Reports Hint Bremer Stalked Others



Man, second from right, who resembles Arthur Bremer, in Ottawa April 14 outside Parliament, where President Nixon spoke. At left, Royal Canadian Mounted Policeman.

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WASHINGTON, May 25 — Noting that the suspect had "Substantial evidence" has been identified at earlier apbeen uncovered in recent days pearances in April of Mr. Nixon that Arthur Herman Bremer, and Mr. Humphrey, the sources who is accused of shooting said it was "plausible" that Mr. Gov. George C. Wallace of Ala-Bremer had set out to shoot bama, was also tracking Presi- any one of several major pubdent Nixon and Senator Hubert lic figures in an effort to gain H. Humphrey, Federal sources widespread attention. said today.

said, makes it "problematical" rallies, the suspect has been whether political ideology was documented by Federal and much of an element in Mr. Canadian authorities to have Bremer's alleged shooting of been in a crowd outside Par-Governor Wallace at a political rally on May 15.

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Mr. Bremer in Wheaton, Md., day Wallace was shot.

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liament in Ottawa on April 14 when President Nixon addressed a joint session of the two

Mr. Nixon was in Canada on a state visit April 13 to 15. Federal agents have determined that Mr. Bremer spent the nights of April 13 and 14 in the Lord Elgin Hotel in downtown Ottawa. He was identified in at least two pictures of crowds that gathered at scheduled appearances by the President, including one on April 15.

Secret Service agents, often posing as newsmen, routinely photograph the crowds that assemble at Presidential appearances to identify potential security risks.

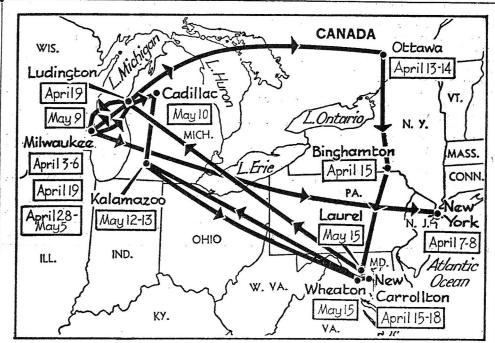
The identification of Mr. Bremer was made from these films and others taken by local news media.

In addition to his Ottawa appearance, Federal sources said today that they had other evidence that Mr. Bremer had been stalking Mr. Nixon. The sources declined to describe the nature of this evidence, except to say that the suspect had "left tracks wherever he went," and that these tracks indicated an interest in the President and Senator Humphrey as well as Governor Wallace.

For instance, Mr. Bremer was reported to have been in the crowd that listened to Mr. Was found on the outside windshield of Mr. Bremer's car after he was arrested on May be lieve they after he was arrested on May but the police believe it was probably but there while states between Wisconsin and Ohio Bailuray sin primary.

Glenn Victoreen, a main-tenance man at the Milwaukee tenance man at the Milwaukee Athletic Club, where Mr. Bremer left Kalamazoo, Mich., on May 13 although Senator quit on Feb. 15, has recalled seeing and experience there the point of the control of the seeing and speaking to him at pear there the next day at a seeing and speaking to him at the rally. James Paczkowski, a the rally. James Paczkowski, a Humphrey campaign worker, also has said he saw the sus-of his apparent disinterest in Mr. McGovern. pect at the same rally.

Four days later, on April 7, Mr. Bremer was registered at the Federal Bureau of Investithe Waldorf-Astoria Hotel in New York, where Senator Humphrey was due to spend the night. Mr. Humphrey canceled his New York visit at the last three was registered at gation and the Secret Service are still working to reconstruct was in all these purpose, not just to the May 15 shooting. Allows york visit at the last three was registered at the redeal buffer of investigation of the Secret Service was in all these purpose, not just to the May 15 shooting. Allows york visit at the last three was registered at the redeal buffer of investigation and the Secret Service was in all these purpose, not just to the May 15 shooting. Allows york visit at the last three was registered at three was register his New York visit at the last them nothing, notes were the alleged shooting remains a minute, however, and the suspect apparently left the hotel and apartment that provided



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Solid lines indicate the reported travel routes taken by Arthur H. Bremer, and the dates, from April 3 to May 15, show the places where he is said to have stayed.

Democratic Presidential con- ance in Ottawa. tenders.

3, the day before the Wiscon-he was attending the Wallace rally.

An estimated 200 agents of on April 9 after a two-day stay. clues to his movements.

far as they knew, Mr. Bremer from a Canadian gasoline sta- his attitudes toward Mr. Walhad never demonstrated any tion found in his car led the lace. interest in the movements of senators George McGovern, Edmund S. Muskie or any other crowds at Mr. Nixon's appearance of the crowds at Mr. Nixon's appearance of the crowds at Mr. Ottows.

The agents have also re-A McGovern campaign flyer ceived a variety of tips from was probably put there while states between Wisconsin and and Ohio Railway auto ferry he was attending the Wallace Maryland during April and across Lake Michigan. May. All of these are being checked out, although Federal sources said the great majority have proved inaccurate.

While the investigation is still under way, Federal investigators report that the coincidences of Mr. Bremer's movements with those of Governor Wallace, President Nixon and Senator Humphrey ton, N. Y., where he was arare growing.
"Our assumption is that he

was in all these places for a purpose, not just by accident,"

The suspect's motivation in gators report that they still do not have a reliable picture of Federal sources said that so Among other items, a receipt his political sentiments or even

The following is a list of the places in which the suspect has so far been seen or reported:

April 3-Humphrey rally in Milwaukee.

April 7 and 8-Waldorf-Astoria in New York.

April 9-On the 8:15 P.M. ferry from Milwaukee to Ludington, Mich.

April 13 and 14-Lord Elgin Hotel, Ottawa.

April 15-On Route 81 about 15 miles outside of Binghamrested at 6:40 P.M. for speeding while heading south.

April 15-18—At the Sheraton Inn, New Carrollton, Md., where an unconfirmed report has him registered for three nights.

April 28—Aboard the 8:07 P.M. ferry from Ludington to Milwaukee.

May 5—At the Milwaukee public library, where he checked out two books on the assassination of Senator Robert F. Kennedy.

May 9—Aboard the 5:37 A.M. ferry from Milwaukee to Ludington.

May 10—In the crowd attending a Wallace rally at a Cadillac, Mich., high school.

May 12—At the Reid Hotel, Kalamazoo, Mich.

May 13 — In Kalamazoo, where he was questioned by a policeman and spotted at a Wallace rally that evening.

Mr. Bremer's final appearances were on May 15 at Wallace rallies in Wheaton, Md., and the shopping center in Laurel, Md., where the shooting occurred.

Trial Date Is Set

UPPER MARLBORO, Md., May 25 (Reuters)—Arther A. Marshall Jr., the state's attorney for Prince Georges County, announced today a tentative trial date of July 12 for Arthur H. Bremer. Mr. Bremer was indicted on Tuesday by the county grand jury on 24 counts.

In Baltimore, George Beall, United States Attorney for Maryland, said he had not been consulted by Mr. Marshall on the setting of a trial date on the state charges. However, Mr. Beall added, the action does not interfere with the Federal case. A trial date on the Federal charges has not been set.