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JAMES EARL RAY
PHOTO 1967-68



ITEM 5

James Ray

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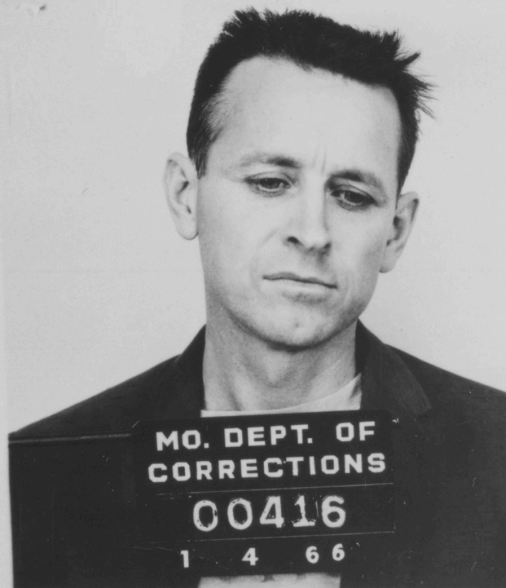
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ITEMS #3-13

Item #3: 1 photo RAY, taken 1966

Item #4: 1 photo GALT, obtained 4/18/68

Item #5: 1 photo individual purported to
be RAY, taken 11/67

Item #6: 1 photo RAY, taken fall of 1967

Item #7: 1 photo RAY and WALTER T. RIFE,
taken 3/28/55

Item #8: 1 photo RAY furnished Memphis 4/30/68

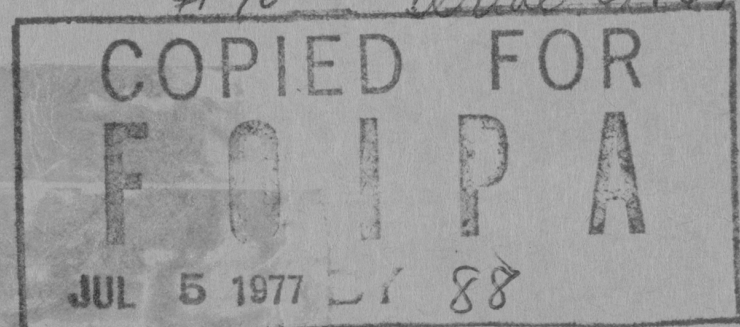
Item #9: 2 copies artists' conception of UNSUB,
furnished Memphis 4/13/68.

Item #10: 1 photographic print containing 3
photos RAY, taken 1960 and 1968

Item #11: 1 copy photo of RAY, 9/8/66

Item #12: 1 artist's conception of UNSUB,
not dated

Item #13: 1 composite of UNSUB, aka GALT,
not dated.



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36 Negatives removed.



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JAMES EARL RAY

WALTER T. RIFE

1955 MAR 28

1955 MAR 28

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Description of subject
from Memphis

White

Male

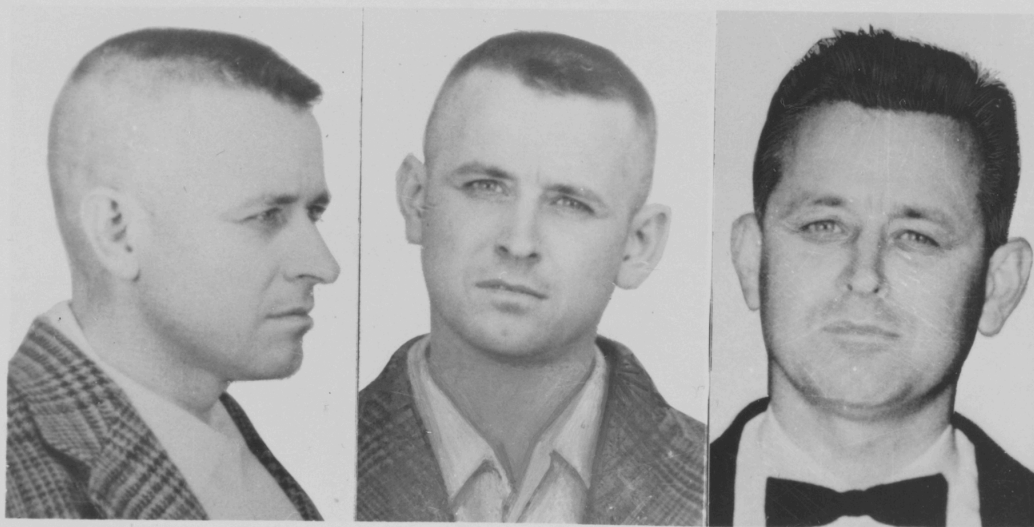
5'11"

160 - 170 lbs.

Medium Build

Dark brown or black hair;
combed straight back, no part.

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ITEM 10

JAMES EARL RAY

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JAMES EARL RAY

FBI No. 405,942 G

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INTERSTATE FLIGHT - ROBBERY

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Photographs on left taken 1960, other taken 1968

DESCRIPTION

AGE: 40, born March 10, 1928, Alton, Illinois

HEIGHT: 5' 10"

EYES: blue

WEIGHT: 163 to 174 pounds

COMPLEXION: medium

BUILD: medium

RACE: white

HAIR: brown, possibly cut short

NATIONALITY: American

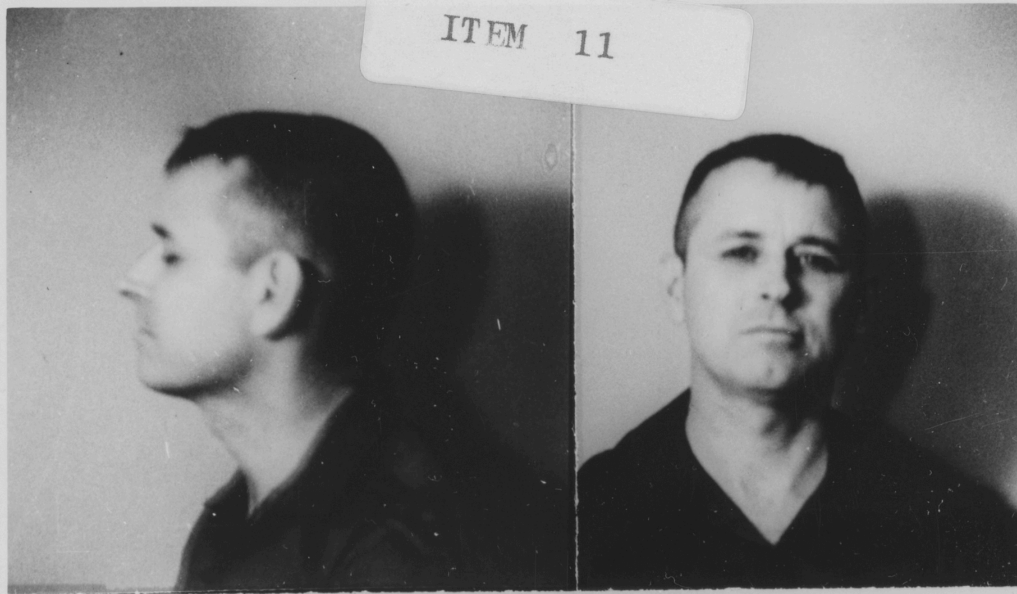
OCCUPATIONS: baker, color matcher, laborer

SCARS AND MARKS: small scar on center of forehead and small scar on palm of right hand

REMARKS: noticeably protruding left ear; reportedly is a lone wolf; allegedly attended dance instruction school; has reportedly completed course in bartending

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JAMES EARL RAY

SEP. 8 1966

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COMPOSITE OF UNSUB, AKA
ERIC STARVO GALT,
HARVEY LOWMYER,
JOHN WILLARD

White Male

Date of Birth: 7/20/31 (not verified)

5'8" - 5'11"

160 - 175 pounds

Medium Build

Brown Hair - Brush Cut

Eyes - Blue, or Green, or Hazel

Clean Shaven

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(Submit original & one copy)

TO: MECHANICAL SECTION Photo Unit - 7314		Date 4-28	Bldg JEN
Prepare for DIXON (Tom Wiseman)		Room 3455	Ext 4481

No. Originals	No. Copies	Description and Remarks
1	3	5x7
		Crop out man on right - Print man in overcoat.
		\$5.60 neg + 3 prints 2 hours
		Need by May 4 th Sunday

Approval

Asst Dir

FOR USE OF PHOTO UNIT ONLY

_____ Negatives Made	_____ Internegatives Made
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_____ Roll Film Processed	_____ Contact Prints
_____ Enlargements	_____ B&W 16 & 35 mm Movie Film Processed
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**Description of subject
from Birmingham:**

White

Male

Age 36

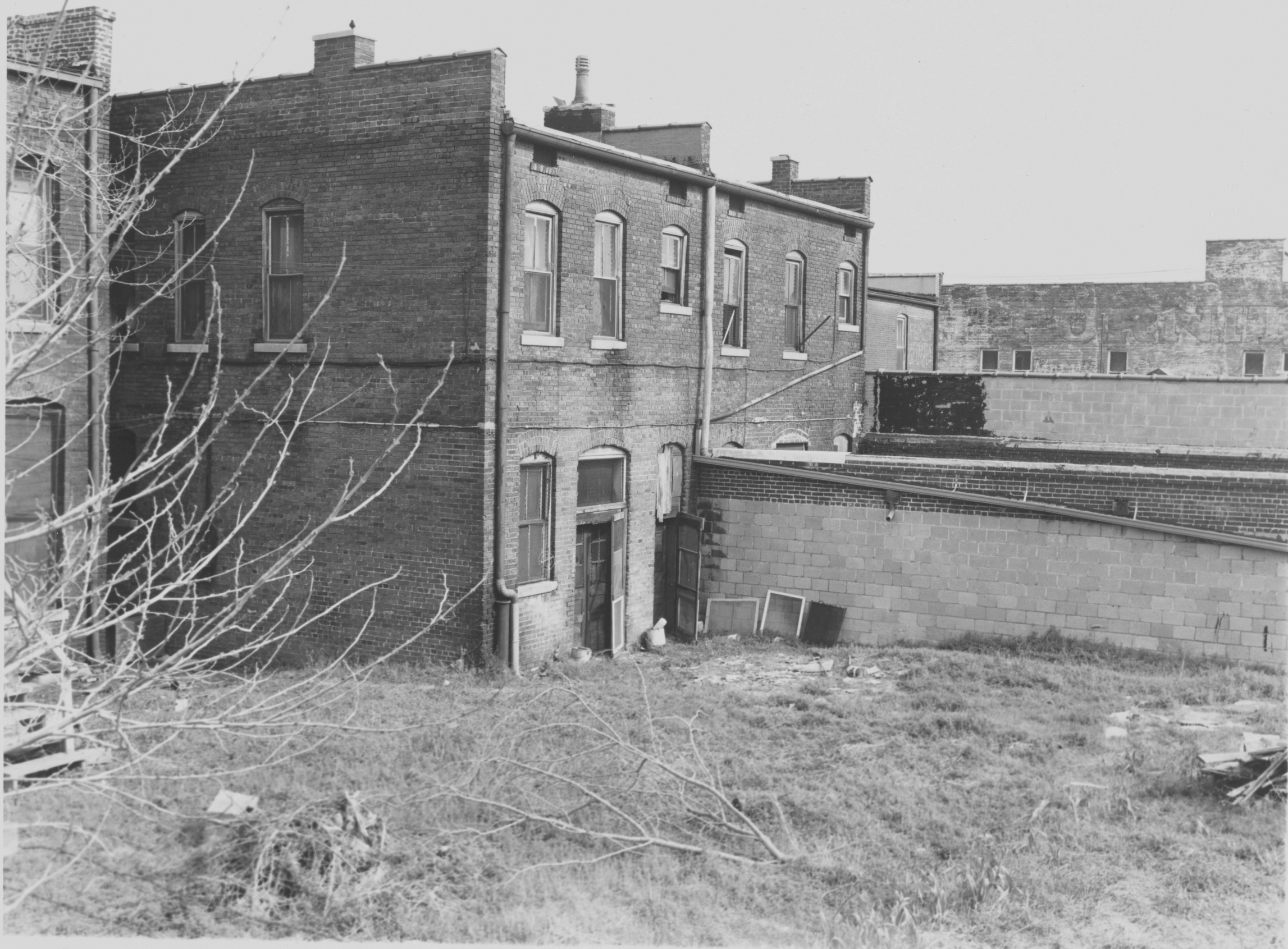
5'8" - 5'10"

150 - 160 lbs.

Medium complexion

Dark hair (probably brown)

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C.C.E.

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Item $\pm$
47 photos by Memphis PD.
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