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FRANK GEIDRAS, ALSO KNOWN
AS FRANK GEORA, ROBERT
/STARMAC

Three letters addressed to Senator Edward M. Kennedy from one [REDACTED] Chicago, Illinois, have been made available by the office of Senator Kennedy. These letters, all postmarked at Chicago, Illinois, on May 3, 1966, are as follows:

1.

"Dear Sir

"I know of a man who induced Oswald to murder your brother President Kennedy I have some information I will give you if you get in touch with me This is not a joke or a game I am a Catholic and please believe me

[REDACTED]
Chgo Ill
[REDACTED]

2.

"Dear Sir

"I know of a man who induced Oswald to murder your brother President Kennedy I have some information I will give you if you get in touch with me I am a Catholic and please believe this is not a joke or game

[REDACTED]
Chgo Ill
[REDACTED]

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3.

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Chgo Ill
[REDACTED]

It is noted that on each page of the letters appears the name of the Central Scientific Company. Two of the envelopes bearing the letters were addressed "Sen Ted Kennedy Washington D. C." and the third envelope was addressed "Sen Ed Kennedy Washington D. C."

Loretta Johnson, Executive Secretary to the Vice-President, Central Scientific Company, 1700 West Irving Park Road, on May 26, 1966, advised that the personnel file maintained by that office covered all employees regardless of their location except those working outside of the Chicago area.

She advised that a review of the personnel file contained no record of a past or present employment for [REDACTED] Chicago, Illinois".

She advised that the company had recently had trouble with one employee who was discharged; however, she stated she did not know the man's name but felt certain that his supervisor would.

George Hosford, Supervisor, Central Scientific Company, on May 26, 1966, advised that a man named [REDACTED] had recently been discharged.

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Miss Johnson advised that a review of her personnel file reflected the following information regarding one Robert Starmac:

An employment card reflected that [REDACTED] clock number 2635, resided at [REDACTED] and that his telephone number was recorded as [REDACTED] Date of birth was recorded as [REDACTED] place not listed. Social Security Number was recorded as [REDACTED]

His wife's name was set out as [REDACTED]

This card reflected that [REDACTED] commenced his employment with Central Scientific Company as an inspector on September 22, 1965, and was discharged on May 14, 1966. [This card bore the statement "mentally incompetent - no re-employ".]

Miss Johnson furnished an employment application regarding Starmac and the following information was contained therein:

Name	[REDACTED]
Address	[REDACTED]
City	Chicago, Illinois
Telephone Number	[REDACTED]
Social Security Number	[REDACTED]
Date of Birth	[REDACTED]
Age	50
Sex	Male
Height	5'11 1/2"
Weight	[REDACTED]
Hair	Blond
Eyes	Hazel
Wife	[REDACTED]
Education	2 years high school
Employment Record	[REDACTED]
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September, 1964, to April, 1965
Greenwald Manufacturing Company
1340 Metropolitan

1950 to 1960
Russell Electric Company
340 West Huron

Ernest H. Slater, 4612 North Avers Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, on May 26, 1963, advised that he was the immediate supervisor of [REDACTED] during the time [REDACTED] was employed by the Central Scientific Company.

Slater stated, "I do not believe that he was mentally balanced. He had visions that he believed himself." Slater stated that [REDACTED] acted very strangely and claimed that he, [REDACTED] once saw a foreman put a contraceptive device in his coat pocket. Slater stated that the foreman accused of this was not the type of individual that would resort to such a prank.

Slater stated, [REDACTED] had a 'bug on' about the Masons and all he did was concern the Masons. He called them criminals and homosexuals."

Slater stated that on one occasion [REDACTED] showed him a four-page letter which was nothing but [REDACTED] against the Masons and contained statements that he, [REDACTED] knew who killed the Peterson-Schussler boys. Slater stated that [REDACTED] had indicated in this letter that these boys were killed by a Mason who was named Knutson.

Slater advised that [REDACTED] did his work in a satisfactory manner.

Slater advised that [REDACTED] told him that he was a Catholic and that the Masons were picking on him.

George Hosford, 4434 West Altgeld, Chicago, Illinois, advised that he knew [REDACTED] during the time [REDACTED] was employed by the Central Scientific Company. He advised

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that he personally had had difficulty with [redacted] and that [redacted] had accused him of putting a contraceptive device in his pocket and that when he pulled this device out of his pocket in front of his wife that he got into a domestic difficulty over it.

He advised that [redacted] was constantly talking against the Masons. He advised that [redacted] had threatened to beat him up and had accused him of making obscene gestures to [redacted].

He advised that he did not consider [redacted] to be mentally balanced and that on the day that he was discharged he seemed to be under the influence of liquor and that he was fired for insubordination.

Nick Marx, 4451 North Mason, Chicago, Illinois, on May 26, 1966, advised that on May 14, 1966, [redacted] came to work, created a disturbance in the department and said that he would knock Hosford's teeth out because Hosford had planted a contraceptive device in his pocket.

Marx advised that he had suggested to [redacted] that he should "punch out" and go home for the rest of the day. He advised [redacted] refused to do this and that he was therefore taken to Mr. Cibic, President, and he there repeated the threats he had made to Hosford and accused Hosford of making obscene gestures in front of him. He advised as a result of these allegations and his behavior that [redacted] was discharged.

On May 26, 1966, [redacted], Desk Clerk, [redacted] Chicago, Illinois, advised Special Agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) that [redacted] resided in Apartment [redacted] that address with his wife [redacted]. She said further that [redacted] also spells his name on occasion [redacted] and further also uses the name of [redacted] [redacted] pointed out that he keeps the names [redacted] and [redacted] both on his mailbox.

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[redacted] Klein said that [redacted], who resides in
the [redacted] is a brother of [redacted]

The wife of [redacted] is employed at the
present time; however, she has noted that recently both
[redacted] and [redacted] have been unemployed.

[redacted] Klein said further that in her opinion [redacted]
[redacted] was "not quite right" by which she meant that he had
on occasion acted in a peculiar manner. She said sometimes
in the evening [redacted] could come to the lobby where
there was a public telephone and make strange calls in which
everyone in the lobby could hear him shouting in profane
language concerning an unidentified person. This occurred
on a number of occasions until finally the wife of [redacted]
[redacted] came down to the lobby on one occasion and led
her husband away after telling him to stop making those
profane telephone calls.

On May 26, 1966, [redacted] Apartment [redacted]
[redacted], Chicago, Illinois, was interviewed in Apartment
[redacted] where he said he had come to watch television. He said
that he is the brother of [redacted] who resides in
Apartment [redacted] and lives in another apartment in the same
building where [redacted] resides. [redacted] said that he is
unemployed at the present time and has worked in the past as
a laborer. He further stated that [redacted] was presently
also unemployed but had worked in the past as some type of
"inspector" in a nearby factory, the name of which he did
not recall. [redacted] is currently employed also in
a factory as a "general worker" [redacted] could not recall
the name of the factory where [redacted] is employed.

[redacted] said that he did not get along too
well with the wife of [redacted] and did not see them very often.

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[redacted] said that he had never heard [redacted] mention anything about Lee Harvey Oswald or the assassination of President Kennedy and he had no reason to believe that [redacted] would have any information in that regard.

[redacted] said that [redacted] on occasion is a heavy drinker but not to the extent that he is frequently drunk. He said that [redacted] was usually drunk several times a month though he did not think he had been drinking as much recently as he had in the past.

[redacted] said that [the mother] of himself and [redacted] is now in a mental institution at Elgin, Illinois. He said further that [redacted] had been in a similar institution on about two occasions in the past but he could not recall the details of this. He did not know when or where [redacted] had been in these institutions and added that "when a man drinks a lot he sometimes begins to see things."

[redacted] said that his brother [redacted] sometimes used the name [redacted]. His brother never told him why he used this name; he assumed that he wanted to get mail under that name since he also keeps the name [redacted] on his mailbox.

[redacted] made available a letter written by [redacted] to which he had signed the name [redacted]. [redacted] said he did not know to whom [redacted] intended to mail the letter.

The text of the letter which was without a date is as follows:

"Dear Sir

"I am being abused by the Masonic organization. They make vulgar signs at me as I walk the streets and they abuse my mother by calling her some vile names

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and they threaten to kill my brothers and myself
I have been to the FBI and they told me to report
to somebody who can do something as it is a local
affair I have lost my job through them and am
becoming sick to a point where I have not been
able to work They must have a charter in the
state and they must be responsible for their action
I am a Catholic and never could be a Mason but they
say they will force me to join or they will torture
me the rest of my life There must be some way they
can be forced to properly repay me as they have
abused me for over a year I have been abused by
them before and have been to about four hospitals
to get rid of them and this time they should be
made to pay

[REDACTED]
Chgo Ill"

[REDACTED] advised that his brother [REDACTED] was then
out of the apartment but would return later on May 20, 1966.

Concerning the use by [REDACTED] of the name [REDACTED]
it is noted that on June 11, 1962, [REDACTED]
contacted the New York City Office of the FBI and advised
that he was temporarily residing in the [REDACTED] Hotel and
was utilizing the name [REDACTED] [REDACTED] said that he
was born [REDACTED] at Chicago, Illinois, and was
employed by the Greenwald Company, Metropolitan Avenue,
Brooklyn, New York. His permanent address he said was [REDACTED]
Chicago, Illinois. [REDACTED] advised at that
time that he was in debt to a "shylock" in the Chicago area
who was a member of the organized criminal underworld. He
said he currently owes the "shylock" \$750 and that the "shylock"
had threatened his wife [REDACTED] He said that
this threat occurred at his home about a month ago and he could
furnish no particulars concerning the manner in which the
threat was made. [REDACTED] further advised the New York Office
of the FBI that he planned to return to his wife whom he had
left two months previously and added that he felt certain
he would be murdered when he returned to Chicago.

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On May 26, 1966, [redacted] Apartment [redacted]
[redacted] Chicago, Illinois, advised that his full name
is [redacted] and that he was born in Chicago, Illinois,
on [redacted] he said that he has changed his name
from [redacted] in order to "Americanize" the name
but that he has never had his name changed legally.

[redacted] was asked about any information he
possessed concerning Lee Harvey Oswald and any information
about a man who induced Oswald to murder President Kennedy.
[redacted] said he was certain that a man named Knutson, whose
first name he does not know, had induced Oswald to assassinate
President Kennedy. [redacted] was asked the basis for his belief
in this regard and he said that Knutson sends him mental
messages and he can always tell what Knutson is doing
because of these messages. [redacted] said these messages from
Knutson come to him constantly and sometimes cause him severe
headaches. It has been in these mental messages that he has
heard Knutson admit the murder of the Peterson-Schussler
boys who were victims in a local murder some years ago,
which case was never solved. [redacted] said he has also heard
in the mental messages that Knutson paid "fifty grand" to
have the murders committed.

[redacted] said he has never heard Knutson actually
mention Lee Harvey Oswald out loud but he feels certain that
a man like Knutson must have had something to do with Oswald.

[redacted] was asked if he had discussed this with anyone
else and he said he had not even mentioned it to his wife
since he did not want her to get headaches from these messages.
It is his theory that these messages are caused by members of
the Masonic Order. He believes that the Masons can "attach
themselves to a person's mind" and this is what Knutson has
done to him. He said that Knutson had worked with him in
the past at the Central Scientific Company in Chicago and
he believed that Knutson was probably responsible for his
losing his job there.

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[redacted] then related that he had the same type of trouble at the Teletype Corporation in Chicago, Illinois, where he worked many years ago and as a result he left the Chicago area, changed his name to [redacted] and went to New York City where he lived in a [redacted] hotel. As a result of the Masons using the same system of messages on him at that time, [redacted] was hospitalized in a mental institution in New York State, the name of which he could not recall.

Concerning the mental messages used against him by the Masons, [redacted] said that he knew this system actually worked because he had once looked at the sun during summertime and at the same time wished for cold weather, and indeed, the weather did turn cold.

[redacted] said that after he had left the New York area and returned to Chicago, he continued to use the name [redacted] since he had a lot of debts in the Chicago area and wanted to get a new start.

[redacted] said he had no other information concerning Lee Harvey Oswald or the assassination of President Kennedy other than that mentioned above.

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