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On August 5, 1970, DL 202-C-TE advised SA EARLE HALEY that R. D. MATTHEWS and SAM BENSON, who is a known bookmaker in Fort Worth and who is currently being investigated under Dallas file 166-1004, are reported to be partners this year. MATTHEWS also is supposed to have a man by the name of EDDY working for him, and BENSON is working with EDDY (last name unknown). EDDY is believed to be EDDY WALSH, who has worked with MATTHEWS in the past.

On 8/12/70, DL 135-C-TE advised SA WILLIAM B. HOLLOMAN that on 8/12/70, while at JOE CAMPISI's restaurant, he noticed CAMPISI, R. D. MATTHEWS, and several other persons were holding a conference in CAMPISI's office. He advised that these men were obviously discussing business but stated he could not determine the nature of the business being discussed.

On 8/21/70, DL 275-C-TE advised SA WILLIAM B. HOLLOMAN that R. D. MATTHEWS is booking very heavily now that football season has started. He is apparently associated with JIMMY VOURAS (DL 92-860) and can be seen frequently at JIMMY VOURAS' restaurant, the Chateaubriand. CI advised that MATTHEWS may have some connection with JOE CAMPISI (DL 92-339) in view of the fact that he is in frequent contact with CAMPISI at CAMPISI's restaurant, the Egyptian. On 9/14/70, DL 135-C-TE advised SA FORREST F. JOHN that he had just returned from the Golden Greek Restaurant (owned by JIMMY VOURAS) (DL 92-860) and that R. D. MATTHEWS and two other men whom he did not know were settling up their gambling debts. CI stated that while he was there, MATTHEWS telephoned JOHN ELI STONE about the "diamond" (\$1,000) STONE owed him and told him just to give it to "IZZIE" (ISADORE MILLER).

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