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TO: SAC, MEMPHIS
 FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (44-1574)
 SUBJECT: MURKIN
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Enclosed herewith for Memphis is one copy of a five page letter written to RAYMOND L. MC LEAN by his sister, Mrs. ERNEST (MERRILL) CARMICHAEL.

On 7/26/68, RAYMOND L. MC LEAN, Chief of Police, Montclair, California, made available to SA JAMES E. HOFFER the enclosed letter dated 6/22/68, which he received from his sister, Mrs. ERNEST (MERRILL) CARMICHAEL, 5345 East Ocean Boulevard, Long Beach, California.

Chief MC LEAN advised that his sister had called him on several occasions regarding the matter reflected by the letter, and he finally advised her to sit down and put it all on paper.

Chief MC LEAN stated to his knowledge his sister is of good mental health, and although she does drink, she does not have a drinking problem. He stated she generally waits up until her husband comes home from work, and after he gets home they generally sit and have a few drinks, but he is unaware that she drinks while waiting for her husband.

He further advised that her story is rather "far-fetched" but he felt he should bring it to the attention of the FBI.

The letter is enclosed for the information of the Memphis Office.

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