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The following investigation was conducted by
SAs RALPH J. LIEWER and CYRIL F. BUSCH on April 8, 1968:

Mrs. BARBARA SKEEN, 1900 Young Avenue, an unemployed
nurses aid, advised that she has known RICH DORRIS for about
six months as a member of the Sunday School class which she
attends. She has gone out with him only once, but he calls
her on the telephone frequently.

He called her twice during the past week on two
successive dates, around noon, probably on Monday and Tuesday,
April 1 and 2, 1968. On the second telephone call, DORRIS
was quite angry because he said he heard someone at Sunday
School was trying to get him out of the class and was accusing
him of "being too polite." Although he was angry, he made
no threats against anyone and said nothing about dynamite
or about blowing up or burning anything.

On April 8, 1968, Mr. WILLIAM GLEN HOWELL, Route 9,
Box 267, Memphis, Tennessee, was interviewed in a Bureau
car, near ACC Rebuilders, 853 Crump Boulevard, where he is
employed regularly from 8:00 a.m., to 4:30 p.m., each day.
He stated that he has known FREDERIC DORRIS for a year or
more because he (HOWELL) used to work for the BRASFIELD
ESSO Service Station. He said that about once a week he
does stop by this service station on his way to work in
the morning at about 7:30 a.m., to make payments on a debt
which he owes Mr. BRASFIELD. He has never driven to the
service station during the day to visit Mr. DORRIS and he
was not at that service station at any time on any day
during the last two weeks after 7:30 a.m., in the morning.

Mr. HOWELL advised that he does own a 1955 Ford
Ford pickup truck and that he does not know anyone who owns
a white Mustang or a red Dodge pickup truck. He stated that
he has never heard FREDERIC DORRIS talk about guns or
dynamite or destroying anything and that he does not have
any reason to believe that DORRIS belongs to any organization,
except a church which he attends.

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