

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

TO : Mr. W. C. Sullivan

DATE: May 20, 1968

FROM : G. C. Moore *h*

SUBJECT: *ST* *ST* *ST* COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST-HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE
(POOR PEOPLE'S CAMPAIGN)

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Holmes ☒
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This is to recommend item regarding "Poor People's Campaign" leaders staying at plush motel be furnished cooperative news media source on confidential basis by Crime Records Division.

[REDACTED] who has overall responsibility for the Poor People's Campaign (PPC) as a Program Administrator of Southern Christian Leadership Conference (SCLC), and *[REDACTED]* in charge of PPC security, are reportedly staying at the plush Pitts Motel, 1451 Belmont, N.W., Washington, D. C., while in Washington.

To contrast this with the way the PPC participants are living in their "tent city," it is recommended attached item be publicized. This will not jeopardize our sources.

RECOMMENDATION:

That attached item regarding plush living of PPC leaders be furnished cooperative news source on a confidential basis by Crime Records.

Enclosure

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- 1 - Mr. C. D. DeLoach
- 1 - Mr. W. C. Sullivan
- 1 - Mr. T. E. Bishop
- 1 - Mr. G. C. Moore

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Memorandum

TO

DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE:

5/27/68

FROM

WAC, KANSAS CITY (100-12448) (P*)

SUBJECT

COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

90 DAY PROGRESS LETTER, KANSAS CITY DIVISION:

Re Bureau letter dated 3/4/68 to Albany and various offices; and Kansas City airtels (2), dated 3/18/68 to Bureau reflecting no counterintelligence action was suggestible as practical at that time against any local hate group target in the Kansas City Division.

The only such group at that time was designated as a small Kansas City, Missouri NOI group, considered ineffective by knowledgeable sources.

The situation as of 5/27/68 is unchanged from that of 3/18/68, except for recent "talk" of a possible small SNCC group in Kansas City, Kansas. This talk is based, apparently, entirely on representations of one [REDACTED] after he appeared and was photographed in a SNCC lettered jacket at a Kansas City, Kansas police community relations new "Open House" on 3/31/68. [REDACTED] veracity is reported highly questionable according to numerous racial and official sources, including police [REDACTED]

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Since the above information to date reflects no positive target that might be considered for effective counterintelligence action, the following are negative:

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| 1. Operations Under Consideration | None |
| 2. Operations Being Effected | None |
| 3. Tangible Results | None |
| 4. Developments of Counter-intelligence Interest | None |

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

ROUTE IN

TO : Mr. W. C. Sullivan

DATE: May 17, 1968

FROM : C. C. Moore *hcr*

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE
(POOR PEOPLE'S CAMPAIGN)

This is to recommend photographs of demonstrators on Poor People's Campaign (PPC) be furnished cooperative news media source on a confidential basis by Crime Records Division.

Attached are six photographs of PPC participants taken by [redacted] in Cleveland, Ohio, at rally 5/14/68. These show the militant, aggressive appearance of the participants and might be of interest to a cooperative news source. Furnishing the pictures to a news source will not jeopardize our source.

ACTION:

That attached photos of PPC be furnished cooperative news media source on confidential basis by Crime Records Division.

Enclosures - 6

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- 1 - Mr. DeLoach
- 1 - Mr. W. C. Sullivan
- 1 - Mr. T. E. Bishop
- 1 - Mr. G. C. Moore
- 1 - [redacted]
- 1 - [redacted]

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Date: 5/21/68

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Via AIRTEL

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM : SAC, CHICAGO (157-2209) (157-347) (P)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

RICHARD CLAXTON GREGORY
RM

Re Bureau letter to Chicago dated 4/22/68 instructing Chicago to develop counterintelligence measures to neutralize GREGORY noting he has traveled all over the country preaching black nationalist extremism, hatred and violence.

Concerning GREGORY it may be noted that an article appeared in the Tuesday, 5/21/68 edition of the "Chicago Sun-Time" newspaper of general circulation in Chicago, in "Pop's Column" (IRV KUPCINET, Chicago newspaper columnist and TV personality), which states "Dick Gregory calls a temporary halt to his write-in campaign for President next week when he reports to the state of Washington to serve that 90-day sentence for civil disobedience".

It is also noted that the 5/14/68 edition of the "Chicago Daily News", also a daily newspaper of general circulation, reported the Illinois Appellate Court upheld a 1966 conviction of comedian GREGORY on charges of battery and resisting a police officer during a 1965 civil rights demonstration. GREGORY in his appeal charged he was denied a fair trial because of a "systematic exclusion of Negroes from the jury". The Appellate Court in ruling on his appeal, said GREGORY failed to prove the charges.

GREGORY had been fined \$200 for each of 2 counts of battery and \$500 on each of 2 counts of resisting arrest and was ordered to serve 5 months in the County Jail.

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Approved: (8) Special Agent in Charge

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AT SEATTLE, WASHINGTON. Will ascertain if GREGORY surrenders himself to serve the above referred to 90 day sentence and immediately advise the Bureau and Chicago of same. If GREGORY confined, arrange to be advised of his release advising the Bureau and Chicago.

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AT CHICAGO, ILLINOIS. Will continue to follow proceeding against GREGORY relative to above local charges in Chicago and keep the Bureau advised of developments.

Chicago is exploring possible means to discredit GREGORY in the extremist black nationalist movement and Bureau authority will be requested prior to instituting any counterintelligence action.

Chicago is also exploring possible counterintelligence activity against GREGORY relative to his recent remarks attacking organized crime and hoodlums connected with same.

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1. HQ, 113TH MI GROUP

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3. PPO/NSP - ALBERT CLEAGE

4. LEAD SHEET 8117-9442

5. SEL PARA 7

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7. ALBERT CLEAGE (CATEGORY 1 PERSONALITY, REF'D L/S) HAS NOT TAKEN AN OPEN, ACTIVE MILITANT POSITION BUT RATHER HIS ORGANIZATION, THE CITY-WIDE CITIZENS ACTION COMMITTEE (CCAC) HAS BEEN INFLUENCED BY HARD CORE MILITANTS. MORE RECENTLY CLEAGE HAS EXPERIENCED A CONFLICT WITH THE HARD CORE MILITANTS IN DETROIT AND HAS REFUSED THEM FURTHER USE OF HIS CHURCH AS A MEETING PLACE AND HAS BEEN REPORTED TO HAVE THREATENED TO REMOVE THE "SHRINE OF THE BLACK MADONNA" FROM HIS CHURCH. ALSO RECENTLY IN DETROIT, 3 BLACK MILITANT FIGURES WERE MURDERED, WHICH CAUSED A FEAR AND "LOYALTY SPLIT" BETWEEN MILITANT LEADERS. IN SUBSEQUENT INTERVIEWS, CLEAGE SEEMED MORE MODERATE AND ACTUALLY POSSESSES A FEAR OF SOME OF THE MORE MILITANT LEADERS.

8. NONE

9. CONCURRENTLY

10. NONE

11. RGN II, 113TH MI GP

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13. CPT JONES, RGN II, 113TH MI GROUP

14. IN VIEW OF INFORMATION IN PARAGRAPH 7, REQUEST THAT CLEAGE BE CATEGORIED AS CATEGORY 1 ON REFERENCED LEAD SHEET AND PLACED IN REPORTING GROUP.

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 5/28/68

FROM : SAC, MINNEAPOLIS (157-438)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

ReBuairtel to Albany, cc Minneapolis, 2/2/68,
Minneapolis airtel to Bureau 4/3/68, and Minneapolis letter
to Bureau dated 5/28/68.

In connection with suggestions for counter-
intelligence operations, the following, based on recent
experience in Minneapolis, is being set forth:

Immediately subsequent to the demise of Dr.
MARTIN LUTHER KING, personal on-the-scene liaison with the
[REDACTED] of the Minneapolis Police Department
that night resulted in the effective direction of a liaison
source in refuting an erroneous proclamation by a hostile
Negro leader that a Negro boy had been shot, and had the
effect of throwing cold water on a small fire that could have
resulted in a minor holocaust.

In detail, as pointed out in referenced Minneapolis
letter captioned as above this date summarizing activities
in the counterintelligence field, this is what occurred:

A liaison source contacted an agent of this office
on duty that night, and advised him that a memorial service
for Dr. KING was in progress at that time. One Negro leader
claimed that a Negro youth had been killed by a white man
in the ghetto area of North Minneapolis. The source advised
that the mixed white and Negro, but predominantly Negro,
group present at this service was becoming highly disturbed.
The agent was able to determine because of his on-the-scene
liaison that this was a lie, that in fact a Negro had killed
a white man, and relayed this information to the liaison
source with instructions to immediately make it known to the
assembled group that the allegation was not true and that in fact
a Negro had killed a white man, rather than the reverse. The

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM : SAC, MILWAUKEE (157-459) (P)

SUBJECT: COUNTER-INTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST-HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

DATE: 5/28/68

Re Milwaukee letter to Bureau, 4/3/68, and
Milwaukee letter to Bureau, 4/5/68.

As indicated in referenced communications,
the Milwaukee Division has not instituted any counter-
intelligence program against the Black Nationalist-
Organization in Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

Due to the relative inactivity of the
Black Nationalist leaders in the Milwaukee Division,
no counter-intelligence has been taken against them.

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 5/29/68

FROM : SAC, ALBANY (157-231) (P*)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST-HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

ReBuairtel 3/4/68, and Albany letter to Bureau, 4/2/68.

The following information sets forth the summary of the Counterintelligence Program for the Albany Division as requested in reBuairtel.

1. Operations Under Consideration

Pending Bureau approval, the Albany Division is considering a counterintelligence operation wherein black nationalists designated as targets will be exposed to the local police departments so that they may designate these individuals as targets also. The police departments can then issue a series of traffic tickets to the individual targets, of which the target's copy will be destroyed, until a backlog of "unpaid" tickets is accumulated and the issuance of an arrest warrant is necessary. It is planned that the warrant would be held in abeyance until such time as racial violence may appear imminent and information indicates that the target may be engaged in fomenting this violence. The warrant can then be served and the target arrested and incarcerated, thereby preventing his presence in the streets to incite the racial strife.

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2. Operations Being Effected

Inasmuch as no proposed counterintelligence operations have been approved by the Bureau for the Albany Division, there are no operations presently in effect at Albany.

3. Tangible Results

Not applicable at this time.

4. Developments of Counterintelligence Interest

Presently there is only one black nationalist organization in the Albany Division. Investigation to date has revealed that the organization has not fomented racial trouble in the past nor are there plans within the organization to create any racial violence in the future. As previously reported to the Bureau, the Nation of Islam has unsuccessfully attempted to establish mosques at Albany, N.Y., and Syracuse, N.Y., however, no self-sustaining mosques have been established to date. In view of the absence of black nationalist activities by organization or individual, the counterintelligence program regarding these matters is limited. If black nationalists in this Division become active to the point that the public indicates concern, it is felt that then would be the most appropriate time to more fully exploit the measures made available through this program.

For the information of the Bureau, the Brothers, mentioned in referenced Albany letter to the Bureau, are highly supported by the "Times Union", the local Albany, N.Y., daily newspaper. [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] are closely associated with the Brothers and support them on a continuing basis through the use of the "Times Union". Contact with the Albany Police Department and the New York State Police has confirmed through their past experience that any attempts to expose the Brothers or any individual members of the Brothers through the newspaper media would undoubtedly result in embarrassment to the FBI.

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM : SAC, NEWARK (100-49654) (P)

DATE: 5/31/68

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

Re Bureau airtel to Albany dated 3/4/68 and Newark letter to Bureau dated 4/2/68.

1. OPERATIONS UNDER CONSIDERATION

Newark has no operations under consideration at this time.

2. OPERATIONS BEING EFFECTED

None

3. TANGIBLE RESULTS

None

4. DEVELOPMENTS OF COUNTERINTELLIGENCE INTEREST

[REDACTED] of the UNITED AFRICAN-AMERICAN ASSOCIATION (UAAA), is apparently moving in a direction away from Black Nationalism. Since the submission of referenced Newark letter, information from sources corroborated by the press shows [REDACTED] meeting with and participating with white groups in an effort to improve ghetto conditions. At a SOCIALIST WORKERS PARTY open forum on [REDACTED] was mentioned as one who had sold out and was no longer any good to "the movement."

In view of the above [REDACTED] and the UAAA are not considered targets at this time.

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The "Newark Evening News," a daily Newark, New Jersey, newspaper, issue of 3/23/68 carried an article captioned, "Negroes At Rally Urged to Unite," which stated that a new political force was launched on 3/22/68 in Newark with an evening of speeches, dance and drama sponsored by the United Brothers.

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LE ROI JONES plays a leading role in the United Brothers whose membership covers a broad spectrum.

Membership which is limited to Negroes is unknown, but affairs sponsored by the organization have been attended by approximately 800 - 1,000 persons. STOKELY CARMICHAEL and RON KARENGA are among those who have spoken in Newark under the sponsorship of the United Brothers.

The stated aim of the organization is to obtain black self-government in Newark by 1970.

It is felt that LE ROI JONES and the United Brothers are the prime targets for counterintelligence and Newark will remain alert for opportunities in this regard.

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 5/31/68

FROM : SAC, SACRAMENTO (100-894) (P)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST-HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

ReSClet to Director dated 3/29/68.

There have been no noticeable changes in the over-all Black Nationalist Movement since referenced letter.

1. Operations Under Consideration

Sacramento is presently contemplating the possibility of developing a Negro businessman, such as a shoe repairman, a cleaner or the owner of a delicatessen and attempt to have him offer a 10% discount to members of the NOI or Black Panthers or any other hate-type group so that they can be more easily identified. Sacramento realizes that this may not be counterintelligence as such, but determining identities of members of the various hate groups in this manner may be helpful in working out and preparing counterintelligence operations in the future.

2. Operations Being Effectuated

None at the present time.

3. Tangible Results

No operations in effect.

4. Developments of Counterintelligence Interest

None.

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source did this and informed the agent shortly thereafter that what started out as a small fire figuratively speaking, and that could have become a holocaust, was put out entirely by his ability to learn that the allegation was not true and his action of informing the assembled group of this. This source is a responsible, well-regarded individual in the community by both whites and Negroes and by effective direction of his activities at a crucial time proved most effective. It is recommended, therefore, that agents be made aware that merely because an individual is a liaison source does not mean that we must consider him a source for things that have occurred but rather that we can in many instances use him effectively through proper direction in controlling activities in the future on the part of things most susceptible to violent suggestion and reaction.

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 5/29/68

FROM : SAC, JACKSON (100-980) (P)

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SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM,
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

Re Bureau airtel to Albany, 3/4/68.

QUARTERLY PROGRESS LETTER

Changes in Overall Black Nationalist Movement
in Jackson Division: No Change.

I. OPERATIONS UNDER CONSIDERATION

By letter forwarded to the Bureau by Jackson on May 11, 1968, the Jackson Division requested approval for a counterintelligence measure against the three main Student Non-violent Coordinating Committee (SNCC) functionaries in Mississippi - ROBERT EARL FLETCHER, JR., HOWARD HERSCHEL SPENCER, and MARVIN LOUIS WILSON, all Negro males.

This measure was designed to discredit these three individuals by implying that each of the three are informants of some Mississippi Law Enforcement Agency.

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The measure was to be initiated by submitting separate anonymous letters to SNCC Headquarters in Atlanta, Georgia, addressed to each of the three individuals. Each letter would thank the addressee for providing certain specified bits of intelligence information regarding SNCC

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activities and members, which information is true, but in fact provided by other Jackson sources, and not traceable to Jackson sources. Letters would be signed "Charlie". The letters to each addressee would be "shuffled" so that letter to FLETCHER would be "erroneously" placed in envelope addressed to SPENCER; letter to SPENCER "erroneously" placed in envelope to WILSON, etc. u

II. OPERATIONS BEING EFFECTED

Bureau approval has not yet been received regarding operation being considered which is mentioned above. u

The Jackson Division has effected some operations through rumor campaign initiated regarding the Southern Christian Leadership Conference (SCLC) Poor People's Campaign. The following measures were implemented: u

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III. TANGIBLE RESULTS

Regarding A. above, in no small measure due to [REDACTED]

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The majority of the Mississippi participants were youthful people, Negro males and females. ~~X~~ u

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Regarding B. above, [REDACTED] was personally instrumental in screening out many militant Negro youths from participating in any manner in the Southern Caravan portion of the Poor People's Campaign. He was especially watchful for anyone in any manner associated with SNCC and any allegations he received in this regard were grounds for automatic elimination of individual as Southern Caravan participant. u

IV. DEVELOPMENTS OF COUNTERINTELLIGENCE INTEREST

The Jackson Division has disseminated pertinent information regarding known Mississippi Black Nationalist militants to all appropriate local and State law enforcement officials. They, in turn, carefully scrutinize activities of these individuals for any indications that they may be breaking State or local laws. Any violations result in rapid arrest. In this regard, [REDACTED]

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Negro Black Nationalist Militants from Jackson, Mississippi, have each been arrested once by local authorities on minor infractions over the past four months. u

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Additionally, any information received of out-of-state Black Nationalists traveling to Mississippi, is immediately furnished local and State authorities; these authorities likewise scrutinize activities of these out-of-staters while in Mississippi, for any indications of law-breaking. Recently, two SNCC members from Tennessee, following FBI alert to local authorities, were stopped on traffic violation; their automobile was searched and concealed weapons and drugs were found, resulting in more serious charges; charges are still pending and individuals involved were released on bond and immediately returned to Tennessee.

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM : SAC, MINNEAPOLIS (157-438)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

DATE: 5/28/68

ReBuairtel to Albany, cc Minneapolis, 3/1/68,
and Minneapolis letter to Bureau 4/3/68.

In accordance with instructions contained in
reBuairtel, the following is set forth:

As pointed out in referenced Minneapolis letter of
4/3/68, there is only one Black Nationalist group in the
Minneapolis division, the Nation of Islam. Membership has
not changed since referenced Minneapolis letter. They have
not been influential nor active in the Minneapolis-St. Paul
area. As pointed out, their membership varies from 27 to
34 adults. Penetration of this group has been through
approved informant techniques and coverage is effective.
In regard to the overall Black Nationalist movement, there
have been no significant changes since referenced Minneapolis
letter.

(1) OPERATIONS UNDER CONSIDERATION

In a continuing effort to establish lines of
communication into the Negro communities in the Minneapolis
Division, we are considering utilization of responsible
liaison racial matters sources as tools for counter intelligence
activity. For example, when information publicly announced
alleging certain rights or wrongs on the part of the more
vociferous Negro leaders where it is known such information
is incorrect and espoused primarily to incite and solidify
following of such leaders, wherever possible a liaison
source might, through challenging the statement or statements

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With fact confidentially furnished by this office, destroy the effectiveness of such erroneous proclamations.

(2) OPERATIONS BEING EFFECTED

Close periodic all-night liaison during times of suspected stress (such as the ten days immediately following the death of Dr. MARTIN LUTHER KING) places us in a position to secure immediate information on various activities, including minor arsons, burglaries, possibly racially connected, etc. Also, stress on development of ghetto informants is producing great coverage of activities of the Negro hoodlum element that is primarily involved in racial unrest.

(3) TANGIBLE RESULTS

As an example of tangible results effected under one and two above, it is to be pointed out that on the night of Dr. KING's murder, a Negro male in the North Minneapolis ghetto area got drunk in his apartment, told his wife he was going to kill the first white man he saw, proceeded to leave his apartment, and did just that. Shortly thereafter, a meeting was being held in a South Minneapolis church of many Negroes and whites as a quasi-memorial service for Dr. KING. During this meeting, three of the more active Negroes striving for leadership in the Minneapolis North Side community entered the church and one became emotionally upset during his eulogization of Dr. KING and stated, "Where are your young teen-agers tonight? One Negro has just been killed in North Minneapolis by a white man." A liaison source present in the church contacted a special agent and asked about this, stating that the congregation was very uneasy and almost to the boiling point, as a result of this alleged murder of a Negro youth. The agent who was with inspector in charge of the Minneapolis police was aware in fact that the reverse was true in that a Negro had killed a white man. This information was furnished to the liaison source with instructions that he make it known to the assembled group immediately that the charge was a lie and that no Negro boy had been shot but rather a Negro man had killed a white man. The source did this, and as a result, the group quieted

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down and later orderly dispersed after the ceremony. This is one instance of the value of good liaison work.

(4) DEVELOPMENTS OF COUNTERINTELLIGENCE INTEREST

During this period, there have been no developments of interest in the counterintelligence field other than that set forth above.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 5/31/68

FROM : SAC, TAMPA (157-3213)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST-HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

ReTPlets to the Director, 4/4/68 and 5/17/68.

1. Operations Under Consideration.

By relet dated 5/17/68, in an effort to disrupt the operation of Muslim Mosque #47 (MM #47), Tampa, Fla. and cast suspicion on [REDACTED] Bureau authority was requested to direct a letter to W. F. MUHAMMAD, Chicago, Ill., bearing the anonymous signature, "Sister X", accusing [REDACTED] of stealing some of the collections made in MM #47. Bureau authority has not yet been received under this project.

2. Operations Being Effected.

There are no purely counterintelligence operations being effected in this program at the present time. However, as mentioned in reTPlet dated 4/4/68, attempts by the MM #47 (NOI - Tampa) to expand into Lake Wales, Fla., have been thwarted through the efforts to [REDACTED] and actual investigation conducted by Buagents. MM #47 has been unsuccessful to date in expanding its coverage into St. Petersburg, Fla. The situation in Lake Wales and St. Petersburg is being watched closely and should an opportunity for counterintelligence operation emerge, appropriate recommendations will be made to the Bureau.

3. Tangible Results.

No tangible results of counterintelligence activity have been achieved to date.

4. Development of Counterintelligence Interest.

There has been no development of counterintelligence interest within the Tampa Division. Tampa informants have

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advised of a change in the administration of the Muslim Mosque, Miami, Fla., as the result of misappropriation by one of the members of monies collected from the members. It would appear that in the case of the NOI, an allegation that a minister or other official of a local mosque is stealing or misappropriating monies which should be forwarded to ELIJAH MUHAMMAD in Chicago, is a matter of grave and immediate concern to NOI headquarters officials.

SAC, Jacksonville

5/23/68

Director, FBI (100-448000)

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CLAIMED RALLY OR SUBSEQUENT DEMONSTRATIONS
[REDACTED]
UNDER AUSPICES OF UNITED VETERANS FOR FREEDOM
RACIAL MATTERS

Feurlet dated 4/30/68, copy enclosed
Philadelphia.

In view of the investigation that was conducted
by the Army into the unauthorized disclosure of information
contained in military records in another matter, authority
is not granted to furnish the military record of [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] to individuals mentioned in referenced letter.

The Bureau appreciates your interest in the
Counterintelligence Program and you are encouraged to
submit additional suggestions in this regard.

1 - Jacksonville [REDACTED]
1 - Philadelphia [REDACTED]

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NOTE:

[REDACTED] is a Security Index subject of the
Philadelphia Office who has established a black
nationalist organization known as United Veterans
for Freedom. [REDACTED] is the correct spelling of
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Letter to SAC, Jacksonville
RE: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM AGAINST
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demonstrations and attempting to establish a chapter of this organization in Deland, Florida. In this connection [redacted] has released a pamphlet concerning his military service emphasizing his good record, claiming he was recommended for the Silver Star.

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As a counterintelligence effort Jacksonville requested authority to find this record [redacted]

[redacted] In view of the extensive investigation conducted by the Army into the leak of military records of New Orleans District Attorney, J.C. Garr who is probing the assassination of President Kennedy, this request should not be granted.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM : SAC, PHOENIX (105-2544) (P*)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST-HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

DATE: 5/31/68

ReBuairtel to Albany, 3/4/68; and PX letter to Bureau, 4/3/68.

The Nation of Islam (NOI) Mosque No. 32 continues to be the only black nationalist organization within the Phoenix Division. The only change in this organization's activities is that the NOI ministers have discontinued visiting the Arizona State Prison to teach the NOI philosophy.

The Phoenix Division believes the above organization continues to have a lack of propensity for violence at this time.

The Phoenix Division (1) has no counterintelligence operation under consideration at this time; (2) no operations have been effected; (3) consequently, no tangible results have been obtained and (4) there are no developments of counterintelligence interest to report.

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006-Sub-10)

DATE: 5/31/68

FROM : SAC, DENVER (157-199)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST-HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

ReBuairtel 3/4/68, and Denver letter 4/3/68.

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| 1. Operations under consideration | None |
| 2. Operations being affected | None |
| 3. Tangible results | None |
| 4. Developments of counterintelli-
gence | None |

The Denver Office has not yet engaged in any counterintelligence operations against the Denver group NOI or against [REDACTED]

There has been no change in the over-all Black Nationalist movement in the Denver Division since submission of Denver letter dated 4/3/68. It is noted that [REDACTED] is presently in Washington, D. C., in connection with the Poor People's Campaign.

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM : SAC, RICHMOND (105-5096) -PK

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

DATE: 5-31-68

Re Richmond letter to Bureau, 4-1-68.

Efforts to identify militant black organizations and/or individuals within the Richmond territory have, to date, met with negative results.

Richmond will continue its efforts in this regard and should any positive results be achieved, Richmond will propose appropriate counterintelligence operations for Bureau approval.

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-443006)

DATE: 5/31/68

FROM : SAC, COLUMBIA (100-324) (P)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST-HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

Re Columbia letter to Bureau, dated 4/5/68.

I. SUMMARY OF CHANGES SINCE REFERENCED LETTER

There has been no significant change in the over all Black Nationalist Movement within the Columbia Division, however, a new group of the Black Awareness Coordinating Committee, (BACC), has been formed at Voorhees College, Denmark, S. C. This group is closely associated with the BACC group at South Carolina State College, Orangeburg, S. C., the details of which were set forth in referenced letter.

A subsidiary group of the Association of Afro-American Students, (AAAS), University of S. C., (USC) Columbia, S. C., has recently been formed. This group is called the Black Alliance for Self-Defense, (BAD), and is led by [REDACTED] whose identity is set forth in referenced letter and who is a member of the AAAS. This group made its appearance on the campus of USC with a publication entitled "The Black Liberator". The purpose of BAD is described in the Black Liberator as follows:

BAD feels the need for the development of a sense of black consciousness among black students in this state. It furthermore contends that it is imperative for black students to organize themselves for reasons which are clearly obvious. BAD intends to bring together blacks who desire to initiate social, economic and political changes not only on the campuses but also in the communities. It also intends to instill

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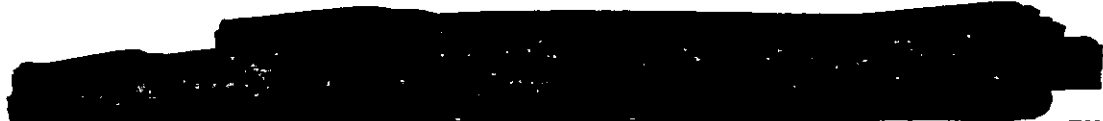



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in the minds of all blacks the need for taking defensive measures to prevent injustice toward black people.

There are also two individuals not referred to in referenced letter who are militant black nationalist leaders and on whom active investigation has been opened.



are known to have attended the conference sponsored by SNCC at Tougaloo College, Tougaloo, Mississippi, in April, 1967.

II. OPERATIONS UNDER CONSIDERATION

1. The NOI is building a new Mosque in Columbia, S. C. They are using the members primarily to construct this building. It is moving along very slowly at this time. Upon completing approximately one half of this building, the city building inspectors will be contacted to inspect this building to insure that all city building codes are being complied with. It is believed that numerous violations will be found during this inspection which will be costly and time consuming.

2. Automobile license numbers of the various militants within the Columbia Division are being obtained and furnished to local law enforcement agencies. The purpose of this operation was explained in referenced letter. This plan has not been put into effect at this time, however, the license numbers of the primary leaders in Columbia have

been obtained and will be furnished to the local law enforcement agencies in the near future.

3. As explained in referenced letter, [redacted] has formed a club composed of Negro students at this high school. She has had good success in controlling the more militant students through this club by having the more conservative students keep the militant students under control. For example, the day following the death of Dr. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR., the Negro students at [redacted] were extremely upset and very militant. [redacted] had all Negro students excused from school to attend a conference with her organization. They spent three hours discussing the situation and the leaders of her club talked the militant students into "calming down" and not doing anything that would bring discredit upon the Negro students at [redacted]. Following this discussion there were no incidents, but prior to the discussion, the militant students were talking about "beating the white students" and doing anything to retaliate against Dr. KING'S death.

[redacted] is another large high school in Columbia, S. C. [redacted] is working with the Negro students especially the more militant students in an effort to keep them out of trouble. She and [redacted] recently discussed the high school situation in Columbia and both decided to work together as close as possible during the school year of 1968 and 1969 to prevent any violence on the part of the militant Negro students.

[redacted] are both in contact with the FBI and are willing to cooperate with the FBI.

The Bureau will be kept advised of the plans these two high schools make in order to prevent racial problems in these respective high schools.

4. Recently it has been learned that black power leaders in S. C. are involved in the misuse of a telephone credit card. Columbia is evaluating this situation to determine if any federal violations exist and also to determine the feasibility of conducting interviews with all of those black power leaders who are involved in this situation. It is felt that this will be an excellent opportunity to develop informants and also an excellent opportunity to prosecute either in the state or federal courts. The telephone number being used on this fictitious credit card is allegedly a telephone number for the CIA. WFO is origin in this investigation and the Bureau will be kept advised of any counterintelligence operations that can be utilized in this instance.

III. OPERATIONS BEING EFFECTED

Recently [redacted] who has been described in referenced letter, rented an automobile from Avis-Rent-A-Car, Columbia, S. C. Later this automobile was wrecked in Ohio being driven by persons other than [redacted] who rented the car with [redacted]

Information has been discreetly furnished to [redacted] Avis Rent-A-Car, Columbia, who is a excellent friend of the FBI, to the effect that [redacted] were not in the car at the time of the wreck and also that the car was pulling a trailer when wrecked. This was in violation of the Avis Rent-A-Car rules, and as a result of furnishing this information Avis-Rent-A-Car is instituting a suit against [redacted] to recover the damages resulting from the automobile wreck. The damages totaled \$1,560. This matter is being followed closely and the Bureau will be kept advised of the results of this suit against [redacted]

IV. TANGIBLE RESULTS

Recently the Columbia Division learned that [redacted] and [redacted] is perhaps the most militant black nationalist leader in S. C. obtained the USC automobile and gasoline credit card to attend the conference at Tougaloo College, mentioned above.

It was also learned that [REDACTED] used her personally owned automobile on this trip and used the USC gasoline credit card to fill her automobile with gas. An anonymous telephone call was made to "Live Wire" which is a column in the Columbia Record, a daily newspaper in Columbia, S. C., which gets the answers to questions submitted to "Live Wire" dealing primarily with problems of interest to the Columbia community. This anonymous call requested that an explanation be given by USC as to why a militant black power group was allowed to use a USC automobile at state expense. This question and the answer by the USC officials was published in "Live Wire". Thereafter individual groups contacted USC demanding an explanation and on 5/23/68, an article appeared in the Columbia Record which stated that USC had restricted their rules on student groups using USC automobiles for trips. It is felt that this operation has stopped the use of college automobiles in S. C. for black power groups to attend meetings in other states.

V. DEVELOPMENTS OF COUNTERINTELLIGENCE INTEREST

In South Carolina, one of the crucial questions among the citizens is the school situation. As a result of federal laws, many students, both black and white, are being transported out of their own neighborhood and away from schools close to their homes to other schools in order to insure that all schools are being integrated. This situation is causing harsh feelings on the part of both Negro and white people. It is felt that the high school situation for the coming school year will be explosive as many of the young Negro militants are expected to cause trouble in the high schools.

It is believed that high schools will have to form some type of organization such as the one formed by [REDACTED] to cope with the problems that are expected to arise during the coming school year. There are enough leaders among the young Negro students to control the few militant leaders. This control can only be accepted when a majority of the students let the militant know that they will not tolerate any actions that will bring discredit among them.

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The organization of these groups in high schools is being followed closely by the Columbia Division and any successful programs will be furnished to the Bureau promptly. Columbia is following this program closely and will keep the Bureau advised of all pertinent developments.

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Date: 4/3/68

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Via AIRTEL _____
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)
FROM: *pyl* SAC, OMAHA (157-272) (P)
RE: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST-HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

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Re Bureau airtel to Albany dated 3/4/68.

1. [REDACTED] has been assigned to coordinate this program in the Omaha Division.

2. There is currently no organized Black Nationalist Movement within the Omaha Division.

[REDACTED] is the only militant Black Nationalist carried on the Agitator Index of the Omaha office.

[REDACTED]

of racial disturbances in the Omaha area and there is no known affiliation on his part with any Black Nationalist Group.

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3. There are no organizations or individuals in the Omaha Division presently considered of potential danger as to be considered for Counterintelligence action.

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Omaha has no suggestions to offer at the present time regarding the over all Counterintelligence Program or administration of this program. It is felt, however, that this program can be very beneficial to the Bureau in helping to prevent the coalition of militant Black Nationalist Groups and violence on their part.

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Memorandum

TO : Mr. W. C. Sullivan

DATE: May 22, 1968

FROM : Mr. G. C. Moore

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST-HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE
(POOR PEOPLE'S CAMPAIGN)

This is to recommend an item regarding the Poor People's Campaign be given a cooperative news media source on a confidential basis by the Crime Records Division. A source has advised that some leaders of the Poor People's Campaign (PPC) feel that the American Friends Service Committee (AFSC), a Quaker group, is trying to sabotage the PPC in Washington, D. C. The AFSC has assisted the Southern Christian Leadership Conference in various phases of this campaign. This situation is so serious that [REDACTED] refuses to [REDACTED] campaign office in Washington because of the presence of AFSC representatives.

An item has been prepared, copy attached, to show this jealousy on the part of PPC leaders. It is felt this should be given a cooperative news media source on a confidential basis by the Crime Records Division.

ACTION:

That attached item regarding the Poor People's Campaign be furnished a cooperative news media source on a confidential basis by Crime Records.

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Enclosure

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- 1 - Mr. C. D. DeLoach
- 1 - Mr. W. C. Sullivan
- 1 - Mr. T. E. Bishop
- 1 - Mr. G. C. Moore

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**"FRIENDS" TOO FRIENDLY FOR
LEADERS OF POOR PEOPLE'S CAMPAIGN**

Leaders of the "Poor People's Campaign" in Washington, D. C., are not exactly grateful for the assistance of the American Friends Service Committee on the campaign. They feel this help is a subtle effort to dominate the campaign.

One campaign leader is so irritated with the "Friends" that he refuses to go to the campaign office at 1401 U Street, N. W., Washington, D. C., because of the "Friends" there. He claims the representatives of the American Friends Service Committee that are at the campaign office are uncooperative.

1 - Mr. C. D. DeLoach
1 - Mr. W. C. Sullivan
1 - Mr. T. E. Bishop
1 - Mr. G. C. Moore

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NOTE:

See memo G. C. Moore to Mr. W. C. Sullivan captioned as above, dated May 22, 1968, prepared by TJD: [REDACTED]

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Date: 5/22/68

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, MIAMI (157-2414) (P)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
INTERNAL SECURITY
DISRUPTION OF NEW LEFT

Re Bureau airtel dated 3/4/68 regarding Black Nationalists and Bureau letter dated 5/10/68 to Albany, copies to all offices, concerning disruption of the New Left.

[REDACTED] Channel 7, WTVT-TV, Miami, Florida, an NBC affiliate, advised [REDACTED] his station is currently planning a television special on the New Left and on the Black Nationalist Movement, particularly as it exists in Florida and the South Florida area. Plans are for this television special to be run during July, 1968.

The Bureau is aware that [REDACTED] Channel 7 have been extremely cooperative with the Bureau in the past and

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they have proven to be completely reliable and trustworthy.

Information has been furnished [redacted] confidentially in the past on several occasions which he has used to the benefit of the Bureau. (Bureau note case entitled "COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM; INTERNAL SECURITY - DISRUPTION OF HATE GROUPS," Bufile 157-9-29, Miami file 157-114).

[redacted] said that in production of this program, he expects to interview persons involved in the Black Nationalist and New Left Movements.

[redacted] said that statements and claims made by those interviewed will then be discredited where possible through the use of public source information. He said the objective of this program is the same as the programs produced on the Ku Klux Klan and the States Rights Party; that is, discrediting the organizations and persons involved.

Bureau authority is requested to furnish [redacted] the identities of publicly identified Black Nationalists and activists of the New Left, particularly in the organizations NOI, United Black Students (UBS - a newly formed student group at the University of Miami), the Florida Black Front, and the Southern Student Organizing Committee.

Authority is also requested to furnish [redacted] public source information that can be located showing statements and activities of these individuals and groups. With regard to the NOI, sufficient public source information should be available through "Muhammad Speaks" and other NOI publications. There is ample public source information available concerning UBS in view of the arrest on 1/14/68 of UBS members who participated in a sit-in at the office of the President, University of Miami.

Public source information concerning SBOC officials is available in an underground "hippy-type" newspaper, the "Florida Free Press."

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Jacksonville is requested to furnish Miami any public source information available concerning FBF.

If Bureau authority is granted to cooperate with [REDACTED] in this program, Miami will, of course, keep the Bureau advised of the specific information or type of information he desires.

From past experience with [REDACTED] on similar matters, the Miami Office feels assured he will not reveal the Bureau's interest or betray the Bureau's confidence and this program will not result in any embarrassment to the Bureau.

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SAC, Miami (157-2414) [REDACTED]

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Director, FBI (100-448006) (100-449698)

1 - Mr. T. E. Bishop
1 - [REDACTED]
1 - [REDACTED]

COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
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DISRUPTION OF NEW LEFT

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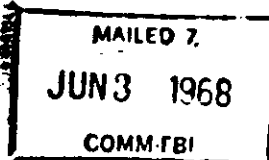
Authority is granted to furnish public source data concerning extremist black nationalist groups and New Left groups to established source, [REDACTED] WCKT-TV, Miami, Florida. Insure [REDACTED] understands that this information is being furnished on a confidential basis and the Bureau cannot be held as the source.

The Bureau appreciates your interest in the counterintelligence programs directed against black nationalist groups and the New Left. You should keep the Bureau advised of the results of this counterintelligence action and be alert for logical follow-up action.

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[REDACTED] plans a television special during 7/68, on the New Left and the Black Nationalist Movement with emphasis on the Florida area. [REDACTED] This television station have been extremely cooperative with the Bureau in the past and have proven completely reliable and trustworthy. We have previously furnished [REDACTED] information.



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on a confidential basis for use in the Counterintelligence Program and this material has been used to the benefit of the Bureau. Miami recommends, and we concur, that [REDACTED] be furnished the identities of publicly identified leaders of black nationalist and New Left groups and public source information concerning their statements and activities. Miami advises that from past experience with [REDACTED] on similar matters the Miami Office feels assured [REDACTED] will protect the Bureau's interest. This matter has been coordinated with the Internal Security Section.

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Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL - REGISTERED
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)
FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (157-601) - 1*
RE: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

Re Buairtel to Albany, 3/4/68, and San Francisco
airtel to Bureau, 4/3/68.

1. Summary of Black Nationalist Movement
San Francisco Division (As of 5/15/68)

The organizations at this time attracting the most public attention in the black nationalist field are the Black Panther Party (BPP) and the Black Student Union (BSU). The latter is a recognized student activity at San Francisco State College (SFSC).

At a BSU conference at SFSC, 4/11-14/68, it was announced that henceforth the BSU would serve as a front for the BPP because the latter generally had a poor reputation among the public, while the BSU enjoyed, according to BSU members, a greater measure of respectability. Some members of the BSU are also members of the BPP. However, there may be some seeds of conflict on an intellectual level here, because the BSU is composed of college students, tutors, and part-time teachers, while the BPP rank and file are the high school drop-out, juvenile hoodlum, and unemployable type, who are usually several years younger than the average BSU member.

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The BPP is currently under considerable public attack in Alameda County. Two leaders, ELDRIDGE CLEAVER and JIMMY NEWTON, are in jail, and several others who engaged in a shoot-out with the Oakland Police Department are also in jail, held under high bail. BOBBY SEALE, current BPP Chairman, is free on bail, while he appeals a "gun" conviction. Thus, the BPP has received considerable publicity describing their penchant for violence.

At the same time the various leaders of the SFU at SFSC have been suspended from school and face condemnation for demonstrations and acts of violence at SFSC. This likewise received publicity to the extent of drawing unfavorable comments from the Governor of California and influential legislators. The President of SFSC resigned under fire.

One would think that after the above the militants would have suffered some loss of stature among the liberal press and the "respectable" Negro community. Such does not appear to have been the case. The leading Negro newspaper in the area, the "Sun Reporter," has given prominent space to the doings of the BPP and its office was used as the site of a press conference held by the militant leader, HARRY EDWARDS, when he announced his membership in the BPP. EDWARDS considers himself along the side of JIMMIE SMITH and H. RAP BROWN as the leader of the black militant movement. The Negro community and many segments of the public seem to feel sorry for the BPP, arrayed against the powerful police. Considerable funds are donated from non-Negro sources to the BPP defense budgets.

The "San Francisco Chronicle" in its issue of 5/15/68, began a series of articles on the BPP. These purport to explain the origin, methods and aims of the BPP. The violent side of the group is not overlooked; at the same time conditions in the areas where the BPP is the strongest are described to explain the rapid rise of this organization's popularity.

The Chief of Police in Oakland recently appeared on TV to explain the dangerous side of the BPP and the violence it can engender.

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It is not believed that the Negro press will print anything derogatory concerning any militant black group at this time. The above-mentioned "Sun Reporter," where the San Francisco Office has a source, is said to have been threatened by the militants to the effect that the officials would be "offed" if they oppose them. This frightened the staff, who were not planning to write any derogatory material in any event. Thus at the present, any plans to publish what would be considered unfavorable publicity would not hurt the growth of these movements. In fact, the BSU and the BPP agreed to merge, at least on paper, in the midst of seemingly unfavorable publicity. JAMES FOPHIAN of SNCC, in 1968, spoke of merging SNCC and the BPP. CAPMICHAEL, of SNCC, is the originator of the idea of black front unity. The publicity given the militants has helped rather than hindered the merger of these people, and the more reckless the statements and actions, the more the press reports same, the more adherents these spokesmen seem to gather to themselves. As they bring in the money from the crowds, the leaders may fall out among themselves in disputes over the spoils. This possibly can be exploited and information along this line is being watched for.

Frictions are developing among the leaders, perhaps due to the eccentric and erratic personalities of those involved. None has reached exploitable proportions.

2. Summary of Counterintelligence
Program As of 5/15/68

- A. Operations under consideration - None.
- B. Operations being effected - None.
- C. Tangible results - None.
- D. Development of Counterintelligence Interest

ELDRIDGE and KATHLEEN CLEAVER (BPP Leaders)

The former is now in jail

CLEAVER, before he went to jail, was

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reported to have had an affair with [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] These liaisons are well-enough known at [REDACTED] black group does not seem to be perturbed by them.

BOBBIE and ARTIE SEALE (SEALE is BPP Leader)

Mrs. SEALE (ARTIE) is alleged to be dissatisfied with the time and effort expended by her husband in the BPP and has gone home to her mother. SEALE is with his mother when he is in town.

KATHLEEN CLEAVER and Attorney CHARLES GARR (Attorney for BPP Defendants)

There has been some criticism of Mrs. CLEAVER for hiring a white attorney to defend the BPP cases. CLEAVER indicated the opinion that GARRY was more competent than Negro attorneys. Some unnamed Negro attorneys were said to be unhappy with this eventuality.

KATHLEEN CLEAVER and WILLIE BROWN (BROWN is Negro Assemblyman from San Francisco)

CLEAVER has announced to the press that she will oppose BROWN for the Assembly, running on the Peace and Freedom Party ticket. The newspaper of the BPP has called for the defeat of BROWN and pictured him in a highly unflattering cartoon.

SAN FRANCISCO SUPERVISOR [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] is a Negro and has been allegedly threatened by the militants. There is no information that either of the above politicians has taken any action as a result of the above.

The above points of interest are being followed and any operation deemed worthy of consideration will be proposed to the Bureau for approval.

Memorandum

TO :

DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 5/31/68

FROM :

SAC, MIAMI (157-2514) (P)

SUBJECT:

COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

Re Bureau airtel to Miami, 3/4/68; Miami letter to Bureau, 4/2/68; and Miami airtel to Bureau, 5/22/68.

Since submission of referenced Miami letter, a new organization has been established which appears to, at the present, have the characteristics of a Black Nationalist organization. This organization of about fifty University of Miami students is called "United Black Students" (UBS) and its aims at this time are to demand new courses at the University on Negro history and culture, etc., as well as increase the number of Negro students, scholarships for Negroes, and the number of Negro professors.

Fourteen persons, including eleven students who are members of this organization, were arrested during a sit-in demonstration at the office of the president of the University of Miami on May 14, 1968. Some of the demands of this group have been met and their initial desires seem to have been satisfied. It has been reported they plan no further activities during this scholastic year. In view of this, this group is not being considered for any immediate counterintelligence activity.

I. OPERATIONS UNDER CONSIDERATION

Referenced Miami airtel of May 22, 1968, requests Bureau authority to cooperate with a local TV station in preparation of a TV special that would include exposing Black Nationalist activities in the South Florida area.

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II. OPERATIONS BEING EFFICTED

No counterintelligence activity has been put into effect with reference to the Miami Division.

III. TANGIBLE RESULTS

None

IV. DEVELOPMENTS OF COUNTERINTELLIGENCE INTEREST

None

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Director, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 6/4/68

FROM : SAC, Indianapolis (157-761)

SUBJECT: COUNTER INTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

Succinct Summary of Black Nationalist Movement in Indianapolis Division

A. Nation of Islam (NOI)

The NOI remains the largest black nationalist organization within the Indianapolis Division with an approximated total membership ranging from 196 to 222. The seven groups of the NOI organization still remain at Muhammad's Temple #31, South Bend; Muhammad's Mosque, Indianapolis; Muhammad's Temple, East Chicago; Muhammad's Temple, Evansville; Muhammad's Mosques at Fort Wayne and Muncie, Indiana. The latter two newer groups only engage in holding weekly meetings where very few are in attendance at their Sunday afternoon meetings. All of the groups are led by ministers and they receive their direction from NOI Headquarters at Chicago, Illinois, and they adhere to the teachings of their leader, ELIJAH MUHAMMAD. None of these groups have proposed any violence but they still preach separation of the races and belittle the white man and their hatred theme could propose problems or violence, if taken right by their membership, hence violence could erupt under certain circumstances.

1. Operations Under Consideration

Radical Action Project (RAP)
Indianapolis, Indiana

Interviews have been conducted with [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] the Indianapolis Recorder, a local Negro newspaper
and [REDACTED]
Indianapolis, Indiana during the current period and they have

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been urged to exert their influence on the younger and more militant members of R.A.P. to get them to channelize their efforts for employment and other needs through a commission that has been established by the Mayor of Indianapolis.

2. Operations Being Effectuated

Several contacts have been made with [REDACTED], an organization in Indianapolis which has as its purpose to bring the power-packed love of Jesus Christ to bear in a realistic, problem-solving way against the hate-creating and devious evils of racial prejudice and poverty.

Through efforts with [REDACTED] are both employed by Forward, Inc. and have been sponsored by [REDACTED] and Forward, Inc. making it possible for them to attend conferences in other cities where positive results have been obtained. These results have been in the changing of lives of both criminal and racial leaders making them productive and valuable citizens. Also in hopes of making the leaders of R.A.P. future citizens of value, it has kept the leaders out of town and has helped to hinder the possible consolidation and uniting of racial groups and persons under control of those leaders.

3. Tangible Results

To date no racial incidents have occurred in Indianapolis. Indiana and leaders have not been able to spend enough time in uniting the Negroes and thus have not been able to establish a large enough following to create any major problems.

4. Developments of Counterintelligence Interest

Other than above, this office has no further developments to report at this time.

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 6/1/68

FROM : SAC, HOUSTON (157-1210)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST-HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

1. Operations Under Consideration

For information of the Bureau [redacted] Houston, has been regularly travelling to Dallas, Texas to conduct NOI meetings in Dallas because there is no [redacted] for the Dallas mosque.

Houston is attempting to arrange through appropriate communication and informants to secure [redacted] of taking the Dallas money and bringing it to Houston. Consideration is also being given towards planting idea with Houston NOI that [redacted] has another woman in Dallas. Specific recommendations relative to this operation will be made to the Bureau when additional specifics have been worked out.

2. Operations Being Effected

The main counter-intelligence operation presently being handled by Houston is the utilization of [redacted] in potential trouble spots. With Bureau approval he recently was in New Orleans during the RAP BROWN trial and is currently in Atlanta with SNCC officials. His potential for intelligence and counter-intelligence is extremely good.

3. Tangible Results

No tangible results to report regarding specific Bureau approved counter-intelligence measures.

4. Developments of Counter-Intelligence Interest

The NOI treasurer has been accused of stealing NOI funds and all indications are that he has been put out of the Houston Mosque. This matter is being followed closely through informants and the possibility exists that additional NOI officers could be similarly accused.

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 6/3/68

FROM : *NSW*
SMY SAC, BUFFALO (157-503) (P)

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SUBJECT: C COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

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Re Bureau airtel, 3/4/68; and Buffalo letter, 4/3/68.

This letter is submitted as a progress letter concerning captioned matter, pursuant to Bureau instructions.

The Buffalo Office has no counterintelligence operation presently being effected; and therefore, has no tangible results to submit.

The following is a summary of the Black Nationalist situation in the Buffalo Division, against which any future counterintelligence operations will be recommended:

NATION OF ISLAM (NOI)

The only significant change in the NOI picture in the Buffalo Division relates to the leadership of Muhammad's Mosque 23 (MM 23) in Buffalo, NEW YORK.

JOHN B. STRICKLAND continues to serve as Minister of MM 23, and also continues to be unrelenting in his demand for complete obedience on the part of his officers and members. This attitude has resulted in the transfer of former officers to other cities and the failure of several ranking FOI members to continue their activity in the Mosque.

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It was determined that this group is a Moslem sect [REDACTED]

Others in this group thus far identified [REDACTED]

It has been reported that there are 15 members of this group and that they are identified by distinctive African dress, including a fez-type hat, a "tiki" medallion, and a loose, burlap-type shirt called an "aba."

Prosecutive action has been taken against a number of the above individuals.

[REDACTED] has been arrested by the FBI for failure to report for induction. He was also arrested locally on a disorderly conduct charge.

[REDACTED] is being returned to Attica Prison for violation of parole, after arrest on a disorderly conduct charge.

[REDACTED] was also arrested on a disorderly conduct charge.

The above arrests were occasioned as the result of an exchange of information between the Buffalo FBI Office and the Detective Bureau, Buffalo PD. Other investigations are being conducted with the view in mind of effectively controlling this group and limiting its effectiveness as a militant black nationalist organization.

The above action is not considered a counter-intelligence operation as such, since it arises out of regular police investigative activities. It is similar in nature as to the police action taken in New York City and Philadelphia in connection with members of Revolutionary

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Two of these persons indicated recent activity in Detroit, Michigan, and adherence to the principles of the teachings of Rev. J. C. CLEAGUE of Detroit and the "New Republic of Africa" concept. U

Informant indicated that these persons were preaching an extension of racial violence, at the time the violence was subsiding. Informant opposed this position and invited this group to disassociate itself from SNCC. U

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Separate investigations were instituted by the Buffalo Office concerning those persons identified as members of the new black militant organization, first identified by [REDACTED] U

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propensity for violence and the involvement of the NOI in the militant Black Nationalist Movement in Buffalo is minimal. No involvement thus far has reliably been recorded on the part of the NOI in these areas. *u*

The NOI has isolated itself from the mainstream of the ghetto life, and its religious and moral tenets are generally attractive to the Negro population of Buffalo or Rochester, N.Y. *u*

STUDENT NON-VIOLENT COORDINATING
COMMITTEE (SNCC)

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At the time of the outbreak of a brief spate of racial violence in Buffalo, N.Y., immediately following the assassination of Dr. MARTIN LUTHER KING in early April, 1968, a small group of militant young Negroes, both male and female, showed up at SNCC headquarters, a store front that had just been obtained at 289 High St., Buffalo, N.Y. *u*

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[REDACTED] was of the opinion that this new group were "Black Nationalists" from Detroit, Michigan. He obtained the identities of several of these persons by asking them to fill out a home-made application form. *u*

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The dissension in the ranks, which has existed for several months, however, appears to have been overcome and some new officers have been installed at NM 23.

Financial contributions continue to be very substantial, even though Minister STRICKLAND is not too popular among the members.

NM 23 operates three Shabazz Restaurant Enterprises in the Buffalo Metropolitan area, as well as one in Rochester, N.Y., and one in the planning stages at Niagara Falls, N.Y.

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A secretary has been recently appointed, but his identity is not presently known.

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Sunday afternoon public meetings continue to be held, attended by 80 or 90 persons, including approximately 12 visitors, most of whom seem to attend out of curiosity. The MOT meets during the middle of the week and the FOI has changed its meeting time to 9:30 A.M. Sunday mornings, in an effort to encourage attendance. This also affords an opportunity for FOI members to listen to "The Messenger," ELIJAH MUHAMMAD, from Chicago, Illinois.

Consideration has been given to the possibility of a counterintelligence operation against the NOI in Buffalo, but no positive proposal has developed. The

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Action Movement (RAM), when information was received that those individuals were planning to assassinate Negro leaders and commit other actions of violence.

Buffalo has not felt that the handling of this type of investigative activity in liaison with the local PD constitutes a counterintelligence operation and has not sought Bureau permission to do so.

Other than outlined above, the Buffalo Office does not have immediate plans for a counterintelligence operation, since SNCC is effectively controlled through an established informant.

The Bureau will be kept advised of pertinent developments.

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-443006)

FROM : SAC, SPRINGFIELD (157-202) - P -

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST-HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

DATE: 6/4/68

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Re Springfield letter to the Bureau dated 4/5/68.

Since the submission of referenced letter, an additional individual, [REDACTED] Illinois, has been recommended for inclusion in the Springfield Division Agitator Index. [REDACTED] has been active in recent months in the East St. Louis, Illinois, area; and his activities and those of black militant organizations in the East St. Louis area have been the objects of vigorous investigation.

Regarding possible counterintelligence operations under consideration, the activities of [REDACTED] and other young militants in the East St. Louis area are being closely followed for any possible counterintelligence action that would be feasible and worthwhile.

To date no operations have been effected in the Springfield Division, but this matter continues to be followed closely and at such time as effective counterintelligence operations can be instituted, they will be instituted and the Bureau appropriately advised.

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Date: 6/5/68

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
FROM: SAC, NEW ORLEANS

SUBJECT: [REDACTED]

COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
RM - DISRUPTION OF MILITANT BLACK
NATIONALIST ORGANIZATIONS
BUFILE 157-9-33
NO file 157-2836

Re New Orleans airtel and letterhead memorandum
dated 6/3/68.

[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] of Student Non Violent Coordinating
(SNCC) in Los Angeles. Los Angeles is [REDACTED] of that organization.

As a result of this arrest [REDACTED] of attached
carried by [REDACTED] as well as some
miscellaneous papers were made available to the New Orleans
Office. Contained in the attache cases were four 9mm auto
pistols, several books on guerrilla warfare, including diag
for preparation of demolition devices, two jump wires, hand
instructions on how to obtain a chain reaction explosion,
handwritten instructions on how to prepare napalm type bombs
and a large amount of Chinese Communist propaganda. Also
found in this material was a U.S. passport. [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] applications
for [REDACTED] The passport [REDACTED] who is
of which are attached hereto. The passport [REDACTED] member of SNCC Security in Los Angeles, was not made available
to the New Orleans Office until after the preparation of the
referenced LHM and therefore was not included in it.

The passport application of [REDACTED] indicates countries
to be visited as England, France, Italy, Spain, Germany, Sweden
Mexico, Kenya, Nigeria, Israel, Finland, Norway, Tanzania and
Ghana, with anticipated departure as 2/10/68, for a duration
of from 3 to 12 months.

The passport application of [REDACTED] lists countries
to be visited as France, Tanzania and Germany, with anticipated
departure of July for a six month period.

New Orleans considers it of great significance that
these three individuals should have passport documents in their
possession and that two of the individuals indicate planned
travel to Tanzania, a country which is friendly to Communist
Cuba and has shown itself to be receptive to the militant black
nationalist movement in the United States and whose Ambassador to
the United Nations in 1964, Mohammed Ali Fom was a security
subject of the New York Office.

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Based on the above information and the possibility that militant black nationalists may be traveling outside the United States for sabotage and espionage training, New Orleans suggests that the Bureau might consider at this time instituting a program at the U.S. Passport Office which would screen the passports applications of Negroes between the ages of 16 and 40.

New Orleans is not familiar with the working arrangement that exists with the U.S. Passport Office but suggests that the following things might be considered:

1) Background information contained in applications falling within considered criteria would be forwarded to the Division wherein the mailing address on the application is located. In each division, the names would be checked against the office indices. When warranted, where an applicant is identified as a militant, then the appropriate step with Immigration and Naturalization Service would be placed.

2) Background information contained in applications would be furnished to Bureau where pertinent indexes would be done. This would assist the Bureau in identifying potential saboteurs, should the individual subsequent to the application become involved in militant activity. Bureau review of this background would also facilitate the directing of application background to Bureau office having primary interest where individual's militant activity took place in a city other than the one indicated as a mailing address on his application for passport.

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 5/31/68

FROM : SAC, SEATTLE (157-721) (P*)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST-HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

Re Bureau airtel to Albany, 3/4/68; Seattle letter to Bureau, 4/4/68.

The following information is submitted pursuant to instructions contained in Bureau airtel to Albany, 3/4/68:

1. OPERATIONS UNDER CONSIDERATION

Investigation is currently being undertaken to develop a liaison relationship with [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] is active in a local Negro organization operating under the name of the "100 Black Immortals." This group is reportedly composed of 100 young influential Negroes living in Seattle's Central Area, and according to newspaper reports, they have been credited for maintaining law and order at a number of local events attracting large numbers of Negro teenagers.

2. OPERATIONS BEING EFFECTED

None.

3. TANGIBLE RESULTS

None.

4. DEVELOPMENTS OF COUNTERINTELLIGENCE INTEREST

During the past 60 days, information has been received reflecting a possible coalition between the Seattle Chapter, SNCC, and the recently formed Black Panther Party, Seattle file 157-807. For information of the Bureau, the Seattle Chapter,

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SNOC under the [REDACTED] is in dire financial straits and [REDACTED] is beginning to lose his appeal [REDACTED] among the young Negro militants.

[REDACTED] is considered one of the more active Negro militants in the Seattle area of [REDACTED] and the possibility exists that he will eventually [REDACTED] the resulting coalition of SNOC and Black Panther Party members. [REDACTED] has been approved for inclusion on the Agitator Index in the Seattle Division.

During the past 30 days, the Black Student Union (BSU) at the University of Washington, [REDACTED] has received considerable publicity of demands of university officials to further a Black education program under the direction of the Black Student Union. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] University of Washington and he has been recommended for inclusion on the Agitator Index of the Seattle Division.

The current situation among young Negro militants is currently in a state of flux; and until such time as an identifiable leader emerges, it does not appear logical to consider any one individual as a "target" under this program. Within the next 60 days, there is reason to believe that the Black Panther Party and the Seattle Chapter of [REDACTED] will be combined and the leader of this combined group will then be considering a potential target for future counterintelligence programs.

University officials expect that activities on behalf of the Black Student Union at the University of Washington will diminish somewhat during the summer months since a majority of the Black students are not in attendance because of the summer vacation. The situation at the University of Washington is relatively calm at this time with respect to [REDACTED] and this matter will be closely followed, particularly during the fall term beginning in September, 1968.

In accordance with instructions contained in Bureau airtel, dated 3/4/68, a 90 days progress letter will be submitted on 9/1/68. Specific suggestions for counterintelligence operations will be submitted by separate letter as opportunities present themselves over the next few months.

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 6 3 68

FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES (157-1751)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

Re Los Angeles letter, 4/3/68.

Since submission of the referenced letter concerning this program, the following significant developments have occurred among Black Nationalist hate type groups in the Los Angeles area.

The United Front, a militant Black Nationalist organization composed mainly of young teenage Negroes has disbanded due to internal dissension.

About mid-May 1968, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] opened a Southern Christian Leadership Conference (SCLC) office in Los Angeles. It appears this office was opened on a temporary basis for the purpose of raising funds for the Poor People's Campaign. This activity will be closely followed and the Bureau will be advised in the event SCLC continues to operate in the Los Angeles area.

Personnel handling the counterintelligence program, "US" and the Student Non-Violent Coordinating Committee organizations have been assigned to the [REDACTED] for extensive periods during the past 45 days. An intensification of the counterintelligence program has recently been initiated and more effective counter measures are expected as a result of this effort.

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1. OPERATIONS UNDER CONSIDERATION

An intensified program has been initiated to develop violations of Federal and local criminal, as well as, income tax laws on the principal leaders of the "US" and Student Non-Violent Coordinating Committee (SNCC) organizations. In connection with this program, state and Federal tax records have been requested on [REDACTED] Selective Service records are being reviewed on all principal members of "US" and SNCC. Bureau authority has been requested to interview "US" members on SAC authority as this tactic has previously proven to have a disruptive effect on "US" activities. Extensive file reviews of "US" and SNCC members are being conducted to develop information applicable to this program.

2. OPERATIONS BEING EFFECTED

No specific program of action has been submitted for Bureau approval as of this time. Results of preliminary surveys and programs are expected to result in detailed counterintelligence operation suggestions in the near future.

3. TANGIBLE RESULTS

None

4. DEVELOPMENTS OF COUNTERINTELLIGENCE INTEREST

Information has been developed indicating strained relations between the SNCC and "US" organizations. Efforts are being made to determine the cause and exploit the situation if practical.

ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

SAC, WFO (157-1292)

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Director, FBI (100-448006)

COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
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RACIAL INTELLIGENCE
(STOKELY CARMICHAEL)

As you are aware Stokely Carmichael, militant former chairman of the Student Nonviolent Coordinating Committee, is considering the purchase of a house in Washington, D. C., reportedly worth \$70,000. This has received publicity, causing criticism of Carmichael within the black nationalist movement because he has previously acted as a spokesman for the underprivileged.

You should consider the possibility of preparing invitations to a "soul brothers housewarming" when Carmichael moves in. These would be distributed at Resurrection City and to the press. This operation could further discredit Carmichael in the eyes of militant black nationalists by emphasizing the type of house he is buying.

WFO should submit recommendations for preparing and distributing this spurious invitation as soon as possible, so that if approved this operation can be effected as soon as Carmichael moves into his new house. No counterintelligence action should be taken without Bureau authority.

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448003)

FROM : SAC, PORTLAND (157-347)(P)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
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RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

DATE: 6/3/68

Re Portland letter to Bureau, 4/30/68; and 6/3/68, the latter containing a suggestion for a counterintelligence operation.

There have been no significant changes in the Black Nationalist Movement in Oregon since 4/30/68, relet.

(1) Operations Under Consideration:

Anonymous mailing to colleges of a multi-page pamphlet "Black Fire," distributed to delegates during national Black Student Union (BSU) conference at San Francisco State College, San Francisco, California, during April, 1968. Purpose: Exposing BSU militancy and hampering fund raising from well-intentioned whites.

(2) Operations Being Effectuated:

Above operation would be effected upon Bureau approval.

(3) Tangible Results:

No operation has been instituted.

(4) Developments of Counterintelligence Interest:

None.

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SAC, Detroit (100-34655)

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Director, FBI (100-448006)

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COUNTERTERRORISM PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS

Enclosed is a copy of a self-explanatory communication received from the Office of the Assistant Chief of Staff for Intelligence, U. S. Army, on 5/22/68.

The information contained in the communication regarding conflict with hard core militants combined with the information received from [redacted] to the effect that [redacted] has been squandering funds of the City-Wide Citizens Action Committee suggests an excellent potential exists for counterintelligence activity against [redacted]. It is considered possible that through the utilization of anonymous letters to selected individuals [redacted]

[redacted] could be reduced to a minimum. Detroit should carefully consider the possibility and feasibility of such counterintelligence action against [redacted] and submit observations and recommendations to the Bureau. You should, of course, take no counterintelligence action against [redacted] without first securing Bureau approval.

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NOTE:

the City-Wide Citizens Action Committee following the 1967 riots in Detroit. The enclosed communication points out that recently [redacted] has experienced a conflict with the hard core militants in Detroit.

It would appear that an opportunity exists to remove [redacted] from a position of influence on the racial scene in Detroit. Prior to taking any significant action, Detroit should specify whether such action is desirable and whether his position would be taken over by individuals possessing even more militancy.

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TO : Mr. W. C. Sullivan

DATE: 6/5/68

FROM : Mr. G. C. Moore *GC*

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE
(POOR PEOPLE'S CAMPAIGN)

This is to recommend item about the large number of cars bought by the Poor People's Campaign be furnished a cooperative news media source by Crime Records on a confidential basis.

The Poor People's Campaign has purchased three buses and twelve cars to transport demonstrators and leaders. Although the campaign is to dramatize alleged poverty, the campaign has spent thousands of dollars for cars and buses.

ACTION:

That attached item about this extravagance be furnished a cooperative news media source by the Crime Records Division on a highly confidential basis.

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- 1 - Mr. W. C. Sullivan
- 1 - Mr. T. E. Bishop
- 1 - Mr. G. C. Moore

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1 - Mr. W.C. Sullivan

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1 - Mr. G.C. Moore

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NOTHING PEDESTRIAN ABOUT THE POOR PEOPLE

The Poor People's Campaign is on the march in Washington, D.C., but not on foot. The campaign is now buying cars and buses, twelve cars and three buses so far. The mule train got great publicity for the poor people, but when it comes to the hard work of "turning the Nation's Capital upside down," in the words of Reverend Abernathy, the poor people invest in several thousand dollars worth of automotive equipment.

The three buses are being used to shuttle the demonstrators around Washington on their appointed rounds and the dozen cars do the job of transporting campaign leaders to Resurrection City from their quarters at the Pitts Motor Hotel. Of course, the angry demonstrators who went to the Pitts Motor Hotel to get Reverend Abernathy for a stay in the muddy camp didn't get to use these cars.

The Poor People's Campaign bought two more cars over the Memorial Day weekend, making the fleet as large as some of the car rental agencies in Washington. If the campaign leaders used commercial bus lines for their trips back and forth from their hotel, the thousands spent on cars would feed a lot of children in Resurrection City.

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NOTE:

See memorandum from G.C. Moore to W.C. Sullivan, captioned "Counterintelligence Program Black Nationalist - Hate Groups, Racial Intelligence (Poor People's Campaign)," dated 6/5/68, prepared by TJD/lst.

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SAC, Albany (157-231)

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Director, FBI (100-448006)

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**COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE**

Reurlet 5/29/68.

Relet is the required 90-day summary of counterintelligence operations and should not be used to request Bureau authority for specific counterintelligence operations. Relet and your letter 4/2/68 set out a possible general suggestion for counterintelligence.

This involved local police targeting specific militants, issuing them parking tickets and destroying the target's copy until a backlog of "unpaid" tickets is built up. Then when racial violence threatens these extremists could be arrested for the unpaid tickets so as to remove them from the scene of potential violence.

Your office, of course, has the responsibility of disseminating information about local black nationalist extremists to local authorities. Local police should be kept advised of the identities and activities of these militants when matters of local interest are involved. Any action taken by local police thereafter to prevent violence is the responsibility of local authorities.

The Bureau cannot authorize you to recommend this action to local police. An operation such as this would involve the entire traffic division of the police department, at least, with a resulting possibility of embarrassment to the Bureau if it became known the Bureau initiated this action. Also, such an operation could have an adverse reaction, actually causing violence, if an arrest for unpaid traffic tickets was not handled and timed correctly during a period of racial tension.

The Bureau appreciates your imaginative thinking in this area and you are encouraged to continue to submit counterintelligence suggestions. The denial of authority to implement this operation should not be construed as denial

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Letter to Albany
Re: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
100-448000

of authority to furnish police information of interest about racial militants. Any action taken by local police of a counterintelligence nature is up to the police. However, the Bureau should be kept advised of any police counterintelligence action so that the whole field can benefit from others' experience in this area.

SAC, Chicago (100-41353)

6/6/68

Director, FBI (100-442715)

PERSONAL ATTENTION

AD HOC COMMITTEE FOR A
MARXIST-LENINIST PARTY, USA
INTERNAL SECURITY - CH

1 - Mr. Sullivan
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2. To develop highly valuable intelligence regarding the current activities, future plans, and present domination and control of Carmichael.

3. To misdirect and to some degree neutralize Carmichael's racist activities while seeking information with the potential of destroying his current position of titular leadership among Negro militants.

Stokely Carmichael is currently a resident of Washington, D.C. He is the former National Chairman of the SNCC and he may be credited with creating the Black Panther Party in [REDACTED]

1 - Racial Intelligence Section (Route through [REDACTED] review)
1 - Bufile 100-418006 (Cointelpro - Black Nationalist Party)


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Letter to SAC, Chicago
RE: AD HOC COMMITTEE
100-442715

1065. Although he currently has no title in the Black Panther Movement, which has split into several different groupings, he is held in high esteem by Black Panther members as well as almost all radical Negro racists who are contributing to the current civil disorders. Carmichael criticized the Communist Party, USA (CPUSA), last year, broadcast anti-American statements from both Havana and Hanoi, and he was reported to have visited Peking. Carmichael represents an important target for disruptive counter-intelligence, for the development of intelligence relating to the racial situation while at the same time through him this operation is offered an opportunity to expand its intelligence value.



You are requested to afford this matter your personal and imaginative supervision and to submit recommendations to the Bureau at an early date. Continue to afford this operation and specifically this phase of the operation appropriate security within your field office.



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Date: 6/20/68

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Via AIRTEL _____

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)
 FROM: SAC, CLEVELAND (157-1189) (P)
 RE: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
 BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
 RACIAL INTELLIGENCE
 (STOKELY CARMICHAEL)

Enclosed for the Bureau are 10 xerox copies of an editorial from the "Call & Post", a Cleveland, Ohio, Negro weekly newspaper of general circulation, 6/15/68 issue, page 4 B, captioned "STOKELY, How Could You," which is submitted for possible use in captioned program.

Two copies are also being furnished to WFO for its files on captioned program and that of STOKELY CARMICHAEL.

- 3 - Bureau (Enc. 10) (RM)
 (1 - 100-446080, STOKELY CARMICHAEL)
 2 - Washington Field (Enc. 2) (RM)
 (1 - 100-43503) (STOKELY CARMICHAEL)
 3 - Cleveland
 (1 - 100-28648, STOKELY CARMICHAEL)

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Stokely, How Could You!

There is at least one area in the nation's capital that can relax from its fears that it will be a target of the advocates of "burn, baby burn". It is the area surrounding 4331 Blagdon Ave., in one of Washington's better class areas, where fiery Stokely Carmichael and his new bride, African folk singer Miriam Makeba have just purchased, reportedly for cash, a home in the \$70,000 class.

Now there will be some who will jump to the conclusion that Stokely, who advocates the realization of black power goals by "any means necessary," has made his radical

movement into a very profitable thing. Not necessarily so. His new bride is a very talented, and extremely well paid concert artist, and such a home as the newlyweds may soon occupy is well within her means.

But, no matter, Stokely is free from the ghetto, regardless of the means that made his accomplishment possible. It remains to be seen if his heart will remain steadfastly with his impoverished brothers, or its solicitude reserved for special occasions.

(Indicate page, name of newspaper, city and state.)

1B THE CALL & POST
(Cleveland, Ohio)

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Editor: WILLIAM O. W.
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Date: 6/12/68

Transmit the following in _____
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TO: Director, FBI (100-448066)

FROM: *113-* SAC, Detroit (100-34655) (P)

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RACIAL INTELLIGENCE
(STOKELY CARMICHAEL)

[REDACTED]

In recent days, since the publicity appeared concerning STOKELY CARMICHAEL's purchase of a \$70,000 residence in a white neighborhood in Washington, D.C., several persons in the Detroit Negro community have commented to source concerning this matter and referred to CARMICHAEL as "a sellout of the Black Activist Movement". This source stated that CARMICHAEL's action in this regard appears to have created considerable discussion among Negroes and has created doubt in the minds of these persons as to the true motives of CARMICHAEL.

Provided WFO has not already done so, Detroit recommends that the above information be used in an effort to discredit CARMICHAEL as a black nationalist leader. For example, through cooperative news media (particularly those directed toward the Negro community) articles could be prepared containing photographs of CARMICHAEL's new residence and his immediate neighborhood and interviews of his white neighbors, all tending to show his high social status among the whites and his financial gains as a result of his participation in SNCC and the racial movement. A series of articles along this line should be extremely effective.

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RACIAL INTELLIGENCE
(STOKELY CARMICHAEL)

Re Detroit airtel 6/12/68, copy to WFO only.

For the information of other offices, a referenced airtel noted a confidential source of the Detroit Office advised that since publicity appeared about militant black nationalist Stokely Carmichael buying a \$70,000 house the source has heard local Negroes comment that Carmichael is a "sellout of the black activist movement." Detroit recommended articles be prepared in the news media discrediting Carmichael.

Carmichael did not go through with the purchase of the \$70,000 house, but the wide-spread publicity about the matter has already had its effect on his reputation among black militants. The Bureau has also noted the facetious comment in the press that Carmichael must be an FBI agent or informant.

The Bureau would be interested in spreading the rumor among black nationalists that Carmichael is, indeed, a paid agent of a government intelligence or police agency. Due to Carmichael's extensive travel overseas, and black militants' distrust of the Central Intelligence Agency (CIA), it might be appropriate to tag Carmichael with a "CIA label."

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- 2 - Detroit (100-34655)
- 2 - Los Angeles (157-1751)
- 2 - New York (100-161140)
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Re: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST-HATE GROUPS
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Each office should submit recommendations of methods to discredit Carmichael within the ghetto community in this manner. Imaginative and unique suggestions are desired. No counterintelligence action should be taken without Bureau authority.

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 6/14/68

FROM : SAC, DETROIT (100-34655)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE
(STUDENT NON-VIOLENT COORDINATING COMMITTEE)

Re Detroit overall counterintelligence airtel, dated 5/3/68, and Bureau letter to Detroit, dated 5/10/68.

Detroit in referenced airtel suggested that counterintelligence action be undertaken to prevent Student Non-Violent Coordinating Committee (SNCC) leaders from utilizing local high school facilities to recruit teen-agers.

The Bureau in referenced Bureau letter requested Detroit to determine how, and through whom SNCC is operating in local high schools.

Investigation conducted by the Detroit Office concerning this matter has failed to determine the manner in which SNCC is able to gain access to local high schools. No recent information has been received indicating that SNCC is operating in local high schools and in this regard it should be noted that Detroit high schools will be closed for the summer in the immediate future.

Investigation in this matter is continuing and any counterintelligence action proposed will be submitted to the Bureau prior to being undertaken.

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 6/14/68

FROM : SAC, DETROIT (100-34655)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE
(LA COSA NOSTRA)

Re Detroit airtel dated 3/25/68, captioned "TCIP" and Bureau letter to Detroit, dated 4/1/68, captioned as above.

The Detroit Office has carefully scrutinized the information contained in referenced Bureau letter indicating that all Negro numbers men in Detroit are being forced to contribute money to the black power movement in Detroit.

Referenced letter further indicates that the nationalistic spirit among the Negro numbers house operators has risen and many have become followers of [REDACTED]

However, to date Detroit has been unable to devise any feasible counterintelligence technique which would be susceptible of widening the breach between the La Cosa Nostra and the Negro numbers operators.

Detroit suggests that an anonymous letter containing a black hand and inscribed thereon the notation, "Watch Out!!" be mailed to [REDACTED]. It is felt that if [REDACTED] receives such a letter he will assume that the Italian hoodlum element was responsible for this letter, report this to the Negro numbers operators, and thereby cause them to further resent the Italian hoodlum element.

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It is also possible that [REDACTED] may become extremely frightened upon receipt of this letter and sever his contact with the Negro numbers men in Detroit and might even restrict his black nationalist activity or leave Detroit.

It is felt that such a letter could be mailed to [REDACTED] without the Bureau being identified as the source of the letter, however, the proposed counterintelligence action will not be taken without prior Bureau authority.

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AC, Detroit (100-34655)

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COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE
(LA COSA NOSTRA)

Reurlet 6/14/68.

Authority is granted to send the anonymous letter described in relet to militant black nationalist [redacted] in an effort to cause dissension between Negro numbers operators and the Italian [redacted] element.

Insure the letter is prepared on commercially purchased stationery in such a way that it cannot be traced to the Bureau. Detroit should be alert for possible follow-up techniques to this operation and should promptly submit any results or further recommendations to the Bureau.

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NOTE:

We have received information that Negro numbers operators in Detroit are being forced to contribute money to the black power movement there. [redacted]

La Cosa Nostra, which controls numbers operations in Detroit, is reportedly concerned about this situation and would like to take action against black power advocates who are cutting into their profits. The letter suggested by Detroit, consisting of a drawing of a black hand and the notation "Watch Out" is the type of warning the general public associates with La Cosa Nostra. This sort of anonymous letter to [redacted] might cause him to complain to Negro numbers operators, causing them to further resent La Cosa Nostra and causing further friction between the two groups. We will be alert for possible follow-up action to this technique. The use of an anonymous letter precludes any possibility of embarrassment to the Bureau.

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 6/14/68

FROM : SAC, DETROIT (100-34655)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE
[REDACTED]

Re Bureau letters to Detroit, dated 5/10/68, and 6/5/68, respectively, captioned as above.

The Bureau in referenced letters commented on information received by the Detroit Office to the effect that there was a split among local militant black nationalists because [REDACTED] reportedly squandered City-Wide Citizens Action Committee (CCAC) funds on travel and unwise investments.

Investigation at Detroit has determined that the funds referred to were received from the Inter-Religious Foundation Organizations in New York.

The Detroit Police Department is aware of the allegations made by [REDACTED] to the effect that [REDACTED] has been squandering funds of the CCAC and according to [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] the Detroit Police Department was inquiring into this matter to determine if some element of fraud is involved. Detroit proposes at this time that the fact that [REDACTED] has squandered these funds be made known to the donor, Inter-Religious Foundation Organizations in New York City through an anonymous

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letter and request the New York Office to furnish Detroit the address of this organization and an official or other leader of the organization to whom the letter should be directed.

No counterintelligence action will be taken in connection with this matter without Bureau authority.

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SAC, Detroit (100-34655)

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RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

Reurlet 6/14/68.

Authority is granted to send an anonymous letter to the Inter-Peligious Foundation Organization in New York City exposing the fact that militant black nationalist [redacted] squandered funds donated by this group on travel and unwise investments.

Your letter should be prepared on commercially purchased stationery in such a manner as to preclude its being traced to this Bureau. Advise the Bureau of any results of this counterintelligence action and, for the completion of Bureau files, furnish the Bureau a copy of the letter sent.

1 - New York

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NOTE:

[redacted] Detroit has determined [redacted] received about \$140,000 from the church group and he has reportedly squandered the money. The purpose of this anonymous letter is to alert the church group that [redacted] has squandered the money so as to prevent any further financial activities by this group. Since an anonymous letter is being used there is no possibility of embarrassment to the Bureau.

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448000)

FROM : SAC, PORTLAND (157-347)(P)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST-HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

DATE: 6/2/68

Re Portland letter to Bureau, 4/30/68.

Suggestion for Counterintelligence Operation
Local and Field Wide

(Background)

During 4/11-14/68, a Black Student Union Conference (BSU), attended by BSU members, as well as other non-college Negroes, was held at San Francisco State College, San Francisco, California. A number of delegates or participants received funds from well-intentioned college bodies to attend the conference. Later donors were led to believe the Black Student Conference was a commendable effort to develop Black culture, identity, and pride. In fact, the main conference publication "Black Fire," distributed to participants, during the conference, clearly indicated the conference was held for the purpose of fostering racial violence.

A Xerox copy of the "Black Fire," a multi-page pamphlet received by a Portland informant attending the conference, is attached. The "original" is in Portland files.

(Suggestion)

It is suggested that the attached multi-paged "Black Fire" pamphlet be duplicated by the Bureau on a large scale and mailed anonymously to college administrators, deans, campus editors, and/or libraries of all institutions where there are BSU chapters or incipient chapters.

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Possible Effect

Possible dissemination of this pamphlet, through above means, could cause a question of the desirability of non-Negro college sources funding travel of delegates to Black Student conferences, thereby, hampering further organization of Black militancy. Another effect could be that of exposing BSU chapters as breeding grounds for racial militancy and possibly cause the BSUs to be more cautious.

SAC, Portland (157-347)

June 14, 1968

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 BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
 RACIAL INTELLIGENCE
 (BLACK STUDENT UNION)

Reurlet 6/3/68.

Referenced letter suggested reproducing copies of a pamphlet entitled "Black Fire" which was distributed at a Black Student Union conference at San Francisco State College, San Francisco, California, and thereafter anonymously sending the pamphlet to colleges where there are Black Student Union chapters.

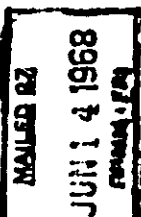
The Bureau appreciates your suggestion. Referenced letter says some delegates to this conference received funds to attend from their colleges. The Bureau feels publicity about this situation might be in order as the best counterintelligence measure. Portland should advise under this caption of any specific information regarding which colleges subsidized conference participants. You should also immediately advise the Bureau whether publication of this pamphlet would jeopardize the security of your source. Also furnish the original copy of this pamphlet so that the best possible reproduction can be made of it. The Bureau will return same to you.

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NOTE:

The pamphlet "Black Fire" is revolutionary and violent in tone and publicity about it might prevent colleges from subsidizing future Black Student Union conferences.

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Date: 5/31/68

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, SAN DIEGO (100-14192)(P)

COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
 BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
 RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

Re Bureau airtel to Albany, 3/4/68.
 San Diego airtel, 4/3/68.

The US Group under the leadership of [REDACTED] continues to be the primary target of the Counterintelligence Program in the San Diego Office.

1. Operations under consideration:

The San Diego Office plans to conduct interviews of all of the members of the US Group. In these interviews, questions will be asked in such a manner as to weaken the influence of leaders of this group. The growing internal dissension in the group will be encouraged. Bureau authority will be requested in each case before interview unless an opportunity for interview should present itself in any particular case.

Through contact with the San Diego Police Department, this office is encouraging their making it difficult for the group to hold meetings. Various groups who have control of public meeting places will be contacted in an effort to discourage cooperation with the US Group.

Informants will be used to plant seeds of dissension whenever possible.

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RE: [REDACTED]
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Since the US Group is composed of individuals who use drugs of various kinds and become involved in robberies and arson, the San Diego Police Department has arrested a number of the members of the group. Close liaison contact is maintained with the police department and whenever the opportunity presents itself, they are encouraged to continue to enforce the law where this group is concerned. On numerous occasions police officers have indicated that they are discouraged because known Black Nationalists have been released by the courts, sometimes without bail. These officers are praised for their part in enforcing the law and are encouraged to continue to do their duty in this respect. The San Diego Office intends to recommend that letters from the Director of the FBI be written to deserving officers who have done outstanding work in law enforcement in the racial field.

The San Diego Office intends to encourage news coverage of anti-violent statements by Negroes who are prominent in San Diego, such as ARCHIE MOORE, former heavy weight champion of the world. Sources in the news field will also be encouraged to publicize job opportunities and outstanding accomplishments by Negroes in San Diego.

The San Diego Office will be alert to counterintelligence action which can be taken against individuals and will request Bureau authority before taking such action. UACB the operations described above will be conducted.

2. Operations being effected:

[REDACTED] of the US Group in San Diego has been interviewed by agents of the FBI. He was not cooperative and is completely Black Nationalistic in his thinking. Officers of the San Diego Police Department have advised that a grand jury indictment is being returned against members of the US Group who have been involved in arson attempts against schools in San Diego. They intend to get a grand jury indictment against [REDACTED] for conspiracy on the same charge. [REDACTED] recently completed a personnel questionnaire at his place of employment. The San Diego office made available to the Security Department [REDACTED] where he is employed, public source material which reflected that [REDACTED] was not only a member of organizations which he did not list, but was in fact an officer in the organizations.

Five members of the US Group were recently arrested by the San Diego County Sheriff's Office on a traffic charge. At the time they had in their possession a quantity of arms and ammunition.

They also had in their possession a number of names of prominent business men in San Diego. A number of these business men who are personally known to agents working in the racial field have been contacted to determine whether US Group members have contacted them in an effort to obtain financing or contributions. These individuals have not been contacted to date and there is no indication why the names of these individuals were in the possession of those arrested. These individuals have been advised of the nature of the US Group on a confidential basis and will advise the FBI should they be contacted to furnish financial assistance to this group.

Through liaison with the police department and the San Diego County Sheriff's Office, it has been possible to make it more difficult for this group to find a public meeting place. Teen Post Number 1 and a house owned by a woman's club at 2972 Clay Street are now not available as meeting places for this group. They have had to meet at homes of various members and this has cut the attendance at meetings to the hard core members of the group. This is making it more difficult for this group to spread their brand of hatred of the white to the Negro community.

The San Diego Office is making an effort to obtain the license number, make, model and color of cars determined to be available to US Group members. It is believed that should trouble in the Negro area occur, it would be possible to spot and follow activities of this group through information concerning cars available to them.

3. Tangible results:

The US Group is having increasing difficulty in finding places to hold their meetings where they can attract a crowd of Negroes.

Informants report that the US Group is having a problem with dissension among it's members. Some of the members are becoming dissatisfied with the leadership because they want to do all the talking and individual members have little or nothing to say. The leadership has advised members of the group to rob stores to get guns and has told them to take what they want from the white man. As a result of following this policy, several members of the US Group have been arrested. Members of the group are becoming increasingly suspicious of the intentions of RON KARENGA, the leader of the US, Inc. Group in Los Angeles. KARENGA often speaks in San Diego before members of this group.

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 4/15/68

FROM : SAC, BALTIMORE (157-2520)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE.

Re Bureau airtel to Albany, 3/11/68; and Baltimore letter to Bureau, 4/3/68.

1. Operations Under Consideration

The Soul School, Baltimore, Maryland, is presently being considered as a target for counterintelligence operations by the Baltimore Office. This school purports to have the purpose of teaching black history and culture to Black militants who are associated with the school. It is considered among the most dangerous in the Baltimore area. Consideration is being given to the possibility of bringing to the attention of the Negro community the unsavory backgrounds of some of these individuals who are setting themselves up as leaders of the black community.

2. Operations Being Effectuated

No operations are presently being effectuated by the Baltimore Office. The suggestion submitted by the Baltimore Office airtel dated March 3, 1968, was not put into effect at that time because the Poor People's Campaign (PPC) was getting off to a poor start. The slaying of MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR., on April 4, 1968, made it inadvisable to carry out the further plans to disrupt the PPC by the means suggested.

3. Tangible Results

There have been no tangible results in connection with this program in the Baltimore Division to date.

4. Developments of Counterintelligence Interest

The observations concerning racial situation set out in referenced Baltimore letter are generally valid and unchanged.

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Monitoring of the Baltimore [redacted] at Non-violent
Coordinating Committee (SNCC) checking [redacted] and contact
with informants reflects that the Baltimore Office is
apparently receiving no money from the [redacted] Office
and is in poor financial condition. [redacted]
[redacted] is not [redacted]
according to reliable sources.

[redacted], a young [redacted] student
presently associated with the Soul School, has been approved
for inclusion on the Agitator Index.
[redacted] in Baltimore
has been recommended for the Agitator Index.

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 6/17/68

FROM : SAC, PITTSBURGH (100-15780)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE
(UNITY INCORPORATED)

Unity Incorporated was started about February, 1968, in Pittsburgh as a coordinating body for grass roots organizations in the Homewood - Brushton area, a ghetto section. In view of recent developments, this organization is now under investigation and information suitable for dissemination will be furnished to the Bureau.

Unity Incorporated [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] of whom are on the Agitator Index of the Pittsburgh Office. During May, 1968, it was developed that Unity Incorporated had rented a store front at 717 North Homewood Avenue, Pittsburgh, which is being operated as a Black Power Center, Library and Reading Room. It was also reliably reported [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] has been furnishing information on a confidential basis relating to racial matters and requests for financial grants made by various civil rights and racial - type organizations. [REDACTED] has been found to be very cooperative, discreet and reliable. He is under consideration for development as a racial confidential source. [REDACTED]

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[redacted] advised the Mellon Foundation had received a request from Unity Incorporated for a \$150,000 grant. He indicated that any information that could be furnished would be associated because the Mellon Foundation would not care to contribute to an organization devoted to Black Power and the overthrow of the established traditions.

Considering the fact that [redacted] and the information concerning a planned target range and guns in the possession of [redacted] it is believed it would be most desirable to attempt to insure this organization was not granted \$150,000 or any amount of money by the Mellon Foundation. It is believed this matter can be handled on a very confidential and successful basis with [redacted]

Request for Bureau Authority

[redacted] Bureau authority is requested to tell [redacted] information on a confidential basis that based on [redacted] that a grant by the Mellon Foundation to Unity Incorporated could later prove embarrassing to the Foundation.

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SAC, Pittsburgh (100-15780)

6/28/68

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Director, FBI (100-448006) / 7/

COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE
(UNITY INCORPORATED)

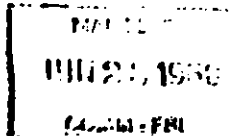
Reurlet 6/17/68.

Authority is granted to confidentially advise [redacted] an established source of the nature of Unity Incorporated so that [redacted] will prevent Unity Incorporated from receiving a grant of \$150,000.

Insure that [redacted] understands that the Bureau cannot be revealed as the source of this information and insure the background information you furnish him is of a general enough nature to protect your source. This matter must be handled by experienced agents and you must insure that there is no possibility of embarrassment to the Bureau. You may also furnish [redacted] any public source data available concerning Unity Incorporated or its leaders.

The Bureau appreciates your interest in this matter and your initiative in developing sources who can furnish information about possible funding of Black nationalist extremist groups. Advise the Bureau of the results of this operation. For information, [redacted] is not identifiable in Bureau files.

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[redacted] the Mellon Foundation of Pittsburgh, Pa. He has been furnishing information on a confidential basis relating to racial matters and requests for financial grants made by racial organizations. Pittsburgh notes that [redacted] is cooperative, discreet, and reliable. Pittsburgh furnished background information concerning him and a check of Bufiles reveals no information identifiable with him.

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Re: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
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NOTE CONTINUED:

Unity Incorporated is headed by [REDACTED] who are on the Agitator Index of the Pittsburgh Office. Unity Incorporated has a store which is being converted as a black power center and one of the leaders has said the basement of the store will be remodeled as a target range.

[REDACTED] Pittsburgh feels that furnishing [REDACTED] background information concerning Unity Incorporated will block the \$100,000 grant which Unity Incorporated has requested from the Mellon Foundation, since the Mellon Foundation does not desire to finance black power organizations.

UNITED STATES

DEPARTMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM : SAC, CINCINNATI (100-16921) (P*)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

DATE: 6/17/68

Re Jackson let, 5/11/68, and Bulet, 5/29/68.

A Cincinnati source advised on 5/19/68, that [REDACTED] has returned to Dayton, Ohio, for an indefinite period and it appears he will most likely be in Dayton, Ohio, for an extended period of time, exact duration unknown. [REDACTED]

It is believed letters to be used as outlined in Jackson letter to Director of 5/11/68 as regards to [REDACTED] could be a valuable source of disruption.

It should be noted that [REDACTED] of Dayton SNCC, is highly regarded by National SNCC, and any National SNCC personnel who visit Dayton, Ohio, contact her first upon their arrival. It is believed that any suspicion by National SNCC of a SNCC official or member in Dayton would be called to the attention of [REDACTED] thereby possibly creating doubt and distrust within Dayton SNCC.

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UNITED STATES

GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 6/18/68

FROM : SAC, PITTSBURGH (100-15780) (P)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

Re Pittsburgh letter to the Bureau dated 3/20/68.
and Bureau letter to Pittsburgh dated 4/3/68.

Relet from Bureau refused authorization for the
Pittsburgh Office to contact [REDACTED]
concerning the funding of Black Nationalist [REDACTED]
on the part of [REDACTED] and indicated other
means of alerting [REDACTED] should be considered.

Relative to the Bureau's suggestion of use of
an anonymous letter, it is not believed this would be
considered of any significance by [REDACTED] since
it is known he has been extremely careful to develop
factual information and has been known to not consider
information of unknown source.

[REDACTED] was generally a [REDACTED] of
the activities of [REDACTED]. She has become very concerned
about the use of Presbytery funds for supposed racial
purposes, and has been active in attempting to develop
information concerning the use of these funds. The
information she has developed has mainly come from
Presbyterian acquaintances who have attended various meetings
including meetings where [REDACTED]. It is known that
as a result of [REDACTED] church activities, she is
acquainted with [REDACTED].

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REQUEST OF BUREAU

Bureau authority is requested to casually suggest to [REDACTED] may be interested in certain information she has developed. It is known that both these people have the same purpose in mind, in that they desire Presbytery funds not be used for projects that are actually worsening racial conditions, and contributing to the possibility of racial violence. The purpose of this suggestion is to simply get these people together who have a common objective.

ROUTE ENVELOPE

SAC, Pittsburgh (100-15780)

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6/28/68

Director, FBI (100-448006) / 7-3

COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

Reurlet 6/18/68.

You are authorized to casually suggest to [redacted] that [redacted] might be interested in information about black nationalist [redacted] Insure [redacted] does not infer this is any part of an official assignment. Your interest in methods to prevent church financing of black nationalist activity is appreciated.

Advise the Bureau of the results of this operation and be alert for logical follow-up action.

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NOTE:

[redacted] Presbyterian Church in Pittsburgh, Pa., is interested in church funding of black nationalists. [redacted] militant black nationalist, has been financed by the Presbyterian and Catholic Churches jointly. Pittsburgh previously advised that [redacted] is a friend of a Special Agent in Pittsburgh and suggested the Agent brief [redacted] on [redacted] activities. This was not approved and it was suggested to Pittsburgh that an anonymous letter might be sent [redacted] Pittsburgh answered that [redacted] probably would disregard an anonymous communication.

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Re: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

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NOTE CONTINUED:

Pittsburgh has determined that [REDACTED] is aware of black nationalist activities. She is acquainted with [REDACTED] and is also concerned about Freemasonry funds being used in this way. Pittsburgh recommends that [REDACTED] be alerted to [REDACTED] black nationalist activity by [REDACTED] who has a logical interest in the matter. In this way the FBI would not enter into the matter except by the simple device of suggesting to an established source that if she is interested in church funds going to black nationalists she has something in common with [REDACTED] with whom she is already acquainted. In this way neither the source nor [REDACTED] will be aware of any official FBI interest.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 6/19/68

FROM : *JS* SAC, ATLANTA (100-7182) (P*)

SUBJECT: COUNTER INTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALISTS - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

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Re Jackson letter 5/11/68 to Bureau and
Bureau letter 5/29/68 to Jackson.

At the present time the Atlanta SNCC Office is practically closed down. Some preparations are being made for the staff meeting and Central Committee meeting reportedly scheduled to begin June 11, 1968, however, at this time it is questionable that the meeting in fact will take place. It is reported a few out-of-townners are in Atlanta, but no particular significance is attached to this as it is not unusual for any SNCC associate, when in the close proximity of Atlanta to stop off here whether or not there is any valid reason for his visiting the SNCC Office. *Am*

For all practical purposes, the Atlanta Office has been reduced to five staff members, all identified as long-time SNCC associates and members of the "Inner Circle". There is no question but what free exchange of SNCC activity passes from one of these individuals to the other. Sources have reported that SNCC has become extremely security conscious, almost to the extent of ostracizing anyone in the organization looked upon with suspicion by the "Inner Circle". Such an individual who will continue, however, to be accepted by SNCC, but would be relegated to doing menial tasks and such suspicion directed at him would not by necessity cause any disruption of SNCC activities or really adversely affect their standing in SNCC unless they were one of the "Inner Circle".

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The mis-directed mail technique would only serve as a signal for the "Inner Circle" to tighten security.

It is not believed at this time that an anonymous letter would serve any purpose as such a technique would appear too obvious.

For a mis-directed communication to be effective, it is believed one of the "Inner Circle" should be the target. Further the context of the allegation must not be general in nature, but must be based on some specific event, item, or future plan whereby the other members of the "Inner Circle" would have a bona fide reason for looking with suspicion on the target of the counter-intelligence operation.

The above are observations directed by conditions reportedly existing in the National Headquarters of SNCC and, of course, may not be applicable to branches of SNCC located in other cities.

For the mis-directed mail technique to be successful, it is felt it should be confined to a particular location, dealing with local personalities, events, programs, and projects and based on information furnished by sources in that area regarding SNCC and its operations.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : *[Signature]* DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (100-161140) (P)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

DATE: 6/24/68

ReDElet, 6/14/68.

The 1968 New York Telephone Directories for Manhattan, Brooklyn, Queens and the Bronx contain no listing for the Inter-Religious Foundation Organizations.

If Detroit is able to supply more identifying data concerning this organization which would be of assistance in locating it, this information should be furnished the NYO.

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- 2 - Bureau (RM)
- 2 - Detroit (100-34655) (RM)
- 1 - New York

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TO: Director, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, Detroit (100-34655)

COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST-HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

Re Bureau airtel to Albany, et al, dated
3/4/68, captioned as above.

The following is a 90 day progress letter submitted
per instructions in above referenced airtel:

1. Operations under consideration:

Two proposals have recently been submitted to
the Bureau as set forth in Detroit airtel to Bureau 6/14/68
captioned COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM (LA COSA NOSTRA) and
Detroit airtel to Bureau 6/14/68 captioned COUNTERINTELLIGENCE
PROGRAM (REPUBLIC OF NEW AFRICA).

2. Operations being effected:

None.

3. Tangible results:

None.

4. Developments of counterintelligence interest:

None.

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1 - Detroit

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Approved: 6/18/68

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. DeLoach

DATE: 6-17-68

FROM : T. E. Bishop

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE
[REDACTED]

Reference is made to G. C. Moore to Mr. Sullivan memorandum dated 6-14-68, captioned as above, in which it was recommended that pertinent background data concerning [REDACTED] be furnished to a cooperative news media source.

Mr. Tolson inquired as to whom this data will be given, and the Director noted that he would like to be advised in this regard.

It is felt that background data on [REDACTED] should be given prompt dissemination and therefore it is being recommended that his background be furnished to the Chicago Tribune Press Service here in Washington. [REDACTED] the Tribune have always been extremely cooperative and Chicago, being close to Detroit, is considered a logical outlet for this story. The Chicago Tribune Press Service can give this item additional coverage. (Detroit papers are out on strike.)

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That pertinent background data regarding [REDACTED] furnished the Chicago Tribune Office in Washington. If approved, Crime Records will promptly handle.

- 1 - Mr. DeLoach
- 1 - Mr. Sullivan
- 1 - Mr. G. C. Moore
- 1 - [REDACTED]

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Date: 6/10/68

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, WFO

COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
DISRUPTION OF MILITANT BLACK

NATIONALIST ORGANIZATIONS

SUBJECT 157-233-100-448006

WFO file 157-1292

ReNOairtel, 6/5/68, captioned as above.

Referenced airtel sets out the suggestion that militant black nationalists may be travelling outside the United States for sabotage and espionage training and that a suitable program might be worked out with the passport office whereby such individuals might be identified.

- 1- Bureau
- 2- New Orleans (100-16890) (RM)
- (1 - 157-2336)
- 2- WFO
- (1 - 157-1292)

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For the information of the New Orleans Office, during the year 1967 the Passport Office processed or renewed 1,505,512 passports, an average of 140,459 per month. This problem would be further complicated by the fact that many large cities such as New York, Boston, Miami, Chicago, Philadelphia, Seattle, San Francisco, Los Angeles, and New Orleans have regional passport offices which process applications and issue passports. In many instances, these applications do not reach the Passport Office, USDS, for approximately a month after the issuance of a passport.

It is known from past contacts that the Passport Office would be reticent to install such a program because it would disrupt the flow of work and cause a delay in the processing of passport applications. There also exists the danger that news media would learn of such a program and print stories unfavorable to the Bureau and USDS.

In this connection, it is noted that should any office believe an individual is travelling outside the United States for subversive purposes, that office can always advise that name to the Passport Office with the request that a stop be placed and the office notified should that individual submit an application for a passport.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM : SAC, PITTSBURGH (100-15780) (P)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

DATE: 6/24/68

ReBuairtel to Albany dated 3/4/68, and Pittsburgh letter to Bureau dated 3/28/68.

The 90-day letter in this matter due 6/1/68, was inadvertently not submitted. Requested information is here set forth and 90-day letters will, in the future, be submitted on scheduled dates.

There are no known changes in the overall Black Nationalist Movement since submission of report.

1. Operations Under Consideration

The organization in the Pittsburgh Division considered of primary importance from the standpoint of counterintelligence is the Organizers. [REDACTED] Organizers, is also considered in this connection. No positive plan has been developed, but the matter is being followed. The Organizers and [REDACTED] were identified in re Pittsburgh letter.

2. Operations Being Effected

Pittsburgh letter to Bureau, 6/17/68, requested authority to advise a contact of a charitable foundation in Pittsburgh that it appeared possible a grant by that foundation to Unity, Inc., could later prove to be embarrassing. [REDACTED] Unity, Inc., are both on the Agitator Index of the Pittsburgh Office. [REDACTED] identified in re Pittsburgh letter.

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Pittsburgh letter to Bureau dated 6/18/68, requested authority to make efforts to arrange for [redacted] of whom it is known are actively interested in preventing funds of the Presbyterian Church from being used for projects which are actually worsening racial conditions contributing to the possibility of racial violence.

Bureau letter to Pittsburgh dated 6/11/68, in response to a request for Bureau authority, suggested an anonymous letter regarding the Organizers be sent together with public source material to a business executive in Pittsburgh who has been reliably reported to financially the Organizers.

An effort is presently being made to locate appropriate public source material.

3. Tangible Results

The following was not specifically a counter-intelligence operation, but proved of value in this connection.

During background investigation of [redacted] mentioned above, a bank official was contacted who furnished information concerning the probable repossession of an automobile in the possession of [redacted] the car was repossessed by the bank and certain personal papers of [redacted] located in the car were made available to this office on a confidential basis.

4. Developments of Counterintelligence Interest

On 6/21/68, a source reported existence of an organization known as Another Side. It was indicated this was an organization of Negroes that did not agree with the small minority of Negroes that hate and say that all white people are no good. It was indicated the organization was interested in any information on burning, looting, or destruction of property. It is considered possible this organization may prove to have counterintelligence possibilities.

UNITED STATES

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Memorandum

TO: [Handwritten initials]
FROM: [Handwritten initials]

DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 6/26/68

SAC, NEW YORK (100-161140) (P)

SUBJECT:

COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

ReBulet, 3/4/68 and NYlet, 4/4/68.

1. Operations Under Consideration

It is noted that information recently received has indicated that the Black Panther organization now occupies desk space in the New York office of SNCC. It would appear that these two groups might be at least organizationally affiliated at this time. During our continued investigation and scrutiny into the SNCC operation, we may be presented an opportunity to learn more concerning the affiliation between these two organizations. In that event, every opportunity will be seized to disrupt their seemingly harmonious relationship.

2. Operations Effectuated

In accordance with New York request in letter dated 4/17/68, a representative of the NYO has telephonically contacted NOI leaders [redacted] and clearly conveyed the impression to them that several NOI brothers were going to "take care of them" for stealing the dues of the membership.

The NYO has decided not to contact [redacted] because at the present time, he and other members of SNCC are under surveillance by NYO Agents.

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Additionally no attempt was made to contact [redacted] who is presently out on bail after his recent conviction. It was felt that no contact should be made at this time since he is awaiting court action.

No contact has been made with [redacted] due to his unavailable status. At the present time, the NYO is unaware of his exact place of residence and employment, if any.

3. Tangible Results

In April the NYO mailed 273 copies of a comic book publication to members of the NOI in the New York area. This publication suggested to the membership that the leaders of the NOI in the New York area were stealing dues and paper money contributed by the membership. It was hoped that the dissemination of this publication would result in internal strife, distrust and disorder within the NOI itself.

At a NOI meeting held on [redacted] [redacted] said that there was talk going around that high officials like [redacted] were not turning in all the money and this information was passed on to the main office in Chicago.

At a NOI meeting held on [redacted] [redacted] read a letter from Chicago advising all members to get a receipt for money they turn in. If they did not get a receipt from Chicago it indicates that someone did not turn in the money. The fact was made clear that the person who did not turn in the money will be dealt with by ELIJAH MUHAMMAD.

Later it was revealed at an NOI affair that the Supreme Captain from Chicago was coming to New York to investigate the possibility that some high officials of the New York NOI were not turning in all the money to ELIJAH MUHAMMAD.

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4. Developments of Counterintelligence Interest

As the racial picture appears in constant change and new leaders are brought to the front, the NYC counterintelligence program will be flexible in order to cope with the situation.

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SAC, New York (100-161140)

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Burlet 6/26/68.

A review of counterintelligence suggestions submitted by the New York Office shows very few suggestions being submitted for an office with the number of black nationalist groups that your office has. New York should immediately review its Counterintelligence Program for the purpose of developing imaginative counterintelligence suggestions.

New York has numerous black nationalist groups that should be the target of concentrated counterintelligence action. The Student Nonviolent Coordinating Committee, the Black Panther organization, the Revolutionary Action Movement and the American Mau Mau, are but four examples of extremist groups that should receive counterintelligence attention on a continuing basis. The leaders of these groups, including [redacted] should all be considered for counterintelligence action whether they are under surveillance or not. Obviously, any counterintelligence action recommended should be such that it cannot be traced to this Bureau. Thus a special status of a person awaiting court action is not usually relevant to this program.

The Bureau is following this matter closely to insure that New York fulfills its responsibilities in this area. It is important to use every possible technique to disrupt and neutralize the extremist black nationalists.

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NOTE:

Referenced letter from New York summarized its counterintelligence action and showed New York has no counterintelligence operations pending at present. Excuses for this situation were not relevant.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006) DATE: 6/26/68

FROM : SAC, PORTLAND (157-347) (P)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE
(BLACK STUDENT UNION)

Re Bulet to Portland, 6/14/68.

Enclosed herewith for the Bureau are the following:

[REDACTED]

(2) Xerox copy of an article which appeared in "The Index," campus newspaper, Pacific University, Forest Grove, Oregon, issue of 4/15/68. The article was a request for a donation to assist two students to attend the above mentioned conference. (Article appeared on 4/15/68, day after conference ended.)

(3) A mimeographed page headed "Dear Friends" and signed by [REDACTED] also requesting donation to assist students to attend the Black Students Conference, San Francisco State College.

[REDACTED]

ENCLOSURE

- 2 - Bureau (100-448006) (Enc. 3) (AM) (RM)
- 5 - Portland
 - (2 - 157-347)
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[REDACTED]

In regard to Items 2 and 3, Portland informants, noted above, advised that students from Pacific University, Forest Grove, Oregon, attended the conference and that among others attending were [REDACTED] Portland Community College.

Portland has no further information on these and other activities to raise funds for conferees. It is probable that articles similar to Item 2 exist in March and April publications of colleges with BSU chapters.

Portland believes that anonymous distribution of copies of the pamphlet would not jeopardize [REDACTED] nor would use of items 2 and 3 if items similar to 2 and 3 from California, Washington, or elsewhere were also used.

Lastly, Portland suggests that the pamphlet and accompanying material, if used, might be distributed anonymously from San Francisco since to Portland's knowledge no informant from that area was at that conference and hence no risk to informants involved there.

ROUTED ENVELOPE

1 - Mr. [REDACTED]

SAC, Portland (157-347)

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Director, FBI (100-448006)

COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
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(BLACK STUDENT UNION)

Reurlet 6-26-68.

Enclosed for Portland are the enclosures forwarded with relet.

The Bureau appreciates your counterintelligence suggestion. Copies of pertinent portions of the enclosures have been furnished a news media source for a possible article about the Black Student Union.

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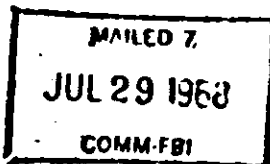
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NOTE:

Memorandum G. C. Moore to Mr. W. C. Sullivan, 7-17-68, captioned as above, prepared by TJD:scf recommended furnishing material about Black Student Union to a cooperative news source.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM : SAC, WFO (157-1292) (P*)

SUBJECT : COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE
(STOKELY CARMICHAEL)

DATE: 6/27/68

ReBulet dated 6/6/68, captioned as above.

On 6/18/68 [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] Washington, D.C. (WDC), advised that MIRIAM MAKEBA and STOKELY CARMICHAEL have cancelled the contract to buy the property located at 4331 Blagden Avenue, N.W., WDC, claiming inability to obtain suitable financing.

[REDACTED] stated that the company has agreed to the cancellation.

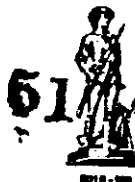
In view of the above, no further action is being taken regarding this matter.

WFO will await developments concerning the possible purchase of another extravagant-type residence, and submit recommendations on a counterintelligence plan in order to embarrass CARMICHAEL.

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 - (1 - 100-446080) (CARMICHAEL)
- 2 - WFO
 - (1 - 100-43503) (CARMICHAEL)

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 6/26/68

FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (100-161140) (P)

SUBJECT:

COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE
(NEGRO NEWS MEDIA)

ReBulet to Chicago, 5/3/68.

At the present time, the NYO has no established, reliable, contacts among Negro news media who might be of assistance.

Several Negro reporters are known by representatives of the NYO, however, to date this office has not developed an Afro-American newspaper or radio station to the point where they would be considered established and reliable. In recognition of the fact that this is an extremely sensitive field and the possibility of embarrassment is ever present, it appears somewhat doubtful whether the results to be gained would justify the continued risks involved.

It would be necessary not only to develop a Negro reporter connected with the Afro-American newspaper but Editor as well in order to guarantee results.

Every effort will be made to the possibility of establishing such contacts in the future.

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1 - New York

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 6/25/68

FROM : SAC, JACKSONVILLE (157-1523) (P*)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

Re Jacksonville letter to Bureau 4/2/68.

PROGRESS LETTER

1. Operations Under Consideration

There is no counterintelligence action under consideration at this time by the Jacksonville office. Agents assigned to this type investigation are alert for any possible action that might be recommended in the future.

2. Operations Being Effectuated

None

3. Tangible Results

None

4. Developments of Counterintelligence Interests

No developments of counterintelligence interests have been developed, to date. It is to be noted that the colleges at Gainesville and Tallahassee, Florida, are on vacation and the activities have decreased there. Several of the leaders have left Gainesville and 2 are under indictments. It is anticipated that activities may increase with the opening of the Fall term at the colleges.

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 7/2/68

FROM : SAC, CHICAGO (157-2209)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

Re Bureau airtel, 3/4/68; Chicago airtels 4/22/68;
Bureau letter 5/15/68 (re HERBERT C. MOHAMMED); Chicago airtel
and Chicago letter, both 5/21/68.

Set forth below, under captions as instructed in
re Bureau airtel, March 4, 1968, is a current progress letter
regarding captioned matter.

1. Operations Under Consideration

In accordance with recent instructions from the
Bureau (re Bulet, 5/15/68) Chicago has been directing
consideration to DICK GREGORY as a counterintelligence target.
As the Bureau is aware GREGORY is currently incarcerated in the
State of Washington, serving a 90 day sentence based on his
activities in behalf of Indian fishing rights.

The Chicago Office has organized a counterintelligence
"team", made up of SA's experienced in RM and SM - C investigations
including SA's with lengthy prior counterintelligence experience.
This group, together with the RM Supervisor, and the SA
responsible for the coordination of this program, have devoted
considerable effort to methods of inhibiting the effectiveness
and credibility of GREGORY. His file has been thoroughly and
exhaustively reviewed to this end. The possibility has been
noted that, in the final analysis, an individual such as
GREGORY, so prone to erratic statements and actions, to such wild
and obviously ridiculous charges, will in all probability
destroy his own influence in this field and serve as a
self-neutralizer.

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1 - Chicago

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however, subsequent investigation, as in Legat, London letter May 28, 1968, did not substantiate, or lend credence to GREGORY's use, or receipt of funds from abroad, primarily to have been utilized against the Democratic Convention, August, 1968, in Chicago.

Chicago is continuing to give the matter of discrediting GREGORY top priority, and Bureau authority will be promptly requested at the earliest opportunity in the event a specific counterintelligence device is formulated. It might also be noted, however, as in Chicago airtel of May 21, 1968, that GREGORY also faces a five month sentence, Cook County Jail, Chicago, as a result of the upholding of criminal charges against him, by the Illinois Appellate Court, of 1965 charges in connection with a local demonstration.

Chicago also has under consideration the review of federal income tax returns of HERBERT C. MOHAMMED, since he was pin-pointed as a counterintelligence target in Chicago airtel April 22, 1968, under the above caption, and that of the Nation of Islam (NOI).

These returns, referred to in Bureau letter May 15, 1968, have not as yet been received by Chicago, however, upon receipt, and subsequent review, a specific recommendation regarding counterintelligence action will be submitted.

In previous Chicago communications under above caption, Chicago has identified [redacted] local Student Non-Violent Coordinating Committee (SNCC) official, as a possible target of counterintelligence action, with reference to his possible removal from an active role as a result of his refusal to cooperate with Selective Service officials over his imminent induction into the Armed Forces.

Although not a counterintelligence measure as such, Chicago has vigorously followed and pursued this situation, both with Selective Service and the Office of the United States Attorney. Recently [redacted] refused to be inducted, his file is in the process of being forwarded by Selective Service to the United States Attorney (USA), who has advised [redacted] case will be brought before the Federal Grand Jury at the earliest possible moment. The USA has advised that a warrant for the arrest of [redacted] on above charges, will in all probability be

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shortly forthcoming. Unquestionably this would serve to further inhibit local SNCC activities, and hopefully, would in some measure serve to neutralize [REDACTED] himself.

Chicago also feels that the Chicago Firearms Registration Ordinance, which went into effect May 15, 1968, has definite potential as a counterintelligence device, to be directed against local militants, as for example [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] In addition to the Chicago ordinance, a state law which requires registration of all persons possessing firearms will go into effect September 1, 1968. The penalty for violation of the local ordinance is a \$500 fine, for violation of the state law, a \$1,000 fine and a year incarceration.

Contact with the local office of gun registration has reflected that it will be approximately another 45-60 days before records are organized and alphabetized. [REDACTED] is identified as a possible target in this regard, however, there would appear to be a number of militants who may well be vulnerable.

As the Bureau has cautioned, Chicago assures that each specific future counterintelligence operation will be submitted for Bureau approval prior to taking any action.

2. Operations Being Effected

Chicago at present has no counterintelligence operation in progress, however, as noted will develop such, directed toward HERBERT MOHAMMED, upon receipt of his tax returns from the Bureau.

The impetus being provided to the efforts to expedite the handling of [REDACTED] Selective Service case is not a counterintelligence operation in the normal sense of the term, arising as it does from a substantive violation of federal law. However, the end result, that of reducing the effectiveness and hampering the activities of [REDACTED] is tantamount to that which might be achieved through any such operation with [REDACTED] as its target.

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3. Tangible Results

With the possible exception of the imminent incarceration of [REDACTED] above, no tangible results have as yet been forthcoming since the inception of this program in the black nationalist field.

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4. Developments of Counterintelligence Interest

There have been no significant developments in this field since my airtels of April 22, 1968, which would materially alter programs and approach previously suggested. Chicago appreciates, however, that changing times and developments in the general RM field can have an influence on any counterintelligence operation. Chicago will remain alert to any such development, and when any situation arises, relative to an individual or organization, which offers promise and potential as a counterintelligence operation, an appropriate communication will be promptly submitted.

It might also be noted that in general, the assessment of the local black nationalist movement, as set out in our airtel of April 22, 1968, under the above caption, remains as noted. It was pointed out that GREGORY had threatened to disrupt the Democratic National Convention, in August, 1968, however, as the Bureau is aware, he has cancelled his demonstration plans for before and during this convention, and is currently incarcerated.

Chicago assures the Bureau that full and continuing attention is devoted to this aspect of our operation, its potential value is well appreciated and this office will remain alert and receptive to any opportunity to accomplish and establish a productive counterintelligence operation.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006) DATE: 7/3/68

FROM : *NW* SAC, BUFFALO (157-503) (P)

SUBJECT: *gwl* COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST--HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

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Remylet, 6/3/68, captioned above.

There have been no counterintelligence operations placed into effect in the Buffalo Office during the past month. The racial situation and the organizational development in the militant Black Nationalist field in the Buffalo Division do not suggest any effective counterintelligence device at the present time.

Set forth below is a summary of the situation in the Buffalo Division in which a counterintelligence operation might be considered:

NATION OF ISLAM (NOI)

Racial informants have reported during the past month that Muhammad's Mosque No. 23 (MM No. 23), Buffalo, New York, is in the midst of a membership recruiting drive as announced by Minister JOHN B. STRICKLAND. Where 80-90 persons were observed in attendance at public meetings on regular Sunday afternoon affairs at MM No. 23, this number has now increased to approximately 120. Minister STRICKLAND has offered a number of prizes to NOI members to bring in new members. He has proposed the doubling of the present NOI membership. It was mentioned at one recent meeting that Minister STRICKLAND was complimented by NOI leaders in Chicago, Illinois, as being the "second best" Minister in the organization. He has dutifully transmitted between \$4,000.00 and \$5,000.00 per month to the NOI Headquarters in Chicago which undoubtedly prompted the above mentioned compliment.

APPROPRIATE AGENCIES
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The MGT now meets on Saturday mornings, and the Fruit of Islam continues to meet on Sunday mornings.

Minister STRICKLAND has been careful to repeatedly point out to the NOI membership that they should not become involved in any way in racial violence nor should they be involved in any public demonstrations wherein integration is at issue. These instructions appear to have been followed religiously by the NOI in the Buffalo Division in the past and, despite some self-serving statements by some local officials who have blamed racial trouble in the past on Muslims, the NOI in the Buffalo Division appears to have separated itself from the rest of the ghetto.

STUDENT NON-VIOLENT
COORDINATING COMMITTEE (SNCC)

As the Bureau is aware [REDACTED] the Buffalo Chapter of SNCC [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] no counterintelligence operation appears necessary or desirable in connection with SNCC at the present time. & u

This matter is being closely watched, and the Bureau will be kept advised of subsequent suggestions and developments.

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SAC, Detroit (100-34655)

7/3/68

Director, FBI (100-448006)

COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST-HATE GROUPS.
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE
(REPUBLIC OF NEW AFRICA)

Reurlet 6/14/68.

The Bureau appreciates your suggestion for causing dissension between the Republic of New Africa (RNA) and the City-Wide Citizens Action Committee (CCAC), two black nationalist groups. The Bureau feels, however, this suggestion should be held in abeyance until the position of the CCAC clarifies itself, as this group appears to be moving away from an extremist position.

You should resubmit your recommendation in sixty days, based on an evaluation of the situation at that time. If the suggested letter is still appropriate consider deleting the last paragraph so we will not be in the position of actually helping the RNA to recruit members.

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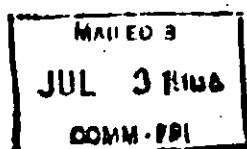
NOTE:

Detroit suggested sending a recruiting letter on RNA stationery to members of the CCAC to cause dissension between the two groups. Since CCAC appears to be changing its position it is not believed advisable to use this technique right now. The last paragraph of the proposed letter, which Detroit should consider deleting, asks the recipient to send one dollar dues to the RNA.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO :

DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE:

7/9/68

FROM :

SAC, NEW YORK (100-161140) (P)

SUBJECT:

COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

Re Springfield airtel, 7/5/68.

The NYO has no sources or informants available who are able to provide information concerning the extent of the volume of publication by International Publishers of CLAUDE LIGHTFOOT'S book entitled "Ghetto Rebellion to Black Liberation".

On 7/9/68, a pretext telephone call was placed to the office of International Publishers, 381 Park Ave. South, NY, NY, by [REDACTED]. The person who took the call referred the Agent to another individual who "knew something about the distribution of the book". This person stated that the book distribution for the Illinois area was being handled through their wholesaler Baker and Taylor, Gladiola Ave., Momence, Illinois. She said that the wholesaler would know of what distribution was being made of the book in that area. She also said she had no figures for nation-wide distribution. (Pretext-book shop owner in Carbondale, Illinois).

- (2) - Bureau (RM)
- 2 - Springfield (157-802) (RM)
- 1 - New York (#43)

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM : SAC, PHILADELPHIA (157-2371) (P)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL MATTERS

DATE: 7/10/68

Re my letter dated 5/10/68.

Philadelphia has not submitted any Counter-intelligence program since referenced communication.

At the present time in Philadelphia there are no organized groups of black nationalist in the city; it is mainly composed of individuals who have others following them.

Philadelphia is considering a counterintelligence operation against [REDACTED] however, this will not be submitted until [REDACTED] has been interviewed by Bureau Agents which should be done in the near future.

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SAC, Chicago (157-2209)

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COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE
(HERBERT C. MOHAMMED)

ReBulet 5/15/68.

Enclosed for Chicago are two copies of Federal Income Tax Returns for 1965, 1966 and 1967 for Herbert C. Mohammed. Also enclosed is an Internal Revenue Service memorandum concerning the income tax returns. Copies are being retained at the Bureau.

These returns should be reviewed as set out in relet, and should be used for lead purposes only. No dissemination should be made of them outside the Bureau.

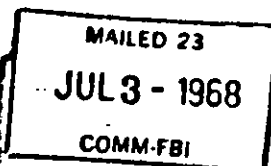
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NOTE:

Memorandum G. C. Moore to Mr. W. C. Sullivan, dated 5/7/68 and captioned "Herbert C. Mohammed, Racial Matters - Nation of Islam," prepared by TJD: requested authority to contact IRS for these tax returns. This was approved. Relet instructed Chicago to review these returns when received for possible counterintelligence action and to submit recommendations.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO :

DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 7/10/68

FROM :

SAC, NEW YORK (100-161140) (P)

SUBJECT :

COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST-HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE
(STOKELY CARMICHAEL)

Rebulet, 7/1/68.

It is suggested that consideration be given to convey the impression that CARMICHAEL is a CIA informant.

One method of accomplishing the above would be to have a carbon copy of informant report reportedly written by CARMICHAEL to the CIA carefully deposited in the automobile of a close Black Nationalist friend. The report should be so placed that it will be readily seen.

It is hoped that when the informant report is read it will help promote distrust between CARMICHAEL and the Black Community. It is suggested that carbon copy of report be used to indicate that CARMICHAEL turned original copy into CIA and kept carbon copy for himself.

It is also suggested that we inform a certain percentage of reliable criminal and racial informants that "we heard from reliable sources that CARMICHAEL is a CIA agent". It is hoped that these informants would spread the rumor in various large Negro communities across the land.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 7/9/68

FROM : SAC, WFO (157-1292) (P*)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE
(STOKELY CARMICHAEL)

ReBulet dated 7/1/68.

WFO inclined to feel the best way to implement the suggested counter-intelligence program against CARMICHAEL is by inaugurating a "whispering campaign" that he is an agent of the U. S. Government and doing organized work among Negroes solely for the purpose of helping the government identify racial militants and future racial radicals. Further, that after these individuals are identified by the government reprisals may be taken against them by denial of government employment, social security benefits, welfare benefits, pension benefits and intensive screening of tax returns submitted by them. In addition, the impression should be created any person found associating with CARMICHAEL will be suspect. The "whispering campaign" should include overtone that CARMICHAEL is being rewarded greatly by the government for his efforts which permits him to buy a mansion, large house, live lavishly, avoid military service, avoid prosecution for his activities and enjoy a regal life with many important officials and diplomats.

It is suggested the campaign be inaugurated inferentially by SAs while interviewing sources, informants and other selected contacts and individuals who could be expected to carry the messages back to the Negro community with an aura of officiousness where CARMICHAEL has substantially all his support. This would include selected members of police departments and perhaps other government officials working in alleviating problems of the ghetto. The influence imparted should be timely, clairvoyant but shrouded with restraint so as not to create the definite impression the rumor being passed out is the official word of the FBI.

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2-WFO
(1-100-43503) (CARMICHAEL)

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The inference inaugurating the process could be inferred rather indirectly, while discussing other related cases, by innuendo or by rhetorical type questions.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Director, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 7-11-68

FROM : SAC, Birmingham (100-5942)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

ReBUAirtel, 3-4-68; Birmingham letter to
Bureau, 4-3-68.

Birmingham has not in the 90-day period
subsequent to referenced Birmingham letter, conducted any
counterintelligence operation.

The active black nationalist movement in
Birmingham's territory is limited to Muhammed's
Mosque, Nation of Islam. On May 1, 1968, a change
was made in ministers at this Mosque, presumably
on instructions of Elijah Muhammed.

To date Birmingham has not acquired adequate
information to base an operation upon, directed against

[REDACTED]

When in possession of adequate information
regarding the background of [REDACTED] or present activities
of [REDACTED] Birmingham believes it may then be in a
position to attempt a counterintelligence operation
designed to split the membership over the question of
leadership and operation of the Mosque.

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 7/9/68

FROM : SAC, CHARLOTTE (100-10382)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

ReBuairtel to Albany, 3/4/68, and CElet to
Director, 4/4/68.

1. Operations Under Consideration

This Division is constantly probing [REDACTED] for a weakness on which to capitalize. Attempts are being made to provide informant coverage. His gasoline credit tickets are surveyed to keep track of his State-wide travels. To date, he seems to be his own worst enemy. [REDACTED] has a penchant for publicity similar to H. RAP BROWN of SNCC. As a result, he is one of the best known black agitators in this State. He again led a violent demonstration in Durham, N.C., in late June, 1968. This received wide publicity. He has been convicted of resisting arrest following a previous demonstration in Durham, N.C., in February, 1968. As a result, [REDACTED] himself has destroyed his facade of a "neutral community organizer". This would have been the first goal of our counterintelligence program.

With his true revolutionary nature and mission established in the public eye, our next objective is to either neutralize his influence or uncover some illegal act and effect his arrest by appropriate authorities thereby removing him from the scene.

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2. Operations being Effectuated

It is rumored that [REDACTED] engages in extramarital affairs. This Division is attempting to identify his paramour. Thereafter,

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anonymous phone calls to his wife and office will be contemplated. As cited above, his movements around N.C. are traced through gasoline credit purchases.

3. Tangible Results

It is felt that [REDACTED] influence has declined in the past three months. His charisma affected students and women. However, the emergence of violence in his movement has alienated many heretofore moderate followers.

Six major police departments, as well as N.C. State officials hold regular intelligence conferences on the racial situation and this division attends in an observed status. These local officials are fully aware of [REDACTED] activities and it is felt this conference could provide a basis for implementing a program against [REDACTED]

4. Developments of Counterintelligence Interest

There seems to be a lack of interest among Negroes for demonstrations and civil rights programs at this time. Two recent black student conferences held in N.C. were poorly attended. The NOI is faltering in N.C. Attendance at the Charlotte Mosque is down from a high of 100 members several years ago to approximately 15. Thus far, N.C. has experienced one of its calmest summers in recent years.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: July 15, 1968

FROM : SAC, NEW HAVEN (157-785)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

Re: Bureau airtel to Albany, 3/4/68; and New Haven letter to Bureau, 5/14/68.

In accordance with Bureau instructions, the following information is set forth:

1. The New Haven Office has under consideration as counterintelligence targets the Nation of Islam, the Hill Parents Association, the Black Coalition and the Black Caucus. [redacted] in the NOI in Connecticut and in a position to furnish information concerning situations or problems within the NOI upon which we could capitalize to disrupt activities of that organization. Leaders of the Hill Parents Association and the Black Caucus are presently free on appeal bond having been oriented on a variety of serious local charges and these individuals have received considerable adverse publicity in the past. Any chance for these individuals to gain any respectability has been shattered.

[redacted] a Negro male who resides in New Haven, Connecticut, [redacted] the Hill Parents Association, [redacted] the Board of the Hill Neighborhood Corporation. A \$105,000 model cities program grant from the Department of Housing and Urban Development will finance the Hill Neighborhood Corporation. [redacted] has a lengthy criminal record, his most recent arrest being in September, 1967, when he was charged with robbery with violence. Background concerning [redacted] was set forth in a letterhead memorandum dated June 19, 1968 and it was suggested this letterhead memorandum be disseminated to HUD.

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2. The New Haven Office does not have a specific counterintelligence operation in effect at the present time.

3. None.

4. None.

The New Haven Office is aware of the importance of an effective counterintelligence program and every effort will be made to penetrate and disrupt the Black Nationalist movement in Connecticut.

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: July 15, 1968

FROM: SAC, CLEVELAND (157-1189) (P)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

Re Cleveland letter to Bureau 4/3/68.

1. Operations Under Consideration

[REDACTED] of Paramount Pictures of this company, were in contact with the Cleveland Office relative to a movie named "Betrayal," based on the book "The Informer." This movie, which has been changed in title to "Up Tight," is being filmed in Cleveland and many of the extras have been identified as members and sympathizers of Black Nationalist groups.

The picture itself involves the Negro neighborhood and activities in the Cleveland area and portrays two distinct groups of Negroes, the militant and violent group as compared to the peaceful group, and both groups attempting to obtain civil rights for the Negro through their respective means. The picture starts out with the militant violent group stealing guns and ammunition from gun shops, and the implication in the picture is that this stealing is condoned. The picture ends with the principal character, who is connected with the militant group, walking across a bridge at a steel company, jumping off and committing suicide. The obvious conclusion one draws from the ending, according to [REDACTED] is that the racial situation in the United States is unsolvable and will result in continued strife in the United States. [REDACTED] pointed out that the picture could have been ended at a point which would cause the viewer to feel that the racial situation in the United States is being solved in a manner that is entirely acceptable to Negroes and whites. This change was felt advisable by the majority

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of the people participating in the production, and the change was suggested to [redacted] production, who refused to go along with [redacted]

[redacted] states that this picture will definitely hurt this country. He stated that [redacted] is already trying to push production so that the completed film can be distributed on the European market where it will be shown this Summer and Fall, at a time when [redacted] contemplates racial troubles in this country.

Meanwhile, one of the other [redacted] [redacted] the head of Paramount Studios telling him that he did not want to be connected with this picture which showed this country in such a bad light, and that he was quitting.

[redacted] states that he and many of the other persons participating in this production feel that this picture does a great disservice to the United States and will hurt the image of the U. S. Government abroad.

When [redacted] was asked whether he felt that this picture was such as to possibly incite racial strife in this country, he said he felt the tone of the picture was such that this was possible.

[redacted] made available a script of this picture, asking that his name and that of [redacted] in no way be connected as the source of it or of this information. He said that he would have to account for the script as having been stolen.

The information set forth above and a copy of the script for the movie were furnished to the Bureau and contact is being maintained with [redacted] in the event any information of interest to the Bureau should be developed.

In referenced letter it was noted that consideration was being given to recommendation that [redacted] purchase an expensive home in an affluent, predominantly white neighborhood. Efforts to implement this information by dissemination to [redacted]

a friendly newspaper source, with Bureau approval, have thus far met with no success due to the fact that no established source within the Negro news media field could be convinced that this type publicity would have the desired effect, but rather would stimulate sympathy among the Negro populous. Cleveland is continuing liaison with sources in the position to publicize such information, with Bureau approval.

By airtel dated June 20, 1968, Cleveland furnished the Bureau with ten (10) Xerox copies of an editorial from the "Call and Post," a Cleveland, Ohio, Negro weekly newspaper of general circulation, June 15, 1968, Issue, Page 4B, captioned, "STOKELEY, How Could You?" for possible use in captioned program.

Cleveland continues to be on the alert for any such articles emanating from communications media in an effort to furnish them on a timely basis to the Bureau for consideration in this program.

2. Operations Being Effectuated

The Counterintelligence program in the Cleveland Office is being more smoothly administered by the routing of informant dissemination memos through the coordinator of the Counterintelligence program on a day-to-day basis. This program of dissemination enables the coordinator to remain constantly abreast of any and all developments in the overall racial field.

Previous operations which have been presented to the Bureau are under consideration including publicizing the editorial mentioned above which appeared in the "Call and Post," and the script from the movie "Up Tight."

3. Tangible Results

Cleveland has not utilized any counterintelligence measures which have been under the ideal situation of being devised, approved by the Bureau and implemented by the Cleveland field office; however, in the case of [REDACTED] as mentioned above, although efforts to publicize this fact met with negative results, contacts with [REDACTED] for the "Call and Post" appear to have had a [REDACTED]

positive effect. In contacting [REDACTED] he apparently has been influenced by the inconsistencies apparent in the Black Nationalist philosophy, inasmuch as the editorial policy appears to have changed to the point where these inconsistencies have been pointed up as evidenced by the publication of editorials such as the one mentioned above captioned, "STOKELEY, How Could You?"

4. Developments of Counterintelligence Interest

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] It is felt by proper direction and close contact utilization, [REDACTED] could be utilized in this leadership capacity to exploit and foment discord which is constantly smoldering within this group.

A counterintelligence move appears possible by using [REDACTED] as a wedge to split the leadership of the Afro-American Set. Animosity exists between the leaders, [REDACTED] appears to have the potential to further divide this group as he has aspirations to become a leader in one of the Black Nationalist groups and appears to have the beginnings of a fairly good size following.

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Date: 6/5/68

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Via AIRTEL AIRMAIL
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, SPRINGFIELD (157-802) (P)

COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST-HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

ReSilet to Bureau, 6/28/68, entitled Communist Party,
USA, Organization, Special Convention, 7/4-7/68; C. and
Buairtel to Albany, 3/4/68, captioned as above.

TS: [illegible]
[REDACTED] further advised that at this time that
the drive for distribution of the LEAFLET FOOT publication is
made, efforts also are to be made to widely collect subscriptions
to the new Communist Party newspaper, "The World".

- 3 - Bureau (100-448006) (RM)
 - 2 - Chicago (RM)
 - 2 - New York (RM)
 - 2 - Springfield (157-802) (RM)
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Approved: _____

Special Agent in Charge

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It appears from review of "Ghetto Rebellion of Black Liberation" that this book is nothing more than an attempt to project the "old party line" in a more acceptable light to attract the Black Racial Movement, resulting in a highly hackneyed and stereotyped effort with no more success than prior efforts by LIGHTFOOT in this field.

Inasmuch as Springfield Division informant information indicates possible distribution on a wide basis in down-state Illinois, the Springfield Division by virtue of troubled areas in East St. Louis, Illinois, Carbondale, Cairo and Decatur, Illinois, desires to determine the proposed volume of publication and extent of distribution as well as the specific areas of distribution in down-state Illinois so as to possibly initiate an effective counter-intelligence to thwart the effect of this publication.

LEADS:

NEW YORK DIVISION

AT NEW YORK, NEW YORK

Will through informants and sources determine the extent of the volume of publication by International Publishers of the LIGHTFOOT book entitled "Ghetto Rebellion To Black Liberation", as well as the proposed volume of distribution and extent of distribution to be nationwide.

CHICAGO DIVISION

AT CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

Will through informants and sources determine the proposed specific areas of distribution of this publication in down-state Illinois, as well as the method of proposed distribution bearing in mind Springfield Division's concern for the troubled areas in East St. Louis, Carbondale, Cairo and Decatur, Illinois.

The Springfield Division is desirous of the Bureau's evaluation of LIGHTFOOT's publication and its potential impact in the racial movement.

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[REDACTED]

In the event the Bureau does not have a copy of LIGHTFOOT's publication, it is requested the New York Division be instructed to obtain a copy since the only available copy in Springfield Division is currently under study by agents involved in racial field.

THE NEW YORK TIMES

SAC, Springfield (157-802)

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Director, FBI (100-448006)

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COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE
(CLAUDE LIGHTFOOT)

Reurairtel 7/5/68.

Reairtel requested the Bureau's evaluation of the book, "Ghetto Rebellion to Black Liberation," by Claude Lightfoot, Communist Party, USA, functionary. Springfield noted that it appears this book is nothing more than an attempt to project the Communist Party line in a light more acceptable to the black nationalist movement and this would meet with no more success than other Communist Party efforts to attract American Negroes.

The Bureau agrees with your evaluation of Lightfoot's publication and its potential impact. It is doubtful that this book would appeal to black nationalists because the book comments that it would be suicidal to resort to armed rebellion.

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- 1 - New York (INFO)

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NOTE:

Reurairtel requested above-noted Bureau comments in an effort to develop counterintelligence efforts to neutralize this CP publication.

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM : SAC, ST. LOUIS (157-5818) P

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST-HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

DATE: 7/15/68

Re Director airtel to Albany dated 3/1/68 and
St. Louis letter to Director dated 4/5/68.

The following information is submitted regarding
racial intelligence matters in the St. Louis Division:

1) Operations Under Consideration

[REDACTED] was arrested in St. Louis
on 4/18/68 after burglarizing a store for the purpose of
obtaining guns for use in riots and racial disturbances which
he hoped to foment. Upon arrest [REDACTED] claimed he was a
representative of CORE and that CORE would "take care of
things" relative to his arrest. [REDACTED] felt that [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] was highly influential and would
help him. [REDACTED] to date is in jail awaiting trial but is
unable to raise bond and apparently ignored by [REDACTED]

Since [REDACTED] had influenced two youths to accompany
him on the burglary and appeared to be quite impressed
with CORE, some kind of anonymous publicity regarding [REDACTED]
abandonment by CORE has been considered. It is felt that
an anonymous mailing to CORE membership reporting his abandon-
ment would tend to amplify [REDACTED] plight and shake confidence
in CORE leadership.

2) Operations Being Effectuated

There are no racial counterintelligence programs
presently being effectuated in the St. Louis Division.

3) Tangible Results

Since no operations are presently being effectuated
no tangible results can be reported.

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4) Development of Counterintelligence Interest

Recently a group of four to six or eight Negro militants, two from East St. Louis, Illinois, have been making demands of local Negro radio stations which would require these stations to participate in black nationalist propaganda. These persons, or those connected with them, have intimidated merchants on a local level. Informants have reported that these individuals have no backing by legitimate organizations or groups, but have used Mid-City Community Congress, a church financed civic organization. In doing so these persons have raised the ire of some prominent Negro leaders. One is [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] is considered to be a high caliber person holding several important positions such as [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] has been concerned that these persons were using the headquarters of the Mid-City Community Congress, an ostensible non-militant organization, for the planning of some of their activity of which he disapproves. [REDACTED] is a liaison source of the St. Louis Division and has cooperated with the FBI for several years. Consideration is being given to enlistment of [REDACTED] regarding some type of publicity which would tend to discourage or discredit these racial militants.

Black nationalist organizations and hate groups remain as previously described in referenced St. Louis letter. No definable new organizations have developed and leadership in existing organizations remains as it was last outlined. The potential for violence of the Nation of Islam (NOI) does not seem to have been effected by the passage of time since 4/5/68.

The Agitator Index of the St. Louis Division presently includes [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] as previously outlined. [REDACTED] who was briefly described in the prior communication, has since been placed on the Agitator Index as has [REDACTED] who was discussed previously. [REDACTED] was permitted to travel to St. Louis by the Pennsylvania paroling authority in January, 1968, after conviction and parole on 1/3/68, resulting

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from charges of inciting to riot at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania on 8/25/67. [REDACTED] was subsequently arrested at St. Louis on 4/28/68 for the previously mentioned burglary.

[REDACTED] a Negro agitator who was one of the prime movers in demands made on local Negro radio stations and who claims to be a member of the Black Economic Union of East St. Louis, Illinois, appears to be emerging as one against whom counterintelligence activities might be conducted in the future. [REDACTED] has also claimed membership in the so far non-militant Mid-City Community Congress of St. Louis.

Submission of instant letter is delayed due to extensive investigation required by the Murkin case, and the extended illness of the person exclusively assigned to Blacpro matters and the Racial Intelligence Program.