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Leads

BUFFALO: (INFORMATION)

One copy of this report is being furnished Buffalo Office inasmuch as it contains information concerning SAM RANGATORE of the Buffalo Division.

MIAMI:

AT MIAMI, FLA.

Will identify CHARLES HOGAN and (FNU) MURPHY who visited Penn Jersey Vending, Inc., Philadelphia 11/9/62, Philadelphia, with Florida tags 3-68790. Miami requested to furnish photographs, if available, of HOGAN and MURPHY for review by PH 614-C-TE.

NEWARK:

AT ATLANTIC CITY, N. J.

ALFRED IEZZI indicated that one LOU (LNU), who has business dealings with BRUNO, built a motel in Atlantic City, N. J., for \$150,000 and is presently in poor financial straits owing IEZZI \$10,000 and BRUNO an unknown amount. LOU also owes Atlantic City \$25,000 in taxes and \$327,000 to the Boardwalk National Bank. Atlantic City is requested to identify LOU, (LNU) and obtain photograph, if available, for review by PH 614-C-TE.

AT BRIDGETON, N. J.

Will identify the listed subscriber to phone number 451-9724, Bridgeton, N. J., which phone was used by BEN GOLOB 12/11/62 when he called ANGELO BRUNO.

AT CAMDEN, N. J.

1. Will identify SAM (LNU), operator of a car bearing New Jersey license BGW108 which is registered to KATHERINE SPARAZIO, 618 South 3rd Street, Camden, N. J. This individual

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has been a frequent visitor to Penn Jersey Vending and may possibly be identical with SAM SCAFIDI.

2. Will verify LOU CAMPBELL's current address as 936 Randolph Street, Camden, and obtain current photograph ~~copy~~ display to PH 614-C-TE.

AT MULLICA HILL, N. J.

1. On 12/22/62 ANGELO BRUNO advised JIMMY, believed TURCO, that he had received word there would be a raid of a still in Mullica Hill, N. J., on the night of 12/22/62. There was also mention of a NICK BARBONE who had just come out of jail for liquor violations. Newark Division will ascertain whether a liquor raid was made on or about 12/22/62 and secure the details.

2. Will also secure background on the identity and criminal record of NICK BARBONE.

AT TRENTON, N. J.

1. Will attempt to determine the identity of JIMMY GOIA or GIOIA purportedly of Trenton, N. J. This individual may be identical with VINCENT GIOE of Hamilton Township whose identity is reflected in Newark file number 92-1070.

2. Newark is requested to obtain photograph of VINCENT GIOE and the photograph of any individual who may be identical with GOIA, Trenton, N. J., for display to PH 614-C-TE. JIMMY GOIA allegedly has a brother, BENJAMIN (deceased). Newark, through INS records concerning VINCENT GIOE, Hamilton Township, N. J., determine identities of relatives and of BENJAMIN so listed as a brother.

3. Newark 12/17/62 set forth information from PH 591-C* on 12/12/62. ANGELO BRUNO at this time met one RALPH (LNU) at the Maggio Cheese Company, Philadelphia, concerning an attempt to fix a case in Trenton, N. J., for one CHICK (LNU). Will attempt to identify RALPH and CHICK and determine the situation being discussed.

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AT NEWARK, N. J. (INFORMATION)

Four copies of this report are being designated for the Newark Division to assist in coverage of leads and those to be requested in Resident Agencies.

AT VINELAND, N. J.

1. Will furnish the identity of subscriber to telephone number TA 5-2803, an individual by the name of BABE (LNU) who allegedly works for ANTHONY PERELLA, Vineland, N. J., Linen Supply Business, and who has been in frequent contact with BRUNO. Newark requested to obtain photographs of BABE (LNU) and ANTHONY PERELLA for review by PH 614-C-TE.

2. Will identify BILL CATONI also at telephone number TA 5-2803, Vineland, who has been in contact with BRUNO on numerous occasions during December 1962.

NEW YORK:

AT NEW YORK CITY, N. Y.

New York will note reference to one JOHN MARCELLO, page 103, who reportedly has visited the Friendly Bar owned by ALFREDO IEZZI, Philadelphia. New York is requested to advise Philadelphia of their opinion as to who MARCELLO might be.

TAMPA: (INFORMATION)

One copy of this report is being furnished Tampa Office for information inasmuch as report contains information concerning SANTO TRAFFICANTE.

PHILADELPHIA:

AT HARRISBURG, PA.

1. Will identify registered owner of one station wagon bearing Pennsylvania license B9708A used by RALPH MARANCA

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Administrative Data

This is a joint report of Special Agents EDWARD D. HEGARTY, ROBERT W. HOLMES, J. ROBERT PEARCE and JOSEPH A. VERICA.

The report of SA JOSEPH A. VERICA dated 12/31/62 covered the period 7/1/62 through 9/30/62. In order to obtain better continuity, brevity and to coincide the reporting period with BRUNO's activities as indicated in referenced report, a report was to be submitted covering the months of October, November and December 1962, which concerns BRUNO's efforts to liquidate his legitimate enterprises in Philadelphia and New Jersey areas. The following information is set out in the administrative section of this report because of the sensitivity of the information as it is linked with the source:

PH 614-C-TE on 10/29/62 reported that BRUNO extended either loans or gifts to 29 vending machine locations as of 10/29/62 totaling \$9,945.

Al and Kay's	5600 North 11th Street	\$100 gift
Al's Lunch	1809 West Girard Ave.	\$100 gift
Calypso Bar	1538 West Columbia Ave.	\$1,000 loan
China House	7030 Castor Avenue	\$200 gift
Colony Inn	2224 Cottman Avenue	\$100 gift
Don Ciccio	740 Christian	\$75 loan
Galpern	1931 South 7th Street	\$250 loan
Al Gordon	518 South 4th Street	\$300 ?
Italian Villa	2824 Cottman Avenue	\$500 loan
Katherine Ayres	3016 West Cumberland	\$25 gift, \$210 loan
Joe's Candy Store	2063 West York Street	\$210 loan
Midtown Garage	1415 Sansom Street	\$700 rent
Mike and Gene's	4001 North Reese Street	\$100 gift
Market Bar	100 Market Street	\$300 loan
Carmen Marzulli	1720 Shunk Street	\$200 loan
Open Door	12th and Locust Streets	\$2,500 loan ?
Pat's Bakery	1500 Dickinson Street	\$300 loan ?
Louis Porto	2340 South 12th Street	\$250

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Chancellor Bar	13th and Chancellor	\$100 gift
Santos Rodriquez	627 North 19th Street	\$100 loan
Peter Sabatino	751 Watkins Street	\$300 loan
Tony Savind	2238 South 6th Street	\$55 + loan
Simmon's Lunch	51 North 60th Street	\$70 loan
Joe Spina	1902 South 30th Street	\$500 loan
Frank Spirito	407 South 11th Street	\$100
Tasker Memorial Post	744 Morris Street	\$100
Tony's Place	6326 Sackett Street	
Tony Mallamaci	2800 "D" Street	\$500 gift
Oscar Weiner	1643 West Venango	\$700 loan

TOTAL \$9945.00

On 12/26/62 a profit and loss statement was prepared for Penn Jersey Vending, Inc., 775 South 8th Street, covering the period 10/61 to 10/62 reflecting a net profit of \$1,532 after all deductions. This same source on 12/31/62 reported that ANGELO BRUNO cashed the following checks, which checks totaled \$1,774.44:

- (1) Salary check from Garden State Vending signed by BEN GOLOB as president covering salary to ANGELO BRUNO for the period 7/13/62 to 11/30/62, 21 checks at \$41.64, total \$874.44.
- (2) One check covering rent due SUE BRUNO from Penn Jersey Vending for a period of ten months at \$75.00 a month, totaling \$750.
- (3) One check in the amount of \$150 covering a period of two months rent at \$75.00 per month for a total of \$150.

This same source on 12/31/62 reported that ANGELO BRUNO gave RALPH SCHWARTZ \$1,000 in \$5.00 bills for him to carry to the First Pennsylvania Banking and Trust Company, 5th and Bainbridge Streets, Philadelphia, to raise the \$5.00 denominations to ten \$100 bills. Should SCHWARTZ be questioned

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as to his identity, he was to state he was ANGELO RUSSO of Ranchland Builders. This source stated that it is common among the gamblers in South Philadelphia to raise lower denominations to higher denominations for the purpose of "sinking" funds. This same source on 12/5/62 reported that RUCCO AULETTO, aka Roxy Allen, Philadelphia PD #901-80, gave ANGELO BRUNO a sum of money, amount unknown, to source at the 24 Club, Center City Philadelphia, on an unknown date. BRUNO was to give this money to an individual in Philadelphia. BRUNO gave this money to the wrong man. AULETTO, accompanied by the individual who was to receive the money from BRUNO, appeared at Penn Jersey Vending on 12/5/62 in an effort to collect the money. The source indicated above to expose a practice by BRUNO with the so-called racket element to exchange funds and the 24 Club is one of the clubs in Philadelphia which this practice is in effect.

On 10/29/62 PH 614-C-TE stated that he appeared at FRANK IANNARELLA's luncheonette, Lindy's, to eat dinner at 5:05 p.m., 10/29/62. IANNARELLA at this time requested SCHWARTZ to drive IANNARELLA to the residence of PHILIP TESTA, BRUNO's trusted lieutenant in BRUNO's illegal operations, 1010 Carpenter Street, which the source did. En route IANNARELLA exposed an envelope to the source containing \$30,000 in U. S. currency, which IANNARELLA delivered to TESTA who was waiting for the same on his doorstep.

The source related that IANNARELLA lends money BRUNO authorizes to number backers and because of the large number of hits, the number backers had to pay the preceding week, this resulted in a large collection on the part of IANNARELLA.

The source indicated that this incident re-emphasized for him that IANNARELLA collects the money and TESTA is BRUNO's depositor.

PH 623-C* advised on 12/22/62 that numerous members of the Philadelphia Family of La Causa Nostra gathered

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Informants

Multiple T symbols were used to afford better concealments in the cases of PH 623-C* (PH T-1, 2 and 3), PH 591-C* (PH T-4 and 5) and PH 614-C-TE (PH T-6, 7 and 8).

T-1	PH 623-C*
T-2	PH 623-C*
T-3	PH 623-C*
T-4	PH 591-C*
T-5	PH 591-C*
T-6	PH 614-C-TE
T-7	PH 614-C-TE
T-8	PH 614-C-TE
T-9	NK 2251-C*
T-10	[Legat Rome, 12/6/62] (u)
T-11	PH 571-C*
T-12	PH 637-C*
T-13	PCI [redacted] Philadelphia
T-14	MM 837-C*
T-15	NK 2153-C

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She indicated her previous valid passport was number 1364677, issued January 5, 1960, at Washington, D.C. It was also indicated that she had a prior passport issued December 3, 1946, numbered 163360. She was described as 5'2", with brown hair and eyes, and occupation as housewife.

Close Relatives of
ANGELO BRUNO

RALPH MARANCA

Above individual is a brother-in-law of ANGELO BRUNO, SUE BRUNO, aka, being his sister. Previous information reported his arrest and conviction and sentence of probation. In this regard he needs legitimate employment.

Philadelphia Confidential Informant T-7, on November 8, 1962, advised that on the afternoon of November 8, 1962, LOU CAMPBELL, a longtime criminal associate of ANGELO BRUNO, contacted BRUNO that date. Informant said that CAMPBELL had been in touch with PETE PANTALEO, of the Operating Engineers Union, in an effort to obtain employment for RALPH MARANCA. Informant said that PETE PANTALEO, just prior to the Cuban Revolution and the overthrow of BATISTA, had attempted to purchase five points at \$20,000 a point in a gambling casino in Cuba but BRUNO discouraged PANTALEO from doing so. It was shortly after this that the Revolution took place, thus saving PANTALEO a large sum of money. Informant stated for this reason BRUNO believed that PANTALEO owed him a favor and would therefore obtain employment for RALPH MARANCA.

CALOGERO SINATRA

During December 1962, T-10 advised that the Central Bureau Criminal Division, Italian National Police, Rome, Italy, indicated that CALOGERO SINATRA was born January 31, 1914, at Vallelunga, Caltanissetta, Sicily, the son of SALVATORE SINATRA, deceased, and CARMELLA CUMELLA SINATRA. SINATRA resides at Via Washington 25, Vallelunga, Caltanissetta, Sicily, where he serves as a town counsellor for the town of Vallelunga and enjoys a good reputation in the community. T-10 advised he had no additional information and contemplated taking no action regarding SINATRA. (S)(u)

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~~ROCCO AULETTO~~,
aka Rocce ~~Watters~~, Roxy ~~Allen~~
Philadelphia Police Department #90180
Residence Telephone No. 609-LI-7-8948

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T-6 on November 14, 1962, reported that ROXY ALLEN on this date conferred with ANGELO BRUNO to obtain BRUNO's assistance in setting up a trash collection business in the Camden, N.J., area. BRUNO said he would obtain an expert to counsel AULETTO. BRUNO subsequently contacted EDWARD HELLER, City Wide Trash Collection Company at 83rd and Buist Streets, Philadelphia. On November 16, 1962, ALLEN came to Penn Jersey Vending to meet HELLER on that date. HELLER was unable to make this appointment and did not appear. On November 28, 1962, the same source reported that ROXY ALLEN was then engaged in a linen supply business in the Southern New Jersey area with ANTHONY PERELLA of Vineland, N.J. The same source on December 17, 1962, reported that BRUNO is in daily contact with ROXY ALLEN.

T-7 on November 16, 1962, had reported that BRUNO told ALLEN on that date that EDWARD HELLER was not able to talk with him concerning the trash collection business as HELLER was experiencing a fire on his dump and was then attempting to put it out. ALLEN stated that he had a one o'clock appointment with JOHN SIMONE at SIMONE's linen plant in Trenton and he would be able to remain no longer. Prior to leaving, ALLEN mentioned that The Embers in Pennsauken Township, N.J., pays \$80.00 a month for trash collection while the Latin Casino in Cherry Hill Township, N.J., is paid by a trash collection agency for the privilege of picking up their garbage. BRUNO told ALLEN to keep his appointment with SIMONE and that he would make an appointment with HELLER the following week.

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SALVATORE AVENA, aka Sam
Attorney/
425 West Market Street
Camden, New Jersey;
2 Devon Road
Cinnaminson Township, N.J.
Phone No. Talmadge 9-0019

T-8 during the reported period has indicated numerous contacts on the part of ANGELO BRUNO with SALVATORE AVENA in connection with the sale of BRUNO's Garden State Vending at Camden, N.J. Details as to these contacts will be indicated in Section C below.

WILLIAM AVERONE, aka., Willie Avarone
2830 South 8th Street Phil. PA.
Al's Lunch at
1809 Girard Avenue
Philadelphia, Pa.

T-7 on November 1, 5, 12, and 24, 1962 reported that WILLIE AVARONE is a number writer who does business with ANGELO BRUNO. AVARONE has been known to contact BRUNO on each of these dates at Penn Jersey Vending, 775 South 8th Street, Philadelphia.

*BABE (LNU)
Trenton, New Jersey

T-8 on November 16, 1962, reported that ANTHONY PERELLA of Vineland, N.J., has in his employ in the linen supply business an individual known to the source only as "BABE." "BABE" frequently is in touch with ANGELO BRUNO and was last in touch with him on December 12, 1962. This source accompanied BRUNO on the latter date to a public telephone located at 8th and Christian Streets where BRUNO contacted "BABE" at TA 5-2803.

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RUSSELL BUFALINO
304 East Dorrance Street
Kingston, Pa.

T-2 has reported on numerous occasions in the past that RUSSELL BUFALINO is a member of "La Causa Nostra."

BUFALINO met with ANGELO BRUNO on October 4 and 15, 1962, in Philadelphia, according to T-6. T-6 reported that JACK WILLIAMS of Camden, N.J., also arrived in Philadelphia to attend the meeting with BUFALINO and BRUNO on October 15, 1962.

On December 18, 1962, T-7 reported that BUFALINO came to Dante and Luigi's Restaurant, 10th and Catherine Streets, on that date to meet BRUNO. In BRUNO's absence, at Miami, Fla., BUFALINO consented to talk to PHILIP TESTA, BRUNO trusted lieutenant in BRUNO's illegal operations in Philadelphia.

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~~JOHN/CAPPELLO~~

2934 South Juniper Street

Philadelphia, Pa.

Operator of a grocery store at
9th and Fitzwater Streets,
Philadelphia, Pa.

T-3 in the past has reported CAPPELLO as a member of
"La Causa Nostra."

T-8 on October 9, 1962, reported that CAPPELLO
had a meeting with ANGELO BRUNO at the barber shop of
ALFONSO MAIORIELLO, 902 South 8th Street. On October 12,
1962, this source reported CAPPELLO met BRUNO at Penn Jersey
Vending on that date to borrow a sum of money. This source
has reported that CAPPELLO gambles and has frequently borrowed
from ANGELO BRUNO in the past.

T-6 on December 27, 1962, reported that BRUNO
attended the wake of JOHN CAPPELLO's father, accompanied
by CARL IPPOLITO, JOHN SIMONE, CHARLES COSTELLO, all of
Trenton, N.J.; FELIX JOHN DE TULLIO and PAT MASSI of
Camden, N.J.; PHILIP TESTA and MARIO MAGGIO of Philadelphia.
It is to be noted, according to this source, MARIO MAGGIO
ordered flowers for this group.

~~BILL/CATONI~~

Vineland, N.J., Telephone No. TA 5-2803

T-6 on December 18, 1962, reported that BILL CATONI
at Vineland, N.J., was contacted by ANGELO BRUNO on December 18,
1962, on a public telephone at 8th and Christian Streets in
the presence of this source. CATONI, according to this
source, is associated with ANTHONY PERELLA of Vineland, N.J.

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CHARLES I. ~~COSTELLO~~

714 Puritan Street

Lawrence Township, N.J.

Proprietor: J. C. Vending Company

947 Southard Street

Trenton, N.J.

FBI #365 088

T-7 during the reporting period reported that BRUNO continues to use a 1962 Chevrolet, New Jersey license GGT 178, which is registered to CHARLES I. COSTELLO and BRUNO continues to use COSTELLO's winter residence, 12468 North Bay Shore Drive, Miami, Fla.

T-6 on November 1, 1962, stated that JOHN MARTORANO and CHARLES ~~COSTELLO~~ on this date discussed the sale of BRUNO's Garden State Vending, BRUNO insisting that he needs \$35,000 in cash inasmuch as he cannot take less as he has to repay "certain people," who have a proprietary interest along with BRUNO. COSTELLO, PAT MASSI, and BRUNO later that date met with BRUNO's attorney, GABRIEL BURKE, at the latter's office, Land Title Building, center city Philadelphia. COSTELLO operated on this date a vehicle bearing New Jersey license GWT 650.

T-8 on November 19, 1962, reported that COSTELLO, accompanied by JOHN SIMONE and MICHAEL CAMMAROTTA, visited ANGELO BRUNO at BRUNO's residence on the evening of November 19, 1962, and had dinner at this residence. T-2 had identified the above group as members of "La Causa Nostra."

This same source on November 29, 1962, reported that COSTELLO returned from Miami, Fla., on November 28, 1962, and met with BRUNO upon his return.

T-7, on December 2, 1962, reported that BRUNO and his wife, SUE, entertained CHARLES and MADELINE COSTELLO, as well as SAM ~~AVELLINO~~ and a female companion, during the

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~~FRANK D'ALFONSO~~

~~825 South 9th Street~~

~~Philadelphia, Pa.~~

Proprietor: D'Alfonso's Flower Shop
806 South 9th Street

Residence Phone: WA 5-7833

Business Phone: WA 5-5263

T-6 on October 5, 1962, reported that FRANK D'ALFONSO visited ANGELO BRUNO on this date to alert him of the attention of the Philadelphia Police Department in the area of 8th and Christian Streets. This source reported that D'ALFONSO is a numbers office man for MARIO "SONNY" RICCOBENE.

~~ADAM D'OLIO, aka Addie~~

~~716 Manton Street~~

~~Philadelphia, Pa.~~

Operator of the Buckeye Club

Philadelphia PD #108 8698

T-7 during the reporting period reported that ADAM D'OLIO continues to operate in the numbers business of ANGELO BRUNO at Philadelphia and was personally observed by this source visiting BRUNO at Penn Jersey Vending on October 19, 1962.

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~~IGNAZIO DENARO~~, aka Ignatius Denaro

~~3162 South Uber Street~~

~~Philadelphia, Pa.~~

~~Telephone No. DE 4-4048~~

Operator of: Cafe Internazionale
Passyunk and Moore Streets
Philadelphia, Pa.

Philadelphia PD #109 734

T-3 during reporting period reported that IGNAZIO DENARO is ANGELO BRUNO's Underboss in the Philadelphia Family of "La Causa Nostra."

T-7 on November 5, 1962, stated that DENARO informed BRUNO he was disgusted with FRANK LOSCALZO's employment at DENARO's Cafe Internazionale. BRUNO had suggested to DENARO that DENARO should conduct card games in the rear of the luncheonette Saturday evenings after closing and that way it would be difficult to determine the amount of money actually being taken in.

On November 30, 1962, the same source reported that BRUNO met DENARO at the Cafe Internazionale.

On December 4, 1962, FRANK NICOLETTI chauffeured ANGELO BRUNO in Philadelphia and each entered DENARO's cafe for a private meeting on that date as well as on December 7, 1962.

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~~FELIX JOHN DE TULLIO, aka "Skinny Razor"~~
~~2367 Baird Boulevard~~
~~Camden, New Jersey~~
~~FBI #928-463~~

T-7 on November 9, 1962, reported that ANGELO BRUNO met with FELIX JOHN DE TULLIO at DE TULLIO's Friendly Bar, 8th Street and Washington Avenue, on November 8, 1962, for a private meeting. BRUNO and DE TULLIO, along with others, on December 27, 1962, attended in a group the viewing of JOHN CAPPELLO's father.

T-8 on December 28, 1962, reported that DE TULLIO has a proprietary interest in MICHAEL BRUNO's Globe Exterminating business which is operated at 775 South 8th Street, Philadelphia. BRUNO contacted DE TULLIO on this date to have DE TULLIO execute checks against Globe Exterminating Company.

The same source on December 31, 1962, reported that Mr. and Mrs. FELIX JOHN DE TULLIO were invited and attended a party at ANGELO BRUNO's residence given by JEANNE BRUNO PUPPO for her ushers and bridesmaids at JEANNE's wedding of August 26, 1962.

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~~LOUIS DI ROCCO~~

Co-proprietor: Dante and Luigi's Restaurant,
10th and Catharine Streets,
Philadelphia, Pa.;
Also of the Villa Capri,
Allentown, Pa.,
Telephone No. 435-0531

T-6 during the reporting period has indicated that BRUNO meets in a private dining area of LOUIS DI ROCCO's restaurant, Dante and Luigi's, 10th and Catharine Streets, Philadelphia, having met during this period such individuals as MAX "Willie" WEISBERG, FRANK "Blinky" PALERMO, RUSSELL BUFALINO, and PHILIP TESTA. It is to be noted this source reported that DI ROCCO, during the reporting period, has been very active in establishing the Villa Capri Restaurant at Allentown, Pa., telephone number 435-0531, and that MAX "Willie" WEISBERG, through the efforts to ANGELO BRUNO, has been negotiating to obtain a linen contract with DI ROCCO. It is to be noted that the Corona DiFerro, 762 South 10th Street, telephone WA 2-9501, and Dante and Luigi's Restaurant and the D. DiRocco's Restaurant are all located on the same site, 762 South 10th Street.

A Philadelphia Real Estate Directory reflects that 760 South 10th Street is owned by DANTE DI ROCCO since January 1959. Further, 762 South 10th Street is owned by LOUIS DI ROCCO since June 1959. Both properties are contingent and connecting, according to T-6.

~~TEDDY EMANUEL~~
1184 Lake Shore Drive
Collingswood, N.J.
Telephone No. 609-UL 8-1910

During the reporting period, T-3 and T-6 have reported that TEDDY EMANUEL has been in contact with ANGELO BRUNO and the latter reported EMANUEL visiting BRUNO at Penn Jersey Vending on October 12, 1962. EMANUEL continues to be employed as a salesman for Thriftway Foods, Philadelphia.

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~~DR. JOSEPH FIORELLO~~

Offices at 689 Princeton Avenue,
Trenton, N.J.

Residence 6 Morningside Drive,
Trenton, N.J.

T-6 on November 14, 1962, reported that DR. JOSEPH FIORELLO and a SAM FIORELLO, both of Trenton, N.J., visited ANGELO BRUNO at Penn Jersey Vending, where they were joined by two others, AL COPELAND and CARL IPPOLITO, at a later hour at Dante and Luigi's Restaurant, 10th and Catharine Streets, for a discussion.

On November 14, 1962, T-3 reported that BRUNO had stated that DR. FIORELLO desired to open a hospital in Italy and wanted BRUNO to go with him. BRUNO described the doctor as a smart individual, a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania, Jefferson Medical College, and an unnamed medical school in Italy.

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~~SAMUEL "CAPPY" HOFFMAN~~
~~Apartment B~~
~~Wyngate Hall Apartments~~
~~50th and Spruce Streets~~
~~Philadelphia, Pa.~~
~~FBI #267-672~~
~~Philadelphia PD #73294~~
~~Business Address: Cherry Hill Discount Mart,~~
~~Cuthbert Road near Route 38,~~
~~Cherry Hill Township, N.J.~~

T-2 on November 10, 1962, reported that ANGELO BRUNO and PETER MAGGIO discussed "CAPPY" HOFFMAN and the operation being run by HOFFMAN, the Cherry Hill Discount Mart. BRUNO desired to know if the mart is making money. MAGGIO stated he was going to have to talk to HOFFMAN and HOFFMAN's friend, SYLVAN SKOLNICK. MAGGIO quoted SKOLNICK as saying the mart was only doing \$22,000 worth of business but MAGGIO feels they were actually doing \$30,000. MAGGIO regarded SKOLNICK as a "pretty good liar," to which BRUNO agreed. MAGGIO desired BRUNO to accompany him when he will conduct a talk with HOFFMAN and SYLVAN. MAGGIO indicated that he had \$10,000 tied up, i.e. invested, in this mart.

T-8 on December 21, 1962, reported that BRUNO had authorized, and BEN GOLOB had extended in the name of Garden State Vending, a loan of \$2,000 to SAM HOFFMAN and SYLVAN SKOLNICK at the time they opened Cherry Hill Discount Mart. They were to repay the \$2,000 from proceeds of the vending machines placed in this establishment by ANGELO BRUNO. JOHN MARTARANO at the same time loaned HOFFMAN \$3,000, both loans totaling \$5,000, which were defrayed from machine collections.

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December 18 -- TESTA and MONTE

December 26 -- BRUNO, TESTA and GOLOB

T-8 on November 6, 1962, reported that FRANK IANNARELLA's brother resides at 810 South 7th Street, adjacent property to FRANK IANNARELLA. This brother works at RCA, Camden, N.J., and works for "SNUFFY" at Lyndy's Luncheonette each morning before the arrival of IANNARELLA.

On November 28, 1962, this source reported that BRUNO had approved a loan of \$2,500 to SOLLY GLEANER, one of the owners of the Open Door Cafe, 12th and Locust Streets, Philadelphia. IANNARELLA extended the money to GLEANER and is collecting the same. As of November 28, 1962, a \$2,000 balance was due.

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~~ALFREDO IEZZI, aka Fred Iezzi~~
~~1437 South Broad Street~~
~~Philadelphia, Pa.~~

Summer Home: Baltimore and Atlantic Avenues
Ventnor, New Jersey

Business Addresses:

Friendly Bar,
8th and Washington Avenue;
and check cashing,
Old Ticket Grill,
13th and Wharton Streets,
Philadelphia.

T-7 on October 26, 1962, reported that ALFREDO IEZZI told BRUNO on this date he desired to return on a partnership basis in the "500" Club, Atlantic City, N.J., and was requesting BRUNO to effect the same.

The same source on December 13, 1962, reported that DOMINIC COLOZZI, who operates Clubhouse One and Two, bars, South Philadelphia, conferred with BRUNO on this date concerning a misunderstanding COLOZZI had with FRED IEZZI. IEZZI wanted COLOZZI to collect a sum of money for him from an individual unknown to the source. BRUNO said he would handle this meeting at FRANK IANNARELLA's luncheonette and he would arbitrate the same. FRANK NICOLETTI, BRUNO and PHILIP TESTA and IEZZI later that date conferred at FRANK IANNARELLA's luncheonette on this issue. FELIX JOHN DE TULLIO arrived at a later hour, stating he would see BRUNO at DE TULLIO's bar that evening, where this issue would again be argued with DE TULLIO representing ALFREDO IEZZI and BRUNO representing DOMINIC COLOZZI. It is to be noted in the past COLOZZI has been identified as an office man in BRUNO's numbers business while IEZZI has been and continues to be closely associated with DE TULLIO in the operation of the Friendly Bar. The latter are all members of "La Causa Nostra."

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~~CARL "Pappy" IPPOLITO~~
~~733 Brunswick Avenue~~
~~Trenton, New Jersey~~
~~FBI #773 655~~

T-3 during the reporting period has identified CARL "Pappy" IPPOLITO as a member of "La Causa Nostra."

On October 10, 1962, T-7 advised that JOHN SIMONE met with ANGELO BRUNO and PHILIP TESTA on this date at FRANK IANNARELLA's luncheonette, after which meeting SIMONE called IPPOLITO at Trenton, N.J., to report on the same.

T-1 on November 16, 1962, stated that ANGELO BRUNO told GEORGE HAMILTON on that date that CARL IPPOLITO and MICKEY are in Capitol Vending in Trenton, N.J., that this group and J. C. Vending are "closely knitted," and that GEORGE would have a very difficult time breaking into the vending machine business in the Trenton area unless he bought out these individuals.

On December 27, 1962, T-8 reported that BRUNO, CHARLES COSTELLO, JOHN SIMONE, and CARL IPPOLITO were among those who came as a group to the viewing of JOHN CAPPELLO's father.

It is to be noted that BRUNO on November 16, 1962, according to T-2, characterized IPPOLITO as a very close friend. Further, that IPPOLITO's business is gambling and that he is a good "casino man." When IPPOLITO was in Havana, Cuba, with BRUNO, he was terrific as a gambler, and any casino in Las Vegas, Nevada, would be happy to have IPPOLITO's services.

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~~ALFONSO MAIORIELLO, Barber
902 South 8th Street
Philadelphia, Pa.~~

T-1 and T-7 have reported that IGNATIUS DENARO continues to date ALFONSO MAIORIELLO's daughter, CONNIE. BRUNO visited the barber shop on the following dates for business reasons, according to T-7:

October 2, 1962

October 4, 1962 - BRUNO visited FRANK NICOLETTI and they were observed making telephone calls from this location.

October 10, 1962

October 30, 1962

November 1, 1962 - BRUNO held a meeting there with FRANK NICOLETTI, FRANK SINDONE, and JOHN CAPPELLO.

November 7, 1962 - BRUNO met here with BEN GOLOB, AUGUSTINE MAZZIO, FRANK SINDONE, and MARIO RICCOBENE.

November 13, 1962 - BRUNO met here with ABE SEROT.

November 19, 1962 - BRUNO met with PAT MASSI at this location.

November 29, 1962 - BRUNO met with FRANK NICOLETTI at this location.

December 5, 1962

December 11, 1962 - BRUNO met with FRANK NICOLETTI and IGNATIUS DENARO.

December 27, 1962 - BRUNO spent more than two hours at this location.

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~~MARK MARCONI~~

912 South Alder Street

~~Philadelphia, Pa.~~

Pennsylvania License 760-50-K

Confidential Informant PH T-6, on December 24, 1962, reported that MARK MARCONI, 912 South Alder Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania license number 760-50-K, is a brother of "FONZI." MARCONI visited BRUNO on December 24, 1962, at Penn-Jersey Vending.

~~ANGELO ANTHONY MARINO~~

President, California Cheese Company

1451 Sunnycourt

San Jose, California

ANGELO MARINO

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ANGELO ANTHONY MARINO, President, California Cheese Company, 1451 Sunnycourt, San Jose, Calif., was interviewed on November 15, 1962, at the California Cheese Company by SA's CHARLES J. PRELSNIK and IRVING J. PROUT.

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At the outset of the interview he was advised that the Agents wanted to discuss with him the circumstances of his trip to Arizona in May, 1962, and subsequent residence at the Mountain Shadows Resort with MARIA MACK for the purpose of determining whether a violation of the White Slave Traffic Act, also known as the Mann Act, was involved. MARINO was advised that any statements he made to the Agents were purely voluntary on his part, that he did not have to make any statement, and that any statement he did make could be used against him in a court of law. He was advised that he had a right to consult an attorney before making any statement.

MARINO agreed that he had made the trip to Arizona and had rented a room with MARIA MACK at the Mountain Shadows Resort in Scottsdale, Arizona, in May, 1962, stating that he did not think that he had been in violation of the law inasmuch as his girl friend did not accompany him for money nor for immoral purposes. He said he went

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The same source reported that on October 1, 1962, NARDUCCI contacted LOU MAYO, Mayo's Cocktail Lounge, in the 1400 Block of Chancellor Street, Philadelphia, on behalf of BRUNO. MAYO was to see BRUNO to make good bad checks passed by MAYO's son, which checks had been given to some of BRUNO's friends.

On October 9, 1962, according to T-7, NARDUCCI collected \$200 in numbers money due BRUNO and NARDUCCI delivered the same to BRUNO on that date.

On October 16, 1962, NARDUCCI was active in obtaining cigarette vending machine stops for ANGELO BRUNO.

According to Confidential Informant PH T-2, NARDUCCI has been identified as a member of BRUNO's family, "La Causa Nostra."

T-8 reported NARDUCCI visited BRUNO at the Penn-Jersey Vending on the following dates:

October 1, 3, 4, 9, 16, 29, 1962;
November 1, 12, 28, 1962;
December 10, 24, 1962.

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FRANK NICOLETTI
Residence - 3123 South Broad Street
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

T-1, on November 24, 1962, reported that FRANK NICOLETTI conferred with ANGELO BRUNO on that date, when NICOLETTI informed BRUNO that NICOLETTI had given an assumed name when he was arrested in 1924 at the age of 16. At that time he served a year and a half sentence in jail. He does not recall the assumed name but stated that at the time he was not fingerprinted. NICOLETTI indicated that he sees BRUNO's underboss in "La Causa Nostra" every four or five days. This source also reported that NICOLETTI is a member of this organization.

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T-1, on November 26, 1962, reported that BRUNO made known to ANTHONY PERELLA, of Vineland, N.J., that ROCCO AULETTO, also known as ROXY ALLEN, had complained to BRUNO that PERELLA was taking some of AULETTO's linen stops in the New Jersey area. PERELLA stated that the stops he had taken from ALLEN were those that ALLEN was losing anyway. Because of this conflict, BRUNO said he would have to look into it further and arbitrate it. According to this source, BRUNO, being the "Representando Officiale," exerts a great deal of influence and discipline among their "friends" in "La Causa Nostra." PERELLA indicated that he would like to get on the payroll of the linen company for \$150 a week as their "trouble shooter." PERELLA would also pick up new accounts for the company. However, PERELLA desired the agreements be on a contract basis so that the company would not let him go after he has brought them new business. BRUNO asked PERELLA what he is getting now, to which PERELLA replied "Nothing," as the company had promised him \$5,000 at Christmas time for the business he had already brought them. PERELLA said he declined this and would rather be on salary instead.

T-7, on November 30, 1962, reported that BRUNO contacts PERELLA in Vineland, N.J. at Taylor 5-9873. PERELLA was to meet BRUNO in Philadelphia at FRANK IANERELLA's Luncheonette, 8th and Christian Streets, on December 3, 1962. However, PERELLA's mother died and PERELLA was unable to keep this meeting. BRUNO desired to attend the viewing on December 5, 1962, at Vineland, N.J.

On December 5, 1962, T-12 reported BRUNO had on that date, in the company of PAT MASSI, arrived at the Rone Funeral Chapel, 110 East Chestnut Avenue, Vineland, N.J., for the viewing of TONY PERELLA's mother, ROSE PERELLA.

T-6, on December 5, 1962, reported that PERELLA is allegedly in charge of all the "racket" groups in Vineland, N.J., and that "BABE" (LNU), from Vineland, N.J., is his principal lieutenant. TONY PERELLA also has a son who is referred to as "LITTLE TONY."

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~~NICHOLAS~~ ~~PICCOLO~~, Aka
~~Nicky Buck~~
Residence - 1019 Fitzwater Street
Business Address - Piccolo's 500 Club,
11th and Christian Streets,
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
Pennsylvania Vehicle License #D 66 415

T-6, during the reporting period, has indicated that NICHOLAS PICCOLO continues to operate the Piccolo's 500 Club, 11th and Christian Streets, Philadelphia, and continues to be active in the numbers business in Philadelphia.

T-2 and T-8 advised that PICCOLO had been in touch with BRUNO at BRUNO's Penn-Jersey Vending on the following dates:

October 3, 9, 10, 11, 13, 29;
November 29;
December 4, 18, 21, 24, 28, 1962.

T-7, on November 29, 1962, observed NICHOLAS PICCOLO chauffeur ANGELO BRUNO to SALVATORE AVENA's office on that date, where BRUNO met with LOU CAMPBELL, of Camden, N.J., in AVENA's office concerning the sale of Garden State Vending. Later that date PICCOLO attended a meeting with ANGELO BRUNO and FRANK NICOLETTI at ALFONSO MAIORIELLO's Barber Shop, 902 South 8th Street, Philadelphia.

~~ANTHONY~~ ~~PUNGITORE~~, Aka
"Blond Babe", Philadelphia, Pa.

T-6 reported that ANTHONY PUNGITORE visited ANGELO BRUNO at Penn-Jersey Vending on December 24 and 31, 1962. This source identified PUNGITORE as being active in numbers activities in Philadelphia.

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~~JOSEPH RUGNETTA~~
2030 South 13th Street
Business: South Philadelphia Grill
12th and Mercy Streets
Philadelphia, Pa.

T-6 on November 15, 1962, reported that ANGELO BRUNO on that date had just begun a meeting with two New York visitors when JOSEPH RUGNETTA called, desiring to see BRUNO. Within five minutes, BRUNO discontinued his meeting and immediately proceeded to meet with RUGNETTA. According to this source, RUGNETTA commands a great deal of respect among the Philadelphia Family of "La Causa Nostra."

~~ANGELO RUSSO~~, Butcher
Residence and Business Address:
2301 South 9th Street
~~Philadelphia, Pa.~~
Telephone No. Howard 5-0110
Pennsylvania License Plate #GL 242

T-7 on October 15 and November 9, 1962, reported that ANGELO BRUNO was in touch with ANGELO RUSSO concerning the proposed sale of their mutual holdings, land, Third Street and Oregon Avenue, Philadelphia.

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~~PHILIP TESTA~~

~~1010 Carpenter Street~~

~~Philadelphia, Pa.~~

~~Philadelphia PD #222 651~~

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T-1 and T-8 during the reporting period have stated that PHILIP TESTA continues to operate in the numbers business in Philadelphia in behalf of ANGELO BRUNO. TESTA has been observed by these sources to have visited ANGELO BRUNO at Penn Jersey Vending on the following dates:

October 1,2,4,10,12,13,16,19,29;

November 1,7,13,19,28;

December 7,10,12,13,17,24,28, 1962.

T-8 on October 12, 1962, reported that BEN GOLOB, FRANK NICOLETTI and ANGELO BRUNO on that date discussed TESTA's responses to Internal Revenue Service's inquiry re TESTA's income tax returns.

On November 19, 1962, T-6 observed TESTA driving BRUNO in South Philadelphia after which they met at FRANK IANNARELLA's luncheonette, 742 Christian Street, for a meeting.

T-8 on December 18, 1962, reported that LOU CAMPBELL of Camden, N.J., and RUSSELL BUFALINO of Kingston, Pa., were in Philadelphia on December 18, 1962, to confer with BRUNO. BRUNO had gone to Miami, Fla., on December 17, 1962. In BRUNO's absence, each conferred with PHILIP TESTA.

T-6 on December 24, 1962, reported that TESTA visited ANGELO BRUNO that date along with numerous individuals whom T-1 has identified as being members of the Philadelphia Family of "La Causa Nostra."

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T-7 on December 26, 1962, again observed TESTA chauffeuring BRUNO in Philadelphia. On December 27, 1962, this source stated that TESTA accompanied BRUNO, CHARLES COSTELLO, CARL IPPOLITO, and JOHN SIMONE, all of Trenton, N.J., to attend a viewing on that date of JOHN CAPPELLO's father.

~~VINCENT~~ ~~TURCO~~, aka James ~~Turco~~
Lincoln Road
Vineland, New Jersey
Vehicle License No. New Jersey CKC 155
Philadelphia Phone Number at which
Contacted by BRUNO is SA 6-7741

T-1 during the reporting period reported that VINCENZO TURCO of Vineland, N.J., had dinner at ANGELO BRUNO's home on October 2, 1962, and visited BRUNO at Penn Jersey Vending on October 9, and November 1 and 9, 1962. T-1 identified TURCO as a member of "La Causa Nostra."

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~~HARRY~~ ZIMAND

Residence Address: 1460 South Treasure Drive
Treasure Island
Miami, Florida

Business Address: Acme Music and Vending Machine
Company
504 Alton Road
Miami Beach, Florida

During the reporting period, T-1 and T-8 continued to state that HARRY ZIMAND maintains frequent contact with ANGELO BRUNO from Miami, Fla., ZIMAND having done so on October 30 and 31, 1962.

On October 31, 1962, T-8 indicated that BRUNO was to go to Florida to confer with WOLF and HARRY ZIMAND concerning sale of BRUNO's interest in Acme Music and Vending Machine Company. This source reported on December 31, 1962, that BRUNO desired to sell his interest in this vending machine business being operated by ZIMAND for \$25,000 in cash because BRUNO indicated his partners owe him \$10,000 in personal loans. By selling same, he would be able to recover his money.

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T-1 and T-6 on October 30, 1962, reported that BRUNO sent thank you notes for those who attended JEANNE BRUNO's wedding on August 26, 1962. Those to whom he sent notes on this date were JOSEPH RUGNETTA, AUGUSTINE MAZZIO, NICHOLAS PICCOLO, LORENZO D'AMORE and JOHN CAPPELLO.

On November 8, 1962, T-3 and T-8 reported that BRUNO sent thank you notes to JOHN MANGONE, in care of Crystal Hotel, 50th and Collins Avenue, Miami, Fla. He also sent the same to TEDDY EMANUEL, 1184 Lake Shore Drive, Collingswood, N.J., and JOE WALLACE, Wallace Flower Shop, 8th and Tasker Streets, Philadelphia.

On November 14, 1962, these sources reported similar thank you notes were sent to Mr. A. FIORELLO, in care of Food Market, 111 Biscayne Bay, Miami, Fla.; DAVEY GLASS, Ski-Way Motel, Lejune Road, Miami, Fla.; PAT MASSI, in care of Saint George Motel, Camden, N.J.; and CALOGERO SINATRA, Vallelunga, Sicily, Italy.

~~JOHN DE SIMONE~~, aka Joseph Anthony DeSimone
Philadelphia PD #277 954
FBI #743 599 B

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~~T-8~~ on December 1 and 13, 1962, reported that JOSEPH DE SIMONE, who was previously convicted for holdup at the point of a gun of a check cashing agency at Kensington and Huntingdon Avenues about 1956, visited BRUNO on December 1, and December 13, 1962. The purpose of DE SIMONE's contacts was not known to the source.

~~SAM (LNU)~~, Operator of vehicle bearing New Jersey License #BGW 108, which is registered to CATHERINE SPARAZIO, 618 South Third Street, Camden, N.J.

T-7 on October 15, 1962, observed an individual operating a vehicle bearing New Jersey license BGW 108 stopped

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in front of Penn Jersey Vending. At this time BRUNO called to the driver, addressing him as "SAM." SAM and BRUNO then walked back and forth on Catharine Street between 7th and 8th Streets holding a discussion. It was determined that the above license is registered to CATHERINE SPARAZIO, 618 South Third Street, Camden, N.J.

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Ranchland Corporation

On October 1, 1962, according to PH T-8, BRUNO told his nephew MICHAEL GRASSO that he wished to unload the property at Third Street and Oregon Avenue, Philadelphia, at any cost. It was agreed that they would sell it.

On October 2, 1962, PH T-2 reported that BRUNO met with NATHAN LEVIN to discuss the sale of the above property. ABE SEROT was present, as was ANGELO RUSSO. It was not clear to T-2 what SEROT's interest was in respect to this deal, but T-2 has previously reported that RUSSO is a part-owner in the property.

In the course of the discussion, which according to T-2 was partly fact and partly sales talk, BRUNO outlined the details of his ownership. He said he had been asking \$250,000 for the property, but would take \$200,000. He claimed that some unknown party is interested in building a motel on the land, and that his brother-in-law PETER MAGGIO had an acquaintance who was interested in building a motel on the land. He said he had purchased the property with a \$60,000 mortgage due January 15, at which time, if necessary, it would be paid off by RUSSO and him, each putting up \$30,000. He emphasized to LEVIN that he is not in need of money, that he is not interested in options, and that if the land cannot be sold at the present time, he can let it sit for five years. He offered to sell it for \$200,000, with a \$20,000 certified check deposited in escrow with a title company and an agreement to settle the sale within six months. He said the only option he would give would be a \$10,000 cash payment for a six-month option, non-returnable if the option was not executed. BRUNO pointed out that although he was handling the sales negotiations, the land is actually in his wife's name and he was speaking on her behalf.

LEVIN finally made a counter-proposition of a \$1,000 deposit on October 2, 1962, pending the signing of an agreement of sale on November 1, 1962, at which time he would make a

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further deposit of \$10,000. He suggested an additional deposit of \$10,000 on December 1, 1962, and a payment of \$179,000 on September 1, 1963, with the American Stores option to be included in the deal. BRUNO told LEVIN to type up the suggested offer, and he would have his own attorney look it over.

PH T-7 said that LEVIN's attorney HERMAN BLOOM and BRUNO's nephew MICHAEL GRASSO were at Penn Jersey Vending Company on October 3, 1962, but did not see BRUNO. On October 3, 1962, BRUNO had a 3:00 p.m. appointment with his attorney SAMUEL MOONBEATT at the latter's office.

On October 8, 1962, it was reported by PH T-7 that BRUNO, his wife SUE, and ANGELO RUSSO signed papers concerned with the sale of Ranchland Corporation.

PH T-6 reported that on October 15, 1962, BRUNO signed a check in the amount of \$1,800, payable to Funds For Growth, Inc., 1609 East Wadsworth Avenue, Philadelphia, which T-6 believed was for an interest payment on Ranchland Corporation since ANGELO RUSSO also signed the check as maker.

On October 31, 1962, BRUNO told FRANK NICOLETTI and PH T-3 that he had purchased his land in South Philadelphia for \$140,000 and sold it for \$200,000, with a \$60,000 profit. Three weeks earlier, he said he had received \$1,000 for a three-week option, which would end November 1, 1962. The purchaser put up \$10,000 on October 30, 1962. On October 31, 1962, the money was in BRUNO's attorney's office, and the attorney was then waiting for BRUNO to bring the papers to him.

On November 2, 1962, BRUNO told PH T-6 that ANGELO RUSSO and SUE BRUNO each own 400 shares of Ranchland Corporation, and that 200 shares are held by unnamed individuals.

On November 12, 1962, according to PH T-1, BRUNO, MICHAEL GRASSO, and NATHAN LEVIN's attorney HERMAN BLOOM further discussed the Ranchland deal. BLOOM had learned that MICHAEL GRASSO had clouded the title to one parcel of the property by

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Garden State Vending Company
Camden, New Jersey

According to PH T-1 and PH T-3, during October 1962, BRUNO frequently discussed the possibility of selling Garden State Vending Company in order to confine his interests to the operation of Penn Jersey in Philadelphia.

PH T-7 advised that on November 16, 1962, BRUNO met with GEORGE HAMILTON to discuss the possibility of selling Garden State to HAMILTON. Negotiations were conducted over a period of two weeks, with SALVATORE AVENA, a Camden attorney, handling the legal details.

PH T-6 said that the agreement to sell Garden State to GEORGE HAMILTON had been completed on December 3, 1962, and an agreement of sale had been signed. One of the reasons which BRUNO gave T-6 for wishing to sell Garden State was that too many people had a proprietary interest in it, mentioning WILLIE RIPKA, who according to BRUNO drinks too much; JOE WILSON, a Camden, N. J., accountant; and LOU CAMPBELL of Camden, N. J.

On December 24, 1962, PH T-8 learned that BEN GOLOB, who handled most of the details of the operation of Garden State Vending, brought ANGELO BRUNO a check drawn on the Camden National Bank, payable to SUE BRUNO, in the amount of \$10,000. This payment was part of the sale of Garden State Vending. The \$10,000 check was deposited in the Penn Jersey Vending Company account, and at the same time a check was drawn on the Penn Jersey account for \$9,000, payable to the Chemical National Bank and Trust Company of New York. It was expected that final settlement of the sale of Garden State Vending would take place January 2, 1963, at the office of attorney SALVATORE AVENA in Camden, N. J.

On December 14, 1962, an Agent of the Newark Division examined the records of the Camden Credit Association regarding the Garden State Vending Company. These records reflected that the proprietors of the business were BENJAMIN H. GOLOB, SUE BRUNO, and HENRY COLLINS. The firm was represented by

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Miscellaneous

PH T-1 said that on October 11, 1962, he was with MARIO RICCOBENE when RICCOBENE consulted ANGELO BRUNO about the possibility of getting some extra business, and complained that all the good business in numbers, horses, and shylocking is taken. BRUNO disagreed, saying that there was plenty of business and that nobody would get run out of town, as RICCOBENE claimed he would, unless they do not pay. BRUNO told RICCOBENE that his trouble is that he does not know how to handle a business but did agree that he would think it over and see what he could do for "SONNY".

T-1 said on October 30, 1962, BRUNO was visited by three men identified by T-7 as FRANK MATTEO, aka FRANKIE MENDEL; JOE SHERMAN; and AL LNU, a Syrian friend of MATTEOs. According to T-7 BRUNO and the visitors discussed setting up some kind of gambling activity in the vicinity of Reading, Pa.

On November 5, 1962, BRUNO was visited by IGNAZIO DENARO and T-3, while DENARO discussed the operation of his luncheonette. BRUNO suggested that if DENARO had a card game in the back room he could file a tax return at the end of the year for any amount he wanted because the Government would have no way of knowing how much he could make from the card game. BRUNO further suggested that on Saturday nights DENARO close the luncheonette and stage a poker game in the back room. It would not be necessary to advertise because players would appear after hearing of it and there would be no danger in case of a raid as long as no money showed on the table.

On December 8, 1962, T-2 reported that ANGELO BRUNO discussed with "Big TONY" (ANTHONY PERELLA of Vine-land, N.J.) and BABE, not otherwise identified, activities in New Jersey. BRUNO inquired of BABE how the horses were

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T-6 also said that on December 7, 1962, SINDONE told him that one of his girls had been arraigned in a local court on December 6, 1962, on a numbers charge, and that he would ask for BRUNO's help. Later SINDONE told T-6 that he had talked with BRUNO and PHIL TESTA at FRANK IANNARELLA's luncheonette and that BRUNO had called a bondsman named ALBERT SCHWARTZ.

Zoning Case

On October 4, 1962, T-8 reported that BRUNO had advised NATHAN LEVIN, who is buying a piece of land in the area of 3rd Street and Oregon Avenue, Philadelphia, from BRUNO, that it would be necessary to pay \$10,000 under the table in addition to the sale price to have the city council pass an ordinance ordering the closing of a street in the plot of land. It appeared that the street was not actually in existence, but was shown as a proposed street on the city plans and it would be necessary to have an official order the closing. BRUNO initiated the necessary contacts and promised the \$10,000.

On November 12, 1962, BRUNO again told T-8 that he had promised LEVIN there would be favorable action from the Philadelphia City Council regarding the closing of the street for a payment of \$10,000.

Miscellaneous

On November 20, 1962, BRUNO told T-7 that his brother-in-law, RALPH MARANCA, had re-mortgaged his home to re-pay BRUNO \$5,000 which BRUNO had spent fixing a liquor violation with which MARANCA had been charged. The details of this violation have previously been reported.

On December 7, 1962, T-8 said that JOHN SIMONE had asked BRUNO's help in taking care of the arrest of one

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