVED BY
JAMES E. RAY IN LOS ANGELES DURING THE
PERIOD NOVEMBER 27, 1967 TO DEVEMBER 14, 1967

On April 19, 1968, Dr. MARK O. FREEMAN telephonically contacted the Los Angeles Office of the FBI stating he believed he had information regarding JAMES E. RAY and desired to be interviewed.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date April 19, 1968

Dr. MARK O. FREEMAN, Ph.D., Clinical Psychologist, was interviewed at his residence, 227 South Bedford Drive, Beverly Hills, California, April 19, 1968, at which time he furnished the following information:

On November 27, 1967, he received a telephone call from a JAMES E. RAY, who said he wanted to overcome his shyness, gain social confidence, and learn self-hypnosis in order that he could relax, sleep and learn to remember things better. As there was an open appointment that afternoon, an appointment was made for RAY to come to the doctor's office, 9952 Santa Monica Boulevard, Beverly Hills, at 5:00 p.m.

RAY did report for the scheduled appointment on November 27th, at 5:00 p.m. Dr. FREEMAN exhibited a leaf from his consultation notebook (approximately 3"x5" in size), on which he said he had made some notes regarding RAY on the occasion of their first appointment. This notebook page contained the name JAMES E. RAY; address, 1535 North Serrano; telephone 469-8096; and notations indicating the patient was single; had said he was from East St. Louis, and had worked on boats on the Mississippi River. Born March 10, 1928.

In this first appointment and in subsequent appointments, RAY had very little to contribute about his personal family background. He said that he was unemployed. That he had worked as a cook on a Mississippi river steamer, but did not like the work, so had quit.

The doctor said he got the impression that RAY was an early riser, as he wanted early appointments, where ever possible. He also usually arrived at the office early, considerably ahead of his scheduled appointment time. He was not "shaky," when he arrived for the early morning appointments. No indications that he was suffering from "hang-overs," on those occasions.

RAY had no physical distresses. No headaches. Was in excellent health, trim and handsome. He gave no indications of being psychotic or of being plagued with neuroses. Impressed the doctor as having an average intelligence quotient. No evidence of any deep animosity.

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Although he gave his birthdate as March 10, 1928, on the occasion of their first appointment, RAY impressed the doctor as being "young and immature."

In consultations subsequent to their first meeting, the doctor stated he felt that he and RAY developed a good rapport. RAY repeated his request that he wanted to overcome his shyness, and gain social confidence so that he would be able to talk to people. He was usually placid, cooperative, easily led in conversations, and did not fight against the doctor as some of his clients do. During either the second or third visit, the doctor asked RAY if he had any "deep dark secrets that he wanted to get off his chest." The doctor said he usually asks this question to determine if his clients have any criminal background or any sexual problems or aberations. He said that RAY answered in the negative, and gave him no reason to doubt his answer.

RAY indicated he had read a lot of books on hypnosis. According to Dr. FREEMAN, "RAY had the old power idea of hynotism. That is that you can go around looking people in the eye and can hypnotise them and make them do what you want them to." In subsequent appointments, Dr. FREEMAN placed RAY in a hypnotic state. He said he would have RAY lie down on a couch in his office, and stare at a little spiral on the ceiling. Then the doctor would talk to him. He was a very apt subject for hypnosis. Very eager, and very cooperative. He was an excellent hypnotic subject. He was likeable, and polite. He was making progress in overcoming his shyness. At the conclusion of each session, he thanked the doctor for his assistance; and indicated that he was satisfied with the progress he was making. He was learning to calm his body down, and overcome nervousness, and shyness. He usually did what the doctor wanted.

The doctor had no recollection of any particular habits or hobbies that RAY might have had. He did not recall any scars or peculiar physical characteristics that made any special impression on him with regard to RAY. He had no recollection of any discussions regarding sports, although their visits were during the height of the football season and the start of the basketball season. He was neat, and to the best of the doctor's recollection, usually wore a suit coat, without a tie. Two photographs of ERIC GALT (with eyes open and eyes closed) were exhibited to the doctor, who said they were excellent likenesses of his patient, JAMES E. RAY.

The doctor pointed out in his professional appointment book, entries for JAMES E. RAY covering six appointments and a seventh entry which was

crossed through. These appointment dates and times, as noted in the professional appointment book, were:

November 27, 1967	5:oo p.m.
November 30, 1967	10:00 a.m.
December 4, 1967	9:00 a.m.
December 6, 1967	10:00 a.m.
December 11, 1967	3:00 p.m.
December 14, 1967	10:00 a.m.
December 18, 1967	3:00 p.m.

This latter appointment (12/18/67) was the one with the line through it. The doctor recalled that RAY had telephone him at the office, after making the appointment for December 18th, and told him that he would be unable to come to the office for the appointment as he had received information from his brother, that the latter had "found a job for him in the Merchant Marine in New Orleans, Louisiana." The doctor is not sure of the date or time that RAY telephone to cancel this last appointment; but feels sure that it was sometime after their 10:00 a.m. appointment on December 14, 1968.

Dr. FREEMAN saidthat RAY paid in cash, $25.00 per visit. Except he has the recollection that RAY sent him a money order(he believes it was a postal money order) for the final $25.00 payment.

Concerning his own personal history background and professional training, Dr. FREEMAN advised he had his college training at the University of Illinois (where he had a minor in Zoology), the University of Zurich, and graduate study at the University of Southern California. He said he was an agent in the Army's counter-intelligence corps in Europe during World War II. He is married, and has two children (a son and daughter) living with him. In addition to his travels and studies in Europe; he has travelled in Japan. His office is located at 9952 Santa Monica Boulevard, Beverly Hills, California, and his office telephone number is CRestview 6-2012. The doctor said that many of his patients come to him a referral from Mr. MELVIN POWERS of the Wilshire Book Company on the Sunset Strip in Hollywood, California; which he discribed as a publishing house that publishes numerous titles in the field of self-hypnosis. It was his recollection that RAY had indicated he had read some of these books and that he had been referred to the doctor from that source.

The doctor concluded by stating that JAMES E. RAY came to him seeking psychological help in the nature of self-hypnosis to gain confidence, overcome shyness, learn to sleep better, and to be able to talk to people. Following each session, he was instructed to go home and practice the methods of relaxation they had gone over in the office. He was shy, introverted, and withdrawn, but not psychotic or plagued with any deep seated neuroses. Although he indicated he was unemployed, he never seemed to lack money to pay in cash for his consultations during the period of their appointments. When he called to cancel their last appointment, he indicated he was going to New Orleans to accept a position his brother had obtained for him; but he told the doctor he hoped they would meet again sometime.

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LA 44-1574

POSSIBLE EMPLOYMENT OF RAY IN
THE LOS ANGELES AREA

On application for admission to the International School of Bartending, 2125 Sunset Boulevard, Los Angeles, RAY listed a prior employment as Mr. WILIER, 751 South Figueroa, Los Angeles, with a salary of $50.00.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

1 Date 4/17/68

R. J. WEILER, Owner, Office Building, 751 South Figueroa Street, furnished the following information:

Miss E. J. KELLY, Secretary to Mr. WEILER, handles the hiring and paying of all employees. WEILER does not have personal contact with the maintenance employees at 751 South Figueroa Street.

WEILER advised that he has never employed anyone using the name ERIC S. GALT and he could not identify artist drawings of ERIC S. GALT as a prior acquaintance.

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by SA WILLIAM S. BURTON/mmb Date dictated 4/17/68

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INVESTIGATION CONCERNING LONG DISTANCE TELEPHONE CALLS PLACED FROM TELEPHONE BOOTHS IN ST. FRANCIS HOTEL, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA

LA 44-1574

On April 25, 1968, the telephone toll tickets of all long distance telephone calls placed from the telephone booths in the St. Francis Hotel, 5533 Hollywood Boulevard, Los Angeles, California, were made available to the FBI. The identity of the recipients of the telephone calls were located and interviewed to ascertain the identity of the caller. Investigation to date has failed to locate any recipient of long distance call from telephone booth at St. Francis Hotel who could furnish any information regarding JAMES EARL RAY.

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INVESTIGATION REGARDING PURCHASE
OF JAPANESE HANDCUFFS BY RAY

On April 16, 1968 RALPH DE JESU, Branch Manager, Hollywood - Wilshire Branch, Bank of America, Los Angeles, California, advised that bank money order 0799 19703 dated February 26, 1968 in the amount of $9.98 made payable to Tiffany Enterprises was purchased by RAY. This money order was endorsed by Tiffany Enterprises and was paid by this bank on March 1, 1968.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

1 Date 4/30/68

On April 25, 1968, Mr. HERBERT F. GREENBERG was contacted at his place of employment, 1640 South La Cienega Boulevard, by SAS THEODORE M. GARDNER and GILBERT G. BENJAMIN. After being advised of the identity of the contacting agents, he was interviewed regarding a purchase of a set of Japanese handcuffs by ERIC S. GALT, from the International Police Equipment Company, 806 South Robertson Avenue, Los Angeles, California.

GREENBERG stated he is the owner of the International Police Equipment Company, and that company is operated by him strictly on a mail order basis. He has no walk-in customers, and the address of 806 South Robertson Avenue, is nothing more than a mail drop utilized by him to receive mail directed to the International Police Equipment Company. He has been in business since 1953, and advertises police equipment for sale in all of the "trash" detective magazines; however, he does not advertise handcuffs. If a person ordered handcuffs from his company, this person would have to have been a former customer placing a re-order; or would have to have obtained a catalogue and order blank from a prior customer. GREENBERG explained that the only advertisements for handcuffs for sale by his company are contained in the police equipment catalogue that is also put out by his company. This catalogue is not readily available to the public, but is sent to a customer along with an original purchase. His catalogue is not distributed by mail lists, nor does his company utilize mailing lists in its operation.

Regarding the Japanese handcuffs, GREENBERG stated that he formerly sold a Spanish-made handcuff, and has only handled a Japanese manufactured cuff for the last ninety or one hundred days.

GREENBERG was advised that a package containing a set of Japanese handcuffs and a catalogue advertising police equipment for sale had been mailed by the International Police Equipment Company, 806 South Robertson Avenue, on March 16,

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by SAS THEODORE M. GARDNER, GILBERT G. BENJAMIN and G. J. MOORHEAD/gja (T.G) Date dictated 4/30/68

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1968, to ERIC S. GALT, 5533 Hollywood Boulevard. GREENBERG advised that he did not personally recall filling such an order, but that he would check his records, and make available all information regarding the order. In this regard, GREENBERG stated that he would most probably have an original purchase order signed by the buyer, which he would make available.

During the late afternoon of April 25, 1968, GREENBERG telephonically contacted SA GARDNER at the Los Angeles FBI Office and advised that he had been in contact with the secretary who handled his company's records. She advised that she had located the above-described purchase order made by GALT, and that this order had been placed by him on February 26, 1968. She further advised that GALT had paid for the money order by check in the amount of $9.98, but that for some reason the order had been delayed. GALT then called the secretary on the phone and asked her what had happened and requested she fill the order immediately. The secretary had then called GREENBERG and told him to ship the order immediately. GREENBERG advised that he would have the original order on the morning of April 26, 1968.

On April 26, 1968, GREENBERG was contacted at his place of employment by SAS GARDNER and G. J. MOOREHEAD. At this time, GREENBERG made available the following documents pertaining to the above-described sale:

(1) One Air Mail envelope, postmarked February 26, 1968, addressed to Tiffany Enterprises, 8512 Whitworth Drive, Los Angeles, California, bearing a return address of ERIC S. GALT, 5533 Hollywood Boulevard, Hollywood, California 90028.

(2) One typewritten letter, dated February 26, 1968, bearing the typewritten signature, ERIC S. GALT, as well as a written signature in the same name.

Inscribed on the letter were various notations in what appeared to be red-colored ball-point ink, and the numerals "998" in black ink. These notations, according to

GREENBERG, were placed there by himself at the time he filled the order. The above-described documents were inscribed on the back upper left hand corners, "4/26/68, TMG, LA, Calif." by SA GARDNER.

After furnishing the above-described documents, GREENBERG stated that he would have to revise the information previously furnished by him regarding the order and purchase of the handcuffs by GALT. He stated that Tiffany Enterprises is also a mail order business, and that two of the salesmen employed by Tiffany occasionally sell merchandise for him. In this regard, GREENBERG advised that in addition to the catalogue containing advertisements of police equipment for sale, he also put out a brochure which advertised the Japanese handcuffs.

He has furnished a number of these brochures to the Tiffany Enterprise salesmen, and they place a stamp on the brochure which indicates to a customer that these handcuffs can be purchased through Tiffany Enterprises. However, they do not carry handcuffs and any orders for them are filled by him. This would explain why GALT addressed his letter to Tiffany Enterprises. The secretary for Tiffany Enterprises, who is also utilized by him, advised him that GALT paid for his purchase with a money order in the amount of $9.98. Her name is JANIE (last name unknown), and she can be located at Tiffany Enterprises. GREENBERG stated that in talking with her, she mentioned that agents of the FBI had already contacted her and other members of Tiffany Enterprises. GREENBERG described the brochures furnished to Tiffany Enterprises as a 8½" by 11" green sheet, a number of which were furnished to Mr. FLOYD CLEMENS of Tiffany Enterprises.

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INVESTIGATION CONCERNING TELEPHONE CALLS MADE FROM LOS ANGELES TELEPHONE LISTED TO ERIC. S. GALT DURING PERIOD NOVEMBER, 1967 TO JANUARY, 1968

Inquiry at the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company, 1149 North Gower Street, Los Angeles, reflected that telephone number 469-8096 was assigned to ERIC GALT at 1535 North Serrano, Apartment 6, Los Angeles, from November 27, 1967 to January 22, 1968.

Previous investigation on April 13, 1968 at the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company revealed that calls were made from number 469-8096 to the following subscribers on the dates indicated:

Kirby Vacuum Sales,
11329 South La Mirada Boulevard
La Mirada, California
(941-8767) on November 29, 1967

U. S. Coast Guard,
Number 19 Pine Street
Long Beach, California
(437-2941) on December 4, 1967

ALAN ROSS
38 29th Place
Apartment B
Venice, California
(392-3823) on January 20, 1968

The above listed information taken from the records of the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company can be made public only with the issuance of a subpoena duces tecum directed to CHARLES BITNER, Chief Special Agent, Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company, Los Angeles, California.

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Mr. GEORGE MAC DONALD, Owner, Kirby Field and Service, 11329 South La Mirada, Whittier, California, advised he did not recognize the photograph of JAMES EARL RAY and did not recognize any of RAY's aliases:

Eric Starvo Galt

Harvey Lowmyer

John Willard

MAC DONALD did not recognize any of RAY's aliases as being a customer, a member of the sales department, or an applicant to Kirby's Sales and Service.

Mr. MAC DONALD stated that on November 27, 1968, he placed an advertisement in the Los Angeles Herald Examiner advertising for service and sales personnel. The ad asked for men 18 to 45, no experience necessary, pertaining in field and service and setting forth the salaries that would be given. He advised that they had over 100 calls through the telephone listed in the advertisement, 941-8767. Of these 100 calls they eliminated approximately 50 of the applicants by phone. Of the approximately 50 remaining, applications were mailed to them and out of these approximately 20 people were called back and brought in for interview. Of the 20 interviewed, half were eliminated through the interview, and the remaining ten were trained in either sales or service. MAC DONALD stated that none of those that were interviewed resembled JAMES EARL RAY and he reviewed all names obtained through the phone calls and applications and none of them were similar to JAMES EARL RAY, ERIC STARVO GALT, HARVEY LOWMYER, or JOHN WILLARD.

Mr. MAC DONALD pointed out that he opened his shop on November 4, 1967 just three weeks before the ad was placed.

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by SA FREDERICK L. BIGGERS/yfs Date dictated 4/20/68

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1 Date 4/20/68

Mr. JAMES T. MOORE, Field Manager, Kirby Field and Service, 11329 South La Mirada Boulevard, Whittier, California, advised he did not recognize the photograph of JAMES EARL RAY and did not recognize any of RAY's aliases:

Eric Starvo Galt

Harvey Lowmyer

John Willard

MOORE did not recognize any of RAY's aliases as being a customer, a member of the sales department, or an applicant to Kirby's Sales and Service.

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Date 4/19/68

FRANK DEERSON, Chief of Intelligence and Law Enforcement, U. S. Coast Guard District Office, Number 19 Pine Street, furnished the following information:

The office does not keep a record of incoming telephone calls which come through telephone number 437-2941. Any person could call the building through the switchboard and call anyone in the building by name or extension.

DEERSON advised that there are 132 Coast Guard employees in the District Office.

DEERSON advised that many inquiries are made by persons seeking a license as a marine cook or steward, or for information on how to obtain seaman's papers.

Persons checking information concerning marine cooks and stewards positions are referred to the Marine Cooks and Stewards Union, Long Beach, California. Persons inquiring about a seaman's license are referred to Commandor HERB JOHNSON, Marine Inspection Office, Wilmington, California.

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Date 4/19/68

JOHN DE CUIR, Public Information Officer, U. S. Coast Guard District Office, Number 91 Pine Avenue, Long Beach, California, furnished the following information:

Telephone number 437-2941 is the number on which all incoming calls to the U. S. Coast Guard District Office are received. No record is maintained for incoming calls. A person calling this number could call anyone of 132 employees in the building by name or extension.

DE CUIR advised that personal inquiries made at the office would be handled through himself or his Assistant HARRY BOLEN. When exhibited an artist conception of ERIC STARVO GALT, DE CUIR advised that GALT was unfamiliar to him. DE CUIR advised that GALT had not made an inquiry using the name HARRY LOWMYER or JOHN WILLARD.

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Date 4/17/68

ALLAN ROSS was interviewed at his place of business, Squire, Incorporated, 6725 Sunset Boulevard, Los Angeles, California, by SAs GEORGE E. AIKEN, Jr. and E. RHEAD RICHARDS on April 15, 1968. He was shown a group of composite photographs of a suspect involved in the MARTIN LUTHER KING slaying, at which time he advised that he did not recall ever having noticed anyone who looked similar to any of the photographs.

He was then specifically asked if the name ERIC STARVO GALT or anyone using the last names of STARVO or FOTOS meant anything to him. ROSS stated that he did not recall anyone by the above names. He then stated that he would review his appointment books, his sales books and contact books in order to ascertain if anyone by these names had contacted him in the past as a prospective purchaser of a toupee from Squire.

After reviewing his records, he stated that the records reflected no one by the above mentioned names. He was then asked if he recalled seeing anyone socially or professionally during the past several months whom he knew to be an unemployed merchant seaman who wore expensive alligator shoes and who generally fit the description of the MARTIN LUTHER KING murder suspect which was written on the reverse sides of the photographs. After considerable thought, ROSS stated that he could not recall anyone having the above mannerisms or having the above names, either on a social or a professional basis. He advised that he would immediately contact the Los Angeles Division of the FBI should he recall that this individual in the past had associated with him in any manner.

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CANADIAN MONEY ORDERS

Information was received on April 24, 1968 from Headquarters, FBI, Washington, D.C. that RAY had purchased the following money orders in Canada on the following dates:

July 24, 1967, amount of $9.00 payable to
Futura Books
4533 Lennox
Inglewood, California

August 9, 1967, amount of $1.00 payable to
E. Z. Formula
Hollywood, California

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Date May 6, 1968

On May 6, 1968, Mr. GORDON W. SCHINDLER, President of Monogram Publications, Inc., and Futura Books, Inc., 21839 South Avalon Boulevard, Torrance, California upon hearing Agent introduce himself to the female clerk at the front desk, stated that he wanted to handle this matter personally.

SCHINDLER said that before he would answer any questions or make any matters available to the FBI with reference to ERIC S. GALT having made purchases from his concern, he wanted to ask some questions; (1) Did the Governor of Tennessee invite the FBI into this matter? (2) He had read in the newspapers that the Chief of Police in Memphis was unhappy with the FBI being there and just what jurisdiction did the FBI have in this matter?

As to the first question, Mr. SCHINDLER was advised that the President of the United States and the Attorney General had ordered the FBI into this matter in Memphis at which time Mr. SCHINDLER stated it appeared that the States have no rights anymore and that the Federal Government is taking over all their rights.

As to the second question, Mr. SCHINDLER was advised that the Chief of Police in Memphis was personally known to the interviewing Agent and did not believe the Chief of Police would have made such a statement. Secondly, Wanted Flyer 442-A dated April 19 1968 was displayed to Mr. SCHINDLER and the violations of Federal law set forth in this Wanted Flyer was explained to Mr. SCHINDLER.

Mr. SCHINDLER stated that so far as he was concerned, this whole matter was a waste of the taxpayer's money, that so far as he was concerned, the Federal Government had no jurisdiction in this matter,

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that his type of books which he sells does not fall within the realm of being subversive or teaching someone how to shoot a gun, so therefore he shouldn't have to furnish any information in this regard. Further, he didn't like the idea of the FBI investigating his concern. Mr. SCHINDLER was informed that his concern was not being investigated by the FBI, that the FBI was seeking his cooperation as a good American citizen to furnish information about this matter voluntarily.

Mr. SCHINDLER then stated that he has had trouble with the United States Government in the past, that he sustained a conviction on a matter which was the publishing of a book that was declared to be obscene and now, under the present day standards, it is being sold on the open market in book stores. Further, that if the United States Government wanted anything from him or his records that they would have to appear there with the proper papers or subpoena.

A Secretary of the corporation, whom the interviewing Agent had dealt with on the previous interview came into the room and Mr. SCHINDLER turned to her stating that she was to give the FBI nothing without his authority.

It was pointed out to Mr. SCHINDLER that during the previous interview, one of the clerks had indicated that the name of ERIC S. GALT had sounded familiar to them and believe perhaps he had a previous order, that now it had been determined that a money order in the amount of $9.00 dated 7/24/67 had been sent to:

FUTURA BOOKS
4533 Lennox
Inglewood, Calif.

Mr. SCHINDLER was advised by his Secretary that during the foregoing period of time she did not believe they kept track of their money orders, however she would make a diligent search for this order. Mr. SCHINDLER stated that he would agree to allow his Secretary to call the FBI and report whether or not they had such an order and to where it had been sent.

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Mr. SCHINDLER stated that he would allow the FBI to make notes or a copy of this document, if it could be located, and that he intended to have the original document framed and hung on his office wall.

Mr. SCHINDLER claimed that he had not formed any personal adverse feelings towards the FBI other than it was another Governmental Agency involved in matters over which it has no jurisdiction.

Mr. SCHINDLER stated that he had just returned from New York and was amazed at the number of pornographic books he had observed in the book stores there, that he was sure that these books must have traveled in interstate shipments and thought the FBI and Postal Inspectors could spend more time in these types of cases rather than becoming involved in the matter in Memphis.

Through further conversations with Mr. SCHINDLER it was apparent he is aware of the activities of MARVIN MILLER of Covina Publishing Co., Covina, California and LOUIS LENITSKY. He did deny knowing EDDIE MISHKIN of New York.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date May 10, 1968

On May 10, 1968, LORRAINE MARTIN of Futura Books, Inc., Torrance, California was telephonically contacted at 830-7903 for the purpose of acknowledging receipt of a Xerox copy of an order received by her concern on 7/26/67 from ERIC GALT, 2584 Notre Dame, Montreal, Canada, which she had mailed to Agent at the FBI Office in Los Angeles.

MARTIN explained that the initials of "SH" in the upper right-hand corner of this order means "SPECIAL HANDLING". Just to the left of this is their ink stamp date of receiving this order of 7/26/67 and on the right center margin is the time of receipt, 9 a.m.

MARTIN explained that the way their concern keeps records on what magazines an ad was taken from is in the address itself. In this particular one, "Dept. 17" is set forth. MARTIN states their records reflect that "Dept. 17" is for their ads placed in MEN'S REAL ADVENTURE magazine.

This order is checked for the following titled books:

SEXUAL ANATOMY
UNUSUAL FEMALE SEX PRACTICES
SEX FEELING IN MEN & WOMEN

On the back of this order it is indicated the order was received and mailed on the same date, July 26, 1967.

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1 Date 5/8/68

MILDRED GREENE, Receptionist, Barnett and Hersh, 7551 Melrose Boulevard, Los Angeles, California, said that E.Z. Formulas, 6311 Yucca Street, Hollywood, California, is a subsidiary of Barnett and Hersh. She stated that E.Z. Formulas pertains only to a magazine mail order business selling a single formula for making glass into a two-way mirror. She stated again that E.Z. Formulas sells only this single formula, not including the ingredients, for making glass into a two-way mirror. She provided a copy of the formula which consisted of a single printed yellow piece of paper of standard size.

She said that her firm has no record of any type of sale to a person using the names of ERIC STARVO GALT and/or JAMES EARL RAY. She said that when any subsidiary firm of Barnett and Hersh obtains a mail order, they immediately dispatch the item sold. They maintain no receipt or record of shipment. She said that they retain the addresses for a short period of time until a sufficient quantity has been accumulated to sell them to other mail order firms. She advised that all of these addresses have been sold, up to and including November 1967. She advised that these addresses were sold to Northwestern Company, 466 North Western, Los Angeles, California.

She advised that Barnett and Hersh utilize the addresses as provided by Postel, a mail box house and answering service located at 6311 Yucca Street, Hollywood, California.

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Date 5/8/68

JONATHAN YOST, Northwestern Company, 466 North Western, Los Angeles, California, advised that his firm purchases the names and addresses of mail order subscribers from Barnett and Hersh. He said this is a common practice in the mail order sales business and a common price is $20.00 per thousand names. He said that his firm, upon purchasing these names, sends brochures to these individuals. He stated that if they receive no answer they no longer send any further brochures. He advised that after the initial mailing the names and addresses are destroyed. YOST stated that having purchased these names and addresses from Barnett and Hersh in November, his firm would have mailed the brochures to the names and addresses and thereafter would have destroyed them. YOST reviewed his files for the names JAMES EARL RAY and/or ERIC STARVO GALT. He could locate no such names.

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INVESTIGATION TO DETERMINE MANUFACTURER OF TIRE LOCATED ON 1966 WHITE MUSTANG ABANDONED ATLANTA, GEORGIA

The Atlanta Office of the FBI furnished a photograph and inked impression of tire bearing serial number 417AP807. Investigation was conducted to determine the manufacturer of this tire, the place from which sold and identity of purchaser.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date May 3, 1968

On May 1, 1968 a photograph and ink impression reflecting the tread design of the recapped tires found on the Mustang automobile abandon by JAMES EARL RAY in Atlanta, Georgia, were exhibited to MAURICE CLAPP, Owner, SMC, Inc., Colton at Wabash, Mentone, California. Mr. CLAPP advised that the mold that made the tire tread design in question was manufactured by National Casting Company which was in the tire mold manufacturing business in Lynwood, California until approximately three years ago. He stated that when National Casting went out of business he bought many of their mold designs. He stated that Mrs. MARY SKOLICH, 11079 Sue Avenue, Lynwood, California, maintained all of the records for National Casting. Mr. CLAPP described the tread design as a "New Safety 8" design that was about five years old.

On 5/1/68 at Mentone, California File # 44-1574

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On May 2, 1968, Mrs. MARY SKOLICH, 11079 Sue Avenue, Lynwood, California, home phone 532-3918, business phone 636-1033, was contacted at the Hogebuilt Manufacturing Company, Lynwood, and she advised that she would make a search of her old records in an effort to determine for which company the National Casting Company made the Matrix in question. On May 3, 1968, Mrs. SKOLICH advised that the Matrix was made for the Garvin Tire Service Centers in the late part of 1962 or early part of 1963.

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Date April 29, 1968

On April 18, 1968, Mr. RUDOLPH TELUSI, owner, Los Angeles Matrix Company, 5530 Borwick, South Gate, California, was interviewed in an effort to determine if the recap tires found on the auto abandoned by ERIC S. GALT in Atlanta, Georgia, were made from a mold manufactured and sold by his company.

Mr. TELUSI advised that his company manufactures tire molds and distributes them nationally. He added that 90 per cent of the companies distribution and sales of tire molds is in the Southern California area. He advised that there are over a thousand such tire molds sold by his company in California. Mr. TELUSI advised that his company does not place any type of identification marking or initials in its tire molds but he added that many of the people possessing such molds mark them with their own identification. Mr. TELUSI stated the initials "RGT" mean nothing to him. He stated that if he were to be able to examine the actual tires or a detailed duplication of the tread on the tires he would most likely be able to determine if the mold that made the tires was made and sold by his company.

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On May 3, 1968, Mr. ROBERT PALLOTTO, Manager, Garvin Tire Service Center, 7257 Reseda Boulevard, Reseda, California, advised that his company purchased the Matrix in question in the late part of 1962 or early part of 1963 and his company has been and is still using the Matrix to mold tires. Mr. PALLOTTO advised that his companie's tires do bear the identification mark of "GT" but he has no idea how the identification mark of "RGT" would get on one of the tires. A review of all of the sales invoices of the Reseda Center from August, 1967 to the end of March, 1968, failed to reflect any tire purchase identifiable to JAMES EARL RAY. PALLOTTO advised that his company often merely writes the word "cash" on the invoice rather than any name or address and it would therefore be impossible to identify the persons purchasing tires. PALLOTTO advised that his company also has a branch service center in North Hollywood, California, and their records would be available for review.

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On May 10, 1968, L. D. JOHNSON, Manager, Garvin Tire Service Center, 5140 Lankershim Boulevard, North Hollywood, California, advised that a review of the sales invoices for August, 1967, through March, 1968, for the North Hollywood Branch of the Garvin Tire Service Centers failed to reveal any item identifiable to JAMES EARL RAY, also known as Eric Starvo Galt and it was noted that many of the invoices merely had the notation "cash".

On 5/10/68 at North Hollywood, California File # Los Angeles 44-1574

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Date May 3, 1968

On May 1, 1968 a photograph and ink impression reflecting the tread design of the recapped tires found on the Mustang automobile abandon by JAMES EARL RAY in Atlanta, Georgia, were exhibited to the following tire mold company owners with the object of determining if their respective companies manufactured the tire mold from which the recaps were made. The following owners advised that their company did not make the mold in question.

RUDY PELUSI, Owner, L. A. Matrix Co.
5530 Borwick Street
South Gate, California

BERT HUGHS, Owner, Ace Tire Mold Co.
1817 Chico Street
South El Monte, California

PAUL TROBEMAN, Owner, General Equipment Exchange
354 Tennessee Street
Redlands, California

PETER KEADY, Owner, Balloon Tire Mould Corp.
4546 East Washington Boulevard
Los Angeles, California

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INVESTIGATION CONCERNING LETTER
WRITTEN BY ERIC S. GALT TO THE
AMERICAN-SOUTHERN AFRICACOUNCIL,
WASHINGTON, D.C., DECEMBER, 1967

The Washington Field Office, FBI, advised that on May 9, 1968 JOHN ACORD, Chairman, American-Southern Africa Council, 800 Fourth Street, S.W., Washington, D.C. furnished that office a letter received from ERIC S. GALT. The letter is quoted as follows:

"December 28, 67

"Dear Sir,

"I recently read an article in the L.A. Times on you concil, the local John Birch Society provided me with your address. My reason for writing is that I am considering immigrating to Rhodesia, however their are a couple legal questions involved.

"1: The U.S. Government will not issue a passport for travel to Rhodesia.

"2: Would their be any way to enter Rhodesia legally (from the Rhodesian Government point of view).

"I would appreciate any information you could give me on the above subject or any other information on Rhodesia.

"Sincerely

Eric S. Galt
1535 N. Serrano
Los Angeles, California, 90027"

Mr. ACORD advised he was in Rhodesia when the letter was received at his office and his secretary replied to this letter with a form letter enclosing literature on Rhodesia.

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On May 10, 1968, Mrs. BETH WOODIN, Secretary to Mr. REX H. WESTERFIELD, West Coast Director of Public Relations for the John Birch Society, 2627 Mission Road, San Marino, California, searched her files for the years 1967 and 1968 for a record of correspondence with or from ERIC S. GALT, but was unable to locate any record of correspondence with GALT.

On May 13, 1968, REX H. WESTERFIELD advised he had rechecked the files and records of the John Birch Society and had interviewed the persons who had normally had telephonic contact with the public and there is no record of ERIC S. GALT having contacted the Society at any time through the mail, by phone or in person.

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INVESTIGATION REGARDING ASSOCIATES
OF RAY AFFILIATED WITH AMERICAN
INDEPENDENT PARTY

CHARLES J. STEIN advised RAY, as condition to driving him to New Orleans, Louisiana, during December, 1967, requested STEIN, RITA STEIN and MARIE MARTIN to register with the American Independent Party in an effort to have the name of GEORGE WALLACE placed on the ballot as a candidate for the President of the United States.

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On May 9, 1968, RODERIC BURNS DUFF, 131 North Ivy Street, Monrovia, California, furnished the following information:

He is the President of the Los Angeles chapter of the Citizen's Council of America and is employed as a leadman in the plastic department of Mapo Productions, 1400 Grand Central Avenue, Burbank, California.

The Los Angeles Citizen's Council holds monthly meetings, usually at Embassy Hotel Auditorium, Los Angeles, which are open to the public but not advertised in the newspapers due to potential picketing. DUFF viewed a photograph of JAMES EARL RAY, and could not identify RAY as ever attending any of these open meetings.

In addition, DUFF advised that he is very active in support of the 1968 Presidental Campaign of Governor GEORGE C. WALLACE and is frequently at the WALLACE headquarters in Arcadia, California and Bell Gardens, California, and at the former office on Lankershim Boulevard, Los Angeles. He advised that he never saw anyone resembling RAY at these offices nor heard the name of ERIC STARVO GALT mentioned there.

DUFF concluded by stating that JAMES EARL RAY, also known as Eric Starvo Galt, is completely unknown to him by either photograph or name and he had no idea of who else could possibly be involved in the assassination of Dr. MARTIN LUTHER KING.

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by SA NATHANIEL J. GILLAM and SA RICHARD F. KILCOURSE/REK/rem Date dictated 5/9/68

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PHYSICAL EVIDENCE

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During the investigation regarding ERIC GALT's communication with "The Local Swinger" he submitted a typewritten letter, signed ERIC S. GALT, to be forwarded to an individual listed in a list of Swingers maintained by that club. This letter furnished by the United States Postal Inspector in Charge, San Francisco, California, was furnished the FBI Laboratory, Washington, D.C. for examination with typewriting samples previously submitted. Also furnished for typewriting examination was a typewritten advertisement to be placed in the "Los Angeles Free Press", avant garde newspaper, which bore the typewritten name and address of ERIC S. GALT, 406 South Second, Alhambra, California 91802.

RESULTS OF EXAMINATION

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REPORT
OF THE

LABORATORY

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: FBI, Memphis (44-1987)

Date: May 8, 1968
FBI File No. 44-38861
Lab. No. D-562360 JK

Re: MURKIN
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Specimens received 5/3/68

Q315 Sheet of paper bearing typewritten message dated 2/17/68, beginning "I AM ANSERING..." and signed "Eric S. Galt"

Q316 Typewritten advertisement beginning "SINGLE MALE CAUC. 36..." bearing typewritten name and address "ERIC S. GALT, 406 SO 2nd. ALHAMBRA. 91802"

ALSO SUBMITTED: One copy of the 2/2/68 issue of the "Los Angeles Free Press"

Result of examination:

The typewritten impressions on Q315 and Q316 are the same as the impressions appearing on other typewritten items in the name Eric S. Galt which were previously submitted. Because of the lack of identifying defects, it could not be determined whether the same typewriter was employed to prepare the current and previous submissions, but no significant differences were noted.

The Eric S. Galt signature on Q315 was prepared by the individual who prepared the signature in this name appearing on numerous other items received.

The submitted material is temporarily retained. Photographs were made.

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