

On May 1, 1968, Mr. JOHN RICHMOND, Owner, Auto Driveaway, 1341 G Street, Northwest, Washington, D. C., advised SAs ROBERT W. DAWSON and ROGER D. ASHLAND he had received an order dated March 18, 1968, from Auto Driveaway, 227 South Vermont Avenue, Los Angeles, California, SAM LUGASH, Manager, for delivery of a Chevrolet pickup from Washington, D. C., to Los Angeles, California. The car was described as a 1967 Chevrolet Pickup Truck, one-half ton, Virginia license T55258, Serial CE147F102384, property of PETER HOLDEN, 1743 Garfield Place, Apartment 206 or 216, Los Angeles, California, telephone 469-0876. The truck was to be delivered from storage at Colonial Parking, Incorporated, 2140 Pennsylvania Avenue, Northwest, Washington, D. C., to Auto Driveaway, Los Angeles. On March 28, 1968, the delivery address was changed to 5119 Fountain, Los Angeles.

Mr. RICHMOND advised that he first made a contract for a driver on March 27, 1968. This person was JORDAN V. GERBERG, Embarcadero del Norte, Goleta, California, Number 18, who had Baltimore, Maryland telephone 747-4501, Maryland operator's permit G 616-439-847-906 R, Selective Service Number [REDACTED]. GERBERG was to be accompanied by FRANK L. JOHNSON, 2820 Devonshire Place, Northwest, Washington, D. C., who had Virginia operator's permit J15305-55952-793123. GERBERG refused to take the truck as he found it was not running well and he did not want to transport the ladders and other equipment on the truck.

Mr. RICHMOND said he had several telephone conversations with Mr. HOLDEN and that HOLDEN made some arrangements with his son and his brother to remove the equipment from the truck and repair the engine.

Mr. RICHMOND said that RICHARD LEE OGG, 5811 Marlboro Pike, Washington, D. C., Number 202, Maryland operator's permit number O 200-738-447-507 T, Social Security Number [REDACTED] departed with above truck on April 8, 1968. OGG mentioned to RICHMOND he was carrying a gun and that he had a permit and RICHMOND told him this was against the provisions of their contract.

Mr. RICHMOND advised that GERBERG and OGG were hired in response to a want ad.

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