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United States Department of Justice

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1708 Masonic Temple Building
New Orleans 12, Louisiana
May 6, 1944

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Director, FBI

Re: Conditions
CRIME SURVEY

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to Bureau letter dated March 9, 1944 requesting a survey of vice and corruption in the major cities of the New Orleans Field Division.

Attached hereto are five copies of that Survey.

Very truly yours,

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This place, composed of a barroom, handbook, slot and pin ball machines. It is frequented by prostitutes, low characters, drunks, and bums.

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This place is made up of a bar, handbook, slot and pin ball machines. It is principally a hangout for shipyard workers, prostitutes and chippies.

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D. & A. CLUBS

These clubs, which are handbooks only, are operated by DUTZ MURRETT at 128 Chartres Street and 837 Iberville Street.

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This is a neighborhood bar, juke joint, and dance hall. Dances are held on weekends and it is frequented by neighborhood juveniles, chippies and service men.

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This is a honky tonk and bar known throughout New Orleans as a notorious hangout for homo sexuals, Lisbians and queers. Both the Provost Marshal's office and Naval Shore Patrol advised they have had considerable trouble in this place through the pick-up of service men by its clientele. In addition to being frequented by service men, it is frequented by Merchant Mariners, drunks, and loafers. It contains a bar, juke box, slot and pin ball machine.