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TO : Mr. Evans *EV*

DATE: 2-4-64

FROM : A. B. Eddy *ABE*

SUBJECT: THEODORE WRIGHT
139 B Logan Street
Charleston, South Carolina
INFORMATION CONCERNING

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At 11:45 P.M., 2-4-64, captioned individual telephonically contacted the Bureau and spoke with night supervisor Ralph J. Rampton. He stated he is retired from disability, 48 years old and in full control of his mental faculties. He advised that while sitting in his automobile during afternoon of 2-4-64, three white males walked by and stopped to talk to him. He said he was not acquainted with these individuals but had seen them in the area before. During the conversation, they had a drink and eventually talked about the Invasion of Cuba. Wright said he listened while these men talked and eventually they indicated an interest in the Presidency and one of them said "We took care of the President and we are going to take care of the General." Wright said he got to thinking about the conversation later and believes these men were referring to the Attorney General.

He was unable to give greater particulars concerning the conversation but seemed to be coherent and concerned that the information be immediately furnished to authorities inasmuch as he feels these men mean business.

Shortly after the telephone conversation, Wright called again and said that he had just spotted two of these men walking by and felt that he could easily locate them. He insisted that immediate action be taken since he was certain these men were threatening the Attorney General. He was specifically questioned as to whether they mentioned the Attorney General and he insisted that the only reference was as quoted above.

He furnished a limited description of these men but professed inability to remember details of their characteristics. However, he did say two of these men were bearded and five feet eight inches to five feet nine inches, weighing 170-180 pounds, and the third man was shorter and did not have a beard.

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Re: Theodore Wright

Bureau files contain no information identifiable with Mr. Wright.

ACTION:

ASAC Charles G. Cusick of the Savannah Office was telephonically furnished this information and requested to have an Agent interview Mr. Wright provided Savannah indices do not indicate otherwise to determine details and whether more specific action should be taken. Bureau is to be advised.

ADDENDUM: CHS:dlb 2-5-64 *R*

Savannah Office subsequently advised in attached teletype that Wright had been interviewed in Charleston, South Carolina. Wright repeated the information concerning the three individuals with whom he had talked. He claimed that these three came to him on the street and began talking politics and the Panama situation. One of the group, who appeared to be a Cuban, stated that they had done away with the President and will do away with the "General." Wright had first mentioned the word "Attorney" instead of "General." Later in interview, he stated the man said they would do away with the "Attorney General." Wright also claimed after his call to the Bureau earlier, these three men came to his apartment door and referred to the phone call he had made.

During the interview, Wright admitted he had consumed about 1/2 pint of whiskey and had been watching the television show on the "Bay of Pigs Invasion." Subsequent to the interview, Mrs. Wright of the same address, 139 B Lagan Street, Charleston, South Carolina, was interviewed. She advised her husband drinks most of the time and is not reliable when drinking. She stated her husband had been on the street during the late afternoon of February 4, 1964, but that he was home during the entire evening and that no one had contacted him at the apartment.

The Savannah Office noted that Wright, when contacted, appeared to be under the influence of alcohol and produced an almost empty whiskey bottle. The Savannah Office indices are negative concerning Theodore Wright. The Savannah Office is checking credit and criminal and will furnish the same to the Bureau for information.