

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (44-1574)

DATE: 6/10/68

FROM : ASAC RICHARD D. ROGGE

SUBJECT: MURKIN

At 10:15 AM, 6/10/68, ASAC KYLE G. CLARK, Chicago Division, telephonically furnished the following:

At the time of suspect JAMES EARL RAY's arrest, he had a book in his possession entitled "How to Hypnotize" which was written by Dr. ADOLPH F. JONK of the Jonk Institute of Hypnosis, Palatine, Illinois. This book cost \$10.00.

CLARK advised the Bureau instructed the source of this book be traced and that CLARK recalled suspect RAY had undergone a series of hypnotic treatments costing \$25.00 each while in Los Angeles, and if the doctor who handled these treatments had been the source of this book then considerable investigative time and effort would be saved.

CLARK was advised that this matter was being researched and he would be telephonically advised if such information were available.

## APPENDIX: 6/10/68

Dr. MARK O. FREEMAN, 9952 Santa Monica Blvd., Beverly Hills (tel 276-2412), was telephonically contacted during the morning of 6/10/68, and he advised that he was unfamiliar with the above book, and so assumed it must be out of print. He suggested a contact with Mr. MELVIN POTERS, Publisher, Wilshire Book Company, 8721 Sunset Blvd., LA. Mr. POTERS had previously been contacted by the writer in this matter, so he too was contacted telephonically. He said that he had a vague recollection of this book, although it had never been published by his firm. He said that he believes it was published around 1900-1910; and has been out of print for some time. He suggested that if RAY had it in his possession, he may have purchased it from one of two firms in London that specialize in

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books in the fields of psychology and hypnotism. He named those two firms as:

1. W. & G. FOYLE Book Company
2. JOHN MATKINS Book Store.

He said each of the above book stores was on Charing Cross Road, in London, England. They handle rare and out of print books and publications.

The above information was telephonically furnished ASAC CLARK, Chicago, during the morning of 6/10/68.

6/10/68 Gilbert G. Benjamin *gwb*