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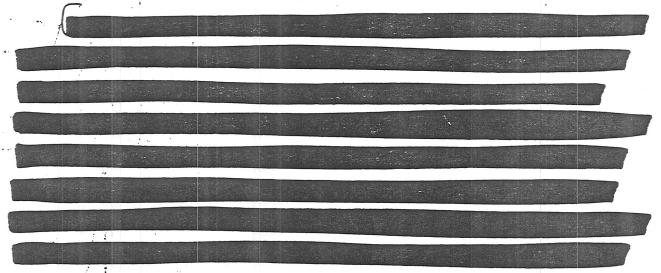
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SA M. WESLEY SWEAR INGEN (RETIRED), MISCELLANEOUS-INFORMATION CONCERNING.

MARK LAME, SPECIAL INVESTIGATION GROUP, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA - INFO CONCERNING.



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AS THE BUREAU IS AWARE, MARK LANE, A VOCAL CRITIC OF THE FBI'S ROLE IN BOTH THE KENNEDY AND KING ASSESSINATIONS, IS NOW ASSOCIATED WITH LARRY FLYNT (HUSTLER MAGAZINE) IN HIS WELL-PUBLICIZED INQUIRY INTO THESE MATTERS.

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AN ARTICLE APPEARING IN THE FEBRUARY 15, 1978 EDITION OF THE LAS VIRGENES INDEPENDENT VALLEY NEWS (A VERY SMALL PUBLICATION WITH LIMITED CIPCULATION), UNDER THE BYLINE OF ONE JAMES HORWITZ, CONCERNED ITSELF WITH A PRESS CONFERENCE HELD BY MARK LANE, AS REPORTED IN THE LOS ANGELES FREE PRESS, WHEREIN LANE ATTACKED THE FBI AND CIA, AND OUTLINED HIS INVESTIGATIONS INTO THE KENNEDY AND KING ASSASSINATIONS. THIS ARTICLE ALSO CONTAINED THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT ABOUT THE PRESS CONFERENCE:

WESLEY SWEARONGAN, A FORMER 25-YEAR VETERAN SPECIAL AGENT OF THE FBI WHO HAD BEEN STATIONED IN LOS ANGELES, WAS PRESENT, AND WILL BE ASSISTING LANE IN THE INDEPENDENT INVESTIGATION."

IT IS NOTED SA SWEARINGEN RETIRED AT LOS ANGELES ON MAY 21, 1977.

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