

The CIA provided no explanation of this batch, which appears to be the kinds of notes and records a man carries in his pockets. The explanation and the source may have been in what is withheld on the first page. However, it does not appear to be likely that Dr. King would have had in his pockets bills spread over a period of so many months. I therefore am inclined to believe that all of this was not obtained at one time.

There are several copies of the note of "S. Nelson" at 3267 N St., NW, D.C. I got the city directory for that page and discovered that Herblock is a neighbor. I wrote him and never got any response, I presume because he assumed what is far from the truth, that my interest was prurient.

The calendar page with the note that he was to call Harry Wachtel: Wachtel was his lawyer in New York. This is his home number. His office was on Fifth Ave. at about 52 St. I was there, accomplishing nothing.

I am not certain but I think the private investigator in Miami. Sarvis. had been chief investigator for the Liberal DA, I think named Gerstein. Or was he Dardis?

The Americana Hotel Men's Shop bill is filed as a King record. Bernard Lee was one of his closer associates. Whether or not on this occasion, and I'd have to check to be certain, once at about that time when King was in NY and at that hotel the N.Y. field office conducted unauthorized electronic surveillance on him. FBIHQ gave it hell, It does not appear to be likely that Dr. King would have had the bill to Lee in his pockets unless Lee made the purchase for him.