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SUBJECT: CRIMINAL ELEMENT IN BUSINESS FIELD,
*WOMEN'S DRESS INDUSTRY,
PHILADELPHIA DIVISION, *PA.*
INFORMATION CONCERNING

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(A) Individuals Involved

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ANGELO JOSEPH SCIANDRA

Born November 26, 1923, Pittston, Pa., served U. S. Navy June 1943 to December 1945, engaged in dress industry and in 1957 and 1958 owned and directed an orchestra. His father, JOHN, according to PH 521-C, was formerly a leader in the Mafia in the Anthracite Region of Pennsylvania. ANGELO SCIANDRA attended the meeting at Apalachin, N. Y., November 14, 1957, and for a number of years has been closely associated with RUSSELL BUFALINO, DAVE OSTICCO, DOMINIC ALAIMO and GIOACCHINO PARISI, all of whom are Philadelphia Top Hoodlums.

RUSSELL BUFALINO

Born October 29, 1903, in Sicily, and entered United States as a child, has lived at Rochester and Buffalo, N. Y., and in the Pittston, Pa. area. Has been described by PH 521-C as the present leader of the Mafia in the Pittston area and is widely acquainted with hoodlums in New York City, New York State and other areas. Attended Apalachin meeting and is presently under deportation order.

DOMINIC JOHN ALAIMO

Born January 28, 1910, in Sicily, and is a derivative citizen. Has been associated with the coal and dress industry as an associate of BUFALINO, SCIANDRA, WILLIAM MEDICO, SANTO VOLPE, reputed Mafia leader,

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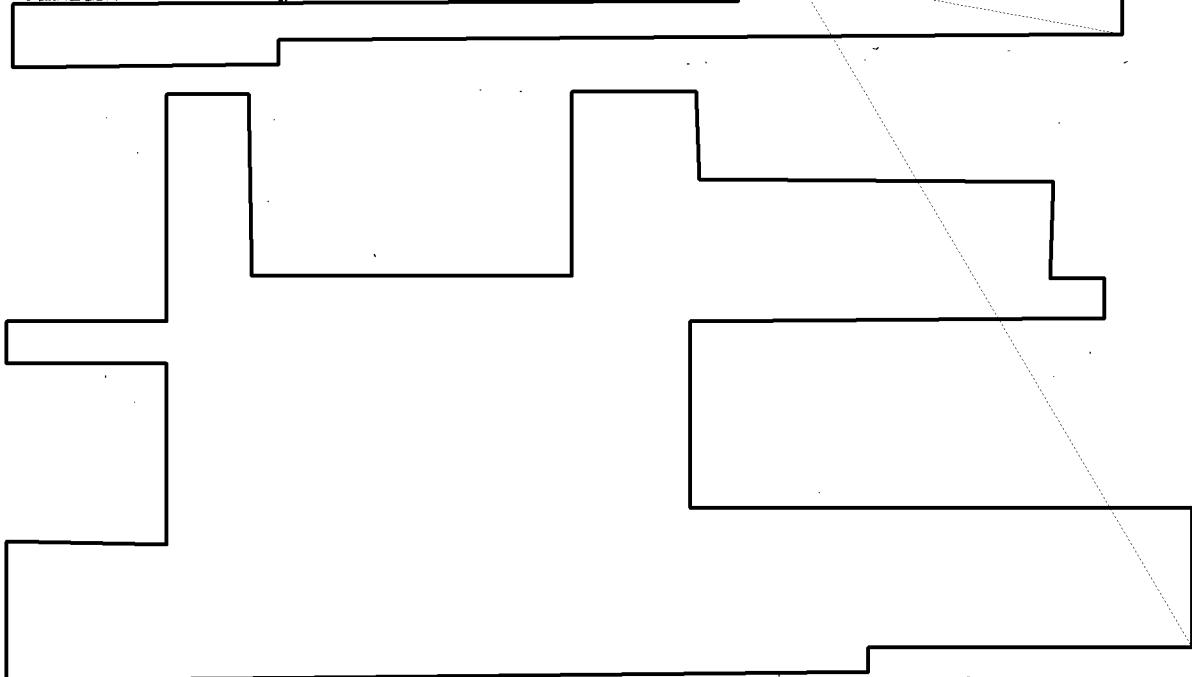
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* A.B.&S. Contracting Company of Pittston *fa*

According to New York PCI MAX STEIN, this firm consisted of DOMINIC ALAIMO, RUSSELL BUFALINO and MAX STEIN, but STEIN withdrew in 1955. The purpose of this company was for ALAIMO and BUFALINO to secure contract work through contacts of dress manufacturers in the Pittston area. STEIN paid BUFALINO and ALAIMO for their services and also received \$1,600 a year as his share of the profits.

* Francey Dress Company
161 North Main Street
Pittston, Pa.

No record of this company is maintained at the Pennsylvania Corporation Bureau, but records of the telephone company show that it was located in Pittston from August 6, 1956, to February 26, 1958, and that the telephone service during that period was billed to DOMINIC ALAIMO.

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