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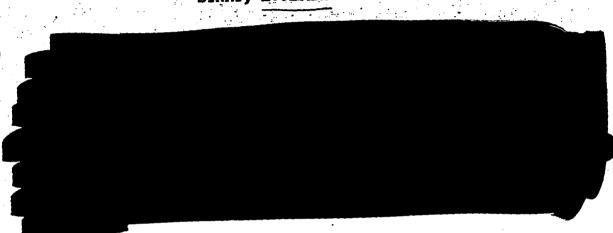
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New Orleans, Louisiana November 19, 1963

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The newspaper account of the incident in the November 17, 1963, issue of the "Monroe Morning World," a newspaper published at Monroe, Louisiana, reports that "A spokesman for the Sheriff's Department stated that the assembly was orderly and under the observation of the parish's law enforcement agencies."

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From: Director, FBI (105-71801)

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Since the names cover a large part of the U. S. and it is not possible to separate names related to the KKK from the others, no lead is being set forth for field offices to check these names. If the Bureau believes a name search through each field effice is warranted, it will be done.	
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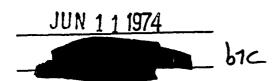
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Characterization of the Original Knights of the Ku Klux Klan was obtained from SAC Letter dated 1/23/63 (Dallas file 100-00E-89, page 23).

The Bureau's attention is directed to

No further action is contemplated by the Dallas Office.

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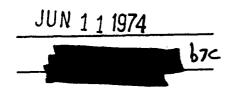
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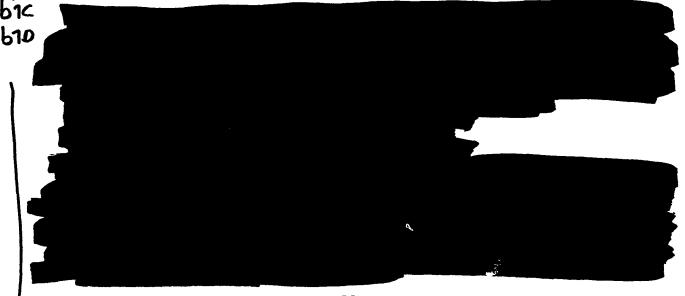
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This article further related that in an interview after the meeting, the Imperial Dragon indicated that members of his organization were writing letters to "peacefully influence" television stations in the South to refuse to air television programs deemed objectionable to the klan.





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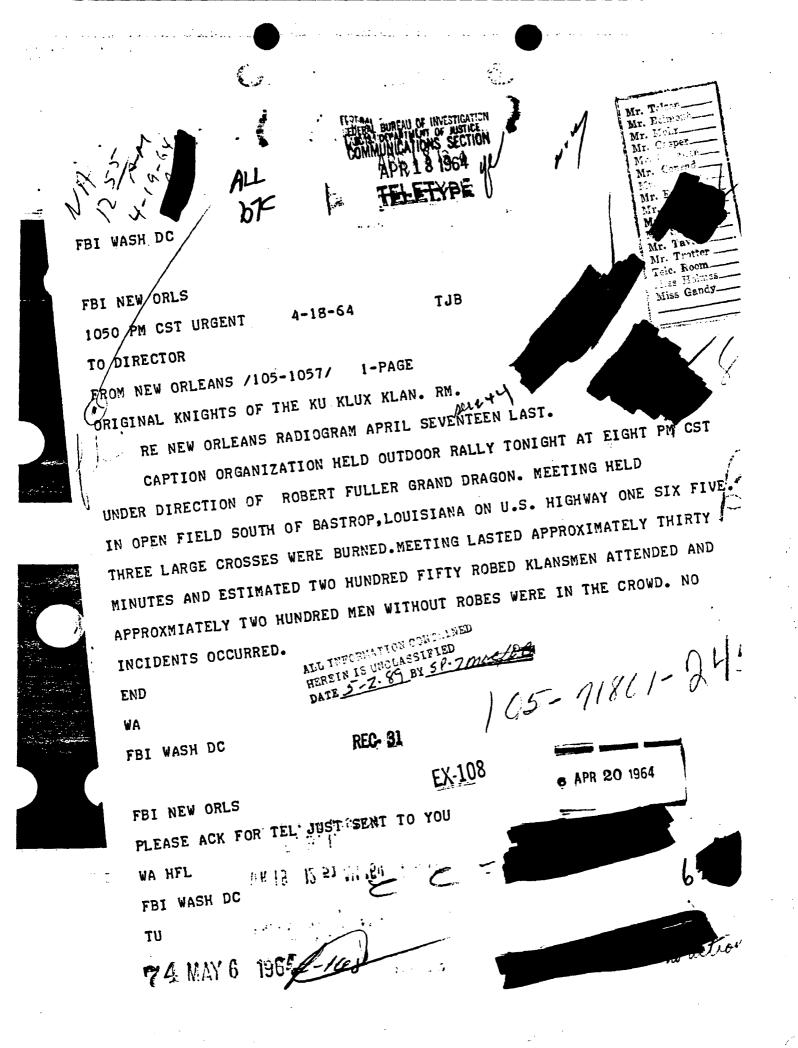
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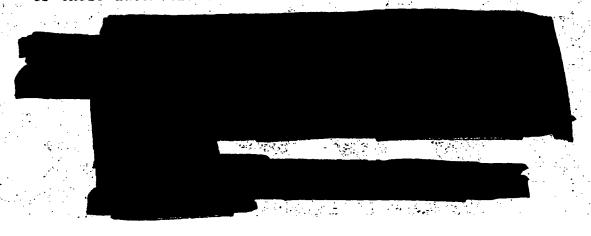
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On April 19, 1964, Special Agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation observed a 1963 Rambler station wagon parked at the intersection of Louisiana Highways 68 and 10. This automobile was parked on Highway 68 north of Route 10 and had a Confederate flag tied to the antenna. It was occupied by one white male. About one mile north of this intersection on Route 68 it was observed that a gravel road intersects with Highway 68 and proceeds west.

About 250 yards down this gravel road from Highway 68 Agents observed a turn off on the north side of the road which led into a cleared area apparently used for pasture. Approximately 150 yards from the highway there was observed a white building appeared to be made out of asbestos shingle or white concrete block. Along the road there extends a barbed wire fence with a gate at the turn off. Agents observed at the gate approximately five white males some of whom were armed with shotguns and others with pistols.

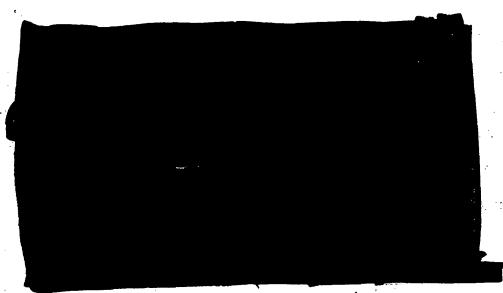
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The following is information relating to certain of the individuals listed above:

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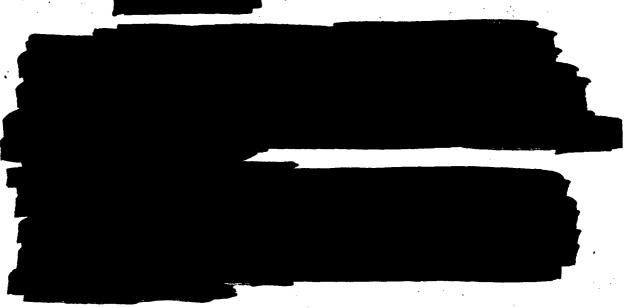
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An article in the Baton Rouge, Louisiana "Sunday Advocate" newspaper dated April 21, 1963, contained a list of names of individuals who signed a petition protesting school desegregation. The petition was presented to the East Baton Rouge Parish School Board. The list contained the name of

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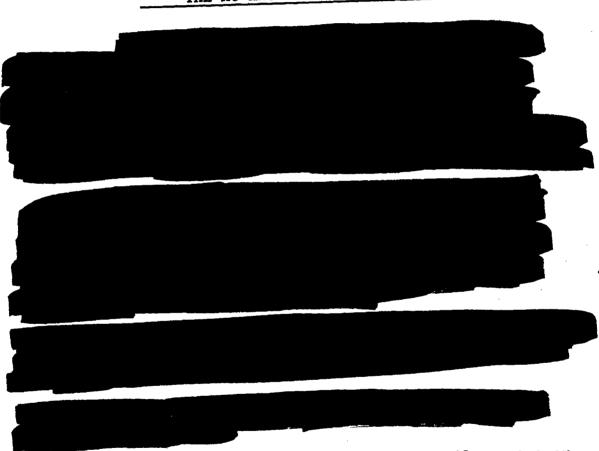
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The "Baton Rouge State Times," a daily newspaper, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, in the May 4, 1964 edition, page 15a, has a news story under dateline Denham Springs titled "LARGE KLAN RALLY HELD." This article states "an estimated 400

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hooded persons attended a gathering of the KKK at a vacant lot here Saturday night to hear talks against integration.... The main speaker, who was introduced as a minister, spoke against Protestant ministers who, he said, are influenced by philosophy, psychology and sociology, not by the Bible. He said, 'the only kind of brotherhood there is is the kind of brotherhood of the klan, which is composed of good, white Christians.'"

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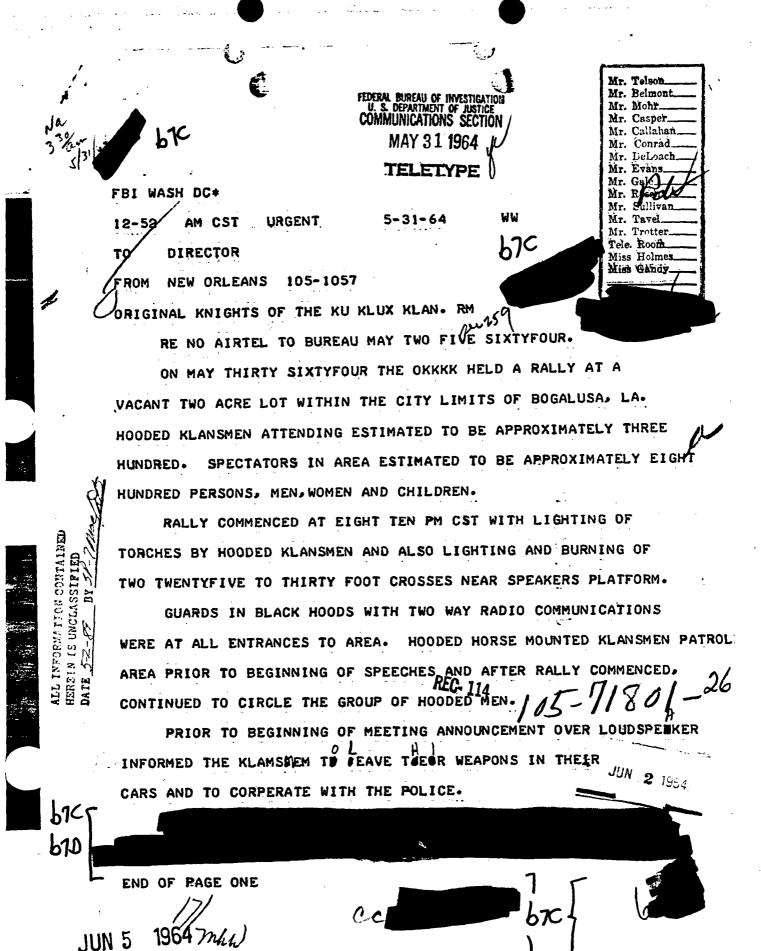
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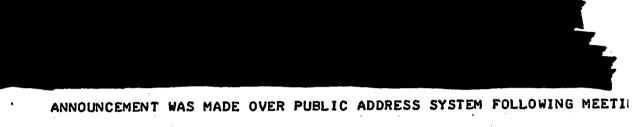
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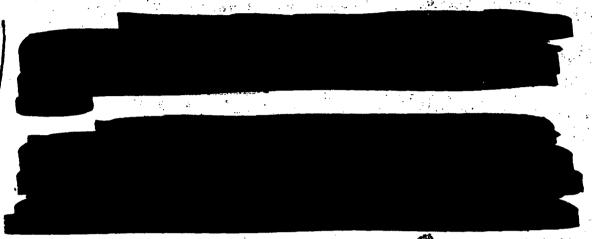
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Special Agents of the FBI also observed hooded Klansmen mounted on horseback circling the vacant lot where the main body of Klansmen had assembled prior to and during the rally.

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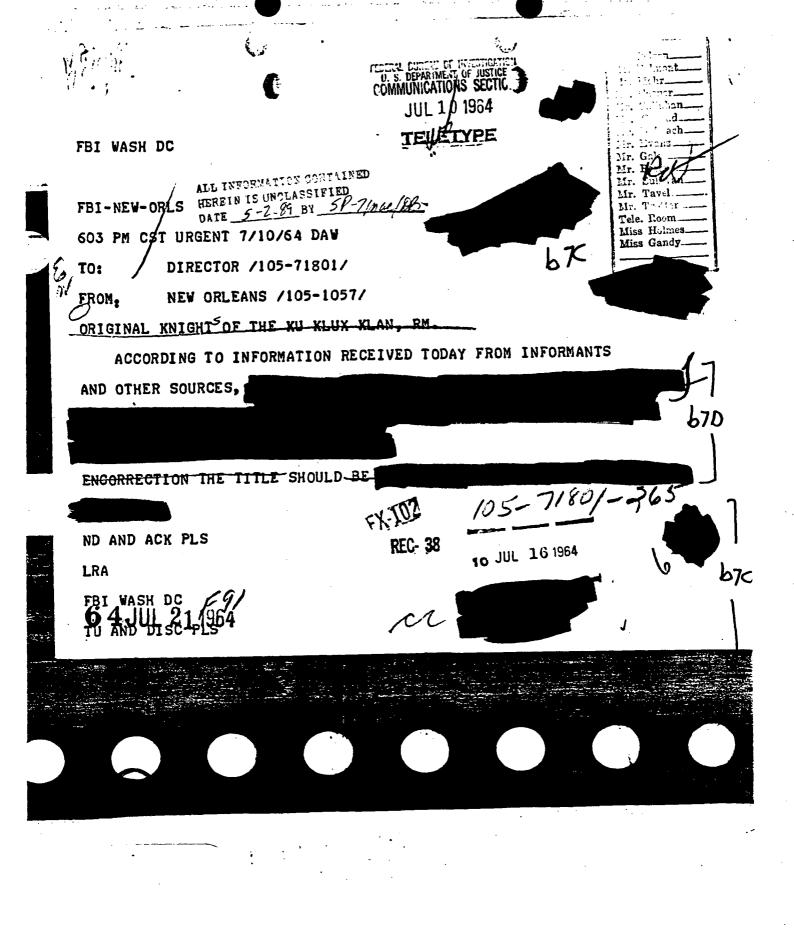
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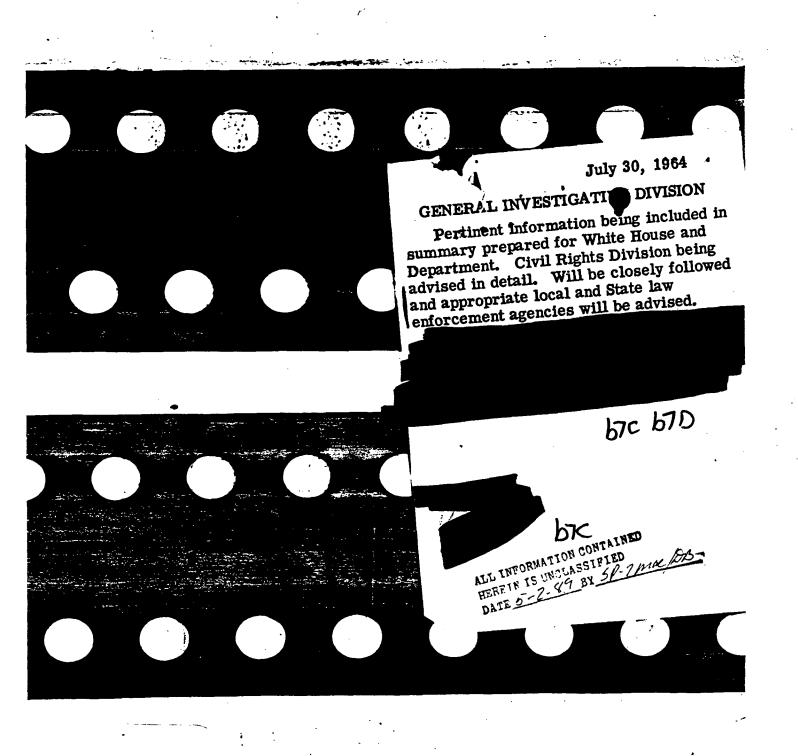
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Director, FBI

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8/10/64 Date:

From

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Subject:

ORIGINAL KNIGHTS OF THE KKK (LOUISIANA)

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Due to the opening of the Jackson Office, the following changes in the above case have been made:

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To:

SAC, New Orleans

From:

Director, FBI

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Referenced New Orleans girtel set forth additional information not previously known concerning captioned organization. Report is being prepared by New Orleans containing this information. In view of racial situation, it is believed desirable report s reach the Bureau as soon as possible.

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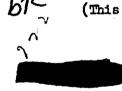
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FROM

DIRECTOR, FBI

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This information was telephonically furnished to ASAC Sylvester, New Orleans, with instructions to advise the Bureau promptly of all developments.

equested he be advised 8/16/64, of the 105-71801-280X results of this investigation.

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IF ANY ARRESTS MADE CONCERNING VARIOUS CROSS BURNINGS REPORTED

IN REFERENCED TELETYPE. ALSO DETERMINE WHAT INVESTIGATION IS

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NOTE: Referenced New Orleans teletype of 8/16/64 pointed out a large number of crosses were burned throughout the State of Louisiana during the night of 8/15/64. John Rosenberg, Civil Rights Division, was advised of contents referenced teletype and thereafter requested above investigation.

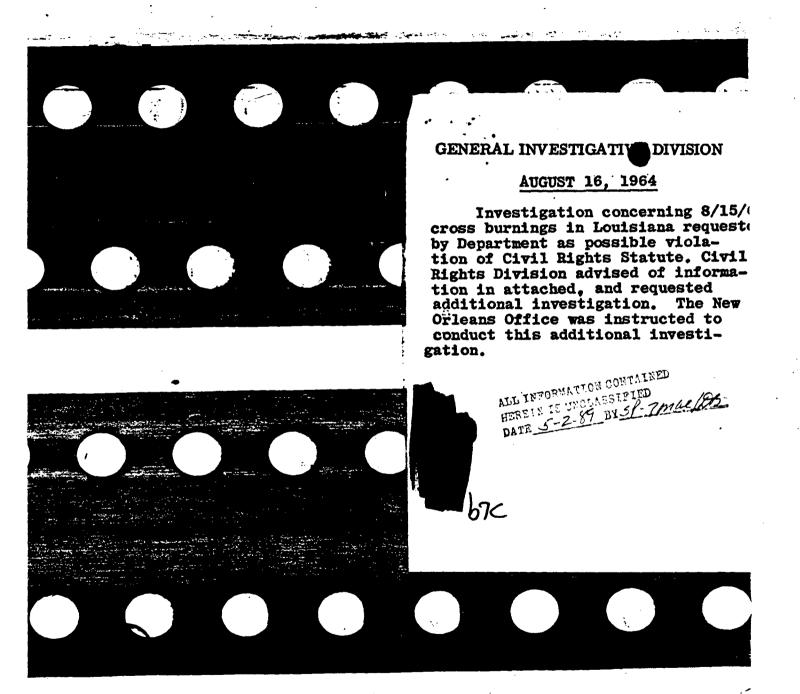
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> FLORENCE H. COOLEY ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

Congress of the United States House of Representatives

Washington, D. C.

August 25, 1964

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Mr. Cartha D. DeLoach ORIGINAL RAILHIS Federal Bureau of Investigation Kil Kliny KLAN Assistant Director Crime Records Division Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. DeLoach:

I am enclosing a circular which was distributed during the past week all over the City of Bogalusa, Louisiana. These circulars were thrown out of an automobile over the city at night.

Since it is an anonymous circular and was distributed all over Bogalusa, it is a direct violation of the law and I would appreciate your taking it up as soon as possible and making a complete investigation so that the violators of the law can be apprehended and dealt with.

With kindest regards, I remain

JHM: mwr Enclosure

9-1-64

PUBLISHED b. THE ORIGINAL KU KLUX KLAN OF LOUISIANA ***

It is apparent that the local LIBERAL Bogalusa Daily News should like to slander the name of the Ku Klux Klan. This newspaper would lead you to believe that we are an unorganized, ruthle lot of hoodlums, while nothing is further from the truth than that.

The Original Ku Klux Klan does not advocate violence unless it becomes necessary for the preservation of our Democraacy, and for the defense of this Country against the tides of communi Before becoming a member of the Ku Klux Klan, one must take an oath which includes the giving one's own life for the defense of our freedom and the freedom of our children.

No doubt you read about the incident which happened in the Mitch Community Sunday Night August 9th, because the editor of the Daily News, who is a dastardly, two-bit, little coward, mad headlines of it. Yes, this little two-bit editor was trying to mold public opinion against the Ku Klu Klan.

The Ku Klux Klan wants you to know that it had nothing to do with the incident. However, we will find the irresponsible persons who were responsible for this clandestine operation, and when we do, you may rest assured that we shall see to it that they shall never again commit such an att

Much of our news media-radio, television, and newspaper, are today brainwashing the Am People by attempting to tell us to go along with the peace loving communists who have vowed to bu: They have sold us out, and are now trying to push a socialist form of government down our throats You have read articles in the local newspaper branding the Ku Klux Klan as hate mongers and mas hoodlums and any other slanderous name that the local low-bred woman chaser of an editor could a jure in his filthy little mind. This little local editor is nothing more than a puppet on a string for a certain fat, shyster lawyer located on Columbia Street who thinks that he is a big wheel in Bobby Kennedy's Justice Department. Yes, we know that he has had several meetings with Bobby Kenned trying to figure out more ways to take away a bit more of the White Citizen's rights and slide us deeper along the paths of socialism.

You would hardly believe that our town has such a low bred character as a resident. Howev we know that for every city the size of ours there are a few such traitors to the cause of freedom v would, like Faust, sell their very soul to satan for personal gain. What should you do about such a character? You are under a moral obligation as a Red Blooded American to squeeze this type character out of your city or community and keep them out!

A majority of the Knights of the Ku Klux Klan are veterans of the last world war and have fought on foreign soil for the preservation of the freedom of the United States, and certainly we are not name calling cowards as this little editor is, nor are we puppets in the hand of any one as he is. The Knights of the Ku Klux Klan are brave men and have vowed to die to the very last man before allowing the communists to take over this precious land of yours and your children.

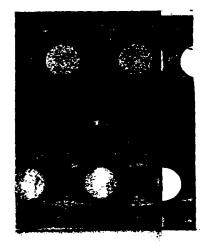
The communists in this country are loosing ground. Therefore, they fight loyal american organizations such as the Klan or other conservative organizations by namecalling. Yes, the Communists use the terms hate mongers, hate clubs, hate organizations. These words have been injected into everyday American speech by Gus Hall, a well known top Communist in New York. Any time you see these words in the news paper and hear them on your T.V. you can be certain that the are carrying the Communist line.

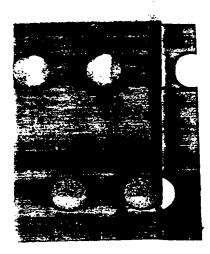
Let the Bogalusa Daily News continue dealing with the socialists such as Drew Pearson, the Rockefellows, Scrantons, Javites, Humphries and many more left wing liberals.

HOWEVER LET US get a News Paper in Bogalusa that will print the true facts as they happe not the slanted and biased views this local paper now prints.

LET US ALSO band together as Americans and each of us do our part to tear off the ugly her of communism, and with our prayers for God's Help it shall be done!

Did you know that there is an emergency Bill now pending called the immigration Bill? This Bill would allow One Million Negroes from Africa to enter the United States each year for the next four years. This is another of Johnson's brainstorms to destroy America. This is equally as bad as the Civil "Wrongs" Bill.







105-71 For September 2, 1964 Mr. Merbert J. Miller, Jr. Assistant Attorney General - Mr. Sullivan Director, FBI ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED 1 KIAN CIRCULARS DISTRIBUTED CITY OF BOGALUSA, LOUISIANA HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED DATE 5-2-89 BY 50-7 MILE RACIAL MATTERS Enclosed are copies of a letter from Congressman James M. Morrison of Louisiana and circular which he furnished allegedly published by the Original Ku Klux Klan of Louisiana. This circular was distributed during the week of August 16 through 22, 1964, in the city of Bogalusa, Louisians. The circulars were thrown from an automobile during the night and contained an attack against the "News, a daily newspaper of Bogalusa, Louisiana. Congressman Morrison states that since the circular is anonymous and distributed all ever Bogalusa he believes it is a direct violation of law and requested a complete investigation. This matter is being referred to you in order that consideration can be given as to whether the circular constitutes a violation of Federal law and if investigation of this matter is varranted. Congressman Morrison's letter has been acknowledged and he has been informed that this matter has been referred to the Bepartment. Enclosures -2 1 લ 1 - Mr. Burke Marshall SEP (Enclosures Assistant Atterney Seneral - Mr. J. Walter Teagley (Enclosures -2) Assistant Attorney General **JOSTICE** (8) Congressman Morrison is not on the Director's Special Belmont Division See Memorandum Sanhgardner to Mohr Casper. Suldivan dated Sept. 11 Callahan Conrad SEUEIAST XEROX EC108 Fyans Gale Sullivan Tavel / SEP Trotter

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Dear Mr. DeLoach:

The clippings you will find enclosed are being sent for your information.

With kindest regards, I remain

Sincerely,

James H. Morrison, M. C.

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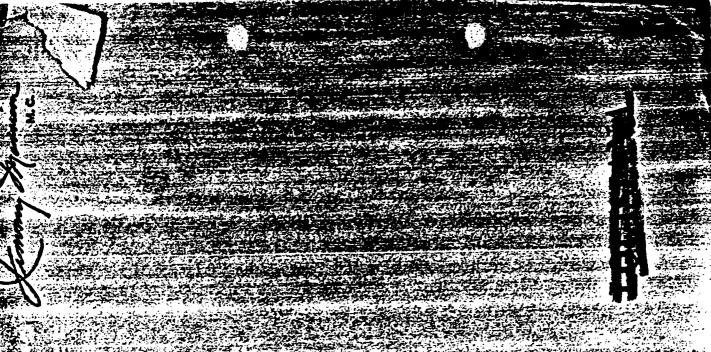
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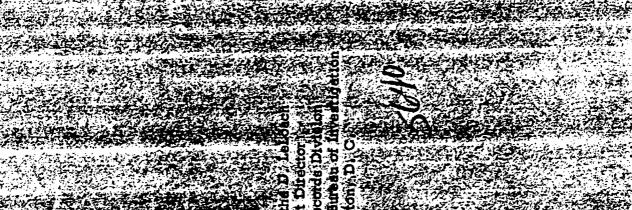
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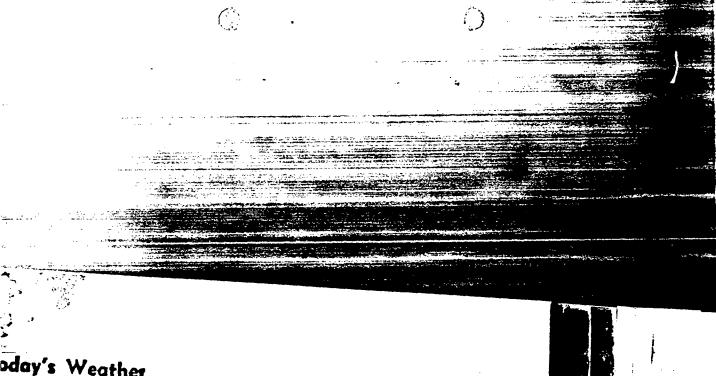
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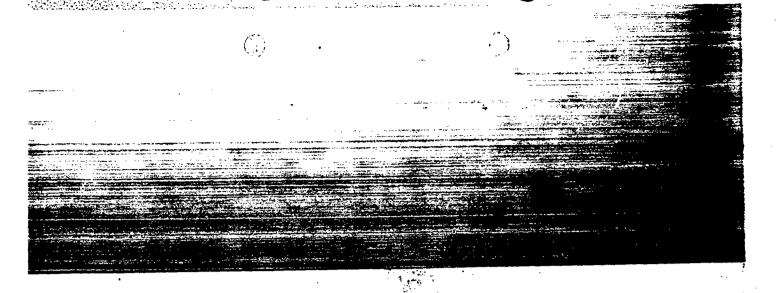


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How Long Does This Go On?

Taking the law into one's own hands is a serious matter, but it is becoming common-place in our area.

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A week ago, self-styled guardiars of the world's thinking and conduct forced by threats a family to move out of Bogalusa. These people were fine people by every definition of Christian living. They were worth a thousand times—the people who threatened them and their family. But their little scheme of hatred worked and the family moved away from Bogalusa. It was Bogalusa's loss and will be marked down as a black day in the records of time for our city.

Two nights ago, a man who lives near Bogalusa and who works in Bogalusa was beaten with a belt in the woods and his 12 - year - old son told not to tell about the incident. The child ran home from the incident frightened terribly.

Our self - appointed guardians of all kinds of behavior and morality should take a look at themselves. Unfortunately, they cannot do this objectively. They like themselves and apparently think they are doing the world a favor by keeping everybody else straight.

Many of them quote Bible passages to try to justify their clandestine activities and wave the flag of Americanism. This, as anybody in his right mind knows, is as far from Americanism as a Gestapo state or Khrushchev or Communism. There is no place in America for a police state, communism, or these do-gooders who take the law into their own hands and spread hate and make threats against our citizens and our children.

Sooner or later, these kinds of people must be stopped. We, as Americans, must face up to the fact that we live in a democracy and our people are not to be intimidated by hooded saviors of the world. Who appointed these men as our guardians? Are they so holy that they exercise the divine right of judgment of human beings?

It is long past time that our people--you, as Americans — realize—that these people have assumed for themselves the rights held only by legallyconstituted authority and God.



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i)ne Arrested In Bogalusa Beating Incident

BOGALUSA — One man has been arrested in connection with the Sunday night beating of James Edward Spears and five other suspects might be arrested "in a day or two," Deputy Doyle Holliday of the Washington Parish sheriffs department announced Wednesday.

The man's name has been withheld pending other arrests, but he was identified as the younger man who led Spears from his home by asking him to help with a stalled car.

when Spears arrived at the car he was forced into another car at gunpoint by two hooded men and taken to the Crown Zellerbach pasture where he was beaten with a belt.

The men who beat Spears ac cused him of having Negroes at his house to play country music. John Underwood, one of the three men who go to Spears' home about twice a month to play music, backed Spears' claim that he was innocent of the accustions. He said there were no Negroes involved in lany way.

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Spears said his 10-year-old son accompanied him to the car, but the men released the boy unharmed.

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Spears said after they left, he stopped a passing automobile and got a ride home.

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Five Charged with Beating

BOGALUSA, Later Five men have been charged by the Washington Parish sheriff's department in the beating of a white man, northwest of here Sunday night.

Dep. Sheriff Doyle Holliday said Winfred Moore, Charles Breland, Marvin Kreel and Tracy Wheat have been charged with aggravated battery and aggravated assault. A fifth man has been charged, but is not yet under arrest. He declined to reveal the man's name, include a violation of La. revised status 14:313 regarding

include a violation of La. revised statue 14:313, regarding the wearing of masks and hoods.

James Edward Spears, who resides about three miles north of Bogalusa, was reportedly taken from his home Sunday night by a group of hooded men and beaten with a beit.

Holliday said the men against whom the charges were made were not connected with the Ku Klux Klan.

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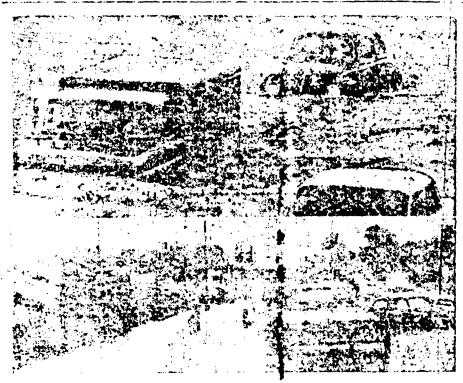
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By BOR LAWRENCE

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We had so eld boy in our unit who lost his voice because me get so nervous before as haspection. And when the inspection finally came he'd get sick on his stomach just about the time the apptain camp through the frost door at the partners.



Columbia Street Area Merchants Meet Tuesday

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Paul Brockmeier Heads Campaign

Poor Old Taxpayer

Private enterprise was nearly scuttled the other day by a tidal wave created by a Federally owned, high cost, tax supported industrial activity.

The House of Representatives by only an eight vote margin (186-178), voted that 35 percent of all Navy ship repairs and conversions would be done in privately owned shipyards, but gave the lion's share of work — 65 percent — to Government owned and operated Naval shipyards. The slim margin indicates the extent to which Government enterprise, regardless of the effect on the tax base, the public treasury and the taxpayer, has been popularized in recent years.

Private ownership with private capital at risk has always been the foundation of our economic system. Government ownership and production has always been the antithesis of our competitive enterprise system. Yet, the Government owned and operated Naval

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shipyards are many times larger than the entire private shipyard industry.

It is alarming that this situation has been permitted to continue —and oftentimes expand — in a country which is the citadel and the world's principal exponent of private enterprise and individual initiative.

These Federal shipyards have costs averaging 25 percent higher than tax-producing privately - owned commercial shipyards, assets many times greater than those of the private shipyard industry, "built - in" inefficiencies not tolerated in any private enterprise, and twice the number of employees required to do the same volume of work. But for the votes of only four patriots, these high-cost, inefficient Government yards could have received 100 percent of all Naval ship repairs and conversions in the present fiscal year.

Clean Campaign

Boys' Nation, conducted in the nation's Capital under the auspices of The American Legion has completed its 19th annual session with a victory at the polls for the Federalists—the more liberal of its two parties.

Seventeen year old Jeffrey C. Bauer, of Boulder, Colo., is the 1964 President of Boys' Nation - elected on a platform urging among other things full support

chose to make Civil Rights a campaign issue. It is the view of the 98 teen-age "Senators" representing 48 states and the District of Columbia (Alaska and Hawaii did not participate this year) that since the Civil Rights Act has become law and must be enforced, there is nothing to debate. And we earnestly hope that their elders who are running for office this



Another Arrest Expected

Four additional arrests were is expected to post bond somemade late yesterday afternoon time today, officers said. The by the Washington Parish Shermen will be arraigned Oct. 23, iff's Office in connection with in District Court.
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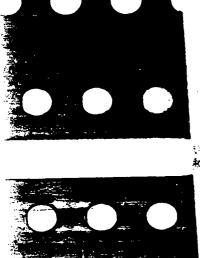
Pay Raise **Bill Signed**

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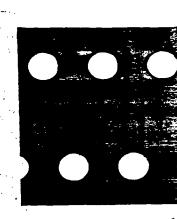


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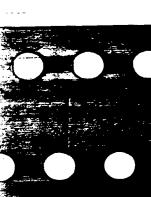


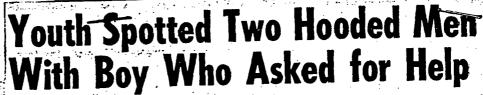
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My dear Congressman:

Your letter to Mr. DeLoach dated August 25, 1964, and the enclosed circular have been brought to my attention. The interest which prompted you to furnish this material to this Bureau is greatly appreciated.

The circular, together with a copy of your letter, has been forwarded to the Department of Justice for its consideration as to whether a violation of Federal law exists.

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: Mr. Sullivan

FROM J. Baumgardner

> KLAN CIRCULAR DISTRIBUTED CITY OF BOGALUSA, LOUISIANA RACIAL MATTERS

DATE: September 1, 1964

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Congressman James H. Morrison (D) of Louisiana furnished Mr. DeLoach by letter a circular which was distributed during the week of August 16 through 22, 1964, in the city of Bogalusa, Louisiana. This circular was thrown out of an automobile at night and allegedly was published by the Original Ku Klux Klan of Louisiana.

The circular contains an attack against the Bogalusa Daily News" and defends the "Ku Klux Klan." Congressman Morrison states that it is an anonymous circular distributed all over Bogalusa and claims it is a direct violation of law. The Congressman requests a complete investigation.

ACTION:

Attached is a letter to Congressman Morrison acknowledging the receipt of his letter and advising him that the circular is being forwarded to the Department of Justice for consideration.

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Also attached is a letter to the Criminal Division . Department of Justice with copies to the Civil Rights Division and Internal Security Division forwarding a copy of the circular and a copy of Congressman Morrison's letter.

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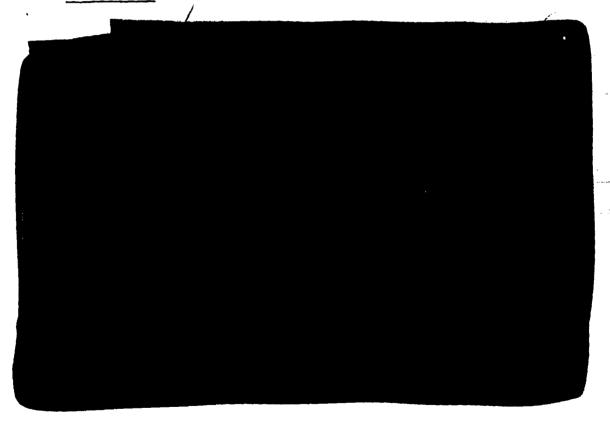
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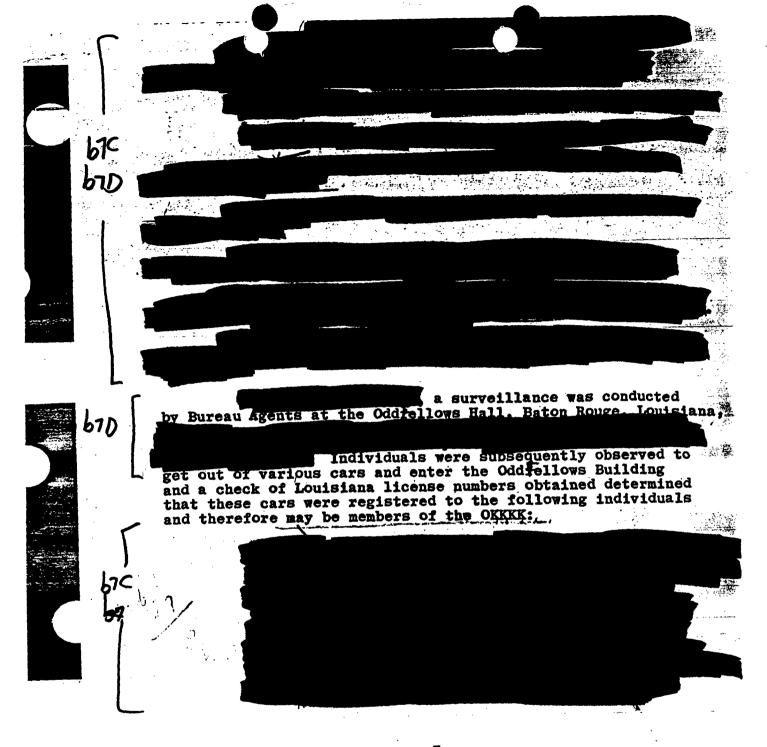


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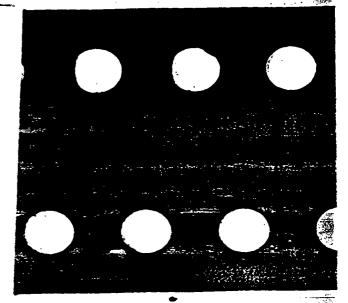
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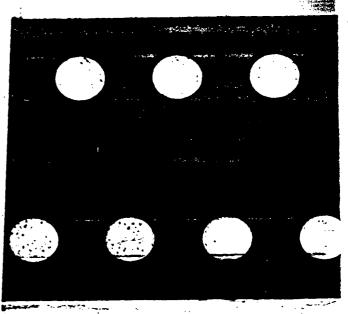
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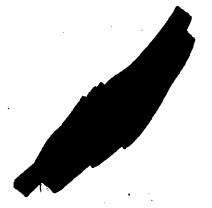
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Result of examination:

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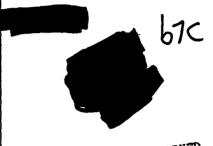
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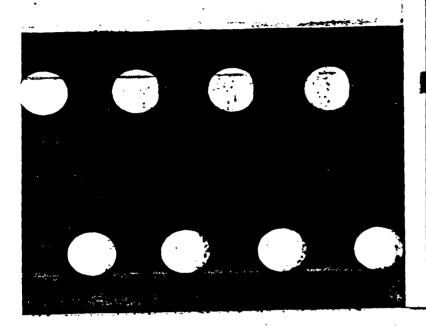
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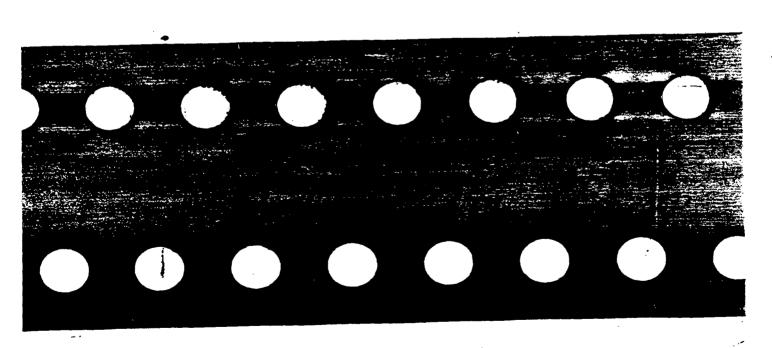
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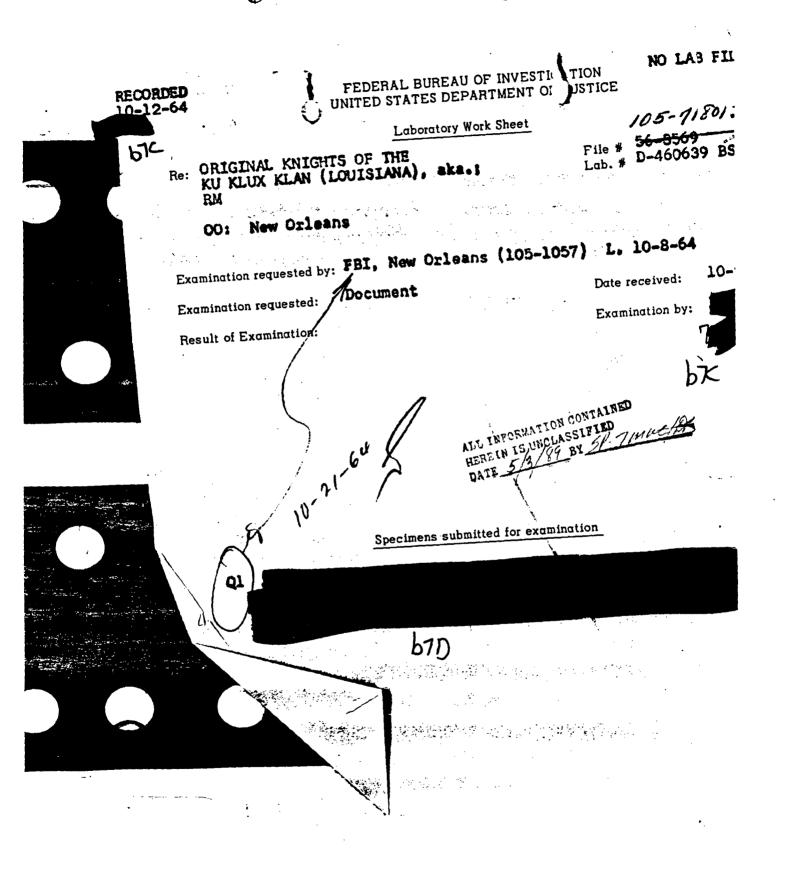
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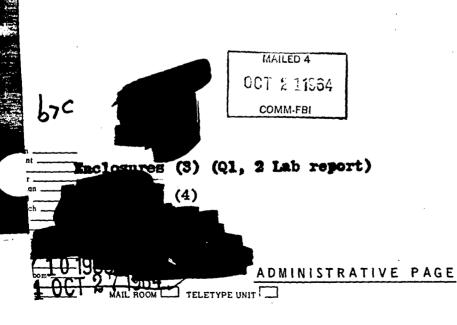
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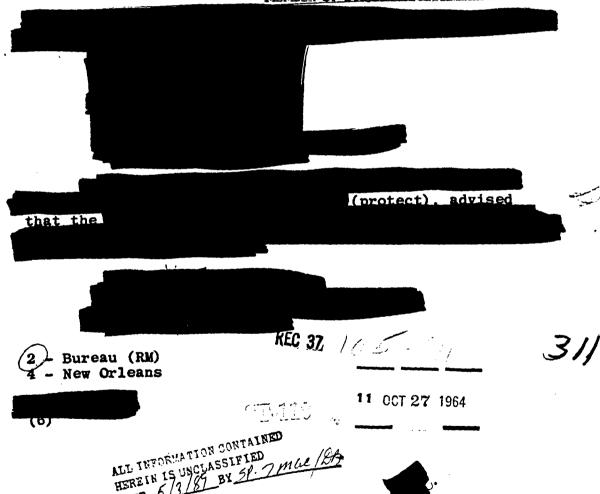


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: DIRECTOR, FBI (105-71801)

FROM

NEW ORLEANS (105-1057)

SUBJECT:

ORIGINAL KNIGHTS OF THE KU KLUX KLAN RM

DATE:

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There is being set forth a list of individuals who have been identified in the past by informants or sources as either members or suspected members of captioned organization. Also set forth is descriptive data where available. These names are being furnished to the Bureau for indexing and have previously been indexed in the New Orleans Office.

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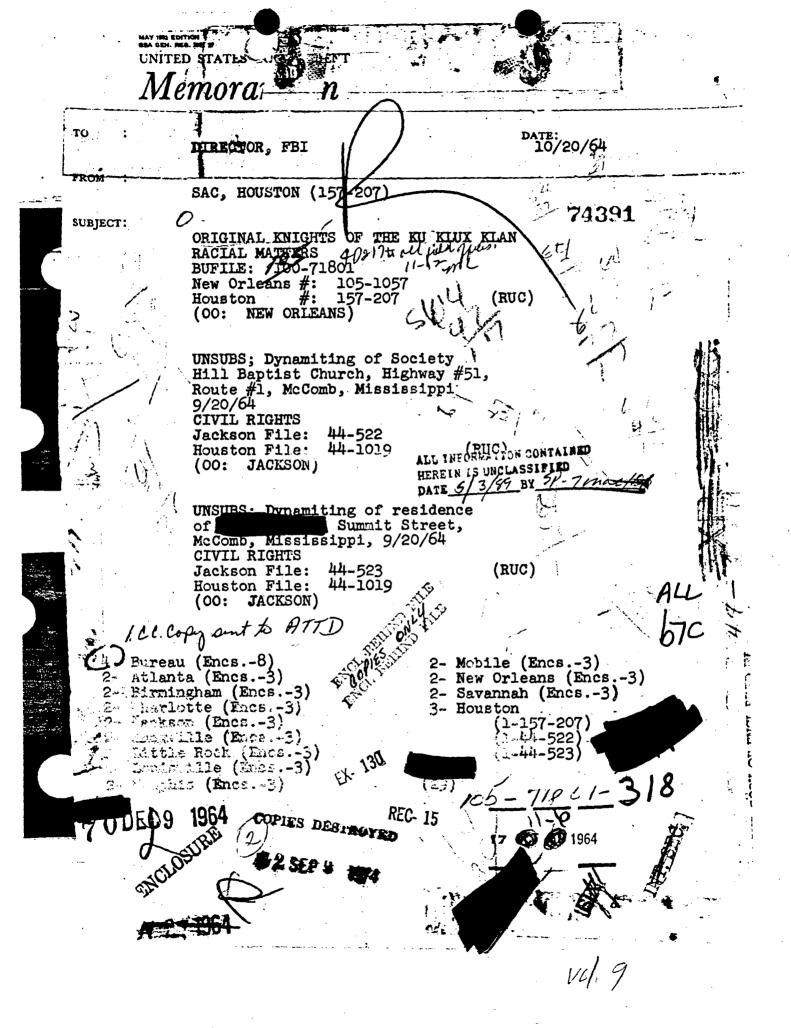
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Reference is made to Jackson teletype to the Bureau and Houston in the above two mentioned Civil Rights cases on 10/2/64. Reference is also made to the report of SA dated 8/28/64 at New Orleans.

Enclosed for the Bureau are eight (8) copies of a letterhead memorandum entitled

copies of the memorandum are being forwarded to the Bureau since the Bureau may desire to place copies in all of the above captioned cases.

Three (3) copies of the memorandum are enclosed for each of the receiving offices as it sets forth information of gun and ammunition sales within the territory of these offices which may be of interest to the offices in connection with racial type investigations.

It is to be noted that the names mentioned in the attached memorandum were taken from longhand records and may not be the exact spelling of the individual involved.

Since this material is submitted for the purpose of leads and/or intelligence information, UACB, no FD-302s are being submitted. In the event any of this information is desired for use in the court room, the original records can be obtained. The records were reviewed by SAs

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SAC, New Orleans (157-2798)

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Re New Orleans airtels to Bureau 8/27/64 and

It would be appreciated if the Bureau would advise 9/21/64. of the decision the Department has rendered in this matter.

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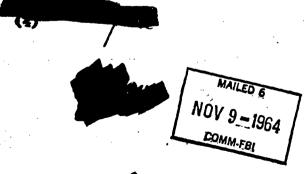


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The Bepartment has not reached a decision concerning the above captioned possible violation and when such decision is received by the Bureau the New Orleans Office will be immediately advised.

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in the city of Bogalusa, Louisiana, was forwarded to the Department of Justice for its consideration as to whether the circular constitutes a violation of Federal law. Congressman James H. Morrison of Louisiana originally was advised by letter that the circular had been forwarded to the Department for consideration. This matter will be received, it will be immediately furnished to the New Orleans office and to the congressman.



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You are instructed to furnish the Bureau in form suitable for dissemination a current picture of over-all Klan activity in the area of Bogalusa, Louisiana. Information furnished should include the names of active Klan organizations, approximate number of members, identities of officers, leaders and most active workers, in each. In addition, you should include a brief descriptive summary of prevailing pertinent activity of each Klan in the Bogalusa area.

Original and eight copies of your letterhead memorandum should reach the Bureau by 1-18-65.

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NOTE: The Community Relations Service (CRS) (Department of Commerce), established under the 1964 Civil Rights Act, has recently requested data concerning Klan activities in the Bogalusa, Louisiana, area. The purpose of CRS is to provide assistance to communities and persons in conciliating potential or actual racial problems. Statute provides fine and imprisonment for CRS members who make public any information gathered by CRS. Memoranda Mr. Brennan, Jr., to Mr. Sullivan dated 9-30-64, approved by the Director, recommended that we disseminate to CRS reports and memoranda on major urban areas reflecting possible racial violence. Concerning Bogalusa

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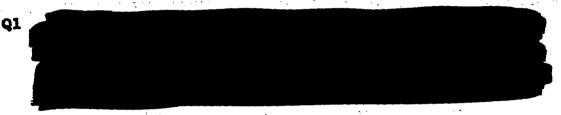
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