

Who Paid James Ray?

WHO ARE the backers and bankrollers of James Earl Ray? That was the big question as extradition procedures began in London for the man charged with killing Dr. Martin Luther King in Memphis April 4.

Ray, a fugitive from a Missouri prison with a long criminal record and with no visible earnings since his escape 13 months ago, was flushed with many thousands of dollars, as the already known trail of his expenditures and trips abroad and his use of several passports indicate.

Extradition may take several weeks.

The story will be treated extensively in subsequent issues.

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