

attached manifests for S.C.C. people, one of whom may be informant

FD-302 (Rev. 4-15-64)

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date April 12, 1968

MR. JAMES O. MANN, Maintenance Manager, Eastern Airlines, Atlanta Airport, advised that when he arrived at the airport at approximately 7:30 on April 5, 1968, an employee of the Maintenance Department named J. M. GESS advised him that while he was cleaning an Eastern Airlines airplane which had arrived at approximately midnight on April 4, 1968, from Memphis, Tennessee, he located in the pocket behind seat 10-D a note which had been handprinted on yellow lined paper in green ink which read as follows: "Me and my pal, J. Edgar, are just trying to save the world in any small way we can."

MANN further advised that GESS found a book of matches in the same pocket which MANN described as white with maroon print bearing the name GIRARD TRUST BANK, Philadelphia and Suburbs, chartered 1836, member of Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation. MANN advised that the airplane which MR. GESS had been cleaning had been assigned Flight Number 398 and he stated that that flight originated in Memphis, Tennessee, on April 4, 1968, and departed from that city at 10:19 p.m. Central Standard Time, and arrived in Atlanta, Georgia, on April 5, 1968, at 12:28 a.m. Eastern Standard Time. MANN advised that JAMES M. GESS works the midnight to 8:30 a.m. shift for Eastern Airlines and he stated that he is employed by the Maintenance Department as an electrician but also assists in helping clean the airplanes.

MANN stated that GESS resides at Route Two, Villa Rica, Georgia, is married, and has been employed by Eastern Airlines since January 25, 1960. MANN advised that GESS's home telephone number is 459-5441.

MANN further stated that Eastern Airlines did not maintain a passenger manifest or list but did keep all of the tickets which bore the names of the individuals and indicated whether they traveled standby, first-class, or tourist. MANN further advised that according to MR. CLIFF HJORT, Manager of In-flight Services, Eastern Airlines, Atlanta, Georgia, that the two stewardesses who accompanied

On 4/5/68 at Atlanta, Georgia File # Atlanta 44-2386 -497  
by SAs CHARLES F. ROESNER and CFR  
JOHN M. PALFI Date dictated 4/11/68

AT 44-2386  
CFR:jhs

Eastern Airlines Flight 398 were MARCELLA GRIMM, 2637 Old Hapeville Road, Apartment 38-B, Hapeville, Georgia, and MARILYN MATLOCK, 532 Cleveland Avenue, Building 60, Apartment A, Hapeville, Georgia.

MR. MANN stated that according to information from Eastern Airlines in Miami, Florida, and Eastern Airlines in Atlanta, Georgia, the following individuals, as listed below, traveled on Eastern Airlines Flights to Memphis, Tennessee, from Atlanta, Georgia, and to Atlanta, Georgia, from Memphis, Tennessee, from April 3, 1968, commencing with Flight Number 395, to April 4, 1968, ending with Flight Number 398 from Memphis to Atlanta:

LIST OF PASSENGERS 4/3/68 --Flight 395

First Class

W. R. Ramsey---Company employee

Mr. L. Frank

Mr. F. Clancy

Mr. G Imlach

Mr. D.E. Laseter

Mr. Hunt

Mr. R. C. Bradley

J. Ventura

Mr. J. Langwell

Mr. P. Crooks

end of first class passengers

Coach

Group of 2 --Mr. & Mrs. H. Raines

D. Freeman

Mrs. C. Crotler

\_\_\_\_\_ Nokes (no first name)

Mr. R.A. Little

Mrs. D. Matheson

Phillip Blevins

Kenneth Johnson

Mr. C. Van Kuppeveld

Mr. A. Sands

Mr. R. Beaverson

Mr. J. Caffrey

Mr. L. Gingold

Second Class --continued

~~Mr. A. Sands~~

Mr. B. Baldwin

Sheriff Leroy Reavis

Mr. J. Merlini

C. E. Matthews--Company Employee

Mrs. C. E. Matthews " " " "

Henrietta Matthews " "

Mr. Stout

Mr. Donahue

Mr. Craig

Mr. W. Pond

Mr. H. Jensen

Mr. H. Kelley

W. Griffen

Mr. J. Mitchell

J. E. Kehm

Mr. Charles Diehl

Mr. W. Maxey

M. Phillips

Mrs. Osborn

Mr. G.E. Martin

Mrs. E. Dixon

Dean M. Brooker

Mrs. W. Purdue

Mrs. C.A. McClellan

List of Passengers 4/3/68--Flight 395

Second Class--cont.

Rev. B. Lafayette

Mr. T. Offenburger

Dr. W. A. Rutherford

end of list of flight 395

FLIGHT 381 to Memphis 4/3/68

First Class

Dorothy Cohon

A.J. Young

B. Lee

R. D. Abernathy

M.L. King, Jr.

Mr. G. Booker

Mr. H. Sims

Mr. W. C. McConnell

G. R. Allison

K. Massey

Party of 2--Mr. & Mrs. C.F. Foster

R. H. London-- employee

Mrs. Margaret S. London--employee

END OF FIRST CLASS PASSENGERS

Second class

Mr. Bob Hall

Mr. M. F. McDaniel

Flight 381--tourist cont.

\_\_\_\_\_ Madigan(last name only

Party of 4

~~Mr. Bob Hall~~

Mr. M.F. McDaniel

Party of 4

Mr. J. Kennan

Mr. Rowan

Mr. Coles

Mr. Hurder or Hoder

Mr or Mrs. L. East

L. Weaver

S. ~~xxxx~~ Jones

Mr. R. Ryan

Mr. J. A. Cox

Mrs. B. Perez

F. R. Tonney

Mr. A. D. Griffin

Mr. H. Raamlow

Mr. M. Heffron

John D. Smith

Helen Malone

Charles Malone

R.S. Bell

Mr. G. Trotter

Mr. Cotten

(repeat)

List of Passengers 4/3/68--Flight 381 --tourist (cont)

Mr. McRae

Mr. C. Moyer

END OF LIST FOR 381

(Flight 399-- First Class 4/3/68

Sally Lenggenhager--employee

Arthur E. Herron ""

E. N. Wickkises ""

R.C. Cook ""/

J. H. Frey ""

Mr. L. S. Richardson "" end employes

Regular passengers first class

Mr. B. Cohen

Mr. H. Matthews

Mr. J. McDowell

J. H. Morgan

L. Melton

Mr. J. McSwain

Dann Penn

Robert J. Stevenson

end first class

Tourist--

† Mr. W. Sutton

Flight 399--tourist (cont)

Party of 4

R. J. Johnson

W.A. Merrill

Mr. C. H. Bowers

Mr. W. H. McGhee

Mr. R. Thatcher

Mr. E. Burton

Mr. Robertson Gaylor

Frank Smith

Mr. Henry Flantt?? was illegit

Mrs. Henry Flaott??

~~END OF FLIGHT 399~~

Mrs. J. Cassidy

group of 3

Mrs. C. McGown

Miss I. McGown

A.  
Miss A. McGown

Mr. M. Fox

Mr. J. Hale

Mr. Joe Morris

Mr. J. ExByram / *pick 75*

Flight 381, Departing Atlanta for Memphis, April 4, 1968

First Class:

Mrs. A. LOCKARD  
Mr. A. BROADBENT  
Mr. R. BROADBENT  
Mr. J. SWIDLER  
Mr. D. CALTON  
Mr. S.R. LANE  
Mr. A. CEASLEY  
Mr. D. DUNHAM  
SISTER GERADINE  
SISTER CARMELITA  
LINDA YOUNG (company employee)

Tourist:

Mr. W. BRYAN  
Mrs. W. BROLL  
Mrs. C. CROMPLER  
D. HINES  
Mr. J. COLE  
Mr. J.B. MC ADAMS  
SHIRLEY WATSON  
Mr. H. COUNEY

Flight 381 (continued)

Mr. and Mrs. B. Nelson  
Miss C. Nelson  
Mr. M. Nelson

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PARTY OF 4

Mr. H.R. BRASWELL

Mr. B. MALONE

Mr. S.J. KRUGER

Mr. E. MURRAY

Mr. B. FRAZER

Mr. J. FREW

Mr. R. BROWN

Mr. H. NIELSEN

Mr. WILL BRYCE

Mr. R. AIKEN

DEBORAH L. MENENDEZ

Mrs. L. LUKNEY

Flight 391, Departing Atlanta for Memphis, April 4, 1968

First Class:

K.E. MATHIS

Mr. W. HOLT

Col. F. DECKER

Mr. T. CAMPBELL

RAV or LAV or LAW or LAU

Tourist:

R. WENDELL SPRAGINS

Mr. S.R. SCHWARTZ

TOCK or TACK

Mr. J. BAKER

SAM E. BRADFORD

Mr. T. WRIGHT

Rev. G.M. BRANCH

Mrs. NUNCLA

Miss Numcla

} Party of 2

W.T. PARKER

Mr. BRANCH

D. WRIGHT

LARRY SMITH



Flight 395, Departing Atlanta for Memphis, April 4, 1968

First Class:

R.L. SIGGERS, employee on pass

ED SPAIN, employee on pass

D.H. HAYNES, employee on pass

Mr. J. MORGAN

Mr. C.A. TURNER

Mr. S.H. JOHNSON

Mr. R.A. SIMREKER

Mr. J.MC KIBBON

Mr. E. FAGAN

Mr. R. REYNOLDS

R. MOSS

Mr. L. LITTLE

Tourist (coach):

JAMES W. ELLIS, employee

Mr. GEORGE FITCH

Mr. J.W. POUNDS

R.W. HOBBS

R. DE LUGE

J.F. MILLER

Mrs. Miller

} party of 2

Mr. C.R. KELLY

Mr. G.E. HENDERSON

Flight 395 (continued)

E. JOHNSON

Mr. C. WEST

Mr. K. EVERETT

Mr. L. WILLIAMS

Mr. J. MC DONALD

C. PALMER

Mr. J.P. HENDERSON

Dr. R.B. TURNBULL

Mr. W. STEBBINS

R. ROTHROCK

H. HALEY

Mr. T. MC CORD

JUNKERSFELD

J.W. SPARKMAN

Mr. W.C. GOODMAN

Mr. R. GOGGANS

Mr. H. PRIMM

Mr. D. HIGGINS

Mrs. I. BREST

WEICHE

Flight 399, Departing Atlanta for Memphis, April 4, 1968

First Class:

W.T. BROWN, employee  
FRANK ADAIR, employee  
O.L. PATTERSON, employee  
Mr. N. MAXWELL  
Mr. J.C. MOORE  
Mr. R.G. PORTER  
Mr. J.P. STEVENS  
Mr. C. FORMBY  
Mr. R. WILLIAMS  
J. BATES  
Mr. J.T. MURRAY  
W.J. TSCHUME  
Mr. C. STARK  
Mr. T. MORRIS  
Mr. J. WOOGHT ?  
Mr. I. KELLAR

Coach:

Mr. J. KLEIN  
Mr. L. GARCIA  
J.E. NICHOLS  
Mr. R. ROBERTS  
Mrs. L. OSBORNE

Flight 399 (continued)

BILLY RAY

Mr. R. PETERS

Mr. H. FOSTER

Mr. W. LEWIS

Mr. J. NELSON

Mr. R. CARTER

R. CARTER

Mr. C. FREDERICK

EMILY THOMASON

Mr. J. JONES

Mr. DAVE COULTER

Dr. B.C. DORMING

Mr. R.L. ALLEN

Dr. SFRCERY

Mr. T.E. DILLARD

Mr. H. LEIFERMAN

Capt. M. Redding

Rev. F.C. Bennett

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*tickets*

Believed did not make  
flight. Believed to  
be in King's group,  
sent in with notation  
"unclaimed"

Departed Memphis 10:19 P.M., CST (71 Minutes Late)

~~34 passengers only 33 listed~~

First Class Section

Mr. A. Brown  
Mr. B. J. Baldwin  
Mr. C. S. Brown  
Mr. J. Sain  
Mr. K. Gentry  
Mr. W. Williams

Tourist Section

Mr. P. Titters ~~(Crossed out)~~  
Mr. D. Barkley  
Mr. Will Carrouters  
Mr. W. Adoth  
Rev. G. M. Branch  
Mr. S. R. Schwartz  
Mrs. R. McAllister  
Mr. R. H. Dyson  
Mrs. A. M. Rothchild  
Mr. & Mrs. F. Gibson  
Bwald (Ticket Torn)  
Mr. William Ackerman  
Mr. F. Davis  
Mr. E. Ogg  
Mr. W. Sharpe  
Mr. D. C. Herndon  
Mr. G. Curlhane

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Standbys Boarded

Miss N. Bailey  
William F. Graham  
Mr. J. Spelman  
Mr. K. L. Ware  
Mr. J. Toner  
Mr. M. Hendrixson  
Mr. A. Ewell  
Mr. Jim Creed  
Mr. William Oros  
Mr. D. A. Urgielewicz