

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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Date 4/18/68

FRANKLIN FREDERICK ALBERT BULTEMEYER was approached by Special Agent JAMES W. NORMENT JR. on the mall at 12th Street and Washington Drive S.W. SA NORMENT immediately identified himself as a Special Agent for the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) and advised BULTEMEYER that he did not have to make any statements.

BULTEMEYER immediately made available an Indiana drivers license reflecting his name as above and that he was born November 13, 1925; he also made available a United States Merchant Marine identification card dated May 19, 1954, reflecting the same birth date. BULTEMEYER then voluntarily accompanied SA NORMENT to the Washington Field Office (WFO) where he was immediately given a voluntary appearance advise of rights form which he read. He declined to sign the waiver but stated that he would voluntarily answer questions and allow his photograph and fingerprints to be taken.

After having his fingerprints and photographs taken he furnished the following information concerning himself. He has traveled about the country for the past 20 years working as a Merchant Seaman and construction worker. During the past year he has traveled to Jacksonville, Tampa, and New Orleans, and arrived in Washington, D.C. (WDC), about three weeks ago. Since then he has attempted to find construction work in and around WDC and on one occasion hitchhiked to Richmond, Virginia, without locating employment. Since his arrival in WDC he has spent the nights sleeping in the parks near the Potomac River. He was in WDC on Thursday, April 4, 1968.

The following description and background information was obtained from observation and statements by BULTEMEYER:

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by SA JAMES W. NORMENT:bkd

Date dictated 4/11/68

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Race: White
Sex: Male
Born: November 13, 1925, Fort Wayne,
Indiana
Height: 5 feet 11½ inches
Weight: 180 pounds
Build: Medium
Hair: Blond, long, parted on left
Complexion: Fair
Scars: Circular scar left cheek
Characteristics: Pointed nose, sharp features
Military Service: U.S. Navy 1943-1946, Number [REDACTED]
Honorable discharge
U.S. Marines 1948-1952, Number 66470,
Honorable discharge
Merchant Marine 1946-1947, 1953, 1956,
Served on the Great Lakes and on the
West Coast
Relatives: None
Social Security Number: [REDACTED]
Former Residences: 1130 Jones Street, Fort Wayne, Indiana
(1954); 3817 West State Street, Fort
Wayne, Indiana (1965)