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Report of: RICHARD D. MOHR
Date: October 12, 1972

Office: Boston, Massachusetts

Field Office File #: 139-164

Bureau File #: 139-4089

Title: JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR.; ET AL; Burglary of
Democratic National Committee Headquarters,
Washington, D.C., June 17, 1972

Character: INTERCEPTION OF COMMUNICATIONS

Synopsis: On 9/21/72, FRANK JAMESON, Vice President, Special Operations, Bell and Howell (B & H) Communications Co., Waltham, Mass., made available original documents pertaining to the transactions between B & H, Waltham, and JAMES W. MC CORD, Rockville, Md. Residents in Boston Division, as reflected on employment list furnished by Centralized Referral Activity (CRA) at DESC, Dayton, Ohio, interviewed re knowledge of captioned matter with negative results.

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FRANK JAMESON, Vice President, Special Operations, Bell and Howell (B & H) Communications Company, 186 Third Avenue, Waltham, Massachusetts, made available the following documents pertaining to transactions between B & H, Waltham, and JAMES W. MC CORD, President, Mc Cord Associates, Inc., 144 Hungerford Plaza, Suite 200, Rockville, Maryland;

1. Original Purchase Order from Mc Cord Associates, Inc., Number 1326, dated April 24, 1972. JAMESON stated that the items reflected on the said purchase order were defined in detail in earlier inquiries made by the Federal Bureau of Investigation at B & H. JAMESON reiterated, as reflected in prior interviews, that the equipment referenced in purchase order number 1326 was not designed for bugging and it was not capable of functioning "in a bugging capacity."

2. Original and two copies of an invoice addressed to Mc Cord Associates, Inc., invoice number 13210, with shipping date of May 25, 1972.

3. REA Air Express receipt number 70-13-67, dated May 25, 1972. JAMESON related that REA Air Express shows the shipment of the electronic equipment, in item number one, to Mc Cord Associates, Inc., from B & H, Waltham.

4. Xerox copy of personalized check number 145 from Mc Cord Associates, Inc., dated June 12, 1972, signed ALFRED L. GREEN, and paid to the order of B & H, Waltham, Massachusetts. JAMESON stated the said check was payment for the electronic equipment set forth in the purchase order in item number one. JAMESON noted the original of said check had been returned to Mc Cord Associates, Inc., subsequent to B & H cashing the check.

5. Original Purchase Order from Mc Cord Associates, Inc., Number 1389, dated May 25, 1972. JAMESON advised this shipment had not been filled by B & H.

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 by SA A. JACKSON LOWE and
 SA RICHARD D. MOHR RDM:las 9/21/72
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6. Xerox copy of a letter from FRANK JAMESON, Vice President, B & H Communications Co., 186 Third Ave., Waltham, Mass., dated 1/27/72, and addressed to JAMES MC CORD, United States Secret Service, 1800 G. Street, Washington, D.C. JAMESON advised, as he earlier indicated, that the said letter was directed to MC CORD at the United States Secret Service Office, Washington, D.C., because he was under the impression that MC CORD was employed by the United States Secret Service; however, he later discovered that MC CORD was not affiliated with the United States Secret Service.

JAMESON advised that his company feels the individual to be subpoenaed in this matter would be Mrs. PAULINE UZZLE, Order Control, Bell and Howell Communications Company, 186 Third Avenue, Waltham, Massachusetts, since UZZLE is responsible for taking all orders in this division of Bell and Howell.

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On September 27, 1972, negative attempts were made to contact HENRY BROWN, 53 Monument Street, Charlestown, Massachusetts, and EARI GALLARD, 17 Whitman Street, Dorchester, Massachusetts.

On October 5, 1972, Mrs. L. BROWN, 53 Monument Street, Apartment 308, Charlestown, advised she is the mother of HENRY L. BROWN and that her son is presently en route from Texas to her home in Charlestown. Mrs. BROWN stated her son has recently been discharged from the United States Navy where he was stationed in Corpus Christi, Texas. He is scheduled to arrive in Charlestown approximately October 11, 1972, so she will have her son immediately contact the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) subsequent to his arrival in Charlestown.

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Mr. RAYMOND ~~X~~ SNOW, 55 Bellevue Avenue, Pawtucket, Rhode Island, advised that on September 1, 1971, he retired as a Chief Radio Man from the United States Navy. His career totaled 20 years.

His last duty station was the Quonset Point Naval Air Station at Quonset Point, Rhode Island. He was stationed there from September of 1970. He was never stationed in the Washington, D.C. area.

He advised that he did work for the Department of Defense while in the Navy and has a "Top Secret Clearance."

His Navy specialty was in installing "Crypto Systems" in Navy teletype machines. This "Crypto System" prevents penetration of the communication system, and is called "low level keying". In general the "Crypto System" is an anti-bugging device. He has no competence in installing "bugging devices".

He advised that he has never met, communicated with, or been contacted by any of the individuals arrested or mentioned in the newspaper accounts of this matter.

He advised that he did not seek employment for about four or five months after his retirement from the service. He believes that sometime in the late Spring or early Summer of 1972, he saw an ad in the Providence paper inserted by a company utilizing a post office box address in Kennedy Plaza in Boston, in which individuals with a communications background were sought. He answered the ad, giving a resume of his background but was never contacted.

In July of 1972, he received a letter dated July 13, 1972, from the company World Communications, Inc., 9982 Munroe Drive, Dallas, Texas. The letter began somewhat in the following fashion: "We have received a copy of your background from the Department of Defense" and desired a further resume of his skills and background

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SA THOMAS J. LARDNER/las 10/3/72
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in communications.

The letter was signed ~~WILLIAM HEDLUND~~, General Manager. SNOW further advised that he furnished such a resume, but he never heard back from the company, or HEDLUND. World Communications Inc. Dallas Texas

No individual has since contacted him for employing his communications skill and this would include any individual representing any of the major political parties.

Mr. SNOW accepted a position with the Coto-Coil Company in Providence, Rhode Island, assembling electronic components for commercial television sets about four months ago. This company is located at 65 Pavilion Avenue.

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DONALD RICH HIGGINS, YMCA, 272 Merrimack Street, Lowell, Massachusetts, advised that he retired from the United States Army in August, 1971, as a Staff Sergeant. He also has a mailing address of Post Office Box 681, Lowell, Massachusetts.

His brother resides at 14 Eustis Avenue, Lowell, Massachusetts, and this is the address he used while in the military service.

He knows none of the subjects in this case by name and has never had any correspondence or connection with the Republican National Committee or any other Republican Committee. He is a registered Democrat.

He has not been in Washington, D.C. since April, 1970. He was a patient at Walter Reed Hospital from October, 1966 to February 7, 1967 at which time he was released and assigned to duty as a medical NCO at the Army Institute of Research at Walter Reed Hospital. In October, 1967, he was transferred to Vietnam. He was again a patient at Walter Reed Hospital from September 6, 1969, to April, 1970, at which time he was treated for obesity.

HIGGINS has no knowledge relative to this case and none of the subjects are known to him to the best of his knowledge.

Interviewed on 10/3/72 at Lowell, Massachusetts File # Boston 139-164
by SA DONALD J. SCOTT/las Date dictated 10/3/72

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PAUL DONALD ~~ASTROW~~, 80 Norfolk Street, Cranston, Rhode Island, advised that he is presently employed in the State Central Mail Room of the Rhode Island State House in Providence, Rhode Island.

On October 1, 1971, he retired from the United States Navy after 26 years of service. His retirement rate was as senior chief quarter master. He had two tours of duty in the Washington, D.C. area, from June, 1961, to November, 1964, in the office of the Chief of Naval Operations and from March, 1969, to October, 1971, attached to the Staff of the Joint Chief of Staff. His duty was not technical in nature but was in compiling statistics from incoming reports.

He advised that he is familiar through local newspapers with the breaking at the Democratic Headquarters, but had no knowledge of the affair and did not know any of the individuals involved. He has seen the names on occasion in the newspapers, but they have no meaning for him.

He has not been contacted for employment by any of the major political parties, and no communications companies have sought background resumes from him.

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EARL C. ~~MALLARD~~, 70 Kendall Street, Boston, Massachusetts, formerly of 17 Whitman Street, Dorchester, Massachusetts, advised that he retired from the United States Air Force in June, 1971, after serving for a period of 21 years. He is presently employed as a security officer for the Federal Aviation Administration, Logan Airport, Boston.

He advised that he has never been contacted by JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR., and he did not know any of the individuals involved in the Burglary of the Democratic National Committee Headquarters, Washington, D.C. Mr. MALLARD advised that he has never been employed by any political committee and he has not been contacted by anyone regarding employment or services for the Republican Committee.

Interviewed on 10/4/72 at Boston, Massachusetts File # Boston 139-164

by SA THOMAS A. MAKI/dao Date dictated 10/5/72

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HENRY LAWRENCE ~~BROWN~~, 53 Monument Street, Apartment 308, Charlestown, Massachusetts, advised he was discharged from the United States Navy on May 1, 1972 where he was stationed at the Naval Air Station in Corpus Christi, Texas. BROWN stated he served 26 years in the United States Navy.

BROWN stated that he recently traveled from Corpus Christi to Charlestown with his family and that he is currently residing with his mother at the aforementioned residence until such time as he is able to obtain a home for his family.

BROWN advised that subsequent to being discharged from the United States Navy, he had taken several Civil Service exams seeking employment. BROWN stated that he has never sought employment in the area of radio communications and, further, has never sought employment with the Security Force at the Republican National Committee.

BROWN related that he has never met, communicated with, or been contacted by any of the individuals arrested or mentioned in reference to the June, 1972 break-in of the Democratic National Committee Headquarters (DNCH) at Washington, D.C. He also stated that his only knowledge of the case is from what he has read in newspaper articles of the said matter.

BROWN advised that he will shortly be employed at Boston University in the capacity of maintenance-security man, but he still intends to seek future employment in a law-enforcement capacity.

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by SA RICHARD D. MOHR/dab Date dictated 10/11/72

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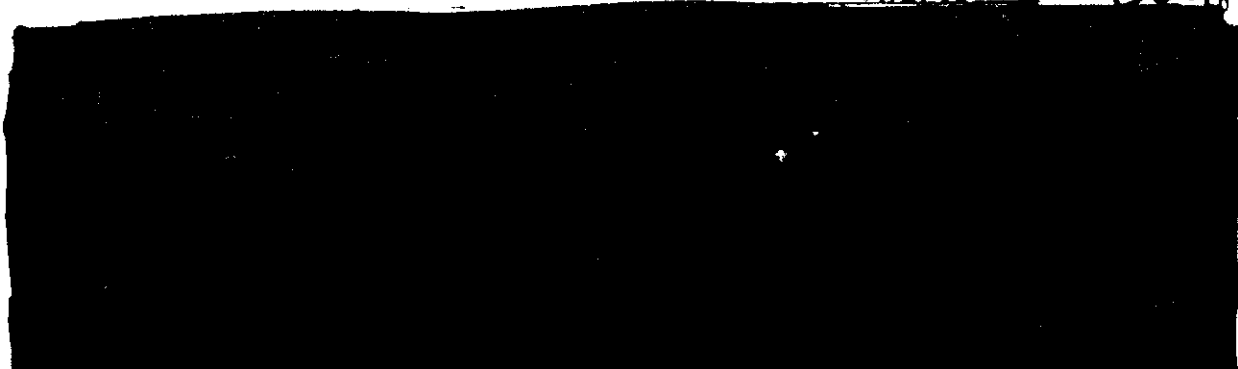
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		CHARACTER OF CASE IOC	

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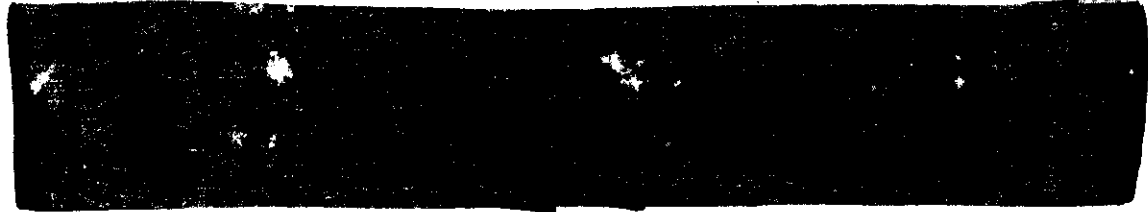
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There are presently no outstanding leads in the Alexandria Division but case is being left pending for the present due to probability of continuing leads in the immediate future. u

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Report of: SA ARNOLD L. PARHAM
Date: 10/12/72

Office: Alexandria, Virginia

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Title: JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR.;
BERNARD L. BARKER;
VIRGILIO R. GONZALES;
EUGENIO ROLANDO MARTINEZ Y CREAGA;
FRANK ANTHONY FIORINI;
BURGLARY OF DEMOCRATIC PARTY
NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS,
WASHINGTON, D. C., JUNE 17, 1972

Character: INTERCEPTION OF COMMUNICATIONS

Synopsis: Data on calls billed to McCord Associates, Room 419, Howard Johnson Motel; Washington, D. C., set forth. Negative interviews with names referred to MC CORD by Central Referral Activity, Dayton, Ohio. THOMAS C. RASH, Logos, Ltd., Baileys Crossroads, Virginia, said only number used to contact EVERETTE HOWARD HUNT, JR., was 293-2904 at Robert R. Mullen Company.

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I. INVESTIGATION OF JAMES WALTER
MC CORD, JR.

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PAUL CHAPMAN, Manager, Howard Johnson's Motor Lodge, 2601 Virginia Avenue, N. W., Washington, D. C., on September 13, 1972, advised he had received notification from the Chesapeake & Potomac Telephone Company, Washington, D. C., that the following additional calls were billed to McCord Associates, Room 419, Howard Johnson Motel, Washington, D. C.:

May 12, 1972, from Washington National Airport (WNA), Alexandria, Virginia, telephone 521-9688, to Woodbury, Connecticut, area code 203, telephone 263-4028. Call was made at 5:35 p.m., by a Mr. BALDWIN.

May 12, 1972, from WNA, Alexandria, Virginia, 521-9651, to New Haven, Connecticut, area code 203, telephone 248-2643. Call was made to a Mr. BALDWIN at 5:37 p.m.

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A check of the records of the [REDACTED] reflects the following subscriber information:

B7D Telephone Number

1141 521-9688

Subscriber

Coin telephone booth located at Washington National Airport, Arlington, Virginia, near Gate 18, area of Eastern Airlines shuttle flights.

B7D The records of the [REDACTED] are confidential and cannot be made public prior to the issuance of a subpoena duces tecum directed to the [REDACTED] or his authorized representative.

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by SA ARNOLD L. PARHAM/krl - 5 - Date dictated 9/15/72

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Date of transcription 9/20/72

A check of the records of the [REDACTED] reflect the following subscriber information:

B7D
Telephone Number

521-9651

Subscriber

Coin telephone booth located at Washington National Airport, Arlington, Virginia, near Transworld and Northwest Airlines ticket counters

B7D The records of the [REDACTED] are confidential and cannot be made public prior to the issuance of a subpoena duces tecum directed to the [REDACTED] or his authorized representative.

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CHARLES WOLFE, Acting Director, Centralized Referral Activity (CRA), DESC, Dayton, Ohio, on September 21, 1972, advised the following names were referred to JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR., for possible employment during the Republican Convention:

JAMES WILLIAM ~~ADAMS~~, 2655 South Abingdon Street,
Arlington, Virginia;
HARRY WERREN ~~BENNETT~~, JR., 2319 Greenwich Road,
Winston-Salem, North Carolina;
ADOLPH PAUL ~~CZERWENKA~~, 1123 Priscella Avenue,
Alexandria, Virginia;
JOHN MARSHALL ~~EARLS~~, 14485 Village Drive,
Woodbridge, Virginia;
FREDERICK J. ~~HARDER~~, 4095 South 3340 East,
Salt Lake City, Utah;
AUBREY WENDEL ~~HOLMES~~, 15225 Michigan Road,
Woodbridge, Virginia;
LEON ~~JAMES~~ (later turns out to be LEON ~~JONES~~),
Building 406, Box 654, Fort Myer, Virginia;
ANDREW S. ~~KILLINGS~~, JR., 1212 East First Street,
Jacksonville, Florida;
HAROLD RAY ~~LINAMEN~~, 114 Curtis Drive, Dumfries,
Virginia;
DOUGLAS VINCENT ~~MORRIS~~, Route 1, Box 340, Stanley,
Virginia;
GEORGE E. ~~ROTH~~, JR., 2900 Kings Chapel Road,
Falls Church, Virginia;
GERALD FREDERICK ~~SCHMIDT~~, 1338 Lloyd Street, Nanty
Glo, Pennsylvania

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Mr. JAMES WILLIAM ADAMS, who formerly resided at 2855 South Abingdon Street, Arlington, Virginia, and is currently employed as a U. S. Capitol Police (Senate side), Washington, D. C., advised his name was submitted to Centralized Referral Activity, Dayton, Ohio, at the time he retired from the U. S. Army in 1971. ADAMS was never contacted by JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR., or any of his representatives concerning employment.

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by SA LESLIE B. CHISHOLM/krl Date dictated 10/2/72

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HARRY WERREN BENNETT, JR., 1550 Brookshire Court, Reston, Virginia, advised he is retired from the U. S. Air Force and upon his retirement submitted his name to the Centralized Referral Activity, Dayton, Ohio. His address was given as 2319 Greenwich Road, Winston-Salem, North Carolina.

BENNETT said he was never approached by JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR., for employment and knows nothing concerning him or the democratic break-in other than what he had read about the incident in the newspapers.

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Mr. ADOLPH PAUL CZERWENKA, 1123 Priscilla Lane, Alexandria, advised that he has been a student at George Mason College in Fairfax, Virginia, since his retirement from the U. S. Navy in 1971.

He advised that he has never been contacted by a JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR., or his representative concerning employment.

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by SA ROLAND M. COCKER/krl Date dictated 10/5/72

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JOHN MARSHALL EARLS, 8112 Carrick Lane, advised that he had not been approached by JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR., or any of his agents, with offer of a job, that he has not furnished MC CORD with any equipment or technical devices, that he does not know MC CORD, and that his knowledge of the democratic bugging in Washington, D. C., is limited to information he gained from the newspapers. He formerly resided at 14485 Village Drive, Woodbridge, Virginia.

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by SA WALTER E. THOMAS/krl - 11 - Date dictated 10/5/72

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FREDERICK J. HARDER, self-employed as a leased truck operator through Columbia Van Lines, Jacksonville, Florida, and who resides at 4095 South 3340 East, Salt Lake City, Utah, was interviewed in transit at Paxton Van Lines, Port Royal, Virginia, and advised his name was submitted to the Centralized Referral Activity, Dayton, Ohio, but he has never received any offer of job from JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR., and in fact has never heard of him. Also he knows nothing concerning the break-in at the Democratic Headquarters, Washington, D. C., other than what he read in the newspapers.

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AUBREY WENDELL HOLMES, 15225 Michigan Road, Woodbridge, was interviewed and advised that JAMES WALTER MCCORD had not contacted him for a job, that he has not given any technical devices to anyone to be used to intercept communications, that he has no knowledge of a burglary at Democratic National Headquarters on June 17, 1972, except what he has read in the newspapers.

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Investigation has revealed that the name LEON JAMES, Building 406, Box 654, Fort Myer, Virginia, is actually LEON JONES, Apartment 312, 1314 North Courthouse Road, Arlington, Virginia.

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LEON JONES, Apartment 312, 1314 North Courthouse Road, Arlington, advised he is employed as a bartender at the Non-Commissioned Officer's Club, Fort Myer, Virginia. He said upon his retirement from the service he referred his name to the Centralized Referral Activity, Dayton, Ohio, for employment. VA

He said the name JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR., is unknown to him and he has never been offered a job by the Republican Committee to Reelect President NIXON. He stated he has no knowledge of the Democratic party break-in at the Watergate complex other than what he has read in the local papers.

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ANDREW S. KILLINGS, Carrier, United States Post Office, Engleside Branch, who resides at 4254 Buckman Road, Apartment 6, both Alexandria, Virginia, advised he formerly resided at 1212 East First Street, Jacksonville, Florida. He said when leaving the Armed Forces, his name was submitted to the Centralized Referral Activity, Dayton, Ohio, for job referrals.

KILLINGS said he is not acquainted with JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR., has never been contacted by him or his representatives and knows nothing concerning the break-in at Democratic National Headquarters, Washington, D. C.

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HAROLD RAY LINAMEN, 114 Curtis Drive, Dumfries, Virginia, was previously interviewed by a representative of the Federal Bureau of Investigation on June 23, 1972, in connection with instant matter.

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DOUGLAS VINCENT MORRIS, Apartment A-2, 4271 Duke Street, Alexandria, who is employed as a Clerk, United States Post Office, Merrifield, Virginia, advised he formerly resided at Route 1, Box 340, Stanley, Virginia, and has never had any contact with JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR., or by MC CORD's representatives. He was not aware of anything concerning the break-in at Democratic National Headquarters, Washington, D. C., other than what he has read in the papers.

Mr. MORRIS said when he left the armed services his name was submitted to the Centralized Referral Activity, Dayton, Ohio, for employment prospects.

Interviewed on 10/4/72 at Alexandria, Virginia File # AX 139-18

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by SA ARNOLD L. PARHAM/krl Date dictated 10/5/72

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

1.Date of transcription 10/5/72

Mr. GEORGE E. ROTH, JR., 2900 Kings Chapel Road, Falls Church, Virginia, stated that he retired from the U. S. Army in 1970. At the time of ROTH's retirement his name was submitted to Centralized Referral Activity, Dayton, Ohio, by the Army. ROTH was never contacted by JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR., or any of his representatives concerning employment.

Interviewed on 10/2/72 at Alexandria, Virginia File # AX 139-18

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by SA LESLIE B. CHISHOLM/krl Date dictated 10/2/72

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

1.Date of transcription 10/6/72

Mr. GERALD FREDERICK SCHMIDT, 14123 Gravson Road, Woodbridge, Virginia, advised that he is employed as a Sears Roebuck Company refrigerator repairman. He stated that he retired from the U. S. Marine Corps in January, 1972. Mr. SCHMIDT advised that he has never been contacted by a JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR., or his representative for any job nor has he ever received any literature from him.

Mr. SCHMIDT said he formerly resided at 1338 Lloyd Street, Nanty Glo, Pemslyvania.

Interviewed on 10/3/72 at Woodbridge, Virginia File # AX 139-18
by SA ROLAND M. COCKER/krl Date dictated 10/5/72

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

1.Date of transcription 10/6/72

Mr. FRED ~~VANCE~~, resident at Soldier's Home, Washington, D. C., advised that he formerly resided at 5801 Syphax Drive, #6, Falls Church, Virginia, and stated that he had retired from the military service in 1971. He stated that he had never been contacted by a JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR., or his representatives concerning employment.

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by SA ROLAND M. COCKER/krl - 21 - Date dictated 10/2/72

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II. INVESTIGATION OF EVERETTE
HOWARD HUNT, JR.

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

1.Date of transcription 9/29/72

THOMAS G. ~~RASH~~ RASH, Manager, Production and Sales, Logos, Limited, 5816 Seminary Road, Baileys Crossroads, Virginia, advised he telephonically talked with EVERETTE HOWARD HUNT, JR., a number of times at the Robert R. Mullen Company. He said the calls were during the daytime hours and he had no set time since he telephoned HUNT whenever a question arose concerning the filming of the JULIE EISENHOWER television film spot they were producing. RASH said the only number he used to contact HUNT at the Robert R. Mullen Company is 293-2904. He never called daily and did not have a rigid time schedule of calling at 12:30 p.m.

Interviewed on 9/22/72 at Baileys Crossroads, Va. File # AX 139-18

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by SA ARNOLD L. PARHAM/krl Date dictated 9/25/72

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REPORTING OFFICE SAN DIEGO	OFFICE OF ORIGIN WASHINGTON FIELD	DATE 10/16/72	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 9/29-10/10/72
TITLE OF CASE JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR. aka ET AL BURGLARY OF DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL COMMITTEE HEADQUARTERS WASHINGTON, D.C., JUNE 17, 1972		REPORT MADE BY ROBERT S. BAKER	TYPED BY ASC
		CHARACTER OF CASE INTERCEPTION OF COMMUNICATIONS	

REFERENCES:

Cincinnati airtel to the Bureau 9/26/72.
San Diego teletypes to the Bureau 10/4, 10/5
and 10/10/72.

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ADMINISTRATIVE:

Copies of this report are not being furnished
Norfolk and Los Angeles inasmuch as both Division received
a copy of Cincinnati airtel 9/26/72 with instructions on
covering leads in this case. Leads for Norfolk and Los Angeles
were set out by teletype and copies of the teletype furnished
to the Bureau.

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Copy to: 2-United States Attorney, Washington, D.C.

Report of: ROBERT S. BAKER Office: SAN DIEGO
Date: 10/16/72

Field Office File #: San Diego 139-63 Bureau File #: 139-4089

Title: JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR.
ET AL
BURGLARY OF DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL
COMMITTEE HEADQUARTERS
~~XXXXXX~~ WASHINGTON, D.C., JUNE 17, 1972

Character: INTERCEPTION OF COMMUNICATIONS

Synopsis:

WILLIAM CLYDE SCOTT, JR. and SAMUEL CLIFTON SAWYER both of San Diego, advised they are not acquainted with the subjects, have no knowledge of the burglary and did not prepare any devices used in this instance to intercept communications. RAYMOND EUGENE WILLMETT now resides at Simi Valley, California and WILLIAM MONROE TWEED now resides at Hampton, Virginia.

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DETAILS:

At San Diego, California

A review of pertinent San Diego City and County Directories reflected no one by the name of RAYMOND E. MILLETT, 2204 Melrose, National City, California (suburb of San Diego) ever residing at the foregoing address. The San Diego County Directory did reflect that one RAYMOND EUGENE WILLMETT did reside at 2204 Melrose, National City, California in 1971.

JEAN HARRISON, United States Postal Inspector's Office, San Diego, California, on October 4, 1972, advised that on September 12, 1972, WILLMETT furnished United States Postal authorities with the forwarding address of Post Office Box 3444 Simi Valley, California, 93063.

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WILLIAM CLYDE ~~SCOTT~~, JR. 7272 Peter Pan Avenue, San Diego, California, on October 4, 1972, advised he is not acquainted with the subjects, has no knowledge of the burglary and did not prepare any devices used in this instance to intercept communications. He stated he was discharged from the United States Navy in January, 1971 and that he had listed his name for employment with the Central Referral Activity at Dayton, Ohio. He stated he is currently employed at the Post Exchange at the United States Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego, California.

SAMUEL CLIFTON ~~SAWYER~~, 2236 Crandall Drive, San Diego, California, on October 10, 1972, advised he is not acquainted with the subjects, has no knowledge of the burglary and did not prepare any devices used in this instance to intercept communications. He stated he was retired from the United States Navy in February, 1972, and in seeking employment, listed his name with the Central Referral Activity, Dayton, Ohio. He stated he is currently employed by Western Airlines, at San Diego, California.

At Oceanside, California

The following investigation was conducted
by SA JAMES A. SCANLON:

ALICE TWEED, 2222 Ocean View Street, Oceanside, California, advised WILLIAM MONROE ~~TWEED~~ is her son who recently retired from the United States Marine Corps. She stated he presently is employed at the Veterans Administration Hospital at Hampton, Virginia and resides at 1909 Demetro Drive, Hampton, Virginia.

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REPORTING OFFICE LAS VEGAS	OFFICE OF ORIGIN WFO	DATE 10/17/72	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 10/3 - 10/10/72
TITLE OF CASE JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR., aka; AL MEMBER OF DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL COMMITTEE HEADQUARTERS WASHINGTON, D.C. 6/17/72		REPORT MADE BY SA FRANCIS J. SCHMIDT	TYPED BY jr
		CHARACTER OF CASE IDC	

REFERENCE: Richmond teletype to the Bureau, 10/3/72;
Las Vegas report of SA THOMAS J. WILLIAMS, 10/11/72.

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Report of: SA FRANCIS J. SCHMIDT
Date: 10/17/72

Office: LAS VEGAS

Field Office File #: LV 139-36

Bureau File #: 139-4089

Title: JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR.;
ET AL
BURGLARY OF DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL
COMMITTEE HEADQUARTERS,
WASHINGTON D.C.
~~CRIMINAL~~ JUNE 17, 1972~~SYNOPSIS~~

CHARACTER: INTERCEPTION OF COMMUNICATIONS

SYNOPSIS: On October 10, 1972, JAMES DONALD BELCHER, Las Vegas, advised he has no knowledge of captioned subjects under their true name and/or known aliases.

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DETAILS: AT LAS VEGAS, NEVADA:ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
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Date 10/17/72

On this date JAMES DONALD ~~BELCHER~~ ^{new} was interviewed at his home located at 191 Albert Street, Apartment #15. BELCHER advised the reporting Agent that the names and known aliases of captioned subjects in this matter were unknown to him. He stated that he had no knowledge of the burglary of the Democratic National Committee Headquarters in Washington, D.C., June 17, 1972, except that which he had gained through reading of local newspapers. BELCHER, who gave his date of birth as August 29, 1932, at Welch, West Virginia, advised that he retired as a Master Sergeant from the U.S. Air Force (USAF) as of January 1, 1972. He described the latter date as effective date of termination although he had been on terminal leave from the Air Force since October 15, 1971. He furnished his Serial Number as 405-44-0435 and gave his military occupational specialty classification as 3259 which he described as electronics specialization. In relation to this training he stated he has knowledge of and experience in handling remote microphone technical and tape recording devices. He stated his last position in the U.S. Air Force was that of an automatic pilot compass technician at Plattsburgh, New York.

BELCHER stated that since retiring from the service and also prior to retiring in anticipation of same, he has made numerous applications for various positions. He stated that in September of 1971, he made an application for a Security Enforcement type position and also an application for a position as a Sky Marshal. BELCHER displayed a computer type resume of his application for Security Enforcement position which showed his service background and which had been processed through the Defense Electronics Supply Center, Dayton, Ohio, zip code 45401. He offered the opinion that this is the central computer operation for job applications in this field.

On 10/10/72 at Las Vegas, Nevada File # LV 139-36

by SA FRANCIS J. SCHMIDT:jr Date dictated 10/12/72

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BELCHER advised that he is presently employed as a slot foreman at the Silver Slipper Casino, Las Vegas, Nevada.

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Mr. Armstrong ☒
Ms. Herwig ☒
Mrs. Neenan ☒

TO :

Mr. Bates

DATE:

10/3/72

FROM :

C. Bolz

1- Mr. Felt
1- Mr. Bates
1- Mr. Gallagher
1- Mr. Bolz
1- Mr. Nuzum
1- Mr. Bishop

SUBJECT:

JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR.; ET AL.
BURGLARY OF DEMOCRATIC PARTY
NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS, 6/17/72
INTERCEPTION OF COMMUNICATIONS

The following is in response to the Acting Director's inquiry concerning attached 10/1/72 news article from The Washington Star-News by Jeremiah O'Leary and Patrick Collins indicating FBI is investigating a report that Watergate security guards were paid off to permit many nighttime entries of Democratic National Committee Headquarters prior to 6/17/72 arrests of subjects.

We have developed no information during the course of our investigation to support the attached story. The following is an analysis of this article.

1. Attached article states that Martin Dardis, Chief Investigator for Dade County State's Attorney Richard E. Gerstein, furnished the information reported therein to The Washington Star-News.

COMMENT: Dardis was interviewed by our Miami Office 10/2/72, and denied he was the original source of O'Leary's story. Dardis stated he has been contacted numerous times by O'Leary in the past weeks and received a call from him 9/27/72, at which time O'Leary wanted Dardis' comments on a story he had reportedly received from one Chamberlain, Chief of Watergate guard force. This story was to the effect that one of the subjects named Virgilio (Virgilio Gonzalez), who was arrested at the time of the Watergate break-in, had a girl friend in a photo shop where he purchased photo supplies and boasted of paying off Watergate guards to permit entries into the Democratic National Committee Headquarters 40 to 50 times prior to arrests. Dardis told O'Leary he had heard a similar story but refused to confirm O'Leary's story. According to Dardis, O'Leary "goofed" in his story by identifying Virgilio Gonzalez instead of Rolando Martinez as the subject who purchased the film from a store where his girl friend worked. (Martinez arrested at Watergate 6/17/72.)

Attachment

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C. Bolz to Mr. Bates
RE: JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR.

On 10/2/72, Kelly Chamberlain, Executive Vice-president, General Security Services, Inc., which provides guard services for Watergate premises, advised Washington Field Office Agents he was contacted by O'Leary concerning this story for his views but he declined to comment to O'Leary concerning same.

Miami has been furnished a copy of the attached news article and following receipt thereof, Dardis' office was contacted for reinterview of Dardis at which time Miami will confront him with the article and reinterview him concerning same. Miami suspects Dardis may be lying about not having furnished O'Leary information in this matter.

2. Attached news article stated Dardis' source of this information is a Miami Beach photo equipment salesman.

✓ COMMENT: Miami Office believes Eli Quain, owner of Fruit Fair Corporation, Miami Beach, Florida, is Dardis' source of this information. At the time of subjects' arrests 6/17/72, they were in possession of a quantity of Kodak Tri-X 35 millimeter film and a sales slip showing purchase at Fruit Fair Corporation. On 6/20 and 21/72, Eli Quain was interviewed by our Miami Office concerning purchase of film at his store. Quain identified Mrs. Sylvia Campo as saleslady who made sale and stated he could furnish no further information.

Mrs. Sylvia Campo was interviewed 6/21/72, and identified Rolando Martinez whom she has known for years as the individual who on 6/14/72, purchased 60 rolls of Kodak Tri-X 35 millimeter film. Mrs. Campo, a divorcee and reported girl friend of Martinez, who was divorced on 6/16/72, was reinterviewed on 6/24/72, and advised she was a close personal friend of Martinez but she knew nothing of any trips he may have made to Washington, D. C., nor did he ever discuss having made such trips.

According to Miami Office. [REDACTED] **B7C**

Miami believes Quain informed Dardis of FBI interviews of himself and Mrs. Campo concerning Martinez' purchase of film at his store.

Miami has been instructed to reinterview both Mrs. Campo and Eli Quain for any information they may have concerning this case particularly as to the information set forth in the attached news article.

C. Bolz to Mr. Bates
RE: JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR.

3. Attached news article relates that on the night of 6/17/72, the Watergate guard crew underwent a change in patrol routine because one of the two scheduled guards left early saying he was ill.

COMMENT: Washington Field Office advised there is no basis in fact for such statement. Frank Wills was interviewed on 6/19/72 and 7/2/72, at which time he advised he was the only guard scheduled for duty the night of 6/17/72. His story of his discovery of the taped door locks is substantially as reported in the attached news article.

The other security guards responsible for security of the Watergate premises where the Democratic National Committee Headquarters is located, Fletcher Pittman and LeRoy Brown were interviewed 7/11 and 12/72, respectively, and neither they nor Wills could identify photographs of Everette Howard Hunt, George Gordon Liddy or any of the subjects arrested 6/17/72, as individuals they had observed in or about the Watergate any time prior to the 6/17/72 break-in.

Kelly Chamberlain, Executive Vice-president, General Security Services, Inc., advised on 10/2/72, that in view of the seriousness of O'Leary's charges concerning payoffs to his personnel he is going to afford all his security guards who had any connection with the Watergate premises where the Democratic National Committee Headquarters is located, a polygraph and he will furnish the results thereof to the FBI. Washington Field Office is following this matter closely with Chamberlain.

ACTION: For information.

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Well done.
Thank you.

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This must be a part of our overall summary since it sets forth a less than accurate series of allegations. J 11/10/8
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added to summary
under heading "Inaccurate News Reports"
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Were Guards Bribed?

By JEREMIAH O'LEARY and
PATRICK COLLINS

Star-News Staff Writers

The FBI and officials of the General Security Services, a private guard firm, are investigating a report that some uniformed guards at the Watergate were "paid off" to permit many nighttime entries of Democratic headquarters before five intruders were arrested there June 17.

Martin Dardis, chief investigator for Dade County (Fla.) State's Attorney Richard E. Gerstein, has told The Star-News he was informed of the alleged payoffs by a Miami Beach photo-equipment salesman last week.

Dardis said the informant claimed he was told of the payoffs by one of the Watergate burglary suspects whom the informant identified only as "Virgilio."

One of the five arrested June 17 is Virgilio Gonzales, a Cuban-born locksmith and former bodyguard to onetime Cuban president Grau San Martin.

According to Dardis, "Virgilio" bought a quantity of photo equipment from the informant and during the transaction boasted that he and the others had entered the Watergate offices "40 to 50 times" by bribing guards employed by the private security force assigned to protect the building.

Dardis refused to identify his informant. But he said the story, if borne out, could explain the ease with which the intruders got into the offices of then Democratic National Chairman Lawrence F. O'Brien, and their failure to flee when they learned that locks

they had secured with tape had been tampered with.

Dardis said that on the night of June 17, the General Security Services crew on duty underwent a change in patrol routine because one of two scheduled guards left early, saying he was ill. This left only a guard named Frank Wills on the Watergate premises; Dardis' information is that Wills was not part of the alleged payoffs.

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Wills has told police he made scheduled patrols of the building at midnight and 2 a.m. His report was that he discovered six doors leading from the basement to a fire staircase with the locks taped so they would not snap shut. Wills, believing the doors had been taped during the day by workmen, tore off the tape and resumed his patrol.

Returned on "Hunch"

But later, he said, he "had a hunch" and returned to find the doors taped again, whereupon he called police and the arrests were made minutes later. Observers and investigators have been baffled by the apparent indifference of the intruders to the discovery that the tape had been removed from the doors and that they had remained after presumably replacing the tape. Police and investigators have concluded that under ordinary circumstances, such a discovery would have sent intruders fleeing.

Dardis said he obtained this new allegation in pursuing the Florida investigation of some aspects of the Watergate case and the use made of GOP campaign contribution checks.

The photographic shop salesman, Dardis specified, is not the Miami photo dealer who recently informed Gerstein's office that he had developed some film for two of the defendants last June. That dealer was Michael Richardson of Miami.

Richardson has given Gerstein a sworn statement that he developed two rolls of 35mm film for men he identified as Bernard L. Barker and Frank Sturgis, two of the Miami men indicted in the bugging case.

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The Miami Beach photo operator sold photo equipment to "Vigilio" whom he knew, Dardis said, because the Cuban had a girl friend working for the shop. The Richardson film, which Gerstein said was given to the customers and has not been found by investigators, reportedly showed personal correspondence of O'Brien.

Dardis said the Miami Beach man told him the FBI already had questioned him

about the Watergate defendants. F. Kelly Chamberlain, executive vice president of the General Security guard force, told The Star-News he is making his own investigation to find out whether any of his employees had accepted money to look the other way while intrusions were made into Democratic headquarters.

Chamberlain stated that, although he felt there was no foundation for the allegation, he would investigate it thoroughly. He acknowledged that there is a rapid turnover, as much as four times the total strength of the guard force every year, but said this is true of all contract guard organizations.

His guards, Chamberlain said, average about \$30 a week and few of them make a ca-

reer of building security work. He said that those who quit often fail to leave detailed information about where they are going.

A federal grand jury has indicted seven men in the case. The seven are Gonzales; Barker; Sturgis; James McCord, chief security adviser to the Committee for the Re-election of the President; G. Gordon Liddy, former counsel to the Finance Committee to Re-Elect the President; E. Howard Hunt, former White House consultant, and Eugenio Martinez, a Miami real-estate salesman.

All except Hunt and Liddy were arrested inside the Democratic offices. Hunt and Liddy were first charged when the indictments were handed down Sept. 15.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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*BATES TO
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*Please give me all the information
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MEMO BOLZ TO MR. BATES
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TO: ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI (139-4089)
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 FROM: SAC, BOSTON (100-164)

SUBJECT: JAMES HANER MC COND, JR.
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 DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL COMMITTEE HEADQUARTERS
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Re Boston teletype to the Bureau, 10/10/72, and Boston telephone call to the Bureau, 10/10/72.

Enclosed for the Bureau are 2 copies of a self-explanatory news article appearing in the Harvard Crimson dated 10/10/72, and 1 copy of a memo by SA THEODORE D. MAHONEY, 10/10/72.

The enclosed article contains allegations that a Crimson reporter, MARK C. FRASIER, obtained quoted comments from SA THEODORE D. MAHONEY of the Boston Office concerning captioned matter and remarks pertaining to the use of electronic equipment by the FBI.

Set forth below is a factual account of the contact between SA MAHONEY and FRASIER:

On 10/6/72, an unknown white male appeared at the reception room of the Boston Office and requested to speak to the agent who was at Bell and Howell because he had some information about the Watergate incident. SA MAHONEY was available and so was directed to respond although not assigned to captioned matter.

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Special Agent in Charge

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The visitor subsequently identified himself as MARK FRAZIER, a Harvard student and reporter for the Harvard Crimson. FRAZIER advised he had a confidential source at Bell and Howell who has told him that Bell and Howell makes not only transceivers but also bugging devices. Further, the source allegedly advised FRAZIER that a supervisor at Bell and Howell in Waltham, Mass. had told employees to keep quiet re captioned matter. FRAZIER several times referred to an August visit by an FBI agent. FRAZIER also inquired as to when the subjects in this matter would be prosecuted.

This article is willfully and maliciously inaccurate. Statements quoting SA MAHONEY in the article were in fact never made by SA MAHONEY. In addition, no other personnel of the Boston Office had contact with FRAZIER and any statements referring to an FBI source which would indicate a source in the Boston Office is an absolute falsehood. Furthermore, the statement to the effect that FBI radio and surveillance equipment is made and serviced at the Waltham Branch of Bell and Howell could not be made by SA MAHONEY or other personnel of the Boston Office as this type of information would not be available to personnel of this office.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, BOSTON (139-164)

DATE: 10/10/72

FROM : SA THEODORE D. MAHONEY

SUBJECT: JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR.
ET AL
DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL COMMITTEE HEADQUARTERS
WASHINGTON, D.C.
JUNE 17, 1972
IOC
(OO:WFO)

MAHONEY
The below set forth is the actual encounter between MARK C. FRAZIER and SA THEODORE D. MAHONEY and should be construed as a refutation of an article by FRAZIER in the Harvard Crimson dated October 10, 1972.

MARK
FRAZIER obtained the name EDWARD MAHONEY when SA MAHONEY introduced himself as TED MAHONEY.

SA MAHONEY has no personal knowledge of where FBI electronic equipment is purchased or manufactured and therefore, could not state that the "FBI's radio and surveillance equipment is made and serviced at the Waltham Branch of Bell and Howell." No such statement was made by SA MAHONEY.

SA MAHONEY is not assigned to this matter and did not participate in any August visit to Bell and Howell. SA MAHONEY has no knowledge of such a visit. No such statement was made by SA MAHONEY.

FRAZIER queried SA MAHONEY as to when prosecution in this matter can be expected to which SA MAHONEY replied, no comment. SA MAHONEY has no such knowledge. SA MAHONEY made no such remark as "top officials have 'locked horns'". SA MAHONEY has no such knowledge.

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It is noted that no other information was
given to FRAZIER by SA MAHONEY .

Watergate Bug May Have Local Origin

By MARK C. FRAZIER

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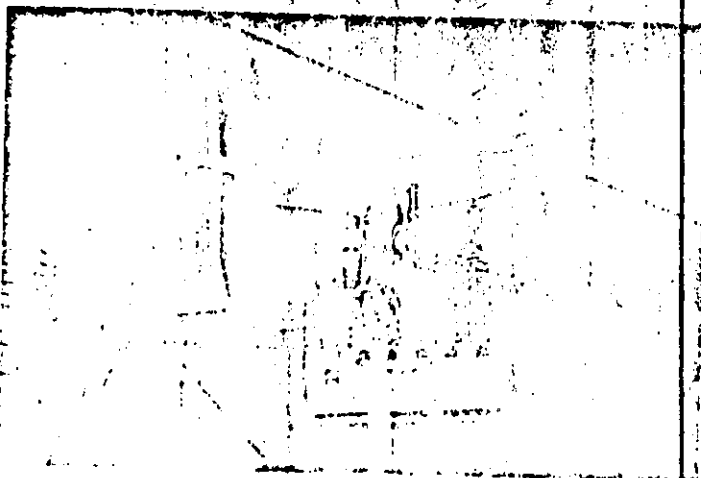
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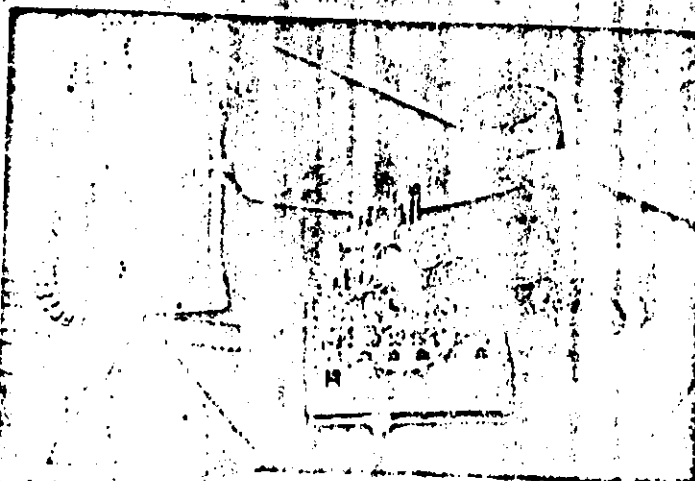
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BURGLARY OF DEMOCRATIC PARTY
NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS, 6/17/72
INTERCEPTION OF COMMUNICATIONS

In accordance with Mr. Felt's instructions, Henry Petersen, Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, was contacted 10/11/72, regarding possible use of the polygraph (see Bolz to Bates memorandum 10/10/72, attached) to resolve discrepancies relative to information furnished FBI by Alfred C. Baldwin and Millicent Gleason and that furnished by various individuals connected with the Committee to Reelect the President, such as Robert Odle, Glen Sedam, Fred LaRue and Robert Houston.

Mr. Petersen advised he had serious reservations about the use of the polygraph in this matter since if it became known that the Government used it, defense attorneys such as F. Lee Bailey whose firm is representing subject James W. McCord, could claim the right to use the polygraph on persons of their choice. Accordingly, Mr. Petersen stated he did not desire the FBI to use the polygraph in connection with this investigation.

It is to be noted Odle, Sedam and Houston appeared before the Federal grand jury.

Fred LaRue furnished a deposition which was given to the grand jury.

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Memorandum

TO : Mr. Bates *CWEN*

FROM : C. Bolz *CBN*

SUBJECT: JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR.;
ET AL., BURGLARY OF DEMOCRATIC
PARTY NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS,
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In view of the increasing news activity caused by Alfred Carleton Baldwin's disclosure to the press of his involvement in captioned matter, it is believed consideration should be given at this time to requesting various individuals to take polygraph examination to resolve differences as to information furnished by Baldwin and that furnished the FBI by these individuals as indicated hereinafter.

(1) Baldwin related to us on 7/10/72, that during his monitoring activities at the Howard Johnson Motel, he observed McCord typing up summaries of Baldwin's monitoring logs in memorandum form. Baldwin observed memoranda typed by McCord to Rob Odle and one Timmons but he could not state that these memoranda related to Baldwin's monitoring activities in connection with the Democratic National Committee Headquarters.

In addition, when McCord was out of town on one occasion, he instructed Baldwin to deliver his daily monitoring logs to the Committee to Reelect the President and provided him with the name of an individual to whom the logs were to be delivered by the building guard. During the interview of Baldwin on 7/10/72, he could not recall the name of this individual but he selected the name of Glen Sedam from a list of Committee employees as the individual whose name might have been furnished him by McCord.

It is noted the "Washington Post" on 10/6/72, reported that Baldwin told the FBI that memoranda summarizing conversations he monitored were furnished to William E. Timmons, Assistant to the President for Congressional Relations; Robert C. Odle, Jr., Director of Administration for the Committee to Reelect the President; and J. Glen Sedam, General Counsel for the Committee.

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Bolz to Bates

Re: James Walter McCord, Jr.; Et Al.

Odle, who was interviewed on several occasions during June and July, 1972, denied ever receiving any reports from McCord as did Sedam. Timmons, when interviewed on 9/8/72, stated that the only reports he received from McCord had to do with McCord's analysis of the security at the Doral Hotel, Miami, Florida, where the President and his cabinet were considering staying during the Republican convention, and a memorandum dealing with the possible alteration of convention passes by a hippie group.

(2) Baldwin advised on 7/10/72, that immediately following the 6/17/72, arrest of the subjects, he left Washington, D. C., and returned to his home in Connecticut. On 6/22/72, he telephonically contacted Fred LaRue at the Committee to Reelect the President at which time LaRue stated he remembered Baldwin but had no idea why he was calling. According to Baldwin, he then related to LaRue that he was working the night when an incident occurred at the Democratic National Committee Headquarters. Thereafter, LaRue immediately asked for a telephone number where Baldwin could be contacted and Baldwin furnished him his attorney's number who was subsequently contacted by Paul O'Brien, an attorney for the Committee and a meeting arranged between Baldwin's attorney, Robert Mirto, and O'Brien for 6/27/72.

LaRue, when interviewed on 7/18 and 21/72, admitted receiving a call from Baldwin but stated Baldwin made no mention of the Democratic National Committee Headquarters break-in or his involvement therewith.

(3) Millicent Macey Gleason, a security officer at the Committee to Reelect the President, confidentially advised on 7/1/72, that she observed Robert Houston, McCord's assistant, on 6/18/72, remove files from the Committee's security office, which Houston stated were McCord's personal files.

Houston, during interview on 7/17/72, denied having removed any papers or other material from McCord's office following McCord's arrest on 6/17/72.

Bolz to Bates

Re: James Walter McCord, Jr.; Et Al.

RECOMMENDATION: In view of the importance of this case, it is believed every effort should be made to resolve the foregoing discrepancies. Accordingly, it is recommended that consideration be given to contacting Robert Odle, Glen Sedam, Fred LaRue and Robert Houston for the purpose of determining if they will submit to a polygraph examination. (It is to be noted Assistant United States Attorney Earl Silbert does not want Baldwin reinterviewed at this time).

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12:04 PM 10/11/72 URGENT DLS

TELETYPE

TO: ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI (139-4089)

SAC, TAMPA (139-182)

SAC, WFO (139-166)

FROM: SAC, BALTIMORE (139-148) (P) 2P

JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR., ETAL, BURGLARY, DEMOCRATIC
NATIONAL COMMITTEE HEADQUARTERS, WASHINGTON, D.C., JUNE
SEVENTEEN, SEVENTYTWO; IOC; OO: WFO.

RE CINCINNATI AIRTEL TO BUREAU, SEPTEMBER TWENTYSIX LAST
AND BALTIMORE TELETYPE TO BUREAU, OCTOBER FIVE LAST AND
BALTIMORE TELEPHONE CALL TO WFO, OCTOBER TEN LAST.

REFERENCED BALTIMORE AIRTEL ADVISED THAT PERSONS NUMBERED
TWENTYSEVEN, THIRTYTWO, THIRTYTHREE, AND THIRTYFOUR HAD NOT YET
BEEN LOCATED FOR INTERVIEW. THESE WERE THE LAST REMAINING
INTERVIEWS.

EFFORTS TO LOCATE ROBERT GOODWIN, THIRTYNINE NORTH
MORLEY STREET, AND ROBERT D. MOYE, EIGHTEEN TWENTY PRESSMAN
STREET, BALTIMORE, WERE NEGATIVE. NEIGHBORS AND RESIDENTS
OF THESE ADDRESSES DID NOT KNOW WHERE PERSONS MOVED AND POSTAL
AUTHORITIES DID NOT HAVE FORWARDING ADDRESSES.

CARL ANDRE FOSTER, NUMBER FORTYFOUR, DETERMINED TO WORK
FOR THE COMMITTEE TO RE-ELECT THE PRESIDENT. WFO TELEPHONICALLY
ADVISED TO INTERVIEW FOSTER.

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ON OCTOBER TEN LAST, MRS. R. E. ^{one}SHANNON, THREE TWO ONE THREE HAMILTON AVENUE, BALTIMORE, CONTACTED AND ADVISED SHE IS THE MOTHER OF JAMES EDWARD ^{one}SHANNON, NUMBER THIRTYTWO IN REFERENCED CINCINNATI AIRTEL. SHE ADVISED ^{and} HER SON RETIRED FROM THE AIR FORCE IN JANUARY, SEVENTYTWO, AND IS CURRENTLY RESIDING AT THREE SIX ONE SIX DAGO STREET, ORLANDO, FLORIDA. HE IS EMPLOYED AS A DEPUTY SHERIFF WITH THE ORANGE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

TAMPA INTERVIEW SHANNON PER INSTRUCTIONS OF REFERENCED CINCINNATI AIRTEL.

INASMUCH AS ALL PERSONS CONTACTED BY THE BALTIMORE DIVISION TO DATE WHOSE NAMES APPEARED ON THE REFERRAL LIST IN REFERENCED CINCINNATI AIRTEL HAD NO KNOWLEDGE RE MC CORD AND AS INDICATED ABOVE EFFORTS TO LOCATE GOODWIN AND MOYE HAVE BEEN NEGATIVE AND A FUGITIVE INVESTIGATION WOULD BE REQUIRED TO LOCATE THEM, BALTIMORE WILL MAKE NO FURTHER ATTEMPTS TO LOCATE GOODWIN AND MOYE UAC FROM OFFICE OF ORIGIN.

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12:33PM IMMEDIATE 10-11-72 DAB

TO: ACTING DIRECTOR (139-4089)

WFO (139-166)

FROM: BOSTON (139-164) P

JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR., AKA; ET AL;
BURGLARY DASH DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL COMMITTEE
HEADQUARTERS, WASHINGTON, D.C., JUNE SEVENTEEN,
LAST; IOC; OO: WFO

RE WFO TEL TO BOSTON OCT. TEN, LAST. *B. Agnew 1926*

ON INSTANT DATE, JAMES HOWE, AGE FORTYSIX,
OF JOHNSTON, RHODE ISLAND, ADVISED HE IS AN
ALUMINUM-SIDING SALESMAN FOR LINCOLN HOMES
LINCOLN, RHODE ISLAND, A COMPANY WHICH HE HAS
WORKED FOR FOR THE LAST TWO YEARS. HE HAS
ALSO BEEN EMPLOYED FOR A NUMBER OF YEARS AS
A PIANO PLAYER IN VARIOUS CLUBS IN THE STATE
OF RHODE ISLAND. IN JULY OF SEVENTYONE,
HE MET JAN CHAMBERLAIN, AGE APPROXIMATELY
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SIXTY, AT THE CARLTON CLUB IN WARKWICK, RHODE ISLAND,
A CLUB ADJACENT TO THE T.F. GREENE AIRPORT. CHAMBERLAIN
WAS EN ROUTE FROM WDC TO BLOCK ISLAND BUT HAD BEEN
GROUNDED. HE PLAYED PIANO FOR HER, SHARED A FEW
DRINKS, AND BECAME FRIENDS. HER ADDRESS IS TWO NINE
ONE THREE M STREET, NW, WDC, TELEPHONE NO. TWO ZERO TWO
DASH THREE THREE SEVEN DASH FOUR SEVEN SIX THREE.
CHAMBERLAIN DOES PR WORK FOR WOLFTRAP FOUNDATION,
WHICH IS A PERFORMING ARTS CENTER IN VIRGINIA.
CHAMBERLIAN INVITED HOWE ON TWO OCCASIONS TO WDC
TO ATTEND AFFAIRS AT WOLFTRAP. HE COULD NOT
RECALL DATES BUT STATES EUGENE ORMANDY PERFORMED
ON ONE OCCASION AND THERE WAS HEAVY RAIN DURING
THE OTHER, THIS IS BELIEVED TO BE IN JUNE, SEVENTYONE.

[REDACTED] B7C
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] HE HAS NO KNOWLEDGE OF
WATERGATE INCIDENT AND HAS NO KNOWLEDGE OF MAJOR
PRINCIPLES INVOLVED. ONLY INFORMATION OBTAINED
FROM NEWSPAPER COVERAGE.

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10:55 PM NITEL 10-10-72 RHJ

TO ACTING DIRECTOR (139-408.)

FROM LAS VEGAS (139-36) (P)

JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR.; ET AL; BURGLARY DEMOCRATIC
NATIONAL COMMITTEE HEADQUARTERS, WASHINGTON D.C., JUNE
SEVENTEEN LAST, IOC. 00:WFO.

RE RICHMOND TEL TO ACTING DIRECTOR, ALEXANDRIA, LAS VEGAS,
OCTOBER THREE LAST. JAMES DONALD BELCHER, ONE NINE ONE ALBERT
LAS VEGAS, NEVADA, ADVISED HE HAS HAD NO CONTACT WITH CAPTIONED
SUBJECTS UNDER TRUE NAME AND OR KNOWN ALIASES. THREE ZERO TWO
FOLLOWS.

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10:46PM NITEL 10-11-72 TWH

TO: ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI AND

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RE BALTIMORE TELETYPE TO THE BUREAU, TAMPA AND WFO
INSTANT.

JAMES EDWARD SHANNON, THREE SIX ONE SIX DAGON STREET,
ORLANDO, FLORIDA, INTERVIEWED INSTANT DATE AND DENIED ANY
KNOWLEDGE OF OR PARTICIPATION IN INSTANT MATTER. ALSO DENIES ANY
CONTACT WITH SUBJECT MC CORD OR OTHER SUBJECTS.
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5:20 PM NITEL 10/11/72 JWU

ST TO ACTING DIRECTOR 139-4089

WASHINGTON FIELD 139-166

FROM ATLANTA 139-154

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NATIONAL COMMITTEE HEADQUARTERS, WASHINGTON, D.C., JUNE
SEVENTEEN, SEVENTYTWO. IOC. 00: WFO.

RE ATLANTA TELETYPE, OCTOBER SIX, SEVENTYTWO.

Dr. STEVE CHARLES ~~X~~ HUFFMAN INTERVIEWED ATLANTA AND ADVISED HE
DID NOT KNOW SUBJECT OR HAVE ANY INFORMATION REGARDING THIS
BURGLARY. *ay*

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Re Washington Field teletype to Bureau dated
10/12/72. and Los Angeles teletype to Bureau dated 9/22/72.

Enclosed for Washington Field is one set each
of pertinent hotel records which can be identified to HUNT
and LIDDY.

The following individuals should be subpoenaed to
attest to the validity of the enclosed hotel records:

Hotel registration information regarding HUNT and
LIDDY's stay at the Beverly Wilshire Hotel should be addressed
to Captain PAUL R. SMITH, Chief Security Officer, Beverly
Wilshire Hotel, 9500 Wilshire Boulevard, Beverly Hills,
California.

For hotel registration information pertaining to
HUNT and LIDDY's stay at the Beverly Hilton Hotel, a subpoena
should be issued to FRANCES QUIRVACK, Accounts Receivable
Supervisor, Beverly Hilton Hotel, 9876 Wilshire Boulevard,
Beverly Hills, California.

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Memorandum

TO : Mr. *Bates*

FROM : C. Bolz *CBJ*

SUBJECT: JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR., ET AL.
BURGLARY OF DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL
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DATE: 10/12/72

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The Washington Post news article of 10/10/72, and to some extent its article of 10/11/72 (both attached) report that the FBI's investigation has established that the Watergate bugging stemmed from a campaign of political spying and sabotage directed by officials of the White House and the Committee to Reelect the President.

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The writers of these articles, ~~Carl~~ Bernstein, ~~Bob~~ Woodward and ~~Karlyn~~ Barker, do not in fact attribute these findings to FBI officials but rather state they come from information in FBI and Department of Justice files, law enforcement sources, Federal investigators and sources close to the Watergate investigation. It would appear the articles are the conclusions of the writers drawn from the interviews of attorneys who Donald Segretti attempted to recruit in 1971 as alleged undercover Agents working on behalf of the President's reelection; Alfred Baldwin's statement which he released to the press concerning his involvement in captioned matter; and the grand jury's indictment of the seven subjects. *ay*

There follows an analysis of particular items mentioned in the news articles of 10/10/72, and 10/11/72.

(1) The 10/10/72 article captioned "FBI Finds Nixon Aides Sabotage Democrats," reports that the FBI established that the Watergate bugging stemmed from a campaign of political spying and sabotage directed by officials of the White House and the Committee to Reelect the President against major Democratic Presidential contenders. The article identifies Donald Henry Segretti as an individual who participated in such activities and attempted to recruit attorney friends to assist him.

2 ENCLOSURE
COMMENT: During our investigation of the Watergate incident, we did obtain some limited information on 6/26/72, from Donald Segretti, an attorney, as to his travels during primaries

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C. Bolz to Mr. Bates
RE: JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR.

to harass Democratic political candidates. Segretti, in discussing his harassment activities, said he visited Miami and asked Senator Muskie about his vote against the "space shuttle" program. This apparently was to embarrass the Senator as the space program was very popular in Florida. He said he also distributed leaflets in California when Senator Muskie was speaking there regarding the Senator's position on abortion, realizing this position was unpopular with the students to whom the Senator was speaking.

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B3 Segretti declined to advise us as to whose orders he was acting on and who paid his expenses. However, in testimony before the Federal grand jury on 8/22/72 [REDACTED] **6J**

[REDACTED] According to John Dean of the White House staff, Kalmbach is a personal friend of President Nixon.)

During interview on 8/28/72, Dwight Chapin advised us that he had hired Segretti to harass Democratic candidates but Segretti acted on his own initiative and his activities in connection therewith were not directed by himself or any other member of the White House. Chapin, in discussion of the activities of Segretti, said that Segretti in the course of his harassment of Democratic candidates, secured the publication of false scheduling of campaign activities relative to Senator Muskie.

Kalmbach, who was interviewed on 9/4/72, admitted that he paid Segretti from funds of the Committee to Reelect the President on instructions of Dwight Chapin.

Our only interest in Segretti was his association with Everette Howard Hunt (which had been established by review of Hunt's toll call records) and Segretti's possible involvement in the Watergate incident. We did not concern ourselves with his political harassment activities nor did we attempt to identify and interview any individuals he may have endeavored to recruit for this purpose. Accordingly, we had no knowledge concerning Segretti's attempts to recruit various attorneys as reported in the 10/10/72 article to assist him in harassing Democratic candidates.

C. Bolz to Mr. Bates
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We have no idea as to how the Washington Post obtained the identities of the attorneys whom Segretti allegedly endeavored to recruit to assist him. It is noted, however, one of these attorneys, Alex B. Shipley, a Democrat who is now Assistant Attorney General of Tennessee, appears to be the main source of this information in the 10/10/72 article and may be endeavoring to capitalize on the current publicity associated with this matter.

When we interviewed Jeb Stuart Magruder on 7/20/72, he, in discussing the harassment of Democratic candidates, said that funds of the Committee to Reelect the President were expended for publishing a pamphlet entitled "Why a Liberal Should Vote for Muskie." This publication apparently contained references unfavorable to George McGovern. The pamphlet was published during the New Hampshire primary and was surreptitiously delivered to the Muskie headquarters in New Hampshire. Thereafter, a phone call was made to McGovern headquarters in New Hampshire and the caller suggested the McGovern people should see what the Muskie people were preparing to distribute. The purpose of this was to create friction between the Muskie and the McGovern people.

(2) The 10/10/72, article states that "Law enforcement sources said that probably the best example of the sabotage was the fabrication-by a White House aide-of a celebrated letter to the editor alleging that Sen. Edmund S. Muskie (D-Maine) condoned a racial slur on Americans of French-Canadian descent as 'Canucks'!"

COMMENT: An analysis of the article reveals that "Washington Post" staff writer Marilyn Berger is shown to have allegedly received the information about this matter from Ken W. Clawson, White House employee, on 9/25/72, although the article states that Mr. Clawson said the reporter must have misunderstood him and that he knows nothing about the incident. We conducted no investigation concerning this matter as it was not reported to us and we did not interview Mr. Clawson since during the Watergate investigation no information was received indicating he had knowledge of the bugging incident.

C. Bolz to Mr. Bates
Re: JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR.

(3) The 10/10/72, article states "The FBI's investigation of the Watergate definitely established that virtually all the acts against the Democrats were financed by a secret, fluctuating \$350,000 - \$700,000 campaign fund that was controlled by former Attorney General John N. Mitchell while he headed the Justice Department."

COMMENT: During our investigation, we received no information that former Attorney General Mitchell controlled such a fund. Our only investigative interest with respect to funds was to endeavor to trace \$114,000 which we discovered was passed through the bank account of Bernard L. Barker at the Republic National Bank, Miami. This was composed of a \$25,000 cashiers check issued to Kenneth Dalhberg and \$89,000 in four bank drafts issued to Manuel Ogarrio obtained at the Banco Internacional, Mexico City. Hugh Walter Sloan, Jr., Former Treasurer, Committee to Reelect the President, advised these items were given by him to Liddy; that Liddy subsequently returned \$25,000 in cash to Sloan for the Dalhberg check and about \$86,000 in cash for the Ogarrio bank drafts; and all of the cash was placed with other currency which was maintained in a safe in Sloan's office at the Committee. In the course of attempts to trace this money, we interviewed Maurice Stans, Chairman of the Finance Committee to Reelect the President, on 7-28-72, and during that interview he said there was a considerable amount of cash maintained in Sloan's charge at the Committee, which varied from about \$200,000 to \$350,000 in cash.

In our investigation to determine the activities of Liddy and Everette Howard Hunt we learned that Jeb Stuart Magruder in late January or early February, 1972, assigned Liddy the responsibility of gathering intelligence concerning possible harassment of surrogate candidates or celebrities at various political rallies and concerning possible disruptions at the Republican National Convention.

Mrs. Judy Hoback, Assistant to the Treasurer, Finance Committee to Reelect the President, on 7-18-72, advised that she had seen a tally sheet in Sloan's handwriting which indicated cash disbursement to Liddy of either \$81,000 or \$89,000; to Herbert L. Porter of over \$100,000; and to Jeb Magruder approximately \$50,000.

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Re: JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR.

B3 [REDACTED] It is also noted as previously set forth herein, Segretti reportedly received some \$30,000-\$40,000 from Committee funds for his political harassment activities.

(4) The 10/10/72 article reports that when asked by the Washington Post to discuss Segretti, three FBI and Justice Department officials involved in the Watergate probe refused. According to this report, each official at the mention of Segretti's name said "that's part of the Watergate investigation."

COMMENT: It is believed that this pertains to Washington Post staff writer Carl Bernstein's attempts to interview Washington Field Office case Agent, SA Angelo Lano, on 10/3/72, and Bernstein's repeated attempts to interview Assistant U. S. Attorneys Earl Silbert and Donald Campbell, who are responsible for prosecution of this matter. SA Lano was telephonically contacted by Bernstein on 10/3/72, at which time Bernstein attempted to solicit information from SA Lano as to whether the names Segretti and Kalmbach meant anything to him and whether the use of secret campaign funds by these individuals was a "surprise." SA Lano told Bernstein that no comment could be made on this issue or any other issue. SA Lano told Bernstein this was like asking Bernstein who his source of information was for the various articles he had written on this case. Bernstein stated although he could not name his source, he could furnish SA Lano with a "good clue."

SA Lano thereafter, with the approval of Assistant Director Bates, met with Bernstein in the vicinity of the Treasury Building for the specific purpose of having Bernstein identify his source. Bernstein again attempted to interview SA Lano concerning certain aspects of this case but SA Lano pointed out his only purpose in meeting with Bernstein was he had promised to give a clue as to his source of his information. To this all Bernstein would say was "I have a very high source," but he would not identify the source or the agency to which he belonged.

SA Lano has advised that he knows from discussion with Assistant U. S. Attorneys Silbert and Campbell that Bernstein had made repeated attempts to interview them concerning this case but they to his knowledge have only "no commented" to Bernstein's inquiries.

C. Bolz to Mr. Bates
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(5) The 10/11/72 Washington Post article reports in part that Alfred C. Baldwin in a statement admitting he participated in the bugging conspiracy, stated he "saw transcripts of the bugging addressed to a presidential aide and members of the reelection committee."

COMMENT: Baldwin related to us on 7/10/72, that during his monitoring activities at the Howard Johnson Motel, he observed McCord typing up summaries of Baldwin's monitoring logs in memorandum form. Baldwin observed memoranda typed by McCord to Rob Odle (Robert C. Odle, Director of Administration, Committee to Reelect the President) and one Timmons (William E. Timmons, Assistant to the President for Congressional Relations), but he could not state that these memoranda related to Baldwin's monitoring activities in connection with the Democratic National Committee Headquarters.

Odle, who was interviewed on several occasions during June and July, 1972, denied ever receiving any reports from McCord. Timmons, when interviewed on 9/8/72, stated that the only reports he received from McCord had to do with McCord's analysis of the security at the Doral Hotel, Miami, Florida, where the President and his cabinet were considering staying during the Republican Convention, and a memorandum dealing with the possible alteration of convention passes by a hippie group.

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FBI Finds Nixon Aides Sabotaged Democrats

By Carl Bernstein and Bob Woodward
Washington Post Staff Writers

FBI agents have established that the Watergate bugging incident stemmed from a massive campaign of political spying and sabotage conducted on behalf of President Nixon's re-election and directed by officials of the White House and the Committee for the Re-election of the President.

The activities, according to information in FBI and Department of Justice files, were aimed at all the major Democratic presidential contenders and — since 1971 — represented a basic strategy of the Nixon re-election effort.

Informed of the general contents of this article, the White House referred all comment to the Committee for the Re-election of the President. A spokesman there said, "The Post story is not only fiction but a collection of absurdities." Asked to discuss the specific points raised in the story, the spokesman DeVan L. Shumway, refused on grounds that "the entire matter is in the hands of the authorities."

Law enforcement sources said that probably the best example of the sabotage was the fabrication — by a White House aide — of a letter to the editor alleging that Sen. Edmund S. Muskie (D-Maine) condoned a racial slur on Americans of French-American descent as "Canucks."

The letter was published in the Manchester Union Leader Feb. 24, less than two weeks before the New Hampshire primary. It in part triggered Muskie's politically damaging "crying speech" before the newspaper's office.

Washington Post staff writer Marilyn Berger reported that Ken W. Clawson, deputy director of White House Communications, told her in a conversation on Sept. 25 that "I wrote the letter."

Interviewed again yesterday, Clawson denied that he had claimed authorship of the "Canuck" letter, saying the reporter must have misunderstood him. "I know nothing about it," Clawson said.

William Loeb, publisher of the Manchester paper, said yesterday that although the person who signed the letter — a Paul Morrison of Deerfield Beach, Fla. — has never been located, "I am convinced that it is authentic."

However, Loeb said he is investigating the possibility that the letter is a fabrication because of another letter he received about two weeks ago. The recent letter, Loeb said, maintains that

another person was paid \$1,000 to assist with the "Canuck" hoax.

B. J. McQuaid, editor-in-chief of the Union Leader, said earlier this year that Clawson had been "useful" to the paper in connection with the "Canuck" letter. Though McQuaid did not elaborate, he too said that he believed the original letter was authentic.

Clawson, a former Washington Post reporter, said he met McQuaid only briefly during the New Hampshire primary while lunching in the state with editors of the newspaper.

He denied that he provided any assistance with the letter. Clawson said the first time he heard of the "Canuck" letter was when "I saw it on television" following the Muskie speech.

Immediately following his "crying speech," Muskie's standing in the New Hampshire primary polls began to slip and he finished with only 48 per cent of the Democratic primary vote — far short of his expectations.

The Nixon forces, using funds from GOP campaign contributions, attempted to discredit individual Democratic presidential candidates and disrupt their

campaigns, according to federal investigators. "Intelligence work" is normal during a campaign and is said to be carried out by both political parties. But the investigators said what they uncovered goes far beyond what is normal, and is unprecedented in its extent and intensity.

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They said it included:

Following members of Democratic candidates' families; forging letters and distributing them under the candidates' letterheads; leaking false and manufactured items to the press; throwing campaign schedules into disarray; seizing confidential campaign files, and investigating the lives of dozens of Democratic campaign workers.

Three attorneys have told The Washington Post that, as early as mid-1971, they were asked to work as agents, prosecutors on behalf of the Nixon campaign. They said they were asked to undermine the primary campaigns of Democratic candidates by a man who has been identified in FBI reports as an operative of the Nixon re-election organization.

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All three lawyers, including one who is an assistant attorney general of Tennessee, said they turned down the offers, which purportedly included the promise of "big jobs" in Washington after President Nixon's re-election. They said the overtures were made by Donald Herbert Segretti, 31, a former Treasury Department lawyer who lives in Marina Del Rey, Calif.

One Federal investigative official said that Segretti played the role of "just a small fish in a big pond." According to FBI reports, at least 50 undercover Nixon operatives traveled throughout the country trying to disrupt and spy on Democratic campaigns.

Both at the White House and within the President's re-election committee, the intelligence-sabotage operation was commonly called the "offensive security" program of the Nixon forces, according to investigators.

Perhaps the most significant finding of the whole Watergate investigation, the investigators say, was that numerous specific acts of political sabotage and spying were all traced to this "offensive security," which was conceived and directed in the White House and by President Nixon's re-election committee.

The investigators said that a major purpose of the sub rosa activities was to create so much confusion, suspicion and dissension that the Democrats would be incapable of uniting after choosing a presidential nominee.

The FBI's investigation of the Watergate definitely established that virtually all the acts against the Democrats were financed by a secret,

fluctuating \$350,000-\$700,000 campaign fund that was controlled by former Attorney General John N. Mitchell while he headed the Justice Department. Later, when he served as President Nixon's campaign manager, Mitchell shared control of the fund with others. The money was kept in a safe in the office of the President's chief fundraiser, former Secretary of Commerce Maurice Stans.

According to sources close to the Watergate investigation, much of the FBI's information is expected to be revealed at the trial of the seven men indicted on charges of conspiring to eavesdrop on Democratic headquarters at the Watergate.

"There is some very powerful information," said one federal official, "especially if it becomes known before Nov. 7."

A glimpse of the Nixon campaign's spying and disruptions are to be found in the activities of Segretti. According to investigators, Segretti's work was financed, through middlemen, by the \$350,000-\$700,000 fund.

Asked by The Washington Post to discuss Segretti, three FBI and Justice Department officials involved in the Watergate probe refused. At the mention of Segretti's name, each said in the words of one: "That's part of the Watergate investigation." One of the officials, however, became angry at the mention of Segretti's name and characterized his activities as "indescribable."

Segretti, visited in his West Coast apartment last week by Washington Post special correspondent Robert Meyers, repeatedly answered questions by saying "I don't know." "I don't have to answer that,"

and "No comment." After 15 minutes, he said: "This is material for a good novel, it's ridiculous," and chased the reporter outside when he attempted to take a picture.

According to the three attorneys interviewed by The Post, Segretti attempted to hire them in 1971 as undercover agents working in behalf of President Nixon's re-election. All three said they first met Segretti in 1968, when they served together in Vietnam as captains in the Army Judge Advocate General Corps.

One of the lawyers, Alex B. Shipley, a Democrat who is now assistant attorney general of Tennessee, said Segretti told him, "Money would be no problem, but the people we would be working for wanted results for the cash that would be spent."

Shipley, 30, added: "He (Segretti) also told me that we would be taken care of after Nixon's re-election, that I would get a good job in the government."

According to Shipley, Segretti said that the undercover work would require false identification papers under an assumed name; that Shipley recruit five more persons, preferably lawyers, for the job; that they would attempt to disrupt the schedules of Democratic candidates and obtain information from their campaign organizations; that Shipley would not reveal to Segretti the names of the men he would hire; and that Segretti could never reveal to Shipley specifically who was supplying the money for the operation.

Shipley recalled in a telephone interview: "I said, 'How in hell are we going to be taken care of if no one knows what we're doing?' and Segretti said: 'Nixon knows that

something is being done. It's a typical deal,' Segretti said; 'Don't tell me anything and I won't know.'"

Segretti's first approach, said Shipley, came on June 27, 1971. "He called me before then and told me he would be in Washington and he came to a dinner party at my apartment at South Four Towers (4600 S. Four Mile Run Drive, Arlington) the night before," said Shipley. "Nothing was said about it then. The next morning I met him for breakfast and drove him to the airport—Dulles."

According to Shipley, he picked Segretti up that morning, a Sunday, at the Georgetown Inn, where—hotel records show—a Donald H. Segretti stayed in room 402 on June 25 and June 26, 1971 (total bill \$54.75, including \$2.25 in telephone calls). In addition, travel records obtained by The Washington Post show that Segretti bought a Washington-San Francisco-Monterey (Calif.) airline ticket on June 27 (departure Dulles).

On the way to Dulles, said Shipley, Segretti "first mentioned the deal. He asked would I be interested because I was getting out of the Army. We were both getting out shortly . . . and didn't have anything lined up. He mentioned on the way to Dulles that we would do a little political espionage."

Shipley continued: "I said, 'What are you talking about?' He (Segretti) said: 'For instance, we'll go to a Kennedy rally and find an ardent Kennedy worker. Then you say that you're a Kennedy man too but you're working behind the scenes; you get them to help you. You send them to work for Muskie, stuffing envelopes or whatever, and you

get them to pass you the information. They'll think that they are helping Kennedy against Muskie. But actually you're using the information for something else."

"It was very strange," Shipley recalled. "Three quarters of the way to the airport I said, 'Well, who will we be working for?' He said 'Nixon' and I was really taken aback; because all the actions he had talked about would have taken place in the Democratic primaries. He (Segretti) said the main purpose was that the Democrats have an ability to get back together after a knockdown, drag-out campaign. What we want to do is wreak enough havoc so they can't."

Shipley said he told Segretti, "Well, it sounds interesting; let me think about it."

In addition to Shipley, Roger Lee Nixt of Dennison, Iowa, and Kenneth Griffiths of Atlanta, Ga., said they turned down similar offers from Segretti, with whom they served in Vietnam. Both declined to discuss the offers in detail, but they acknowledged that Segretti had told them they would be engaged in sub rosa activities—similar to those described by Shipley—to aid President Nixon's re-election.

Still another lawyer who served with Segretti in Vietnam, Peter Dixon of San Francisco, also said Segretti made him an offer. However, Dixon said he told Segretti "No thanks" before any details of the job were revealed. "I said, 'Gee, Don, I'm not interested in political matters, and I'm not a Republican anyway,'" said Dixon.

The most detailed account of Segretti's activities was given by Shipley, who said he wrote a memorandum to himself about the episode "because it all seemed so strange."

At one point during the four-month period when Segretti was trying to recruit him, said Shipley, he approached a friend who worked for Sen. Albert Gore (D-Tenn.) and was advised to try and string him (Segretti) out to see what he's up to. Although "I don't like these type of shenanigans," Shipley said, he never subsequently contacted anyone else about the matter and said he has not been questioned by the FBI about Segretti.

During a meeting on July

23, said Shipley, Segretti "didn't go into much detail because it was mostly 'Are you with me or not?'" When he asked Segretti exactly what would be expected of him in participating in clandestine activities, Shipley said he was told:

"Enlist people, be imaginative. One thing he stressed was asking people who were fairly free to travel and (that) he was asking lawyers because he didn't want to do anything illegal. It wasn't represented as a strictly strongarm operation. He stressed what fun we could have. As an example, he gave this situation:

"When a rally is scheduled at 7 p.m. at a local coliseum by a particular candidate, you call up and represent to the manager that you're the field manager for this candidate and you have some information that some rowdies, some hippies or what-have-you are going to cause trouble. So you ask him to move the rally up to 9 o'clock—thereby insuring that the place would be padlocked when the candidate showed up at 7."

Shipley said he was asked by Segretti to fly to Atlanta to enlist their Army colleague, Kenneth Griffiths, in the project, but that he never made the trip. However, when visiting Griffiths last Christmas, said Shipley, "Griffiths mentioned to me that Segretti had been in contact with him and that Griffiths had expressed absolutely no interest at all."

The last time he heard from Segretti, said Shipley, was on Oct. 23, 1971, when "he called from California and asked me to check into Muskie's operation in Tennessee . . . I just never did anything about it."

"At one time during these conjectural discussions," Shipley continued, "Segretti said it might be good to get a false ID to travel under, that it would be harder for anyone to catch up with us. He mentioned he might use the pseudonym Bill Mooney for himself."

"Segretti said he wanted to cover the country," Shipley continued, "that he would be more or less the head coordinator for the country. But some of the things he proposed to do didn't seem that damaging, like getting a post office box in the name of the Massachusetts Safe Driving Committee and awarding a

medal to Teddy Kennedy—with announcements sent to the press."

"The one important thing that struck me was that he seemed to be well financed," Shipley said. "He was always flying across the country. When he came to Washington in June he said he had had an appointment at the Treasury Department and that the Treasury Department was picking up the tab on this—his plane and hotel bill. He said 'don't ask me any names.'"

(According to travel records, Segretti criss-crossed the country at least 10 times during the second half of 1971. Stops included Miami, Houston, Manchester, N.H., Knoxville, Los Angeles, New York, Washington, Salt Lake City, Chicago, Portland, Ore, Albuquerque, Tucson, San Francisco, Monterrey and several other California cities.)

According to Shipley, Segretti was an unlikely choice for any undercover political work. I didn't think he could do it because he's not that kind of guy," said Shipley. "He doesn't have the right personality. He's a small guy with a big smile on his face all the time, kind of naive almost. I always assumed he was fairly liberal, but I don't think we ever had a political discussion."

Segretti told him one other major element about his covert work, said Shipley: "He intended to go into a law firm near Los Angeles by the name of Young and Segretti—he said it was a cover, that he would be doing only political work."

According to the California Bar Association, Segretti's law office at 14013 West Captain's Row, Marina Del Rey, Calif.

There, in an apartment surrounded by comfortable furniture, piles of photograph records, tomato plants, a stereo receiver, a tap deck and a 10-speed bike, Segretti was found last week by Post special correspondent Myers.

Questioned whether he knew Alex Shipley, Roger Lee Nixt, Kenneth Griffiths or Peter Dixon, Segretti asked, "Why?" Informed that they had said Segretti attempted to recruit them for undercover political work, he replied: "I don't believe it." Then he declined to answer a series of questions except to say either

"I don't know," "No comment," or some similar response.

At one point, Segretti said: "This is all ridiculous and I don't know anything about this."

At another point he said: "The Treasury Department never paid my way to Washington or anywhere else."

Biographical details about Segretti, who stands about 5 feet 8 and weighs about 150 pounds, are minimal.

From Army colleagues and classmates at the Boalt Hall School of Law at the University of California in Berkeley, it is known that he was raised on the West Coast.

After receiving his law degree, he served as a Treasury Department attorney in Washington for less than a year, according to friends, and then entered the Army as an officer in the Army Judge Advocate General Corps.

A Treasury Department spokesman confirmed that Segretti, in 1966 and 1967, worked as an attorney in the office of the Comptroller of the Currency here.

About a year of Segretti's Army service, friends said, was spent in Vietnam, with Americal Division headquarters in Chu Lai and U.S. Army-Vietnam Headquarters at Long Binh.

Segretti returned to the States for the latter part of his military service and was stationed at Ft. Ord until his discharge sometime in the second half of 1971, according to friends.



1963 Photo
DONALD H. SEGRETTI
This is all ridiculous



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Democrats Step Up Sabotage Charges

By Karlyn Barker
and Bob Woodward
Washington Post Staff Writers

The McGovern camp last night accused the Republicans of more acts of attempted political sabotage and Rep. Wright Patman (D-Tex.) renewed his effort to open a congressional investigation into the Watergate incident and issues stemming from it.

Frank Mankiewicz, political director for the McGovern campaign, listed 10 separate acts of alleged sabotage, saying that some of them were so well-engineered that they must have come from the Republicans.

While he offered no evidence that the alleged sabotage was Republican-sponsored, Mankiewicz cited examples ranging from a serious attempt to get AFL-CIO President George Meany to come to New York for a bogus rendezvous with McGovern to instances of telephone calls amounting to apparent practical jokes.

In a related development, Sen. Edmund S. Muskie, (D-Maine), identified in yesterday's Washington Post story as the victim of a White House hoax that apparently damaged his presidential campaign, demanded yesterday that President Nixon personally answer charges linking his staff to



FRANK MANKIEWICZ
10 separate acts

widespread acts of political spying.

During the morning briefing at the White House, Press Secretary Ronald L. Ziegler declined on 20 separate occasions to comment on the new allegations of political spying as reporters questioned him about the matter for nearly 10 minutes.

"My answer," Ziegler said in his final no-comment statement, "is that I have nothing

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Muskie demands Nixon response to charges. Page A12.

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urther to say about The Washington Post story. It has been appropriately addressed by the committee (for the reelection of the president) and Mr. Clawson and I have nothing further to say."

Both the Nixon committee and Ken W. Clawson, a White House aide linked to the political espionage in the Post story, have flatly denied the charges.

The Post story reported that FBI agents had linked the Watergate bugging incident to a massive campaign of political spying and sabotage against the Democrats.

Rep. Patman, chairman of the House Banking and Currency Committee, cited the story in pressing again for the "full-scale congressional investigation with subpoena powers into the Watergate bugging incident that was refused by a 20-to-15 vote of his Committee last week.

Yesterday, he called the members together for a 10 a.m. Thursday meeting because "developments of the past week have greatly intensified the seriousness of the matter."

Specifically asked to testify before Patman's Committee are Clark MacGregor, chairman of the Committee to Reelect the President; Maurice Stans, that committee's finance chairman; John Mitchell, former Attorney General and former campaign chairman, and John Dean, a White House staffer who conducted an in-house investigation of the Watergate incident.

At a news conference in the Rayburn House Office Building, Patman also said that the General Accounting Office "has taken up my request for a full-scale investigation of the financial aspects of the Watergate affair" and will release initial findings by Oct. 26.

"I am calling on the President to open up the records—all the records—of his campaign organization," said Patman. "I am calling on him to require that all of his personnel be available to answer questions and to reveal publicly what has gone on behind the backs of the American people."

Other recent developments alluded to by Patman yesterday

included a story written by Clark R. Mollenhoff, of the Des Moines Register and Tribune, that reported that Ziegler had said that money used in the Watergate bugging incident came from Nixon campaign funds. Ziegler has denied making such an admission.

There has also been a statement by Alfred C. Baldwin III, who has been granted immunity from prosecution, that he participated in the bugging conspiracy and saw transcripts of the bugging addressed to a presidential aide and members of the reelection committee.

Patman said U.S. District Court Judge John J. Sirica's amended order issued last Friday "clears the way for these witnesses (Mitchell, MacGregor, Stans and Dean) to appear voluntarily. . . . There is no legitimate reason for them not to appear."

Sirica has earlier prohibited out-of-court comment on the Watergate incident on the grounds that it would prejudice the case of seven defendants indicted in the Watergate break-in and alleged bugging of Democratic National Committee headquarters.

On Friday, however, Sirica said his ruling was not intended to affect congressional activities, political debate or news media reporting.

Patman said he did not know if President Nixon had direct knowledge of the bugging conspiracy or any other alleged sabotage activities on the part of his reelection committee.

But, Patman said, "He's in charge, as he should be. He is responsible. If you don't run the campaign yourself, you lose control of it."

Rep. Benjamin B. Blackburn (R-Ga.), who attended Patman's news conference, told reporters afterward that the chairman "has no new evidence (in the Watergate investigation). It would be absolutely crazy for any witness to appear."

Blackburn, who said he would be in Georgia Thursday kicking off his reelection campaign, said the Committee could serve no legal purpose by an investigation and that further probing would be too close to congressional adjournment due perhaps on Saturday.

There are individuals who support the other candidate but they don't want to talk about him," said Blackburn. "They want to talk about a peripheral issue, and that's all this is."

Patman said his Committee's investigation would focus on "all of the financial aspects" of the charges against the Republicans.

In a letter to Elmer B. Staats, U.S. comptroller general, Patman asked the GAO to investigate the transportation of \$100,000 from Houston, Tex., to a bank in Mexico and finally to the President's reelection committee.

Patman's letter also asked the GAO to investigate "the manner in which \$25,000 in

was delivered to the (reelection) finance committee" and "the present location of the \$125,000 described above to determine who now has possession of this money and/or for what purposes it was expended and by whom and on what dates."

A spokesman for the GAO said yesterday, however, that his office "may not have the time or authority" to do all that Patman has asked by the Oct. 26 deadline.

There was no indication yesterday whether any of the four Republican aides asked to testify before the Committee would appear Thursday.

A spokesman for the reelection committee said he did not know what response MacGregor and Stans would have "and I don't believe in saying things I don't know."

There was no response from either Mitchell or Dean, but a spokesman for Patman said he expected that at least some of the four would show up for the hearing.

"Judge Sirica has given them permission to talk and that was their only excuse before," said the spokesman. "They'll have to come up with another reason or they'll simply have to start talking."

The spokesman said that if the witnesses did not show up, "then the Committee will consider voting to subpoena them."

Members of the Committee, including all Republicans members, voted 20 to 15 against issuing such subpoenas last week and the two Democrats and four Southern Democrats who voted no then indicated yesterday they probably would not change their votes.

In the charges of alleged sabotage, McGovern political director Mankiewicz said that someone impersonated him in

a telephone call to CBS commentator Walter Cronkite last week.

The impersonator referred to a bogus deal in which Cronkite had allegedly agreed to give 80 per cent of the news coverage of the presidential campaign to McGovern and the remaining 20 per cent to Nixon. "But everybody's getting suspicious—better give more to Nixon," the Mankiewicz impersonator said.

Mankiewicz said that Cronkite later told him of the impersonator's call and "said the guy was definitely not just a crank."

Mankiewicz said the other recent examples of alleged disruption and intelligence gathering included:

- A telephone call to McGovern finance personnel by someone impersonating Kirby Jones of the McGovern staff asking for information on how much was given to the McGovern campaign by Stewart Mott, the General Motors heir.

- A request by another person claiming to be a Taiwan diplomat seeking information on McGovern's long-range campaign schedule.

- A telephone call by someone posing as an aide to campaign manager Gary Hart requesting campaign chairman Lawrence F. O'Brien to stop criticizing Hart.

- Another telephone impersonator alleging to be Oliver Tyrez, the McGovern TV agent, and trying to cancel the senator's speech last night on CBS outlining a plan to end the Vietnam war. (The plan failed when CBS officials called McGovern headquarters to check.)

In addition, Mankiewicz said: "You'd come in in the morning and there would be false stories in the newspapers on staff changes or problems, and

We'd say, 'Who could have said that?' and we'd never find out. Somebody was clearly doing it."

In another development yesterday, the second of three attorneys who told The Post that they were recruited to do political sabotage for the Republicans described some of the plans.

Roger Lee Nixt, the attorney, told CBS reporters in Iowa that one plan was to print up "bogus tickets or extra tickets" for Democratic fund-raisers, particularly those of Sen. Muskie.

Nixt said these extra tickets would be given to people so that when the dinner was actually held, there'd be confusion because too many people would be there and this would irritate the Democrats in a way and create a problem in the Muskie campaign.

Nixt said he was told "I could get paid good for it, that money was no problem."

Meanwhile, reports were circulating in the McGovern camp that some of the initial information concerning the medical history of Sen. Thomas Eagleton came from Republican sources. McGovern dropped Eagleton from the ticket after it was disclosed that the senator had received psychiatric treatment.

Robert Boyd, chief of the Washington bureau of Knight newspapers which received the first tip on Eagleton's background, including some details, said in an interview that the newspaper chain's source got his material from "Republican" intermediaries.

Later, the same informant contacted McGovern campaign aides with the data. The McGovern people were relieved, Boyd said, at having the disclosure come early in the campaign.

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Attached advises that at approximately 11:40 p.m., 10/12/72, Washington Post reporter Carl Bernstein telephonically was in touch with SA Angelo Lano, Washington Field Office case Agent in the McCord matter, concerning a front page article Bernstein learned was appearing in the 10/13/72 "New York Times," to the effect that former Assistant Attorney General Robert Mardian had sent Everette Howard Hunt and George Gordon Liddy to the Justice Department to review FBI files made available by contacts of Mardian at the Department. SA Lano advised Bernstein he could make no comment.

Review of the "New York Times" article (attached) does not indicate that Mardian is alleged to have sent Hunt and Liddy to the Department to review files concerning the Watergate matter. Rather, allegedly, information sought by Liddy and Hunt dealt with intelligence type information. The article states that Mr. Mardian, while with the Department, served as Department liaison with an intelligence team formed by the White House last year to plug all leaks to the press and Hunt and Liddy were stated to have been part of that intelligence team.

It is noted we developed no information about the foregoing during the Watergate investigation. Mr. Mardian, when contacted on 7/17/72, declined to furnish information, citing an attorney-client relationship with individuals at the Committee to Reelect the President. Hunt and Liddy also declined to furnish any substantive information when we sought to interview them in June, 1972.

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THE AGENT REPLIED THAT HE COULD NOT COMMENT ON EITHER QUESTION.

A REVIEW OF THIS MORNING'S NEW YORK TIMES NEWS PAPER REFLECT A PAGE ONE STORY REGARDING MARDIAN, HUNT AND LIDDY AND THEIR ACCESS TO CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION AT THE DEPARTMENT.

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Nixon Campaign Aide Said To Get Private U.S. Data

By NICHOLAS GAGE

Special to The New York Times

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12—Former Assistant Attorney General Robert C. Mardian obtained confidential information from the Justice Department for potential use in President Nixon's political campaign after leaving the Government to work for the Committee for the Re-election of the President, according to sources close to the Watergate investigation.

On at least one occasion, the sources said, Mr. Mardian sent two men, later indicted in the Watergate affair, to pick up information from the department, where Mr. Mardian had been head of the Internal Security Division.

Mr. Mardian said today through a spokesman that he consulted the Justice Department after leaving it only for information about possible civil disturbances at the Miami Beach Republican convention. "This type of information was available to both parties," he said.

Visited Watergate Earlier

Mr. Mardian denied ever sending any of the men involved in the Watergate affair to the department to get information.

The sources said that no evidence had been found to show that Mr. Mardian or anyone beyond the seven men indicted in the Watergate affair had had any advance knowledge of it.

The men who broke into the Democratic National Committee headquarters in the Watergate complex last June 17 also went there on other occasions, the sources said, and some intelligence gathered on those trips was incorporated into written reports to high officials.

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the re-election committee, including its former chairman, John N. Mitchell. But the reports did not give the source of the information.

Efforts to reach Mr. Mitchell today were unsuccessful.

No evidence has been found, either, that the seven men informed anyone on the committee orally about their intelligence-gathering activities at the Watergate, the sources said.

Although committee money was used to finance the Watergate operation, evidence gathered thus far indicates that G. Gordon Liddy, the committee's former finance counsel, who is one of the seven men indicted in the case, arranged for the money on his own.

The \$350,000 that was later disclosed to have been in the safe of Maurice H. Stans, President Nixon's chief fund-raiser at the time of the Watergate operation was there for reasons that were not connected with the operation, the sources said.

They would not disclose the reasons but said that details about the money would come out at the trial of the seven

men and "will surprise some people."

Some of the information collected in the investigation of the case, according to one of those who took part in the inquiry, dealt with the relationship of Mr. Mardian to men involved in the Watergate affair.

While an assistant attorney general, Mr. Mardian served as the liaison in the Justice Department for an intelligence team formed by White House aides last year. The group was put together to plug up leaks to the press after the publication in The New York Times of details concerning the talks on limiting nuclear armaments between the United States and Soviet Union.

The group included Mr. Liddy, a former Federal Bureau of Investigation agent, and E. Howard Hunt, a former Central Intelligence Agency operative and part-time pulp novelist. Both Mr. Liddy and Mr. Hunt are among the seven persons indicted in the break-in.

According to sources close to the case, Mr. Liddy and Mr. Hunt would go to Mr. Mardian when the intelligence group needed information from the Justice Department or wanted an agency of the department to investigate a particular matter.

Last December, Mr. Liddy

moved from the White House intelligence group to President's re-election committee as financial counsel and continued to call Mr. Mardian for information, the sources said.

Last spring, when Mr. Mardian also joined the committee, he began to make calls to the Justice Department asking former associates for information, they said.

The sources did not say what the information he wanted dealt with but said that most of it was in the department's confidential files.

On at least one occasion, Mr. Mardian sent Mr. Liddy and Mr. Hunt to a former associate in the department to pick up information, the sources said.

They said that the investigation into the Watergate affair both by the Federal Bureau of Investigation and the United States Attorney's office here had been exhaustive, despite reports to the contrary.

Three Aides Are Democrats

They said that all three of the Assistant United States Attorneys who had worked on the case were Democrats.

Earl J. Silbert, who is in charge of the case, was brought into the Government in 1960 and has worked under both Democrats and Republicans. He stayed in the Justice Department as a lawyer until 1964

when he moved to the United States Attorney's office here. assisting Mr. Silbert, served as a lawyer in the organized crime and racketeering section of the Justice Department for four years before joining the United States Attorney's Office. He is described by acquaintances as a liberal Democrat.

Seymour Glazer, who has also worked on the case, has

been in the office since 1965 and is chief of the fraud unit. He was also described as a liberal Democrat.

Neither the information that the three attorneys have collected nor the evidence developed by the F.B.I. has contradicted statements obtained from Mr. Mitchell, Mr. Stans or other committee members, the sources said.

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911 PM NITEL 10-13-72 KMC

TO ACTING DIRECTOR

WFO (139-166)

FROM BALTIMORE (139-148)

JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR. ET AL, BURGLARY - DEMOCRATIC
NATIONAL COMMITTEE HEADQUARTERS, WASHINGTON, D.C., JUNE
SEVENTEEN LAST, IOC, OO: WFO

RE WFO TELETYPE TO BUREAU AND BALTIMORE OCTOBER ELEVEN LAST.

JOHN LEE ~~X~~ DONALDSON, FOUR FIVE ONE NINE HEATH STREET,
CAPITOL HEIGHTS, MARYLAND, TELEPHONE NUMBER FOUR TWO ZERO -
THREE TWO FOUR THREE INTERVIEWED OCTOBER TWELVE LAST AND ADVISED
CURRENT EMPLOYMENT IS ANDREWS AIR FORCE BASE COMMISSARY, CAMP
SPRINGS, MARYLAND AS A CIVILIAN. HE HAS NEVER BEEN APPROACHED
BY MC CORD OR ANY OTHER PERSON REGARDING EMPLOYMENT WITH THE
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REPUBLICAN COMMITTEE AND COULD PROVIDE NO INFORMATION REGARDING
BREAK-IN OF DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS, JUNE SEVENTEEN
LAST.

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10/14/72

GENERAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

Attached advises that Captain Tom Wallace, U. S. Army, Fort Ord, California, informed our San Francisco Office, 10/13/72, that about a year ago he was contacted by Donald Segretti who attempted to recruit Captain Wallace to infiltrate the political campaign of Governor George Wallace in either Mississippi or Alabama. Captain Wallace declined Segretti's request and has no information concerning Segretti's activities. According to the Captain, he was recently contacted by a New York Times writer named Roberts who wanted background information concerning Segretti. Roberts indicated he had information concerning Segretti's proposition to Captain Wallace.

We have not previously had Captain Wallace brought to our attention nor have we investigated Segretti's efforts to recruit individuals to assist him in his alleged harassment campaign against Democratic candidates.

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TO ACTING DIRECTOR (139-4089)

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LOS ANGELES (139-306)

FROM SAN FRANCISCO (139-142) 2P

INTERCEPTION OF COMMUNICATIONS

JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR. ETAL, LOC

SAN FRANCISCO WASHINGTON FIELD OFFICE
RE SF TELCALL TO WFO OCTOBER TWELVE AND WFO TEL OCTOBER

THIRTEEN INSTANT.

CAPT. TOM WALLACE, MILITARY JUDGE, U.S. ARMY, FT. ORD, CALIF.,
ASN FOUR TWO SEVEN EIGHT SIX EIGHT ONE FOUR TWO, ADVISED THIS DATE
HE WAS CONTACTED APPROXIMATELY ONE YEAR AGO BY MR. DONALD SEGRETTI,
WHO ASKED CAPT. WALLACE IF HE WOULD BE INTERESTED IN WORKING AND
INFILTRATING THE WALLACE CAMPAIGN IN EITHER MISSISSIPPI OR ALABAMA,
FURNISHING INFORMATION TO HIM CONCERNING WALLACE'S CAMPAIGN PLANS.
CAPT. WALLACE ADVISED SEGRETTI HE HAD TWO YEARS REMAINING IN THE
MILITARY AND WAS NOT INTERESTED. SEGRETTI THEN ASKED WALLACE IF HE
COULD FURNISH NAMES OF SOMEONE ELSE WHO WOULD BE INTERESTED IN
INFILTRATING THE WALLACE CAMPAIGN. CAPT. WALLACE COULD FURNISH NO
NAMES.

HE STATED AT THE TIME HE WAS APPROACHED BY SEGRETTI, SEGRETTI
WAS JUDGE ADVOCATE GENERAL OFFICER, FT. ORD, CALIFORNIA. HE
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INDICATED SEGRETTI LEFT ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY SEPTEMBER NINETEEN, SEVENTYONE, TO WORK FOR A LAW FIRM IN LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA. HE INDICATED LAW FIRM EMPLOYING SEGRETTI IS ACTIVE FOR THE COMMITTEE TO RE-ELECT THE PRESIDENT. HE COULD FURNISH NO INFORMATION CONCERNING SEGRETTI'S ACTIVITIES AND INDICATED AT THE PROPOSITION MADE TO HIM HE CONSIDERED IT A JOKE.

(FIRST NAME UNKNOWN)

CAPT. WALLACE INDICATED HE WAS CONTACTED BY ~~LENU~~ ROBERTS OF THE "NEW YORK TIMES," WHO WANTED INTERVIEW AND BACKGROUND ON SEGRETTI. ROBERTS INDICATED TO CAPT. WALLACE HE HAD INFORMATION CONCERNING PROPOSITION MADE TO CAPT. WALLACE BY SEGRETTI. CAPT. WALLACE REFUSED TO COMMENT INDICATING HE WOULD CONTINUE TO REFUSE INTERVIEW TO PRESS.

FD THREE ZERO TWO FOLLOWS.

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October 14, 1972

GENERAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

This concerns our investigation of bugging of Democratic National Headquarters.

Attached relates to matter in which Dade County, Florida, State's Attorney's Office has brought local charges in Miami, Florida, against Bernard L. Barker for allegedly falsely notarizing the endorsement of Kenneth Dahlberg on the \$25,000 cashier's check payable to Dahlberg which was passed through the account of Barker at the Republic National Bank, Miami. Dahlberg allegedly is ^{not} an acquaintance of Barker's and notarization by Barker of Dahlberg's endorsement under these circumstances constitutes the alleged violation of Florida laws.

Special Agent John E. Denton, Washington Field Office, is being subpoenaed to produce the original check for the local trial on 10/30/72. Assistant U. S. Attorney Silbert, Washington, D.C., advised that no action should be taken concerning this matter until he presents the State of Florida request to U.S. District Judge John J. Sirica on 10/16/72, or 10/17/72.

Pertinent developments will be brought to your attention.

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JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR., ETAL, BURGLARY, DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL
COMMITTEE HEADQUARTERS, WASHINGTON, D.C. JUNE SEVENTEEN SEVENTY TWO
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Reference Teletype

RE WFO TEL TO BUREAU TODAY.

RE SUBJECT BERNARD L. BARKER.

FOR INFO OF BUREAU, OFFICAL LETTER FROM STATES ATTORNEY OFFICE

Washington, D.C.,

MIAMI, FLA., BEING FORWARDED TO U.S. DISTRICT COURT, WDC, CARE OF

Assistant U.S. Attorney

Special Agent

AUSA EARL SILBERT, REQUESTING APPEARANCE OF SA JOHN E. DENTON,

WASHINGTON FIELD OFFICE, TO APPEAR TEN THIRTY NEXT FOR BARKER TRIAL.

AGENT DENTON INITIALED KENNETH DAHLBERG CHECK WHEN HE RECEIVED IT

IN CHAIN OF EVIDENCE FROM MIAMI, FLA. AUSA SILBERT ADVISED MIAMI

AUTHORITIES WILL PAY EXPENSES OF DENTON TO AND FROM MIAMI. AUSA

SILBERT IS SETTING FORTH FOLLOWING CONDITION FOR MIAMI AUTHORITIES:

THAT DENTON APPEAR TEN THIRTY WITH CHECK AND CHECK MUST

RETURN TO WDC WITH DENTON.

AUSA SILBERT ADVISED THAT EVEN BEFORE ANYTHING CAN BE DONE WITH THE

CHECK, HE MUST FIRST PRESENT MATTER BEFORE U.S. DISTRICT COURT JUDGE

JOHN J. SIRICA. THIS MATTER WILL BE TAKEN UP ON SIXTEEN

OR SEVENTEEN NEXT. WFO WILL FOLLOW.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

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Mrs. Neenan ☐

TO : Mr. Bates

DATE: October 16, 1972

FROM : C. Bolz

1 - Mr. Felt
1 - Mr. Bates
1 - Mr. Gallagher
1 - Mr. Bolz
1 - Mr. Conrad
1 - Mr. Bishop

SUBJECT: JAMES WALTER McCORD, JR.; ET AL.
BURGLARY OF DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL
COMMITTEE HEADQUARTERS, 6/17/72
INTERCEPTION OF COMMUNICATIONS

Mr. Henry Petersen, Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, called this morning to inquire as to whether James F. Flug, Chief Counsel for Senator Edward M. Kennedy's Subcommittee on Administrative Practices and Procedures, had appeared this morning to observe various tests we are making at the Democratic National Committee Headquarters. It is to be noted arrangements were made this morning for testing the devices recovered 6/17/72, and the device recovered 9/13/72, to determine their transmission capability.

Washington Field Office (WFO) advised that Flug was invited by Spencer Oliver to observe these tests but when he appeared Bureau Agents refused to permit Flug to observe the on-going tests. WFO states that Flug remained in the area of the Democratic National Committee Headquarters, but although he is in the immediate area, the tests are being conducted. Mr. Petersen was so advised and stated he concurred in the FBI's action in barring Flug from the tests.

Mr. Petersen also inquired as to whether we had cleared the proposed tests with the Federal Communications Communication. It was determined from SA Ernest J. Landreville of the Laboratory Division that he had obtained authority on 10/15/72, from the Office of Telecommunications Policy (OTP), Executive Office of the President, for the Bureau's conducting of these tests. According to SA Landreville, the Bureau is not subject to FCC regulations and the OTP is the only agency we had to obtain authority from to conduct the proposed tests. Mr. Petersen was advised as to the foregoing.

It is to be noted the testing of these devices is presently going on. It was to start at about 7:00 A.M., 10/16/72, and to last for approximately five hours.

ACTION: For information. WFO will advise as to the results of the foregoing tests.

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Bolz to Bates memorandum of October 16,
1972 on James Walter McCord

ADDENDUM

On October 15, at approximately 11:00 p.m., I was notified by Charles Lichenstein, Special Assistant to the Chairman, Federal Communications Commission, that Senator Kennedy's staff had been pressing Chairman Burch quite hard all weekend to monitor the Bureau's tests at DNCHQ. He further stated that he, Lichenstein, had discussed this with Mr. Gray. It was Chairman Burch's attitude, as well as Mr. Lichenstein's, that FCC would not monitor the FBI tests unless something in the nature of a formal request or subpoena was received from Senator Kennedy.

On October 16, at 8:35 a.m., Mr. Lichenstein notified me that he had received 15 minutes earlier a letter, over what purported to be the signature of Senator Kennedy, making such a request. He asked me to check on whether and when the tests would be run. I checked with Mr. Felt, who relayed from Mr. Kunkel the information that the tests had started at approximately 8:00 and would continue for four or five hours. I relayed this information to Mr. Lichenstein, who indicated that FCC probably had no choice but to dispatch its mobile van to monitor the test as requested. I agreed.

Subsequently, Mr. Lichenstein reported that the mobile van had been dispatched to the site of the tests, and FCC personnel were monitoring the tests. This information was relayed to Mr. Kunkel by Mr. Felt.

The tests were concluded at 1:45 p.m. I informed Mr. Lichenstein of this. He stated that he would supply us a copy of the FCC report on the monitoring for our information. Naturally he did not mean to suggest that any quid pro quo was necessary.


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to be authentic.*

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TO ACTING DIRECTOR (139-4089)

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JAMES WALTER MC CORD, ETAL, BURGLARY, DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL
COMITTEE HEADQUARTERS, WASHINGTON, D.C. JUNE SEVENTEEN SEVENTY
TWO. IOC. 00:WFO.

RE WFO TEL CALL TO BUREAU TODAY.

CHIEF JUDGE JOHN J. SIRICA, U.S. DISTRICT COURT, WDC, TODAY
SET TRIAL DATE FOR NOVEMBER FIFTEEN SEVENTY TWO. U.S. DISTRICT
COURT, WDC. ORAL MOTIONS TO BE HEARD BEGINNING, OCTOBER
TWENTY FIVE
NEXT.

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GENERAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

Attached relates to the matter in which Dade County, Florida, State's Attorney's Office has brought local charges in Miami, Florida, against Bernard L. Barker for allegedly falsely notarizing the endorsement of Kenneth Dahlberg on the \$25,000 cashier's check payable to Dahlberg which was passed through the account of Barker at the Republic National Bank, Miami. Dahlberg allegedly is not an acquaintance of Barker's and notarization by Barker of Dahlberg's endorsement under these circumstances constitutes the alleged violation of Florida laws.

Special Agent (SA) John J. Cloherty, Jr., who originally picked up the Dahlberg check from the First Bank and Trust Company of Boca Raton, Florida, received two state subpoenas on 10/17/72, requiring his presence 10/26/72, at State's Attorney's Office and at Dade County Criminal Court 10/30/72. The purpose of these subpoenas is apparently for pretrial interview of SA Cloherty and testimony during the trial.

Washington Field Office is taking this matter up with Assistant U. S. Attorney Silbert to determine whether SA Cloherty should respond.

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TO ACTING DIRECTOR 139-4089

WASHINGTON FIELD 139-166

FROM MIAMI 139-328 2P

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JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR., ET AL. BURGLARY OF DEMOCRATIC
PARTY NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS, JUNE SEVENTEEN, NINETEEN
SEVENTYTWO. ~~loc.~~ ~~cc:~~ WASHINGTON FIELD.
OFFICE OF ORIGIN

THIS DATE, SA JOHN J. CLOHERTY, JR., ASSISTANT SENIOR
RESIDENT AGENT AT WEST PALM BEACH, FLA., RECEIVED TWO STATE
SUBPOENAS. ONE SUBPOENA REQUIRES HIS PRESENCE OCT.
TWENTYSIX, SEVENTYTWO, IN THE OFFICE OF DADE COUNTY STATE
ATTORNEY RICHARD GERSTEIN WHILE THE OTHER SUBPOENA REQUIRES
SA CLOHERTY'S PRESENCE OCT. THIRTY, SEVENTYTWO, BEFORE DADE
COUNTY CRIMINAL COURT JUDGE PAUL BAKER. REASON FOR SUBPOENA
NOT INDICATED.

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IT IS NOTED SA CLOHERTY PICKED UP FROM THE FIRST BANK
AND TRUST CO. OF BOCA RATON, FLA., THE ORIGINAL TWENTYFIVE
THOUSAND DOLLAR KENNETH DAHLBERG CHECK WHICH HAS FIGURED
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PROMINENTLY IN THIS CASE AND WE PRESUME THE SUBPOENA TO
APPEAR BEFORE THE STATE ATTORNEY IS TO SUBMIT TO INTERVIEW
CONCERNING THIS AND THE SUBPOENA FOR JUDGE BAKER IS FOR
TESTIMONY IN THE STATE CASE AGAINST BERNARD L. BARKER FOR
MISUSE OF A NOTARY SEAL WHICH IS SCHEDULED TO BEGIN THAT DATE.

WASHINGTON FIELD IS REQUESTED TO CONSULT ^{Assistant United States Attorney} AUSA-EARL SILBERT

RELATIVE TO HIS DESIRES AS TO WHETHER SA CLOHERTY SHOULD RESPOND
AND IF HE SHOULD BE ACCOMPANIED BY AN ^{Assistant United States Attorney} AUSA

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Date: 10/17/72

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TO: ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI (139-4089)

FROM: SAC, MIAMI (139-328)

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JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR.,
ET AL, BURGLARY, DEMOCRATIC
NATIONAL COMMITTEE HEADQUARTERS,
WASHINGTON, D. C. 6/17/72
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Re WFO teletype, 10/12/72.
to WFO

Enclosed *ay* please find 13 exhibits consisting of records which are described below together with names of witnesses who can properly introduce same in Court. It is noted that some of these exhibits have previously been sent to the Washington Field Office by prior communication.

MM 139-328-1A48

Bank records of Barker Associates, Inc., 2301
N. W. 7th Street, Miami, Florida 33125.

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Special Agent in Charge

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First Bank and Trust Company, Boca Raton, Florida.

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These records secured after service of subpoena duces tecum on 6/29/72 on FRANK MARGULIES, Treasurer, Fontainebleau Hotel, 4441 Collins Avenue, Miami Beach, Florida.

MM 139-328-1A16

Registration cards for GEORGE F. LEONARD and ED WARREN, room 604, Playboy Plaza Hotel, Miami Beach, Florida for period 12/27 through 29/71.

These records can be produced in Court through the testimony of Mr. NORMAN LASH, Manager, Playboy Plaza Hotel, 5445 Collins Avenue, Miami Beach, Florida.

MM 139-328-1A32

Registration card for JAMES W. MC CORD, JR., room 914, Doral Beach Hotel, Miami Beach, Florida, for period 6/6 through 6/8/72. Original registration card has been retained by hotel. Xerox copy attached.

MM 139-328-1A69

Telephone toll calls for room 914, Doral Beach Hotel for period 6/6 through 6/8/72. These original records were forwarded to Washington Field Office by Miami airtel dated 9/15/72, item number 7.

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The above records can be produced in Court through the testimony of JOE SELMA, Auditor, Doral Beach Hotel, 4833 Collins Avenue, Miami Beach, Florida.

MM 139-328-1A61

Registration card for EDW. J. WARREN, room 1705, Sheraton Four Ambassadors Hotel, Miami, Florida, for period 6/10/72 through 6/11/72.

MM 139-328-1A79

Registration card for Mr. and Mrs. EDWARD J. WARREN, room 568, Sheraton Four Ambassadors Hotel, Miami, Florida, for period 3/10 through 13/72. Original registration card sent to FBI Laboratory and will be forwarded to Washington Field Office.

MM 139-328-1A78

Telephone toll calls from room 568, Sheraton Four Ambassadors Hotel for period of 3/10 through 3/13/72. The above records can be produced in Court through the testimony of FREDERICK W. CERRONE, Resident Manager, Sheraton Four Ambassadors Hotel, 801 South Bay Shore Drive, Miami, Florida 33131.

MM 139-328-1A74

Registration card for EDWARD J. WARREN, room 800-01, Dupont Plaza Hotel, Miami, Florida, for period 2/11 through 13/72.

MM 139-328-1A77

Registration card for GEORGE F. LEONARD, room 800-01, Dupont Plaza Hotel, Miami, Florida, for period 2/11 through 13/72.

MM 139-328-1A73

Registration card for GEORGE F. LEONARD, room 1114, Dupont Plaza Hotel, Miami, Florida for period 3/4 through 6/72.

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These records can be produced in Court through the testimony of JACK B. LESLIE, Front Office Manager, Dupont Plaza Hotel, 300 Biscayne Boulevard Way, Miami, Florida.

MM 139-328-1A71

Registration card for DENNIS H. SIMMONS, room 30, Frolics Motel, Miami, Florida for period 2/11 through 12/72. This record can be produced in Court through testimony of THOMAS G. MYERS, Frolics Motel, 3530 Biscayne Boulevard, Miami, Florida.

MM 139-328-1A70

Registration card for DONALD SIMMONS, room 7, Towne Motel, Miami, Florida, for period 6/10 through 12/72.

This record can be produced in Court through the testimony of FRED VOORHEES, Manager, Towne Motel, 1200 Brickell Avenue, Miami, Florida.

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ATTENTION FBI LABORATORY

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JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR., ETAL; BURGLARY, DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL
COMMITTEE HEADQUARTERS, WASHINGTON, D. C. JUNE SEVENTEEN SEVENTY
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RE WFO TELETYPE TO BUREAU, TEN THREE LAST.

THE LABORATORY IS REQUESTED TO CONDUCT RADIO TRANSMISSION
TESTS ON THE THREE TELEPHONE TAP DEVICES RECOVERED FROM SUBJECTS
IN THIS CASE, FROM THE OFFICE OF SPENCER OLIVER, OFFICE OF
DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL COMMITTEE HEADQUARTERS, WDC., TO THE HOWARD
JOHNSON MOTOR LODGE, ACROSS FROM THE DNCH.

CONTACTS ARE BEING ESTABLISHED AT THIS TIME TO DETERMINE
A DEFINITE TIME THAT OLIVER'S OFFICE AND THE TWO ROOMS OF THE
HOWARD JOHNSON MOTOR LODGE WOULD BE ACCESSIBLE FOR THE TESTS.

RESULTS OF THIS PARTICULAR TEST WOULD BE USED AS
EVIDENCE IN THE FORTHCOMING TRIAL TO CORROBORATE ALFRED C. BALDWIN'S
STATEMENT THAT HE MONITORED TELEPHONE CONVERSATIONS FROM A ROOM
IN HOWARD JOHNSON MOTOR LODGE.

ADVISE WFO WHEN ABOVE REQUEST IS GRANTED.

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CC: Mr. Conrad

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GENERAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

Attached requests the Laboratory to conduct radion transmission tests from Democratic Party Headquarters of the 3 telephone tap devices which were recovered from the subjects of this case when they were arrested on 6/17/72.

The Laboratory and Washington Field are going forward with the testing as the Acting Director previously approved testing by the Laboratory of the device recovered 9/13/72, from Spencer Oliver's telephone at Democratic Headquarters and the testing of the devices involved in the 6/17/72, incident is a logical step, particularly since results of the test would be used as evidence at trial of the Watergate defendants, to corroborate Baldwin's statement.

Washington Field Office is making arrangements for access to the Democratic Party Headquarters Office space and Rooms 419 and 723 of the Howard Johnson Motel for this testing.

Results will be brought to your attention as soon as received.

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10/17/72

FROM ACTING DIRECTOR FBI

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- 1 - Mr. Bradley
- 1 - Mr. Parsons
- 1 - Mr. Johnson

JAMES WALTER MC CORD JR., AKA;
 ET AL; BURGLARY DEMOCRATIC
 NATIONAL COMMITTEE HEADQUARTERS,
 WASHINGTON, D. C.;
 JUNE SEVENTEEN, SEVENTY-TWO
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 MINIATURE FM TRANSMITTER
 FOUND ON TELEPHONE OF
 R. SPENCER OLIVER,
 DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL
 COMMITTEE HEADQUARTERS,
 WASHINGTON, D. C.,
 SEPTEMBER THIRTEEN, SEVENTY-TWO
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RE WASHINGTON FIELD TELETYPE OCTOBER THIRTEEN LAST
 SETTING FORTH ARRANGEMENTS MADE TO TEST TRANSMISSION CAPA-
 BILITIES OF CAPTIONED DEVICE AND FOUR DEVICES RECOVERED DURING
 QUOTE MC CORD END QUOTE INVESTIGATIONS.

TRANSMISSION TESTS WERE CONDUCTED ON OCTOBER SIXTEEN LAST
 BETWEEN THE DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL COMMITTEE HEADQUARTERS AND

- Walt
- Baker
- Bates
- Bishop
- Callahan
- Cleveland
- Conrad
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NOTE: Based on memorandum from Mr. Bradley to Mr. Conrad dated
 10/17/72, same caption.

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TELETYPE TO WASHINGTON FIELD
RE: JAMES WALTER MC CORD JR. , AKA; ET AL

ROOMS FOUR ONE NINE AND SEVEN TWO THREE OF THE HOWARD JOHNSON
MOTOR LODGE. THE RESULTS OF THESE TESTS ARE AS FOLLOWS:

BASED ON TESTS CONDUCTED FROM THE OFFICE OF SPENCER OLIVER
UTILIZING THE TELEPHONE REMOVED FROM THE OFFICE OF SPENCER
OLIVER ON SEPTEMBER THIRTEEN LAST, AND THE OFFICE OF MRS. HARRIET
CIPRIANI, UTILIZING THE TELEPHONE IN THAT OFFICE LOCATED ON THE
DESK OF MRS. CIPRIANI, DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL COMMITTEE HEADQUARTERS
(DNCH) SIXTH FLOOR, WATERGATE APARTMENTS, WASHINGTON, D.C., IT
WAS DETERMINED THAT ALL TRANSMITTERS TESTED ARE CAPABLE OF
TRANSMITTING A SIGNAL WHICH CAN BE SATISFACTORILY RECEIVED IN
ROOMS FOUR ONE NINE AND SEVEN TWO THREE OF THE HOWARD JOHNSON
MOTOR LODGE ACROSS THE STREET FROM DNCH. THE TRANSMITTERS TESTED
ARE THE TRANSMITTER DESIGNATED Q ONE IN THE LABORATORY REPORT
REGARDING QUOTE UNSUB(S) DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL COMMITTEE HEAD-
QUARTERS, WASHINGTON, D.C. SEPTEMBER THIRTEEN LAST IOC END QUOTE
DATED SEPTEMBER TWENTY SIX LAST AND THE TRANSMITTERS DESIGNATED
Q THREE, Q FOUR, Q FIVE AND Q EIGHT IN THE LABORATORY REPORT
REGARDING QUOTE JAMES WALTER MC CORD JR. ET AL BURGLARY DEMOCRATIC
NATIONAL COMMITTEE HEADQUARTERS, WASHINGTON D.C., JUNE SEVENTEEN
LAST END QUOTE DATED JUNE TWENTY SIX LAST. THE RADIO RECEIVER

TELETYPE TO WASHINGTON FIELD
RE: JAMES WALTER MC CORD JR., AKA; ET AL

USED WAS THE RECEIVING SYSTEM DESIGNATED Q NINETY NINE IN THE
LABORATORY REPORT REGARDING QUOTE JAMES WALTER MC CORD JR.
ET AL BURGLARY DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL COMMITTEE HEADQUARTERS
WASHINGTON, D. C. JUNE SEVENTEEN LAST END QUOTE DATED OCTOBER
ELEVEN LAST.

IT WAS ALSO DETERMINED THAT THE SIGNAL INTENSITY FROM ALL
TRANSMITTERS WAS GREATER IN ROOM SEVEN TWO THREE THAN ROOM FOUR
ONE NINE OF THE HOWARD JOHNSON MOTOR LODGE. THE TESTS FURTHER
INDICATED THAT THE RECEIVED SIGNAL LEVEL OF Q ONE WAS LESS THAN
THE SIGNAL LEVELS RECEIVED FROM Q THREE, Q FOUR OR Q FIVE.

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TO ACTING DIRECTOR

CHICAGO

KANSAS CITY

LOS ANGELES

FROM WASHINGTON FIELD

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JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR., ETAL; BURGLARY, DEMOCRATIC
NATIONAL COMMITTEE HEADQUARTERS, WASHINGTON, D.C. JUNE SEVENTEEN
SEVENTY TWO. IOC. 00:WFO.

RE WFO TWL TO LA EIGHT THIRTY ONE LAST AND CG TEL TO WFO
NINE SEVEN LAST.

FOR INFORMATION OF RECEIVING OFFICES, INVESTIGATIVE REPORTS
SHOW PERSON TRAVELING FROM MIAMI, FLA. MAY TWO LAST WITH GROUP OF
CUBANS AND BARKER TO WDC.

IN VIEW OF THE EXTENSIVE INTERCHANGING OF ALIASES USED BY THE
SUBJECTS, EACH RECEIVING OFFICE IS REQUESTED TO RECONTACT RESPECTIVE
AIRLINES FOR TRAVEL BY HUNT UNDER NAME BILL ALEMAN ON JUNE TWENTY
NINE LAST FROM LOS ANGELES AROUND TWO THIRTY PM. 139-4089-1895
CHICAGO, CHECK UNITED AIRLINES.

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TO ACTING DIRECTOR (139-4089)
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FROM WASHINGTON FIELD (139-166) P 1 PAGE

JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR., ETAL; BURGLARY, DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL
COMMITTEE HEADQUARTERS, WASHINGTON, D.C. JUNE SEVENTEEN SEVENTY
TWO. IOC. OO: WFO.

RE MIAMI TEL TO BUREAU, TEN SEVENTEEN LAST.

AUSA EARL SILBERT ADVISED TODAY THAT SA JOHN J. CLOHERTY, JR. SHOULD RESPOND TO DADE COUNTY SUBPOENA AND ANSWER ONLY

THOSE QUESTIONS RELEVANT TO HIS ACQUISITION OF THE KENNETH DAHLBERG
CHECK. AT THE SAME TIME, SA CLOHERTY SHOULD BE ACCOMPANIED BY AN
ASSISTANT UNITED STATES ATTORNEY TO INSURE THAT NO QUESTIONING BY
GERSTEIN GOES BEYOND CLOHERTY'S ACTIONS RE PICKING UP THE DAHLBERG
CHECK.

IN RESPONSE TO WFO TEL OF LAST WEEK REQUESTING DOCUMENTS
OBTAINED BY MIAMI OFFICE, JUDGE SIRICA HAS SET DATE OF OCTOBER
TWENTY FIVE NEXT FOR FIRST ORAL ARGUMENT ON DISCOVERY. IF GRANTED,
DISCOVERY BY DEFENDANTS COULD BE THAT DAY OR NEXT DAY. PLEASE
FORWARD ALL DOCUMENTS AS SON AS POSSIBLE. INCLUDE NAMES OF PEOPLE
GOVERNMENT MUST SUBPOENA AT TIME OF TRIAL.

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GENERAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

Attached relates to our investigation of the burglary of Democratic National Committee Headquarters, June 17, 1972. Carol Holeman, office manager, Virginia Brady Answering Service, Marina Del Rey, California, advised our Los Angeles Office that an individual identified only as (first name unknown) Gorton, contacted her and demanded the answering service records for Donald H. Segretti. Gorton said he represented "The New York Times" and works closely with the FBI; however, Holeman refused him access to the records. Holeman made available to our Agents the records pertaining to Segretti. Investigation continuing to identify subscribers of those numbers left with the answering service.

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TO ACTING DIRECTOR (139-4089)

WASHINGTON FIELD (139-166)

FROM LOS ANGELES (139-306) (P) 2P

C *O*
JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR.; ET AL; BURGLARY, DEMOCRATIC
INTERCEPTION OF COMMUNICATIONS
NATIONAL COMMITTEE HEADQUARTERS, JUNE SEVENTEEN LAST; 1966;
OFFICE OF ORIGIN
-00: WASHINGTON FIELD.

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INSTANT DATE, CAROL HOLEMAN, OFFICE MANAGER, VIRGINIA
BRADY ANSWERING SERVICE, FOUR SEVEN TWO FIVE LINCOLN
BOULEVARD, MARINA DEL REY, CALIFORNIA, ADVISED THAT A
WHITE MALE, REPRESENTING HIMSELF AS A REPORTER FOR THE
NEW YORK TIMES, CAME TO HER PLACE OF BUSINESS AND DEMANDED
THE ANSWERING SERVICE RECORDS FOR DONALD HENRY SEGRETTI.

THIS INDIVIDUAL FURTHER IDENTIFIED HIMSELF AS ~~FRANK~~ GORTON
AND TOLD HOLEMAN THAT THE NEW YORK TIMES WORKS CLOSELY
WITH THE FBI, SO CONSEQUENTLY SHE SHOULD MAKE AVAILABLE
SEGRETTI'S ANSWERING SERVICE MESSAGES TO HIM. HOLEMAN REFUSED
TO ACCOMODATE GORTON. GORTON INFORMED HOLEMAN THAT IF SHE
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First Name Unknown

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CHANGES HER MIND HE CAN BE REACHED AT TELEPHONE NUMBER
TWO ONE THREE SIX TWO FOUR TWO THREE FOUR NINE.

HOLEMAN REFUSED TO GIVE HIM SEGRETTI'S MESSAGES AND
ADVISED THAT THE FOLLOWING INDIVIDUALS ATTEMPTED TO CONTACT
SEGRETTI ON THE DATES INDICATED:

OCTOBER ELEVEN AND TWELVE LAST, LARRY ~~YOUNG~~, TELEPHONE
NUMBER TWO ONE THREE DASH EIGHT SIX SEVEN DASH SEVEN TWO
THREE EIGHT;

OCTOBER FIFTEEN LAST, STEVE ~~ROBERTS~~, REPORTER, NEW
YORK TIMES, TELEPHONE NUMBER TWO ONE THREE DASH FOUR FIVE
SIX DASH TWO FIVE ONE NINE;

OCTOBER FOURTEEN LAST, JOHN ~~WILHELM~~, REPORTER, TIME, INC.
"WANTED TO DISCUSS WITH SEGRETTI HIS BUSINESS DEALINGS WITH
KALMBACH, ^{Chapin} ~~CHAPIN~~, AND STRACHAN".

HOLEMAN ADVISED INTERVIEWING AGENTS THAT SHE IS MAINTAINING
A RECORD OF SEGRETTI'S MESSAGES AT HER PLACE OF BUSINESS.

LOS ANGELES WILL IDENTIFY THE SUBSCRIBERS FOR THE ABOVE
TELEPHONE NUMBERS AND FURNISH TO OFFICE OF ORIGIN. NO FURTHER
INVESTIGATION WILL BE DONE PENDING LEADS FROM OFFICE OF
ORIGIN.

END

HOLD

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

7/18/72
Felt ☒
Baker ☒
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Callahan ☒
Cleveland ☒
Conrad ☒
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Mrs. Neenan ☒
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TO :

Mr. Bates *Culley*

DATE: October 18, 1972

FROM :

C. Bolz *CB*

- 1 - Mr. Felt
- 1 - Mr. Bates
- 1 - Mr. Gallagher
- 1 - Mr. Bolz
- 1 - Mr. Nuzum
- 1 - Mr. Dalbey

SUBJECT:

JAMES WALTER McCORD, JR.
BURGLARY OF DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL
COMMITTEE HEADQUARTERS, 6/17/72
INTERCEPTION OF COMMUNICATIONS
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Reference is made to Dalbey to Mr. Felt memorandum 10/12/72 (attached) setting forth the alleged activities of Donald Henry Segretti as reported in the "Washington Post" 10/12/72, and an analysis of various Federal laws that such activities could possibly be in violation of if more specifics were known.

Assistant Attorney General Henry Petersen, Criminal Division, was contacted 10/17/72, by Section Chief Charles Bolz, Accounting and Fraud Section, relative to the activities of Donald Henry Segretti as related by Segretti to the FBI, and his alleged activities as set forth in recent issues of the "Washington Post."

Mr. Petersen was advised that we conducted no investigation of Segretti's alleged political harassment activities, nor did we contemplate conducting any investigation of these activities as possible violations of Election Laws or related statutes in the absence of a specific request from the Department for such investigation. It was pointed out to Mr. Petersen that our investigation of Segretti related only to his dealings with Everette Howard Hunt and George Gordon Liddy and through them his possible involvement in, or knowledge of, the Watergate incident. *ay*

Mr. Petersen advised he was fully aware of the extent of the FBI's investigation of Segretti and he is also aware of the allegations as to Segretti's political harassment activities and attempts to recruit personnel to assist in such, as set forth in recent news articles. Mr. Petersen stated he does not believe Segretti's activities are in violation of any Federal statutes, and, accordingly, he can see no basis for requesting any additional investigation of Segretti by the FBI at this time.

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Memorandum to Mr. Bates
Re: JAMES WALTER McCORD, JR.

In connection with the attached memorandum the Acting Director inquired as to whether we had any information that Segretti interfered with the victim's right to vote in possible violation of Title 18, U. S. Code, Section 594 "Intimidation of Voters."

During our interviews with Segretti on 6/26 and 28/72, he described his political harassment activities as putting embarrassing questions to Democratic candidates at public rallies. For example, he questioned Senator Muskie in Florida as to why he voted against the space shuttle project which project would have been helpful to the economy of Florida. In California at a Senator Muskie speech, Segretti distributed leaflets regarding Senator Muskie's views on abortion which were unpopular to the students to whom Senator Muskie was speaking. Segretti advised he also arranged for counter demonstrations in support of administrative policies at the Republican convention.

It is doubtful these activities could be construed as interfering with a victim's right to vote.

ACTION: For information.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. Felt

DATE: 10/12/72

FROM : D. J. Dalbey

SUBJECT: JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR.
BURGLARY OF DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL
COMMITTEE HEADQUARTERS, 6/17/72
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Attached memorandum of 10/10/72, same caption, Mr. Bolz to Mr. Bates, contains some information concerning Donald Henry Segretti and attaches a clipped newspaper story from the "Washington Post" of 10/10/72, in which Segretti is prominently mentioned. A note at the bottom of referenced memorandum said the Acting Director has instructed that I review this material to determine whether Segretti is in violation of Federal law.

We should not be surprised to learn that Segretti has violated several Federal laws, but the known facts are too few to permit a conclusion at this time. The hard facts in the newspaper article come to little more than the following:

1. That Segretti crisscrossed the nation at least ten times during the second half of 1971, apparently for Republican political purposes, and stopped at cities in several states which the Republicans consider unusually important in this campaign.
2. That Segretti attempted to hire three lawyers to do some kind of espionage, sabotage, or harassment job on the Democrats.

Referenced memorandum indicates that Segretti is well paid by a personal friend of the President, and that he was hired to "harass Democratic candidates."

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- 1 - Mr. Felt
 - 1 - Mr. Bates
 - 1 - Mr. Gallagher
 - 1 - Mr. Bolz
 - 1 - Mr. Nuzum
 - 1 - Mr. Dalbey
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Memorandum to Mr. Felt
Re: JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR.

All of the above information taken together is too non-specific to put Segretti in any violation of Federal law. Yet he obviously has done more than we know. For that reason we suggest that he may possibly be in violation of the following statutes:

1. Title 18 USC § 594 on "Intimidation of Voters," which provides a fine of \$1,000 or imprisonment for not more than one year, or both, for any person who intimidates, threatens, coerces, or attempts to do these things to any other person for the purpose of interfering with the victim's right to vote as he may choose for any candidate for President, Vice President, and other lower offices.

*Has he really
done this on the
basis of what we know?*

2. Title 18 USC § 600 on "Promise of Employment or Other Benefit for Political Activity." This statute provides for a fine of \$1,000 or imprisonment for not more than one year, or both, for "whoever, directly or indirectly, promises any employment, position, work, compensation, or tother benefit, provided for or made possible in whole or in part by any Act of Congress, to any person as consideration, favor, or reward for any political activity or for the support of or opposition to any candidate or any political party in any election." The weakness of our case here is that Segretti apparently promised no more to the lawyers whom he attempted to recruit than "big jobs" in Washington. This could or could not mean Government jobs. What Segretti really promised might be made clear by interviews with the lawyers.

3. Title 18 USC § 612. This statute is long and will not be quoted here but, in essence, it prevents any person from putting out any pamphlet, circular, poster, advertisement, or other writing which goes through the Post Office and concerns a Federal election without showing on that pamphlet or other writing the names of the persons or associations or whatever responsible for that document. If Segretti was responsible for sending through the mails false documents concerning Senator Muskie's campaign, such as the alleged "Canuck" letter than he probably would be

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Re: JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR.

in violation of this section. Penalty for this violation is \$1,000, or one year, or both. Note that our interview with Dwight L. Chapin, Deputy Assistant to the President, said that Segretti had secured the publication of false information concerning Senator Muskie's campaign. I assume that that false information went through the Post Office, but I do not know.

RECOMMENDATION:

None; for information.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. Bates

DATE: October 18, 1972

FROM : C. Bolz

1 - Mr. Felt
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1 - Mr. Gallagher
1 - Mr. Bolz
1 - Mr. Nuzum
1 - Mr. Bishop

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SUBJECT: JAMES WALTER McCORD, JR.; ET AL.
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Assistant Attorney General Henry Petersen, Criminal Division, called in reference to attached New York Times 10/18/72, article reporting that Segretti had made at least six calls to the White House, one to the residence of Dwight Chapin (White House Staff Member) and 19 calls to Everette Howard Hunt. Mr. Petersen stated he had received a call from Mr. Ziegler at the White House for confirmation of the foregoing.

Mr. Petersen was advised that according to telephone records we had subpoenaed in connection with captioned matter,

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ACTION: For information.

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Segretti Is Linked to Calls To White House in Spring

By STEVEN V. ROBERTS

Special to The New York Times

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 17—Donald H. Segretti, the man identified in news reports as a key figure in a campaign to sabotage Democratic political activities, has been linked to a number of telephone calls made last spring to the White House and to the home and office of a man indicted in the Watergate bugging incident.

Some of the calls were made from his home telephone and others were charged to his credit card.

The New York Times has learned that at least 23 calls were made to the White House; to the home of Dwight L. Chapin, a close aide to President Nixon, and to the home and office of E. Howard Hunt Jr. Mr. Hunt, a former White House consultant, has been indicted in connection with the break-in June 17 at the headquarters of the Democratic National Committee at the Watergate complex in Washington.

News reports have alleged that Mr. Chapin and Mr. Hunt served as Washington contacts for Mr. Segretti, a 31-year-old lawyer who several persons have said tried to recruit them for political espionage.

Mr. Segretti denied the initial reports concerning his involvement in an espionage campaign but could not be reached for comment on the new information.

Spokesmen for the White House and the Committee for the Re-election of the President have denounced the press for printing articles based on what they call "hearsay" and "innuendo," but they have neither denied nor rebutted the material that has been published.

Mr. Chapin and Mr. Hunt could not be reached today. Ronald L. Ziegler, President Nixon's press secretary, said that he had "no knowledge" of the calls to the White House and "no idea" why they had been made.

The Times has learned that at least six calls were made to the White House from Mr. Segretti's phone or were billed to his credit card—one in April and five in June, the last on June 23. In late March, an unlisted number in suburban Maryland was called. A woman who answered that phone today confirmed that it was Mr. Chapin's home.

Two Calls to Home

On at least 19 occasions from March to June, the unlisted number of Mr. Hunt's office at Robert R. Mullen & Company, a Washington public relations firm, was called from the Segretti phone or were billed to him. Two calls were placed in that period to Mr. Hunt's home in Rockville, Md.

It was not known who participated in any of the telephone calls.

The calls to Mr. Hunt's home and office stopped shortly before June 17, the night five men were arrested in the offices of the Democratic National Committee at the Watergate complex. Mr. Hunt was not among those arrested that night, but he was immediately dismissed by the Mullen concern, for which he worked as a writer. He was later indicted for conspiracy in the case.

Mr. Hunt worked as a consultant to the White House in 1971 and 1972 mainly on domestic affairs. The White House has contended that he last worked there on March 29; some sources say he worked through June. At least two of the calls from the Segretti home to Mr. Hunt's phones were placed before March 29.

The Times has not been able to learn about any phone calls made from Mr. Segretti's phone before mid-March.

Last week, the Washington Post first named Mr. Segretti as an important operative in what it described as a broad campaign conducted by President Nixon's re-election committee.

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to disrupt and harass Democratic candidates.

At least eight persons around the country have told The New York Times and other newspapers that they were approached by Mr. Segretti and asked to perform undercover work of various kinds. Most of them said they were not sure whom Mr. Segretti was working for, but several have said that he told them he was working for President Nixon's campaign.

This week, Time magazine reported that Mr. Segretti had been paid more than \$35,000 for his work. According to the magazine, Justice Department files show that the money originated with the Committee for the Re-election of the President and was funneled to Mr. Segretti through Herbert W. Kalmbach, a California lawyer who has often represented President Nixon in his private affairs.

According to various accounts, Mr. Segretti's work included such activities as obtaining secret information about Democratic campaigns, planting false stories about rival candidates, distributing bogus literature, and generally fomenting trouble and discord among contenders for the Democratic Presidential nomination.

Classmates in College

Mr. Chapin and Mr. Segretti were college classmates at the University of Southern California in the class of 1963. While there, they joined in a campaign to overthrow the political powers on campus. Mr. Chapin also worked for Mr. Nixon's unsuccessful campaign for Governor of California in 1962 and apparently recruited Mr. Segretti to work in that campaign with him.

Mr. Chapin has served President Nixon as a personal aide and appointments secretary since the Administration took office. Lately he has concentrated on political activities.

Mr. Hunt had a colorful career as an agent of the Central Intelligence Agency and as an author of mystery novels before he went to work for the Mullen firm and the White House. Washington sources have identified Mr. Hunt as a prime organizer of the Bay of Pigs invasion against Fidel Castro's regime in Cuba.

After graduating from law school in 1967, Mr. Segretti spent four years as a captain in the Judge Advocate General's Corps, including a year in Vietnam. He left the service in September, 1971, and has lived in Los Angeles since then.

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TO ACTING DIRECTOR (139-4089)

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FROM WASHINGTON FIELD (139-166)

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JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR., AKA, ETAL, BURGLARY, DEMOCRATIC
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RE WFO TEL (FACSIMILE) TO ALEXANDRIA, INSTANT.

INRETEL WFO FURNISHED ALEXANDRIA WITH FACSIMILE COPY OF
RAILWAY EXPRESS AGENCY FORM AES DASH ONE NINE, WHICH FORM REFLECTS
SHIPMENT OF ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT FROM BELL AND HOWELL COMPANY,
WALTHAM, MASSACHUSETTS TO MC CORD ASSOCIATES, ROCKVILLE, MARYLAND.
SHIPMENT MADE BY RAILWAY EXPRESS ON MAY TWENTY FIVE LAST. FOR TRIAL
PURPOSES IN INSTANT MATTER, IT IS NECESSARY TO DOCUMENT RECEIPT
OF EQUIPMENT BY MC CORD ASSOCIATES. CONTACT REA OFFICES, WDC.
REVEALED RECORD OF SHIPMENT AND RECEIPT OBTAINED FROM CONSIGNEE
MAINTAINED BY REA AIR EXPRESS OFFICE, NATIONAL AIRPORT, ALEXANDRIA,
VIRGINIA.

ALEXANDRIA EXPEDITIOUSLY ATTEMPT TO OBTAIN RECORD OF
TRANSACTION AND RECEIPT FROM REA OFFICE, NATIONAL AIRPORT. SUTEL.
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NATIONAL COMMITTEE HEADQUARTERS, WASHINGTON, D.C., JUNE SEVENTEEN,
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INVESTIGATION AT WASHINGTON, D.C. (WDC) HAS DETERMINED SUB-
JECT MC CORD RENTED OFFICE SPACE AT ONE NINE ZERO EIGHT K STREET,
N.W., WDC, IN MAY, LAST. OFFICE RENTED FROM L.M. GATTI MORTGAGE
COMPANY, NINE SEVEN ZERO FOUR SUMMIT AVENUE, KENSINGTON, MARYLAND,
(PHONE NINE FOUR SIX-THREE EIGHT THREE EIGHT). A TENANT AT ONE
NINE ZERO EIGHT K STREET HAS INDICATED HE RECOGNIZED MC CORD
FROM NEWSPAPER PHOTOS AS INDIVIDUAL WHO RENTED OFFICE SPACE
IN BUILDING IN MAY, SEVENTY TWO.

BALTIMORE CONTACT GATTI MORTGAGE COMPANY AND VERIFY RENTAL
OF OFFICE BY MC CORD. DETERMINE METHOD OF PAYMENT UTILIZED BY
MC CORD, I.E. IN CASH (ONE HUNDRED DOLLAR BILLS) OR BY CHECK. IF
CHECK UTILIZED DETERMINE FROM GATTI ACCOUNT IN WHICH CHECK WAS
DEPOSITED BY HIS FIRM AND DATE OF DEPOSIT, IN ORDER THAT ORIGIN
OF CHECK MAY BE TRACED. SUTEL.

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GENERAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

Attached advises toll records of Donald Henry Segretti were subpoenaed by the Senate Committee on Administrative Practices and Procedures, chaired by Senator Edward Kennedy. Office manager of answering service firm used by Segretti advised she had not received a subpoena for her records.

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FROM LOS ANGELES (139-306) (P) 2P

JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR; ET AL, BURGLARY NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC
INTERCEPTION OF COMMUNICATIONS
COMMITTEE HEADQUARTERS, JUNE SEVENTEEN SEVENTY TWO, LOC,
OFFICE OF ORIGIN
OO: WASHINGTON FIELD.

REFERENCE

RE LOS ANGELES TELETYPES TO BUREAU, OCTOBER SEVENTEEN
AND EIGHTEEN LAST.

ON OCTOBER NINETEEN INSTANT, [REDACTED]

CONFIDENTIALLY ADVISED THAT THE TOLL RECORDS OF DONALD
HENRY SEGRETTI WERE SUBPOENAED BY THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON
ADMINISTRATIVE PRACTICES AND PROCEDURES, CHAIRED BY SENATOR
EDWARD KENNEDY.

ON INSTANT DATE, CAROL HOLMANS, OFFICE MANAGER, VIRGINIA
BRADY ANSWERING SERVICE, MARINA DEL REY, CALIFORNIA, SAID
SHE HAD NOT RECIEVED A SUBPOENA FOR ANSWERING SERVICES RECORDS
OF DONALD HENRY SEGRETTI, AS WAS EXPECTED PER REFERENCED
TELETYPE.

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Mr. Bishop	✓
Mr. Callahan	✓
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Mr. Dalbey	✓
Mr. Jenkins	✓
Mr. Marshall	✓
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Mr. Armstrong	✓
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THE FOLLOWING NUMBERS AND SUBSCRIBERS WERE OBTAINED FROM
LOS ANGELES TELEPHONE DIRECTORIES AND WERE SUPPLIED BY CAROL

~~X~~HOLMANS AS NUMBERS OF INDIVIDUALS WHO CALLED DONALD HENRY
~~X~~REGRETTI AND LEFT A MESSAGE AT THE ANSWERING SERVICE. *calif.*

SIX TWO FOUR DASH TWO THREE FOUR NINE, NEW YORK TIMES
NEWS BUREAU, NINE HUNDRED WILSHIRE BOULEVARD, LOS ANGELES,
CALIFORNIA.

FOUR FIVE SIX DASH TWO FIVE ONE NINE, ~~STEVEN~~ROBERTS,
TWO ZERO SIX FIVE NINE WEST ROCKCROFT WAY, MALIBU, CALIFORNIA.

EIGHT SIX SEVEN DASH SEVEN TWO THREE EIGHT, LAWRENCE R.

~~X~~YOUNG, ONE FIVE NINE THREE THREE SOUTH CLARK AVENUE, APARTMENT
THREE DASH D, BELLFLOWER, CALIFORNIA.

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FROM BALTIMORE (139-148) P

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JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR., ET AL. BURGLARY DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL
COMMITTEE HEADQUARTERS, WASHINGTON, D.C., JUNE SEVENTEEN SEVENTYTWO.
IOC. OO WFO.

RE WFO TELETYPE TO BUREAU AND BALTIMORE, OCTOBER NINETEEN
NINETEEN SEVENTYTWO.

LEONARD M. GATTI, PRESIDENT, L. M. GATTI MORTGAGE COMPANY,
ONE ZERO FOUR ZERO ZERO CONNECTICUT AVENUE, KENSINGTON, MARYLAND,
ADVISED THIS DATE HE DID NOT DESIRE TO DISCUSS MATTER RE LANDLORD-
TENANT RELATIONSHIP PERTAINING TO JAMES W. MC CORD AND RENTAL OF
PROPERTY AT ONE NINE ZERO EIGHT K STREET, N. W., WASHINGTON, D.C.
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TECUM WILL HE DISCLOSE LANDLORD-TENANT-RELATIONSHIP INFORMATION.

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JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR., ETAL; BURGLARY, DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL
COMMITTEE HEADQUARTERS, WASHINGTON, D.C. JUNE SEVENTEEN SEVENTYTWO.
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FOR INFORMATION OF THE BUREAU, FOLLOWING SUBPOENAEs
ISSUED FOR NOVEMBER FIFTEEN TRIAL. THOSE PERSONS IN WFO DIVISION
SERVED BY WFO. THOSE SUBPOENAEs FOR PERSONS IN OTHER DIVISIONS ARE
BEING MAILED AIR MAIL SPECIAL DELIVERY:

AFRED CARLTON ~~BALDWIN~~, III, ROBERT F. ~~BENNETT~~, STANLEY ~~GREIGG~~,
DEPUTY CHAIRMAN, DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL COMMITTEE; SPENCER ~~OLIVER~~;
ROBERT ~~ODLE~~; FRANCO ~~ROVERE~~, WATERGATE RESTAURANT EMPLOYEE; MIGUEL
~~SWAREZ~~; MORTON BARROWS ~~JACKSON~~; ESTER ~~KIRBY~~; JACK ~~STEWART~~; JACK
~~BAUMAN~~; HUGH W. ~~SLOAN~~, JR.; DONALD HENRY ~~SEGRETTI~~; MAXINE ~~WELLS~~;
SYLVIA ~~CAMPO~~; MARIA ~~MARTI~~; MICHAEL ~~BRENNAN~~.

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820PM NITEL 10-20-72 RWR

TO ACTING DIRECTOR (139-4089)

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FROM CHICAGO (139-263) 1P

JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR., ET AL; BURGLARY, DEMOCRATIC
COMMITTEE HEADQUARTERS, WASHINGTON, D.C., JUNE SEVENTEEN,
SEVENTY TWO, IOC. OO: WFO.

RE WFO TELETYPE TO BUREAU OCTOBER EIGHTEEN LAST.

RE CONTACT UNITED AIR LINES, CHICAGO, REVEALED NO
TRAVEL JUNE TWENTY NINE, LAST, FROM LOS ANGELES TO CHICAGO
FOR PERSON USING NAME BILL ~~HALEMAN~~. *cert. sec.*

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: SAC, Miami (139-328)

Date: October 25, 1972

From: Director, FBI

Re: JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR.
et al.; Burglary, Democratic
National Committee Headquarters
Washington, D. C., 8/17/72;
IOC
OO: Washington Field Office

FBI File No. 139-4089

Lab. No. D-721024038 IK

Examination requested by:

Miami

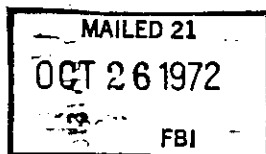
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Enclosures (2) (2 Lab report)

2 - Washington Field Office (139-166) Enclosures (3)
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of theFEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: SAC, Miami (139-328)
Re: JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR.
et al.; Burglary, Democratic
National Committee Headquarters
Washington, D. C., 6/17/72;
IOC

Date: October 28, 1972
FBI File No. 139-4089
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Specimens received 10/21/72

Q100 Sheraton Hotels & Motor Inns registration card #162 087185,
signed "Edw. J. Warren"

Results of the examination:

The Barker signature to the left of the arrow on specimen Q100 was determined to have been prepared by BERNARD L. BARKER, whose known writings consist of specimens K2 and K9.

Although some variances in the known and questioned writings, possibly attributable to deliberate distortion, would not permit a definite conclusion being reached, characteristics were noted which indicate that the Warren signature on specimen Q100 may have been prepared by EVERETTE HOWARD HUNT, whose known writings consist of specimens Kc14, K17, K18, and Kc21.

Specimen Q100 is being forwarded to the Washington Field Office with copies of this report. Photographs have been retained.

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TO: ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI (139-4089)
(ATTN: FBI LABORATORY)

FROM: SAC, MIAMI (139-328)

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ET AL
BURGLARY, DEMOCRATIC
NATIONAL COMMITTEE HEADQUARTERS,
WASHINGTON, D. C.
6/17/72
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(OO:WFO)

Enclosed for the FBI Laboratory is one registration card, number 162-067165, for Mr. and Mrs. EDWARD J. WARREN, Room 568, Sheraton Four Ambassadors Hotel, Miami, Florida, together with a business card of BERNARD L. BARKER, covering a period of March 10 through 13, 1972.

The Laboratory is requested to compare the handwriting of EDWARD J. WARREN with the known handwriting of EVERETTE HOWARD HUNT, aka.

Following requested examination, the Laboratory is requested to forward this registration card immediately

- ② - Bureau (encl. 1) (RM)
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to the Washington Field Office so that it will be available
for discovery in United States District Court, Washington,
D. C.

1- Mr. Felt
1- Mr. Bates
1- Mr. Gallagher

The Attorney General

October 27, 1972

1- Mr. Bolz
1- Mr. Nuzum

Acting Director, FBI

JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR., AND OTHERS
BURGLARY OF DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL
COMMITTEE HEADQUARTERS
JUNE 17, 1972
INTERCEPTION OF COMMUNICATIONS

On October 26, 1972, Mr. Bernd Mendenhall, Attorney, San Diego, California, telephonically contacted the San Diego FBI office and stated he had been reading in the "Los Angeles Times" newspaper about the activities of Attorney Donald H. Segretti. Mr. Mendenhall stated he was in the service with Mr. Segretti and he had a meeting with Mr. Segretti in October, 1971.

According to Mr. Mendenhall, Mr. Segretti wanted to become a member of the Republican Central Committee at San Diego, and to proceed as far as possible in this organization. Mr. Mendenhall was to be contacted subsequently to hire or to get local volunteers to cause disruptive acts against Republican candidates. Mr. Mendenhall did not accept this assignment from Mr. Segretti, and stated he is willing to give a full statement to interested officials.

The FBI is not interviewing Mr. Mendenhall further concerning this matter as it does not appear to relate to captioned investigation. It is noted this appears to relate to acts of alleged sabotage of political campaigns involving Mr. Segretti, which activities the FBI has not been requested to investigate.

1- The Deputy Attorney General

1- Assistant Attorney General
Criminal Division

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NOTE: Above information was contained in San Diego teletype dated 10/26/72.

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1030PM NITEL 10-27-72 GLD

TO ACTING DIRECTOR

SACRAMENTO

WASHINGTON FIELD

FROM LOS ANGELES (P) 5P

JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR., ET AL BURGLARY OF DEMOCRATIC
PARTY NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS, WASHINGTON, D.C., JUNE SEVENTEEN
NINETEEN SEVENTY TWO, IOC.

RE LOS ANGELES NITEL DATED OCTOBER TWENTY ONE LAST.

ON OCTOBER TWENTY FOUR LAST CAROL HOLMES, MANAGER,
VIRGINIA BRADY ANSWERING SERVICE, MARINA DEL REY, CALIFORNIA,

ADVISED THAT SHE WAS CONTACTED BY TOM GALLAGHER ON OCTOBER
TWENTY FOUR LAST, WHO REPRESENTED HIMSELF AS BEING FROM ONE

OF THE CALIFORNIA COMMITTEE STATES SENATORS' OFFICES. HE

PRESENTED HER WITH A FACSIMILE COPY OF A CONGRESSIONAL

SUBPOENA CALLING FOR THE MESSAGES IN HER POSSESSION FOR

DONALD SEGRETTI. SUBPOENA ISSUED BY SENATE SUB COMMITTEE

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ON ADMINISTRATIVE PRACTICES AND PROCEDURES DATED OCTOBER TWENTY LAST SIGNED BY EDWARD KENNEDY. HOLMES MADE MESSAGES AVAILABLE TO GALLAGHER WHO COPIED INFORMATION CONTAINED ON MESSAGES AND TOLD HOLMES SHE WOULD BE SUMMONED BEFORE THE COMMITTEE AND REQUIRED TO BRING ORIGINAL MESSAGES WITH HER. GALLAGHER ASKED IF SEGRETTI WAS KNOWN TO USE ANY OTHER NAME AND WAS ADVISED THAT HE IS ONLY KNOWN AS SEGRETTI. HE ASKED WHETHER THE ANSWERING SERVICE HAD A CLIENT BY THE NAME OF SIMMONS AND WAS ADVISED THERE WAS NO SUCH CLIENT.

HOLMES ADVISED THAT SEGRETTI HAS NOT CALLED FOR HIS MESSAGES SINCE OCTOBER SIXTEEN LAST WHICH IS UNUSUAL BECAUSE HE NORMALLY OBTAINED MESSAGES ON A DAILY BASIS, EVEN WHEN OUT OF TOWN. MESSAGE WAS LEFT ADVISING SEGRETTI TO CONTACT FBI, LOS ANGELES. SHE WILL IMMEDIATELY CONTACT THE FBI, LOS ANGELES IF HE CALLS FOR MESSAGES.

ON OCTOBER TWENTY FIVE LAST, ESTHER ~~KIRBY~~ SERVED WITH SUMMONS AT HER EMPLOYMENT, ON OCTOBER TWENTY SIX LAST MORTON B. ~~JACKSON~~ SERVED WITH SUMMONS AT HIS OFFICE. ATTEMPT TO SERVE MARGARET ~~JOHNSON~~ UNSUCCESSFUL OCTOBER TWENTY FIVE LAST AND CONTACT WITH ~~AMERICAN~~ AIRLINES DETERMINED SHE WAS SCHEDULED

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TO FLY ON OCTOBER TWENTY SIX LAST AND OCTOBER TWENTY SEVEN INSTANT BUT OFF ON OCTOBER TWENTY EIGHT NEXT. ANTICIPATED SHE WILL BE SERVED THEN.

ATTEMPTS TO SERVE SEGRETTI UNSUCCESSFUL ON OCTOBER TWENTY FIVE, TWENTY SIX LAST. ON OCTOBER TWENTY SEVEN INSTANT SEGRETTI'S FATHER ADVISED HE WAS LAST IN CONTACT WITH DONALD ON OCTOBER EIGHT LAST. AT THAT TIME DONALD SEGRETTI TOLD HIM THAT HE WOULD NOT RECONTACT HIS PARENTS UNTIL NOVEMBER SEVEN NEXT AND DID NOT ADVISE WHERE HE WOULD BE STAYING. HIS FATHER NOTED THAT HE HAS BEEN EXTREMELY HARRASSED BY REPORTERS FROM MANY NEWS ORGANIZATIONS SOME TIMES RECEIVING CALLS IN EARLY MORNING HOURS. HE IS IRATE, AND INTENDS INSTITUTING CIVIL ACTIONS AGAINST NEWSPAPER AND MAGAZINE COMPANIES. HE NOTED HE HAS NOT HAD HIS TELEPHONE NUMBER CHANGED BECAUSE HE WANTS HIS SON TO BE ABLE TO CONTACT HIM AT HOME. HE WAS FURNISHED WITH SA PASHLEY'S NAME AND OFFICE TELEPHONE NUMBER AND WAS ADVISED THAT HIS SON KNOWS SA PASHLEY. HE SAID HE WOULD ADVISE HIS SON TO CALL THE LOS ANGELES OFFICE AS SOON AS HE HEARS FROM HIM. HE MAINTAINED A COOPERATIVE ATTITUDE WITH RESPECT TO THE FBI.

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ON OCTOBER TWENTY SIX LAST AND TWENTY SEVEN INSTANT, ASSOCIATES OF SEGRETTI CONTACTED IN EFFORT TO DETERMINE HIS WHEREABOUTS. ONE FEMALE ASSOCIATE ADVISED HE HAS BEEN CONTACTED BY REPORTERS INQUIRING ABOUT SEGRETTI AND WAS TOLD BY D. GORTON, NEW YORK TIMES REPORTER QUOTE WE KNOW HE IS IN NEVADA UNQUOTE. NONE OF HIS ASSOCIATES CONTACTED TO DATE HAVE BEEN ABLE TO FURNISH POSITIVE INFORMATION.

ON OCTOBER TWENTY SIX LAST JUSTIN ~~WANGER~~^{Calif.}, LOS ANGELES, WAS CONTACTED AS ASSOCIATE OF SEGRETTI. HE ADVISED HE MET SEGRETTI ONCE FIVE YEARS AGO BUT HIS BROTHER, OLIVER ~~WANGER~~, SIX SIX ONE FOUR NORTH WOODSON, FRESNO, CALIFORNIA, HOME TELEPHONE NUMBER TWO ZERO NINE DASH FOUR THREE NINE DASH SEVEN NINE ONE EIGHT EMPLOYED BY GALLAGHER, BAKER, MANNOX, SECURITY PACIFIC BANK BUILDING, FRESNO, CALIFORNIA, TELEPHONE NUMBER TWO ZERO NINE DASH TWO SIX EIGHT DASH ZERO EIGHT SIX THREE WAS CLASSMATE OF SEGRETTI AT BOLT HALL, UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA AT BERKELEY LAW SCHOOL.

SACRAMENTO AT FRESNO, CALIFORNIA: INTERVIEW OLIVER WANGER, SIX SIX ONE FOUR NORTH WOODSON, REGARDING CURRENT WHEREABOUTS
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OF DONALD SEGRETTI AND WILL DETERMINE WHETHER SEGRETTI'S
VEHICLE, WHITE NINETEEN SIXTY NINE MERCEDES BENZ, TWO
DOOR, CALIFORNIA LICENSE EIGHT SIX FIVE B R B IS PARKED IN
THE VICINITY OF WANGER'S HOME.

LOS ANGELES WILL CONTINUE EFFORTS TO LOCATE AND SERVE
SUMMONS ON DONALD SEGRETTI AND WILL SERVE SUMMONS ON MARGARET
JOHNSON.

END

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TO: ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI

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LOS ANGELES

FROM: SACRAMENTO (139-19) (P) 2P

JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR., ET AL, BURGLARY OF DEMOCRATIC PARTY
NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS, WASHINGTON, D.C., JUNE SEVENTEEN, LAST,
IOC.

RE LOS ANGELES NITEL, DATED OCTOBER TWENTY SEVEN, LAST.

OLIVER WANGER, ATTORNEY, SIX SIX ONE FOUR NORTH WOODSON, FRESNO,

CALIFORNIA, ADVISED HE HAS BEEN A FRIEND OF DONALD SEGRETTI FOR
SEVERAL YEARS SINCE THEY WERE LAW SCHOOL CLASSMATES. HE LAST SAW
SEGRETTI IN PERSON ABOUT SIX MONTHS AGO IN LOS ANGELES AND LAST
HEARD FROM HIM ABOUT FOUR WEEKS AGO WHEN HE TELEPHONED WANGER
STATING THAT HE WAS SOMEWHERE NORTH OF FRESNO BUT WOULD GIVE WANGER
A CALL WHEN PASSING THROUGH FRESNO. HE TOLD WANGER THAT NEWS
REPORTERS WOULD PROBABLY BE CONTACTING HIM ABOUT SEGRETTI'S POLITICAL
ACTIVITY. LATER A NEW YORK TIMES REPORTER CONTACTED WANGER AND LAST
WEEK ARTICLES APPEARED IN THE NEW YORK TIMES, THE SAN FRANCISCO
CHRONICLE, AND FRESNO BEE MENTIONING WANGER'S NAME. A COUPLE
OF DAYS AFTER SEGRETTI'S CALL WHEN WANGER WAS OUT OF HIS OFFICE IN

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COURT, HIS SECRETARY TOOK A CALL FROM SEGRETTI WHO WAS THEN
PASSING THROUGH FRESNO. HE LEFT A MESSAGE STATING HE WAS SORRY
HE MISSED WANGER. WANGER HAS NOT HEARD FROM HIM SINCE AND DOES
NOT KNOW HIS PRESENT WHEREABOUTS.

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GENERAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

Attached advises that one Bernd Mendenhall, a San Diego attorney, contacted the San Diego Office 10/26/72, and volunteered that in October, 1971, while in the service with Donald H. Segretti, Segretti said he wanted to become a member of the Republican Central Committee in San Diego and Segretti indicated he would subsequently contact Mendenhall to get volunteers to cause disruptive acts against Republican candidates. Mendenhall did not accept this assignment and advised our San Diego Office he is willing to give a full statement to interested officials.

San Diego has been instructed to take no action with respect to interview of Mendenhall as we have not been requested to investigate acts of alleged sabotage of political campaigns involving Segretti. Letter to Department being prepared.

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7:19PM NITEL 10-26-72 LLC

TO ACTING DIRECTOR

FROM SAN DIEGO (139-63) (P) 1P

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BERND MENDENHALL, SAN DIEGO ATTORNEY TELEPHONICALLY
CONTACTED THIS OFFICE AND STATED THAT HE HAD BEEN READING IN
THE LOS ANGELES TIMES ABOUT THE ACTIVITIES OF ATTORNEY DONALD H.
SEGRETTI. MENDENHALL STATED THAT HE WAS IN THE SERVICE WITH
SEGRETTI AND THAT HE HAD A MEETING WITH HIM LAST OCTOBER.
SEGRETTI WANTED TO BECOME A MEMBER OF THE REPUBLICAN CENTRAL
COMMITTEE
COMM. IN SAN DIEGO AND PROCEED AS FAR AS POSSIBLE IN THIS
ORGANIZATION. HE WAS TO BE SUBSEQUENTLY CONTACTED TO HIRE OR GET
LOCAL VOLUNTEERS TO CAUSE DESRUPTIVE ACTS AGAINST REPUBLICAN
CANIDATES. MENDENHALL DID NOT ACCEPT THIS ASSIGNMENT
FROM SEGRETTI AND NOW STATES THAT HE IS WILLING TO GIVE A FULL
STATEMENT TO INTERESTED OFFICIALS. NOTE THAT SEGRETTI TOLD
MENDENHALL THAT ACTS WERE TO BE AGAINST REPUBLICANS.

THE BUREAU IS REQUESTED TO ADVISE IF MENDENHALL SHOULD
BE INTERVIEWED IN DEPTH.

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9:40 PM NITEL 10-26-72 TWM

TO ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI (139-4089)

ATLANTA

FROM JACKSON (139-54) (P)

JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR., ET AL; BURGLARY OF DEMOCRATIC
PARTY NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS. IOC. OO: WFO.

RE JACKSON AIRTEL TO BUREAU AND ATLANTA, OCTOBER
TWENTY-FIVE, SEVENTYTWO.

ON OCTOBER TWENTY-SIX, SEVENTYTWO, MARION WELLS,
MOTHER OF WITNESS, MAXINE WELLS, TELEPHONICALLY ADVISED
THAT MAXINE WELLS CURRENTLY RESIDES AT FIFTY- NINE FIFTEENTH
STREET, ^NORTHEAST, APARTMENT NINETEEN- B, THIRD FLOOR,
ATLANTA, GEORGIA, TELEPHONE FOUR ZERO FOUR- EIGHT NINE
TWO- THREE NINE SIX EIGHT, AND IS EMPLOYED BY YOUTH
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(PHONETIC) STREET, NORTHEAST, TELPHONE FOUR ZERO FOUR-
FIVE TWO FIVE- FIVE FOUR NINE SIX.

ATLANTA AT ATLANTA. ISSUED SUMMONS TO MAXINE WELLS

AS SET FORTH IN REFERENCED AIRTEL.

AIRMAIL COPY FURNISHED WFO.

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Date: 10/25/72

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TO: ACTING DIRECTOR (139-4089)

FROM: SAC, JACKSON (139-54) (P)

JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR.,
ET AL, BURGLARY OF DEMOCRATIC
PARTY NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS
IOC
(OO: WFO)

Re Jackson report of SA CECIL E. MOSES dated
10/13/72, and Jackson airtel to the Bureau dated 10/13/72.

Enclosed for Atlanta are an original and one
copy of a summons for MAXINE WELLS concerning captioned
matter.

For the information of Atlanta, on 10/24/72, the
witness' mother, MARION WELLS, 109 Billybird Drive, Clinton,
Miss., advised that MAXINE is currently living in Atlanta,
Ga., and has recently acquired a new apartment, the address
and telephone number of which are unknown to Mrs. WELLS.
Mrs. WELLS said MAXINE is expected to call in the p.m. of
10/26/72, and furnish the address and telephone number of
her new Atlanta residence.

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A review of referenced report shows that when MAXINE WELLS was interviewed at Jackson on 10/13/72, she indicated she would be taking a part-time job with Youth Citizens Fund, Atlanta, Ga., telephone number 404-525-5496, and would be leaving Jackson on about 10/15/72. Miss WELLS said she could be reached through a friend, HERBERT WORLEY, telephone number 404-892-6946, Atlanta, Ga.

For information of Atlanta, MAXINE WELLS' true name is IDA MAXWELL WELLS, and she is a white female, DOB 3/15/49, at Jackson, Miss.

LEAD:

ATLANTA DIVISION

AT ATLANTA, GA.

Attempt to locate MAXINE WELLS through above employment and telephone numbers and serve her with the original of the enclosed summons, noting it should be signed by the Agent serving same. Copy of the summons should be returned to WFO.

If WELLS cannot be located, Atlanta should immediately telephonically contact Jackson for additional information concerning her current residence and telephone number.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. Bates

DATE: 10/25/72

FROM : C. Bolz

SUBJECT: JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR., ET AL.
BURGLARY OF DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL
COMMITTEE HEADQUARTERS, 6/17/72
INTERCEPTION OF COMMUNICATIONS

1- Mr. Felt
1- Mr. Bates
1- Mr. Gallagher
1- Mr. Bolz
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1- Mr. Bishop

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Mrs. Neenan ☐

Attached Washington Post news article, 10/25/72, captioned "Testimony Ties Top Nixon Aide to Secret Fund," is erroneous as regards alleged Federal grand jury testimony given by Hugh W. Sloan, Jr., former Treasurer of the Finance Committee to Reelect the President. According to the article, Sloan in his testimony identified the following individuals as being authorized to approve payments from the Finance Committee's funds: John N. Mitchell, former Attorney General; H. R. Haldeman, White House Chief of Staff; Maurice C. Stans, Finance Chairman; Jeb Stuart Magruder, Deputy Director of the Committee to Reelect the President; and Herbert W. Kalmbach, Associate Finance Chairman of the Committee to Reelect the President.

SA Angelo Lano, Washington Field Office, who is the case Agent of captioned matter and who has reviewed Sloan's grand jury testimony, advised that Sloan in his testimony

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C. Bolz to Mr. Bates
RE: JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR.

It is noted that the attached article reports that all of the five foregoing individuals had been questioned by the FBI about disbursements from the Committee's funds. This is inaccurate in that we never interviewed H. R. Haldeman of the White House during the course of this investigation.

It is noted the attached article also reports that the FBI during its Watergate bugging investigation uncovered a secret fund which at times totaled \$700,000. This is completely erroneous in that at no time during our investigation did we receive any information of such a secret fund being in existence. It is noted, however, that Stans when interviewed on 7/28/72, advised that the Finance Committee often had cash on hand which varied from \$200,000 to \$350,000. In addition, Sloan in his grand jury testimony [REDACTED]

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Testimony Ties Top Nixon Aide To Secret Fund

By Carl Bernstein
and Bob Woodward

Washington Post Staff Writers

H. R. Haldeman, President Nixon's White House chief of staff, was one of five high-ranking presidential associates authorized to approve payments from a secret Nixon campaign cash fund, according to federal investigators and accounts of sworn testimony before the Watergate grand jury.

The secret fund, which at times totaled \$700,000, was uncovered during the FBI's Watergate bugging investigation. It financed an apparently unprecedented spying and sabotage campaign against Democratic presidential candidates that—as a basic element of the Nixon re-election strategy—was conceived by high presidential aides, according to investigators.

Haldeman, 47, is generally considered the man closest to President Nixon in the White House and the primary architect of his re-election campaign. He began his political association with the President in 1956, as an advance man for Mr. Nixon's vice presidential campaign.

Informed yesterday of the information obtained by The Washington Post, Haldeman issued the following statement through the White House press office:

"Your inquiry is based on misinformation because the reference to Bob Haldeman is untrue."



H. R. (BOB) HALDEMAN

based on misinformation

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Date **October 25, 1972**

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Mr. Bates, 10/25/72
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Haldeman and Gerald L. Warren, the deputy White House press secretary, refused to elaborate on the statement.

According to the sworn testimony, the four other persons authorized to approve payments from the fund, all of them among President Nixon's closest confidantes and all named in previous reports by The Washington Post are:

Former Attorney General John N. Mitchell, who resigned as Mr. Nixon's campaign manager July 1; former Secretary of Commerce Maurice C. Stans, the finance chairman of the Nixon re-election campaign; Jeb Stuart Magruder, a former White House assistant to Haldeman and now deputy director of

Nixon's re-election campaign, and Herbert W. Kalmbach, the President's personal lawyer who, until April 7, served as associate finance chairman of the Nixon campaign.

The Post has been told that all five were named in testimony to the grand jury by Hugh W. Sloan Jr., the former treasurer of the Nixon campaign. Sources close to the investigation said they had confirmed independently of Sloan that the five men had control of the fund.

It was learned that all five men have been questioned by the FBI about disbursements from the fund, which was kept in a safe in Stans' office.

Among the persons who received payments from the secret fund, Sloan is known to have told the grand jury, was G. Gordon Liddy, one of the seven men indicted on charges of conspiring to eavesdrop on the Democrats' headquarters inside the Watergate.

Liddy, an ex-White House aide and former finance counsel of the Nixon re-election committee, withdrew \$50,000, according to investigators.

In addition, investigators have said the fund was used to pay for the activities of Donald H. Segretti, identified by federal officials as an agent provocateur allegedly hired by White House

aides to disrupt and damage the campaigns of Democratic presidential candidates.

It was two of Haldeman's White House proteges—Presidential appointments secretary Dwight L. Chapin and Presidential assistant Gordon Strachan, a member of the Haldeman staff—who hired Segretti for his undercover work, according to the magazine. The Washington Post earlier reported that Chapin was one of Segretti's "contacts" for spying and sabotage activities.

Expenditures of hundreds of thousands of dollars—all approved by either Haldeman, Stans, Mitchell, Magruder or Kalmbach—were made from the secret fund to pay for an extensive undercover campaign aimed at

discrediting individual Democratic candidates, according to federal investigators.

The general purpose of the alleged subrosa campaign, according to investigators and participants in the effort, was to create so much division and confusion during the Democratic primaries that the party could not unite after choosing its presidential nominee.

Investigators have reported that Segretti and other Nixon undercover operatives were paid either directly or indirectly from money in the secret fund—\$20,000 salary plus expenses in Segretti's case, allegedly withdrawn by Kalmbach, the President's personal attorney.

The only record of the secret fund was a single sheet of lined yellow ledger

paper listing the names of about 15 people who withdrew money from it, alongside a running total of their withdrawals, The Post learned.

That list was destroyed by a Nixon campaign official after five men were arrested inside the Democrat's Watergate headquarters here on June 17.

When the question of the fund was first raised, a Nixon campaign spokesman said that "there have been and are cash funds in this committee used for various legitimate purposes such as reimbursements for expenditures for advances on travel."

"However," the same spokesman said in mid-September, "no one employed by this committee at this time has used any funds (for purposes) that were illegal or improper."

One Nixon committee official said the secret fund was in part used for legal entertainment and travel expenses that might prove embarrassing if made public.

An example he gave was the paying for lunch and entertainment of possible contributors who would want such an association kept private.

In one of the few official comments on the secret fund, the President's campaign manager, Clark MacGregor told a group of reporters on Aug. 17 that Liddy, the former committee finance counsel, spent cam-

campaign money on his own initiative.

"Some funds," MacGregor said, "were used on the initiative of Liddy for the purpose of determining what to do if the crazies made an attack on the President (at the Republican Convention). Liddy decided to spend money to determine what the crazies planned."

The public disclosures about the secret fund have been:

- On Aug. 28, the General Accounting Office, the investigative arm of Congress, cited the existence of a fund of \$350,000 in cash as a possible violation of a new campaign finance disclosure law. The GAO said the fund was kept in Stans' safe.

- Five checks totaling

\$114,000 were deposited April 20 in the Miami bank account of one of the Watergate bugging defendants, apparently to "launder" the money so that its source could not be determined. Most of the \$114,000, in cash, was then deposited in the fund.

- On Sept. 12, a confidential report by the House Banking and Currency Committee staff said that Stans personally approved a possibly illegal transfer through Mexico of \$100,000 of campaign money that then went to the secret fund.

- On Sept. 17, two days after the Watergate bugging indictments, the first disclosures of who allegedly controlled the fund were made. It was reported then that principal associates of former campaign manager John Mitchell controlled it, but their names were not immediately made public.

- The next day it was reported that Nixon deputy campaign director Magruder and Herbert L. Porter, the campaign scheduling director, each had withdrawn more than \$50,000 from the fund. Magruder denied the allegation. He acknowledged that federal investigators questioned him about it.

- On Sept. 20, it was reported that Mitchell, Stans and Magruder were three of the five individuals who were authorized to approve expenditures from the fund. Federal sources said that Mitchell controlled disbursements from the fund for nearly one year while he was attorney general and only later did the other four begin authorizing expenditures. Mitchell and Stans have denied having any knowledge of disbursements from the fund.

- On Oct. 16, Kalmbach was named as the fourth person with power to authorize disbursements from the fund. Time magazine later reported that Kalmbach paid \$35,000 to Segretti, the California attorney who allegedly was a primary Nixon committee agent in the spying-sabotage campaign.

According to numerous sources, some specific acts

of political spying and sabotage include:

- Fabrication by a White House aide during the New Hampshire presidential primary campaign of the so-called "Canuck" letter that maintained that Sen. Edmund S. Muskie condoned a racial slur on French-Canadians. The letter played a part in Muskie's politically damaging "crying speech" before the office of the Manchester Union-Leader.

- Infiltration of the Democratic presidential campaign organizations in California by Segretti, who recommended the use of such tactics as planting stink bombs, disrupting campaign schedules, and forging press releases.

- Forging of a campaign letter during the Florida primary under Sen. Muskie's letterhead, claiming that his opponents were guilty of sexual misconduct. The letter, determined to be "obviously false" by the U.S. attorney there, said in part: "Senator Jackson of Everett, Wash., was involved with a 17-year-old girl named Joanne—when he was a senior at Everett High School. The result was an illegitimate daughter named Mary Ann—born Feb. 7, 1929." Senator Hubert Humphrey has similar skeletons in his closet. He was driving in Washington, D.C. on Dec. 8, 1967, after hitting two parked cars and a mail box. In his car at that time was a known call girl named Mary Virginia. Thousands of copies of the letters were distributed, possibly hurting Muskie, Jackson and Humphrey.

- Plans to develop a computerized intelligence bank in early 1971 on various Republicans and Democrats that could be used to "lean on" people for political and financial support.

- Payment of about \$2,000 to Charles Szilbik, an Indiana deputy state GOP chairman, to obtain schedules, campaign stationary and dossiers on the state Democratic convention delegates including information on bank loans and sexual activities.

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
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10:35PM IMMEDIATE 10-23-72 ALM

TO ACTING DIRECTOR (139-4089)

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JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR., ETAL; BURGLARY, DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL
COMMITTEE HEADQUARTERS, WASHINGTON, D.C. JUNE SEVENTEEN SEVENTY TWO

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FOLLOWING INFORMATION BEING FURNISHED TO BUREAU AS MATTER OF
RECORD:

LATE EVENING OF OCTOBER TWENTY THREE LAST, WFO CASE AGENT IN
CAPTIONED CASE RECEIVED TELEPHONE CALL FROM WFO NIGHT SUPERVISOR
WHO ADVISED CARL BERNSTEIN URGENTLY SEEKING TO SPEAK TO CASE AGENT.
BERNSTEIN WAS CONTACTED BY SA LAM FROM HIS HOME AND BERNSTEIN
IMMEDIATELY STATED HE WAS IN A BIND: THAT HE HAD TO FINISH A BIG
STORY AND NEEDED TO KNOW IF HE WAS PRINTING THE RIGHT THING. HE WAS
ADVISED THAT THERE COULD BE AND WOULD BE NO COMMENT MADE BY THE
AGENT AND DIRECTED BERNSTEIN TO CALL CRIME RECORDS OFFICE
OR ACTING DIRECTOR'S OFFICE IN THE AM. BERNSTEIN SAID THE
MATTER COULD ONLY BE RESOLVED BY THE WRITER.
BERNSTEIN SAID THAT HIS STORY CENTERED AROUND HALDEMAN OF THE

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WHITE HOUSE. THAT SOMETIME BEFORE HUGH SLOAN TESTIFIED BEFORE THE FEDERAL GRAND JURY, HE WAS DE BRIEFED IN AUSA EARL SILBERT'S OFFICE. HE STATED THAT SLOAN TOLD SILBERT THE IDENTITY OF THE FIVE PEOPLE WHO HAD ACCESS TO CERTAIN SECRET FUNDS. IN ADDITION TO NAMING MAGRUDER, FORMER AG JOHN MITCHELL AND GEORGE GORDON LIDDY, BERNSTEIN SAID SLOAN TOLD SILBERT THAT HALDEMAN HAD ACCESS ALSO.

THE CASE AGENT ASKED BERNSTEIN WHERE HE WAS GETTING HIS INFORMATION FROM? BERNSTEIN COUNTERED BY ASKING WHY THE FBI DID NOT INTERVIEW SLOAN AND WHY DIDN'T SILBERT TELL THE FBI THIS NAME AND WHY DIDN'T THE FBI INTERVIEW HALDEMAN? BERNSTEIN WAS GIVEN A NO COMMENT ON THIS ITEM AND AGAIN REFERRED TO THE BUREAU HEADQUARTERS FOR ANSWERES. HE WAS ALSO TOLD THAT THE AGENT WAS NOT GOING TO REVEAL WHO THE FBI INTERVIEWED OR DID NOT INTERVIEW. HE WAS ALSO TOLD, AS HE WAS ON OCTOBER THIRD LAST, THAT THE WASHINGTON POST OUGHT TO STOP STEALING FBI MATERIAL AND PRINTING IT IN THEIR PAPER BECAUSE SOMEDAY THERE WILL BE

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INVESTIGATION OF THE MATTER AND MAYBE THE DEPARTMENT WILL COME LOOKING FOR HIM. AT THIS POINT THE AGENT ATTEMPTED TO HANG UP, BUT BERNSTEIN SAID, IN ESSENCE, LET ME TELL YOU MY STORY. NOW YOUR SILENCE WILL TELL ME I'M RIGHT. THE STORY GOES, SLOAN GOES TO SILBERT'S OFFICE BEFORE HE GOES TO GRAND JURY. THERE HE TELLS SILBERT THE NAMES OF THE PEOPLE. THE FBI WASN'T PRESENT DURING THIS DE BRIEFING SO CONSEQUENTLY YOU, THE BUREAU, DON'T HAVE ACCESS TO WHAT SLOAN SAID, AND AFTER, SILBERT TAKES HIM TO THE GRAND JURY AND REPEATS THE STORY. AGAIN YOU DON'T GET THE INFORMATION. END QUOTE. BERNSTEIN WAS IMMEDIATELY ASKED TO IDENTIFY HIS SOURCE WHICH HE REFUSED. HE WAS ASKED HOW HE KNEW WHAT SLOAN SAID TO SILBERT IN THE OFFICE OR BEFORE THE GRAND JURY? AT THIS POINT THE AGENT ^{ASKED} ~~MENTIONED~~ ^{IS} THAT QUOTE HIS NAME, JOHN HALDEMAN END QUOTE? BERNSTEIN SAID HE WASN'T TALKING ABOUT EHRLICHMAN, BUT ABOUT THE OTHER PERSON. HE WAS TOLD THAT THE AGENT DOESN'T REMEMBER THE FIRST NAMES OF ALL PEOPLE INTERVIEWED FOR THAT MATTER THE LAST NAMES COULD MEAN NOTHING. AGAIN HE WAS

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REFERRED TO BUREAU HEADQUARTERS FOR ANSWERS. SEEMINGLY FLUSTERED FOR NOT GETTING A PROPER ANSWER HE HUNG UP.

IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE CALL, AUSA CAMPBELL WHO IS EARL SILBERT'S CHIEF ASSISTANT WAS APPRISED OF THE CONVERSATION. HE REITERATED THAT BERNSTEIN WAS ON ANOTHER FISHING EXPEDITION AND SUGGESTED THAT AUSA SILBERT BE CONTACTED IN THE MORNING.

AFTER THIS CALL, THE WFO NIGHT SUPERVISOR RETURNED ANOTHER CALL TO THE AGENT. AGAIN BERNSTEIN SAID HE HAD SOMETHING URGENT THAT WOULD TAKE THIRTY SECONDS OF THE AGENT'S TIME.

BERNSTEIN WAS RE CONTACTED, WHEREUPON HE ADVISED HE HAD JUST RECEIVED A CBS NEWS WIRE WHEREIN THE HEADLINE STORY WAS THAT THE ACTING DIRECTOR OF THE FBI HAS INFORMED THE PRESIDENT TO RE OPEN THE WHITE HOUSE INVESTIGATION OF THE WATERGATE AFFAIR SINCE THERE WAS SERIOUS LINKS DEVELOPED BETWEEN CERTAIN SUBJECTS AND THE WHITE HOUSE STAFF. THE AGENT TOLD BERNSTEIN THAT THE FBI INVESTIGATION OF THE WATERGATE AFFAIR IS STILL CONTINUING AND STATED THAT EVEN THE ACTING DIRECTOR HAS SAID THAT. THEREAFTER, BERNSTEIN SAID,
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QUOTE THAT NAME YOU MENTIONED EARLIER, JOHN, I WASN'T TALKING ABOUT EHRLICHMAN, I WAS TALKING ABOUT HALDEMAN END QUOTE. THE AGENT REPLIED QUOTE YEA, HALDEMAN, RICHARD, ROBERT OR JOHN, LIKE I SAID I DON'T KNOW FIRST NAMES. END QUOTE. WITH THAT HE WAS TOLD HIS TIME WAS UP AND THE AGENT HUNG UP THE PHONE.

AT APPROXIMATELY FOUR PM TODAY IN U.S. DISTRICT COURT, BERNSTEIN AND FELLOW REPORTER ROBERT ^{90.}~~X~~WOODARD APPROACHED THE AGENT AND SAID THEY WERE IN BIND OVER THE STORY THEY PRINTED IN TODAY'S PAPER BASED ON THE AGENT'S STATEMENT. THE AGENT IMMEDIATELY INFORMED THEM THAT NO STATEMENT WAS EVER MADE AND THEY KNEW IT. WHEREUPON, BERNSTEIN UNDER WOODARD'S DIRECTION, PRODUCED A FOLDER SHEET OF TYPE WRITTEN PAPER CONTAINING PARTS OF A CONVERSATION BETWEEN THE AGENT AND BERNSTEIN, WHEREIN THE AGENT ADMITTED IN PART BY SAYING, QUOTE YEA, HALDEMAN, END QUOTE, AS BEING ^(YES) ANOTHER NAME FURNISHED BY SLOAN. THE AGENT CATEGORICALLY DENIED ANY SUCH STATEMENT WHEREUPON WOODARD SAID HE WAS ON THE OTHER PHONE AND HEARD THE ENTIRE CONVERSATION. THE AGENT AGAIN

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TOLD BERNSTEIN THAT HE WAS WRONG AND IT WAS HIS PROBLEM, AND BERNSTEIN REPLIED THAT QUOTE YOU'RE THE GUY THAT'S IN A BIND END QUOTE.

AUSA CAMPBELL AND SILBERT WERE BEFORE JUDGE JOHN SIRICA ON ORAL MOTIONS ON THE WATERGATE CASE. AUSA CAMPBELL WAS APPRAISED OF THE ALLEGED TYPEWRITTEN STATEMENT BY BERNSTEIN. AFTER THE HEARING, BERNSTEIN AND WOODARD WERE SUMMONED TO SILBERT'S OFFICE WHERE THEY STATED THAT THEY WERE UNDER PRESSURE BECAUSE OF A STORY THEY PRINTED TODAY, BASED ON THEIR QUOTE SOURCES INFORMATION END QUOTE, MAY HAVE BEEN WRONG. BERNSTEIN SHOWED THE COPY TO AUSA SILBERT AND WHEN HE ASKED BERNSTEIN WHO HIS SOURCE WAS, BERNSTEIN SAID HE DIDN'T WANT TO RELEASE THAT INFORMATION AT THIS TIME, HOWEVER, HE SAID THE PAPER WAS UNDER PRESSURE TO DO SO SO THEY WILL HAVE TO REPORT THAT THE SOURCE IS SA ANGELO J. LANO OF THE WASHINGTON FIELD OFFICE. SILBERT AND CAMPBELL BOTH DENOUNCED THE TACTICS OF THE TWO REPORTERS. WHEREUPON BERNSTEIN MORE OR LESS INDICATED THAT THEY WOULD NOT PRINT LANO'S NAME PROVIDED

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THEY BE INFORMED WHETHER OR NOT THE STORY WAS TRUE. AUSA SILBERT AND CAMPBELL, LATER INFORMED SA LANO THAT THEY TOLD BERNSTEIN THAT THEY DO NOT BELIEVE THAT THE AGENT IS THE SOURCE OF THEIR INFORMATION AND THAT THEY ARE BOUND BY JUDGE SIRICA'S ORDER NOT TO MAKE ANY COMMENTS ABOUT THE MATTER. THAT THIS SAME ORDER APPLIES TO SA LANO AND THEY KNOW HE IS ABIDING BY IT.

BERNSTEIN AND WOODARD LEFT THE COURT HOUSE WITH THE IMPRESSION THAT THEY WOULD PRINT A STORY ANOUNCING THAT THE AGENT IS THE POST SOURCE OF THE HALDEMAN STORY.

AUSA SILBERT PERSONALLY KNOWS THAT THE AGENT WAS NOT PRESENT DURING ANY DE BRIEFING SESSION HELD WITH SLOAN AND THAT HALDEMAN'S NAME HAS NEVER BEEN MENTIONED BY ANY SUBJECT, WITNESS OR INFORMANT IN THIS MATTER. NO MENTION OF HALDEMAN'S NAME HAS EVER BEEN MENTIONED BEFORE THE FEDERAL GRAND JURY. AS A MATTER OF RECORD, THE CASE AGENT HAS NOT SEEN SLOAN'S GRAND JURY TESTIMONY, *ALTHOUGH HE IS AWARE OF ITS CONTENT THROUGH DISCUSSIONS WITH AUSA'S SILBERT AND CAMPBELL.*
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*PER SA LANO 10/26/72
C/SOLZ*

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AS IN PREVIOUS INTERVIEWS WITH INSPECTORS AND ASSISTANT DIRECTOR
BATES, THE CASE AGENT HAS ^P DENIED MAKING ANY STATEMENTS TO THE
PRESS AND DENIES GIVING ANY STATEMENTS TO CARL BERNSTEIN
REGARDING H. R. HALDEMAN OF THE WHITE HOUSE.

DETAILED FD THREE ZERO TWO BEING PREPARED ON THIS MATTER.

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1- Mr. Felt
1- Mr. Bates

The Attorney General

October 26, 1972

Acting Director, FBI

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1- Mr. Gallagher
1- Mr. Bolz
1- Mr. Nuzum

JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR., AND OTHERS
BURGLARY OF DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL
COMMITTEE HEADQUARTERS
JUNE 17, 1972
INTERCEPTION OF COMMUNICATIONS

ORIGINAL DELIVERED TO
A.G. AT HOME EVENING
OF 10.26.72. COPIES
DELIVERED TO D.A.G. +
A.G. A.G.

This Bureau's Washington Field Office advised that "The Washington Post" news reporters Carl Bernstein and Bob Woodward, who wrote the article October 25, 1972, identifying H. R. Haldeman, White House Chief of Staff, as one of the individuals authorized to approve payments from a secret campaign fund, were summoned to the office of Assistant U. S. Attorney (AUSA) Earl Silbert, October 25, 1972. At that time the news reporters stated they were under pressure because their story, based on "sources," may have been wrong. Further, "The Washington Post" was also under pressure to identify the source of this story and Bernstein and Woodward stated they were going to identify Special Agent (SA) Angelo J. Lano, case Agent, as the source of this information.

This is an outrageous lie and SA Lano insists on preparing a sworn signed affidavit categorically denying this allegation and a copy of this affidavit will be furnished to AUSA Silbert. Bernstein and Woodward have obviously gotten themselves into an extreme bind because of their false story and they are seeking to make SA Lano their scapegoat based on bits and pieces of conversations had with SA Lano as shown hereinafter.

SA Lano was authorized on October 3, 1972, to meet with reporter Carl Bernstein for the purpose of having Bernstein identify his source of information for numerous stories he had written on captioned matter. This meeting was terminated when Bernstein would only identify his source as "a very high source," and he insisted on trying to query SA Lano about the case to which SA Lano replied, "no comment."

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The Attorney General

SA Lano, during the late evening of October 23, 1972, returned a call to Bernstein, who had called the Washington Field Office saying it was urgent he speak to SA Lano. SA Lano, because of his acute concern over "The Washington Post's" apparent access to FBI information, returned this call hoping to learn from Bernstein his source of information.

Bernstein, at this time, stated he was in a bind because he had a big story to finish and needed to know if his information was correct. SA Lano advised Bernstein there could and would be no comment on his part and suggested Bernstein call FBI Headquarters. Bernstein went on to relate that his story centered around Haldeman of the White House and stated Hugh Sloan (former Treasurer, Finance Committee to Reselect the President) in a debriefing session with AUSA Silbert and in testimony before the Federal grand jury, identified five people, including Haldeman, as having access to certain secret funds.

Bernstein inquired as to why the FBI did not interview Sloan and Haldeman and why AUSA Silbert did not give the FBI the results of Sloan's interview. SA Lano advised Bernstein he was not going to reveal whom the FBI interviewed or did not interview and attempted to hang up when Bernstein refused to identify his source of this information. Bernstein, however, insisted on telling his story and SA Lano, still hoping to identify Bernstein's source, permitted him to continue at which time Bernstein reiterated the above story about Sloan identifying Haldeman. At this point SA Lano inquired "Was this John Haldeman?" to which Bernstein stated he was not talking about Ehrlichman (John D. Ehrlichman, Assistant to the President for Domestic Affairs). Bernstein, seemingly flustered by not getting any answers from SA Lano, thereafter terminated this call.

SA Lano immediately called AUSA Donald E. Campbell who is AUSA Silbert's chief assistant, and told him of Bernstein's call. AUSA Campbell commented Bernstein is on another "fishing expedition" and suggested AUSA Silbert be contacted in the morning.

Shortly thereafter, Bernstein again contacted the Washington Field Office indicating it was urgent SA Lano call him immediately. SA Lano, again hoping to learn Bernstein's source of information, recontacted Bernstein. At this time

The Attorney General

Bernstein stated a Columbia Broadcasting System news wire was reporting that Acting Director Gray had advised the President to reopen the White House investigation of the Watergate affair. SA Lano advised Bernstein that the FBI investigation of the Watergate affair was continuing and even the Acting Director had so stated. Thereafter, Bernstein stated "That name you mentioned earlier, John, I wasn't talking about Ehrlichman, I was talking about Haldeman." SA Lano then commented, "Yes, Haldeman, Richard, Robert or John, like I said I do not know first names," and with that terminated the conversation when it was obvious Bernstein was shopping for information.

During the afternoon of October 25, 1972, Bernstein and Woodward approached SA Lano in U. S. District Court, Washington, D. C., and said they were in a bind over a story they had written in that day's newspaper based on SA Lano's statement. SA Lano informed Bernstein and Woodward that he had made no statement whereupon they produced a typewritten paper containing parts of the foregoing telephone conversations between SA Lano and Bernstein, particularly the part wherein SA Lano said "Yes, Haldeman." This was made to appear that SA Lano was confirming Haldeman as a name furnished by Sloan whereas SA Lano was in fact confirming that he knew who Bernstein was talking about. SA Lano categorically denied to Bernstein and Woodward that he had ever made a statement confirming Haldeman as a name furnished by Sloan whereupon Woodward stated he was on the other phone and heard the entire conversation with Bernstein.

The foregoing typewritten paper prepared by Bernstein and Woodward is an obvious vicious fabrication by them wherein they have taken SA Lano's comment completely out of context to suit their unfounded news story concerning H. R. Haldeman.

AUSA Campbell was immediately advised of Bernstein's and Woodward's typewritten paper and they were thereafter summoned to AUSA Silbert's office. At this time Bernstein and Woodward stated they were under pressure because of the story they printed October 25, 1972, based on the "source's information," which information may have been wrong. AUSA Silbert asked Bernstein who his source was and Bernstein stated he did not wish to release that information at this time. Bernstein stated, however, "The Washington Post" was under pressure to identify this source and they will have to report that the source is SA Angelo J. Lano of the Washington Field Office.

The Attorney General

AUSAs Silbert and Campbell both denounced the tactics of the two reporters whereupon Bernstein indicated that they would not print SA Lane's name provided he was informed whether or not the story was true. AUSAs Silbert and Campbell informed Bernstein that they did not believe that SA Lane is the source of the information and that they, Silbert and Campbell, are bound by Judge Sirica's order not to make any comments concerning this case. AUSA Silbert pointed out to Bernstein that this order also applies to SA Lane and they know he is abiding by it.

It is noted that at no time during our investigation of the Watergate incident was H. R. Haldeman's name brought to our attention; nor did we receive any information that Hugh Sloan had mentioned Haldeman's name either in a debriefing session with AUSA Silbert or in testimony before the Federal grand jury.

1- The Deputy Attorney General

1- Assistant Attorney General
Criminal Division

NOTE: Above being directed to the Attorney General in view of his call, 9:50 a.m., 10/26/72, to Acting Associate Director W. Mark Felt, wherein he advised that he had received information that SA Angelo J. Lane was furnishing information to "The Washington Post."

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1135 AM IMMEDIATE 10-25-72 SAT

TO ACTING DIRECTOR (139-4089)

MIAMI (139-328)

FROM WASHINGTON FIELD (139-166) P 1 PAGE

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JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR., ETAL; BURGLARY, DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL
COMMITTEE HEADQUARTERS, WASHINGTON D.C. JUNE SEVENTEEN SEVENTY TWO
IOC. OO:WFO.

RE REPORT OF SA WILLIAM P. KELLY, JUNE TWENTY EIGHT LAST AT
MIAMI. WFO TEL CALL TO MIAMI TODAY.

FOR INFORMATION OF BUREAU AND MIAMI, IN A MOTION FOR DISCOVERY
FILED BY SUBJECT GEORGE GORDON LIDDY, HE REQUESTED TO EITHER COPY,
PHOTOGRAPH OR OTHERWISE EXAMINE A PERSONAL DIARY OR NOTEBOOK, LOCATED
BY THE FBI DURING A SEARCH OF MARTINEZ'S AUTOMOBILE, IN MIAMI,
JUNE, NINETEEN SEVENTY TWO.

A REVIEW OF ABOVE REPORT REFLECTED ON PAGE ONE FIVE NINE,
ITEMS TWO AND FIVE REFLECT THEY ARE NOTEBOOKS OF ONE SORT OR ANOTHER.

AFTER CONSULTING WITH AUSA SILBERT FOLLOWING WFO CALL
TO MIAMI, HE REQUESTED THESE TWO ITEMS BE FORWARDED IMMEDIATELY TO
WASHINGTON FIELD FOR EXAMINATION AND PHOTOGRAPHING.

MIAMI IS REQUESTED TO EXPEDITE MAILING OF THESE TWO ITEMS TO
WFO AS PRE TRIAL MOTIONS AND ORAL ARGUMENTS COMMENCED
TODAY.

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TO: ACTING DIRECTOR (139-4089)
FROM: SAC, MIAMI (139-328) (P)

JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR.;
ET AL;
BURGLARY OF DEMOCRATIC PARTY
NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS,
JUNE 17, 1972
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OO: WFO

Re WFO tel 10/25/72.

Enclosed for WFO are the following two requested
items seized by search warrant from the automobile of ROLANDO
MARTINEZ at Miami, Fla., on 6/21/72:

1. A Marquette Page-A-Day calendar notebook
(MM 139-328-1B1-2)
2. A notebook, without cover, containing various
names and telephone numbers
(MM 139-328-1B1-5)

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Special Agent in Charge

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1- Mr. Felt
1- Mr. Bates
1- Mr. Gallagher

The Attorney General

October 25, 1972

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Acting Director, FBI

1- Mr. Bolz
1- Mr. Nuzum
1- Mr. Bishop
1- Mr. Dalbey

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JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR., AND OTHERS
BURGLARY OF DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL
COMMITTEE HEADQUARTERS
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Attached is a copy of a letter received from Senator Edward M. Kennedy, requesting the FBI's assistance in locating Donald M. Segretti. Also attached is a copy of our proposed reply to Senator Kennedy, which is in accordance with your October 24, 1972, discussion with Acting Associate Director W. Mark Felt. *ay*

If you approve our letter to Senator Kennedy, it will be delivered immediately to him.

Enclosures

1- The Deputy Attorney General (Enclosures)

1- Assistant Attorney General
Criminal Division (Enclosures)

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NOTE: See memo C. W. Bates to Mr. Felt, 10/25/72, CB/amm, captioned "James Walter McCord, Jr., Et al."

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DATE 10/26/72
BY WAF

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. Cleveland *WNC*

FROM : J. B. Engelstad *James Walter Joe Cord*

SUBJECT: **WATERGATE INVESTIGATION**

DATE: **October 24, 1972**

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At 7:32 p.m. Night Duty Supervisor Kenneth M. Raupach, Special Investigative Division, received a telephone call from the guard gate, Tenth Street entrance. An individual identifying himself as "Jim Flug" advised he had a letter addressed to Acting Director Gray, which should be brought to the attention of Mr. Felt. Mr. Flug was instructed to wait at the Tenth Street gate and SA Raupach personally accepted this communication from Mr. Flug. *RFH*

Mr. Felt was telephonically advised of the receipt of this communication; and at his request it was opened and read to him. Mr. Felt instructed that this communication, bearing Senator Edward M. Kennedy's signature, be delivered to Mr. Bates. He further wished Mr. Bates to call him the morning of October 25, 1972, for further instructions concerning this communication. *Aug*

ACTION:

The original communication, with a copy of this memorandum, was delivered to Night Duty Supervisor R. J. Petersen, General Investigative Division for appropriate handling.

Enclosure

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1 - Mr. Cleveland
1 - Mr. Bates
1 - Mr. Engelstad
1 - Mr. Raupach
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(4) *WNC*

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : THE ACTING DIRECTOR

DATE: 10-24-72

FROM : W. M. FELT

SUBJECT: WATERGATE

James Walter McCord

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On 10-23-72 Mr. James ~~Flug~~, Counsel for the Kennedy Subcommittee of the Senate Committee on the Judiciary, called and was referred to me.

Flug demanded that the FBI initiate an immediate investigation to locate Mr. Donald Segretti so that he could be called before the Subcommittee to testify. He indicated that no subpoena for Segretti had been issued as of that date.

I told Flug that I had no authority to initiate such an investigation and instructed him that his request should be submitted in writing over the signature of Senator Kennedy. I told him that when such a request was received it would be immediately called to your attention and I suggested that you would most certainly want to consult with the Attorney General.

This morning I briefed the Attorney General on what had happened. He instructed that we should take the position that the FBI cannot accept such investigation except upon the request of a Chairman of a full Committee. I told him that I would be talking to you later in the day and would inform you of developments.

I also called John Dean at the White House and told him what had happened and what the Attorney General had instructed.

As of this writing, 5:21 p. m., we have received no request from the Subcommittee.

RECOMMENDATION:

None. For information.

WMF:crt
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1 - Mr. Bates

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TO ACTING DIRECTOR (139-4089)

WFO (139-166)

FROM ALEXANDRIA (139-18) P 1P

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JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR., AKA ET AL, BURGLARY DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL
COMMITTEE HEADQUARTERS, WASHINGTON, D.C., JUNE SEVENTEEN LAST.
IOC. OO: WFO.

RE WASHINGTON FIELD TELETYPE OCTOBER NINETEEN LAST.

ON OCTOBER TWENTY LAST, SA STUART W. ANGEVINE ASCERTAINED FROM
REA AIR EXPRESS OFFICE, WASHINGTON NATIONAL AIRPORT, THAT REA RECEIPT
NUMBER SEVEN ZERO DASH ONE THREE DASH SIX SEVEN DATED MAY TWENTYFIVE
SEVENTYTWO LISTS SHIPMENT OF ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT
FROM BELL AND HOWELL COMPANY, WALTHAM, MASS., TO MC CORD ASSOCIATES,
INC., ROCKVILLE, MARYLAND.

SHIPMENT WAS PLACED ON TRUCK AND DELIVERED BY REA EMPLOYEE CAREY
RESPER ON MAY TWENTYSIX SEVENTYTWO. RECORD NOTED ON AIR EXPRESS
DELIVERY SHEET THREE SIX SIX TWO ONE. SHIPMENT WAS SIGNED FOR ON
MAY TWENTYSIX SEVENTYTWO BY MRS. WM. SHEA. ORIGINAL RECEIPT DOCUMENT
IS NOW ON FILE REA, CHATTANOOGA, TENN., AND ABOVE INFO OBTAINED
FROM CARBON COPY FURNISHED BY A.V. AUGUSTINE, TERMINAL MANAGER, REA.
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TO: ACTING DIRECTOR (139-40892) AND WFO (139-166)
FROM: NEW HAVEN (139-74) 2P

Mr. Felt	_____
Mr. Baker	_____
Mr. Bates	_____
Mr. Bishop	_____
Mr. Callahan	_____
Mr. Cleveland	_____
Mr. Conrad	_____
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JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR., ETAL; BURGLARY, DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL
COMMITTEE HEADQUARTERS, WASHINGTON, D.C., JUNE SEVENTEEN, SEVENTEEN
TWO. IOC. OO WFO.

RE WFO TWL OCT. TWENTYTHREE SEVENTYTWO.

JOHN LAVALLEE, VICE PRESIDENT, BRANHAVEN CHRYSLER -
PLYMOUTH, ONE ZERO THREE SIX WEST MAIN ST., BRANFORD, CONN.,
ADVISED TODAY THAT ALFRED CARLETON BALDWIN HAD HIS CAR SERVICED
AT ABOVE AGENCY ON MAY TWENTYFIVE LAST AND PICKED UP HIS CAR
AT APPROXIMATELY NINE TEN P.M., MAY TWENTYFIVE LAST.

LAVALLEE RECALLS CLOSING THE AGENCY AT NINE TEN P.M., MAY
TWENTYFIVE LAST, RECALLS THAT IT WAS DARK AT THE TIME AND
REMEMBERS THAT BALDWIN CAME RUNNING TO THE FRONT DOOR OF THE
AGENCY JUST AS LAVALLEE WAS LOCKING THE DOORS.

LAVALLEE DOES NOT HAVE ^{ST-11} SERVICE ORDER OR RELEASE
SLIP SHOWING SPECIFIC TIME BALDWIN PICKED UP CAR BUT MADE
AVAILABLE XEROX COPIES OF A SERVICE ORDER AND WARRANTY REPAIR
ORDER REFLECTING BALDWIN'S CAR WAS SERVICED ON MAY TWENTYFIVE
LAST. SERVICE ORDER CONTAINS WRITTEN NOTATION MADE BY LAVALLEE
AUTHORIZING THE SERVICE CHARGES TO BE CHARGED TO BALDWIN'S

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ACCOUNT WITH NOTATIONS LAVALLEE CLAIMS HE MADE AT THE TIME HE
RELEASED CAR TO BALDWIN.

REPORT FOLLOWS.

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305PM URGENT 10-23-72 MRE

TO ACTING DIRECTOR (139-4089)

NEW HAVEN 139-74)

FROM WASHINGTON FIELD OFFICE (139-166) P

JAMES WALTER MCCORD, JR., ETAL; BURGLARY, DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL
COMMITTEE HEADQUARTERS, WASHINGTON, D.C., JUNE SEVENTEEN SEVENTY
TWO. IOC. 00:WFO

RE WFO TEL TO BUREAU TEN NINETEEN LAST.

FOR INFO OF NEW HAVEN IN SEVERAL STATEMENTS TO BUAGENTS AND
NEWS MEDIA, ALFRED CARLTON BALDWIN HAS STATED THAT ONE MAY TWENTY
FIVE LAST, HE OBSERVED JAMES WALTER MCCORD, JR. ENTER
DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL COMMITTEE HEADQUARTERS AND IN PARTICULAR, THE
OFFICE OF SPENCER OLIVER. HE PLACED THE TIME BETWEEN
TEN PM AND MIDNIGHT.

ACCORDING TO NEW HAVEN REPORT OF JUNE TWENTY TWO, PAGES EIGHT
AND TEN, BALDWIN WOULD HAVE BEEN IN NEW HAVEN AT THAT TIME PICKING
UP HIS AUTOMOBILE FROM BRANHAVEN CHRYSLER-PLYMOUTH, TEN THIRTY SIX
MAIN STREET.

NEW HAVEN IS REQUESTED TO RECONTACT JOHN LAVALLEE, VICE
PRESIDENT OF ABOVE COMPANY AND ASCERTAIN IF HE HAS TIME SHEET OR
WORK ORDER OR RELEASE SLIP SHOWING SPECIFIC TIME BALDWIN PICKED
UP HIS AUTOMOBILE.

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Mr. Felt	_____
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COMMITTEE HEADQUARTERS,
WASHINGTON, D.C.,
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Enclosed for the Bureau and WFO is one copy each of two articles which appeared in the Tampa Times, a newspaper printed daily in Tampa, Fla. One article is entitled "Area Man Linked to Bugging Figure", and the other "Benz, Out of Campaign".

These articles are being submitted for information and no action is contemplated by the Tampa Office, UAC WFO.

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Area man linked to bugging figure

By JOHN PERRY
Times Staff Writer

The campaign manager for Conway Brock, Republican state representative candidate, today was linked with a reputed ringleader of what has been called a nationwide GOP political espionage plot.

Robert Benz is one of two campaign managers identified today by the New York Times as recipients of dozens of phone calls from Donald H. Segretti, who has been named as the key figure in the anti-Democratic campaign sabotage ring.

The other is Martin Douglas Kelly, campaign manager for Mike Thompson, GOP opponent of Democratic Florida house speaker Richard Peltigrew of Miami, in a state senate race.

There was no evidence to link directly either Brock or Thompson with Segretti, the California attorney named by the Washington Post as a top agent in a special squad of nationwide operatives employed by the Committee to Re-elect the President to disrupt and discredit Democratic candidates.

"I'm in no way involved in this," said Brock, whose Democratic opponent for the state representative seat in district 65 (rural), is Jim Foster.

"Any story which involves me would be irresponsible, unfortunate and untimely."

Brock is a Tampa stock broker.

Although Benz, 24, denied two days ago to the New York

Times that he had received phone calls from Segretti, he yesterday told The Tampa Times:

"I've decided I have no comment to make."

When first contacted by The Tampa Times at Brock's campaign headquarters in Brandon and informed it knew he had been identified as the recipient of 20 long distance calls from Segretti between March 5 and July 9, Benz was silent for several moments, then asked:

"Can I phone you back in an hour and discuss it?"

Three hours later, and about one hour after The Tampa Times had interviewed Brock on the matter, Benz phoned back.

This time he declined to deny he had received the Segretti calls.

"I'm not going to say anything," Benz said, "because anything I might say could be twisted."

"I know how reporters like to play games. I see it happening on the national level, especially with Republicans."

Asked why he is listed in the city directory as a "reporter" for the "Post Times," Benz replied:

"This is the first I've heard of that. That's interesting. I'll research that."

There is no such publication here as the "Post Times." Editors of the Palm Beach Post-Times, the only newspaper in the state with such a

name, yesterday said it never has had a reporter or a correspondent named Robert Benz.

The New York Times said telephone records disclosed long-distance telephone tolls on scores of calls Segretti made between March and July from his home in Los Angeles or charged to his credit card.

Among those calls, the New York Times said, were 28 to the White House, to the home of President Richard M. Nixon's appointments aide, Dwight L. Chapin, and to the home and office of E. Howard Hunt Jr.

Hunt is the former White House consultant indicted in connection with the burglary of Democratic national committee headquarters in the Watergate offices in Washington on June 17.

In addition, the New York Times said today, it has evidence of Segretti placing 20 long-distance calls to a Tampa number listed for the W. H. Benz residence, 9218 52nd Street, just north of Busch Boulevard and west of the Temple Terrace city limits.

Interviewed yesterday at the residence, W. H. Benz said he is the father of Robert Benz, who also lives there. The elder Benz, a diesel mechanic with a truck company, insisted he did not receive any calls from Segretti but would not say whether or not his son had.

Earlier, The New York Times reported that the son said he had no idea why Segretti called that number.

At first Segretti denied any part in the espionage ring. He

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now has dropped out of sight of the press.

CBS television news reported last night that Segretti was a classmate at University of Southern California, and on a close personal basis, with Ron Ziegler, the President's press aide; Chapin, the President's appointments aide, and one of the aides to presidential advisor Henry Kissinger.

Time magazine earlier this week reported Segretti had received for his espionage services more than \$35,000 paid through another California attorney, Herbert W. Kalmbach, a personal lawyer for Nixon. Justice department files show that money originated with the Committee to Re-elect the President and was funneled through Nixon's attorney to Segretti, Time reported.

The Washington Post said Segretti, 31, a former treasury department attorney, was identified by the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) as one of the more than 50 undercover agents engaged for more than a year in the GOP effort to subvert the Democratic party.

Obviously shaken by the revelations about his campaign manager, Brock yesterday nonetheless said of Benz:

"On the basis of this information I still see no reason not to have confidence in him."

Asked who had recommend-

ed Benz to him as a campaign manager, Brock said:

"No one recommended him to me. I've known him for the past one or two years as a personal friend.

"I first met him in Young Republican activities around Tampa. He's been in several campaigns, and I depend on his experience to help me."

A station wagon registered to the elder Benz still bears a bumper sticker.

Was Benz involved in any of the Democratic presidential campaigns earlier this year?

"I have no idea," said Brock.

Segretti has been accused by several persons who said he tried to recruit them to engage in political espionage against Democratic presidential hopefuls, such as Sen. Edmund Muskie of Maine.

"Right up until he began campaigning for me, Benz delivered papers for the Tampa Tribune," Brock said.

Tribune files show that Benz was a contract distributor for it on a large west Tampa home-delivery route from Oct. 11 last year until July 16 this year.

Personnel files of the Tribune and Times show no record of Benz ever having been employed in any other capacity by either newspaper.

In Tallahassee, the secretary of state's office said Brock's campaign expenditures records show Benz has received some \$500 from the campaign fund as reimbursement for expenses, including travel.

Brock said those are the

only monies his fund has paid to Benz.

Asked whether or not Benz is salaried by him, Brock said:

"That \$500 is all he has received. But he will be compensated further if the campaign funds to do so are available."

Brock said he is not aware if Benz is receiving any compensation from the Committee to Re-elect the President or any other source.

A check of police records here showed Benz was arrested Dec. 1, 1971, for careless driving while drinking and causing an accident.

Municipal Judge John D. Means withheld adjudication of the charge and placed Benz on six months probation.

Brock said he was unaware of that incident.

The New York Times said that in Miami the other Florida GOP campaign manager to receive Segretti calls, Kelly, at first had denied knowing Segretti.

Later, the newspaper said, Kelly said the 33 calls he received from Segretti — some of which came after the GOP presidential convention was switched to Miami Beach — were to try to persuade him to attend the GOP convention in San Diego, where it had been scheduled originally.

The man for whom Kelly is campaign manager, Thompson, said he is mystified by it all, the newspaper said.

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After Phone-Calls Report

Benz 'Out' Of CampaignBy JACK GREENE
Tribune Staff Writer

Robert Milton Benz is — at least temporarily — out as campaign manager for Conway Brock, Republican candidate for a Florida House seat.

"He (Benz) won't be involved in my campaign until this thing is cleared up," said Brock.

The "thing" referred to by the candidate is a report that Benz received 20 calls earlier this year from Donald Se-

gretti or someone using his telephone credit card. Segretti has been accused of being involved as a key organizer in a program of espionage against Democratic presidential contenders.

BUT BROCK MADE it clear that he was not criticizing Benz:

"If we had more citizens take an interest the way he does, we might be in better shape in the country today."

Benz, 25, was not answering his telephone yesterday, but The New York Times, which broke the story of the Segretti credit card telephone calls to the Benz home, said Benz at first denied ever being called by Segretti and later said he had "no comment."

BENZ OFFERED HIS resignation and the resignation was accepted, according to Brock.

Publication of stories about the tele-



Conway Brock

"... won't be involved"

newspaper, city and state.)

THE TAMPA TRIBUNE
Tampa, Florida
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phone calls "upsets me be-
cause he was my campaign

manager," the candidate
said.

Asked how he met Benz

and brought him into the
campaign, Brock replied:

"I have known Bob for
several years. He's a member
of the Young Republican
Club. He has been active in
campaigns — he worked for
(former U. S. Rep. William)
Cramer in his last campaign
(for U. S. Senate). This cam-
paigning is new to me and his
experience gave me a chance
to get someone who could
help me."

BROCK WAS TOLD that
newsmen had been unable to
interview Benz about the Se-
gretti credit card calls, and
the candidate then was asked
what Benz had said to him
about the matter.

"I quite frankly don't want
to know. The first I heard
about this was yesterday. I
don't need trouble in my cam-
paign," the candidate an-
swered.

Although the Tampa City
Directory lists Benz as a re-
porter for the "Post Times,"
apparently no such publica-
tion exists.

Brock said he understood
that before Benz started help-
ing with his campaign "he
worked delivering papers for
the Tampa papers."

Tribune records show that,
prior to mid July, Benz was
a contract distributor with the
circulation department for
nine months.

BENZ WAS ONE OF TWO
Floridians identified in the
New York Times story as re-
cipients of calls earlier this
year from Segretti or some-
one using Segretti's home
telephone credit card number.

The other person was Mar-
tin Douglas Kelly, 23, of
Miami. Kelly is campaign
manager for Mike Thompson,
a Republican running for the
Florida Senate.

Kelly admitted getting "a
number of calls" from Cali-
fornia, but maintained the
calls involved queries about
whether he would attend the
Republican National Conven-

Although some of the Se-
gretti credit card calls came
after the convention had been
moved to Miami Beach, Kelly
said the San Diego convention
trip was the subject matter of
the calls.

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JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR., ET AL; BURGLARY, DEMOCRATIC
NATIONAL COMMITTEE HEADQUARTERS, WASHINGTON, D.C., JUNE
SEVENTEEN SEVENTYTWO. IOC. OO: WFO.

AT EIGHT THIRTY PM THIS DATE RMT EDWIN T. BREEN OF THIS
OFFICE WAS CONTACTED BY MR. FRANK JAMESON, VICE PRESIDENT
OF BELL AND HOWELL COMMUNICATIONS (BHC), WALTHAM, MASS.,
HOME PHONE SIX ONE SEVEN DASH FIVE FOUR THREE DASH TWO
SEVEN FOUR SIX. MR. JAMESON STATED THAT HE RECEIVED A
TELEPHONE CALL FROM A MR. SHOLLY KAGAN EX-PRESIDENT OF
KEL CORP., AND FORMER PRESIDENT OF BHC WHO ADVISED THAT

AT EIGHT TWENTYFIVE PM THIS DATE KAGAN RECEIVED
A TELEPHONE CALL, WHICH HE FIRMLY BELIEVED WAS LONG
DISTANCE, FROM AN INDIVIDUAL STATING "THIS IS HANRAHAN
(PHONETIC) OF THE FBI BOSTON." HE WAS CALLING REGARDING
A STORY BEING RUN IN THE WASHINGTON POST NEWSPAPER ABOUT
A CHECK FROM JOHN MITCHELL.

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MR. KAGAN WAS CONVINCED THAT HANRAHAN WAS INQUIRING ABOUT EQUIPMENT USED IN THE BREAK AT DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL COMMITTEE HEADQUARTERS AND TRYING TO CONFIRM THAT MITCHELL, FORMER U.S. ATTORNEY GENERAL, PURCHASED EQUIPMENT. HANRAHAN ASKED MR. KAGAN TO CALL HIM IF ANY REPORTERS CALLED HIM REGARDING THE ABOVE. UPON HEARING THIS MR. KAGAN TOLD THE PERSON IDENTIFYING HIMSELF AS HANRAHAN THAT HE HAS NOT BEEN ASSOCIATED WITH THE KEL CORP. OR BHC FOR SIX YEARS. / UPON HEARING THIS HANRAHAN ACTED SURPRISED AND STATED HE WOULD HAVE TO CONTACT MR. JAMESON.

THE ABOVE BEING SUBMITTED FOR THE BUREAU'S INFORMATION AND IMPERSONATION CASE BEING OPENED ON HANRAHAN BY THE BOSTON OFFICE.

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JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR.; ET AL, BURGLARY NATIONAL DEMOCRAT
HEADQUARTERS, JUNE SEVENTEEN SEVENTY TWO, IOC, OO: WFO.

CAROL HOLMES, MANAGER, BRADY'S ANSWERING SERVICE, FOUR SEVEN
TWO FIVE LINCOLN BLVD., MARINA DEL REY, ADVISED ON OCT. TWENTY-ONE
INSTANT THAT SHE WAS CONTACTED TELEPHONICALLY BY A MR. FLUG (PHONETIC)
WHO IDENTIFIED HIMSELF AS CHIEF COUNSEL TO A SENATE SUB COMMITTEE IN
WASHINGTON, D. C. HE ADVISED HE HAD A SUBPOENA FOR THE MESSAGES OF
DONALD SEGRETTI IN POSSESSION OF ANSWERING SERVICE. HE SAID SUBPOENA
CALLS FOR PAST FOUR MONTHS OF SEGETTI'S MESSAGES. HE DESIRES TO HAVE
SUBPOENA SERVED OCT. TWENTY ONE INSTANT BECAUSE HE HAD A REPRESENTATIVE
IN LOS ANGELES AT PRESENT. SHE ADVISED HIM SHE COULD NOT FURNISH THE
RECORDS ON OCT. TWENTY ONE INSTANT BECAUSE SHE WAS NOT PREPARED AND
THE COMPANY ATTORNEY WAS ~~STILL~~ *111* OF TOWN FOR THE WEEKEND. HE ASKED THAT
SHE CALL HIM BACK IN A HALF AN HOUR AND LEFT HIS HOME NUMBER AS TWO
ZERO TWO - FOUR EIGHT THREE - FIVE FOUR NINE SEVEN, OFFICE NUMBER TWO
ZERO TWO - TWO TWO FIVE - FIVE SIX ONE SEVEN.

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SHE ATTEMPTED TO RECONTACT HIM AT THE ABOVE NUMBERS BUT THERE WAS NO ANSWER.

SHE INTENDS TO ADVISE HIM THAT SHE CANNOT DO ANYTHING UNTIL SHE TALKS WITH THE COMPANY ATTORNEY WHO WILL NOT BE AVAILABLE UNTIL TUESDAY OCT. TWENTY FOUR NEXT. SHE ALSO INTENDS TO ADVISE THE SERVER OF THE SUBPOENA THAT SEGRETTI MESSAGES HAVE BEEN SUBPOENAED PREVIOUSLY BY A FEDERAL GRAND JURY, WASHINGTON D.C. AND ARE THEREFORE NO LONGER AVAILABLE TO HER. SHE ADVISED THAT SHE WILL FURNISH WHAT MESSAGES SHE DOES HAVE, WHICH HAVE BEEN TAKEN BY THE ANSWERING SERVICE FOR SEGRETTI SINCE THE DATE OF THE SUBPOENA PREVIOUSLY SERVED UPON HER.

SHE WILL ENDEAVOR TO MAKE COPIES OF THE MESSAGES IN HER POSSESSION AT THIS TIME SO THAT SHE WILL HAVE SOME RECORD OF THE MESSAGES FOR SEGRETTI.

LOS ANGELES WILL KEEP THE BUREAU AND WASHINGTON FIELD ADVISED.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. Bates

DATE: 10/19/72

FROM : C. Bolz

1- Mr. Felt
1- Mr. Bates
1- Mr. Gallagher
1- Mr. Bolz
1- Mr. Nuzum
1- Mr. Bishop

SUBJECT: JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR., ET AL.
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The following is set forth to answer a number of questions by the Acting Director relative to the attached memorandum C. Bolz to Mr. Bates, 10/10/72, which enclosed a news clipping from the "Washington Post" of 10/10/72, captioned "FBI Finds Nixon Aides Sabotaged Democrats." The responses set forth below are numerically keyed to the Acting Director's notations.

(1) The Acting Director noted that we must be prepared to state specifically what was and was not developed by the FBI with regard to Segretti's activities.

COMMENT: During the Watergate investigation, the name of Donald Henry Segretti came to our attention as Hunt's telephone toll call records disclosed numerous calls between Segretti, an attorney of Marina Del Rey, California, and Hunt's residence in the Washington area, and Hunt's telephone at the Robert R. Mullen Company, Washington, D. C. In view of this, Segretti was interviewed to develop his association with Hunt and to endeavor to determine whether Segretti was involved in the bugging of Democratic National Committee Headquarters at the Watergate. REF ID: A66-117

On 6/26/72, Segretti advised us of his travels during primaries to harass Democratic political candidates. Segretti, in discussing his harassment activities, said he visited Miami and asked Senator Muskie about his vote against the "space shuttle" program. This apparently was to embarrass the Senator as the space program was very popular in Florida. He said he also distributed leaflets in California when Senator Muskie was speaking there regarding the Senator's position on abortion, realizing this position was unpopular with the students to whom the Senator was speaking.

Segretti declined to advise us as to whose orders he was acting on and who paid his expenses. However, in testi-

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mony before the Federal grand jury on 8/22/72.

BB [REDACTED] (According to John Dean of the White House staff, Kalmbach is a personal friend of President Nixon.)

During interview on 8/28/72, Dwight Chapin advised us that he had hired Segretti to harass Democratic candidates but Segretti acted on his own initiative and his activities in connection therewith were not directed by himself or any other member of the White House. Chapin, in discussion of the activities of Segretti, said that Segretti in the course of his harassment of Democratic candidates, secured the publication of false scheduling of campaign activities relative to Senator Muskie.

Kalmbach, who was interviewed on 9/4/72, admitted that he paid Segretti from funds of the Committee to Reelect the President on instructions of Dwight Chapin.

Our only interest in Segretti was his association with Everette Howard Hunt (which had been established by review of Hunt's toll call records) and Segretti's possible involvement in the Watergate incident. We did not concern ourselves with his political harassment activities nor did we attempt to identify and interview any individuals he may have endeavored to recruit for this purpose. Accordingly, we had no knowledge concerning Segretti's attempts to recruit various attorneys as reported in the 10/10/72 article to assist him in harassing Democratic candidates.

We have no idea as to how the "Washington Post" obtained the identities of the attorneys whom Segretti allegedly endeavored to recruit to assist him. It is noted, however, one of these attorneys, Alex B. Shipley, a Democrat who is now Assistant Attorney General of Tennessee, appears to be the main source of this information in the 10/10/72 article and may be endeavoring to capitalize on the current publicity associated with this matter.

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It is noted on 10/17/72, Assistant Attorney General Henry Petersen advised he was fully aware of the extent of the FBI investigation of Segretti, which did not include investigation of Segretti's alleged harassment activities. Mr. Petersen stated he does not believe Segretti's activities are in violation of any Federal statutes, and he can see no basis for additional investigation of Segretti by the FBI.

(2) The 10/10/72 article reports that the FBI established that the Watergate bugging stemmed from a campaign of political spying and sabotage directed by officials of the White House and the Committee to Reelect the President against major Democratic Presidential contenders.

COMMENT: The foregoing is pure conjecture on the part of the news reporters. Our investigation has not established the motive for the bugging of the Democratic National Committee Headquarters and information we obtained as to "political spying and sabotage" (political harassment) was limited to:

a. Segretti's activities as indicated above.

b. We know from interview with Jack Bauman on 6/25/72, that Hunt and Liddy under the Warren and Leonard aliases were in Florida in December, 1971, and January, 1972, for the purpose of recruiting [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] a special security squad to work on behalf of the Republican Party. **B1**

c. Jeb Magruder of the Committee to Reelect the President, advised he appointed George Gordon Liddy in charge of intelligence gathering activities for the Committee to Reelect the President. Liddy, in this connection, was responsible for gathering information concerning possible intended harassment or disruptions at various Republican political rallies and the Republican Convention. We did not develop any information that Liddy engaged in political harassment activities against Democratic presidential candidates.

(3) The 10/10/72 article states "During their Watergate investigation, federal agents established that hundreds of thousands of dollars in Nixon campaign contributions

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had been set aside to pay for an extensive undercover campaign aimed at discrediting individual Democratic presidential candidates and disrupting their campaigns."

COMMENT: We did learn during our investigation of the following payments made from funds of the Committee to Reelect the President which could be construed as coming within the purview of the foregoing:

a. Segretti was paid between \$30,000-\$40,000 by Attorney Herbert Kalmbach.

b. Liddy received \$199,000 from Hugh Sloan, former Treasurer, Committee to Reelect the President, to finance his intelligence gathering activities.

(4) The 10/10/72 article reports that "...federal investigators said what they uncovered being done by the Nixon forces is unprecedented in scope and intensity."

COMMENT: The FBI's reports or other communications do not contain such a statement, nor is any FBI employee known to have made such a comment.

(5) The Acting Director inquired whether we have information regarding a number of instances of alleged spying and sabotage directed by officials of the White House and the Committee for the Reelection of the President. The newspaper's statements, and comments as to our knowledge or lack thereof follow:

Alleged activities involved:

a. "Following members of Democratic candidates' families and assembling dossiers on their personal lives;" We have no knowledge of this although Alfred C. Baldwin on 7/10/72, advised us that the telephone conversations he monitored allowed him to overhear conversations [REDACTED]

Specifics as to this were not furnished us by Baldwin.

b. "forging letters and distributing them under the candidates' letterheads;" We did not develop such information although when we interviewed Jeb Stuart Magruder on

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7/20/72, he, in discussing the harassment of Democratic candidates, said that funds of the Committee to Reelect the President were expended for publishing a pamphlet entitled "Why a Liberal Should Vote for Muskie." This publication apparently contained references unfavorable to George McGovern. The pamphlet was published during the New Hampshire primary and was surreptitiously delivered to the Muskie headquarters in New Hampshire. Thereafter, a phone call was made to McGovern headquarters in New Hampshire and the caller suggested the McGovern people should see what the Muskie people were preparing to distribute. The purpose of this was to create friction between the Muskie and the McGovern people.

c. "leaking false and manufactured items to the press;"
We developed no such information.

d. "throwing campaign schedules into disarray;"
As set forth above, on 8/28/72, Dwight Chapin advised that Segretti, in the course of his harassment of Democratic candidates, secured the publication of false scheduling of campaign activities relative to Senator Muskie.

e. "seizing confidential campaign files;" On 6/22/72, Michael Richardson, Rich Photos, Miami, advised that on Saturday, 6/10/72, Barker, Fiorini and a third individual who has never been identified despite extensive efforts to do so, brought two rolls of exposed 35 millimeter film to Rich Photos. At the request of these people, Richardson developed this film and made 7" by 10" prints of the 38 exposed negatives contained in the film. Richardson stated the film was of documents and that most of the documents had an emblem and were headed "Chairman - Democratic National Committee." The documents photographed appeared to have been on onion skin paper, most were typed but a few consisted of handwritten notes. Several of the letters had the handwritten name Lawrence O'Brien. In addition, when the subjects were arrested at the burglary scene, they had in their possession three Democratic National Committee memoranda and a blank "Application for Credentials Democratic National Convention."

f. "investigating the lives of dozens of Democratic campaign workers." We developed no such information.

g. "planting provocateurs in the ranks of organizations expected to demonstrate at the Republican and Democratic conventions;" We did not develop such information; however, Segretti, on 6/26/72, advised that about a month to six

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weeks before that date he took a trip to Miami to make arrangements for counter demonstrations in support of the Administration's policies, at the Republican Convention, in the event there developed demonstrations in opposition to the Administration's policies at the Convention.

h. "investigating potential donors to the Nixon campaign before their contributions were solicited." We developed no such information.

(6) The 10/10/72 article states that "Law enforcement sources said that probably the best example of the sabotage was the fabrication-by a White House aide-of a celebrated letter to the editor alleging that Sen. Edmund S. Muskie (D-Maine) condoned a racial slur on Americans of French-Canadian descent as 'Canucks'!" The Acting Director inquired if we know who is the source of this.

COMMENT: An analysis of the article reveals that "Washington Post" staff writer Marilyn Berger is shown to have allegedly received the information about this matter from Ken W. Clawson, White House employee, on 9/25/72, although the article states that Mr. Clawson said the reporter must have misunderstood him and that he knows nothing about the incident. We conducted no investigation concerning this matter as it was not reported to us and we did not interview Mr. Clawson since during the Watergate investigation no information was received indicating he had knowledge of the bugging incident.

(7) The 10/10/72 news article relates that three attorneys told the "Washington Post," "they were asked to undermine the primary campaigns of Democratic candidates by a man who has been identified in FBI reports as an operative of the Nixon re-election organization."

COMMENT: The individual who allegedly attempted to recruit these attorneys is Donald Henry Segretti. During our Watergate bugging investigation, we were not concerned with Segretti's political harassment activities and accordingly did not develop any information as to his attempts to recruit individuals to assist him in his political harassment activities.

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(8) The attached news article states "According to FBI reports, at least 50 undercover Nixon operatives traveled throughout the country trying to disrupt and spy on Democratic campaigns."

COMMENT: The foregoing statement is absolutely false. The FBI's investigation of the Watergate incident, other than learning of Segretti's activities, did not develop any information as to other individuals ("Nixon operatives") who traveled throughout the country trying to disrupt and spy on Democratic campaigns.

(9) The 10/10/72 article states "The FBI's investigation of the Watergate definitely established that virtually all the acts against the Democrats were financed by a secret, fluctuating \$350,000 - \$700,000 campaign fund that was controlled by former Attorney General John N. Mitchell while he headed the Justice Department." The Acting Director inquired whether our investigation, in fact, developed such information.

COMMENT: During our investigation, we received no information that former Attorney General Mitchell controlled such a fund. Our only investigative interest with respect to funds was to endeavor to trace \$114,000 which we discovered was passed through the bank account of Bernard L. Barker at the Republic National Bank, Miami. This was composed of a \$25,000 cashiers check issued to Kenneth Dalhberg and \$89,000 in four bank drafts issued to Manuel Ogarrio obtained at the Banco Internacional, Mexico City. Hugh Walter Sloan, Jr., Former Treasurer, Committee to Reelect the President, advised these items were given by him to Liddy; that Liddy subsequently returned \$25,000 in cash to Sloan for the Dalhberg check and about \$86,000 in cash for the Ogarrio bank drafts; and all of the cash was placed with other currency which was maintained in a safe in Sloan's office at the Committee. In the course of attempts to trace this money, we interviewed Maurice Stans, Chairman of the Finance Committee to Reelect the President, on 7/28/72, and during that interview he said there was a considerable amount of cash maintained in Sloan's charge at the Committee, which varied from about \$200,000 to \$350,000 in cash.

In our investigation to determine the activities of Liddy and Everette Howard Hunt we learned that Jeb Stuart Magruder in late January or early February, 1972, assigned

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Liddy the responsibility of gathering intelligence concerning possible harassment of surrogate candidates or celebrities at various political rallies and concerning possible disruptions at the Republican National Convention.

Mrs. Judy Hoback, Assistant to the Treasurer, Finance Committee to Reelect the President, on 7/18/72, advised that she had seen a tally sheet in Sloan's handwriting which indicated cash disbursement to Liddy of either \$81,000 or \$89,000; to Herbert L. Porter of over \$100,000; and to Jeb Magruder approximately \$50,000. In secret testimony before the grand jury, however, Sloan on 7/31/72, [REDACTED]

B3 [REDACTED] It is also noted as previously set forth herein, Segretti reportedly received some \$30,000-\$40,000 from Committee funds for his political harassment activities.

(10) The news article reports that when asked by the Washington Post to discuss Segretti, three FBI and Justice Department officials involved in the Watergate probe refused. According to this report, each official at the mention of Segretti's name said "that's part of the Watergate investigation," and one of the officials described Segretti's activities as "indescribable."

COMMENT: It is believed that this pertains to Washington Post staff writer Carl Bernstein's attempts to interview Washington Field Office case Agent, SA Angelo Lano, on 10/3/72, and Bernstein's repeated attempts to interview Assistant U. S. Attorneys Earl Silbert and Donald Campbell, who are responsible for prosecution of this matter. SA Lano was telephonically contacted by Bernstein on 10/3/72, at which time Bernstein attempted to solicit information from SA Lano as to whether the names Segretti and Kalmbach meant anything to him and whether the use of secret campaign funds by these individuals was a "surprise." SA Lano told Bernstein that no comment could be made on this issue or any other issue. SA Lano told Bernstein this was like asking Bernstein who his source of information was for the various articles he had written on this case. Bernstein stated although he could not name his source, he could furnish SA Lano with a "good clue."

SA Lano thereafter, with the approval of Assistant Director Bates, met with Bernstein in the vicinity of the Treasury

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Building for the specific purpose of having Bernstein identify his source. Bernstein again attempted to interview SA Lano concerning certain aspects of this case but SA Lano pointed out his only purpose in meeting with Bernstein was he had promised to give a clue as to the source of his information. To this all Bernstein would say was "I have a very high source," but he would not identify the source or the agency to which he belonged.

SA Lano has advised that he knows from discussion with Assistant U. S. Attorneys Silbert and Campbell that Bernstein has made repeated attempts to interview them concerning this case but they to his knowledge have only "no comment" to Bernstein's inquiries. We do not know who, if anyone, allegedly described Segretti's activities as "indescribable."

(11) The attached news article states "Federal investigators identified the following jurisdictions as the locations of the most concentrated Nixon undercover activity: Illinois, New York, New Hampshire, Massachusetts, California, Texas, Florida, and Washington, D. C."

COMMENT: We have never identified as such in our reports or communications, locations wherein undercover activity took place. However, in our interviews with Segretti, he identified the areas he visited in connection with his political harassment activities as Florida, Illinois, New Hampshire, Wisconsin, and California.

The 6/17/72 arrests of the subjects in the Democratic National Committee Headquarters at the Watergate could account for the news article's identifying Washington, D. C., as an area of activity. Also, Baldwin's published statement concerning attempt to enter Senator McGovern's campaign headquarters on May 27, 1972, by him, McCord, Hunt and Liddy could be the basis of identifying Washington, D. C.

We did not develop any information during our investigation as to political harassment activity taking place in New York, Massachusetts or Texas as noted in the attached article.

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*If not, establish such a file,
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. Bates *B/N*

DATE: 10/10/72

FROM : C. Bolz *B/N*

SUBJECT: JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR.
BURGLARY OF DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL
COMMITTEE HEADQUARTERS, 6/17/72
INTERCEPTION OF COMMUNICATIONS

1- Mr. Felt
1- Mr. Bates
1- Mr. Gallagher
1- Mr. Bolz
1- Mr. Nuzum

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The attached article from the 10/10/72, Washington Post states that FBI Agents have established that the Watergate bugging incident stemmed from a massive campaign of political spying and sabotage on behalf of the reelection of President Nixon and that it was directed by officials of the White House and the Committee to Reelect the President. The article details extensive activities on the part of Donald Henry Segretti including alleged efforts by Segretti to recruit lawyers to harass Democratic candidates. *Ag*

Hunt's toll calls at Mullen Co. 9 at his residence.
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We became interested in Segretti when review of telephone toll records of Everette Howard Hunt's unlisted telephone at the Robert R. Mullen Company, Washington, D. C., and Hunt's residence telephone, disclosed numerous calls were made to the nonpublished residence telephone number of Segretti at Marina Del Ray, California. In an effort to determine whether Segretti was involved in the Watergate matter, we conducted considerable investigation concerning him. We learned that in January, 1972, Dwight L. Chapin, Deputy Assistant to the President, who had known Segretti from college days, hired Segretti to harass Democratic candidates and that assignment was to continue throughout the campaign. Mr. Chapin said this assignment was done on his own initiative as he had heard about similar tactics being used against Republican surrogate candidates. Segretti acted on his own initiative and was paid by Mr. Herbert Kalmbach, a Los Angeles attorney who is a close personal friend of the President Segretti, in testimony before the Federal grand jury on 8/22/72.

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Our interest in Segretti ended when we were unable to develop any involvement on his part in the Watergate incident, other than being in frequent contact with Hunt, and much of the information in the attached article detailing his activities was not developed by our investigation. Although Mr. Chapin,

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when we interviewed him on 8/28/72, said that Segretti had secured the publication of material relative to the campaign of Senator Muskie, which material set forth false scheduling of campaign activities and incorrect information relative to employment with the Muskie campaign committee, we received ~~no~~ ^{K.H. 3/1} information concerning a letter published in a Manchester, New Hampshire, newspaper alleging that Senator Muskie had slurred American citizens of French-Canadian descent. We did not interview Mr. Ken W. Clawson, a White House employee, nor did we interview Mr. Alex B. Shipley, Assistant Attorney General of the State of Tennessee, both of whom are prominently mentioned in the attached article, as neither of these men came to our attention during our investigation. ^{PHOTO} ^{VIET} ^{U.S.} ^{VA.} ¹¹ ^{TRAIL}

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This is for information. Full details concerning our investigation of Segretti are set forth in the summary of the Watergate case.

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FBI Finds Nixon Aides Sabotaged Democrats

By Carl Bernstein and Bob Woodward
Washington Post Staff Writers

FBI agents have established that the Watergate bugging incident stemmed from a massive campaign of political spying and sabotage conducted on behalf of President Nixon's re-election and directed by officials of the White House and the Committee for the Re-election of the President.

The activities, according to information in FBI and Department of Justice files, were aimed at all the major Democratic presidential contenders and — since 1971 — represented a basic strategy of the Nixon re-election effort.

During their Watergate investigation, federal agents established that hundreds of thousands of dollars in Nixon campaign contributions had been set aside to pay for an extensive undercover campaign aimed at discrediting individual Democratic presidential candidates and disrupting their campaigns.

"Intelligence work" is normal during a campaign and is said to be carried out by both political parties. But federal investigators said what they uncovered being done by the Nixon forces is unprecedented in scope and intensity.



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They said it included:
Following members of Democratic candidates' families and assembling dossiers on their personal lives; forging letters and distributing them under the candidates' letterheads; leaking false and manufactured items to the press; throwing campaign schedules into disarray; seizing confidential campaign files; and investigating the lives of dozens of Democratic campaign workers.

In addition, investigators said the activities included planting provocateurs in the ranks of organizations expected to demonstrate at the Republican and Democratic conventions; and investigating potential donors to the Nixon campaign before their contributions were solicited.

Informed of the general contents of this article, the White House refused all comment to the Committee for the Re-election of the President. A spokesman there said, "The Post story is not only fiction but a collection of absurdities." Asked to discuss the specific points raised in the story, the spokesman, DeVan L. Shumway, refused on grounds that "the entire matter is in the hands of the authorities."

Law enforcement sources said that probably the best example of the sabotage was the fabrication—by a White

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House aide—of a celebrated letter to the editor alleging that Sen. Edmund S. Muskie (D-Maine) condoned a racial slur on Americans of French-Canadian descent as "Canucks."

The letter was published in the Manchester Union Leader Feb. 24, less than two weeks before the New Hampshire primary. It in part triggered Muskie's politically damaging "crying speech" in front of the newspaper's office.

Washington Post staff writer Marilyn Berger reported that Ken W. Clawson, deputy director of White House communications, told her in a conversation on Sept. 25 that, "I wrote the letter."

Interviewed again yesterday, Clawson denied that he had claimed authorship of the "Canuck" letter, saying the reporter must have misunderstood him. "I know nothing about it," Clawson said.

William Loeb, publisher of the Manchester paper, said yesterday that although the person who signed the letter—a Paul Morrison of Deerfield Beach, Fla.—has never been located, "I am convinced that it is authentic."

However, Loeb said he is investigating

the possibility that the letter is a fabrication because of another letter he received about two weeks ago. The recent letter, Loeb said, maintains that another person was paid \$1,000 to assist with the "Canuck" hoax.

B. J. McQuaid, editor-in-chief of the Union Leader, said earlier this year that Clawson had been "useful" to the paper in connection with the "Canuck" letter. Though McQuaid did not elaborate, he too said that he believed the original letter was authentic.

Clawson, a former Washington Post reporter, said yesterday that he met McQuaid only briefly during the New Hampshire primary while lunching in the state with editors of the newspaper.

He denied that he provided any assistance with the letter. Clawson said the first time he heard of the "Canuck" letter was when "I saw it on television" following the Muskie speech.

Immediately following his "crying speech," Muskie's standing in the New Hampshire primary polls began to slip and he finished with only 48 per cent.

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of the Democratic primary vote—far short of his expectations.

Three attorneys have told The Washington Post that, as early as mid-1971, they were asked to work as agents provocateurs on behalf of the Nixon campaign. They said they were asked to undermine the primary campaigns of Democratic candidates by a man who has been identified in FBI reports as an operative of the Nixon re-election organization.

All three lawyers, including one who is an assistant attorney general of Tennessee, said they turned down the offers, which purportedly included the promise of "big jobs" in Washington after President Nixon's re-election. They said the overtures were made by Donald H. Segretti, 31, a former Treasury Department lawyer who lives in Marina Del Rey, Calif.

Segretti denied making the offers and refused to answer a reporter's questions.

One federal investigative official said that Segretti played the role of "just a small fish in a big pond." According to FBI reports, at least 50 undercover Nixon operatives traveled throughout the country trying to disrupt and spy on Democratic campaigns.

Both at the White House and within the President's re-election committee, the intelligence-sabotage operation was commonly called the "offensive security" program of the Nixon forces, according to investigators.

Perhaps the most significant finding of the whole Watergate investigation, the investigators say, was that numerous specific acts of political sabotage and spying were all traced to this "offensive security," which

was conceived and directed in the White House and by President Nixon's re-election committee.

The investigators said that a major purpose of the sub rosa activities was to create so much confusion, suspicion and dissension that the Democrats would be incapable of uniting after choosing a presidential nominee.

The FBI's investigation of the Watergate established that virtually all the acts against the Democrats were financed by a secret, fluctuating \$350,000-\$700,000 campaign fund that was controlled by former Attorney General John N. Mitchell while he headed the Justice Department. Later, when he served as President Nixon's campaign manager, Mitchell shared control of the fund with others. The money was kept in a safe in the office of the President's chief fundraiser, former Secretary of Commerce Maurice Stans.

According to sources close to the Watergate investigation, much of the FBI's information is expected to be revealed at the trial of the seven men indicted on charges of conspiring to cavedrop on Democratic headquarters at the Watergate.

"There is some very powerful information," said one federal official, "especially if it becomes known before Nov. 7."

A glimpse of the Nixon campaign's spying and disruptions are to be found in the activities of Segretti. According to investigators, Segretti's work was financed, through middlemen, by the \$350,000-\$700,000 fund.

Asked by The Washington Post to discuss Segretti, three FBI and Justice Department officials involved in the Wat-

ergate probe refused. At the mention of Segretti's name, each said—in the words of one—"That's part of the Watergate investigation." One of the officials, however, became angry at the mention of Segretti's name and characterized his activities as "indescribable."

Segretti, visited in his West Coast apartment last week by Washington Post special correspondent Robert Meyers, repeatedly answered questions by saying "I don't know," "I don't have to answer that," and "No comment." After 15 minutes, he said: "This is material for a good novel, it's ridiculous," and chased the reporter outside when he attempted to take a picture.

According to the three attorneys interviewed by The Post, Segretti attempted to hire them in 1971 as undercover agents working a behalf of President Nixon's re-election. All three said they first met Segretti in 1968, when they served together in Vietnam as captains in the Army Judge Advocate General Corps.

One of the lawyers, Alex B. Shipley, a Democrat who is now assistant attorney general of Tennessee, said Segretti told him, "Money would be no problem, but the people we would be working for wanted results for the cash that would be spent."

Shipley, 30, added: "He (Segretti) also told me that we would be taken care of after Nixon's re-election, that I would get a good job in the government."

According to Shipley, Segretti said that the undercover work would require false identification papers under an assumed name, that Shipley recruit five more persons, preferably lawyers, for the job;

that they would attempt to disrupt the schedules of Democratic candidates and obtain information from their campaign organizations; that Shipley would not reveal to Segretti the names of the men he would hire; and that Segretti could never reveal to Shipley specifically who was supplying the money for the operation.

Shipley recalled in a telephone interview: "I said, 'How in hell are we going to be taken care of if no one knows what we're doing?' and Segretti said: 'Nixon knows that something is being done. It's a typical deal.' Segretti said: 'Don't tell me anything and I won't know.'"

Segretti's first approach, said Shipley, came on June 27, 1971. "He called me before then and told me he would be in Washington and he came to a dinner party at my apartment at South Four Towers (4600 S. Four Mile Run Drive, Arlington) the night before," said Shipley. "Nothing was said about it then. The next morning I met him for breakfast and drove him to the airport—Dulles."

According to Shipley, he picked Segretti up that morning, a Sunday, at the Georgetown Inn, where hotel records show—a Donald H. Segretti stayed in room 482 on June 25 and June 26, 1971. [total bill \$54.75, including \$2.25 in telephone calls]. In addition, travel records obtained by The Washington Post show that Segretti bought a Washington-San Francisco-Monterey (Calif.) airline ticket on June 27 (departure Dulles).

On the way to Dulles, said Shipley, Segretti "first mentioned the deal. He asked would I be interested because I was getting out of the Army."

We were both getting but shortly . . . and didn't have anything lined up. He mentioned on the way to Dulles that we would do a little political espionage."

Shipley continued: "I said, 'What are you talking about?' He (Segretti) said: 'For instance, we'll go to a Kennedy rally and find an ardent Kennedy worker. Then you say that you're a Kennedy man too but you're working behind the scenes; you get them to help you. You send them to work for Muskie, stuffing envelopes or whatever, and you get them to pass you the information. They'll think that they are helping Kennedy against Muskie. But actually you're using the information for something else.'"

"It was very strange," Shipley recalled. "Three quarters of the way to the airport I said, 'Well, who will we be working for?' He said 'Nixon' and I was really taken aback; because all the actions he had talked about would have taken place in the Democratic primaries. He (Segretti) said the main purpose was that the Democrats have an ability to get back together after a knockdown, drag-out campaign. What we want to do is wreak enough havoc so they can't."

Shipley said he told Segretti, "Well, it sounds interesting; let me think about it."

In addition to Shipley, Roger Lee Nix of Dennison, Iowa and Kenneth Griffiths of Atlanta, Ga., said they turned down similar offers from Segretti, with whom they served in Vietnam. Both declined to discuss the offers in detail, but they acknowledged that Segretti had told them they would be engaged in sub rosa activities—similar to those described by Shipley—to aid President Nixon's re-election.

Still another lawyer who served with Segretti in Vietnam, Peter Dixon of San Francisco, also said Segretti made him an offer. However, Dixon said he told Segretti "No thanks" before any details of the job were revealed. "I said, 'Gee, Don, I'm not interested in political matters, and I'm not a Republican anyway,'" said Dixon.

The most detailed account of Segretti's activities was given by Shipley, who said he wrote a memorandum to himself about the episode "be-

cause it all seemed so strange."

At one point during the four-month period when Segretti was trying to recruit him, said Shipley, he approached a friend who worked for Sen. Albert Gore (D-Tenn.) and was advised to try and "string him (Segretti) out to see what he's up to." Although "I don't like these type of shenanigans," Shipley said, he never subsequently contacted anyone else about the matter and said he has not been questioned by the FBI about Segretti.

During a meeting on July 25, said Shipley, Segretti "didn't go into much detail because it was mostly 'Are you with me or not?'" When he asked Segretti exactly what would be expected of him in participating in clandestine activities, Shipley said he was told:

"Enlist people, be imaginative. One thing he stressed was asking people who were fairly free to travel and (that) he was asking lawyers because he didn't want to do anything illegal. It wasn't represented as a strictly strongarm operation. He stressed what fun we could have. As an example, he gave this situation:

"When a rally is scheduled at 7 p.m. at a local coliseum by a particular candidate, you call up and represent to the manager that you're the field manager for this candidate and you have some information that some rowdies, some hippies or what-have-you are going to cause trouble. So you ask him to move the rally up to 9 o'clock—thereby insuring that the place would be padlocked when the candidate showed up at 7."

Shipley said he was asked by Segretti to fly to Atlanta to enlist their Army colleague, Kenneth Griffiths, in the project, but that he never made the trip. However, when visiting Griffiths last Christmas, said Shipley, "Griffiths mentioned to me that Segretti had been in contact with him and that Griffiths had expressed absolutely no interest at all."

The last time he heard from Segretti, said Shipley, was on Oct. 23, 1971, when "he called from California and asked me to check into Muskie's operation in Tennessee . . . I just never did anything about it."

"At one time during these conjectural discussions," Shipley continued, "Segretti said it might be good to get a false

ID to travel under, that it would be harder for anyone to catch up with us. He mentioned he might use the pseudonym Bill Mooney for himself."

"Segretti said he wanted to cover the country," Shipley continued, "that he would be more or less the head coordinator for the country. But some of the things he proposed to do didn't seem that damaging, like getting a post office box in the name of the Massachusetts Safe Driving Committee and awarding a medal to Teddy Kennedy—with announcements sent to the press."

"The one important thing that struck me was that he seemed to be well-financed," Shipley said. "He was always flying across the country. When he came to Washington in June he said he had an appointment at the Treasury Department and that the Treasury Department was picking up the tab on this—his plane and hotel bill."

Segretti later told him, Shipley said, that "it wasn't the Treasury Department that had paid the bill, it was the Nixon people. He said, 'Don't ask me any names.'"

(According to travel records, Segretti criss-crossed the country at least 10 times during the second half of 1971. Stops included Miami, Houston, Manchester, N.H., Knoxville, Los Angeles, New York, Washington, Salt Lake City, Chicago, Portland, Ore, Albuquerque, Tucson, San Francisco, Monterey and several other California cities.)

(Federal investigators identified the following jurisdictions as the locations of the most concentrated Nixon undercover activity: Illinois, New York, New Hampshire, Massachusetts, California, Texas, Florida, and Washington, D.C.)

Segretti told him one other major element about his covert work, said Shipley: "He intended to go into a law firm near Los Angeles by the name of Young and Segretti—he said it was a cover, that he would be doing only political work."

According to the California Bar Association, Segretti's law office is at 14013 West Captain's Row, Marina Del Rey, Calif.

There, in an apartment surrounded by comfortable furniture, piles of photograph records, tomato plants, a stereo receiver, a tape deck and a 10-

speed disk, Segretti was found last week by Post special correspondent Myers.

Questioned whether he knew Alex Shipley, Roger Lee Nix, Kenneth Griffiths or Peter Dixon, Segretti asked, "Why?" Informed that they had said Segretti attempted to recruit them for undercover political work, he replied, "I don't believe it." Then he declined to answer a series of questions except to say either "I don't know," "No comment," or some similar response.

At one point, Segretti said: "This is all ridiculous and I don't know anything about this."

At another point he said: "The Treasury Department never paid my way to Washington or anywhere else."

Biographical details about Segretti, who stands about 5 feet 8 and weighs about 160 pounds, are minimal.

From Army colleagues and classmates at the Boalt Hall School of Law at the University of California in Berkeley, it is known that he was raised on the West Coast.

After receiving his law degree, he served as a Treasury Department attorney in Washington for less than a year, according to friends, and then entered the Army as an officer in the Army Judge Advocate General Corps.

A Treasury Department spokesman confirmed that Segretti, in 1966 and 1967, worked as an attorney in the office of the Comptroller of the Currency here.

About a year of Segretti's Army service, friends said, was spent in Vietnam, with Americal Division headquarters in Chu Lai and U.S. Army Vietnam headquarters at Long Binh.

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10/19/72
GENERAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

The attached relates to a telephonic attempt by an individual identifying himself as First Name Unknown (FNU) Flug, claiming to be "Chief Counsel for the State Department" to obtain all messages for Donald Henry Segretti left at the Virginia Brady Answering Service, Marina Del Rey, California. This information was not given to Flug, who then stated a subpoena would be served on the answering service the morning of 10/19/72. The answering service has also received numerous press inquiries.

FNU Flug appears to be identical with James Flug, Chief Counsel, Senate Subcommittee on Administrative Practice and Procedure (Subcommittee of Judiciary Committee of U. S. Senate), who attempted on 10/16/72, to view our laboratory's examination of the devices tested at Democratic National Committee offices.

We have previously obtained the information relating to messages left for Segretti at the answering service.

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TO ACTING DIRECTOR (139-4089)

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FROM LOS ANGELES (139-306) (P) 3P

JAMES WALTER MC CORD, JR.; ^{AND OTHERS} ET AL; BURGLARY, DEMOCRATIC

NATIONAL COMMITTEE HEADQUARTERS, JUNE SEVENTEEN LAST;
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~~RE~~ LOS ANGELES TEL TO BUREAU DATED OCTOBER SEVENTEEN LAST.

INSTANT DATE CAROL HOLMANS, OFFICE MANAGER, VIRGINIA

BRADY ANSWERING SERVICE, FOUR SEVEN TWO FIVE LINCOLN BOULEVARD

MARINA DEL REY, CALIFORNIA, ADVISED THAT SHE HAD TELEPHONIC

CONTACT WITH A MALE WHO IDENTIFIED HIMSELF AS CHIEF COUNSEL

FOR THE STATE DEPARTMENT, ^{FIRST NAME UNKNOWN} (END) FLUG. FLUG TOLD HOLMANS

THAT HE WISHED ALL THE MESSAGES FOR DONALD HENRY SEGRETTI.

HOLMANS DESCRIBES FLUG AS BEING EXTREMELY OBNOXIOUS AND INSULTING.

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HOLMANS ADVISED THAT SHE REFUSED TO GIVE ANY INFORMATION OVER THE PHONE WHEREUPON FLUG SAID THAT A SUBPOENA WILL BE SERVED ON HER A.M. OF OCTOBER NINETEEN NEXT FOR ALL THE ANSWERING SERVICE RECORDS OF SEGRETTI.

FLUG ADVISED HOLMANS THAT IF SHE WISHED TO CONTACT HIM SHE COULD DO SO BY CALLING TELEPHONE NUMBER FOUR EIGHT THREE DASH FIVE FOUR NINE SEVEN. SUBSEQUENT INVESTIGATION BY BUREAU AGENTS DETERMINED THAT THAT NUMBER IS DISCONNECTED. FLUG FURTHER TOLD HOLMANS THAT IF SHE WISHED TO CHECK WITH THE STATE DEPARTMENT SHE COULD CALL ASSISTANT COUNCIL^{SEL} SUSSMAN AT HIS OFFICE TELEPHONE NUMBER AREA CODE TWO ZERO TWO DASH TWO TWO FIVE DASH FIVE SIX ONE SEVEN OR AT SUSSMAN'S RESIDENCE, AREA CODE TWO ZERO TWO DASH THREE SIX TWO DASH EIGHT TWO FIVE FIVE.

HOLMANS FURTHER RELATED THAT THERE HAVE BEEN AT LEAST THREE WHITE MALES ALLEGEDLY REPRESENTING NEWSPAPERS COMING INTO HER PLACE OF BUSINESS AND ATTEMPTING TO OBTAIN SEGRETTI'S ANSWERING SERVICE MESSAGES. SHE ADVISED FOR THE MOST PART THESE INDIVIDUALS ARE EXTREMELY BELLIGERENT, "PUSHY", AND OBNOXIOUS.

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IN ADDITION THEY HAVE ACCOSTED HOLMANS' TELEPHONE OPERATORS IN THE PARKING LOT AND ATTEMPTED TO SECURE INFORMATION CONCERNING SEGRETTI'S MESSAGES AND/OR ACTIVITIES.

HOLMANS WAS ADVISED TO AUTHENTICATE THE VALIDITY OF ANY "SUBPOENAS" THAT MAY BE SERVED ON HER ESTABLISHMENT FOR THE ANSWERING SERVICE RECORDS OF DONALD HENRY SEGRETTI.
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