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INVESTIGATION RE STOLEN AUTOS. CAR NOT INSURED
AND NO KEYS IN IGNITION AT TIME OF THEFT.
CAR OWNED BY DENNIS CLAYTON, PRESENTLY IN
USMC, CONFINED TO THE NAVAL HOSPITAL



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SAC, CG

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AS A RESULT OF CG "SUN-TIMES" REPORTER LOCATING
AND INTERVIEWING SUBJECT'S BROTHER JERRY RAY THE
~~XXXXXX~~ VARIOUS NEWS MEDIA CONVERGED ON
SPORTSMAN'S COUNTRY CLUB LAST EVENING IN AN EFFOR
~~TOXXX~~ FURTHER INTERVIEW AND EXPLOIT JERRY RAY.

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WALTER WINCHELL
33 W. 56 ST.
NEW YORK, NY.

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The attached Sy Preston news release was sent
to the Director from Walter Winchell, 33 West
56th St. New York, N. Y.

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PHONE NUMBERS CALLED FROM PAY PHONES IN HO
DIV SET OUT, & RECEIVING OFFICES REQUESTED
TO IDENTIFY SUBSCRIBER.

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INVESTIGATION FLAGSTAFF, ARIZONA, X X REFLECTS
62 FORD FALCON, GA. LICENSE 19-D-2174, FOUND
ABANDONED FLAGSTAFF 4-15-68. CAR DETERMINED
STOLEN PERRY, GA. 4-1-68. NO ONE OBSERVED IN OR
NEAR VEHICLE AT PLACE OF RECOVERY AND PHOTO
JAMES EARL RAY NOT IDENTIFIABLE IN AREA OF
RECOVERY.

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SAC, SF

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Information set out re Suspect [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] aka [REDACTED] AGENTS IN INTERVIEWS
SHOULD EXERCISE DISCRETION AND CAUTION TO PRE-
VENT ANY FALSE ALLEGATIONS THAT THE FBI IS
CONDUCTING INVESTIGATION CONCERNING ACTIVITIES
OF THE AIP.

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SAC, SC W. J. MURKIN

ON 5/2/68, JAMES W. HINES, SC, ADVISED ON TOUR
IN MEXICO DURING 11/67. STAYED AT HOTEL RIO
11/4/67 & 11/10-11/67. PHOTOS RAY & GAULT
DISPLAYED, DID NOT RECALL SEEING ANYONE
RESEMBLING EITHER WHILE IN MEXICO. A & D. -P-

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	RE:	
	SUSPECT	
INVESTIGATION AT DETROIT INDICATES SUSPECT RE- TURNED TO DETROIT METROPOLITAN AREA INVESTIGA- TION CONTINUING IN EFFORT TO LOCATE [REDACTED] & INTERVIEW HIM RE ALLEGED TRIP TO MEMPHIS, TENN. BUREAU WILL BE IMMEDIATELY ADVISED OF RESULTS OF INTERVIEW OF [REDACTED]		

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SAC, [REDACTED] : UNSUB; MISS LICENSE 120-134
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FOUR COPIES OF LHM ENCLOSED. SHOULD BE NOTED
NO SUCH LICENSE NUMBER AS 120-134, MISS.
IT WAS DETERMINED THAT LICENSE NUMBER 120-134
IS IN ALL PROBABILITY THE LICENSE NUMBER THAT
THE COMPLAINANT OBSERVED.

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SAC, Los Angeles LA	MURKIN	
Trans. Lab report	Evid. retained temp.	

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COPR WILLIAM H. PETERSEN, (WA), ALTON, ILLINOIS,
PD ADVISED ~~XXXX~~ AUSTIN ARRESTED FOR ~~XX~~ ARMED
ROBBERY WITH SUBJECT RAY IN ALTON IN 1959. AND
REFERRED TO BY JERRY RAY AS BEING ~~HE~~ ONE ~~OF~~
SUBJECT'S CLOSEST ASSOCIATES, HAS SINCE DIED IN
PRISON.

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	ONLY RECENT RELEASEE MSP FROM ATLANT, RESIDING ST. LOUIS, MO. ST. LOUIS ADVISED. P	

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ON 5/4/68 INVESTIGATION CONDUCTED TO LOCATE &
INTERVIEW 4 INDIVIDUALS RE LOCAL SWINGER CORRES-
PONDENCE CLUB. [REDACTED] LOCATION NOT KNOWN. OTHERS
HAVE NOT RECEIVED ANY MAIL FROM RAY OR ANYONE
USING ANY OF HIS KNOWN ALIASES. - A & D.

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DECKEN MURKIN

FLOYD RAY, [REDACTED] FLINT, MICH.,
INTERVIEWED & IS NOT IDENTICAL TO JAMES EARL
RAY. FLOYD RAY IS FROM SOUTHERN MISSOURI,
NORTHERN ARKANSAS AREA, HOWEVER, TO HIS
KNOWLEDGE, JAMES EARL RAY IS NOT RELATED. HE
HAS NEVER HEARD OF JAMES RAY UNTIL RECENT
PUBLICITY REGARDING THE ASSASSINATION OF DR.
MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.

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AT EIGHT THREE ZERO P. M., MAY 3 LAST, MEXICAN
CITIZEN [REDACTED] PERSONALLY CONTACTED
THIS OFFICE TO REPORT AMERICAN HERE ATTEMPTING
TO SELL 1966 CAR AND HIGH-POWERED RIFLE WITH
TELESCOPIC SIGHT UNDER SUSPICIOUS CIRCUMSTANCES
THROUGH MIDDLE MAN AND FOR UNUSUALLY LOW PRICE.

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IN REGARD TO TELEPHONE CALL MADE FROM PAY
BOOTH AT EITHER VAN BORN, VALENTINE, OR
SIERRA BLANCA, TEXAS, TO DENISON, TEXAS,
12/16/67: SUBSCRIBER IDENTIFIED AS MRS. J. W.
NAGER, DENISON. MRS. NAGER ADVISED HER SON
TELEPHONED HER AT VAN BORN, TEXAS, WHILE
STRANDED THERE WITH FAMILY DUE TO BAD WEATHER.

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SAC, MO

MOBILE

Mobile instituting investigation concerning licenses and automobiles stolen in area covered by Mobile, to develop any info indicating whether or not RAY may have been involved in any of these thefts. P

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PHONE CALL ALLEGEDLY PLACED BY SUBJ FROM TEXAS
TO SACRAMENTO DETERMINED TO BE MADE BY INDIVIDUAL
NOT IDENTICAL TO SUBJ

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SAC, DE

MURKIN

ON 5/3/68 MRS. NEIL L. PETERS, [REDACTED]
SOUTHFIELD, MICH, ADVISED THAT THEIR PHONE
NUMBER IS [REDACTED] ON APPROXIMATELY
12/16/67 or 12/17/67, HER PARENTS PHONED HER
FROM EL PASO, TEXAS TO ADVISE THEY WERE BEING
DETAINED BY A SNOW STORM. THIS WAS ONLY
PHONE CALL MRS. PETERS REMEMBERS RECEIVING
FROM TEXAS IN PAST SEVERAL YEARS.

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SAC, SF

MURKIN

ATLANTA DIV. ADVISED THAT ON APRIL 1, '68, A
TEL CALL WAS MADE TO NUMBER [REDACTED], SEB-
ASTOPOL, CALIF. TEL DIRECTORY LISTS THAT NUMBER
TO GORDEN FOWLER, [REDACTED], SEBASTOPOL.
DETERMINED THIS RESIDENCE VACANT & OCCUPANTS,
GORDEN FOWLER & MOTHER MOVED TO [REDACTED]
SEBASTOPOL. MOTHER STATES SON NOT IN SEBASTOPOL
DURING APRIL & RECALLS TEL DISCONNECTED ON
ABOUT MARCH 1, 1968. -P-

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SAC, SA

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FILES OF SA DIV IN 26 CLASSIFICATION, WITH SA
OO. OPENED BETWEEN 3/23/68 & 4/4/68, REVIEWED
WITH NEG RESULTS RE CARS RECOVERED WHICH WERE
STOLEN IN GA. SA CONDUCTING NO FURTHER INVES
THIS PHASE OF CASE. A & D. P

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SAC, MI.

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Mr. & Mrs. CLYDE B. GORDON interviewed and do not recall sub & do not know anything re his present whereabouts.

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INFO SET OUT RE TELEPHONE CALLS TO BRITTON
OKLA AND PONCA CITY, OKLA 12/15/67. P
NO POSITIVE INFO.

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SAC, IP

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L. B. DEMAY, & ETC. ADVISED THEY WERE NOT
ACQUAINTED WITH [REDACTED] AND [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

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COPY OF SL AIRTEL TO ME DATED 5/3/68, WHICH
INCLUDES RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION CONDUCTED RE
COMPLAINANT ██████████, ENC. TO BUREAU. IN
VIEW OF CONTENTS THIS AIRTEL, NO FURTHER INVE-
STIGATION BEING CONDUCTED BY SF & SL RE THIS
ASPECT OF INVESTIGATION. P

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SAC, DN MURKIN
Re DL tel. 5/1/68, re telcalls by subj. RAY en-
route from LA to MO. Numbers given DN were
checked out with neg. results.

W. J. King

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SAC, JK

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RECORDS BVS, JACKSONVILLE, FLA., REFLECT
NO DEATH RECORD ON INFO OR DATES SUPPLIED
IN RE TEL. RECORDS DO REFLECT A JAMES
CURTIS WOODS DIED 11/7/67 AT INVERNESS, FLA.
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SAC, ATLANTA

MURKIN

CHARLES V. TYSON, MANAGER, HERTZ RENTALS,
ALBANY, GA., ADVISED HE IS IN RECEIPT OF INFO
FROM HERTZ IN CHICAGO THAT VEHICLE DESCRIBED
RETEL TURNED IN 5/2/LAST, EVERGREEN PARK, ILL.,
2558 WEST NINETYFIFTH ST. HE INSTRUCTED THEM
NOT TO TOUCH VEHICLE UNTIL PROCESSED BY BUREAU.
CHICAGO, AT EVERGREEN PARK, ILL. SOON CONTACT
HERTZ OFFICIALS, DEVELOP INFO RE PERSON WHO
TURNED IN VEHICLE.

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SAC, NY MURKIN

RE: SUSPECT FRANK G. NILES --

REVIEW OF MENTAL HOSP. RECORDS & OFF-GROUNDS
EMPLOYMENT, WILLIAMSBURG, VA., SET FORTH.

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SAC, DE

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ENCLOSED FOR BUREAU ORIGINAL AND 8 COPIES
LEM RE [REDACTED] A COPY OF LEM FURNISHED
SS DENVER.