

OPEN CORRESPONDENCE CLUB INVESTIGATIONS (Continued)

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| <u>San Francisco, California Division (Continued)</u> | | | |
| The National Close Up | North Hollywood, Cal. | 364-38870-E | Poindexter |
| Jan | Reno, Nevada | 364-38993-E | Lawrence |
| Reynolds Machinery | Los Angeles, Cal. | 364-39006-E | Poindexter |
| Tape Club | " " " | 364-41205-E | " |
| Swinging Sam Young | Ontario, Cal. | 364-41386-E | " |
| Swingers Club | Santa Monica, Cal. | 364-41403-E | " |
| United World Publications | San Diego, Cal. | 364-41409-E | " |
| Sincerely Yours Club | La Puente, Cal. | 364-44006-E | " |
| Phi Pi Epsilon | Los Angeles, Cal. | 364-44144-E | " |
| Modern Enterprises | Los Angeles, Cal. | 364-44296-E | " |
| Japan International | Newport Beach, Cal. | 364-44297-E | " |
| Remco | Las Vegas, Nevada | 364-44337-E | " |
| Blue Star | Reno, Nevada | 364-44412-E | Vanden Bosch |
| James L. Hubbel | Strathmore, Cal. | 364-44539-E | " " |
| The Local Swinger | Downey, Cal. | 364-44606-E | Poindexter |
| Donald Fickes | Norwalk, Cal. | 364-44660-E | " |
| Sir, Inc. | Van Nuys, Cal. | 364-44661-E | " |
| Le Group | Van Nuys, Cal. | 364-44686-E | " |
| Roberta Perkins | Santa Rosa, Cal. | 364-44696-E | Vanden Bosch |
| Kinsey Club | San Diego, Cal. | 364-44745-E | Poindexter |

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| <u>Washington, D. C. Division</u> | | | |
| Richard Stanley | Charleston, W. Va. | 364-28406-E | Bradley |
| David C. Bohner | Washington, D. C. | 364-28571-E | Bradley |
| Mr. and Mrs. E. King | Hagerstown, Md. | 364-29026-E | Bennett |

5/31/68

AIRTEL

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)

FROM: SAC, WFO (44-703) (P)

MURKIN

ReAttel to Bu dated 5/23/68 requesting WFO obtain from Postal Inspector, WDC, a list of all obscene pen-pal clubs in the United States presently under investigation by the Post Office Department.

- 3- Bureau (Encl. 2)
- 2- Atlanta (44-2386) (Encl. 2) (AM)
- 2- Baltimore (44-669) (Encl. 2)
- 2- Boston (Encl. 2)
- 2- Chicago (44-1114) (Encl. 2)
- 2- Cincinnati (157-1893) (Encl. 2)
- 2- Columbia (Encl. 2)
- 2- Dallas (44-2649) (Encl. 2) (AM)
- 2- Detroit (44-989) (Encl. 2)
- 2- Houston (44-1509) (Encl. 2)
- 2- Indianapolis (Encl. 2)
- 2- Kansas City (44-760) (Encl. 2)
- 2- Las Vegas (Encl. 2) (AM)
- 2- Los Angeles (44-1574) (Encl. 2) (AM)
- 2- Miami (Encl. 2) (AM)
- 2- Memphis (44-1987) (Encl. 2)
- 2- Minneapolis (Encl. 2) (AM)
- 2- Newark (44-854) (Encl. 2)
- 2- New Haven (157-818) (Encl. 2)
- 2- New York City (44-1609) (Encl. 2)
- 2- Omaha (Encl. 2) (AM)
- 2- Philadelphia (44-1368) (Encl. 2)
- 2- Pittsburgh (44-578) (Encl. 2) *✓*
- 2- Sacramento (100-427) (Encl. 2) (AM)

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1- WFO
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*Charleston lead
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- 2- St. Louis (44-775) (Encl. 2) (AM)
- 2- San Diego (Encl. 2) (AM)
- 2- San Francisco (173-65) (Encl. 2) (AM)
- 2- Savannah (Encl. 2)
- 2- Tampa (157-3231) (Encl. 2) (AM)

Enclosed herewith for each office listed below having leads in their division are two copies each consisting of five pages which contain list of correspondence clubs under Post Office investigation.

Also enclosed for information is one copy each for Bureau, Memphis and Atlanta.

Offices covering Headquarters divisions of Postal inspectors will contact division chiefs for addresses and other identifying information regarding the clubs listed and furnish such information to other FBI field offices for further investigation where appropriate.

All offices having clubs within their division will thereafter conduct appropriate investigation to determine if subject JAMES EARL RAY is a member or has ever corresponded with that club.

Discretion should be used with lists being furnished and source of agency furnishing list should not be disclosed.

ARMED AND DANGEROUS

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, PITTSBURGH (44-578) -P-

DATE: 5/31/68

FROM : SA DEAN M. HOWEN

SUBJECT: MURKIN

Re Savannah airtel to Bureau, 5/21/68, and memo of SA WOODRUFF, 5/29/68.

The following investigation was conducted by SA DEAN M. HOWEN at Oak Hill, W. Va., on 5/31/68:

Sgt. W. A. GOSNELL, WVASP, and Chief of Police ROBERT MUNDOCK were alerted concerning 1968 Alabama license 27-17864 on a 1959 Pontiac or on a green Chrysler product car, to advise if noted.

Observation of the grounds of the James H. Drew Exposition at Oak Hill and general area failed to locate any vehicle or license as above.

HENRY WRIGHT, office manager, James H. Drew Exposition, advised he has no record or knowledge of a WALLACE GREATHOUSE as an employee and no one by that name is on the payroll; however, GREATHOUSE could work for a concession, which are independent. He said he knew of only one young couple traveling with the show from Alabama, and they are from Birmingham, and he is a small fellow with dark hair. WRIGHT could not identify photo of RAY.

Mr. WRIGHT said the show is presently split, with part now at Bristol, Virginia; that JAMES H. DREW is presently at Bristol, but the entire show will be combined and be set up at Bluefield, W. Va., to open 6/3/68. He suggested Mr. DREW be contacted at Bluefield on 6/3/68 when the entire show is together for further efforts to locate and identify GREATHOUSE.

Observation of all ride and concession employees did not reveal anyone who resembled subject.

Only one Alabama license was observed in the area. 27-18180, on a 1960 green Valiant, operated by a white male, age 25, 5'7", 135 lbs., dark brown hair, accompanied by a white female, early 20's, light brown short hair.

LEAD

AT BLUEFIELD, W. VA.

Will contact JAMES H. DREW to identify or eliminate WALLACE GREATHOUSE.

(1 copy of this memo and serials 247, 248, 249, 250, 251 are being sent direct to Bluefield RA)

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352PM URGENT 6/3/68 RLC

TO DIRECTOR (44-38861), BUTTE, DENVER, DETROIT, AND
LOUISVILLE (44-947)
FROM PITTSBURGH (44-578)2P

MURKIN, OO: MEMPHIS.

RE LOUISVILLE TELETYPE TO BUREAU, SIX ONE LAST, AND
PITTSBURGH TELETYPE TO THE BUREAU, SIX TWO LAST.

ON SIX THREE INSTANT, CORPORAL R. G. FINK, WEST VIRGINIA
STATE POLICE, WAYNE COUNTY, W. VA., WAS CONTACTED AND STATED
THAT IN REFERENCE TO THE UNIDENTIFIED BODY DESCRIBED IN RETEL,
THIS BODY HAD BEEN TENTATIVELY IDENTIFIED AS JAMES FORD HEDGE,
WHITE MALE, APPROXIMATELY SEVENTYFIVE, IN NINETEEN SIXTYSIX.
FINK SAID BODY HAD BEEN RECOVERED IN DETERIORATED CONDITION
AND WAS WRAPPED IN ARMY BLANKET. THE BODY HAD NO TEETH AND
THE ANKLES WERE BOUND WITH STRING. HE SAID THE SKULL HAD NO
METAL PLATE AND TEETH FOUND IN HEDGE'S APARTMENT WERE
DETERMINED IN ALL PROBABILITY TO HAVE BELONGED TO UNIDENTIFIED
BODY.

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ON SIX THREE INSTANT, AZEL BRYANT, COMMANDER, INVESTIGATIVE UNIT, HUNTINGTON PD, STATED HIS RECORDS REFLECTED A MISSING PERSONS REPORT FOR JAMES FORD HEDGE, SEVEN THREE SEVEN SEVENTH STREET, HUNTINGTON, W. VA., IN AUGUST, NINETEEN SIXTYSIX. HE STATED A BODY WAS RECOVERED ON ONE TWENTYTHREE SIXTYSEVEN, IN A DUMP OUTSIDE HUNTINGTON CITY LIMITS, IN WAYNE COUNTY, W. VA. HE STATED INVESTIGATION BY HIS DEPARTMENT REVEALED THAT IN ALL PROBABILITY, UNIDENTIFIED BODY WAS THAT OF HEDGE. HE STATED AN AUTOPSY WAS MADE, WHICH REFLECTED NO METAL PLATE IN THE HEAD OF UNIDENTIFIED BODY. HE STATED HAIR FROM BODY MATCHED HAIR FOUND ON COMB IN HEDGE'S ROOM AND THAT DENTAL PLATE IN VICTIM'S ROOM MATCHED JAW OF UNIDENTIFIED BODY. HE SAID PATHOLOGIST'S REPORT INDICATED UNIDENTIFIED BODY APPROXIMATE AGE AND BUILD OF HEDGE. HE STATED ALTHOUGH NO POSITIVE IDENTIFICATION COULD BE MADE, IT IS REASONABLY CERTAIN THAT UNIDENTIFIED BODY IS IDENTICAL TO HEDGE.

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Date May 13, 1968

RE:

MURKIN

☒ For information ☐ Retention optional ☐ For appropriate action ☐ Surep, by _____

☐ The enclosed is for your information. If used in a future report, ☐ conceal all sources, ☐ paraphrase contents.

☐ Enclosed are corrected pages from report of SA _____ dated _____

Remarks:

Enclosed for assistance of each office in connection with any laundry checks being made are photographs of laundry marks placed on shirt and bed linen for James Earl Ray while using the name of Eric Starvo Galt in the Los Angeles area.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, PITTSBURGH (44-578)

DATE: 5/28/68

FROM : SE RAY J. COLIN

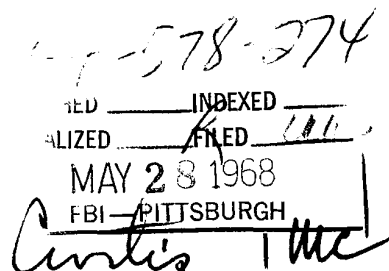
SUBJECT: MURKIN

At 1:05pm, this date MORRIS ALLEN, 1307 North Ave., Wilkensberg, Pa., phone 242 5533, who described himself as a negro, said that he had seen a man at about 12:45p this date in the T and G Bar, Stanwyck and Liberty, who strongly resembled ERIC STARVO GALT. He said the man was about 6 feet tall and wore a dark raincoat. He said the man had talked to him and asked him about the civil rights movement but he did not have a southern accent. ALLEN said he is an artist and works for Horne's and that is why he noticed this resemblance. He did not notice if the man's ear protruded.

*On 6/7/68 Allen was shown photos
(1) of Ray. Stated not ident w/ man he observed.
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, PITTSBURGH (44-578)

DATE: 5/31/68

FROM : SUNDAY J. COLIN

SUBJECT: MURKIN

Re memo of SA WILLIAM LOREN CURTIS, 5/21/68.

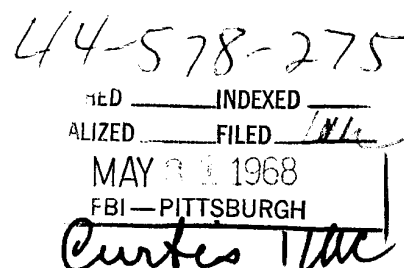
On 5/29/68, DAVID Mc CULLOUGH, Registrar, Bureau of Vital Statistics, State Office Bldg, Pittsburgh, Pa. advised they have no way of checking unidentified dead through their files and suggested contact be made with the Allegheny County Morgue.

On 5/29/68. ROGER PHILLIPS, Deputy Coroner, Allegheny County Morgue, Pittsburgh, Pa. advised that they have not had any unidentified male dead who could possibly be identical with JAMES EARL RAY. PHILLIPS advised that he would be on the alert for such a body and an ID on RAY was left with him. He said he would contact the office immediately if he gets any possible identification.

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714PM URGENT 6-3-68 SVW

TO BUTTE DENVER DETROIT LOUISVILLE PITTSBURGH
FROM DIRECTOR 2P

MURKIN

RELSTEL JUNE ONE LAST AND PGTEL JUNE TWO LAST.

RELSTEL INDICATES THAT LOCAL SALVATION ARMY AT BUTTE
SELECTED HARRY CONNERS, WILLIAM MOLLETT AND FERBER OLSEN
AS CLOSELY RESEMBLING PHOTO OF RAY. INVESTIGATION INDICATES
WILLIAM MADISON MOLLETT IS FIFTY-SIX YEARS OLD AND DOES
NOT ANSWER PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION OF RAY. UNLESS ADDITIONAL
INFORMATION AVAILABLE WHICH WOULD INDICATE MOLLETT IS
IDENTIFIABLE WITH RAY, NO FURTHER ACTION SHOULD BE TAKEN
TO LOCATE HIM.

REPGTEL INDICATES INVESTIGATION CONCERNING UNIDENTIFIED
BODY FOUND IN WAYNE COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA, IS CONTINUING.
LSTEL INDICATED THAT PERSON DIED OVER A YEAR AGO, AND THERE
APPEARS TO BE NO REASON TO CONTINUE THAT PHASE OF THE
INVESTIGATION.

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BUREAU NOT AWARE OF ANY LEADS SET OUT TO IDENTIFY
FERBER OLSEN OR HARRY CONNERS. BUTTE, ADVISE BY RETURN
TEL WHAT ACTION CONTEMPLATED REGARDING THOSE TWO, IT
BEING NOTED THAT PERSONNEL AT SALVATION ARMY, BUTTE,
CONSIDER ALL THREE AS CLOSELY RESEMBLING RAY.

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12:02 PM. URGENT 6-3-68 ETB

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861) AND SACS, BUTTE (173-2)
DEVER (157-203) LOUISVILLE (44-947) PITTSBURGH (44-578) SEATTLE.
FROM: SAC, DETROIT (44-989)

MURKIN.

RE BUTTE TELEPHONE CALL TO LOUISVILLE, MAY THIRTY ONE
LAST AND LOUISVILLE TELETYPE TO DIRECTOR, JUNE ONE LAST.

MRS. VERNIE ENGLISH, ONE SEVEN ONE FOUR ROSE, LINCOLN
PARK, MICH., SISTER OF WILLIAM MOLLETT, ADVISED THIS DATE
BROTHER JACK IS ONLY MEMBER OF FAMILY TO HAVE BEEN CONTACTED
OR HEARD FROM WILLIAM SINE MAY NINETEEN THREE YEARS AGO. SHE
HAS NO INFO RE WILLIAM'S PRESENT WHEREABOUT.

ELIAS MOLLETTE, ELEVEN PERIN, RIVER ROUGE, MICH., BROTHER
OF WILLIAM MOLLETT, ADVISED HE NEVER GOT ALONG WITH WILLIAM
AND HAS NO INFO RE HIS PRESENT WHEREABOUTS. HE IS AWARE THAT
JACK MOLLETT RECEIVED A TELEPHONE CALL FROM WILLIAM APPROXIMATELY
ONE MONTH AGO AND AT THIS TIME WILLIAM WAS ALLEGEDLY IN DENVER,
COLORADDO.

EDWARD THOMAS MOLLETT, NINE ONE SIX GARFIELD, LINCOLN
PARK, MICH., BROTHER OF WILLIAM, WILL NOT BE AVAILABLE FOR
INTERVIEW UNTIL NINE THIRTY AM, JUNE FOUR NEXT.
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RESULTS OF THAT INTERVIEW WILL BE FURNISHED
INTERESTED OFFICES.

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DIRECTOR, FBI

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MURKIN

Re: JAMES EARL RAY

Re Cincinnati teletype to Bureau 6/20/68.

On 5/21/68, Mrs. ANN JACOBSON, 434 Robb Avenue, Johnstown, Pa., advised SAs EARL W. GALLOWAY and JOHN S. HUGHES that for the past three weeks she has been doing domestic work for a DONALD SHAFFER and a Mrs. HELEN STANCE, at 446 Somerset Street, Johnstown, Pa. She explained that SHAFFER and STANCE are not married, but are living together; that SHAFFER is a local contractor and that he has several employees working for him who meet at the residence of 446 Somerset Street, each morning prior to going out on a particular contracting job.

Mrs. JACOBSON initially denied making any statement to anyone that the "killer of MARTIN LUTHER KING" was in any way connected with SHAFFER or his contracting group. She then advised that she might have made a statement that SHAFFER could be the killer of MARTIN LUTHER KING inasmuch as he drinks excessively and has made statements that he could see nothing wrong with KING's assassination. Mrs. JACOBSON stated that all of SHAFFER's workmen are in their late teens or early 20's; that none of them look like JAMES EARL RAY, but that SHAFFER bears some slight resemblance to the subject.

On 5/22/68, Detective HAROLD BERKEYBILE, Police Department, Johnstown, Pa., advised that he is personally acquainted with SHAFFER; that SHAFFER has been a fly-by-night contractor in Johnstown for many years; that one of SHAFFER's employees is his brother, JOSEPH, and that SHAFFER could not in any way be identical to JAMES EARL RAY.

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TO: SAC, MEMPHIS (44-1987)
FROM: SAC, PITTSBURGH (44-578) (P)
SUBJECT: MURKIN - COST DATA

Re Pittsburgh airtel to Memphis dated 5/1/68.

COST DATA FOR PITTSBURGH DIVISION FOR MONTH OF MAY, 1968

1. Number of man hours spent on case

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| (a) Special Agents - Regular Hours | 159 hrs. 11 min. |
| Overtime Hours | 38 hrs. 27 min. |

2. Total mileage traveled by Bucars
used on case. (estimated)

1,054 miles

3. Unusual or out of ordinary costs

None

4. Peak number of Special Agents working
on case during month of May, 1968

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2 - Memphis

② - Pittsburgh

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Date: 6/4/68

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-38861)

FROM: SAC, SEATTLE (44-371) (P)

SUBJECT: MURKIN

RE: LOOK-ALIKE HARRY CONNER

Re Butte telephone call to Louisville, Minneapolis, Seattle, and Salt Lake City, 5/31/68.

Investigation conducted in Seattle and Spokane, Washington, at the Salvation Army and other shelters for transients, failed to disclose any information concerning HARRY CONNER or his two companions, FABER OLSEN and WILLIAM MALLET. Stops were placed with each of these places so the FBI would be notified if any of these three men showed up.

As of 6/4/68, no word received from any of these places in either Seattle or Spokane regarding this matter.

ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

3 - Bureau
2 - Memphis (44-1987)
1 - Butte (173-2) (Info)
1 - Detroit (44-989) (Info)
1 - Denver (157-203) (Info)
1 - Louisville (44-947) (Info)
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Special Agent in Charge

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, PITTSBURGH (44-578)

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : JOHN B. WOODRUFF, SA

SUBJECT: MURKIN
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OO: MEMPHIS

Re your memo 5/27/68.

On 6/4/68, the following were contacted at Charleston, West Va., and they were furnished with copies of I. O. 4182 on JAMES EARL RAY, aka in the event they had not received same through normal dissemination:

Rev. CLYDE MURDOCK, Supt., The Charleston Union Mission, 202 Washington
Mrs. BETTY AGNEW, Welfare Worker, The Salvation Army, 301 Tennessee



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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, PITTSBURGH (44-578)

DATE: 6-5-68

FROM : JOHN B. WOODRUFF, SA

SUBJECT: MURKIN

Re WFO airtel to Bureau, 5/31/68

On 6/4/68, WILLIAM C. DOERR, U. S. Postal Inspector, Charleston, West Va., advised that he recalls the investigation of RICHARD STANLEY and from records he stated that this was handled out of Washington, D.C. He stated it was a December 1966 case and was conducted on a complaint received from the Charleston, West Virginia, Police Department that STANLEY was molesting small girls and that he was writing and sending them obscene cards and letters.

Mr. DOERR checked his files and stated that RICHARD STANLEY called his little operation the Iris Girls Club. His sole purpose was to get little girls involved with him. The file indicated that STANLEY is a mental case and is very peculiar. He is about 60 years of age and has been employed for many years in the press room of The Charleston Gazette, Charleston, West Va., where he was last known to have been employed in 1966.

Mr. DOERR said that STANLEY resides at Route 2, Box 276B (Loudendale) Charleston, West Va., with relatives and he is not married. He said that STANLEY's only operated locally and that he was the only man involved but that the local police had investigated him because he allegedly had attempted to molest small girls.

Mr. DOERR said he does not know what disposition was made of this case and further details would have to come from Washington.



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