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MEMPHIS, Tenn. AP - An FBI photograph of Eric Starvo Galt, charged with conspiracy in the slaying of Dr. Martin Luther King, does not resemble the man seen leaving the scene shortly after the slaying, a witness said Wednesday.

"Unless he was wearing a wig or had had a face lift or something, it's not the man I saw," said Charles Q. Stevens, who lives in the second floor rooming house from which the fatal bullet is thought to have been fired.

"The hair is too full and the face is too young," Stevens said after viewing the picture.

Stevens, who said he got only a side view of the killer, had contributed to the description used in composite drawings of the alleged assassin.

Bessie Brewer, operator of the rooming house, said she was unable to tell if the picture was of the man who registered under the name of John Willard the afternoon of April 4, three hours before King was killed, and left immediately after the shooting.

"I don't know," she said. "I couldn't tell you to save my soul." The FBI did not indicate when the picture of Galt it released was taken, or under what circumstances the photograph was obtained.

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In Memphis, Police Director Frank C. Holloman said no state warrant had been drawn against Galt, but added: "Of course, it will be as soon as it is practicable."

Dist. Atty. Phil Canale said his office would "use all the legal means at our disposal to return to Memphis for trial the killer of Dr. King as soon as he is apprehended."

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