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Submitted herewith are the following items:

- (1) One pillow and pillow case
- (2) One green sofa pillow
- (3) One bed sheet.
- (4) Second bed sheet.
- (5) One black leather strap, 1" wide
- (6) One black leather strap, 1/2" wide
- (7) Several strands of grass-like material.
- (8) One towel, white with blue and green stripes.
- (9) One plastic-type red, white, and blue decorative pin

The green pillow, bedding, and towel all came from Room 5-B, which was occupied by suspect in instant case. It is not known whether suspect lay down on, touched, or in any way had contact with this material; however, the Laboratory is requested to examine all material for the possibility that there

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are hairs or fibers that may be suitable for comparison with other material submitted by the Memphis Division.

In addition, of possible interest are the two black leather straps submitted herewith. Possibility exists that they may have connection with binoculars submitted and/or rifle in instant case. The Laboratory should examine binoculars, binocular case, and/or rifles to see whether or not possibility exists markings may help associate these items.

In addition, the necessary examination for latent prints should be made on both leather belts.

Memphis does not know at this time whether in examination of automobile conducted by Atlanta any grassy materials recovered. In the event such was submitted, the grass submitted by Memphis should be compared if such is possible.

Markings on material submitted disclosed the initials "ELH" which represent those of E. LARRY HUTCHINSON, Investigator, Attorney General's Office, Shelby County, Memphis, Tennessee. The other initials "OYJ" are those of the Agent receiving the material from E. LARRY HUTCHINSON. In one instance, the striped towel was received by SA [REDACTED] from Inspector N. E. ZACHARY, Memphis PD.

The plastic red, white, and blue decorative pin was located by [REDACTED] Memphis PD, and turned over to Special Agents.

All the above evidence should be returned to the Memphis Division upon completion of the requested examinations.