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~~SGT DANIEL~~ *GN: TH et al;*
~~FRED HAMPTON'S DEATH~~ *VICTIM*
~~POSSIBLE CIVIL RIGHTS~~ *4.1*

Enclosed for the Bureau are two copies each of 38 newspaper clippings pertaining to the raid conducted at the Black Panthers headquarters in Chicago by the police assigned to the States Attorney's Office, Cook County, Chicago, Illinois.

A number of these articles ask for investigation by the federal government into this matter. To date this office has received no request for investigation of any kind and these articles are being furnished for information.

Chicago does not contemplate any investigation
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SGT. DANIEL GROTH; JAMES DAVIS; JOHN CISZEWSKI; EDWARD
CARMODY; ET AL, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS, POLICE OFFICERS - SUBJECTS,
FRED HAMPTON (DECEASED); MARK CLARK (DECEASED); BRENDA HARRIS;
VERLINA BREWER; BLAIR ANDERSON; RONALD SATCHEL; ET AL - VICTIMS.
SUMMARY PUNISHMENT - CIVIL RIGHTS.

RE CHICAGO TELS DEC. THIRTEEN, FOURTEEN, FIFTEEN, LAST.
GROUP REPRESENTING SELF TO BE MAYWOOD HUMAN RELATIONS
COMMISSION HELD NEWS CONFERENCE AT MARTIN LUTHER KING CENTER, NINTH
AND MADISON, MAYWOOD, ILL., TODAY, ACCORDING TO RELIABLE SOURCE.
NEWS CONFERENCE PRIMARILY RELATED TO SHOOTING OF BLACK PANTHER
LEADERS FRED HAMPTON AND MARK CLARK BY COOK COUNTY STATES ATTORNEY'S
POLICE, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS, DEC. FOUR LAST. RELEASE ISSUED BY ABOVE
GROUP CALLED THE INVESTIGATION INTO ABOVE SHOOTING POLITICAL FOOT-
BALL AND QUESTIONED ABILITY OF JUSTICE DEPT. AND FBI TO CONDUCT
FAIR INVESTIGATION IN THIS MATTER. STATED IT DOES ~~SO BECAUSE OF~~

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DIRECTOR HOOVER'S CALLING BLACK PANTHERS THE MOST DANGEROUS GROUP
IN THE U.S. AND BECAUSE OF FBI RAID OF ILLINOIS BLACK PANTHER
HEADQUARTERS JUNE FOUR LAST [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] ABOVE IS OBVIOUS

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ASSUMPTION MADE BY GROUP DUE TO FACT [REDACTED]
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RELEASE ALSO QUESTIONS THE BYPASSING OF ALISA THOMAS TODD, CHICAGO,
WHO IS ACCORDING TO RELEASE WELL RESPECTED IN BLACK COMMUNITY AND
WHO IS HEAD OF A SPECIAL CIVIL RIGHTS UNIT. RELEASE ALSO ASKS FOR
COOK COUNTY STATES ATTORNEY EDWARD V. HANRAHAN TO STEP ASIDE FOR A
SPECIAL PROSECUTOR

AND THAT A SPECIAL GRAND JURY BE CALLED FOR THIS INVESTIGATION.
MEMBERS OF THE MAYWOOD HUMAN RELATIONS COMMISSION STATE THEY WILL
MAKE THEIR DEMANDS TO HANRAHAN AT TEN A.M. THURSDAY, DEC. EIGHTEEN
NEXT. ONE SPEAKER AT NEWS CONFERENCE CALLED FOR SEPARATE HIGH SCHOOL
FOR MAYWOOD, ILL., AS OPPOSED TO EXISTING HIGH SCHOOL PROVISIO EAST
TOWNSHIP HIGH SCHOOL.

AS OF TWELVE THIRTY PM, CST, ATTORNEYS FOR BLACK PANTHERS PREVIOUSLY

CONTACTED HAVE NOT CONTACTED SAC, AS THEY AGREED TO DO, REGARDING
ACCESS TO PREMISES AT TWO THREE THREE SEVEN WEST MONROE ST., CHICAGO,
ILL., AND INTERVIEW WITH VICTIMS.

CHICAGO FOLLOWING.

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10:10PM URGENT 12-15-69 TJK

TO DIRECTOR

FROM CHICAGO (44-1503) 6P

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RE CHICAGO TELETYPES DECEMBER THIRTEEN AND FOURTEEN LAST.

DAILY SUMMARY.

ADVISED CHICAGO OFFICE REV. TOM

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STRETTER AND NBC NEWSMAN TED ELBERT HAVE PREPARED NEWS RELEASE

REGARDING SHOOTING OF BLACK PANTHERS FRED A. HAMPTON AND
MARK CLARK. ORIGINALLY PLANS WERE NEWS RELEASE TO BE MADE

NINE THIRTY AM INSTANT AT MARTIN LUTHER KING CENTER, MAYWOOD,
ILLINOIS. MAYWOOD IS FORMER RESIDENCE OF HAMPTON. HOWEVER,

SOURCE SUBSEQUENTLY ADVISED NEWS RELEASE POSTPONED AND NO NEW
DATE KNOWN FOR RELEASE.

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*James Turner, CR, advised
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THIS RELEASE CALLS FOR INVESTIGATION INTO DEATHS OF HAMPTON AND CLARK, A POLITICAL FOOTBALL, AND QUESTIONS ABILITY OF JUSTICE DEPARTMENT AND FBI TO CONDUCT A FAIR INVESTIGATION BECAUSE OF PREVIOUS INVESTIGATIONS INVOLVING BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP).

RELEASE QUESTIONED BY-PASSING OF AUSA THOMAS N. TODD, WHO IS WELL RESPECTED IN BLACK COMMUNITY AND WHO HEADS SPECIAL CIVIL RIGHTS UNIT IN USA'S OFFICE, CHICAGO. FOR BUREAU'S INFORMATION,

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[REDACTED] RELEASE FURTHER ASKED FOR STATE'S ATTORNEY EDWARD J. HANRAHAN TO STEP ASIDE FOR A SPECIAL PROSECUTOR AND THAT A SPECIAL GRAND JURY BE CALLED FOR THIS INVESTIGATION.

ALSO, SOURCE ADVISED MEMBERS OF MAYWOOD HUMAN RELATIONS COMMISSION TO PRESENT THEIR REQUESTS, AS REPRESENTED BY MATERIAL IN ABOVE NEWS RELEASE, TO STATE'S ATTORNEY HANRAHAN IN PERSON ON
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TUESDAY, DECEMBER SIXTEEN NEXT AT TEN AM.

SAME SOURCE ALSO ADVISED INSTANT THAT CHICAGO CITY
ALDERMAN A. A. SAMMY RAYNOR (HE IS ALSO AN UNDERTAKER IN
T/ AUTOPSY OF HAMPTON'S BODY
WHOSE HOME AN INDEPENDENT ~~XXXXXXXXXXXX~~ WAS ALLEGEDLY
PERFORMED DECEMBER SIX LAST), IS TO MAKE SIMILAR RELEASE VOICING
OBJECTIONS TO DEPARTMENT AND BUREAU CONDUCTING ANY INQUIRIES.

CHICAGO PD ADVISED INSTANT THAT VICTIM RONALD SATCHEL
WAS TODAY RELEASED ON TWENTYFIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS BOND. IT IS
NOTED DEBRA JOHNSON, VICTIM, GIRLFRIEND OF HAMPTON, IS ONLY
OTHER KNOWN VICTIM WHO IS NOT IN CUSTODY EITHER IN JAIL OR
IN COOK COUNTY HOSPITAL.

THE FOLLOWING IS SUMMARY OF INFORMATION FURNISHED BUREAU
BY INSTANT TELETYPE IN CASE CAPTIONED "UNITED FRONT OF BLACK
COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS, RM.":

CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE, RELIABLE IN PAST, ADVISED INSTANT
REPRESENTATIVES, CAPTIONED ORGANIZATION, HELD PRESS CONFERENCE
PICK CONGRESS HOTEL, CHICAGO, SETTING FORTH NINE POINTS
PURPORTING TO BE FROM THE BLACK COMMUNITY OF CHICAGO, PURPOSE
END PAGE THREE

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BEING TO INSURE CESSATION OF ACTIONS BY FORCES OF POWER IN CHICAGO WHO RECENTLY HAVE INCREASED THEIR "CAMPAIGN TO OPPRESS, SUPPRESS AND REPRESS THE BLACK PEOPLE." ABOVE REPRESENTATIVES LISTED SEVERAL REASONS WHY UNITED FRONT IS INITIATING SUCH A PROGRAM AND CALLED ATTENTION TO THE RECENT DEATH OF FRED HAMPTON, DEPUTY CHAIRMAN, ILLINOIS BLACK PANTHER PARTY, AS BEING TRIGGERING FORCE IN CAPTIONED ORGANIZATION'S PRESENT ATTEMPT TO INSURE ATROCITIES SUCH AS THESE COMMITTED ON THE BLACK COMMUNITY BY THE POWER STRUCTURE, CEASE.

NINE POINTS ARE AS FOLLOWS: ONE, ATTORNEY KERMIT COLEMAN, ACLU, CHICAGO, ALONG WITH ALDERMAN A.A. "SAMMY" RAYNER, WILL APPEAR WITH ATTORNEY CHARLES R. GARRY, ATTORNEY FOR BPP, WHEN GARRY FORMALLY CHARGES U.S. WITH GENOCIDE OF BLACKS BEFORE UNITED NATIONS. TWO, COMMENCING DECEMBER TWENTY SIX NEXT, BLACK FRIDAYS WILL BE HELD FOR THE PURPOSE OF COLLECTING MONEY FOR "SURVIVAL FUND." THREE, BLACK WOMEN'S ORGANIZING COUNCIL WILL BE ESTABLISHED TO COPE WITH EDUCATION, EXTENSION, TRANSMISSION OF CONCEPTS, TO BLACK FAMILIES. FOUR, REPRESENTATIVE STATED INVESTIGATION

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INTO DEATH OF HAMPTON PRESENTLY UNDER WAY AND REPORT WILL BE CONSIDERED BY BLACK COMMUNITY AS "OFFICIAL" REPORT RE HAMPTON'S DEATH. FIVE, BLACK TRIBUNAL TO BE CONVENED FOR PURPOSE OF TRYING NEGRO JUDGES, POLICEMEN, AND POLITICIANS WHO PRESENTLY COOPERATE WITH PRESENT POWER STRUCTURE. SIX, A BLACK WATCH WILL BE ORGANIZED TO WATCH, SCRUTINIZE, AND OBSERVE ALL POLICEMEN WHILE IN BLACK COMMUNITY. SEVEN, A BLACK FOUNDATION IN REMEMBRANCE OF MARTIN LUTHER KING AND FRED HAMPTON WILL BE ESTABLISHED. EIGHT, SELECTION OF POLITICAL REPRESENTATIVES IN BLACK COMMUNITIES WILL NO LONGER BE PERMITTED BY POLITICAL PARTY. IN FUTURE, BLACK COMMUNITY WILL SELECT POTENTIAL CANDIDATES. NINE, EFFECTIVE INSTANT DATE, SIX PM TO SIX AM CURFEW IS INITIATED FOR ALL WHITES IN BLACK COMMUNITY. NO WHITES TO BE PERMITTED TO ENTER BLACK COMMUNITY DURING ABOVE HOURS.

CHICAGO PD SOURCE ADVISED INSTANT POLICE SUPERINTENDENT JAMES B. CONLISK, JR., ANNOUNCED INSTANT DATE NIGHTLY
END PAGE FIVE

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CURFEW ON WHITES IN NEGRO COMMUNITY "COMPLETELY UNREALISTIC."
CONLISK STATED HE DOES NOT VIEW CURFEW AS THREAT TO WHITE
POLICEMEN AND STATED WHITE POLICEMEN "WILL CONTINUE TO PATROL
THE AREAS AS USUAL." CONLISK ALSO STATED HE DOES NOT
BELIEVE NEGRO COMMUNITY BEHIND CURFEW.

CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE, RELIABLE IN PAST, ADVISED INSTANT,
BPP, CHICAGO, VERY UPSET OVER ABOVE PRESS RELEASE AND LEADERSHIP
FEELS PRESS STATEMENT WILL INTERFERE WITH BPP FUND RAISING
PROGRAMS IN FUTURE AND ARE OPPOSED TO CAPTIONED ORGANIZATION'S
ACTIONS IN ALL ASPECTS.

AS OF NINE PM INSTANT NEITHER DENNIS CUNNINGHAM, BPP
ATTORNEY, NOR WARREN WOLFSON, ATTORNEY SPOKESMAN FOR VICTIMS,
HAVE CONTACTED CHICAGO OFFICE PERMITTING ACCESS TO BPP APARTMENT
OR INTERVIEW OF VICTIMS RESPECTIVELY.

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PUNISHMENT - CIVIL RIGHTS.

RE BUREAU AIRTEL DECEMBER TWELVE AND CHICAGO TEL
DECEMBER THIRTEEN LAST.

DENNIS CUNNINGHAM, BLACK PANTHER PARTY ATTORNEY
TELEPHONICALLY CONTACTED SAC FOUR THIRTY PM CST TODAY.

STATED AFTER CONSULTING WITH "MOST ATTORNEYS INVOLVED"

IT WAS DECIDED THAT ADDITIONAL CONSULTATION WAS NECESSARY

BY THEM BEFORE FBI WOULD BE GIVEN ACCESS TO PREMISES AT
TWENTYTHREE THIRTYSEVEN WEST MONROE STREET, CHICAGO.

STATED ATTORNEYS ARE MEETING AT FIVE PM TWELVE FIFTEEN DEC 17 1969
NEXT AT WHICH TIME DECISION WILL BE MADE.

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HE STATED HIS UNOFFICIAL OPINION IS THAT ACCESS TO
ABOVE PREMISES WILL BE AUTHORIZED FOR TUESDAY MORNING
TWELVE SIXTEEN NEXT. STATED HE WILL CALL SAC IMMEDIATELY
FOLLOWING MEETING. BUREAU WILL BE ADVISED.

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FRED HAMPTON'S DEATH
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Re Chicago airtel 12/10/69.

Enclosed is the original and three copies of a
LHM setting forth the results of an apparent interview
by Chicago Tribune reporters of the States Attorney,
EDWARD V. HANRAHAN concerning captioned matter.

Enclosed being furnished the Bureau for
information and possible dissemination.

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Chicago, Illinois
December 11, 1969

FRED HAMPTON'S DEATH
POSSIBLE CIVIL RIGHTS

Attached herewith are four copies of a newspaper article by Edward Lee and Robert Wiedrich which set forth the results of an interview of States Attorney Edward V. Hanrahan and members of the raiding party of the west side apartment, 2337 Monroe Street, Chicago, Illinois, wherein Fred Hampton, leader of the Black Panthers party, Chicago, resided.

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Panther Story

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CHICAGO TRIBUNE

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By LEE & WIEDRICH

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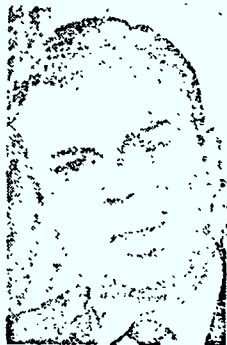
Detail of Events Leading to Raid and Gun Battle

BY EDWARD LEE AND ROBERT WIEDRICH
[Copyright 1969; The Chicago Tribune]

The first eye-witness accounts of state's attorney's policemen who took part in a gun battle last Thursday with a band of Black Panthers were obtained exclusively last night by THE TRIBUNE.

State's Atty. Edward V. Hanrahan made the policemen available for interviews refute what he termed an orgy of sensationalism in the press and on television since Black Panther leaders Fred Hampton and Mark Clark were slain in an exchange of gun fire with detectives in a West side apartment building.

Hanrahan and his top aids, Richard Jalovec, chief of the special prosecutions division, and Robert Boyle, criminal division chief, also made available official police photographs which they said conclusively proved the Panthers opened the battle by firing a shotgun blast thru the apartment door.



Edward Hanrahan

Reason for No Gas

Hanrahan insisted that his men could not have fired tear gas shells into the flat first since, under the law, they were required to knock at the door in an attempt to serve a search warrant. The warrant was issued on the basis of information that the apartment was a clandestine cache for weapons.

Further, Hanrahan and his men declared that they had no prior knowledge that Hampton and Clark would be found in the flat. In fact, the identities of the two men were not learned until after they had been killed in the gun battle, the prosecutor said.

Sgt. Daniel Groth, who led the raiding party of 14 detectives, furnished the most dramatic description of the battle in which he described how he and his men fought it out with the Panthers in the darkened apartment which later was

found to have been filled with shotguns, rifles, hand guns, and ample stores of ammunition for the various weapons.

Groth and Jalovec both said the foray on the Panther arsenal had its beginnings Dec. 2, when informants who had previously furnished the prosecutor's office with reliable information reported the cache of guns in the first floor flat at 2337 Monroe st.

Jalovec had received his information earlier in the day, and Sgt. Groth received his from an informant who telephoned his home at 10:30 p. m. The following morning the men met at the state's attorney's office and compared notes.

According to the informants, at least three shotguns had been observed in the flat. Neither, however, made any mention of Hampton's or Clark's frequenting the apartment, Sgt. Groth said.

At noon, Sgt. Groth and Detectives James Davis and Bill Kelly discussed plans for the raid on the flat. This session was held after Sgt. Groth had personally surveyed the building and neighborhood and then dispatched Kelly and Davis to do the same.

Reject Early Night Raid

"At first I thought we'd hit the place at 8 o'clock that night," Sgt. Groth said. "But after talking it over, we decided that would be a bad time, both for our safety and that of residents of the area."

"It's a heavily populated neighborhood, so we feared first for the safety of people on the streets at that hour and secondly we feared such a raid might create an incident in the area, which we knew was the heart of Panther territory. Our object was to avoid an incident."

On this basis, Groth and the other detectives decided to stage the raid shortly before 5 o'clock the next morning, Thursday, Dec. 4.

"This wasn't the first time our squads had gone after dangerous individuals," Sgt. Groth said. "And on the basis of the information we had, it was clear that we might be running up against dangerous individuals."

Judge Issues Warrant

At 1:45 p. m. that day, Jalovec obtained a search warrant from Judge Robert Collins of Criminal court, citing the facts obtained from the informants. Then Groth drew a lengthy series of orders for the 13 detectives who would accompany him, spelling out in detail each of their assignments in covering and entering the apartment's front and rear doors. Equipment drawn for the raid included a submachine gun, three shotguns, and walkie talkie radios.

"We didn't take tear gas because of the specific nature of our mission and the fact that we figured we'd have the element of surprise on our side," Groth said. "Under the law we had to enter that flat and serve the warrant for a search. We couldn't just lob tear gas in there and charge."

Late that afternoon, the other detectives were told to re-

port for duty at 4 a. m., but none other than Kelly and Davis were told what the mission would be.

At 4 o'clock the next morning, Sgt. Groth doled out the assignments which called for five men to enter the front door of the apartment, four to enter the rear, three to stay outside and cover the front exit, and two to perform similar duties at the rear.

The men stationed outside were assigned there not only to prevent anyone escaping thru windows, but to also serve as protection in the event of sniper fire from nearby buildings, Groth said. Included in the party of 14 policemen were five Negroes. The men arrived at the apartment at 4:45 a. m.

Sgt. Groth took Detectives Joseph Gorman, George Jones, Robert Hughes, and Davis to the front door. Meanwhile, Detectives Edward Carmody, John Ciszewski, Philip Joseph, and William Kelly approached the rear door while Detectives John Marusich, Fred Howard, and Lynwood Harris covered the front yard. Detectives William Corbett and Ray Broderick covered the back yard.

Extra Squads Requested

Just shortly before he arrived at the building, Sgt. Groth said that he radioed from the Chicago police department undercover squad he was driving, asking that the squad operator dispatch marked cars from the Wood street district to the front and rear exits of the building.

"I told them we were about to attempt to serve a warrant," Groth said.

Once at the building, Groth ascended the front staircase on the exterior with Davis on his left. Behind them were Gorman, Jones, and Hughes. The men entered a small hallway containing two doors, one leading to the 2d floor and the other to the Panther apartment.

Positioning themselves to either side of the apartment door, Sgt. Groth said he reached over and first rapped firmly with his left hand. When there was no response, he pounded again, but this time with his revolver butt.

"I heard a voice inside—a male voice—call out, 'Who's there?'" Groth said. "I replied 'This is the police. I have a warrant to search the premises.'"

Again, there was no response, but Groth said he could hear movement inside. Again he said he pounded on the door, shouting, "Police! Open Up!"

"Just a minute," Groth said the male voice replied.

Suspicious of the delay, Groth said he ordered Davis to kick the door open. Davis kicked and the door slammed open to reveal a small ante-room with another door leading to the apartment's living room. That was shut.

Then suddenly, as the two policemen entered the ante-room they said a shotgun blast was fired thru the closed living room door, a charge which later proved to have been a solid rifle load deer slug fired from a 12 gauge shotgun.

The slug pierced the door, ripping splinters from the outside of the door as it exited and narrowly missed the two policemen. Photographs of this door were furnished THE TRIBUNE by Hanrahan as evidence that the Panthers inside the flat fired the opening shot at his men.

Plunges Thru Doorway

Davis, who at this moment was just ahead of Sgt. Groth, plunged toward the door, smashing it open with his shoulder, as he dived into the living room and landed on a mattress just to the left of the center of the room.

"I saw a woman half lying and half sitting upright on a bed in a far corner of the room trying to pump another shell into a shotgun she held jammed against her groin," Davis said. "She was about eight feet away."

"In that moment, the woman fired again, the flash of her weapon illuminating her face for Sgt. Groth who was still at the doorway of the room.

"I figured Davis had been hit when I saw him go down," Groth said. That second shotgun round went right past me as I hugged the door jamb and narrowly missed hitting Hughes who was behind me. I fired two shots at her."

Almost simultaneously, Groth said he ordered Hughes to summon additional city police on the police radio. He also told him to notify the men at the rear of the building via walkie talkie radio that "these people are shooting in here!"

Fires at Armed Woman

Davis said he rolled off the mattress and fired one shot from a carbine at the woman who later was identified as Miss Brenda Harris, 18, of 1848 S. Hamlin av.

"She slumped back against the wall with that shotgun still in her hands and I spun away and half turned, just in time to spot a guy sitting in a chair with a shotgun in his hands," Davis said. "He was directly behind me, hidden behind the door I'd just broken open. Thank God, Groth fired those shots at the woman. The flash of his revolver spotted the guy for me.

"I don't know for sure if he ever got a shot in at me or not. I fired twice and hit him. He stood up and I jumped up, too, struggling with him until he fell. Then I fell across his body."

This gunman was identified after the battle as Clark, 22, a Panther leader from Peoria.

Meanwhile, Detectives Jones and Gorman plunged into the darkened room which was lighted only by the dim glow of a gas space heater in a far corner, opposite of the bed on which Miss Harris was lying. Gorman crouched near the door and threw his flashlight momentarily on Miss Harris, then charged for the bed. The light had shown that she was wounded in her right thigh, altho she still held the shotgun in her hands.

Discovers 3 More Guns

"I yanked the gun from her hands and hurled it behind me toward the door," Gorman said. "In that moment, I also kicked aside a round hassock near the bed on which there were lying three hand guns. The guns spilled onto the floor."

Davis, who by this time had risen to a crouch, looked down the long hallway toward the rear of the flat just in time, he said, to see a man duck in and out of the rear bedroom nearest the kitchen. He had a shotgun.

"By then, the guys had broken down the kitchen door," Davis said. "I saw Ciszewski in the kitchen behind the gunman and hollered for him to duck as the man fired at least one round into the kitchen. Ciszewski ducked and the shot missed."

"Hold your fire," Sgt. Groth said he ordered his men at this point. "Give them a chance to come out!" This was the first of five such orders Groth said he gave during the fierce fire fight.

Response from Flat

"I had men in both the front and rear of the apartment," he said. "I didn't want anyone getting hit in crossfire. But the words were barely out of my mouth before there was the whump of a shotgun blast from the front bedroom, directly down the hall from the living room.

"They were firing blind because they didn't know where we were, so the charge slammed into a bathroom door almost directly across the hall."

Hanrahan also produced photographs of the inside of the bathroom door, showing how shotgun pellets had slammed thru the wood. The prosecutor said that ballistics experts would testify during any court proceedings against the seven Panthers who survived the battle that the shotgun blast he claims opened the battle had in fact been fired from inside the apartment thru the door at police in the outer hallway.

As the shotgun blast was fired from the front bedroom, Detective Jones was crouching between two wooden dressers along one wall at the mouth of the long hall that stretches the length of the apartment. He said he saw a hand reach out from the rear bedroom and fire a shot with a revolver or automatic pistol at the kitchen where other detectives were crouching.

'Shoot It Out'

"It was just about then," Sgt. Groth said, "That I heard a voice call out from the front bedroom, 'Shoot it out!' This was followed by two flashes from the same room I believe were from a shotgun."

At this point, police resumed firing and then minutes later, or perhaps only seconds, Groth said, he again ordered his men to cease fire and again called out to the Panthers, "Come out with your hands up!"

At the rear of the apartment, Detective Carmody jumped over a wooden door that formed a barricade between the kitchen and dining room as the Panther fire continued. Gorman covered him with submachine gun fire from the living room which he fired thru the connecting wall of the living room and front bedroom and down the hallway.

Carmody fired one round from his .38 caliber revolver as he plunged past the rear bedroom doorway to shelter against a far wall of the dining room.

Cease Fire Again Called

Again, Sgt. Groth called out for surrender and a cease fire and this time, from the rear bedroom, Harold Bell, 23, of Rockford, emerged with his hands in the air. Broderick and Ciszewski, who by then had also jumped over the barricade into the dining room, grabbed Bell and took him to the kitchen where other detectives held him.

But again, gunfire directed at police from the front bedroom broke out and Broderick and Ciszewski fired into both bedrooms from their vantage point in the dining room.

Sgt. Groth called another cease fire and ordered the Panthers to surrender, he said. This time, a voice called from the rear bedroom, "We're coming out. Don't shoot. We've got an injured man back here."

The Louis Truelock, 39, of 1900 Jackson Blvd., walked out

with his hands up, accompanied by Miss Deborah Johnson, 18, of 2337 Monroe st. They, too, were hustled into the kitchen.

Detective Finds Hampton

Carmody ran into the rear bedroom to find a man, later identified as Hampton, lying face down on the bed with his head facing the bedroom door thru which repeated gunfire had been directed at police in the kitchen.

"He was lying with his arms hanging over the foot of the bed," Carmody said. "On the floor at his right hand was a .45 caliber automatic and at his left a shotgun. I could see he'd been hit, but I didn't know if he was alive or dead. All I knew was that that room was full of shotguns and rifles and ammo.

"So I grabbed him by a wrist and dragged him into the dining room, away from all those guns."

A moment later, as Ciszewski was throwing various weapons out of the back bedroom, he was wounded in his left calf, presumably by a slug fired thru the wall from the front bedroom directly adjacent. He dived for safety in the kitchen.

Meanwhile, while those in the rear of the flat were surrendering, Sgt. Groth again ordered a cease fire.

"I was virtually pleading with those in the front bedroom to come out," he said. "But again they fired so Broderick fired a shotgun five times into that room from the rear of the hallway. And I kept yelling for them to come out, but there was no response."

Gorman approached the front bedroom door with his submachine gun in his hand.

"I slammed thru that doorway, firing a burst into an open closet I spotted out of the corner of my eye directly to the right inside the door," Gorman said. "I saw two beds with the forms of two people rising between them. One had what looked like a shotgun in his hands he was trying to raise clear of the bed.

"As he started to aim, I fired and the gun fell as he did. The second form kept rising in those few seconds and I fired again after I saw something that looked like a hand gun in the person's hand."

The first person wounded by Gorman proved to be Blair Anderson, 18, of 6943 Justine st. The shotgun he was holding was identified as one stolen from a Chicago police department squad last April 6 in the Chicago avenue police district.

Bullet Lodges in Shotgun

Examination of the weapon showed that a .45 caliber police bullet during the gun battle had penetrated the barrel of the shotgun just a few inches above the breach, jamming it with a live round in the chamber.

The second person wounded by Gorman was Miss Verlina Brewer, 17, of 125 W. 107th st.

As Carmody plunged into the room to join Gorman, Miss Brewer and Anderson cried out, "We give up!"

Then police spotted a third Panther member in the room, Ronald Satchel, 19, of 2337 Monroe st., who also surrendered. He also had been wounded.

In both bedrooms, police found large stores of arms and

ammunition. In Hampton's back bedroom, four boxes of shotgun shells were found as well as shotguns, a rifle, and hand guns. Similar caches were in the front bedroom, some of it in a flight bag.

The Battle Is Ended

With the surrender of the last three Panthers, the battle ended.

Hanrahan said he was making public the detectives' eyewitness accounts because of what he labeled the broad publicity given irresponsible statements by people he said had not been present during the battle.

Charges made by such out-of-state persons as Gary's Mayor Richard G. Hatcher were based on similar charges leveled by such Panther leaders as Bobby Rush, deputy defense minister of the Illinois Panthers, a man who didn't witness the battle either, Hanrahan said.

Hanrahan singled out NBC-TV's Channel 5 in Chicago for having furnished what he charged was a platform for Rush to make irresponsible charges not substantiated by any of the evidence.

"They put Rush on the air before he'd even had time to talk with any of the Panthers present during the battle," Hanrahan said.

"There has been an orgy of sensationalism in the press and on TV that has severely damaged law enforcement and the administration of justice."



These are two views of door thru which the opening shot in gun battle with Black Panthers was fired, according to State's Atty. Edward Hanrahan. Hole made by 12-gauge shotgun ball (circled) entering door is seen in photo at left. View is from living room, where police say firing began. At right is the same door, swung open into hallway, where splinter mark left by bullet piercing door can be seen.

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TO DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM PORTLAND 157-NEW

MEMORIAL DEMONSTRATION ON DEATH OF FRED HAMPTON, CHICAGO
BLACK PANTHER PARTY LEADER, TO BE HELD AT PORTLAND, OREGON,
TWELVE TEN SIXTYNINE. RACIAL MATTERS.

ON DECEMBER TEN NINETEEN SIXTYNINE, A CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE
WHO HAS FURNISHED RELIABLE INFORMATION IN THE PAST ADVISED THAT
DURING A MEETING ON THE EVENING OF DECEMBER NINE NINETEEN
SIXTYNINE, OF THE SO-CALLED VIETNAM MORATORIUM COMMITTEE,
PORTLAND, PLANS WERE ANNOUNCED AND SUPPORT ASKED FOR A MEMORIAL
DEMONSTRATION AT PORTLAND STATE UNIVERSITY AND A MARCH TO
THE FEDERAL COURT HOUSE BOTH PORTLAND, ON DEATH OF FFRED
HAMPTON, CHICAGO BPP.

ABOVE INFORMATION HAS BEEN FURNISHED TO THE UNITED STATES
ATTORNEY, UNITED STATES MARSHAL, SECRET SERVICE, GENERAL SERVICES
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. DeLoach

DATE: December 12, 1969

FROM : A. Rosen

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1 - Mr. DeLoach

1 - Mr. Rosen

1 - Mr. Malley

SUBJECT: SERGEANT DANIEL GROTH, ET AL.;
BLAIR ANDERSON, ET AL. - VICTIMS
CIVIL RIGHTS

1 - Mr.

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This is the case involving a raid by the Chicago Police Department on a Black Panther Headquarters 12/4/69, during which two Black Panthers were killed. The Department has requested investigation based upon allegations that the dead victims were shot while sleeping in bed.

The Department has specifically requested a diagram of the premises and has requested that the investigation include an examination of bullet holes to determine the direction from which the bullets were fired since it has been alleged that no shots were fired by the Panthers.

SAC, Chicago has requested that the Exhibits Section prepare the diagram requested by the Department and that an expert from the FBI Laboratory make an on-the-scene examination to determine the direction from which the bullets were fired.

ACTION:

In view of the importance of this case and the widespread publicity it is receiving, it is recommended that the Exhibits Section and the FBI Laboratory comply with the SAC's request. The SAC, Chicago should perfect arrangements for access to the space prior to the departure from Washington of the Laboratory and Exhibits Section personnel.

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Assistant Attorney General
Civil Rights Division

December 17, 1969

Director, FBI

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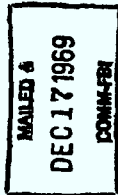
**SERGEANT DANIEL GROTH AND OTHERS,
POLICE OFFICERS, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS;
FRED HAMPTON, MARK CLARK,
AND OTHERS - VICTIMS
CIVIL RIGHTS**

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This is to confirm the discussion between you and Messrs.
A. Rosen and of this Bureau on December 16, 1969.

With respect to the previous request that this Bureau conduct investigation of the shooting and killing of two members of the Black Panther Party and the wounding of others by officers of the Chicago Police Department on December 4, 1969, you advised that the Attorney General has requested that the entire matter be presented before a Federal Grand Jury in Chicago as soon as possible. In light of this, no investigation will be conducted of this matter by this Bureau.

In accordance with the discussion, the Special Agent in Charge of our Chicago Office has been instructed to confer with you on December 18, 1969, prior to your scheduled meeting with Federal Judge Richard B. Austin on that date.



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NOTE:

See memo Rosen to DeLoach dated 12/16/69, captioned as above, CLM:ige.

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December 11, 1969
GENERAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

Black Panther Party (BPP) Headquarters in Chicago was raided by police on 12/4/69 during which two BPP members were killed including the Illinois chairman, Fred Hampton. Several demonstrations have occurred in Chicago protesting the death of Hampton. BPP Headquarters issued press release that Chicago police murdered Hampton in bed.

Attached letter from the Civil Rights Division, which enclosed copy of telegram to Attorney General from officials of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, requests preliminary investigation. Upon approval, investigation will be instituted and Field will be instructed to advise appropriate authorities and all others interviewed that investigation being conducted at specific request of Jerris Leonard, Assistant Attorney General, Civil Rights Division.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Memorandum

TO : Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation

DATE: DEC 11 1969

FROM : ^{SL}Jerris Leonard
Assistant Attorney General
Civil Rights Division

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DJ 144-23-971

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SUBJECT: Sergeant Daniel Groth,
James Davis, John Ciszewski,
Edward Carmody, et al, Chicago, Illinois
Police Officers, Subjects;
Fred Hampton, Mark Clark,
Brenda Harris, Verline Brewer,
Blair Anderson and Ronald Satchel et al -
Victims
Summary Punishment
CIVIL RIGHTS

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This refers to your memoranda of December 5
and December 8, 1969 entitled "Black Panther Party
Activity, Chicago, Illinois."

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In connection with this matter, I am enclosing
herewith two copies of a telegram of December 5, 1969
to the Department from [redacted] of the Illinois
State Branch, NAACP and other officials of that
organization. We have also received a telegram from
[redacted] Chicago Daily
Defender, Whitney M. Young, Jr., Executive Director,
National Urban League and from a number of individuals
of Maywood, Illinois, all of these communications
generally alleging that the shooting and killing
of members of the Black Panther organization were,
on or about December 4, 1969, unnecessary, unjusti-
fied and of questionable legality. They request that
an investigation be made of the matter.

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In view of the circumstances, please conduct
a preliminary investigation so that we may determine

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whether violations of 18 U.S.C. 242 and 241 are involved. The investigation should include, but need not be limited to, the following.

1. Identify and interview all persons, including the allegedly wounded individuals who were present when the police conducted the Black Panther Party raid at 2337 West Monroe Street, Chicago, on December 4.

2. Identify the police officers who took part in the raid and interview the subjects named above.

3. We understand that two autopsies on victim Fred Hampton's body were performed, one by the Coroner and one by a group of physicians headed by [redacted] of Northwestern University. Obtain copies of each report. b7C

4. Ascertain whether a state or local investigation is being conducted or has been conducted, and furnish us with a copy of any available report of such investigation. In this connection, inspect the official records and ascertain the charges placed against the victim and the status of same.

5. Inspect the premises of 2337 West Monroe Street, the location of the raid, and note and photograph any physical evidence such as bullet holes, blood, the general arrangement, location and condition of the furniture, windows etc. In connection with any bullet holes noted, determine if possible, the direction of the bullets, with particular reference as to whether they were apparently fired from the outside doors and windows toward the interior of the apartment and from the interior toward the outside doors and windows. Please furnish us with a diagram of the premises noting the particular location therein where victims Hampton and Clark were allegedly shot.

If victims or other persons in the premises at the time of the raid decline to be interviewed, please notify me immediately without waiting for the completion of the report of this investigation.

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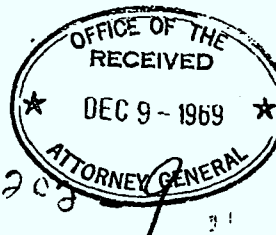
US ATTNY GEN JOHN MICHELL DLEY 75 JUSTICE DEPT WASH DC

WE OF THE NAACP ARE EXTREMELY ALARMED, CONCERNED, AND CONFUSED
RELATIVE TO THE CONTRADICTIONARY STATEMENTS AND FACTS IN CONNECTION
WITH THE SLAYING OF MARK CLARK AND FRED HAMPTON BY COOK COUNTY
LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICIALS IN DEC 4, 1969. PURSUANT TO THE SAME
INCIDENT, WE DEMAND THAT AN ADEQUATE, THOROUGH INVESTIGATION,
AND THAT THE RESULT OF SUCH INVESTIGATION BE MADE KNOWN TO
THE PUBLIC IN ORDER TO ALLEVIATE A TENSE, ANXIOUS SITUATION.
WE SIMPLY WILL NOT TOLERATE A MODERN DAY LYNCHING AND SHOULD
THE RESULTS OF YOUR INVESTIGATION PROVE A VIOLATION OF CIVIL
RIGHTS WE SHALL USE MAXIMUM RESOURCES TO PURSUE THE APPREHENSION
AND PUNISHMENT OF THOSE RESPONSIBLE. PLEASE ADVISE

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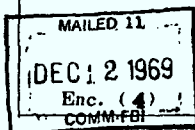
Enclosed are two copies of a self-explanatory Departmental letter dated 12/11/69
and two copies of its enclosure.

Complete the requested investigation in accordance with the provisions of Section 27,
Volume II, Manual of Instructions, and surep within ten
days of the receipt of this communication.

State in the first paragraph of the details of your report that it contains the results
of a ☐ limited investigation and underscore the word ☐ limited
☒ preliminary ☒ preliminary

Advise ☒ all persons interviewed
☒ appropriate officials at the outset that this investigation is being conducted
at the specific request of the Assistant Attorney General in charge of the Civil Rights Division,
U. S. Department of Justice, referring to him by name as well as title.

Remarks: If victims or other persons in the premises at the time
of the raid decline to be interviewed, you should immediately
advise the Bureau.



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WITNESSES MAY APPEAR BEFORE THIS GRAND JURY DECEMBER TWENTY THREE NEXT FOLLOWING WHICH GRAND JURY WILL BE ADJOURNED UNTIL APPROXIMATELY JANUARY FIVE NEXT. LEONARD MADE ARRANGEMENTS WITH GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION (GSA), CHICAGO, FOR OFFICE SPACE FOR HIS STAFF AND FOR GRAND JURY HEARING ROOM AT FIVE THREE SIX SO. CLARK STREET, CHICAGO. IT WAS OPINION OF LEONARD CONCURRED IN BY JUDGE ROBSON THAT IT WOULD BE ADVISABLE FOR THIS GRAND JURY TO SIT AT SOME OTHER LOCATION OTHER THAN FEDERAL BUILDING, CHICAGO, WHERE THE QUOTE CONSPIRACY SEVEN UNQUOTE TRIAL PRESENTLY IN PROGRESS. FIVE THREE SIX SOUTH CLARK IS A FEDERAL BUILDING UNDER SECURITY OF GSA GUARDS.

LEONARD ADVISED NEWS RELEASE AND PRESS CONFERENCE CONCERNING
// GRAND JURY ACTIONS SCHEDULED FOR WASHINGTON, D.C.,
DECEMBER NINETEEN NEXT. LEONARD FURTHER ADVISED THAT HE WOULD PERSON-
ALLY HANDLE PRESENTATION THIS MATTER TO GRAND JURY ASSISTED BY
JAMES TURNER, WILLIAM O'CONNOR AND JESSIE QUEEN, ALL FROM DEPARTMENT
IN WASHINGTON, D.C., AND MILTON BRANCH, AUSA, DENVER. ACCORDING TO
LEONARD, MESSRS. QUEEN AND BRANCH ARE NEGRO. USA THOMAS FORAN WHO
ADVISED HE COMPLETELY CONCURS IN ABOVE ACTION WILL DESIGNATE
REPRESENTATIVE FROM USA'S OFFICE, CHICAGO, TO WORK WITH LEONARD
AND STAFF.

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JUDGE CAMPBELL'S CONCURRENCE IN ABOVE PROCEDURE EXPECTED
BY JUDGE ROBSON LATE TODAY AND BUREAU WILL BE ADVISED OF ALL
PERTINENT DEVELOPMENTS.

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TO DIRECTOR

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SGT. DANIEL GROTH; JAMES DAVIS; JOHN CISZEWSKI;
EDWARD CARMODY; ET AL, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS, POLICE OFFICERS -
SUBJECT; FRED HAMPTON (DECEASED); MARK CLARK (DECEASED);
BRENDA HARRIS; VERLINA BREWER; BLAIR ANDERSON; RONALD SATCHEL;
ET AL - VICTIMS. SUMMARY PUNISHMENT - CIVIL RIGHTS.

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ON EVENING DEC. EIGHTEEN INSTANT FIRST AUSA JACK B.

SCHMETTERER ADVISED THAT CHIEF JUDGE CAMPBELL DID CONCUR
WITH ACTING CHIEF JUDGE EDWIN A. ROBSON'S DECISION TO
HOLD OVER DECEMBER SIXTY-NINE FEDERAL GRAND JURY (FGJ)
TO HEAR CAPTIONED MATTER. HOWEVER, SCHMETTERER ADDED THAT
PLACE TO CONVENE FGJ WAS NOT CONCURRED WITH, AND
THEREFORE FGJ WILL NOT BE CONVENED AT FIVE THIRTY SIX
SOUTH CLARK STREET, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS. THIS FGJ WILL
CONVENE AT U.S. COURT HOUSE AND FEDERAL BUILDING, TWO ONE
NINE SOUTH DEARBORN, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS. OTHER POINTS AGREED TO
BY ROBSON WERE CONCURRED WITH BY CAMPBELL ACCORDING TO
SCHMETTERER.

CHICAGO WILL CONTINUE TO FOLLOW CLOSELY AND BUREAU
WILL BE ADVISED OF ALL PERTINENT DEVELOPMENTS.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (44-44202)

FROM: SAC, CHICAGO (44-1503) (P)

SUBJECT: SGT. DANIEL GROTH;
JAMES DAVIS;
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EDWARD CARMODY; ET AL
Chicago, Illinois, Police Officers -
Subjects
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Remytel, 12/22/69.

Enclosed for the Bureau are two (2) copies of instructions furnished Bureau Laboratory personnel at Chicago by AAG JERRIS LEONARD on 12/22/69 in connection with the requested examination of the apartment at 2337 West Monroe Street, Chicago.

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YOUR ASSIGNMENT IS TO OBTAIN SUFFICIENT INFORMATION ABOUT THE PREMISES AT 2337 W. MONROE TO PERMIT THE PREPARATION OF DETAILED SCALE AND SCHEMATIC DRAWINGS, AND, IF NECESSARY A SCALE MOCKUP OF THE APARTMENT.

AT LEAST THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION IS REQUIRED:

A. INSIDE PREMISES

1. DIMENSIONS OF EACH ROOM
2. DIRECTION OF SWING AND DIMENSIONS OF EACH DOOR
3. DIMENSIONS OF EACH WINDOW OR OTHER APERTURE
4. LOCATION AND DIMENSION AND DESCRIPTION OF EACH
PIECE OF FURNITURE
5. LOCATION, DESCRIPTION AND DIMENSION OF EACH LIGHT
FIXTURE, INCLUDING WATTAGE, AND STATE OF REPAIR-ALSO SWITCH
6. LOCATION AND DIMENSION OF EACH MARK OF BULLET IMPACT
(WALLS, CEILING, FLOOR)
- X.
DISTINGUISH IN DIAGRAM AS TO LOCATIONS AND DIRECTION OF FIRE
7. NUMBER OF BULLETS STILL IN THE IMPACT POSITION
8. NUMBER OF BULLETS WHICH HAVE BEEN DUGOUT AND REMOVED
9. ALL INDICATIONS OF BULLETS OR SHOTGUN PELLETS
PASSING THROUGH WALLS, CEILINGS, OR FLOOR
10. IN (9), ASCERTAIN WHETHER THE BULLETS OR PELLETS
PASSING THROUGH THE WALLS, CEILINGS OR FLOOR ARE (OR WERE)
EMBEDDED AT POINTS OF IMPACT, AND INDICATE SAME

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11. IDENTIFY ALL BULLET MARKS IN FURNITURE AND WHETHER OR NOT BULLETS OR PELLETS ARE STILL IN THE FURNITURE
12. ASCERTAIN DIRECTION OF FIRE AND APPROXIMATE POSITION FROM WHICH FIRED, FOR ALL BULLETS OR PELLETS EMBEDDED OR REMOVED
13. EXAMINE ALL WINDOW SHADES, SHUTTERS, CURTAINS, AND WINDOWS TO ASCERTAIN WHETHER BULLETS WERE FIRED THROUGH THEN PHOTOGRAPH AND COLLECT ALL BROKEN GLASS FROM THE WINDOWS ON THE FLOORS.
14. IF BULLETS WERE FIRED THROUGH ANY WINDOWS, FROM OUTSIDE, IDENTIFY WHERE BULLET STRUCK ON INSIDE
15. IF BULLETS WERE FIRED FROM INSIDE TO OUTSIDE, IDENTIFY OUTSIDE POINT OF IMPACT
16. EXAMINE AND TYPE ALL BLOOD MARKS ON FLOOR, WALLS, FURNITURE OR ELSEWHERE
17. DETERMINE APPROXIMATE AMOUNT OF BLOOD REQUIRED TO MAKE EACH STAIN
18. DETERMINE WHETHER THERE ARE OTHER STAINS OF HUMAN OCCUPANCY ON PREMISES ON BEDS, CHAIRS, FLOOR (E.G. BLOOD, SEED, FECES, URINE) DETERMINE FRESHNESS OF SAME
19. EXAMINE ROOMS FOR MARKS OF RICOCHET BULLETS AND TRACE PATHS OF SAME
20. FINGERPRINTS ON DOORKNOBES, BEDSTEADS, DOOR JAMS-WINDOWS
21. IDENTIFY POWDER BURNS ON WALLS, DOOR JAMS, DOORS, SHADES, CURTAINS, WINDOWS, SHUTTERS

B. OUTSIDE PREMISES

1. BROKEN GLASS FROM ANY WINDOWS IN PREMISES
(IDENTIFY WINDOW FROM WHICH GLASS FELL)
2. LADDER MARKS ON SILLS OR WALLS ON OUTSIDE -
LADDER MARKS ON GROUND BELOW WINDOWS - HEIGHT OF WINDOWS
3. MARKS AND FINGERPRINTS ON OUTSIDE SURFACES OF AND
ADJACENT TO WINDOWS
4. SHREDS OF CLOTH OR THREADS ON OR ABOUT WINDOWS AND
WINDOW AREAS, CHECK BROKEN GLASS OF WINDOWS
5. AVAILABLE MATERIALS (E.G. BARRELS, BOXES, TRASH
PILES) FOR CLIMBING UP TO WINDOWS - CHECK (a) TO SEE IF ANY
SUCH (b) IF ANY INDICATION WERE USED (c) IF SO, CHECK FOR
FINGERPRINTS AND TO SEE IF SHOW ANY INDICATION OF CONTACT WITH
WALLS OR WINDOWS
6. LADDER OUTSIDE (IF ANY)
 - (a) CONDITION
 - (b) INDICATIONS OF USE (PAINT FROM WALLS)
 - (c) RUNGS RECENTLY BROKEN?
 - (d) FINGERPRINTS
 - (e) POWDER MARKS
7. FOOTPRINTS IN IMMEDIATE VICINITY OF WINDOWS
8. CHECK NEARBY OR ADJACENT BUILDINGS (IF ANY) FOR
IMPACT MARKS OF BULLETS
9. CHECK NEARBY ROOFS FOR POINTS OF OBSERVATION OF

THE APARTMENT DOORS AND WINDOWS, FOR SCHEMATIC AND SCALE
DRAWINGS IF REQUIRED

C. PHOTOGRAPHS - INSIDE - FOR IMMEDIATE USE

1. ALL ROOMS AND HALLS OF APARTMENT

(a) TIGHT SHOTS OF EACH WALL, CEILING, FLOOR

(b) TIGHT SHOTS OF BULLET IMPACT POINTS

(c) WHERE BULLET PASSED THROUGH WALL, DOOR,

ETC. GET TIGHT SHOT OF INGRESS AND EGRESS POINT

(d) ALL INDICATIONS OF REMOVED PROPERTY, SUCH AS
DOORS, BULLETS

D. PHOTOGRAPHS - OUTSIDE - FOR IMMEDIATE USE

1. STREETS IMMEDIATELY ABOUT APARTMENT

2. OUTSIDE SIDE VIEWS OF EACH WALL

3. TIGHT SHOTS OF ALL WINDOW AREAS SHOWING GLASS
BROKEN AND GLASS ON GROUND

4. TIGHT SHOTS OF ANY LADDER MARKS OR POWDER BURNS ON
THE WINDOW FRAME OR GLASS, ON OUTSIDE

5. VIEWS FROM WINDOWS TO STREET OR ADJACENT BUILDINGS

6. ANY BULLET MARKS ON ADJACENT BUILDINGS

7. LADDER, IF ANY

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E. MOLDS

1. LADDER END AND LADDER PRINTS OUTSIDE WINDOWS
2. SHOE PRINTS UNDERNEATH WINDOWS, IF ANY INDICATION
OF ACCESS FROM OUTSIDE

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TO DIRECTOR (44-44202)

(ATTENTION: ASSISTANT DIRECTOR, ALEX ROSEN)
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SGT. DANIEL BROTH; JAMES DAVIS; JOHN CISZEWSKI;
EDWARD CARMODY; ET AL, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS, POLICE
OFFICERS - SUBJECTS; FRED HAMPTON (DECEASED); MARK
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DECEMBER FGJ HELD OVER TO HEAR THIS CASE.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Memorandum

TO : Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation

DATE: 29 Dec 69

JL:PAA:sbb

FROM : *JL* Jerris Leonard
Assistant Attorney General
Civil Rights Division

SUBJECT: Sergeant Daniel Groth and Others,
Police Officers, Chicago, Illinois;
Fred Hampton, Mark Clark, and Others -
Victims Civil Rights

Mr. Tolson	✓
Mr. DeLoach	✓
Mr. Walters	✓
Mr. Mohr	✓
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In connection with the grand jury investigation of the captioned matter, I will personally be coordinating the prosecutive team in Chicago. Accordingly, please furnish an additional copy on an expedited basis, of all reports, memoranda and investigatory information to me at our Chicago headquarters on the 21st floor of the Federal Building in Chicago.

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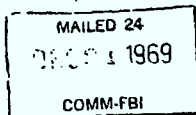
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ET AL
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FRED HAMPTON (DECEASED),
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Enclosed are two copies of Departmental memorandum dated 12/29/69 requesting that an additional copy of all reports, memorandums and investigatory information be furnished directly to AAG, Jerris Leonard, in Chicago.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO Mr. DeLoach *AK*

DATE 12/23/69

FROM A. Rosen *AK*

1 - Mr. DeLoach

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SUBJECT SERGEANT DANIEL GROTH AND OTHERS,
POLICE OFFICERS, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS;
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With respect to the comment attributed to Cook County, Illinois States' Attorney Edward V. Hanrahan relative to the killing and wounding of Black Panthers by Chicago Police Officers on 12/4/69 which appeared in the Washington Post 12/20/69, the article indicates that Hanrahan insisted that his men had offered to cooperate and U. S. Attorney Thomas Foran said that Hanrahan did make his men available. The facts are that Hanrahan, when contacted by the SAC in Chicago on 12/13/69, advised that he would make the officers available for interview provided that an official from his office was present during the interview and that copies of the results of the interviews (either signed statement or interview report form) were made available to him or the officer interviewed.

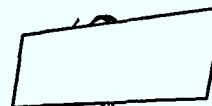
A Justice Department source is quoted in the article as having stated that Hanrahan refused to permit his police to be questioned unless a member of his staff was present. The conditions which he set as well as those set by the Panthers Attorney, who would not cooperate at all, resulted in the decision of the Department in deciding to go before a Grand Jury. b7C

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Federal Jury Set in Deaths Of Panthers

By William Chapman
Washington Post Staff Writer

A Justice Department team headed by Assistant Attorney General Jerris Leonard and a special federal grand jury will investigate the slaying of two Black Panther leaders by Chicago police on Dec. 4.

A preliminary investigation had proved fruitless, Justice said, because neither the Panthers nor the Chicago police involved in the incident would cooperate.

A grand jury would be able to require testimony from either side through its subpoena power.

Attorney General John N. Mitchell announced the new investigation yesterday and said it "hopefully will put an end to the rumors and speculation that have surrounded this incident."

"There have been serious allegations raised criticizing police tactics," he noted. "A number of responsible citizens have questioned whether this incident may have involved a denial of federally protected rights."

The shootings occurred early on the morning of Dec. 4 when 14 policemen, armed with a search warrant for illegal weapons, raided a West Side apartment. Illinois Black Panther Chairman Fred Hampton and a Peoria Panther leader, Mark Clark, were killed.

Police say they fired only after knocking on the door and being fired on first. Panther spokesmen and several prominent Chicago black leaders maintain that police fired first and that Hampton and Clark were murdered.

Leonard, who is assistant attorney general in charge of civil rights, will head an investigatory team drawn from three cities.

It is highly unusual for an official of his rank to be assigned a grand jury probe. Normally it is handled by the local U.S. attorney or by a special prosecutor from the Justice Department.

Others on the investigative squad are James P. Turney, deputy assistant attorney general for civil rights; K. William O'Connor, special assistant to Leonard; Jesse H. Queen, a senior trial attorney in the Civil Rights Division's criminal section; Milton C. Branch, assistant U.S. attorney in Colorado; Robert J. Breakstone, assistant U.S. attorney in Chicago; and Maceo Hubbard, acting chief of the criminal section of the Civil Rights Division.

According to a Justice Department source, the preliminary investigation produced no results because Cook County State's Attorney Edward V. Hanrahan refused to permit his police to be questioned unless a member of his staff was present. The police who staged the raid were members of a 100-man squad of Chicago officers assigned to Hanrahan.

However, Hanrahan insisted that his men had offered to cooperate. His statement was backed up by Thomas Foran, the U.S. attorney in Chicago. He said Hanrahan "did make his men available."

Hanrahan, a former U.S. attorney in Chicago, said that the Justice Department, in using the grand jury to conduct the investigation, is bypassing the established procedure of using investigators to conduct an inquiry.

He said, "It is outrageous that the Department of Justice would abandon its established practices because of the refusal of the Black Panther Party to tell the truth to FBI agents."

"It is amazing," Hanrahan added, "that the Black Panthers, who claim their civil rights were violated, would refuse to support their claims by giving the facts to the FBI."

The Chicago Police reportedly refused to cooperate because they distrust FBI agents.

It was understood that the Justice Department team would look for evidence the police may have violated the 1968 civil rights law or an old Reconstruction Era statute preventing anyone acting "under the color of law" from interfering with a person's civil rights.

Chicago Police Superintendent James B. Conlisk issued a statement saying that the police department's internal inspection division investigated the shooting and reported there was no misconduct by police.

He said the division's investigation established that "the police officers were acting pursuant to the lawful direction of a search warrant. The police were subjected to deadly assault by firearms, which is a forcible felony, and exercised lawful means to overcome the assault."

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Special U.S. Jury To Examine Deaths Of Black Panthers

By FRED P. GRAHAM

Special to The New York Times

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19—

The Justice Department has designated a special grand jury to investigate the fatal shooting of two Black Panthers in Chicago on Dec. 4.

Attorney General John N. Mitchell dispatched today a seven-man team of lawyers, headed by Jerri Leonard, assistant attorney general in charge of the Civil Rights Division, to conduct the investigation.

Mr. Mitchell said that the team would employ the grand jury's subpoena power in an effort to "end the rumors and speculation" that have surrounded the incident.

Fred Hampton, chairman of the Black Panther party in Illinois, and Mark Clark, a member of the party, were shot to death and four other Panthers and two policemen were wounded when the police staged an early morning raid on an apartment near the Panther's state headquarters in Chicago.

Today's announcement of the grand jury inquiry said that an investigation that was ordered on Dec. 11 "has not produced any meaningful results because several witnesses declined to cooperate voluntarily with Federal investigators."

Justice Department sources confirmed reports that the investigation had foundered be-

cause the Federal Bureau of Investigation had been denied cooperation by the Black Panthers and by state's attorney Edward V. Hanrahan.

On Dec. 11, Mr. Mitchell announced that the Justice Department would look into the shooting. Chicago police officials had said that the Panthers started the shooting, as the police were attempting to serve a search warrant to look for weapons.

Negro leaders had questioned this version, and, citing rumors of a national plot among law enforcement officials to exterminate the Black Panthers, had called upon the Justice Department to investigate.

The Chicago policemen who staged the raid on Dec. 4 were assigned to Mr. Hanrahan's office. In Chicago today, United States Attorney Thomas A. Foran explained that Mr. Hanrahan had told investigating F.B.I. agents that they could question the policemen only if he were sent a copy of each statement and if an attorney from Mr. Foran's office and one from Mr. Hanrahan's office were present during the interviews.

It was learned here today that Mr. Hanrahan, a former United States attorney in Chicago who has had strained relations with the F.B.I., also demanded copies of other F.B.I. reports on the investigation. Since this would have been a violation of F.B.I. regulations, the interviews were not conducted.

Mr. Hanrahan said at a news conference in Chicago this morning that Mr. Leonard explained in a telephone conversation today that the grand jury investigation was being used because the Black Panthers had refused to cooperate.

"As a consequence of this refusal by the Black Panthers, Mr. Leonard told me that the Department of Justice was forced to abandon its preliminary investigation and would

now try to get Black Panther testimony through a Federal grand jury," Mr. Hanrahan said.

He added that the decision had been made "despite the continuing willingness of our officers to be interviewed by F.B.I. agents."

Mr. Hanrahan's office elaborated on this in a statement that said that the F.B.I. had been offered access to the policemen, and declared that any statement that Mr. Hanrahan had not cooperated was "positively false."

The reasons for the failure of the Black Panthers to cooperate were unclear, except that some Panthers have said that the F.B.I. and the Justice Department are parties to the alleged plot against them.

Their suspicion of the Federal officials was heightened on July 4, when a raiding party of F.B.I. agents, wearing bullet-proof vests and white arm-bands identifying them as Justice Department officers, staged an early-morning search of Panther headquarters in Chicago. They were searching for a fugitive Panther, who was not found.

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The National Observer _____
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Today Mr. Leonard was asked if the FBI would participate in the new inquiry, and he implied that they would not. He said that his team would use the facilities of the FBI, thus leaving the impression that FBI agents would not take part in the questioning of witnesses.

Mr. Mitchell's statement today said that the investigation would focus on the allegations that the shooting incident "may have involved a denial of federally protected rights." This is understood to mean that the United States officials will determine if the policemen violated a Reconstruction-era statute that makes it a crime for any person to act under color of law to violate another's civil rights.

The other members of Mr. Leonard's team are his deputy, James P. Turner, R-winham O'Connor, Mr. Leonard's special assistant, Jesse H. Queen, a trial lawyer in the Civil Rights Division; Milton C. Branch, a Chicagoan who is an assistant United States attorney for Colorado; Robert J. Breakstone, an assistant in Mr. Foran's office; and Maceo Hubbard, acting chief of the criminal section of the Civil Rights Division.

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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AT CHICAGO, ILLINOIS. Will follow with AAG
JERRIS LEONARD and AUSA ROBERT J. BREAKSTONE regarding
any FGJ action in this case.

ADMINISTRATIVE

Since all contacts by the SAC in the interest of
expediency were made telephonically on Saturday p.m., 12/13/69,
they are being reported as inserts rather than on FD-302s.
All persons contacted at the outset of this investigation
were advised this investigation is being conducted at the
specific request of AAG JERRIS LEONARD in charge of Civil
Right Division, U.S. Department of Justice.

For purposes of clarification, an appendix on the
Black Panther Party (BPP) has been included as the last page
of this report.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
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Copy to: 1 - USA, Chicago
(Attn: AUSA ROBERT J. BREAKSTONE)

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Report of: SA [REDACTED] Office: Chicago
Date: 12/22/69

Field Office File #: 44-1503 Bureau File #: 44-44202

Title: SERGEANT DANIEL R. GROTH;
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Synopsis: By letter dated 12/11/69, from AAG JERRIS LEONARD, Civil Rights Division, a preliminary investigation was requested to determine whether violations of 18, USC, Sections 242 and 241 are involved in the shooting of FRED A. HAMPTON and MARK CLARK by the Cook County States Attorney's Police raid on the Black Panther Party (BPP) apartment, 2337 West Monroe Street, Chicago, on 12/4/69. SAC M. W. JOHNSON personally advised USA THOMAS A. FORAN, Superintendent of Chicago Police Department JAMES D. CONLISK, and Cook County States Attorney EDWARD V. HANRAHAN, of the requested investigation. HANRAHAN stipulated that all 14 officers in the raid would be made available for interview provided an official from his office was present and that a copy of the interview was made available. SAC M. W. JOHNSON also contacted Attorney WARREN WOLFSON representing victim BRENDA HARRIS, who was to consult with other victims attorneys and to advise if they will make their clients available for interview. SAC M.W. JOHNSON also contacted DENNIS CUNNINGHAM, Attorney for BPP, who desired an attorney be present during FBI examination of BPP apartment. On 12/17/69, CUNNINGHAM advised SAC M.W. JOHNSON that "it is politically impossible for the BPP to voluntarily cooperate" with any FBI investigation. AAG JERRIS LEONARD in Chicago on 12/18/69, advised he would personally handle FGJ inquiry into this matter. On 12/22/69, FBI examination commenced of the premises at 2337 West Monroe Street, Chicago, and FGJ commenced receiving evidence in this case.

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DETAILS: AT CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

This report contains the results of a preliminary investigation in accordance with departmental letter to the Bureau dated December 11, 1969, regarding the above captioned matter. This departmental letter, which was forwarded by Mr. JERRIS LEONARD, Assistant Attorney General, Civil Rights Division, is summarized as follows:

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The Department received a telegram dated December 5, 1969, from [redacted] of the Illinois State Branch, National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP), and other officials of that organization. The Department also received a telegram from [redacted] "Chicago Daily Defender," WHITNEY M. YOUNG, Jr., Executive Director, National Urban League, and a number of individuals of Maywood, Illinois. All of these communications generally alleged that the shooting and killing of members of the Black Panther Party (BPP) on or about December 4, 1969, was unnecessary, unjustified, and of questionable legality. They requested that an investigation be made of the matter.

The departmental letter requested the FBI to conduct a preliminary investigation so that the Department could determine whether violations of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 242 and 241, were involved. It was stated that the investigation should include, but not be limited to, the following:

1. Identify and interview all persons, including the allegedly wounded individuals who were present when the police conducted the Black Panther Party raid at 2337 West Monroe Street, Chicago, Illinois, on December 4, 1969.

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2. Identify the police officers who took part in the raid and interview the subjects named above.
3. It is understood that two autopsies on victim FRED HAMPTON's body were performed, one by the coroner and one by a group of physicians headed by [redacted] of Northwestern University. Obtain copies of each report. b7C
4. Ascertain whether a state or local investigation is being conducted or has been conducted, and furnish us with a copy of any available report of such investigation. In this connection, inspect the official records and ascertain the charges placed against the victim and the status of same.
5. Inspect the premises of 2337 West Monroe Street, the location of the raid, and note and photograph any physical evidence, such as bullet holes, blood, the general arrangement, location and condition of the furniture, windows, etc. In connection with any bullet holes noted, determine, if possible, the direction of the bullets, with particular reference as to whether they were apparently fired from the outside doors and windows toward the interior of the apartment and from the interior toward the outside doors and windows. A diagram of the premises, noting the particular location therein where victims FRED HAMPTON and MARK CLARK were allegedly shot, is to be furnished.

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The Department's letter requested that if the victims or other persons in the premises at the time of the raid declined to be interviewed, Mr. JERRIS LEONARD, Assistant Attorney General, Civil Rights Division, should be notified immediately without waiting for the completion of the report of this investigation.

It is noted that the telegram of December 5, 1969, addressed to United States Attorney General JOHN MITCHELL reads as follows:

We of the NAACP are extremely alarmed, concerned, and confused relative to the contradictory statements and facts in connection with the slaying of MARK CLARK and FRED HAMPTON by Cook County law enforcement officials on December 4, 1969. Pursuant to the same incident, we demand that an adequate, thorough investigation and that the results of such investigation be made known to the public in order to alleviate a tense, anxious situation. We simply will not tolerate a modern day lynching; and should the results of your investigation prove a violation of civil rights, we shall use maximum resources to pursue the apprehension and punishment of those responsible.

Upon receipt of the departmental letter on December 13, 1969, M. W. JOHNSON, Special Agent in Charge (SAC) of the Chicago Office, personally advised United States Attorney (USA) THOMAS A. FORAN of the requested investigation. SAC JOHNSON informed JAMES D. CONLISK, Jr., Superintendent of the Chicago Police Department, of

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the requested investigation. CONLISK stated that he had no objection to police officers assigned to the State's Attorney's Office being interviewed by the FBI, but he suggested that Cook County State's Attorney EDWARD V. HANRAHAN be contacted as these officers were working for him at the time of the raid.

SAC JOHNSON contacted Cook County State's Attorney HANRAHAN, who advised he would make all 14 officers involved in the raid available for interview immediately, provided an official from his office was present during these interviews and that copies of the results of the interviews in the form of either a signed statement or the Bureau's interview report form would be made available to him. HANRAHAN added that making such copies available to the police officer being interviewed would suffice. HANRAHAN pointed out that demands have been made for these police officers to be charged with murder in connection with the killing of BPP members FRED HAMPTON and MARK CLARK.

Cook County Coroner ANDREW J. TOMAN has announced he is calling a "blue ribbon" coroner's jury to look into this matter. Because of this, HANRAHAN deemed it necessary to grant the interviews of the police officers only under the above stated conditions.

SAC JOHNSON personally contacted Attorney WARREN WOLFSON at 30 North La Salle Street, Chicago, Illinois. WOLFSON advised he represents victim BRENDA HARRIS. WOLFSON stated that all of the victims, except DEBORAH JOHNSON, are either in jail or in custody at the Cook County Hospital and that since the other victims are represented by other attorneys, he desired to consult with these attorneys concerning the granting of interviews by the FBI.

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WOLFSON stated that all of the victims had been charged by Cook County authorities with serious crimes; and as the victims are in custody, the attorneys themselves have not had the opportunity for thorough interviews of their clients. WOLFSON stated he wanted to emphasize the fact that statements in the news media credited to the victims and their attorneys are not necessarily true as the attorneys have not authorized such statements. WOLFSON further stated that due to the seriousness of the charges pending against the victims, their attorneys would undoubtedly desire to be present during any FBI interviews.

WOLFSON further stated that he would be most reluctant to authorize an FBI interview with his client, BRENDA HARRIS, until he personally had an opportunity to completely interview her. Also, WOLFSON stated that due to the local charges placed against his client, he would insist upon obtaining a copy of the results of any FBI interview. He was sure that the other attorneys of the victims would feel the same way.

WOLFSON agreed to contact the other attorneys as soon as possible and would advise SAC JOHNSON whether the interviews of the victims would be permitted.

It is noted that in connection with the Department's request for an investigation at the premises of 2337 West Monroe Street, Chicago, Illinois, where the raid of December 4, 1969, occurred, these premises are under the complete control of the BPP.

On December 13, 1969, SAC JOHNSON contacted DENNIS CUNNINGHAM, Attorney for the BPP. CUNNINGHAM advised

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that he saw no objection to making these premises available to the FBI, but he desired to first consult with other attorneys, whom he did not identify, and stated he would call SAC JOHNSON later that weekend. CUNNINGHAM said he would try to make the premises available by Monday afternoon, December 15, 1969, or by the morning of December 16, 1969. CUNNINGHAM desired either he or his representative to be present during the FBI investigation at 2337 West Monroe Street, Chicago, Illinois.

On December 13, 1969, the above was discussed with USA THOMAS A. FORAN, Northern District of Illinois (NDI), who stated that although he was not in a position to recommend Federal Grand Jury (FGJ) action at this time, he would give the matter further consideration. USA FORAN stated it was his feeling that the requests by State's Attorney HANRAHAN and the victims' lawyers regarding the interviews should be complied with in view of the pending charges which exist in regards to the 14 police officers and the seven victims in this matter.

On December 14, 1969, DENNIS CUNNINGHAM, BPP Attorney, contacted SAC JOHNSON at 4:30 p.m. and stated that after consulting with "most of the attorneys involved," it was decided that additional consultation was necessary by them before the FBI would be given access to the premises at 2337 West Monroe Street, Chicago, Illinois. CUNNINGHAM advised that the attorneys are meeting at 5:00 p.m. on December 15, 1969, at which time a decision would be made.

CUNNINGHAM stated, however, it is his unofficial opinion that access to these premises by the FBI will be authorized for Tuesday morning, December 16, 1969, and that he would call SAC JOHNSON immediately following the above described meeting with the other attorneys.

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It is noted that neither DENNIS CUNNINGHAM nor WARREN WOLFSON, Attorney Spokesman for the victims in this case, contacted, as agreed to, the Chicago Office to permit FBI access to the BPP apartment or interview of the victims, respectively, as of midnight, December 16, 1969.

It is noted that the following were present on December 13, 1969, at the Chicago Office of the FBI when SAC M.W. JOHNSON telephonically contacted USA THOMAS A. FORAN, Superintendent of the Chicago Police Department JAMES D. CONLISK, States Attorney EDWARD V. HANRAHAN, as well as WARREN WOLFSON, representing victim BRENDA HARRIS, and attorney DENNIS CUNNINGHAM, representing the Black Panther Party (BPP):

Assistant Special Agent in Charge JOHN M. REED;
Supervisor [REDACTED]
Special Agent [REDACTED] b7C

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On December 13, 1969, Officer [] of the Deputy Superintendent's Office, Chicago Police Department, advised that RONALD SATCHEL had been released that day on \$25,000 bond, which was made at the 13th District of the Police Department.

It is noted that DEBORAH JOHNSON, the girlfriend of FRED A. HAMPTON (deceased), [] was previously released on \$25,000 bond.

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On December 17, 1969, JAMES MONTGOMERY, attorney representing the Black Panther Party, telephonically contacted Special Agent [] at the Chicago Office, to advise that police officers had arrived at 2337 West Monroe Street, that morning, and they had informed BOBBY RUSH, Deputy Defense Minister of the Illinois Black Panther Party, that they had a search warrant for the purpose of searching the outer halls of the building. According to MONTGOMERY, the officers were asked to leave, and they departed. However, the officers returned shortly thereafter, at which time the officers refused Black Panther Party members access to the apartment. MONTGOMERY stated that he was notifying the Federal Bureau of Investigation, in view of his belief that the Federal Bureau of Investigation or the Department of Justice was looking into the shooting incident.

At 3:27 p.m., on December 17, 1969, DENNIS CUNNINGHAM, attorney for the Black Panther Party, telephonically contacted Special Agent in Charge, M. W. JOHNSON, to advise that attorneys for the Black Panther Party and victims had decided they did not feel the Justice Department would help them, and therefore, they were taking the position they would not voluntarily cooperate with any Federal Bureau of Investigation investigation. CUNNINGHAM stated that this

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decision was based upon newspaper articles reporting a Federal investigation of the Black Panther Party. CUNNINGHAM further stated that this decision was actually reached on Monday night, December 15, 1969, but that he had been "too busy" to contact Special Agent in Charge JOHNSON.

CUNNINGHAM further informed Special Agent in Charge JOHNSON that undoubtedly the Federal Government could obtain access to the premises at 2337 West Monroe Street, through legal action, and that "of course they could not prevent that." CUNNINGHAM stated that "it is politically impossible for the Black Panther Party to voluntarily cooperate."

CUNNINGHAM also informed Special Agent in Charge JOHNSON that the Cook County States Attorney's Police, "using some kind of warrant" were at the above Monroe Street premises at approximately 10:30 a.m., on December 17, 1969, and that they were denying everyone access to these premises, unless they could present a lease agreement. CUNNINGHAM further stated that he recognized that this latter was not involved with any Federal Bureau of Investigation investigation.

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On December 18, 1969, Assistant Attorney General JERRIS LEONARD, together with Department Attorney JAMES TURNER, First Assistant United States Attorney JACK B. SCHMETTERER, met with Acting Chief Judge EDWIN A. ROBSON of the U.S. District Court for the Northern District of Illinois. It is noted that Chief Federal District Judge WILLIAM J. CAMPBELL was ill and that Judge ROBSON was Acting Chief Judge in his absence.

At this meeting the decision was made, subject to the approval of Chief Judge CAMPBELL, that the December, 1969, Federal Grand Jury will be held over to hear testimony in this case. A special charge will be issued this grand jury on December 22, 1969. Assistant Attorney General LEONARD advised that one or two witnesses may appear before this grand jury on approximately December 23, 1969, following which the grand jury will be adjourned until approximately January 5, 1970.

Assistant Attorney General LEONARD advised that he would personally handle the presentation of this matter to the Federal Grand Jury and that he would be assisted by Departmental Attorney JAMES TURNER, WILLIAM O'CONNOR and JESSIE QUEEN, all of whom are from Washington, D.C. Also assisting him would be MILTON BRANCH, Assistant United States Attorney from Denver, Colorado.

United States Attorney Thomas A. Foran at Chicago has subsequently advised Special Agent in Charge MARLIN W. JOHNSON that he completely concurs in the above described Federal Grand Jury procedure in this case. Mr. FORAN designated ROBERT J. BREAKSTONE as a representative from the United States Attorney's Office at Chicago to work with Mr. LEONARD.

First Assistant United States Attorney JACK B. SCHMETTERER advised on the evening of December 18, 1969, that Chief Judge WILLIAM J. CAMPBELL did concur with Acting Judge EDWIN A. ROBSON's decision to hold the December, 1969, Federal Grand Jury to hear this matter.

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First Assistant United States Attorney SCHMETTERER advised at 4:05 p.m. on December 19, 1969, that he had been in contact with Cook County Coroner ANTHONY J. TOMAN. TOMAN advised Mr. SCHMETTERER that as the premises at 2337 West Monroe Street, Chicago, had now been sealed and under his control, that he would grant access to the FBI at any time for the purpose of examination.

It is noted that an FBI examination of these premises commenced on the morning of December 22, 1969.

Mr. SCHMETTERER advised on December 22, 1969, that the December, 1969, Federal Grand Jury was extended and commenced receiving into evidence [redacted] of the deaths of FRED A. HAMPTON and MARK CLARK on December 4, 1969. This evidence was made available to the Federal Grand Jury by [redacted]. It is noted that on December 22, 1969, Special Agent [redacted] of the Chicago Office was sworn in and made an agent of this Federal Grand Jury.

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BACKGROUND INFORMATION

The following account of the Cook County State's Attorney's raid upon the Black Panther Party (BPP) apartment at 2337 West Monroe Street, Chicago, Illinois, on December 4, 1969, is summarized from news media reports:

The State's Attorney's police, under the direction of Cook County State's Attorney EDWARD V. HANRAHAN, secured a search warrant, based upon information supplied by informants, from Criminal Court Judge ROBERT COLLINS to search the first floor apartment at 2337 West Monroe Street, Chicago, Illinois. It was alleged that there was a gun cache in this apartment.

At 4:45 a.m. on December 4, 1969, 14 officers from the State's Attorney's police broke into this first floor apartment, which consists of two bedrooms and one bath, with a front and rear entrance. They allegedly encountered gunfire resistance; and following a shootout, FRED HAMPTON, Illinois Chairman of the BPP, lay dead in his bed and Peoria, Illinois, BPP leader MARK CLARK was found dead in the living room of this apartment.

There were nine members of the BPP in this apartment; and of the seven surviving, two men and two women had been wounded. Of the nine BPP members in the apartment, six were men and three were women. One woman, DEBORAH JOHNSON, age 19, the alleged girl friend of HAMPTON, b7C
[redacted] The seven surviving members of the BPP were arrested and charged with attempted murder and aggravated battery and were taken into custody.

The following four had bullet wounds and were taken to the Cook County Hospital:

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Sergeant GROTH furnished the following identifying data concerning the seven victims in this case:

BRENDA HARRIS, Age 18, born [redacted]
[redacted] 1848 South Hamlin, Chicago, Illinois

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VERLINA A. BREWER, Age 17, born [redacted]
[redacted] 125 West 107th Street, Chicago,
Illinois, or [redacted] Ann Arbor,
Michigan.

Sergeant GROTH advised that BREWER was [redacted]
[redacted] in Ann Arbor, Michigan, prior to her
coming to Chicago and that her parents [redacted]
[redacted]

BLAIR J. ANDERSON, Age 18, born [redacted]
[redacted] Chicago, Illinois.

Sergeant GROTH advised that [redacted]
[redacted] in
connection with a Black Panther Party "shoot out".

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RONALD SATCHEL, Age 19, born [redacted]
[redacted] Chicago, Illinois.

The following victims were taken to the Cook
County Jail:

DEBORAH JOHNSON, Age 19, born [redacted]
[redacted] Chicago, Illinois.

LOUIS THULOCK, Age 39, [redacted] 1900
West Jackson, Chicago, Illinois.

HAROLD BELL, Age 23, born [redacted]
[redacted] Rockford, Illinois.

Two of the States Attorney's Police officers
who were hurt are JOHN CICZEWSKI, who was shot in the
leg, and EDWARD CARMODY, who had injuries to his hand
as a result of flying glass.

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The following are the identities of the States Attorney's Police, who participated in the raid as made available on December 11, 1969, by Sergeant DANIEL R. GROTH, Cook County States Attorney's Police:

Sergeant DANIEL R. GROTH - Star Number	[redacted]	
Officer JOSEPH GORMAN - Star Number	[redacted]	
Officer GEORGE JONES - Star Number	[redacted]	
Officer ROBERT HUGHES - Star Number	[redacted]	
Officer JAMES DAVIS - Star Number	[redacted]	
Officer WILLIAM KELLY - Star Number	[redacted]	
Officer EDWARD CARMODY - Star Number	[redacted]	b7C
Officer JOHN CISZEWSKI - Star Number	[redacted]	
Officer PHILIP JOSEPH - Star Number	[redacted]	
Officer JOHN MARUSICH - Star Number	[redacted]	
Officer FRED HOWARD - Star Number	[redacted]	
Officer LYNNWOOD HARRIS - Star Number	[redacted]	
Officer WILLIAM ORRITT - Star Number	[redacted]	
Officer RAY BRODERICK - Star Number	[redacted]	

Officers JONES, DAVIS, HOWARD, JOSEPH, and HARRIS are of the Negro race.

Sergeant GROTH advised that all of these officers would be available to respond to any subpoena directed to them in care of the Cook County States Attorney, 2600 South California Avenue, Chicago, Illinois.

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BLACK PANTHER PARTY

According to its official newspaper, the Black Panther Party (BPP) was started during December, 1966, in Oakland, California, to organize black people so they can take control of the life, politics, and the destiny of the black community. It was organized by BOBBY GEORGE SEALE, BPP Chairman, and HUEY P. NEWTON, BPP Minister of Defense. NEWTON is presently serving a sentence of 2 to 15 years on a conviction of manslaughter in connection with the killing of an Oakland police officer.

The official newspaper, "The Black Panther," which further describes itself as the "Black Community News Service," states that the BPP advocates the use of guns and guerrilla tactics in its revolutionary program to end oppression of the black people. Residents of the black community are urged to arm themselves against the police who are consistently referred to in the publication as "pigs" who should be killed.

"The Black Panther" issue of September 7, 1968, contains an editorial by BPP Minister of Education, GEORGE MASON MURRAY, which ends with the following:

"Black men. Black people, colored persons of America, revolt everywhere! Arm yourselves. The only culture worth keeping is a revolutionary culture. Change. Freedom everywhere. Dynamite! Black Power. Use the gun. Kill the pigs everywhere."

Included in the introduction to an article appearing in the October 5, 1968, edition of "The Black Panther" is the statement, ".....we will not dissent from American Government. We will overthrow it."

Issues of "The Black Panther" regularly contain quotations from the writings of Chairman MAO Tse-tung of the People's Republic of China and feature MAO's statement that "political power grows out of the barrel of a gun."

The national headquarters of the BPP is located at 3106 Shattuck Avenue, Berkeley, California. Branches have been established at various locations throughout the United States.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Memorandum

TO : Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation

DATE: DEC 15 1969

FROM : ^{JL}_{JT} Jerris Leonard
Assistant Attorney General
Civil Rights Division

JL:JPT:swb
DJ 144-23-971
12-031-387

SUBJECT: Sergeant Daniel Groth, James Davis, John
Ciszewski, Edward Carmody, et al., Chicago,
Illinois Police Officers, Subjects;
Fred Hampton, Mark Clark, Brenda Harris,
Verlinda Brewer, Blair Anderson and Ronald
Satchel, et al., Victims.
Summary Punishment
CIVIL RIGHTS

Reference is made to my memorandum of December 11, 1969 requesting a preliminary investigation of the captioned matter. I am enclosing a memorandum of Departmental attorney [redacted] summarizing b7C information provided by State Senator Charles Chew, Jr. This memorandum is furnished for potential assistance to you in carrying out the requested investigation. J

Enclosure

*No investigation desired
in view of FGJ action
per Turner CRD*

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Maceo W. Hubbard
Supervisory Trial Attorney
Criminal Section

December 8, 1969

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Attorney, Criminal Section

Conversation with Illinois State Senator Charles Chew,
Jr., December 8, 1969 at 9:30 a.m.

Senator Chew came to Washington on behalf of 10 black Illinois legislators. These people have conducted a limited investigation into the Panthers shootings and have concluded that an impartial full investigation is needed. He came to Washington to ask the Department to conduct such an investigation; another member of the group is going to Springfield to ask the State Attorney General to investigate.

The group's investigation indicates that Fred Hampton, Chairman of the Chicago Chapter of the Black Panthers, was shot by a machine gun while sleeping in bed. The police got access to his bedroom window by means of a ladder. The group examined physical evidence at the scene and it appeared to them to indicate that Hampton was shot in bed. They also had an autopsy performed on Hampton's body.

The raid on Hampton's apartment was ordered by State's Attorney Edward Hanahan, a former United States Attorney who was elected State's Attorney at the last election. The raid was carried out by police

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officers assigned to the State's Attorney's office. Senator Chew said that these officers are Chicago policemen detached from regular duty for service with the State's Attorney's office. He says that they are political appointees.

Senator Chew provided the following investigative leads. The autopsy on Hampton's body was performed at the A.A. Rainer Funeral Home, 320 E. 71st St., Chicago. He does not recall the doctor's name. Mr. Rainer, who is a Chicago alderman and who can be contacted at the above address, can provide information, as can Senator Richard H. Newhouse, 5429 Ridgeland Ct., Representative Otis Collins, 3630 W. Roosevelt Rd., and

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[redacted] Malcom X (formerly Crane) Community College. Other persons with information are: [redacted] a reporter for the Chicago Daily Defender; [redacted] also a Defender report; Patrolmen [redacted] and [redacted] of the Afro-American Policeman's Association, and [redacted]

[redacted] Mayfield, Illinois. Senator Chew suggests contacting the Sun-Times reporter whose story appeared in last Saturday's paper. Senator Chew says that the Black Panthers will also provide information. Their Chicago headquarters is located at 2350 West Madison. In addition, Bobby Rush, who was arrested in the raid, and Deborah LNU, who is in the Cook County Hospital and under arrest, can provide information, as can the other Panthers who were arrested.

I asked Senator Chew if the Black Panthers would cooperate with white FBI agents or white Departmental people. He said they would cooperate with any representatives of the Department of Justice, although they

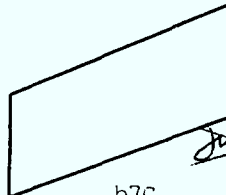
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might not be too happy with the FBI.

Senator Chew made it clear that neither he nor his group was concerned with the policy or philosophy of the Black Panthers. They were concerned with the methods used by the police involved. He and his group are not concerned with the outcome of an impartial investigation. They are concerned that there be an impartial investigation. He said the situation in Chicago is quite explosive. He and his group have kept the lid on by promising to get an impartial investigation.

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Mr. Conrad	_____
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Mr. Gale	_____
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TO DIRECTOR (44-44202) (ATTN ASSISTANT DIRECTOR ALEX ROSEN)

FROM CHICAGO (44-1503) 1P

SGT. DANIEL GROTH; JAMES DAVIS; JOHN CISZEWSKI; EDWARD CARMODY;
ET AL. CHICAGO, ILLINOIS, POLICE OFFICERS - SUBJECTS; FRED HAMPTON
(DECEASED); MARK CLARK (DECEASED); BRENDA HARRIS; VERLINA BREWER;
BLAIR ANDERSON; RONALD STACHEL; ET AL - VICTIMS. SUMMARY PUNISHMENT-
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ASSISTANT ATTORNEY GENERAL

AAG JERRIS LEONARD HAS ADVISED DEPARTMENTAL PERSONNEL WILL
RESUME WORK IN CAPTIONED MATTER AND WILL ARRIVE CHICAGO DECEMBER
TWENTYEIGHT NEXT. ARRANGEMENTS HAVE BEEN MADE FOR LABORATORY
PERSONNEL ROBERT ZIMMER, [REDACTED] AND EXHIBIT SECTION PERSONNEL
[REDACTED] AND [REDACTED] TO HAVE ACCESS TO APARTMENT, TWENTYTHREE
THIRTY-SEVEN WEST MONROE, CHICAGO, NINE AM, MONDAY DECEMBER TWENTY-
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ARRIVE SUFFICIENT TIME TO CONDUCT THEIR EXAMINATIONS NINE AM
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REM FBI WASH DC

cc - Conrad

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. DeLoach *PK*

DATE: December 16, 1969

FROM : A. Rosen *R*

1-Mr. DeLoach

1-Mr. Rosen

1-Mr. [redacted]

1-Mr. [redacted]

1-Mr. [redacted]

SUBJECT: SERGEANT DANIEL GROTH AND OTHERS,
POLICE OFFICERS, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS;
FRED HAMPTON, MARK CLARK, ET AL. - VICTIMS
CIVIL RIGHTS

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This is the case involving a raid by officers of the Chicago Police Department on Black Panther headquarters 12/4/69, during which two Black Panthers were killed and others were wounded. The Civil Rights Division of the Department requested investigation based on allegations the killing and shooting of members of the Black Panther organization were unnecessary and unjustified.

SAC Johnson of the Chicago Office contacted police officials regarding interviews with subject officers. SAC Johnson was advised by State Attorney Edward Hanrahan (formerly U. S. Attorney) he would make the police officers available for interview only if an official from his office were present during the interview and copies of the results of the interview were made available to him or the officers interviewed.

SAC Johnson of Chicago contacted Attorney Warren Wolfson, who represented one of the Black Panthers. Wolfson stated as charges had been made against his client he would insist on being present during interview and would insist on a copy of the results of the interview. He advised charges were also pending against other members of the Black Panthers and all the victims were either in jail or in custody at the county hospital with the exception of one. He felt sure the attorneys representing the other victims would insist on being present and expect to receive a copy of the results of the interview. Wolfson stated he would consult with the other attorneys and advise SAC Johnson. To date Johnson has not been contacted by Wolfson or the other attorneys. REC 36

In connection with the Department's request for investigation of the premises where the shooting occurred, it is noted these premises are under the complete control of the Black Panther Party. The attorney for the Black Panther Party stated he saw no objection to making the premises available for examination but desired to consult with other attorneys and would advise the Chicago Office of their decision. He indicated he or his

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representative would have to be present while the premises were being inspected. To date this attorney has not contacted the Chicago Office regarding permitting access to the apartment.

The position of State Attorney Hanrahan and the attorneys for the victims and the Black Panther Party was discussed with Deputy Assistant Attorney General James Turner, Civil Rights Division, on December 15, 1969. It was pointed out that the position of these attorneys would preclude a full and free investigation by the Bureau into this matter and it was strongly suggested that the Department should consider immediately calling a Federal Grand Jury to inquire into this matter so the victims, witnesses and subjects could be subpoenaed before the grand jury and be afforded an opportunity to make a complete statement under oath. Mr. Turner stated he would take the matter into consideration and would discuss it with Assistant Attorney General Leonard later in the day on December 15. Mr. Turner noted that Leonard was unavailable at that time.

Turner advised that Illinois State Senator Charles Chew, Jr., had been to the Department on December 8, 1969, on behalf of 10 black Illinois State Legislators. These individuals had conducted a limited investigation into the Panther shootings and concluded that a full, impartial investigation was needed. Turner made available a memorandum reflecting information provided by Chew to a Departmental attorney. This was furnished for possible assistance of the Bureau in conducting any investigation.

Turner subsequently advised that the matter would be taken up with the Attorney General Tuesday and we would be advised of the results thereof.

Today I received a call from Assistant Attorney General Leonard and [redacted] and I were advised by Leonard that the Attorney General had requested that the entire Black Panther matter be presented as soon as possible before a Federal Grand Jury in Chicago. Leonard said he planned to proceed to Chicago Thursday morning and wanted to have a preliminary conference with SAC Johnson prior to his desired meet with Chief Judge William Campbell. In our presence he called Judge Campbell's office and was advised of his illness whereupon he was asked to be transferred to Federal Judge Richard B. Austin, who was acting in Campbell's temporary absence. Leonard advised Judge Austin of his desired meet on Thursday and a mutually convenient time was set for 10:30 a.m. Thursday morning. Leonard indicated he intended to explain the entire situation to the Judge and get his views concerning the handling of the grand jury and would rely on the Judge's assessment of the situation insofar as the need to advise Judge Campbell of the developments. Leonard plans to have a group of attorneys from Washington assist him in connection with the handling of this

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matter and has indicated the Attorney General desires that he personally handle the presentation. In addition, United States Attorney Tom Foran is expected to be in Washington tomorrow to personally confer with the Attorney General, at which time he will be advised of the Department's views. It is assumed the purpose of this meeting is in deference to the prerogative of the U. S. Attorney and in view of the fact Foran is personally handling the trial of the seven defendants in the Antiriot cases arising out of the Democratic National Convention in August of 1968.

ACTION TAKEN:

It would seem the action of the Attorney General in calling a special Federal Grand Jury to handle the presentation of the Black Panther case is well advised. SAC Johnson has been alerted to the above facts and he has been instructed to confer with Assistant Attorney General Leonard prior to the conference with Judge Austin on Thursday morning. You will be advised of additional developments.

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TO DIRECTOR

FROM CHICAGO 6P

SGT. DANIEL GROTH; JAMES DAVIS; JOHN CISZEWSKI, EDWARD
CARMODY, ET AL CHICAGO, ILLINOIS POLICE OFFICERS - SUBJECTS;
FRED HAMPTON; MARK CLARK; BRENDA HARRIS; VERLINA BREWER;
BLAIR ANDERSON; RONALD SATCHEL, ET AL - VICTIMS SUMMARY
PUNISHMENT - CIVIL RIGHTS.

RE BUREAU AIRTEL DECEMBER TWELVE, LAST INSTRUCTING
CERTAIN INVESTIGATION BE CONDUCTED CAPTIONED MATTER.

DEPARTMENT'S REQUEST INCLUDED INTERVIEWS WITH
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SUPERINTENDENT OF CHICAGO POLICE DEPARTMENT JAMES B.
CONLISK, JR. CONTACTED BY SAC TODAY AND STATED HE HAD

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OBJECTION TO INTERVIEWS BUT SUGGESTED CONTACT WITH
COOK COUNTY STATES ATTORNEY EDWARD V. HANRAHAN AS
OFFICERS WORKING FOR HIM ON THIS RAID.

COOK COUNTY STATES ATTORNEY EDWARD V. HANRAHAN
CONTACTED BY SAC TODAY. HE ADVISED HE WOULD MAKE
ALL FOURTEEN OFFICERS AVAILABLE FOR INTERVIEW IMMEDIATELY
PROVIDED AN OFFICIAL FROM HIS OFFICE WAS PRESENT DURING
INTERVIEWS AND THAT COPIES OF THE RESULTS OF THE INTER-
VIEW (EITHER SIGNED STATEMENT OR ^{INTERVIEW REPORT FORM} FD-THREE O TWO) BE MADE
AVAILABLE TO HIM. MAKING COPY AVAILABLE TO POLICE
OFFICER INTERVIEWED WOULD SUFFICE. IT SHOULD BE NOTED
DEMANDS HAVE BEEN MADE THAT ABOVE POLICE OFFICERS BE
CHARGED WITH MURDER IN CONNECTION WITH THE KILLING
OF BLACK PANTHERS FRED HAMPTON AND MARK CLARK. COOK
COUNTY CORONER ANDREW TOMAN HAS ANNOUNCED HE IS CALLING
"BLUE RIBBON" CORONER'S JURY TO LOOK INTO MATTER.
THEREFORE, HANRAHAN DEEMS IT NECESSARY TO GRANT INTER-
VIEWS ONLY UNDER ABOVE CONDITIONS.

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ATTORNEY WARREN WOLFSON, THIRTY NORTH LA SALLE STREET, CHICAGO, CONTACTED BY SAC TODAY. WOLFSON IS ATTORNEY FOR VICTIM BRENDA HARRIS. CONTACT MADE TO ARRANGE FOR INTERVIEWS WITH THE SEVEN BLACK PANTHERS PRESENT AT TIME OF DECEMBER FOUR RAID. WOLFSON MOST CONGENIAL BUT STATED THAT AS ALL VICTIMS EXCEPT DEBORAH JOHNSON ARE EITHER IN JAIL OR IN CUSTODY AT COOK COUNTY HOSPITAL, AND AS ALL OTHERS ARE REPRESENTED BY OTHER ATTORNEYS, HE DESIRED TO CONSULT WITH ATTORNEYS FOR OTHER VICTIMS CONCERNING INTERVIEW. HE NOTED THAT ALL VICTIMS HAD BEEN CHARGED BY COOK COUNTY AUTHORITIES WITH SERIOUS CRIMES AND AS THEY ARE IN CUSTODY, ATTORNEYS THEMSELVES HAVE NOT HAD OPPORTUNITY FOR THOROUGH INTERVIEW WITH THEIR CLIENTS. STATED HE WANTED TO EMPHASIZE THAT STATEMENTS IN NEWS MEDIA CREDITED TO VICTIMS AND THEIR ATTORNEYS ARE NOT NECESSARILY TRUE AS ATTORNEYS HAVE NOT AUTHORIZED SUCH STATEMENTS. IMPLIED THAT DUE TO SERIOUSNESS OF CHARGES PENDING

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AGAINST VICTIMS, ATTORNEYS WOULD UNDOUBTEDLY DESIRE TO BE PRESENT DURING ANY INTERVIEWS. COMMENTED THAT HE WOULD BE MOST RELUCTANT TO AUTHORIZE INTERVIEW WITH CLIENT UNTIL HE PERSONALLY HAD OPPORTUNITY TO COMPLETELY INTERVIEW CLIENT. IMPLIED ALSO THAT DUE TO CHARGES AGAINST CLIENT HE WOULD INSIST ON COPY OF RESULTS OF INTERVIEW. STATED HE FELT SURE OTHER ATTORNEYS WOULD FEEL THE SAME WAY. STATED HE WOULD CONTACT OTHER ATTORNEYS AS QUICKLY AS POSSIBLE AND ADVISE SAC WHETHER INTERVIEWS WOULD BE PERMITTED WITH VICTIMS.

IN CONNECTION WITH DEPARTMENT'S REQUEST FOR INVESTIGATION AT PREMISES OF TWO THREE THREE SEVEN WEST MONROE STREET, CHICAGO, LOCATION OF RAID DECEMBER FOUR, LAST, NOTED THESE PREMISES UNDER COMPLETE CONTROL OF BLACK PANTHER PARTY. SAC TODAY CONTACTED ATTORNEY FOR BLACK PANTHER PARTY DENNIS CUNNINGHAM WHO ADVISED THAT HE SAW NO OBJECTION TO MAKING PREMISES AVAILABLE BUT DESIRED TO CONSULT WITH OTHER ATTORNEYS (NOT IDENTIFIED) AND WOULD CALL SAC LATER THIS WEEKEND. HE
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INDICATED HE WOULD TRY AND MAKE PREMISES AVAILABLE BY MONDAY AFTERNOON, DECEMBER FIFTEEN, NEXT OR MORNING OF DECEMBER SIXTEEN NEXT. DESIRED HE OR HIS REPRESENTATIVE BE PRESENT.

IN CONNECTION WITH REQUESTS FOR PRESENCE OF REPRESENTATIVE OF STATES ATTORNEYS OFFICE OR ATTORNEYS FOR VICTIMS DURING INTERVIEW AND REQUESTS THAT COPIES OF RESULTS OF INTERVIEWS BE FURNISHED TO PERSON INTERVIEWED, CHICAGO RECOMMENDS FAVORABLE CONSIDERATION TO BOTH REQUESTS. BASIS FOR FAVORABLE RECOMMENDATION ARE THE UNUSUAL CIRCUMSTANCES PRESENT IN THIS MATTER WHERE BOTH THE OFFICERS AND THE VICTIMS ARE OR MAY BE CHARGED WITH SERIOUS OFFENSES UNDER STATE LAW.

ABOVE RECOMMENDATIONS MADE IN THE EVENT DEPARTMENT INSISTS ON FBI INTERVIEW OF ABOVE INDIVIDUALS. CHICAGO RECOMMENDS, HOWEVER, THAT IN VIEW OF STIPULATIONS PLACED BY STATES ATTORNEY AND ATTORNEYS FOR VICTIMS THAT DEPARTMENT GIVE CONSIDERATION TO SUBPOENAING POLICE

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OFFICERS AND VICTIMS BEFORE THE FEDERAL GRAND JURY, (FGJ),
CHICAGO. TESTIMONY WOULD THEN BE UNDER OATH AND INTERVIEWS
COULD BE CONDUCTED WITHOUT PRESENCE OF OUTSIDE INDIVIDUALS.
UNITED STATES ATTORNEY NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS
USA THOMAS A. FORAN, NDI, CHICAGO CONTACTED. STATED
NOT IN POSITION TO RECOMMEND FGJ AT THIS TIME BUT WILL GIVE
MATTER FURTHER CONSIDERATION. FEELS REQUEST BY STATES
ATTORNEY AND VICTIMS' LAWYERS REGARDING INTERVIEWS SHOULD
BE COMPLIED WITH IN VIEW OF PENDING AND POTENTIAL CHARGES.

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(ATTENTION: ASSISTANT DIRECTOR ALEX ROSEN)

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HARRIS; VERLINA BREWER; BLAIR J. ANDERSON; RONALD SATCHEL;
ET AL - VICTIMS. SUMMARY PUNISHMENT - CR.

REMYTEL DECEMBER THIRTYONE LAST.

BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP) ATTORNEYS HAVE NOT
CONTACTED USA'S OFFICE, CHICAGO, TO ARRANGE FOR APPEAR-
ANCE OF VICTIMS AND EVIDENCE BEFORE FGJ. IF BPP ATTORNEYS
DO NOT CONTACT USA BY JANUARY FIVE NEXT, USA PLANS TO
SEND BPP ATTORNEYS TELEGRAMS TO APPEAR WITH VICTIMS
JANUARY SIX NEXT TO ACCEPT SUBPOENAS FOR

ALL DEPARTMENTAL AND AUSA'S ASSIGNED FGJ SCHEDULED
TO APPEAR CHICAGO, JANUARY FIVE NEXT, TO PREPARE FOR
FGJ OF JANUARY SIX, NEXT. HOWEVER, AAG JERRIS LEONARD
NOT SCHEDULED TO APPEAR CHICAGO UNTIL AM JANUARY SIX
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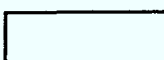
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REMYTEL DECEMBER TWENTY THREE LAST AND CHICAGO REPORT
OF SA [REDACTED] DATED DECEMBER TWENTYTWO LAST. b7C

ACCESS AGAIN GAINED TO PREMISES, TWO THREE THREE SEVEN
WEST MONROE STREET AM TODAY THROUGH COOK COUNTY CORONER.
ANTICIPATE WILL COMPLETE PREPARATION OF CHARTS AND PROJECTORY
OF BULLETS AS REQUESTED BY ASSISTANT ATTORNEY GENERAL ON OR
BEFORE NOON, DECEMBER THIRTY ONE NEXT. ACTIVITY REMAINS
NORMAL IN AREA. DEPARTMENTAL ATTORNEY WILLIAM O'CONNOR
PRESENT DURING BUREAU EXAMINATION THIS AFTERNOON.

FGJ TO RECONVENE DECEMBER THIRTY NEXT AFTER WHICH WILL JAN 7 1970
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^{Federal Grand Jury}
INTRODUCED TO FGJ TO DATE INCLUDING [REDACTED]

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~~ASSISTANT ATTORNEY GENERAL~~

AAG JERRIS LEONARD RETURNING TO CHICAGO AM DECEMBER
THIRTY NEXT AND WILL CONFER "SOMETIME AFTER FOUR PM" THAT
DATE WITH BLACK PANTHER PARTY ATTORNEYS REGARDING APPEARANCE
OF VICTIMS BEFORE FGJ.

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RONALD SATCHEL; ET AL - VICTIMS. SUMMARY PUNISHMENT - CR.

REMYTEL DECEMBER TWENTY NINE LAST.

PROCESSING OF HAMPTON APARTMENT CONTINUED TODAY.

ANTICIPATE COMPLETION TWELVE NOON, DECEMBER THIRTY ONE NEXT.
ACTIVITY NORMAL IN AREA. DEPARTMENTAL ATTORNEY WILLIAM
O' CONNER AND DEPUTY CORONER PRESENT IN THE APARTMENT DURING
PROCESSING.

ASSISTANT ATTORNEY GENERAL
AGG JERRIS LEONARD ANTICIPATES PRESENTING SUMMARY OF
CASE TO FEDERAL GRAND JURY
CASE TO FEDERAL GRAND JURY SIX NEXT. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE OBTAINED
BY CHICAGO PD TO BE SUBPOENAED BY JANUARY SEVEN NEXT AT
THE LATEST.

CONFERENCE THIS DATE WITH BLACK PANTHER PARTY ATTORNEYS

NOT PRODUCTIVE AND NO AGREEMENTS REACHED ON APPEARANCE OF VICTIMS BEFORE FGJ. 17 JAN 7 1970

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SGT DANIEL GROTH

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE
FRIDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1969

Fred HAMPTON
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Attorney General John N. Mitchell announced today

the Justice Department will conduct a special investigation into the December 4th incident involving the Black Panther Party and Chicago Police.

The investigation will be conducted by a special team of attorneys, headed by Jerris Leonard, Assistant Attorney General for Civil Rights, and a special federal grand jury in Chicago.

"The team, and the grand jury, will seek to establish the true facts regarding the violence that has occurred between police and Black Panther Party members in Chicago on December 4th," Mr. Mitchell said, "and hopefully will put an end to the rumors and speculation that has surrounded this incident."

On December 4, Fred Hampton, Illinois chairman of the Black Panther Party, and Mark Clark, a member of the party, were shot to death when police assigned to the State's Attorney's Office attempted to serve a search warrant in an apartment believed to contain illegal firearms. Six other persons were wounded.

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"There have been serious allegations raised criticising police tactics," Mr. Mitchell said. "A number of responsible citizens have questioned whether this incident may have involved a denial of federally protected rights."

"I agree with U. S. Attorney Thomas Foran of Chicago and Assistant Attorney General Leonard that the only way to answer these questions and these fears honestly and fairly is to conduct this special federal inquiry. Accordingly, I have picked a team of experienced government attorneys to work with a grand jury and to develop the facts in this case. I hope that all who have personal knowledge of this case will cooperate fully with us so that complete facts will emerge,"

A preliminary investigation of the December 4 raid was ordered by Mr. Mitchell on December 11. This investigation has not produced any meaningful results because several witnesses declined to cooperate voluntarily with Federal investigators.

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Mr. Mitchell said that the grand jury investigative approach -- with the subpoena power -- was suggested during meetings between Mr. Foran, Mr. Leonard and the Attorney General. Mr. Foran agreed to provide a member of his staff to serve on the investigative team and to provide assistance to the team during the course of its investigation.

Named to the investigating team in addition to Mr. Leonard were:

-- James P. Turner, Deputy Assistant Attorney General for Civil Rights. Mr. Turner, 39, a native of Colorado, joined the Civil Rights Division as a trial attorney February 24, 1965, and participated in many grand jury investigations and prosecutions of civil rights violations including some in Bogalusa, Louisiana; Jackson, Mississippi; Selma and Montgomery, Alabama and Chicago, Illinois.

-- K. William O'Connor, Special Assistant to Mr. Leonard. Mr. O'Connor, 38, a native of the District of Columbia, first joined the Justice Department as a trial attorney in the Tax Division in June of 1961, transferred to the Job Corps in 1965 and returned to the Civil Rights Division

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in 1967. In running grand jury investigations and prosecutions of both tax and civil rights violations, he won special commendations.

-- Jesse H. Queen, a senior trial attorney in the Civil Rights Division's Criminal Section. Mr. Queen, 46, a native of Kansas City, Kansas, first joined the Justice Department as a trial attorney in the Civil Division in May of 1962 and transferred to the Civil Rights Division in April of 1965. As chief of litigation for the state of Louisiana prior to the division's recent re-organization, Mr. Queen appeared in court for the United States in all civil rights cases in the area during a three-year period.

-- Milton C. Branch, Assistant U. S. Attorney for Colorado. Mr. Branch, 49, a native of Chicago, joined the U.S. Attorney's office in 1963 and has been involved in a large number of grand jury investigations and prosecutions. In 1965 Mr. Branch investigated a number of Mississippi civil rights violations for the Department. Earlier this year, he temporarily joined the staff of the U. S. Attorney in Brooklyn, New York, to prosecute criminal cases and help clear a big backlog of cases.

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He will become a special assistant to Mr. Leonard during the special investigation.

-- Robert J. Breakstone, Assistant U. S. Attorney in Chicago. Mr. Breakstone, 30, a native of New York, has been an Assistant U. S. Attorney in Chicago since 1968. He has handled grand jury investigations and prosecutions of many different types of cases since his appointment.

-- Maceo Hubbard, the Acting Chief of the Criminal Section of the Civil Rights Division and a Supervisory Trial Attorney.

Mr. Hubbard, a native of Pennsylvania, has been with the the Department of Justice since 1946. He was with the old Civil Rights Section of the Criminal Division from 1946 to 1956; and from 1956 until his retirement last year he was with the Civil Rights Division where he was Chief of the Eastern Section.

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Los Angeles Calif 90049
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We can not condone or look the other way while properly constituted authorities exercise illegal means to their end, controlling (or suppressing) an unpopular group.

If Hampton was indeed murdered in his bed, then the murderers must be brought to justice, all the more so if they were police.

What is your office planning to do?

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Yours,

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Mr. Mohr	✓
Mr. Bishop	✓
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/s/ [redacted] b7C

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I can assure you that the FBI has never exercised illegal means to suppress or control any group nor has it condoned such action by others. Our Agents seeking [redacted] [redacted] did not act improperly in any manner. They were fulfilling their responsibility for the investigation of violations of the laws of the United States as we would do in any case within our jurisdiction.

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Sincerely yours,
J. Edgar Hoover

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Reply coordinated with General Investigative Division.

Assistant Attorney General
Civil Rights Division

December 22, 1969

Director, FBI

**SERGEANT DANIEL GROTH AND OTHERS,
POLICE OFFICERS, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS;
FRED HAMPTON, MARK CLARK,
AND OTHERS - VICTIMS
CIVIL RIGHTS**

1 - Mr. DeLoach
1 - Mr. Rosen
1 - Mr. Malley
1 - Mr. [redacted]
1 - Mr. [redacted]
1 - Mr. Mohr
1 - Mr. Callahan
1 - Mr. Bishop
1 - Mr. Conrad

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This is to confirm discussion between Deputy Assistant Attorney General James Turner and Mr. A. Rosen of this Bureau on December 19, 1969.

In accordance with the request of the United States Attorney, Chicago, Illinois, the premises at 2337 West Monroe, Chicago, Illinois, will be examined for pertinent information to assist you in presenting this matter to a Federal Grand Jury. In that regard a diagram of the area involved will be prepared.

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NOTE: SAC Johnson, Chicago, telephonically advised 12/19/69 that U. S. Attorney, Chicago, had made arrangements to obtain access to premises at 2337 West Monroe, Chicago, Illinois which premises have been sealed off by local police. It is therefore necessary for the Laboratory and the Exhibits Section to make an appropriate examination of the premises to assist in the presentation of this matter to the Federal Grand Jury. The Laboratory Exhibits have been advised and arrangements made for examination of the premises on Monday, 12/22/69.

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ATTN: ASSISTANT DIRECTOR ALEX ROSEN
FROM CHICAGO (44-1503) 2P

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BLAIR ANDERSON; RONALD SATCHEL; ET AL - VICTIMS.
SUMMARY PUNISHMENT. CIVIL RIGHTS.

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CR RE CHICAGO TEL CALL TO BUREAU TODAY.

AT FOUR ZERO FIVE P.M. THIS DATE, FIRST ASSISTANT
UNITED STATES ATTORNEY JOHN B. SCHMETTERER ADVISED THAT HE
HAD BEEN IN CONTACT WITH CORONER ANDREW TOMAN. CORONER HAS
ADVISED THAT AS PREMISES AT TWO THREE THREE SEVEN WEST MONROE,
CHICAGO, NOW SEALED AND UNDER CONTROL OF CORONER, HE WILL GRANT
ACCESS TO FBI AT ANY TIME IN ORDER THAT EXHIBIT SECTION MAY PREPARE
SKETCH AND MOCK-UP AND LABORATORY CAN MAKE EFFORT TO DETERMINE
TRAJECTORY OF BULLETS. ACCESS WILL BE GRANTED BY PHONE CALL TO
CHIEF DEPUTY CORONER KYRAN PHELAN, TELEPHONE THREE TWO ONE SIX
ONE SIX ONE, CHICAGO. SCHMETTERER STATED HE HAS BEEN IN

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TELEPHONIC CONTACT WITH CIVIL RIGHTS SECTION, DEPT. OF JUSTICE,
AND REQUESTS THAT INVESTIGATION AT ABOVE ADDRESS BE CONDUCTED
AT EARLIEST POSSIBLE DATE, PREFERABLY FIRST THING MONDAY, DEC.
TWO NEXT.

CHICAGO RECOMMENDS REPRESENTATIVES OF LABORATORY
AND EXHIBIT SECTION PROCEED TO CHICAGO IN ACCORDANCE WITH ABOVE
REQUEST. CHICAGO WILL MAKE APPROPRIATE ARRANGEMENTS FOR
ACCESS TO ABOVE PREMISES UPON RECEIPT OF INFORMATION FROM
BUREAU AS TO ARRIVAL TIME OF REPRESENTATIVES FROM LABORATORY
AND EXHIBIT SECTION.

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*SA's Zimmerman & [redacted] Lab.
& Exhibits employees - arrived
Chicago about 6:30 PM 12/2/69*

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RE CHICAGO TEL DECEMBER FIFTEEN LAST.

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PANTHER PARTY CHICAGO WAS ADVISING NEWS MEDIA THAT FBI,
CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY
CIA, LOCAL POLICE AND STATE'S ATTORNEY'S POLICE WERE
AT TWENTYTHREE THIRTYSEVEN WEST MONROE, SCENE OF
DECEMBER FOUR SHOOTOUT, AND REFUSING ADMITTANCE TO BPP
MEMBERS.

SUBSEQUENTLY, AT TWELVE FIFTY PM ATTORNEY JAMES
MONTGOMERY CONTACTED CHICAGO FBI OFFICE TO ADVISE THAT
POLICE OFFICERS AT ABOVE ADDRESS THIS AM ADVISED BOBBY
RUSH, DEPUTY DEFENSE MINISTER ILLINOIS BPP, THAT THEY
HAD A SEARCH WARRANT FOR PURPOSE OF SEARCHING OUTER HALLS
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OF BUILDING. ACCORDING TO MONTGOMERY, OFFICERS WERE ASKED TO LEAVE WHICH THEY DID, HOWEVER, RETURNED SHORTLY AND THEN REFUSED BPP MEMBERS ACCESS TO THE APARTMENT.

MONTGOMERY ADVISED NOTIFYING FBI IN VIEW OF HIS BELIEF FBI OR JUSTICE DEPARTMENT LOOKING INTO SHOOTING INCIDENT.

AT THREE TWENTYSEVEN PM DENNIS CUNNINGHAM, ATTORNEY FOR BPP, TELEPHONICALLY CONTACTED SAC TO ADVISE THAT ATTORNEYS FOR BPP AND VICTIMS HAD DECIDED THAT THEY DID NOT FEEL JUSTICE DEPARTMENT COULD HELP THEM AND THEREFORE TAKING POSITION THAT THEY WOULD NOT VOLUNTARILY COOPERATE WITH ANY FBI INVESTIGATION. STATED DECISION BASED ON NEWSPAPER ARTICLES REPORTING FEDERAL INVESTIGATION OF BPP. FURTHER STATED DECISION ACTUALLY REACHED MONDAY NIGHT DECEMBER FIFTEEN LAST. HOWEVER, HE WAS "TOO BUSY" TO CONTACT SAC. COMMENTED THAT UNDOUBTEDLY THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT COULD OBTAIN ACCESS TO PREMISES AT TWENTYTHREE THIRTYSEVEN WEST MONROE, THROUGH LEGAL ACTION AND THAT "OF COURSE THEY COULD NOT PREVENT THAT." STATED "POLITICALLY IMPOSSIBLE FOR BPP TO VOLUNTARILY COOPERATE."

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CUNNINGHAM STATED STATES ATTORNEYS POLICE "USING SOME KIND OF WARRANT" WERE AT ABOVE MONROE STREET PREMISES AT APPROXIMATELY TEN THIRTY AM TODAY AND WERE DENYING EVERYONE ACCESS TO PREMISES UNLESS THEY COULD PRESENT LEASE AGREEMENT. STATED HE RECOGNIZED THIS WAS NOT INVOLVED WITH ANY FBI INVESTIGATION.

COOK COUNTY STATES ATTORNEY EDWARD V. HANRAHAN TELEPHONICALLY CONTACTED SAC TODAY, STATING HIS OFFICE WAS CONDUCTING INVESTIGATION REGARDING THE SHOOTING INCIDENT AND DESIRED TO KNOW IF FBI COULD "HAVE AN OBSERVER PRESENT," DURING ALL PHASES OF THEIR INVESTIGATION. HE WAS ADVISED THIS WOULD NOT BE POSSIBLE AT WHICH TIME HE STATED THAT HE ANTICIPATED THIS COULD NOT BE DONE. HE DID NOT MENTION THAT HIS INVESTIGATORS WERE SEARCHING ABOVE MENTIONED PREMISES.

NO PRESS INQUIRIES HAVE BEEN RECEIVED AT THE CHICAGO FBI OFFICE REGARDING THIS MATTER.

BUREAU WILL BE KEPT ADVISED OF ALL PERTINENT DEVELOPMENTS.

END

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C-MR. ROSEN

December 18, 1969
GENERAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

Attached sets forth developments in relation to the killing of two Black Panthers and wounding of others during raid on Black Panther Party (BPP) headquarters by Chicago police officers on 12/4/69. Attorney for BPP advised SAC, Chicago 12/17/69 that attorneys for BPP and victims had decided Justice Department could not help them and therefore they would not cooperate with any FBI investigation.

The Attorney General has instructed Assistant Attorney General Leonard, Civil Rights Division (CRD), handle presentment of this matter to Federal Grand Jury in Chicago as soon as possible and no investigation being conducted by Bureau. Deputy Assistant Attorney General James Turner, CRD, who is assisting Mr. Leonard, was furnished pertinent information in attached.

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Assistant Attorney General EX-102
Civil Rights Division

Director, FBI

December 19, 1969

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SERGEANT DANIEL GROTH AND OTHERS,
POLICE OFFICERS, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS
FRED HAMPTON, MARK CLARK,
AND OTHERS - VICTIMS
CIVIL RIGHTS

1 - Mr. DeLoach
1 - Mr. Rosen
1 - Mr. Malley
1 - Mr. [redacted]
1 - Mr. [redacted]

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The following information is being furnished in connection
with your interest in the captioned matter.

A confidential informant*, who has furnished reliable information
in the past, advised our Chicago Office on December 17, 1969, that the
Black Panther Party in Chicago was advising news media that the FBI,
Central Intelligence Agency, local police and State's Attorney's Police
were at 2337 West Monroe, the scene of the December 4, 1969, shootout,
and refusing admittance to Black Panther Party members. Subsequently,
on the same date, James Montgomery, an attorney for members of the
Black Panther Party, contacted our Chicago Office to advise the police
officers at the aforementioned address advised Bobby Rush, Deputy
Defense Minister, Illinois Black Panther Party, that they had a search
warrant for searching the outer halls of the building. According to
Montgomery the officers were asked to leave, which they did; however,
returned shortly and then refused Black Panther Party members access
to the apartment.

At 3:27 p. m., December 17, 1969, Dennis Cunningham, attorney
for the Black Panther Party, telephonically contacted the Special Agent
in Charge of our Chicago Office to advise that attorneys for the Black
Panther Party and victims had decided they did not feel the Justice
Department could help them and were therefore taking the position that
they would not voluntarily cooperate with any FBI investigation. It was
further stated the decision was actually reached on the night of
December 15, 1969, however, Cunningham was "too busy" to contact the
Chicago Office. He commented that undoubtedly the Federal Government
could obtain access to the premises at 2337 West Monroe through legal
action and that "of course they could not prevent that." He said that it is
impossible for the Black Panther Party to voluntarily cooperate."

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**Assistant Attorney General
Civil Rights Division**

Cunningham also stated that the State's Attorney's Police were "using some kind of warrant" at the Monroe Street premises at approximately 10:30 a. m. on December 17, 1969, and were denying everyone access to the premises unless they could present a lease agreement. He said he recognized this was not involved with any FBI investigation.

Edward V. Hanrahan, Cook County State's Attorney, telephonically contacted the Special Agent in Charge of our Chicago Office on December 17, 1969, and stated his office was conducting an investigation regarding the shooting incident and desired to know if the FBI could "have an observer present during all phases of their investigation." He was advised this would not be possible. He did not mention that his investigators were searching the premises at the aforementioned location.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. Conrad *we*

DATE 1/5/70

FROM : R. H. Jevons *RH*

SUBJECT: SERGEANT DANIEL GROTH; JAMES DAVIS;
JOHN CIEZEMSKI; EDWARD CARMODY; ET AL,
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS, POLICE OFFICERS -
SUBJECTS; FRED HAMPTON (DECEASED);
MARK CLARK (DECEASED); BLANDA HARRIS,
VERLINE BREWER; BLAIN ANDERSON;
RONALD STACHEL, ET AL - VICTIMS;
SUMMARY PUNISHMENT - CIVIL RIGHTS

1 - Mr. Conrad
1 - Office, 7133
1 - Mr. Zimmers

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On December 22, 1969, and on December 29 through December 31, 1969, Special Agents Robert M. Zimmers and [redacted] of the Firearms Unit of the Laboratory, accompanied by representatives of the Exhibits Section, [redacted] and [redacted] conducted an on-the-scene examination of the premises at 2337 West Monroe Street, Chicago, Illinois, where, on December 4, 1969, the above-named subjects are alleged to have shot and killed the victims, Hampton and Clark, while conducting a raid on the above premises.

The purpose of the examination at the scene was to determine, if possible, the magnitude of weaponry used by the subjects, types of weapons used, trajectory of fire, recover evidence of value that would assist in reconstructing the events that took place on December 4, 1969, and take what measurements were necessary [redacted] the premises for subsequent use at a Federal Grand Jury scheduled to convene on January 5, 1970.

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Enclosure

- 1 - Mr. Mohr, Enclosure
- 1 - Mr. DeLoach, Enclosure
- 1 - Mr. Rosen, Enclosure
- 1 - Mr. Bishop, Enclosure
- 1 - Mr. Callahan, Enclosure
- 1 - Mr. Walters, Enclosure
- 1 - Mr. [redacted] Room 2204, Enclosure

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SERGEANT DANIEL GROTH; JAMES DAVIS;
JOHN CISZEWSKI; EDWARD CARMODY; ET AL,
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS, POLICE OFFICERS -
SUBJECTS; FRED HAMPTON (DECEASED);
MARK CLARK (DECEASED); BRENDA HARRIS,
VERLINE BREWER; BLAIN ANDERSON;
RONALD STACHEL, ET AL - VICTIMS;
SUMMARY PUNISHMENT - CIVIL RIGHTS
44-44202

Numerous bullet holes and shot holes were found in the walls in the apartment. Pertinent measurements were taken and the trajectory pattern of the bullets producing the holes were plotted. Numerous items of evidence for subsequent Laboratory examination were recovered and listed with Deputy Coroner Anthony R. Sciaraffa, Cook County, Illinois, and removed from the premises with his permission.

The items recovered are listed on the attached sheet.

ACTION: Upon completion of the Laboratory examinations, Chicago will be advised of the results of the examination by Laboratory report. The report will also include results obtained from the examination at the premises.

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The following items recovered at the scene were personally delivered to the Laboratory for examination by Special Agents Robert M. Zimmers and [REDACTED]

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ENCLOSURE

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO

Mr. Callahan

DATE 12/24/69

FROM

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SUBJECT:

SERGEANT DANIEL GROTH, ET AL.;
BLAIR ANDERSON, ET AL., VICTIMS;
CIVIL RIGHTS

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Walters ✓
Mohr ✓
Bishop ✓
Casper ✓
Callahan ✓
Conrad ✓
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Gale ✓
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This is the case involving a raid by the Chicago Police Department on an apartment at 2337 West Monroe Street on 12/4/69 during which two Black Panthers were killed. The Department previously had requested Bureau assistance in preparing items for use by a Federal Grand Jury. Bulet to the Assistant Attorney General, Civil Rights Division (Mr. Jerris Leonard) dated 12/22/69 confirmed the discussion with Deputy Assistant Attorney James Turner stating that the Bureau would examine the above-mentioned premises and that a diagram of the area involved would be prepared.

Accordingly, on that date Exhibits Section personnel [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] and Laboratory Personnel Special Agents Robert M. Zimmers and [REDACTED] began work at the apartment. They were informed by Mr. Leonard that in addition to [REDACTED] he desires, if possible, [REDACTED] b7C

The building has three levels with the first being a basement partially out of ground. He also desires to have [REDACTED] Photographs were also requested and these will be utilized [REDACTED]

Mr. Leonard advised the Federal Grand Jury is to begin hearing witnesses 1/5/70 and that he desires to have the exhibit material, [REDACTED] as soon as possible thereafter. Exhibits Section can do this. It is estimated that we could complete [REDACTED] by 1/9/70 [REDACTED] by 1/20/70. These dates, of course, are subject to change based upon what

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- 1 - Mr. DeLoach
- 1 - Mr. Rosen
- 1 - Mr. Bishop
- 1 - Mrs. Conrad
- 1 - Mr. [REDACTED]
- 1 - Mr. [REDACTED]

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Memorandum to Mr. Callahan
Re: SERGEANT DANIEL GROTH, ET AL.;
BLAIR ANDERSON, ET AL., VICTIM;
CIVIL RIGHTS

we find when we get further into it but both items in any event will be handled as rapidly as possible.

By teletype 12/23/69 SAC, Chicago advised that Mr. Leonard had advised arrangements had been made for Laboratory employees Robert M. Zimmers and [redacted] and Exhibits Section employees [redacted] and [redacted] to have access to the apartment at 9:00 a.m. on Monday, 12/29/69.

RECOMMENDATION:

That Exhibits Section prepare the [redacted]
[redacted] and [redacted] will depart for Chicago on Sunday evening 12/28/69 accompanied by Visual Information Specialist [redacted] who will be needed to take certain measurements with respect to [redacted] the apartment.

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TO DIRECTOR (44-44202)

(ATTN; ASSISTANT DIRECTOR ALEX ROSEN)

FROM CHICAGO (44-1503) (P)

VIA TELETYPE

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Mr. Tolson	✓
Mr. DeLoach	✓
Mr. Walters	✓
Mr. Mohr	✓
Mr. Bishop	✓
Mr. Casper	✓
Mr. Callahan	✓
Mr. Conrad	✓
Mr. Felt	✓
Mr. Gale	✓
Mr. Rosen	✓
Mr. Sullivan	✓
Mr. Tavel	✓
Mr. Swans	✓
Tele. Room	✓
Miss Holmes	✓
Miss Gandy	✓

SGT. DANIEL R. BROTH; JAMES DAVIS; JOHN CISZEWSKI;
EDWARD CARMODY; ET AL, CHICAGO POLICE OFFICERS; FRED A.
HAMPTON (DECEASED); MARK CLARK (DECEASED); BRENDA HARRIS;
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OF CHICAGO HAD BEEN EMPLOYED BY BLACK PANTHER
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EXHIBIT SECTION PERSONNEL PRESENTLY IN CHICAGO PREPARING
CHARTS AND PROJECTORY OF BULLETS.

ALSO, CHICAGO OFFICE ALERTED AAG JERRIS LEONARD THIS
DATE TO EXTENSIVE ON-STREET INTERVIEWS BY WBBM RADIO REPORTER
JOE CUMMINGS OF CHICAGO PD PERSONNEL, BPP MEMBERS AND OTHERS
AT SCENE OF SHOOT OUT DECEMBER FOUR LAST. SUBPOENA ISSUED INS-
TANT TO BE PRESENTED FOR USE
BY FGJ JANUARY SEVEN NEXT. b3 Rule 6(e) F.R.C.P.

CHICAGO FOLLOWING. BUREAU WILL BE KEPT ADVISED
PERTINENT DEVELOPMENTS.
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (44-44202)

DATE: 12/31/69

FROM : SAC, CHICAGO (44-1503)

ATTENTION: MECHANICAL SECTION

SUBJECT: SGT. DANIEL R. GROTH; JAMES DAVIS;
JOHN CISZEWSKI; EDWARD CARMODY; ET AL,
CHICAGO POLICE OFFICERS;
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Transmitted herewith are ~~18~~ packages of negatives
and two packages of exposed undeveloped film.

Instant matter is presently subject of a FGJ
investigation in Chicago and a summary of investigation is
to be presented to the FGJ 1/6/70. Departmental Attorney
K. WILLIAM O'CONNOR has requested an 8 x 10 enlargements
of all the negatives be furnished 1/5/70 for review before
presentation to the FGJ.

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Bureau is requested to make ~~two~~ 8 x 10 enlargements
of each negative and forward same to Chicago.

Upon completion of this request the Bureau is
requested to furnish the negatives to the Exhibit Section
of the Laboratory. The Laboratory is also requested to keep
the negatives in the boxes in which they are contained and the
notes thereon together.

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January 5, 1970

Director, FBI (44-44202)-

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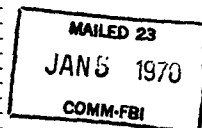
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pertaining to the above-captioned matter.

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Washington, D. C. 20537

**REPORT**

of the

IDENTIFICATION DIVISION**LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION**

YOUR FILE NO. 44-1803
 FBI FILE NO. 44-44202
 LATENT CASE NO. A-15562

January 6, 1970

TO SAC, Chicago

SGT. DANIEL GROTH, JAMES DAVIS,
 JOHN CIEZEWSKI, EDWARD CARMODY, ET AL.
 CHICAGO, ILLINOIS, POLICE OFFICERS - SUBJECTS;
 FRED HAMPTON (DECEASED)
 MARK CLARK (DECEASED)

RE BRENDIA HARRIS
 VERLINA BREWER
 BLAIR ANDERSON
 RONALD STACHEL, ET AL. - VICTIMS;
 SUMMARY PUNISHMENT - CIVIL RIGHTS

Evidence personally delivered to FBI Laboratory on
 REFERENCE: 12-31-68 by SA Robert M. Zimmers
 EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY: Chicago
 SPECIMENS: Q26, portion of door

The listed Q specimen is described in the
 Laboratory report, which is being furnished separately,
 and will include disposition of the item.

No latent prints of value present or developed
 on specimen.

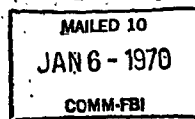
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John Edgar Hoover, Director

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

LATENTS

PS Recorded 1-5-70 4:45 p.m. Received 1-5-70 amb
Laboratory Work Sheet

Re:

SGT. DANIEL GROTH, JAMES DAVIS;
JOHN CISEWICKY; EDWARD CARBONNY, et al.
Chicago, Illinois, Police Officers -
Subjects; FRED HAMPTON (DECEASED); MARK CLARK (DECEASED);
BRENDA HARRIS; VERLINA BREWER; BLAINE ANDERSON;
RONALD EYRE STACHSEL, et al - Victims; PRIMARY PUNISHMENT - CIVIL
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LC# A-15552

File # 44-44202 32

Lab. # PC-C3501 FA LX

F. B. I.

Examination requested by:

Examination requested:

(FBI, Chicago (4401503) Mem. to Chicago 1/5/70

Fingerprints (GHA) - Chemical Analyses -

12/31/69 per del

Result of Examination:

Fingerprint

Examination by:



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Evid personally delivered on 12/31/69, by SA Robert M. Zimmer
Noted By:

G26, only, for latent exam.

G26, portion of lead, damaged 1/13/70.

no latent exam -

Specimens submitted for examination

Description & disposition by Lab.

- Q1 Piece of wallboard from inside wall to right of front entrance door (#1)
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Examination completed 1145 AM 1-3-70 Dictated 1-5-70
Time Date Date

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Numerous bullet holes and shot holes were found in the walls in the apartment. Pertinent measurements were taken and the trajectory pattern of the bullets producing the holes were plotted. Numerous items of evidence for subsequent Laboratory examination were recovered and listed with Deputy Coroner Anthony R. Sciaraffa, Cook County, Illinois, and removed from the premises with his permission.

The items recovered are listed on the attached sheet.

Upon completion of the Laboratory examinations, Chicago will be advised of the results of the examination by Laboratory report. The report will also include results obtained from the examination at the premises.

RECOMMENDATION: That this memorandum be used for transmittal of evidence to the Laboratory for recording purposes.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. Callahan

DATE 1/2/70

FROM :

SUBJECT: SERGEANT DANIEL GROTH, ET AL.;
BLAIR ANDERSON, ET AL., VICTIMS;
CIVIL RIGHTS

Re my memo 12/24/69.

b3 Rule 6(e) F.R.C.P.

This case involves a raid by Chicago Police Department on an apartment at 2337 West Monroe Street, Chicago, Illinois, on 12/4/69 during which two Black Panthers were killed. As indicated in referenced memorandum, Exhibits Section employees [redacted] and [redacted] went to Chicago on evening of 12/28/69 and took measurements of the apartment on 12/29-31/69. These men returned to Washington on the evening of 12/31/69 and work [redacted] is going forward.

Assistant Attorney General Jerris Leonard, Civil Rights Division, has requested that Exhibits Section personnel return to Chicago on the afternoon of 1/5/70 for conference with Departmental personnel. Additional survey of site will be needed in order to plot all bullet holes as requested by Mr. Leonard. Arrangements have been made for [redacted] and [redacted] to report to Chicago at the appointed time. [redacted] will remain in Washington to work [redacted] is needed by 1/9/70.

As previously noted, [redacted] with selected photographs thereon, will be completed by 1/9/70 [redacted] by 1/20/70. These time estimates are based on present findings and requests and are subject

- 1 - Mr. DeLoach
- 1 - Mr. Rosen
- 1 - Mr. Bishop
- 1 - Mr. Conrad
- 1 - Mr. [redacted]
- 1 - Mr. [redacted]

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Re: SERGEANT DANIEL GROTH, ET AL.;
BLAIR ANDERSON, ET AL., VICTIMS;
CIVIL RIGHTS

to change if additional items or details are required. This will entail considerable overtime work for both Graphic Presentation and Visual Presentation Units of the Exhibits Section.

RECOMMENDATION:

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For information. [] and [] will depart for Chicago on 1/5/70 to attend conference with Departmental personnel and perform any further "on-site" survey work required.

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544PM URGENT 1-8-70 BCK

TO DIRECTOR (44-44202)

(ATTN: ASST. DIRECTOR ALEX ROSEN)

FROM CHICAGO (44-1503) (P) 2P

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SGT. DANIEL R. GROTH; JAMES DAVIS; JOHN CISZEWSKI;
EDWARD CARMODY; ET AL, CHICAGO POLICE OFFICERS; FRED
A. HAMPTON (DECEASED); MARK CLARK (DECEASED); BRENDA
HARRIST; VERLINA BREWER; BLAIR J. ANDERSON; RONALD SATCHEL;
ET AL - VICTIMS. SUMMARY PUNISHMENT - CR.

REMYTEL JANUARY SIX LAST.

b3 Rule 6(e) F.R.C.P.

APPROXIMATELY

[REDACTED] FOR BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP) RECEIVED INTO
EVIDENCE BY JANUARY FBI CHICAGO WHICH [REDACTED] WAS REVIEWED BY
FBI LABORATORY AND BALISTIC PERSONNEL. LAB EXHIBIT PERSONNEL
[REDACTED] AND [REDACTED] RETURNING SOG INSTANT. b7C

BULLET MARKS REPORTED LOCATED IN RESIDENCE ADJACENT TO
BPP APARTMENT TWENTY-THREE THIRTY-SEVEN WEST MONROE
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CC [REDACTED]
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STREET BUT NOT AVAILABLE FOR EXAMINATION BY FBI LAB PERSONNEL
UNTIL JANUARY NINE NEXT, AFTER WHICH AGENTS ROBERT ZIMMERS
AND [REDACTED] WILL RETURN TO SOG PM JANUARY NINE NEXT. b7C

CHICAGO FOLLOW. BUREAU WILL BE KEPT ADVISED OF
PERTINENT DEVELOPMENTS.

END

REM FBI WASH DC

By LEW/LM

CC-Movement + Mr. Conrad

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605 PM URGENT 12-31-69 EOM

TO DIRECTOR (44-44282)

ATTN: ASSISTANT DIRECTOR ALEX ROSEN.

FROM CHICAGO (44-1583) (P) 2P

SGT. DANIEL R. BROTH; JAMES DAVIS; JOHN CISZEWSKI;
EDWARD CARMODY; ET AL, CHICAGO POLICE OFFICERS; FRED A. HAMPTON
(DECEASED); MARK CLARK (DECEASED); BRENDA HARRIS; VERLINA
BREWER; BLAIR J. ANDERSON; RONALD HAZARD; ~~ET AL~~ MS.
SUMMARY PUNISHMENT - CR.

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RENYTEL DECEMBER THIRTY LAST, AND CHICAGO LETTER TO
BUREAU, ATTENTION MECHANICAL SECTION, INSTANT DATE.

PROCESSING OF HAMPTON APARTMENT CONTINUED TODAY WITH COOK
COUNTY STATES ATTORNEY RETURNING TWO DOORS TO ASSIST BUREAU
IN ASCERTAINING PROJECTORY OF BULLETS. DEPARTMENTAL ATTORNEY
K. WILLIAM O'CONNOR, AND DEPUTY CORONER PRESENT DURING
PROCESSING. LAB AND EXHIBIT SECTION PERSONNEL [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] ROBERT ZIMMER, [REDACTED] AND [REDACTED] RETURNING SOG
THIS PM. [REDACTED] AND [REDACTED] TO RETURN CHICAGO JANUARY FIVE NEXT
TO COMPLETE EXAMINATION AND TO APPEAR BEFORE PG 1070 JANUARY SIX NEXT.
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intention of
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DEPARTMENTAL ATTORNEYS TO BE CONTACTED BY BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP) ATTORNEYS JANUARY TWO NEXT. HOWEVER, IN EVENT BPP ATTORNEYS AND VICTIMS REFUSE TO COOPERATE, SUBPOENAS WILL BE ISSUED FOR THEIR APPEARANCE AND FOR PRODUCTION OF EVIDENCE THEY ALLEGEDLY REMOVED FROM HAMPTON APARTMENT.

END

REM FBI WASH DC

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7:02PM URGENT 1-9-70 NLW

TO DIRECTOR (44-44202)

(ATTN: ASSISTANT DIRECTOR, ALEX ROSEN)

FROM CHICAGO (44-1503) (P) 2P

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SGT. DANIEL R. GROTH; JAMES DAVIS; JOHN
CISZEWSKI; EDWARD CARMODY; ET AL, CHICAGO POLICE
OFFICERS; FRED A. HAMPTON (DECEASED); MARK CLARK
(DECEASED); BRENDA HARRIS; VERLINA BREWER; BLAIR
J. ANDERSON; RONALD SATCHEL; ET AL-VICTIMS. SUMMARY
PUNISHMENT - CR.

REMYTEL JANUARY EIGHT LAST.

FBI LAB PERSONNEL, ROBERT ZIMMERS AND

COMPLETED THEIR EXAMINATIONS AND RETURNING
SOG INSTANT.

FIRST AUSA JACK SCHMETTERER TO MEET WITH FIRST
ASSISTANT ATTORNEY THOMAS HETT, JANUARY TEN NEXT,
TO ATTEMPT TO SECURE RELEASE OF EVIDENCE UNDER SUBPOENA BY
STATES ATTORNEY BUT IN POSSESSION CHICAGO PD CRIME LAB
AND ALSO STATES ATTORNEYS' GUNS USED IN BLACK PANTHER
PARTY (BPP) RAID DECEMBER FOUR LAST, FOR FORWARDING SOG
FOR FBI LAB EXAMINATIONS.

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DEPARTMENTAL ATTORNEYS DURING COMING WEEK WILL BE REVIEWING
EXTENSIVE TV VIDEO TAPE RECORDED BY NEWS MEDIA AT SCENE OF BPP
RAID.

CHICAGO FOLLOWING. BUREAU WILL BE KEPT ADVISED
OF PERTINENT DEVELOPMENTS.

END

WA...JDR

FBI WASH DC

Noted in
Comm. Sect
By LEW/PRK

CC - MR. CONRAD'S MOVEMENT

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. Conrad

1 - Mr. Conrad
1 - Office, 7133
DATE: 1/14/70
1 - Mr. [redacted]

FROM : R. H. Jevons

SUBJECT: SERGEANT DANIEL GROTH; JAMES DAVIS;
JOHN CISZEWSKI; EDWARD CARMODY; ET AL,
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS POLICE OFFICERS -
SUBJECTS;
FRED HAMPTON (DECEASED); MARK CLARK (DECEASED);
BRENDA HARRIS; VERLINA BREWER; BLAIR ANDERSON;
RONALD STACHEL, ET AL - VICTIMS;
SUMMARY PUNISHMENT - CIVIL RIGHTS

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This case involves the incident on December 4, 1969, where the above-named subjects are alleged to have shot and killed the above-named victims, Hampton and Clark, while conducting a raid on the premises located at 2337 West Monroe Street, Chicago, Illinois. With prior Bureau approval, on-the-scene examinations of the premises were conducted by Special Agents Robert M. Zimmers and [redacted] of the Firearms Unit of the Laboratory. These examinations were conducted at the request of the Department for use before a Federal Grand Jury.

As a result of the on-scene examinations, the following items of possible evidentiary value were recovered for subsequent Laboratory examination:

- Q27) Bullet jacket fragment recovered from southwest corner of kitchen
- Q28 and Q29) Two cartridges recovered from clothes bundle in entrance hall
- Q30) Blood sample removed from black eight drawer dresser in living room.

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1 - Mr. Mohr
1 - Mr. DeLoach
1 - Mr. Rosen
1 - Mr. Bishop
1 - Mr. Callahan
1 - Mr. [redacted]

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Memorandum to Mr. Conrad

Re: SERGEANT DANIEL GROTH; JAMES DAVIS;
JOHN CISZEWSKI; EDWARD CARMODY; ET AL,
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS POLICE OFFICERS -
SUBJECTS;
FRED HAMPTON (DECEASED); MARK CLARK (DECEASED);
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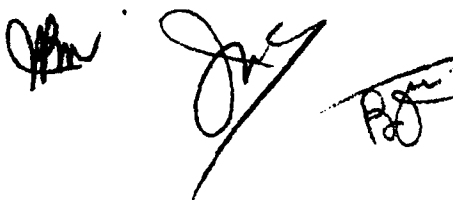
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This evidence and two other items, a hassock and man's suit coat, which will be submitted to the Laboratory by FBI, Chicago, were listed with Deputy Coroner Anthony Sciaraffa, Cook County, Illinois, and removed from the premises with his permission.

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Evidentiary items recovered at the scene were personally delivered to the Laboratory by Special Agents Zimmers and

ACTION: This evidence is being given expeditious attention. Upon completion of the examinations, a report covering the results of the Laboratory and on-the-scene examinations will be submitted to the Chicago Office.



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Date: 1/12/70

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (44-4202)

ATTENTION: ADMIN
LABORATORY DIVISION
EXHIBIT SECTION

FROM: SAC, CHICAGO (44-1503)

SGT. DANIEL R. GROTH, ET AL;
FRED A. HAMPTON (DECEASED), ET AL -
VICTIMS
SUMMARY PUNISHMENT - CR

Enclosed herewith as requested by personnel of
the Exhibit Section are 33 photos reflecting photographs
taken at 2335 and 2337 W. Monroe, Chicago, Illinois.

Each photo has the area photographed noted on
the back.

The Exhibit Section is requested to dispose of
the photographs when they are no longer needed.

*Encl. removed in Exh Sect.
no reply necessary 1/15/70*

② - Bureau (Encls. 33) ENCLOSURE
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Approved: _____ Sent _____ M Per _____
Special Agent in Charge

FBI

Date: 1/14/70

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (44-44202) ATTENTION: EXHIBITS SECTION
FROM: SAC, CHICAGO (44-1503)

SGT. DANIEL R. GROTH, ET AL;
FRED A. HAMPTON (DECEASED),
ET AL - VICTIMS
SUMMARY PUNISHMENT - CR

Re Chicago telephone call to Exhibit Section,
1/13/70.

Enclosed herewith are 2 photos reflecting location
of vent in front room of building at 2337 W. Monroe, Chicago,
Illinois. The photos were taken from the front door looking
toward the south wall of the living room.

When they are no longer needed the Bureau is
requested to dispose of the photos.

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to [] 1/19/70

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. Callahan

DATE: 1/14/70

FROM : [REDACTED]

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SUBJECT: SERGEANT DANIEL GROTH, ET AL.;
BLAIR ANDERSON, ET AL., VICTIMS;
CIVIL RIGHTS

This is the case involving the killing of two members of the Black Panther Party and the wounding of others by Chicago Police officers on 12/4/69. Previous memoranda advised that Exhibits Section personnel had surveyed the building involved in Chicago [REDACTED] for use before the Federal Grand Jury at Chicago [REDACTED] to Chicago by 1/20/70.

b3 Rule 6(e) F.R.C.P.

[REDACTED] and we anticipate shipping it from Friendship Airport on United Airlines Flight #2881 departing 1:00 a.m. on 1/20/70 arriving Chicago 1:45 a.m. CST same date. This information has been furnished to SAC, Chicago.

On 1/14/70 SAC Johnson advised he is making necessary arrangements to transport [REDACTED] from O'Hare Field, Chicago, to the Federal Building on the morning of 1/20/70. Departmental Attorney has advised him the testimony of Visual Information Specialist [REDACTED] will be needed on 1/21/70 before the Grand Jury.

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RECOMMENDATION:

For information.

- 1 - Mr. DeLoach
- 1 - Mr. Rosen
- 1 - Mr. Mohr
- 1 - Mr. Conrad
- 1 - Mr. [REDACTED]
- 1 - Mr. [REDACTED]

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PANTHERS 1/14 NX
 CHICAGO (UPI)--ATTORNEYS FOR THE BLACK PANTHER PARTY HAVE FAILED IN EFFORTS TO KEEP THREE DOCTORS FROM TESTIFYING BEFORE A COOK COUNTY GRAND JURY ABOUT THEIR INDEPENDENT AUTOPSY ON THE BODY OF SLAIN PANTHER LEADER FRED HAMPTON.

THE GRAND JURY IS ONE OF SEVERAL AGENCIES INVESTIGATING THE DEC. 4 POLICE RAID IN WHICH HAMPTON, 21, AND MARK CLARK, 22, WERE KILLED. SEVEN PANTHERS WHO SURVIVED THE RAID FACE CRIMINAL CHARGES. PANTHER LEGAL AIDES TUESDAY ASKED CHIEF U.S. DISTRICT COURT JUDGE WILLIAM J. CAMPBELL TO SET ASIDE SUBPOENAS FOR THE DOCTORS. THEY CONTEND THE RESULTS OF THE AUTOPSY ARE PRIVILEGED COMMUNICATION BETWEEN THE DOCTORS AND THE LEGAL STAFF DEFENDING THE SURVIVING PANTHERS AND THAT DISCLOSURE MIGHT BE UNNECESSARILY PREJUDICIAL TO THEIR DEFENSE.

PANTHER DEFENDERS HAVE ALSO SAID HAMPTON HAD TAKEN A LARGE DOSE OF A SLEEPING DRUG AND WAS "MURDERED" BY POLICE AS HE LAY IN BED.

COOK COUNTY JUDGE JOSEPH A. POWER AND THE ILLINOIS SUPREME COURT EARLIER HAD TURNED DOWN BIDS TO QUASH THE SUBPOENAS.

CAMPBELL ALSO DISMISSED THE PETITION, SAYING IT IS NOT THE DUTY OF A FEDERAL COURT TO RULE ON THE LEGALITY OF LOCAL PROCEEDINGS DURING THEIR EARLY STAGES. SUCH ISSUES MUST BE DECIDED AT THE CONCLUSION OF THE TRIAL IN AN APPEALS COURT, THE JUDGE SAID.

THE DOCTORS HAD ALREADY GIVEN MORE THAN AN HOUR'S TESTIMONY BEHIND CLOSED DOORS BY THE TIME CAMPBELL RULED ON THE MOTION.

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WASHINGTON CAPITAL NEWS SERVICE

FOR MR. TOLSON

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Date: 1/14/70

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (44-44202)

FROM : SAC, CHICAGO (44-1503)

SUBJECT: SERGEANT DANIEL R. GROTH;
JAMES DAVIS;
JOHN CISZEWSKI;
EDWARD CARMODY;
ET AL,
CHICAGO POLICE OFFICERS;
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MARK CLARK (DECEASED);
BRENDA HARRIS;
VERLINA BREWER;
BLAIR J. ANDERSON;
RONALD SACHEL;
ET AL - VICTIMS
SUMMARY PUNISHMENT - CR

ATTN: ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~
EXHIBIT SECTION

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Remyairtel dated 1/12/70.

DATE 8-5-81 BY SP-2
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Enclosed herewith are two 4" X 5" cut color film
holders of Extacolor Professional Film Type "S".

These films represent two photos each of _____
as follows:

b3 Rule 6(e) F.R.C.P.

_____ Grand Jury Exhibits 11 and 12.
_____ were made available by _____
on 1/14/70, to the FGJ, but because _____ had
to use _____ for testimony before the Cook County
Coroner's Jury and possibly other investigative bodies,
_____ were returned to him.

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Special Agent in Charge

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The Exhibit Section is requested to develop the four color negatives and to furnish the Chicago Office the following color prints:

1. Two contact prints, 4" X 5"
2. Four 8" X 10" prints
3. One print approximately four feet by five feet

The Exhibit Section is requested to return film and prints to the Chicago Office for use before the FGJ as soon as completed, it being noted that the FGJ is receiving testimony on a daily basis. 10x20 4x11 15

The gray card was used in the photos

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (44-44202)

DATE: 1/12/70

(Attention: FBI Laboratory)

FROM : SAC, CHICAGO (44-1503) (P)

SUBJECT: BGT. DANIEL R. GROTH;
JAMES DAVIS;
JOHN GISZEWSKI;
EDWARD CARMODY; ET AL,
CHICAGO POLICE OFFICERS;
FRED A. HAMPTON (DECEASED);
MARK CLARK (DECEASED);
BRENDA HARRIS;
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RONALD SATCHEL;
ET AL - VICTIMS
SUMMARY PUNISHMENT - CR

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Re Chicago tel to Bureau, 1/9/70.

Being forwarded under separate cover are: one hassock, one man's jacket, five packages of various pills, one empty pill box and one piece of lined paper sealed with evidence tape containing two orange pills or candies.

For the information of the Laboratory, on December 4, 1969, Chicago Police Officers assigned to the States Attorney's Office, Cook County, Chicago, Illinois, raided an apartment at 2337 West Monroe Street, Chicago, looking for a cache of weapons. In the ensuing gun battle FRED A. HAMPTON and MARK CLARK, members of the Black Panther Party, were killed. The FBI is assisting the Federal Grand Jury, Chicago, investigating this matter.

The Laboratory is requested to examine the hassock for any bullets or shotgun pellets that may be lodged in it.

The man's jacket should be examined for bullet holes and gun shot powder residue.

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The pills and one empty container should be tested to determine if any sleep inducing drugs are present or were contained in the empty pill box.

The evidence should be returned to Chicago when the requested examinations are completed.



**FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535**

1 - Mr. Rosen

Attn: Mr.

1 - Office, 7133 b7C

To: **FBI, Chicago (44-1503)**

Date: **January 26, 1970**

Re: **SERGEANT DANIEL GROTH; JAMES DAVIS;
JOHN CISZEWSKI; EDWARD CARMODY; et al
Chicago, Illinois, Police Officers - Subjects;
FRED HAMPTON (DECEASED); MARK
CLARK (DECEASED); BRENDA HARRIS;
VERLINA BREWER, BLAIR ANDERSON;
RONALD STACHEL; et al - Victims;
SUMMARY PUNISHMENT - CIVIL RIGHTS**

John Edgar Hoover
John Edgar Hoover, Director

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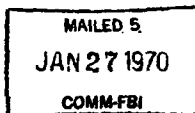
Examination requested by: **Chicago**

Reference: **(see paragraph below)**

Examination requested: **(see paragraph below)**

Remarks:

[Handwritten initials]
The following is a summary of the results of the on-the-scene examination of the premises at 2337 West Monroe Street, Chicago, Illinois conducted by Special Agents Robert M. Zimmers and of the FBI, Laboratory on December 22, 1969, December 29 through 31, 1969, and January 6 through 8, 1970. b7C



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LABORATORY DIVISION

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**FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535**

To: FBI, Chicago

Date: January 26, 1970

FBI File No. 44-44202

Re: SERGEANT DANIEL GROTH; JAMES DAVIS;
JOHN CISZEWSKI; EDWARD CARMODY; et al
Chicago, Illinois, Police Officers -
Subjects; FRED HAMPTON (DECEASED); MARK
CLARK (DECEASED); BRENDA HARRIS;
VERLINA BREWER, BLAIR ANDERSON;
RONALD STACHEL; et al - Victims;
SUMMARY PUNISHMENT - CIVIL RIGHTS

Lab. No. PC-C3581 FA LX
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PC-C3999 FA CC CW

Results of examination: (refer to diagram on page 6)

1. In the entrance hallway, two shot patterns are represented.

A. One shot fired from inside the hallway was fired laterally across the front door. This shot was fired from a shotgun using a shotshell loaded with Number 7 1/2 or 8 shot. The gauge of the shotgun is not known. Pieces of lead shot were recovered.

B. One shot is represented by a large hole in the southwest corner of the entrance hallway, 6' 7 1/2" above the floor. The hole is typical of one that could have been produced by a rifled slug. No slug was recovered. The trajectory of the missile producing this hole leads from an area in the northwest corner of the living room, through the doorway between the living room and entrance hallway, through the hole in the southwest corner of the entrance hallway into the stairway leading to an upstairs apartment to the west wall of the stairway. The shot with the trajectory described could have produced the hole in the panel of the living room door as shown in photographs made available for examination. The panel with the hole was missing from the door at the time the door was made available for examination.

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2. In the living room, forty-two bullet entrance holes were noted in the south wall, a bullet entrance hole was noted in the left side of the living room doorframe, a bullet entrance hole was found in a white four-drawer dresser in the living room with an accompanying exit hole in the back of the dresser, an impression of a bullet that keyholed and struck one of the dresser drawers of a black double dresser but did not exit the dresser and an area in the northwest corner of the living room approximately 80" from the floor that had been previously explored that could have represented either a bullet hole or shot pattern.

A. The bullets producing the forty-two entrance holes in the south wall of the living room all entered the front bedroom. Some penetrated the south wall of the front bedroom traveling through the partition and entered the back bedroom. It was possible, by plotting bullet trajectories from the living room through both north and south wall partitions in the front bedroom, to establish that nineteen of the forty-two bullets fired into the south wall of the living room entered the back bedroom.

B. One of the bullets fired through the south wall of the living room entered the closet in the front bedroom and exited through the closet in the back bedroom.

C. The bullet hole in the left doorframe of the living room door was 57 1/4" from the floor. The bullet had been removed previously. Its trajectory was nearly at right angles to the doorframe and level with the floor.

No bullets or lead shot were recovered in the living room.

3. In addition to bullet holes in the front bedroom that were produced by bullets passing through the front bedroom from shots fired in the living room, there were three shot patterns on the north wall of the front bedroom, six bullet holes in the east wall of the front bedroom, three bullet holes through the east wall of the closet in the front bedroom and five bullet holes in a dresser in the front bedroom.

A. Two shot patterns in the north wall of the front bedroom were produced by one or more shotguns firing shotshells loaded with Number 7 1/2 or 8 shot. These patterns were 47" and 56" from the northwest corner of the front bedroom and 42" and 31" from the floor respectively. The trajectory of these shots established that they were fired from the hallway through the open door to the front bedroom. Pieces of lead shot were recovered from both holes.

B. The third shot pattern on the north wall of the front bedroom was produced by a shotgun firing a shotshell loaded with 00 Buck. It was established that the trajectory of the shot producing this pattern led from the doorway between the kitchen and dining room to a point in the east wall of the dining room near the northeast corner, 14 1/4" from the ceiling, passing through the wall into and through the plasterboard portion of the closet above the closet entrance opening, to the north wall of the front bedroom. The pattern on the north wall of the front bedroom was 80 1/2" above the floor level. Pieces of lead shot were recovered.

C. Six bullet holes in the east wall of the front bedroom were produced by shots fired from the hallway through the open door to the front bedroom. Five caliber .45 Auto bullets were recovered from behind these holes. These were identified as having been fired from the same weapon. The trajectories of two of these shots led to two holes in the edge of the open door exposed to the hallway.

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D. Three bullet holes were in the east wall of the closet in the front bedroom. The shots producing these holes were fired from the hallway through the open door to the front bedroom. They penetrated the east wall of the closet, went through the south wall of the front bedroom and exited into the back bedroom. The trajectory of one of these bullets led to the right side of the window-frame of the left window in the back bedroom, the trajectory of another of the bullets led to the baseboard on the south wall of the back bedroom. The trajectory of the third shot led to and may have exited through the left window of the back bedroom.

E. There were eight holes in a six-drawer black dresser in the front bedroom. Three of these holes appeared to have been in the trajectory path of bullets fired through the south wall of the living room. The position of the dresser in the back bedroom appeared fixed on the basis of these trajectories. The trajectories of four other holes in the dresser led to shots fired into the front bedroom from the hallway through the open door to the front bedroom. All four of the bullets producing these holes lodged in the dresser and were apparently recovered by previous search.

In the right end of the dresser is a depression characteristic of one produced by a bullet ricochet. Its trajectory could not be established.

4. In the back bedroom were two shot patterns on the east wall 74" above floor level. The shots producing these holes appeared to have been fired from a direction of the door leading

to the back bedroom. The shot patterns are typical of those produced by buckshot. The area had been previously explored but one shot pellet remained at the time of the Laboratory examination of the scene, and it was removed for examination.

All other holes appearing in the back bedroom have been logically associated by trajectories from shot sources fired elsewhere in the apartment.

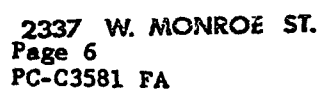
5. A part of the building at 2335 West Monroe Street, property next door to the apartment where the shooting occurred, is an enclosure referred to as a shed. This enclosure is over a porch leading to the back door of the apartment at 2335 West Monroe Street. On the side of this enclosure is a shot pattern typical of one produced by buckshot. The shot producing this pattern appeared to have been fired from the direction of the right window in the back bedroom.

Inside the enclosure was an indentation in the side of a washing machine stored there that could have been produced by buckshot, but nothing was found in the impression to permit its identification with buckshot.

In the kitchen door was a hole that penetrated the door. The trajectory of the missile producing this hole led to a corner of the kitchen. No projectiles were found. The enclosure and kitchen of the premises referred to had been previously explored.

No holes having the appearance of bullet holes were in the kitchen or dining room other than the shot hole near the northeast corner of the dining room that has been described above.

It was not possible to determine the sequence of the shots fired in the apartment.



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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: FBI, Chicago (44-1503)

Date: January 27, 1970

Re: SERGEANT DANIEL R. GROTH; JAMES DAVIS;
JOHN CISZEWSKI; EDWARD CARMODY, ET AL,
Chicago Police Officers; FRED A. HAMPTON
(deceased); MARK CLARK (deceased);
BRENDA HARRIS; VERLINA BREWER;
ELAIR J. ANDERSON; RONALD
SATCHEL; ET AL - VICTIMS;
SUMMARY PUNISHMENT - CR

J. Edgar Hoover
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John Edgar Hoover, Director

FBI File No. 44-44202-4/
Lab. No. PC-C3581 FA LX
PC-C3787 FA LX
PC-C3999 FA JA CW

Examination requested by: Chicago

Reference: (see below)

Examination requested: Firearms - Chemical Analyses - Fingerprint -
Miscellaneous

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Specimen Q26, part of the living room door, was obtained for fingerprint examination only and the results of that examination were reported separately.

The Chicago Police Department Laboratory, in response to our inquiry, advised that Fred Hampton belonged to blood group "O" and Mark Clark belonged to blood group "B." This information was contained in their Laboratory report E. I. 18785 dated January 12, 1970.

In a pocket of Q32 were two scraps of paper with writing as follows: (1) "10:30 [redacted] b7C
(2) "\$475 an hour Danny White cap No. 11 Rich Big Red 1 West Daman." b7C

A supplementary report will follow concerning the results of the examinations of specimens Q33 through Q39.

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Specimens Q1, Q21 through Q24, Q26, Q30, Q31 and Q32 are being returned to your office under separate cover by Railway Express.

Specimens Q2 through Q20, Q25 and Q27 through Q29 are being retained pending submission of additional evidence for examination.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: FBI, Chicago

Date: January 27, 1970

Re: SERGEANT DANIEL R. GROTH; JAMES

FBI File No. 44-44202

DAVIS; JOHN CISZEWSKI; EDWARD CARMODY,

Lab. No. PC-C3581 FA LX

ET AL, Chicago Police Officers; FRED A.

PC-C3787 FA LX

HAMPTON (deceased); MARK CLARK (deceased);

PC-C3999 FA JA CW

BRENDA HARRIS; VERLINA BREWER;

BLAIR J. ANDERSON; RONALD SATCHEL; ET AL -

VICTIMS; SUMMARY PUNISHMENT - CR

Specimens received 12/31/69, personally delivered by SA Robert M.
Zimmers (PC-C3581 FA LX)

- Q1 Piece of plasterboard from inside wall to right of front entrance door
- Q2 Three pieces of lead from hole in northeast corner of entrance hallway
- Q3 Wad from bundle of clothing wrapped in chenille bedspread on floor of entrance hall
- Q4 Two pieces of lead from northeast frame of closet in front bedroom
- Q5 - Q9 Five bullets removed from behind holes in east wall of front bedroom
- Q10 Bullet from south wall of front bedroom
- Q11 Bullet from behind hole designated Number 6 in south wall of front bedroom
- Q12 Bullet from behind hole in baseboard on south wall of front bedroom
- Q13 Mutilated bullet and bullet fragment: from stud behind hole designated Number 3 on south wall of front bedroom
- Q14 Bullet from behind hole designated Number 39 in south wall of front bedroom
- Q15 Pieces of lead from behind uppermost shot hole in the center of the north wall of front bedroom
- Q16 Pieces of lead from lower shot hole in the center of the north wall of front bedroom
- Q17 Lead and copper fragments removed from leg of night table in back bedroom

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- Q18 Red plastic disc found on floor of rear bedroom
- Q19 Shot pellet removed from shot hole designated Number 2 in east wall of back bedroom
- Q20 Lead core from copper-jacketed bullet from base of south wall in back bedroom
- Q21 Scrapings from bloodstain on unmounted door in dining room
- Q22 Scrapings from bloodstain on bed frame in rear bedroom
- Q23 Scrapings from bloodstain on north wall in rear bedroom
- Q24 Scrapings from bloodstain on south wall of living room
- Q25 Shotgun wad from under bundle of clothing wrapped in chenille bedspread on floor of entrance hall
- Q26 Part of door through entrance to living room from entrance hall

Specimens received 1/12/70, personally delivered by SA b7C
 (PC-C3787 FA LX)

- Q27 Bullet jacket fragment recovered from southwest corner of kitchen, on floor
- Q28 - Q29 Two cartridges recovered from clothes bundle in entrance hall
- Q30 Blood sample removed from black eight-drawer dresser in living room

Specimens received 1/21/70, under cover of letter dated 1/12/70
(PC-C3999 FA JA CW)

- Q31 Hassock
- Q32 Man's suit coat
- Q33 - Q37 Five packages of tablets
- Q38 Pillbox
- Q39 Packet containing two orange tablets or candies

Results of examination:

The shot pattern in the piece of plasterboard, Q1, from the wall to the right of the front entrance door was produced by a contact or near contact shot. The pieces of

lead shot, Q2, removed from the hole in the entrance hall, which hole was produced by the same shot producing the shot pattern in Q1, are either Number 7 1/2 or 8 in size based upon their weight.

The Q3 wad, found among the clothing wrapped in the chenille bedspread in the entrance hallway, is the over-powder wad from a 12-gauge shotshell. Over-powder wads of this design are in Winchester-Western shotshells.

The two pieces of lead shot, Q4, are comparable in weight to 00 Buck in size. These were removed from the framework inside the closet in the front bedroom.

The following bullets are all .45 Auto, identified as having been fired from the same weapon:

- Specimens Q5 through Q9 - Found by Laboratory representatives at the scene behind the bullet holes in the east wall of the front bedroom.
- Specimen Q10 - Removed from the south wall of the front bedroom by Laboratory representatives at the scene.
- Specimen Q12 - Removed from behind hole designated Number 6 in the south wall of the front bedroom by Laboratory representatives.
- Specimen Q14 - Removed from behind hole designated Number 39 in the south wall of the front bedroom by Laboratory representatives.

The general rifling characteristics on the above bullets, consisting of six lands and grooves, right twist, are like those produced by a .45 Semiautomatic Carbine manufactured by the Eagle Gun Company, Incorporated, Stratford, Connecticut.

The following bullets found by Laboratory representatives at the scene are caliber .30 carbine:

Specimen Q11 - From behind hole Number 6 in the south wall of the front bedroom.

Specimen Q13 - Mutilated bullet and bullet fragment from a stud behind hole designated Number 3 on south wall of front bedroom.

Specimen Q17 - Copper and lead fragments from a night table in the back bedroom, possibly from the hole designated Number 11 in back bedroom.

Specimen Q20 - Lead core from metal-jacketed bullet, comparable in size to those of caliber .30 carbine bullets, from the base of the south wall in the back bedroom.

Specimen Q27 - Jacket fragment from caliber .30 carbine metal-jacketed bullet found on floor in southwest corner of the kitchen.

The above bullets and bullet fragments having general rifling characteristics were those produced by a gun barrel or gun barrels rifled with twelve lands and grooves, right twist. The absence of individual characteristics on the bullet specimens precluded the possibility of determining whether or not they were fired from the same weapon. Further, on the basis of insufficient markings, it would not be possible to identify the caliber .30 carbine bullets with the particular weapon firing them. General rifling characteristics of twelve lands and grooves, right twist, are common with barrels in .30 USA Carbinas M1 and .30 carbines by Universal Firearms Company.

Specimen Q15 consists of four pieces of lead shot identified as Number 8 shot. These were removed from the uppermost shot pattern in the center of the north wall of the front bedroom by Laboratory representatives.

Specimen Q16 consists of eight pieces of lead shot identified as Number 8 shot. These were removed from the lower shot pattern in the center of the north wall of the front bedroom by Laboratory representatives.

Specimen Q18 is a red plastic disc of the same size and type found in some 12-gauge shotshells manufactured by the Federal Cartridge Corporation, Minneapolis, Minnesota. This disc was found on the floor in the back bedroom by Laboratory representatives.

Specimen Q19 is a shot pellet identified as 00 Buck. This shot pellet was removed from the right shot pattern on the east wall of the back bedroom by Laboratory representatives.

One of the cartridges, designated specimen Q28, is a foreign-made .30 carbine cartridge. It was manufactured in Netherland by "Wapen and Munitiefabriek N. V." - 1959. Some loading marks of doubtful value for identification purposes are present.

The other cartridge, designated specimen Q29, is a Western-Winchester .380 Auto. Limited loading marks of doubtful value for identification purposes are present.

The Q28 and Q29 cartridges were recovered in the clothing wrapped in the chanille bedspread that was on the floor in the entrance hallway by Laboratory representatives.

Group "O" human blood was identified in specimens Q21, Q22, Q23 and Q24.

Group "B" blood was identified in specimen Q30.

No blood was identified in specimen Q25.

Specimens Q21 through Q24 and Q30 are scrapings of what appeared to be bloodstains taken by Laboratory representatives from the following locations:

Specimen Q21 - From an unmounted door described as a barricade, on the dining room floor.

Specimen Q22 - From a bed frame in the rear bedroom.

Specimen Q23 - From the north wall in the rear bedroom.

Specimen Q24 - From the south wall of the living room.

Specimen Q30 - From the eight-drawer black dresser in the living room.

From a radiographic examination of the Q31 hassock, it was concluded that no bullets or shot pellets were lodged therein.

In the left sleeve of the suit coat, Q32, is a hole having the appearance of a bullet entrance hole. Other holes, in alignment, were in the coat. These holes were in the lower left pocket and in the lower left corner of the back of the coat. No gunpowder residue was found. White paint, splattered while wet on the bottom of the coat, suggests the coat may have been hanging in the front bedroom closet at the time of the raid as two one-gallon cans of white paint were ruptured by gunfire and considerable paint was found on the floor of the closet.

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (44-44202)
Attn: Laboratory Division SA ROBERT ZIMMERS
FROM : SAC, CHICAGO (44-1503)
SUBJECT: SGT. DANIEL R. GROTH;
ET AL;
FRED A. HAMPTON (deceased);
ET AL -
VICTIMS
SUMMARY PUNISHMENT - CIVIL RIGHTS

Re Chicago telephone conversation with
SA ROBERT ZIMMERS 1/15/70.

Enclosed is one xerox copy of the

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Enclosure is being submitted for
Bureau assistance in this matter and need not
be returned to the Chicago Office. It should be
noted, however, that this xerox enclosure was
submitted to the FGJ, Chicago, in response to a
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SGT. DANIEL R. GROTH; ET AL; FRED A. HAMPTON (DECEASED);
ET AL - VICTIMS. SUMMARY PUNISHMENT - CIVIL RIGHTS.

REMYTEL JANUARY EIGHTEEN LAST.

CHIEF FDJ WILLIAM C. CAMPBELL TODAY ORDERED THE EVIDENCE.
WHEN SURRENDERED BY FRANCIS ANDREW, BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP)
ATTORNEY BEFORE JUDGE JOSEPH A. POWER, TO BE TURNED OVER TO
SA [REDACTED] AS AGENT OF FGJ. JUDGE CAMPBELL
ALSO ORDERED THIS EVIDENCE BE DISPLAYED TO THE COOK COUNTY
CORONER'S INQUEST JURY AND TO THE COOK COUNTY STATES ATTORNEY'S
GRAND JURY PRIOR TO FBI LABORATORY EXAMINATION OF SAME.
DEPARTMENTAL ATTORNEYS HERE ADVISE THIS EVIDENCE SHOULD
BE AVAILABLE FOR SUBMISSION TO FBI LABORATORY ON OR ABOUT
JANUARY TWENTYTWO NEXT.

BY LATE P.M. TODAY ANDREW SURRENDERED WHAT HE CLAIMED

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TO BE ALL OF THE EVIDENCE TO LOCAL JUDGE POWER. JUDGE POWER
THEN ORDERED ANDREW TO DELIVER THIS EVIDENCE AND CONDUCT A
JOINT INVENTORY WITH SA b7C

THIS INVENTORY BEING CONDUCTED BY BUREAU AGENTS AND
ANDREW THIS P.M. INSTANT AND WILL CONTINUE FOR SEVERAL HOURS.

CHICAGO FOLLOWING. BUREAU WILL BE KEPT ADVISED.

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TO DIRECTOR (44-44202)

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SGT. DANIEL M. GROTH; ET AL; FRED
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BEACON PARKER PARTY (BPP) ATTORNEY FRANCIS ANDREWS, WHO WAS SENT-
ENCED TO TWENTY DAYS IN JAIL FOR CONTEMPT OF COOK COUNTY CORNER'S JURY,
FOR REFUSAL TO TURN OVER [REDACTED] AND OTHER EVIDENCE FROM BPP APARTMENT

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SHOOTOUT OF DEC. FOUR LAST HAS NOW BEEN RELEASED BY ILLINOIS SUPREME
COURT JUSTICE WALTER V. SCHAEFER. THIS RELEASE HOWEVER WAS CONDITIONAL
UPON ANDREWS RELINQUISHING [REDACTED] AND OTHER EVIDENCE TO LOCAL
JUDGE JOSEPH A. POWER TEN AM JAN. NINETEEN NEXT.

ACCORDING TO DEPARTMENTAL ATTORNEY HERE, POSSIBILITY EXISTS BPP
ATTORNEYS MAY ATTEMPT TO SURRENDER [REDACTED] AND OTHER
EVIDENCE TO CG FGJ INSTEAD OF TO JUDGE POWER, SINCE ANDREWS WAS SERVED
FGJ SUBPOENA LAST WEEK FOR THIS EVIDENCE.

CG FOLLOWING. BUREAU WILL BE KEPT ADVISED.

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CC-MR. ROSEN

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. Conrad

1 - Mr. Conrad
1 - Office, 7133

1 - Mr. [redacted]

DATE: 1/16/70

1 - Mr. Zimmers

FROM : R. H. Jevons

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SUBJECT: SERGEANT DANIEL GROTH; JAMES DAVIS;
JOHN CISZEWSKI; EDWARD CARMODY; ET AL,
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS, POLICE OFFICERS - SUBJECTS;
FRED HAMPTON (DECEASED); MARK CLARK (DECEASED);
BRENDA HARRIS; VERLINA BREWER; BLAIR ANDERSON;
RONALD STACHEL, ET AL - VICTIMS;
SUMMARY PUNISHMENT - CIVIL RIGHTS

This case involves the incident on December 4, 1969, where the above-named subjects are alleged to have shot and killed the above-named victims, Hampton and Clark, while conducting a raid on the premises located at 2337 West Monroe Street, Chicago, Illinois. At the request of the Department and with prior Bureau approval, for purposes of testimony before a Federal Grand Jury convened in Chicago, Laboratory experts conducted an on-the-scene examination of the crime scene premises at Chicago and have brought back to the Laboratory for examination certain items of evidence which were recovered during the search. This material is being handled expeditiously.

On the evening of 1/15/70, SAC Marlin W. Johnson of Chicago advised by telephone that as an extension of the Department's request for technical assistance, Departmental representatives further desire FBI Laboratory examination be made of evidence previously recovered by local authorities and now in the custody of such local authorities. Johnson further advised that on 1/14/70, pursuant to Departmental action, Judge William Campbell, Chief Judge, USDC, Chicago, had issued a court order directing the Chicago Police to turn over to the FBI Laboratory all evidence recovered and held by them in connection with their examination of the crime scene premises; and similarly directing the State Attorney's Office to turn over to the FBI Laboratory all guns taken by the police from the Black Panther Party as a result of the raid.* (All these weapons are in the custody of the State Attorney's Office as contrasted to the other evidence which is in the custody of the Police Department.) To insure an orderly turnover of this evidence so that all interests of the parties involved would be protected, SAC Johnson advised that a conference was held in Chicago on 1/15/70, attended by SAC Johnson, Superintendent of Chicago Police James Conlisk, Jr., Director of Chicago Crime Laboratory David Purtell, Assistant State Attorney, Thomas Hett, Deputy Attorney General of the U. S. Department of Justice James Turner, and Assistant U. S. Attorney, Chicago, Robert Breakstone.

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1 - Mr. Mohr
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and all guns carried by the police on the raid.

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Memorandum to Mr. Conrad
SERGEANT DANIEL GROTH; JAMES DAVIS;
JOHN CISZEWSKI; EDWARD CARMODY; ET AL,
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS, POLICE OFFICERS - SUBJECTS;
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With respect to the evidence now held by the Chicago Police, SAC Johnson advised that the Chicago Police Crime Laboratory will be called upon to testify later in state criminal proceedings against the Panthers concerning its own examinations of this material. To simplify and insure chain of custody, local legal authorities request a representative of the FBI Laboratory come to Chicago, where the evidence will be personally turned over, and that this FBI Laboratory representative retain custody until the evidence is subsequently personally returned to the Chicago authorities by him. Local legal authorities further request that, for legal tactical reasons in handling the local case, the FBI representative taking custody of the evidence should not be involved in the actual examination of the evidence. This will permit the local authorities to keep the issue of custody completely separate from that of the technical examination. They point out, according to SAC Johnson, that they want to avoid to the maximum extent possible any opportunity by the Black Panther legal staff to probe the technical findings, which otherwise might result if the issue of custody is not kept separate from that of technical examination.

With respect to the numerous guns now held by the State Attorney's Office, a representative of that office will personally deliver to the FBI Laboratory the guns fired by police personnel and the confiscated guns as soon as the coroner's inquest presently in session is completed. A receipt will be issued for these guns and the State Attorney's representative will return to the FBI Laboratory to receive these guns when our examinations have been completed. Custody of these weapons similarly will be kept separated in the FBI Laboratory from the issue of actual examination.

SAC Johnson further advised that during the conference the Chicago Police Laboratory expressed a desire to test fire the weapons used by police personnel in the raid, prior to turning over these weapons to the FBI Laboratory. (These guns have not previously been made available to the Chicago Crime Laboratory by the State Attorney's Office.) It is understood that such test bullets will be made available to the FBI Laboratory if needed by us.

The above arrangements appear to be feasible from the FBI Laboratory examination standpoint, and in view of the Bureau's earlier assistance, it is suggested the Bureau may wish to approve this further assistance to the Department looking toward Federal Grand Jury testimony as to the results of these additional technical examinations.

ACTION: If approved, a firearms examiner from the Laboratory will be dispatched to Chicago to receive and take custody of the evidence now in the possession of the Chicago Crime Laboratory in order that the further examinations requested by the Department can be made in the FBI Laboratory.

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Date: 1/20/70

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (44-44202)

ATTN: EXHIBIT SECTION TAP/ew

FROM: SAC, CHICAGO (44-1503)

SEERGEANT DANIEL R. GROTH, ET AL;
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Re Chicago airtel 1/14/70, and Bureau telephone
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Enclosed herewith are three 4" X 5" cut color film
holders of Extacolor Professional Film Type "S".

These films represent three photos each of [redacted]
as follows:

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One photos are of [redacted]
[redacted], and one photo is of [redacted]
[redacted], Grand Jury Exhibits 11 and 12.
were made available by [redacted] on
1/20/70.

The Exhibit Section is requested to develop the
four color negatives and to furnish the Chicago Office the
following color prints:

1. Two contact prints, 4" X 5"
2. Four 8" X 10" prints
3. One print as large as can possibly be made

*airtel to CG
2/2/70
FJH:mer*

② - Bureau (Encls. 3)
1 - Chicago

CLT:hjz
(3)

ENCLOSURE ATTACHED
"2 DEPT OF JUSTICE
FBI
CHICAGO, ILL.

44-44202-
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JAN 21 1970

Approved: _____

Special Agent in Charge

Sent _____

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The Exhibit Section is requested to return film and prints to the Chicago Office for use before the FGJ as soon as completed, it being noted that the FGJ is receiving testimony on a daily basis.

The gray card was used in the photos.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. Conrad *JWC*

1-Mr. Conrad
1-Mr. Jevons, 7133

DATE: 1/21/70

FROM : R. H. Jevons *RHJ*

1-Mr. Zimmers, 7410

SUBJECT: SERGEANT DANIEL GROTH; JAMES DAVIS;
JOHN CISZEWSKI; EDWARD CARMODY; ET AL.,
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS, POLICE OFFICERS - SUBJECTS;
FRED HAMPTON (DECEASED); MARK CLARK (DECEASED);
BRENDA HARRIS, VERLINA BREWER, BLAIR ANDERSON,
RONALD STACHEL, ET AL., VICTIMS;
SUMMARY PUNISHMENT - CIVIL RIGHTS

Tolson _____
DeLoach _____
Walters _____
Mohr _____
Bishop _____
Casper _____
Callahan _____
Felt _____
Gale _____
Rosen _____
Sullivan _____
Tavel _____
Trotter _____
Tele. Room _____
Holmes _____
Gandy _____

This case involves the incident on 12/4/69, where the above-named subjects are alleged to have shot and killed the above-named victims, Hampton and Clark, while conducting a raid on the premises located at 2337 West Monroe Street, Chicago, Illinois.

Mr. Jerris Leonard, Assistant Attorney General, Civil Rights Division, who is in Chicago relative to this case advised SAC, Marlin Johnson, that two examinations of Hampton's blood for drugs were made with differing results. The Cook County Coroner's Office examined one sample and found no drugs, and a Doctor found a drug in almost a lethal quantity. In view of these varying results, Mr. Leonard asked if the Bureau would re-examine the blood for drugs. It is understood that a limited amount of blood is still available for this purpose. b7C

Re-examination of this blood would, of course, be an exception to our policy of not examining evidence previously examined by another expert. However, in view of previous assistance to the Department in this case, the Bureau may wish to approve the re-examination of the blood in this instance.

SAC, Johnson, Chicago, has recommended that we assist the Department in re-examining the blood for drugs.

RECOMMENDATION:

If such action is approved, the necessary arrangements will be made to obtain the blood for re-examination.

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1-Mr. Mohr
1-Mr. DeLoach
1-Mr. Bishop

1-Mr. Rosen Attention: Mr. Room 2264

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*ASAC, Fed. Chicago
advised 1/22*

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JAN 30 1970

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. Callahan

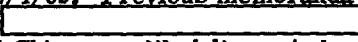
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
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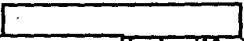

SUBJECT: SGT. DANIEL R. GROTH, ET AL;
FRED A. HAMPTON (DECEASED),
ET AL - VICTIMS;
SUMMARY PUNISHMENT - CR

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This is the case involving the killing of two Black Panther Party members and wounding of other party members by Chicago Police Officers on 12/4/69. Previous memoranda indicated that crime site was surveyed  for use before Federal Grand Jury at Chicago, with delivery to be made by 1/20/70.

 shipped to Chicago by air on 1/20/70. Arrangements were made by Chicago Office for transport of  to the Federal Building on the morning of 1/20/70.


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Visual Information Specialist  Exhibits Section, went to Chicago on 1/20/70  to testify before Federal Grand Jury as needed on 1/21/70.

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RECOMMENDATION:

For information.

- 1 - Mr. DeLoach
- 1 - Mr. Rosen
- 1 - Mr. 

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REC-33

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (44-44202)

DATE: 1/27/70

FROM : SAC, CHICAGO (44-1503)

ATTENTION: FBI LABORATORY
SA ROBERT ZIMMERS

SUBJECT: SGT. DANIEL R. GROTH;
ET AL; CHICAGO POLICE OFFICERS;
FRED A. HAMPTON (DECEASED) -
ET AL - VICTIMS
SUMMARY PUNISHMENT - CR

"SPECIAL HANDLING RE
CUSTODIAL HANDLING"

PC-C4176

Re Chicago letter to Bureau, 1/27/70, Attention:
FBI Laboratory and Chicago letter to Bureau 1/13/70,
Attention: FBI Laboratory.

Being forwarded under separate cover is one common
standard size brick which was removed at the request of
AAG JAMES TURNER.

Mr. TURNER requested that this brick be appropriately
examined for any metallic substance which might possibly indicate
that this brick was struck by a spent shell fired from the
Black Panther Party apartment, 2337 West Monroe on 12/4/69.
When this examination has been completed the brick should be
returned to the Chicago Office for appropriate disposition.

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED

DATE 8-5-81 BY SP-2
TAP/ew

- 2 - Bureau
- 1 - Package (RM)
- 1 - Chicago

CLT:hjz
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

DATE: January 26, 1970

TO: FBI, Chicago

Re:

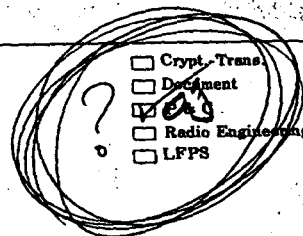
SGT. DANIEL GRANT; JAMES DAVIS;
JOHN CISZEWSKI; EDWARD CARMODY;
et al. Chicago, Ill.,
Police Officers - Subjects;
FRED HAMPTON (DECEASED);
MARK CLARK (DECEASED);
BRENDA HARRIS; VERLINA BREWER;
BLAIR ANDERSON; RONALD STACHEL;
et al. - VICTIMS; SUMMARY PUNISHMENT -
CIVIL RIGHTS

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

DATE:

1/27/70

Re:

TO:

SAC, Chicago (44-1503)

SERGEANT DANIEL R. GROTH; JAMES DAVIS;
JOHN CISZEWSKI; EDWARD CARMODY, ET AL,
Chicago Police Officers; FRED A.
HAMPTON (deceased); MARK CLARK (deceased);
BRENDA HARRIS; VERLINA BREWER;
BLAIR J. ANDERSON; RONALD SATCHEL;
ET AL - VICTIMS; SUMMARY PUNISHMENT -
CR

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Q1, Q21 through Q24, Q26, Q30, Q31 and Q32

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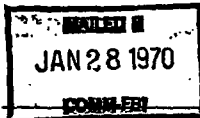
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Re:

TO:

SAC, Chicago (44-1503)

SERGEANT DANIEL R. GROTH; JAMES DAVIS;
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Chicago Police Officers; FRED A. HAMPTON
(deceased); MARK CLARK (deceased);
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VICTIMS; SUMMARY PUNISHMENT - CR



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Evidence Receipt (to be used in lieu of correspondence covering evidence submissions to the Laboratory)

FD-15 (6-1-64)

Agency submitting evidence

FBI, Chicago (44-1503)

Date

1-27-70

Laboratory #

PC-C4176 FA

Delivered by

S.A.

Aspects

SGT. DANIEL R. GROTH, ET AL

CHICAGO POLICE OFFICERS;

FRED A. HAMPTON (Deceased) ET AL

VICTIMS;

SUMMARY - JURY CONSENT
- lay facts covering case

Accepted by

S.A.

Victim

Place and date of offense

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Agency submitting evidence FBI, Buffalo		Date 1-28-70
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Suspect SGT. DANIEL R. GROTH, ET AL		Victim
Offense CHICAGO POLICE OFFICERS; FRED A. HAMPTON (Deceased) ET AL VICTIMS; SUMMARY PUNISHMENT		Place and date of offense
Brief Facts covering case		

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Evidence Receipt (to be used in lieu of correspondence covering evidence submissions to the Laboratory)

Q135-Q138
Agency submitting evidence

FBI, Chicago (44-1503)

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Date

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Accepted by

S.A. [redacted]
Suspect SGT. DANIEL R. GROTH, ET AL
CHICAGO POLICE OFFICERS;
Offense FRED A. HAMPTON (Deceased)
ET AL
VICTIMS
SUMMARY PUNISHMENT

S.A. [redacted]
Victim

Place and date of offense

Brief Facts covering case

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& specimens for Lab
examination & report

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Q135

[redacted]
(FGJ, Chicago, exhibit #33)

Q136

[redacted] (FGJ, Chicago, exhibit
#34)

Q137

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (44-44202)

FROM : *J* CHICAGO (44-1503) (P)

SUBJECT: SGT. DANIEL R. GROTH,
ET AL;
CHICAGO POLICE OFFICERS;
FRED A. HAMPTON (Deceased),
ET AL -
VICTIMS
SUMMARY PUNISHMENT - CR

DATE: 1/27/70

(Attn: FBI LABORATORY)

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4b LX
4a JA

"SPECIAL HANDLING"
"CUSTODIAL HANDLING"

PC-C7176

PROC.

30 JAN 30 1970

Being forwarded in the custody of SA [redacted] b7C
are the following [redacted]

(1) [redacted] received by the Chicago
Office on 1/27/70, from [redacted]
[redacted] which, at the
request of the CR Division of the Department,
was entered as FGJ, Chicago, exhibit # 33 on
1/27/70;

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(2) [redacted] received by the Chicago
Office on 1/27/70, from [redacted]
[redacted] which, at the
request of the CR Division of the Department,
was entered as FGJ, Chicago, exhibit # 34 on
1/27/70;

[redacted] were exhibited to the FGJ at
Chicago at the request of Departmental Attorneys,
CR Division, and represent FGJ exhibits 36 and 35
in the above order respectively.

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(1 - package)

1 - Chicago
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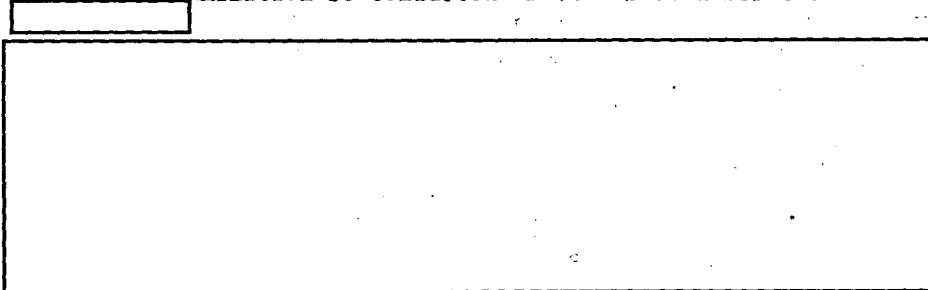
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DATE 1-18-81 BY SP-8

CG 44-1503

On 1/27/70, AAG JAMES TURNER requested the following examination be conducted on the above described



It is noted that under separate cover the Chicago Office will be submitting numerous items of evidence surrendered to the FGJ by the Black Panther Party's (BPP) attorney, FRANCIS ANDREW, and that Mr. TURNER desires that this evidence be appropriately examined in the light of the above described requested examinations.

However, a specific letter of transmittal, with specific requests, will accompany the submission of the items furnished by ANDREW.

It is noted that the receipts given for the above by the Chicago Office state it is not necessary be returned.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. Conrad *Jwe*

FROM : R. H. Jevons *RH*

SUBJECT: SERGEANT DANIEL GROTH; JAMES DAVIS;
JOHN CISZEWSKI; EDWARD CARMODY; ET AL.,
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS, POLICE OFFICERS -
SUBJECTS; FRED HAMPTON (DECEASED);
MARK CLARK (DECEASED); BRENDA HARRIS;
VERLINA BREWER; BLAIR ANDERSON; RONALD
STACHEL, ET AL. - VICTIMS; SUMMARY
PUNISHMENT - CIVIL RIGHTS

This case involves the incident on December 4, 1969, where the above-named subjects are alleged to have shot and killed the above-named victims, Hampton and Clark, while conducting a raid on the premises located at 2337 West Monroe Street, Chicago, Illinois. Reference is made to the memorandum of R. H. Jevons to Mr. Conrad, dated January 16, 1970, concerning special custodial handling of evidence turned over to the FBI Laboratory by the Chicago Police Crime Laboratory.

On January 27, 1970, [redacted] firearms examiner, Chicago Police Department Crime Laboratory, turned over to SA [redacted] of the FBI Laboratory certain items of evidence which were in the possession of Chicago Crime Laboratory in connection with the incident mentioned above. This evidence was delivered to the FBI Laboratory by SA [redacted] on January 27, 1970. It will remain in his personal custody until such time as all necessary examinations are completed.

In addition, on January 27, 1970, a sealed package was turned over to SA [redacted] in the Chicago Office by SA [redacted] the contents of which were listed in a

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1-Mr. Mohr - Enc.
1-Mr. DeLoach - Enc.
1-Mr. Bishop - Enc.
1-Mr. Rosen - Enc.
1-Mr. [redacted] - Enc.

Rm. 2284 to Enc. 44, 12

WHR:jfb (10) #870

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ENCLOSURE

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1-Mr. Conrad - Enc.
1-Mr. Zimmers - Enc.
1-Mr. [redacted] - Enc.
1-Office, 7133 - Enc.
DATE: 1/30/70

Tolson _____
DeLoach _____
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1 FEB 3 1970

Memorandum to Mr. Conrad
Re: SERGEANT DANIEL GROTH; JAMES DAVIS;
JOHN CISZEWSKI; EDWARD CARMODY; ET AL,
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS,
POLICE OFFICERS - SUBJECTS;
FRED HAMPTON (DECEASED); MARK CLARK (DECEASED);
BRENDA HARRIS; VERLINA BREWER; BLAIR ANDERSON;
RONALD STACHEL, ET AL - VICTIMS;
SUMMARY PUNISHMENT - CIVIL RIGHTS
44-44202

Chicago memorandum to the Bureau dated January 27, 1970.
The package, as pointed out in the memorandum, contained
blood samples for Laboratory examination.

On January 28, 1970, SA [redacted] FBI
Buffalo, delivered evidence to the Laboratory consisting
of two glass slides purported to be varnish and wood.
This material was obtained from [redacted]
examiner hired by the Black Panther Party, at his
residence in Corning, New York. This evidence was turned
over to SA [redacted] who will keep it in his custody until
necessary examinations are completed.

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Attached is a list of the evidence which has
been received.

ACTION: This evidence is being expeditiously handled.

[Handwritten signatures and initials]
JAC
BGA
WSH

Q40 Bul. : marked "A 69-13165 F," i m body of Hampton
 Q41 Bullet marked "B 69-13165 F," from scene
 Q42 Bullet marked "C 69-13165," from scene
 Q43 .45 Auto cartridge case marked "M 69-13165"
 Q44 Bullet marked "F 69-13165," from rear bedroom
 Q45 Bullet marked "G 69-13165," from rear bedroom
 Q46 Bullet marked "H 69-13165," from rear bedroom
 Q47 Packet marked "J-1 69-13165 F (28) pieces #8 shot"
 Q48 Shot wad marked "J-2 69-13165 F"
 Q49 Shot wad marked "J-3 69-13165 F"
 Q50 Shot wad marked "J-4 69-13165 F"
 Q51 Five shot pellets marked "J5 69-13165" through "J9 69-13165"
 Q52 Bullet marked "K1 69-13165"
 Q53 Bullet marked "K2 69-13165"
 Q54 Bullet marked "K3 69-13165"
 Q55 Lead fragment marked "K4 69-13165"
 Q56 Seven pieces of lead marked "K5 69-13165" through "K11 69-13165"

 Q57 Bullet marked "K12 69-13165" from body
 Q58 12 gauge Remington-Peters shotshell, OOB, marked "N 69-13165"
 Q59 12 gauge Remington-Peters OOB shotshell marked "O 69-13165"
 Q60 12 gauge Federal Hi-Power shotshell, OB, marked "P 69-13165"
 Q61 12 gauge Federal Hi-Power shotshell, OB, Marked "Q 69-13165"
 Q62 Damaged brass portion of 12 gauge Federal Monark shotshell marked "R 69-13165"
 Q63 -92 Thirty, caliber .45 Auto cartridge cases marked "S1 69-13165" through "S30 69-13165," from scene
 Q93-99 Seven, .32 S&W Long cartridge cases marked "T1 69-13165" through "T7 69-13165," from scene
 Q100-102 Three bullets marked "D1 69-13165" through "D3 69-13165" from scene
 Q103 Seven shot pellets marked "E1 69-13165" through "E7 69-13165," from scene
 Q104-118 Fifteen .30 Carbine cartridge cases marked "U1 69-13165" through "U15 69-13165," from scene
 Q119 Fired 12 gauge Winchester-Wester shotshell, one ounce slug, marked "V1 69-13165," from scene
 Q120 Damaged 12 gauge Western Super-X Mark V, OOB, shotshell marked "V2 69-13165," from scene
 Q121 Unfired 12 gauge Western Super-X Mark V, OOB, shotshell marked "V3 69-13165," from scene
 Q122 Fired 12 gauge Remington Shurshot shotshell, #8, marked "W1 69-13165," from scene
 Q123 Fired 12 gauge Remington-Peters shotshell marked "W2 69-13165," from scene
 Q124 Fired Remington Shurshot, #8, shotshell marked "X1 69-13165," from scene
 Q125 Fired Remington Shurshot, #8, shotshell marked "X2 69-13165," from scene
 Q126 Fired Remington Shurshot, #8, shotshell marked "X3 69-13165," from scene

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ENCLOSURE

- Q127 Damaged unfired 12 gauge Federal Monark, Field Load,
 one ounce, shotshell marked "Y1 69-13165," from scene
- Q128 Damaged, unfired 12 gauge Federal Monark shotshell
 marked "Y2 69-13165," from scene
- Q129 Damaged, unfired 12 gauge Federal Monark shotshell marked
 "Y3 69-13165," from scene
- Q130 Damaged, unfired 12 gauge Federal, 008, shotshell, marked
 "Y4 69-13165," from scene
- Q131 Unfired 12 gauge Hawthorne Long Range, #4, shotshell,
 marked "Y5 69-13165," from scene
- Q132 Unfired 20 gauge Western Super-X Mark V, #5, shotshell
 marked "Z 69-13165," from scene
- Q133 Glass slide labeled "1 - H. L. Mac D 12-10-69 F Head"
- Q134 Glass slide labeled "2 - H. L. Mac D 12-10-69 F Base"
- Q135 [REDACTED] (FGJ, Chicago,
 exhibit #33)
- Q136 [REDACTED] (FGJ, Chicago,
 exhibit #34)
- Q137 [REDACTED]
 [REDACTED] (FGJ exhibit #36)
- Q138 [REDACTED]
 [REDACTED] (FGJ exhibit #35)
- Q139 One brick

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OFFICE OF THE STATE'S ATTORNEY
COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS
CHICAGO 60608

30 January 1970

EDWARD V. HANRAHAN
COUNTY ATTORNEY

CRIMINAL DIVISION
2800 SOUTH CALIFORNIA AVENUE
AREA 312 - BISHOP 7 - 0000

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Called
see out and
mail - Martin Luther King
the missing
2/4/70

Mr. Robert Zimmers
FBI - Laboratory
Dept of Justice Bldg
9th & Pennsylvania Ave.
Washington, N.W., D.C.

Report ...
44-44702
441-44-1503

Exhibit
44-44702-51
2/3/70
4/9/70
Pls. 432

re: Black Panther Raid
2337 West Monroe
Chicago, Illinois

By: SAO - Police Unit
4 December 1969

Dear Sir:

This letter is an inventory of the accompanying article
which is a:

K21 One (1) Thompson Submachine Gun
45 caliber - 1921 Model
Serial Number 5954

Property of the Cook County State's Attorney's Office

It was issued to Detective Joseph Gorman on 3 December 1969
at 1700 hours.

b7C

State's Attorney's Office

Sergeant DAVID R. GORMAN; James Davis

John Cisneros; Edward C. Gorman et al
Chicago Police Officer; Fred Hampton (deceased);
Mark Clark (deceased); Edward Morris; Vernon P. Smith;
Blair J. Anderson; Ronald Satchell; et al - Victims;
Summary Pursuant - CR.

1 FEB 5 1970

57 FEB 11 1970

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OFFICE OF THE STATE'S ATTORNEY
COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS
CHICAGO 60608

EDWARD V. HANRAHAN
STATE'S ATTORNEY

CRIMINAL DIVISION
2800 SOUTH CALIFORNIA AVENUE
AREA 312 - BISHOP 7 - 6800

30 January 1970

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Mr. Robert Zimmers
Federal Bureau of Investigation Lab
Department of Justice Building
9th & Pennsylvania Avenue
Washington, N.W., D.C.

PC-C4328

14-44202

(41-44-1563

Daniel R. O Groth

re: Black Panther Raid
2337 West Monroe
Chicago, Illinois

By: State's Attorney's Police
4 December 1969

SW

Copy & specs retained in Lab
for Lab action & report

Dear Sir:

The firearms accompanying this package are the personal property of the State's Attorney's Office of Cook County, Chicago, Illinois.

This inventory consist of:

Three (3) Remington Automatic Shotguns, Model 870
bearing numbers:

72789 V
70216 V
55065 V

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They were issued to Detectives Broderick and Corbett at 1200 hours on 3 December 1969.

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Cook County, State's Attorney Office

Remington Model 870 12 gauge Shotgun
72789 V
70216 V
55065 V

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Evidence Receipt (to be used in lieu of correspondence covering evidence submissions to the laboratory)
7-16 (6-9-55)

K28-K46

2-6-70

Agency submitting evidence		Date
States Attorneys Office, Chicago, Illinois		2-6-70
		Laboratory #
		PC-C4396 FA LX
Delivered by	Accepted by	
Officer Edward Carmody & Det. Joseph Gorman		
Suspect	Victim	
Sgt. DANIEL R. GROUT ET AL		
Offense	Place and date of offense	
Chicago Police Officers FRED A. HAMPTON (DECEASED) et al VICTIMS; SUMMARY PUNISHMENT - CR	Chicago, Ill.,	
Brief Facts covering case		

Note: Report to FBI, Chicago

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Lab
Division & report

w/cc to Mohr
Rosen
Bishop

Prev. exams this case	Evid. located	Report to be directed to
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Copies to	Evidence to be returned to	

Date of hearing, grand jury, trial, or reason why expeditious handling is necessary

Evidence

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. Callahan

DATE: 1/28/70

FROM :

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SUBJECT: SGT. DANIEL R. GROTH, ET AL;
FRED A. HAMPTON (DECEASED);
ET AL - VICTIMS;
SUMMARY PUNISHMENT - CR

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Tavel _____
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Tele. Room _____
Holmes _____
Gandy _____

This case involves killing of two Black Panther Party members and wounding of others by Chicago Police Officers on 12/4/69. Previous memoranda indicated that crime site was surveyed.

On 1/20/70 Visual Information Specialist testified before the Grand Jury regarding

b3 Rule 6(e) F.R.C.P.

RECOMMENDATION:

For information.

- 1 - Mr. DeLoach
- 1 - Mr. Rosen
- 1 - Mr. [redacted]

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- 1 - Mr. Conrad
 - 1 - Office, 7133
 - 1 - Mr. Timmers
 - 1 - Mr. [redacted]
- 2/5/70
- 1 - Mr. [redacted]

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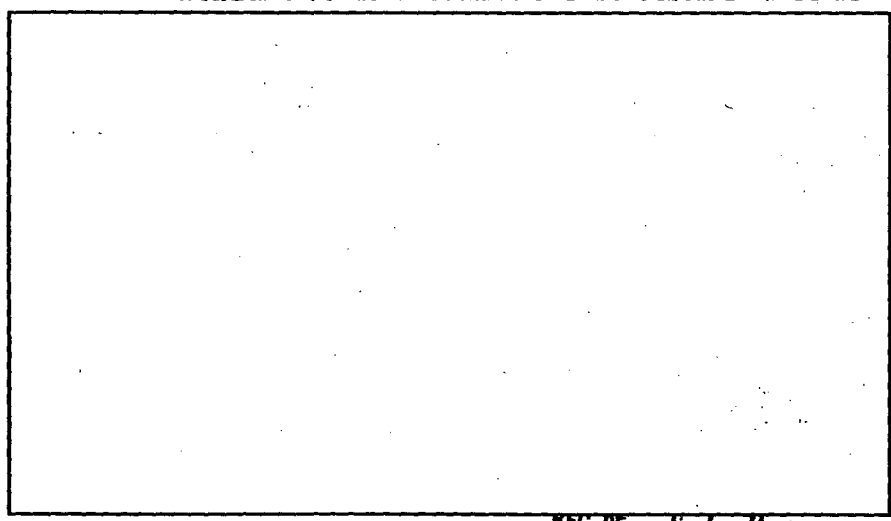
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TO SAC, CHICAGO (44-1503) *TAP/EN*
FROM DIRECTOR, FBI (44-44202)

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VIA TELETYPE
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**SERGEANT DANIEL R. GROTH, ET AL; CHICAGO POLICE
OFFICERS FRED A. HAMPTON (DECEASED) ET AL - VICTIMS
SUMMARY PUNISHMENT - CR**
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- Tolson
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- 1 - Mr. DeLoach
- 1 - Mr. Mohr
- 1 - Mr. Rosen (Attention: Mr. [redacted])
- 1 - Mr. Bishop

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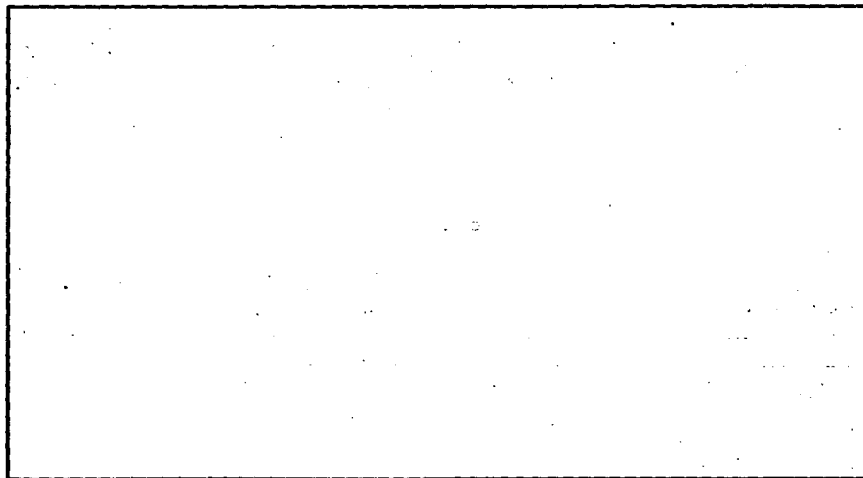
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SERGEANT DANIEL L. GROTH, ET AL; CHICAGO POLICE OFFICERS

FRED A. HAMPTON (DECEASED) ET AL - VICTIMS SUMMARY

PUNISHMENT - CR



REPORT FOLLOWS.

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Office (Info furnished by Chicago office not)*

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(Attn: FBI LABORATORY)

SAC, CHICAGO (44-1503) (P)

SGT. DANIEL B. GROTH,
ET AL;
CHICAGO POLICE OFFICERS;
FRSD A. HAMPTON (Deceased),
ET AL -
VICTIMS.
SUMMARY PUNISHMENT - CR

"SPECIAL HANDLING RE
CUSTODIAL HANDLING"

Being forwarded in the custody of SA [redacted] b7C
are the following [redacted]

(1) [redacted]
[redacted] received by the Chicago
Office on 1/27/70 from [redacted]
[redacted] which, at the
request of the CR Division of the Department,
was entered as FGJ, Chicago, exhibit # 33 on
1/27/70;

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(2) [redacted]
[redacted] received by the Chicago
Office on 1/27/70 from [redacted]
[redacted] which, at the
request of the CR Division of the Department,
was entered as FGJ, Chicago, exhibit # 34 on
1/27/70;

(3) [redacted]

[redacted] were exhibited to the FGJ at:
Chicago at the request of Departmental Attorneys,
CR Division, and represent FGJ exhibits 35 and 36
in the above order respectively.

3 - Bureau
(1 - package)

1 - Chicago

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FBI

Date: 2/4/70

Transmit the following in _____

(Type in plaintext or code)

Via AIRTEL

(Priority)

Log
Mr. Tolson
Mr. DeLoach
Mr. Mohr
Mr. Bishop
Mr. Casper
Mr. Callahan
Mr. Conrad
Mr. Felt
Mr. Gale
Mr. Rosen
Mr. Sullivan
Mr. Tavel
Mr. Soyars
Tele. Room
Miss Holmes
Miss Gandy

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (44-44202)

Attention: FBI Laboratory
SA ROBERT ZIMMERS

FROM : SAC, CHICAGO (44-1503)

SUBJECT: SGT. DANIEL R. GROTH, ET AL; b7C
CHICAGO POLICE OFFICERS;
FRED A. HAMPTON (DECEASED)
ET AL - VICTIMS
SUMMARY PUNISHMENT - CR

Remy lets to Bureau (2) 2/3/70, Attention: FBI
Laboratory.

Enclosed are 4 xerox copies each of the following
documents:

1. Letter to SAC, Chicago, from JERRIS LEONARD, AAG - CR Division, dated 2/3/70, at Chicago
2. Letter to Mr. JAMES MURRAY, First Assistant States Attorney, Chicago, Illinois, from JAMES P. TURNER, Deputy AAG - CR Division, dated 2/3/70, at Chicago.
3. An agenda list which relates to item number 2 above. The left-hand column of the agenda, under the word list, according to Mr. TURNER, refers to a departmental index maintained by the CR Division and refers to location of items.

3 - Bureau (12)
1 - Chicago

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cc'd to Mr. G. J. [unclear]
sent to [unclear] DIVISION
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DATE 8-5-81 BY SP5 BTJ/

Approved: [Signature]

Special Agent in Charge

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In connection with enclosed item number 1, it is suggested the Chicago Office be advised as to the identity of the FBI Laboratory examiner who will conduct the requested investigation and if it is someone who may logically be expected to appear before the Federal Grand Jury at Chicago in this matter, it may be possible to coordinate his appearance here before the Federal Grand Jury with the requested investigation.

With regard to items number 2 and 3, these were made available to the Chicago Office by JAMES T. TURNER, Deputy AAG, CR Division, on 2/4/70, as the result of a conference which he and Departmental Attorney WILLIAM O'CONNOR had with JAMES MURRAY, First Assistant States Attorney, on 2/3/70. It is noted on page 4 of item 2 that arrangements have been made for the Black Panther Party (BPP) weapons seized at 2337 West Monroe Street on 12/4/69 to be transported to the FBI Laboratory for examination by vehicle departing 2/4/70.

Other items concerning guns and ammunition are self-explanatory.

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ENCLOSURE

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JPT:KMO:msb

February 3, 1970

JPT:msb
DJ 144-23-971

Mr. James Murray
First Assistant State's Attorney
2600 South California
Chicago, Illinois 60608

Re: Inquiries Regarding Information for
January 1970 Federal Grand Jury

Dear Mr. Murray:

I appreciate your courtesy in meeting with us today, and in making members of your staff available for our conference. This letter will confirm certain understandings reached in our meeting.

I understand that you will furnish a supplement memorandum correcting the memo of January 19, 1970, regarding the serial number of Officer Gorman's pistol. As you will recall, the serial number reflected on the January 19, 1970, memo is different from the serial number reflected on the FBI receipt, which letter number checked and found coinciding with the number on the weapon.

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It is my understanding that the following actions will be taken with regard to the indicated items in my

cc: Corres. File
O'Connor
FBI ✓

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January 29, 1970, memo to you:

1. You will provide an inventory of the 485 rounds of 12 gauge ammunition and the 80 rounds of 20 gauge ammunition listed on inventory #752930, specifying brand, load, and number.
 2. You will provide reports for the period 10/6/69 - 12/8/69, prepared by the officers involved.
 3. You will advise as to any bands and zones, other than band 2, for transmission.
 4. b7C has furnished us the following information: 25-#8 REMUMC Shurshot 12 gauge 3-1-8 shells and 15-Maximum Load 0 Buck Federal HiPower 12 gauge shells were issued. Returned were: 7 rounds of the #8, and of these 5 remain in his custody; 5 rounds of the 0 Buck, which are retained in a box with initials JJC on the box. Also issued were 110 rounds of Remington 230 grain center fire .45 cal. ammunition; 50 rounds were returned in a box, 3 returned in one magazine, and 4 loose rounds were returned. Box is index #6645. Should there be any corrections in any of this information, I understand you will advise us.
 5. Nothing was written except search warrant.
 6. Nothing available.
 7. Chicago Police Department may have earlier records; State's Attorney's Office has none other than already furnished.
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8. 9F #10269 was brought in by Officer Gorman and delivered by him to [] to [] to [] for micro-analysis of blood stains on stock, then returned and assigned the above number.

9. No copies of bonds are retained in State's Attorney's Office. Information may be obtained from clerks [] and [] Records on indictments 682046, 693037 and 691842 are available in clerk's office at 26th & California.

10. You will ascertain whether clothes are available and will arrange for preservation of same.

11. You will inquire and advise me of such parttime employment.

12. Absolutely none by State's Attorney's Office, and none were available to State's Attorney's Office from any source whatsoever.

13. State's Attorney's Office has none. [] can provide.

14. Your Mr. Jalovec will call me.

15. Sketch was provided.

16. Mr. Jalovec was informed by a federal employee whom he will name to me. Sgt. Groth may consider course of action if asked before Grand Jury.

17. News release provided. Information will be developed at Friday 2/6/70 arraignment proceeding, which will be available to us.

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18. No paraffin tests were done.

19. No pills or medical items other than those listed in previously provided report, were obtained at the premises at 2337 W. Monroe. No plaster was removed and retained in connection with evidence search, by State's Attorney's police.

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It is my further understanding that the weapons seized at 2337 W. Monroe on December 4, 1969, will be transported to the FBI Lab, for examination, by vehicle departing on February 4, 1970. [redacted] has advised me that the final REA weapons shipment, sent today, to the FBI, was under receipt #40-01-08.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely,

JAMES P. TURNER
Deputy Assistant Attorney General
Civil Rights Division

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Memorandum

TO : Marlin Johnson
Special Agent in Chicago, FBI
Chicago Office

DATE: February 3, 1970

FROM : Jerris Leonard
Assistant Attorney General
Civil Rights Division

JL:JPT:msb
DJ 144-23-971

SUBJECT: Sergeant Daniel Groth and Others, Police Officers,
Chicago, Illinois
Fred Hampton, Mark Clark, and Others, Victims
Chicago, Illinois - CIVIL RIGHTS

In connection with the captioned investigation, please conduct additional investigation of the premises at 2337 West Monroe, Chicago, Illinois as described below.

The bathroom door at the described premises does not appear to have any indication of being struck by gunfire although there are repeated testimonial references stating that weapons were fired directly at it. Please re-examine the door, hinges and surrounding surfaces to determine if there is any evidence that it has been altered or replaced since the incident or if there is any indication of the discharge of firearms at or near the door, surfaces adjacent thereto or the west wall of the bathroom.

This investigation should include, but not be limited to, a spectographic or other relevant analysis of paint drops and smears on the door which appear to correspond to paint on the door jamb and walls which could establish that the door had not been moved. The investigation should also include an examination of the vacant apartment directly over the premises for any indication of the removal of a door of similar size and composition.



List

Agenda

#1

1. Inventory of ammunition from premises at 2337 W. Monroe, as reflected in receipts #752930 and #752932 (December 5 memo from Groth to Jalovec. Report #5).

#2

2. The log, dispatch records, service records and trip tickets relating to all undercover trucks used by the State's Attorney's office, from October 1, 1969 through December 4, 1969.

#4

3. All tapes, in uncut version, reflecting police radio transmissions from 0001 through 0800 on December 4, 1969.

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4. All receipts reflecting:

(a) Ammunition issued to members of the 14 man detail prior to 0600 on December 4, 1969.

(b) "Heavy weapons" e.g., machine gun(s), carbine(s), and shotguns issued to members of the 14 man detail for the 2337 W. Monroe Street assignment.

(c) Ammunition issued for (b) above.

None
see
search
officer

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5. All memoranda, records, reports, and interviews reflecting information and how such information was obtained by State's Attorney's office that there were weapons cached at 2337 W. Monroe Street.

nothing

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6. All records reflecting knowledge of and surveillance of Hampton's movements prior to December 4, 1969, by State's Attorney's office.

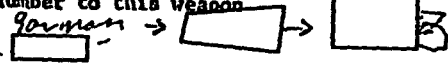
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7. All records of state's police shotgun seized on December 4, 1969 at 2337 W. Monroe, including reports of theft and reports of investigation of theft. *Assignment of inventory control Harold First*

#19

8. All records reflecting chain of custody of seized shotgun #9F-10269, and records reflecting reason for assignment of this number to this weapon



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Clark's #15
9. Addresses of survivors and Mark Clark and Fred Hampton on all bonds executed since October 1, 1969.

#62 10. Inventory and availability of all garments worn by 14 detailed officers at 2337 W. Monroe on the morning of December 4, 1969.

#65 11. Records and information as to all part-time employment held by 14 detailed officers prior to December 4, 1969.

#67 12. All records of telephonic, electronic, or mail cover surveillance available to State's Attorney's office, on known or alleged BPP members, prior to and including December 4, 1969.

#78 13. Copies of any reports prepared by the IID about the incident at 2337 W. Monroe occurring on December 4, 1969, and names of officers who prepared reports.

Clark's #79
14. Records reflecting the date, time, place of each service of search warrant, arrest warrant, or raid conducted by State's Attorney's police during period June 30, 1968 - December 31, 1969.

#125 15. All diagrams, of interior or exterior of premises located at 2337 W. Monroe, prepared or obtained prior to 0400 December 4, 1969.

#26 16. Identity and testimonial availability before Grand Jury of any informant who communicated with State's Attorney's police or Chicago Police Department re: premises at 2337 W. Monroe and occupants thereof prior to 0400, December 4, 1969.

#75 17. All known current addresses for the persons arrested at 2337 W. Monroe on December 4, 1969.

#60 18. All records of paraffin tests or other tests relating to
none the recent use of firearms done on Hampton, Clark or any of
those arrested at 2337 W. Monroe on December 4, 1969.

#64 19. All records of seizure, and custody, and analyses of any
none pills, medications, or liquids seized at 2337 W. Monroe, and
samples of same.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (44-44202)

FROM : SAC, CHICAGO (44-1503)

SUBJECT: SGT. DANIEL R. GROTH,
ET AL,
CHICAGO POLICE OFFICERS;
FRED A. HAMPTON - (Deceased)
ET AL - VICTIMS
SUMMARY PUNISHMENT - CR

DATE: 2/4/70

(ATTN: FBI LABORATORY,
SA ROBERT ZINNERS)

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Re Chicago letters (2), to Bureau dated 2/3/70, and 1/29/70, all Attn: FBI Laboratory.

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The following [redacted] are being shipped separately via REA Express under GEL E8398131, and are identified as FBI Numbers:

12, 49, 50, 64, 66, 72, 73, 78, 171, 180, 244, 249, 250, 254, 257, and 258, in FGJ exhibit 18-A submitted as enclosure to referenced Chicago letter to Bureau dated 1/29/70:

- (1) FBI Number 12 - [redacted] appearing above this is the handwritten notation, "Told back bedroom," and below the above description is handwritten, "Law office of Wacht-Pittsburgh 1/10 by DENNIS CUNNINGHAM and FRANCIS ANDREW."

Departmental attorney WILLIAM O'CONNOR has advised the handwritten notation is based upon information furnished him by [redacted] employed as a ballistics expert by the BPP's attorney FRANCIS ANDREW. The handwriting represents the fact that FBI item number 12 was examined by [redacted] at the law office of attorney WACHT in Pittsburgh on 1/10/70 by BPP attorneys DENNIS CUNNINGHAM and FRANCIS ANDREW.

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- (2) FBI Number 49 - [redacted]

- (3) FBI Number 50 - [redacted]

4 - Bureau (REA) (GEL E-8398131)

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Q183 (16) FBI Number 258 - [REDACTED]

In connection with the examination of the above described items, reference is made to the memorandum for MARLIN JOHNSON, SAC, Chicago, dated 1/27/70, from JERRIS LEONARD, AAG, Civil Rights Division, which was an enclosure with referenced Chicago letter to Bureau dated 1/29/70. Paragraph five of this memorandum requests:

"Identify to the extent possible [REDACTED]

With regard to FBI item number 12, paragraph 10, in the above mentioned memorandum of 1/27/70, states as follows:

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"As to FBI Number 12, [REDACTED]

W1 With regard to FBI item number 12, paragraph 20, in above described memorandum of 1/27/70, states:

"As to FBI number 64, [REDACTED] compare with FBI number 12 (as well as FBI numbers 301, 302, 303, 306, 307, and 308, which have been shipped under separate cover in referenced Chicago letter 2/3/70: GBL E-8398129, dated 2/3/70).

With regard to FBI item number 50, described above, the memorandum of 1/27/70, paragraph 19, reads:

"As to FBI Number 50, compare [REDACTED] with FBI numbers 301, 302, 303, 306, 307, 308."

With regard to FBI Number 66, 72, 73, and 78, reference is made to the memorandum of 1/27/70, paragraph 21, which makes the request to, [REDACTED]

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With regard to FBI Number 180, paragraph 22 of the memorandum of 1/27/70, requests, [REDACTED]

With regard to FBI Numbers 241, 249, 250, 254, 257, and 258, reference is made to paragraph 23 of the memorandum of 1/27/70, which requests the FBI to, [REDACTED]

All of the above items should be returned to the Chicago Office as they were received from FRANCIS ANDREW, BPP attorney, for which a receipt was given and at which time ANDREW requested all items be returned as they may be needed in his defense of the seven Panthers who, as it subsequently developed, were indicted on 1/30/70, by the Cook County Grand Jury.

All identification tags should be returned attached [REDACTED] as they represent the chain of evidence in this case.