

Federal Bureau of Investigation

Washington, D.C. 20535

March 5, 2021

MR. JOHN GREENEWALD JR. SUITE 1203 27305 WEST LIVE OAK ROAD CASTAIC, CA 91384-4520

> FOIPA Request No.: 1380119-000 Subject: HOOVER, JOHN EDGAR

Dear Mr. Greenewald:

The enclosed documents were reviewed under the Freedom of Information/Privacy Acts (FOIPA), Title 5, United States Code, Section 552/552a. Below you will find check boxes under the appropriate statute headings which indicate the types of exemptions asserted to protect information which is exempt from disclosure. The appropriate exemptions are noted on the enclosed pages next to redacted information. In addition, a deleted page information sheet was inserted to indicate where pages were withheld entirely and identify which exemptions were applied. The checked exemption boxes used to withhold information are further explained in the enclosed Explanation of Exemptions.

	Section 552	Section 552a	
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451 pages were re	viewed and 393 pages are being released.		
Please see the par	ragraphs below for relevant information spec	ific to your request as well as t	he

Please see the paragraphs below for relevant information specific to your request as well as the enclosed FBI FOIPA Addendum for standard responses applicable to all requests.

V	Document(s) were located which originated with, or contained information concerning, other Government Agency (ies) [OGA].
	This information has been referred to the OGA(s) for review and direct response to you. We are consulting with another agency. The FBI will correspond with you regarding this information when the consultation is completed.

Please refer to the enclosed FBI FOIPA Addendum for additional standard responses applicable to your request. "Part 1" of the Addendum includes standard responses that apply to all requests. "Part 2" includes additional standard responses that apply to all requests for records about yourself or any third party individuals. "Part 3" includes general information about FBI records that you may find useful. Also enclosed is our Explanation of Exemptions.

For questions regarding our determinations, visit the www.fbi.gov/foia website under "Contact Us."

The FOIPA Request Number listed above has been assigned to your request. Please use this number in all correspondence concerning your request.

If you are not satisfied with the Federal Bureau of Investigation's determination in response to this request, you may administratively appeal by writing to the Director, Office of Information Policy (OIP), United States Department of Justice, 441 G Street, NW, 6th Floor, Washington, D.C. 20530, or you may submit an appeal through OIP's FOIA STAR portal by creating an account following the instructions on OIP's website: https://www.justice.gov/oip/submit-and-track-request-or-appeal. Your appeal must be postmarked or electronically transmitted within ninety (90) days of the date of my response to your request. If you submit your appeal by mail, both the letter and the envelope should be clearly marked "Freedom of Information Act Appeal." Please cite the FOIPA Request Number assigned to your request so it may be easily identified.

You may seek dispute resolution services by contacting the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS). The contact information for OGIS is as follows: Office of Government Information Services, National Archives and Records Administration, 8601 Adelphi Road-OGIS, College Park, Maryland 20740-6001, e-mail at ogis@nara.gov; telephone at 202-741-5770; toll free at 1-877-684-6448; or facsimile at 202-741-5769. Alternatively, you may contact the FBI's FOIA Public Liaison by emailing foipaquestions@fbi.gov. If you submit your dispute resolution correspondence by email, the subject heading should clearly state "Dispute Resolution Services." Please also cite the FOIPA Request Number assigned to your request so it may be easily identified.

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See additional information which follows.

The enclosed documents represent the first interim release of information responsive to your narrowed and negotiated Freedom of Information/Privacy Acts (FOIPA) request.

In addition, enclosed are 173 pages of records which were determined to be responsive to your subject and were previously processed and released to the public, pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA).

Please be advised that the Record/Information Dissemination Section (RIDS) is operating at reduced staffing levels amidst the ongoing COVID-19 national emergency. The enclosed FOIPA release represents a work product that could be generated for you under these unprecedented circumstances. We appreciate your patience and understanding as we work to release as much information, to as many requesters as possible, as this emergency continues.

Inquiries regarding your OGA referrals designated within the release as "Referral/Direct" may be directed to the following agencies at:

US Postal Inspection Service Office of Counsel/FOIA Unit 475 L'Enfant Plaza, SW, RM 3301 Washington, DC 20260-2101

United States Secret Service 245 Murray Lane, SW Building T5 Washington, DC 20223

For your additional information, records that may be responsive to your Freedom of Information/ Privacy Acts (FOIPA) request have been transferred to the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA). If you wish to review these records, submit a Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request to NARA, Special Access and FOIA, 8601 Adelphi Road, Room 5500, College Park, MD 20740-6001. Please reference file numbers 157-NH-2735.

Duplicate copies of the same document were not processed. This material is being provided to you at no charge.

Sincerely,

Michael G. Seidel Section Chief Record/Information

Dissemination Section

Information Management Division

FBI FOIPA Addendum

As referenced in our letter responding to your Freedom of Information/Privacy Acts (FOIPA) request, the FBI FOIPA Addendum provides information applicable to your request. Part 1 of the Addendum includes standard responses that apply to all requests. Part 2 includes standard responses that apply to requests for records about individuals to the extent your request seeks the listed information. Part 3 includes general information about FBI records, searches, and programs.

Part 1: The standard responses below apply to all requests:

- (i) **5 U.S.C. § 552(c).** Congress excluded three categories of law enforcement and national security records from the requirements of the FOIPA [5 U.S.C. § 552(c)]. FBI responses are limited to those records subject to the requirements of the FOIPA. Additional information about the FBI and the FOIPA can be found on the www.fbi.gov/foia website.
- (ii) Intelligence Records. To the extent your request seeks records of intelligence sources, methods, or activities, the FBI can neither confirm nor deny the existence of records pursuant to FOIA exemptions (b)(1), (b)(3), and as applicable to requests for records about individuals, PA exemption (j)(2) [5 U.S.C. §§ 552/552a (b)(1), (b)(3), and (j)(2)]. The mere acknowledgment of the existence or nonexistence of such records is itself a classified fact protected by FOIA exemption (b)(1) and/or would reveal intelligence sources, methods, or activities protected by exemption (b)(3) [50 USC § 3024(i)(1)]. This is a standard response and should not be read to indicate that any such records do or do not exist.

Part 2: The standard responses below apply to all requests for records on individuals:

- (i) Requests for Records about any Individual—Watch Lists. The FBI can neither confirm nor deny the existence of any individual's name on a watch list pursuant to FOIA exemption (b)(7)(E) and PA exemption (j)(2) [5 U.S.C. §§ 552/552a (b)(7)(E), (j)(2)]. This is a standard response and should not be read to indicate that watch list records do or do not exist.
- (ii) Requests for Records about any Individual—Witness Security Program Records. The FBI can neither confirm nor deny the existence of records which could identify any participant in the Witness Security Program pursuant to FOIA exemption (b)(3) and PA exemption (j)(2) [5 U.S.C. §§ 552/552a (b)(3), 18 U.S.C. 3521, and (j)(2)]. This is a standard response and should not be read to indicate that such records do or do not exist.
- (iii) Requests for Records for Incarcerated Individuals. The FBI can neither confirm nor deny the existence of records which could reasonably be expected to endanger the life or physical safety of any incarcerated individual pursuant to FOIA exemptions (b)(7)(E), (b)(7)(F), and PA exemption (j)(2) [5 U.S.C. §§ 552/552a (b)(7)(E), (b)(7)(F), and (j)(2)]. This is a standard response and should not be read to indicate that such records do or do not exist.

Part 3: General Information:

- (i) Record Searches. The Record/Information Dissemination Section (RIDS) searches for reasonably described records by searching systems or locations where responsive records would reasonably be found. A standard search normally consists of a search for main files in the Central Records System (CRS), an extensive system of records consisting of applicant, investigative, intelligence, personnel, administrative, and general files compiled by the FBI per its law enforcement, intelligence, and administrative functions. The CRS spans the entire FBI organization, comprising records of FBI Headquarters, FBI Field Offices, and FBI Legal Attaché Offices (Legats) worldwide; Electronic Surveillance (ELSUR) records are included in the CRS. Unless specifically requested, a standard search does not include references, administrative records of previous FOIPA requests, or civil litigation files. For additional information about our record searches, visit www.fbi.gov/services/information-management/foipa/requesting-fbi-records.
- (ii) **FBI Records.** Founded in 1908, the FBI carries out a dual law enforcement and national security mission. As part of this dual mission, the FBI creates and maintains records on various subjects; however, the FBI does not maintain records on every person, subject, or entity.
- (iii) Requests for Criminal History Records or Rap Sheets. The Criminal Justice Information Services (CJIS) Division provides Identity History Summary Checks often referred to as a criminal history record or rap sheet. These criminal history records are not the same as material in an investigative "FBI file." An Identity History Summary Check is a listing of information taken from fingerprint cards and documents submitted to the FBI in connection with arrests, federal employment, naturalization, or military service. For a fee, individuals can request a copy of their Identity History Summary Check. Forms and directions can be accessed at www.fbi.gov/about-us/cjis/identity-history-summary-checks. Additionally, requests can be submitted electronically at www.edo.cjis.gov. For additional information, please contact CJIS directly at (304) 625-5590.
- (iv) National Name Check Program (NNCP). The mission of NNCP is to analyze and report information in response to name check requests received from federal agencies, for the purpose of protecting the United States from foreign and domestic threats to national security. Please be advised that this is a service provided to other federal agencies. Private Citizens cannot request a name check.

EXPLANATION OF EXEMPTIONS

SUBSECTIONS OF TITLE 5, UNITED STATES CODE, SECTION 552

- (b)(1) (A) specifically authorized under criteria established by an Executive order to be kept secret in the interest of national defense or foreign policy and (B) are in fact properly classified to such Executive order;
- (b)(2) related solely to the internal personnel rules and practices of an agency;
- (b)(3) specifically exempted from disclosure by statute (other than section 552b of this title), provided that such statute (A) requires that the matters be withheld from the public in such a manner as to leave no discretion on issue, or (B) establishes particular criteria for withholding or refers to particular types of matters to be withheld;
- (b)(4) trade secrets and commercial or financial information obtained from a person and privileged or confidential;
- (b)(5) inter-agency or intra-agency memorandums or letters which would not be available by law to a party other than an agency in litigation with the agency;
- (b)(6) personnel and medical files and similar files the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy;
- (b)(7) records or information compiled for law enforcement purposes, but only to the extent that the production of such law enforcement records or information (A) could reasonably be expected to interfere with enforcement proceedings, (B) would deprive a person of a right to a fair trial or an impartial adjudication, (C) could reasonably be expected to constitute an unwarranted invasion of personal privacy, (D) could reasonably be expected to disclose the identity of confidential source, including a State, local, or foreign agency or authority or any private institution which furnished information on a confidential basis, and, in the case of record or information compiled by a criminal law enforcement authority in the course of a criminal investigation, or by an agency conducting a lawful national security intelligence investigation, information furnished by a confidential source, (E) would disclose techniques and procedures for law enforcement investigations or prosecutions, or would disclose guidelines for law enforcement investigations or prosecutions if such disclosure could reasonably be expected to risk circumvention of the law, or (F) could reasonably be expected to endanger the life or physical safety of any individual;
- (b)(8) contained in or related to examination, operating, or condition reports prepared by, on behalf of, or for the use of an agency responsible for the regulation or supervision of financial institutions; or
- (b)(9) geological and geophysical information and data, including maps, concerning wells.

SUBSECTIONS OF TITLE 5, UNITED STATES CODE, SECTION 552a

- (d)(5) information compiled in reasonable anticipation of a civil action proceeding;
- (j)(2) material reporting investigative efforts pertaining to the enforcement of criminal law including efforts to prevent, control, or reduce crime or apprehend criminals;
- (k)(1) information which is currently and properly classified pursuant to an Executive order in the interest of the national defense or foreign policy, for example, information involving intelligence sources or methods;
- (k)(2) investigatory material compiled for law enforcement purposes, other than criminal, which did not result in loss of a right, benefit or privilege under Federal programs, or which would identify a source who furnished information pursuant to a promise that his/her identity would be held in confidence:
- (k)(3) material maintained in connection with providing protective services to the President of the United States or any other individual pursuant to the authority of Title 18, United States Code, Section 3056;
- (k)(4) required by statute to be maintained and used solely as statistical records;
- (k)(5) investigatory material compiled solely for the purpose of determining suitability, eligibility, or qualifications for Federal civilian employment or for access to classified information, the disclosure of which would reveal the identity of the person who furnished information pursuant to a promise that his/her identity would be held in confidence;
- (k)(6) testing or examination material used to determine individual qualifications for appointment or promotion in Federal Government service the release of which would compromise the testing or examination process;
- (k)(7) material used to determine potential for promotion in the armed services, the disclosure of which would reveal the identity of the person who furnished the material pursuant to a promise that his/her identity would be held in confidence.

This document is made available through the declassification efforts and research of John Greenewald, Jr., creator of:

The Black Vault



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TO DIRECTOR, FBI, & SAC'S SAN FRANCISCO & NEW YORK

FROM SAC, LAS VEGAS (9-NEW) (P)

AGAINST THE PRESIDENT AND VICE-PRESIDENT, EXTORTION.

RENYTEL TO DIRECTOR, LV. AND SF THIS DATE.

INDICES LAS VEGAS NEGATIVE ON CAPTIONED SOCIETY.

NEW YORK ADVISE LAS VEGAS AND SAN FRANCISCO WHETHER OR NOT ALL RELEASES RECEIVED WERE POST-MARKED RENO AND ANY FURTHER INFORMATION ON POSTMARK.

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TO DIRECTOR AND SAN FRANCISCO AND LAS VEGAS
FROM NEW YORK \9-NEW -3P-

AMERICAN FREEDOM SOCIETY SAN FRANCISCO CALIFORNIA THREAT AGAINST THE PRESIDENT AND VICE-PRESIDENT EXTORTION.

RUSSELL PEARSACE NEWS AGENCY TWO THREE ZERO PARK AVENUE NYC TELEPHONICALLY ADVISED NYO TODAY THAT THEY RECEIVED THE FOLLOWING "NEWS RELEASE" IN THE MAIL....

"NOTE TO ALL U.S. NEWSPAPERS. THE TWO BLOOD-THIRSTY WAR MONGERS WILL BE EXECUTED. PLEASE NOTIFY THE FBI SO THAT THEY WILL BE READY TO DIE. WE WILL KILL PRESIDENT JOHNSON VICE-PRESIDENT HUMPHREY DESTROY US JUSTICE DEPARTMENT AND PUT AN END TO THIS CRAZY WAR IN VIET-NAM.

SIGNED. THE AMERICAN FREEDOM SOCKETE".

THE RUSSELL PEARSALL NEWS AGENCY RECEIVED THE ABOVE "NEWS RELEASE"
IN AN ENVELOPE WHICH BORE THE RETURN NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE AMERICAN
FREEDOM SOCIETY\ FIFTYFIVE MASON\ SAN FRANCISCO\ CALIFORNIA.

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NEW YORK INDICES CONTAIN NO INFORMATION CONCERNING CAPTIONED SOCIETY SA JOHN POWERS SECRET SERVICE NY NY WAS TELEPHONICALLY ADVISED OF THE ABOVE INFORMATION AT NINE ZERO FOUR AM TODAY.

FOR INFORMATION OF BUREAU AND RECEIVING OFFICES. THE FOLLOWING ADDITIONAL NEWS AGENCIES IN NYC HAVE ADVISED NYO THAT THEY ALSO RECEIVED A COPY OF THE "NEWS RELEASE" MENTIONED ABOVE....

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PAGE THREE NY 9-NEW

COPIES OF "NEWS RELEASE" RECEIVED BY ABOVE AGENCIES ARE BEING OBTAINED AND WILL BE FORWARDED TO FBI LABORATORY UNDER SEPARATE COVER.

IT 'IS SUBGESTED THAT SAN FRANCISCO AND LAS VEGAS OFFICES CHECK INDICES ON CAPTIONED ORGANIZATION AND ADVISE SECRET SERVICE IF NOT PREVIOUSLY DONE.

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Date: 8/29/66

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TO DIRECTOR, FBI (9-42847)
FROM SAN FRANCISCO (9-1914) (P)

UNSUB: AKA. ETAL; JOHN EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM; NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH - VICTIM, EXTORTION, OO SF.

REBUTELEPHONE CALL THIS DATE AND SAN FRANCISCO AIRTEL TO BUREAU AUGUST TWENTYSIX LAST.

THE ADDRESS OF FIVE FIVE MASON ST., SAN FRANCISCO, IS
THAT OF THE AMBASSADOR HOTEL, A ONE HUNDRED SIXTY ROOM THIRD
RATE HOTEL IN THE TENDERLOIN SECTION. THIS RETURN ADDRESS HAD
BEEN USED PREVIOUSLY. A DETAILED CHECK FAILED TO DEVELOP
ANY SUSPECTS. AMERICAN FREEDOM SOCIETY, ALSO USED IN MAILINGS
BY UNSUB ON AUGUST TEN LAST FROM SAN FRANCISCO, UNKNOWN TO
SAN FRANCISCO OFFICE OTHER THAN IN THIS CASE.

DETAILED AIRTEL TO BUREAU AND INTERESTED OFFICES FOLLOWS.

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Approved: Special Agent in Charge

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435PM URGENT 8-30-66 TMA

TO LAS VEGAS (9-127) SAN FRANCISCO (9-1914) NEW YORK

FROM DIRECTOR (9-42827) 2P

UNKNOWN SUBJECT, AKA; J. E. HOOVER; ET AL
VICTIMS, EXTORTION.

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RE SAN FRANCISCO TELEYTPE AUGUST TWENTYNINE CAPTIONED

AS ABOVE AND NEW YORK TELETYPE AUGUST TWENTYNINE CAPTIONED

"AMERICAN FREEDOM SOCIETY, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA; THREAT

AGAINST THE PRESIDENT AND VICE-PRESIDENT; EXTORTION."

THE BUREAU HAS RECEIVED INFORMATION THAT A NUMBER OF NEWSPAPERS THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY RECEIVED SUBSTANTIALLY IDENTICAL LETTERS POSTMARKED AUGUST TWENTYFOUR, SIXTYSIX, AT RENO, NEVADA, BEARING THE RETURN OF "A. F. SOCIETE, FIFTYFIVE MASON S.F.; CAL." THE LETTERS AND ENVELOPES EXAMINED IN FBI LABORATORY TO DATE INDICATE LETTERS PREPARED WITH SAME STYLE TYPEWRITER AND SIMILAR CHARACTERISTICS AS IN PREVIOUS COMMUNICATIONS PREPARED BY UNKNOWN SUBJECT IN CAPTIONED CASE. THE COMMUNICATIONS POSTMARKED AT RENO AUGUST TWENTYFOUR CONTAIN TYPEWRITTEN MESSAGE THREATENING TO KILL PRESIDENT JOHNSON, END PAGE ONE

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VICE-PRESIDENT HUMPHREY, TO DESTROY THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, AND TO PUT AN END TO THIS "CRAZY WAR" IN VIET NAM. THIS WORDING IS SIMILAR IN CONTENT TO PREVIOUS COMMUNICATIONS PREPARED BY UNSUB THIS CASE.

NEW YORK SHOULD FORWARD ORIGINALS OF LETTERS IN POSSESSION THAT OFFICE TO FBI LABORATORY FOR EXAMINATION. TWO ENVELOPES POSTMARKED AT RENO AUGUST TWENTYFOUR WHICH HAVE BEEN EXAMINED IN FBI LABORATORY ARE BEING FORWARDED SEPARATELY TO LAS VEGAS FOR INVESTIGATIVE ASSISTANCE.

ALL OFFICES ARE INSTRUCTED TO INTENSIFY INVESTIGATION
TO IDENTIFY UNSUB. BEAR IN MIND THAT OTHER COMMUNICATIONS
WERE SENT BY UNSUB POSTMARKED AT SAN FRANCISCO AS RECENTLY AS
AUGUST TEN LAST. ATTEMPT TO VERIFY TRAVEL OF ANY POSSIBLE
SUSPECT FROM SAN FRANCISCO TO RENO DURING PERDINENT PERIOD.
KEEP BUREAU FULLY AND IMMEDIATELY ADVISED OF ALL PERTINENT
DEVELOPMENTS.

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5:07 PM EDT URGENT 8/30/66
TO LAS VEGAS (9-NEW) AND SAN FRANCISCO
FROM NEW YORK (9-NEW) -1P-

AMERICAN FREEDOM SOCIETY, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA, THREAT AGAINST THE PRESIDENT AND VICE-PRESIDENT, EXTORTION.

RELVTEL TO DIRECTOR, EIGHT TWENTYNINE LAST.

EACH LETTER RECEIVED TO DATE BEARS POSTMARK RENO, AUGUST TWENTYFOUR A.M., NINETEEN SIXTYSIX.

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	TO:	DIRECTOR, FBI (9-42847)
	FROM :	SAC SAN FRANCISCO (9-1914) (P)
	SUBJECT:	UNSUB; Aka. Etal; JOHN EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM; NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH - VICTIM EXTORTION (00: San Francisco)
	Bureau 8/1	ReButelephone call to San Francisco 8/29/66, San teletype to Bureau 8/29/66, San Francisco airtel to 26/66, and New York teletype to Bureau 8/29/66 captioned FREEDOM SOCIETY, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF., THREAT AGAINST DENT AND VICE-PRESIDENT, EXTORTION."
	Daily New	For information of receiving offices, the Bureau n 8/29/66 that a letter was addressed to the Chicago s, Chicago, Ill., postmarked 8/24/66 at Reno, Nevada, ng the return address of American F. Society, 55 Mason, isco, Calif. The letter reads as follows:
	"Notice	to all U. S. Newspapers
	The two notify	bloodthirsty warmongers will be executed. Please the FBI so that they will be ready to die. We will
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kill President Johnson, Vice President Humphrey, destroy the Justice Department, and put an end to this crazy war in Viet Nam.

American Freedom Society"

The address of 55 Mason St., San Francisco, is that of the Ambassador Hotel, a 160 room, third-rate hotel located in the tenderloin section of the city. This return address was previously used by the Unsub on 12/16/65 and 12/17/65 when he used the name of ______ That letter was captioned Notice to all F.B.I. Members."

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Letters were previously postmarked at Peno, Nevada, on 2/3/66 which bore the return address of "U.C.Part, Gen. Del., Reno, Nevada." These letters were captioned "Notice to Republican and Democrats" and signed "Communist Party Underground." The Laboratory advised these letters were similar in all respects to others prepared by Unsub.

Letters postmarked 8/10/66 at San Francisco, Calif., bearing the return address of 'America F. Society, 180 Turk, San Francisco, Cal. have been received by the following:

- (1) Republican Women's Club, 918 14th, Sacramento, Calif.
- (2) Republican Headquarters, 4237 Piedmont Ave., Oakland, Calif.
- (3) Cal. Republican League, 510 S. Spring, Los Angeles, Calif.

These letters contained the following communication:

Notice To All Republicans

Candidates who win elections will become as dead as J. F. Kennedy. Winning an election means that the winning candidate will be killed. Please let us know where Barry Goldwater, s late relatives are located. We plan to bury him there in the near future.

American Freedom Society"

The files of the San Francisco Office contain no information relative to the American Freedom Society. Security Supervisors and agents have not heard of any reference to it other than in this case.

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A detailed check was again made at the Ambassador Hotel as well as at the Governor Hotel, 180 Turk St., a second class hotel in the tenderloin section which has been used as a return address four times. This investigation failed to develop any suspects. No undelivered letters have been returned to these hotels.

The U. S. Secret Service at San Francisco has been furnished a Kerox copy of the 8/10/66 letter and personally advised of the letter directed to the Chicago Daily News postmarked 8/24/66 at Reno, Nevada. That office has not received or been notified by any source of these latest letters.

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CHICAGO DIVISION

At Chicagio, Ill.

Will, if not already done, obtain the letter directed to the Chicago Daily News and submit it to the FBI Laboratory for fingerprint examination and comparison with other letters submitted in this case.

LAS VEGAS DIVISION

At Reno, Nevada

Will check logical hotels for 8/23-24/66 near the railroad station or bus terminal for guests registered from the San Francisco-Sacramento area as it is believed Unsub uses publica transportation. He is probably an older man and travels alone.

NEW YORK DIVISION

At New York, N. Y.

- 1) Will obtain and submit letters to FBI Laboratory for latent fingerprint examination and comparison with other material submitted this case.
- 2) Will determine listing of recipients of "News Release" to determine if obtained from telephone directory or, if possible, where listings of these companies can be obtained.

DETROIT and CHICAGO DIVISIONS - Furnished copy for information purposes.

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Washington, D. C. 20537

REPORT

of the

IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

YOUR FILE NO.

9-1914

FBI FILE NO.

9-42847

LATENT CASE NO. 57341

57243

TO:

SAC, San Francisco

RE: UNSUB. AK

ET AL.;

J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM;

NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH - VICTIM

EXTORTION

REFERENCE: Airtel 8-16-66

EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY: San Francisco

SPECIMENS: Q311, one envelope

Q312, typewritten note

No latent prints of value developed.

Laboratory report separate.

Specimens enclosed.

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John Edga Hopver, Director

August 26, 1966

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Washington, D. C. 20537



REPORT

of the

IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

YOUR FILE NO. FBI FILE NO.

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9-42847

LATENT CASE NO. 57341

TO: SAC, San Francisco

ET AL.;

EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM:

NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH - VICTIM

EXTORTION

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THIS REPORT IS FURNISHED FOR OF



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to File No.

Washington, D.C. 20535 August 29, 1966

AMERICAN FREEDOM SOCIETY, also known as AF Societe, 55 Mason, San Francisco, California

At 10:05 a.m., August 29, 1966, Mr. Robert E. Kendrick, Publisher and Editor of the newspaper, "Capitol Spotlight", New Dunbar Hotel, 2015 15th Street, N. W., Washington, D.C., telephoned Special Agent Francis B. Mc Givern of the Washington Field Office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation and informed that his newspaper had received in the mail that date a letter postmarked August 2., 1966, from Reno, Nevada. The envelope had a return address: "AF Societe, 55 Mason, S. F." Contained in the envelope on a sheat of plain white paper was the following typed message:

"The two blood thirsty war mongers will be executed. Please notify the FBI so that they will be ready to die. We will kill President Johnson, Vice-President Humphrey, destroy United States Justice Department and put an end to this crazy war in Viet Nam."

The message is unsigned but has typed "American Fraedom_Society" in place of the signature.

At 10:25 a.m., August 29, 1966, the above information was furnished telephonically by Special Agent

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RE: AMERICAN PREEDOM SOCIETY

Mc Givern to Assistant Special Agent in Charge Kenneth E. Balge, Washington Office, United States Secret Service, who stated that an Agent from his office would immediately contact Mr. Kendrick and secure the above letter.

Captain Thomas I. Herlihy, Special Investigations Squad, Metropolitan Police Department, Washington, D.C., was advised of the above at 10:37 a.m., August 29, 1966, by Special Agent Mc. Givern.

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TO:

DIRECTOR, FBI (9-42847)

FROM:

SAC, WFO (9-1766)

RE:

UNSUB, aka

ET AL:

J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM

EXTORTION (00:5F)

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Enclosed for the Bureau is an original and four copies of an LHM entitled "AMERICAN FREEDOM SOCIETY. aka AF Societe, 55 Mason, San Francisco, California". The LHM is self-explanatory and contains info concerning a threat against the President and Vice-President of the United States. It is being furnished to the Bureau for dissemination purposes. The WFO is disseminating copies of the LHM to the Washington Office of the U.S. Secret Service and to the Chief of Police, Wash., D.C.

Enclosed for the San Francisco Office are two copies of the LHM.

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For the info of the Bureau, WFO indices contain no info on the American Freedom Society or AF Societe.

For the additional info of the Bureau, Assistant Special Agent in Charge KENNETH E. BALGE, U.S. Secret Service, was again telephonically contacted on the afternoon of 8/29/66, for the purpose of securing the letter sent to 'Capitol Spotlight". Mr. BALGE informed that the letter had been picked up by an Agent of his office but had been turned over to the Protective Intelligence Section of the U.S. Secret Service, located on the eighth floor, 1800 G St., N. W., Wash., D.C. He stated that Bureau Liaison would have to make a request for the letter from Protective Intelligence Section. In the conversation with Mr. BALGE he informed that prior to receiving info from the FBI on 8/29/66, the U. S. Secret Service had received information:on:8/27/66, of a similar letter being received by the "Chicago Daily News" Office in Wash., D.C., and had picked up the letter. He further informed that after his telephone conversation on the morning of 8/29/66, he had received info that the Scripps Howard newspaper and the "Catholic Standard" in Wash. D.C., had also received copies of the same letter and that Agents of the U. S. Secret Service were in the process of securing these additional letters.

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Washington, D. C. 20537

REPORT

IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

YOUR FILE NO.

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FBI FILE NO.

9-42847

LATENT CASE NO. 57341

SAC, San Francisco

RE:

JOHN EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM.

ET AL. EXTORTION b6 b7C

REFERENCE: Bureau memo dated 8/29/66

EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY: Bureau

SPECIMENS:

Two envelopes and accompanying letters, Q313 through Q316

No latent prints developed on Q313 through Q316.

Laboratory report separate.

The two envelopes, Q313 and Q315 are being forwarded to the Las Vegas office. The two letters Q314 and Q316 are being retained.

2 - Las Vegas (9-127) - Enc. (2)

John Edga Holver, Director

September 1, 1966

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, San Francisco (9-1914)

Date:

August 31, 1966

FBI File No.

9-42847

Lab. No.

D-514389 JK

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Re: Unsub, aka

et al.:

JOHN EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM

et al.

EXTORTION

Specimens received Letters available in Bureau

- Q313 Envelope postmarked "RENO, NV AUG 24 1966 AM" bearing typewritten address "Albuquerque Tribune 1013 13th Nw Washington, D.C."
- Q314 Accompanying carbon copy of a typewritten letter beginning "Notice to All U.S. Newspapers..." ending "...American Freedom Society"
- Q315 Envelope postmarked "RENO, NV AUG 24 1966 AM" bearing typewritten address "Cleveland Press 1013 13th Nw Washington, D.C."
- Q316 Accompanying carbon copy of a typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All U.S. Newspapers..." ending "American Freedom Society"

Result of examination:

The typewritten impressions appearing on Q313 through Q316 are the same style as the impressions appearing on previous items in this case and some identifying defects in common were noted between these and previous submissions. However, they are not sufficient to permit an identification of these items as having been prepared on the same machine. Specimen Q312, previously submitted by San Francisco, also bore the typewritten signature American Freedom Society.

No watermarks, indented writing or other identifying features were noted on the questioned items which might indicate their immediate source.

The physical characteristics of Q313 through Q316 have been noted for possible future reference.

The evidence has been photographed and is temporarily retained.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, San Francisco (9-1914)

Date: August 31, 1966

Be: Unsub. aka

Other Edgar Hoover - Victim et al.

EXTORTION

00: San Francisco

FBI File No. Lab. No.

9-42847

John Edgar Hoover, Director

JK

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Examination requested by:

Bureau

Reference:

None

Examination requested:

Document - Fingerprint

Remarks:

You will be advised separately regarding the results of the fingerprint examination and the disposition of the questioned items.

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TO

DIRECTOR, FBI (9-42847)

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SAC, CHICAGO (9-3724) (RUC)

SUBJECT:

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BTAL:

JOHN EDGAR HOOVER -

VICTIN:

MICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH -

VICTIM EXTORTION

OO: SAN FRANCISCO

Re San Francisco airtel to Bureau dated 8/30/66.

EAC, Chicago personally contacted by telephone CREED BLOCK, Managing Editor, "Chicago Daily News" this date regarding letter reportedly addressed to "Chicago Daily News" as set forth in referenced mirtel.

BLOCK unable to locate any record of such letter having been received at "Chicago Daily News" but will immediately notify Chicago Office if such letter received.

Chicago indices negative regarding American Freedom Society.

San Francisco requested to immish Chicago any additional interaction regarding instant letter which may be of assistance in determining the disposition of it.

Information copy being furnished for Las Vegas since letter postmarked 8/24/66 at Meno, Mevada.

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A.F. Societe 55 Mason S.F; Cal. RENO AUG24' M AM 1966 NVI A B C D MAIL
FOR BETTER
BUSINESS SERVICE

American Metal Market National Press Bldg. Washington, D.C. Notice To All U.S. Jerspapers

The two bloodthirsty wormongers will be executed. Please notify the P.B.I. so that they mill be ready to die. he will kill President Johnson, Vice President limphrey, destroy the U.S. Justice Department and put an ond to this crazy war in Victors.

American Freedom Society



In Reply, Please Refer to File No.

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Washington, D. C. 20535

September 1, 1966

AMERICAN FREEDOM SCCIETY also known as AF Societe, 55 Mason, San Francisco, California

On August 29, 1966, Freeman Bishop telephonically contacted the Washington Field Office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, Washington, D. C., and reported as hereinafter set forth:

Bishop is affiliated with the "American Metal Market" which is described by him as an industrial newspaper, having offices at 1118 National Press Building, Washington, D. C. 20004, telephone number Republic 7-3230.

On the morning of August 29, 1966, he received a letter at his office delivered via the United States Postal Service. The envelope was addressed by typewriter as follows:

"American Metal Market National Press Bldg. Washington. D. C."

The envelope bore a postmark of "RENO, NV., Aug. 24, AM, 1966" and a return address of "A. F. Societe, 55 Mason, S. F., Cal."

According to Bishop, the envelope appeared to have been addressed on a typewriter using a standard American print. Inside the envelope was a typewritten statement in folded letter form which read as follows:

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AMERICAN PREEDOM SOCIETY

"Notice To All U.S. Newspapers

"The two bloodthirsty warmongers will be executed.

Please notify the FBI
so that they will be ready to die. We will kill

President Johnson, Vice President

Humphrey, destroy the U.S. Justice Department and
put an end to this crasy war in Vietnem.

"American Freedom Society"

Bishop noted that the typewriting on the statement appeared to be a carbon copy whereas the typing on the envelope appeared to be original. He expressed the opinion that he thought that the letter was the work of a "crank."

Assistant Special Agent in Charge, Low Sims, Hashington Field Office (NFO), United States Secret Service, was telephonically advised of the above information on August 30, 1966. Captain Thomas I. Herlihy, Special Investigations Squad, Metropolitan Police Department, Washington, D.C., was advised of the above information telephonically on the morning of September 1, 1966.

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DIRECTOR, FBI (9-42847)

ATTENTION: FBI

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ET AL;

J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM EXTORTION (OC:SF)

ReWFOairtel, 8/29/66.

Enclosed herewith for the Euresu is an original and four copies of an LHM entitled "AMERICAN FREEDOM SOCIETY, aka A. F. Societe, 55 Mason, San Francisco, California".

The LHM is self-explanatory and contains information concerning a threat against the President and Vice-President of the United States, as well as the U. S. Department of Justice. It is being furnished to the Bureau for dissemination purposes. WFO is disseminating a copy of the LHM to WFO of the U. S. Secret Service as well as a copy to the Chief of Folice, Washington, D. C.

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WFO 9-1766 Enclosed for the San Francisco Office are two copies of the LHM. For information of the Bureau and San Francisco. WFO indices contained no information on the American Freedom Society or A. F. Societa. The original of the letter in question was turned over to WYO by FREEMAN BISHOP. The FBI Laboratory is requested to compare the original letter to letters previously received in this investigation, as well as check it through the Typewriter Standards File. Per the NFO of the U. S. Secret Service, the Bureau is requested to make the results of the exemination available to that agency, as well as making it available to interested Bureau field offices. VPO will maintain contact with the U. S. Secret Service and the Metropolitan Police Department, Washington, D. C., regarding this investigation. - 2 -

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TO:

DIRECTOR, FBI (9-42847)

FROM:

(00:SF)

SAC, WFO (9-1766) (RUC)

UNSUB; aka ET AL

J. EDGAR HOOVER - Victim

EXTORTION

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Enclosed for San Francisco are eight copies each

On 8/29/66 ROBERT W. CRATER, Washington Correspondent, Scripps-Howard Newspapers, 1013 13th Street, N. W., Washington, D. C., made available to SA EUGENE W. ADAMS two letters addressed to Cleveland Press, 1013 13th Street, N. W., Washington, D. C., and to the Albuquerque Tribune, 1013 13th Street, N. W., Washing-

of two FD 302's setting forth results of interviews of ROBERT W.

ton, D. C., which were post marked 8/24/66 at Reno, Nevada. The envelopes contained a return address of A.F. Societe, 55 Mason S.F., Cal."

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Enclosed in the envelope was a typewritten letter:

'Notice To All U.S. Newspapers

"The two bloodthirsty warmongers will be executed. Please notify the F.B.I. so that they will be ready to die. We will kill President Johnson, Vice President Humphrey, destroy the U.S. Justice Department and put an lend to this crazy war in Vietnam.

"American Freedom Society."

On 8/29/66 the above described letters were personally delivered to the Bureau by SA ADAMS.

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AT SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA Will at 55 Mason locate and interview officers of A.F. Societe.

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AIR MAIL

TO

DIRECTOR. TBI (9-42847)

FROM

SAC SAN FRANCISCO (9-1914) (P)

SUBJECT:

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JOHN EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM;

NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH - VICTIM

EXTORTION

(00: San Francisco)

Re San Francisco airtel to Bureau 8/30/65, WFO airtels to Bureau \$/29 and 9/1/66, and Chicago airtel to Bureau 9/2/68.

For information of Chicago, the Investigative Division of the Bureau telephonically advised San Francisco on 8/29/68 that the Chicago Daily News received the letter in question postmarked 8/24/66 at Reno, Nevada. It was assumed by the San Francisco Office that it was mailed to Chicago, Ill.

By referenced WFO airtel dated 8/29/65, WFO reported that Assistant Special Agent in Charge KENNETH E. BALGE, U. S. Secret Service, reported his office received information on 8/27/66 of a similar letter being received by the Chicago Daily News office in Washington, D. C. U. S. Secret Service had picked up the letter.

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2 - Washington Field (9-1766)

1 - Las Yegas (9-127)(INFO)

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For the information of WFO, the files of the San Trancisco Office contain no information relative to the American Freedom Society. The address of 55 Mason St., San Trancisco, is that of the Ambassador Hotel, a third rate hotel in the tenderloin section of the city. This return address was previously used by Unsub on 12/16/65 and 12/17/65 when he used the name of

WFO will report the results of U. S. Secret Service processing of the letterspicked up by that office.

The names and addresses of the recipients should be obtained and thereafter a check made against telephone directories or city directories in an effort to learn the source of Unsub's mailing list.

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DIRECTOR, VBI (9-42847)

FROM: SAC LAS VEGAS (9-127) (RUC)

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ET AL:

John Edgar Hoover -

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NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH -

VICTIM

EXTORTION

(00: San Francisco)

Be San Francisco airtel 8/8/66; Bureau letter 9/1/66.

A check of guest: registrations at the Menlo Hotel, Pioneer Hotel, Bornio Hotel, Martin Hotel, Mint Hotel, Mispah Hotel, and Overland Hotel, all of which are in the vicinity of the railroad and bus stations, reflect the only hotel which maintains names and addresses is the overland Notel. Other hotels maintain names and no addresses.

On 9/6/66, a review of the records of the Overland Hotel by SA FORD E. HOLMES and Manager PAT CHICHESE reflects the following registrations:

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Registered 8/23/66;

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2-Los Angeles (9-5218)

2-San Francisco (9-1914)

2-Las Vegas

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ELELIA (?) PARDON 636 Lonbard Street San Francisco Registered 8/23/66;

North Highland, California

San Francisco Registered 8/24/66;

(no street Number) San Francisco Registered 8/24/66; ь6 ь7с

San Francisco No date of registration shown;

Look. SHIELDS
201 Marina Boulevard J
San Francisco
Registered 8/23/66;

T. M. SMITHERS
3336 Laguna Street
San Francisco
Registered 8/22/66, and checked out 8/26/66;

W. J. SILVA 3628 Loma Vista 55thm - pur http:// Oakland Registered 8/24/66;

San Francisco Registered 8/24/66; LY 9-127

Oakland

Registered 8/23/66:

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F. AL ECKERT (?) 2931 Yellowstone Sacramento Registered 8/23/66.

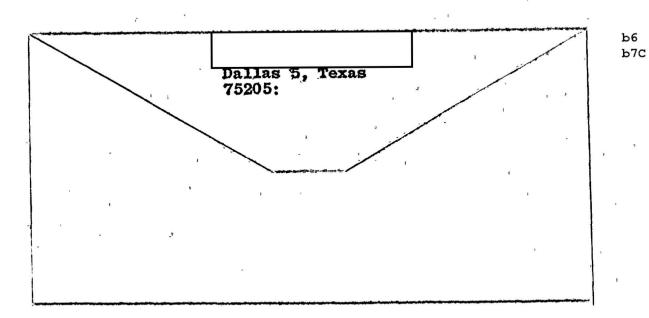
On 9/66 the envelopes forwarded to Las Yegas by the Bureau were shown to Post Master ERNEST ARCH, Reno, Nevada Post Office, who called attention to a rectangular stamp on the envelopes which state "ABCD Mail For Better Business Service." ARCH said this means that these particular letters were mailed in one of the downtown Post Office boxes either in the Post Office or one of the 28 collection boxes in the downtown area or at the main office or the University Station, the Washington Street Station, or the Peavine Station between 11:00 a.m., and 1:00 p.m. ARCH says this is a service which guarantees delivery of local mail by 3:30 p.m., if it is mailed in one of those areas between 11:00 a.m., and 1:00 p.m. The mail is brought in by the various carriers where it is processed. He said during this period of August 24, 1966, he had four seasonal employees working the sorting of the mail and with respect to this particular mail when it comes in they grab any employee on the floor to help sort this mail so it would insure swift delivery with respect to Reno letters, however, anything mailed out of state would be sorted to one mide and left to be handled at a later time. He says he does not have a static group of employees sorting the mail and that these particular letters would not have had any further handling after 1:00 p.m. until late in the afternoon or early evening.

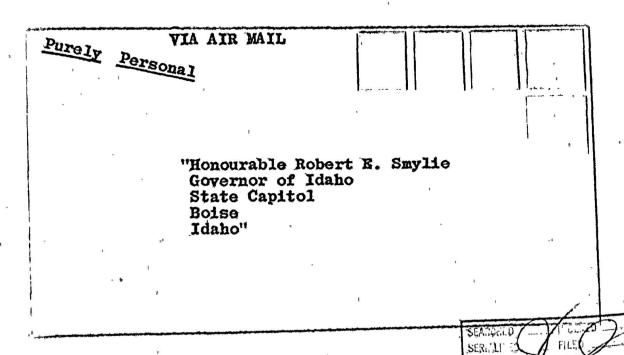
ARCH said it was his opinion these letters were probably mailed either in the main Post Office in Reno or one of the 28 collection points in the downtown area. letters were shown to Post Office Carrier LOUIS PASTRELL, ORVILLE ANDERSON, NEIL MASON, MIKE PIZZO, and BILL SHARP all of whom handle the 28 collection points with negative results. The letters were shown to ERNIE MULLINS who handles the mail taken in at the main Post Office with

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negative results. ARCH instructed all of these carriers to be on the alert for any future mailing of similar envelopes and to so advise him.

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12/11/64, entered a plea of guilty on $4/5/65$, and was	,,,,
sentenced to three years probation 5/24/65. was an	1
itinerant and traveled around the country.	
Las Vegas is not in a position to know whether was	
in custody or out on bail in February of 1965 when the	
first letters in this case were mailed.	
It is suggested Los Angeles check records in Los	
Angeles to determine if was out on bond after his	
arrest and thus would have been in a position to mail the	b6
letters in this case. If so, it is believed worthwhile to	b7C
determine whereabouts at the time particular letters	
were mailed since he should still be on probation.	
In reviewing records of the Overland Hotel the	
Agent noted that one who gave his address	b6
as San Francisco, checked into the hotel	b7C
at 9:39 p.m., 8/22/66, and apparently stayed only one day	
checking out 8/23/66; however it is noted that UNBUB in this	
case has given the previous address of 55 Mason Street,	
San Francisco. In view of the nearness of the two addresses	
it is suggested that San Francisco identify to determine	
if he could have any connection with instant case.	





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Dallas 5, Texas

"LA8-9222

"July 18-66.

'Honourable Robert E. Smylie Governor of Idaho:

'Dear Governor: Your very practical honest Republican remarks at the Nations Governors Conference at Los Angeles are highly appreciated. Surely you have read J. Evatts Haley's fearless items on page 16 June Issue of the Cross And Flag. Johnson has only been familiar with 7 murders, the 6th in 1957 was too horrible to write about.

"Governor Smylie if you have acess to an highly intelligent fearless writer and consider it your duty to rid the country of Our Jews Agent L. B. J. I can deliver you the Facts.

"I had a tip on Kennedy early in May 1963, so I kept every Texas Newspaper item from then until now, I have them filed in a \$500.00 hand made leather suitcase. There are 3 Kennedy Murder Newspapers, they Retail at \$100.00 each. Yo must do this Secretely

"I will sell you the complete detail for \$500.00 carefully packed in this Suitcase insured.

"Johnson has all those Abe Fortas, Sidney Wineberg Jews for our destruction.

"Honourable Robert E. Smylie, Govenor; State Capitol, Boise, Idaho.

"More Power to you Governor

'Your	friend	
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SAC, BUTTE (9-635) (RUC)

UNSUB. aka

etc.; J. Edgar Hoover - Victim; Hicholas de B. Katzenbach - Victim Extortion

Reurairtel, 8/3/66.

00: San Francisco

Enclosed for Dallas and San Francisco are one copy each of the letter referred to in remirtel and one copy each of the envelope.

The copy of the editorial page of the 'Dallas Morning News' for Thursday, 6/9/66, is not being enclosed for the Dallas and San Francisco Offices.

In view of the FBI Laboratory report of 8/11/66, indicating that nothing of particular significance was noted by the printing in the enclosed letter and that of the letter received from the UNSUB, no further investigation contemplated by the Butte Office.

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Memorandum

то	:	SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (9-1914)	DATE: 9/7/66	
FROM		SAC, DETROIT (9-1946) (RUC)		
SUBJECT	: Th	UNSUB, aka., ET AL, JOHN EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH - VICTE EXTORTION	IM	b6 b7С
ı	dated 8/16 6/9/66.	Re report of SA CLARENCE A. BROM 6/66, and Detroit letter to the Bo		v
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	1966, indi was arrest 9, 1965, c	Records of the Livonia, Michigan Recked by IC CLARENCE H. WILLIAMS cate that cate that cate that cate that cate the cate that cate that cate that cate that cate that cate the cate that cate	nt Number ent on April cks, and was	b6 b7С
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In view of the fact that	b6
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letters sent by the Unsub were mailed, he is not being	
considered as a possible suspect in this matter.	
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Records of the Detroit Police Department, reviewed by IC DAVID MOORE. JR. on June 13. 1966. contained an arrest record for	b6 b7С
Records of the Credit Data Corporation and the Merchants Credit Bureau, both Detroit, were checked by IC WILLIAMS on July 1, 1966, and records of both these agencies were found to contain no record concerning	ь6 ь7с
On August 24, 1966,	
advised SA COOPER that had formerly resided in the upstairs portion of the building at that address, and that had the address of He advised he has not seen around recently and believes he may have moved away. advised that it is his recollection that resided at from at least 1962 until within the past few months. He advised that to his knowledge never traveled extensively and was not known to leave the Detroit area.	ъ6 ъ7С
In view of the fact that advised that was not known to travel and in view of the wide area from which the Unsub has mailed letters in this matter, is not being considered as a possible suspect.	b6 b7C

Washington, D. C. 20537

REPORT

of the

IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

YOUR FILE NO.

9-1914

September 9, 1966

FBI FILE NO.

9-42847

LATENT CASE NO. 57341

TO: SAC, San Francisco

RE:

UNSUB., AKA, ET AL.; J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM

NICHOLAS deB. KATZENBACH - VICTIM

EXTORTION

Specimens received 8/31/66 REFERENCE:

EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY: Bureau

SPECIMENS:

Five envelopes (Q317; Q319; Q321; Q323; and Q325) Five typewritten letters (Q318; Q320; Q322; Q324; and Q326)

Latent prints of value developed as follows:

Three fingerprints on back of Q318, letter One fingerprint and two palm prints on front of Q320, letter Three fingerprints on front of Q322, letter Three fingerprints on back of Q323, envelope

No latent impressions of value developed on remaining specimens.

Laboratory report separate.

Specimens retained.

2 - Las Vegas (9-127)

John Edga Hoover, Director

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REPORT of the



FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, San Francisco (9-1914)

J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM

September 9, 1966

FBI File No. 9-42847

et al.; Lab. No.

Lab. No. D-514648 JK

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NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH - VICTIM

EXTORTION

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Re:

Specimens received 8/31/66

- Q317 Envelope postmarked "RENO NV AUG 24' AM 1966" bearing typewritten address "Press Features International 274 Mad Ave. New York, N.Y."
- Q318 Accompanying one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All U.S. Newspapers..."
- Q319 Envelope postmarked "RENO NV AUG 24' AM 1966" bearing typewritten address "Advance News Service Inc. 711-14th Nw Washington, D.C."
- Q320 Accompanying carbon copy of a one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All U.S. Newspapers..."
- Q321 Envelope postmarked "RENO NV AUG 24' PM 1966" bearing typewritten address "Atomic Energy Clearing House 1341 G Nw Washington, D.C."
- Q322 Accompanying carbon copy of a one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All U.S. Newspapers..."
- Q323 Envelope postmarked "RENO NV AUG 24' AM 1966" bearing typewritten address "American Banker National Press Bldg. Washington, D.C."
- Q324 Accompanying one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All U.S. Newspapers..."
- Q325 Envelope postmarked "RENO NV AUG 24' AM 1966" bearing typewritten address "Paul Block Newspapers National Press Bldg. Washington, D.C."
- Q326 Accompanying carbon copy of a one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All U.S. Newspapers..."

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Result of examination:

The typewriting on the questioned evidence, Q317 through Q326, is the same style as that appearing on other similar questioned letters submitted in this case. Some identifying defects in common suggest that all of the questioned material may have been prepared on the same typewriter.

No watermarks, pertinent indented writing or other identifying characteristics were noted which would indicate the immediate source of the questioned specimens.

Q317 through Q326 have been retained.





FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, San Francisco (9-1914)

Date:

September 9, 1966

Re: Unsub, aka et al.;
J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM
NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH VICTIM
EXTORTION

Examination requested by: Bureau

(00: SAN FRANCISCO)

John Edgar Hoover, Director b7C

FBI File No. 9-42847 Lab. No. . D-514648 JK

Reference:

Examination requested: Docume

Document - Fingerprint

Remarks:

Q317 through Q326 will be treated for latent fingerprints and you will be advised separately regarding the results of this examination.

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NO:

DIRECTOR, FBI (9-42827) (ATT: FBI LABORATORY)

FROM:

SAC, NEW YORK (9-4043)(P)

SUBJECT:

UNSUB; aka J.E. Hoover;

ETAL - VICTIM

EXTORTION

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ReButeltype, 8/30/66, captioned as above, and NYteletype, 8/29/66, captioned, "AMERICAN FREEDOM SOCIETY, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA; THREAT AGAINST THE PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT; EXTORTION."

Enclosed for the Bureau, letter from Piccadilly Press and from the below listed, a letter and envelope from the American Freedom Society, each postmarked 8/24/66, Reno, Nevada, with a return address A.F. Societe, 55 Mason, San Francisco, California:

The Associated Press; Continent Photo Service; News Features Inc.; P.R. Newswire; King Features Syndicate; United Press International; Hearst Headline Service; Economic News Agency; All Nations News Agency; Interscience Info Inc.; World Union Press; Newspaper 1.

The RSI Laboratory is requested to compare typing on enclosed items with those previously furnished captioned matter. Provide results of examination to offices receiving copy of this communication.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SF (9-1914) (ATT'N SA C.A.BROM)

DATE: 9/14/66

FROM : CLERK I. S. OLSEN

SUBJECT: UNSUB, AKA

J. EDGAR HOOVER, ET AL - VICTIMS
EXTORTION

On 9/14/66, CHRISTOPHER CONROY, Manager, Ambassador Hotel, 55 Mason St., SF, OR 3-3828 phoned to advise that another one of those threatening letters mailed in Reno, Nev., addressed to like Maple Ave., Wash, D.C. had been returned to his hotel. He will hold letter in event some one desires to pick it up.

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AIR MAIL

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (9-42847) ATT: FBI LABORATORY

FROM : SAC SAN FRANCISCO (9-1914) (P)

SUBJECT: UNSUB, aka. _____ Etal;

JOHN EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM; NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH - VICTIM

EXTORTION

(00: San Francisco)

Remyairtel to Bureau 9/7/66.

Enclosed herewith are two letters which were returned to the Ambassador Hotel, 55 Mason St., San Francisco, Calif., described as follows:

- (1) Unopened letter addressed to "Art Barrett Publishing Co., 144 Maple Ave., Washington, D. C." bearing the return address of "A. F. Societe, 55 Mason, S.F., Cal." postmarked 8/24/66 at Reno, Nevada. This letter was returned with the notation "No Such Street Number."
- (2) Letter addressed to Bowie Post Times, 13013-9th Bowie, Washington, D. C." This letter was opened and handled by Mrs. Margie Bsharah, owner, Ambassador Hotel.

Letters from this mailing have been previously submitted with the Bureau reporting that they are similar to other letters previously sent by the Unsub.

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The Bureau is requested to process the enclosed letters for latent fingerprints. The envelopes have been handled extensively and any latents developed would be difficult to eliminate.

A copy of this airtel is designated for Washington Field for their information since both letters were directed to addresses within its territory.

REPORT of the



FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION WASHINGTON, D. C.

FBI, New York (9-4043)

Date: FBI File No.

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UNSUB, aka

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Re:

J. E. Hoover; et al. -

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EXTORTION

Specimens received 9/2/66, from New York

- Q327 Envelope postmarked "RENO NV AUG 24' AM 1966" bearing typewritten address "Newspaper 1 155 E. 44 New York, N.Y."
- Q328 Accompanying carbon copy of a onc-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All U.S. Newspapers..."
- Q329 Envelope postmarked "RENO NV AUG 24" AH 1966" bearing typewritten address "Horld Union Press 507- 5 Ave. Hew York, H.Y."
- Q330 Accompanying carbon copy of a one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All U.S. Newspapers..."
- Q331 Envelope postmarked "RENO NV AUG 24' AM 1965" bearing typewritten address "Interscience Info Inc. 3 W. 57 New York, N.Y."
- Accompanying carbon copy of a one-page typewritten letter 0332 beginning "Notice To All U.S. Newspapers ... "
- Envelope postmarked "RENO NV AUG 24' AH 1966" Q333 bearing typewritten address "All Nations News Agency 507 - 5 Ave. New York, N.Y."
- Accompanying carbon copy of a one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All U.S. Newspapers..."
- Envelope postmarked "RENO NV AUG 24' PM 1966" Q335 bearing typewritten address "Economic News Agency Inc. 565 - 5 Ave. New York, N.Y."
- Q336 Accompanying carbon copy of h one-page typewritten letter beginning hoticg All U.S. Newspapers ... "

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- Q337 Envelope postmarked "RENO NV AUG 24' AM 1966" bearing typewritten address "Hearst Headline Service 235 E. 45 New York N.Y."
- Q338 Accompanying carbon copy of a one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All U.S. Newspapers..."
- Q339 Envelope postmarked "RENO NV AUG 241 AM 1966" bearing typewritten address "United Press International 220 E. 42 New York, N.Y."
 - Q340 Accompanying carbon copy of a one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All U.S. Newspapers..."
 - Q341 Envelope postmarked "RENO NV AUG 241 AM 1966" bearing typewritten address "King Features Syndicate 235 E. 45 New York, N.Y."
 - Q342 Accompanying carbon copy of a one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All U.S. Newspapers..."
 - Q343 Envelope postmarked "RENO NV AUG 24' AM 1966" bearing typewritten address "P.R. Newswire Ass. Inc. New York, N.Y."
 - Q344 Accompanying carbon copy of a one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All U.S. Newspapers..."
 - Q345 Envelope postmarked "RENO NV AUG 24' AM 1966" bearing typewritten address "Newsfeatures Inc. 660 1 AVE."
 - Q345 Accompanying one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All U.S. Newspapers..."
 - Q347 Envelope postmarked "RENO NV AUG 24' AM 1966" bearing typewritten address "Continent Photo Service 45 W. 57 New York, N.Y."
 - Q348 Accompanying carbon copy of a one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All U.S. Newspapers..."
 - Q349 Envelope postmarked "RENO NY AUG 24' AM 1966" bearing typewritten address 'The Associated Press 50 Rockefeller Plaza New York, N.Y."

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- Q350 Accompanying carbon copy of a one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All U.S. Newspapers..."
- Q351 Carbon copy of a one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All U.S. Newspapers..."

Specimens received 9/2/66, from Washington Field Office

- Q352 Envelope postmarked "RENO NV AUG 24" AM 1966" bearing typewritten address "American Metal Market National Press Bldg. Washington, D.C.
- Q353 Accompanying carbon copy of a one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All U.S. Newspapers..."

Specimens available in Bureau

- Q354 Envelope postmarked "RENO, NV AUG 24 1966 AM" bearing typewritten address "Atlanta Journal National Press Bldg. Washington, D.C."
- Q355 Accompanying carbon copy of a typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All U.S. Newspapers..."
- Q356 Envelope postmarked "RENO NV AUG 24' AM 1966" bearing typewritten address "Independent World Press 501- 5 Ave. New York, N.Y."
- Q357 Accompanying carbon copy of a one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All U.S. Newspapers..."

Result of examination:

The style of typewriting appearing on Q327 through Q357 is similar to that on other similar questioned specimens submitted in this case and although some identifying defects in common were noted, they are not sufficient to permit the identification of these specimens as having been prepared on the same typewriter.

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b6 b7C this is not known. No other pertinent indented impressions, watermarks or other identifying characteristics were noted which might indicate the immediate source of these specimens.

Specimens Q327 through Q357 are temporarily retained. These specimens were photographed.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, New York (9-4043)

Date:

September 20, 1966

John Edgar Hoover, Director

Re: UNSUB. aka

J. E. Hoover; et al. -

VICTIH

EXTORTION (00: SAN FRANCISCO)

Examination requested by:

New York; Washington Field

Reference: Office; Bureau Airtels 9/1/66

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Examination requested:

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Remarks:

You will be advised separately regarding the results of the fingerprint examination and the disposition of the submitted items.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date September 22, 1966

Mrs. MARGIE BSHRAH, owner of the Ambassador Hotel, 55 Mason Street, for the past six years, advised that a letter postmarked Reno, Nevada, August 24, 1966, addressed to "BOWIE Post Times, 130139 Bowie, Washington, D. C" and bearing their return address "A. F. Societe, 55 Mason, San Francisco; California" was returned to the hotel with the notation "From Washington, D. C. insufficient address". She stated she opened the letter before she realized that it was not for the hotel and noted that it was addressed to:

"Notice to all United States Newspapers"

The two bloodthirsty Warmongers will be exexcuted. Please notify the FBI so that they will be ready today. We will kill President Johnson, Vice President Humphrey, destroy the Justice Department and put an end to this crazy war in Vietnam.

American Freedom Societe"

Mrs. BSHRAH, who was aware that the unknown subjects in this case has used the Ambassador Hotel address as a return address on previous occasions. Again stated that she has no suspects in this matter among the regular tenants and to her knowledge, she has never had any information concerning any of the occasional transient guests who could be considered suspects. She stated that she had made inquiries previously among the hotel personnel if they were aware of any guest doing an excessive amount of typing in his room or who was openly outspoken about the Vietnam situation but could develop no information through the labor forces of the hotel.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date September 22, 1966

Mr. CHRISTOPHER CONROY, Manager, Ambassador Hotel, 55 Mason Street, advised that a letter postmarked August 24, 1966, at Reno, Nevada, addressed to ART BARRETT, Publishing Company, 144 Maple Avenue, Washington, D. C., bearing the return address of A. F. SOCIETE, 55 Mason, San Francisco; California, was returned to the Ambassador Hotel with the notation "No such street number". This letter has not been opened.

Mr. CONROY, who was previously contacted relative to this matter, advised that there is no such organization or tenant as A. F. Societe at this location and that he has no suspects who could possibly be identical with the sender. He stated that he has been the manager of this hotel for the past four years and is acquainted with all of the regular tenants as well as most of the transients, who returned to this hotel on a regular basis, and he has no suspects among them. He had previously been shown exemplars of letters mailed by the unknown subjects and is familiar with the content of these letters.

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REPORT

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IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

YOUR FILE NO.

9-4043

September 27, 1966

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FBI FILE NO. LATENT GASE NO.

9-42847 57341

TO:

SAC, New York

RE:

UNSUB., AKA

J. E. HOOVER; ET AL. -

VICTIM

EXTORTION

New York Office airtel 9-1-66, WFO airtel 9-1-66, and evidence from Bureau received 9-8-65, and 9-12-66 REFERENCE: Twelve envelopes and accompanying letters, Q327 through EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY:

SPECIMENS:

Q350, as well as one carbon copy of letter Q351 submitted by New York Office

One envelope and accompanying letter, Q352 and Q353 submitted by WFO

One envelope and accompanying letter, Q354 and Q355 received from Bureau 9-8-66

One envelope and accompanying letter, Q356 and Q357 received from Bureau 9-12-66

Thirty-eight latent fingerprints and two latent palm prints developed on specimens as follows:

> One fingerprint on Q328 One fingerprint on Q329 One fingerprint on Q333 Four fingerprints on Q334

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Two fingerprints on Q336
One fingerprint on Q338
One fingerprint and one palm print
on Q342
Three fingerprints on Q343
Three fingerprints on Q344
One fingerprint on Q347
Four fingerprints on Q348
Five fingerprints on Q350
One fingerprint on Q351
Six fingerprints and one palm print
on Q353
Three fingerprints on Q354
One fingerprint on Q356

Laboratory report separate.

Q327 through Q351 are being returned to you under separate cover. Q352 and Q353 are being returned to the Washington Field Office. Q354 through Q357 are being retained.



REPORT of the



FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, San Francisco (9-1914)

Date: September 29, 1966

FBI File No. 9-42847

Lab. No. D-515825 JK

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Re: UNSUB, aka et al.;
JOHN EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM

NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH - VICTIM

EXTORTION

Specimens received 9/19/66

Q358 Envelope postmarked "RENO, NV AUG 24 1966 AM" bearing typewritten address "Art Barrett Publishing Co. 144 Maple Ave. Washington. D.C."

Q359 Accompanying carbon copy of typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All U.S. Newspapers The two bloodthirsty..."

Q360 Envelope postmarked "RENO, NV AUG 24 1966 AM" bearing typewritten address "Bowie Post Times 13013 - 9th Bowie Washington, D.C."

Q361 Accompanying carbon copy of typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All U.S. Newspapers The two bloodthirsty..."

Result of examination:

The typewriting on Q358 through Q361 conforms in style to the typewriting appearing on similar specimens previously received in this case but there are not sufficient identifying characteristics to determine if these were all prepared on the same typewriter.

No pertinent indented impressions, watermarks or other identifying characteristics were noted on the submitted items which might indicate their immediate source.

Q358 through Q361 will be returned separately. Photographs are retained.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, San Francisco (9-1914)

Date: September 29, 1966

FBI File No. 9-42847

Lab. No.

D-515825 JK

John Edgar Hoover, Director b7C

Re: UNSUB, aka et al.: JOHN EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH -VICTIM; EXTORTION

San Francisco 00:

Examination requested by: San Francisco

Airtel 9/16/66 Reference:

Document - Fingerprint Examination requested:

Remarks:

Q358 through Q361 will be treated for latent fingerprints

and returned to San Francisco with the results of that examination.

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REPORT

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LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

YOUR FILE NO.

9-1914 9-42847

FBI FILE NO.

October 3, 1966

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LATENT CASE NO. 57341

SAC, San Francisco

RE:

UNSUB. . AKA

ET AL.:

JOHN EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM:

NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH - VICTIM

EXTORTION.

REFERENCE:

Airtel 9/16/66

EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY: San Francisco

SPECIMENS:

Two envelopes (Q358 and Q360)

Two typewritten letters (Q359 and Q361)

No latent impressions of value developed.

Laboratory report separate.

Specimens enclosed.

1 - WFO (9-1766)

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AIR MAIL

TO:

DIRECTOR, FBI (9-42847)

FROM:

SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (9-1914)

SUBJECT:

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ET:

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J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM;

NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH - VICTIM

EXTORTION

00: San Francisco

Re San Francisco airtels to Bureau, 9/7, and 9/16/66.

Attached hereto for the Bureau and Detroit is a xerox copy of an envelope postmarked 8/10/66 at San Francisco and addressed to U.A.W. No. 909, 23695 Mound, Detroit, Michigan, and a two-page letter captioned. "Calendar of Future Events" and signed

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This material was made available by Special Agent LARRY NEWMAN of U.S. Secret Service, San Francisco, on 10/11/66. NEWMAN received a copy of this letter from the Detroit Office of Secret Service. It is his opinion that a carbon copy of the letter was mailed to U.A.W. No. 909 and he has no information that other copies have been turned in.

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SF 9-1914 CAB:kcs It should be noted that a number of letters were mailed by the UNSUB to various Republican headquarters postmarked 8/10/66 at San Francisco, California bearing the return address of "American F. Society, 180 Turk, San Francisco, California". These letters were captioned "Notice to All Republicans" and signed "American Freedom Society". No examination is being requested of the attached material although it obviously was prepared by the UNSUB. It is of interest in that it appears the UNSUB is probably a member of a religious group or sect. Investigation is being conducted to identify the sect and to determine if it has a congregation or meeting place in the area. A report bringing the investigation to date is being submitted.

FBI

Date: 10-18-66

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Transmit the following in	(Type in plaintext or code)
Via Airtel	(Priority)

To: SAC, San Francisco (9-1914)

VFrom: Director, FBI (9-42847)

UNSUB; AKA

ET;

J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM; NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH - VICTIM

EXTORTION OO: SF

ResFairtel dated 10-13-66.

The recent series of letters written by unsub in this case should form the basis for renewed investigation to identify the writer. Expend every effort to identify the religious sect with whom unsub may be affiliated and from whom he may have received the "Calendar of Future Events" as set forth in his communication. Attempt to identify b6 the name used by unsub.

For your information Bureau files contain no data identifiable with this name.

In view of the active investigation currently being conducted by the Bureau in this matter, the Detroit Office should attempt to obtain the original envelope and communication sent to "U.A.W. No. 909, 23695 Mound, Detroit, Michigan.

2 - Detroit (9-1946)

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

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TO M

SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (9-1914)

DATE: OCT 2 5 1868

SAC, NEW YORK (9-4043) (RUC)

SUBJECT:

UNSUB; aka

J. E. HOOVER - VICTIM EXTORTION

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ReNYairtel to Bureau, dated 9/1/66; San Francisco airtel to Bureau, dated 8/30/66; NYairtel to Bureau, dated 9/1/66; Bulet to NY, dated 9/27/66.

All items received by the NYO in this matter have been forwarded to the FBI Laboratory, and results have been provided San Francisco and NYO.

A search of the Yellow Pages of the NY, Manhattan Directory reflect that all recipients of "News Release" were listed under News Service, including the address of same.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO

SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (9-1914)

DATE:

10/29/66

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FROM :

SA DANIEL E. KELLY

SUBJECT:

UNSUB, aka

J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM

EXTORTION

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On 10/29/66, a telephone call was received at the San Francisco Office by a man who identified himself as CHARLIE COFFMAN. He stated that he lived at 3571 13th St., San Francisco, and that his telephone number was 626-9216. He said his DOB was 1/2/02, and that he was a retired teamster.

COFFMAN advised that he had called this office on previous occasions and had spoken to IC OLSON. He then began to rave about President JOHNSON, BOBBY KENNEDY and all politicians in general. He said that he did not have any use for any of these people but would not cause them any physical harm. He said that BOBBY BAKER had contributed to their dishonesty and he thought it was the FBI's responsibility to investigate. He advised that he will "keep things stirred up."

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In view of the fact that this man is a retired union person and from the tone of his conversation and phraseology it is suggested case agent in captioned matter interview him as a possible suspect in this case.

2 - SF 9-1914 DEK/cmp

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FBI—SAN FRANCISCO

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Charles & # 9 3 166

Memorandum

TO : SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (9-1914)

DATE: 10/31/66

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FACTOR (9-1766) (RUC)

subject: UNSUB; aka

ET AL:

JOHN EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM

EXTORTION (OO:SF)

ReWFOairtel to Bureau, 8/29/66, and SFairtel to Bureau, 9/7/66.

On 10/18/66, ASAIC LOUIS SIMS, Protective Intelligence Division, U. S. Secret Service, 1800 G Street, N. W., Washington, D. C., advised the letters furnished to his office by the 'Capitol Spotlight', 'Chicago Daily News', and the 'Catholic Standard', have been processed by his office, in addition to numerous letters of the same source received by his office in the past; however, nothing of value has been learned. He advised the processing has developed what appears to be glove prints, but no repetitive prints.

Regarding source of unsub's mailing list, a check made of the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company, Washington, D. C., area, yellow pages disclosed a list of newspapers with addresses similar to those addresses contained on the letters received in the Washington, D. C. area. Apparently unsub obtained the telephone book yellow pages listing of newspapers in various locations and is using those as his source.

WFO will continue to remain alert to any information in this matter.

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DIRECTOR, FBI (9-42847)

10/31/66

SAC, LOS ANGELES (9-3218) (P)

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Let A1;

JOHN EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM;

NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH - VICTIM

EXTORTION

OO: SF

On 9/22/66, Probation Officer,	
U. S. Probation and Parole System, 312 N. Spring. Los Angeles.	
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SAC, SAN FRANCISCO 11/8/66 b7D SA CLARENCE A. BROM b6 PCI b7C b7D DATES OF CONTACT: b6 Aka. - FUGITIVE b7C UFAP - PASSING FORGED INSTRUMENTS On 9/30/66 PCI after viewing a photograph of stated he had seen the subject several times in Cechran's Billiard Hall, 1028 Market St., the last time about a month ago. He cannot recall the identity of anyone with the subject and had no other information concerning him. On subsequent recontacts PCI stated he has returned to the peol hall and also looked for the subject in other likely spots in the neighborhood but has not observed him since. The above information was brought to the attention of the case agent the day it was received together with the fact that PCI has not seen the subject since that time. UNSUB: Aka. Et Al b6 JOHN EDGAR HOOVER -- VICTIM b7C NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH - VICTIM EXTORTION ' SF 9-1914 On 10/12,27/66 the contents of the letters mailed by the unsub were discussed with the PCI in view of the fact that many well dressed and respectable appearing men who are obviously retired hang around in the Tenderlein b6 b7C He has known and also b7D most of them for a number of years and has no suspects among them. however brough up an individual whom he only knows as "G EORGE" who is a "religious fanatic" who would be capable of writing such letters. stated he sees him quite frequently around the streets distributing religious tracts and engaged in arguments with people for no apparent He does not know where he resides but states the many reason. CAB: cab b7D 9-1914

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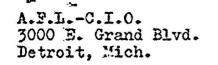
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Dear Br. Sullivan.

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Bro. Ray Sullivan Presid. Local 412

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Sincerely yours by

First and the only salaried member of the AIWA and UAW-AFL? CIOin 1986.

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"Communism is intrinsically wrong, and no one who would save Christian civilization may collaborate with it in any undertaking whatsoever,"

(Pope Pius XI, "Divini Redemptoris")

"CIVIL RIGHTS" OR FREEDOM'S OBITUARY?

If You desire to live under COMMUNISM, read no further! However, if You believe that Communism is the "Mystical Body of Anti-Christ" (as described by Bishop Fulton Sheen) and an EVIL to be resisted - continue READING!

Under the GUISE of "Civil Rights" there is pending before the United States Congress a Bill which, if enacted, will be a huge and major step toward the Establishment in America, "Land of the Free and Home of the Brave", of a TOTALITARIAN POLICE STATE!

We, as CATHOLICS, if we are to be living examples of our Faith, are bound to exercise the virtues of Charity and Justice in our everyday relationships and dealings with our fellow men. Nevertheless we must NOT allow ourselves to be DECEIVED or LURED by attractive labels into supporting legislation, such as the falsely named "Civil Rights Bill" now pending before Congress, which would have the effect of destroying our traditional American concepts of limited, constitutional government, individual liberty, and private ownership of property.

Congressman John Lesinski, a Catholic, said of this Bill that "the path is being laid which will lead to the destruction of the rights and liberty of every one of our citizens."

Former Secretary of Agriculture Ezra T. Benson warned that this Bill is "part of the pattern for the Communist takeover of America."

Loyd Wright and John Satterfield (past presidents of the American Bar Association) have said, "The legislation assumes a totally powerful National Government with unending authority to intervene in all private affairs among men . . . "

These men have had the insight and understanding to enable them to sound the alarm LEST Americans are duped into supporting the so-called "Civil Rights Bill" thereby forging the chains of their own enslavement.

The COMMUNISTS - who are working zealously for the achievement of their declared objective, a COMMUNIST AMERICA IN A COMMUNIST WORLD, better than anyone else understand the real meaning of this Bill (in terms of the power it concentrates in the Federal Executive Branch and the destruction it wreaks on State and Individual rights.). Thus the Communist Organ, the Worker (Mar. 15, 1964) urges: "Every means of mass pressure must be brought to bear to compel the no-compromise enactment of the Civil Rights Bill in the Senate immediately.

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This being the case WE, as CATHOLICS and AMERICANS, CANNOT in good conscience be neutral We must ACTIVELY and VIGOROUSLY OPPOSE the mislabeled "Civil Rights Bill" now pending before Congress. WRITE Senators Hart and McNamara TODAYI (Write Senate Office Building, Washington, D.C.)

If you wish further information regarding this matter we suggest you read the following:

- 1.) "Unmasking the Civil Rights Bill", Coordinating Committee for FUNDAMENTAL AMERICAN FREEDOMS, Inc., Suite 520 301 First St. N.E., Washington 3, D.C.
- 2.) Detroit Free Press Editorial, March 22, 1964.
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Will contact the local office of the United States Secret Service to determine if other letters of this type were turned over to that office by union locals or other sources.

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AT SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA: Will ascertain complete identity and reason for registering at the Overland Hotel, Reno, Nevada by who registered on August 23, 1966 (on August 24, 1966, a series of letters mailed by the Unknown Subject were postmarked at Reno, Nevada, giving a return address of 180 Turk Street, San Francisco).

AT SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA: Will interview CHARLES COFFMAN, 3571 13th Street to determine his background, if he has a typewriter, and so forth to ascertain if he could possibly be a suspect in this case.

Will identify and locate "GEORGE" and thereafter develop his background and interview him to determine if he is identical with the Unknown Subject or if he can possibly assist in identifying the Unknown Subject based on information supplied by PCI,

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Will contact leaders of other religious groups for assistance in establishing possible religious sect making predictions as set out by the Unknown Subject in his letter captioned "Calendar of Future Events."

Will pursue all other logical leads which might assist in identifying the Subject.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Copy to:

Report of:

CLARENCE A. BROM

Office:

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Date:

Field Office File #: 9-1914

Bureau File #: 9-42847

Title:

UNKNOWN SUBJECT, also known as et al:

J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM;

NICHOLAS DeB KATZENBACH - VICTIM

Character: /

EXTORTION

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Synopsis:

Unknown Subject mailed a series of letters postmarked August 10, 1966 at San Francisco, California addressed to Republican Headquarter Offices bearing a return address of "American F. Society, 180 Turk Street, San Francisco, California." This address is that of the Governor Hotel used as return address in other mailings, existence of American Freedom Society is unknown. Unknown Subject mailed letters to various news media in Washington, D.C. and New York City areas postmarked August 24, 1966 at Reno, Nevada bearing the return address of "A.F. Societe, 55 Mason, San Francisco, California." These letters contains a threat against the President and Vice President and is also signed "American Freedom Society." A rambling letter captioned "Calendar of Future Events" was mailed to "U.A.W. number 909, 23695 Mound, Detroit, Michigan", postmarked August 10, 1966 at San Francisco and bears return address "AFL - CIO, 995 Market, San Francisco, California"; apparently prepared by Unknown Subject and indicates he may be a member of some religious sect, still unidentified. A check of guests at the Overland Hotel, Reno on August 23 and 24, 1966 developed no suspects. Laboratory reports typewriting on material submitted from August 10 and 24, 1966 mailings appears similar to that of specimens previously submitted but there are not sufficient identifying characteristics to determine if these were all prepared on the same typewriter. No pertinent indented impressions, watermarks, or other identifying characteristics were noted. No latent prints developed.

DETAILS

On August 15, 1966, LAWRENCE H. DUNN, Executive Director, Republican Central Committee, 4237 Piedmont Avenue, Oakland, California turned over to SA CLARENCE A. BROM a letter received at his office on Augu st 11, 1966 which is addressed to "Republican Headquarters, 4237 Piedmont Avenue, Oakland, California" and bears the return address of "American F. Society, 180 Turk, San Francisco, Cal." The envelope is postmarked August 10, 1966 at San Francisco, California.

The enclosed typewritten letters read as follow:

Notice To All Republicans

Candidates who win elections will become as dead as J.F. Kennedy. Winning an election means that the winning candidate will be killed. Please let us know where Barry Goldwater, s late relatives are located. We plan to bury him there in the near future.

American Freedom Society

Mr. DUNN stated the letter was extensively handled and read by office personnel and party workers appearing in the office prior to being turned over to this office. He had no suspects as to the identity of the sender. He stated that the telephone directories for Oakland, California carries the listing as Republican Headquarters of Ala. Co., 4237 Piedmont Avenue, Oakland, California. Directly below that listing is the listing of Republican Headquarters of Berkeley—Albany, 1717A University Avenue, Berkeley, California which Mr. DUNN stated did not receive a copy of this letter. He was unaware of any other Republican Headquarters receiving similar letters.

On August 16, 1966, JAMES W. AUSTIN, Executive Director, Republican Associates of Sacramento County, 918 14th Street, Sacramento, California, turned over to SA PETER T. SEXTON an identical carbon copy letter of the above. This letter was received at his headquarters on August 11, 1966 and was handled by numerous people.

By communication dated August 24, 1966, the Los Angeles Office advised of the receipt of an identical letter on August 16, 1966 from Mr. MATTHEW S. RAE, JR., President, California Republican League, 510 South Spring Street, Los Angeles, California.

The Los Angeles Office advised their indicate reflect no information concerning the American Freedom Society.

The address of 180 Turk Street, San Francisco, California is that of the Governor Hotel which has been used by the Unknown Subject as a return address on three other occasions. There were no undelivered letters returned based on the August 10, 1966 mailing.

A check with the Republican Headquarters listed in the telephone directories for the City and County of San Francisco failed to reflect that any of those organizations received a copy of this letter.

Mrs. GLADYS GIBSON, Chief Clerk for the past 24 years and SIDNEY HERTZ, Manager for the past six years at the Governor Hotel, 180 Turk Street, who have been contacted a number of times in connection with this case, both advised they still have no sispects. Mrs. GIBSON, who handles all the mail and knows most of the steady guests, stated that she has no suspects among them. The hotel has only three premanent guests, none of whom are suspects in this matter. The American Freedom Society is unknown at the hotel and according to Mrs. GIBSON and Mr. HERTZ, no mention of it has ever been made nor has any mail arrived for this premain the past six years at the past six years at the past six years at years at years.

By communication dated August 29, 1966, the Bureau advised that a letter was addressed to the Chicago Daily News postmarked August 24, 1966 at Reno, Nevada and bearing the return address of American F. Society, 55 Mason, San Francisco, Cal. The letter reads as follows:

"Notice to all U. S. Newspapers

The two bloodthirsty warmongers will be executed. Please notify the FBI so that they will be ready to die. We will kill President Johnson, Vice President Humphrey, destroy the Justice Department, and put an end to this crazy was in Viet Nam.

American Freedom Society"

By communication dated August 29, 1966, the New York Office advised that the following news agencies in their area received the same letter:

Russell Pearsall News Agency 230 Park Avenue New York City

News Features Incorporated 660 First Avenue New, York, New York

PR News Service New York, New York

News Paper 1155 East 44th Street New York, New York

Jewish Telegraphic Agency 660 First Avenue New York, New York

Inter-Science Information Inc. 3 West 57th Street New York, New York

Stuyvesant News Service 621 East 14th Street New York, New York

Continental Photo Service 45 West 45th Street New York, New York

Radio Pulse New York, New York

Metro Media News Service New York, New York

By communication dated September 1, 1966, the New York Office advised that additional letters also marked August 24, 1966 at Reno, Nevada bearing a return address A.F. Societe, 55 Mason, San Francisco, California were received by the Piccadilly Press, the Associated Press, Continent Photo Service, News Features Incorporated, P.R. Newswire, King Features Syndicate, United Press International, Hearst Headline Service, Economic News Agency, All Nations News Agency, Interscience Info Inc., World Union Press and Newspaper 1.

All items received by the New York Office were forwarded to the FBI Laboratory for appropriate examination. A search of the yellow pages of the New York, Manhattan Telephone Directories reflects that all recipients of "News Release" were listed under news service, including the addresses for these companies. The New York Office has no information identifiable with American Freedom Society.

By dommunication dated August 29, 1966, the Washington Field Office advised that Assistant Special Agent in Charge, KENNETH E. BALGE, United States Secret Service, advised that his office secured identical letters sent to "Capitol Spotlight", Chicago Daily News Office in Washington, D.C., the Scripps Howard Newspaper and the "Catholic Standard" in Washington, D.C.

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Mr. ROBERT W. CRATER, Washington Correspondent,
Scripps-Noward Newspapers, Ohio and Kentucky Area, 1310 13th
Street, M. M., Washington, D. C., made available two letters
addressed to the Cleveland Press and Albuquerque Tribune.
Both letters were addressed to 1013 13th Street, M. W., Washington, D. C., and post marked Asgust 24, 1966, Reno, Nevada.
The envelopes contained a return address of "A.F. Societe,
55 Mason, S.F., Cal." Enclosed in the envelope addressed to
the Albuquerque Tribune was the typewritten letter:

"Notice To All U.S. Newspapers

"The two bloodthirsty warmengers will be executed. Please notify the F.B.I. so that they will be ready to die. We will Kill President Johnson, Vice President Humphrey, destroy the U.S. Justice Department and put an end to this crasy warlin Vietnam.

"American Freedom Seciety."

Mr. CRATER advised that he and Mr. SETH KANTOR received the letters on August 29, 1966. He advised that Mr. KANTOR was the first to receive the letter and exhibited it to him. He advised that a short time later he received his letter which was similar in appearance to the one received by Mr. KARTOR. He advised he did not open his letter as he knew both letters were to be sent to the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

Mr. KANTOR advised he was not familiar with the A.F. Societe Group and had never before received any mail from that group.

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He advised he could furnish no other information as to the identity of the person or persons who mailed the letters.

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Mr. SMTH KARTOR, Washington Correspondent, Scripps-Howard Newspapers, Texas and New Mexico Area, 1310 13th Street, E. H., Washington, D. C., was interviewed and furnished the following information:

Mr. KANTUR advised that he received on August 29, 1966, a letter addressed to the Albuquerque Tribune which was post marked August 24, 1966, in Reno, Nevada, and contained a return address of "A.F. Societe, 55 Mason, S.F., Cal."

Mr. KANTOR advised that he opened the letter which contained the following:

"Notice to All U.S. Newspapers

"The two bloodthirsty warmongers will be executed. Please notify the P.B.I. so that they will be ready to die. We will kill President Johnson, Vice President Humphrey, destroy the B.S. Justice Department and put an end to this crasy war in Vietnam.

"American Freedom Society."

Mr. KANTOR advised that he never before received any letters or other types of mail from the A.F. Societe and added that the group was new to him. He advised that evidently the group was mailing a similar letter to other newspapers in the Scripps-Howard Newspaper Line.

Mr. KANTOR advised he could furnish no information as to who might have mailed the letter to him and that should he receive any other letters from that group, he will immediately forward them to the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

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Date dictated

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Mr. KANTOR advised he will remain alert for any such letters that might be received by his associates and will instruct them to immediately contact the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

By communication dated October 31, 1966, the Washington Field Office advised that Acting Special Agent in Charge, LOUIS SIMS, Protective Intelligence Division, United States Secret Service, 1800 G Street, Northwest Washington, D.C., advised the letters furnished to his office have been processed by his office in addition to numerous letters of the same source received by his office in the past; however, nothing of value has been learned. He advised the processing has developed what appears to be glove prints, but no repetitive prints.

Regarding the source of Unknown Subjects mailing list, a check was made of the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company, Washington, D.C. area yellow pages discloses a list of newspapers with addresses similar to those addresses contained on the letters received in the Washington, D.C. area. Apparently the Unknown Subject obtained the telephone book, yellow pages listing of newspapers in various locations and is using it as his source.

The following investigation was conducted by the Detroit Office regarding suspects developed in their area:

1. Re:
Records of the Livonia, Michigan Police Department, as checked by IC CLARENCE H. WILLIAMS on
June 10, 1966, indicates that
Michigan, Livonia Police Department Number was arrested by the Livonia Police Department
on April 9, 1965 on a charge of mon-sufficient checks and was turned over to the Wayne County General Hospital,
Eloise, Michigan,

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Records of the Credit Data Corporation, Detroit, which covers Livonia, Michigan, as checked by IC WILLIAMS

on July 1, 1966, contain a record concerning	ь6 ь7с
derogatory information contained in these records.	
On August 24, 1966,	
Wayne County General	b6
Hospital, Eloise, Michigan, advised SA LAWRENCE M. COOPER. JR. from records available to him that	b70
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that hopsital on the following dates:	3
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letters sent by the Unknown Subject were mailed, he is not	
being considered as a possible suspect in this matter.	Į.
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Records of the Detroit Police Department,	b6
reviewed by IC DAVID MOORE, JR. on June 13. 1966. contained an arrest record for	b70
This record indicated that	
was arrested in 1962, date not given, for investigation	1
of felonious assault but was discharged because the	
complainant refused to prosecute.	
Records of the Credit Data Corporation and the	
Merchants Credit Bureau, both Detroit, were checked by	' 1
IC WILLIAMS on July 1, 1966, and records of both these	b 6
agencies were found to contain no record concerning	b7C
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On August 24, 1966,	b 6
advised SA COOPER thathadhadhadhornerly resided in the upstairs mortion of the building at	b7C
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that address, and that had the address of He advised he has not seen around recently and believes he may have moved away. advised that it is his recollection that resided at from at least 1962 until within the past few months. He advised that to his knowledge, never traveled extensively and was not known to leave the Detroit area.	ь6 ь7с
In view of the fact that advised that was not known to travel and in view of the wide area from which the Unknown Subject has mailed letters in this matter, is not being considered as a possible suspect. The following investigation was conducted by	ь6 ь7с
SA CLARENCE A. BROM: AT SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA	
The address of 55 Mason Street, San Francisco, used as a return address on the letters mailed from Reno, Nevada on August 24, 1966 is that of the Ambassador Hotel, in the Tenderloin Section of the city. This return address was previously used by Unknown Subject on December 16. 1965 and December 17, 1965 when he used the name of	b6

The following investigation was conducted by the Las Vegas Office:

AT RENO, NEVADA

A check of guest registrations at the Menlo Hotel, Pioneer Hotel, Dormio Hotel, Martin Hotel, Mint Hotel, Mizpah Hotel, and Overland Hotel, all of which are in the vicinity of the railroad and bus stations, reflect the only hotel which maintains names and addresses is the Overland Hotel. Other hotels maintain names and no addresses.

On September 6, 1966, a review of the records of the Overland Hotel by SA FORD E. HOLMES and Manager PAT CHICHESE reflects the following registrations:

San Francisco
Registered August 23, 1966;
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Registered August 23, 1966;
North Highland, California
Registered August 23, 1966;
San Francisco
Registered August 24, 1966;
(no street number)
San Francisco
Registered August 24, 1966;

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On September 1966 the envelopes forwarded to Las Vegas by the Bureau were shown to Post Master ERNEST ARCH, Reno, Nevada Post Office, who called attention to a rectangular stamp on the envelopes which state "ABCD Mail For

Better Business Service." ARCH said this means that these particular letters were mailed in one of the downtown Post Office boxes either in the Post Office or one of the 28 collection boxes in the downtown area or at the main office or the University Station, the Washington Street Station, or the Peavine Station between 11:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. ARCH says this is a service which guarantees delivery of local mail by 3:30 p.m., if it is mailed in one of those areas between 11:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. The mail is brought in by the various carriers where it is processed. He said during this period of August 24, 1966, he had four seasonal employees working the sorting of the mail and with respect to this particular mail when it comes in they grab any employee on the floor to help sort this mail so it would insure swift delivery with respect to Reno letters; however, anything mailed out of state would be sorted to one side and left to be handled at a later time. He says he does not have a static group of employees sorting the mail and that these particular letters would not have had any further handling after 1:00 p.m. until late in the afternoon or early evening.

ARCH said it was his opinion these letters were probably mailed either in the main Post Office in Reno or one of the 28 collection points in the downtown area. The letters were shown to Post Office Carrier LOUIS PASTRELL, ORVILLE ANDERSON, NEIL MASON, MIKE PIZZO, and BILL SHARP all of whom handle the 28 collection points with negative results. The letters were shown to ERNIE MULLINS who handles the mail taken in at the main Post Office with negative results. ARCH instructed all of these carriers to be on the alert for any future mailing of similar envelopes and to so advise him.

The following investigation was conducted by SA CLARENCE A. BROM relative to guests registered at the Overland Hotel, Reno, Nevada:

AT SAN FRANCISCO AND OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA	
San Francisco, California	
stated that for the past four to five years and considers him a stable individual and in no way considers him a suspect who is about 50 years of age and single is a who is on the road most of the time. He is an outstanding bridge player and attends tournaments throughout the country.	b6 b7C
ELELIA (?) PARDON	b
636 Lonbard Street San Francisco	
Mrs. LIZZY PORDON, who is 80 years of age and a widow, advised she and her divorced daughter ELELIA PORDON, who is 58 years of age and employed as a four lady for See's Candies in San Bruno, California, were at the Overland Hotel on vacation for three days during August 1965. They took the Greyhound Bus.	
San Francisco	b6 b7С
No record could be located of or at the Post Office Department, the telephone directories, city directories or indices of the San Francisco Office.	
San Francisco, California	b6 b7С
Telephone, city directories or indices of the San Francisco Office failed to identify this individual.	

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There is no _______ in San Francisco.
Telephone, city directories or indices failed to reflect
any record of ______

L. R. SHIELDS 201 Marina Boulevard San Francisco

Mrs. LAURA R. SHIELDS is a widow and about 70 years of age. Herhusband was a prominent doctor and she is considered a person of means. She is presently in Australia and has traveled extensively around the world in recent years. She is in no way considered a suspect.

T. M. SMITHERS 3336 Laguna Street San Francisco

THOMAS M. SMITHERS is a retired engineer. He is approximately 70 years of age and is considered very conservative and priet. He and his wife have a camper and travel a great deal.

W. J. SILVA 3628 Loma Vista Oakland, California

W. JESSE SILVA is 74 years of age and a retired plumber. He was at the Overland Hotel in Reno the latter part of August 1966 with his wife on an overnight motor trip. He is not considered a suspect.

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There is no such address as who resides at for the past 16 years, has never heard of a at this location.

is not identifiable through the city directories or indices of the San Francisco Office.

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Oakland, California

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There is no ______ or any similarly named street in Oakland. No _____ is listed in the telephone directories that is identifiable with this individual.

On August 11, 1966 SA LARRY NEWMAN of the United States Secret Service, San Francisco, California, made available a xeroxed copy of an envelope postmarked August 10, 1966 at San Francisco and addressed to U.A.W. number 909, 23695 Mound, Detroit, Michigan and a two-page letter captioned "Calendar of Future Events" and signed

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NEWMAN stated that he received a copy of this letter from his Detroit Office and it is his opinion that a carbon copy of the letter was mailed to U.A.W. number 909. He has no information that other copies of this letter have been turned in. This letter bears a return address of AFL - CIO, 995 Market, San Francisco, California, which union was the recipient of letters written by the Unknown Subject on two previous occasions.

Following is a xeroxed copy of the letter.

Calendar Of Future Events

hay 10, 1970 (worlds worst carthquake) Hinaleya Mountains will go down setween one and two miles deep. Turkey, Arabia, Iran, Afghanistan and Israel will not sink. India, Pakistan, Euraa, Malay countries, Indonesia and the Philippines will sink below the Ocean. Parts of China and Hussia will also sink. The Meditorannean, Arabian, Plack, Caspian and Aral Sons will neet. There will be no need for the Suez Canal.

December 1970 (worst hurricane in history) Starting from Panena and wide from the Atlantic to the Mississippi Valley will turn east after reaching Manada and the Great Lakes. Will visit London, the North and Baltic Seas on December 22, 1970. It will turn south in Europe towards the Black and Mediteran-Man near Seas. Will weaken and dicappear in Africa.

1970-1971 Trouble like there never was before in history, consisting of

iwe civil wars will last fifteen ments in United States. Canada and Australia will fight for independence and will be free from England. Russia-France will fight Norway-Sweden. War will start and end in the summer 1970. Russia will take the Northern part of Norway. England-France will war and depopulate Spain. A terrible incurable disease will spread and will more people than the war itself.

In Cotober 1970 a Red Revolution will start in Europe and end in late December 1971. The Japanese after rescuing Americano from a pincer of Red and Royal European forces on U.S. soil will with the Azericans put an end to the Rods and Russia.

Cotocor 1977 Two years after becoming a World President the French King . will become a tyront worse than Hitler. The French Toroco will be repidly costroyed in U.S.A. by the Americans. Henry the seventh prince will be sent to Europe in a caskaj. This will start a bloody revolution in Europe. His military forces and his organization of Green Philosophers will go to the K grave.

1985 then Haley, a Comet passes by, the U.S. bankers and other rotten people will be killed in American at this time. Host of the bankers will flee the country during the two civil wars and come back under different names after it is over. They will form an underground with the intention of everthrowing God, a Government which will be formed in Salt Lake City in 1971. These stupid people will not believe that God, a Government when formed will last longer than the earth.

(Between Kovember 21, 1999 and December 21, 1999) The Chinese will bomb God, s Covernment Emilding in Salt Lake City, Utah. Ver will last seven months. Cotober 27, 2025 Egypt will take Persia (Iran) in a battle.

2025 One of the three Prench blond brothers will become a World President under ugly conditions. A conspiracy of the three Prench brothers will bury mile Thiness Paul (a good World President grown old in government service) in a European nountain pass. After bribing the Italians for votes one of the brothers will be elected as World President. He will be killed in the Government Hellway. When the Chinese will give the Wormens a trial for the minior of Poul.

When the Chinese will give the Horzens a trial for the murder of Paul.

2028 Practically all of Morthern Europe will be occupied by the Chinese.

After six years of occupation of England they will be driven out. When the Chinese Devil (Chinese military leader) is drowned in a nuclear submarine the war will be over. But that will not be very poon.

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2052 U.S.A. and the root of the Christians will fight China. War will last over ten years. Untily the devil is dramed. Peace will last for a thousand years.

(Gog and Magog) In 3019 the infernal power will rise against the Church of Jesus Christ in Durasia. This will be in Russia 3045 and other countries in 3041. 3042 and 3047. A godless government will be formed in Lyons, France. They will surround Terael with their military might. Fire from heaven will destroy five cixths of them. Those surviving will move to Northeast Siberia. There will be

Forty years of dry weather followed by forty years of wet weather and floods in the Northern Hemisphere. The godless people will not survive these floods, famine and disease. God,s Government of Cld Han Experience will last a thousand years and be changed to All Things Common Among Priends in the thirty first century. The World Capital mith will be changed from Salt Lake City to Jerusalem.

(Second Coming Cf Christ) This great event will take place in Asia in the

fifth nillennium very close to the sixth millennium. (7000 A.D.) Second Resurrection & Lest Judgment)

(7973 A.D. And Of The Verld) The end of the world will come twenty years after the mean hits the earth. These who survive the last Judgment will be well on their way to another galaxy, another planet earth, with another sun and another heaven under the leadership of Jesus Christ. In the menutice the sun will draw earth into its gravitational field, destroy it in a collision and go on its way

as the master of the local seler system.

(Conclusion) Hammical (Hoslens) will attack Rome (New York) after drowning U.S. Navy in the Atlantic during a battle in the spring of 1967. You will know that Hamical is on his way when they take London and murder the people in it. The rockets will be so bed from the Moslen Mavy during an attack on New York and inside U.S.L. the riots so violent that the military will take over the U.S. Government. They will put President Johnson and V.P. Humphrey in jail. After assuring Labor that there will be an election they will concentrate on the Moslens and drive then away. Election results will put in a new Christian Farty in power. In France, Henry will take over the government as king. This nove will not only be the death of all the royal family but will bring England and France into an abyes. Within ten years France will be a great newer equal to that of United States. After the seventh prince is in a casket the English-French Engire will crumble into dust. From an inferior power to a world power and back into dust is the history of all the engires of the past. England and France will called this stupid, monotonous, drama of all conquerors in the world history and become two scall countries in Europe only.

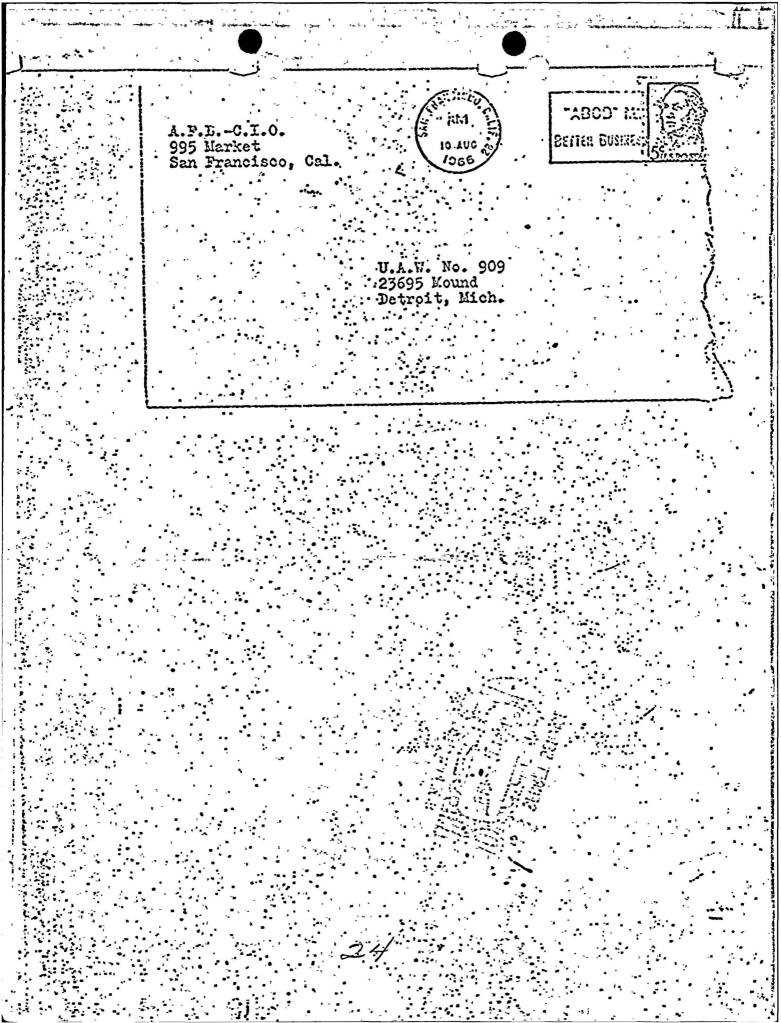
The times of trouble consisting of two civil wars will ruin U.S. and only with the help of Japan will they be able to survive the war with European Reds and Royalists. American Reds will have all but the new Mountain States after the Mrs. Cutholics will wipe out the Protestants and so doing will houvey themselves in the United States. Megrees will destroy the whites in the sear South. Morners will survive and become the leading religion of the Western Lawisphers. Jews will become Morners in Israel. Japan with South Morea will be

a part of United States after Japan and U.S. deptroy Russia.

Rose and the Catholic Church will be destroyed by fire in the fall of 1971. The Protestant Church which will be established in Europe to take the place of the Catholic Church will be destroyed by the Chinese seventy three years and seven norths later. Pope Yaul Sixth and many clories in Rose will be killed by the Moslens in the spring when the roses are in bloom. Seven norths is all the fire the next Pope has as Pope. A Spaniard will take his place for four years. The propagands linking the Syanish Pope with Franco and Passian will wrock the hurch. Last Pope will be an Italian from the Sabine district. He and the Church ill be destroyed by the Abhalifaks with no help from any country because the atholic Church will be fascist Church.

Welter Reuther will run for President of the A.F.L.-C.I.O. because Meaney, ble and other brothers will be the victims of P.B.I. bullets. President obnson will order the shooting and the closing of all union halls and offices. ixon will be found dead in the rater. J. Edgar Hoover will retire under very trange circumstances. When the disatisfied Budhists join the disatisfied Moslens t will result in the war of Arrageddon. No victory for U.S. in victam. Instead world war will result in which half the people of this world will perish. The orld will get very much worse before it gets any better.

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The indices of the San Francisco Office, San Francisco City Directories and other sources failed to identify

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On October 16, 1966 and November 13, 1966, FRED ROBBINS, Counsellor to the President, San Francisco Stake Mission, Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, 22nd and Lawton, San Francisco, California, advised Supervisor BRYON C. WHEELER of the San Francisco Office that the letter captioned "Calendar of Future Events" is not compatible with the Morman religion, nor could they suggest any possible suspects. The San Francisco Stake Mission was unable to identify the contents of the letter with any San Francisco religious group.

SA FRAMEIS J. COLLOPY, JR., who is active in the Sequoia Seminar, a non-donominal group of laymen dedicated to the study of the Bible, advised that the Sequoia Seminar is unable to identify the contents of this letter with any religious group nor could they assist in suggesting any suspects.

The laboratories of the Bureau advised that the typewriting appearing on the specimens submitted by the New York, Washington Field, Los Angeles and San Francisco Offices relative to letters mailed by the Unknown Subject on August 10, 1966 and August 24, 1966 conform in style to the typewriting appearing on similar specimens previously received in this case but is not sufficient identifying characteristics to determine if these were all prepared on the same typewriter.

No pertinent indented impressions, watermarks, or other identifying characteristics were noted on the submitted items which might indicate their immediate source.

No latent impressions of value were developed on these specimens.

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TO:

DIRECTOR, FBI (9-42847)

FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (9-3218)

ET AL; JOHN EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM; UNSUB, AKA NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH - VICTIM, EXTORTION. OO: SAN FRANCISCO.

PATRICIA LEE HOUSTON, SECRETARY TO EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, LOS ANGELES COUNTY REPUBLICAN COMMITTEE, MADE AVAILABLE A TYPEWRITTEN LETTER RECEIVED THROUGH THE MAIL TODAY ADDRESSED TO "REPUBLICAN HEADQUARTERS, ONE THREE TWO SIX WEST SIXTH STREET, LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA". THE ENVELOPE WAS POSTMARKED NOVEMBER SEVENTEEN LAST AT SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA AND BORE RETURN ADDRESS "AMERICAN F. S., FIVE FIVE MASON, S. F. CAL." THE LETTER WAS TYPED AND READ AS FOLLOWS: "DEATH LIST RONALD RANGAN, RICHARD M. NIXON (UNDERLINE M.), BARRY GOLDWATER, J. EDGAR HOOVER, PRESIDENT JOHNSON, V. P. HUMPHREY. WILL BE EXECUTED IN THE NEAR FUTURE.

San Francisco (9-1914)(AM)

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(ANTI JOHN BIRCH SOCIETY)". SPECIAL AGENT A. L. BAKER, UNITED STATES SECRET SERVICE, LOS ANGELES, ADVISED THIS DATE CONCERNING LETTER. ORIGINAL TYPED ENVELOPE, LETTER AND ELIMINATION FINGER-PRINTS BEING FORWARDED BUREAU. LETTERHEAD MEMORANDUM FOLLOWS.

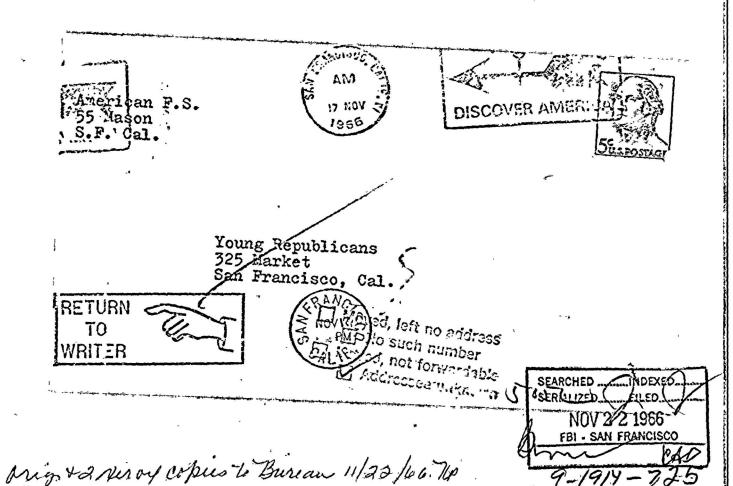
AIR MAIL COPY BEING SENT SAN FRANCISCO.

Death List

Ronald Reagan Richard M. Nixon Barry Goldwater J.Edgar Hoover President Johnson V.P. Humphrey

The above will be executed in the near future.

American Freedom Society (Anti John Birch Society)



11/22/66

ATRTEL

AIR MAIL

TO

DIRECTOR, FBI (9-42847)

ATT: FBI LABORATORY

FROM

SAC SAN FRANCISCO (9-1914) (P)

SUBJECT:

UNSUB: aka.

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JOHN EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM:

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NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH - VICTIM

EXTORTION

(00: San Francisco)

ReBuairtel to San Francisco 10/18/66, report of SA CLARENCE A. BROM dated 11/16/66 at San Francisco, and Los Angeles teletype to Bureau 11/18/66.

Enclosed herewith for the Bureau is an envelope addressed to the "Young Republicans, 325 Market, San Francisco, Cal." bearing the return address of "American F.S., 55 Mason, S. F. Cal.", postmarked AM, 11/17/66 at San Francisco. The envelope contains a letter captioned "Death List" and closes with "American Freedom Society (Anti John Birch Society).

Also enclosed for the Bureau file are two Xerox copies of the envelope and letter.

The address of 55 Mason St., San Francisco, is that of the Ambassador Hotel which Unsub has used in the past and most recently on 8/24/66. Extensive investigation has been conducted at the Ambassador Hotel in an attempt to identify Unsub with negative results. The enclosed letter was returned

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undelivered to the Ambassador Hotel, who turned it over to the San Francisco Office. No information has been received of other letters here. The correct address of the Young Republicans of San Francisco as listed in the telephone directory is 525 Market St.

SA LARRY NEWMAN of U. S. Secret Service was furnished Xerox copies of this letter and other details available. He has conducted investigation in this case and is thoroughly familiar with it.

The Laboratory is requested to compare the enclosed letter with other material previously submitted in this case. The envelope has been extensively handled by various people although the letter was protected after its receipt by this office.

of the



FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION WASHINGTON, D. C.

et al.;

To: FBI, Detroit (9-1946)

Date:

November 21, 1966

FBI File No.

9-42847

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Lab. No.

D-520247 IK

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J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIH; NICHOLAS KATZENBACH - VICTIM EXTORTION

Re: UNSUB, aka

11/14/66 Specimens received

- Envelope postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF. 2B AUG 10 1966 Q362 AM" bearing typewritten address "U.A.W. No. 909 23695 Mound Detroit, Mich."
- Accompanying carbon copy of two-page typewritten letter, first 0363 page beginning "Calendar Of Future Events War of Armageddon will last..."
- Second page beginning "forty years of dry weather followed 0364 by forty..." and ending "...worse before it gets any better.
- Envelope postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF. 2A AUG 10 1966 0365 AM" bearing typewritten address "U.A.W. No. 412 19684 Conant Detroit, Mich."
- Accompanying carbon copy of two-page typewritten letter, first page beginning "Calendar Of Future Events War of Armageddon be Q366 will last ... "
- Second page beginning "forty years of dry weather followed by forty..." and ending "...worse before it gets any better. 0367
- Envelope postmarked "DETROIT, MICH 5B DEC 19 1965 PM" bearing typewritten address "U.A.W. No. 412 19684 Conar Q368 19684 Conant Detroit, Mich."
- Accompanying typewritten letter beginning "Open Letter To 0369 Attorney General Nickolas Katzeman Dear Sir; A Banker-Republican conspiracy under the leadership of ... "

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K27 Post card postmarked "ROYAL OAK, MI OCT 1 1966 PM" bearing typewritten address Local 412 19689 Conant Detroit. Michigan 48234" and typewritten message b6 beginning "Dear I wish to thank you for..." and b7c signed and a leaflet entitled "'Civil Rights' or Freedom's Obituary?" bearing handwritten message "We past these out at about 50 churches"

Result of examination:

The typewriting on specimens Q362 through Q369 conforms in style to the typewriting on similar questioned documents previously received in connection with this case. There are not, however, a sufficient number of identifying characteristics to determine if they all were prepared on the same typewriter.

It was determined that the questioned typewritten material in this case was not prepared on the typewriter employed in the preparation of specimen K27.

Specimens Q362 through Q369 contain no indented writing, watermark, or other features through which their immediate source might be determined.

The hand printing on specimens Q37, Q39 and Q117 is not comparable with the handwriting on specimen K27.

Photographs of specimens Q362 through Q369 and K27 have been retained.



FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION WASHINGTON, D. C.

FBI, Detroit (9-1946)

November 21, 1966

To:

UNSUB, aka et al.;

J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM; NICHOLAS KATZENBACH - VICTIM

EXTORTION

00: San Francisco

FBI File No. Lab. No.

Date:

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D-520247 IK

John Edgar Hoover, Director

Examination requested by:

Detroit

Reference:

Airtel 11/10/66

Examination requested:

Document - Fingerprint

Remarks:

The submitted material will be treated for latent fingerprints. The result of that examination and the disposition of this evidence will be furnished by a separate report.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to File No.

Los Angeles, California

November 21, 1966

UNKNOWN SUBJECT, also known as

ET AL;

JOHN EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM;
NICHOLAS deB. KATZENBACH - VICTIM

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On November 18, 1966, PATRICIA LEE HOUSTON, Secretary to CHARLES GOODSPEED, Executive Director, Los Angeles County Republican Committee, 1326 - 6th Street, Los Angeles, furnished the Los Angeles FBI Office the following typewritten letter, the envelope being postmarked November 17, 1966 at San Francisco, California, and addressed to Republican Headquarters, 1326 W. 6th St., Los Angeles, California:

"Death List

Ronald Reagan
Richard M. Nixon
Barry Goldwater
J. Edgar Hoover
President Johnson
V.P. Humphrey

"The above will be executed in the near future.

"American Freedom Society (Anti John Birch Society)"

On November 18, 1966, the above information was furnished to Special Agent A. L. BAKER, U. S. Secret Service, Los Angeles, California.

This document contains neither recommendations nor conclusions of the FBI. It is the property of the FBI and is loaned to your agency; it and its contents are not tobbe distributed outside your agency.

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AIRTEL

AIR MAIL - REGISTERED

TO:

DIRECTOR, FBI (9-42847) ATTN: FBI LABORATORY

FROM:

SAC, LOS ANGELES (9-3218) (P)

RE1

UNSUB, aka

Et Al;

John Edgar Hoover - Victim;

NICHOLAS deB. KATZENBACH - VICTIM

EXTORTION OO: SF

Re Los Angeles tel 11/18/66 and Butel 11/19/66.

Enclosed for the Bureau are the following:

Original letter, typewritten, containing "Death List" from "American Freedom Society (Anti John Birch Society)"; and Xerox of same.

Original envelope postmarked 11/17/66 at San Francisco, Calif., addressed to "Republican Headquarters, 1326 V. 6th, Los Angeles, Cal.," with return address "American F.S., 55 Mason, S.F. Cal.; and Xerox of same.

Four (4) fingerprint cards regarding following persons for elimination purposes:

- 1. PATRICIA LEE HOUSTON
- 2. JAMES RICHARD SCHONING
- 3. GARY FRED GIRARD
- 4. KEITH EDWIN COPLAN

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4 copies of LHM, along with FD-376, setting forth letter.

Enclosed for the San Francisco Office is one copy of LHM.

One copy of LHM has been furnished U. S. Secret Service, Los Angeles.

It should be noted that SA JOSEPH O. SMITH and SUSAN SHEWALTER HITE, PBI-LA employees, also handled concerned letter and envelope.

PATRICIA LEE HOUSTON, secretary to Executive Director, Los Angeles County Republican Committee, advised that the offices of ROMALD REAGAN, RICHARD M. NIXON and BARRY GOLDWATER have been made aware of this threat.

Miss HOUSTON stated she would be alert for any additional letters and she was the person who opened the mail at the office. She stated that if any additional letters were received she would handle them very carefully and notify this office.

Special Agent A. L. BAKER, Secret Service, Los Angeles, requested that he be notified of results of laboratory examination and at that time be furnished with a copy of concerned letter.

The Laboratory is requested to conduct a fingerprint examination and to search against the Anonymous Letter File.

EXTORTION

REPORT of the



FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, San Francisco (9-1914)

Re: UNSUB, aka et al.; Lab. No. D-521102 JK bfc
NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH - VICTIM

Date: November 30, 1966

FBI File No. 9-42847

Lab. No. D-521102 JK bfc
D-521183 JK

Specimens received 11/25/66 from FBI, San Francisco

- Q370 Envelope postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF. 1A NOV 17 1966 AM" bearing typewritten address "Young Republicans 325 Market San Francisco, Cal."
- Q371 Accompanying sheet of paper bearing typewritten message beginning "Death List Ronald Reagan Richard M. Nixon..." and ending "...American Freedom Society (Anti John Birch Society)"

Specimens received 11/25/66 from FBI, Los Angeles

- Q372 Envelope postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF. 1A NOV 17 1966 AM" bearing typewritten address "Republican Headquarters 1326 W. 6th Los Angeles, Cal."
- Q373 Accompanying sheet of paper bearing typewritten message beginning "Death List Ronald Reagan..." and ending "...American Freedom Society (Anti John Birch Society)"

ALSO SUBMITTED: Elimination fingerprint cards for the following:

PATRICIA LEE HOUSTON
JAMES RICHARD SCHONING
GARY FRED GIRARD
KEITH EDWIN COPLAN

Result of examination:

The typewritten impressions on Q370 through Q373 are the same style as the impressions appearing on similar specimens received in this case but there are not a sufficient number of identifying characteristics to determine whether all these were prepared with the same typewriter.

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The envelopes 0370 and 0372 bear the watermark "HY TONE" which is registered to Westab, Dayton, Ohio. No other watermarks, indented writing or other identifying features were noted on the questioned items which might indicate their immediate source.

You will be advised separately regarding the disposition of Q370 through Q373 and the "ALSO SUBMITTED" material. Photographs of the questioned items have been retained.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, San Francisco (9-1914)

Date:

November 30, 1966

UNSUB, aka et al.;

Re: JOHN EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIH;

NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH
VICTIH

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D-521102 JK D-521183 JK

John Edgar Hoover, Director

00: San Francisco

Examination requested by: San Francisco; Los Angeles

Reference:

Airtels 11/22/66, 11/21/66

Examination requested:

Document - Fingerprint

Remarks:

You will be advised by a separate report regarding the results of the fingerprint examination and the disposition of Q370 through Q373 and the "ALSO SUBHITTED" items.

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Washington, D. C. 20537



REPORT

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IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

YOUR FILE NO. FBI FILE NO.

LATENT CASE NO.

9-3218 9-42847

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SAC. Los Angeles

RE:

UNSUB. AKA

ET AL.:

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December 7, 1966

JOHN EDGAR ECOVER - VICTIM: NICHOLAS deB. KATZENBACH - VICTIM: EXTORTION

REFERENCE:

Airtel 11-21-66

Los Angeles EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY:

SPECIMENS:

Q372, envelope

Q373, typewritten message

Elimination fingerprints of four individuals

No latent prints of value developed.

Laboratory report separate.

Envelope and message enclosed. Submitted climination fingerprints being retained in Latent Fingerprint Section for a period of at least sixty days pending possible receipt of additional evidence for examination. Los Angeles Division should furnish results of latent examination to Er. A. L. Baker, Special Agent, Secret Service, Los Angeles, California.

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(9-1914)San Francisco

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Washington, D. C. 20537

REPORT

of the

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LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

Your file no.

9-1914 9-42847

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December 7, 1966

fbi file no. Latent case no.

TO:

SAC, San Francisco

RE:

UNSUB., AKA,

ET AL.;

JOHN EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM; NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH - VICTIM

EXTORTION

REFERENCE: Airtel 11/22/66

EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY: San Francisco

SPECIMENS:

Q370, one envelope Q371, sheet of paper bearing typewriting

No latent impressions of value developed.

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Laboratory report separate.

Specimens enclosed.

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John Edga Hoover, Director

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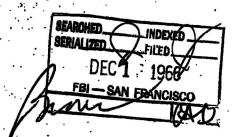
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WHO SHOT KENNERY AND WOUNDED THE TEXAS EGVERNOR.
WHIS INCTHER SHOT J.T.TIPPIT. THEY WERE HIRED DY

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PAGE TWO RICHARD M. MIXON. / YOU KNOW THAT THIS IS THE .

TRUTH BECAUSE SEVERAL VITNESSES SAW YOU SNEAK IN AND OUT OF MIXONS PLACE JUST BEFORE HE WAS KILLED. WE EVEN HAVE A

VOICE RECORDING OF YOU AND NIXON PLANNING KENNEDYS ASSASSINATION

WHICH UNFORTUNATELY WE GOT MUCH TOO LATE TO PREVENT IT.

OUR MEMBERS WILL PASS OUT LEAFLETS IN SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA, AND
BETROIT, MICHIGAN, TO THE PUBLIC. THESE LEAFLETS DESCRIBE IN

DETAIL YOUR CONVERSATION WITH NIXON AND URSE THE PUBLIC TO DEMAND NIXON AND YOUR ARREST FOR THE MURDER OF J.F.KENNEDY.

/S/ KENNEDY'S FRIENDS.".

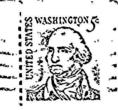
ENVELUPE AND LETTER BEING FORWARDED TO FBI LABORATORY FOR COMPARISON WITH DOCUMENTS PREVIOUSLY FURNISHED.

SF AT SACRAMENTO, CAL. CONDUCT APPROPRIATE INVESTIGATION AMBASSADOR HOTEL IN ATTEMPT TO IDENTIFY UNKNOWN SUBJECT.

SF AND DETROIT BE ALERT FOR LEAFLETS MENTIONED IN THIS COMMUNICATION.

ENDG BLM FBI SAN FRAN Ambassador Hotel 55 Mason S.F. Cal.





A.F.L.-C.I.O. Region 22 1060 S. Broadway Los Angeles, Cal.

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Open Letter

Traitor J.Edgar Hoover, The ruling of the Warren Commission on the assassination of J.F. Kennedy will not stand. Lee Oswald is innocent of all charges. It was before who shot Kennedy and wounded the Texas Governor. His brother shot J.D. Tippit. They were hired by Richard M. Nixon. You know that this is the truth because we have witnesses who saw you sneak in and out of Nixon,s place just before he was killed. We even have a voice recording of you and Nixon planning Kennedy,s assassination which unfortunately we got much too late to prevent it. Our members will pass out leaflets in San Francisco, California and Detroit, Michigan to the public. These leaflets describe in detail your conversation with Nixon and urge the public to demand Nixon,s and your arrest for the murder of J.F. Kennedy.
Kennedy, s Friends
P.S. The leaflets also describe the John Birch Society. Robert Welch is but a public figurehead. The real leader of the John Birch Society but secret is Richard M. Nixon. Nixon has a gang of ten murderers on the payroll. They are and six
brothers. is the leader of the gang. are twins, the are stepbrothers and is a brother-
in law of the have buried Mrs. Parker in an isolated place because she wanted to tell the public that Nixon is the leader of the John Birch Society. The brothers have killed W. Spencer from Sacramento, California because he too wanted to tell the public that Nixon is the actual leader of the John Birch Society. They cut off his head and threw it on the city dumps where it was found in Sacramento and took his headless body and dumped it into the Los Angeles County sewers. The manhole cover is about a few inches above the unpaved ground. His bones are still there. They also killed his son Chuck Spencer because they were afraid that he could identify the twins whom he saw murdering his father. Chuck Spencer was found dead in a box in front of his home.
the leader of the gang lives in California protected by the local ten Cops, ten Deputies and the Sheriff all who are secret
members of the John Birch Society. Live around be
California and the two and x five live in b7c
County, California.

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AIR MAIL

TO : DIRECTOR, PBI (9-42847) ATTH: FBI LABORATORY

Pron: sac, los angeles (9-3218)

RE 1 UNSUB, aka

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J. EDĞAR HOOVER - VICTIN

EXTORTION

00: San Francisco

Re Los Angeles airtel dated 11/21/66.

Enclosed for the Bureau are the original and five xerox copies of a letter which starts with "Open letter Traitor J. Edgar Hoover," and ending with "live in Los Angeles County, California.", and one original envelope and five xerox copies postmarked December 6, 1966, Sacramento, California, addressed to A.F.L.-C.I.O., Region 22, 1060 South Broadway, Los Angeles, California, with return address of Ambassador Hotel, 55 Magon, San Francisco, California.

Enclosed for San Francisco Office is one xerox copy of above described letter and envelope.

On 12/8/66, Captain JOSEPH STEPHENS, Netropolitan Detail, Los Angeles Police Department advised he received above enclosed letter from A.F.L.-C.I.O, Los Angeles.

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The Laboratory is requested to conduct a fingerprint examination and to search against the anonymous letter file. It is not known to what extent the original letter and envelope was handled.





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Airtel to SAC, San Francisco RE: UNSUB, AKA ET AL.

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55 Mason, San Francisco, California. The envelope was postmarked 12/6/66 at Sacramento.

Detroit will note that unknown subject claims that leaflets will be passed out in San Francisco, California, and Detroit, Michigan.

REPORT of the



FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, Los Angeles (9-3218)

December 20, 1966

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J. Edgar Hoover - Victim

EXTORTION

Re: UNSUB. aka

Specimens received 12/15/66

Q374 Envelope postmarked "Sacramento, Calif. 1A AM 6 DEC 1966" bearing typewritten address "A.F.L.-C.I.O." Region 22 1060 S. Broadway Los Angeles, Cal."

Q375 Accompanying typewritten letter beginning "Open Letter Traitor J. Edgar Hoover, The ruling of the Warren Commission on the assassination..."

Result of examination:

The typewritten impressions on Q374 and Q375 are the same style as those appearing on similar specimens previously submitted in this case. The lack of identifying characteristics precluded a definite determination as to whether the same typewriter was employed in the preparation of all of these items.

No watermarks, indented writing, or other identifying characteristics were noted on the questioned items which might indicate their immediate source.

Physical characteristics of the submitted specimens have been noted for possible future reference.

Specimens Q374 and Q375 will be returned separately. Photographs are retained.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, Los Angeles (9-3218)

Date: December 20, 1966

FBI File No. 9-42847

Lab. No.

D-522730

John Edgar Hoover, Director

JK

Re:

UNSUB, aka _______
J. Edgar Hoover - Victim
EXTORTION

00: San Francisco

Examination requested by: Los Angeles

Reference:

Airtel 12/12/66

Examination requested:

Document - Fingerprint

Remarks:

You will be advised separately regarding the results of the fingerprint examination and the disposition of the submitted material.

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EDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Washington, D. C. 20537

REPORT

of the

IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

YOUR FILE NO.

9-3218

FBI FILE NO.

9-42847

LATENT CASE NO.

57341

TO:

SAC, Los Angeles

RE:

UNSUB. AKA

ET AL.:

J. RDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM

EXTORTION

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REFERENCE:

Letter 12-13-66

EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY:

Los Angeles

SPECIMENS:

Letter and envelope, your item #2

No latent prints of value developed.

Specimens enclosed, together with your item #1 (envelope and letter), which was also submitted. Zerox copies of all submitted specimens retained.

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2) - San Francisco (9-1914)

John Edda Hower Director

December 20, 1966

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REPORT of the



FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, Los Angeles (9-3218)

John Edgar Hoover - Wictim;

Nicholas De B. Katzenbach - Victim

Ro: UNSUB, aka

Extortion

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Date: December 20, 1966

FBI File No. 9-42847

Lab. No. D-522648 JK

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Specimens received 12/14/66

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2 letters dated 4/11/65 and 4/14/65 addressed to Mr. James Beigian

3 latters dated 4/11/65, 10/7/65, and 11/11/65 and addressed to Mr. John J. Brogan

Result of examination:

It was concluded that the typewriter used in the preparation of K28 was not used in preparing the pertinent questioned typewritten documents previously submitted in this case.

K23 is returned to Los Angeles. This specimen was not photographed.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, Los Angeles (9-3218)

Date: December 20, 1966

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John Edgar Hoover, Director

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John Edgar Hoover - Victim Nicholas De B. Katzenbach -Victim Extortion

Examination requested by: Los Angeles

Reference;

Letter 12/12/66

Examination requested:

Document

Remarks:

Enclosures (3) (K28, 2 Lab report), 2 - San Francisco (9-1914) Enclosures (2) (2 Lab report)

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Washington, D. C. 20537

REPORT

of the

IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

9-3218

YOUR FILE NO.

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FBI FILE NO. LATENT CASE NO.

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SAC, Los Angeles

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December 22, 1966

UNSUB.. AKA

J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM EXTORTION

REFERENCE:

Airtel 12-12-66

EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY: Los Angeles

SPECIMENS:

Q374, one envelope Q375, typewritten letter

No latent prints of value developed.

Laboratory report separate.

Specimens enclosed.

Enc. (2)

- San Francisco (9-1914)

ver, Director THIS REPORT IS FURNISHED FOR OF

Ambassador Hotel 55 Mason S.F. Cal.





W.J.A.B. 841 Main West B Portland, Maine

Open Letter

Traiter J. Edgar Hoover,

The ruling of the Warren Commission on the association of J.P. Konnedy will not stand. Lee Oswald is immocent of all charges. It was be who shot Konnedy and wounded the Toyas Governor. His brother shot bot J.D. Tippit. They were hired by Richard H. Nixen. You know that this is the truth because we have witnesses who they you saeak in and out of Mixen, s place just before he was killed. We even have a voice recording of you and Mixen planning Kennedy, s assassination which unfortunately we get much too late to

Our members will pass out leaflets in Sun Francisco, California and Detroit, Michigan to the public. These leaflets describe in detail your convertation with Mixon and urge the public to domand Mixon, and your arrest for the nurder of J.F. Kennedy.

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A letter received from WJAB radio station, Westbrook, Maine, and dated December 12, 1966, was received at the Portland, Maine Resident Agency on December 13, 1966.

The WJAB envelope contained another envelope postmarked Sacramento California, AM, December 6, 1966, addressed to "W.J.A.B. 841 Main West B Fortland, Maine," and bearing return address "Ambassador Hotel 55 Mason S.F. Cal.".

This envelope contained a single page typewritten letter which reads as follows:

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"Kennedy, # Friend#"

	" Markon 0 7675
On 12/13/66 of Portland, Maine	File# Boston 9-1615
by SA GUY R. BAILEY/1x	Date dictated_12/14/66
This document contains neither recommendations nor conclusions of the	FBI. It is the property of the FBI and to loaned to your agency;

it and its contents are not to be distributed outside your agency.

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ROBERT MICHAEL, General Manager, Radio Station, W.J.A.B., Westbrook, Maine, telephonically advised he himself received this envelope and letter from the Post Office in Portland, Maine, on December 12, 1966, and had his secretary forward it to the FBI in Portland.

He stated only he handled the letter and its contents.

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DIRECTOR, FBI (9-42847)
(ATTN: IDENTIFICATION DIVISION)

12/27/66

SAC, BOSTON

(9-1615)(RUC)

UNSUB, aka

PTAL;

J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM
NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH - VICTIM
EXTORTION

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(00: San Francisco)

Re Boston teletype to Director dated 12/13/66.

Transmitted herewith are the following documents received by radio station W.J.A.B., Westbrook, Maine, on 12/12/66:

- 1. Envelope postmarked Sacramento, California AM Dec. 6, 1966, addressed W.J.A.B., 841 Main West B Portland, Maine and bearing return address "Ambassador Hotel, 55 Mason SF. Cal."
- 2. Single page typewritten letter which reads as follows:

"Open Letter

"Traitor J.Edgar Hoover,

"The ruling of the Warren Commission on the assassination of J.F. Kennedy will not stand., Lee Oswald is innocent of all charges. It was who shot Kennedy and wounded the Texas Governor. His brother shot J.D. Tippit. They were hired by Richard M. Nixon. You know that this is the truth because we have witnesses who saw you sneak in and out of Nixon, s place just before

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he was killed. We even have a voice recording of you and Nixon planning Kennedy, assassination which unfortunately we got much too Tate to prevent it.

"Our members will pass out leaflets in San Francisco, California and Detroit, Michigan to the public. These leaflets describe in detail your conversation with Nixon and urge the public to demand Nixon, and your arrest for the murder of J.F. Kennedy.

"Kennedy_s Friends"

It is requested that these documents be processed for latent fingerprint impressions and thereafter the typewritten material compared with previous submissions in this case. It is requested the Detroit and San Francisco offices be furnished the results of this examination.

Copies of the enclosed envelope and letter are being furnished Detroit and San Francisco for reference.

Seven copies of FD-302 reflecting source of this letter are enclosed for San Francisco and two copies for Detroit.

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Ambassador Hotel 55 Mason S.F. Cal.





W.O.R.L. Radio Station 330 Stuart Boston, Mass.



December 20, 1966

Mr. James Handley
Special Agent In Charge
Federal Bureau of Investigation
John F. Kennedy Building
Government Center
Boston, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Handley:

The enclosed letter was received by our station. It is the second such letter appearing to be sent by the same person in the past six months. The first such letter was forwarded to your office.

sincerely,

Ken Carter

Program Director

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DIRECTOR, FBI

12/29/66

SAC, BOSTON (89-43)

ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN F. KENNEDY, DAILAS, TEXAS, NOVEMBER 22, 1963

Enclosed to the Bureau is the original of a letter forwarded to W.O.R.L. Radio Station, 330 Stuart, Boston, Mass., from Ambassador Hotel, 55 Mason, S.F., Cal., which was postmarked Sacramento, Calif., 12/8/66.

The wording in the letter definitely appears to be that of somebody who is mentally unstable and is being forwarded for the information of the Bureau and San Francisco.

This letter was received by WORL and forwarded to the Boston Office by letter dated 12/20/66 which was received at the Boston Office on 12/27/66. The Radio Station letter has been acknowledged.

The foregoing is for the information of the Bureau and San Francisco.

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November 29, 1966

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Washington, D. C. 20537

REPORT

of the

IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

YOUR FILE NO.

9-1946

fbi file no.

9-42847

LATENT CASE NO.

57341

TO:

SAC, Detroit

RE:

UNSUB.: AKA

ET AL.;

J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM; NICHOLAS KATZENBACH - VICTIM

EXTORTION

REFERENCE:

SPECIMENS:

Airtel 11-10-66

EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY: Detroit

Three envelopes (Q362, Q365, and Q368)
Two typewritten letters each consisting of
two pages (Q363, Q364, Q366, and Q367)
One other typewritten letter of one page (Q369)

No latent impressions of value developed.

Laboratory report separate.

Above-listed specimens enclosed, together with K27 (post card and leaflet) which was also submitted.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI. Boston (9-1615)

January 5, 1967

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J. Edgar Hoover - Victim

Nicholas De B. Katzenbach - Victim

EXTORTION

Re: UNSUB. aka

12/28/66 Specimens received

0376 Envelope postmarked "Sacramento, California 1 B AM Dec. 6.1966." addressed "W.J.A.B. 841 Main West B Portland, Maine" and bearing return address "Ambassador Hotel. 55 Mason SF. Cal."

Accompanying typewritten letter beginning "Open Letter Traitor J. Edgar Hoover, The ruling of the Warren Commission on the assassination of J. F. Kennedy..." and ending "... Kennedy,s Q377 Friends"

Result of examination:

The typewritten impressions appearing on Q376 and Q377 are the same style as those appearing on other similar specimens submitted in this case. The limited identifying defects prevented a determination as to whether all these were prepared on the same typewriter.

The watermark "HY TONE" appears on the Q376 envelope. This watermark has appeared on other envelopes submitted in this case. No other watermarks, indented writing or other identifying features were noted on the submitted items which might indicate their immediate source.

The physical characteristics of Q376 and Q377 have been noted for possible future reference.

The submitted items will be returned separately. Photographs are retained.



FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, Boston (9-1615)

Date:

FBI File No.

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January 5, 1967

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John Edgar Hoover, Director b7C

UNSUB, aka

ET AL.,

J. Edgar Hoover - Victim Nicholas De B. Katzenbach -Victim

EXTORTION

(00: San Francisco)

Examination requested by: Boston

Reference:

Letter 12/27/66

Examination requested:

Document - Fingerprint

Remarks:

You will be advised separately regarding the results of the fingerprint examination and the disposition of the submitted specimens.

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2) San Francisco (9-1914) Enclosures (2) (2 Lab report)
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IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

YOUR FILE NO.

9-1615

FBI PILE NO.

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LATENT CASE NO.

57341

TO:

SAC, Boston

RE:

J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH - VICTIM

EXTORTION

REFERENCE:

Letter 12/27/66 EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY: Boston

SPECIMENS:

Q376, envelope

Q377, typewritten letter

No latent prints of value developed enclosed specimens, designated in separate laboratory report as Q376 and Q377.

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- San Francisco (9-1914) - Detroit

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RECORD OF INFORMATION FURNISHED OTHER AGENCIES

Orally DEC 2 9 1966 By Telephone Written Communication date
Information concerning:
UNSUB, aka et al; John Edgar Hoover - Victim Nicholas De B. Katzenbach - Victim
Information furnished from File, Serial, and Page Number:
9-1914, Vol's. 1 through 9 & exhibits
Information furnished was obtained:
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from informants
from complainants or other sources
Information furnished to:
LARRY NEWMAN, U.S. Secret Service (USSS)
Remarks:
In response to a request from USSS-HQ, Washington, D.C., SA NEWMAN was briefed on the progress and current status of this case by SA CLARENCE A. BROM, with reference to the file where pertinent.
SA NEWMAN will submit brief to USSS-HQ in this matter and recommend further liaison between USSS-HQ and FBI-HQ as deemed appropriate.
Purpose of this request was to avoid duplication of investigative effort by either USSS-SF or FBI-SF, or offices of these agencies in other areas where leads present themselves.

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Special Agent

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION WASHINGTON, D. C.

TPBI, Boston (9-1615)

Date: January 18, 1967 FBI File No. 9-42847 Lab. No. D-524623 JK

Re: UNSUB. aka

J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM
NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH - VICTIM
EXTORTION

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Specimens received 1/10/67

- Q378 Envelope postmarked "Sacramento, Calif. 1A AM 6 Dec. 1966" addressed "W.O.R.L. Radio Station 330 Stuart Boston, Mass." and bearing the return address of "Ambassador Hotel 55 Mason S. F. Cal."
- Q379 Accompanying typewritten letter beginning "Open Letter Traitor J. Edgar Hoover, The ruling of the Warren Commission on the assassination of J. F. Kennedy..." and ending "...Kennedy,s Friends"

Result of examination:

The typewritten impressions on Q378 and Q379 are the same style as those appearing on other similar specimens which have been submitted in this case. The lack of identifying characteristics precluded a determination as to whether the same typewriter was employed to prepare all of these specimens.

The Q378 envelope bears the watermark "HY TONK" which has appeared on other envelopes in this case. No indented writing, other watermarks or other identifying features were noted which might indicate the immediate sourceof Q378 and Q379.

The submitted items will be returned separately. Photographs are retained.



FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION WASHINGTON, D. C.

To: FBI, Boston (9-1615)

Date: January 18, 1967

FBI file No. 9-42847

Lab. No.

John Edgar Hoover, Director

D-524623 JK

Re: UNSUB. aka

J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH -

VICTIM EXTORTION

Examination requested Francisco

Boston

Reference:

Letter 12/29/66

Examination requested:

Document - Fingerprint

You will be advised separately regarding the results of the fingerprint examination and the disposition of Q378 and Q379.

Enclosures (2) (2 Lab report)
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DIRECTOR, PBI (9-2847) Attn: PBI Laboratory

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ET AL; J. KDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM NICHOLAS MATZENBACH - VICTIM EXTORTION

(OO: SAN PRANCISCO)

Re report of SA CLARENCE A. BROM, atSan Francisco, dated 11/16/66.

Enclosed for the Bureau are the following:

1 - Envelope addressed to "A.F.L. - CI.O.,
2310 Cass, Detroit, Mich.", postmarked December 6,
1966, at Sacramonto, California, return address,
"Ambassador Hotel, 55 Mason, S. F. Cal." and the
enclosed letter, "Open Letter Traitor J. Edgar Hoover,
The ruling of the Warren Commission ..."

2 - Envelope addressed to "Smith Bennie, 1308 Broadway, Detroit, Mich.", postmarked illegible, return address, "AF.L. - C. I. O., 3000 E. Grand Blvd., Detroit, Mich.", and the enclosed letter, "Open Letter to Attorney General Mickolas Katzeman, Dear Sir: A Banker-Republican Comspiracy"

3 - Envelope addressed to "Brotherhood of Sleeping Car Porters, 1308 Broadway, Detroit, Mich.", return address, "A.F.L. C.I.O., 22228 Gratiot, E. Detroit, Mich.", postmarked December 19, 1965, at Detroit, Michigan, and the enclosed letter, "Open Letter to Attorney General Nickolas Katzeman, Dear Sir: A Banker-Republican Conspiracy ..."

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- 4 Envelope addressed to, "Detroit Photo Engravers Union No. 12, 406 Mc Kerchey Eg., Detroit Mich.", postmarked December 19, 1965, at Detroit, return address, "A.F.L. - C.I.O., 22228 Gratict, E. Detroit, Mich.", and the enclosed letter, "Open Letter to Attorney General Mickelss Katzeman, Dear Sir: A Banker-Republican Conspiracy..."
- 5 Envelope addressed to "Detroit Theatre Employees Local B-179, 401 Charlyx Bg., Detroit, Mich.", postmarked December 19, 1965, at Detroit, Michigan, return address, "A.F.L. - C.I.O., 22228 Gratiot, E. Detroit, Mich.", and the enclosed letter, "Open Letter to Attorney General Micholas Katzeman, Dear Sir: A B nker-Republican Conspiracy..."
- 8 Envelope addressed to "A.F.L. C.I.O., 2310 Cass, Detroit, Mich.", postnarked December 18, 1965, at Detroit, Michigan, reura address, "A.F.L. C.I.O., 22228 Gratiot, E. Detroit, Michigan", and the enclosed letter, "Open Letter to Attorney General Nickolas Katzeman Dear Sir: A Banker-Republican Comspiracy...."

Also enclosed for the Bureau and for San Francisco is one Xerox copy of the above listed documents.

Also enclosed for San Funciaco are 9 copies each of FD-302s reflecting interview of JOHN F. WILLIAMS and a FD-302 of reporting receiving envelope and letter at the Detroit Office from the U.S. Auto Workers, through the U.S. mail.

On December 21, 1966, BILL SKILES, Secret Service Agent, V. S. Secret Service, Detroit, advised that his office had no record of anyone receiving letters in the Detroit area of the above type.

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On 1/4/67, Mrs. MARY S. GLADSTONE, Secretary, A.F.L. - C.I.O., 2310 Cass, Detroit, telephonically contacted the Detroit FBI Office and advised that the A.FL - C.I.O. had received in the mail on 12/6/66, a letter, captioned, "Open Letter, Traitor J. Edgar Hoover".

On 1/5/67, JOHN F. WILLIAMS, Secretary Treasurer, Wayne County A.Y.L. - C. I.O., 2310 Cass,
Detroit, furnished above documents 1 - 6. A seventh
letter was received at the Detroit FBI Office by
mail from the United Auto Workers Unbn Headquarters,
8000 E. Jefferson.

Investigation at Detroit revealed no suspects.

The FRI Laboratory is requested to compare the typewriting on theesclosed documents with documents previously received in the case.

The Identification Division is requested to conduct appropriate investigation on the enclosed documents.

Upon completion of the examinations, advise Detroit and San Francisco of the results.

United states government

Memorandum





TO

SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (9-1914)

DATE:

1/23/67

FROM

SAC, LOS ANGELES (9-3218) (RUC)

SUBJECT:

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Et Al;

JOHN EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM;

NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH - VICTIM

EXTORTION

Rerep of Identification Division 12/7/66.

Mr. A. L. BAKER, Special Agent, Secret Service, Los Angeles, was advised of the results of the examination.

No investigation outstanding within the Los Angeles Division, and case is being placed in an RUC status.

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REFERENCES: Report of SA CLARENCE A. BROM, 11/18/66, at SF.

Los Angeles teletype to Bureau, 11/18/66.

San Francisco airtel to Bureau, 11/22/66.

Los Angeles airtel to Bureau, 12/12/66.

Bureau airtel to San Francisco, 12/16/66,

Detroit letter to Bureau, 1/13/67.

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ADMINISTRATIVE

Xerox copies of any communications mailed by UNSUB coming to the attention of the San Francisco Office, are immediately furnished to the U.S. Secret Service in San Francisco.

On December 28, 1966, SA LARRY NEWMAN of the San Francisco office of U.S. Secret Service, asked if this office

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had been supplied any information about indented writing appearing on a letter received by U.S. Secret Service, which was postmarked August 24, 1966, at Reno, Nevada. The letter was directed "Notice to all U.S. Newspapers" and signed "American Freedom Society." SA NEWMAN stated that the indented writing appearing on one of the letters that was examined at the laboratory of U.S. Secret Service, indicated the possible combinations of

"Wace W. Wold Wace W. Wurld Wace W. World Waco W. Wold Waco W. Wuld Waco W. Wurld Waco W. Wurld Waco W. World."

He stated that he does not know under what circumstances the indented writing was obtained and it is possible that his office does not consider it of sufficient significance for dissemination.

A search of the indices of the San Francisco Office as well as telephone and city directories in the San Francisco area, failed to reflect any similar names.

On December 29, 1966, SA NEWMAN, in response to a request from his headquarters in Washington D.C., was briefed on the progress and current status of this case by SA CLARENCE A. BROM with reference to the file where pertinent. The purpose of this request was to avoid duplication of investigative efforts by either his office or the FBI in other areas where leads present themselves. SA NEWMAN stated he will submit a brief to his Washington D. C. headquarters recommending further liaison between the FBI and his headquarters at the Seat of Government. He further advised that his department has authorization to arrest the Unknown Subject as soon as his identity is established and and he is located, under the "Threats Against The President of The United States" statute.

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A copy of this report is designated for the Detroit and Los Angles Offices since any communications mailed by the Unknown Subject are generally directed to Detroit, Michigan or Los Angeles, California.

LEADS

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AT SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA. (1) Will interview CHARLES COFFMAN, 3571 - 13th Street, to determine his background, if he has a typewriter, and so forth, to ascertain if he could possibly be a suspect in this case.

- (2) Will report results of FBI Lab examination of material submitted by the Detroit Office under communication dated 1/13/67.
- (3) Will extend check of hotels south of Market Street in an effort to identify the Unknown Subject.
- (4) Will continue to persue other logical leads which might assist in identifying the Unknown Subject.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Copy to:

Report of:

CLARENCE A. BROM

Office: San Francisco

Date:

1/24/67

Field Office File #:

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Bureau File #: 9-

9-42847

Title:

UNKNOWN SUBJECT, Also Known As

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ET AL;

J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM;

NICHOLAS De B. KATZENBACH - VICTIM

Character:

EXTORTION

Synopsis:

Unknown Subject mailed letters captioned "Death List", postmarked 11/17/66, at San Francisco, Calif., using return address of 55 Mason St., San Francisco, to. republican clubs in Los Angeles and San Francisco. Other letters captioned "Open Letter, Traitor J. Edgar Hoover" postmarked 12/6/66, at Sacramento, California, bear return addresssof Ambassador Hotel, 55 Mason St., San Francisco, California, mailed to radio stations at Westbrook and Boston, Massachusetts, and a labor union at Los Angeles and Detroit. Recipients have no suspects as to author. FBI Lab reports these letters similar to material previously submitted. No latent fingerprints of value developed. No information or suspects developed at Ambassador Hotel, 55 Mason Street, San Francisco. CORGE SAMUEL STONEBECK eliminated as suspect. Other investigation unproductive in identifying UNSUB or developing additional suspects.

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DETAILS:

On November 21, 1966, CHRISTOPHER CONROY, Manager, Ambassador Hotel, 55 Mason Street, San Francisco, California, made available a letter addressed to "Young Republicans, 325 Market Street, San Francisco, California," bearing the return address of "American F.S., 55 Mason, S.F. Cal." This letter was postmarked AM, November 17, 1966, at San Francisco. The envelope contained letter captioned "Death List" and closes

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with "American Freedom Society (Anti John Birch Society)." The letter was returned undelivered to the Ambassador Hotel.

The Telephone Directory lists address of the Young Republicans of San Francisco at 525 Market Street, San Francisco, California. Also at this address are listed the Republican Headquarters, Republican County Central Committee of San Francisco, Republican State Central Committee of California, and Republican Alliance, Inc.

The following is a Xerox copy of the letter and envelope:

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On November 18, 1966, PATRICIA LEE HOUSTON, Secretary to CHARLES GOODSPEED, Executive Director, Los Angeles County Republican Committee, 1326 - 6th Street, Los Angeles, California, furnished the Los Angeles FBI Office with a typewritten letter and envelope postmarked November 17, 1966, at San Francisco, California, and addressed to Republican Headquarters, 1326 West 6th Street, Los Angeles, California. The contents of this letter are identical with the one on the previous page.

Miss HOUSTON advised that the offices of RONALD REAGAN, RICHARD M. NIXON, and BARRY GOLDWATER have been made aware of this threat. She stated that she would be alert for any additional letters as she is the person who opens the mail at the office.

By communication dated November 30, 1966, the FBI Lab advised that typewritten impression on the letters submitted by the San Francisco and Los Angeles Offices are of the same style as the impressions appearing on similar specimens received in this case but there are not a sufficient number of identifying characters to determine whether all these were prepared with the same typewriter.

The envelopes bear the watermark "HY TONE", Which is registered to Destab, Dayton, Ohio. No other watermarked, indented writing, or other identifying features were noted on the questioned items which might indicate their immediate source.

No latent prints of value were developed on this material.

By communication dated December 12, 1966, the Los Angeles Office reported that on December 8, 1966, Captain JOSEPH STEPHENS, Metropolitan Detail, Los Angeles, Police Department, advised he received a letter addressed to A.F.L.-C.I.O. Region 22, 1060 S. Broadway, Los Angeles, Cal., with a return address of Ambassador Hotel, 55 Mason, S.F. Cal., postmarked December 6, 1966, at Sacramento, California.

The following is a Xerox copy of the envelope and letter:

SF 9-1914 CAB:km By communication dated December 13, 1966, the Boston Office advised that Radio Station WJAB, Westbrook, Maine, received a similar letter bearing the same postmark and message, but does not carry the post script that appeared on the letter directed to the A.F.L. - C.I.O., in Los Angeles. Two similar letters were received by labor unions in Detroit, Michigan, which letters did not carry the post script relative to the John Birch Society, although the wording in the top portion of the letter is identical. No copies of this letter were turned in to the San Francisco Office, and none have been returned undelivered to the Ambassador Hotel, 55 Mason Street, San Francisco. The address of the Ambassador Hotel, 55 Mason Street, San Francisco, has been used on five previous mailings. Extensive investigation in the Ambassador Hotel has developed no suspects, although regular contact is maintained with management and employees of this hotel.

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The Boston Office was advised that Radio Station W.O.R.L., 330 Steward, Boston, Massachusetts, received a similar letter which was postmarked Sacramento, California, December 6, 1966, and had a return address of Ambassador Hotel, 55 Mason Street, San Francisco, California.

By communication dated January 5, 1967, the TBI Lab reported that the typewritten impressions appearing on the material submitted by the Boston Office are the same style as those appearing on other similar specimens, submitted in this case. The limited identifying defects prevented a determination as to whether these were prepared on the same typewriter. The watermark "HY TONE" appears on the envelopes. This watermark has appeared on other envelopes submitted in this case. No other watermarks, indented writing, or other identifying features were noted on the submitted items which might indicate their immediate source. No latent prints of value were developed on this material.

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On December 31, 1966, an envelope and a letter was received via U. S. mail at the Detroit Office of the FBI, from the United Auto Workers Union Headquarters, 8000 East Jefferson, Detroit, Michigan.

The envelope was addressed, "UAW, 8000 E. Jefferson, Detroit, Mich.", postmarked December 6, 1966, at Sacramento, California, return address, "Ambassador Hotel, 55 Mason, S. F. Cal." The letter was captioned, "Open Letter Traitor J. Edgar Hoover".

This letter was received at the United Auto Workers Headquarters, 8000 East Jefferson, on December 12, 1966.

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JOHN F. WILLIAMS, Secretary, Treasurer, Wayne County AFL-CIO, 2310 Cass, furnished the following documents to the interviewing agents:

- 1 Envelope addressed to "A.F.L. C.I.O., 2310 Cass, Detroit, Mich.", postmarked December 6, 1966, at Sacramento, California, return address, "Ambassador Hotel, 55 Mason, S. F. Cal." and the enclosed letter, "Open Letter Traiter J. Edgar Hoover, The ruling of the Warren Commission"
- 2 Envelope addressed to "Smith Bennie, 1308 Broadway, Detroit, Mich.", postmarked illegible, return address, "A. F. L.- C.I.O., 3000 E. Grand Blvd., Detroit, Mich", and the enclosed letter, "Open Letter to Attorney General Mickelss Katzeman, Dear Sir: A Banker - Republican Conspiracy
- 3 Envelope addressed to "Brotherhood of Sleeping Car Porters, 1308 Breadway, Detroit, Mich.", return address, "A.F.L. C.I.O., 22228 Gratiot, E. Detroit, Mich.", postmarked December 19, 1965, at Detroit Michigan, and the enclosed letter, "Open Letter to Attorney General Mickelms Katzeman, Dear Sir: A Benker-Republican Comspiracy..."
- 4 Envelope addressed to "Detroit Photo Engravers Union No. 12, 406 Mc Kerchey Bg., Detroit Mich.", postmarked December 19, 1965, at Detroit, return address, "A.F.L. - C.I.O., 22228 Gratiot, K. Detroit, Mich.", and theselosed letter, "Open Letter to Attorney General Kickolas Katzeman, Dear Sir: A Banker-Republican Comspiracy ..."
- 5 Envelope addressed to "Detroit Theatre Employees Local B-179, 401 Charlyx Bg., Detroit, Mich.", postmarked December 19, 1965, at Detroit, Michigan, return address, "A.F.L. - C.I.O., 22228 Gratiot, M. Detroit, Mich.", and the enclosed letter,

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"Open Letter to Attorney General Mickolas Katzeman, Dear Sir: A Banker-Republican Conspiracy"

6 - Envelope addressed to "A. F. L. -C.I.O., 2310 Cass, Detroit, Mich.", postmarked December 19, 1965, at Detroit, Michigan, return address, "A.F.L. - C.I.O., 22228 Gratiot, E. Detroit, Michigan", and the enclosed letter, "Open Letter to Attorney General Nickolas Katzeman Dear Sir; A Banker-Republican Conspiracy ..."

Mr. WILLIAMS advised that document #1 and #6 were received at the A.F.L. C.I.O., Wayne County Office, 2310 Cass, through the United States mail; #1 being received at the union on December 12, 1966, and #6 being received at the union on December 20, 1965.

Number 2 and #3 articles listed above were received by Mr. WILLIAMS at the A.F. L. -C.I.O. from Mr. BENNIE SMITH, First International Vice President of the Brotherhood of the Sleeping Car Porters, Detroit - Pittsburgh Zone Headquarters, 1308 Broadway, Room 304-5, Detroit, Michigan, by letter dated December 21, 1965.

Number 4 listed above was received by Mr. WILLIAMS at the A. F. L. - C. I. O., Wayne County Office from the Detroit Lethographers and Photo Engraver's International Union Mo. 12-P, 406 Mc Kerchey Building, 2631 Woodward, Detroit.

Mr. WILLIAMS advised that this letter and envelope were just put in an envelope and mailed to the A. F. L. - CIO with no attached letter of explanation from the Detroit Lethographers Union. He stated that apparently this union had received this letter in the mail.

Number 5 article above was furnished to Mr. WILLIAMS by letter dated December 23, 1965, from Merry V. Frazier, Business Representative, Detroit Theatre: Employees' Local B-79, 401-2 Charlevoix, Building, Detroit, Michigan.

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Mr. WILLIAMS advised that he could furnish no suspects who could have written these letters.

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GEORGE MERRELLI, Regional Director, United Automobile Workers (UAW), Region 1, Detroit Area, was contacted at the Solidarity House, 8000 East Jefferson, Detroit, Michigan, at which time he furnished the following information:

Mr. MERRELLI furnished the original letter that was received at the UAW Number 909 in August, 1966, and the envelope which the letter was enclosed in. The typewritten letter that was received at the UAW Number 909 was not the original of the letter but a carbon copy of this letter.

Mr. MERRELLI stated that he recalled that at the same time that this letter was received at UAW Number 909, the same letter was also received at the UAW Number 412 located at 19684 Conant, Detroit. Mr. MERRELLI furnished a photostatic copy of the envelope that enclosed this letter to UAW Number 412 and he stated that the original letter and envelope could possibly be acquired at the Union Hall itself. He did not have the original letter or the envelope in his files. This envelope also bore the return address of "A.F.L. - C.I.O., 995 Market, San Francisco, Cal."

Mr. MERRELLI stated that he had furnished a photostat of the letter which had been received by UAW Local 909 to the UAW headquarters in San Francisco and that he had received correspondence back from San Francisco indicating that the address, A.F.L. - C.I.O., 995 Market, San Francisco, California, was non-existent.

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Catholic Laymen's League, Post Office Box 4866, Detroit. The literature was captioned "'Civil Rights' or Freedom's Orbituary?" Mr. SULLIVAN stated that he had no reason to believe that STARIHA was responsible for mailing the other two communications, being the one captioned "Calendar of Future Events" and the other captioned "Open Letter To Attorney General Nickolas Katzeman". This was just a thought on his part.

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DANIEL T. BUSH, President, United Automobile Workers (UAW) Local 909, 24489 Mound Road, Warren, Michigan, viewed a photocopy of a letter addressed to "UAW No. 909, 23695 Mound, Detroit, Michigan" with a return address "A.F.L. - C.I.O., 995 Market, San Francisco, Cal. , postmarked August 10, 1966, San Francisco, California. The letter itself was a two page typewritten letter captioned at the beginning "Calendar of Future Events" and at the conclusion of the letter the name was typed. Mr. BUSH stated that he recalled receiving this letter at the UAW Hall approximately two or three months ago and that he immediately forwarded it to GEORGE MERREILI, Regional Director, Region 1, Detroit area for UAW, located at the Solidarity House, 8000 East Jefferson, Detroit, Michigan. Mr. BUSH advised that he had received a copy of a letter which was addressed to Mr. MERRELLI from the UAW headquarters in San Francisco stating in words to the effect that the return address on this letter, A.F.L. - C.I.O., 995 Market, San Francisco, California, was non-existent.

Mr. BUSH advised that Mr. MERRELLI could possibly furnish the original copy of this letter that was received by him.

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RAYMOND J. SUILIVAN, President, United Automobile Workers (UAW) Local 412, 19689 Conant, Detroit, Michigan, furnished the following information:

Mr. SULLIVAN produced a two page letter which was captioned "Calendar of Future Events" and the typewritten name

Be also produced an envelope in which the above letter was enclosed. This envelope was addressed to UAW Number 412, 19684 Comant, Detroit, and postmaked August 10, 1966, at San Francisco, California. Mr. SULLIVAN stated that this letter was received at the union hall semetime in August, 1966.

Mr. SULLIVAN stated that back in December, 1965, another letter was received at the union hall. He produced this letter which was a one page letter captioned "Open Letter To Attorney General Mickelas Katseman" and at the conclusion of the letter was the typewritten letters "A.F.L. - C.I.O." This letter was enclosed in an envelope which was addressed to NAN Number 412, 19684 Conant, Detroit, Michigan, and postmarked December 19, 1965, at Detroit.

Mr. SULLIVAN stated that when he first received the letter in 1965, he thought possibly that this letter was sent to him by one JOHN C. STARINA, residence address 2406 Benjamin Street, Royal Oak, Michigan. Mr. SULLIVAN explained that STARINA was presently a retired member of UAV Local 412 and that for the past few years STARINA has been mailing numerous "right wing" literature and communications to the union hall. Mr. SULLIVAN said that none of the communications received from STARINA had ever contained any threats whatsoever and he had always signed his name to the communications.

Mr. SULLIVAN produced a postcard which was typewritten and postcard Royal Cak, Michigan, October 1, 1966. This postcard was captioned "Dear Mr. Sullivan" and it was signed JACK C. STARIHA. Mr. SULLIVAN also produced a piece of literature which had been mailed to the union hall by STARIHA. This was a piece of literature which was put out by the

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The names and details contained in the "Open Letter, Traitor J. Edgar Hoover" are the same as used in previous letters dealing with the assassination of former President, JOHN F. KENNEDY. This, however, is the first time Unknown Subject has connected with the John Birch Society. The names and incidents listed were checked and rechecked and a detailed investigation conducted.

No such individuals were found to reside in the

California area or have the incidents as set out ever occurred in this area or any other place in

California, as far as can be determined.

On November 30, 1966,

the Seventh Day Adventist Service and Welfare Office, 1230
Sutter Street, and active in the Seventh Day Adventist
Tabernacle, 673 Capp Street, was shown an exemplar of the
letter captioned "Calendar of Future Events" which was
signed and directed to the "UAW No. 909,
23695 Mound, Detroit Michigan." She stated that the contents
and predictions in the letter are not compatible with the
beliefs of the Seventh Day Adventists but stated that some
of the passages remind her of a former active member of the
church, GEORGE STONEBECK, who is better known as "Sandwich
George." She stated that STONEBECK left the Seventh Day
Adventist Church about six years ago as he did not go along
with the church policies. He now works independently on
the streets in the business section of San Francisco. She,
however, stated that STONEBECK is not a vicious person and
has never shown any interest in politics. She stated that
he currently resides at 3777 - 25th Street in San Francisco

On the same date, H.E. WHITEHOUSE, who works as an independent nondenominational minister on the streets of San Francisco, was shown the same exemplar and stated that the material contained therein did not make any since to him and that he could not associate it with anyone familiar to him. He suggested contacting a member of the Seventh Day Adventist Church as that church group relies on certain prophecies in religion.

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b6 b7C SF 9-1914 CAB:km LESTER W. KENT, Pastor of the Central Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses, 1619 Laguna Street, examined this material but stated that he could not associate it with any religious group nor could he offer any suspects as to the identity of the writer. On December 14, 1966, GEORGE SAMUEL STONEBECK, 3777 - 25th Street, San Francisco, California, advised that he has been working as an independent minister on the streets of San Francisco passing out pamphlets for the past six years. He was formerly employed as an electrican at the Bethlehem Steel Yards and later as a guard at McNeil Island Penitentiary. He stated he is better known as "Sandwich George" by the public in the business area of San Francisco. He has resided in San Francisco since scoming here from Pennsylvania in 1934. STONEBECK, after reading the exemplar "Calendar of Future Events" stated that author is "sick" and does not know his Bible. He stated he has never encountered anyone in his daily movements whom he would consider as a suspect in preparing such a letter and that he personally does not discuss or get involved in plitical arguments. He was also shown some of the exemplars dealing with the KENNEDY assassination but stated that he has never heard any discussion along the line indicated in the letters nor has he heard any

serious discussions on the assassination.

On January 3, 1967, Mr. M.J. DOUGHERTY, Day Clerk at the Hotel Lankersheim, 55 Fifth Street, San Francisco, advised that he has been employed at this hotel for the past ten years and is personally acquainted with most of the tenants. He stated that the hotel has approximately 250 permanent guests, most of whom are pensioners. He, however, does not know any of them to do any amount of typing or of being outspoken along the lines reflected in the letters of the Unknown Subject.

He feels if a tenant of his hotel was involved he would know about it as the tenants generally congregate in the lobby and he is aware of most of their problems and discussions.

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never hear	ECKERT was not a letter writer and to the best of knowledge he never wrote a letter to anyone except On the rare occasions when he did write to was only at the urging of has rd of an organization called the American F. Society, erican Freedom Society.	ь6 ь7С
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To: FBI, Detroit (9-1946)

Date: January 24, 1967 FBI File No. 9-42847

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Re: UNSUB, aka

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J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM NICHOLAS KATZENBACH - VICTIM EXTORTION

Specimens received 1/16/67

- Envelope postmarked "SACRAMENTO, CALIF. 1B AM 6 DEC 1966" Q380 bearing typewritten address "A.F.L.-C.I.O. 2310 Cass Detroit, Mich."
- Q381 Accompanying carbon copy of a one-page typewritten letter beginning "Open Letter Traitor J. Edgar Hoover, ruling of the..."
- 0382 Envelope postmark illegible, bearing typewritten address "Smith Bennie 1308 Broadway Detroit, Mich."
- Q383 Accompanying carbon copy of a one-page typewritten letter beginning "Open Letter To Attorney General Nickolas Katzeman Dear Sir; A Banker-Republican..."
- Q384 Envelope postmarked "DETROIT, MICH. 5A PM 19 DEC 1965" bearing typewritten address "Brotherhood Of Sleeping Car Porters 1308 Broadway Detroit, Mich."
- 0385 Accompanying carbon copy of a one-page typewritten letter beginning "Open Letter To Attorney General Nickolas Katzeman Dear Sir; A Banker-Republican..."
- Envelope postmarked "DETROIT, MICH. PM 19 DEC 1965" bearing typewritten address "Detroit Photo Engravers Q386 Union No. 12 406 Mc Kerchey Bg. Detroit, Mich."

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Accompanying carbon copy of a one-page typewritten letter Q387 beginning "Open Letter To Attorney General Nickolas Katzeman Dear Sir; A Banker-Republican..."

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- Q388 Envelope postmarked "DETROIT, MICH. PM 19 DEC 1965" bearing typewritten address "Detroit Theatre Employes Local B-179 401 Charlyx Bg. Detroit, Mich."
- Q389 Accompanying carbon copy of a one-page typewritten letter beginning "Open Letter To Attorney General Nickolas Katzeman Dear Sir; A Banker-Republican..."
- Q390 Envelope postmarked "DETROIT, MICH. 5B PM 19 DEC 1965" bearing typewritten address "A.F.L.-C.I.O. 2310 Cass Detroit Mich."
- Q391 Accompanying carbon copy of a one-page typewritten letter beginning "Open Letter To Attorney General Nickolas Katzeman Dear Sir; A Banker-Republican..."
- Q392 Envelope postmarked "SACRAMENTO, CALIF. 1B AM 6 DEC 1966" bearing typewritten address "U.A.W. 8000 E. Jefferson Detroit, Mich."
- Q393 Accompanying carbon copy of a one-page typewritten letter beginning "Open Letter Traitor J. Edgar Hoover, The ruling of the..."

Result of examination:

The typewritten impressions on Q380 through Q393 conform in style to those appearing on similar specimens previously submitted in this case; however, the lack of identifying defects precludes a determination as to whether the same typewriter was employed in preparing all of these.

No watermarks, indented writing, or other identifying features were noted on the submitted items which might indicate their immediate source.

Q380 through Q393 will be returned separately. Photographs are retained.







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J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM NICHOLAS KATZENBACH - VICTIM EXTORTION

00: San Francisco

Examination requested by: Detroit

Reference:

Letter 1/13/67

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint

Remarks:

You will be advised separately regarding the results of the fingerprint examination ind the disposition of Q380 through Q393.

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LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

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LATENT CASE NO.

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SAC, Boston

RE:

ET AL.;

J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH - VICTIM EXTORTION

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REFERENCE:

Letter 12/29/66

EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY: Boston

Envelope, Q378

Letter, Q379

Referenced letter had caption "Assassination of President John F. Kennedy, Dallas, Texas, November 22, 1963."

No latent prints developed.

Envelope and letter enclosed.

Laboratory report separate.

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January 23, 1967

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The information concerning the alleged narcotics outlet of the HOBBYIST TROPICALS, 1658 Market St., SE, was furnished to Lt. NORBERT CURRIE of the Narcotics Squad of the SF PD on 1/27/67.

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On 1/29/67 PCI called and was later met at which time he stated that he believes that an individual who uses the names of may be identical with the writer of the letters in the above case. He stated that is believed to be his true name and he last know him to leas live somewhere on Geary St. near Van Ness Ave. PCI described this individual as a homosecual who considers himself as a writer and has attempted to have several books published without success. He stated he has in the past hung out in City Hall Park and also spends a lot of time in the Public Library. He was a writer for some publication several years ago that had an office on Leavenworth St., north of Turk St. He described this individual as about 55 years of ago, 5'8" to 5'9" tall, heavy set, who generally dresses in a suit. In the past he usually associated himself with various protest groups. PCI stated he has not seen him recently but believes he is still around town.

PCI was instructed to attempt to fully identify this individual through his sources and to determine where he resides and as much as he can of his background.

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REPORT

IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

YOUR FILE NO.

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LATENT CASE NO.

57341

TO:

SAC, Detroit

RE:

J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM

NICHOLAS KATZENBACH - VICTIM

EXTORTION

REFERENCE:

Letter 1/13/67

EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY: Detroit

SPECIMENS:

Q380 through Q393, seven envelopes and seven accompanying typewritten letters

January 27, 1967

No latent prints of value developed on the enclosed specimens.

Laboratory report separate.

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UNITED 'STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC SAN FRANCISCO (9-1914)

DATE: 3/17/67

FROM :

SA CHARLES N. HINER

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J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM

NICHOLAS KATZENBACH - VICTIM

EXTORTION

Suspect (LNU)

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on 3/16/67, advised that the prior evening from about 9:00 to 9:45 p.m., suspect was at the Polk-Rendezvous Bar, Polk St., San Francisco. After having several drinks, suspect conversed with informant, at which time he stated that he had worked for Ford Motor Co., Detroit, Mich., in 1939-1940 and that the FBI caused him "some trouble." At this point suspect made numerous derogatory comments concerning the FBI and stated he hated J. EDGAR HOOVER. Informant recalls that he mad several derogatory comments regarding HOOVER but no specific threats. Suspect made no mention of having directed any calls or letters to the FBI.

Informant stated that suspect had several double shots during the period he was at the bar; however, he did not consider suspect to be intoxicated. He considered suspect a nut and a fanatic insofar as his apparent hatred for the FBI.

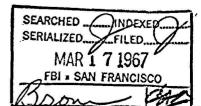
Informant advised that suspect has frequented this bar and the House of Harmony, Polk St., several times a month during recent months. He claimed to be employed by the City of San Francisco at the Sewage Disposal Plant located on the beach. Suspect commented that he rents a room for \$50 a month at ______ He mentioned to informant that he served in the U. S. Navy, was 45 years old, and that althoughlis last name is French, he is of basically English descent, and either Anglican or Episcopal faith.

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Suspect described as:

White Race: Male Sex: 45 Age: 5'10" Height: Build: Stocky

Black, full Hair:

Identifying features: Bad teeth, partial plate
Attire: Casual, slacks, sport shirt, sport coat

Route to SA BROM for appropriate investigation ACTION; of suspect.

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Park. He described him as about 55 years of age, 5' 3' to 5' 9" tall, heavy set and generally dressed in a dress suit. In the past, he had associated himself with various protest groups. He has not seen him around town recently, but believes he is still in the area.

On subsequent contact, PCI was unable to further identify him or locate this individual.

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Informant stated that he has seen this suspect several times during recent months at this bar and also the Hous of Harmony on Polk Street and that the individual claimed to be employed by the City of San Francisco at the Sewage Disposal Plant located on the Beach. He stated that he rents a room for \$50 a month at This individual further stated that he served in the United States Navy and that although his last name is French, he is of English descent. He is about 45 years of age, 5' 10" tall and of stocky build. Informant stated that although the suspect was drinking, he did not consider him drunk.

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AT DETROIT, MICHIGAN: Will review the Detroit file 175-1, captioned threats against b6 JOHN EDGAR HOOVER, Director of FBI; GEORGE RONNEY, GOVERNOR b7C of Michigan; ROMALD REAGAN, Governor of California; Protection of the President, to determine the mereabouts of during the pertinent period of this case and other activities to either climinate or establish him as a suspect in this case.

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AT SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA: Will conduct appro-(INU) who is alleged priate investigation to identify and who is employed at the San Franto reside at cisco Sewage Disposal Plant to either eliminate or identify him as a suspect.

Will maintain contact with PCI determine if he is successful in fully identifying the person b6

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Will ascertain the reason why HAROLD J. JELENKO, but have formerly of 380 Eddy Street, may be wanted by the Ean Francisco Police Department, and develop his background.

Will, if necessary, check the records at the University of California Hospital, Third and Parmassus Street, where JELLEKO is reported as an out-ratient.

Will maintain contact with SA LARRY NEWIAN of the Sen Francisco Office of United States Secret Service for any additional information he may receive or develop relative to this case.

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AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA: A copy of this report is being designated for the los angeles Office for information purposes since in the past, Unsub has generally mailed communications to that area.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Copy to:

Report of:

CLARENCE A. BROM

Office:

BAN PRANCISCO

Date:

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Field Office File #:

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Bureau File #: 9-42847

Title:

UNKNOWN SUBJECT, Also Known As

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J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIN;

NICHOLAS DO D. KATZENBACH - VICTIM

Character:

EXTORTION

Effort to identify the author or the possible religious affillation of the writer of letter captioned "Calendar of Future
Events" negative. Suspects developed through investigation
have been eliminated. Indented writing found on letter submitted to United States Secret Service determined to be that
of WALF W. WUFFEL, vice-president of Radio Press International
in New York City, which company received one of the letters.
Letters submitted by the Detroit Office found to be similar
to others submitted in this case. No latent prints of value
were developed on them.

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DETAILS

Christian Science Reading Room, 151 Powell Street, San Francisco, California, advised that she is unable to identify the material contained in the letter "Calendar of Future Events" with any religious group and states that is is not of Christian Science origin or views. She suggested contact with Mr. HENRY CURRAN of the Committee on Publications of the Christian Science Church at 210 Post Street.

On March 17, 1967, HENRY O. CURRAN, Chairman, Christian Science Committee on Publication, 210 Post Street, Son Francisco, upon reviewing the contents of the letter

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captioned "Calendar of Future Eyents," stated he was unable to associate it with any religious group or anyone eyer coming to his attention. He reviewed the complaints received in his office and although he was familiar with most of the authors, none were found that could be associated with the Unsub. Nost of the complaints received by him are signed and bear a return address and deal mainly with some dispute or disagreement of church policies.

Mr. CURRAN stated he has been in San Francisco for the past 18 years, but that he is unable to furnish any suspect in this case based on his acitivities in the San Francisco area.

GEORGE SAMUEL STONEBECK, 3777 - 25th Street, San Francisco, an independent minister who operates on the streets of San Francisco passing out phamplets and other literature, on recontact March 9, 1967, stated he has been unable to develop any information or suggest any suspect in this case. He again stated that the author of the letter "Calendar of Future Events" is well-versed with the Bible and used true passages from various religious tracts at random in compiling the letter. He expressed the opinion that the author may be a mental case.

Department of the Main Library of the San Francisco Public Library of March 20, 1967 expressed the opinion that the author of the letter "Calendar of Future Events" is not necessarily afiliated with any religious group but may be a person who has done considerable research to fit his own curiosity about the "present day God is dead" philosophy. She stated that during the past several years, there has been a large demand for books along this line by people of all ages and in all walks of life and that it is not limited to so-called "far-out cults."

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She then pointed out that among the most popular books in that category are "A Gift of Prophesy" by JEANNE DIXON, who has become well known for her vision-based predications on the Space Program, spread of racial violence and so forth. Mrs. DIXON is a Catholic and a Republican and still lives in Washington, DC.

Another very popular book is, "EDGAR CAYCE, The Sleeping Prophet" by JESS STEARN who predicts the destruction of most of San Francisco, Los Angeles, and New York City, the end of Communism in Russia, the Christianization and democratization of Red China, the slipping of much of Japan into the sea, the rising of the lost continent of Atlantis, and the further tilting of the Earth's rotational axis with a drastic reversal of global climates.

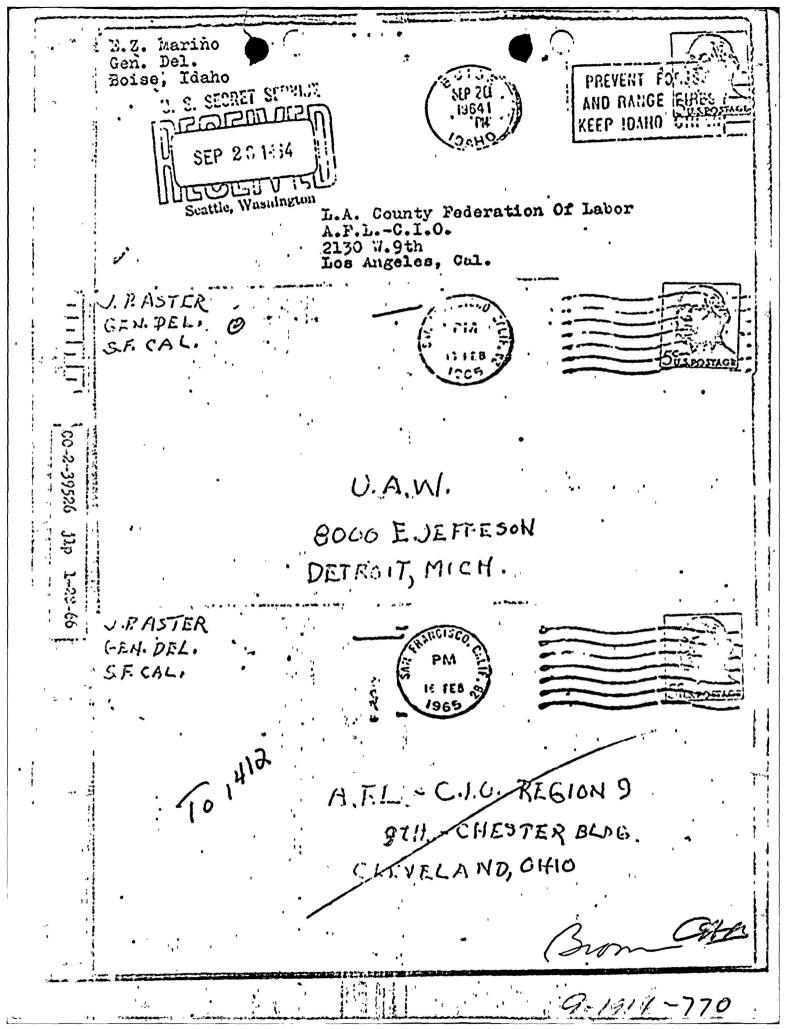
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	as a possible suspect. She was aware	b70
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against him may be. She stated that he is 84 years of age, but still very active and whom the considered a controversial and argumentive individual. She, however, has no information that he was mailing any letters of the type as prepared by the Unsub, but believes he would be capable of so doing. She further believes that he may be an out-patient from the University of California Hospital. The CHARLIE COFFMAN who made phone calls to the San Francisco Office of the FBI complaining about various things has been determined to be identical with CHARLES COFFMAN, 3571 - 16th Street, Apartment 1, San Francisco, who during 1966 sent Western Union telegrens to Senator NURFHY of California and also made numerous phone calls to Senator MURPHY's office. Investigation determined that he resorted entirely to telegrams and telephone calls and was not known to send any letters. COFFMAN, who is a white male, about 63 years of age, and suffering from a severe case of glaucoma and emphysema, is a former meaman. He has generally been intexicated when sending the telegrams or making the telephone calls. He is being climinated as a suspect in this case. On March 17, 1967, SA LARRY NEWMAN of the San Francisco Office of the United States Secret Service who previously advised that indented writing appearing on a letter received by the Secret Service which was postmarked August 21, 1966 at Reno, Neveds and was directed "Notice to all U. S. Inspectors" and signed "American Freedom Society" appeared to be a possible combination of: WACE W. WORLD WACO W. WOURLD or some similar combination of letters was definitely determined to be the signature of WALT W. WURFEL, vice-president of Radio Press International in New York City, which Office received a copy of this letter and which was turned over to - 4 -

JELENKO, who stayed at the Cadillac Hotel for several months and who allegedly is being sought by the San Francisco Police Department, although she does not know what the charge

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SF 9-1914 CAD/rkt the United States Secret Service. SA NEWMAN advised that on February 2, 1967, he met with the following heads of the various sections of the San Francisco Public Library in an effort to develop information leading the the possible identity of the Unsub: Mrs. AVIA STOPPLE Chief Librarian Mrs. O'DONNELL Science and Technology Section Mrs. KAREN SCANNELL History Department Mrs. IRMA J. WHITE Literature Department Niss BEITY RETHINNEYER Business Librarian JOHN CASALEGGIO Periodicals Department RENE MORALES General Reference Mr. NEWMAN stated that none of them were able to suggest any suspects in this case and that he requested them to be on the slert for individuals using their facilities in the future, but that to date, he has not received any calls on possible suspects. By communication dated January 24, 1967, the Bureau advised that an examination of the letters submitted by the Detroit Office reflected that the typewritten impressions conformed in style to those appearing on similar specimens previously submitted in this case; however, the lack of identifying defects precludes a determination as to whether the same typewriter was employed in proparing all of these letters. No waterwarked, indented writing, or other identifying features were noted on the submitted items which might indicate their immediate source. No latent prints of value were developed on the submitted specimens. - 5* -



Notice To All U.S. Newspapers

The two bloodthirsty warmongers will be executed. Please notify the F.B. no that they will be ready to die. We will kill President Johnson, Vice Prosident Humphrey, destroy the U.S. Justice Department and put an end to this craimer in Vietnam.

American Freedom Society

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> Atlanta Constitution National Press Bldg.

Washington, D.C.

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To Whom It May Concern

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Lee Oswald (The Rabbit) has been framed for the shooting of J.F. Kennedy and the Dallas policeman. It was who shot the late Kennedy and wounded the Texas Governor. His brother shot the Dallas policeaan. Both live and work in California. They are tall with light complexion and are a part of a gang of ten murderers all belonging to the same family by marriage and birth. Their hometown is ______ Texas. The U.S. bankers wanted a war with Russia, (over the Cuban issue) so they could save the Federal Reserve System and Bankers Dictatorship. But Kennedy did not want a war, so they let their views be known to their leader Alfred I. Dupont and his father. Death for Kennedy has been requested by Dupont and carried out by his two loyal servants, J.Edgar Hoover and Richard M. Nixon. Both Hoover and Nixon have a lot of friends in the Dallas Police Department and many other be places. In ______ Cal. not only is the Police Department, the Sheriff, his b7c Deputies but even the County Coroner are friends of Nixon and work for him. Other members of the murdering gang of ten, are brothers (two of them twins) and his two stepbrothers,

is the leader of this gang and lives in or near grigarita. California.

brothers live in California. The other five

lifornia. Murders committed by this gang are too numerous to mention all of them.

Here are a few of them. W. Spencer from the twin city Yuba & &u City-Marysville, Cal. has been knifed and decapitated about four years ago by the murdering twins Richard M. Nixon paid 500 dollars for this job. They be threw his decapitated head on the dumps in the twin city district and took his byc

headless body and dumped him in the sewer in North Los Angeles County. Lis bones

are still there. The manhole cover is a few inches above the gr unpaved growil. . Chack Speacer a goodlooking teenager and son of the murdered W. Spencer has been brothers done it. Mrs. Parker has been found dead in in a box. The murdered and buried near · Oroville, Cal. by Nixon paid 500 dollars for this job too. Nixon was afraid of Mrs. Parker who knew too much about him.

The Police and the Sheriff in Yuba City know about these murders but they happen to be very dear friends of Nixon and J.Edgar Hoover and will cover up any crimes that the gang is guilty of .

J.F. Kennedy,s Ghost

P.S. Have sent several rupities copies of this letter without the P.S. to the F.B.I. with the return address of the labor unions. That means that J.E. Hoover will send out his agents to frame your union members and put them in 🖟 jail for something they did not do. If it is alright to frame Lee Oswald for a murder he did not do, than it is alright to frame your union members. Nobody cared about Leek Oswald so who cares about your unions.

KITED STATES GOVERNMENT U. S. SECRET SERVICE LEMOTANAUM co-2-39,526 FEBRUARY 10, 1967 SAIC DECKARD - CLEVELAND FACE : SAIC TOWNS -INTELLIGENCE DIVISION work- envelope NUMBERS UNKNOWN SUBJECT THIS CASE ORIGINATED IN SEPTEMBER, 1964 WITH THE RECEIPT OF AN ANDIMMOUS LETTER POSTMARKED BOISE, IDAHO. EXTENSIVE INVESTIGATION 'BAS BEEN CONDUCTED BY THIS SERVICE AND THE FBI, HOWEVER, THE SUBJECT HAS NOT BEEN IDENTIFIED. THIS SUBJECT HAS MAILED APPROXIMATELY 200 LETTERS TO VARIOUS DOMESSEES THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY. ALL THE LETTERS, MANY OF WHICH A COLLIAIN DIRECT THREATS AGAINST THE PRESIDENT, WERE TYPEWRITTEN WITH THE EXCEPTION OF TWO HANDPRINTED ENVELOPES. THE AUTHOR HAS PREPARED RELATIVELY FEW ORIGINAL LETTERS FROM WHICH HE HAS MADE VOLUMINOUS CARBONICOPIES. ATTACHED TO THIS MEMORANDUM ARE COPIES OF TYPICAL LETTERS. TATSE LETTERS HAVE BEEN DIRECTED TO LABOR UNIONS, CHURCHES, RADIO STATIONS, FILM STUDIOS, NEWS SERVICES, POLITICAL PARTY OFFICES, AND THE F81 IN THE FOLLOWING CITIES: BOSTON, SAN FRANCISCO, LOS ALGELES, DETROIT, OMAHA, ST. LOUIS, NEW HAVEN, NEW YORK, WASHINGTON, BIRMING-HAM, PORTLAND, ME., MADISON, WISC., CASPER, WYO., AND GREENSSORO, N. C. THE SUBJECT HAS USED THE FOLLOWING PSEUDONYMS: b6 b7C FIGURAL FREEDOM SOCIETY, UNDERGROUND COMMUNIST PARTY, KENNEDY'S MEGHOST, FATHER H, LAW OF THE JUNGLE, AND L. J. SOCIETY. FIS LETTERS HAVE BEEN POSTMARKED IN SAN FRANCISCO, SACRAMENTO, DETROIT, RENO, NEV., AND BOISE, IDAHO BEARING RETURN ADDRESSES OF VARIOUS HOTELS IN SAN FRANCISCO WITH OTHERS IN RENO, NEV., AND DETROIT, MICHIGAN. LABORATORY EXAMINATION HAS DISCLOSED THAT THE LETTERS WERE PREPARED ON A MACHINE EQUIPPED WITH RANSMEYER PICA TYPE, FIRST. USED IN 1955. THIS TYPE APPEARS ON R. C. ALLEN AND ROYAL MODELS AS WELL AS OTHERS. A "HY TONE" WATERMARK WAS DETECTED ON MANY OF THE ENVELOPES AND DETERMINED TO BE REGISTERED TO THE DESTAB COMPANY IN DAYTON, OHIOTRIALIZED MAR 24 3 08 PM FBI-SAN FRANCISCO Buy U.S. Savings Bonds Regularly on the Payroll Savings Plan

TRACES OF INDENTED WRITING, WERE ALSO DETECTED ON ONE OF THE LETTERS AND EFFORTS ARE BEING MADE TO CLARIFY THE SOURCE OF THESE WRITINGS.

IN VIEW OF THE GEOGRAPHIC EXTENT AND SERIOUS NATURE OF THIS CASE, WE ARE REQUESTING EACH FIELD OFFICE AND EACH RESIDENT AGENCY TO MAKE INQUIRIES AMONG APPROPRIATE LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES INCLUDING THE POSTAL INSPECTION SERVICE AND FBI FOR ANY LEADS THAT MIGHT RESOLVE THIS CASE. YOU SHOULD ALSO MAKE ANY OTHER INQUIRIES THAT WOULD BE APPROPRIATE IN YOUR DISTRICT.

IN ADDITION, ALL PERSONNEL OF YOUR OFFICE INCLUDING CLERICAL STAFF SHOULD BECOME FAMILIAR WITH THE FACTS REPRESENTED IN THIS NEMORANDUM.

THE OFFICE OF THE U. S. ATTORNEY, SAN FRANCISCO, HAS AUTHORIZED PROSECUTION IN THIS CASE WHEN THE SUBJECT IS IDENTIFIED.

PLEASE SUSMIT A REPORT WITHIN 30 DAYS.

RONALD C. TOWNS SPECIAL AGENT, IN CHARGE

ENCLOSURES (4)

OPTIONAL FORM NO. 10 MAY 1962 EDITION GSA FPMR (41 CFR) 105-11.6 UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

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: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (9-1914) TO

DATE: March 23, 1967

SAC, CLEVELAND (9-1618) (RUC)

SUBJECT: UNSUB, aka.

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ET AL.,

J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH - VICTIM EXTORTION

00: San Francisco

San Francisco's attention is directed to a memorandum addressed to Special Agent in Charge DECKARD, Head of the Secret Service, Cleveland, Ohio, dated February 10, 1967, wherein in paragraph four. Secret Service refers to aliases and American Freedom of Unsub as It would appear that Secret Service has developed Society. these additional aliases of Unsub. Cleveland, at the time of this swriting, is not aware whether these have previously come to the attention of the Office of Origin. Accordingly, it is being left to the discretion of the Office of Origin as to whether or not the title in this matter should be changed.

On March 1, 1967, SA's MICHAEL SHANNON and FRED BAXTER, United States Secret Service, Cleveland, Ohio, called at the Cleveland Office and furnished the following information to Complaint Clerk RONALD D. LANDIS:

These agents were interested in determining whether or not the FBI had been successful in identifying Unsub.

SA SHANNON advised that about May 2, or May 3, 1966, Postal Inspector ROBERT WEBB of Akron, Ohio, sent to him a letter that was received at "The Beacon Journal", Akron, Ohio, pestmarked April 28, 1966, p.m., San Antonio, Texas, bearing a postage stamp in the lower left-hand corner of the envelope. Agent SHANNON stated that the letter was sent to WEBB, Postal Inspector, by an unknown official at The Beacon Journal" newspaper.

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Said letter was subsequently referred to Secret Service Headquarters, Washington, D. C., and read as follows:

"TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

"Isn't is a fact that the assassine first shot was no susprise to Mrs. JOHN F. KENNEDY? See close ups in Life for Oct. 2, 64.

"Isn't it also true that she held her husband up to rifle fire? See photographs in Warren Report. The public has the right to know.

"Exactly what instructions had Secret Service agents given to her.

/s/ Equality before the Law"

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"CC to newspaper: also public libraries since they have easy access to the evidence."

Agent SHANNON advised that the 1961. 1965. and 1966 Cleveland City Directory lists one residence employment shown during 1965 and 1966 as a salesman for Sears Roebuck, and also his employment was listed as a bellman at the Pick-Carter Hotel, Cleveland, Ohio.

Agent SHANNON stated he did not know whether this had any significance or was merely furnishing the information for any action desired by the Bureau.

Agent SHANNON made available for xeroxing the following documents which are being enclosed for the Office of Origin:

- 1. Memo from Special Agent in Charge TOWNS to Special Agent in Charge DECKER, Cleveland, dated February 10, 1967.
- 2. Anonymous letter signed American Freedom Society sent to the Atlanta Constitution, National Press Building, Washington, D. C.
- 3. Letters from JESSEL GALLAGHER, Director, Region IX, AFL-CIO, Cleveland, addressed to F. E. MAKI, Postal

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Inspector, Post Office Department, dated February 23, 1965, and to Postal Inspector, Room 3110 - Main Post Office, Cleveland, Ohio, dated March 23, 1964.

- 4. Letters of acknowledgment from F. E. MAKI, supra, to JESSE GALLAGHER, Director, Region IX, AFL-CIO, 1455 The Leader Building, Cleveland, Ohio, dated March 1, 1965, and March 26, 1964.
- 5. Copy of the envelopes regarding aforementioned letters. (These letters were referred to the Postal Inspector, San Francisco, California, accordingly.)

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Memorandum

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J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM

NICHOLAS DE B. KATZABACH - VICTIM

EXTORTION

Re report at San Francisco by SA CLARENCE A. BROM, 3/27/67.

Detroit file, 175-1, captioned,

Assaulting Federal Officer; Extortion;

Threat Against President", was reviewed concerning
whereabouts during the pertinent periods
in connection with San Francisco file 9-1914.

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called the St. Louis office on 3/1/66, and made threats against the President of the U.S. and others. He was interviewed at that time and was employed by the Monsanto Chemical Company, St. Louis, Missouri. He made other calls in St. Louis on 3/2/66, and 6/30/66.

It was determined he left his employment at Monsanto Chemical Company on 4/2/66. He later worked for Manpower, Incorporated and left thereon 10/16/66.

Subsequently, he called the Detroit FBI office on 2/25/67, and made more threats. He was interviewed at Detroit on 3/1/67, and indicated he had been in Detroit since 10/66.

Investigation in Detroit reflected was employed at the Atlantic Die Casting Company, 2585 Beaufait Street, Detroit, from 11/14/66, to 1/14/67. He was employed at the Salvation Army, Detroit from 2/1-25/67.

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CHICAGO

AT ILLINOIS. Will discreetly ascertain the present whereabouts of HAROLD JAY JELENKO, who listed and ascertain the residence or locations of HAROLD JELENKO for the past three years to determine if he could possibly be identical with the Unsub in this case.

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For the information of Chicago, JELENKO has been suggested as a suspect by the ________ of the Cadillac Hotel, 380 Eddy St., San Francisco, California, where JELENKO formerly lived for a short time. He was regarded as an argumentative and controversial individual and very active despite his age.

CLEVELAND

AT CLEVELAND. OHIO. Will interview to determine if he is identical with the Unsub or if he has any suggestions as to any acquaintances or otherwise who may have used that name.

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For the information of the Cleveland Office,
Unsub used the name of _______ General Delivery,
Sacramento, California, as a return address on letters
postmarked 2/17/65 at Sacramento, California. To date,
Unsub has mailed approximately 25 letters using a different
name each time. Most of these letters were mailed from San
Francisco or Sacramento, California, with a common return
address of 180 Turk (Governor Hotel) and 55 Mason Street
(Ambassador Hotel) both San Francisco being used. Two
groups of letters were mailed from Detroit, Michigan.

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AT SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA. Will recontact in an effort to further identify (LNU), whom he suggested as a suspect in this case.

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- (2) Will continue to maintain contact with SA LARRY NEWMAN of the San Francisco Office of the United Secret Service for any additional information he may receive or develop in this case.
 - (3) Will continue efforts to identify and locate

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the Unsub in this case.

DETROIT

AT DETROIT, MICHIGAN A copy of this report is being furnished Detroit Office for information purposes as that city is generally included in the mailings by the Unsub.

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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Report of: Date:	CLARENCE A. BROM 5/29/67	Office: SAN FRANCISCO	
Field Office File #:	9-1914	Bureau File #: 9-42847	
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By communication, dated May 10, 1967, the Detroit Office furnished the following information relative to the case Assaulting Federal Officer; Extortion; Threat Against President", who was considered a possible suspect in this case.

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called the St. Louis Office on March 1, 1966, and made threats against the President of the United States and others. He was interviewed at that time and was employed by the Monsanto Chemical Company, St. Louis, Missouri. He made other calls in St. Louis on March 2, 1966, and June 30, 1966.

It was determined he left his employment at Monsanto Chemical Company on April 2, 1966. He later worked for Manpower, Incorporated, and left theregion October 16, 1966.

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Subsequently, he called the Detroit FBI Office on February 25, 1967, and made more threats. He was interviewed at Detroit on March 1, 1967, and indicated he had been in Detroit since October, 1966.

Investigation in Detroit reflected was employed at the Atlantic Die Casting Company, 2585 Beaufait Street, Detroit, from November 14, 1966, to January 14, 1967. He was employed at the Salvation Army, Detroit, from February 1 - 25, 1967.

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In view of this, it is not believed that should be considered a suspect in instant matter.

Efforts to locate HAROLD J. JELENKO, who was furnished as a possible suspect in this case, have been negative to date.

The records of the Identification Division of the San Francisco Police Department are entirely negative relative to him.

Inspector CECIL M. PHARRES, of the Intelligence Unit of the San Francisco Police Department, advised that his Division has no record of JELENKO. He stated that if JELENKO wrote threatening letters or had been investigated on the basis of making threats, his Department would have a record of him.

On May 24, 1967,

Medical Records Library, University of California Hospital,
San Francisco, California, advised that HAROLD JAY JELENKO
was treated at the hospital as an outpatient in November,
1966. At the time, he gave his date of birth as March 18,
1888 in West Virginia. and listed as the next of kin

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SF 9-1914 CAB:dak The only address appearing on his record is 380 Eddy Street, San Francisco. He has not appeared at the hospital since the November, 1966, visit. Efforts to identify (last name unknown, LNU) who was suggested as a suspect and as allegedly residing at and employed by the Sewage b6 Treatment Plant at the beach, proved negative. b7C Investigation at reflects this building to be a "Hippie" pad. The occupants of which are all considerably younger than (LNU) has been described. Occupants of this building stated there is no one employed by the city of San Francisco living at this address. On May 24, 1967, Mrs. ALICE LIPP, Secretary, Golden Gate Park, Sewage Treatment Plant, advised there is no individual with the first name of _____ currently employed at b6 this plant nor in the recent past. She likewise stated b7C the records failed to reflect that any of the employees currently or in the past. resided at By communication, dated March 23, 1967, the Cleve-land Office advised that SAS MICHAEL SHANNON and FRED BAXTER of the United States Secret Service, Cleveland, Ohio, furnished copies of letters turned over to that office which had previously been turned over by various recipients. The San Francisco Office has copies of all these letters which were previously submitted to the Bureau for appropriate examination and comparison. The United States Secret Service Agents advised that the 1961. 1965, and 1966 Cleveland City Directories **b6** lists one residence b7C employment is shown during 1965 and 1966 as a salesman for Sears Roebuck and also lists his employment as a bellman at the Pick-Carter Hotel. Cleveland. Ohio. Regular contact has been maintained with SA LARRY NEWMAN of the San Francisco Office of U. S. Secret Service who advised that no additional pertinent information has been developed by him nor has he received any information from his headquarter office. He stated that he expected another series of letters after the book "Death of a President"

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appeared on the market and which received considerable publicity in newspaper and magazine articles since Unknown Subject in his original letters dealt mainly with the assassination of President JOHN F. KENNEDY.

No additional information has been received by the San Francisco Office that Unknown Subject had mailed any letters since the December 6, 1966, mailings from Sacramento, California.



Memorandum

TO

SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (9-1914)

DATE: 6/28/67

FROM

SAC, CLEVELAND (9-1618) (RUC).

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J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM

NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH - VICTIM

EXTORTION

(00: San Francisco)

Re San Francisco report of CLARENCE A. BROM dated 5/29/67.

On June 22, 1967, the following investigation was conducted by SAS PAUL V. DALY and JOHN J. JUREY at Cleveland, Ohio:

Ohio, advised that his real name is and that the current spelling of was a result of a misprint. stated that he has not left the Cleveland area for approximately two years and further advised that he has not written, nor does he have any knowledge of letters being written to Mr. HOOVER or other Government officials. stated he has no idea who might have been writing these letters, but stated that he would immediately contact the Federal Bureau of Investigation if he were to receive any information that might help in identifying the author of these letters.

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TO:

DIRECTOR, FBI (9-42847)

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J. EDGAR HOOVER -

VICTIM:

NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH -

VICTIM EXTORTION

(00: San Francisco)

Rerep of SA CLARENCE A. BROM, dated 5/29/67, at San Francisco.

On 7/19/67, Sgt. WENDELL HARRIS, 163rd MP Company. Presidio of San Francisco, advised that one, c/o Hotel Odean, San Francisco, who is a white, male American, giving his birthdate as __ appeared at the Post on 7/15/67, stating he had information regarding the assassination of President KENNEDY. He stated that in 1953, he made a prediction concerning the assassination of KENNEDY, and that it was set up as a hoax for President JOHNSON to take office and handle the present civil rights movement. He also claimed he was wrongfully accused of impersonating a Federal officer and served a period of five months in an un-named prison for it.

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Records of the Odean Hotel. 40 Seventh St., San Francisco, reflect registered 7/14/67, and departed around noon, 7/15/67.
Records of the San Francisco Office reflect that visited the San Francisco Office on 7/15/67, when he also gave his date of birth as in California, and exhibited Coast Guard Identification Card bearing the same name as identification, and gave his address as General Delivery, Calif. He mentioned having worked on a ranch near and as a merchant seaman in the past. He stated he had made a tape recording in 1953 while in Alaska, which ran two and a half hours, and which was taken away from him. He claimed he has been harassed ever since, and that his civil rights were being violated. At times, he appeared incoherent, difficult to reason with, and mean and insulting in his remarks.
Indices of the San Francisco Office reflect no previous record of
The Bureau is requested to check its indices in an effort to identify or connect him with a previous impersonation conviction. In the event he is identified with an identification record, his prints should be examined against the unidentified latent prints on record in this case. He is being considered a good suspect because of his reference to the assassination, predictions, and the fact that California, is in the area of Yuba City - Marysville, of which he wrote in his earlier letters.

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AT ILLINOIS: Will, under suitable pretext, attempt to obtain current address of HAROLD JAY JELENKO through inquiry at home of

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Washington, D. C. 20537

REPORT

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IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

YOUR PILE NO.

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FBI FILE NO.

9-42847

LATENT CASE NO.

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TO: SAC, San Francisco

UNKNOWN SUBJECT: AKA

ET AL.;

EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM

NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH - VICTIM

EXTORTION

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EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY: San Francisco

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SF 9-1914' CAB: svb LEADS CHICAGO ILLINOIS: Will obtain the current. **b**6 address of HAROLD JAY JELENKO through inquiry at the b7C residence of SAN FRANCISCO CALIFORNIA: Will, through appropriate sources, locate and fully identify **h6** b7C who gave his address as General Delivery and indi= cated he worked on a ranch near (2) Will thereafter interview to determine if he is identical with the UNSUB, or eliminate him as a

AT SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA: Will continue to maintain contact with SA LARRY NEWMAN of the San Francisco Office of U.S. Secret Service to determine if he receives any additional information regarding this case.

(2) Will continue efforts to identify the UNSUB in this case.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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The following investigation was conducted by SA ROBERT F. PEVAHOUSE of the Chicago Office:	
On July 10, 1967, Officer ROBERT MASON, Illinois, Police Department, advised a check of their records failed to reveal any information concerning HAROLD JAY JELENKO or	b6 b7С
On July 17, 1967, ALBERT ABEGG, Manager, Evanston, Illinois, Credit Bureau, which maintains listings in Illinois, advised their records contain a file since July, 1964, concerning residence Illinois, which house they just purchased at that time. They had previously resided at Illinois; and he is employed as a manufacturing representative for	ь6 ь7С
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On July 19, 1967, NORWOOD P. KENDRICK, Manager, Hotel Odean, 40 Seventh Street, advised that of California, registered at the hotel around noon on July 14, 1967; and departed after 2:00 p.m. on July 15, 1967. He occupied Room 200, for which he paid \$4.00. He carried one middle-size bag. KENDRICK could	b6 b7С

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By communication dated August 7, 1967, the Bureau advised that the latent fingerprints and latent impressions previously reported in this case were compared with the fingerprints of one						
born who may or may not be the no identification was effected. No at the Bureau for	California, FBI Number he suspect named; and	2.0				
No identifiable pertinent in Bureau records concerning	t information was located	ted b6				

Regular: contact is maintained with SA LARRY NEWMAN, U.S. Secret Service, San Francisco Office, who advised that his office has not received any additional information relative to the Unknown Subject from any source, or any indicating that he has mailed any additional letters.

Memorandum

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AT CHICAGO, ILLINOIS: Will locate and interview HAROLD JELENKO through telephone number BU 1-4100.

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Letter to U.S. Attorney General NICHOLAS KATZENBACH
signed AFL-CIO;

Letter headed Calendar of Future Events signed

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ADMINISTRATIVE:

SA LARRY NEWMAN, U.S. Secret Service, San Francisco Office, advised that his department has closed their case in this matter although the authorization for the arrest for the Unsub still stands in the event he can be identified. He stated the feeling of his department is that the Unsub either died or has been committed to an institution since nothing has been heard of him in about a year.

LEADS:

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HAROLD JAY JELENKO through telephone no. BU 1-4100, who has been suggested as a suspect in this case.

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(2) Will thereafter interview to determine if he is identical with the Unsub or eliminate him as a suspect. Background on is contained in report of SA CLARENCE A. BROM dated 8/18/67.

(The enclosed exemplars strongly indicate Unsub may be from the Marysville-Yuba City or Sacramento area, but extensive investigation has failed to develop suspects there in the past. The enclosed airtel reflects a numer of the letters were mailed from Sacramento.)

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SAN FRANCISCO

AT SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA: Will continue efforts to identify the Unsub in this case.

(2) Will recontact SA LARRY MEWMAN, US. Secret Service Office, to determine if his department received any additional letter identifiable with Unsub since last contacted.

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Copy to:

Report of:

Field Office File #:

CLARENCE A. BROM

Office: SAN FRANCISCO

Date:

10/26/67

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Bureau File #: 9-42847

Title:

UNKNOWN SUBJECT;

J. KDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM

NICHOLAS DeB. KATZENBACH - VICTIM

Character:

EXTORTION

Synopsis:

Suggested suspect MACK HUNTER JONES, San Francisco, California, interviewed and eliminated as suspect. Investigation relative to HAROLD JAY JELENKO still in progress. No recent activities by Unsub reported.

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DETAILS:

AT SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

On October 4, 1967,

of the Winton Hotel, 445 O'Farrell Street, who was previously interviewed at the Kit Carson Hotel, 342 Mason Street, relative to this case, suggested MACK HUNTER JONES, who recently moved into the Winton Hotel and who also formerly resided at the Kit Carson Hotel at lone; time, as a possible suspect in this case. She stated that JONES has been known to write letters to newspapers and

a resident

On October 12, 1967, Mrs. ANNA GLASS, manager, Winton Hotel, 445 O'Farrell Street, advised that MACK H. JONES is a resident of the hotel since about October 1, 1967 and is employed as a part-time desk clerk. She stated that he appears dependable, level-headed and she has no derogatory information relative to him. From conversation with JONES it appears that he has lived in

public officials and has been outspoken on various

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MACK H. JONES was interviewed on October 23, 1967 at the Winton Hotel at which time he advised that he was born March 24, 1903 at Jennings, Louisiana, and was reared in Houston, Texas, until he was 16 years old. He went into the U.S. Navy and remained in the Naval Service until 1946 from which he currently draws a pension. Since 1946 he has worked as a clerk typist for the U.S. Post Office in San Francisco for about three and one half years, the U.S. Army Veterinary Corp, the Federal Housing Administration and odd Jobs for the State of California.

Mr. JONES, who is single, stated he came to California in 1946 and has not been out of the state since then. He has visited in Vallejo, California, several times, but outside of Vallejo has not been in any other cities aside from San Francisco. He has an elementary school education, but stated that he had various training courses while in the U.S. Navy. JONES owns a portable Olympia typewriter since August 1966, previously to which he had a Underwood typewriter for about seven or eight years.

JONES stated that he has never been involved in politics and was not an admirer of former President JOHN F. KENNEDY. He stated that he has not been critical of the government operations aside from the government dole and what he considers unfair advantages which the government has been giving to Negroes in government jobs and promotions. In this respect he stated that he has written letters to several newspapers and the San Francisco radio station, but that he in no way made any threats or used offensive language, in these letters, He further advised that he has written letters to local judges commenting on their fairness and impartiality in certain cases and in one instance critized a local municipal judge on a sentence imposed on a prominent local citizen, who was given a token fine and probation.

JONES then produced copies of some of the letters that he had written, a review of which reflected that in all instances the type is elite and entirely different from

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material prepared by the Unsub. The wording and the set up of his letters is also different from those prepared by the Unsub, which also included the proper use of the apostrophe key, where as the Unsub has always used a coma in lieu of an apostrophe, reflecting the possessive.

SA LARRY NEWMAN of the U.S. Secret Service. San Francisco Office. with whom regular contact has been maintained advised that his office has received no additional information or correspondence identifiable with the Unsub in about a year. Either locally or in any of their field offices.

The following investigation was conducted by SA ROBERT F. PEVAHOUSE:

AT CHICAGO, ILLINOIS:

Attempts were made to contact Illinois. on August 29, 1967 and September 14, 1967 without success.

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On September 28, 1967,

HAROID JELEMKO, who is now 80 years of age, has returned from the San Francisco, California, area and is staying at a hotel on Diversey Parkway in Chicago, the name of which he cannot recall. However, the telephone number of the hotel is BU 1-4100.

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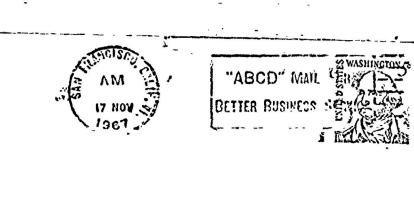
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SEYMOUR RIMLAND, 4375 Beverly Boulevard, Los Angeles, return address I. A. N., 1750 Market Street, San Francisco, California;

MARTIN L. EPSTEIN, Owner, Wilshire - La Jolla Pharmacy, 6360 Wilshire, Los Angeles, return address A. L. A., 693 Mission, San Francisco, California;

KENNETH PETERSON, EBlair and Frazier Hardware, 4815 South Western, Los Angeles, return address I. A. M., 1750 Market Street, San Francisco, California;

MELVIN LUBMAN, owner, Butcher Boys of Broadway, 7421 Broadway, Los Angeles, return address A. P. T. C., 703 Market Street, San Francisco, California;

HENRY NAKANATO, 3563 South Normandie, Los Angeles, return address 26 7th, San Francisco, California;

MOSAKU GOTANDA, 3885 South Western, Los Angeles, return address A. L. A., 693 Mission, San Francisco, California.

Sgt. RALPH ANDERSON, West Los Angeles Station, Los Angeles County Sheriff's Office, advised that a similary letter had been turned over to him by JOSEPH RUDOLPH DAHL, owner, El Adobe Market, 5203 Hollywood Boulevard, Los Angeles. This letter bore return address of AFL-CIO, 995 Market, San Francisco, California.

The letters were received by SEYMOUR RIMLAND, MARTIN L. EPSTEIN and MOSAKUGOTANDA were picked up on 11/20/67 and are enclosed together with the letter furnished by Mr. JOHN O. FRYBERG.

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The FBI Laboratory is requested to compare these -letters with the letters previously submitted in this case.

LEADS

SAN FRANCISCO

AT SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA. Will conduct appropriate investigation in an effort to identify unsub.

LOS ANGELES

AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA. Will obtain other letters received by persons mentioned above and furnish same to FBI, Laboratory.

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AIR MAIL

TO:

DIRECTOR, FBI (9-42847)

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NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH - VICTIM

EXTORTION

00: San Francisco

Re Los Angeles airtel to the Bureau, 11/20/67, and report of SA CLARENCE A. BROM, 10/26/67, at San Francisco.

Enclosed for the Bureau, Detroit and Los Angeles are one (1) Xerox copy of a letter captioned "Notice To All Business Owners" and signed "Kennedy's Revenge Committee" and one (1) Xerox copy of the same letter with a second postscript addressed to "(Union Members)".

On 11/29/67 Mr. B. L. JACOBSON, Assistant Postal Inspector In Charge, San Francisco, turned over a total of 46 of the above letters that had been returned to union locals whose names and addresses were used as the return address, as well as undelivered letters returned by carriers. All of these letters, except one, bear the postmark of San Francisco, Calif., dated 11/17/67, A.M. None of these unions has any idea as to suspects. Officials of one were incensed that their local was used as a return address, as a letter was returned by the recipient with a sharp and pointed notation.

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SF-9-1914 CAB: dab The lone letter postmarked at Los Angeles bears the date of 11/18/67, A.M., and is addressed to "One Stop Record Stores, 1244 E. Colorado, Los Angeles, Cal." and bears the return address of "A.N.G., 821 Market, S. F., Cal." It was returned to writer with the notation, "No such number." From the returned letters it appears all were directed to small retail stores in the Los Angeles area, such as drug stores, food markets, music and record shops, etc. From the number of returned letters indicating addressee moved or unknown, it appears that UNSUB used an old Los Angeles telephone directory and picked the stores at random. In this respect it should also be noted that he used "A.N.G., 821 Market, S. F., Cal." as a return address. The American Newspaper Guild moved from this address to 433 Natoma St., San Francisco, in November, 1966. Return addresses used on the letters received from the post office were: AFL-CIO, 995 Market, San Francisco, Calif. (regional office); A.C.W.A., 26 - 7th, San Francisco, Calif. (Amalgamated Clothing Workers of America); B. U., 2940 - 16th, San Francisco, Calif. (This is address of San Francisco Labor Temple); A.N.G., 821 Market, San Francisco, Calif. (American Newspaper Guild, 433 Natoma St.; I.A.M., 750 Market, San Francisco, Calif. (Automotive Machinists Lodge #1305). No investigation is being requested of the Los Angeles Office relative to these letters as it is apparent from the returned letters that the addresses were selected at random from a telephone directory and no purpose would be served by contacting or attempting to locate the addressees. The Detroit Office, in view of the second postscript, should be alert for some of these letters appearing in the Detroit area. Inquiry should also be made through established labor union sources if any information has come to their attention concerning "Kennedy's - 2 -

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Revenge Committee." Detroit should bear in mind that two previous mailings were made from Detroit to various union locals in that area.

The letters turned over by the Post Office Department are not being submitted to the Bureau for comparison with previous letters or for latent fingerprint examination, as all were opened and extensively handled before being received by this office. All are carbon copies except for the second addendum to "Union Members." Los Angeles, by reairtel, has submitted copies of the identical letter for comparison. The text of these letters, the stationery and envelopes, the typewriting, including the use of a comma in place of an apostrophe, all appear similar to those used by the UNSUB in previous mailings. In view of the above, they will not be submitted to the Bureau and will eventually be destroyed, UACB.

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (9-46847)

DATE: 12/5/67

FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (9-3218)

ATTN: FBI LABORATORY

subject: UNSUB. aka

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J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM

NICHOLAS DE B. KATZABACH - VICTIM

EXTORTION

00: San Francisco

Re Los Angeles airtel to Director dated 11/20/67.

Enclosed for the Bureau is the original and one xerox copy of the letter and envelope of letters furnished to the Los Angeles FBI Office similar to the letters submitted in referenced airtel.

Enclosed for San Francisco is one xerox copy of each letter and envelope. These letters are addressed as follows:

Research Craft 1011 N. Fuller Ave. Los Angeles, Cal.

bearing return address

I.A.M.

1750 Market S.F., Cal.

Parfay Music Inc. 6331 Hollywood Los Angeles, Cal. bearing return address

A.N.G.

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A.P.T.C.
703 Market
S.F. Cal.

Maioranas Mkt.
1108 W. 7th
Los Angeles, Cal.
bearing return address
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S.F. Cal.

Friday Music Co.
806 W.8th
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6901 La Tijera
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Williams Mkt.
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Bobs Paint
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Los Angeles, Cal.
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bearing return address
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693 Mission
S.F. Cal.

Hollenbeck Mkt.
3618 E. 8th
Los Angeles, Cal.
bearing return address
A.F.L.-C.I.O.
995 Market
S.F. Cal.

Ideal Contractor
9218 W. Pico
Los Angeles, Cal.
bearing return address
B.U.
2940-16th
S.F. Cal.

Dominic's Hdwe.
3301 E. Florence Htg. Pk.
Los Angeles, Cal.
bearing return address
I.A.M.
1750 Market
S.F. Cal.

Ents & Rucker Hdwe. Co.
4275 Crenshaw Bl.
Los Angeles, Cal.
bearing return address
I.A.M.
1750 Market
S.F. Cal.

A-1 Handbag
1734 S. Vermont
Los Angeles, Cal.
bearing return address
I.A.M.
1750 Market
S.F. Cal.

Pantry Food Mkt.
309 S. Raymond
Pasadena, Cal.
bearing return address
A.C.W.A.
26-7th
S.F. Cal.

Johnson L.B. Hdwe. Co. 3600 E. Slauson Mywd. Los Angeles, Cal. bearing return address B.U. 2940-16th S.F. Cal.

Mox Lumber Co.
307 E. Jefferson
Los Angeles, Cal.
bearing return address
B.U.
2940-16th
S.F. Cal.

Larch Mart Grocery
227 N. Larchmont
Los Angeles, Cal.
bearing return address
A.P.T.C.
703 Market
S.F. Cal.

Carls Feed
1510 W. Compton Cpt.
Los Angeles, Cal.
bearing return address
I.A.M.
1750 Market
S.F. Cal.

Hollywood Vermont Hawe.
1551 N. Vermont
Los Angeles, Cal.
bearing return address
B.U.
2940-16th
S.F. Cal.

Gilmore Envelope Corp.

4000 Medford
Los Angeles, Cal.
bearing return address
A.L.A.
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S.F. Cal.
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Kleins Grocery
8155 Melrose
Los Angeles, Cal.
bearing return address
A.F.L.-C.I.O.
995 Market
S.F. Cal.

Story Music Co.
4708 Whittier
Los Angeles, Cal.
bearing return address
I.A.M.
1750 Market
S.F. Cal.

Ralphs Grocery Co.
3410 W. 3rd
Los Angeles, Cal.
bearing return address
A.C.W.A.
26-7th
S.F. Cal.

Many of the enclosed letters were forwarded by mail to the Los Angeles FBI Office. Others were picked up after information concerning receipt telephonically furnished to the Los Angeles FBI Office.

The enclosed letters are being furnished to the FBI Laboratory for whatever examination is deemed appropriate by the FBI Laboratory.

B.U. 2940-16th S.F. Cal. AM AM 17 HOV 1967

A.F.L.-C.I.O. 2310 Cass Detroit, Michigan

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	live around	California	
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(Union Members) Thousands of notices have been mailed with the return addresses of the San Francisco Unions. This has been done without the knowledge of the San Francisco union members. The Kennedy, s Revenge Committee can be contacted through the union members in Detroit, Michigan.

12/5/67

DIRECTOR, FBI (9-42847) Attn: FBI Laboratory

SAC. DETROIT (9-1946) (RUC)

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ET AL;
J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM;
MICHOLAN DE B. KATZENBACH - VICTIM
EXTORTION
OO: SAN FRANCISCO

Rereport of SA CLARENCE A. BROM, at San Francisco, dated 5/29/67 and Detroit letter to Bureau, dated 1/13/67.

Enclosed! herewith for the Bureau are the originals and two Xerox copies of a letter and envelope received at the Wayne County AFL-CIO Union Headquarters 2310 Case, Detroit, Michigan. The original letter and envelope were made available by Mr. JOHN F. WILLIAMS, Secretary - trensurer of the above organization, on 11/30/67.

The letter is undated and the envelope bears a postmark date 11/17/67, at San Francisco, California. The letter appears to be one of several carbon copies and also appears to bear a postscript with original typing.

Two Xerox copies each of the letter and envelope are enclosed for to San Francisco Office.

Mr. WILLIAMS indicated that the return address on the envelope, 2940 16th Street, is the address of the San Francisco Labor Council in San Francisco.

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The FBI Inboratory is requested to conduct appropriate examination of the enclosed documents with documents previously submitted in instant case.

Copies of this letter are being forwarded San Francisco Office for information.

No further action is being taken at Detroit in the absence of specific leads in the Detroit area.

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DIRECTOR, FBI (9-42847) TO ATT: IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

LATENT PINGERPRINT SECTION FROM SAC SAN FRANCISCO (9-1914)/(P)

ETal SUBJECT: UNSUB, aka.

J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM:

NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH - VICTIM

EXTORTION (00: SF)

Re Los Angeles airtel to Bureau 11/20/67 and San Francisco airtel to Bureau 11/30/67.

Enclosed for the Bureau is a letter postmarked 11/17/67 at San Francisco, Calif., addressed to La Voz De Puerto Rico, 11009 S. Main, Los Angeles, Cal., bearing return address of A. N. G., 821 Market, S.F. Cal.

On 12/6/67, Mr. E. L. JACOBSON, Assistant Postal Inspector in Charge, San Francisco, advised that a letter arrived at the dead letter office on which stops had been previously placed which corresponded with letters previously furnished to this office. To comply with regulations, this letter was delivered to the American Newspaper Guild, 433 Natoma St. (guild previously located at 821 Market St.). San Francisco.

FRED D. FLETCHER, Executive Secretary, opened the envelope in the presence of agents but did not handle the letter and thereafter turned it over to the agents after appropriate identification.

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The Bureau is requested to process the letter for latent fingerprints. The envelope has been extensively handled. In the event any latent prints are developed, they should be compared against prints previously developed in this case.

Memorandum

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SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (9-1914)

DATE: 12/12/67

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FROM

ZAC, DALLAS (9-2065) (P)

SUBJECT:

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et al;

J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM

et al

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OO - SAN FRANCISCO

Enclosed for the San Francisco Office is one Xerox copy of a letter dated 12/7/67 from U. S. Secret Service, Dallas, Texas, requesting information concerning captioned subject.

San Francisco is requested to advise the current status of captioned case, together with any information concerning captioned individual in order that any appropriate communication can be directed to U. S. Secret Service, Dallas.

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AT DALLAS, TEXAS: Upon receipt of requested information from San Francisco, will appropriately acknowledge the letter from U. S. Secret Service, Dallas, dated 12/7/67.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: FBI, Los Angeles (9-3218)

Date: FBI File No.

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NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH - VICTIM;

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Specimens received 12/7/67 from FBI, Detroit

Q402 Envelope postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF. 2A AM 17 NOV 1967," bearing typewritten address "A.F.L.-C.I.O. 2310 Cass Detroit, Michigan"

Q403 Accompanying carbon copy of one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All Business Owners Richard M. Nixon . . "

Specimens received 12/7/67 from FBI, Los Angeles

Q404 Envelope postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF. 2B AM 17 NOV 1967," bearing typewritten address "Research Craft 1011 N. Fuller Ave. Los Angeles. Cal."

Q405 Accompanying carbon copy of one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All Business Owners Richard M. Nixon . . ."

Q406 Envelope postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF. 2B AM 17 NOV 1967," bearing typewritten address "Parfay Music Inc. 6331 Hollywood Los Angeles, Cal."

Q407 Accompanying carbon copy of one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All Business Owners Nixon Richard M . . ."

Q408 Envelope postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO. CALIF. 1B AM 17 NOV 1967," bearing typewritten address "Selman Grocery 3563 S. Normandie Los Angeles, Cal."

-Q409 Accompanying one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All Business Owners Richard M. Nixon . . ."

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- Q410 Envelope postmarked "SAN PRANCISCO. CALIF. 2B AM 17 NOV 1967," bearing typewritten address "Lubman Bros. Mkt. 7421 S. Broadway Los Angeles, Cal."
- Q411 Accompanying carbon copy of one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All Business Owners Richard M. Nixon . . "
- Q412 Envelope postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO. CALIF. 1B AM 17 NOV 1967," bearing typewritten address "Majoranas Mkt. 1108 W. 7th los Angeles, Cal."
- Q413 Accompanying carbon copy of one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All Business Owners Richard M. Nixon . . "
- Q414 Envelope postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO CALIF. 1A AM 17 NOV 1967," bearing typewritten address "Friday Music Co. 806 W. 8th Los Angeles, Cal."
- Q415 Accompanying carbon copy of one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All Business Owners Richard M. Nixon . . ,"
- Q416 Envelope postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO CALIF. 2A AM 17 NOV 1967," bearing typewritten address "Hellman Hdwe. 6901 La Tijera Los Angeles, Cal."
- Q417 Accompanying carbon copy of one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All Business Owners Richard M. Nixon . . ."
- Q418 Envelope postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO CALIF. 1A AM 17 NOV 1967," bearing typewritten address "Okamoto T. Hdwe. 3561 S. Normandie Los Angeles, Cal."
- Q419 Accompanying carbon copy of one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All Business Owners Richard M. Nixon . . ."
- Q420 Envelope postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO CALIF. 2A AM 17 NOV 1967," bearing typewritten address "Hondros Mkt. 8217 S. Hoover Los ANGELES, Cal."
- Q421 Accompanying one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All Business Owners Richard M. Nixon . . ."

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- Q422 Envelope postmarked "SAM FRANCISCO CALIF. 2B AM 17 NOV 1967," bearing typewritten address "Monty, a New Mkt. 6411 Holmes Los Angeles, Cal."
- Q423 Accompanying carbon copy of one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All Business Owners Richard M. Nixon.
- Q424 Envelope postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO CALIF. 1B AM 17 NOV 1967," bearing typewritten address "Williams Mkt. 5526 Pacific Htg. Pk. Los Angeles, Cal."
- Q425 Accompanying carbon copy of one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All Business Owners Richard M. Mixon . . . "
- Q426 Envelope postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO CALIF. 1A AM 17 NOV 1967," bearing typewritten address "Longs Hdwe. 2708 Santa Ana S.Gt. Los Angeles, Cal."
- Q427 Accompanying carbon copy of one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All Business Owners Richard M. Nixon ... "
- Q428 Envelope postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO CALIF. 2A AM 17 NOV 1967," bearing typewritten address "El Adobe Mkt. 5203 Hollywood Los Angeles, Cal."
- Q429 Accompanying one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All Business Owners Richard M. Nixon . . ."
- Q430 Envelope postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO CALIF. 2A AM 17 NOV 1967," bearing typewritten address "Pioneer Hdwe. Co. 439 N. Beverly Dr. Los Angeles, Cal."
- Q431 Accompanying one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All Business Owners Richard M. Mixon . ."
- Q432 Envelope postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO CALIF. 2B AM 17 NOV 1967," bearing typewritten address "Modern Hdwe. 2001 Lincoln Ventura Los Angeles, Cal."
- Q433 Accompanying carbon copy of one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All Business Owners Richard M. Nixon...
- Q434 Envelope postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO CALIF. 2 A AM 17 NOV 1967," bearing typewritten address "Wright Ph. 2614 Santa Ana SGt Los Angeles, Cal."

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Q435 Accompanying carbon copy of one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All Business Owners Richard M. Nixon . . " Envelope postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO CALIF, 2A AM 17 NOV Q436 1967," bearing typewritten address "Greenberg Paint 5010 S. Central Los Angeles, Cal." Q437 Accompanying carbon copy of one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All Business Owners Richard M. Nixon . . " Envelope postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO CALIF. 1B AM 17 NOV 0438 1967," bearing typewritten address "Blair & Frazier Edwe. 4815 S. Western Los Angeles, Cal." Q439 Accompanying carbon copy of one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All Business Owners Richard M. Mixon . . . " Q440 Envelope postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO CALIF. 2B AM 17 NOV 1967," bearing typewritten address "Oak St. Mkt. 870 W. Washington Los Angeles, Cal." Accompanying carbon copy of one-page typewritten letter 0441 beginning "Notice To All Business Owners Richard M. Mixon . . " Envelope postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO CALIF. 1A AM 17 NOV Q442 1967," bearing typewritten address "Gardner Hdwe. 8235 Lankersham N.H. Los Angeles, Cal, " Q443 Accompanying one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All Business Owners Richard M. Nixon . . Envelope postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO CALIF. 28 AM 17 NOV Q444 1967," bearing typewritten address "Whelan Drug Co. 735 E. 7th Los ANGELES, Cal." Accompanying carbon copy of one-page letter bearing Q445 typewritten message beginning 'Notice To All Business Owners Richard M. Mixon . . " Envelope postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO CALIF. 1A AM 17 NOV Q446 1967," bearing typewritten address "Bartholomens Music Inc. 522 N. Brand Glendale, Cal." Q447 Accompanying carbon copy of one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All Business Owners Richard M. Nixon. . ." (continued on next page) Page 4

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- Q448 Envelope postmarked "SAN CALIF. 1A PM 17 NOV 1967," bearing typewritten address "Bobs Paint 5974 West Bl. Los Angeles, Cal."
 - Q449 Accompanying carbon copy of one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All Business Owners Richard M. Nixon . . ."
 - Q450 Envelope postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO CALIF. 1A AM 17 NOV 1967," bearing typewritten address "York Mkt. 5030 York Los Angeles, Cal."
 - Q451 Accompanying one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All Business Owners Richard M. Nixon . . ."
 - Q452 Envelope postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO CALIF. 2A AM 17 NOV 1967," bearing typewritten address "Hollenbeck Mkt. 3618 E. 8th Los Angeles, Cal."
 - Q453 Accompanying carbon copy of one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All Business Owners Richard M. Nixon . ."
 - Q454 Envelope postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO CALIF. 1B AM 17 NOV 1967," bearing typewritten address "Ideal Contractor 9218 W. Pico Los Angeles, Cal."
 - Q455 Accompanying carbon copy of one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All Business Owners Richard M. Nixon . . "
 - Q456 Envelope postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO CALIF. 1B AM 17 NOV 1967," bearing typewritten address "Dominic,s Hdwe. 3301 E. Florence Htg. Pk. Los Angeles, Cal."
 - Q457 Accompanying one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All Business Owners Richard M. Nixon . . "
 - Q458 Envelope postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO CALIF. 2B AM 17 NOV 1967," bearing typewritten address "Ents & Rucker Hdwe. Co. 4275 Crenshaw Bl. Los Angeles, Cal."
 - Q459 Accompanying carbon copy of one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All Business Owners Richard M. Nixon . . "

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Q460 Envelope postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO CALIF. 2B AM 17 NOV 1967," bearing typewritten address "A-1 Handbag 1734 S. Vermont Los Angeles, Cal."

- Q461 Accompanying carbon copy of one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All Business Owners Nixon Richard M. . . . "
- Q462 Envelope postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO CALIF. 1A AN 17 NOV 1967," bearing typewritten address "Pantry Food Mkt. 309 S. Raymond Pasadena, Cal."
- Q463 Accompanying one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All Business Owners Richard M. Nixon . ."
- Q464 Envelope postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO CALIF. 1A AM 17 NOV 1967," bearing typewritten address "Johnson L.B. Hdwe. Co. 3600 M. Slauson Mywd. Los Angeles, Cal."
- Q465 Accompanying carbon copy of one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All Business Owners Richard M. Nixon . . ."
- Q466 Envelope postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO CALIF. 2A AM 17 NOV 1967," bearing typewritten address "Mox Lumber Co. SO7 E. Jefferson Los Angeles, Cal."
- Q467 Accompanying carbon copy of one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All Business Owners Richard M. Nixon . . ."
- Q468 Envelope postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO CALIF. 2A AM 17 NOV 1967," bearing typewritten address "Larch Mart Grocery 227 N. Larchmont Los Angeles, Cal."
- Q469 Accompanying one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All Business Owners Richard M. Nixon . . "
- Q470 Envelope postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO CALIF, 2A AM 17 NOV 1967," bearing typewritten address "Carls Feed 1510 W. Compton Cpt. Los Angeles, Cal."
- Q471 Accompanying carbon copy of one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All Business Owners Richard M. Nixon . . "

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Q472 Envelope postmarked "BAN FRANCISCO CALIF. IB AM 17 NOV 1967," bearing typewritten address "Hollywood Vermont Hdwe. 1551 N. Vermont Los Angeles, Cal."

- Q473 Accompanying carbon copy of one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All Business Owners Richard M. Nixon . . "
- Q474 Envelope postuarked "SAN FRANCISCO CALIF. 2A AM 17 NOV 1967," bearing typewritten address "Gilmore Envelope Corp. 4000 Medford Los Angeles, Cal."
- Q475 Accompanying carbon copy of one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All Business Owners Richard M. Nixon . . "
- Q476 Envelope postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO CALIF, 1A AM 17 NOV 1967," bearing typewritten address "Kleins Grocery 8155 Melrose Los Angeles, Cal."
- Q477 Accompanying one-page letter bearing typewritten message beginning "Notice To All Business Owners Richard M. Nixon . . "
- Q478 Envelope postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO CALIF. 2B AM 17 NOV 1967," bearing typewritten address "Story Music Co. 4708 Whittier Los Angeles, Cal."
- Q479 Accompanying carbon copy of one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All Business Owners Richard M. Nixon . . ."
- Q480 Envelope postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO CALIF. 2A AN 17 NOV 1967," bearing typewritten address "Ralphs Grocery Co. 3410 W. 3rd Los Angeles, Cal."
- Q481 Accompanying carbon copy of one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All Business Owners Richard M. Nixon . . "

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Result of examination:

The questioned typewritten impressions on Q402 through Q481 were found to conform in style to those appearing on other similar specimens previously submitted in this case.

No watermarks, indented writings, or other identifying features were noted which would indicate the immediate source of these items.

The envelopes comprising specimens Q420, Q452 and Q476 differ from the other envelopes, but no distinguishing features were noted on these specimens to suggest their source.

The submitted evidence will be returned separately. Photographs are retained.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: FBI, Los Angeles (9-3218)

Date:

December 15, 1967

UNSUB, aka et al.;
J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM;
NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH -

VICTIM; EXTORTION OO: San Francisco John Edgar Hoover, Director

FBI File No.

Lab. No.

9-42847 D-550533 JK

Examination requested by: Los Angeles - Detroit

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Reference:

Letters 12/5/67

Examination requested:

Document - Fingerprint

Remarks:

You will be advised separately regarding the results of the fingerprint examination and the disposition of the submitted items.

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2 - San Francisco (9-1914) Enclosures (2) (2 Lab report)

2 - Detroit (9-1946) Enclosures (2) (2 Lab report)

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SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (9-1914)

DATE: 11/30/67

FROM

SAC, CHICAGO (9-3724)(RUC)

SUBJECT:

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J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM

NICHOLAS DeB. KATZENBACH - VICTIM

EXTORTION

00: San Francisco

Reference report of SA CLARENCE A. BROM dated 10/26/67 at San Francisco.

The following investigation was conducted by SA ROBERT F. PEVAHOUSE:

On October 9, 1967, a telephone call was placed to telephone number BUI-4100, at which time it was determined this number is the Hotel Rienzi, 600 West Diversey Parkway, Chicago, Illinois.

On October 23, 1967, efforts were made to contact HAROLD J. JELENKO at the Hotel Rienzi without success.

On November 17, 1967, HAROLD J. JELENKO was contacted at the Hotel Rienzi, 600 West Diversey Parkway, Chicago, Illinois. He advised he has been staying at this hotel since returning from California earlier this year. He had gone to California several years ago beause he had heard so much about California. However, he decided he would return to Chicago, where he spent most of his life, to live the remaining years of his life. He advised he is 79 years of age and his memory is not as good as it used to be. He stayed at a number of the cheaper hotels in his travels in California, mostly around the San Francisco area. He recalls one was called the Cadillac Hotel in San Francisco. He did not associate with the other occupants of this hotel since most of the occupants were drunkards and not the type of person he would associate with.

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Mr. JELENKO advised he has not aways agreed with all the decisions of the politicians in the United States, however, he has never written any letters to any persons holding political office. He stated he has never written a letter to J. EDGAR HOOVER or NICHOLAS DeB. KATZENBACH, and most certainly never wrote a threatening letter. He does not know of anyone who would write a threatening letter to such public officials and can furnish no information which might be of assistance in identifying the writer of any such letters. He does not own a typewriter and cannot type. He advised he can always be contacted through

Illinois, should

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anyone desire to talk to him. However, he has no information concerning this matter or any ideas as to who might be responsible for writing any threatening letters.

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SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (9-1914)

DATE: 12/1/67

SAC, SACRAMENTO (9-8) (RUC)

SUBJECT:

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ET AL

J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM

NICHOLAS DeB. KATZENBACH - VICTIM

EXTORTION

OO: SAN FRANCISCO

BUfile 9-42847

Re San Francisco report of SA CLARENCE A. BROM dated 10/26/67.

The following investigation was conducted by SA CLARENCE E. NEWTON, JR.:

California

On 11/28/67, FRANK F. RIETZKE, General Delivery Clerk, Post Office, advised that the name is completely unfamiliar to him and helhad no record of any last name in his files. He assured that no person using this name had received mail through General Delivery for the past four or five years.

On 11/28/67, JACKIE THOMAS, Retailers Credit Association of Yolo County, advised their files contain no reference to

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: FBI, Los Angeles (9-3218)

December 4, 1967

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FBI File No. 9-42847

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et al.:

J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM:

NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH -

VICTIM: EXTORTION

Specimens received 11/24/67

Q394 Envelope postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF AN 1967," bearing typewritten address "Wilshire La Jolla Ph. 6360 Wilshire Los Angeles, Cal."

Q395 Accompanying typewritten letter beginning "Richard M. Nixon has . . . "

Envelope postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF. 2B AM 17 NOV 1967," bearing typewritten address "Dandy Hdwe. Q396 4375 Beverly Los Angeles, Cal."

Q397 Accompanying carbon copy of typewritten letter beginning "Richard M. Nixon has . . ."

Envelope postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF. 1A AM 17 NOV Q398 1967," bearing typewritten address "Johnnys & Bobs Post 1600 Temple Los Angeles, Cal."

Accompanying carbon copy of typewritten letter beginning Q399 "Richard M. Nixon has . . . "

Q400 Envelope postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF. 1B AM 17 NOV 1967," bearing typewritten address "Western Food Mkt. 3885 S. Western Los Angeles, Cal."

Accompanying carbon copy of typewritten letter peginning 0401 "Richard M. Nixon has . . ."

Result of examination:

The style of type appearing on Q394 through Q401 is similar to that on numerous other such envelopes and letters, previously submitted in this case.

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No watermarks, indented impressions, or other identifying features were noted on Q394 through Q401 which might indicate their immediate source.

The stamps appearing on the envelopes submitted were removed from a coil or coils of stamps.

Physical characteristics of the submitted evidence have been recorded for possible future reference.

Q394 through Q401 will be returned separately. Photographs are retained.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: FBI, Los Angeles (9-3218)

00: San Francisco

Date:

December 4, 1967

UNSUB. aka et al.; J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM: MICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH -VICTIM: EXTORTION

John Edgar Hoover, Director

FBI File No. Lab. No.

9-42847 D-549437 JK

Examination requested by:

Los Angeles

Reference:

Airtel 11/20/67

Examination requested:

Document - Fingerprint

Remarks:

You will be advised separately regarding the results of the fingerprint examination and the disposition of the submitted items.

For your information, the last prior submission in this case was received in the Laboratory in January, 1967.

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LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

YOUR FILE NO. FRI FILE NO. LATENT CASE NO.

December 8, 1967

TO: SAC, Los Angeles

UNSUB., AKA

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ET AL. J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM: NICHOLAS de B. KATZENBACH - VICTIM: EXTORTION

REFERENCE:

REFERENCE: ATTEL 11-20-67

SPECIMENS:

Los Angeles Four envelopes, Q394, Q396, Q398, Q400 Four letters, Q395, Q397, Q399, Q401

Two latent fingerprints developed envelope Q398 and one latent fingerprint developed letter Q399. No latent prints developed other envelopes and letters.

Q394 through Q401 enclosed.

Laboratory report separate.

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TO:

DIRECTOR, FBI (9-42847)

(ATTN: IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION)

FROM:

SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (9-1914)

SUBJECT:

UNSUB. aka,

_____ET AL; J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM:

NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH - VICTIM

EXTORTION

00: San Francisco

Re San Francisco airtel to Bureau, 12/7/67.

Enclosed for the Bureau are the following letters postmarked 11/7/67 at San Francisco, California, addressed as follows:

Audio Corner 504 Foothill Los Angeles, California

Uno Toyako 1053 E. 23rd Street Los Angeles, California

Unity Supermarket 504 E. Rosecrans Grd. Los Angeles, California.

Jim's Corner Market 4228 Union Pacific Los Angeles, California

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> Brizzdara Hdwe Co. 140 N. La Brea Los Angeles, California

> Balk's Hdwe. 1518 Mission Los Angeles, California

The six above listed letters are a part of 16 additional letters made available to this Office by Inspector JOHN W. SHEA, U.S. Post Office, San Francisco. These six letters were returned un-opened and the contents have not been handled. Mr. SHEA opened the letters to comply with postal regulations without handling the contents. These letters are identical to others mailed by the Unsub. No effort was made to protect the envelopes from further handling.

The Bureau is requested to process the letters for latent finger prints. In the event any should be developed, they should be compared with prints previously developed in this case.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: FBI. San Francisco (9-1914)

December 19, 1967

FBI File No.

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Lab. No.

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Re: UNSUB. aka et al.: J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM:

NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH - VICTIM:

EXTORTION

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Specimens received 12/12/67

Envelope postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF. 17 NOV 1967," Q482 bearing typewritten address "La Vox De Puerto Rico 11009 S. Main Los Angeles, Cal."

Q483 Accompanying carbon copy of a one-page typewritten letter beginning "Richard M. Nixon has..."

Result of examination:

The style of type and the content of Q482 and Q483 were found similar to numerous other specimens which have been submitted in this matter.

No indented writing, watermarks or other identifying features were noted to indicate the source of these items.

Q482 and Q483 will be returned separately. Photographs are retained.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

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J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM;

Re: NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH - VICTIM

EXTORTION

00: San Francisco

Examination requested by: San Francisco

Reference: Airtel 12/7/67

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint

Remarks:

You will be advised separately regarding the results of the fingerprint examination and disposition of Q482 and Q483.

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LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

YOUR FILE NO. FBI FILE NO.

9-1946 9-42847

LATENT CASE NO.

57341

December 20, 1967

To: SAC, Detroit

UNSUB., AKA

ET AL.:

J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM: NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH - VICTIM:

EXTORTION

REFERENCE:

Letter 12-5-67 EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY: Detroit

SPECIMENS:

Q402, one envelope

Q403, typewritten letter

No latent prints of value developed on enclosed specimens.

Laboratory report separate.

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YOUR FILE NO.

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LATENT CAȘE NO.

57341

December 21, 1967

TO: SAC, Los Angeles

RE: UNSUB., AKA

BT AL.:

J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH - VICTIM

EXTORTION

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REFERENCE:Lottor 12-5-67 EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY: LOS Angeles SPECIMENS: Thirty-nine envelopes and thirty-nine accompanying letters (Q404 through Q481)

Latent prints of value developed as follows:

Three fingerprints on letter, Q433 Two fingerprints on envelope, Q440 Two fingerprints and one lower joint finger impression on letter, Q441 One palm print on envelope, Q474 Two fingerprints on letter, Q479 Two fingerprints on letter, Q481

No latent prints of value developed on remaining specimens.

Laboratory report separate.

Specimens being returned under separate cover.

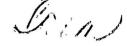
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YOUR FILE NO.

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LATENT CASE NO.

57341

TO: SAC, San Francisco

RE: UNSUB., AKA

ET AL.;

J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM

NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH - VICTIM

EXTORTION

REFERENCE: Airtel 12-7-67

EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY: San Francisco

SPECIMENS: Envelope, Q482

Carbon copy of one-page letter, Q483

No latent prints developed enclosed specimens.

Laboratory report separate.

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John Edga Hoover, Director

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To:	FBI,	San	Francisco	(9-1914)
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December 29, 1967

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Re: UNSUB, aka et al.: J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM:

NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH - VICTIM:

EXTORTION

Specimens received 12/26/67

- Q484 Envelope postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO. CALIF. AM 17 NOV 1967," bearing typewritten address "Audio Corner 504 Foothill Los Angeles, Cal."
- Q485 Accompanying one-page typewritten letter beginning "Richard M. Nixon has . . ."
- **Q486** Envelope postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO. CALIF. AM 17 NOV 1967," bearing typewritten address "Uno Toyako 1053 E. 23rd Los Angeles, Cal."
- Q487 Accompanying carbon copy of a one-page typewritten letter beginning "Richard M. Nixon has . . ."
- Envelope postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO. CALIF. AM 17 NOV Q488 1967," bearing typewritten address "Unity Supermarket 540 E. Rosecrns Grd. Los Angeles, Cal."
- Q489 Accompanying carbon copy of a one-page typewritten letter beginning "Richard M. Nixon"
- Q490 Envelope postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO. CALIF 1967," bearing typewritten address "Jims Corner Mkt. 4228 Union Pacific Los Angeles, Cal."
- Q491 Accompanying carbon copy of a one-page typewritten letter beginning "Richard M. Nixon . . ."
- Q492 Envelope postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO. CALIF AM 17 NOV 1967," bearing typewritten address "Brizzdara Hdwe. Co. 140 N. La Brea Los Angeles, Cal."

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Q493 Accompanying carbon copy of a one-page typewritten letter beginning "Richard M. Nixon . . ."

- Q494 Envelope postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO CALIF. 17 NOV 1967," bearing typewritten address "Balk,s Hdwe. 1518 Mission Los Angeles, Cal."
- Q495 Accompanying carbon copy of a one-page typewritten letter beginning "Richard M. Nixon . . ."

Result of examination:

The style of type and the content of Q484 through Q495 were found similar to the numerous other specimens which have been submitted in this matter.

No watermarks, indented writing of significance, or further identifying characteristics were noted on Q484 through Q495. The physical characteristics of Q484 through Q495 are being maintained for future reference.

Specimens Q484 through Q495 are being returned separately. Photographs are retained.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: FBI, San Francisco (9-1914)

December 29, 1967

UNSUB, aka ______ et al.;
J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM;
Re-NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH VICTIM; EXTORTION
OO: San Francisco

John Edgar Hoover, Director

FBI File No.

9-42847

Lab. No.

D-551791 JK

Examination requested by: San Francisco

Reference:

Airtel 12/15/67

Examination requested:

Document - Fingerprint

Remarks:

You will be advised separately of the results of the fingerprint examination and the disposition of Q484 through Q495.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (62-109119)

FROM: SAC, DENVER (9-1476)

UNSUB., aka Father H, Law of the Jungle Society, L. J. Society J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM EXTORTION (00: SAN FRANCISCO)

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Re Denver airtel to Bureau under caption " U. C. PART, GENERAL DELIVERY, RENO, NEVADA, THREAT AGAINST THE PRESIDENT," dated 2/8/56.

For the Bureau's information, Denver Division was advised 1/3/68, by a Special Agent of the Secret Service here in Denver that the subject of referenced San Francisco and Denver airtels apparently is again mailing out correspondence such as described in referenced communications and Secret Service requested to be advised should the Bureau receive any such correspondence.

The Secret Service representative was advised that as in the past the FBI would immediately be in touch with Secret Service should any new correspondence from the subject come to the attention of the Bureau.

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For the Bureau's information Denver Division has received no recent evidence of mailings by the subject of referenced Denver or San Francisco airtels.

The above is submitted for the Bureau's information in case more mailings by the subject should come to the attention of the Bureau.

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DIVISION

LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

YOUR FILE NO. FBI FILE NO.

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LATENT CASE NO. 57341

TO: SAC, San Francisco

RE: UNSUB. AKA

ET AL.;

J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM;

NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH - VICTIM;

EXTORTION

REFERENCE: EXAMINATION REQUESTED \$15-67

San Francisco SPECIMENS:

Six typewritten letters (Q485, Q487, Q489, Q491, Q493,

and Q495)

No latent prints of value developed on letters.

Laboratory report separate.

Letters being returned under separate cover, along with six envelopes (Q484, Q486, Q488, Q490, Q492, and Q494), which were also submitted.

John Edga Hover, Director

January 5. 1968

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

DATE: 1-5-68

SAC, San Francisco

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Re:

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J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH - VICTIM; **EXTORTION**

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6 letters (Q485, Q487, Q489, Q491, Q493, Q495) 6 envelopes (Q484, Q486, Q488, Q490, Q492, Q494)

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All items listed above are contained in this package. A detailed description of items will be found in Bureau communication dated

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by mail carriers. All of these letters, except one, bear post mark of San Francisco, California dated 11/17/67 AM.

On 12/6/67 Mr. JACOBSON advised that a letter arrived at the Dead Letter Office on which stops had been previously placed which corresponded with letters previously furnished to this office. This letter addressed to L.A. VOZ DE PUERTO RICO, 11009 South Main, Los Angeles, California bears the return address of A.N.G., 821 Market, S.F., Cal., and is post marked 11/17/67 at San Francisco. To comply with regulations Mr. JACOBSON made arrangements to have the letter delivered to the American Newspaper Guild, 433 Natoma St., San Francisco, where arrangements were made to open this letter with FRED D. FLETCHER, the Executive Secretary.

On 11/6/67 Postal Inspector JOHN W. SHEA, U.S.P.O., San Francisco, turned over a total of 16 additional letters that were unopened and the contents had not been handled. Mr. SHEA opened the letters to comply with postal regulations without handling the contents. These letters were identical to others mailed by the UNSUB.

The list of letters submitted by recipiants to the Los Angeles Office and those submitted to the San Francisco Office by union officials and postal authorities is not being set out in this report because of the large volume of letters received. Only those letters in which the laboratory has identified latent prints are being identified in this report. A list of all the letters turned over to the San Francisco Office, however, is being maintained in the file.

SA LARRY NEWMAN, U.S. Secret Service, San Francisco Office, with whom regular contact is maintained relative to this case, was supplied with exemplars of the letters post marked 11/17/67 at San Francisco, as well as the known extent of number of letters returned for one reason or another.

Special Agent NEWMAN, who has authorization for the arrest of the UNSUB when his identity is established, again stated his office has no suspects in this case. He stated all the U.S. Secret Service field offices throughout the United States have been alerted relative to this case and have been supplied with exemplars.

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DALLAS

AT DALLAS, TEXAS: Will advise the U.S. Secret Service of the current status of this case and the fact that Special Agent NEWMAN of the U.S. Secret Service, advised that all office have been furnished information relative to this case.

DETROIT

AT DETROIT, MICHIGAN: Will through established union sources and logical informants attempt to identify any group that may refer to itself as the "Kennedy's Revenge Committee" in view of the second post script on the letters directed to labor unions, some of which were sent to locals in Detroit.

LOS ANGELES

AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA: A copy of this report is furnished Los Angeles for information purposes in view of the large number of letters mailed to the Los Angeles area and the fact that one of the returned letters was post marked at Los Angeles on 11/18/67.

Los Angeles was previously advised that no investigation was being requested of the recipiants of these letters inasmuch as it appears obvious that they were picked at random from a telephone book or some similar mailing list.

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AT CALIFORNIA: Will interview	
who is listed as a retired to	
determine if is and if he resides	
at this address.	b6
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(2) Will thereafter attempt to ascertain if	
is identical with the UNSUB and ascertain	
his whereabouts during the period of 11/16-18/67 in view	
of the last mailings from San Francisco and Los Angeles.	
AT MARYSVILLE, CALIFORNIA: Will locate the	
who is alleged toa tavern in	b6
Marysville and interview him to determine if he is a	b7C
relative of the SPENCERS referred to in letters and if he	2,0
knows the brothers referred to in the	
latest and most of the previous letters mailed by the UNSUB.	

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SAN FRANCISCO

AT SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA: Will continue to maintain contact with Special Agent LARRY NEWMAN of the U.S. Secret Service for any information he may receive or develop in this case.

(2) Will continue efforts to attempt to identify and locate the writer of the letters in instant case.

UNITED STATÉS DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Copy to:

Report of:

CLARENCE A. BROM

Office:

SAN FRANCISCO

Date:

1/23/68

Field Office File #:

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Bureau File #: 9-42847

Title:

UNKNOWN SUBJECT:

Kennedy's Revenge Committee
J. EDGAR HOOVER - Victim;

NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH - Victim

Character:

EXTORTION

Synopsis: Approximately 150 letters post marked 11/17/67 at San Francisco; and one post marked 11/18/67 at Los Angeles have been returned to labor union locals by recipiants or were undelivered for various reasons. The returned letters were mailed to retail merchants, mainly in the Los Angeles area, and all are captioned "Notice to All Business Owners" and signed "Kennedy's Revenge Committee". These letters bear the same theme as previous letters. Union officials have no suspects. Laboratory reports no water marks, indented writings or other identifying features noted on material submitted. HAROLD J. JELENKO eliminated as suspect while investigation relative to ________ still in progress. No additional suspects developed.

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DETAILS:

On November 20, 1967, CHARLES P. SCULLY, General Consul for the California Labor Federation, A.F.L.-C.I.O., 995 Market Street, San Francisco, California, advised that a number of letters directoed to business firms in Los Angeles, California, and bearing the return address of "A.F.L.-C.I.O., 995 Market Street, S.F., Cal." had been returned to their office as undeliverable. He stated all contain an identical letter captioned "Notice to All Business Owners" and are signed "Kennedy's Revenge Committee". The contents are of a crank letter nature along the same line that his office has received in the past and obviously prepared by the same individual. He, however, has no suspects

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as to the identity of the writer but stated he is seriously concerned in view of the nature of the communications and that the address of the Federation is being placed on the envelope as the return address.

Following ix a xeroxed copy of the letter directed to business owners and a letter bearing a second post script on letter directed to unions:

Notice To All Business Owners

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Notice To All Business Camera

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too much about Mixon. His son Chuck Spencer who could identify the twins was also
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killed Kennedy. One of them was J. Adgar Hoover who was over Mixon, s place before
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Because of the Marren Commission, the P.B.I. and the iron curtain that surrounds this secret, it does not give us much choice as to the nethods of tolling the public about these crimes. Those of you in business receiving this notice are on the destruction list which will follow right after a general strike in San Francisco and Detroit, Michigan. There will be a lot of destruction and bloodshed but the public will know the ugly truth.

Kennedy, a Revenge Committee

P.S. The brothers decapitated W. Spencer. His head was found on bac Secremento City durps. But his body they took and durped it into the Los Angeles County severs. His bones are still there. The nambole cover is a few inches above the unpaved ground. Fleace find then and give the man a decent buriel. The sever is a hell of a place to bury people.

(Union Hembers) Thousands of notices have been mailed with the return addresses of the San Francisco unions. This has been done without the knowledge of the San Francisco union members. The Kennedy Revenge Committee can be contacted through the union members of Detroit in Michigan.

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Subsequently, a large number of these letters were turned over to the San Francisco Office, all of which bear the post mark of November 17, 1967, at San FRancisco, California, with the exception of one letter which was addressed to "One Stop Record Stores, 1244 East Colorado, Los Angeles, Cal." bearing the return address of "A.N.G., 821 Market, S.F., Cal.". This letter is post marked November 18, 1967, at Los Angeles, California, and was returned to the writer with a notation "no such number".

The return address noted on these letters are "A.F.L.-C.I.O., 995 Market Street, S.F. (regional office), Cal." "A.C.W.A., 26 7th, S.F., Cal." (Amalgamated Clothing Workers of America) "B.U., 2940 16th, S.F., Cal." (this is address of San Francisco Labor Temple) "A.N.G., 821 Market, S.F., Cal" (American Newspaper Guild, 433 Natoma Street) "I.A.M., 1750 Market, S.F., Cal." (Automotive Machinist Lodge #1305).

On November 20, 1967, THOMAS L. PITTS, Secretary-Treasurer, California Labor Federation, A.F.L.-C.I.O., 995 Market Street, San Francisco, advised that his office has received at least three or four other letters of the same nature and apparently prepared by the same individual during the past two or three years. He has no idea as to the identity of the writer and cannot suggest any possible suspects.

On November 27, 1967, Mr. I.B. ISHMAEL, Secretary-Manager, Odd Fellow Building and Odd Fellow Hall Association of San Francisco, 26-7th Street, San Francisco, advised that during the past week two letters were brought to his office which were returned undelivered. He stated that the Amalgamated Clothing Workers of America (ACWA) occupies the second floor of the building and have been tenants for the past 26 years. Various groups meet in the building on a regular basis, including retired city employees and retired civil employees and Greyhound Bus Company drivers. He was shown exemplars of the latest letter as well as some of the previous letters, but stated that he has never heard the contents of these letters discussed by individuals who frequent the building, nor has he received any correspondence along this line. He could furnish no suspects in this case.

On the same date EARL L. RIGOR, Bookkeeper, Northern California Print Board, ACWA, 26-7th Street, San Francisco, advised that he received one letter post marked November 17,

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On November 17, 1967, HAROLD J. JELENKO was contacted at the Hotel Rienzi, 600 West Diversey Parkway, Chicago, Illinois. He advised he has been staying at this hotel since returning from California earlier this year. He had gone to California several years ago because he had heard so much about California, However, he decided he would return to Chicago, where he spent most of his life, to live the remaining years of his life. He advised he is 79 years of age and his memory is not as good as it used to be. He stayed at a number of the cheaper hotels in his travels in California, mostly around the San Francisco area. He recalls one was called the Cadillac Hotel in San Francisco. He did not associate with the other occupants of this hotel since most of the occupants were drunkards and not the type of person he would associate with.

Mr. JELENKO advised that he has not always agreed with all the decisions of the politicians in the United States, however, he has never written any letters to any persons holding political office. He stated he has never written a letter to J. EDGAR HOOVER or NICHOLAS DeB. KATZENBACH, and most certainly never wrote a threatening letter. He does not know of anyone who would write a threatening letter to such public officials and can furnish no information which might be of assistance in identifying the writer of any such letters. He does not own a typewriter and cannot type. He advised he can always be contacted through

Illinois, should anyone desire to talk to him. However, he has no information concerning this matter or any ideas as to who might be responsible for writing any threatening letters.

The following investigation was conducted by SA CLARENCE E. NEWTON, JR., of the Sacramento Office:

AT CALIFORNIA

On November 28, 1967, FRANK F. RIETZKE, General Delivery Clerk, Post Office, advised that en name is completely unfamiliar to him and he had no record of any last name in his files. He assured that no person using this name had received mail through General Delivery for the past four or five years.

On November 28, 1967, JACKIE THOMAS, Retailers Credit Association of Yolo County, advised their files contain no reference to b6 b7C

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A check of the city directories for showed a telephone as the only person with this last name in California. advised that Credit Bureau records show to be a retired rancher and they only had one inquiry regarding him.	b6 b7С
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SAC. SAN FRANCISCO ((9-1914) DATE: 1/23/68

FROM:

SA CLARENCE A. BROM

SUBJECT:

"CHANGED"

UNSUB, aka

ET AL

Kennedy's Revenge Committee

J. EDGAR HOOVER - Victim; NICHOZAS deB. KATZENBACH - Victim

EXTORTION

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The following letters were received from Inspector JOHN W. SHEA, U.S.P.O., San Francisco, 12/14/67, in addition to six letters submitted to the FBI Laboratory, which were recieved unopened and are recorded in serial 808 of this file. All of the letters listed below are post marked 11/17/67 at San Francisco and bear the following addresses and return addresses:

To

From

Wilshire PresPh. 4036 Wilshire Los Angeles, Cal.

L.A. 693 Mission S.F. Cal.

Santa Fe Grocery 1950th. Durfee EllMonte, Calif.

A.C.W.A. 26-7th S.F. Cal.

Milano & Ciochetto 3110 W. Florence Los Angeles, Cal.

A.P.T.C. 703 Market S.F. Cal.

Bellwood Hdwe. Co. 2314 HWestwood Los Angeles, Cal.

I.A.M. 1750 Market S.F. Cal.

Shirmer G. Music Store A.N.G. 609 Fifth Avenue New York, N.Y. 10017

821 Market S.F. Cal.

Miya Mkt. 8823 Elm Los Angeles, Cal. A.F.L.-C.I.O. 995 Market S.F. Cal.

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P.B.B.C. & Co. B.U. 7918 S. Avalon 2940-16th Los Angeles, Cal. S.F. Cal.

Kraft,s Key Shop B.U. 4426 Avalon 2940-16th Los Angeles, Cal. S.F. Cal.

Lakeside Mkt. A.F.L.-C.I.D. 10106 Riberside Dr. 995 Market North Hollywood, Calif. S.F. Cal.

Knight Education Inc. AN.G. 2406 W. Seventh St. 821 Market Los Angeles, Cal. S.F. Cal.

To:

SACs, Sacramento (89-new)

San Francisco

From:

Director, FBI

HARRY CHARLES MATCHLER:

VICTIM ASSAULTING FEDERAL OFFICER

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Resctel dated 1/29/68.

After subject's current status is determined, and if he is not institutionalized, discuss this matter with the appropriate USA regarding taking the appropriate steps for the purpose of committing him.

San Francisco insure that all logical investigation is conducted to determine if Matchler may be the subject in your case entitled, "Unsub, aka, et al.; J. Edgar Hoover - Victim, Extortion."

Keep Bureau advised of pertinent developments.

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Memorandum

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	NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH -	_
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	(OO: San-Francisco)	
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letter and	furnished a 2-page, handwritten d envelope in the handwriting of which is being retained at Sacramento.	
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2/16/68

SAC, SAN PRANCISCO (9-1914)

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Kennedy's Revenge Committee J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM:

EXTORTION OO: Sen Francisco

Re Bureau Airtel to Sacramento, and San Francisco.
dated 1/30/68, captioned HARRY CHARLES MATCHLER; SA
- VICTIM. ASSAULTING FEDERAL OFFICER.

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The entire in Francisco file in Referenced Bureau airtel was transferred to the Sacremento Office.

NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH - VICTIM

Sacramento is requested to conduct appropriate investigation to determine if MATCHLER may be the subject in captioned case.

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The Bureau may desire to have a comparison made of documents submitted in the second captioned case with the typewritten letter set forth in referenced WFO airtel.

In view of the fact that it is not possible for Dallas to evaluate the pertinence of this suggested lead, it is not being set forth by teletype but is merely being brought to the Bureau's attention for its consideration.

Investigation in first captioned matter at Dallas is continuing.

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TO:

DIRECTOR, PBI

ATTN: FBI LABORATORY

ASFROM:

SAC, WFO (174-179) (P)

SOBOM

Re Dallas mirtel, 2/28/68.

Request is made that the questioned typing in SOBOM case be compared with the questioned typing in case entitled "UNSUB, aka etc; J. EDGAR HOOVER VICTIM; ET AL, EXTORTION, OO: SF, Bufile 9-42847".

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UNITED STATES GUTERNMENT

Memorandum

ro : SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (9-1914)

DATE: 3/6/68

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SAC, SACRAMENTO (9-8) (P)

SUBJECT:

UNSUB, aka

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ET AL;

Kennedy's Revenge Committee;

J. Edgar Hoover - VICTIM;

Nicholas De B. Katzenbach - VICTIM

EXTORTION

00: San Francisco

Re report of SA CLARENCE A. BROM dated 1/23/68 at San Francisco.

Enclosed herewith are nine copies of insert concerning investigation at Marysville, California.

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by this gang too numerous to mention for which Nixon paid in money.

We are giving you thirty days to do something about this. If you do nothing we will bury you with the members of the Warren Commission.

A.F.L.-C.I.O.



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Oren Letter

Traitor J. Edgar Hoover.

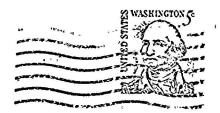
The ruling of the Warren Commission on the assassination of J.F. Kennedy will not stand. Lee Cowald is innocent of all charges. It was who shot Kennedy and wounded the Texas Governor. His brother shot J.b. Tippit. They were hired by Richard N. Nixen. You know that this is the truth because we have witnesses who saw you sneak in and out of Nixen. S place just before he was killed. We even have a voice recording of you and Nixen E planning Kennedy, a assassination which unfortunately we get much too late to prevent it.

Cur members will pass out leaflets in San Francisco. California and Detroit, Michigan to the public. These leaflets describe in detail your conversation with Mixon and urgo the public to desand Mixon, a and your arrest for the nurder of J.F. Kennedy.

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Ambassador Hotel 55 Mason S.F. Cal.





DEC 1 2 1966 DETROIT

Carpenters 2988 E. Grand Blvd. Detroit, Mich.

Notice To All Business Camers

	Richard M. Nixon has ten murderers on his payroll. They belong to one-family	
	by marriage and birth. The leader of them id Rin residence is in	
	California. Five of his brothers (two of them twins.	
	live in County. His brother in law with his	
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	too much about Mixon. Mis son Chuck Spencer who could identify the twins was also	
	killed by the brothers. Lee Canald never killed anybody. It was	
•	with Lee Cowald, a gun that killed Kennedy. His brother chot.	
	J.D. Tippit. Why was Kennedy Milled? Because he was a Cutholic and chief opponent	
	of Mixon. Mixon had plenty of holp from a lot of people in the compliancy that	
•	killed Kennedy. One of them was J.Edgar Boover who was over Nixon, o place before	
	Konnedy pado that trip to Dallao, Texas.	
	because of the Warren Commission, the P.B.I. and the iron curtain that	
,	-surrounds this secret, it does not give us much choice as to the methods of	
	telling the public about these crimes. Those of you in business receiving this	
	notice are on the destruction list which will follow right after a general strike	
,	in San Francisco and Detroit, Michigan. There will be a lot of destruction and	11.
٧.	bloodshed but the public will know the ugly truth.	•
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)	P.S. The brothers decapitated W. Spencer. His head as a found on	
	the Bacrezento City dumps. But his body they took and dumped it into the les	
•	Angeles County sewers. his benes are still there. The markole cover is a few	
	inches above the unpaved ground. Please find them and give the man a decent	
	buriel. The sewer is a hell of a place to bury people.	

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(Union Members) Thousands of notices have been mailed with the return addresses of the San Francisco Unions. This has been done without the knowledge of the San Francisco union members. The Kennedy, s Revenge Committee can be contacted through the union members in Detroit, Michigan.



B.U. 2940-16th. S.F. Cal.



Carpenters District Council 2988 E. Grand Boulvard Detroit, Michigan

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

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DIRECTOR, FBI (9-42847)ATE:

3/19/68

Attn: FBI Laboratory

SAC, DETROIT (9-1946)P)

SUBJECT:

UNSUB, aka.,

ET AL;

J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM; NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH - VICTIM EXTORTION

OO: SAN FRANCISCO

Re Detroit letter dated 12/5/67, and report of SA CLARENCE A. BROM, dated 1/23/68, at San Francisco.

Enclosed herewith for the Bureau are copies of three letters and two envelopes received on 3/8/68, from JOHN HARRINGTON, Secretary - Treasurer, Camenters District Council, AFL-CIO, 2988 E. Grand Boulevard, by SA NORMAN FRANCIS SIMON. These enclosures are described as follows:

- Anonymous letter undated, addressed "Open Letter To Attorney General Nickolas Katzeman", concerning allegations regarding the death of President No envelope nor date received was on file at the Carpenters District Council office.
- 2. A copy of an anonymous letter captioned, "Open Letter", undated, signed "Kennedy's Friends". Attached to the letter is an envelope bearing postmark 12/6/66, Sacramento, California, with a return address of "Ambassador Hotel, 55 Mason, S. F. Cal."
- A copy of a letter undated addressed "Notice To All Business Owners", concerning the death of President KENNEDY, signed "Kennedy,s Revenge Committee". This letter is undated and appears to be one of a number of carbon copies, but also appears to bear a poexed postscript of original typing. The envelope attack to this letter bears the return address, "B.U. 294 CELLED 16th. S. F. Cal.".
- 2 Bureau (Enc. 5)
- 2 Las Vegas (Info)
- 2 Sacramento (9-8) (Info)
- 2)- San Francisco (9-1914) (Enc. 18

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HARRINGTON advised that the above letters had been received at union headquarters. He indicated that he has never heard of the Kennedy Revenge Committee. He further stated that he never heard the matter discussed in any conferences or labor negotiations with business and labor organizations in the Detroit area.

Two Xerox copies each of the above letters and envelopes are enclosed for the information and investigative assistance of the San Francisco Office.

Also enclosed for San Francisco are two copies each of the following letters addressed to:

"To Whom it May Concern", signed "J. F. Kennedy, s Ghost"

"Death List", bearing six names;

Xerox copies of three envelopes bearing return addresses,

Gen. Del.

Boise, Idaho";

Gen. Del. S. F. Cal.", addressed to UAW 8000 E. Jefferson,

Detroit, Michigan; '

Gen. Del. S. F. Cal." addressed to "A.F.L.-C.I.O. Region 9

9th - Chester BLDG, Cleveland, Ohio".

"Notice To All U. S. Newspapers", signed "American Freedom Society"

The above material was made available to SA ROBERT D. COOPER of the Grand Rapids Resident Agency by SA KENT GORDAN of the U. S. Secret Service, Grand Rapids, Michigan, who advised that Secret Service has been working on this case since 1964 in an attempt to identify the writer of the letters and many more similar to these letters which have been received throughout the United States.

b6 b7C Copies of the three letters and two envelopes obtained from JOHN HARRINGTON, Carpenters District Council, as described above, have been made available to U. S. Secret Service in Detroit, Michigan. Copies have also been retained by the Detroit Office.

The FBI Laboratory is requested to conduct appropriate examination of the enclosed documents with documents previously submitted in this case.

examination.

The San Francisco Office is requested to review the material furnished by U. S. Secret Service at Grand Rapids, Michigan, to determine if the originals or copies of the originals have previously been obtained and submitted to the Bureau Laboratory for appropriate

San Francisco is requested to conduct appropriate investigation which may be indicated on the enclosed material.

Copies of this letter are indicated for the Las Vegas and Sacramento Offices, it being noted that one of the above-mentioned letters was postmarked Sacramento, California, and another Reno, Nevada. Investigation in those field divisions is being left to the discretion of the San Francisco Office.

Detroit will maintain contact with U. S. Secret Service in Detroit and will also contact additional abor unions in an attempt to develop additional information in this matter.

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CEG/dkc a Federal Officer, instructed that San Francisco insure all logical investigation be conducted to determine if MATCHLER might be the Subject in this investigation. The entire San Francisco file in the MATCHLER case was transferred to the Sacramento office on 1/30/68. Referenced San Francisco letter requested the Sacramento Division to conduct appropriate investigation to determine if MATCHLER might be the Subject in this investigation. Referenced Washington Field airtel directed to the attention of the FBI Lab, requested that questioned typing in the SOBUM case be compared with questioned typing in this investigation. Regular contact is maintained with SA LARRY NEWMAN, U.S. Secret Service, San Francisco Office, new Federal Building, with regard to this investigation. SA NEWMAN advised on 3/22/68 that his office does not have any suspects in this case. LEADS DALLAS AT DALLAS, TEXAS: Will report results of contact with U.S. Secret Service Office. DETROIT AT GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN: Will recontact SA KENT GORDON, U.S. Secret Service, in effort to obtain originals or if not available copies of material set forth in referenced Detroit letter for submission to FBI Lab for appropriate examination and comparison with specimens previously submitted in this investigation. SACRAMENTO AT SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA: Will furnish the FBI Lab, for comparison purposes, the two page hand written - B -COVER PAGE

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AT SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA: (1) Will maintain contact with SA LARRY NEWMAN of the U.S. Secret Service for any information he may develop concerning the identity of the Subject in this investigation

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Copy to:

1 - U.S. Secret Service. San Francisco

Report of:

CHARLES E. GALVIN

Office:

SAN FRANCISCO

Date:

3/28/68

Field Office File #:

9-1914

Bureau File #:

9-42847

Title:

UNKNOWN SUBJECT,

Kennedy's Revenge Committee J. EDGAR HOOVER - Victim; NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH -

Victim

Character:

EXTORTION

Synopsis:

No recent letter writing activities of Unsub reported to	
San Francisco Office. Father of suspect,	
interviewed and he advised he did not know where-	b6
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and furnished specimens of handwriting. Investi-	
gation to identify individuals named in letter prepared	
by Unsub and postmarked 11/17/67, conducted at Marysville,	
California, with negative results.	

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DETAILS: AT SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

No letters postmarked subsequent to November 18, 1967, reported to San Francisco Office.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA ROBERT W. RATHKE;

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AT CALIFORNIA	
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reviewed a copy of a letter prepared by unknown subject postmarked November 17, 1967. advised he has no relatives which would possibly compare with mentioned in the letter nor does he know any brothers by the names of	ъ6 ъ7с
said he has never seen any other letter of similar content and has no idea who may have written the	ь6 ь7с

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The following investigation was conducted by S. CLARENCE S. NEWTON, JR., on February 5, 1967:

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By communication received February 13, 1968, the Identification Division of the FBI furnished the following record concerning

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By communication dated March 19, 1968, the Detroit Division furnished the following photostats which were made available by Special Agent (SA) ROBERT B. COOPER and SA KENT GORDAN of the U.S. Secret Service, Grand Rapids, Michigan. Mr. GORDAN advised that the Secret Service has been working on this case since 1964 in an attempt to identify the writer of the letters and many more similar to these letters which have been received throughout the U.S.

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To Whom It May Concern

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Lee Oswald (The Rabbit) has been framed for the shooting of J.F. Kennedy who shot the late Kennedy and b6 and the Dallas policeman. It was wounded the Texas Governor. His brother shot the Dallas policenan. b70 Bota live and work in California. They are tall with light complexion and are a part of a gang of ten murderers all belonging to the same family by marriage and birth. Their hometown is Texas. The U.S. bankers wanted a war with Russia, (over the Cuban issue) so they could save the Federal Reserve System and Bankers Dictatorship. But Kennedy did not want a war, so they let their views be known to their leader Alfred I. Dupont and his father. Death for Kennedy has been requested by Dupont and carried out by his two loyal servants, J. Edgar Hoover and Richard M. Nixon. Both Hoover and Nixon have a lot of friends in the Dallas Police Department and many other places. In Tube City, Cal. not only is the Police Department, the Speriff, his Deputies but even the County Coroner are friends of Wixon and work for him. Other members of the murdering gang of ten, are brothers (two of them twins) and his two stepbrothers, is the leader of this gang and lives in or near Brifaraiz. California. live in or near California. The other five brothers live in California. Murders committed by this gang are too numerous to mention all of them.

Here are a few of them. W. Spencer from the twin city Yuba & & City-Harysville, Cal. has been knifed and decapitated about four years ago by the murdering twins Richard M. Nixon paid 500 dollars for this job. They threw his decapitated head on the dumps in the twin city district and took his headless body and dumped him in the sewer in North Los Angeles County. This bones are still there. The manhole cover is a few inches above the ac unpavel ground. In the Spencer a goodlooking teenager and son of the murdered W. Spencer has been to itead in a box. The brothers done it. Mrs. Parker has been be

me and and buried near Oroville, Cal. by Nixon by Nixon by Do dollars for this job too. Nixon was afraid of Mrs. Parker who knew too muc. shout him.

he Police and the Sheriff in Yuba City know about these murders but they naver to be very dear friends of Nixon and J.Edgar Hoover and will cover up any imes that the gang is guilty of

J.F. Kennedy,s Ghost

P.S. Have sent several remittees copies of this letter without the P.S. to the P.B.I. with the return address of the labor unions. That means that J.E. Hoover will send out his agents to frame your union members and put them in all for something they did not do. If it is alright to frame Lee Oswald for a nurder he did not do, than it is alright to frame your union members. Nobody cared about Leer Oswald so who cares about your unions.

SF 9-1914 CEG/dkc Further, the Detroit Division advised that on March 8, 1968, Mr. JOHN HARRINGTON, Secretary Treasurer, Carpenters District Council, AFL-CIO, 2988 East Grant Boulevard, furnished copies of the following: 1. Anonymous letter undated, addressed "Open Letter To Attorney General Nickclas Katzeman", concerning allegations regarding the death of President KENNEDY. No envelope nor date received was on file at the Carpenters District Council Office. 2. A copy of an enonymous letter captioned, "Open Latter", undated, signed "Kennedy,s Friends". Attached to the letter is an envelope bearing postmark December 6, 1966, Sacramento, California, with a return address of "Ambassador Hotel, 55 Mason, San Francisco, California". A copy of a letter undated addressed "Notice To All Business Owners" concerning the death of President KENNEDY, signed "Kennedy's Revenge Committee". This letter is undated and appears to be one of a number of carbon copies, but also appears to bear a postscript of original typing. The envelope attached to this letter bears the return address, "B.U. 2940- 16th. S.F. Cal.". HARRINGTON advised that the above letters had been received at union headquarters. He indicated that he has never heard of the Kennedy Revenge Committee. He further stated that he never heard the matter discussed in any conferences or labor negotiations with business and labor organizations in the Detroit area. - 12*-

Memorandum

TO

SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (9-1914)

DATE:

3/26/68

FROM ;

SAC, SACRAMENTO (9-8) (RUC)

SUBJECT:

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ET AL

KENNEDY'S REVENGE COMMITTEE

J. E. HOOVER - VICTIM

NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH -

VICTIM

EXTORTION

OO: SAN FRANCISCO

Re San Francisco letter to Sacramento, 2/16/68, in above captioned matter; and Bureau airtel to Sacramento and San Francisco, 1/30/68, entitled, "HARRY CHARLES MATCHLER; SA - VICTIM; ASSAULTING FEDERAL OFFICER.

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From a review of the files in Sacramento, it does not appear logical to conduct any investigation toward attempting to determine if MATCHLER is the Subject of the extortion case originating at San Francisco. Unless specific direction can be given by the office of origin as to specifically what should be determined regarding MATCHLER, no further investigation will be conducted at Sacramento.

It is pointed out that MATCHLER is a who would be incompetent to stand trial in any event. It cannot be determined from serials available in the extortion file at Sacramento the particular dates that all of the extortion notes were written in the extortion matter at San Francisco. The Bureau is in receipt of samples of MATCHLER's handwriting in the assaulting of a Federal officer investigation and it appears that the extortion notes written by UNSUB in the extortion violation have been mostly typewritten.

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Buy U.S. Savings Bonds Regularly on the Payroll Savings Plan?

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Sacramento file 89-7 has been closed by letter to the Director dated 3/13/68, a copy of which was furnished to San Francisco.

Sacramento file 9-8 is being closed on this communication with no further action being taken.

REPORT of the



FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

FBI, Detroit (9-1946)

Date: April 8, 1968 FBI File No. 9-42847

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UNSUBS, aka

et al. J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM;

NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH - VICTIM;

EXTORTION

Specimens received 3/26/68

- Envelope postmarked "SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF AM Q496 17 NOV 1967 2B," bearing typewritten address "Carpenters District Council 2988 E. Grand Boulvard Detroit, Michigan!
- Q497 Accompanying carbon copy of a one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice to all Business Owners Richard M. Nixon..."
- Envelope postmarked "SACRAMENTO, CALIF 1B AM Q498 6 DEC 1966," bearing typewritten address "Carpenters 2988 E. Grand Blvd. Detroit, Michigan"
- Q499 Accompanying carbon copy of a one-page typewritten letter beginning "Open Letter Traitor J. Edgar Hoover. the ruling ... "
- Q500 Carbon copy of a one-page typewritten letter beginning "Open Letter to Attorney General Nickolas Katzeman..."

Result of examination:

The style of type and content of Q496 through Q500 were found to conform to the typewritten specimens previously submitted in this case.

No indented writing, watermarks or other identifying features were noted on Q496 through Q500 which might indicate their immediate source. The submitted evidence will be returned separately. Photographs are retained.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

το: FBI, Detroit (9-1946)

Date: April 8, 1968

FBI File No. 9-42847

Lab. No.

D-559202 JK

UNSUBS, aka

et al.

J. EDGAR HOOVER-VICTIM;

NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH-VICTIM;

EXTORTION

00: San Francisco

Examination requested by: Detroit

Reference:

Letter 3/19/68

Examination requested:

Document = Fingerprint

Remarks:

You will be advised separately regarding the results of the fingerprint examination and the disposition of Q496 through Q500.

DO NOT INCLUDE ADMINISTRATIVE PAGE(S) INFORMATION IN INVESTIGATIVE REPORT

Enclosures (2) (2 Lab report)

1 - Las Vegas Enclosure (Lab report) (9-127)

1 - Sacramento (9-8) Enclosure (Lab report)

2 San Francisco (9-1914) Enclosures (2) (2 Laterepo

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BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION // ///

Washington, D. C. 20537



of the

IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

YOUR FILE NO.

9-1946

FBI FILE NO.

9-42847

LATENT CASE NO.

57341

TO: SAC, Detroit

REI UNSUB., AKA

ET AL.;

J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH - VICTIM EXTORTION

REFERENCE:

Letter 3/19/68 EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY: Detroit

SPECIMENS:

Two envelopes, Q496 and Q498

One page typewritten letter, Q497

Two carbon copies of one page typewritten letter, Q499 and Q500

No latent prints developed on enclosed specimens,

Laboratory report separate.

Enc. (5)

2)- San Francisco (9-1914)

1 - Las Vegas (9-127)

1 - Sacramento (9-8)

April 9, 1968

John Edge

THIS EXEPORT IS FURNISHED FOR OF

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DIRECTOR, FBI (9-42847) ATTN: FBI LABORATORY

4/11/68

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Enclosed for the Laboratory (Document Section) is one	
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California, on 2/5/68, and said it was	
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Referenced report sets forth information regarding background of ______ and the fact he was incarcerated during the pertinent period of last extortion notes in this matter.

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The handwriting on the envelope and two-page letter should be compared with other handwriting samples in instant matter to determine if any identification can be effected.

Results of this examination should be furnished to the Sacramento Division as well as Office of Origin. After examination, the enclosures should be returned via registered mail to the Sacramento Office.

No further investigation outstanding at Sacramento.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO

SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (9-1914)

DATE:

4/12/68

FROM

SAN DALLAS (9-2065) (RUC)

SUBJECT:

UNSUB aka

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ET AL
Kennedy's Revenge Committee;
J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM;
NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH - VICTIM
EXTORTION

OO: SAN FRANCISCO

Re report of SA CHARLES E. GALVIN dated 3/28/68 at San Francisco.

By letter dated 1/31/68, Special Agent in Charge FORREST V. SORRELS, Secret Service, Dallas, was advised of the status of this case.

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DIRECTOR, FBI

SAC, SACRAMENTO (89-7) (C)

ASSAULTING FEDERAL OFFICER

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Re Bureau airtel dated 1/30/68.

San Francisco, by airtel dated 1/30/68, advised as follows:

on 1/30/68, advised that subject,
born 7/1/18, was last admitted
on 10/27/65. He went ANOL on 11/22/65, and returned
to the hospital on 1/12/66. He was allowed a "trial visit" on
3/11/66, and returned again to the hospital on 8/13/66. He
"eloped" from the hospital on 8/31/66, and has not returned.
The hospital last discharged him on 11/7/66. At that time his
residence was given as 514 Alabama Street, Vallejo, California.

The diagnosis of subject's condition on his last admission is as follows:

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1 - Sacramento

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FILE-Sacramento

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On 1/3/68, the facts of this case were discussed with AUSA JAMES J. SIMONELLI, Sacramento, California. SIMONELLI advised that	1 -
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AUSA SIMONELLI telephonically contacted Solano District Attorney E. GLYNN STANLLY, Fairfield, California, and requested that some action be taken in in this county.	ь6 b70
Several discussions have since been had with STANLEY by SA FLOYD B. BARRUS. STANLEY explained that under California law as it is presently interpreted.	18 - 18
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This matter has been closely followed with Cantain	

L. WADE BIRD, Vallejo, California, Police Department. There be have been no further threats against SA either directly b7c or through any other reported source.

In an attempt to try to resolve this matter, subject was telephonically contacted by Detective Sergeant RAYMOND ALLERITTON, Vallejo Police Department, 2/19/68. Subject

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admitted that he had called the Vallejo Police Department complaining about SA ______ but denied any threat of bodily harm. Subject was invited to the Police Department to discuss this matter further, but he denied, stating that at this time he has no particular grievance and he did not feel it was necessary.

No further attempt is being made at this time to ______ in view of the feeling of the local District Attorney and the case in the San Francisco Office is being closed. However, this matter will be continually followed with the Vallejo Police Department and will be immediately pursued should any additional threats be made against SA _____ or any other Bureau personnel.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To:PBI, Sacramento (9-8)	Date: FBI File No.	April 19, 1968 9-42847
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: FBI, Sacramento (9-8)

Date:

April 19, 1968

UNSUB, aka John Edgar Hoover, Director b6 Kennedy's Revenge Committee b7C J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM: NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH -9-42847 FBI File No. VICTIM; EXTORTION D-560795 IK 00: San Francisco Sacramento Reference: Letter 4/11/68 Examination requested: Document Remarks: Should continue to be a suspect **b6** in this case, and should further examination be desired in b7C regard to the hand printing on specimens Q37, Q39 and Q117, it is suggested that known hand printing in the wording of the questioned documents be obtained from for comparison purposes. DO NOT INCLUDE ADMINISTRATIVE PAGE (S) INFORMATION IN

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DIRECTOR, FBI (9-42847) ATTN: FRI LABORATORY

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Konnody's Revenge Committee, J. EDGAR HOOVER - Victim NICHOLAS DE B. KATJENBACH Extortion 00: San Francisco

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He Report of SA CHARLES E. GALVIN, dated 3/23/68 at San Francisco. Sacramento letter to San Francisco, dated 3/26/68. Bureau airtel to Sacramento and San Francisco, dated 1/30/63.

Enclosed for Sacramento is one copy each of Louton airtel to Director dated 3/16/65, captioned ASSASSIMATION OF JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY, 11/22/63, DALLAS, TEXAS, and letter-head memorandum from Boston Division dated 3/16/65, captioned CLIFFORD OSBURN SOWERS, 2015 11th Street, Sacramento, California./

Bureau sirtel dated 12/15/64, captioned ASSASSIMATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN PITZGERALD KENNEDY, 11/22/63, DALLAJ, TEXAS, MISCELLANFOUS - IMPORMATION CONCERNING (Bureau file 60-109060) reflects the following information:

GEORGE CECIL THOUSON, a 51 year old civil engineer who resides at 917 Briarwood Lane, Glendale, California, has contacted the Bureau concerning the assassination of President JOHN PITZGERALD KENNELY and apparently is obsessed with the idea that LEE HARVEY OSWALD did not assassinate President Kennedy. Additional information concerning THOMSON is set out further in this sirtel which was directed to all SACs.

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The enclosed letterhead memorandum to the Sacramento office concerns CLIFFORD OSBURN SOWERS, 2015 11th Street, Sacramento, California. SOWERS, on March 15, 1965, contacted the Boston office of Senator EDWARD M. KENNEDY and requested an immediate and personal interview with Senator KENNEDY or Senator ROBERT KENNEDY, stating he had important information bearing on the assassination of President JOHN P. KENNEDY. He produced 53 pages, carefully detailed notations, both numerical and alphabetical. He, SOWERS, appeared to be

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LEADS:

LOS AMMELES

AT GLENDALE, CALIFORNIA: Will refer to Bureau airtel dated 12/15/64, directed to all SACs captioned ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT JOHN PITZGERALD KENNEDY, 11/22/63, DALIAS, TEXAS, MISCELLANEOUS - INFORMATION CONCERNING. Will review Los Angeles file concerning THOMSON to determine if specimens of material prepared by him have been forwarded to the FBI laboratory. If available and not previously furnished to FBI laboratory, will furnish FBI laboratory specimens prepared by THOMSON and request comparison with apecimens in this case.

2. Will, at Los Angeles Police Department and Glendele Police Department and appropriate Post Offices and Credit Bureau, conduct appropriate background check in an effort to obtain information concerning activities and whereabouts of THOMSON. Will determine if THOMSON is now known as a prolific letter writer. If investigation shows that THOMSON was institutionalized, ascertain dates to determine if THOMSON could have prepared and posted letters received in this case.

SACRAMENTO

AT SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA: Will review enclosed letterhead momorandum and thereafter ascertain if SOWERS is residing at 2015 lith Street.

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DIRECTOR, VBI (9-42847)

FROM:

SAC, BOSTON (9-1615)

SUBJECT: UNSUB. ako

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EXTORTION . (00: SF)

Remarked to Eureau, 4/30/68, captioned "UNSUE; Anonymous letter From Sacramento, Calif. Area Concerning RICHARD M. NIDON. INFORMATION CONCERNING, is being consolidated into eaption.

Transmitted herewith are the following:

- 1. Letter mailed to Radio Station WEEL, Prudential Building, Boston, Mass., and received on 4/29/66; also enclosed is the envelope.
- 2. Letter mailed to Station WHEH, Television and Radio, Boston, Mass., received on 4/29/68; also enclosed is the envelope.
- Letter mailed to Station NCSE Hadio and TV, Portland, Maine, and received on 4/29/68; also enclosed is the envelope.

These letters are all identical and read as follows:

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BS 9-1615 "To Governor Of Michigan George Romney "Richard M. Nixon has ten murderers on his payroll. They belong to one family by marriage and birth. is the leader of them. His residence is in California. Five of his brothers live in County. **'h6** California. are tuins. His brother b7C with his brother in law also live in County, California. The two stepbrothers live around "Nixon paid them to murder many people. Mrs. Parker was buried in an isolated spot by because she knew too much about Nixon. W. Spencer and his son Chuck Spencer were killed by the brothers because they knew tee much about Nixon. It was with Lee Oswald's gun that killed J.F.Kennedy. His brother b7C J. D. Tippit. Traitor J. Edgar Hoover not only let Mixon know when Kennedy was going to Dallas but also framed Lee Harvey Oswald. "Unless Nixon and his gang are brought to Justice within 15 days, our organization will start killing Republicans where ever we meet them. "A.F.L.-C.I.O. **b6** *P.S. Nixon sent to kill Martin Luther King b7C for political reasons." The foregoing documents have been handled by several people at the addresses where they were received; therefore,

it is being left to the discretion of the Bureau as to the practicality of processing them for latent prints.

These letters and envelopes can be compared with documents previously submitted in this matter.

Copies of this communication are being designated for San Trancisco and Sacramento for information purposes.

A.F.J.-C.I.O.

601 Polk

San Francisco, Cal.

ZIP CODE

A.F.J.-C.I.O.

2310 Cass
Detroit, Mich.

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Notice To All Union Leaders

Richard M. Nixon had sent to kill Martin Luther King for be olitical reasons. He also had J.F. Kennedy killed by for for aion leaders on phoney charges for political reasons. I hope you enjoy rotting a jail on framed up charges because Kixon thinks that this will help his positical campaign. When are you sheep brained idiots going to wake up? I

Guess Tho

Gen. Del.



A.F.L.-C.I.O. 2310 Cass Detroit, Mich.

War of Armageddon is here. This war can not be won with a Democratic or ublican Party leadership. It can only be won with a Christian Party leadership ch will fight it according to the Holy Bible in the Revelations. That means t you will have to put President Johnson and Vice President Humphrey in jail, e over the government and hold election in which the Christian Party will ct a President who is willing to fight the war according to the Holy Bible. n find someone who can tell you what the Revelations mean and fight the war

ordingly. The U.S. chocolate sailors are no match for the Moslems which will drown U.S. Navy in the Atlantic a few days after destroying London. U.S. chocolate diers who will be defending New York will be ready to surrender the big city. this should happen a bloody civil war will take place and U.S. people will et the Moslems as liberators from the Bankers Slavery and the burden of the ional Debt. Both Russia and China who do not have private bankers do not have ional Debts. If you should make the mistake of using nuclear weapons at this s time it means retaliation of the Russian H Bombs on U.S. cities. The final ult would be that the Reds would get of what is left of the World. Communists trol half the World with a billion and a half people, but there are only two dred million people under the Bankers Slavery in United States. If you ionalize the U.S. banks and abolish the National Debt then you will give the ricans the will to fight in order to survive.

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ET AL:

J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM; HICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH - VICTIM EXTORTION OO: SAN FRANCISCO

Re Detroit letter dated 3/19/68, and FBI Laboratory report (#D 559 202 JK) dated 4/8/68.

Enclosed herewith for the Bureau are the original and two copies each of two letters and two envelopes received on 5/2/68, from Miss JUANITA PARNELL, Secretary, AFL - CIO, 2310 Cass, Detroit, Michigan.

The euclosures are described as follows:

- 1 Carbon copy of a letter addressed to, "Notice To All Union Leaders", and signed "Guess Who". This letter arrived at AFL CIO Headquarters in Detroit in an envelope bearing the return address, "A.F.L.-C.I.O. 601 Polk San Francisco, Cal.";

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GANINA B 9-1914 PHS DR 9-1946 Two Xerox copies each of the above letters and envelopes are enclosed for the information and investigative assistance of the San Francisco and Sacramento Offices. Copies of the two letters and two envelopes described above have been made available to the U. S. Secret Service in Detroit, Michigan. Copies have also been retained by the Detroit Office. The FBI laboratory is requested to conduct appropriate examination of the enclosed documents along with comparison of these documents with documents previously submitted in this case. San Francisco is requested to conduct any appropriate investigation which may be indicated on the enclosed material and to set forth leads for the Sacramento Office, if such action is deemed advisable. On 4/24/68, PATRICK O'DONNELL, Business Manager, Iron Workers Local 25 and WARCELLO VILLARREAL. Secretary - Treasurer, Laborers Local 334, both Detroit, Nichigan, advised they have not received any correspondence dealing with the KENNEDY assassination. and particularly with "Rennedy's Revenge Committee". On 4/24/68, JACK WOOD, Executive Secretary and Business Manager, Detroit Building and Construction Trades Council, advised he has never heard or read anything concerning the "Rennedy's Revenue Committee". Detroit will remain alert for any material which may be obtained through union officials in the Detroit, Michigan, area and will conduct appropriate investigation with reference to same.

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He said personally he does not attach much significance to the communication as the station is in constant receipt of "crank mail" from people who criticize their editorial policies or their stand on matters of public interest.

In the event he should receive any future communications which would appear to have come from the same correspondent, he would notify the Boston Office of the FBI.

On 4/30/68, the Boston Office was in receipt of a letter from HAROLD E. CLANCY, President, WHDH Radio Station, 50 Morrissey Boulevard, Boston, Massachusetts, wherein was enclosed a copy of the identical communication mentioned above which was received by that Radio Station, and which was postmarked Sacramento, California.

The foregoing is being brought to the attention of the Bureau for information and interest, and for whatever action is deemed appropriate.

No further action, Boston.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

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Memorandum

to: SAC, San Francisco (9-1914)

DATE: May 3, 1968

FROM : Director, FBI

SUBJECT: UNSUB: AKA,

ET AL.;

J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM

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ReBSairtel dated 4/30/68, entitled "Unsub; Anonymous Letter From Sacramento, California, Area Concerning Richard M. Nixon, Information Concerning," and reBureau calls to Boston and New York this date.

Enclosed for information of San Francisco and New York are copies of airtel along with copies of the letter received at WEEI Radio Station, Boston.

The writer of instant communication appears to be identical with the captioned case.

New York review your file and advise Nixon's office of pertinent data concerning this communication and background of this case.

Boston immediately submit original communication for appropriate examination in the Laboratory.

San Francisco insure that local authorities are alerted to this communication as well as others in this case.

For information New York and Boston, San Francisco is origin in captioned case. Numerous letters have been sent by the subject throughout the United States and investigation is continuing to identify him.

Enclosures (2)

2 - Boston (9-1615)

2 - New York (9-4043) (Encl. 2)

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION WASHINGTON. D. C. 20535

To: FBI, San Francisco (9-1914)

Date: May 8, 1968

FBI File No. 9-42847

Lab. No.

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Re: UNSUB. aka et al.

Kennedy's Revenge Committee, J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH EXTORTION

******** Request received 4/26/68

Request comparison of specimens maintained in Bureau Files attributed to CLIFFORD OSBURN SOWERS and GEORGE CECIL THOMSON

Result of examination:

It was determined that the questioned typewritten items in this case were not prepared on the typewriters used in the preparation of items located in Bureau files attributed to GEORGE CECIL THOMSON.

No material attributed to CLIFFORD OSBURN SOWERS could be located in Bureau files.

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LABORATORY

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: FBI, San Francisco (9-1914)

Date: May 8, 1968

Re:

et al.

Kennedy's Revenge Committee.

J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH -VICTIM

EXTORTION

00: San Francisco
Examination requested by: San Francisco

Reference:

Letter 4/23/68

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John Edgar Hoover, Director

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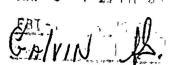
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO

SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (9-428

SAC, SACRAMENTO (9-8) (P)

SUBJECT:

Et Al Kennedy's Revenge Committee, J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM: NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH - VICTIM EXTORTION

00: SF

UNSUB, aka

Re San Francisco letter to Bureau dated 4/23/68.

Referenced letter indicates enclosures for Sacramento, however, no enclosures were received.

On 5/2/68, SA CLARENCE E. NEWTON, JR. determined that CLIFFORD OSBURN SOWERS, born 2/22/20 at York, Pennsylvania, is currently residing at 2015 11th Street with his mother, Mrs. HELEN SPAHR who has telephone No. 446-1727.

SOWERS was interviewed under pretext and advised he is a truck driver and delivery man by trade, but has been unemployed for a number of years and that he lives off his mother's retirement and has no gainful occupation. He said he is

He said he finished

the ninth grade, has never been in prison and has never been institutionalized.

From physical observation, it appeared to the inter viewing agent that SOWERS has upon receipt of enclosures from San Francisco, he will be recontacted for re-interview concerning instant matter.

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AT SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

Immediately furnish enclosures referred to in referenced letter.

SACRAMENTO DIVISION

AT SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA

Upon receipt of enclosures, will interview SOWERS in an attempt to determine if he has a typewriter in his possession or access to one and any information he may have pertaining to instant matter.

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TO:

DIRECTOR, FRI

FROM:

SAC, NEW YORK (9-4043) (RUC)

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J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM

EXTORTION (OO: SF)

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Pursuant to Eureau instructions, information contained in relet and NYfile discussed with LOIS GAUNT, Administrative Assistant of the firm of Nixon, Rose, Mudge, Guthrie, Alexander and Mitchell, Attorneys at Law, 20 Broad Street, NYC, on 5/7/68.

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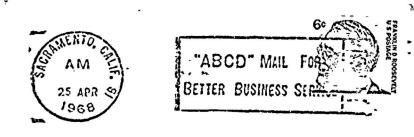
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DIRECTOR, FBI (9-42847) (ATTN. FBI LABORATORY)

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ET AL:

J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIN; MICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH - VICTIM EXTORTION (00: San Francisco)

Re Detroit letter, dated 5/3/68.

Enclosed herewith for the Eureau are the original and two copies each of two letters and two envelopes received by the Detroit Office, which also appear to relate to instant CAME.

both of the above enclosures are original. Also enclosed are two additional copies of one of the above letters, one copy was sent to the Carpenters District Council, 2988 East Grand Boulevard, Detroit, Michigan, and bore the return address, he Gen. Del., Sacramento, Cal." The other copy was sent botto to the Detroit Building Trades Council, 2988 But Grand Boulevard, Detroit, Michigan, and bore the same return address.

Exclosures are described as follows:

A letter which appears to be the original typewritten copy bearing no malutation and bearing the typewritten signature be This letter arrived at Carpenters local 19, 16427 West Warren. Detroit, Michigan, in an envelope bearing the return address, Gen. Del., Sacramento, Cal." Two copies of this letter received as described above.

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Re:

REPORT of the



FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION Washington, D. C. 20535

FBI, Boston (9-1615)

Date: May 15, 1968

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J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM

et al.

NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH - VICTIM

EXTORTION

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Specimens received 5/6/68 from FBI, Boston

- Envelope postmarked "SACRAMENTO, CALIF, 1B AM Q501 25 APR 1968" bearing typewritten address "W C S H Radio & Tv. Cong Portland, Maine" and return address "A.F.L.-C.I.O. 601 Polk San Francisco, Cal."
- Q502 One-page typewritten letter beginning "To Governor Of Michigan George Romney Richard H. Nixon ... " and ending "...for political reasons."
- Envelope postmarked "SACRAMENTO, CALIF. 1A AM Q503 25 APR. 1968" bearing typewritten address "W H D H . Television & Radio 50 Wm. T. Morrissey Blvd. Boston, Mass." and return address "A.F.L.-C.I.O 601 Polk San Francisco, Cal."
- Q504 One-page typewritten letter beginning "To Governor Of Michigan George Romney Richard M. Nixon has ... " and ending "...for political reasons."
- Envelope postmarked "SACRAMENTO, CALIF. 1B AM Q505 25 APR. 1968" bearing typewritten address "W E E I Radio Station 182 Tremont Boston, Mass." and return address "A.F.L.-C.I.O. 601 Polk San Francisco, Cal."
- Q506 One-page typewritten letter beginning "To Governor Of Michigan George Romney Richard M. Nixon has ... " and ending "...for political reasons."

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Photocopies of Q505 and Q506

Specimens received 5/6/68, from FBI. Detroit

- Q507 Envelope postmarked "SACRAMENTO, CALIF. 1A AM 25 APR. 1968" bearing typewritten address "A.F.L.-C.I.O. 2310 CASS DETROIT, MICH."
- Q508 Accompanying one-page typewritten letter beginning "Notice To All Union Leaders..." signed "Guess Who"
- Q509 Envelope postmarked "SACRAMENTO, CALIF. 1B AM APR. 25 1968" bearing typewritten address "A.F.L.-C.I.O. 2310 CASS DETROIT MICH."
- Q510 Accompanying one-page typewritten letter beginning "War of Armageddon is here..." signed

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Result of examination:

The typewritten impressions and contents of letters included in items Q501 through Q510 were found to conform with the respective portions of the other questioned typewritten items which have been submitted in this case.

No watermarks, indented writing or other identifying features were noted on these items which might indicate their immediate source.

The submitted evidence will be returned separately. Photographs were made.

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To: FBI. Boston (9-1615)

Date: May 15, 1968

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J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM NICHOLAS DE B. KATZENBACH -

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Examination requested by: Boston, Detroit

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John Edgar Hoover, Director b7C

Reference:

Letter 5/3/68, Airtels,

4/30/68 and 5/3/68

Examination requested:

Document - Fingerprint

Remarks:

You will be advised separately regarding the results of the fingerprint examination and disposition of Q501 through Q510.

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Mrs. LORD advised the letter was handled by several people at WCSH including herself, Mr. POWERS and Mr. HAINES before it was mailed to the FBI on April 29, 1968.

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5/6/68

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DONALD J. TREGASER, Station WEEI, Prudential Building, Boston, Massachusetts, advised as follows:	
On April 29, 1968, a letter had been received at Radio Station WEEI which reads as follows:	
"To Governor Of Michigan George Romney	
"Richard M. Nixon has ten murderers on his payroll. They belong to one family by marriage and birth. Six the leader of them. His residence is in California. Five of his brothers live in County, California. Six with his stepbrother also live in County. California. The two stepbrothers Live around California.	ъ6 ъ7С
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The foregoing was contained in an envelope addressed as follows:

"W E E I Radio Station 182 Tremont Boston, Mass.

The return address on the envelope was shown as "A.F.L.-C.I.O. 601 Polk San Francisco, Cal." The envelope was postmarked at Sacramento, California in the "AM", April 25, 1968.

Mr. TREGASER went on to say that several people at the station as well as himself had handled the letter, moreover, in the past two or three months two letters of similar type had been received which had been labeled as the general "crank type" correspondence and no effort had been made to preserve them. However, the aforementioned letter he felt to be a little more precise and specific and he thought it could possibly be of interest to the FBI.

Mr. TREGASER further advised that the address on the envelope was the old address of Radio Station WEEI, which indicated to him that the correspondent in California had undoubtedly used an old Boston City Directory.

SAC, Baltimore 12/2/68 Director, FBI HERBERT WHITNEY INPERSONATION: THREATS AGAINST THE PRESIDENT. PRESIDENT-ELECT AND VICE PRESIDENT b6 INTERSTATE OBSCENE OR HAPASS b7C At 1:35 a.m. called the Bureau. She reported that subject has been making annoying telephone calls to her and some of her friends for several weeks. She said she has reported this to the telephone company, to no avail. She explained that she became acquainted with subject about five years ago, through her employment. She has not seen him in several years. She said he is a "nut" who has some affection for her, although they were never close and she is b6 married to She advised that Brown resides b7C at 1516 North 16th Street, Arlington, Virginia. said that about three weeks ago, Brown who lives in the called her neighbor. apartment directly under her, and is an employee of the Navy <u>Department.</u> Payroll Division. He identified himself to as "Captain Wilson of the FBI" and proceeded to answered ask her questions about which because of his representation. also stated that Brown, in some of his phone conversations with her, has stated that he was going to **b6** 昌 kill President-Elect Nixon, President Johnson, and Vice b7C President Humphrey. She also said Brown has served time in the Federal Prison at Lewisburg for obtaining loans from a Bethesda, Maryland, bank using a false identity l - Richmond (For info) Tolson l - Washington Field (For info) DeLoach - Mr. Gale Mohr Bishop - Mr. Rosen 1 - Mr. Young Callahan Conrad Call received by SA D.H. Young, Special Investigative Div., NOTE: Felt Info re threats furnished to Agent Barry H. Green, Secret Service, telephonically at 2:10 a.m. 12/1/68 by SA Young. DHY:mjj:pmn

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Letter to Baltimore RE: HERBERT WHITNEY BROWN

All offices see your files which indicate that a person possibly identical with subject was the subject of an impersonation case in early 1960's involving the obtaining of bank loans in Bethesda by the impersonation of a DHEW doctor. He was sentenced to 11 months on three counts in Baltimore. He was also the subject of an extertion case in 1960 and an ITSMV case in 1963, Washington Field origin in both, where prosecution was declined.

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Baltimore interview regarding any violations within Bureau jurisdiction. Furnish results of interviews in form suitable for dissemination.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

Mr. Rosen

DATE: December 17, 1968

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FROM

I. Shroder

1 - Mr. Rosen

1 - Mr. Malley

1 - Mr. Shroder

SUBJECT: HERBERT W. BROWN; JOHN EDGAR-HOOVER; PRESIDENT LYNDON BAINES JOSSON PRESIDENT-ELECT RICHARD M. NIXON, **EXTORTION - THREAT AGAINST** THE PRESIDENT

> Attached is a rough draft work memo setting forth details of telephone call between the Duty Agent, General Investigative Division, and the complainant. The attachment should be filed for permanent record.

ACTION:

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TO Ir. Rosen

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SUBJECT: HERBERT W. BROWN; JOHN EDGAR HOOVER, PRESIDENT LYNDON BAINES JOHNSON, PRESIDENT-ELECT RICHARD M. NIXON, EXTORTION - THREAT AGAINST THE PRESIDENT

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telephonically contacted the Bureau at 1:20 a.m., 12/17/68and related that she had just completed a telephone conversation with Herbert W. Brown of 1516 North 16th Road, Apartment 1, Arlington, Virginia, during which Brown threatened to get Mr. Hoover, President Johnson, and President-Elect Nixon.

related Brown had been harassing her for several years with obscene phone calls and in an effort to stop these calls had her telephone number changed several times, the last being an unlisted number, on 12/10/68. She said Brown got her unlisted telephone number by calling the Prince Georges County Police and related to them that he was her brother and he had to contact her in view of an emergency. The police obtained telephone number for Brown stated at the outset of the conversation he asked her what she thought of the events in todays newspaper? When she asked for a clarification of this statement, Brown used most obscene language stating President Johnson was back in town, John Edgar Hoover had been reappointed and that President-Elect

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Nixon was not going to help the country and they all had to go stating How would you like to see Johnson dead. stated he could not do this to which Brown commented. look I know whats good for this country. asked Brown what he meant by this statement to which he related that while he did not have a gun he had access to a '44 - 40 and other weapons and that he had some riends who would help him. Brown related to that he had previously lived across the street from Congressman Adam Clayton Powell and that he had some Negro friends who would help him relating that give them a few drinks and they will do anything. said Brown continued with most obscene statements, stating that he was going to get Johnson and Hoover tomorrow and that he knew where Hoover lived and that if he did not get Johnson tomorrow he would get him in Texas as the security there was not as tight as in Washington, D. C. stated that Brown did not appear to be under the influence of alcohol and that he was particularly bitter toward Mr. Hoover for having him convicted in Baltimore on a false loan charge. said that Brown related that he was working for Spears Enterprises, an Advertising Agency and a book company at 1616 North 16th Street, Northwest, Washington, D. C. files on one Herbert Whitney Brown, FBI Number 603931D may be identical to the above Herbert W. Brown involved in this case. XXXXXXXXXX **EXAM** His identification record reflects numerous arrests and that he was convicted in 1962 and 1963 for violation of the Impersonation Act and Federal Housing Act matters.

ACTION:

Special Agent Robert Andrews, Secret Service, was advised of the threats concerning President Johnson and Nixon.

Special Agent Jessie Hall of the Senior Resident Agency, Alexandria,

Virginia, was advised of the above and instructed to immediately interview

Brown concerning the above and to make every effort to place Brown in

custody. Hall at 7:05 telephonically stated that on arriving at Brown's address,

Brown consented to be interviewed only by one Agent at which time Hall

entered Brown's apartment and related to him that the FBI desired to

interview him regarding alleged threatening calls and Brown went into a

lengthy obscenities, claiming the FBI had killed his wife "as sure as though

you had held a gun to her head!" He stated he had gone this route before and that

he had received a call from a woman who had known six or seven years to discuss

a private matter and claimed that it was all a hoax made up to harass him.

Hall related that Brown claimed that he was ill with the flu and from his actions appeared to be me ntally unstable. Hall stated he discussed the obscene complaints and threatening calls with AUSA John D. Schmidtlen who advised that he referred not to give a prosecutive opinion until an affidavit was obtained from the complainant.

Special Agent George Cronin, Hyattsville Resident Agency, was instructed to immediately interview and obtain a signed statement and contact the Alexandria Resident Agency regarding the results of same. In addition to the above, Special Agent Jessie Hall in Bureau car 44 is maintaining a surveillance on Brown's residence pending receipt of the information obtained from RJP:ms

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Memorandum to Mr. DeLoach
Re: HERBERT WHITNEY BROWN

DETAILS: telephonically advised the Bureau at 1:20 a.m., 12/17/68, that subject Brown of Arlington, Virginia, has been harassing her for several years with obscene telephone calls and that she has had her telephone number changed several times for this reason.

She advised that she had just received another call from Brown in which Brown threatened the life of Mr. Hoover, the President and the President-elect. The subject indicated to her he had access to two firearms and other weapons and indicated he had friends that would assist him.

Agents of our Richmond Office immediately instituted investigation and located subject Brown at his residence in Arlington, Virginia. He was thoroughly interviewed; however Agents described him as an obviously mentally deranged individual. He denied making any threats to victims and claimed the charge made by a six a hoax made up to harass him. The U. S. Attorney in Alexandria, Virginia, has indicated that upon the receipt of a signed statement containing the details of the conversation between subject and he will authorize prosecution of subject under the Federal Extortion Statute. Baltimore Agents are in the process now of obtaining this statement.

Until Agents in Arlington, Virginia, receive this statement and a warrant is obtained for subject, subject is being kept under surveillance in his residence.

Our files reveal that Brown was previously the subject of investigations by the Bureau. He was found guilty in 1963 of Impersonation and Federal Housing Administration violations and in 1960 was the subject of an Extortion investigation in which he attempted to extort money from an individual. Prosecution was declined in this matter.

Inasmuch as subject made threats against the President and President-elect, U. S. Secret Service has been advised of the developments in this case.

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TO DERECTOR AND RICHMOND

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Tele. Room_ Miss Holmes Miss Gandy_

"CHANGED" - HERBERT WHITNEY BROWN, IMPERSONATION; THREAT AGAINST THE PRESIDENT, PRESIDENT ELECT, AND VICE PRESIDENT; INTERSTATE OBSCENE OR HARRASSING TELEPHONE CALLS; EXTORTION; LYNDON BAINES JOHNSON - VICTIM OO RICHMOND.

TITLE MARKED "CHANGED" TO INCLUDE THE ADDITIONAL CHARACTER OF EXTORTION AND TO INCLUDE NAME OF LYNDON BAINES JOHNSON AS VICTIM.

RE TELEPHONE CALL FROM HYATTSVILLE TO BUREAU DECEMBER SEVENTEEN,
NINETEEN SIXTY-EIGHT; HYATTSVILLE TELEPHONE CALL TO ALEXANDRIA

COMPLANTALIA

DECEMBER SEVENTEEN, NINETEEN SIXTY-EIGHT.

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ADVISED FBI HEADQUAR-

TERS THAT SHE HAD RECEIVED A TELEPHONE CALL AT APPROXIMATELY ONE FIFTEEN A.M. THIS DATE DECEMBER SEVENTEEN, NINETEEN SIXTY-EIGHT FROM SUBJECT AND THAT BROWN STATED THAT HE WAS GETTING A END PAGE ONE

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NINETEEN SIXTY-EIGHT CADILLAC, AND THAT HE HAD A WEAPON. HE

FURTHER STATED THAT HE HAD THE MEANS, AND THAT HE WAS GOING TO

GET JOHNSON BEFORE HE LEFT OFFICE. ADVISED THAT BROWN

FURTHER STATED THAT HE KNEW THAT MR. HOOVER OF THE FBI LIVED SOME—
WHERE ON MASSACHUSETTS AVENUE IN WDC, AND THAT IT WAS HIS FAULT

THAT HE, BROWN, HAD SERVED TIME IN LEWISBURG FEDERAL PRISON.

FURTHER ADVISED THAT BROWN USED THE TERM MOTHER COCK

IN REFERRING TO PRESIDENT JOHNSON. HE GAVE THE IMPRESSION THAT

HE HAD THE ASSISTANCE OF AT LEAST ONE NEGRO MALE IN HIS PLAN

TO GET JOHNSON.

INTERVIEWED RE ABOVE AND FURNISHED SIGNED STATEMENT.

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SECRET SERVICE HEADQUARTERS, WDC ADVISED BY BUREAU RE ABOVE.

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FBI RICHMOND

1:47 PM URGENT 12-17-68 LJB

TO DIRECTOR, BALTIMORE (47-3601) AND WASHINGTON FIELD OFFICE

FROM RICHMOND (47-3093)

MERBERT WHITNEY BROWN. IMPERSONATION. EXTORTION. THREATS

AGAINST THE PRESIDENT . APFERENCE

RE TELEPHONE CALL FROM BUREAU, FOUR AM, DEC: SEVENTEEN INFORMATION INSTANT. WHERIN LAFO RECEIVED SUBJECT MADE THREATENING

STATEMENTS AGAINST PRESIDENT. DIRECTOR. FBI AND PRESIDENT

ELECT NIXON IN PHONE CALL TO

FROM ARLINGTON, VA., AND BALTIMORE TEL TO DECEMBER

DIRECTOR AND RICHMOND, DEC. SEVENTEEN INSTANT. POLICE DEPARTA VIRGINIA

RECORDS PD. ARLINGTON COUNTY. VA., VERIFIED SUBJECT'S NORTH ADDRESS AS A'PT. ONE. ONE FIVE ONE SIX N. SIXTEENTH PLACE MISCELLANEOUS ARLINGTON, VA., AND PHOTO SECURED. SUBJECT HAD MISC. TRAFFIC AUGUST ARRESTS IN NINETEEN FIFTY THROUGH FIFTYNONE. ON AUG. ONE SIX. CHARGE SIXTYTHREE. HE WAS CHROED WITH AUTO LARCENY. RECEIVING TWO YEARS SUSPENDED SENTENCE.

EFFORTS MADE TO INTERVIEW SUBJECT SIX ZERO FIVE AM BY SAG JOHN C. LYNCH AND JESSE C. HALL, JR. SUBJECT USED PROFANE LANGUAGE AND BERATED AGENTS FOR DISTURBING HIM AT THAT TIME.

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TOORDED COPY

Mr. Tolson

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Mr. DeLoad

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Mr. Conrad. Mr. Felt. Mr. Gale Mr. Rosen

Mr. Sullivan Mr Tavel Mr. Trotter

Miss Holmes

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WHEN ADVISED OF NATURE OF INQUIRY HE DENIED MAKING ANY PHONE CALLS AND THEN CLAIMED HE HAD BEEN CALLED BY A QUOTE LADY FRIEND, AN UNSTABLE ALCOHOLIC END QUOTE WHOM HE DENIED __ NAME, CONCERNING QUOTE PRIVATE BUSINESS END QUOTE.

SUBJECT CONTINUALLY USED ABUSIVE AND PROFANE LANGUAGE.

PERSONAL APPEARANCE AND DEMEANOR SUGGESTS POSSIBLE MENTAL

DISTURBANCE. HE ORDERED AGENTS FROM APARTMENT AT SIX TWENTY

ASSISTANT UNITED STATES ATTORNEY EASTERNDISTRICT VIRGINIA,
ASSISTANT UNITED STATES ATTORNEY EASTERNDISTRICT VIRGINIA

AUSA JOHN D. SCHMIDTLEIN, EDVA, ALEXANDRIA, VA., CONSULTED

OPINION

AND WRITHELD PROSECUTIVE OPION PENDING REVIEW OF SIGNED

STATEMENT OR AFFIDAVIT FROM COMPLAINANT.

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SECRET SERVICE CONFERRED WITH AUSA SCHMIDTLEIN, WHO AUTHORIZED COMPLAINT AND WARRANT FOR SUBJECT FOR VIOLATION OF TITLE ONE EIGHT, SECTIONS EIGHT SEVEN ONE AND EIGHT SEVEN FIVE C BASED ON SUBJECT'S CALL TO SECRET SERVICE.

AM PRIOR TO ARRIVAL OF SECRET SERVICE AGENTS AT SCENE, WHEN THE STATES ATTORNEY,
HE WAS ARRESTED BY FBI AGENTS ON AUTHORITY OF AUSA, EDVA.

UNITED STATES MARSAGERINIA

SUBJECT TURNED OVER TO WOM, ALEXANDRIA, WALL, IN PRESENCE
OF SECRET SERVICE AT ELEVEN TWENTYFIVE AM. BEING HELD IN LIEW OF
TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS SURETY BOND, HEARING SET DECEMBER TWENTYTHREE AT TWO PM. PROSECUTIVE ACTION BEING FOLLOWED AND BUREAU WILL
BE ADVISED.

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SUBJECT DESCRIBED AS WHITE, MALE, BORN, FEB. FIVE, NINETEEN NEW YORK
EIGHT, ROCHESTER, N.Y., FIVE SEVEN TO EIGHT, ONE HUNDRED
FIFTYFIVE LBS., BROWN EYES, GRAY HAIR.

BUREAU'S ATTENTION IS DIRECTED TO BUFILE FOUR SEVEN DASH BUREAU LETTER DECEMBER.

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LAST, ENTITLED, HERBERT WHITNEY BROWN, IMPERSONATION, THREATS

AGAINST THE PRESIDENT, PRESIDENT ELECT AND VICE PRESIDENT AND

TATERSTATE OBSCENCE OR HARASSING TELEPHONE CALLS.

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December 17, 1968

This case concerns the telephone call received by

from the subject in Arlington,

Virginia, 12/17/68. stated the subject threatened the Director, the President and the President-Elect. Reinterview of by Baltimore Office Agents on 12/17/68 established subject made no threatening statements regarding

Agents on 12/17/68 established subject made no threatening statements regarding the Director and no evidence of extortion violation exists. Attached reports contact of subject by Richmond Office Agents. Subject abusive and denied making any phone calls. Information subsequently developed that subject made threatening telephone call to Secret Service, Washington, and threatened Secret Service and President. Subject arrested by FBI Agents on authority of Assistant

Service and President. Subject arre by FBI Agents on authority of Assist U.S. Attorney charged with making threatening calls to Secret Service. Subject turned over to U.S. Marshal.

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Section in Page	TO: DIRECTOR, FBI SAC, RICHMOND (47-3093) -P- SUBJECT: HERBERT WHITNEY BROWN IMPERSONATION; INTERSTATE OBSCENE OR HARRASSING TELEPHONE CALL THREATS AGAINST THE PRESIDENT, PRESIDENT ELECT, AND VICE-PRESIDENT, EXTORTION; LYNDON BAINES JOHNSON - VICTIM (OO: BALTIMORE)	2/3/2/17/2/2/2/2/2/2/2/2/2/2/2/2/2/2/2/2/2/
	Re Richmond airtel to the Bureau dated 12/20/	M
	On 12/30/68, AUSA JOHN D. SCHMIDTLEIN, EDVA, Alexandria, Va., advised subject's preliminary hearing was continued to 11:00 A. M., 1/30/69. He was released to custody of his attorney on personal recognizance. According to Mr. SCHMIDTLEIN, Special Agent HAROLD E. C. Secret Service, was present at the time.	
	RICHMOND DIVISION 47-50/3	5224
	AT ALEXANDRIA, VA. 17 JAN 6 1969	1.60
	Will follow prosecutive action. 3 Bureau Baltimore (47-3601) Bishop. 3 Ch. C.	
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to File No.

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20535

Director United States Secret Service Department of the Treasury Washington, D. C. 20220

Dear Sir:

The information furnished herewith concerns an individual who is believed to be

	vered by the agreement between the FBI and Secret Service concerning Presidential proction, and to fall within the category or categories checked.
1.	Has attempted or threatened bodily harm to any government official or employee, including foreign government officials residing in or planning an imminent visit to the U.S., because of his official status.
2.	☐ Has attempted or threatened to redress a grievance against any public official by other than legal means.
3.	Because of background is potentially dangerous; or has been identified as member or participant in communist movement; or has been under active investigation as member of other group or organization inimical to U.S.
4.	U.S. citizens or residents who defect from the U.S. to countries in the Soviet or Chinese Communist blocs and return.
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In Reply, Please Refer to File No.

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Richmond, Virginia December 20, 1968

Re: HERBERT WHITNEY BROWN

On the early morning of December 17, 1968.

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Sergeant L. M. Holsclaw, Police Department, Arlington County, Virginia, was advised of the above information at 6:25 A.M. on December 17, 1968.

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Subsequently, it was ascertained from Assistant United States Attorney Stefan Long, Eastern District of Virginia, Alexandria, that Special Agent Harold E. Creamer, Secret Service, Washington, D. C., had presented facts concerning a telephone call Brown made to that office on the morning of December 17, 1968.

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Re: Herbert Whitney Brown

At 10:00 A.M. on December 17, 1963, Mr. Kenneth Giannoules, Secret Service, Washington, D. C., confirmed that agency's interest in Brown and advised a presentment was being made to the Assistant United States Attorney at Alexandria.

At 10:55 A.M. on December 17, 1968, Mr. Schmidtlein advised there appeared to be insufficient evidence to charge Brown with violation of the Extortion Statute and he was authorizing Mr. Creamer, Secret Service, to secure complaint and warrant, charging Brown with violation of Title 18, Sections 871 and 8750, United States Code, based on his call to that agency.

At 11:03 A.M. on December 17, 1968, while awaiting arrival of Secret Service personnel at 1516 North 16th Road, Arlington, Brown was seen to leave his apartment and enter a Red Top Cab, at which time he was taken into custody by Special Agents of the FBI. He was transported to the Office of the United States Marshal at Alexandria and turned over to the custody of Deputy United States Marshal James M. McCarthy, in the presence of Special Agent Creamer of Secret Service. He made no statements during this time.

Brown appeared before United States Commissioner Alex Akerman, Alexandria, on December 17, 1968, when he was remanded to the custody of the United States Marshal in lieu of \$10,000.00 surety bond. His hearing was scheduled for December 23, 1968 at 2:00 P.M.

The following description of Brown was ascertained from observation, questioning and records of the Arlington County, Virginia Police Department:

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Re: Herbert Whitney Brown

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To: SAC, Baltimore (47-3601)

From: Director, FBI (47-50152)

HERBERT WHITNEY BROWN IMPERSONATION: EXTORTION:

THREATS AGAINST THE PRESIDENT

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the original complainant in captioned matter, called the Bureau and requested that she be recontacted by an Agent.

This will confirm call from the Bureau to the Hyattsville Resident Agency on 1/28/69 which relayed the request from for such recontact.

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NOTE: Per telephone call received from at 12:30 a.m., 1/28/69, by Night Supervisor M. A. Kelliher, Special Investigative Division.

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SUBJECT:

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OR HARRASSING TELEPHONE CALL THREATS
AGAINST THE PRESIDENT, PRESIDENT ELECT,
AND VICE PRESIDENT, EXTORTION

Re Baltimore report of SA GEORGE T. CRONIN dated 1/31/69.

In view of the fact that no further investigation remains in the Baltimore Division and the only investigation which remains outstanding is to report prosecution in the Eastern District of Virginia, Alexandria, Virginia, it is recommended that Richmond be designated office of origin.

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Title:

HERBERT WHITNEY BROWN;

LYNDON BAINES JOHNSON - VICTIM

Character:

IMPERSONATION; INTERSTATE OBSCENE OR HARRASSING

TELEPHONE CALL THREATS AGAINST THE PRESIDENT, PRESIDENT

ELECT, AND VICE-PRESIDENT, EXTORTION

Synopsis:

On December 2, 1968.	
reported that she	
had received a harrassing type telephone call from HERBERT	
WHITNEY BROWN. advised that BROWN stated that he	
had telephonically contacted and had posed	
as Captain WILSON of the FBI and had subsequently asked	
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December 17, 1968, advised that during	
a telephone conversation with BROWN he claimed that he had a	
weapon and was going to get President JOHNSON before he left	
office. BROWN interviewed December 17, 1968, denied all	
allegations and declined to be further interviewed. Signed	
statement obtained from re this call. AUSA JOHN D.	
SCHMIDTLEIN, Eastern District of Virginia, Alexandria, Virginia	
declined prosecution under extortion statute and authorized	
prosecution under Title 18, Section 871 and 875C, US Code.	
Complainant filed by SA HAROLD E. CREAMER, United States Secret	
Service, Washington, D.C. On December 17, 1968 while awaiting	
arrival of United States Secret Service Agent, BROWN taken into	
custody by Bureau Agents as he attempted to leave his apartment.	
BROWN remanded custody United States Marshal, Alexandria, Virgini	.a.
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December 17, 1968 and remanded to the custody of the United	
States Marshal in lieu of \$10,000 security bond. On December	
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to custody of his attorney on personal recognizance bond.	

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DETAILS:

At 1:35 A.M., 12/1/68.l
called the Bureau. She reported that subject has been making annoying telephone calls to her and some of her friends for several weeks. She said she has reported this to the telephone
company, to no avail.
She explained that she became acquainted with subject about five years ago, through her employment. She has not seen him in several years. She said he is a "nut" who has some affection for her. although they were never close and she is married to She advised that BROWN resides at 1516 North 16th Street, Arlington, Virginia.
said that about three weeks ago, BROWN
called her neighbor, who lives in the
apartment directly under her, and is an employee of the Navy Department, Payroll Division. He identified himself to
as "Captain WILSON of the FBI" and proceeded to
ask her questions about which answered
because of his representation.
also stated that BROWN, in some of his phone conversations with her, has stated that he was going to kill President-Elect NIXON, President JOHNSON, and Vice President HUMPHREY. She also said BROWN has served time in the Federal Prison at Lewisburg for obtaining loans from a Bethesda, Maryland, bank using a false identity.
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identical with subject was the subject of an impersonation case in early 1960's involving the obtaining of bank loans in Bethesda by the impersonation of a DHEW doctor. He was sentenced to 11 months on three counts in Baltimore. He was also the subject of an extortion case in 1960 and an ITSMV case in 1963, Washington Field origin in both, where prosecution was declined.

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BROWN appeared before United States Commissioner ALEX AKERMAN, Alexandria, on December 17, 1968, when he was remanded to the custody of the United States Marshal in lieu of \$10,000.00 surety bond. His hearing was scheduled **for** December 23, 1968 at 2:00 P.M.

The following description of BROWN was ascertained from observation, questioning and records of the **Arlington** County, Virginia Police Department:

Name: HERBERT WHITNEY BROWN

Born: February 5, 1908 at

Rochester, New York

Sex: Male

Race: White

Height: 5 feet 7 inches

Weight: 150 pounds

Build: Slight

Eyes: Brown

Hair:

Balding, gray, long and combed back

Complexion:

Flushed

Prior arrests:

August 16, 1963 for auto larceny, Police Department, Arlington, Virginia, two years suspended sentence on February 28, 1964

Numerous traffic violations, 1958-1959, Arlington, Virginia



Date_ 12/17/68

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Special Agent GEORGE T. CRONIN that I do not have to make a statement but I have a right to consult an attorney before making a statement and if I cannot afford an attorney, one will be appointed for me, that I can terminate this conversation at any time and knowing no threats, rewards or promises are being given me to make this statement do furnish the following voluntary statement:

"I first set HERERT WHITNEY BROWN in approximately 1960 while

was employed by some real estate firm in Washington, D.C. Since that time, I have seen Mr. BROWN on two (2) occasions, 1962 and them again in 1963. During the period 1960 to 1966, I have received a rash of telephone calls from BROWN.

"At approximately 1:15 A.M., on December 17, 1968, BROWN called me and made the following statement. He talked about a new job with American NCO, 1616 16th Road, Arlington, Virginia. He further stated that he was getting a 1968 Cadillac and that he had a weapon, he mentioned the numbers 40:44 or 44:40. He further stated that he had the means and was going to get JOHNSON before he left office. He further stated that he knew that Mr. HOOVER of the FBI lived somewhere on Massachusetts Avenue near Washington, D.C., and that it was his fault that he (BROWN) had served time in Lewisburg Federal Prison. BROWN used the terms 'mother (obscene)' and 'coek (obscene)' in referring to

On 12/17/68 of Hyattaville, Maryland File# BA 47-3601
SA FRANCIS X. O'NEILL, JR. and

by SA GEORGE T. CHONIN: bas

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President JOHNSON and gave the impression that he had the assistance of at least one Negro male in his plan to get JOHNSON.

"I have read this statement and it is correct to the best of my knowledge.

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"Witnessed Special Agent GEORGE T. CRONIN and Special Agent FRANCIS X. O'NEILL, Jr."

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January 6, 1969 Date. was contacted and advised that sometime during the middle part of November, 1968, she received a telephone call from an individual who identified himself as Mr. WILSON of the FBI. advised that she thought something funny about this call when she first received it inasmuch as the call was received rather late in the evening. advised that she did not question the caller's validity inasmuch as she was aware of the fact had applied for some type of Government position. further advised that the caller sought nothing more than to obtain personal type data regarding advised that it was not until she mentioned this call to that she became aware of the fact that one, HERBERT WHITNEY BROWN, who had been harassing with telephone calls for a period of years was propably responsible for this call.

On 12/23/68 File # BA 47-3601

SA GEORGE T. CRONIN: gev

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On December 30, 1968, AJSA JOHN D. SCHMIDTLEIN, Eastern District of Virginia, Alexandria, Virginia, advised subject's preliminary hearing continued to January 30, 1969 at 11:00 A.M. and subject released to custody of his attorney on personal recognizance bond. SCHMIDTLEIN further advised that SA HAROLD E. CREAMER, United States Secret Service, was present at the time.

On January 24, 1969, the facts of this case were discussed with United States Attorney, NEVETT STEELE, JR., Baltimore, Maryland, who advised that he would decline prosecution in view of the prosecution already undertaken in the Eastern District of Virginia under Title 18, Sections 871 and 8750, USC for violation which falls within the Berview of the United States Secret Service.

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Memorandum

: DIRECTOR, FBI (47-50152) TO

DATE: 3/21/69

SAC, RICHMOND (47-3093) -P-

SUBJECT: HERBERT WHITNEY BROWN;

LYNDON BAINES JOHNSON - VICTIM IMPERSONATION; INTERSTATE OBSCENE OR HARASSING TELEPHONE CALL THREATS

AGAINST THE PRESIDENT, PRESIDENT ELECT, AND

VICE PRESIDENT, EXTORTION

(OO: RICHMOND)

Re Baltimore letter to Director, 1/31/69.

On 3/19/69, AUSA C. P. MONTGOMERY, JR., EDVA, Alexandria, Virginia, advised subject was indicted 2/11/69 for two counts of violation of Title 18, Section 871, USC. On 2/14/69, he was arraigned, pleaded not guilty and was ordered to St. Elizabeth Hospital, Washington, D. C., for mental examination. The order requested a report of that institution within 60 days.

Mr. MONIGOMERY advised the results of the mental examination would dictate prosecutive action.

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RICHMOND AT ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA

Will follow prosecution.

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TO

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AND VICEL PRESIDENT; EXTORTION

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Re Richmond letter to the Bureau, 3/21/69.

On 5/5/69, AUSA C. P. MONTGOMERY, JR., EDVA, Alexandria, Va., advised SA JESSE C. HALL, JR., that to the best of his knowledge, the subject was still in St. Elizabeth's Hospital, Washington, D. C., for mental examination.

On 6/20/69, Mrs. BETTY CLEVELAND, Secretary to AUSA MONTGOMERY, in the absence of AUSA MONTGOMERY, advised that the captioned case is continued for trial to 7/15/69.

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ALEXANDRIA AT ALEXANDRIA, VA.

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Date	10/06/2010

The criminal history arrest ("rap sheet") record of the subject (or one of the subjects) of this file has been expunged by the Criminal Justice Information Services (CJIS) Division pursuant to the issuance of a Federal court order. No information has been expunged from this investigative case file; therefore, the criminal history arrest record maintained within this file may not be accurate. Contact CJIS' Criminal History and Investigative Service Unit to obtain updated criminal history arrest records.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE 2:25 p.m. Received 1-11 Recorded 1-11-71 -71 mik Laboratory Work Sheet NO LAB FIER Re: UNKNOWN SUBJECT: File # Lab. # D- 701221002 THREATENING LETTER TO FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION LC#A-31112 CLEVELAND OFFICE EXTORTION 00: Cleveland Examination requested by: PBI Cleveland (9-2120)12-21-70 Examination requested: Date received: 12-21-70 Document Pingerprint Result of Examination: Examination by: b6 b7C Noted by: notatoval I. B sprayed ninky. 1/12 No Add. lots. SN-1/2/gold Specimens submitted for examination Q1 Envelope postmarked "CLEVELAND, OHIO 3A AM 14 DEC 1970" addressed "Federal Nazis Pig Bur of Investigation 1240 E.9 Cleveland Ohio" hand written First page of accompanying four-page/letter beginning **Q2** "Just a few lines. . ." Q3 Second page beginning "I say ## to. . . " QL Third page beginning "your heads between. . FOURTH page beginning "got a . . . " ending Long Live Q5 the Revolution" 4 1At. fspts. + 1 int. pp devided 3 pages of letter as follows: 1/2/10 2 : fgpts. 71 pp on 93 1 fgpt. on 94 1 fgpt on 95 Not No lat. pts. of volve devid on 91 or 92. 1/2/grab Specs. enclosed- stains Removed- 1/2/ gold (No seams 540) gictated 1-21 Examination completed //30 /-2/-70
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: TBI, Cleveland (9-2124)

Date: January 19, 1971

John Edgar Hoover, Director

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Rer J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM; President NIXON - VICTIM; Vice President AGNEW - VICTIM: EXTORTION

00: Cleveland

Examination requested by: Cleveland

References

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Examination requested:

Document - Fingerprint

Remarks:

The submitted items will be returned to you, together with the results of the latent fingerprint examination.

The records of the Identification Division are being searched concerning individuals using the name or alias of You will be advised separately of any pertinent information developed as a result of this search.

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Enclosures (2) (2 Lab report)

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

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To:	fbi,	Cleveland	(9-2124)	*	Date: FBI File No.	January 19,	1971				
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Q16 Sheet of paper bearing handwritten message beginning "Here is a knife ..."

- Q17 Envelope postmarked "CLEVELAND, OHIO 4B PM 6 JAN 1971" and addressed to "Federal Bureau of Investigation 1240 E. 9th Cleveland Ohio"
- Q18 Sheet of paper bearing handwritten message "To the FBI, The reason I am ..."

ALSO SUBMITTED: Bread knife Paring knife

3 Blank sheets of paper

Result of examination:

It was concluded that the writing on Q6 through Q18 was prepared by the writer of items Q1 through Q5, previously submitted in this matter.

It was found that the stamps on Q6, Q7, Q10, and Q17 were torn from a roll or rolls of stamps.

The paper making up Q13 through Q15 most closely resembles Spiral-type notebook paper.

The Manila envelopes, Q6, Q7, and Q10 contain printing on the reverse sides "HYTONE CLASP No. 1190 9 x 12." Information available in the FBI Laboratory indicates HYTONE is a mark used by Westab, Incorporated, Hulman Building, Dayton, Ohio 45402; however, there is no specific reference to the HYTONE printing as indicated on these Manila envelopes.

It was not possible to identify my of the questioned writing on the submitted items with that of any known individual.

Q6 through Q18 and the ALSO SUBMITTED material will be returned to you separately. Appropriate photographs are retained.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
Re: Laboratory Work Sheet Aka File # Lab. # D-710114051 KN
President NIXON - VICTIM; Vice Bresident AGNEW - VICTIM EXTERTION OO:CV Examination requested by: FBL Cleveland (9-2124) A 1-7-71
Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint Date received: 1-14-71/
Result of Examination: Examination by:
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Q6 Brown manila envelope bearing handwriting beginning "All power to the people"
Q7 Brown manila envelope ####################################
Q8 Sheet of paper bearing handwriting beginning "The FBI has"
Q9 " handwritten message "Death to the pigs!!"
Q10 Brown manila envelope addressed to "Federal Bureau of Investigation 1240 E 9th Cleveland Ohio" and bearing message "Kill Nixon, Hoover and all other pigs!"
Qll Sheet of paper bearing handwritten message "Free all political prisoners Now!! or Else"
Q12 Sheetoof paper bearing handwritten message "Pigs go home where you belong"
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spiral note book paper

no watermark Q17-invelope 9.48" by 3.62" thickness, 0035", 0036" white nowatermark 64 stamp from book no indented impressions Q 6-18 except impressions of Q8 are on Q9

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- Q13 Sheet of paper bearing handwritten message beginning "Open Letter to the Federal. ..."
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- Ol5 Sheet of paper bearing handwritten message beginning to stick it ..."
- Q16 Sheet of paper bearing handwritten message beginning "Here is a knife. . ."
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	RE CV tels to Bureau, 1-6-71 and 1-7-71.
Also encl	Enclosed for the Bureau under separate cover are the items and one copy of each of the following items. esed for the Bureau with instant airtel is one copy of the below described items:
1.	one manilla envelope, 12" x 9", bearing writing starting with "All Power to the People" etc.
1 2.	one manilla envelope, 12" x 9", bearing writing beginning with "All Power to the Communists;" opposite side bears with beginning with "Pigs Stink".
3.	one bread knife with 6 and and 7 15 1971
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- 5. one manilla envelope (marked obscene),
 12" x 9", bearing writing on both sides -one side beginning with "Kill NIXON,
 HOOVER and All Other Pigs"; other side of
 envelope has writing beginning with "Free
 All Political Prisoners Now".
- 6. two sheets of white paper, ll" x 82" -one sheet of paper bears writing beginning
 with "Free All Political" etc.; second sheet
 of paper bears writing beginning with "Pigs
 Go Home".
- 7. two sheets of white lined paper (marked obscene) bearing handwritten letter beginning with "open letter to the Federal Bureau of Investigation"; second sheet of paper begins with "members of the black" etc. These two sheets of paper are 10½" x 7½" in size.
- 18. one white lined sheet of paper, $10\frac{1}{2}$ " x $7\frac{1}{2}$ " (marked obscene) bearing inked writing beginning with "To stick it", etc.
 - one paring-type knife with 3" blade.
- 9. two sheets of white paper, 11" x 9½" -one sheet of paper bearing writing beginning
 with "here is a knife"; second sheet of white
 paper is blank.
- one 62" x 32" white envelope bearing postmark dated 1-6-71, Cleveland, Ohio, addressed to FBI, 1240 East 9th Street, Cleveland, Ohio. and a return address of
- 11. one white sheet of paper, 11" x 82", bearing inked writing beginning with "To the FBI".

For info of the FBI Laboratory, on 1-6-71, FBI, Cleveland, Ohio, received under cover letter from the U. S. Postal authorities, Cleveland, Ohio, three pieces of mail directed to the FBI, Cleveland, Ohio. Postal authorities advised in their cover letter that when they discovered the items in the mail, they withdrew them from the mail stream and forwarded them directly to the FBI, Cleveland, Ohio.

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Enclosed for the Bureau, as set forth above, are all of the items received in these three pieces of mail. Item # 1, a manilla envelope, was by itself and had no contents. Above described items # 3 and 4 were contained in item # 2. The remaining items described above were contained in item # 5.

The FBI Laboratory is requested to examine the above items regarding handwriting, anonymous letter file, watermark file and any additional examinations deemed appropriate by the Laboratory.

The FBI Latent Fingerprint Section requested to process each enclosed item for latent fingerprints.

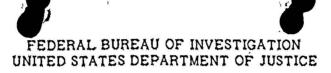
Enclosed items # 10 and # 11 were received at the Cleveland FBI, 1-7-71 in the regular mail. The FBI Laboratory is requested to compare handwriting on items # 10 and # 11 with other items described above to determine if the same person who wrote the letter received 1-7-71, wrote the letters received 1-6-71. Latent Fingerptint Section is also requested to process the letter and envelope received 1-7-71.

FBI Laboratory refer to the following case submitted to Director, FBI on 12-21-70, by Cleveland airtel:

UNSUB; Threatening Letter to Federal Bureau of Investigation, Cleveland, Ohio EXTORTION OO: CV

Laboratory attempt to determine if person who prepared enclosed letters is the same person who prepared letter sent to FBI, Cleveland, and forwarded to Laboratory by airtel dated 12-21-70.

Facts of this case have been presented to the USA, Cleveland, Ohio, and at this time USA is conferring with U. S. Department of Justice, Washington, D. C. and will advise the FBI, Cleveland, Ohio, of his prosecutive opinion.



Laboratory Work Sheet

Re:

File # Lab. #

Examination requested by:

Examination requested:

Date received:

Result of Examination:

Examination by:

Specimens submitted for examination

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BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Washington, D. C. 20537

REPORT

of the

IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

YOUR FILE NO. REC-135 9-2120
FBI FILE NO.

January 22, 1971

LATENT CASE NOST 104 A-31112

TO:

SAC, Cleveland

RE:

UNKNOWN SUBJECT; THREATENING LETTER TO FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION CLEVELAND OFFICE EXTORTION

REFERENCE

Airtel 12-21-70

EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY: Cleveland

SPECIMENS:

Ql through Q5, envelope and accompanying letter

This report supplements Latent Fingerprint Section report dated 1/8/71.

Four latent fingerprints and one latent palm print developed on three pages of letter. No latent prints of value developed on Q1 or Q2.

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Ql through Q5 enclosed.

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TITLE MARKED CHANGED TO INCLUDE MIDDLE NAME OF SUBJECT.

Reference

BE CLEVELAND TEL TO BUREAU, JANUARY TWELFTH LAST.

ON JANUARY TWELFTH LAST, USA FREDERICK M. COLEMAN, CLEVELAND OHIO, CONFERRED WITH DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, WASHINGTON, D. C., AND DECIDED TO CHARGE THE SUBJECT WITH VIOLATION OF TITLE EIGHTEEN, SECTIONS ONE SEVEN ONE SEVEN ONE SEVEN ONE SIX AND ONE SEVEN ONE SIGHT.

A BENCH WARRANT WAS ISSUED ON JANUARY TWELFTH LAST.

HER EMPLOYMENT BY BUREAU AGENTS. APPREHENSION WAS SUPERVISED BY SAC. CLEVELAND. AND NO INCIDENTS OCCURRED.

SUBJECT WAS BROUGHT BEFORE USDJ FRANK J. BATTISTI,
MORTHERN DISTRICT OF ONIO, FOR ARRAIGNMENT. SUBJECT WAS
APPOINTED AN ATTORNEY BY USDJ AND THE HEARING WAS CONTINUED. NO
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DATE HAS BEEN SET FOR THE HEARING.

SUBJECT IS LODGED AT THE CUYAHOGA COUNTY JAIL, CLEVELAND, OHIO, UNDER FIFTEEN THOUSAND DOLLAR SURETY BOND.

ADMINISTRATIVE :

SA SECRET SERVICE, CLEVELAND OHIO,

ADVISED OF SUBJECT'S APPREHENSION AND LOCATION.

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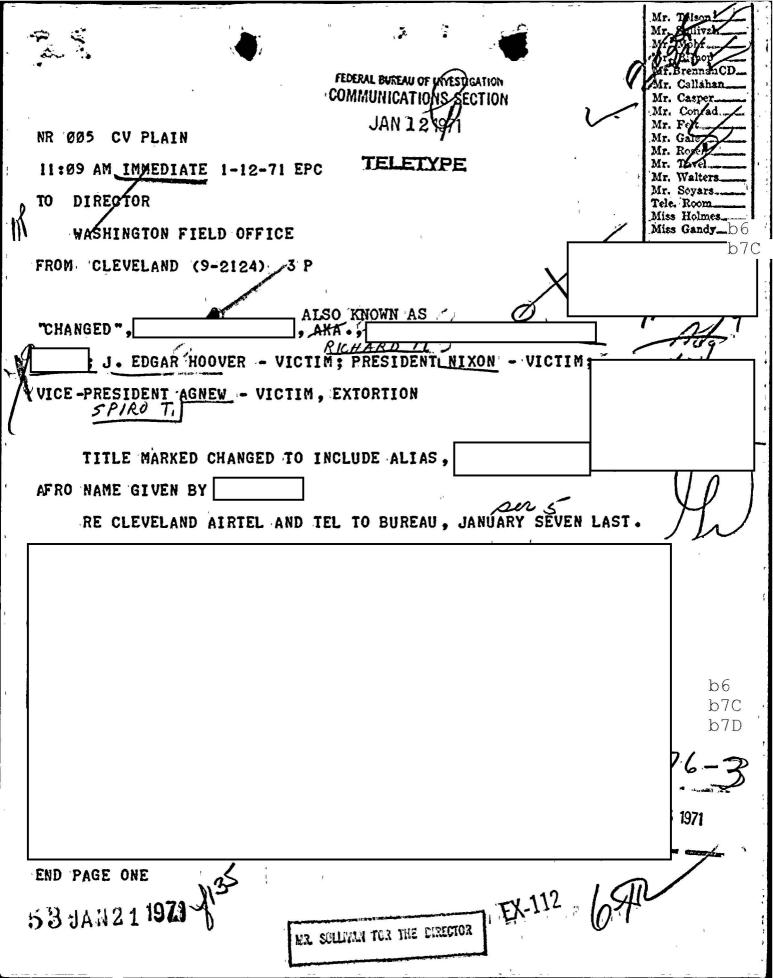
This case concerns anonymous obscene threats to the Director, President Nixon, and Vice President Agnew received through the mail by our Gleveland Office on 1/6/71. Subsequent letter on 1/7/71 to Cleveland Office mentioned prior mail, and subject identified herself and furnished her Cleveland address: Attached indicates subject, a Negro female, age has been interviewed and admits preparing the threatening communications. She states she would in fact kill the Director, President, and Vice President if she had the opportunity. Subject's background indicates she has experienced psychiatric problems, and she indicates she is currently affiliated with the Black Panther Party in Cleveland. United States Attorney is consulting the Department for authority to file process to bring subject before U. S. District Court for committment for psychiatric examination.

Bureau files contain no record identifiable with the subject. Secret Service has been advised. Matter being vigorously pursued by Cleveland Office.

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PAGE TWO CV 9-2124 RECORDS WILL BE MADE AVAILABLE UPON ISSUANCE OF A SUBPOENA DUCES TECUM. DOB MAY VOLUNTARILY APPEARED AT THE CLEVELAND OFFICE OF THE FBI ON JANUARY ELEVEN LAST. ADMITTED SENDING THREATENING AND OBSCENE LETTERS TO THE CLEVELAND FBI OFFICE. OBSERVED COPIES OF THESE LETTERS AND IDENTIFIED EACH COPY. ADVISED THAT HER REASON FOR SENDING THESE LETTERS WAS TO EXPRESS HER HATRED TOWARDS J. EDGAR HOOVER, PRESIDENT NIXON AND VICE-PRESIDENT AGNEW. SIGNED A SIX-PAGE STATEMENT WHICH INCLUDES THE FOLLOWING: "IF I WERE GIVEN THE OPPORTUNITY TO KILL PRESIDENT NIXON. VICE-PRESIDENT AGNEW AND J. EDGAR HOOVER. I

SHE ALSO ADMITTED PRIOR AFFILIATION WITH BLACK EXPREMIST GROUPS IN CLEVELAND, OHIO AND CURRENT ACTIVE AFFILIATION WITH THE END PAGE TWO

WOULD KILL THEM. PRESIDENT NIXON IS A PIG AND HE IS FOR RICH

PEOPLE AND DOESN'T CARE ABOUT BLACK PEOPLE."

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BLACK PANTHER PARTY, CLEVELAND, OHIO. CLEVELAND INDICES

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TELEPHONICALLY CONTACTED THE CLEVELAND FBI ON JANUARY TWELVE INSTANT AND ADVISED THAT THE SUBJECT
WAS TREATED BY A PSYCHIATRIST AFTER TAKING AN OVERDOSE OF PILLS
APPROXIMATELY THREE YEARS AGO. SUBJECT WAS FURTHER TREATED
BY THE FAMILY SERVICE, CLEVELAND, OHIO, AND WAS CONSIDERED AS
EMOTIONALLY UPSET.

ADVISED THAT SHE WOULD
SIGN A CONSENT TO MAKE AVAILABLE THE RECORDS OF THE FAMILY
SERVICE FOR ADDITIONAL BACKGROUND RE SUBJECT. THIS CONSENT IS
BEING OBTAINED AND RECORDS WILL BE REVIEWED.

SAC, CLEVELAND, TELEPHONICALLY CONTACTED USA FREDERICK M. NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO COLEMAN, NOO, CLEVELAND, JANUARY TWELVE INSTANT, AND MR. COLEMAN INDICATED THAT HE INTENDS TO SUGGEST TO THE DEPARTMENT A WARRANT BE ISSUED FOR THE SUBJECT AND UPON SERVICE OF THIS WARRANT, SHE WOULD BE BROUGHT BEFORE A U.S. DISTRICT JUDGE WHERE SHE WOULD BE COMMITTED FOR APPROPRIATE PSYCHIATRIC EXAMINATION.

BUREAU WILL BE ADVISED OF THE PROSECUTIVE OPINION OF USA COLEMAN.

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January 1971

GENERAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

This is the case wherein subject, a Negro female, sent several anonymous obscene threats

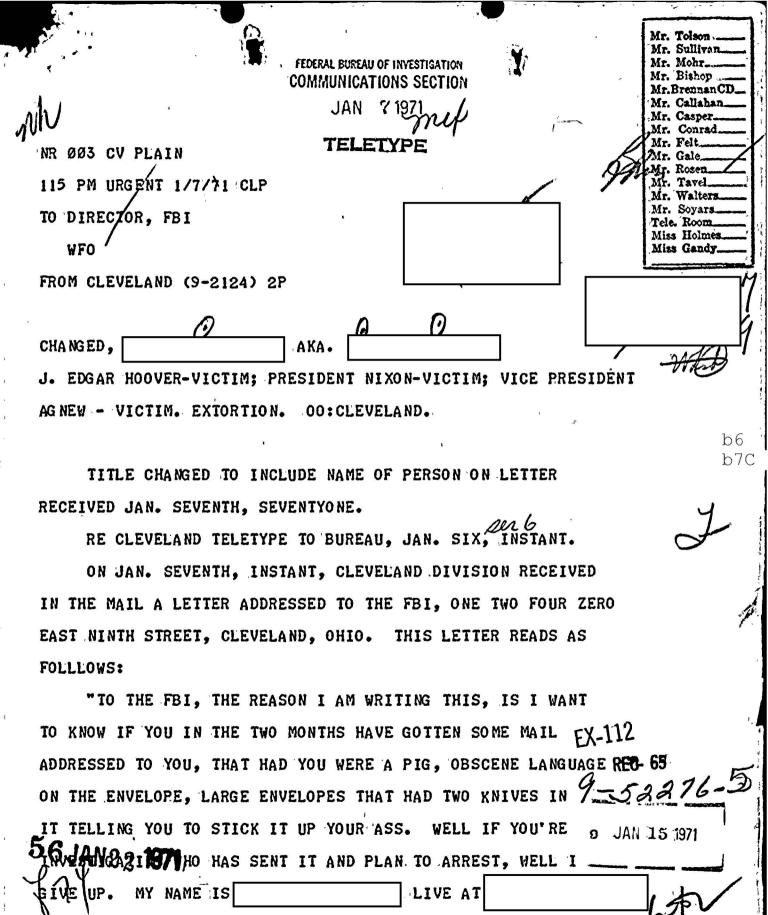
through the mail received by our Cleveland Office on 1/6/71 against the Director, President Nixon and Vice President Agnew. Two of these communications contained kitchen knives. A subsequent letter on 1/7/71 to our Cleveland Office referred to the prior letters, identified herself and furnished her Cleveland address. Upon interview she readily admitted sending these communications and stated in fact she would kill the Director, the President, and Vice President if she had the opportunity. Her background indicates she has experienced psychiatric problems. In addition,

she indicated affiliation with the Black Panther Party

in Cleveland. Attached reports the decision of the U.S. Attorney. Cleveland, as concurred in by the Department to charge her with two Postal violations (injurious article as nonmailable! libelous matter on envelope) (Title 18, Sections 1716 and 1718). A bench warrant was issued on 1/12/71 and she was taken into custody without incident by Bureau Agents at her employment on 1/13/71. Currently lodged at the Cuyahoga County Jail, Cleveland, in lieu of \$15,000 bond with hearing date continued. Secret Service in Ohio and national

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headquarters, Washington, have been advised.



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PHONE IS				
PLEASE HURRY BEFORE THE CHARGE WILL BE MURDER."				
CLEVELAND INDICES NEGATIVE REGARDING				
CLEVELAND CITY DIRECTORY SHOWS				
RESIDES AT				
CLEVELAND, OHIO, AND HAS PHONE NUMBER				
CLEVELAND INDICES NEGATIVE REGARDING				
. ADDRESS IS LOCATED IN NEGRO GHETTO AREA.				
CLEVELAND CREDIT BUREAU AND PD RECORDS NEGATIVE REGARDING				

FACTS OF THIS CASE AND ORIGINAL LETTERS IN THIS
MATTER HAVE BEEN PRESENTED TO THE USA, CLEVELAND, OHIO, AND
HE IS CONFERRING WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, WASHINGTON,
D.C., AND WILL ADVISE FBI, CLEVELAND, OF HIS PROSECUTIVE
OPINION. INTENSIVE INQUIRY BEING MADE TO FURTHER
IDENTIFY SUBJECT.

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b6 b7C January 7, 1971

Based on available

Secret Service and

Threats to the President, Vice

received through the mail on 1/6/71 at Cleveland, Ohio. One letter was signed

information, Bureau indices negative

local authorities, Washington, D.C., have been advised. This matter is under intensive investigation and you will be

kept advised of all developments.

President, and Mr. Hoover were

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INCH BLADE. ENVELOPE ALSO CONTAINED HANDWRITTEN LETTER. CONTENTS OF THIS LETTER STATED THAT THE FBI IS OPPRESSIVE AND MUST BE DEALT WITH IN THE "LANGUAGE OF THE GUN".

NUMBER THREE ENVELOPE BORE FBI, CLEVELAND ADDRESS, OBSCENITIES

AND "KILL NIXON, HOOVER AND ALL OF THE PIGS". THIS ENVELOPE

CONTAINED A PARING KNIFE WITH A THREE INCH BLADE AND WHITE SHEETS

OF PAPERS CONTAINING POLITICAL SLOGANS, "FREE ALL POLITICAL PRISON
ERS NOW!! OR ELSE". THIS THIRD ENVELOPE ALSO CONTAINS ANOTHER HAND
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IZATION, AND THIS LETTER IS SIGNED WITH THE NAME

CLEVELAND WILL VIGOROUSLY PURSUE ALL LOGICAL INVESTIGATION TO

IDENTIFY AND LOCATE THE AUTHOR OF THESE LETTERS AND WILL PRESENT

United States Attempt

FACTS TO THE USA FOR HIS PROSECUTIVE OPINION.

ORIGINAL LETTERS AND KNIVES BEING FORWARDED TO THE FBI LAB FOR EXAMINATION. CLEVELAND INDICES NEGATIVE ON SUPERVISED THIS MATTER IS PERSONALLY BEING/BY THE SAC, CLEVELAND.

U.S. SECRET SERVICE, CLEVELAND, OHIO, ADVISED.

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FI PER	The state of the s	J. EDGAR/HOOVER VICTIM; PRESIDENT/NIXON VICTIM; VICE PRESIDENT/AGNEW VICTIM EXTORTION
IN GENEL		Re Cleveland airtel to Bureau, 1/7/71; Cleveland teletypes to Bureau, 1/12/71 and 1/13/71. Transmitted under separate cover are the following:
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Also enclosed for the Bureau is one copy each of items 1 and 2 set forth above.

For information of the FBI Lab, was interviewed by Buagents on 1/11/71 and furnished a signed statement admitting that she sent all the letters and knives in instant case. also furnished handwriting samples and major case prints were taken.

On 1/12/71, a bench warrant was issued charging with violations of USC, Title 18, Sections 1716 and 1718. was arrested by Buagents on 1/13/71 at Cleveland, Ohio and is presently being held on \$15,000 surety bond at Cuyahoga County Jail, Cleveland, Ohio.

The FBI Lab is requested to compare the enclosed handwriting samples with previously submitted letters in this case to determine if ______ did prepare the letters.

The FBI Latent Fingerprint Section is requested to compare fingerprints of ______ with any latent prints developed on letters and knives previously submitted in this case.

Items 1 and 2 are two additional items that were received after the initial submission of letters and knives by referenced airtel.

The Lab and Latent Fingerprint Section are requested to examine these items in a similar fashion as requested in referenced airtel.

The Lab should note that a piece of tape on each of items 1 and 2 above contains subject's initials and date. This tape was placed on the plastic containers and subject personally observed these items and identified the items as items she sent to the FBI through the U.S. Mail. She initialed the tape for identification purposes; therefore, this identifying tape should not be removed from items 1 and 2.

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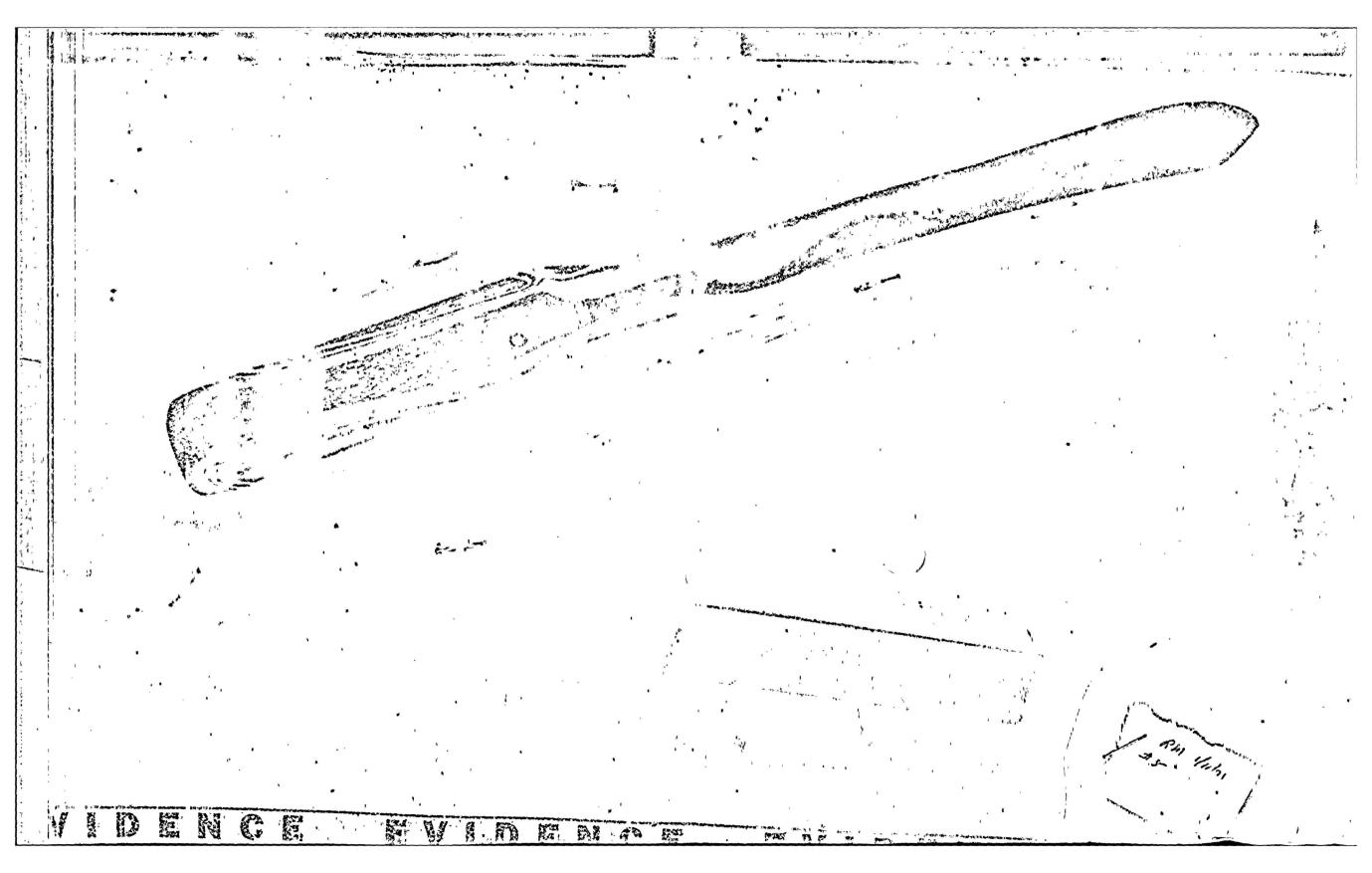
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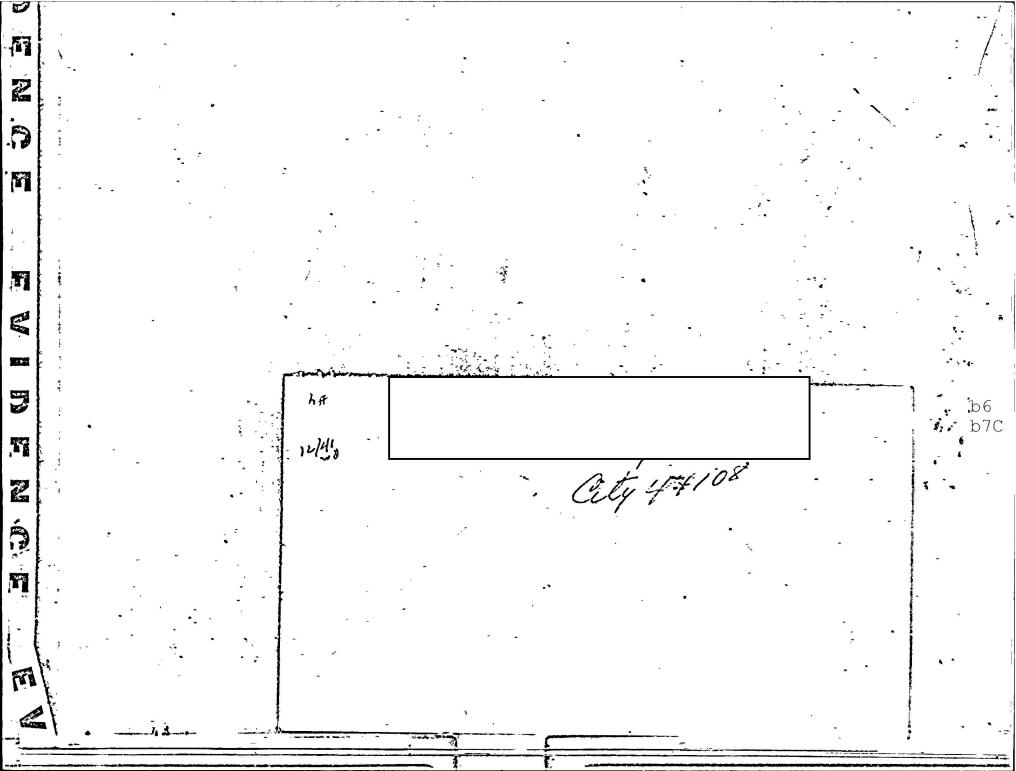
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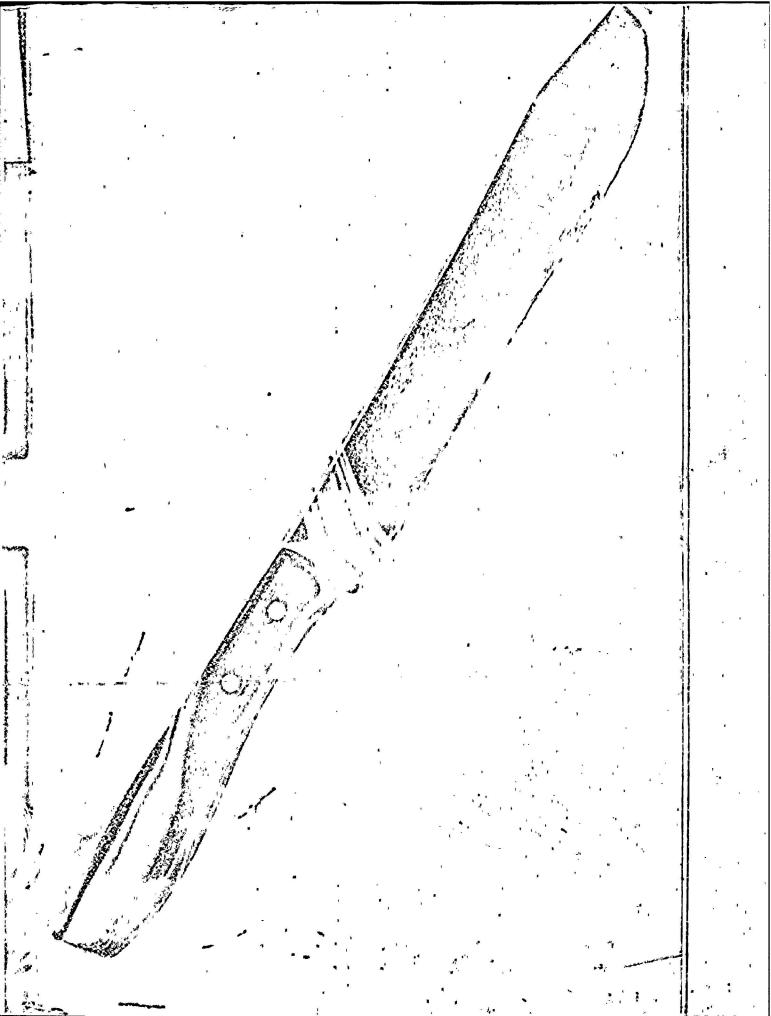
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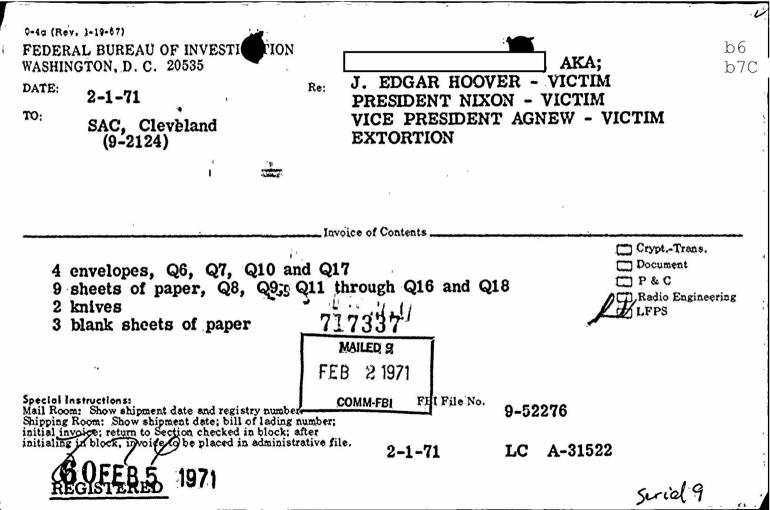
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and U.S. Post Office, Washington, D.C.. One copy of this report is being disseminated to local Secret Service Office, Cleveland, Ohio.

Copies of all threatening letters and knives received by the FBI in this case have been given to both the Secret Service and Postal Inspector, Cleveland, therefore no copies of the actual letters involved in this case are being enclosed with this report. Also copies of the subject's letters and knives have been given to the U.S. Attorney, Cleveland.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to File No.

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20535

January 18, 1971

Director United States Secret Service Department of the Treasury Washington, D. C. 20220

Dear Sir:

The information furnished herewith concerns an individual who is believed to be covered by the agreement between the FBI and Secret Service concerning Presidential protection, and to fall within the category or categories checked.

 K Has attempted or threatened bodily harm to any government official or employee, including foreign government officials residing in or planning an imminent visit to the U. S., because of his official status. Has attempted or threatened to redress a grievance against any public official by other than legal means. Because of background is potentially dangerous; or has been identified as member or participant in communist movement; or has been under active investigation as member of other group or organization inimical to U. S. U. S. citizens or residents who defect from the U. S. to countries in the Soviet or Chinese Communist blocs and return. Subversives, ultrarightists, racists and fascists who meet one or more of the following criteria: (a) Evidence of emotional instability (including unstable residence and employment record) or irrational or suicidal behavior: (b) Expressions of strong or violent anti-U. S. sentiment; (c) Prior acts (including arrests or convictions) or conduct or statements indicating a propensity for violence and antipathy toward good order and government. Individuals involved in illegal bombing or illegal bomb-making. Photograph has been furnished enclosed is not available may be available through U.S. Marshal, Cleveland, Ohio 	iec	ÇIQI	i, and to fair within the category of categories checked.
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Very truly yours,

John Edgar Hoover Director

1 - Special Agent in Charge (Enclosure(s) 1) U. S. Secret Service, Cleveland

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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Subject was arrested by Bureau agents at Cleveland on 1/13/71 without incident. The subject was brought before U.S.D. Judge, Cleveland at which time a court-appointed attorney was designated for and she was lodged in Cuyahoga County Jail under \$15,000 surety bond. IS CONSIDERED ARMED AND DANGEROUS BECAUSE OF HER THREATS AND USE OF A KNIFE TO DIS.

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DETAILS:

This matter was predicated in the Cleveland Division upon receipt of a letter from the U.S. Postal Inspector, Cleveland, on January 6, 1971, which enclosed three envelopes. Two of these envelopes bore the FBI, Cleveland address and contained on the outside of the envelopes, various slogans and obscenities. A third envelope did not bear the address of the FBI Office, however, contained thereon, additional slogans such as "All power to the People" and "Death to the Pigs".

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	Envelope #1 contained no address, however, on the outside of the envelope was the following slogans: "All power to the people", "Death to the pigs", "Seize the land", "It is nation time", "Facist", and "Racist". This envelope does contain a 6¢ stamp. The envelope itself was empty.	•
	Envelope #2 was a manila envelope and contained the following address: "Federal Buearu of Investigation, 1240 E. 9th Cleveland, Ohio". The envelope had a 6¢ stamp and showed a cancellation of January 3, 1971. Also contained on the outside of the envelope were the following slogans: "All power to the Communists", "Death to the pigs", "Free all political prisoners", "Pick up the gun". On the reverse side of the envelope were the following slogans: "Pigs stink", "Kill NIXON, AGNEW, HOOVER, and all other Nazi-type puppets", and "Oink, Oink".	
÷	Contained in this second envelope was a bread knife with a 6½" blade. Also contained in the envelope was a white sheet of paper with the statement: "Death to the Pigs!!".	-
,	Also contained in this second envelope was a hand- written letter beginning with the statement, "The FBI has no human rights for the black man;" This letter concluded with an obscene sentance.	. 1
,	The third manila envelope contained thereon the address "Federal Bureau of Investigation, 1240 E. 9th Street, Cleveland, Ohio." This envelope bears two 6¢ stamps. Also contained on the outside of the envelope were the following statements: "Kill NIXON & HOOVER and all other pigs!", "Go to hell", "Free all political prisoners, NCWIII", "Handle with care" and one obscene statement.	,
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minded J. EDGAR HOOVER." This letter concludes with an obscene statement.

Also contained in this envelope was a white piece of paper bearing the statement, "Free all political prisoners, NOT!! Or Else".

Also contained in this third envelope was a three-page, hand-written letter which begins, "Open letter to the Federal Bureau of Investigation from the Black Communist Party and all other oppressed people." The letter ends with an obscene statement and is signed, "All power to the people,

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Upon receipt of the knives and letters by the Cleveland FBI Office, that office immediately advised the FBI, Washington, D.C., and the U.S. Secret Service, Special Agent Cleveland, Ohio.

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On January 7, 1971, the envelopes and their contents including the knives that were received by Cleveland FBI Office on January 6 and 7, 1971 were forwarded to FBI Laboratory, Washington, D.C. for examination.
The following investigation was conducted by SA
The records of the FBI, Cleveland, contained no identifying data regarding Street, Cleveland. A check of the Cleveland city directory regarding the address revealed that this address is listed to phone Records of the FBI, Cleveland are negative concerning
The following investigation was conducted by SA at Cleveland:
On January 7, 1971 SAcaused a search to be made of the General Records Division. Cleveland Police Department, regarding
Clerk caused a search on January 7, 1971 to be made of the Credit Bureau, Cleveland, and determined this bureau was negative regarding both and Cleveland.
On January 8, 1971, Clerk contacted the Cleveland Credit Bureau and determined that resides at Cleveland. Records list his wife's name as being and she is employed in domestic work. according to credit bureau records, is employed at the since 1961. The credit bureau files list phone
On January 8, 1971, SA contacted
Personnel Department,
is still employed by the pany and works from 11 PM to 7 AM and lists his home address as phone number
On January 8, 1971, copies of the letters in this matter were furnished to Secret Service Agent by SA

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On January 8, 1971 telephonically contacted SA and advised that she would voluntarily appear at the Cleveland Office of the FBI. following her work day on January 11, 1971.

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The Cleveland Office of the FBI received from the U.S. Postal Office, Cleveland, a manila envelope bearing a 6¢ stamp and the address of "Federal Bureau of Investigation, 1240 East 9th, Cleveland, Ohio." The front of this envelope contained the words "Pigs" and "Racist".

On the reverse side of this envelope was the following: "Kill NIXON, Kill HOOVER, kill all white people." Also on the outside of this area was the following: "Here is a knife inside to kill yourself."

Contained in this envelope was a butcher knife with a 7" blade.

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voluntarily appeared at the Cleveland Office of the FBI,	7
accompanied by her sister,	J
was advised of the identities of the interviewing agents	
and the fact that they wished to interview her regarding	•
items that were sent to the FBI through the U.S. Mail.	, ,
wasiadvised of her rights by SA	
and she waived them as shown on an executed Warning and	
Waiver form. furnished the following voluntary	
statement:	
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"Cleveland, Ohio	
"January 11, 1971	,
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"I make the following	9
voluntary statement to	
who have identified themselves to me as	
Special Agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation.	
I have been advised of my rights by Special Agent	•
and I understand what my rights are.	
"I am years old and I was born on	
at Cleveland, Ohio. I live at	
Cleveland, Ohio with my parents	
my sister and my brother	
I graduated from the Work Study Pro-	3.
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"I was a member of the Afro Set, Cleveland,	Ł
Ohio from about January, 1970, to March, 1970. I	,
was a member of the Black Nationalists of New Libia	• 1
for one month during the summer of 1970. I became	
a member of the House of Isreal in December, 1969,	i
and still have a membership card, but I am not an	
active member. I began attending Black Panther	
meetings in the winter of 1970 and I am presently in	•
training to become a member of the Black Panthers.	
My training consists of such activities as selling	
Black Panther newspapers, training in a medical team,	
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and teaching in the black liberation schools.

"My Afro name is which I received when I was a member of the Afro Set. I was taught by the Black Panther Officials in Cleveland, Ohio that FBI Agents kill people because they do not like Black People. I also hate J. EDGAR HOOVER because of what he said about Dr. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. Mr. HOOVER called Dr. KING a liar and tapped Dr. KING's room. I do not like J. EDGAR HOOVER's attitude about the Black Panthers. HOOVER said that Black Panther's are the #1 threat to the United States. The Black Panther's do not have any guns so how can they be a threat to the United States.

null have been shown 16 items by SA Some of these items are copies others are originals. These 16 items are:

- ginning with 'All power to the people' marked #1 and initialed by me.
 - "2) A copy of an envelope with writing beginning with 'All power to the Communists' marked #2 and initialed by me.
 - "3) A copy of a letter beginning with 'The FBI has no human' marked #3 and initialed by me.
 - "4) A copy of a letter with the words 'Death to the pigsill and initialed by me; marked #4.
 - "5) A copy of a knife which I recognize as a knife I enclosed in an envelope to the FBI, marked #5.
 - "6) A copy of an envelope with writing beginning with 'Kill NIXON & HOOVER and all other pigs' marked #6 and initialed jby me.
 - "7) A copy of a letter beginning with 'Here is a knife' marked #7 and initialed by me.
 - "8) A copy of a paper bearing statement 'Free all political prisoners Now!! or Else' marked #8 and initialed by me.

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- "9) A copy of a knife that I sent to the FBI marked #9 and initialed by me.
 - "10) A copy of a letter beginning with 'Open letter to and marked #10 and initialed by me.
 - "11) A copy of an envelope addressed to Federal Beueara of Investigation and marked #11 and initialed by me.
 - "12) A copy of a letter beginning with 'To the FBI,' and marked #12 and initialed by me.
 - "13) The original envelope addressed to the Federal Bureau of Investigation and marked #13 and initialed by me.
 - "14) A knife that I enclosed in a letter to the FBI in the envelope described in #13.
 - "15) A copy of an envelope addressed to Federal Nazi's Pig Bur of Investigation , 1240 E 9th, Cleveland, Ohio postmarked 14 Dec 1970 marked #15 and initialed by me.
 - "16) A copy of a letter beginning with "I say to hell with marked #16 and initialed by me.
- "I sent all of the above described items through the U.S. mail. I deposited each item described above in U.S. mail boxes in downtown: Cleveland, Ohio, mail box on E 99th St.; near my homerand at the post office on E:105th St., Cleveland, Ohio.
- "I sent these letters to the FBI because I wanted to express my hate for J. EDGAR HOOVER, President NIXON and Vice President AGNEW. I also wanted to see how long it would take the FBI to find me.
- "If I were given the opportunity to kill President NIXON, Vice President AGNEW, and J. EDGAR

HOOVER I would kill them. President RICHARD NIXON is a pig and he is for rich people and doesn't care about Black people.

"If I have to die for the black people's cause I am willing to die. I have no reason to write any more letters because I have said all I have to say. I wrote a similar letter, as the ones I sent to the FBI to the Cleveland Police Department about 2 months ago.

"I hate anything Federal and all police. hate 'Uncle Toms' who work for the Federal Government.

"One of the knives I sent to the FBI was mine, the other two were my mother's.

"I am fighting for the liberation of all Black People and all oppressed people. I advocate the overthrow of the U.S. Government by force if necessary to liberate the Black People.

"I have read the above statement consisting of this page and five other pages. I have initalied the other five pages and all corrections. sign this statement because it is true.

Special Agent FBI, "Witness /s/ Cleveland, Ohio Special Agent FBI, Cleve-"Witness /s/ 1/11/71 land, Ohio "/s/

voluntarily furnished handwriting samples The following description was obtained and fingerprints. through observation and interview:

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Female Negro Cleveland, Ohio 517" 125 lbs. Slender Brown Brown

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Residence

Telephone Occupation Employment

Education

Marital Status. Family members

SSAN Arrests Associate of

Cleveland, Ohio
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On January 12, 1971, the facts of this case were discussed with United States Attorney (USA) FREDERICK M.

COLEMAN, and Assistant United States Attorney (AUSA)

USA reviewed the facts of this case and consulted with U.S. Department of Justice, Washington, D.C.

It was decided that a Bench Warrant would be issued for charging her with violation of U.S.

Code, Title 18, Sections 1716 and 1718. Section 1716 refers to mailing of injurious articles such as the knives and 1718 refers to mailing upon the envelope and outside cover, written terms and language of a scurrilous and defamatory character.

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This arrest was personally supervised by Special Agent in Charge CHARLES G. CUSICK, Cleveland, Ohio FBI Office.

appeared before U.S. District

Judge FRANK J. BATTISTI on January 13, 1971. Judge BATTISTI appointed an attorney for _______ The proceedings were passed until the attorney was able to talk to ______ and no date was set for further proceedings.

remained in the custody of the U.S. Marshal, Cleveland and was lodged in the Cuyahoga County Jail, Cleveland under bond of \$15,000 surety.

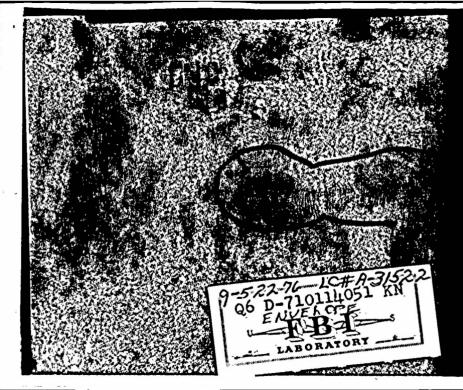
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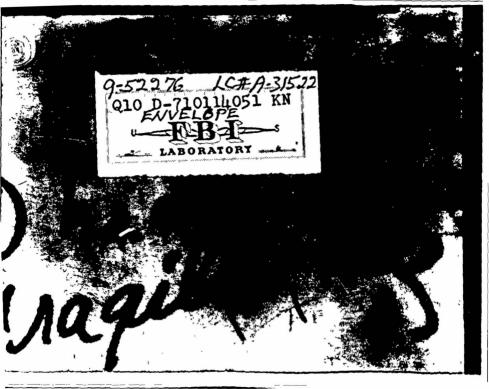
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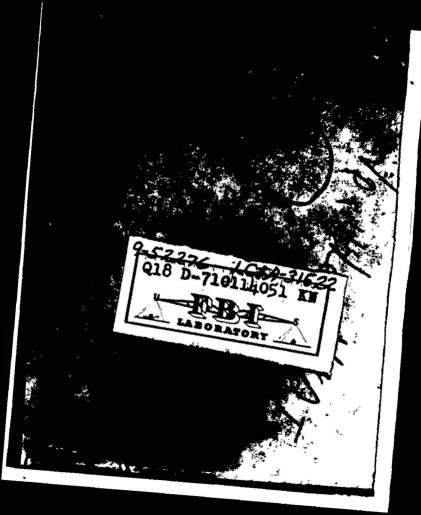
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1-336 (Rev. 12-10-63) Washington, D. C. 20537 REPORT **IDENTIFIC ATION** DIVISION LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION YOUR FILE NO. January 25, 1971 2-2124 FBI FILE NO. LATENT CASE NO. A-31522 SAC, Cleveland b7C VICTIM PRESIDENT RICHARD M. NIXON J. EDGARTHOOVER - VICTIM PRESIDENT NIXON - VICTIM VICE PRESIDENT AGNEW - VICTIM SPIROT. GENEW - VICTIM EXTORTION 9-52276-5 REFERENCE: EXAMINATION ALUGICATETT Cleveland SPECIMENS: The requested latent print examination is being conducted and you will be advised of the results upon completion. 4105 9-52276-1 MAILED: 22 JAN 251971 REC-10 JAN 26 1971 COMM-FBI Tolson Sullivan Mohr Bishop John Edga Hoover, Director S FURNISHED FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY

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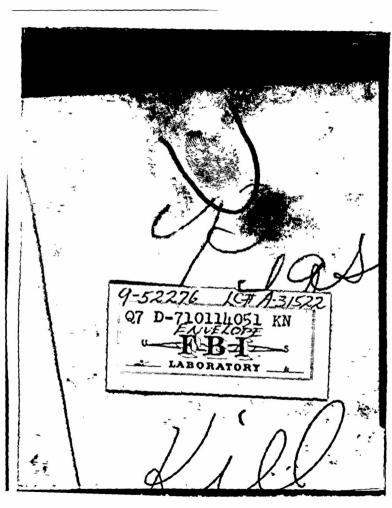


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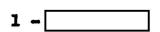
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

FBI, Cleveland (9-2124)

January 29, 1971

Ro: J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM: PRESIDENT NIXON - VICTIM;

VICE PRESIDENT AGNEW - VICTIM:

EXTORTION

Examination requested by:

John Edgar Hoover, Director

FBI File No.

Lab. No.

9-52276

D-710118123 KN

Reference:

Cleveland

Airtel 1/14/71

Examination requested:

Document - Fingerprint

aka

Remarks:

Tolson Sullivan

Mohr . Bishop Brennan, C.D.

Callahan Casper

The submitted evidence will be returned to you together with the results of the latent fingerprint examination.

Should additional examination be desired in regard to the questioned hand printing appearing on items in this case, it is suggested that attempts be made to obtain hand printing specimens from ______ in both upper-case and lowercase hand printing as well as hand printing in the exact wording of the questioned material.

MAILED 21 JAN 29 1971

COMM-FBI

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: FBI,	Cleveland (9-2124)	Date: FBI File No.	January 29, 197
Re:	aka	Lab. No.	D-710118123 KN
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	You will be advised on the "ALSO SUBMITTED" materia	al separately.	Appropriate

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Examination requested:

Document - Fingerprint

Date received: 1/18/71

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Result of Examination:

Examination by:

Specimens submitted for examination

Q19 Maniaa envelope bearing hand printed and handwritten address "Federal Bureau of Investigation 1240 E. 9th Cleveland Ohio"

Three sheets of white ruled paper bearing the handwriting K1

ALSO SUBMITTED:	One knife	and four m	ajor eose fruit
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TO:	DIRECTOR, FBI ATTENTION: FBI LABORATORY LATENT PINGERPRINT SECTION
Pron:	SAC, CLEVELAND (9-2124) (P)
SUBJECT:	aka.,
	J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM; PRESIDENT MIXON - VICTIM; VICE PRESIDENT AGNEW - VICTIM EXTORTION
	He Cleveland mirtel to Bureau, 1/7/71; Cleveland teletypes to Bureau, 1/12/71 and 1/13/71.
	Transmitted under separate cover are the following:
	I. Original manilla envelope received at FBI, Cleveland, Ohio with various writings, including "Here's a knife inside to kill yourself."
	2. One knife with 7" blade.
	3. Seven fingerprint cards of taken at Cleveland FBI Office, 1/11/71.
r	4. One fingerprint card of taken 1/13/71 at USM, Cleveland, Ohio.
î	5. Three sheets of line paper containing handwriting samples furnished by on 1/11/71.
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Also enclosed for the Bureau is one copy each of items 1 and 2 set forth above.

For information of the FBI Lab, was interviewed by Buagents on 1/11/71 and furnished a signed statement admitting that she sent all the letters and knives in instant case. also furnished handwriting samples and major case prints were taken.

on 1/12/71, a bench warrant was issued charging with wightions of USC, Title 18, Sections 1716 and 1718.

was arrested by Buagents on 1/13/71 at Cleveland, Ohio and is presently being held on \$15,000 surety bond at Cuyahoga County Jail, Cleveland, Ohio.

The FBI Lab is requested to compare the enclosed handwriting samples with previously submitted letters in this case to determine if did prepare the letters.

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1-335 (Rev. 12-10-63) Washington, D. C. 20537 REPORT LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION 9-2124 YOUR FILE NO. February 1, 1971 FBI FILE NO. 9-52276 LATENT CASE NO. A-31522 SAC, Cleveland AKA: J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM PRESIDENT NIXON - VICTIM VICE PRESIDENT AGNEW - VICTIM EXTORTION REFERENCE: Airtel 1-7-71 EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY: Cleveland SPECIMENS: Q6, Q7, Q10, and Q17, four envelopes Q8, Q9, Q11 through Q16, and Q18, nine sheets of paper Two knives Three blank sheets of paper This report supplements Latent Fingerprint Section report dated 1-25-71. AN ID MAILED 4 FEB 2 - 1971 Seven latent fingerprints were developed on Q6. Q7, Q10, and Q18. No latent prints of value developed on COMM-FBI remaining specimens. Listed specimens are described th separate Laboratory report. 18 FEB 3 1971 Tolson Latent fingerprints developed in captioned-case-Sullivan Mohr and latent prints previously reported in case entitled "Unsub.: Bishop (Continued on next page) IS REPORT IS FURNISHED FOR OFFICIAL TELETYPE UNIT

SAC, Cleveland

February 1, 1971

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Threatening Letter to FBI, Cleveland, Ohio; Extortion,"
Bufile #9-0-18332, latent case #A-31112, are not identical fingerprints and palm prints of submitted with your airtel dated 1-14-71.

Specimens being returned separately.

Page 2 LC #A-31522

recorded: 1-19-71 3:35 p.m. sjb Received: 1-19-71
Laboratory Work Sheet NO LAB FILE
Re: J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM: President NIXON - VICTIM: Vice Bresident AGNEW - VICTIM EXCORPTION
OO:CV Examination requested by: FBL Cleveland (9-2124) A 1-7-71 b7
Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint Date received: 1-14-71
Result of Examination: Notate val I 1/9 Noted By: War
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Q7 — Brown manila envelope BHILLING RECOURTER addressed to "Federal Bureau of Investigation 1240 E. 9th Cleveland Ohib"
Q8x Sheet of paper bearing handwriting beginning "The FBI has"
Q9 x " " " handwritten message "Death to the pigs!!
Q10 - Brown manila envelope addressed to "Federal Bureau of Investigation 1240 E 9th Cleveland Ohio" and bearing message "Kill Nixon, Hoover and all other pigs!"
Q11X Sheet of paper bearing handwritten message "Free all political prisoners Now!! or Else"
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Page 1 (continued next page)

Q13 X Sheet of paper bearing handwritten message beginning "Open Letter to the Federal. . ." Q14 X Sheet of paper bearing handwritten message beginning "member of a the BlackLiberation..." Q15 x Sheet of paper bearing handwritten message beginning Q16 ASheet of paper bearing handwritten message beginning "Here is a knife. . Q17 - Envelope postmarked "CLEVELAND, OHIO DB PM 6 JAN 1970" and addressed to "Federal Bureau of Investigation 1240 E. 9th Cleveland Ohio" Q18 X Sheet of paper bearing handwritten message "To the FBI, The reason I am. . . " Also Submitted: Bread knifo Paring knife 3 Blank sheetsof paper, in Q 11, 12 4 /6, Lat prents nin. Lat late not o Ifpt on Q6 Ifpt on 87 3 fets on 910 Ifpto on 918 Lat puts in other mentioned case - 9-0-18332 Thresting Letter to Page 2 (D-710114051 KN) Extolic Dictated /-29-7 Examination completed 4,308M.





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Washington, D. C. 20537

REPORT

of the

IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

YOUR FILE NO.

9-2124

FBI FILE NO.

9-52276 A-31522

LATENT CASE NO.

TO: SAC, Cleveland

February 3, 1971

RE:

J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM PRESIDENT NIXON - VICTIM VICE PRESIDENT AGNEW - VICTIM EXTORTION

Airtel 1/14/ REFERENCE:

SPECIMENS:

report.

EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY: Cleveland Q19, one envelope

One knife

Eight cards of major case prints of

Specimens further described in separate Laboratory

No identifiable latent prints developed on envelope or knife.

Q19 and knife being returned separately, 17 FEB 5 along with handwriting specimens, Kl, which were also submitted. Submitted fingerprints being searched in main fingerprint files and you will be advised separately of the result.

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7-2 FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE LATENT Recorded No Lab File 10:50 Am Work Sheet 1/19/71 meh 1-26-71 Recorded: Received: File # Re: Lab. # J. EDGAR HOOVER PRESIDENT NIXON - VICTIM; VICE PRESIDENT AGNEW VICTIM; EXTORTION Examination requested by: Cleveland (9-2124) AAirtel 1/14/71 Date received: 1/18/71 Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint Examination by: Result of Examination: Named Subject: **b**6 Noted By b7C Specimens submitted for examination Q19 Manida envelope bearing hand printed and handwritten address "Federal Bureau of Investigation 1240 B. 9th Cleveland Ohio" Kl Three sheets of white ruled paper bearing the handwriting ALSO SUBMITTED: One knife

Examination completed

Time Date June Date

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Also enclosed for the Bureau is one copy each of items I and 2 set forth above.

For information of the FEI Lab,
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statement admitting that she sent all the letters and knives
in instant case.

also furnished handwriting samples
and major case prints were taken.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To:FBI, Cleveland (9-2120)

Date: January 13, 1971

UNINOWN SUBJECT;
OFEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
CLEVELAND OFFICE;
EXTORTION

FBI File No. 9=0=18332 Lab. No. D=701224002 KN

Examination requested by: Cleveland

Airtel 12/21/70

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint

Q1 through Q5 will be returned to you together with the results of the latent fingerprint examination.

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To: FBI, Cleveland (9-2120)

FBI File No.

January 13, 1971

Lab. No.

-9-0-18332 D-701224002 KN

Ro: UNKNOWN SUBJECT: THREATENING LETTER TO FEDERAL BURKAU OF INVESTIGATION CLEVELAND OFFICE: EXTORTION

Specimens received

12/21/70

- Q1 Envelope postmarked "CLEVELAND, OHIO 3A AM 14 DEC 1970" addressed 'Federal Nazis Pig Bur of Investigation 1240 E. 9 Cleveland Ohio"
- Q2 First page of accompanying four-page handwritten letter beginning "Just a few lines..."
- Q3 Second page beginning "I say to..."
- Q4 Third page beginning "your heads between..."
- Q5 Fifth page beginning "got a..." ending "Long Live the Revolution"

Result of examination:

The submitted items were searched in the appropriate sections of the Anonymous Letter File without effecting an identification. Appropriate copies will be added thereto.

No watermarks indented writing or other identifying characteristics were observed on the items Q1 through Q5. The stamp on the envelope Q1 was torn from a sheet of stamps. The paper making up Q2 through Q5 most closely resembles spiral type notebook paper.

Physical characteristics of Ql through Q5 have been noted and are retained for possible future reference.

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Re: UNKNOWN SUBJECT;

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

CLEVELAND OFFICE

EXTORTION

File #

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Examination requested by:

FBI

Cleveland

(9-2120)

12-21-70

Examination requested: Document

Fingerprint

Date received:

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Result of Examination:

Examination by:

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Specimens submitted for examination

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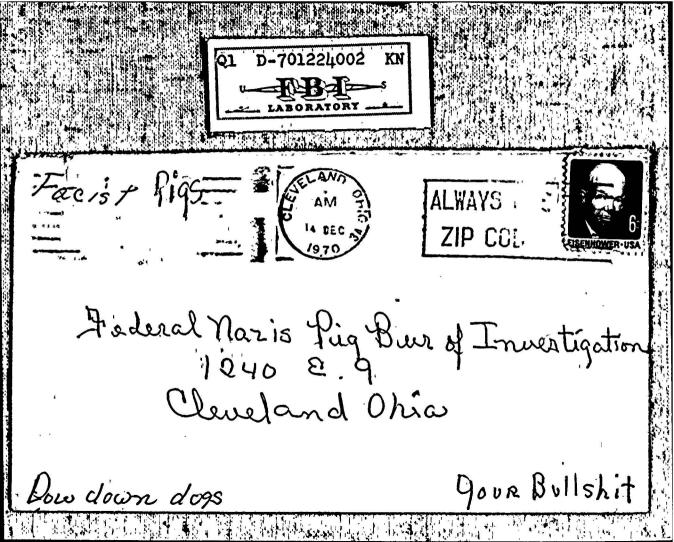
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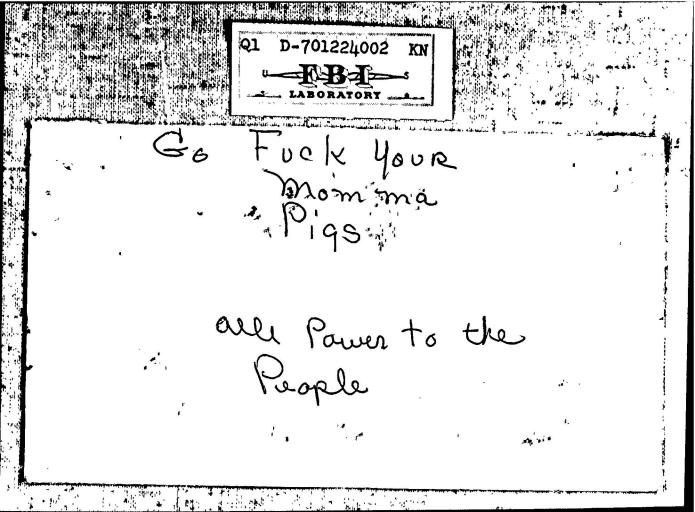
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OF INVESTIGATION BUREAU

Washington, D. C. 20537

REPORT

of the

IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

YOUR FILE NO. FBI FILE NO.

LATENT CASE NO.

9-2120 9-0-18332 A-31112

January 18, 1971

TO:

RE:

SAC, Cleveland

UNKNOWN SUBJECT: THREATENING LETTER TO OFEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION CLEVELAND OFFICE EXTORTION

REFERENCES REFERENCE: Airtel 12-21-70 EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY: Clerk Cleveland SPECIMENS:

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The requested latent print examination is being conducted and you will be advised of the results upon

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SA U.S. Secret Service, CV, contacted the CV Office of the FBI and stated that he was advised of the above info by the USM's Office and that he had, in turn, advised his Washington Headquarters.

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SAC, Cleveland (9-2124) TO:

FROM: (9-52276)Director, FBI

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OO: CLEVELAND

Rerep SA Raymond J. Michel dated 3/31/71.

Enclosed with rerep were two copies of FD-376 in which Items 1 and 4 were checked as reasons for dissemination to Secret Service. In connection with Item 4, it is not clear that subject is a U. S. citizen or resident who has defected from the U. S. to countries in the Soviet or Chinese Communist Bloc's and returned. It would appear that Item 4 is checked in error and that Item 3 should have been checked. In the event FD-376 as submitted to the Bureau is correct, by return mail submit clarification; and if not, in the same manner submit corrected FD-376 and insure that dissemination to U.S. Secret Service, Cleveland, is appropriately corrected.

In the future investigative and supervisory personnel in your office should be cautioned as to the necessity of correctly advising Secret Service as to the reasons information is being disseminated to their service.

1 - WFO (9-2711) (Information)

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Based on the fact that the United States Department of Justice and United States Attorney, Cleveland, Ohio, would be charged with decided that violation of United States Code, Title 18, Section 1716 and 1718 statutes that are under the United States Postal Inspectors Office and not under the Extortion Statute, this matter is being closed in the Cleveland FBI Office.

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Additional copies of this report are being designated for the Bureau for purpose of dissemination to the U.S. Secret Service and U.S. Post Office, Washington, D.C. One copy of this report is being disseminated to local Secret Service Office, Cleveland, Ohio. One info copy to Washington Field because of their investigative interest in this matter.



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20535

In Reply, Please Refer to File No.

Director

March 31, 1971

United States Secret Service Department of the Treasury Washington, D. C. 20220

Dear Sir:

The information furnished herewith concerns an individual who is believed to be covered by the agreement between the FBI and Secret Service concerning Presidential protection, and to fall within the category or categories checked.

1.	Has attempted or threatened bodily harm to any government official or employee, including foreign government officials residing in or planning an imminent visit to the U.S., because of his official status.
2.	Has attempted or threatened to redress a grievance against any public official by other than legal means.
3.	Because of background is potentially dangerous; or has been identified as member or participant in communist movement; or has been under active investigation as member of other group or organization inimical to U.S.
4.	U. S. citizens or residents who defect from the U. S. to countries in the Soviet or Chinese Communist blocs and return.
5.	Subversives, ultrarightists, racists and fascists who meet one or more of the following criteria:
	 (a) Evidence of emotional instability (including unstable residence and employment record) or irrational or suicidal behavior: (b) Expressions of strong or violent anti-U. S. sentiment; (c) Prior acts (including arrests or convictions) or conduct or statements indicating a propensity for violence and antipathy toward good order and government.
3.	Individuals involved in illegal bombing or illegal bomb-making.
Ph X	notograph has been furnished enclosed is not available may be available through United States Marshal, Cleveland, Ohio.

Very truly yours,

John Edgar Hoover

1 - Special Agent in Charge (Enclosure(s) U. S. Secret Service, Cleveland

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Copy to:	1 - USA, Cleveland 1 - Secret Service, Cleveland
Report of: Date:	SA CLEVELAND 3/31/71
Field Office	File #: 9-2124 Bureau File #:9-52276
Title:	J. EDGAR HOOVER - VICTIM; PRESIDENT NIXON - VICTIM; VICE PRESIDENT AGNEW - VICTIM
Character:	EXTORTION (Mailing of injurious articles, and defamatory terms and language on envelopes)
Synopsis:	
	BI Laboratory concluded that the questioned handwriting n submitted evidence in this case was prepared by
	The hand printing was not identified due to lack

on submitted evidence in this case was prepared by

The hand printing was not identified due to lack of comparable hand printing. Latent fingerprints developed on evidence are not identical to those of

Subject was ordered for psychiatric examination to St.

Elizabeth's Hospital, Washington, D.C. for a period not to exceed 90 days. This order was filed 1/15/71. AUSA, Cleveland, Ohio advised 3/26/71 that subject has not been returned to Northern District of Ohio, Cleveland, Ohio as of 3/26/71.

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DETAILS:

The following order was filed January 15, 1971:

This document contains beither recommendations nor conclusions of the FBI. It is the property of the FBI and is loaned to your agency; it and its contents are not to be distributed outside your agency.

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REPORT of the

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION WASHINGTON. D. C. 20535

To: FBI, Cleveland (9-2120)

January 13, 1971

FBI File No.

9-0-18332

Lab. No.

· D-701224002 KN

Re: UNKNOWN SUBJECT; THREATENING LETTER TO FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION CLEVELAND OFFICE: EXTORTION

Specimens received 12/21/70

- Envelope postmarked "CLEVELAND, OHIO 3A AM 14 DEC 1970" addressed "Federal Nazis Pig Bur of Investigation 1240 E. 9 Cleveland Ohio"
- First page of accompanying four-page handwritten letter Q2beginning "Just a few lines..."
- Second page beginning "I say to ... " Q3
- Third page beginning "your heads between..." 04
- Fifth page beginning "got a ... " ending "Long Live the Revolution"

Result of examination:

The submitted items were searched in the appropriate sections of the Anonymous Letter File without effecting an identification. Appropriate copies will be added thereto.

No watermarks indented writing or other identifying characteristics were observed on the items Q1 through Q5. The stamp on the envelope Q1 was torn from a sheet of stamps. The paper making up Q2 through Q5 most closely resembles Spiral type notebook paper.

Physical characteristics of Ql through Q5 have been noted and are retained for possible future reference.

Q1 through Q5 will be returned to you separately. Appropriate photographs, are retained.

The following individuals and agencies were notified on January 7, 1971 of the subject and her threats:

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Detective Metropolitan Police Department Intelligence Division Washington, D.C.

United States Secret Service Liaison Division Washington, D.C.

On March 26, 1971, Assistant United States
Attorney , Northern District of Ohio,
Cleveland, Ohio, advised that has
not been returned to the Northern District of Ohio,
Cleveland, Ohio.