

FBI-King Section 65, Serials 484704900 58 documents 135 pp.

4848 relates to Klan/NSRP/Witte-Wagner alleged plot against king at Antioch College of 1964.

4851 obliterates number of published temporary post office box John Ray took for a fund-raising campaign - and advertised. Out of date by nine years.

4853 Hoover refers to have seen Ray security memo not provided. The knowledge Hoover reflects of the Ray correspondence about counsel is indicative of its interception.

Unrecorded between 4854 and 4855 withholds beginning with the end of a sentence referring to a letter Ray sent his sister. The exemption claimed is 7(D). I doubt this exemption can be claimed for the reporting of the interception of mail,

4859 withholds the name of the late Willie Somerset under exemptions 2 and 7(D). This reflects a lack of knowledge. Somerset has been dead for a while and this information has been published. That he had been an FBI informer also is public. I published it.

4868 12 pp relating to Raymond Curtis, Ebony. Curtis' handwritten letters to them.

4869 contains Battle's order on not speaking to press.

4870 4 pp withheld entirely, described illegibly beginning with "Toronto." Claims, 7C,D.

4873 is Memphis FO teletype of 7/12 on jail arrangements for Ray, part of named Bureau Prisons officials in training, etc.

4874 names Ray's guards. All masked, all public.

4880 FBI recognizes B'ham charges had to be dropped after extradition.

4881 6 withheld pages referred DOJ. Worksheet also indicates this with regard to 4882, all three pages of which appear to be here. 4882 attachment classified SECRET although there is no national-security info in it.

4883 is Rosen's 7/17/68 to DeLoach, one of a long series on the air transportation, arranging it and bickering over it. The plane might be taken by the Pres.'s trip to Hawaii, who would pay the AF, etc. DeL noted "The Department has insisted on making ~~the~~ all arrangements. The Department should bear the expense." This was typed so Hoover would not have to read DeL's writing, apparently, although it is legible. Hoover added the note, "Most certainly.H"

4884 Even Hoover ridiculed the state of mind that took possession of his top aides. In this 7/17 Rosen to DeLoach on a phone call from London Legat Minnich when Minnich declined to go into details of the moving of Ray "in view of the open line," and then used "guarded language," Hoover noted "Such mystery!"

Unrecorded after 4886, 8 pp. RCMP report totally withheld under 7(C)(D). Doubtful.

4888 But the tightness of Hoover's control over inconsequential details also justifies "Such mystery" comment. Rosen reported details of preparations to DeLoach. At the end, as usual, there is "Action recommended" He recommended that SA Kenneth Bounds go to Memphis to check security arrangements and that ASAC (Harold) Kight go to Andrews field and meet the Air Force officer, Col, Burleson. After each recommendation extra space was left. In each case the approval was not DeLoach's. Each has "O.K.H"

4890, question withholding under C and D. 4892. In context claim to C seems contrived, inapplicable, to hide something easily guessed.

4897 Rosen ordered Legat Minnich not to talk to AsstAG Vinson, "to refer any inquiries to Washington."!! When reiterated Hoover noted "Right"

4898, used 7D over reports on bickering. Is it a dodge?