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Mr. OLSEN advised on September 18, 1961 that on September 14, 1961, PORETTO had told him that he was going to have all the telephones removed; however, he has not called back to date, to have the three position rotary discontinued.

HOWARD D. BAUTSCHE, PCI, New Orleans, advised SA J. DAWSON VAN EPS that Nola Printing Company discontinued its wire service to bookmakers on September 13, 1961. He knew of no plans to re-establish the service but said that a possibility existed that bookmakers in the New Orleans area might be furnished with the racing results from local tracks. He described these tracks as Jefferson Downs in Jefferson Parish, and the New Orleans Fair Grounds. He advised that the racing season at Jefferson Downs was to open on the night of September 19, 1961 and he had not been advised whether or not the Nola Printing wire service would furnish the results.

He stated that it was his opinion that the racing results at the Fair Grounds would be available when the season opened. He explained that it is comparatively simple to get these results inasmuch as the track is surrounded by buildings on the outside of the track and an observer could watch the races from one of these buildings and furnish the results to Nola Printing.

He stated that if he did not receive the results from local tracks from a wire service he would be forced to quit his business of bookmaking. Informant stated that bettors dislike making a bet and having to wait until results are published in a newspaper.

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On October 24, 1961, RAYMOND ROLLING, PCI, New Orleans, advised SA FURMAN G. BOGGAN that JOSEPH TROVATO, also known as JOE DOYLE, is presently employed as a cashier at the Town and Country Motel, 1225 Airline Highway, Metairie, Louisiana, for \$60.00 a week.

On October 26, 1961, HOWARD D. BAUTSCHE, PCI, New Orleans, advised SA J. DAWSON VAN EPS that he has heard that the Nola Printing Company is selling out and that the whole plant is to be disposed of. PCI stated that he considered his source of this information to be reliable.

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On September 18, 1961, CHARLES D'AMICO, an admitted bookmaker, 703 Third Street, Alexandria, Louisiana, advised SA JOHN B. HONEYCUTT that on September 13, 1961, the day the Federal Anti-Gambling law was signed by the President, Nola Printing Company, who had been furnishing him race-wire service, ceased furnishing information and there was no mention made by anyone from Nola Printing Company as to any future plans of theirs to furnish wire service in the future.

On September 20, 1961, HILLARY J. GAUDIN, Attorney, Hibernia Bank Building, New Orleans, Louisiana, advised SA REGIS L. KENNEDY that he is the attorney for the Nola Printing Company. He identified JOSEPH ALBERT PORETTO as one of the partners of Nola Printing Company. He stated that Nola Printing Company was in the business of disseminating race results of horse races but ceased operation as a race-wire service on September 13, 1961, after passage of Federal Legislation pertaining to the Interstate Transmission of Wagering Information.

On September 20, 1961 the Little Rock Division advised that PCI, JUNE LYTTLE stated that Nola Printing Company stopped disseminating race-wire service to Little Rock, Arkansas on September 8 or 9, 1961.