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LATENTS

Laboratory Work Sheet

Re: UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
SANDRA DYCKMEN SMALLEGAN, VICTIM;
MURDER

File # 95-191393-7
Lab.# PC--K6047 MC OL MK QH QG OE
Let. 3/6

Examination requested by: Mr. L. D. W. Anderson
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Bozeman, Montana 59715

Examination requested: Mic Anal (H&F&Min)
Misc (Anth & Other)
Chem Anal (Biochem & Biol & Gen Chem)
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Date received: 3/11 rm

Examination by: [redacted]

Result of Examination:

Q14, Q47 to [redacted] 3/26

Q22, Q29-Q31, Q32, Q41 to QG 4/16 ret 4/18

cc in Bu file 7-14789 with incoming

cc to Butte 7-497 with incoming

Q1, Q3-Q6, Q10, Q13, Q15-Q25, Q27, Q28, Q33-Q37, Q41, Q43-Q45 to OL 3/22 and 4/5

Q9-Q11, Q26, Q46, K2 to MK 4/5 ret 4/8

Q23, Q34-Q37 4/5 to MK ret 4/8

Q21, Q24, Q25, Q27, Q29-Q31, Q32, K3 to QE 4/5 ret 4/15

Q3, Q42, PBs from Q35-Q37 to QH 4/5 ret 4/16

39 slides

14 pillows

Q13, Q17, Q18, Q27 + Q44 to LFPS for exam + disps. Sep. reports 4/16/74

Q1	Rug (1)	
Q2	Hairs (2)	
Q3	Vacuum sweepings (3)	
* Q4	Scarf (4)	
* Q5	Rag (5)	
Q6	Hairs from hair brush of victim (6)	
Q7-Q8	Two yarns (8)	
Q9	Piece of cloth (9)	
Q10	Bottle cap (10)	
Q11	Wax drippings (11)	
Q12	Hair brushes (12)	
* Q13	TABLE cloth (13)	
Q14	Debris (14)	
Q15	Scrapings from cupboard (15)	
Q16	Whip (16)	
Q17	Saw (17)	
Q18	Knife (18)	
* Q19	Slipper (19)	
Q20	Rope (20)	
Q21	TOILET ~~Facial~~ tissue (21)	
Q22	Hammer (22) (and papers)	
Q23	Stick (23)	
Q24-Q25	Two bags of debris (24)	
Q26	Cloth (25)	
Q27	Paper (26)	
Q28	Debris (27)	
Q29-Q31	Three pieces of wood (28)	

[redacted] Q20 examined in Lab by LFPS 7 mm

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(Over)

	Q32	Portion of barn door (29)
	Q33	Front floor carpet (30)
	Q34	Rear floor carpet (31)
	Q35	Trunk mat (32)
	Q36-Q37	Two carpets (33) MATS
	Q38	Luggage (34)
**	Q39-Q40	Two ski caps (34)
*	Q41	PANT Suit (35)
	Q42	Vacuum sweepings from trunk (36)
	Q43	Scrapings from trunk lid (38)
	Q44	Paper (39)
	Q45	Bag (40) PIECE OF BURLAP (40)
	Q46	Piece of glass (41)
—	Q47	Debris (42)
	Q48	Board (43)
	K1	Fabric (7)
	K2	Candle (11)
	K3	Paint sample (37)
	K4	FABRIC (7)

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Q1 Solid blue shag carpet, foam backed, rug is slightly soiled, no label # 514 1106 stamped on back

Q2 Two small hairs from fence. / slide

Q3 Vacuum sweepings from closet at ranch, sweepings placed in a pillbox.

Q4 Sheer black scarf, slightly soiled, slightly worn, label "—— / 100% NYLON / ——

Q5 Large white rug, at one time used / a sheet, worn, soiled, stained, label: WARDS Longwear / DOUBLE BED SIZE / 20

Q6 Hairs from bathroom / victim, contained in a gelatin bag. 2 slides K.S. mounted.

Q7-Q8 Two loose sheeted yarns both are in an "S" twist Q7 yarn is bright red color Q8 yarn is red to black in color both are composed of woolen fibers. Q7-Q8 could not have come from the K1+K4 fabrics.

Q9 Small piece of charred fabric approx 1" square, woven, composition: cotton fibers were noted in this comp. However, it could not be determined if cotton is the sole

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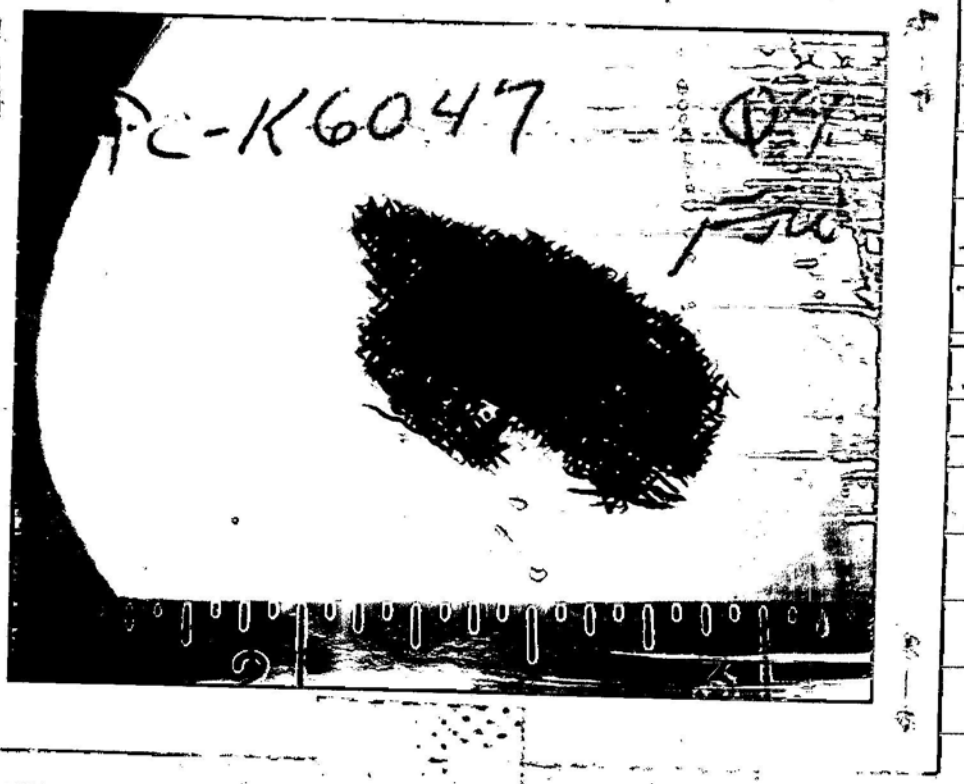
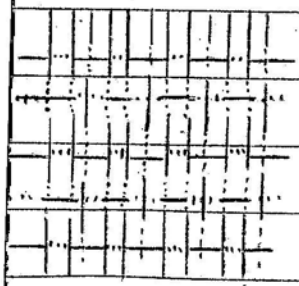
Q9 cont'

fiber content of this fabric due to its charred condition. color could not be determined, the fabric weave is not typical of the fabric weave normally used in undergarments. Type of garment could not be determined

yarns all in a Z twist



WEAVE PATTERN



1 OVER
2 UNDER

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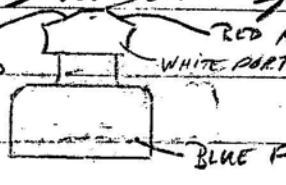
Q10 Blue plastic bottle cap with a white plastic extendable (PUSH-PULL) spout on top, 2 red fibers were removed from the top surface of the white portion of the cap. 20 ft



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Q11 NO EXAM

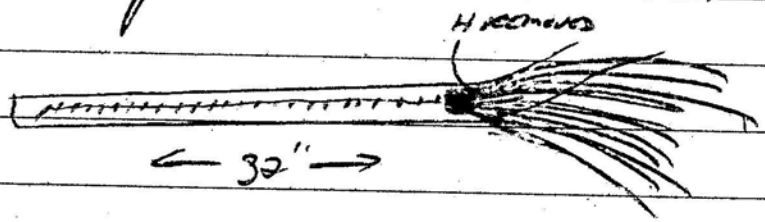
Q12 Two hairbrushes, one yellow one blue, black bristles

Q13 White plastic table cloth with colored floral design, rectangular shape, soiled, no tag or labels 1 slide H no F mounted

Q14 Charred material - no H or F

Q15 NO EXAM

Q16 Leather whip, brown leather straps are bound together and covered with a brown leather sheath, the sheath is stitched together with white thread. Old & worn, one end is torn open. H removed from sheath & leather straps.



Q17 Hand saw, metal blade that is rusted, wooden handle, worn, cracked no H or F

Q18 Wooden handle knife approx 13½" long, blade approx 1" wide, blade length approx 8¼" abnormal end (shellac?) no H or K

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Q19 Black stretch knit slipper, appears to be the right foot, foam sole, gold elastic around top of slipper + a gold ribbon bow, no tags or labels.

Q20 (2) Sectioned rope, knotted in several areas, black friction tape around one end, rope is approx. ½" wide, 3 poly "Z" twist, each poly has 4 strand in an "S" twist, each strand is in a "Z" twist.
(1) animal H? mounted on a skull no F

Q21 Length of yellow toilet tissue, no H or F

Q22 Claw hammer, wooden handle, cracked + worn, material (flesh?) adhering to handle + head.
no H or F miscellaneous papers in envelope with hammer.

Q23 NO EXAM

Q24-Q25 Two bags containing soil; debris and plant material no metal was found, no H or F,

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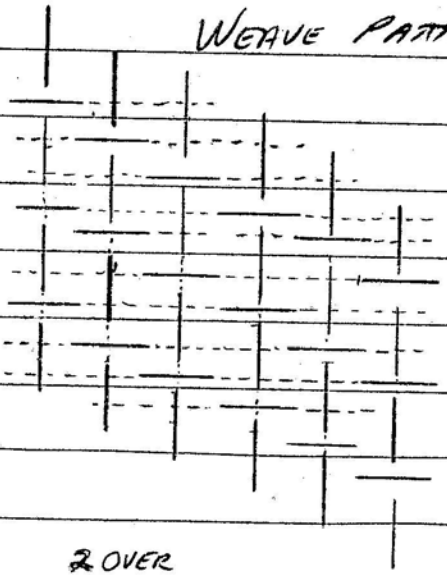
Q26 Small pieces of charred cloth, the largest portion is triangular shaped + is approx 1" at the base, the top edge is a selvage edge. Twill weave, yarns are in a Z twist (Q26 is not like K10 or K4)

WEAVE PATTERN



composition or color - could not determine

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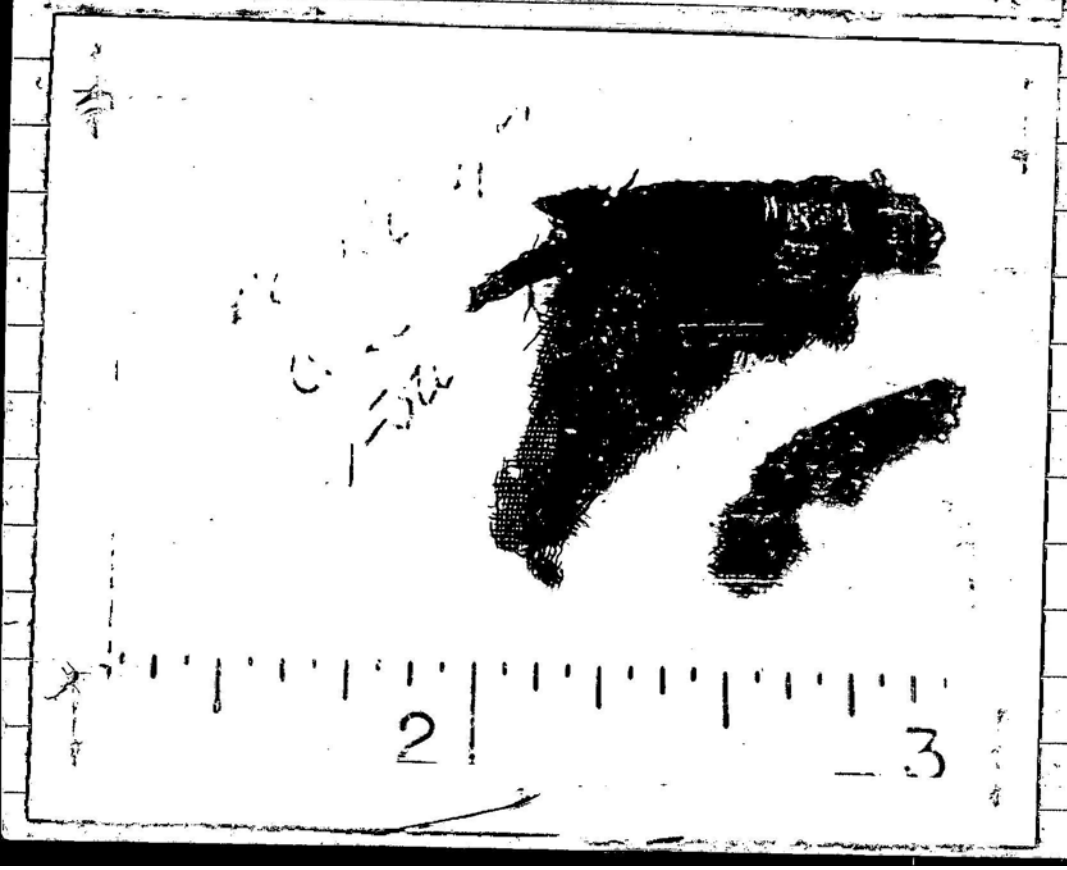

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Q27 NO EXAM

Q28 Debris containing ashes, foil + melted substance appears to be white plastic.
no HOF

Q29 - Q31 NO EXAM

Q32 NO EXAM

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Q33 Black, front floor carpet for a car, hole for crank & transmission, soiled, slightly worn.

Q34 Black, rear floor carpet for a car, rectangular shaped, soiled, found with carpet (gelatin green, facial tissue, cotton ball, and piece of green carpet)

Q35 Black Rubber coated trunk mat, soiled

Q36-Q37 Two black rubber backed floor mats with green, blue and black floral design indoor-outdoor carpet laid in the rubber, soiled, label: RUBBERMAID

Q38 Blue suit case, broken handle, white lining, small mirror inside, 2 H found no F

Q39 Brown knit ski cap with a yellow band + a yellow top, fairly new, slightly soiled (found inside Q38)

Q40 Brown knit ski cap with yellow, orange and white design bands, tassel on top, soiled, worn (found inside Q38)

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Q41 Red, green, blue and white plaid pant suit including jacket and slacks, jacket has two button down flap breast pockets, metal buttons up front and on cuffs, slacks, have zipper up front and cuffed bell-bottoms.
fairly new, clean, no tags or labels.

Q42 Vacuum sweepings from trunk of victim's car.
no F mounted r.s. H on 1 slide

Q43 NO EXAM

Q44 NO EXAM

Q45 Piece of burlap approx 3' X 3', stained, sorted (varigated num. red, pink + white yarns removed from the bag, approx 19" long, composed of rayon fibers, part of a woven printed fabric at one ~~two~~)

Q46 NO EXAM

Q47 Charred debris possible bone fragments.

Q48 NO EXAM

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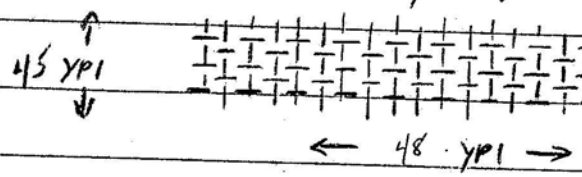
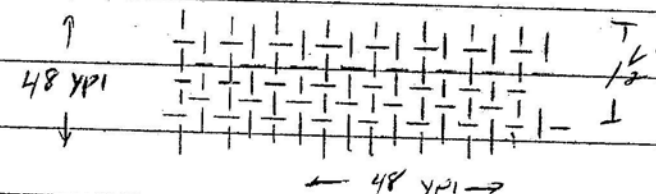
K1 Piece of red fabric approx. 2½" x 7", composed of red cotton and red polyester fibers. simple weave pattern yarns are in a Z twist



K4 Piece of white fabric with a green and yellow print floral design approx. 1½" x 2¾", composed of cotton fibers simple weave pattern yarns are in a Z twist



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Q6 2 sl rs Br HH's CO 14"↓ Cuticle med-thin & clear Scale prot sl. Cuticle fluct sl to med-sl (T.M). Pig dist av & T.C. Pig size med-fine & oval tend streaking Medulla abs.

Q1 Animal H's
Br HH's CO sim Q6 sev insect bites on shaft
Br lH's CO NV.

Q2 2 animal H's

Q3 animal H's
pubic H CO
br to wh HH's CO diss Q6

Q4 Br HH frag CO diss Q6

Q5 rs num animal H's

Q12 2 sl rs br HH's CO same char as Q6

Q13 Gray HH CO diss Q6
(2) br lH's CO NV

Q16 annual H's

Q17-Q18 no H

Q19 hx HH's CO NV

Q20 annual H

Q21, Q22, Q24, Q25, Q28 } no H

Q 33 annual H's
hx HH's CO same Q6

Q34 hx HH's CO same Q6
4 sl. hx PH's CO
hx HH's CO NV.
annual H's

Q35 annual H's

Q36 hx HH CO NV

Q37 hx HH clipping CO dias Q6
hx HH CC NV
annual H's

Q38 (2) Br HH's (frag) CO sim to Q6

Q39 Br HH's CO sim to Q6
animal H frag

Q40 animal H
Br HH's CO diss to Q6

Q41 HH frags (2) CO sim Q6
Br pH (fringe) CO
animal Hb

Q42 Br HH's CO sim Q6
animal Hb

Q45 Br HH's CO diss Q6
animal Hb

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K1 Red cotton

" del polyester

K4 printed cotton wh - yell -

Q41 White, yellow, red, blue, green, lt green woolen

no f. like K1, K4 on or in
Q1, Q3, Q33 - Q37, Q42

Q11 2 red trilobed syn. f. (nylon)

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H+F

Q1, Q2, Q3, Q4, Q5, Q7-Q8, Q9, Q10, Q12, *Q13 (Q14 ANTHRO), Q16, *Q17, Q18, Q19, *Q20, Q39, Q40
Q22, [redacted], Q24, Q25, Q26, (Q28 ANTHRO), Q33, Q34, Q35, Q36, Q37, Q38, Q41
Q42, Q45, (Q47 ANTHRO)
K1

BLOOD → OL 3/22 ret 4/5/74

Q1, Q3, Q4, Q5, Q6, *Q12, Q13, Q15, Q16, *Q17, Q18, Q19, *Q20, Q21, Q22, Q23, (Q24, Q25
[redacted], Q27, Q28, Q33, Q34, Q35, Q36, Q37, Q41, Q43, *Q44, Q45, (Q47 ?)

CHEMISTRY → MK 4/5 ret 4/8

Q9, Q10, Q11, Q23, [redacted] (Q24, Q25), Q26, Q35, Q36, Q37, [redacted] Q46
K2

SOILS → QH 4/5 ret 4/16

Q3, Q35, Q36, Q37, Q42
PILLBOXES

[redacted] (TOOLMARKS) → Q6 4/16 ret 4/18

Q22, Q29-Q31, Q32, Q48
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SPECTRO → OE 4/5 ret 4/15

Q21, [redacted] Q24, Q25, *Q27, Q29-Q31, Q32
K3

*LFPS Q13, Q17, Q20, Q27, Q44

PC-K 6047
MC OL MK QH QG
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[redacted] dictation:

Human blood, too limited in amount for grouping purposes, was found on specimen Q13. No blood was found on specimens Q1, Q3 through Q6, Q12, Q15 through Q25, Q27, Q28, Q33 " Q37, Q41, Q43, Q44 and Q45. No human tissue was found in specimens Q3, Q24, Q25 Q28, Q43 and on specimens Q1, Q4, Q5, Q13, Q16, Q17, Q18, Q20, Q41, Q44 and Q45. No semen was found on specimens Q6 and Q12.

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fam MC 3/22
Q1, Q3, Q6, Q12, Q13, Q15, Q25, Q27, Q28, Q33-Q31, Q41, Q43, Q45

~~Q1~~	Rug (1)
Q2	Hair (2) human tissue
~~Q3~~	Vacuum sweepings (3) human tissue
~~Q4~~	Scarf (4) bld. tissue
~~Q5~~	Rag (5) " "
~~Q6~~	neg. Hairs from hair brush of victim (6) Semen
Q7-Q8	Two yarns (8)
Q9	Pieces of cloth (9)
Q10	Bottle cap (10)
Q11	Wax drippings (11)
~~Q12~~	neg. Hair brush (12) Semen
~~Q13~~ latent	[redacted] (13) Tablecloth bld. tissue
Q14	Debris (14) bones, tissue, fat
~~Q15~~	neg. Scrapings from cupboard (15) blood
~~Q16~~	Whip (16) bld., tissue
~~Q17~~ latent	Mic illeg. Saw (17)
~~Q18~~	Knife (18)
~~Q19~~	Slipper (19)
~~Q20~~ latent	Rope (20)
~~Q21~~	[redacted] tissue (21)
~~Q22~~	Hammer (22)
~~Q23~~	neg. Stick (23)
Q24-Q25	Two bags of debris (24) Bld., tissue, bone, teeth
Q26	Cloth (25)
~~Q27~~	Paper (26)
~~Q28~~	Debris (27)
Q29-Q31	Three pieces of wood (28)

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Q38	Luggage (34)
Q39-Q40	Two sli caps (34)
Q41	Pant Suit (35)
Q42	Vacuum sweepings from trunk (36)
~~Q43~~	Scrapings from trunk lid (38)
~~Q44~~ latent	Paper (39)
~~Q45~~	~~Bag~~ (40) Piece of burlap
Q46	Piece of glass (41)
Q47	Debris (42)
Q48	Board (43)
K1	Fabric (7)
K2	Candle (11
K3	Paint sampIe (37)

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BLOOD EXAMINATION

PC- #6047

Contributor
Bozeman, Montana

Date
3-28-74

Specimen	Benz.	Hemo.	Anti-H	Groupings Elut.	Groupings Inh.	Crust	Remarks
Q1 Rug	–						
Q3 Vacuum Sweepings	–						
Q4 Scarf	–						
Q5 Rag	–						
Q6 Hairs from hairbrush of victim	–						
Q12 Hairbrush	–						
Q13 Tablecloth	+	+	1/50 +	Q&S			
Q14 Debris			No	Exam			

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Specimen	Benz.	Hemo.	Anti-H	Groupings		Crust	Remarks
				Elut.	Inh.		
Q15 Scrapings from cupboard	—						
Q16 Whip	—						
Q17 Saw	—						
Q18 Knife	—						
Q19 Slipper	—						
Q20 Rope	—						
Q21 Toilet tissues	—						
Q22 Hammer	—						
Q23 Stick	—						

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BLOOD EXAMINATION

PC-K6047

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Date
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Specimen	Benz.	Hemo.	Anti-H	Groupings		Crust	Remarks
				Elut.	Inh.		
Q24 Bag of debris	—						
Q25 Bag of debris	—						
Q27 Paper	—						
Q28 Debris	—						
Q33 Floor mat (front)	—						
Q34 Rear floor mat	—						
Q35 Trunk mat	—						

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BLOOD EXAMINATION

PC- K6047

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Specimen	Benz.	Hemo.	Anti-H	Groupings Elut.	Groupings Inh.	Crust	Remarks
Q36 Carpet	—						
Q37 Carpet	—						
Q41 Pant Suit	—						Slacks Jacket
Q43 Scrapings from trunk lid	—						
Q44 Paper	—						
Q45 Piece of burlap	—						

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SEMEN EXAMINATION

PC- K6047

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Specimen	Florence Crystals	Sperm Cells	Acid Phos.	Remarks
P6 Hairs from hairbrush of victim				Nothing of value
P12 Hair brush				Nothing of value

PC-K6047 MC CL MK QG QH OE

DICTATION:

Although some of the hammer impressions found on specimens Q29 through Q32 and Q48 are the same size and shape as the head of the Q22 hammer, there are not sufficient microscopic marks of value for identification on Q48 or Q29 through Q32.

Some of the hammer impressions in Q29 through Q31 suggest a right-handed user. However, it is not possible to positively determine whether the nails in the submitted specimens were driven by a right or left-handed person.



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Q9	Pieces of cloth (9)
Q10	Bottle cap (10)
Q11	Wax drippings (11)
Q12	Hair brush (12)
Q13	Oilcloth (13)
Q14	Debris (14)
Q15	Scrapings from cupboard (15)
Q16	Whip (16)
Q17	Saw (17)
Q18	Knife (18)
Q19	Slipper (19)
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Q38	Luggage (34)
Q39-Q40	Two sli caps (34)
Q41	Suit (35)
Q42	Vacuum sweepings from trunk (36)
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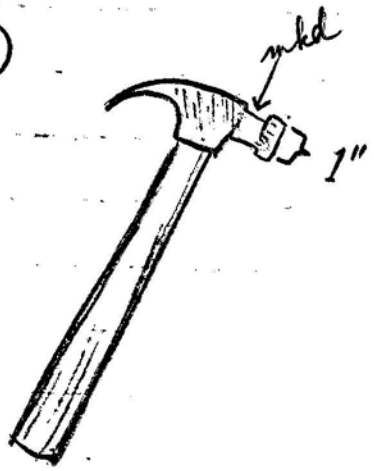
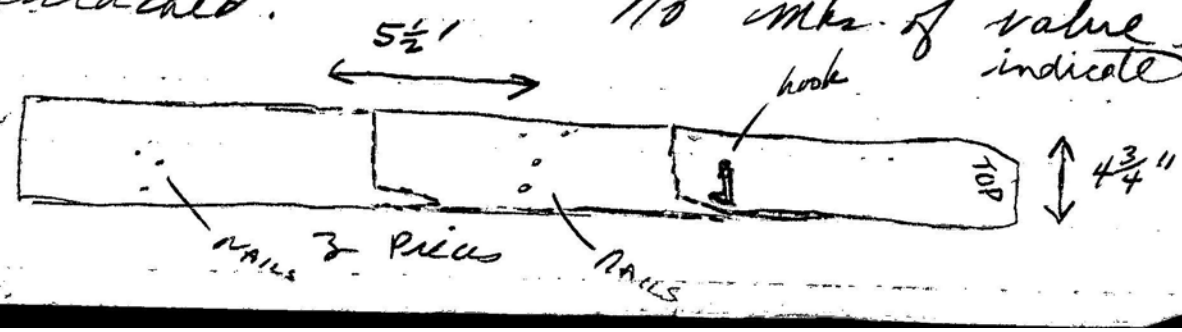
Q22 hammer (mkd top of head)
Wards brand
? rubber cement on handle & head



Q29–31 three 2x4" boards
mkd in red on 4" sides (o/s)
hammer imps o/r nails could have been made by Q22 (size) probably r. handed.
mks on back of been not made by Q22
(probably by officers removing Q29)
Some ⊙ hammer imps same size & shape as head of Q22
N/C

Q32 Portion of barn door (Mkd in Red on back side Q32 JB)
Board w/ one side painted red (approx 3" x 24")
Smaller piece of board attached by nail.
Slip mks on nail but insufficient for ident purposes

Q48 Board (Mkd on back of all 3 pieces Q48 JB)
White paint on front with a hook door latch attached. No mks of value to indicate r or l hand



DICTATION PC-K6047

No metal was found in Q24 or Q25 which could be associated with jewelery or with a gold ring.

Spec. Q27 contains tissue paper with stain of orange and red-colored materials which are suitable for analytical comparison purposes.

Red-colored stains found on the Q21 tissue paper are too limited for adequate analytical comparison purposes.

No paint which could be associated with K3 was found on Q29 through Q32.

Specimen Q32 contains crushed deposits of blue enamel. However, these deposits are too limited and too contaminated for adequate

analytical comparison purposes.

Found on Q30 and Q31 were smears of medium blue enamel which are similar in color to the Q32 medium blue enamel. However, the Q30 and Q31 smears are too limited for analytical comparison purposes. Therefore, it is not possible to specifically associate the Q30 and Q31 medium blue enamel smears with Q32.

No blue paint deposits were found on Q29.

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Re: UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
SANDRA DYCKMEN SMALLEGAN, VICTIM;
MURDER

File # ~~95-191393~~ 7
Lab.# PC-K6047 MC OL MK QH QG OE
Let. 3/6

Examination requested by: Mr. L. D. W. Anderson
Sheriff of Gallatin County
Bozeman, Montana 59715

Examination requested: Mic Anal (H&F&Min)
Misc (Anth & Other)
Chem Anal (Biochem & Biol & Gen Chem)
Toolmarks
Instr (Spec)
Fingerprint

Date received: 3/11 rm

Examination by:

Q21, Q24, Q25, Q27, Q29, Q30, Q31
Q32, K3 From MC on 4/5/74
ret 4/15

Q1	Rug (1)
Q2	Hair (2)
Q3	Vacuum sweepings (3)
Q4	Scarf (4)
Q5	Rag (5)
Q6	Hairs from hair brush of victim (6)
Q7-Q8	Two yarns (8)
Q9	Pieces of cloth (9)
Q10	Bottle cap (10)
Q11	Wax drippings (11)
Q12	Hair brush (12)
Q13	Oilcloth (13)
Q14	Debris (14)
Q15	Scrapings from cupboard (15)
Q16	Whip (16)
Q17	Saw (17)
Q18	Knife (18)
Q19	Slipper (19)
Q20	Rope (20)
✓ Q21	Facial tissue (21)
Q22	Hammer (22)
✓ Q23	Stick (23)
✓ Q24-Q25	Two bags of debris (24)
Q26	Cloth (25)
✓ Q27	Paper (26)
Q28	Debris (27)
✓ Q29-Q31	Three pieces of wood (28)

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(Over)

Q32	Portion of barn door (29)
Q33	Front dloor mat (30)
Q34	Rear floor mat (31)
Q35	Trunk mat (32)
Q36-Q37	Two carpets (33)
Q38	Luggage (34)
Q39-Q40	Two sli caps (34)
Q41	Suit (35)
Q42	Vacuum sweepings from trunk (36)
Q43	Scrapings from trunk lid (38)
Q44	Paper (39)
Q45	Bag (40)
Q46	Piece of glass (41)
Q47	Debris (42)
Q48	Board (43)
K1	Fabric (7)
K2	Candle (11
K3	Paint sampIe (37)

PC-K6047 OE

K3 - PAINT SAMPLE FROM CORTINA - CONSISTS ESSENTIALLY OF PAINT PARTICLES WITH THE FOLLOWING CHARACTERISTICS:

LAYER STRUCTURE:



1) WHITE ENAMEL
2) MED GRAY PRIMER

MICROCHEMICAL:	WHITE	GRAY
$CHCl_3$ -	-	-
ACETONE -	-	-
DIPHENYL -	-	-

ON MANY OF THE ABOVE SAMPLE ARE BLUE METALLIC SMEARS ON TOP OF THE WHITE ENAMEL. THESE SMEARS APPEAR TO BE AUTOMOTIVE IN-ORIGIN DUE TO THE METALLIC CONSISTANCY.

MICROCHEMICALS OF SMEARS:

$CHCl_3$ - Neg
ACETONE - Neg
DIPHENYL - Neg (TURNS GREENISH)

These Blue Smears Are Too Thin & Smeared For Adequate Instrumental Analyses.

032 Portion of Barn Door - On The Unpainted Side Near End Marked "Top." Are Med Blue Non-Metallic Smears Which Are Embedded In The Wood In Impression Marks, The Smears Are Too Crushed And Intermingled With The Wood To Have Adequate Instru. Compositional Comparisons Made.

Microchemical:
$CHCl_3$ - Swells
Acetone - "
Diphenyl - Turns Grayish-Green

029 - Piece of Wood - No Blue Paint Smears Present. However, Several Areas Are Noted Where Gray Paint & Orange Paint is In Areas Damaged By A Blunt Object. Both Too Contaminated With Wood Fiber For Adequate Instrumental Exams.

	Micros on Gray	Micros on Orange
$CHCl_3$ -	Smells (Film)	Neg
Acetone -	Neg	Neg
Diphenyl -	Neg	Neg

Q30 - Piece of Wood - Contains Blue N. Mat. Paint Smears Similar To Those Described in Q32. Also Present Were Orange N. Mat Paint Smears Similar in Color & Micros To Those in Q29.

Q31 - Piece of Wood - Observed in Some of the Damaged Areas of Q31 were Minute Blue N. Mat Paint Smears Similar To Those in Q32 & Q30 in Color & Micros. Also Present Were Orange N. Mat Paint Smears Similar in Color, & Micros To Those in Q29 & Q30.

Q21 - TISSUE PAPER - UNKNOWN RED SMEARS NOTED ON 2ND & 3RD TISSUE FROM END. HOWEVER THESE SMEARS ARE TOO LIMITED FOR ADEQUATE ANALYTICAL COMPARISON PURPOSES. ACTUALLY PAPER IS A LENGTH OF LT. YELLOW TOILET PAPER.

Q27 - PAPER - SEVERAL DIFFERENT TYPES OF PAPER PRESENT. AMONG THEM A WHITE TISSUE PAPER WITH RED AND ORANGE LIPSTICK STAINS SUITABLE FOR FUTURE COLOR COMPARISONS. NONE OF THE OTHER PAPER HAD LIPSTICK SMEARS PRESENT.

Q24-Q25 - TWO BAGS OF DEBRIS - SIFTED AND EXAMINED VISUALLY. NO PIECES OF METAL WHICH COULD BE ASSOCIATED WITH JEWELERY OR RINGS WERE FOUND.

[redacted] Dictation for K 6047 and 6322 mc ... mk

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No flammable liquids were present on specimens Q_9, Q_{23}, Q_{26}, Q_{34} through Q_{37} and Q_{52} through Q_{55} when examined in the Laboratory; consequently, it can not be determined whether or not a flammable liquid was present at the time of the fire.

The Q_{10} cap contains residues of material which is characteristic of a detergent preparation. It was not associated with a particular source.

No significant differences were noted between the Q_{11} and Q_{46} wax spots and the K_2 candle; however, it is noted that candle making materials are common place, mass-produced substances and two given specimens can not be definitely associated with each other to the exclusion of all other candles.

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Laboratory Work Sheet

9-14789-79X5

Re: UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
SANDRA DYCKMEN SMALLEGAN, VICTIM;
MURDER

File # ~~95-191393-7~~
Lab.# PC-K6047 MC OL MK QH
QG OE
Let. 3/6

Examination requested by: Mr. L. D. W. Anderson
Sheriff of Gallatin County
Bozeman, Montana 59715

Examination requested: Mic Anal (H&F&Min)
Misc (Anth & Other)
Chem Anal (Biochem & Biolo & Gen Chem)
Toolmarks
Instr (Spec)
Fingerprint

Date received: 3/11 rm

Examination by:

Result of Examination:

4, Outlines
cal rec 4/5
Ret 4/8

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Q1	Rug (1)
Q2	Hair (2)
Q3	Vacuum sweepings (3)
Q4	Scarf (4)
Q5	Rag (5)
Q6	Hairs from hair brush of victim (6)
Q7-Q8	Two yarns (8)
Q9	Pieces of cloth (9) (25¢ size very burned)
Q10	Bottle cap (10)
Q11	Wax drippings (11)
Q12	Hair brush (12)
Q13	Oilcloth (13)
Q14	Debris (14)
Q15	Scrapings from cupboard (15)
Q16	Whip (16)
Q17	Saw (17)
Q18	Knife (18)
Q19	Slipper (19)
Q20	Rope (20)
Q21	Facial tissue (21)
Q22	Hammer (22)
Q23	Stick (23) (broken up)
Q24-Q25	Two bags of debris (24)
Q26	Cloth (25) (like Q9)
Q27	Paper (26)
Q28	Debris (27)
Q29-Q31	Three pieces of wood (28)

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No →

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Q32	Portion of barn door (29)
Q33	Front dloor mat (30)
Q34	Rear floor mat (31)
Q35	Trunk mat (32) — (non carpet type smells like car trunk)
Q36-Q37	Two carpets (33) - (prelaine matts)
Q38	Luggage (34)
Q39-Q40	Two sli caps (34)
Q41	Suit (35)
Q42	Vacuum sweepings from trunk (36)
Q43	Scrapings from trunk lid (38)
Q44	Paper (39)
Q45	Bag (40)
Q46	Piece of glass (41)
Q47	Debris (42)
Q48	Board (43)
K1	Fabric (7)
K2	Candle (11
K3	Paint sample (37)

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Laboratory Work Sheet

7-14789-79X5

Re: UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
SANDRA SMALLEGAN, VICTIM;
HOMICIDE

File # ~~95-191393~~
Lab.# PC-K6322 MC MK
Let. 3/18

Examination requested by: J. Pfaff, Jr., M. D.
Forensic Pathologist
Columbus Hospital
Great Falls, Montana 59401

Examination requested: Mic Anal (H&F)
Misc (Anth & Other)
Chem Anal (Gen Chem)

Date received: 3/21 am

Result of Examination:

Examination by:

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Q49	Teeth and mandible
Q50	Debris
Q51	Denture
Q52	Wood (very charred)
Q53-Q55	Three bottles containing cloth (The vials contains completely charred - odor but not H. C. headspace - neg afraid to extract)
Q56	Debris
Q57	Pieces of large long bones
Q58	Pieces of ribs
Q59	Pieces of small long bones
Q60	Tissue
Q61	Bones
Q62	Pieces of vertebra
Q63	Pieces of skull
Q64	Bone fragments

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Q_{11} and K_2 are together in evidence envelope
but Q_{11} is separated by being enclosed in
a self seal plastic bag
Q_{11} small pieces of hard, bright wax
K_2 a red candle ~ 8" (red exterior, clear wax, red core)
Call Body of unburned candle K_{1+}
" hardened drippings from side of candle, a
reddish-orange color

Q_{46} ~ 8 oz jelly type jar w melted red wax in bottom (Q_{46A})
and few drops caught around top - lighter
red or orange (Q_{46B})

all specimens subjected to solubilities
all sol in Toluene, $\oplus$ $CHCl_3$, C_6H_6, acetone, $\oplus$ pet ether, $\oplus$ pyridine
" insol in H_2O, meOH, EtOH
$\oplus$ means most.

find best TLC to be 9-Toluene 1-pyridine
see drawing for good match +

$CHCl_3$ spreads for I.R's - no significant differences
The various specimens show color variations from pink
to orange - but K seems to change with melting
to any of the observed colors (that is could have caused the Q_{11} & Q_{46})

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Q9, Q23, Q26, Q34 → Q37 and Q52 → 55
were all dry and odorless as far as hydrocarbon
residues go most are not sealed air tight
No real chance of hydrocarbon on any
L h.s. on Q53 → 55 only - negative

Q10 look like "~~[illegible]~~ liquid for dishes-top"
dried residue of which was water sol
PH 7.5 w̄ paper
Very suddsey(?)
A-B extraction
No response from either in U.V.
I.R.'s ran - no idents

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Re: UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
SANDRA DYCKMEN SMALLEGAN, VICTIM;
MURDER

File # 95-191393-7
Lab.# PC-K6047 MC OL MK QH
70-14789 QG OE
Let. 3/6 - 79X5

Examination requested by: Mr. L. D. W. Anderson
Sheriff of Gallatin County
Bozeman, Montana 59715

Examination requested: Mic Anal (H&F&Min)
Misc (Anth & Other)
Chem Anal (Biochem & Biolo & Gen Chem)
Toolmarks
Instr (Spec)
Fingerprint

Date received: 3/11 rm

Examination by: [redacted]

Q3, Q42
Plex Q33 - Q37 rcd fm MC on 4-5-74
dictation No soil suitable for comparison purposes was found in or on Q3, Q33 - Q37 and Q42.

Q1	Rug (1)
Q2	Hair (2)
Q3	Vacuum sweepings (3)
Q4	Scarf (4)
Q5	Rag (5)
Q6	Hairs from hair brush of victim (6)
Q7-Q8	Two yarns (8)
Q9	Pieces of cloth (9)
Q10	Bottle cap (10)
Q11	Wax drippings (11)
Q12	Hair brush (12)
Q13	Oilcloth (13)
Q14	Debris (14)
Q15	Scrapings from cupboard (15)
Q16	Whip (16)
Q17	Saw (17)
Q18	Knife (18)
Q19	Slipper (19)
Q20	Rope (20)
Q21	Facial tissue (21)
Q22	Hammer (22)
Q23	Stick (23)
Q24-Q25	Two bags of debris (24)
Q26	Cloth (25)
Q27	Paper (26)
Q28	Debris (27)
Q29-Q31	Three pieces of wood (28)

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Q32	Portion of barn door (29)
Q33	Front dloor mat (30)
Q34	Rear floor mat (31)
Q35	Trunk mat (32)
Q36-Q37	Two carpets (33)
Q38	Luggage (34)
Q39-Q40	Two sli caps (34)
Q41	Suit (35)
Q42	Vacuum sweepings from trunk (36)
Q43	Scrapings from trunk lid (38)
Q44	Paper (39)
Q45	Bag (40)
Q46	Piece of glass (41)
Q47	Debris (42)
Q48	Board (43)
K1	Fabric (7)
K2	Candle (11
K3	Paint sample (37)

PC-K6047
4-12-74
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Q3 vac. Sweep. debris - too mixed & contam for soil analysis.

Q33 fmt floor mat debris - mostly sand & pebble no lumps of soil H+F
Too mixed & contam

Q34 n. Floor mat debris as in Q33

Q35 Trunk mat debris = silt & Sand no soil lumps
H+F yl + blue paint layers chip Too contam & mixed for soil analysis.

Q36 Carpet debris = Mix of sand, Si & pebbles
No soil lumps Too mixed & contam

Q37 Carpet debris sims Q36 except V. few pebbles

Q42 vac sweeping fm trunk too mixed & contam
many H+F, evergreen needles, pebbles silt etc.



State of Montana

COUNTY OF GALLATIN

Bozeman

March 6, 1974

OFFICE OF THE SHERIFF

Mr. Clarence M. Kelly
Federal Bureau of Investigation
U. S. Department of Justice
Washington D.C. 20535

Attention: F.B.I. Laboratory

Re: Unknown subject
Sandra Dyckman Smallegan - victim
Murder

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Dear Mr. Kelly:

Background of the case:

Sandra Dyckman Smallegan, victim was last observed alive approximately midnight Saturday, February 9, 1974 at Manhattan, Montana. She had attended a ball game with her parents and then went to the American Legion Club where she had approximately one or two drinks. She departed the Legion Club at midnight or shortly thereafter to return to her apartment which is located above the Manhattan Machinery Co. in Manhattan, Montana. Her apartment, as well as the Legion Club, are both located on Main Street in Manhattan. Manhattan is a small farming community of approximately 700 people in Gallatin County, Montana.

Her disappearance was reported February 12, 1974 by her parents. Investigation determined that her personally owned automobile was also missing. Investigation at her apartment failed to divulge pertinent information. The determination was made that she had been periodically living with her [redacted] and that her [redacted] also lived in Manhattan, Montana.

A systematic search was instigated on February 15, to locate either the victim and/or her vehicle. This search included all vacant buildings, garages, outbuildings in Manhattan and surrounding area.

On February 16, 1974, the personally owned vehicle of the victim, a 1969 Cortina 2-door, white in color, was located by a second party in the area known as the "Horseshoe Hills" approximately twelve miles northwest of Manhattan, Montana. The vehicle was in a shed on a ranch owned by [redacted] a local resident, popularly known as the Lockhart ranch and will be referred to hereinafter as the Lockhart ranch. The barn, house and outbuildings at the Lockhart

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95-191393-

Re: UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
SANDRA DYCKMAN SMALLEGAN, VICTIM;
MURDER

File # 95-191393-
Lab.# PC-K6648 MC
Let. 3/6

Examination requested by: Mr. L. D. W. Anderson
Sheriff of Gallatin County
Bozeman, Montana 59715

Examination requested: Mic Anal (Hairs)

Date received: 4/2 rm

Result of Examination:

Examination by: [redacted]

0 slides
0 pullbox

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Q66 Vacuum sweepings

Lab rept
4/26/74
JJW: pam

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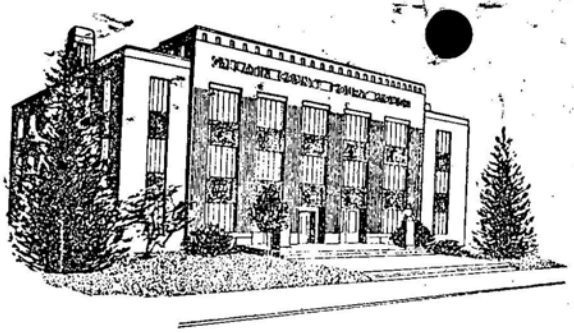
Q66 Bag of vacuum sweepings containing H, F, soil, debris, feathers, yarn wrapper, tinsel, pine needles. 1 cigarette butt, filter tipped could not be identified. nothing of apparent significance was noted. saw H or F mounted



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COUNTY OF GALLATIN

Bozeman

March 6, 1974
P.O. Box 1025
Bozeman, Montana

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Mr. Clarence M. Kelley
Federal Bureau of Investigation
U. S. Department of Justice
Washington, D. C. 20535

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FC-K.6648

Attention: F. B. I. Laboratory

Re: Unknown subject
Sandra Dyckman Smallegan - victim
Murder

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Dear Mr. Kelley:

Enclosed herewith is sweeping from a vacumn cleaner owned and used in the Sandra Smallegan apartment.

It is requested the sweepings be examined for any items that may be of evidentary importance.

Please refer to our letter of March 6, 1974, pertaining to the above case in which we forwarded numerous items for examination.

The evidence has not been submitted to any other expert for scientific examination. Further it is submitted solely for the purpose of criminal investigation.

If the evidence is examined without beneficial findings to the case, it may be destroyed.

Respectfully,

L.D.W. Anderson

L.D.W. Anderson, Sheriff
Gallatin County, Montana

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JGH: pam

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Re: UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
SANDRA SMALLEGAN, VICTIM;
HOMICIDE

File # ~~95-191393~~ 7
Lab.# PC-K6322 MC MK
Let. 3/18
7-14789-79X5

Examination requested by: [redacted] M. D.
Forensic Pathologist
Columbus Hospital
Great Falls, Montana 59401

Examination requested: Mic Anal (H&F)
Misc (Anth & Other)
Chem Anal (Gen Chem)

Date received: 3/21 am

Examination by: [redacted]

Result of Examination:
Q49, Q51, Q57-Q65 to Dr. Angel 3/26
Q52-Q55 MK 4/5 ret 4/8

0 slides
0 pillboxes

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Q49	Teeth and mandible
Q50	Debris
Q51	Denture
Q52	Wood
Q53-Q55	Three bottles containing cloth
Q56	Debris
Q57	Pieces of large long bones
Q58	Pieces of ribs
Q59	Pieces of small long bones
Q60	Tissue
Q61	Bones
Q62	Pieces of vertebra
Q63	Pieces of skull
Q64	Bone fragments
Q65	BONE FRAGMENT

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Q49 -NO EXAM-

Q50 Debris containing metal eyelets, used flash bulbs, nails, one button, several safety pins, and a piece of metal approx 1"x2¾" no H&F

Q51 -NO EXAM-

Q52- -NO EXAM-

Q53-Q55 (3) Plastic bottles containing numerous pieces of charred cloth, the color of the cloth could not be determined, there are three different weave patterns, indicating 3 different fabrics, one of the three appears to be terry cloth such as used in towelling none of the three different types of fabric could be associated with the K1 or K4 fabrics of PC-K6047

Q56 Debris including charred cloth, could not be associated with the K1 or K4 pieces of cloth in PC-K6047.

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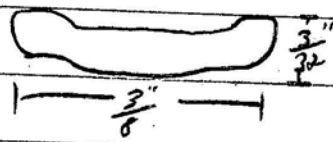
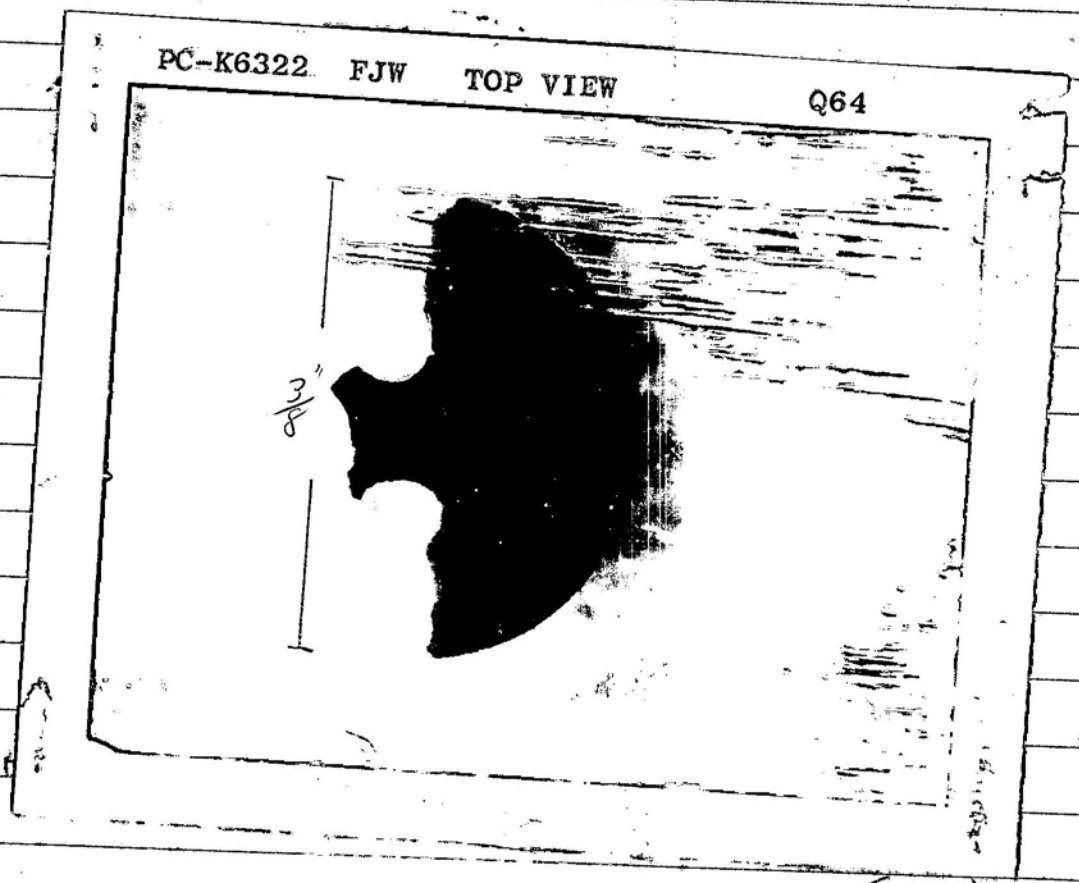
Q64 Bones fragments, contained in this fragments was a portion of a button, charred, approx diameter 3/8" approx width 3/32", diameter of hole in button approx 1/16" composition-shell, original color could not be determined.





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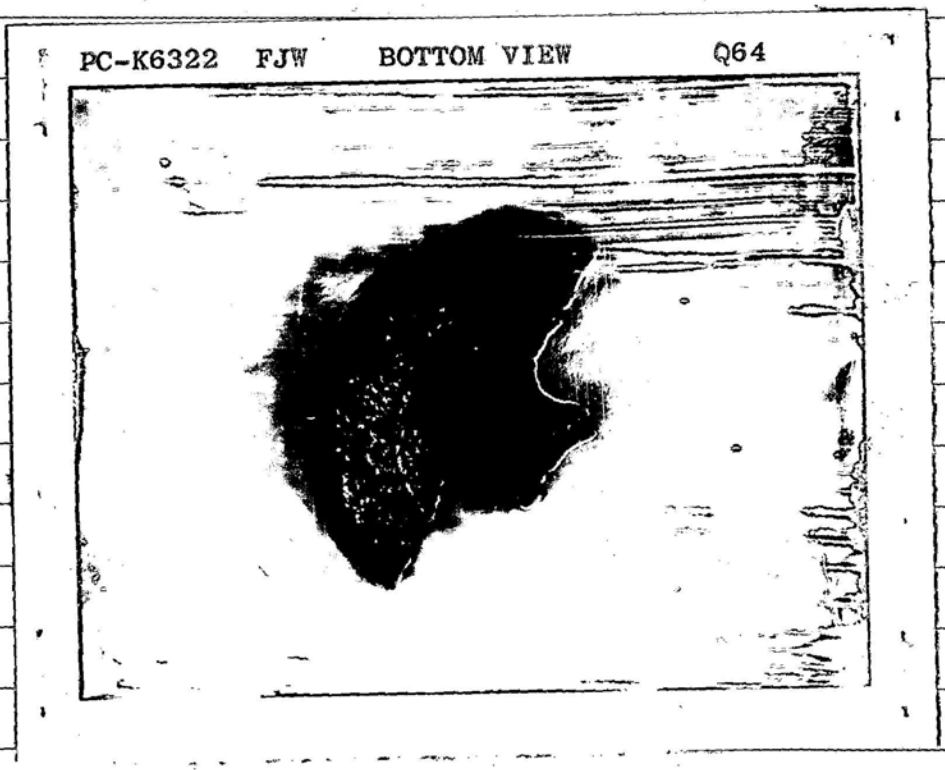
Q64 cont'



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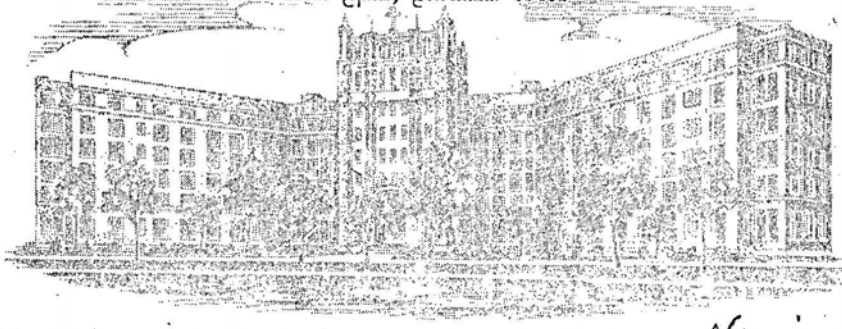
[redacted] M.D.

Columbus Hospital
DEPARTMENT OF PATHOLOGY
Great Falls, Montana 59401



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March 18, 1974

See PC-K 6047 MC OL MK QH QG QE

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Mr. Clarence M. Kelly
Federal Bureau of Investigation
U. S. Department of Justice
Washington, D.C. 20535

Dear Mr. Kelly:

Pursuant to previous communication of March 6, 1974 which you received from Gallatin County Sheriff L.D.W. Anderson, I am of this date forwarding the remaining evidence which I received for medical examination.

We have now positively identified parts of the remains as being those of Sandra Smallegan, reported to be a nineteen year old Caucasian female, 5' 2" in height and weighing 110 pounds. She was reported missing on February 11, 1974 and the remains were found February 19, 1974 widely scattered over the terrain near an abandoned house in a remote area. There is strong suggestion that she was dismembered prior to being burned and that some inflammable agent other than wood was used to produce the tissue charring.

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Over 1,200 pieces of bone and parts of teeth have been submitted to me for examination. I believe there are parts of more than one skeleton present and that probably some of the bony fragments may be of non-human origin. We are, therefore, concerned that the bony remains may represent other missing persons who have not been found to this date. One of these is Susan Jaeger, a seven year old girl, reported missing on June 25, 1973 from a nearby area. [redacted] informed me that your office has already participated in this investigation.

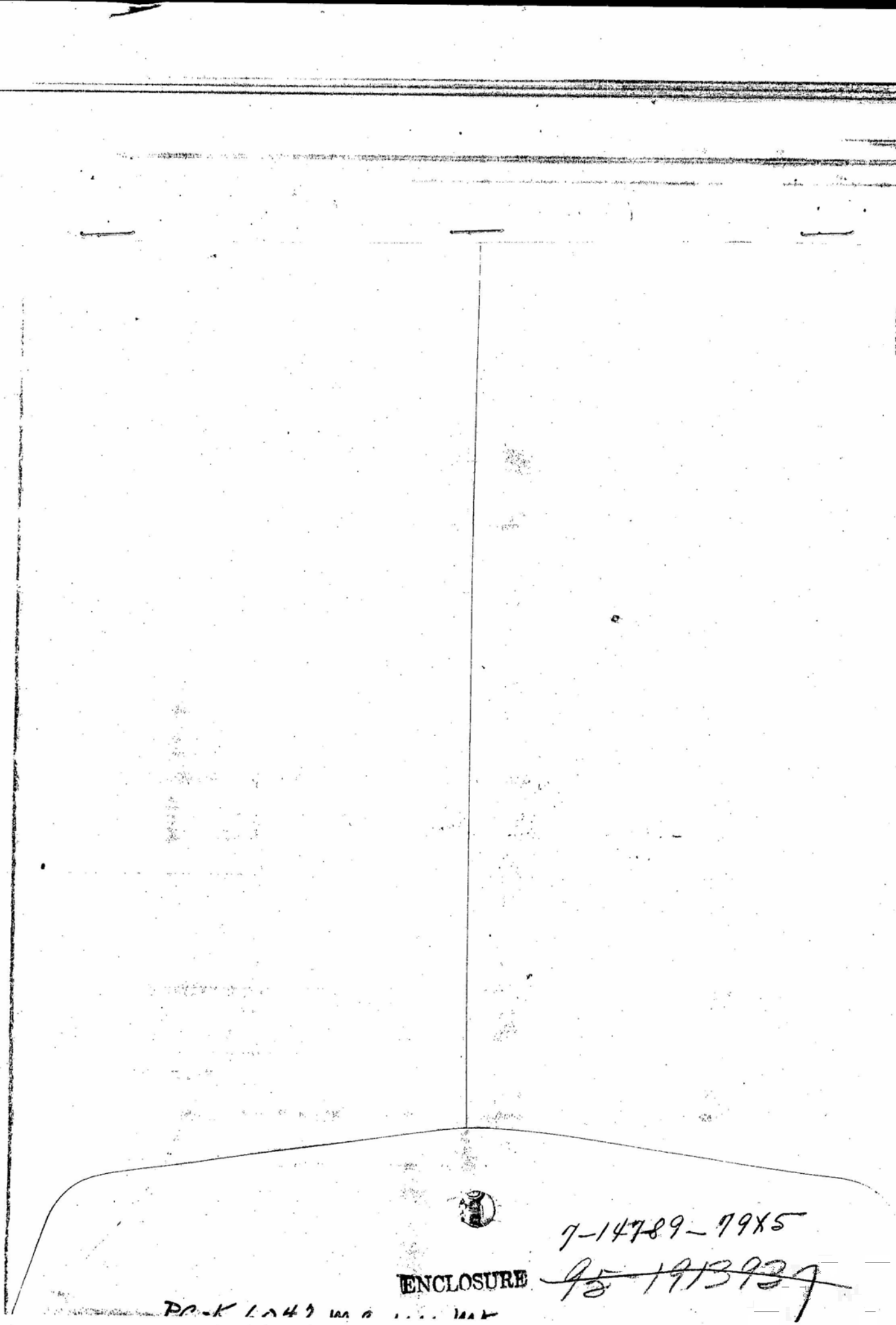
I have attempted to segregate the evidence being submitted into groups based on the categories of items which seemed of significance to me in my examination. This was done in hopes that it might expedite your subsequent work. I have recommended to the Gallatin County authorities that:

1. A forensic anthropologist be consulted for purpose of possibly identifying more than one skeletal remains.

2. The remains be tested for inflammable substance residues.

3. That the evidence being submitted at this time be correlated with that already submitted.

Law rept 4/26/74



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ENCLOSURE ~~95-1913937~~

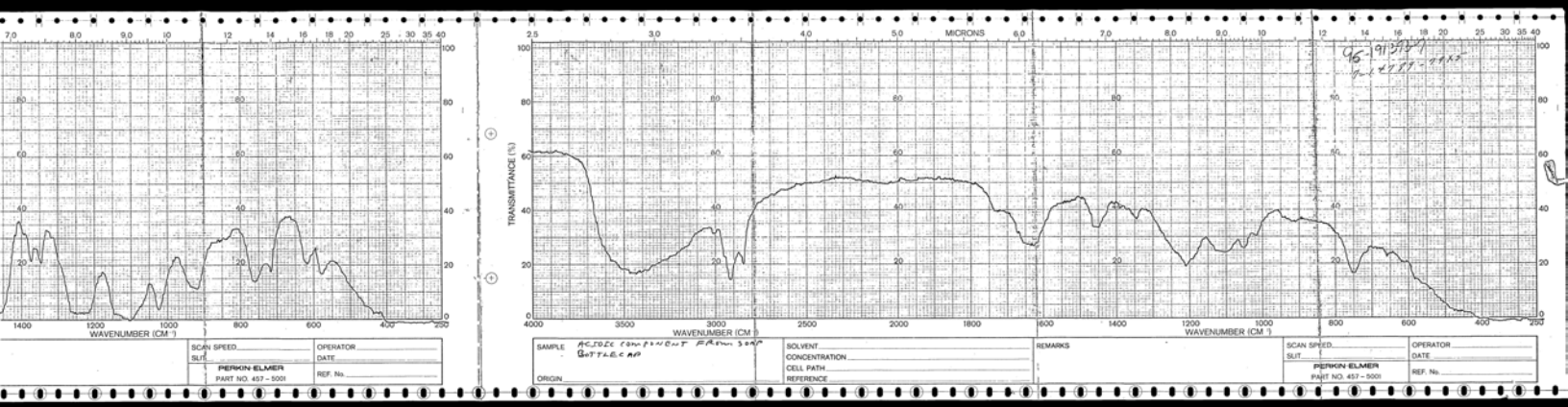
PC-K 6042 [illegible]

9 TOLUENE
1-PYRIDINE

U.V. + Vis
I_2 no help

- ● - original spot
- ● - floureses under UV Light (LW+SW)
- ● - pink spot under visible
- ● - pink spot under visible
- ● - yellow spot under visible

Q_{11}	Q_{46_A}	K_A	Q_{46_B}	K_B
●	●	●	●	●
●	●	●	●	●
⋮	⋮	⋮	⋮	⋮


MICRONS
TRANSMITTANCE (%)
WAVENUMBER (CM⁻¹)
SCAN SPEED
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PERKIN-ELMER
PART NO. 457 - 5001
SAMPLE
ACIDIC COMPONENT FROM SOAP BOTTLE CAP
ORIGIN
SOLVENT
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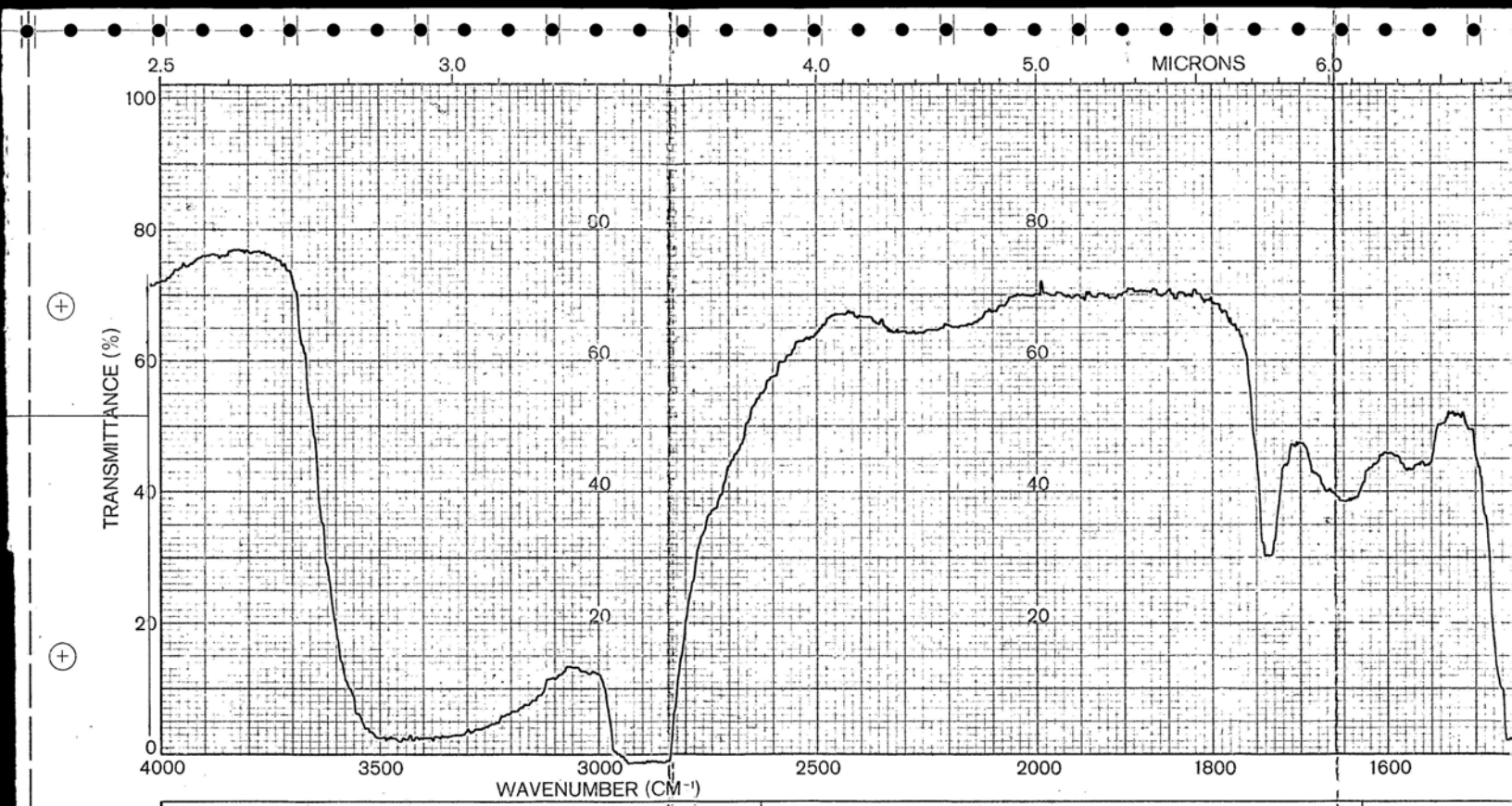

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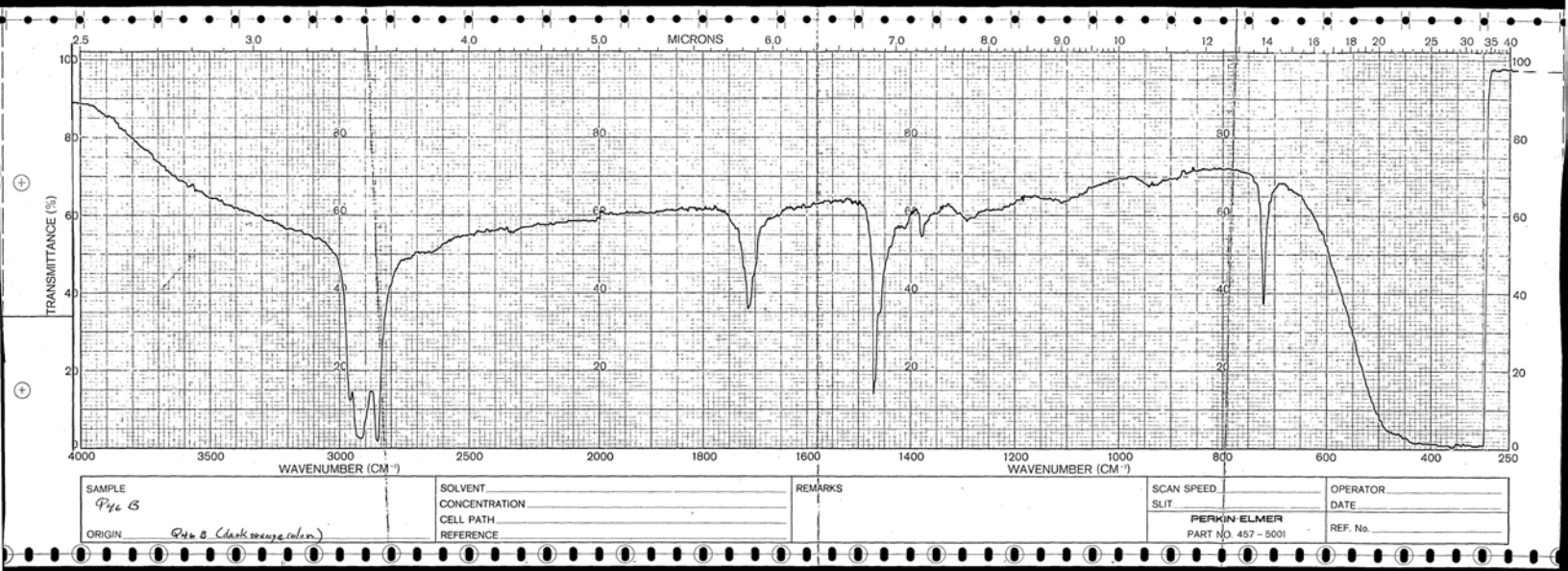

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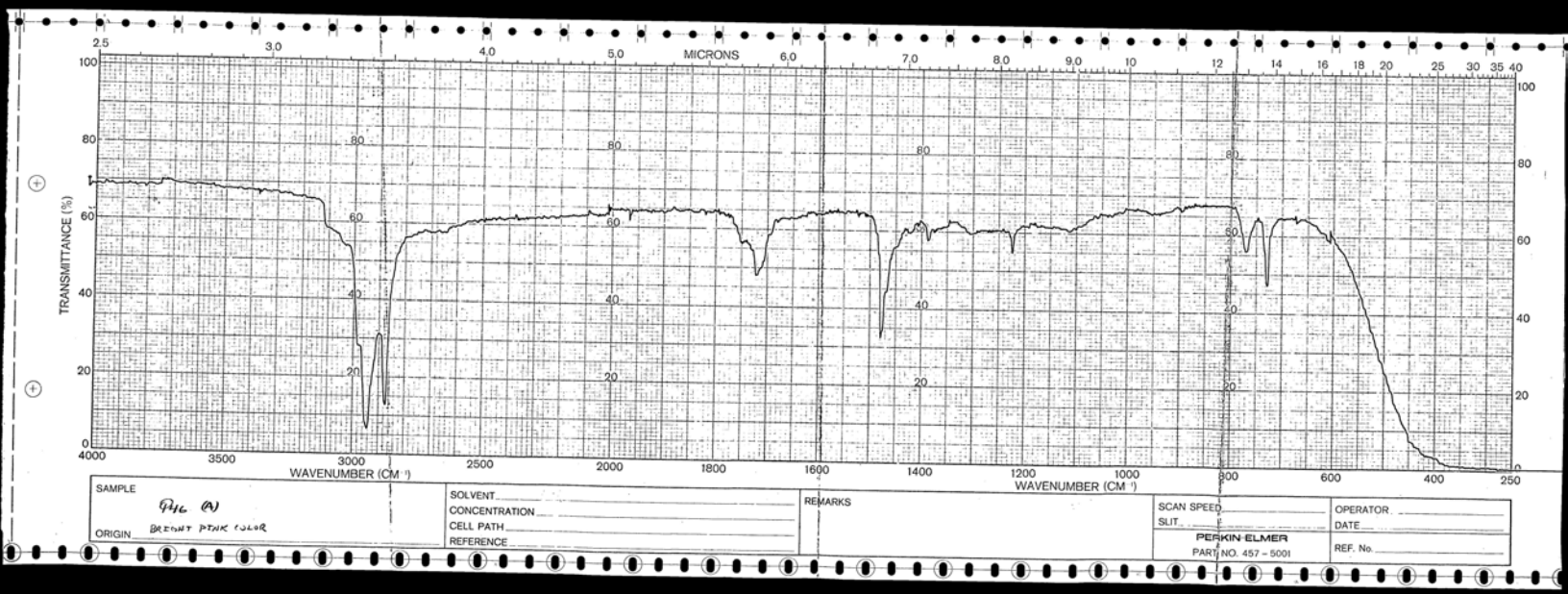

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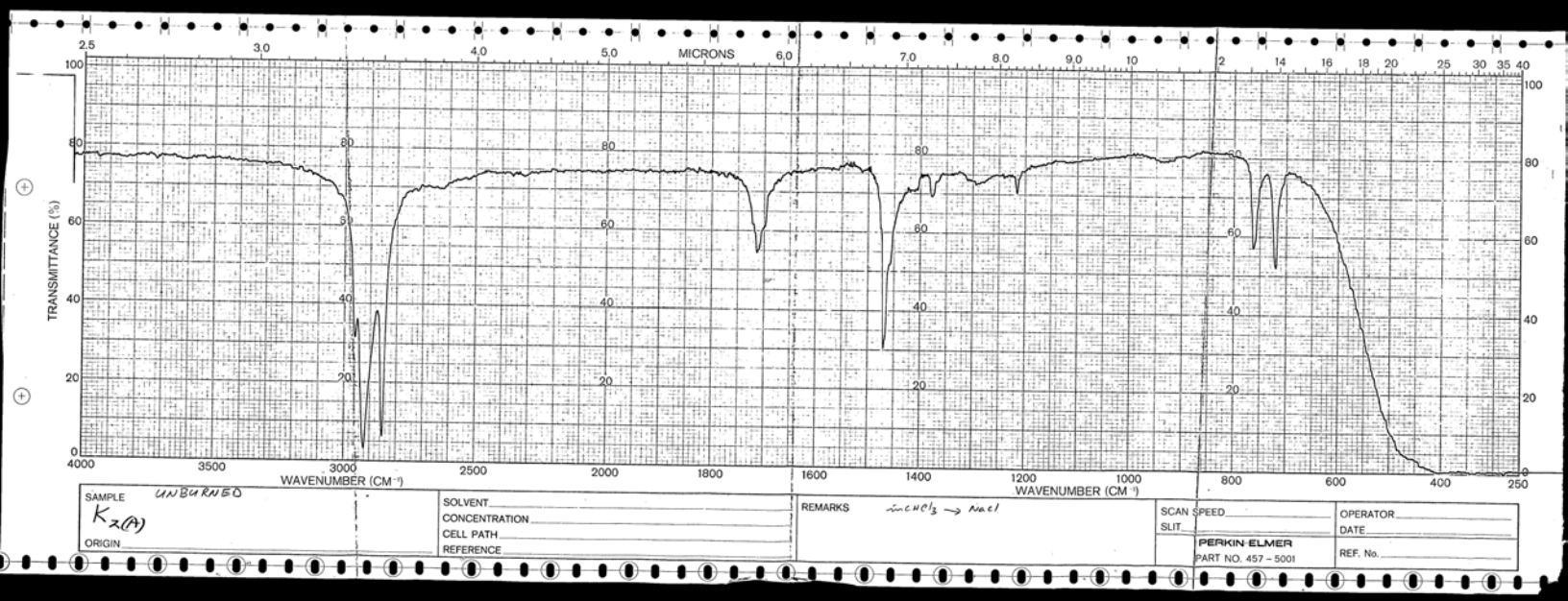

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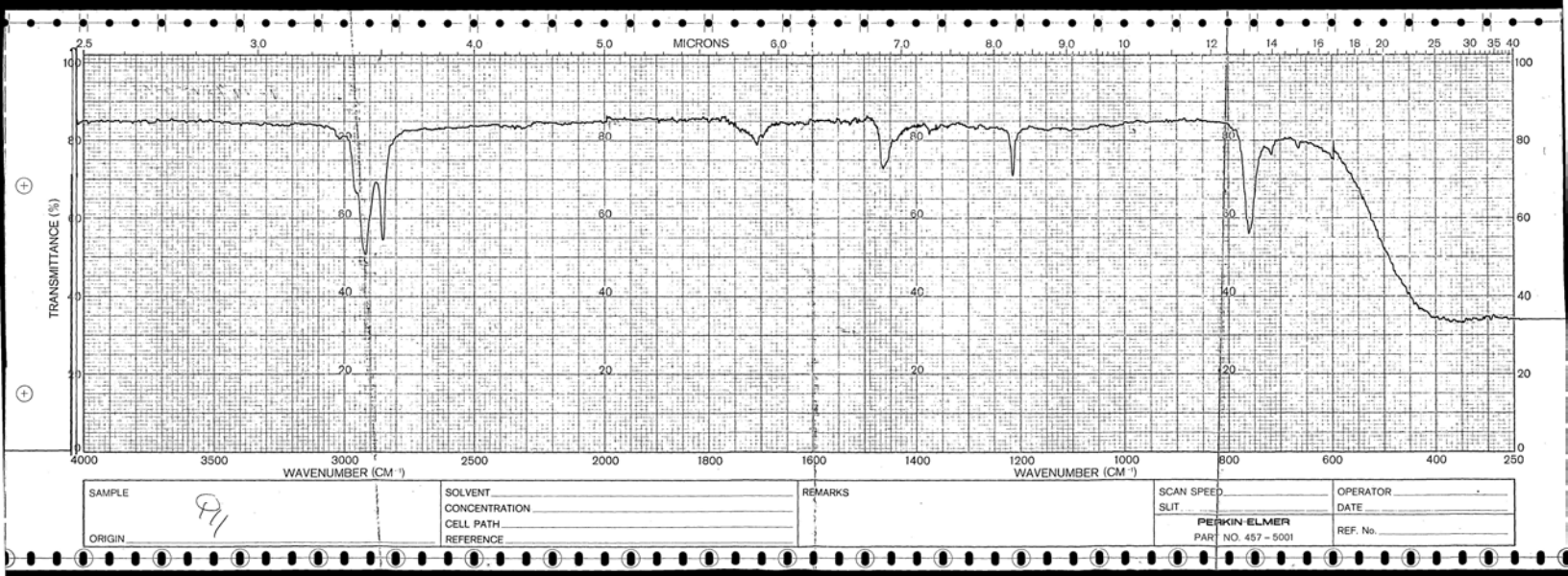

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FBI LABORATORY

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

To: SAC, Butte (7-497)

Date: April 29, 1974

From: Director, FBI

Re: UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
SANDRA DYCKMAN SMALLEGAN, VICTIM;
MURDER

FBI File No. 95-191393

Lab. No. PC-K6047 MC OL MK
QH QG OE
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PC-K6648 MC

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Examination requested by: Butte

Reference: Airtel 3/11/74

Examination requested: Microscopic Analyses - Miscellaneous - Chemical Analyses - Instrumental - Fingerprint

Remarks:

The Butte Office is being furnished a copy of this report because of the request made by Butte in the airtel to the Director dated March 11, 1974, in your file 7-497.

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Laboratory Work Sheet

UNKNOWN SUBJECT(S);
SANDRA DYCKMAN SMALLEGAN-VICTIM;
GALLATIN COUNTY, MONTANA
MURDER

File # 95-141393-4
Lab.# PC-K6047 MC OL MK QH QG OE
Let. 3/6
LC#A-88428 82

Examination requested by: Mr. L. D. W. Anderson
Sheriff of Gallatin County
Bozeman, Montana 59715
P.O. Box 1025

Examination requested: Mic Anal (H&F&Min)
Misc (Anth & Other)

Date received: 3/11 rm

Result of Examination: Chem Anal (Biochem & Biol & Gen Chem)
Toolmarks
Instr (Spec)
Fingerprint

Examination by:

Q13, Q17, Q18, Q27 + Q44 to LFPS for exam + disp. Sep Reports 4/16/74

Named Suspect: [redacted] DOB: [redacted] Montana State Penitentiary # [redacted] FBI# [redacted]

Noted By:

Q1		Rug (1)
Q2		Hair (2)
Q3		Vacuum sweepings (3)
Q4		Scarf (4)
Q5		Rag (5)
Q6		Hairs from hair brush of victim (6)
Q7-Q8		Two yarns (8)
Q9		Pieces of cloth (9)
Q10		Bottle cap (10)
Q11		Wax drippings (11)
Q12		Hair brush (12)
✓Q13	Trace	[redacted]cloth (13)
Q14		Debris (14)
Q15		Scrapings from cupboard (15)
Q16		Whip (16)
✓Q17		Saw (17)
✓Q18		Knife (18)
Q19		Slipper (19)
Q20		Rope (20)
Q21	Toilet	[redacted]l tissue (21)
Q22		Hammer (22)
Q23		Stick (23)
Q24-Q25		Two bags of debris (24)
Q26		Cloth (25)
✓Q27		Paper (26)
Q28		Debris (27)
Q29		Three pieces of wood (28)

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rec'd 4-30-74 Lab. Pla

[redacted]

(Over)

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Q13, Q17 + Q18 Proc'd G/P + B/P - No lats of val appear or dev

Q27 + Q44 Proc'd Nin - Let sit

Name to CI

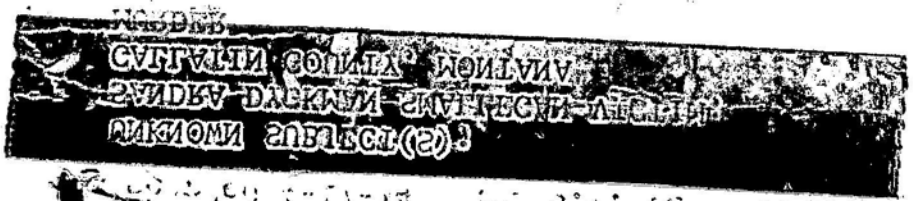
4/22/ACR

Specs Proc'd SN - handles of knife + saw also Proc'd SN - No lats of val dev

No lat jets of val appear or dev. on Q13, Q17, Q18, Q27 or Q44

Specs proc'd being ret sep.

Dispo of lab exam + rem specs sep rept



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Q34	Rear floor ~~mat~~ (31) CARPET
Q35	Trunk mat (32)
Q36-Q37	Two ~~carpets~~ (33) MATS
Q38	Luggage (34)
Q39-Q40	Two sli caps (34)
Q41	PAINT Suit (35)
Q42	Vacuum sweepings from trunk (36)
Q43	Scrapings from trunk lid (38)
✓Q44.	Paper (39)
Q45	~~Bag~~ (40) PIECE OF BURLAP
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Q47	Debris (42)
Q48	Board (43)
K1	Fabric (7)
K2	Candle (11
K3	Paint sampIe (37)
K4	FABRIC (7)

Examination Comple.ted 10-4/2- Dictated 4/2-
Time Date Date

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Washington, D. C. 20537

REPORT

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IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

YOUR FILE NO.
FBI FILE NO.
LATENT CASE NO. A-88482

April 30, 1974

AIRMAIL

TO: Mr. L. D. W. Anderson
Sheriff of Gallatin County
Post Office Box 1025
Bozeman, Montana 59715

RE: UNKNOWN SUBJECT(S);
SANDRA DYCKMAN SMALLEGAN - VICTIM
GALLATIN COUNTY, MONTANA
MURDER

REFERENCE: Letter March 6, 1974
EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY: Addressee
SPECIMENS: Tablecloth, Q13
Saw, Q17
Knife, Q18
Papers, Q27 and Q44

No latent prints of value appear or were developed on the listed specimens.

The specimens are being returned separately. The results of the laboratory examinations, as well as the disposition of the remaining specimens submitted in this case, are set forth in a separate report.

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Clarence M. Kelley, Director

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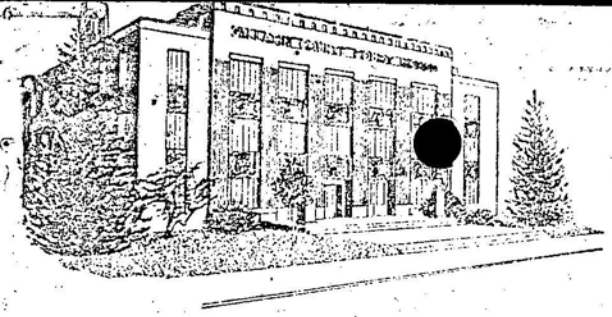

State of Montana

COUNTY OF GALLATIN

Bozeman

CHEM.

March 6, 1974

OFFICE OF THE SHERIFF

Mr. Clarence M. Kelly
Federal Bureau of Investigation
U. S. Department of Justice
Washington D.C. 20535

FC-K. 6047

Attention: F.B.I. Laboratory

Re: Unknown subject
Sandra Dyckman Smallegan - victim
Murder

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Dear Mr. Kelly:

Background of the case:

Sandra Dyckman Smallegan, victim was last observed alive approximately midnight Saturday, February 9, 1974 at Manhattan, Montana. She had attended a ball game with her parents and then went to the American Legion Club where she had approximately one or two drinks. She departed the Legion Club at midnight or shortly thereafter to return to her apartment which is located above the Manhattan Machinery Co. in Manhattan, Montana. Her apartment, as well as the Legion Club, are both located on Main Street in Manhattan. Manhattan is a small farming community of approximately 700 people in Gallatin County, Montana.

Her disappearance was reported February 12, 1974 by her parents. Investigation determined that her personally owned automobi was also missing. Investigation at her apartment failed to divulge pertinent information. The determination was made that she had been periodically living with her [redacted] and that her [redacted] also lived in Manhattan, Montana.

A systematic search was instigated on February 15, to locate either the victim and/or her vehicle. This search included all vacant buildings, garages, outbuildings in Manhattan and surrounding area.

On February 16, 1974, the personally owned vehicle of the victim, a 1969 Cortina 2-door, white in color, was located by a second party in the area known as the "Horseshoe Hills" approximately twelve miles northwest of Manhattan, Montana. The vehicle was in a shed on a ranch owned by [redacted] a local resident, popularly known as the Lockhart ranch and will be referred to hereinafter as the Lockhart ranch. The barn, house and outbuildings at the Lockhart

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TITLE OF CASE

UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
SUSAN MARIE JAEGER,
aka Susie - VICTIM

BYRON H. DUNBAR

CHARACTER OF CASE

KIDNAPING

REFERENCE

Report of SA BYRON H. DUNBAR, Butte, 8/20/73

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ADMINISTRATIVE

A voluminous number of communications in this case are not being set forth, but are maintained in the files of the Butte Office.

A voluminous number of letters from clairvoyants, mystics, dousers and visionaries are not set forth herein, except those received in sufficient quantity or those which have caused investigation, as well as those where the individual should be indexed.

ACCOMPLISHMENTS CLAIMED				[X] NONE	ACQUIT-TALS	CASE HAS BEEN:
CONVIC.	FUG.	FINES	SAVINGS	RECOVERIES		PENDING OVER ONE YEAR [ ] YES [X] NO PENDING PROSECUTION OVER SIX MONTHS [ ] YES [X] NO

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[redacted] of this report under Suspects and Miscellaneous there will be persons for whom there will be no documentations. The documentations will be news media, sources suggested by local law enforcement, private citizens and anonymous tips, where persons referred to in referenced report.

Periodic reference is made in the details of this report to a case captioned "KAREN TYLER; JESSICA WESTPHAL, MISSING PERSONS", Butte File #7-501. The close proximity of dates for the missing girls and the date of Victim's kidnaping necessitate many investigative matters being conducted concerning each. The date of importance set forth herein of July 31, 1973, pertains to that case.

In addition, other dates are particularly emphasized in the details of this report, particularly June 28; July 2 and September 24, these being of importance in light of phone calls received concerning Victim as previously reported.

Numerous negative informant contacts are not being set forth herein, but are set forth in the files of the Butte Office.

No specific leads are being set forth in this report; however, these are being handled by separate communications.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted] at Ripley, Tennessee:

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On August 24, 1973, a confidential source at the U. S. Post Office, Ripley, Tennessee, who is in a position to furnish positive information advised that there is no Post Office at Central, Tennessee, a small community in the western portion of Lauderdale County, Tennessee. Central is served by Ripley, Rural Route 2, 3, and 4, all of which intersect at Central. There is no [redacted] residing on any of these three rural routes.

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On January 16, 1974, [redacted] furnished the following background information regarding [redacted]

On December 10, 1971, [redacted] initially filed an application for employment with [redacted] Post Office Box [redacted], Kansas, as an over-the-road "company driver." On his application for employment [redacted] indicated that he was:

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Race	White
Sex	Male
Date of Birth	[redacted]
Place of Birth	
Social Security #	
Height	
Weight	
Eyes	
Hair	

He indicated he was single and resided at [redacted], Montana, and had State of Montana Chauffeur's License # [redacted] The person to contact in case of an emergency was listed as [redacted] Kansas [redacted].

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[redacted] thereafter drove for [redacted] from on or about December 10, 1971, until March 19, 1972, at which time he simply quit.

On September 2, 1973, [redacted] was rehired by [redacted] once again as a "company driver" and in up-dating his personal information to [redacted] indicated that on a new Montana chauffeur's license his address was in care of [redacted] Montana. In addition he indicated that from May through July, 1973, he was employed by the [redacted] Montana, as a ranch hand and driver (not verified). During July and August, 1973, [redacted] indicated he was employed with the [redacted] Arizona (verified).

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On September 15, 1973, [redacted] sold [redacted] a tractor, subsequently used on an owner-lease basis and sometime during December, 1973, [redacted] was admitted to Mercy General Hospital at Sacramento, California, and was treated by [redacted] co-driver, name unrecalled, returned [redacted] tractor to [redacted] and [redacted] simply disappeared.

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On January 16, 1974, [redacted] advised that a letter was received at [redacted] from [redacted] indicating that he was quitting the trucking business, that he could not drive any more, and this was due to an "ear problem." HEMBREE requested any mail or money in possession of MIDWESTERN be forwarded to the Siesta Motel, Room 10, 1620 East 25 Street, Kearney, Nebraska. b6 b7C b7D

[redacted] advised on November 2, 1973, [redacted] Student, Montana State University (MSU), Bozeman, Montana, was recently discharged from the U. S. Air Force. Has been overly attentive to young females and is married. He possibly should be considered a child molester. b6 b7C b7D

Records, MSU, furnished by [redacted] indicated [redacted] entered the U. S. Air Force on [redacted] and was discharged [redacted] He had U. S. Air Force # [redacted] His date of birth was [redacted] His residence is [redacted] Montana, and his [redacted] is [redacted] He has been the subject of complaints of female students. He is described as follows: b6 b7C

Race	White
Sex	Male
Height	[redacted]
Build	
Hair	

[redacted] Montana, furnished the following information regarding DONALD POWELL and requested he not be referred to as the source: b6 b7C b7D

POWELL, 61 years of age, is a prominent rancher, wealthy and a leader of the Seventh Day Adventist Church in the area. He is currently out on bond after having been charged with molesting a nine-year-old girl, which occurred after the disappearance of SUSAN JAEGER. The POWELL ranch is approximately 25 miles from the Three Rivers Headwaters State Park, where SUSAN JAEGER disappeared.

The POWELL family had visitors at their ranch from June 21, 1973, to June 23, 1973. The visitors were [redacted] Wisconsin. They were traveling in a Winnebago motor home with their four daughters. They apparently are members of the Seventh Day Adventist Church. The JAEGER girl disappeared sometime between the hours of 2:00 a.m. and 4:00 a.m., June 25, 1973. b6 b7C

Mr. and Mrs. POWELL claim they had attended a church meeting on the night of June 24, 1973. After this, they were home and in bed all night.

Each of the persons residing in the vicinity of Three Forks, Trident and the surrounding area as interviewed in the details as set forth herein were also questioned concerning the yellow pickup truck as mentioned by [redacted] in prior interviews and also recollections of other vehicles, which

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LEADS

Two copies of this report are designated for the Denver Office. Two copies of this report are designated for the Detroit Office. It is noted that both of these offices have conducted and will be conducting extensive investigation in this matter.

(It is also noted Detroit covers Farmington Hills, Michigan, the residence of the Victim's parents; the ostensible ransom calls made to date have been associated with Denver, Colorado, and Cheyenne, Wyoming.)

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AT BOZEMAN, MONTANA

Will continue to follow this investigation setting forth leads on all persons, who might be considered suspect utilizing news media for logical leads in continuing to identify the Unknown Subject and locate Victim.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
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Copy to:

Report of: BYRON H. DUNBAR Office: BUTTE
Date: 3/6/74

Field Office File #: 7-497 Bureau File #: 7-14789

Title: UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
SUSAN MARIE JAEGER - VICTIM

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Character: KIDNAPING

Synopsis: Data concerning phone call billed to [redacted] Cheyenne, Wyoming, Telephone #[redacted] set forth. Phone calls billed to phone of [redacted] Rock Springs, Wyoming, and made to Victim's family determined to be by [redacted], a [redacted] Phone call made from Butte, Montana, to Victim's parents' home, Farmington, Michigan, identified. Circularization was made by SUSAN JAEGER Reward Fund to news media and law enforcement set forth. Proposed circularization by National Association of Letter Carriers set forth. No further phone calls received from person previously identifying self as Unknown Subject. Data concerning numerous suspects and those eliminated set forth.

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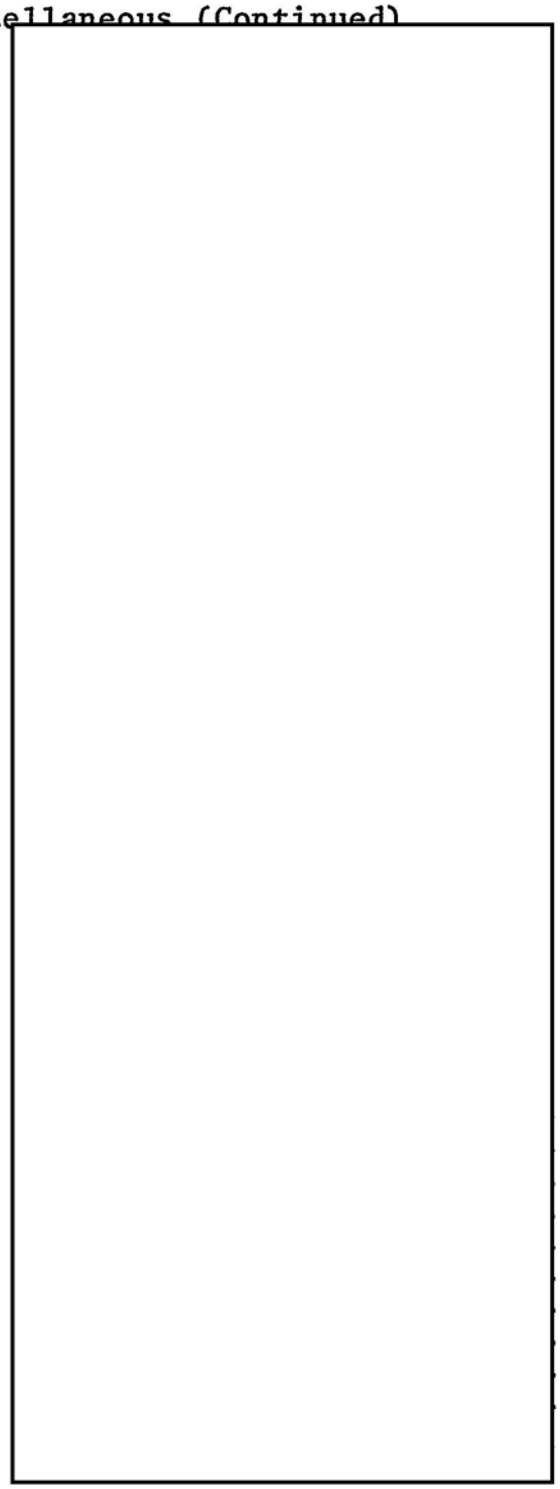

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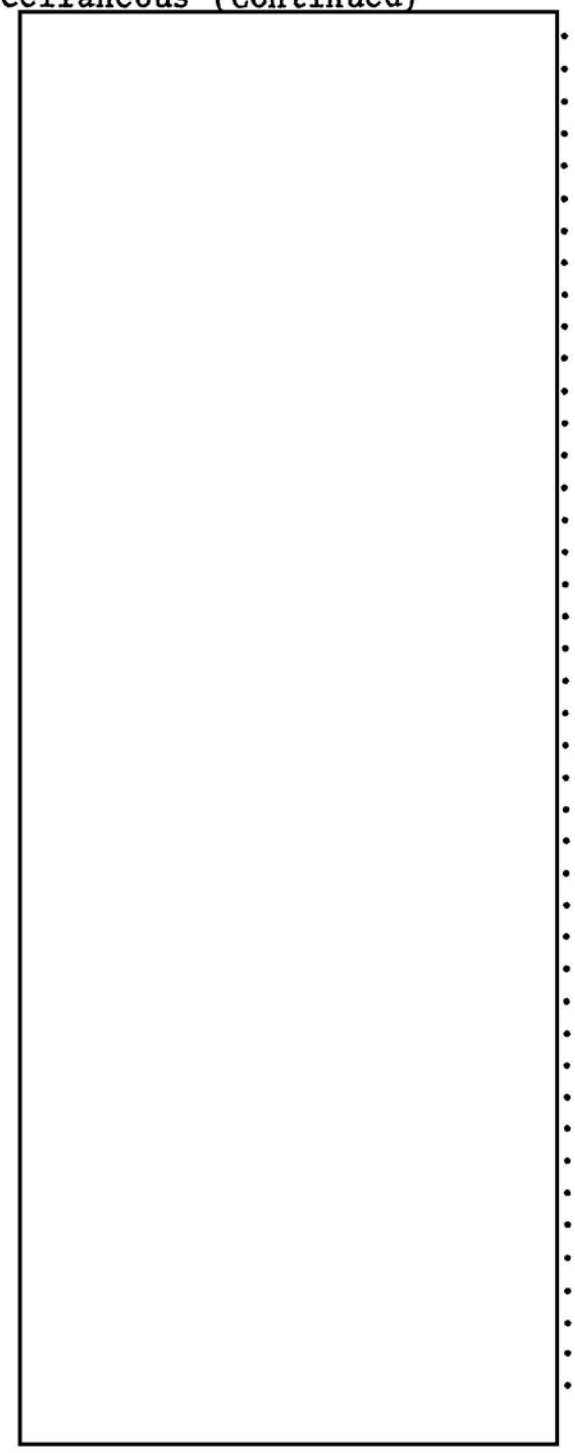

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted]

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AT BUTTE, MONTANA

On September 23, 1973, [redacted] Bus Driver, [redacted] advised that he could not recall anyone unusual taking the bus between Butte, Montana, and Idaho Falls, Idaho, in the period around the disappearance of the Victim. He said that unless there was some problems, he probably would not recall anyone as there were so many people that "you don't really identify each one."

He stated he would further reflect on the matter and if he should remember anything he would contact the FBI.

AT ANACONDA, MONTANA

On November 2, 1973, [redacted] Anaconda, advised that he been told by [redacted] regarding what we were interested in and had been thinking about it for sometime. He stated that he could not recall anything unusual that happened around the time period in question and felt that it was unlikely that he would remember anything.

He further stated that unless something very unusual happened, it was unlikely that any of the bus drivers would remember the passengers.

The following investigation was conducted by SA BYRON H. DUNBAR:

AT THREE FORKS, MONTANA

[redacted] property adjacent to the state park, where Victim was kidnaped was re-interviewed November 27 and December 7, 1973, and advised as follows:

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He has constantly endeavored to recollect any items of pertinence that he has seen or observed in conjunction with the disappearance of SUSAN JAEGER. [redacted] advised that he can come up with nothing positive, but he does have the following recollection:

Concerning a green pickup truck with a loud muffler, he can furnish no information:

He does recall seeing on what he believes was Sunday, June 24, 1973, a yellow pickup truck hauling junk, including old stove pipe, stoves and perhaps a hot water tank in the vicinity of the campground at the Three Rivers Headwaters State Park. This truck was on the Trident-Three Forks road and has no significance except he is virtually certain it had an out-of-state license, possibly Iowa.

[redacted] was advised that he does believe there was a red Willys Jeep, which drove into the campground either on the day of the kidnaping or within two or three days prior to the kidnaping. He noted this car because the driver was a young man with a goatee and a beard, but he can furnish no physical description.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted]

On September 3, 1973, [redacted] Arizona, was contacted and advised that she is presently filling in for [redacted] the [redacted] of the trailer park located at [redacted] until [redacted] returns to [redacted] during the first or second week of October. [redacted] stated that she is familiar with [redacted] and stated that they stay at the trailer park about every other year. She recalled that the [redacted] were at the trailer park this year until approximately February of 1973.

[redacted] could provide no information as to their possible present whereabouts or in what area of the United States they might be traveling. [redacted] suggested that [redacted] be contacted when she returns in October.

On October 22, 1973, [redacted] of the trailer park located at [redacted] was contacted and advised that her records show that the [redacted] departed her trailer park in February of 1973 and that no emergency number or permanent address is listed on this card. [redacted] stated that she is quite familiar with the [redacted] and that they return to the trailer park usually during the winter months of every other year.

[redacted] believed that the [redacted] were going to the northwestern portion of the United States this year but could not state any particular state or town to which they might be visiting. [redacted] was advised of the nature of the inquiry and she advised if she had any contact with [redacted] or learned of their whereabouts, she would immediately contact the FBI.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted] at Globe, Arizona:

On November 13, 1973, [redacted] advised that during the early part of June, 1973 they left the Globe, Arizona area for a two-months vacation, traveling with their pickup truck and camper and were accompanied by their [redacted] year old daughter. They planned to travel to the East Coast; however, due to temperature and humidity conditions, they changed their vacation plans when arriving in Texas and headed in a northwesterly direction.

On or about June 25, 1973, they arrived at Three Forks, Montana where they had lunch at the A & W Drive In. After leaving Three Forks, Montana, they drove to a trailer court on the outskirts of Butte, Montana, where they spent the night of June 25, 1973. They had in their possession during their travels, a portable radio and heard that in a state park near Three Forks, Montana on or about the same date, a small girl had been kidnaped by unknown subjects from a tent while she and other children were sleeping.

[redacted] related that the news made a definite impression on them inasmuch as they were in the Three Forks area on June 25, 1973. They explained that [redacted] had been with the U. S. Park Service for 31 years and 11 months, has now retired, but during the time he was employed with the Park Service, had slept in tents on many occasions. He stated after hearing the news of the kidnaping and the fact that other children were in the tent, he could not realize in his mind how anyone could rip the side of a tent, kidnap one of the occupants without the other occupants either hearing or seeing something.

[redacted] related that they continued on their vacation but heard no other information regarding the kidnaping. Upon their return to Globe, Arizona during the latter part of August, 1973, he and his wife discussed this matter and had wondered if the kidnaping victim had ever been found. He stated that because of their interest in this matter and the fact that they had been in Three Forks, Montana on or about the day the kidnaping took place, they decided to write a letter on September 25, 1973 to the Chamber

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of Commerce at Three Forks, Montana making inquiries as to the findings regarding the kidnaping of this small girl.

[redacted] advised that during their short stay in Three Forks, Montana, which was only for possibly one or one and one-half hours while having a meal, they observed nothing unusual in the area. They did not go to the State Park at Three Forks, Montana and could furnish no information which would be of assistance in the investigation of this kidnaping.

The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted] b6 b7C

AT GLENDIVE, MONTANA

After numerous unsuccessful attempts to locate [redacted] in Glendive, Montana, by SA [redacted] inasmuch as the telephone book, City Directory, and other sources contained no listing for the [redacted] information was finally developed on November 5, 1973, by SA [redacted] at the [redacted] STORE in Glendive at which time the store [redacted] stated that [redacted] worked at [redacted] but was transferred to [redacted] STORE in Idaho Falls, Idaho, about one and one-half months ago.

[redacted] did not have a specific address for [redacted] but stated he could be easily located through the [redacted] STORE in Idaho Falls. [redacted] did not know whether [redacted] was currently working.

The following investigation was conducted by SA BYRON H. DUNBAR:

AT BOZEMAN, MONTANA

[redacted] was recontacted October 25, 1973, and November 27, 1973, concerning the yellow pickup truck as previously referred to by [redacted] on October 11, 1973, concerning a red Willys Jeep as mentioned by [redacted] and for any other information he could furnish.

[redacted] advised that he has constantly been aware of the investigation and the disappearance of SUSAN JAEGER and can furnish no additional information:

AT HELENA, MONTANA

[redacted] Publicity Department, Montana Highway Department, Helena, was recontacted January 8, 1974, and advised as follows:

On June 24, 1973, he was doing a story and picture layout article regarding campgrounds, etc., adjacent to the

Montana highways. Included in this article was a picture layout from the Headwaters State Park near Three Forks, Montana, and the scene of the abduction of Victim between 2:00 a.m. and 4:00 a.m., June 25, 1973.

[redacted] advised that he had made a complete review of the photographs that he had taken as part of this layout (previously furnished to the Butte Office) and a review of names of persons he had interviewed and contacted. Completing this review, the following are persons, who were at the Three Rivers Headwaters State Park June 24, 1973, and who have not been interviewed in this matter:

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Chicago, Illinois

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Chicago, Illinois

[redacted] advised that he does not know if these persons remained at the campground until June 25, 1973.

He further advised that an [redacted] of [redacted] was the adult person named by [redacted] and [redacted] as the person who would have to sign a release for their names to be published or utilized, noting that the persons contacted at the campground were under twenty-one.

The following information was furnished telephonically by Sheriff GENE CLARK to SA [redacted]

AT BILLINGS, MONTANA

On January 5, 1974, Sheriff GENE CLARK, Ryegate, Montana, received a telephone call from [redacted], Telephone # [redacted] advised around June 25, 1973, he was at the Three Forks campground with three individuals by name of [redacted] but would not provide first name of [redacted]

During their stay at campground, he observed 1956 or 1957 old, bluish color vehicle with unknown Arizona license plates. He observed two or three long-hair white males eating watermellon in the back seat of the vehicle, which was parked on the north side of the campground.

He would furnish no further information to Sheriff CLARK.

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FBI LABORATORY

The FBI Laboratory was requested to examine the magnetic tape of telephone call to JAEGER residence, Farmington, Michigan, September 24, 1973, in an effort to attempt to identify the residence or background of individual placing the call.

On November 1, 1973, the FBI Laboratory furnished the following results of examination:

"Specimens received 10/19/73

"Q15 Tape cassette inscribed 'Two calls received 9/24/73---'

"Result of examination:

"The quantity and content of the material in Q15 is so limited no definitive conclusions can be drawn. Certain comments and general observations can be made, however.

"It would appear the caller is adult male of indeterminate age, probably with at least a high school education, but with a rural background. There appear to be no eastern or deep south speech characteristics indicating he may be from the west, southwest or midwest.

"Specifically, he has a tendency to use rural western colloquialisms such as 'can't hardly do that' and 'gotta figger out ways not t' git caught.' He tends to deemphasize the letter 'L' in his speech, almost pronouncing it as a modified 'Y'."

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[redacted] for Mountain Bell Telephone Company, Denver, Colorado, advised he had located a toll tocket regarding a telephone call made to Farmington, Michigan, telephone number [redacted] on September 24, 1973. [redacted] advised the ticket revealed that this call was made from telephone number 638-9952 at Cheyenne, Wyoming. This particular number is a pay telephone station located at Woody's Truck Stop, 406 Morrie Avenue, in Cheyenne, Wyoming. This call was billed to telephone number [redacted] which is listed to [redacted] in Cheyenne, Wyoming. This call was handled by Operator [redacted] who is [redacted] who is employed at Mountain Bell Telephone Company in Cheyenne. The ticket further indicated that the call was made at 3:56 p.m., Mountain Standard Time.

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by SA [redacted] :dkc Date dictated 20/30/74

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[redacted] who resides at [redacted] in Cheyenne, Wyoming, and who is employed by Mountain Bell Telephone Company in Cheyenne as an operator, furnished the following information: b6 b7C

She was on duty as an operator at 3:56 p.m. on September 24, 1973, at which time she was designated Operator [redacted] She was unable to recall specifically a telephone call placed to Farmington, Michigan, telephone number [redacted] made from a pay station in Cheyenne. She stated she vaguely recalls the name [redacted] but stated this is possible since she formerly dated an individual in South Dakota by the name of [redacted] She further stated she vaguely recalled the town of Farmington, Michigan, but was unable to remember if she placed a call to that city. She could furnish no other information of value regarding this call.

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by SA [redacted]
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A visual inspection was made at the telephone pay stations at Woody's Truck Stop located at 406 Morrie Avenue in Cheyenne, Wyoming. It was determined that three pay telephone booths were located at the truck stop, and the following telephone numbers were listed on the individual stations:

638-9027
638-9940
638-9952

The first two stations are located outside adjacent to the entrance to the truck stop, and the third telephone booth with number 638-9952, is located on an island alongside the gasoline pumps. This island is located approximately ten to fifteen feet from the restaurant of the truck stop.

Woody's Truck Stop is located approximately one mile from the East-West Interstate 80 Bypass, across the street from the Husky Gas Refinery; and at the time of inspection, it was noted there were numerous trucks parked around the truck stop.

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AT CHEYENNE, WYOMING

On October 25, 1973, arrangements were made with [redacted] MOUNTAIN BELL TELEPHONE, Cheyenne, and [redacted] MOUNTAIN BELL, Denver, to alert all operators handling calls through Cheyenne, Denver and Rock Springs, Wyoming, to immediately notify supervisor, who will in turn alert FBI on any calls made to Victim's family at Farmington, Michigan, September 24, 1973.

[redacted] Cheyenne, Wyoming, furnished the following information, which in turn was furnished the Butte Office by SA [redacted] Denver, telephonically on October 23, 1973:

She read an article about Victim in October 21, 1973, edition Cheyenne, Wyoming, newspaper. That article states Victim's parents reside Farmington, Michigan. During past week [redacted] received her telephone bill, which included charges for a call from Cheyenne to Farmington on September 24, 1973-$1.55 plus $.14 tax. Number called was [redacted] in Farmington, Michigan; number at which call was charged. [redacted] number is [redacted]

[redacted] advised her family is not related to Victim's family, has had no contact with that family, did not make the call on September 24, 1973, and has no information as to who placed the call. She has notified the telephone company of the improper charge to her bill.

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[redacted] telephone [redacted] furnished the following information:

He received a telephone bill dated October 1, 1973, in the amount of $11.85 regarding calls made from his number during the months of September. While reviewing the bill, he noticed a charge in the amount of $1.55 for a call charged to his number made to Farmington, Michigan, telephone [redacted] on September 24, 1973. He stated neither he nor his wife is acquainted with anyone in Farmington, Michigan, and definitely did not place a call to the above-listed number. He stated he reported this to the telephone company, and he was advised to deduct the charge and the telephone company in Cheyenne would in turn report this to the office in Denver. He stated after receiving the bill, he and his wife read an article in the local Cheyenne paper on October 21, 1973, regarding the kidnaping of SUSAN JAEGER. He stated the article mentioned the address of the parents of the girl as Farmington, Michigan. He stated he then recalled a telephone call made to a number in Farmington and believed there may be some significance to the call, at which time he notified the local FBI Office in Cheyenne. [redacted] stated he is not related in any way to [redacted] of Farmington, and has no idea why the call to Farmington was billed to his number. He advised his number is listed in the current Cheyenne telephone directory, and he has had the same number since 1949.

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[redacted] further advised that he is a retired railroad employee and has been living at his current address since October, 1972, at which time they moved back to Cheyenne from North Platte, Nebraska. He stated he is not acquainted with anyone by the name of [redacted] from Rock Springs, Wyoming, nor, he advised, is he acquainted with any over-the-road truck drivers.

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AT DENVER, COLORADO

On October 24, 1973, [redacted] MOUNTAIN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY, Denver, Colorado, located toll ticket for telephone call to Farmington Hills, Michigan, previously referred to. Call was made from Telephone #638-9952, which is a pay phone at WOODY'S TRUCK STOP, 406 Morrie Avenue, Cheyenne, Wyoming.

AT ROCK SPRINGS, WYOMING

Investigation at Rock Springs, Wyoming, revealed [redacted] Rock Springs, received telephone bill for month of August, 1973, which indicated on August 23, 1973, call was made to Farmington Hills, Michigan, # [redacted] amount of call $1.25. [redacted] telephone number is [redacted]

[redacted] advised she contacted the telephone company regarding the call and they advised the call had been made from her telephone and since there was no party line involved she would probably have to pay for the call. She stated she questioned the children at her residence, the oldest being a daughter, [redacted] Age [redacted] and none made call. She advised that her husband, [redacted] had been at home all day that date.

[redacted] stated she was aware of kidnaping of SUSAN JAEGER as she read about it in a Rock Springs newspaper.

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The following investigation was conducted by Special Agent [redacted] at Salt Lake City, Utah:

On November 6, 1973 [redacted] Dispatching Office, [redacted] Salt Lake City, advised he had been acquainted with [redacted] as this individual had been an employee at [redacted] for approximately two years during which time he was a truck driver generally driving between Rock Springs, Wyoming and Salt Lake City, Utah. According to [redacted] resigned during October 1973 to remain in his home area of Rock Springs. It was believed by [redacted] that [redacted] was going to work as a plumber.

[redacted] reviewed [redacted] records and determined that [redacted] was off duty on both September 23, 1973 and September 24, 1973. According to therecords he went off duty at Rock Springs, his home, and in so far as [redacted] was concerned was believed to have been in the Rock Springs area although there was no specific information relating to his activities during his days off. [redacted] left Rock Springs on the morning of September 26, 1973 driving a [redacted] truck and arrived in Salt Lake City at approximately 4:00 PM. The driving time from Rock Springs to Salt Lake City, according to [redacted] is approximately four hours.

According to [redacted] also had days off on June 23, 24 and 25, 1973. He arrived at Salt Lake City on a trip from Rock Springs to Salt Lake City at 2:00 PM on June 26, 1973 and was, therefore, believed to have left the Rock Springs area at approximately 10:00 AM that date.

On December 12, 1973, Captain [redacted] Salt Lake County Sheriff's Office, and [redacted] Intelligence Unit, Salt Lake City Police Department, advised the continue to be alert for any information which might come to their attention concerning the identity of the unknown subject in this matter. They had no specific suspects but advised should any information of suspects come to their attention they would insure the FBI was immediately notified.

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Captain [redacted] noted that the identity of the unknown Salt Lake City rapist still had not been determined and he further indicated he still had no additional information which would indicate the modus operandi of this unknown man was similar to the modus operandi utilized in the JAEGER kidnaping.

On November 6, 1973, Special Agent [redacted] advised Sheriff WILLIAM H. BOWMAN, Grand County Sheriff's Office, Moab, Utah, advised he had no suspect in the kidnaping of SUSAN MARIE JAEGER. He advised he would be alert for any such suspect and should he receive any information that might be of assistance he would be sure to immediately notify the FBI.

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AT ROCK SPRINGS, WYOMING

Investigation at Rock Springs, Wyoming, determined [redacted] has a 1968 GMC Pickup, bearing Wyoming License # [redacted] and also a 1972 Companion Camp Trailer, 20 feet in length, bearing Wyoming License # [redacted] The trailer was purchased August 2, 1972.

Arrest checks in Rock Springs area regarding [redacted] were negative; however, [redacted] declared an incorrigible in December 11, 1954, by the Sheriff's Office at Green River, Wyoming.

Further investigation revealed [redacted] to have filed for divorce on two previous occasions, the last time in October, 1970; however, on both occasions the divorce proceedings were dismissed.

Truck owned by [redacted] Wyoming License # [redacted] is black in color.

A check of banks, Rock Springs, Wyoming, has failed to develop a checking account in the name of [redacted] or [redacted] Rock Springs Credit Bureau, is presently trying to determine where the [redacted] bank and will so advise.

No information has been developed to establish [redacted] whereabouts during pertinent periods.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted]

On November 2, 1973, [redacted] Rocky Mountain Service Bureau, Incorporated, Rock Springs, Wyoming, advised that [redacted] and wife [redacted] had been in file since February, 1967. They reside at [redacted] since February, 1973. [redacted] has a date of birth of [redacted] and as of January, 1973, was a line driver for [redacted]

On November 9, 1973, records at the Sweetwater County Sheriff's Office, Green River, Wyoming, revealed that [redacted] Rock Springs, had been arrested by that department on December 11, 1954 as being incorrigible. He was given two years probation. He had date of birth of [redacted] and place of birth at [redacted] Wyoming. His record contained no further information.

On November 9, 1973, records at the Sweetwater County Treasurer's Office, Green River, Wyoming, indicate that [redacted] Rock Springs, have the following vehicles listed:

1972 Companion Camp Trailer
Vehicle Identification Number [redacted]
Purchased August 2, 1972
Wyoming License [redacted]

1968 GMC Pickup Truck
Vehicle Identification Number (VIN) [redacted]
Purchased February 20, 1968
Wyoming License [redacted]

1973 Suzuki Motorcycle
VIN [redacted]
Purchased August 24, 1973
Wyoming License [redacted]

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1973 Suzuki Motorcycle
VIN [redacted]
Purchased August 24, 1973
Wyoming License [redacted]

1973 Suzuki Motorcycle
VIN [redacted]
Purchased August 24, 1973
Wyoming License [redacted]

On November 9, 1973, records at the Sweetwater County Clerk's Office, Green River, Wyoming, regarding Civil Action number [redacted] indicate that on [redacted], [redacted] plaintiff) and [redacted] (defendant) filed for divorce. The complaint was dismissed on May 10, 1971, with no action being taken. The complaint indicated that the couple were married on [redacted] at [redacted] Wyoming, and no children were born of the union. They had personal property consisting of a 1968 GMC Truck, 1969 Broadmore 12x64 Mobile Home, a Motorola stereo and colored TV, a two-wheel utility trailer, and miscellaneous camping equipment.

On November 9, 1973, [redacted] AFCO Finance Company, Rock Springs, Wyoming, advised that [redacted] and wife [redacted] have account number [redacted] with that company. The account is for household goods and was established in June, 1973. Payments on this account were made on July 17, 1973, August 22, 1973, and September 24, 1973, all by the use of money orders.

On November 12, 1973, [redacted] First Security Bank, Rock Springs, Wyoming, advised that [redacted] and [redacted] had an account at that bank ending in 1970. They have no current account.

On November 12, 1973, [redacted] North Side State Bank, Rock Springs, Wyoming, advised that the bank has no account in the name of [redacted]

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On November 12, 1973, [redacted] Rock Springs National Bank, Rock Springs, Wyoming, advised that that bank has an account with [redacted] and [redacted] This account was opened on November 8, 1973 and showed no previous account at any other bank. The account indicates that [redacted] is a self-employed plumber.

On November 12, 1973, [redacted] Rocky Mountain Service Bureau, Incorporated, Rock Springs, Wyoming, advised that their records show no banking facility used by [redacted] or [redacted] She stated that she would attempt to determine where the [redacted] do their banking.

On November 23, 1973, physical observation of the [redacted] residence at [redacted] Space number [redacted] revealed that the 1968 GMC pickup truck bearing Wyoming License [redacted] is black in color.

On November 29, 1973, records at the Wyoming State Penitentiary, Rawlins, Wyoming, were reviewed regarding [redacted] and [redacted] and the following information obtained:

Name	[redacted]
Wyoming State Penitentiary Number	[redacted]
FBI Number	[redacted]
Sentenced	[redacted] from Natrona County for Breaking and Entering to 12 to 18 months
Discharged	[redacted]
Date of birth	[redacted]
Place of birth	[redacted] Wyoming
Race	White
Sex	Male
Nationality	American
Height	[redacted]
Weight	[redacted] pounds

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Hair
Social Security
Account Number
Education

Ex-wife

Wyoming
Divorced
Married
One

Wife

Wyoming

Sister

Wyoming

Sister

Wyoming

Parents

Wyoming

Brother

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Name	[redacted]
Wyoming State Penitentiary Number	[redacted]
FBI Number	[redacted]
Received	[redacted] Natrona County Breaking and Entering 2 to 4 years
Discharged	[redacted]
Social Security Account Number	[redacted]
Date of birth	[redacted]
Place of birth	[redacted] Wyoming
Race	White
Sex	Male
Nationality	American
Height	[redacted]
Weight	[redacted] pounds
Build	[redacted]
Hair	[redacted]
Eyes	[redacted]
Education	12 grades
Address	[redacted] Wyoming
Father	[redacted] Wyoming
Mother	[redacted]
Brothers	[redacted] Wyoming
Sister	[redacted] Wyoming
Scars and marks	Tattoos: [redacted]

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Friend [redacted]
[redacted] Wyoming

Friend [redacted]
[redacted] Wyoming

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[redacted] Lot Number [redacted] Rock Springs, Wyoming, was advised of the identity of the interviewing Agents and that Agents wished to discuss with him any knowledge he may have regarding the disappearance of SUSAN MARIE JAEGER on June 25, 1973:

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[redacted] advised that his wife, [redacted] had advised him in October, 1973, about the FBI interviewing her regarding a telephone call made from this telephone, [redacted] to the home of the JAEGERs in Farmington, Michigan. He had been of the opinion that this call had to be made from their telephone since it is a private line and was a dial direct call. He thought that one of the children must have made this call. There are three children in the house, all his wife's children from a previous marriage, [redacted] age [redacted]; [redacted] age [redacted]; and [redacted] age [redacted]

[redacted] had gathered all the children together and had advised them of the FBI visit regarding the telephone call. The youngest son, [redacted] had thereafter advised that he had read an article in the Rock Springs newspaper about the kidnaping of the JAEGER girl. The article had listed a number to call if anyone had any information about the girl. [redacted] had called this number just because he said he was "curious". [redacted] had told him that a "lady" had answered after which [redacted] said nothing and hung up the telephone. He stated that his son had no other reason for calling other than just being "curious".

[redacted] stated that his family currently has a camp trailer which he pulls with a 1968 GMC black pickup truck. His family has not used the camp trailer at all this summer. The last time he was in Montana was approximately 1963 when he and his wife visited her [redacted] who works in a bank in Butte, Montana. His wife also has a [redacted] who lives in Hamilton, Montana.

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by SA [redacted] and SA (JEB:jeb) Date dictated 12/13/73

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[redacted] stated that he was previously employed by [redacted] Truck lines until October, 1973. He drove a run from Rock Springs to Salt Lake City and return. He has never made a run through Cheyenne, Wyoming, and does not know a place called Woody's Truck Stop in Cheyenne. He stated [redacted] trucks are serviced in Cheyenne at the Little American Truck Stop and this is where most [redacted] truckers stop.

[redacted] stated that on all his days off this summer, he was in Rock Springs, Wyoming. His family moved into this new trailer around the first of 1973 and all of his off time had been spent building a porch and fence in the back yard and in doing miscellaneous yard work. [redacted] said that he could not recall anyone who could verify his whereabouts but would check his bill payments and other records which may reflect his whereabouts. [redacted] stated that he had no checking account this summer and only opened one at the Rock Springs National Bank in November, 1973. All bills prior to November had been paid by money order.

[redacted] stated that he has heard nothing about the abduction of SUSIE JAEGER other than what he heard over the radio and what was in the newspaper. He could think of no one who would do such a thing.

The following descriptive information was obtained:

Name	
Address	[redacted]
	Rock Springs, Wyoming
Race	White
Sex	Male
Nationality	American
Date of birth	[redacted]
Place of birth	[redacted] Wyoming
Height	[redacted]
Weight	[redacted] pounds
Hair	[redacted]
Eyes	[redacted]
Social Security Account Number	[redacted]

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Employment [redacted]

Prior arrests Rock Springs as plumber
Once as juvenile by Sheriff's Office, Green River, Wyoming, Incorrigible

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[redacted] age [redacted] years, came to the Rock Springs, Wyoming Resident Agency, 132 C Street, with his mother, [redacted] was advised that Agents wished to talk to him about a telephone call which had been made from his parents' telephone, number [redacted] on August 23, 1973. He advised as follows: b6 b7C

On August 23, 1973, he had been working with his father in the yard. He had been upset with his father because he would not go camping stating that they were not going anywhere because he was going to do yard work. He had, in disgust, gone into the house. He read the Rock Springs newspaper and noticed an article in it about the kidnaped SUSIE JAEGER. The article had a number to call if you had any information. [redacted] stated that he had no information and does not know why he did it, but he called the number. The telephone rang once and a woman answered. He had immediately hung up the telephone, without saying anything.

[redacted] stated that he had not told his parents because he was scared that he could get into trouble for making the call. When he heard about the FBI asking questions about the call, he knew he was in trouble and his silence increased. He finally decided that he should tell about making the call.

[redacted] stated that he knew nothing about the JAEGER kidnaping other than what he read in the newspaper in August.

The following descriptive information was obtained from observation and interview:

Name	[redacted]
Race	White
Sex	Male
Height	[redacted]
Weight	[redacted] pounds
Hair	[redacted]
Eyes	
Date of birth	

Interviewed on 12/7/73 at Rock Springs, Wyoming File # DN 7-754

by SA [redacted] and SA (JEB:jeb) Date dictated 12/13/73

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Place of birth [redacted]
Occupation Student, Rock Springs
[redacted]
Works part-time at
[redacted]
Rock Springs

Social Security
Account Number [redacted]

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AT FARMINGTON HILLS, MICHIGAN

On December 31, 1973, a female identifying herself as [redacted] Douglas, Wyoming, telephonically contacted Victim's [redacted] Farmington Hills, advising that a white female is residing next to her [redacted] residence in Douglas, Wyoming, with a white female child about eight years old, who resembles Victim's photograph as it appears on SUSAN JAEGER Reward Fund posters.

[redacted] stated female child has dyed blond hair; however, brown roots are starting to appear. Woman with child stated she has adopted the eight-year-old girl, although [redacted] claims there is no male in family. Woman drives a gray 1963 Ford with Montana license.

[redacted] did not further identify her [redacted] or [redacted] residence.

The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted]

AT DOUGLAS, WYOMING

During the evening of December 31, 1973, attempts to contact [redacted] Douglas, Wyoming, met with negative results.

On that date, [redacted] Douglas, Wyoming, were contacted. [redacted] stated that he is the [redacted] of [redacted] He was shown a photograph of the captioned Victim and stated that the Victim did resemble somewhat the daughter of their next door neighbor. He believed it was this little girl, who his daughter had referred to in her information furnished the FBI, Detroit, Michigan, on that date.

As a result of additional investigation, it was determined that the daughter of [redacted] neighbor was at the residence of still another neighbor, who was caring for the little girl while her mother was not at their residence.

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At that time [redacted] Douglas, Wyoming, was contacted. [redacted] stated that she was caring for one [redacted] the daughter of a [redacted] Douglas, Wyoming.

[redacted] stated that [redacted] had been residing at the address in Douglas for approximately two months and living with one [redacted] an oil well driller. [redacted] said that she did not know [redacted] or [redacted] prior to their residing across the street from their residence. She said that she could offer no information regarding their past residences. She said that to the best of her knowledge, [redacted] was the only daughter of [redacted] and that she believes she was the adopted daughter of [redacted] She did identify an automobile in front of [redacted] residence as belonging to this individual. This car had 1973 Montana License #[redacted]

[redacted] summoned [redacted] and remained in the room during a brief interview. [redacted] is described as follows:

Race	White
Sex	Female
Age	Approximately 8
Hair	Blonde
Eyes	Blue
Height	Approximately 4'

[redacted] stated that prior to moving to Douglas, Wyoming, she had lived with her [redacted] in Brownsville, Texas, but did not say how long she had lived in that city.

Personal observation of [redacted] by the interviewing Agent determined that although there was some slight resemblance to the photograph of the captioned Victim, this little girl was definitely not identical to the Victim in this matter.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA

AT DOUGLAS, WYOMING

On January 11, 1974, Douglas, was interviewed. stated that prior to her marriage, she had used her maiden name of while living in the City of Douglas.

indicated that she was the mother of her adopted daughter, said that she was formerly married to an individual named and during this marriage had adopted the female child, whose natural name was indicated that the adoption was handled by Attorney Houston, Texas, and all necessary adoption papers are on file in the Office of the Court Clerk at Houston, Texas.

was again observed at that residence and her index fingers were inspected. On the basis of this observation, it was determined that was definitely not identifiable with SUSAN MARIE JAEGER, the Victim in this case.

AT FARMINGTON HILLS, MICHIGAN

Victim's Farmington Hills, advised on October 23, 1973, she could provide no connection between September 24, 1973, telephone call to JAEGER residence phone and Cheyenne, Wyoming, area. JAEGERs do not know family from Cheyenne.

noted, however, Los Angeles clairvoyant, who has periodically provided information regarding this matter in past, previously mentioned connection between Unknown Subject and a "carpenter". She noted there is a town Carpenter, Wyoming, approximately 25 miles southeast of Cheyenne. It is not known if the "carpenter" referred to by represents a place or an occupation.

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AT CHEYENNE, WYOMING

On December 19, 1973, Assistant U. S. Attorney [redacted] Cheyenne, was contacted regarding information furnished by a clairvoyant regarding a [redacted] and a town of Carpenter, Wyoming.

[redacted] stated that he is a resident of Carpenter, Wyoming, which is a small community east of Cheyenne and that he is acquainted with all the residents of the community. [redacted] stated no one by the name of [redacted] resides in the community, and he is unaware of anyone by that name residing in Carpenter previously. Investigation in the Denver Division regarding other leads is still being conducted.

AT FARMINGTON HILLS, MICHIGAN

On January 3, 1974, [redacted] Victim's [redacted] furnished the following by letter:

[redacted] Branch 4570, National Association of Letter Carriers, Farmington, Michigan, has forwarded this letter to the National Association of Letter Carriers to publish article in the January 10, 1974, edition of the monthly publication "Postal Record" distributed to all National Association of Letter Carriers members.

FARMINGTON, MICHIGAN
BRANCH 457 N.A.L.C.

Subject: Article for the Postal Record

A PLEA TO ALL LETTER CARRIERS

On June 25, 1973, seven year old Susan Jaeger of Farmington, disappeared mysteriously from a Montana campsite. She appeared to be kidnapped, as a hole was found slashed in her tent which she shared with her sister and two brothers.

On December 14, 1973, the "Susan Jaeger Reward Committee" brought into the Farmington Post Office 200 packages of posters to be sent to sheriff departments of Colorado, Montana, North Dakota, South Dakota, Wyoming and also to TV stations and local newspapers in that area. The committee was shocked to learn that the postage fee for those flyers amounted to over $100.00. When the committee returned the next day to make payment on the postal bill, they were overjoyed to learn that postal employees of the Farmington office had taken up a collection to cover the entire fee.

The following is an excerpt of a letter from Susan's parents to the Governors of every state in the nation:

"On June 25, during the night, our seven year old daughter was kidnapped from our tent at Headwater State Park, Montana. For six months, the F.B.I. and many other police agencies have worked diligently to locate her, but thus far without success. If this had been the typical assault-murder type of case, we and the F.B.I. feel that her body would have been found nearby. But the many thorough searches utilizing manpower, horses, dogs, cycles, four-wheel drives, boats and planes have not turned up one shred of evidence to indicate she is anywhere in the area. So the feeling is that she was taken away and she could still be alive.

To further enhance this, a ransom call we received through a Montana resident on July 3, is in evidence. Positive identification of Susie was made, the amount of money wanted, and a location in another state for the money drop was given, but no time or date was stated. No further directions have been received, even though we made a public appeal one week later, in the area, stating we had the money and were ready to negotiate.

Because of the pressure from many F.B.I. investigations in both states and the long time lapse, it is entirely possible that she could have been taken to any other state in the nation. We feel that our best hope lies in keeping the case in front of the public, to insure their interest in every child of Susie's general description. However, we are at the mercy of newspaper editors and television station mamagers. Although the information

concerning Susie has long been available on teletype, many medias do not consider it sufficiently newsworthy for their area to mention. The F.B.I. is doing everything it possibly can, but we need the help of people everywhere to find our daughter, especially since there is much chance that she is alive as not."

Please Letter Carriers, if you have, or know of anyone who has information of Susan Jaeger's whereabouts, please contact Mr. and Mrs. William Jaeger, 29836 Hemlock, Farmington, Michigan 48024, phone: 1-313-476-1080. If you wish to remain anonymous, please contact the Detroit News' "Secret Witness" program at 1-313-222-7549. The "Secret Witness" program is offering $3000.00 reward and the Susan Jaeger "Reward Fund" is offering $14,000.00 reward for information leading to her safe return or conviction of her kidnapper(s).

Susan's description: 7 years old, shoulder length dark-brown hair, blue eyes, medium build, 55 lbs., 4 ft. tall.

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Dear Editor,

Enclosed is a picture of Susan Jaeger, the subject of my article for "Branch Items of Interest". If possible, please return it to:

[redacted]
Branch 4570 NALC
c/o Farmington Post Office
Farmington, Michigan 48024

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I would be very grateful if you could print this picture next to my article. Thank you.

[redacted] Scribe
Farmington, Michigan

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AT FARMINGTON HILLS, MICHIGAN

[redacted] Victim's [redacted], advised on December 14, 1973, that SUSAN JAEGER Reward Fund, Incorporated, a private non-profit organization set up by Victim's parents and concerned friends and donors and whose administrator is [redacted] Attorney, Farmington Hills, Michigan, is on December 14, 1973, offering a $14,000.00 cash reward for information leading to the conviction of Unknown Subject.

On December 14, 1973, the Reward Fund, Incorporated mailed posters setting forth information of reward offer and brief facts concerning kidnaping, including photograph of Victim to major newspapers, radio and television stations in Colorado, Montana, North Dakota, South Dakota and Wyoming with a request to publicize reward offer through respective media. Posters were also mailed to all county sheriffs' offices in Montana and Wyoming and numerous sheriffs' departments in South Dakota, North Dakota and Colorado requesting distribution in logical places.

Posters reflect information to be provided by mail to SUSAN JAEGER Reward Fund, Incorporated, Post Office Box 1973, Farmington Hills, Michigan, 48024, or via telephone to [redacted] (parents' phone) with provider using six digit number of his choosing as his identity.

All leads or tips received through above efforts will be turned over to the FBI, Detroit, for appropriate handling.

[redacted] advised that these posters will be sent to the sheriffs' departments of the following counties in the states indicated:

MONTANA

All counties

WYOMING

All counties

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COLORADO

Moffat
Routt
Jackson
Grand
Larimer
Boulder
Weld
Morgan
Logan
Sedgwick

DENVER

Phillips
Yuma
Washington
Adams
Arapahoe
Jefferson
Gilpin
Clear Creek
Summit
Eagle

COLORADO

Douglas
Park
Elbert
Lincoln
Kit Carson
El Paso
Teller
Lake
Pitkin
Garfield
Rio Blanco

SOUTH DAKOTA

Harding
Perkins
Butte
Lawrence
Meade
Pennington
Custer
Fall River
Shannon
Corson
Ziebach
Dewey
Stanley
Haakon
Jones
Jackson
Washabaugh
Bennett
Todd
Mellette

NORTH DAKOTA

Grand Forks
Trail
Steele
Nelson
Walsh
Pembina
Cavalier
Griggs
Ramsey
Divide
Williams
McKenzie
Golden Valley
Billings
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[redacted], Farmington Hills, Michigan, along with the list setting forth counties to which the poster was to be distributed, furnished a copy of the poster:

$14,000.00
CASH REWARD
FOR INFORMATION LEADING TO THE SAFE RETURN



OF 7 YEAR OLD
SUSAN JAEGER
OF FARMINGTON, MI.
KIDNAPPED

FROM A TENT IN HEADWATERS STATE PARK IN MONTANA — OR THE CONVICTION OF THE PERSON RESPONSIBLE.

CONTACT THE SUSAN JAEGER REWARD FUND, P.O. BOX 1973, FARMINGTON, MICH. 48024 OR PHONE 1-313-476-1080.

PERSONS WITH INFORMATION MAY REMAIN ANONYMOUS BY USING A 6 DIGIT NUMBER OF THEIR CHOICE INSTEAD OF A NAME. KEEP A COPY OF THE NUMBER FOR PROOF OF IDENTIFICATION AT TIME OF PAYMENT

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The following letter was also sent by the SUSAN JAEGER Reward Fund, Inc. to radio and television stations and newspapers, along with the foregoing poster:

sent to newspapers with poster

Susan Jaeger Reward Fund, Inc.
P. O. Box 1973
Farmington, Michigan 48024

Dear Friend,

It has been almost 6 months since the kidnapping of seven-year-old Susan Jaeger from Headwaters State Park in Montana. ~~$12,000~~ 14000. has been collected in an attempt to produce a concrete lead.

Would you please help the Jaeger Family by printing the enclosed poster in your publication.

Your assistance in publicizing this is deeply appreciated.

Very truly yours,
SUSAN JAEGER REWARD FUND, INC.

Encl.

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Sent to TV & radio stations with poster

Susan Jaeger Reward Fund, Inc.
P. O. Box 1973
Farmington, Michigan 48024

Dear Friend,

It has been almost 6 months since the kidnapping of seven-year-old Susan Jaeger from Headwaters State Park in Montana. ~~$12,000.00~~ $14,000.00 has been collected in an attempt to produce a concrete lead.

Would you please help the Jaeger Family by broadcasting the information on the enclosed poster.

Your assistance in publicizing this is deeply appreciated.

Very truly yours,
SUSAN JAEGER REWARD FUND, INC.

Encl.

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AT FARMINGTON HILLS, MICHIGAN

[redacted] Victim's [redacted] telephonically advised as follows on October 25, 1973:

MABEL SCHISCOP, 147 Prospect Street, Telephone #313-335-3234, Pontiac, Michigan, desires to be interviewed Monday, October 29, 1973, regarding information concerning person or persons from Sidney, Montana, concerning the kidnaping of SUSAN JAEGER.

AT PONTIAC, MICHIGAN

On October 29, 1973, Mrs. MABEL SHIRCHOP, Age 76, 147 Prospect, Pontiac, Telephone #335-3234, advised that between the ages of nine and twelve (1906-1909) she resided with foster parents, CHARLES and LOTTIE LOVERING, Girard, Montana. At that time, a JOHNNY CORKRAN, white male, slightly older than Mrs. SHIRCHOP also resided with the LOVERINGs. She advised that at that time, CORKRAN on several occasions took indecent liberties with her, which have caused a great impression on her mind.

She advised she has not returned to reside in Montana since 1909 and had kept a loose correspondence with friends in the area up until 1954. She advised that CORKRAN during the 1920s had married a [redacted] and had two boys, names unknown, and as of 1954, were residing in Sidney, Montana. In 1954, [redacted] operated a supermarket and the other was in the service.

Mrs. SHIRCHOP stated she felt that inasmuch as JOHNNY CORKRAN had taken indecent liberties with her that there was a possibility that CORKRAN's [redacted] may also have tendencies in that regard. She advised that she possesses no knowledge concerning any connection between the kidnaping of SUSAN JAEGER and the CORKRAN family.

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AT FARMINGTON HILLS, MICHIGAN

On January 11, 1974, Victim's [redacted] Farmington Hills, Telephone #[redacted] advised on December 27, 1973, a female, possibly Negro, identifying herself as [redacted], Kansas City, Missouri, telephonically contacted the JAEGER residence stating she had two friends, one white, one Negro, who through prayer and fasting could locate Victim. [redacted] requested if these two persons provided information leading to the recovery of Victim that the $14,000.00 reward offered by SUSAN JAEGER Reward Fund, Incorporated be provided to [redacted]

On January 11, 1974, certified air mail letter was received by [redacted] from [redacted] with return address, [redacted] Kansas City, Missouri, stating Victim was still alive. [redacted] and unidentified friend will be able to determine Victim's whereabouts. The unidentified friend requested $100.00 fee for spiritual services and [redacted] requested JAEGERs to forward $100.00, which would be returned by [redacted] when $14,000.00 reward fund money provided to [redacted] after recovery of Victim.

[redacted] in letter requested her identity not be revealed outside Victim's family. [redacted] advised she has no objection to Bureau Agents contacting [redacted]

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[redacted] Kansas City, Missouri, unlisted telephone number [redacted] was contacted at her residence and advised as follows:

[redacted] stated that she saw an article in the Kansas City newspaper at Christmas time requesting prayers for SUSAN JAEGER's return. [redacted] stated she then called information and obtained the telephone number of [redacted] in Farmington Hills, Michigan. [redacted] called [redacted] and later wrote her a letter.

[redacted] stated that through her prayers and fasting she believes that she will find SUSAN JAEGER. She advised that she knows two individuals who also hold spiritual services for cases of this nature and she has contacted one of these men to pray for SUSAN. [redacted] produced a flier with the picture, name and address of [redacted] New Orleans, Louisiana 70117, which [redacted] advised she contacted. [redacted] stated [redacted] told her that it would cost $100 to handle this case.

[redacted] stated she does not know where SUSAN is but her prayers and fasting have always provided results in the past.

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by SA [redacted] and SA (GWW:mkm) Date dictated 1/22/74

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The Kansas City Office advised that [redacted] is a spiritual fanatic. Her friend in New Orleans is a spiritualist who charges people to hold spiritual services for their individual causes. [redacted] was told not to recontact the Victim's family in the future.

[redacted] has never been investigated by the Kansas City Office for fraud in the past.

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[redacted] also known as [redacted]

AT FARMINGTON HILLS, MICHIGAN

A telephone call was received at the JAEGER residence, Farmington Hills, Telephone #[redacted] the evening of January 21, 1974, from [redacted] San Coulee, Montana. [redacted] claims a [redacted] also known as [redacted] white female, chubby with short blond hair and masculine mannerisms, had been in Great Falls, Montana, during June-July, 1973, with a child resembling Victim. No further description obtained.

[redacted] claims [redacted] as of two weeks ago was working at gas station in Jonesville, Michigan. [redacted] requested FBI contact her and show her available photographs of Victim.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted]

AT BUTTE, MONTANA

On November 21, 1973, [redacted] informed she is the daughter of [redacted] and is the individual who made the telephone call from her home to the JAEGER residence in Michigan on August 24, 1973.

She had just returned from a camping trip and having been out, like the JAEGERs were, felt very sorry for the family and decided to call and tell them so. She made the call and when someone at the JAEGER home answered, she does not know who, she immediately hung up as she then felt very foolish.

Her father saw the call on the telephone bill and was very put out so she informed him a girl friend of hers had made the call.

She has no information at all about any suspects and could furnish no information concerning the actual kidnaping.

Her father is a [redacted] for the [redacted] in Butte. She is very sorry if she has caused any trouble and did not carry on any conversation with anyone at the JAEGER residence.

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AT FARMINGTON HILLS, MICHIGAN

[redacted] telephonically advised as follows November 4, 1973:

[redacted] presumably a clairvoyant from the Michigan area, address not known to [redacted] called [redacted] November 4, 1973. [redacted] advised as follows:

Victim held seven miles west of Three Forks, Montana, by lady named [redacted] or [redacted] and husband. This elderly couple never goes to town. [redacted] (LNU), a younger man, does all their shopping. [redacted] is friend of [redacted] who actually abducted Victim.

[redacted] is described as blond, tall, early [redacted] scar on [redacted] slow mentally and physically.

House where Victim located is on north side of road; there is a windmill on the property. The old barn is about to fall down. Railroad track or roadbed is abandoned. House is single story, ladder-type front steps, no electricity. German Shepard dog on chain alert to all persons coming to house, barks,aand Victim is hidden.

[redacted] has told people that SUSIE is to be hidden because authorities are trying to put her in a home. Police have previously been at house, wearing dark brown shirts and light-colored pants. (This does describe uniforms worn by Gallatin County, Montana, Sheriff.)

[redacted] presently in Wyoming working on ranch as cowboy. Name of town starts with White ---. (Post Office Directory for Wyoming lists no town starting with White or named White).

[redacted] (LNU) home every night at 5:00 p.m., after November 10, 1973. He is presently working longer hours. Dog at house is promptly fed at 5:15 p.m. each day.

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[redacted] drives old, small pickup truck, used to be blue, recently painted green; has board sides, but not covered. Pickup has green license with yellow letters, [redacted] Digit after [redacted] is not known. (Auto Theft Bulletin shows no state with green license and yellow letters).

[redacted] advised as follows on November 6, 1973:

[redacted] advised she does not wish [redacted] to be interviewed by Bureau Agents in that she feels trust she has placed in [redacted] would be damaged and in the event [redacted] could provide further positive information, would not.

Information provided by [redacted] to supplement information furnished previously, reflects [redacted] white male, [redacted] years of age, has mentality of teenager. [redacted] states [redacted] is working on [redacted] in Wyoming near a border. He drives vehicle with license plate that is green with yellow letters, which has insignia of bird on it, license number [redacted] (Unknown) [redacted] SUSIE is residing with [redacted] (Phonetic) and husband, who are "adoptive grandparents of [redacted]

[redacted] reside seven miles outside of Three Forks, Montana, across from [redacted] residence in old barn with old windmill next to foundation remains of a house. One mile down the road from [redacted] residence is a very sharp S curve and road crosses railroad tracks, which are not in use.

[redacted] states Police authorities have already been looking for Victim and have contacted persons at the [redacted] residence. [redacted] described uniforms worn by investigating authorities as idential to Gallatin County Sheriff's Office uniforms.

[redacted] claims [redacted] was born in [redacted] and deserted by family at age [redacted] in [redacted] came to Wyoming area to locate family. [redacted] claims [redacted] and [redacted] responsible for kidnaping and that [redacted] committed kidnaping because of resentment to his parents personified by JAEGER family.

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The following investigation was conducted between November 15 through November 18, 1973:

AT THREE FORKS, MONTANA

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[redacted] Deputy Sheriff, advised there are no abandoned railroad tracks and no ranch fitting description as described by [redacted] in the vicinity of Three Forks. All roads from Three Forks to a point twenty miles west, twenty miles northwest and twenty miles southwest were traversed without any place being noted as described above by [redacted]

During this investigation the following persons were contacted. Each advised they could not furnish any information pertaining to any of the places or persons described by [redacted]

[redacted]
Rural Route
West of Three Forks

[redacted]
Rural Route
West of Three Forks

[redacted]
Rural Route
West of Three Forks

[redacted]
Rural Route
West of Three Forks

[redacted]
Rural Route
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[redacted]
Rural Route
West of Three Forks

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Rural Route
West of Three Forks

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In addition, the following persons knowledgeable of the Three Forks area could not furnish information pertaining to a place or persons as described by [redacted]

[redacted]
Lifelong resident and owner of ranching property, West of Three Forks

[redacted]
Special Agent, FBI
West of Three Forks

[redacted]
Lifelong resident and owner of ranching property, West of Three Forks

[redacted]
Lifelong resident and owner of ranching property, West of Three Forks

[redacted]
Lifelong resident and owner of ranching property, West of Three Forks

EARL McLEES
Postmater
Three Forks

[redacted]
Montana Power Employee, who services all electrical lines in the area

[redacted]
Salesman of farm machines, farm products, servicing the area

[redacted] of the Victim, telephonically advised on November 18, 1973, she has had recontact with ESP practitioner, [redacted] who furnished information previously set forth.

She advised that [redacted] is actually a teacher in mental development in the [redacted] school system as such. In working in conjunction with other persons, all came up with the same information regarding [redacted] as previously set forth.

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The only point that was different was [redacted] stated that the name, Forks, was preceded by something else. She believed it to be Three Forks, in view of the fact she, the Victim, disappeared there; however, also as part of mental exercises there is a sign of Winnipeg.

[redacted] noted that Winnipeg is generally north of Grand Forks, North Dakota.



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The following investigation was conducted by Special Agent [redacted] Resident Agency, Grand Forks, North Dakota:

On December 18, 1973, EMMONS CHRISTOPHER, Sheriff, Grand Forks County, Grand Forks, North Dakota, advised he knows of no abandoned railroad tracks in the entire county of Grand Forks. He stated the names [redacted] or [redacted] and [redacted] are not familiar to him, and his office has no record under these names. It is noted that Grand Forks, North Dakota, is on the North Dakota - Minnesota border, and East Grand Forks, Minnesota, is adjacent to Grand Forks.

On December 18, 1973, JAMES CLAGUE, Chief of Police, Grand Forks, North Dakota, advised he knows of no abandoned railroad tracks in this area, and especially approximately seven miles west of Grand Forks, North Dakota, and the names [redacted] or [redacted] and [redacted] are not familiar to him. A check of the records of the Grand Forks Police Department as to these names was negative. [redacted] inquired of the local railroad detective and was informed there is a recently abandoned railroad track east of East Grand Forks, Minnesota.

On December 18, 1973, [redacted] Deputy Sheriff, Polk County, East Grand Forks, Minnesota, was advised of descriptive information as furnished by ESP practitioner, [redacted] He stated he would be on the lookout for any place answering this description.

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On December 18, 1973, JAMES CLAGUE, Chief of Police, Grand Forks, North Dakota, advised he had heard there is an abandoned railroad track just north of the Grand Forks Air Force Base, North Dakota, this base being located eighteen miles west of Grand Forks, North Dakota. On December 19, 1973, a check of this area revealed there is an abandoned spur line from Mekinock to the Grand Forks Air Force Base which is abandoned and this line is only about two miles in length. No farm as described could be located in this area.

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On January 4, 1974, [redacted] Deputy Sheriff, Polk County, East Grand Forks, Minnesota, advised while conducting investigation the previous day concerning a stolen snowmobile he had come upon a farm near Fisher, Minnesota, which had a striking resemblance to the farm as described by [redacted]

On January 4, 1974, [redacted] Farmer, was contacted at rural Fisher, Minnesota. It is noted he resides about one-half mile north of Fisher, Minnesota, along the Red Lake River. The approach to his farm is from East Grand Forks, Minnesota, approximately fifteen miles east on Highway 2. About one-half mile north of Fisher, a right turn is made over railroad tracks of the Great Northern railroad which runs from East Grand Forks through Fisher to Crookston, Minnesota, and beyond. On crossing the tracks there is a dump ground, then a farm on the south side of the road, then an S curve in the road, and the road dead ends at the farm of [redacted] about one-half mile off Highway 2. [redacted] farm has a windmill and beneath the windmill tower is a white frame building. There is no

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foundation sitting by itself. [redacted] advised he is single, has never been married, is fifty years of age, and he had lived there with his mother, deceased, and he lives alone. He stated that ISAAC TORKELSON, known as IKE, resides at the farm just east of his place near the dump grounds, and he is seventy-three years of age, approximately. ISAAC TORKELSON resides there with [redacted] working for her. Her husband is deceased. [redacted] advised he has never heard of [redacted] or [redacted] or [redacted] stated he has never been out of the State of Minnesota, and therefore has not been in North Dakota or Montana. He was shown a picture of the victim and he denied any knowledge of this kidnaping. [redacted] said he had no objection to a search of his home, and this search was made with negative results.

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On August 29, 1973, the Minneapolis Office furnished the following information:

Investigation, Minneapolis Division, reveals that Telephone # [redacted] does not exist in the State of Minnesota, Area Codes 507 and 612, or North Dakota, Area Code 701, or South Dakota, Area Code 605.

The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted] b6 b7C

AT GREAT FALLS, MONTANA

On October 15, 1973, a review of the MOUNTAIN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY Directory for Great Falls and North Central, Montana, which includes the community of Dutton, Montana, failed to reveal any listing of Telephone # [redacted]

Dialing of Telephone # [redacted] from Great Falls Resident Agency resulted in a recorded announcement stating that number was not in service.

The long distance operator was contacted for Telephone # [redacted] and she stated, after contacting another operator, that no such number is assigned at Dutton, Montana. The operator supervisor then came on the line and after SA [redacted] had identified himself she stated the only 476 exchange numbers assigned in this area are at Dutton, Montana. All private and business telephones are in the 3000 series of numbers and a few pay phones have 9000 series numbers. There are not at the present and, to her knowledge never were, any 1,000 series numbers assigned at Dutton, Montana, for the 476 exchange.

AT FARMINGTON HILLS, MICHIGAN

At 10:10 p.m., December 29, 1973, [redacted] Greeley, Colorado, Telephone # [redacted] telephonically contacted JAEGER family, Farmington Hills, Michigan, advising during morning hours, December 29, 1973, he observed 1970 or 1971 gray Oldsmobile Sedan, black vinyl top, bearing Minnesota license

plates parked in a lot next to his gas station with white female adult and female child, who apparently had slept in vehicle overnight. [redacted] stated child "looked identical" to Victim and "was positive" it was based on poster and news media photographs of Victim.

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AT GREELEY, COLORADO

On December 31, 1973, [redacted] Evans, Colorado, [redacted] of the FILL-EM-FAST SERVICE STATION, Greeley, Home Telephone # [redacted] Business Telephone # [redacted] advised that on the morning of December 29, 1973, when he came to work, a silver gray Oldsmobile, late model, unknown Minnesota license, was parked at his station. It appeared the car had been there for sometime since tire tracks had been covered by snowstorm.

A white woman described as follows was the driver:

Age	55-60
Height	5'4" - 5'5"
Build	Overweight
Dress	Wearing black stretch pants, red and green checkered shirt with grayish blue outer jacket

A child, six or seven years old with blond stringy hair, small thin face with several teeth missing, possibly the top two fang teeth, was lying asleep on the back seat of the car.

While helping the older woman start the automobile and filling the car with gas, the child awoke, pushed up from the seat and looked at him and yelled. The child was asleep in the back seat and looked at him and yelled. Child was asleep in the back seat wrapped in several blankets, along with numerous items of clothing and he, therefore, saw nothing but her face and never saw her hands or feet and, therefore, could not guess at the size or weight of the child.

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The child did not appear frightened, did not talk to him and was not crying or complaining. The older woman did not attempt to hide the child and did not act nervously at any time. The woman made all of her purchases at his service station in cash.

[redacted] advised on the evening of December 29, 1973, he was in a Denver liquor store when he saw a photograph poster of Victim. He advised that poster of Victim looked very similar to child he saw in the late model Oldsmobile, since both had small thin faces, long bondish hair and appeared to be about the same age.

He further advised that the older woman talked freely, advising that she was on her way to Denver for an unknown appointment and that she was extremely late. He stated he had never seen the older woman or child before and if he sees them again, he will immediately notify the FBI and local authorities.

On December 31, 1973, Sergeant [redacted] Greeley Police Department, advised a review of all officers' logs for December 29, 1973, revealed no NCIC or CCIC checks for Minnesota license plates. [redacted] presently in the process of contacting all officers personally in efforts to determine if anyone saw the late model Oldsmobile parked at the FILL-EM-FAST SERVICE STATION during the early hours of December 29, 1973. [redacted] will advise of all positive information to FBI, Fort Collins Resident Agency.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted] b6 b7C

AT HELENA, MONTANA

On November 1, 1973, HELENA, MONT [redacted] a resident of [redacted] appeared at the FBI Resident Agency at which time he stated that he can clearly recall the week end of June 24, 1973, because on that day and the preceding day he participated in an invitational trap shoot meet at the Helena Gun Club, which concluded late on the afternoon of June 24, 1973, at which time he was awarded a couple of trophies for high scores. He and several other shooters celebrated late that evening and that night he spent at home with his wife and child. The next morning he went to work at a construction site located at the corner of [redacted] in Helena, where he is putting up a speculation house by himself. He was building footers for the basement on that date. He said the first he knew of the kidnaping in this case was either when he heard it on the radio that date or read it in the newspaper that evening.

[redacted] stated that he has not owned an airplane in the last two years, as he gave up flying when he could not make a living at it and turned to working in the construction trade. He said he is rather well acquainted with this area of Montana, including Three Forks, Montana, but he was not in that area on June 24 or 25, 1973, and has in no way been connected with this kidnaping.

[redacted] was interviewed at her residence, [redacted] on this same date and advised that her [redacted] spent the night of June 24, 1973, with her at their residence and remained there all night long until he arose for work early the next morning around 6:30 a.m.

She clearly remembers the day that the young JAEGER girl was kidnaped, because she, herself, has a small daughter and the disappearance of the JAEGER child bothered her very much, because of her feelings toward her own daughter. She recalled that her [redacted] had been in Helena that week end, Saturday and Sunday, as he participated on both days in a trap shoot at the local gun club and won a couple of trophies in the events. She recalled they both remained at home that Sunday night and were there all night long until Monday morning.

She said her [redacted] has more or less given up flying in the last few years and has not owned an airplane in that time.

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[redacted] advised that she had no thoughts on possible suspects in this matter and could furnish no positive information.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted] b6 b7C

AT PORTLAND, OREGON

On September 12, 1973, [redacted] Records, Portland Police Department advised the most recent record for [redacted] was his arrest on April 15, 1973, for second degree trespassing. The disposition of this case can be obtained from the Multnomah County District Court, District Attorney's File Number [redacted] The most recent address for [redacted] is [redacted] Portland, Oregon.

On September 12, 1973, an attempt to locate [redacted] at [redacted] was negative. No one was at home and the residence appeared vacated.

On September 12, 1973, [redacted] Deputy Clerk, Multnomah County District Court, advised [redacted] pleaded guilty to the charge of Second Degree Trespassing on April 25, 1973, and paid a $30 fine. He listed his employment as [redacted] Clackamas, Oregon.

On September 18, 1973, [redacted] advised [redacted] is currently employed by that company, however, he has been off the last few days due to illness. His current residence is [redacted] Portland, Oregon.

On September 21, 1973, [redacted] advised her [redacted] was at the doctor's office. [redacted] stated she and her [redacted] obtained the 1964 Dodge from [redacted] They traded this vehicle in on a 1967 Oldsmobile at the beginning of December, 1972, at B & B Value Corral Auto Sales, 14444 S.E. Mc Loughlin, Milwaukie, Oregon.

AT MILWAUKIE, OREGON

On September 21, 1973, [redacted] B & B Value Corral, 14444 S.E. Mc Loughlin, advised he recalls receiving the 1964 Dodge two-door sedan in on

trade for a 1967 Oldsmobile in December, 1972. He sold the 1964 Dodge shortly thereafter, however, he is unable to recall the name of the purchaser. He reviewed his files, however, he was unable to locate a record of the transaction. He stated he would have to check further and would notify the FBI.

On September 28, 1973, [redacted] stated he sold the 1964 Dodge Dart, brown in color, bearing Oregon License [redacted] and Vehicle Identification Number [redacted] to [redacted] Molalla, Oregon.

AT MOLALLA, OREGON

On October 4, 1973, [redacted] advised he traded the 1964 Dodge Dart for a 1958 Ford Ranchero in March or April, 1973. The transaction occurred at a car lot in Eugene, Oregon, and after viewing the telephone directories was able to determine the car dealer was Budget Auto Sales, 1841 Main Street, Springfield, Oregon, telephone 747-3115. The 1958 Ford Ranchero which he purchased was green with white trim and red primer paint. [redacted] believes the 1964 Dodge was sold shortly after he traded it in at Budget Auto Sales, because he checked there a few days after the transaction and was unable to locate it.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted] b6 b7C

AT CLACKAMAS, OREGON

On November 7, 1973, [redacted] advised a review of his personnel records show that [redacted] was working on June 25, 1973, and September 24, 1973. The records show that he was on vacation on July 2, 1973.

On November 14, 1973, [redacted] Portland, Oregon, employed at [redacted] was interviewed at his place of employment and advised that he was working on June 25 and September 24, 1973. He stated he was vacationing at Beverly Beach, Oregon, from June 29 to July 7, 1973. He was accompanied by his wife and children and his mother and father.

He confirmed what had been learned earlier regarding the sale of his 1964 Dodge Dart. The last he recalls of this vehicle was when he traded it to B&B Value Corral Auto Sales in Milwaukie, Oregon, in December, 1972. He further advised he has never been to Cheyenne, Wyoming, and the only time he has visited the State of Montana was approximately six years ago when he and a friend of his had just graduated from high school and spent six days in Anaconda, Montana, seeking employment. They were unable to find employment and returned to Portland.

The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted]

AT SPRINGFIELD, OREGON

On November 21, 1973, [redacted] Budget Auto Sales, 1841 Main Street, advised the 1964 Dodge Dart, bearing Oregon license [redacted] and Vehicle Identification Number [redacted] was sold on January 30, 1973, to [redacted] This car was financed by Budget Auto Sales and shortly after [redacted] purchased the vehicle, he began missing payments. They have attempted to locate [redacted] with negative results.

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The files concerning this vehicle have either been misfiled or possibly disposed of because of the problems that Budget Auto Sales has had regarding this vehicle. [redacted] stated he would have to check further and consult with his employees in an attempt to locate the file.

Several months ago [redacted] received a telephone call from a Police Department in Montana who advised they had located the car abandoned. [redacted] advised them to sell the car at auction and he has written the car off as a tax loss. He recalled that at the time [redacted] purchased the vehicle, he was residing at [redacted] Springfield, Oregon.

On November 21, 1973, [redacted] advised they have resided at the apartment complex since August, 1973, however, they could provide no information regarding [redacted]

On November 21, 1973, [redacted] advised she has resided there since June, 1973, and she could provide no information regarding [redacted]

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The following investigation was conducted by SA

AT MILES CITY, MONTANA

After considerable unsuccessful attempts were made to contact in Miles City, Montana, was contacted by SA on November 12, 1973, at her residence of

She advised that she is the wife of and she stated that she is the aunt of one She stated that did, in fact, stay at the residence in Miles City, Montana, for a period of time during the summer of 1973 and more particularly during the latter part of June, 1973. She advised that she has no records or any other exact way from which a determination could be made as to exact dates that was at the residence in Miles City; however, she did advise that she was certain that he was there on the 24th of June, 1973, since she stated that he left about two weeks thereafter and has not been seen since.

She stated that came to Miles City from somewhere in Kansas, where he had been working with a circus.

She advised that she knew of mental condition and the fact that he had had problems with some sort of mental illness in the past. She suggested that further verification of previous activities, as well as his activities subsequent to leaving the residence in Miles City, Montana, could be obtained through an interview with in Bozeman, Montana, should further information be necessary.

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The following is background information in relation to suspect [redacted]

On the evening of October 3, 1973, suspect attempted to entice five young girls, pre-teenage, into his automobile near the bowling alley in Ronan, Montana. The girls complained to the Chief of Police and he then brought suspect into the Police Station and began questioning him about the incident at the bowling alley. The Chief advised that the suspect had been living in his automobile for approximately three weeks.

After talking to the suspect for approximately four hours, the suspect told the Chief that he had abducted the missing girls from Marion, Montana, and had raped them, stabbed one in the stomach and the other in the head, severed their bodies with his hatchet, which has been obtained, and forwarded to the FBI Laboratory, ate their fingers and then dug a shallow grave with the hatchet, buried the girls and then covered the grave with brush. Suspect stated he would show the officers the grave site. b6 b7C

On the morning of October 4, 1973, suspect took officers to the Marion, Montana, area without directions and for a period of fourteen hours attempted to locate the site. Suspect at one point during the search stated he would not show the officers the site as he would "take his chances." Suspect later stated he did not recall where he buried the bodies as there were too many roads and too many trees to remember the place.

Suspect was taken to the residence of [redacted] of JESSICA, and told him the same story he told the Chief of Police at Ronan, Montana. Suspect attempted to take the [redacted] and officers to the site; however, he could not recall it.

Suspect later advised he did not commit the crime and stated he was working in a feed lot in his hometown of Columbus, Montana. The feed lot was unable to verify his

whereabouts, as he was not working on July 29-30-31, 1973, due to rain. The feed lot does not keep payroll records, but instead kept track of time on a calendar and when payment was made and the month was ended, the calendar was destroyed.

Suspect was admitted to the State Hospital, Warm Springs, Montana, on October 6, 1973. At the outset of the commitment, the doctors felt that the bizarre story relates to a past occurrence or that he is about to commit the acts. The doctors felt he was a "walking bomb."

Later interviews by the doctors revealed the suspect stated he was innocent. The doctors in the hospital refused to administer any type of truth serum to the suspect as they felt there was a legal question. The District Court Judge, along with the County Attorney in Kalispell, Montana, went to Warm Springs, Montana, to confer with the head of the hospital and [redacted] and failed to convince them that the only interest in the truth drug was to locate the two girls and no prosecution would be taken against the suspect, and he would be committed on an involuntary commitment, not go to trial. b6 b7C

AT WARM SPRINGS, MONTANA

[redacted] was interviewed at the State Hospital, Warm Springs. He denied implication regarding KAREN TYLER and JESSIA WESTPHAL's disappearance. Psychologist stated suspect's bizarre story relates to past occurrence or he is about to commit the acts. Doctor advised suspect to be given sodium amytal week of October 15, 1973.

Employer, [redacted] Columbus, Montana, advised he has no records of employment that can be verified for suspect as records are kept on calendar and when month is ended record is destroyed; however, employer does recall suspect did not work 29th and 30th of July, 1973, due to rain.

On October 17, 1973, [redacted] Montana State Hospital, Warm Springs, advised as follows:

Since last contacted, he has had additional interviews with [redacted] and he has continued to contend his innocence. It has not been possible to date to utilize sodium amatol in relation to the suspect. He indicated this would be done about the middle of next week.

It is his observation that [redacted] is a complete psychotic, who is living in a world of fantasy, which has become an organic thing. He has denied the use of drugs or excessive use of alcohol, which might have produced this condition, and there is not an indication these are the cause.

There are a few moments when [redacted] can be considered as "normal" and his prognosis concerning the future is "negative," in that there will be no improvement.

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He had previously indicated if this man is turned loose, he could very definitely be a menace to society.

(On the previous interview, [redacted] and [redacted] the head of the Institution, decried the fact this man might ever be turned loose.)

[redacted] will be recontacted at a later date at his request. It is noted that during the future examination of [redacted] will pursue questions in relation to the JAEGER girl.

On December 13, 1973, pursuant to a consent signed by [redacted] and [redacted] Deputy Sheriff, Gallatin County, Montana, furnished the following report of a polygraph examination and a list of the questions submitted:

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Evaluation of the polygrams resulting from this examination failed to reveal to this Examiner significant criteria that would indicate deception on the part of this subject's statements.

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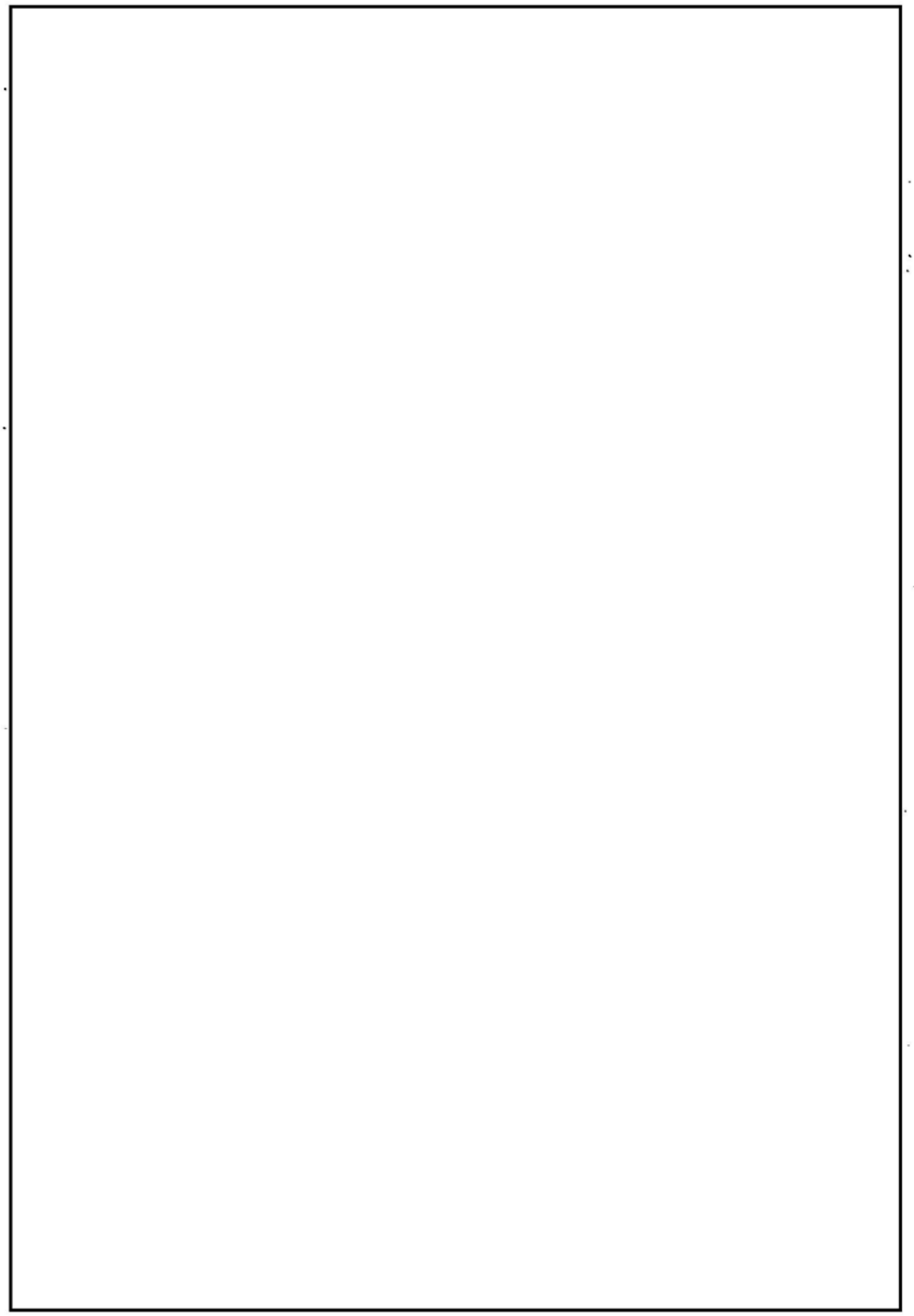
List of questions and responses

This will be a list of relevant questions regarding this incident:



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AT WARM SPRINGS, MONTANA

Pursuant to signed waiver by himself and his parents and with the consent of his attorney, [redacted] of Columbus, Montana, [redacted] received sodium amatol December 10, 1973, at Warm Springs, Montana, State Hospital. He was interviewed for one and one-half hours and knew nothing regarding missing girls at Marion, Montana, or SUSAN JAEGER from Three Forks, Montana. [redacted] stated that he was scared into confession by Chief of Police at Ronan, Montana. [redacted] knew he needed mental help and felt that by admitting to this, since the Chief of Police was forcing him, he could get his mental help.

[redacted] Psychiatrist, who administered sodium amatol treatment, of firm opinion that [redacted] was not responsible for captioned case of for the abduction and killing of KAREN TYLER and JESSICA WESTPHAL.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA BYRON H. DUNBAR:

AT BELGRADE, MONTANA

On September 6, 1973, [redacted] GALLATIN HOMES MANUFACTURER, In charge of personnel records, advised that a review of these records indicates that [redacted] has not been employed by the GALLATIN HOMES MANUFACTURER.

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Anonymous phone call received Gallatin County Sheriff's Office October 11, 1973, from a person identifying himself as neighbor as follows:

[redacted] Bozeman, Montana, now in [redacted] was home on leave when SUSAN JAEGER was taken "supposedly very strange."

Records, Gallatin County Sheriff's Office, Bozeman and Bozeman Police Department contain no record pertaining to [redacted] Bozeman.

Records of the Gallatin County Credit Bureau, Bozeman, as furnished by Clerk [redacted] contained notation that [redacted] is employed by [redacted]; no other.

[redacted] Bozeman, advised as follows November 7, 1973:

He is the [redacted] of [redacted] His [redacted] arrived in Bozeman, Montana, at 5:00 p.m., June 22, 1973, to visit him, [redacted] who was then hospitalized. He remained in Bozeman from June 22 to July 1, 1973, when he departed to return to the [redacted] Travel coming and going was via NORTHWEST AIRLINES.

[redacted] advised that during the time his [redacted] was in Bozeman he visited him at the hospital each and every day and that he did not have transportation to travel to Three Forks, Montana, spent each and every night at the family home and definitely could not have been responsible for captioned case.

As the matter received a great amount of publicity he and his [redacted] would discuss the case and as all others were of the opinion they would like to help if they knew what to do. He advised his [redacted] is presently assigned to the [redacted] presently in [redacted]

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On October 5, 1973, Sergeant [redacted] Los Angeles Sheriff's Office, Malibu Station, advised that [redacted] FBI # [redacted] was first arrested by the Santa Monica, California, Police Department for theft on August 16, 1949. He has been arrested on several occasions since that time including an arrest for burglary and rape by force by the Los Angeles Sheriff's Office on September 16, 1960. He was discharged from the Atascadero State Hospital (mental) on March 31, 1961. On March 29, 1972, he was arrested by the Los Angeles Police Department for assault with intent to commit murder. In connection with the arrest of March 29, 1972, a fugitive warrant was issued. This warrant was executed on August 25, 1973, at Redmond, Washington, by the King County Department of Public Safety.

SSAN [redacted] Sergeant [redacted] further advised that since [redacted] return to Los Angeles, a witness and the victim (age 12) of a two year old rape case have identified him as the subject. [redacted] said that in the incident involving the ten-year-old girl, [redacted] had the same Ford pickup truck (depicted in color photograph), but a different camper. She said in her investigation she is attempting to locate the camper he previously had on the truck, which he disposed of in September of 1972. She also mentioned that [redacted] 1971 Ford pickup is currently registered to [redacted] Los Angeles.

[redacted] further stated that [redacted] is a [redacted] his [redacted] resides at [redacted] California, Telephone # [redacted] and his [redacted] resides at [redacted] Los Angeles.

[redacted] stated that according to the King County Department of Public Safety, [redacted] had a [redacted] in Washington, Telephone # [redacted] who previously worked as a [redacted] had a friend in Las Vegas, [redacted] who is employed as a [redacted] at [redacted]

According to [redacted] advised the King County Department of Public Safety that [redacted] accompanied her from Las Vegas to the State of Washington in her vehicle during July, 1973. He returned to Las Vegas

(mode of travel unknown) during the first part of August, 1973. Approximately a week or so later [redacted] returned to the State of Washington driving his Ford Pickup with the camper attached. He remained in Washington until arrested.

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Los Angeles Sheriff's Office records describe [redacted] as follows:

Sex	Male
Race	White
Date of Birth	[redacted]
Height	[redacted]
Weight	
Hair	
Eyes	
Bureau of Criminal Identification and Investigation #	[redacted]
Social Security Account #	
Los Angeles Police Department #	
California Department of Correction #	[redacted]
Previous Employment	[redacted]

On October 5, 1973, [redacted] was interviewed at the Los Angeles County Jail by SAs [redacted] and [redacted] at which time he denied being involved in any crime, since leaving the Los Angeles area in April, 1973. He proceeded to furnish the following information:

Because of the above-mentioned Los Angeles Police Department fugitive warrant, he fled the Los Angeles area in April, 1973, and went directly to Las Vegas, where he assumed the identity of [redacted] He subsequently went to work for the [redacted] was [redacted] last name unknown) for approximately one month. When he

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resigned from the company on about June 29, 1973, he gave the excuse that his mother was sick.

He could not recall where he was on June 24, 1973, but was confident he was in the Las Vegas area as he went to work the following Monday. He stated that he resided in his camper, which was attached to his 1971 red and white Ford pickup truck. The truck and camper was parked in a vacant lot at [redacted] (phonetic) Boulevard, Las Vegas. The lot is owned by [redacted] (phonetic), a real estate salesman in Las Vegas.

[redacted] claimed he left Las Vegas on June 29, 1973, with [redacted] (phonetic), whom he had met in the parking lot of The Rainbow Club in Henderson, Nevada. They drove in her 1968 two-door Ford Sedan to Washington via Carson City, Reno, Redding, Salem and Portland. He stayed in the Seattle area until August 10, 1973, at which time he returned to Las Vegas via Hughes Air West. Four days later he drove the truck and camper back to the State of Washington via Boise, arriving in Seattle on or about August 18, 1973.

While in the Seattle area he worked for [redacted] in [redacted] Washington, Telephone #[redacted] He lived in a house about eight miles from town with a nurse by the name of [redacted] (address unknown), who works at an unrecalled hospital, Telephone #[redacted]. He remained in the area until arrested by the King County Department of Public Safety.

[redacted] claimed that during the above trips, he used no credit cards and that he could not recall staying at any motels. He recalled that he did open an account at the BANK OF THE WEST in Redmond, Washington, in the name of [redacted]

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AT WARM SPRINGS, MONTANA

On October 17, 1973, [redacted] Warm Springs State Hospital, advised [redacted] was admitted on April 30, 1973, and discharged on June 15, 1973, in the care of his [redacted]

AT THREE FORKS, MONTANA

Inquiry among members of [redacted] family [redacted] and [redacted], Three Forks, Montana, indicates as follows:

Following his release from the State Hospital at Warm Springs, Montana, [redacted] remained in the vicinity of Anaconda, Montana, for several days consulting with a lawyer and visiting with a girl friend he had met at Warm Springs, name not known. Subsequently, he immediately went from Anaconda to the home of his parents, [redacted] at Harlem, Montana, Harlem Telephone # [redacted]

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted]

AT HARLEM, MONTANA MONT

On January 9, 1974, [redacted] Harlem, advised that [redacted] did return home to Harlem during the summer of 1973, but she does not recall the exact date. She asked that she be given a sufficient amount of time to talk with her [redacted] and then contact their children in Three Forks, Montana, so that they could arrive at dates.

On January 16, 1974, [redacted] advised that [redacted] was released from Warm Springs, Montana, on June 15, 1973, after which he spent three days in Anaconda, Montana. From there, he traveled to Three Forks, Montana, where he spent another day or two and from there on home to Harlem, Montana. He arrived in Harlem on the 20th or 21st of June, 1973.

[redacted] further interceded that his [redacted] was home on June 25, 1973, and that he and his son read the initial report of the kidnaping of SUSAN JAEGER in the Harlem newspaper. He stated that they had had some discussion about it, wondering what type of person would do such a thing.

[redacted] stated that he is positive that his [redacted] was not in the Three Forks area on June 25 and that his [redacted] had nothing to do with the kidnaping of SUSAN JAEGER.

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AT HAVRE, MONTANA

[redacted] advised on January 22, 1974, that he can state from his own personal knowledge that his [redacted] had been interviewed by the FBI pertaining to [redacted] activities at the time of the kidnaping of SUSAN JAEGER.

[redacted] advised that he knows from his own personal knowledge that [redacted] was in Havre on July 4, 1973, as he went on a family picnic with the [redacted] family. He further is virtually certain that [redacted] was with his [redacted] for approximately two weeks prior to July 4, 1973.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted] at Denver, Colorado:

[redacted] at the Air Force Personnel Center, 38th and York Street, Denver, made available the file of [redacted] A review of the file revealed the following information: [redacted]

[redacted] enlisted in the United States Air Force on April 30, 1969, and received an honorable discharge on April 19, 1973. His Social Security Account Number is [redacted] and his Air Force Serial Number was [redacted] His date of birth was listed as [redacted] and his place of birth was [redacted] Montana.

At the time of [redacted] discharge he was a Sergeant E-4 and his Air Force specialty was listed as a munitions and weapons maintenance helper.

His [redacted] were listed as [redacted] and [redacted] His [redacted] was listed as [redacted] and a [redacted] was listed as [redacted]

The file further revealed that [redacted] was granted a secret clearance and no derogatory information or any record of disciplinary action was located in the file. [redacted] was described by his commanding officer in a performance rating as being extremely conscientious and a quick learner. A review of [redacted] medical record determined that there was no mention of any mental problems regarding [redacted]

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AT BOZEMAN, MONTANA

[redacted], Montana State University, advised that the name of [redacted] a student, had been brought to his attention and as a result he has had occasion to talk to [redacted] and can state as follows:

[redacted] is a married student at Montana State University, very intelligent, whose wife is not presently in Bozeman, Montana. As a consequence, he has been attentive to some of the female students, but is definitely a very normal young man not one to be involved with children and was not in Bozeman, Montana, on June 25, 1973.

In his, [redacted], opinion there is no possibility that [redacted] could be a suspect in captioned matter.

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AT GREAT FALLS, MONTANA

On October 17, 1973, [redacted] Records, Cascade County Sheriff's Office, advised that [redacted] also known as [redacted] born [redacted] was received at the Cascade County Jail on April 13, 1973, on charge of Assault - Second Degree. He remained in custody until May 2, 1973, when he was taken to Warm Springs, Montana, for psychiatric evaluation.

On June 4, 1973, he was returned to the Cascade County Jail and held on the same charge. He remained in custody until June 12, 1973, at which time he was taken to the Montana State Penitentiary, Deer Lodge, Montana, where he was to serve thirty days and be released on three years probation.

On October 17, 1973, [redacted] State of Montana, Great Falls Division, advised that the supervision of [redacted] had been transferred to the Helena Division and that his file was no longer at Great Falls.

He suggested that a review of [redacted] file through [redacted] State Probation Office, Helena, Montana, may disclose whereabouts on June 25, 1973, and July 31, 1973.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted]

AT HELENA, MONTANA

On November 20, 1973, [redacted] State Parole Officer, advised that [redacted] was charged April 13, 1973, at Great Falls, Montana, with assault-second degree, was in custody there until May 8, 1973, at which time he was committed to the Montana State Penitentiary in Deer Lodge, Montana, on a thirty-day commitment during which time he was to receive psychiatric evaluation and treatment at the State Hospital at Warm Springs, Montana. He was in custody and treated until July 11, 1973, when he was discharged from Montana State Prison at which time he went on his three-year probation period and sentence was deferred until the expiration of this sentence.

[redacted] was released on probation in care of this office in Helena with a residence address of [redacted] in Helena and he is employed as a salesman at the [redacted] in downtown Helena. He was under the direct supervision of Parole Officer [redacted] who is now assigned to the Butte Office.

The file shows that [redacted] was in the Helena Office reporting to [redacted] on July 31, 1973, and, therefore, his whereabouts can be accounted for on that date and he was in custodial care on the June 25, 1973, date.

This particular crime consisted of [redacted] luring two young girls in Great Falls into a secluded room, where he talked the children into playing a game called "candy man," wherein [redacted] blindfolded the girls and instructed them that he would place a candy sample in their mouths and after they had tasted it they were to tell him the flavor.

[redacted] then coded his penis with honey and subsequently with other type preserves and inserted his penis in the girls' mouths until one of them peeked and observed what he was doing.

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There is no indication of any prior arrests for [redacted] and no known history of past sex offenses. He originally grew up somewhere in the eastern part of the United States, joined the U. S. Air Force in July, 1968, and when he was discharged July, 1972, honorably at Malmstrom Air Force Base in Great Falls, Montana, he decided to remain in the west to establish himself. He has the following description:

Name	[redacted]
Alias	
Race	White
Sex	Male
Date of Birth	[redacted]
Place of Birth	
Height	
Weight	
Hair	
Eyes	
Education	High school graduate
Marital Status	Single
Personal Car	[redacted]

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The following law enforcement teletype service message from Aberdeen, Washington, Police Department was received at Bozeman, Montana, January 23, 1974:

In custody for forgery, grand larceny, robbery, rape, [redacted] white male American, date of birth - [redacted] inches, [redacted] pounds, [redacted] FBI #[redacted]

Following items in possession time arrest: one woman's ring, small, sterling silver with Indian or Mexican design. Sterling silver setting with small turquoise diamond shaped stone.

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AT BOZEMAN, MONTANA

Deputy Sheriff [redacted] Gallatin County Sheriff's Office, advised he conducted the following investigation on August 1, 1973:

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Re: [redacted]

Have made credit checks and arrest checks from Bozeman Police and Gallatin County Sheriff's Department with negative results.

Presently trying to determine if a [redacted] of Three Forks is related in any way.

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A check was made on [redacted] through the Credit Bureau of Gallatin County, Bozeman Police Department and Gallatin County Sheriff's Department with negative results.

All local telephone directories and the Bozeman City Directory was checked for the name of [redacted] and [redacted] and no listing was found.

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AT THREE FORKS, MONTANA

[redacted] Three Forks, advised as follows on October 24, 1973:

[redacted] allegedly from Three Forks, Montana, is, in fact, [redacted] He is the [redacted] of [redacted] the [redacted] of [redacted] stated that he and all members of the [redacted] family could verify, without any problems, that [redacted] spent the entire summer of 1963 in Los Angeles, California.

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AT FARMINGTON HILLS, MICHIGAN

On December 15, 1973, Victim's Farmington Hills, advised Victim's currently vacationing Arizona.

On December 14, 1973 spoke with life-long friend, Tucson, Arizona, Telephone # related to that a Age hippie-type, had been in Montana during June, 1973, driving his light blue Volkswagen Sedan, which had a bad paint job and missing rear fender. According to is currently residing in the Denver area, possibly employed as a mechanic.

It is not known whether was specifically in Three Forks, Montana, or if he had returned at any time to Tucson. is a of

AT TUCSON, ARIZONA

On December 20, 1973, Tucson, advised in January, 1973, his date of birth - pounds, and departed Tucson in Vehicle previously mentioned with (LNU), a (LNU) and (LNU), whom he had met in December, 1972, in Tucson. While en route to Colorado Springs, Colorado, vehicle involved in an accident at Taos, New Mexico.

Both stated that continued to reside and work around Colorado Springs area until one week ago, when he telephonically advised he was driving to Detroit, Michigan, to meet relatives. suggested an Colorado Springs, be contacted for possible current whereabouts of advised employed for unknown sports car center located near a freeway in Colorado Springs.

stated has not been in Tucson, Arizona, since he departed January, 1973, and, further, to the best of his knowledge he did not travel to Montana during this period.

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[redacted] stated in the event [redacted] contacts them, they will advise him to immediately contact the nearest office of the FBI.

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AT BOZEMAN, MONTANA

Deputy Sheriff, Gallatin County Sheriff's Office, advised as follows on November 16, 1973:

date of birth residence Bozeman, was arrested in the early morning hours of November 16, 1973, and charged with rape. The arrest was based upon a complaining witnesses' statement that she had been raped by MONT

Further investigation indicated that the complaining witness refused to have a physical examination and indicated she was passed out at the time that the alleged rape occurred. Consequently, the charges will be dismissed.

advised that investigation indicated that moved to Bozeman, Montana, August 31, 1973, from Billings, Montana. Prior to moving to Bozeman he had worked at in Billings for approximately fifteen years. It was through that came to Bozeman, where he is presently working for on a contract south of Bozeman, Montana.

The following investigation was conducted by SA

AT BILLINGS, MONTANA

On December 11, 1973, reviewed the time sheets for June 25, 1973, and advised that was employed by the on that date.

On June 25, 1973, he worked eight hours as he did the remaining four days of the week, except for Friday, June 29, 1973, when he worked a total of ten hours.

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AT BOZEMAN, MONTANA B. APPROX [redacted]

A review of logs at the Gallatin County Sheriff's Office, Bozeman, January 5, 1974, contained the following notation:

[redacted] a white male, age [redacted] a [redacted] at BIG BOY RESTAURANT "is following little girls."

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DONALD QUINTONI, Sheriff, Park County, advised he is not familiar with the case.

The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted]

AT BILLINGS, MONTANA

On November 26, 1973, a review of the records of the Yellowstone County Sheriff's Office, Billings, revealed that [redacted] had been arrested by the Billings Police Department on July 26, 1972, charged with lewd and lascivious acts on a child. There are no further entries in the records of the Yellowstone County Sheriff's Office concerning this individual.

On the same date, the records of the Billings Police Department were reviewed at which time the following background and descriptive data was obtained:

Name [redacted]
Date of Birth
Race White
Sex Male

[redacted]

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Height
Weight
Hair
Eyes
Billings Police
Department #
Address
Occupation

It was noted that [redacted] arrest on July 26, 1972, for lewd and lascivious acts upon a child is the only criminal record concerning this individual. The record does indicate, however, that on November 26, 1964, he was cited for having no valid driver's license. On May 18, 1965, [redacted] reported a missing person to the Police Department and on March 16, 1967, he reported a fictitious check having been received at his place of business.

On July 23, 1968, [redacted] reported a suspicious person in the neighborhood of his business establishment.

Also, on November 26, 1973, it was determined that [redacted] has not, as yet, gone to trial on the above-mentioned charges.

In contacting [redacted] County Attorney for Yellowstone County, it was determined that [redacted] trial date is now set for January 9, 1974. He is represented by Attorney [redacted]

[redacted] also advised that on November 1, 1973, [redacted] was on his way to Livingston, Montana, to visit his ailing [redacted] While en route to Livingston, [redacted] reportedly saw a deer near the edge of the interstate highway and, being fearful that a passing motorist would strike the deer, pulled his vehicle over to the side of the road and honked his horn in an effort to scare the deer away. When this did not frighten the deer, [redacted] got out of his vehicle with his .22 caliber pistol, walked down into the ditch alongside the road and fired two shots in the air in order to frighten the deer. He then started to return to his vehicle when he stumbled on the terrain and, as he did so, he accidentally fired a shot into his own shoulder. This incident occurred the day before he was scheduled for trial on the lewd and lascivious acts matter. As a result the trial was postponed until January 9, 1974.

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Due to the fact that [redacted] has not as yet gone to trial on the above charges, [redacted] felt that it would be preferable if he were not interviewed until after completion of the trial.

[redacted] further advised that he is certain that Attorney [redacted] would not permit [redacted] interview on any other sex crime type activity due to the fact that the Yellowstone County Sheriff's Office has attempted to interview [redacted] concerning other matters of this nature and has been denied permission to do so by [redacted]

Due to the fact that [redacted] lives approximately one block from [redacted] he was asked whether or not he could recall if [redacted] had left Billings during June or July, 1973. [redacted] stated that he could not pinpoint any specific date during that period of time, but does recall that [redacted] did have his [redacted] open during the entire summer and he saw him frequently during the summer months.

On November 27, 1973, [redacted] was interviewed and stated that she saw [redacted] frequently during the months of June and July. She advised that due to the fact that she has several young daughters she has "kept a close eye" on [redacted] ever since [redacted] was charged with the above-mentioned crime.

[redacted] stated that she could not specifically pinpoint any given date during June or July, but does recall seeing him many times during this period.

[redacted] method of operation is closely associated with his operation of the [redacted] He appears to have a propensity for enticing young girls into his business establishment by offers of candy and other items of this nature. Once he becomes fairly well acquainted with one of the youngsters he will invite her and frequently one of her friends into his apartment adjoining the grocery store.

In the matter in which he is currently facing charges, [redacted] allegedly invited two young females into his apartment, one age 12 and the other age 13. He invited

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one of the girls to sit upon his lap, which she did, after which he asked the girl to move back further upon his lap. When the girl declined, [redacted] reached around from behind the girl and started to massage her breasts. When the girl objected and got up from [redacted] lap, he invited the second girl to sit on his lap. When she did so, [redacted] reached up under her blouse, along the girl's back, and attempted to unhook her bassiere. When the girl objected [redacted] reached around the girl toward her chest, but as he did so the girl lowered her arms preventing [redacted] from reaching entirely around her and got up from his lap. The two girls then reportedly left the apartment.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA

AT BILLINGS, MONTANA

A check of all available telephone directories, city directories and review of records of the Yellowstone County Sheriff's Office, Billings Police Department and Billings Credit Bureau have failed to locate any record identifiable with either or

The following investigation was conducted by SA BYRON H. DUNBAR:

AT THREE FORKS, MONTANA

Deputy Sheriff the original source of information concerning was recontacted December 6, 1973, and advised that he had not seen and had been unable to obtain descriptive data or additional information pertaining to him.

further advised that the original source of information contacted by him was just general conversation in the Three Forks, Montana, area and he cannot pinpoint who might have actually seen or talked to or known

The office of the Montana Livestock Commission, Helena, Montana, advised after a complete review of their records under the name of and indicates only one person in the Billings area, who possibly could have been the employer of that person being Cow Creek Ranch, Columbus, Montana, who also operates a Feed Lot.

The following investigation was conducted by SA

AT COLUMBUS, MONTANA

, advised on January 3, 1974, that she and her operate the At no time have they ever employed anyone using the name

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The following investigation was conducted by SA BYRON H. DUNBAR:

AT MANHATTAN, MONTANA

On October 30, 1973, [redacted] BROKEN ARROW BAR, Manhattan, advised that within the past few weeks there had been a man in the bar, who had discussed the kidnaping of SUSAN JAEGER and indicated she was probably in a "bar ditch". [redacted] advised this individual is a [redacted] who lives at the [redacted] in Three Forks, Montana, and who is apparently an itinerant laborer.

AT BOZEMAN, MONTANA

[redacted]

Records of the Gallatin County Sheriff's Office, Bozeman Police Department and Gallatin Credit Bureau contain no information concerning a [redacted] of Three Forks, Montana.

AT THREE FORKS, MONTANA

Deputy Sheriff [redacted] advised that [redacted] is an itinerant electrician, who lives in Three Forks, but spends most of the time traveling throughout Montana and the surrounding states, where his job takes him.

[redacted] advised as follows on November 7, 1973:

He belongs to the [redacted] Butte, Montana, and from his personal records can state as follows:

During the last week in June he was in Three Forks, Montana, seeking or waiting for employment. He remained in Three Forks until the last two weeks of July and the first week of August. At this time he went to Browning, Montana, and worked for the [redacted] His payroll receipts indicated a forty-hour work week for each of the work weeks prior to August 3 and August 10.

[redacted] advised that he was well aware of the kidnaping of SUSAN JAEGER since it was well publicized and discussed.

[redacted] stated that he can state he was absolutely not involved. He stated he was in Three Forks and cannot specifically account for his activities. [redacted] advised that normally when not working he gets up late, frequents the pool halls, playing cards and drinking.

[redacted] advised that he made comments about SUSAN JAEGER being in a "bar ditch" strickly as barroom conversation and has no knowledge to substantiate anything that might have happened.

The following is the physical description of [redacted] from interview and observation:

Race	White
Sex	Male
Date of Birth	[redacted]
Place of Birth	Three Forks, Montana
Height	[redacted]
Weight	
Hair	
Eyes	
Build	
Military Service	[redacted]
Arrest Record	No felony-type arrest, but has been arrested for public intoxication and related offenses in various cities in Montana

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AT BOZEMAN, MONTANA

Deputy Sheriff [redacted], Gallatin County Sheriff's Office, advised he received telephonic communication from [redacted] Miami, Florida, 33157, Telephone # [redacted]

[redacted] advised that [redacted], no further description or identifying data, is a child molester. [redacted] had molested his [redacted] Deputy Sheriff [redacted] was not clear as to whether this was [redacted] or [redacted] and that [redacted] is or will be moving to Bozeman.

[redacted] advised he checked available sources and found no record of [redacted] at the present time.

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[redacted] Miami, Florida, furnished the following information:

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He advised that he is divorced and that his former [redacted] is presently married to [redacted] and they reside at [redacted] Bozeman, Montana. They also have a business which is called [redacted] at [redacted] in Bozeman, Montana. According to [redacted] he was granted custody of his children and on or about [redacted] his [redacted] removed the children from Miami without prior authority.

On or about October 29, 1973, a local judge in Miami issued a pickup order for his former [redacted] for removing the children from this jurisdiction.

Regarding the above action, [redacted] contacted Deputy Sheriff [redacted], Gallatin County Sheriff's Office, Bozeman, Montana. During this conversation with [redacted] furnished the following background information regarding [redacted]

He advised that [redacted] has lived in Bozeman for over one year and that a warrant had been issued against him in 1969 at Prince George County, Bowie, Maryland, for unnatural and perverted acts involving a minor. [redacted] could furnish no further information regarding [redacted] other than the following descriptive information:

Race	White
Sex	Male
Height	[redacted]
Weight	
Eyes	
Hair	
Occupation	

[redacted] was not familiar with victim SUSAN VAPID JAEGER. However, he stated that one of his [redacted] at one time may have mentioned the name JAEGER to him and that the person to whom she was referring was approximately sixteen years old.

Interviewed on 1/7/74 at Miami, Florida File # Miami 7-1036

by SA [redacted] /thm Date dictated 1/11/74

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SULPHUR SPRINGS, ARKANSAS
SUSPECT IN HOMICIDE OF
VIVIAN VLASKA
LAKESIDE, MONTANA,
July 19, 1969

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted]

AT HELENA, MONTANA

On August 24, 1973, Agent [redacted] Bureau of Criminal Investigation, Montana Department of Justice, furnished the following information, which is possibly related to the SUSIE JAEGER kidnaping:

The Tamarack Inn is located in deep woods in sparsely settled mountain country on the east shore of Flathead Lake near Lakeside, Montana, approximately midway between Kalispell and Polson, Montana. About 1:30 a.m., on July 19, 1969, VIVIAN VLASKA, a white divorcee, age 31, employed as a waitress at the inn, went off duty and walked outside to enter her car to drive to her residence several miles away. The only customer, who had been in the place late that night, was described as a "brawny" stranger, who claimed he had just come from Detroit and was believed to be driving a late model brown Chevrolet Station Wagon with Iowa license #[redacted] The stranger left the inn about thirty minutes before VLASKA. He had made a telephone call to a nearby motel and arranged for them to hold a room for him.

VLASKA was never seen alive again and her car was found abandoned down the wooded driveway near the inn with no sign of a struggle or bloodstains. The stranger at the inn was developed as a suspect in her disappearance when it was found he had not occupied the room in the motel.

After a long investigation, approximately a year later, [redacted] and [redacted] made a tentative identification of a

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photograph of [redacted] a Canadian ex-convict, who had been in the general area about the time of VLASKA's disappearance and he had ended up in a Canadian prison on a burglary charge and was never interviewed.

On October 15, 1971, the skeletal remains of VLASKA were found by hunters on a remote logging road, known as Buffalo Bill Road near Plains, Montana. Several months later her skull was found two and a half miles further away. The cause of her death could not be determined.

On May 20, 1972, [redacted] formerly of Sulphur Springs, Arkansas, now residing in Thompson Falls, Montana, stopped at the Tamarack Inn and talked to the [redacted] and his [redacted] about a man she knew in Arkansas ([redacted]), whom she thought had acted very strangely. She related how he told her in 1969 in Arkansas about being at a place in Montana between Polson and Kalispell, Montana, where a waitress had not been very nice to him and she is not there any more. He rambled on telling about Montana and said he had been on Buffalo Bill Road in Montana and left something there that would surprise people. b6 b7C He never described what the surprise would be. He showed her a hunting knife with eight notches in the handle and insinuated he had killed a girl in California and others elsewhere.

The striking thing about these statements by [redacted], if they are true, as related by [redacted] is the fact she reports the statements were made to her in 1969 while VLASKA's remains were not discovered until 1971.

At [redacted] request [redacted] was interviewed on June 1, 1972, by Sheriff JAMES PEARSON, Bentonville, Arkansas, whose reply to [redacted] did not reflect a penetrative investigation. [redacted] then requested further investigation by the Arkansas State Police and on April 27, 1973, [redacted] was again interviewed this time by Lieutenant [redacted] Arkansas State Police, Bentonville, Arkansas. Both officers reported that [redacted] denied any knowledge of the VLASKA homicide or of being in Montana and denied all statements attributed to him by [redacted]

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Both officers said [redacted] agreed to a polygraph test; however, he was never afforded one by these officers. He told Lieutenant [redacted] he was probably working at [redacted] in Decatus, Arkansas, on July 17, 1969. No one has ever checked this employment in an effort to verify this alibi.

[redacted] reportedly was arrested July 13, 1969, at Siloam Springs, Arkansas, on an intoxication charge.

[redacted] who was not requested to enter this investigation until sometime after VLASKA's body was found and, therefore, had nothing to do with the initial investigation at the time of her disappearance, obtained additional photographs of Canadian suspect [redacted] which show him as much thinner than the original photograph of [redacted] and not at all brawny like the man seen at the Tamarack Inn.

[redacted] is described as a brawny man. Although [redacted] and [redacted] do not appear identical from photographs, there is a general similarity on some of their facial features. The available photograph of [redacted] received from Sheriff PEARSON lacks sufficient detail.

On August 22, 1973, [redacted] received a letter from [redacted] in which she stated that she had been in Arkansas in May, 1973, and visited with [redacted] He was telling her about a hunting knife he had that he uses to slash tents with. When she asked why he would do that he told her, "When the flap is shut, you have to have a hole to crawl in and out of." He told her it was really fun to go into a camp when it is really quiet and everyone is sleeping. He asked her if she knew where Three Forks River was and she replied that she did not, but knew where Three Forks, Montana, was. He indicated he knew of Three Forks, Montana, but again referred to Three Forks River and said he had camped there and that it was a real nice place and she should go there sometime.

[redacted] also talked to her about camping out with Boy Scouts. He did not say where this had taken place. In her letter she remarked how much that [redacted] likes little girls and that he likes to tease and kid with them.

In the past in conversations with [redacted] had mentioned how [redacted] is bitter toward women in general because a [redacted] several years ago ran off with his [redacted] in Sulphur Springs.

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[redacted] had previously mentioned to [redacted] how one night in a car with [redacted] he had scared her badly when he mentioned he would like to cut her heart out to see if it was as black as his [redacted] heart.

In reference to this letter, [redacted] recalled an incident in May, 1968, when a group of Boy Scouts were camped at the same Three Forks Campground, where the JAEGER girl disappeared from. He recalled an incident where one of the Boy Scouts, during the nighttime was killed by a blow on the head and had been stabbed through the tent wall. [redacted] mentioned that that case had also never been solved.

[redacted] stated to assure himself of Mrs. EDWARDSON's honesty in this matter, with her consent, he had given her a polygraph test prior to the receipt of this latest letter from her and the results of that test indicated to him that she had been generally truthful in everything she had told him concerning the statements [redacted] had made to her.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted]:

AT ROGERS, ARKANSAS

On September 12, 1973, [redacted] advised that records of the Rogers Police Department reflected that [redacted] Sulphur Springs, Arkansas, a white male, date of birth [redacted] with Arkansas Driver's License # [redacted] was arrested for reckless driving on March 26, 1972, paid a fine of $56.85. An individual, [redacted] showing the same address and date of birth was arrested by the Rogers Police Department for public drunk on November 6, 1968.

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AT SILOAM SPRINGS, ARKANSAS

On September 13, 1973, [redacted] Siloam Springs Police Department, advised their records reflected that a [redacted] EBI # [redacted] Arkansas State Police # [redacted] Social Security # [redacted] a white male, date of birth - [redacted] pounds, [redacted] hair, [redacted] eyes, with a place of birth as Sulphur Springs, Arkansas, was arrested on March 3, 1968, for "DWI" and paid a fine of $269.50 and ten days with a one year driver's license suspension at this time reflected an address of Box 7, Decatur, Arkansas.

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On July 13, 1969, this individual was arrested for public drunk and on November 27, 1969, this individual was arrested for "DWI" and possession of unlabeled drugs. At this time the individual was driving a green Mustang, bearing Arkansas License # [redacted] with Arkansas Chauffeur's License [redacted] reflecting an address of [redacted] Sulphur Springs, Arkansas.

AT DECATUR, ARKANSAS

On September 13, 1973, [redacted] Personnel, [redacted] advised their records reflected that [redacted] Social Security # [redacted] address [redacted] Sulphur Springs, Arkansas, was employed by [redacted] from September 17, 1968, through January 9, 1970, continuous as a truck driver. This individual is described as follows:

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Race	White
Sex	Male
Date of Birth	[redacted]
Place of Birth	Sulphur Springs, Arkansas
Height	5'9"
Weight	180#

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AT BENTONVILLE, ARKANSAS

On September 13, 1973, JAMES PEARSON, Sheriff, Benton County, Arkansas, Sheriff's Office, advised that [redacted] was still living with his [redacted] in Sulphur Springs, Arkansas, and was working at the house trailer plant just across the state line. PEARSON stated his investigation in the year 1969 regarding the VIVIAN VLASKA homicide in Montana determined that [redacted] had been working at [redacted] which would eliminate him from being a suspect in that matter.

He further stated that additional request was made for investigation in April of 1973 and a polygraph test was given [redacted] on April 27, 1973, by [redacted] which reflected [redacted] to be telling the truth when he stated he had not been in Montana and did not have anything to do with the VIVIAN VLASKA homicide.

PEARSON stated he had furnished the results of the investigation by his department and the Arkansas State Police to investigator of the Lake County Sheriff's Office in Montana, a [redacted]

PEARSON stated that he felt there was a problem in this matter in that two different counties in Montana were conducting separate investigations regarding the VIVIAN VLASKA homicide and were not coordinating any investigation done by other agencies.

PEARSON went on to say that the individual, [redacted] who had implicated [redacted] in this matter, had been known to date [redacted] on several occasions and probably felt that he had set her aside.

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PEARSON stated on April 27, 1973, at the time of the polygraph test of [redacted] was driving a 1972 blue Pontiac. [redacted] in addition to previous physical description has a [redacted] scar in the middle of [redacted] and a [redacted] scar between [redacted]

AT SULPHUR SPRINGS, ARKANSAS

On September 17, 1973, [redacted] advised Sulphur Springs' records reflect that on June 22, 1973, a [redacted] of Sulphur Springs, Arkansas, called to ask if [redacted] had been in a car wreck. [redacted] stated after a second call by this individual he had checked records in Benton County, Arkansas, and at Noel, Missouri, and determined that [redacted] had not been reported to have had a wreck on June 22, 1973, and on June 23, 1973, [redacted] stated he saw [redacted] in Sulphur Springs, Arkansas. A check was made by [redacted] with the employer of [redacted] in Noel, Missouri, and learned that [redacted] had worked the last shift on June 21, 1973, and returned for work on June 25, 1973, at 8:00 a.m.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA

AT FORSYTH, MONTANA

B. APPROX

On the night of January 4, 1974, Forsyth, Telephone # advised SA that one white male, in his twenties, who formerly worked for a sent a letter to the dated December 30, 1973, requesting his W-2 Form for 1973. She advised this letter bears return address in care of , Kansas."

stated that previously during the summer of 1973 she was contacted on numerous occasions by the Sheriff, Bozeman, Montana, in regard to the whereabouts of since he had been in the Three Forks, Montana, area and had abandoned his car near the river there and was apparently considered very suspect in the JAEGER case.

She furnished this information on the assumption that neither the Sheriff from Bozeman nor the FBI has located and interviewed as yet.

She stated at the time was in Forsyth he carried a pistol and, therefore, he should be approached with caution, as possibly armed and dangerous.

The following investigation was conducted by SA BYRON H. DUNBAR:

AT BOZEMAN, MONTANA

Gallatin County-Bozeman City Detective and Sergeant in conducting extensive investigation regarding activities in Forsyth, Montana, pursuant to another case established beyond any doubt that did work on June 25, 1973, for of In addition, they verified that he cashed a check, #140, in the amount of $122.60 on June 25, 1975, at the FIRST STATE BANK, Forsyth.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA BYRON H. DUNBAR:

AT THREE FORKS, MONTANA

[redacted] mentioned as possible suspect, described as follows:

Race	White
Sex	Male
Age	[redacted]
Place of Birth	Montana
Height	
Weight	B. APPROX 1943
Hair	
Eyes	

[redacted] first arrested February 7, 1955, sent to Pine Hills Juvenile Detention School as delinquent; subsequent second arrest parole violatin for car theft Missoula, Montana, October 5, 1959. Also received a two-year sentence at Federal Reformatory, El Reno, Oklahoma, 1965, charge not specified (Gallatin County Sheriff's Office).

[redacted] Three Forks, [redacted] of [redacted] interviewed November 7, 1973, and advised as follows:

She has had little contact with her [redacted] commonly known as [redacted] in several years; however, he did visit Three Forks, Montana, for three weeks last week of May and first two weeks of June, 1973. He also visited a [redacted] at Butte, Montana, and a [redacted] at Libby, Montana. [redacted] departed Butte, Montana, to return to his home on June 13, 1973.

[redacted] advised that he was then working at Eloy, Arizona, as a [redacted] and that he did return to Arizona to continue work in this capacity. His telephone number at the time of departure, June 13, 1973, was [redacted]

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[redacted] further advised that her [redacted] did telephonically verify that he did return to Arizona on approximately June 15, 1973, or June 16, 1973.

AT ELOY, ARIZONA

On December 20, 1973, a review of the Eloy City Telephone Directory revealed that [redacted] resides at [redacted] Telephone # [redacted] Several attempts were made to contact the [redacted] residence with negative results.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted]

AT CASPER, WYOMING:

On November 27, 1973, Lieutenant [redacted] Chief of Detectives, Casper Police Department, Casper, Wyoming advised that he was well acquainted with [redacted] date of birth [redacted] Social Security Number [redacted] and [redacted] date of birth [redacted] Social Security Number [redacted] and with both of their families and associates. [redacted] NEV

He stated that the families of both are completely disreputable and the majority are former ex-convicts and those that are not free at the present time are in various prisons in the mountain states. He said that the family of [redacted] is particularly infamous as all have been convicted of felonies of one type or another and would not tell any law enforcement officer the truth under any circumstances. WYOMING

[redacted] continued that he knows of no particular close associates of [redacted] and [redacted] as they almost totally associated with each other and their respective relatives exclusively.

The records of the Casper Police Department and the Natrona County Sheriff's Office, Casper, Wyoming, which included jail records, were reviewed by their respective custodians and no information could be located which could specifically indicate that either was in custody of these departments on June 25, 1973.

On November 29, 1973, Lieutenant [redacted] stated that he had made inquiries of confidential sources available to him. He said that the best information that he could obtain was that [redacted] was unemployed and in the City of Casper on June 25, 1973. In addition, [redacted] said that his information had indicated that [redacted] had got married in [redacted] and information that he had received indicated that [redacted] was in Las Vegas, Nevada, with his [redacted] and [redacted] on about June 25, 1973.

[redacted] added that he could not specifically verify this information and could not offer the names of any persons who may able to substantiate this information.

Lieutenant [redacted] offered the photographs of [redacted] and [redacted] for any possible use in future investigations. b6 b7C

On December 3, 1973, the records of the Natrona County Automobile Registration Bureau were reviewed by [redacted] Clerk, in regard to any vehicles registered to [redacted] or their respective families. [redacted] indicated that [redacted] presently had a 1955 green Chevrolet pickup registered in his name bearing 1973 Wyoming License [redacted] She said also that [redacted] has a 1966 Ford, two-door hardtop, bearing 1973 Wyoming License [redacted] registered to him and records indicated that this vehicle was purchased from Grenier For, Casper, Wyoming, on June 25, 1973. [redacted] stated that vehicles registered at the same address as [redacted] is a 1968 Pontiac, four-door Sedan, registered to [redacted] which bears 1973 Wyoming License [redacted] She said that her records reflected this vehicle was purchased from Milo's Auto Sale, Casper, Wyoming, on November 24, 1972.

[redacted] indicated that her records reflect that on September 7, 1973, 1973 Wyoming License [redacted] was registered to a [redacted] Casper, Wyoming, on a 1966 Chevrolet, two-door hardtop, which had been purchased from Grenier Ford, Casper, Wyoming, on August 28, 1973. She said that this was the only vehicle on file registered to [redacted] or any member of his family residing at the same address at the present time.

On December 3, 1973, [redacted] used car representative, Grenier Ford, Casper, Wyoming, stated that he was personally acquainted with [redacted] and had sold a 1966 Ford, two-door Mustang Fastback, to this individual on June 23, 1973. [redacted] said that [redacted] actually took possession of the vehicle at approximately 9:00 a.m. on Sunday, June 24, 1973. At this time, [redacted] said that [redacted] remarked to him that he was going to Las Vegas, Nevada, with a White

female in his company, whom he assumed to be [redacted]

Due to the records of the Natrona County Automobile Registration Office reflecting the purchase and registration of the 1966 Ford on June 25, 1973, it would appear that [redacted] was in Casper, Wyoming, on that date. b6 b7C

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DONALD KLING

The following investigation was conducted by SA BYRON H. DUNBAR: DECEASED

AT THREE FORKS, MONTANA

Deputy Sheriff RONALD BROWN, Three Forks, advised on November 27, 1973, that DONALD KLING continues to frequent the bars in Three Forks, is habitually drunk, has created no problems and nothing has happened to indicate he is responsible for captioned case.

DONALD KLING committed suicide on December 12, 1973, by shooting himself in the head with a shotgun. A complete examination of his house, a small two-room cabin and personal effects, was made and there was no evidence to indicate association with captioned case.

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The FBI Identification Division furnished the following Identification Record for [redacted] under FBI #[redacted], as of November 27, 1973:

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted]

AT KALISPELL, MONTANA

The Sheriff's Office, Kalispell, received a teletype from the Sheriff's Office, Olympia, Washington, that [redacted] born [redacted] is in custody on rape charges with Modus Operandi regarding female hitchhikers and forcing sex acts with a knife. Detective [redacted] is currently handling this case.

AT OLYMPIA, WASHINGTON

On January 8, 1974, [redacted] Chief, Criminal Deputy, Thurston County Sheriff's Office, Olympia, advised that on December 14, 1974, [redacted] Lacey, Washington, was booked into the Thurston County Jail on the charge of rape and is still so confined. [redacted] advised that [redacted] has a long sexual deviate history, going back to when he was approximately sixteen years old. He has been arrested on numerous crimes for attempted rape or child molesting in the Fife and Tacoma, Washington, area.

At the present time the Thurston County Sheriff's Office has an unsolved murder involving a young fifteen-year-old Seattle girl, whose body was found during the latter part of 1973. According to [redacted] the Subject was a possible suspect; however, their department has been unable to obtain any evidence which would link him to this charge.

Furthermore, he has taken both lie detector and sodium pentothal with negative results.

He said that from his investigation he learned that [redacted] had been in the Sandpoint, Idaho, area for three or four weeks, including the latter part of July, 1973. However, he was accompanied by his family and other relations. He said there was nothing to indicate that [redacted] had separated himself from this group.

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[redacted] Lacey, Washington, an inmate in the Thurston County Jail, was advised of the purpose of the interview and signed a Waiver Of Rights form. [redacted] informed that on or about 7/31/73, he and his family and other members of the family, including a [redacted] his [redacted] and a [redacted] were all visiting a family-owned piece of property located on the Lightning Creek Road near Sandpoint, Idaho. He said the property consists of about 40 acres and has an A-frame dwelling located thereon. He further stated that he was in this area for about one month, returning to the Olympia area during the latter part of the first week of August, 1973. While in the Sandpoint area, the family and himself took a trip over into Montana. The purpose of the trip was to attempt to buy hay for their horses. He said they only went into Montana for about 75 miles and were in his parents' 1970 white Plymouth 4-Door Sedan. He said he had no knowledge concerning the missing young girls in the Montana area, and that he definately was not involved. He further stated that during the last week of June, 1973, he was at his [redacted] home in Lacey, Washington, and this information can be corroborated through his parents [redacted].

[redacted] advised that he has a sexual problem, but that he was never involved in the case involving the missing girls in the State of Montana. The following description of [redacted] was obtained through observation and interrogation:

Name:	[redacted]
Sex:	Male
Race:	White
Age:	[redacted]
Date of Birth:	[redacted]
Place of Birth:	[redacted], Washington
Height:	[redacted]
Weight:	[redacted] lbs.
Hair:	[redacted]
Eyes:	[redacted]
Social Security Number:	[redacted]

Interviewed on 1/4/74 at Olympia, Washington File # SE 7-596

by SA [redacted] /dlm Date dictated 1/14/74

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Marital Status: Married
Immediate Relatives: Wife-

Lacey, Washington

Parents:

Lacey, Washington

Children:
Grandfather:

Sandpoint, Idaho

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[redacted]

The following investigation was conducted by SA BYRON H. DUNBAR:

AT BOZEMAN, MONTANA

[redacted] also known as [redacted] identified as person previously charged with sex offense, State of Montana.

Records, Gallatin County Sheriff's Office reflect [redacted] has Sheriff's Office Arrest #[redacted] charge statutory rape, date of birth [redacted] Great Falls, Montana, described as follows:

Race	White
Sex	Male
Height	
Weight	
Eyes	
Hair	
Build	
Mother	

[redacted]

Disposition of Gallatin County case was dismissed August 5, 1970.

Last address for [redacted] was care of [redacted] Montana.

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Date of transcription 12/6/73

[redacted] was advised of the identity of the interviewing Agents, the purpose of the interview and of certain rights as set out in the Interrogation; Advice of Rights form. He stated that he understood these rights, executed the advice of rights form and was thereafter interviewed.

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[redacted] advised as follows:

He stated he was employed in Bozeman, Montana, where he worked at a service station, until June 16, 1973. At that time he left his employment there with the intention of going to Havre, Montana, where he would be employed by a [redacted]

He stated his [redacted] who formerly [redacted] the [redacted] in Great Falls, Montana, was to go to Havre, Montana, to [redacted] there. However, this move fell through and he remained in Great Falls.

He further advised that he had returned to the Bozeman area only one time subsequent to his having left. This was in the middle or latter part of July.

He stated that he had been out of town only two times since his move to Great Falls on June 16, 1973. One was the trip to Bozeman; the other a trip to Browning, Montana, the latter part of July or early August, 1973. He stated that he went to Browning to assist an individual in setting up the cooking operation in a new restaurant in the area of East Glacier, Montana. He stated that he could not recall the name of restaurant nor the name of the individual operating other than that his first name was [redacted]

He further stated that he was convicted in 1967 of lewd and lascivious conduct in connection with the molesting of an eleven-year-old girl in Great Falls. He stated that he was extremely drunk at the time and does not know what prompted him to molest this young girl.

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SA [redacted] and
SA [redacted] imw:BDB 131

by _____ Date dictated 12/3/73

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He stated that he has not been involved in anything of that nature since his release from the penitentiary some two and a half to three years after conviction.

He stated he is on parole for an additional eight years.

He advised the only people who would be able to vouch for his presence in Great Falls on June 25, 1973, and July 31, 1973, are members of his family:

His [redacted]

His [redacted]

His [redacted]

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However, he advised that he would be willing to take a polygraph examination pertaining to his activities on those dates.

The following description of [redacted] was taken from observation and interview:

Name	[redacted]
Sex	Male
Nationality	American
Date of Birth	[redacted]
Place of Birth	Montana
Height	[redacted]
Weight	
Eyes	
Hair	
Social Security #	
Scars and Marks	
Occupation	[redacted]
Residence	Great Falls, Montana

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AT GREAT FALLS, MONTANA

[redacted] Great Falls Police Department, specializing in polygraph examination, advised on December 13, 1973, that all efforts are going to be made by the Great Falls Police Department to obtain a polygraph examination from [redacted] concerning captioned case.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA BYRON H. DUNBAR:

AT BOZEMAN, MONTANA

Montana Highway Patrolman advised as follows November 28, 1973:

Approximately the first part of August, 1973, one a local laborer-ranch hand residing in Columbus, Montana, stated that he had been drinking with captioned individual. described this individual as a of who resides Columbus, Montana.

This indicated that stated that he either had or knew who had been responsible for captioned case. In addition, he stated that he or the person responsible panicked while in Lewistown, Montana, where they had the girl and were afraid to continue with their ransom demand.

advised that was then driving a black Chevrolet pickup.

It is to be noted that is identical with the written up in the who has FBI #

advised that from the information received he believed the referred to by resides in Billings, Montana, or Lewistown, Montana. He advised, however, that he is known to the Police Department and Sheriff's Office in Billings.

The following investigation was conducted by SA :

AT COLUMBUS, MONTANA

Montana Highway Patrolman, advised on December 6, 1973, that the information furnished to him by a at Columbus was a of FBI # might have information regarding case.

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It is to be noted that [redacted] has a [redacted] last known to reside at [redacted] Billings, Montana, who is employed as a [redacted] at the [redacted] located on [redacted] Billings, Montana.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA

AT BILLINGS, MONTANA

Special Agent, advised that a Conductor since 1948, was born has Social Security # .

advised that the records of the revealed that had a leave of absence February 24, 1973, to April 3, 1973. MONTANA

further advised that had worked as a conductor on June 22, 1973, and tied up at Forsyth, Montana, at 1:35 a.m., on June 23, 1973, and from 9:40 a.m. through 9:45 p.m., June 24, 1973, he was at Forsyth. He stated that on June 25, 1973, was laid off on a trip at Forsyth and on June 27, 1973, he boarded a work train at Forsyth at 4:30 a.m.

further advised that on November 6, 1973, tied up at Laurel, Montana, at 7:05 a.m., and left Laurel on November 6, 1973, at 11:59 p.m.

Laurel, Montana, advised on November 20, 1973, that she is the present of however, he does not reside at this address and is last known to reside at the Yellowstone Hotel, Laurel. She stated that her was employed as a operating between Laurel, Montana, and Forsyth, Montana.

She stated that approximately a month or two months ago she left her in the apartment with her and when she returned she discovered that her had been exhibiting himself to her and as a result thereof she has ordered him from the apartment and was in the process of seeking a divorce from him.

She stated that her was believed to be in the Laurel area on or about June 26, 1973, as she specifically recalls discussing the SUSAN JAEGER disappearance at Three Forks, Montana, during that time.

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She stated that she did not think that her [redacted] had anything whatsoever to do with that matter as she had kept track of him.

She further stated that she has been warned by doctors that her [redacted] condition did not lend itself to any violent acts on individuals and his problem as an exhibitionist only occurred before small children, wherein no violence occurred.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted] at Sheridan, Wyoming:

On 9/19/73, [redacted] Medical Administration, Veterans Administration Hospital, advised that he had made an extensive examination of Veterans Administration records pertaining to individuals who had a mental diagnosis of sexual maladjustment and who were formerly patients at this facility. [redacted] stated that the individuals listed represent all patients at this facility admitted after 1/1/73.

He advised that [redacted] of [redacted] Laurel, Montana, was admitted to this hospital on 2/2/73, and subsequently released on 4/23/73. [redacted] described [redacted] as a White male American of [redacted] years, who has a sexual adjustment problem known as "exhibitionism", dating since 1946.

He advised that his records further reflect that [redacted] of Hudson, Montana, is a White male American, [redacted] years of age, who was released from this hospital on 6/12/73, suffering from "exhibitionist tendencies". [redacted] stated that this patient's file reflects that he has an extensive criminal arrest record at Missoula, Montana, and has also been formerly treated as a patient at the Mental Health Center in Missoula, Montana, for sexual deviation.

He advised that [redacted] of Libby, Montana, is a White male American, age [redacted] years, who

was admitted to this hospital on 11/4/72, and subsequently released on 3/20/73. He stated that [redacted] file indicates that he is an admitted homosexual and has also suffered from problems involving child molesting.

[redacted] concluded by saying that the above mentioned individuals are all of the individuals diagnosed as being sexual deviates or have a psychiatric evaluation which would make them possible suspects in this matter and which have recently been handled through this facility.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted]

AT HELENA, MONTANA

Re: [redacted]
also known as [redacted]
FBI # [redacted]

On November 5, 1973, [redacted], Clerk, Lewis and Clark County, Office of the Clerk of the District Court, advised a search of court records from 1938 to the present fails to turn up the name, [redacted], and no one by that name during that time was shown as convicted for a sex offense in this court. [redacted] is shown as being charged with forgery in 1951, which charge was dismissed in 1954. No local address is shown for [redacted] and that name is completely unfamiliar to [redacted] now.

On November 6, 1973, [redacted] Helena Police Department, advised she has on file an arrest for PETER J. MARTIN, born April 22, 1895, in Frazer, Montana, charged with intoxication, November 15, 1971. No local address is recorded for MARTIN, who has an extensive rap sheet, chiefly for intoxication and larceny in wide ranging places throughout the United States. There is no indication of his being charged by this department for a sex offense and his rap sheet does not show such an arrest. He was not arrested by this department on a forgery charge. He has not come to the attention of this agency since 1951.

On November 6, 1973, [redacted] Lewis and Clark County Sheriff's Office, advised she can locate no record for PETER J. MARTIN and this person is unknown to this department.

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AT SHERIDAN, WYOMING

On December 27, 1973, [redacted] Medical Administration Department, Veterans Hospital, Sheridan, Wyoming, advised that his records reflect that [redacted] of Libby, Montana, is currently receiving treatment at this hospital on an out-patient basis. He stated that [redacted] resides at [redacted], Sheridan, Wyoming.

[redacted] advised that [redacted] last received treatment at this hospital on November 5, 1973, and is scheduled to return for psychiatric treatment at this facility during January, 1974, at his convenience.

On December 28, 1973, an attempt to locate and interview [redacted] at [redacted] Sheridan, Wyoming, met with negative results.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA

AT HELENA, MONTANA

Re:
MONTANA STATE PRISON
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FBI #

On November 5, 1973, State Parole Officer, advised that absconded supervision from Helena in April, 1973, and his file was returned to the Board of Pardons, Deer Lodge, Montana. was not here at the time and could furnish no information on

On November 5, 1973, Dispatcher, Lewis and Clark County Sheriff's Office, advised she thought the parole violator's warrant on had been withdrawn. She said was staying at the New Horizons (Alcoholic) Treatment Center when he disappeared and he has not returned to Helena. The last report the Sheriff's Office had he was believed in Illinois, where his resides.

On November 5, 1973, , Clerk-Typist, Montana Board of Pardons, Deer Lodge, telephonically advised that is still a parole violator and a warrant has been issued for his arrest. His whereabouts are unknown since April 19, 1973, the date he was declared a parole violator. He does have a residing at Fairfield, Illinois; however, no information has been received that went there. When advised that the National Crime Information Center (NCIC)(checked through FBI, Butte, November 5, 1973) was negative, said this must be an oversight and NCIC entry will be made by her department.

at this time put a stop in file to notify the FBI in Butte, Montana, when he is returned or located.

On November 5, 1973, Chief JACK L. WILLIAMS, Jr., Helena Police Department, advised his force has no information on his activities or his whereabouts and he is on the alert

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to cause his arrest as a parole violator for the state authorities. [redacted] said [redacted] has not been seen in Helena since early this year.

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A Federal Bureau of Investigation Wanted Notice was placed with the Identification Division on November 21, 1973, regarding [redacted]

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted]

AT DEER LODGE, MONTANA

[redacted] State of Montana, Board of Pardons, Deer Lodge, advised on December 5, 1973, that he desired Unlawful Flight to Avoid Prosecutin process be issued for the Subject.

[redacted] telephonically contacted the Gallatin County Attorney, Bozeman, Montana, and the county Attorney advised him he would immediately send a request by letter to the U. S. Attorney in Billings, Montana, that Unlawful Flight process be issued for the Subject.

The following investigation was conducted by SA BYRON H. DUNBAR:

AT BOZEMAN, MONTANA

Gallatin County Attorney [redacted] was contacted January 9, 1974, and advised that he had inadvertently not dictated the necessary letter of request to the office of the U. S. Attorney requesting unlawful flight assistance concerning [redacted] advised that he would do so immediately as he has already received a request from the Board of Pardons to seek this type of assistance in locating and apprehending [redacted]

The Identification Division furnished the following Identification Record for [redacted] under FBI #[redacted] as of December 26, 1973:

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also known as
[redacted]

The following investigation was conducted by SA
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AT BUTTE, MONTANA

On November 9, 1973, [redacted] was incarcerated in the Silver Bow County Jail, Butte, Montana, on an Unlawful Flight to Avoid Confinement - Escape on a charge of kidnaping from Florida.

[redacted] was interviewed regarding his activities on June 24, 25 and on July 31, 1973. He stated that during this period of time he was employed at the Eastern Star Home on Sunset Boulevard in Los Angeles, California. He stated he used the name, [redacted] and worked for a [redacted] He was employed from April through October when he left as a result of a drinking problem.

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AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA

On December 12, 1973, [redacted] Administrator, [redacted] Los Angeles, California, advised an individual known to him as [redacted] date of birth [redacted] at [redacted], Social Security Account Number [redacted], was employed at the home from April 27, 1973 to June 1, 1973 and from June 7, 1973 to October 23, 1973. [redacted] worked as a [redacted] and was dismissed on June 1, 1973 and October 23, 1973 due to drunkenness. [redacted] resided in employees' quarters at the home and was never gone from the home for more than one day at a time.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA BYRON H. DUNBAR:

AT THREE FORKS, MONTANA

Three Forks, advised as follows:

came to Three Forks from Bridger about February or March, 1973, to work for are a large group of ranches throughout the western part of the United States owned primarily by lives in Phoenix, Arizona, maintains an office in Boulder, Colorado, and spends most of his time on the road between various ranches. did purchase ranch west of Three Forks early in the year 1973.

advised during the time worked for the he ostensibly was the of the ranch at Three Forks; however, had little knowledge of cattle, spent most of his time chasing women, running up bills on the and acting the part of the big rancher.

advised that during the time of the kidnaping, June 25, 1973, was on the ranch and was at the ranch following being missing. He stated to that he had volunteered to ride for her and help in the searches and consequently was not around the ranch during the week immediately following the kidnaping.

left approximately July 5, 1973, by charter plane, which he chartered at FLIGHT LINE, INC., Bozeman, charging same to He has not been back since. He also charged bills at GAMBLES, local grocery stores, etc.

During the time he was at the ranch he billed the following phone calls to Telephone #

June 7, 1973

Telephone #

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June 9, 1973
[redacted]
Telephone #[redacted]

June 9, 1973
[redacted]
Telephone #[redacted]

June 9, 1973
Pocatello, Idaho
Telephone #[redacted]

[redacted] advised that [redacted] did come from Bridger and his [redacted] still reside in Bridger or Fromberg.

During the time he was in Three Forks, he primarily dated [redacted] who has since left the area and probably is the person in Pocatello, Idaho, Telephone #[redacted]

Records, Three Forks Post Office, as obtained September 17, 1973, reflect [redacted] moved from Three Forks to the [redacted] Hagerman, Idaho.

[redacted] is described as follows:

Race	White
Sex	Male
Age	
Height	
Weight	
Hair	
Face	
Dress	

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted]:

AT BRIDGER, MONTANA

[redacted] Bridger, advised that she had no record of a [redacted] residing in Bridger and/or any forwarding address for him.

AT RED LODGE, MONTANA

[redacted] Deputy Sheriff, Red Lodge, advised that on November 13, 1973, that a check of her records was made with negative results concerning [redacted]

AT BRIDGER, MONTANA

[redacted] Deputy Sheriff, Carbon County, advised on November 13, 1973, that a [redacted] had been employed at a bar in Bridger, Montana, a couple of years ago for a short time; however, he did not know where he resided as he has left the Bridger area and he does not know his present whereabouts.

[redacted] stated that he did not know of any individual who could be considered [redacted] in the Bridger area.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA BYRON H. DUNBAR: b6 b7C

AT BOZEMAN, MONTANA

A pretext telephone call was made to Pocatello, Idaho, Telephone # [redacted] by SA DUNBAR on January 23, 1974. The person answering the telephone identified himself as [redacted] the subscriber, and advised he was not acquainted with [redacted] and could furnish no information pertaining to him.

[redacted] Willow Creek, advised on November 8, 1973, that she did date [redacted] during the spring of 1973; however, during this time all he told her was that he came from Texas; had a [redacted] in [redacted]

[redacted] advised that she has not seen [redacted] subsequent to June 1, 1973, when she went on vacation to the State of Iowa. Just prior to this she and MISTOVE had a fight, and she does not know when he left the Three Forks area and could furnish no information as to whether or not he could be responsible for captioned case.

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AT CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

Field Representative, Chicago, advised on November 9, 1973, Social Security Account #, joined the Union in March, 1973. He was removed from union rolls on June 8, 1973, for non-payment of dues. While a member of the Union, he was employed by Illinois, as a driver. His residence was listed as Chicago. ILL

On November 13, 1973, advised was employed as a driver from April 3, 1973, until June 8, 1973, at which time he was terminated for failure to pass a physical examination. advised it was his recollection there was something wrong with back. ORC

application lists his date of birth as He is described as follows:

Height
Weight
Hair

Listed as

Previous Employments listed previous employment with

listed as references the following:

Person to notify in case of emergency was Butte, Montana, Telephone #

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[redacted] advised [redacted] was divorced; however, he was living with a woman, name unknown. AFTER [redacted] termination, this woman called [redacted] to ask him if he knew [redacted] whereabouts.

In addition, an automobile agency has contacted [redacted] inquiring about [redacted] whereabouts. [redacted] advised [redacted] apparently purchased a new car and is behind on payments.

AT FRANKLIN PARK, ILLINOIS

On December 14, 1973, [redacted], advised his company has received a notice from the Department of Labor, State of Illinois, that [redacted] filed an interstate claim for unemployment in Portland, Oregon, on December 10, 1973.

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It is noted that [redacted] date of birth - [redacted] South Dakota, is listed in the Montana Crime Bulletin as having been received on May 14, 1970, in the State Penitentiary from Silver Gate, Montana, having been sentenced to ten years on a charge of rape. He was released on parole, which parole expires July 29, 1979.

AT SISSETON, SOUTH DAKOTA

Chief of Police ROBERT AKIN, Sisseton, advised that [redacted] has been in the Sisseton area during 1973.

The following investigation was conducted by SA BYRON H. DUNBAR:

AT BOZEMAN, MONTANA

[redacted] State of Montana, Board of Pardon and Parole, advised as follows and same was furnished Minneapolis January 11, 1974:

A parole violator's warrant was issued September 18, 1972, by the Montana Board of Pardons. [redacted] will be extradited as a parole violator by authority of [redacted] Montana Board of Pardons.

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[redacted] was contacted at the Cascade County Jail by Special Agents [redacted] and [redacted]. He was informed an interview was desired concerning the possible kidnaping of young girls in Montana during June and July, 1973. A form, "Interrogation: Advice of Rights," was read to [redacted] by Special Agent [redacted] and [redacted] stated he understood his rights. He said he was willing to talk to Special Agents [redacted] and [redacted] but he was unwilling to sign the waiver form.

[redacted] stated that he was employed under the name of [redacted] at the [redacted] Vaughn, Montana, on June 25, 1973, and July 31, 1973, and was at work on both dates. He denied any involvement in the disappearance of young girls at Three Forks, Montana, and Marion, Montana.

[redacted] furnished the following descriptive information:

Race	White
Sex	Male
Date of Birth	[redacted]
Place of Birth	Pennsylvania
Height	[redacted]
Weight	[redacted]
Hair	[redacted]
Eyes	[redacted]
Complexion	[redacted]
Marks	[redacted]
Occupations	[redacted]

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by SA [redacted] and SA RWD/imw Date dictated 8/23/73

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[redacted] Vaughn, Montana, furnished the following information:

He employed [redacted] at his [redacted] at Vaughn under the name of [redacted] He reviewed records and stated [redacted] worked the entire day of June 25, 1973, and was present during the previous night. He said [redacted] worked during the morning of July 31, 1973, and was taken to Great Falls, Montana, by [redacted] at about 1:00 p.m. and returned to the [redacted] by [redacted] at about 5:00 p.m.

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[redacted] states he is certain [redacted] could not have been at Three Forks, Montana, on June 25, 1973, or at Marion, Montana, on July 31, 1973.

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[redacted] District Parole Officer, Montana State Board of Pardons, furnished the following information:

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DONALD POWELL B. APPROX. 1913

DONALD POWELL, 61 years of age, is a prominent rancher, wealthy, and a leader of the Seventh Day Adventist Church in the area. He is currently out on bond after having been charged with molesting a nine-year-old girl, which occurred after the disappearance of SUSAN JAEGER. The POWELL ranch is approximately twenty-five miles from the Three Rivers Headwaters State Park, where SUSAN JAEGER disappeared.

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The POWELL family had visitors at their ranch from June 21, 1973, to June 23, 1973. The visitors were Mr. and [redacted] Green Bay, Wisconsin. They were traveling in a Winnebago motor home with their four [redacted] They apparently are members of the Seventh Day Adventist Church. The JAEGER girl disappeared sometime between the hours of 2:00 a.m. and 4:00 a.m., June 25, 1973.

Mr. and Mrs. POWELL claim they had attended a church meeting on the night of June 24, 1973. After this, they were home and in bed all night.

AT GREEN BAY, WISCONSIN

Numerous attempts to contact the [redacted] family at [redacted] Green Bay, during period of October 15, 1973, through November 9, 1973, have been unproductive.

The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted] at Green Bay (Brown County):

On November 12, 1973, [redacted] Green Bay, was contacted at his residence.

[redacted] stated that during the summer of 1973, he and his family traveled from Green Bay, Wisconsin, to California and returned in a Winnebago Motor Home. He stated his family consisted of his [redacted] his [redacted] and [redacted] and his four [redacted] stated that the family left Green Bay on June 18, 1973, and the first night was spent in South Dakota (June 19, 1973); the second night in Rapid City, South Dakota (June 20, 1973), and the third night in the vicinity of Yellowstone National Park (June 21, 1973). He stated that during the period of June 22, 1973, through June 23, 1973, the family "parked the motor home" in the vicinity of the DON POWELL Ranch, which is located between Cardwell, Montana, and Whitehall, Montana.

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[redacted] explained that he had met DON POWELL approximately three years ago when he and three other friends had traveled from Wisconsin to Montana to spend a week in the mountains. He explained that on the previous trips to Montana, he and his male friends had spent time in a mountain cabin, which was used by herdsmen when they had cattle in the mountains during the summer months. He further stated that since he and his family had planned the trip to California, the stop at the DON POWELL Ranch seemed logical.

He stated that while they were visiting the DON POWELL Ranch, the [redacted] family was in need of utilizing a laundry facility and DON POWELL had volunteered to allow the family to use his vehicle to go to the nearest town to wash and dry clothing.

[redacted] explained that during the trip, the vehicle owned by POWELL had run out of gas and, therefore, an individual believed to be a neighboring medical doctor, had stopped to allow them transportation to the nearest town, at which time the doctor loaned his vehicle to them to make their return trip to the stranded vehicle.

[redacted] further explained that the POWELL Ranch was located just south of the "old Hollowtop Mountain" and was located in the beginning of a dead end valley.

[redacted] confirmed that the family left the POWELL Ranch on June 23, 1973, and proceeded onto the area of California/Oregon prior to their return to Green Bay on July 2, 1973.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA

AT GREAT FALLS, MONTANA

On October 3, 1973, Lieutenant Intelligence Division, Great Falls Police Department, advised SA that he had received information from and Great Falls, that they had employed a as a clean-up man on April 11, 1973. He left his employment shortly before Victim was kidnaped and has apparently been moving frequently since that time.

said the had suggested as a suspect in this matter, inasmuch as he reportedly liked to camp and had mentioned to employees that he is divorced and was barred from seeing his grandchildren.

are aware of frequent moves by as they had to forward his final pay check to several addresses before he received and cashed the check.

who is described as follows, in application for employment indicated he was employed by Michigan, Supervisor from April, 1968, to August, 1971, and January, 1972, to March, 1973:

Age	
Race	White
Sex	Male
Height	
Weight	

B. APPROX

He operated a 1962 or 1963 Oldsmobile, four-door, green with black top, license unknown. He listed his driver's license as # state not shown, but possibly Michigan.

In application, listed an address of Great Falls. furnished additional addresses as follows:

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[redacted]
Great Falls
Telephone #[redacted]
A trailer court

[redacted]
Pottersville, Michigan

[redacted]
Lansing, Michigan, 48924

[redacted]
Tempe, Arizona
(cashed last pay check from [redacted] in Arizona)

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[redacted] arrested January 6, 1974, at 3:20 a.m., following picking up of two thirteen-year-old girls at Spokane, Washington, and transporting them to within the State of Idaho. [redacted] has a lengthy record, including arrests at Spokane.

RICHMOND was indicted by a Federal Grand Jury on January 15, 1974, on a charge of kidnaping; arraigned January 18, 1974, and remanded to custody in Kootenai County, Coeur d'Alene, Idaho, in lieu of bond.

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AT POCATELLO, IDAHO

[redacted] voluntarily surrendered himself to the Idaho State Police, Pocatello, September 13, 1973, in possession of a vehicle stolen in Nebraska. [redacted] admitted stealing the vehicle in Morrill, Nebraska, and driving it through South Dakota, Montana, and Yellowstone Park to Idaho. At the present time [redacted] is in custody of the U. S. Marshal and undergoing psychiatric examination at Boise, Idaho.

Review of Subject's FBI Identification Record under #[redacted] indicates an extensive arrest record dating back to October 9, 1945, including the arrest on March 11, 1965, under the name [redacted] at Florence, Arizona, for crime of "child stealing & T by emb," no disposition shown.

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[redacted]

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AT CONGERS, NEW YORK

On January 8, 1974, Mrs. LOUISE SEVILLE, Postmaster, Congers, advised that [redacted] formerly resided at 119 Massachusetts Avenue, Congers; however, she said that in October, 1973, [redacted] furnished a change of address to Lamont Observatory, Palisades, New York.

On January 8, 1974, [redacted] Security Officer, [redacted] of [redacted] Palisades, New York, advised that [redacted] is presently employed by the [redacted] as a [redacted] and has been so employed since October, 1973. He said [redacted] is presently on an ocean research mission on board [redacted] doing ocean research for the [redacted] He said that missions of this type could last as long as a year or two years and at the present time [redacted] is aboard ship.

He said that [redacted] has been employed by the [redacted] on various research missions since 1962. He said that [redacted] is considered an excellent employee and no unfavorable information is recorded concerning his reputation.

He said that prior to this present missin [redacted] was on leave of absence from January 3, 1973, to October, 1973.

By way of background of [redacted] he advised that [redacted] was born on [redacted] and is described as follows:

Height
Weight
Social Security # [redacted]

In care of emergency, person to be notified is [redacted], New York.

[redacted] graduated from [redacted] New York, High School in 1950, received his B. A. in Geology from [redacted] in 1954 and did graduate work at the [redacted] from 1960 to 1962.

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AT WEST YELLOWSTONE, MONTANA

Investigation at West Yellowstone, Montana, indicates the carnival referred to with regard to suspect is Investigation at West Yellowstone reflects that has an address of Santa Ana, California. The owner if Agreements have been signed by two telephone numbers for are # and #

The following investigation was conducted by SA :

AT BLACKFOOT, IDAHO

On November 2, 1973, Clerk, Chamber of Commerce, Blackfoot, advised that their records reflect the appeared at Blackfoot, Idaho, at the Eastern Idaho State Fair in September, 1973. She indicated that the address, which they have is Santa Ana, California. The owner is reflected as

stated that when the contracts were signed with the City of Blackfoot the person doing the signing for was and she stated that it would indicate that he was possibly the manager of the shows.

She advised that their records reflect that has an office at Santa Ana, California, and also at Las Vegas, Nevada.

She indicated that she had recorded two telephone numbers for the which are:

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She stated that there is no other information, which would assist in location of the

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AT LAS VEGAS, NEVADA

On November 22, 1973, [redacted] Records Clerk at the Las Vegas City Licensing Department, Las Vegas, advised that [redacted] applied for a license within the city limits to operate a show for a four-day period during November. They have since left the city; destination unknown.

[redacted] was requested to contact the FBI should [redacted] return to the Las Vegas area.

AT SANTA ANA, CALIFORNIA

On November 13, 1973, it was determined that the telephone #[redacted] is a disconnected number and has not been in service since June, 1973. No previous listing could be located concerning this number.

The number, #[redacted] was called on November 16, 20, 27 and December 10, 1973, with negative results. The phone would ring, but no one would answer. These calls were made at various times between the hours of 6:30 a.m. and 9:00 p.m.

On December 17, 1973, attempts were made to locate [redacted] at 202 North Sullivan Street, Santa Ana, California, with negative results. It is noted that this address is a large vacant lot, which appears to have the remnants of carnival wagons in it. There was no residence or other structures connected to this address.

A check of the Santa Ana Post Office contains no information indicating the [redacted] receive mail at this address nor is there any indication that [redacted] receives mail at this address. The Post Office carries 202 North Sullivan as a vacant lot.

On January 7, 1974, records of the [redacted] were checked concerning #[redacted] These records indicate that this number is listed to [redacted] Santa Ana, California (in a trailer). It is noted that these telephone records contained information that this number has been disconnected off and on for the past nine months. There is no evidence that anyone by the name of [redacted] or [redacted] who signed the agreements for the [redacted] in West Yellowstone, Montana, has ever used this number.

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On January 9, 1974, records of the Orange County Sheriff's Office and the Santa Ana Police Department were checked for information concerning a [redacted] and [redacted] with negative results.

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On October 25, 1973, [redacted] reported absent on August 2, 1973, and dropped from the rolls as a deserter on August 31, 1973, from [redacted] Fort Lewis, Washington, was arrested by Bureau Agents and officers from the Dunkirk, Indiana, Police Department. He has subsequently been charged with a murder, which occurred on September 30, 1973, in rural Newaygo County, Michigan, in which the Victim, JOHN BENE, a white male, 41 years of age, was shot in the back of the head with a .22 caliber rifle. The Victim's [redacted] years of age, was assaulted and stabbed, but survived. Officers investigating the incident have concluded it was a sex crime. [redacted] is currently being held in the Newago County Jail, White Cloud, Michigan.

[redacted], at the time of the murder, had been camping in a tent in the area of the crime scene. He is previously known to have done considerable camping with a fold-down camper trailer. A search of his residence after his arrest resulted in the seizure of several hunting knives along with a .22 caliber semi-automatic rifle.

Since being stationed at Fort Lewis, Washington, [redacted] has reportedly made several trips back and forth between Michigan and Washington. His latest vehicle was a 1967 Buick, four-door, brown with a black vinyl top, bearing 1973 Michigan License # [redacted] This vehicle was registered by [redacted] in Michigan on May 16, 1973.

[redacted] is described as follows:

Race	White
Sex	Male
Date of Birth	[redacted]
Place of Birth	
Height	
Weight	
Hair	
Eyes	
Social Security #	
Education	Graduate from [redacted] High School

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AT KALISPELL, MONTANA

[redacted] Deputy Sheriff, Conrad, Montana, advised on November 7, 1973, [redacted] from the Kalispell, Montana, area is presently on probation (check charge); probation officer - [redacted] Parole Officer, Kalispell, Montana.

[redacted] advised [redacted] had been arrested in Conrad for a parole violation and is an extremely strange type of person. Immediately following his arrest he started talking about the kidnaping in instant matter, as well as the kidnaping of KAREN TYLER and JESSICA WESTPHAL at Marion, Montana, July 31, 1973. He stated to [redacted] that all of the girls were dead; however, did not, could not or would not further document the basis for this conclusion.

[redacted] advised that [redacted] Parole Officer, Kalispell, would have physical description and know of whereabouts of [redacted] who is believed now to be in Utah.

The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted]

On November 12, 1973, [redacted] Juvenile Probation Officer, Kalispell, Montana, advised that [redacted] who is described as follows, is a known car thief and runaway from the area many times:

Date of Birth [redacted]
Place of Birth Montana
Height
Weight
Eyes
Hair
Build
Mother

He stated that the last time he had ever heard from [redacted] he was in Hamilton, Montana, and the Denver area. He stated the suspect is a mental case with no history of molesting or homosexual tendencies. He stated he steals cars and runs away.

He could not verify his whereabouts on June 24, 1973, or on July 31, 1973, but felt he was in the Denver area and there may have been an inquiry from Utah. Since his office does have a file the suspect is unsupervised and they have no record of his whereabouts.

[redacted] stated he believed the suspect may have also been in the Cut Bank and Conrad area during the above-mentioned dates. b6 b7C

On January 7, 1974, [redacted] was again contacted and stated the suspect is now [redacted] years of age and they could care less about his activities. They were in contact with the suspect's [redacted] who resides in Whitefish, Montana, between Christmas and New Years and she had no idea as to his current whereabouts.

AT WHITEFISH, MONTANA

On January 24, 1974, [redacted] was interviewed at his residence in Whitefish, Montana.

It should be noted that he is mentally unstable and the interview was conducted in the presence of his [redacted] who is also unstable. [redacted] is currently being sent to the Veterans Administration Mental Ward in Sheridan, Wyoming.

He stated that during June and July of 1973, he was employed for the [redacted] in Dupuyer, Montana. He was later arrested in Conrad and his [redacted] came to get him and when they arrived in Martin City, Montana, he ran away from his [redacted] and left for California. He was run out of Utah and taken by car to the Nevada state line and dropped off. In Nevada, the police took him to the California line and dropped him off and when he arrived in California he was arrested in Los Angeles for loitering and was about to receive one year as an unsupervised juvenile when his [redacted] came and got him and he returned to Whitefish on January 23, 1974.

He stated the reason he was asking questions about the girls from Marion and Three Forks at the time of his arrest was because of the reward offered and he wanted to start looking for them.

He could offer no positive information and it is again noted he is very unstable.

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[redacted] B. APPROX [redacted]

SA [redacted] Coeur d'Alene, Idaho, advised that a [redacted] white male, age [redacted] believed to have been convicted of rape at Kalispell, Montana, is presently a suspect in two murder cases at Coeur d'Alene, Idaho. [redacted] is believed to be an employee of the [redacted] in Coeur d'Alene, Idaho.

(The above information was furnished on January 29, 1974.)

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BURT (NMN) STURGEON

The Gardena, California, Police Department sent the following teletype on November 23, 1973:

BRET (NMN) STURGEON, white male, Age 61, date of birth - December 31, 1912, 180 pounds, black hair, brown eyes, also known as GORDON GREENTREE, is suspect kidnaping, child molestation and rape.

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Victims, two white females, juveniles, four and seven years of age. Modus Operandi regarding child molestation set forth. States Suspect cooperative, but obviously has mental condition. Stated had been in area approximately three weeks coming from Indianapolis, Indiana, where has [redacted]. Also has [redacted] Benton Harbor, Michigan. Unknown street addresses or telephone numbers either [redacted]

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On November 29, 1973, Sergeant [redacted], Police Department, Gardena, California, advised that BERT STURGEON, also known as Paul David Burkett, Jimmy Jackson, Gordon Greentree, had been arrested by the Huntington Beach, California, Police Department, at 3:30 p.m., November 21, 1973, and thereafter transported to the Gardena, California, Police Department on a kidnapping charge. Sergeant [redacted] said that STURGEON was in the Los Angeles County Jail.

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BERT STURGEON, Booking Number 2683956, was contacted at the Los Angeles County Jail, Los Angeles, California, where he is presently incarcerated on a local kidnaping charge. STURGEON was advised he was being contacted regarding his whereabouts during June, July and August 1973, and was orally advised of his rights. STURGEON was provided with a form entitled "Interrogation; Advice of Rights" which he read, stated he understood and signed.

STURGEON advised that during the above period of time he was employed under his true name for an unrecalled county in Indiana cutting grass along the roadside. He stated he cannot recall the city where he resided during this period but stated it is located approximately sixty miles west of Indianapolis, Indiana. He stated he was fired during August or September 1973, for cutting grass on the wrong roadway. He does not recall the name of his supervisor or any of his co-workers.

BRET STURGEON

STURGEON is described as follows:

Name	BURT (NMN) STURGEON
Aliases	Paul David Burkett Jimmy Jackson Gordon Greentree
Race	White
Sex	Male
Nationality	American
Date of birth	December 31, 1910, at Tondawande, New York December 31, 1912, at Hollywood, Florida
Height	5'7"
Weight	180 pounds
Hair	Black
Eyes	Brown
Social Security Account Number	383-26-1853

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Marital Status — Widower

[redacted]

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Indianapolis, Indiana

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[redacted] (NMN) [redacted]

AT KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI

Kansas City has been unable to determine the whereabouts of [redacted]

The Kansas City, Missouri, Police Department Computerized Criminal Alert System reflects numerous references for a [redacted] with possible initials, [redacted] Without additional information it would be impossible to further identify [redacted]

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The following investigation was conducted by SA

AT HELENA, MONTANA

Re:
GALLATIN COUNTY
SHERIFF'S OFFICE #

On November 5, 1973, Montana Identification Bureau, advised there are too many in these records to search without further identifying information.

On November 6, 1973, , Dispatcher, Helena Police Department, and Dispatcher, Lewis and Clark County Sheriff's Office, advised they have numerous in file, too numerous to check without a date of birth or other identifier.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted] on November 11, 1973:

AT KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI

[redacted] Kansas City, advised that a woman and her son, named [redacted] once lived in her upstairs apartment, but they moved over fifteen years ago. [redacted] could not remember the first names of these people and stated she does not have records for that far back.

[redacted] U. S. Postal Inspector's Office, Kansas City, Missouri, advised that they do not keep records that far back for a change of address.

The following investigation was conducted by SA BYRON H. DUNBAR:

AT BOZEMAN, MONTANA

Records of the Gallatin County Sheriff's Office, Gallatin County Court Clerk, were again referred to on January 18, 1974. A determination was made that old records were contained in the basement of the court house in Gallatin County. These were procured and the following was found concerning [redacted] (NMN) [redacted] Gallatin County Sheriff's Office #[redacted]:

Date of Birth
Place of Birth
Height
Weight
Eyes
Hair
Build
Tattoo
Arrests

[redacted]

Indicated at Olathe, Kansas; Pound-Brook, New Jersey, and Santa Ana, California

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On August 24, 1973, the Butte Office received a call from an individual who declined to identify himself, but who advised as follows:

The caller said his [redacted] works at Warm Springs, Montana, and told him that the Halfway House, Butte, Montana, brought a man by the name of [redacted] (FIRST NAME UNKNOWN) to Warm Springs, August 23, 1973, who had a loaded gun and several pair of "little girls" underwear in his suitcase. The caller advised the underwear was of the size range to fit a six to ten years old girl and appeared to have been worn, having stains in the crotch area. The man committed is slim, red-blond hair, [redacted] years, mildly retarded with slight speech impediment. He was committed as an alcoholic.

The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted]

AT WARM SPRINGS, MONTANA

B. [redacted]

Investigation at the State Hospital, Warm Springs, determined that one [redacted] voluntarily committed himself to that hospital on August 23, 1973, for alcoholism. He left the hospital on August 26, 1973. His address was listed as General Delivery, Butte, Montana. He was a white male and occupation was listed as offset painter, Social Security # [redacted] His next of kin was listed as [redacted] whose relationship was listed as counselor and address as [redacted] Butte, Montana. His birth place and citizenship was listed as [redacted]

AT BUTTE, MONTANA

[redacted] Executive Director, Community Health Services for Alcoholism, 603 West Porphyry, Butte, advised he remembers [redacted] was referred to this agency by [redacted] St. Ann's Catholic Church. [redacted] stated that one of his counselors, [redacted] took [redacted] to Warm Springs on August 23, 1973, for treatment for alcoholism, but [redacted] was dissatisfied at Warm Springs and returned to Butte on August 26, 1973. [redacted] said [redacted] did not return to this agency after he returned to Butte. He said he saw [redacted] in downtown Butte one or two occasions after he returned, but has not seen him now for several weeks and believes he may have left Butte.

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[redacted] St. Ann's Catholic Church, Butte, advised [redacted] came to him on August 23, 1973, and said he had come to Butte from Seattle, Washington. He said [redacted] seemed to have an extensive knowledge about the Catholic Church and claimed he had once been in a monastery.

[redacted] said he referred [redacted] to the Community Health Services for Alcoholism and knew that he had been taken to Warm Springs by that agency. He stated he had not seen [redacted] since he came back to Butte from Warm Springs, but had received a letter from him, which he destroyed. [redacted] said this letter explained [redacted] dissatisfaction with Warm Springs and also mentioned that personnel at Warm Springs made a note of the fact that he had a revolver in his suitcase. [redacted] said in this letter that this revolver was actually a blank revolver.

[redacted] said he made no mention of little girls underwear in his suitcase. [redacted] further advised the only address he had for [redacted] was the [redacted] in Butte.

[redacted] Butte, advised [redacted] left these apartments on September 17, 1973, and stated he owed back rent from August 26, 1973, to September 17, 1973. She stated [redacted] was an alcoholic, but did not cause any problems while he stayed at the [redacted] She said he told her he had a job at a printing company in Butte, but after he left she checked with this company and they told her that they had offered him a job, but he had not shown up for work. She further advised she is certain that [redacted] is no longer in Butte, because she knows the bars where he used to "hang out" and no one has seen him since September 17, 1973.

The Identification Division furnished the following Identification Record for [redacted] under FBI # [redacted] as of December 11, 1973.

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The following investigation was conducted on January 21, 1974:

AT MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN

Milwaukee Police Department records reflect [redacted] white male, date of birth - [redacted] FBI # [redacted] was arrested on October 11, 1973, carrying a concealed weapon (a starter pistol). The warrant was refused by the Milwaukee County District Attorney's Office, October 12, 1973. [redacted] address at the time of arrest was listed as [redacted] which is the [redacted] for Milwaukee.

On January 23, 1974, inquiry at the [redacted] reflected [redacted] registered at that address during the period October 5 through October 23, 1973. He listed a previous address of [redacted] Madison, Wisconsin, and an employment address of [redacted] Milwaukee. The registration records reflected an emergency contact of [redacted] Ohio.

On January 28, 1974, [redacted] indicated [redacted] applied for a job as a printer during the fall of 1973. A position was offered; however, he failed to show up for work.

A review of telephone logs at [redacted] reflects the following information:

On October 8, 1973, a [redacted] Milwaukee Telephone # [redacted] contacted [redacted] concerning employment for [redacted]

On October 15, 1973, a [redacted] called [redacted] from Kalamazoo, Michigan, to verify [redacted] job. He was advised that [redacted] had no such job, inasmuch as he had failed to show up for work.

On October 22, 1973, a [redacted] of Lansing, Michigan, telephonically contacted [redacted] on behalf of [redacted] who wanted money to take the ferry from Ludington, Michigan, to Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

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On January 28, 1974, [redacted] stated [redacted] appeared unannounced during September or October, 1973. He was brought to Milwaukee by [redacted] a Pastor of a Lutheran church in Madison, Wisconsin. [redacted] stated he had very little contact with [redacted] however, [redacted] indicated his [redacted] resided in the Kalamazoo, Michigan area and indicated he was going to visit him. [redacted] was always alone.

[redacted] stated he last saw him approximately two weeks after his initial appearance. He further stated he has no idea of his present whereabouts.

[redacted] stated that [redacted] is a very nervous individual and takes Vallium (a tranquilizer), drinks to excess and is partially deaf. He wears a hearing aid and claims to have been [redacted] in Baltimore, Maryland.

The following is a description as obtained from Milwaukee Police Department records:

Race	Caucasian
Sex	Male
Date of Birth	[redacted]
Place of Birth	
Height	
Weight	
Hair	
Complexion	
Tattoo	
Characteristics	

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[redacted] voluntarily appeared at the Missoula, Montana, Federal Bureau of Investigation Office and was interviewed by Special Agent [redacted]

[redacted] advised after reviewing his daily report ledger, which he maintains in order to complete his Federal income tax he has noted the below-listed individuals along with the dates contacted:

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June 25, 1973:

[redacted]
Lolo, Montana

[redacted]
(delivered policy)
Stevensville, Montana

[redacted]
Stevensville, Montana

[redacted]
Attorney
(deliver policy)
Hamilton, Montana

[redacted]
Hamilton, Montana

A review of the ledger furnished by [redacted] further reveals on June 26, 1973, all his work was confined in the Missoula, Montana, area.

A review of day for June 27, 1973, revealed that [redacted] left Missoula, Montana, en route to Polson, Montana, where he reported back to Missoula the same night.

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by SA [redacted] tmw 187 Date dictated 1/23/74

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A review of the daily report ledger furnished by [redacted] revealed that on July 30, 1973, [redacted] was at a sales meeting for the [redacted] On July 31, 1973, he contacted the below-listed individuals, all at Missoula, Montana:

[redacted]
(delivered check)

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[redacted]

[redacted]
(wrote policy same day)

[redacted]

This ledger further revealed that on August 1, 1973, [redacted] left Missoula, Montana, en route to Polson, Montana, where he returned the same night.

[redacted] advised on August 2, 1973, his work was confined completely in Missoula, Montana, where he even contacted the [redacted] in Missoula, [redacted] concerning a family problem.

[redacted] advised all the information furnished above could be verified, if necessary, through policy dates and by contacting individuals cited above.

[redacted] advised that he is presently employed by the [redacted] and, if needed in the future, could be contacted at that location.

The following description was obtained through observation and interview:

Name [redacted]
Sex Male
Race White
Date of Birth [redacted]
Place of Birth [redacted] MONT

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Height
Weight
Eyes
Hair
Address General Delivery
Stevensville, Montana

Marital Status Married
Wife [redacted] marriage)

Occupation Salesman
Employer [redacted]
Missoula, Montana

Social Security # [redacted]
Montana License #

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[redacted] (LNU)

The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted]

AT MILES CITY, MONTANA

On July 19, 1973, SA [redacted] ascertained from the Sheriff's Office at Wibaux, Montana, that [redacted] had been picked up at Wibaux, Montana, and placed in jail as a runaway to be held for her [redacted] who was coming from Great Falls, Montana, to pick her up. The Sheriff at Wibaux advised, however, that [redacted] was currently being held at the Dawson County Jail in Glendive, Montana, awaiting arrival of her [redacted]

AT GLENDIVE, MONTANA

On July 19, 1973, SA [redacted] interviewed [redacted] described as follows, at the Dawson County Sheriff's Office in Glendive, Montana:

Race	White
Sex	Female
Nationality	American
Date of Birth	[redacted]
Place of Birth	Great Falls, Montana
Address	[redacted]
	Great Falls, Montana
Father	[redacted]
Mother	

[redacted] is in the [redacted] grade attenting high school in Great Falls and is admittedly a runaway. She stated that she had no specific information concerning the kidnaping of SUSAN MARIE JAEGER, but she speculated that there were some persons in the Great Falls area, who might be able to furnish some information concerning the kidnaping. When asked what she based this assumption on, she advised that just after the kidnaping occurred, a man known only to her as [redacted] (LNU) had suddenly left the Great Falls area and was well known to the police authorities and to one [redacted] also of Great Falls.

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[redacted] speculated that [redacted] (LNU) could well have been involved in or have knowledge of the kidnaping case involving SUSAN MARIE JAEGER. She described [redacted] (LNU) as:

Race	White
Sex	Male
Nationality	American
Age	About [redacted]
Height	[redacted]
Weight	[redacted]
Complexion	
Hair	

B. APPROX [redacted]

She stated that he is originally from Boston, Massachusetts, and to the best of her knowledge she believes that he left Great Falls to return to Boston. She was unable to furnish his address in Boston and did not know the names of any of his relatives or associates in Boston.

[redacted] was unable to furnish any other information concerning the kidnaping of JAEGER.

It is pointed out that [redacted] admitted to SA [redacted] that she has used considerable hard drugs in the past and it was noted by observation by SA [redacted] that [redacted] seems to possess a tremendous amount of information about all types of drugs and criminal activities all over the country, but when actually asked to be specific, she is unable to do so.

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[redacted]

(True Name [redacted]

[redacted] identified through description of vehicle and was arrested by Riverside Sheriff's Office Deputies, Blythe, California, October 26, 1973, at his residence, [redacted] Parked at apartment was a 1973 Chevrolet Cheyenne Custom Pickup, bearing Idaho License # [redacted] Vehicle was beige in color with dark brown panel stripes down side and shell camper on back. Pickup seized as evidence and stored Riverside County Garage, Blythe. No hit was obtained on above Idaho license; however, hit was obtained for Vehicle Identification # [redacted] showing pickup entered as stolen January 1, 1973, by Twin Falls, Idaho, Police Department.

Victim, Age 9, and her 7-year-old brother got off school bus about 2:00 p.m., October 26, 1973, in rural area vicinity Blythe and were walking home. [redacted] was laying under pickup as though he was fixing same and said to Victim, "Hi, come here. I need your help." Victim backed away and Subject [redacted] grabbed her and put her in pickup. They drove off with Victim screaming. Victim's brother, [redacted] ran home and Riverside Sheriff's Office, Blythe, was notified.

Victim says she was forced to floorboard of pickup and held there with [redacted] foot. She later sat up and they drove across Colorado River Bridge into Arizona on Interstate 10 and then south on dirt road along Colorado River about two miles, where [redacted] stopped in remote desert area. He ordered Victim into camper shell and forced her to disrobe and attempted to rape Victim; however, she fought and he was unable to make entry. He used much profanity and attempted to force her to orally copulate him; however, she still fought back. He then placed rope around Victim's neck and tightened it telling her he would kill her if she did not submit and orally copulate him. He was eventually successful. Victim has rope burns all around her neck.

[redacted] thereafter had her dress and took her away from camper where he left her in desert and quickly drove off. She saw two men in nearby field, ran to them and they took her to Riverside Sheriff's Office, Blythe.

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Victim identified [redacted] as her assailant from line-up held October 27, 1973. She also identified pickup and described several items in the pickup and camper shell, which have been located. Search warrant obtained for vehicle, which was processed by Riverside Sheriff's Office Laboratory technicians. [redacted] declined to be interviewed and said he wanted attorney.

[redacted] has no identification; however, furnished name as [redacted] date of birth [redacted] He is described as follows:

Race	White
Sex	Male
Height	[redacted]
Weight	[redacted]
Hair	[redacted]
Eyes	[redacted]
Tattoos	[redacted]

ARIZ IDAHO

He may be identical with [redacted] also known as [redacted] born [redacted] same physical description, FBI # [redacted]

U. S. Attorney WILLIAM D. KELLER, Los Angeles, authorized prosecution of [redacted] for kidnaping and interstate transportation of stolen motor vehicle and recommended $50,000.00 bond. [redacted] currently confined Riverside County Jail, Blythe, and will be taken before U. S. Magistrate, Riverside, California, Monday, October 29, 1973.

Photographs, as well as soil and weed samples, were obtained. Victim and [redacted] clothing were obtained and hair, saliva and blood samples were taken. Semen sample taken from [redacted]

In vehicle was Work Referral Card from Department of Human Resources, Blythe, in name [redacted] Social Security # [redacted] dated October 16, 1973, to the [redacted] Arizona. This may be alias.

Business cards of [redacted] Department of Probation and Parole, State of Idaho, Twin Falls, Idaho,

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and [redacted] Parole Agent, State of California, Los Angeles, California, were also located. These may be his parole officers.

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[redacted] was contacted at [redacted] California. She has telephone number [redacted] She stated that she was the [redacted] of [redacted] who is married to [redacted]

[redacted] recalled that [redacted] and [redacted] had been together for about four years. She said that he worked off and on at various locations such as service stations and part-time on occasion for his [redacted] who has [redacted] She stated he worked at these locations for such short times and went from job to job so often that she could not give his locations of employments over the past years. She said that during 1973 she could remember some of the movements of [redacted] and [redacted] She believed that as of January the first 1973 they were living in [redacted] and he was working at a [redacted] somewhere in the [redacted] area. She believed he worked there approximately one month and then went to work at a [redacted] in the [redacted] area of [redacted] She believed he worked there about one month and then [redacted] left for Idaho. He returned sometime in the Spring and then he and [redacted] both went to Idaho. She recalled that [redacted] was in Idaho during May and June of 1973. She established this time by the birthdate of [redacted] She did not know exactly where they were residing in Idaho, but does remember the towns of Jerome, Snake River, and Gooding being mentioned. She believes this was one of the longer jobs that [redacted] had as he was working at a [redacted] somewhere in that area. She believes that it was sometime around August 1, 1973 that [redacted] and [redacted] returned to the [redacted] area where he was arrested about the middle of August 1973 for parole violation and returned to Idaho. She also remembered that about the Saturday of Labor Day 1973 that [redacted] took the bus to Idaho. She does not exactly what town in Idaho but believes she went to Gooding where they stayed a couple of weeks with [redacted] She recalls that they returned directly to the Blythe, California area about two or three weeks after [redacted] had left [redacted] to go to Idaho.

She explained she recall little of the automobiles owned a driven by [redacted] and [redacted] but does remember that in the Summer of 1973 and back to around the first of 1973 they

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by SA's [redacted] and [redacted] LLB/mtn Date dictated 11/23/73

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were driving a older model red Pontiac and that she had never seen the 1973 Chevrolet pickup that they had with them in Blythe, California. She recalled that approximately a year or two ago they had a white 1960 Chevrolet but this vehicle was wrecked somewhere by [redacted] and was never repaired.

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[redacted] nee; [redacted] was located at [redacted] in [redacted] California. She advised that she was born on [redacted] in [redacted], California and had finished the tenth grade in High School in [redacted] She stated she was living at this address with her [redacted] The following signed statement was taken with [redacted]

"11/21/73
Pomona, California

"I, [redacted] furnished the following voluntary statement to [redacted] and [redacted] who have identified themselves to me as Special Agents of the FBI. I reside at [redacted] Calif. and have been married to [redacted] for 4 years.

"On October 26, 1973, the day [redacted] was arrested by the Riverside Sheriff's office, we were staying at [redacted], Calif. During the morning and until about 1:30 PM [redacted] and [redacted] worked on [redacted] van. [redacted] left for work at 1:30 PM. [redacted] came into the house, washed his hands and left after picking up a small rope from the bedroom. This rope is 3 or 4 feet long, brown in color, about 1/2 inch thick and a knot at each end. [redacted] left alone in the pickup he had had for about a month. It is brown over white, 73 Chevrolet with Idaho plates and a camper shell which was brown in color.

"About 4 to 4:30 PM on the same day I saw [redacted] drive past the apartment and park in the back. He was alone when he drove in. I saw him get out of the pickup and come to the apartment. He was carrying his shirt (which was blue or purple) and his pants were wet from the knees to below the belt. He did not have on a hat. He had on brown cowboy boots.

"When [redacted] came in he went to the bedroom and laid down. I went to the pickup to look for some cigarettes. On the floor board of the pickup on the drivers side I found a blue plastic hair clasp. I took this back in the apartment and put on the night stand in the bedroom.

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went to sleep shortly after returning. While sleeping he prespired much more than he usually did.

"About 6:30 PM awoke and just after he got a drink of water and went to the bathroom the Sheriff arrived and arrested

The above statement, is true and correct, to the best of my knowledge. I have initialed all corrections.

"/s/

"Witnesses:
/s/ , FBI - Los Angeles 11/21/73
/s/ SA, FBI, Los Angeles, 11/21/73."

In addition to the information in the signed statement, advised that as of October 26, 1973, she and her were residing at California, apartment She explained this was the address of and his She advised that and were separated at that time and was not residing there. On October 26, 1973, which date she established by the date of the arrest of her late in the day by the Riverside Sheriff's Office, she recalled and her had worked on truck most of the morning up until 1:30 PM. At 1:30 PM left for work and came into the house picked up the small rope from the bedroom and left. He did not say where he was going and there was no conversation between them. She explained that the rope had been used by in the past when he went fishing and she assumed that he was going fishing. She explained that there was little conversation between them during the day, as she did not normally ask him questions because he would not answer her or told her it wa none of her business and also she was somewhat afraid of him, as he had physically assaulted her several times in the past. She explained that when he did return at approximately 4:30 in the afternoon that he came into the house and after washing his hands, went into the bedroom and laid down. She said she made no comment to him at that time and he made no comments to her. When she went out to the pickup to attempt

and find some cigarettes she found the blue plastic hair clasp mentioned in the signed statement. She said the only conversation when she returned to the house from the pickup with the clasp, was her questioning of him as to where the clip had come from. He explained he did not know that it had been in the pickup for some time and thought it may have belonged to [redacted] or [redacted] said she did not believe this and had not seen the clasp prior to this occasion. She advised that he went to sleep just after this and the only other conversation she had before the Sheriff's Office officers had knocked on the door was when [redacted] and her both observed the Sheriff's Office people approaching the house and he told her to tell them that he was not there and that the pickup parked in back of the apartments was not his. She explained that she did not do this.

[redacted] advised she and [redacted] had known each other since about 1968 having met in continuation high school in [redacted] They began going together sometime in early 1969 and were married [redacted] They resided most of the time from 1969 until the Summer of 1972 in and around [redacted] had various jobs and also had various brushes with the law when he was arrested on numerous occasions. In the Summer of 1972 they went to his mother's home in Gooding, Idaho, where they stayed approximately one month and returned. She could not recall the exact time and dates regarding their movements but recalled that about January 1, 1973, they were residing in [redacted] California, and that [redacted] worked on occasions at the [redacted] located on [redacted] in [redacted] in an area called [redacted] Sometime after leaving this employment and around the first of February 1973, she believes that that was the time [redacted] went to Idaho alone. He was in Idaho at that time for approximately two or three months during which time [redacted] spent most of her time with [redacted] who lived in [redacted] at that time. She also visited with her [redacted] on several occasions at the address where she is now living. Sometime in the Spring of 1973, probably about April 1973, [redacted] returned to the [redacted] area and worked for one week at a Brick Shipper or maker in [redacted] California. She did not know the name or location of this employment. He was only there one week or two weeks and then returned to Idaho. She advised

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they were driving a red 1960 Pontiac at that time which vehicle has since been wrecked. She explained she did not know if it was wrecked or just impounded at the time that [redacted] was arrested in Montclair in the Summer of 1973 and returned to Idaho.

[redacted] again explained that she could not establish the dates that they were in Idaho and California to an exact time. She did recall that on her birthday, [redacted] she and [redacted] were in Idaho and he was working at a [redacted] in [redacted] Idaho. This was the longest period that they stayed in Idaho and she believes that they were there during most of the month of May, June and part of July 1973. She could only establish this by the date of her birthday and the Fourth of July. She recalled that about August 1, 1973, she and [redacted] returned to [redacted] and shortly after returning to this area was when he was arrested in Montclair and returned to Idaho for parole violation. After he had been taken to Idaho he called her within a couple of weeks and said that he was out and getting a job in that area. She took a bus to Idaho, she believes either the Saturday of Labor Day weekend or the following Saturday.

[redacted] said when she arrived in Idaho, [redacted] had the 1973 Chevrolet pickup which they later brought back to the [redacted] California area. They remained in Idaho for approximately two weeks after she arrived and then travelled directly to [redacted] During this time he told her that he had purchased this pickup and that his boss had a body shop known as [redacted], had cosigned on the pickup for him.

She advised that when they were in Idaho for the longest period of time, that being May, June and part of July, that they resided most of the time with [redacted] She advised that on occasion [redacted] would disappear for one or two nights but never for any long period of time. She said to the best of her recollection they were driving a 1960 red Pontiac at that time.

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She recalled that they had a 1960 white Chevrolet about two years ago, but that well over a year ago it was wrecked in an accident and that [redacted] had just walked away from it and had never bothered to claim it or to try and fix it up in running condition.

She advised that the [redacted] resided at [redacted] in [redacted] She did not recall [redacted] ever helping any of the [redacted] move to Arizona and she did not know the address of [redacted] other than she thought he was in Phoenix, Arizona.

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[redacted] also known as [redacted] and [redacted] was contacted at the Los Angeles County Jail, Los Angeles, California where he is presently incarcerated. [redacted] was advised he was being contacted regarding his whereabouts during June, July and August, 1973, and was orally advised of his rights. [redacted] advised he would discuss his whereabouts during the above period but would not discuss facts relating to the Federal Kidnaping charge for which he is presently incarcerated. [redacted] was provided with a form entitled "Interrogation; Advice of Rights" which he read, stated he understood and signed.

[redacted] advised that during early February 1973, he traveled to [redacted] Idaho, with his [redacted] They resided with his [redacted] in [redacted] for a short time until he obtained employment at the [redacted] located seven miles south of [redacted] Idaho. He and his [redacted] resided in housing provided by the fish hatchery and he worked six days a week sizing and loading fish. His boss during this period was [redacted] the [redacted] and [redacted] of the hatchery.

At an unrecalled date during the end of June or first part of July 1973, he terminated employment at the fish hatchery and he and his [redacted] returned to his [redacted] home in [redacted] Idaho, where he unsuccessfully attempted to find work in the [redacted] area. As he was unable to find work, he and his [redacted] returned to [redacted] California, during early August 1973.

[redacted] advised he has never been in Montana in his life. He stated his presence in Idaho can be verified through employment records at the fish hatchery and through his [redacted] now residing in [redacted] but they can be reached through Post Office Box [redacted]

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by SA [redacted] /trb Date dictated 12/19/73

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[redacted] B. APPROX [redacted]

AT BOZEMAN, MONTANA

The following investigation was conducted by Gallatin County, Montana, Deputy Sheriff [redacted] November 5, 1973:

A review of Gallatin County Sheriff's Office records indicates a notation that one [redacted], white male, age approximately [redacted] has been in Warm Springs State Hospital and has been suspected of following little girls.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA on the indicated dates:

AT SPRINGFIELD, ILLINOIS

On November 14, 1973, Driver's License Division, Secretary of State's Office, Springfield, Illinois, advised that his files reflect that applied for an Illinois driver's license on June 18, 1969, and was issued driver's license # on July 3, 1969. This driver's license was surrendered to the State of Montana on June 2, 1970, and on June 9, 1971, was re-issued another Illinois driver's license bearing the same number as above. turned in a valid Montana driver's license at this time.

file revealed that he was issued a duplicate Illinois driver's license on February 28, 1972, stating that he had lost his original driver's license. This driver's license was to expire on May 26, 1973, and there is no indication that he possesses a present valid Illinois driver's license. file indicated that he surrendered his Illinois driver's license on February 26, 1973, to Montana again and there is no indication that he has returned to Illinois. The following description was obtained from file:

Name	
Address	Springfield, Illinois, on July 3, 1969;
	Springfield, Illinois, on June 9, 1971;
	Springfield, Illinois, on February 28, 1972
Sex	Male
Height	
Weight	
Hair	
Eyes	

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Date of Birth
Place of Birth Illinois
Social Security #
Illinois Driver's License #

On December 7, 1973, Auto Registration Division, Secretary of State's Office, Springfield, Illinois, advised that 1973 Illinois License # was issued on November 3, 1972, to Chicago, Illinois, for a 1969 Volkswagen, Vehicle Identification # Illinois driver's license was listed as and Social Security Account number was listed as

requested license number of

On December 7, 1973, , advised that Chicago, Illinois, was issued Illinois driver's license # which expires The following description of was obtained from her file:

Name
Address
Chicago, Illinois
Sex Female
Height
Weight
Hair
Eyes
Date of Birth

The following investigation was conducted by SA

AT DEER LODGE, MONTANA

Investigation at the Montana Board of Pardons, Deer Lodge, on November 7, 1973, determined there is no record concerning the following three individuals:

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AT BOZEMAN, MONTANA

All records Bozeman Police Department and Gallatin County Sheriff's Office were reviewed November 8-9, 1973, to obtain names and descriptive data of all persons having any arrests or contact by law enforcement because of a sexual-type offense. The following names and dates of birth were obtained (where available, addresses and fingerprint classifications are set out; where other dates are listed, these are dates of police contact):

[redacted]
Date of Birth (DOB) [redacted]
(April 14, 1959; February 23, 1956),
Peeping Tom
Fingerprint Classification:
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[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
[redacted]
March 31, 1962
Indecent Exposure
Fingerprint Classification:
[redacted]

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Billings, Montana

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
October 23, 1957, Peeping Tom
October 11, 1961, Peeping Tom

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Peeping Tom - no date indicated

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[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
February 18, 1962
Indecent Language

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
March 24, 1962
Indecent exposure

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Exhibitionist - September 7, 1965

[redacted]
Cut Bank, Montana

EUGENE DAVID BRENDEN
DOB November 23, 1909
Fingerprint Classification:
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M 1 U OOO

AURAL BUFORD BROWN
DOB April 19, 1913
Fingerprint Classification:
13 S 17 W IOO 12
L 1 R OOO
Indecent Exposure
May 19, 1963

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Montana State University
Bozeman, Montana

[redacted]

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
April 18, 1962, ten years
suspended

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[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
[redacted]
Bozeman, Montana

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EARL CHRISTIAN CLOPTON
DOB Decemb er 26, 1905
Post Office Box 904, Bozeman
CLOPTON LUMBER
1020 Pear Street

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Prowler

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Peeping Tom
March 20, 1950

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Lewd and Lascivious Act

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
April 25, 1957, sent to Miles City, Montana

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Indecent Exposure

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Picking Up Children
May 28, 1958

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
[redacted]
Montana State University
[redacted]
Red Lodge, Montana

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DOB [redacted]

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DOB [redacted]

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DOB [redacted]
Fingerprint Classification:
[redacted]

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DOB [redacted]
Indecent Exposure
October 23, 1965

GEORGE VIRGIL HEWES
DOB November 18, 1900
Fingerprint Classification:
16 S 1 U OOI 4
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[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Indecent Telephone Calls
March 14, 1959

[redacted]
Works [redacted] Bozeman,
Montana, and unusual interest
in children

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Indecent Exposure
October 6, 1967

JAMES WALLACE JOHNSON
DOB June 14, 1892
Improper Approach
November 2, 1963

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[redacted]
DOB [redacted] (obvious wrong DOB)
July 3, 1969
Pulled Girl's Pants

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Molesting
July 6, 1965

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Indecent Act
September 3, 1958

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Peeping Tom
December 10, 1958

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Montana State University
Home - [redacted]
Chicago, Illinois

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
[redacted] (FBI number)
Bozeman, Montana
January 25, 1972
Indecent Exposure

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
[redacted]
Billings, Montana

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
(April 18, 1960)
Attempted Rape
April 18, 1960
Fingerprint Classification:
[redacted]

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[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Queer
April 12, 1966

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Indecent Exposure

MADISON FRANKLIN McMULLIN
DOB December 23, 1911
Lewd and Lascivious, 10 years,
four counts

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Investigation May 28, 1963

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Lewd and Lascivious
FBI # [redacted]

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
October 6, 1959
Following Women
Fingerprint Classification:
[redacted]

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
July 7, 1965
Exposure
Fingerprint Classification:
[redacted]

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Indecent Exposure
June 28, 1967

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[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
July 2, 1959
Indecent Exposure
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DOB [redacted]
Indecent Exposure

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DOB
FBI [redacted]

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DOB [redacted]
Indecent Exposure
April 28, 1972;
Queer Act
June 5, 1960
Fingerprint Classification:
[redacted]

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Peeper
[redacted]

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]

[redacted]
Peeper

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
September 28, 1960
Indecent Exposure
Fingerprint Classification:
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[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Peeping Tom
November 8, 1958

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[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Feeling Women's Clothing
March 27, 1963, moved to
Billings, Montana

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Indecent Exposure

[redacted]
Indecent Act;
August 23, 1952
Contributing;
September 27, 1961
Lewd Act, five years,
Deer Lodge, Montana
Fingerprint Classification:
[redacted]

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Indecent Exposure
October 26, 1965

JOHN WILLIAM RUSSELL
DOB February 29, 1896
Lewd and Lascivious
September 18, 1958
Five years Montana State
Prison

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Rape

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
April 27, 1959
Peeping Tom

[redacted]
white, male, DOB [redacted]

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
August 24, 1967
Lewd and Lascivious
Warm Springs, Montana

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[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
February 19, 1966
Lewd and Lascivious
Butte Police Department # [redacted]
Butte, Montana

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
March 14, 1964
Hands on Women

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Indecent Exposure

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Peeping Tom

ORSON TUDOR
DOB March 23, 1895
Fingerprint Classification:
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[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Peeping Tom
September 3, 1964

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
November 10, 1972
Exhibitionist

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Exposure
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[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Fingerprint Classification:
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April 20, 1966
Followed girls

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Peeping Tom
October 18, 1966
[redacted]
Rapid City, South Dakota

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
October 16, 1947
Indecent Act to Warm Springs,
Montana;
April 11, 1963
Indecent Exposure;
November 1, 1963
Indecent Exposure;
November 19, 1963
Indecent Exposure

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Peeper, following girls,
committed to State Hospital,
Warm Springs, Montana

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
May 1, 1963
Indecent Exposure
Fingerprint Classification:
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DOB [redacted]
Peeper
Fingerprint Classification:
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DOB [redacted]
Peeping Tom
September 1, 1965

The FBI Identification Division furnished the following Identification Records concerning persons having the same name and date of birth as the foregoing. Where no record is set forth, there was none in the FBI Identification Division.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA

AT BUTTE, MONTANA

Records Department, Butte Police Department, advised on January 22, 1974, born was arrested by that department on February 19, 1956, for lewd and lascivious acts. His address at that time was in Bozeman, Montana, and he was employed as a at the in Bozeman.

A check of the Current Bozeman Telephone Directory indicated a resided at

AT DEER LODGE, MONTANA

On January 22, 1974, Montana State Prison, Records Department, made available the following records:

Born

Sentenced in Gallatin County, May 14, 1965, to ten years for Statutory Rape. Sentence suspended. May 13, 1972, final discharge from parole.

As of May 18, 1972, address was Bozeman, Montana.

(It is noted is his .)

JOHN WILBUR RUSSELL
Born February 26, 1896

Last address was 416 East Beach, Bozeman, Montana. Received Montana State Prison on September 18, 1958, to serve five years for lewd and lascivious acts. On November 16, 1960, he went to Warm Springs as being mentally incompetent.

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Born [redacted]

[redacted] was returned to the Montana State Prison on December 7, 1971, for parole violation and is still incarcerated.

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FRANK McMULLIN
Born December 22, 1911

McMULLIN was received at Montana State Prison January 26, 1973, to serve ten year sentence for lewd and lascivious act and is still incarcerated.

ALBERT OLIVER RANKIN
Born August 11, 1902

Received at Montana State Prison on August 27, 1952, to serve five years after being sentenced in Cascade County. He was paroled January 26, 1955, and his parole expired July 26, 1955. The records showed no addresses for RANKIN and no further record.

The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted]:

AT BILLINGS, MONTANA

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On November 28, 1973, the records of the Billings Police Department and Yellowstone County Sheriff's Office failed to reveal any record identifiable with [redacted] These record checks included a review of juvenile records, which additionally contained no information concerning [redacted]

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Concerning [redacted] it was noted that [redacted] has experienced the following contacts with the Billings Police Department:

Date	November 15, 1956
Charge	2nd Degree Assault
Disposition	$500.00 fine
Date	May 4, 1957
Charge	Careless Driving
Disposition	Warning
Date	August 5, 1958
Charge	Reported Car Burglary
Disposition	No disposition
Date	December 13, 1958
Charge	Driving Without a Light
Disposition	Warning

[redacted] is described as follows:

Name	[redacted]
Race	White
Sex	Male
Date of Birth	[redacted]
Height	
Weight	
Hair	
Eyes	
Address	
Occupation	
Vehicle	1949 Ford, two-door, color two-tone blue Montana License #[redacted] (year of license unknown)
Vehicle	1952 Ford, two-door hardtop, white and brown, Montana License #[redacted] (year of license unknown)
Vehicle	1952 four-door Hudson, two-tone green, Montana License #[redacted] (year of license unknown)

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It is pointed out that the above vehicles were believed to have been in the possession of [redacted] prior to 1961.

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Concerning [redacted] the only entry in the records of the two above agencies was an entry dated June 28, 1970, in which [redacted] reported a petty larceny theft.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted] Aberdeen, South Dakota, Resident Agency:

On September 20, 1973, with the assistance of [redacted] Canada, the following directories, institutions, and associations were checked in efforts to locate a [redacted] all with negative results:

A 1968 - 1972 Brandon City Directory

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Brandon Police Department

1969, 1970, 1971, and 1972 Brandon University Student Directories

1972 - 1973 Assiniboine Vocational Community College Directory

The Manitoba Medical Service

The Brandon, Manitoba Credit Bureau

The Manitoba Motor League (American Automobile Association)

[redacted] advised he would immediately notify the FBI if any information is received by his office concerning the name [redacted]

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted] Grand Forks, North Dakota, Resident Agency:

On September 6, 1973, [redacted] Canada, informed that the name [redacted] is not listed in the Brandon, Manitoba Directory, and there is no record under this name in the drivers license or motor vehicle registration records for Manitoba.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA

AT KALISPELL, MONTANA

On August 7, 1973, advised that resides at He is in his and lives there with his They have a and a She stated she has not seen any small children in the area.

The following investigation was conducted by SA

AT BOZEMAN, MONTANA

Contact has been made with Bozeman, who is a and he felt with a piece of hair from SUSIE's head that he could possibly witch her location.

A section of hair was obtained from SUSIE JAEGER's hairbrush and was made available by the FBI Laboratory. Contact was then made with and he in turn requested a location as to where it was thought JAEGER was buried. This location being unknown stated that at this time he would not have a starting point at which to witch. Also, due to the change in weather, which has brought on snow in the Three Forks area, stated that his witching under these conditions would not be profitable.

The following investigation was conducted by SA

AT PHILIPSBURG, MONTANA

On October 17, 1973, was identified as currently residing at Montana State University, Bozeman.

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A check of the Granite County Sheriff's Office, Philipsburg, failed to identify anyone identifiable with

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The following investigation was conducted at Worthington, Ohio by Special Agent [redacted] on September 18, 1973:

[redacted] Ohio, (telephone [redacted] was interviewed at his place of employment, [redacted] Worthington, Ohio. [redacted] advised that he was born on [redacted] at [redacted] Ohio and has been employed at [redacted] since January 15, 1973.

[redacted] stated that on Friday evening, June 1, 1973, he left [redacted] Ohio, with furniture belonging to [redacted] He stated that he was going on vacation and that he knew that [redacted] was moving some of his furniture to the residence of his [redacted] in [redacted] Kansas and that, therefore, he offered to assist [redacted] in transporting his belongings.

[redacted] advised that [redacted] had left [redacted], Ohio on Thursday, May 31, 1973, and that a friend of [redacted] named [redacted] was following [redacted] stated that he was the first to arrive in [redacted] and that he arrived there on Saturday evening, June 2, 1973. [redacted] stated that he stayed in [redacted] until Sunday morning at which time he and his [redacted] left [redacted] to go to [redacted] Colorado.

[redacted] said that [redacted] arrived in [redacted] after he arrived and that the last time he has seen [redacted] was when they were together in [redacted] on Sunday morning, June 3, 1973. He said that he has received one letter from [redacted] since that time and that [redacted] was somewhere in the State of Washington.

[redacted] added that he has not seen [redacted] since he saw him in Worthington prior to going to [redacted] Kansas. He added that he has not learned where he is but is of the opinion that he may be back in school in Andrews University, Berrien Springs, Michigan. [redacted] said that he did hear that from [redacted] Kansas, [redacted] was going to visit a friend somewhere in the State of Wyoming.

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According to [redacted] was planning to stay approximately one week in [redacted] and was expecting [redacted] to arrive in [redacted] sometime during that week.

[redacted] stated that he does not know whether or not [redacted] and/or [redacted] traveled to the State of Montana during this summer and he stated he had no knowledge whatsoever regarding any kidnapping which had occurred in the State of Montana.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA

AT BIG TIMBER, MONTANA

On November 1, 1973, Big Timber, telephonically contacted the Butte Office and advised that his next door neighbor, Age , who resides at the gave him some poetry to read, which had written. He stated this poetry was about killings and sex slayings. advised he took the poetry to the Undersheriff at Big Timber, who made copies of the material for their files.

stated his read the poetry in much more detail than he did, but said he felt that is possibly a sex deviate.

advised that has been in the Big Timber area for about one month. He is a for the and he drives a late model GMC pickup truck, which is rose gold in color. He said came from the Bozeman area.

requested the above information be kept in confidence as to its source. He had no objections to being contacted at his home by an FBI Agent, if necessary. Telephone number is

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The following investigation was conducted by SA

AT BIG TIMBER, MONTANA

advised on November 15, 1973, that he had been employed by in the Gallatin Valley from April 22, 1973, through October 5, 1973, as a He stated that his dates and hours of employment could be verified at and the individuals who could verify his presence there would be and

denied being in the area of the Three Forks campground during the last week end in June, 1973, but has recalled visiting that area in the past on a point that overlooks the campground, as he, himself, is a hunter and interested in outdoor activities.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA BYRON H. DUNBAR:

AT BOZEMAN, MONTANA

A review of the poems as written by [redacted] of Big Timber, Montana, was made November 6, 1973. Nothing was noted in this poetry pertaining to any unusual emphasis on small girls, young girls, death, abduction or related matters.

[redacted] Bozeman, [redacted] advised as follows on November 6, 1973:

[redacted] of Big Timber, Montana, is his [redacted] and the [redacted] of [redacted], Bozeman. [redacted] is a young man, who has been somewhat irresponsible in that he has bounced from job to job and considers himself more of an intellectual and does not devote the time to employment that he feels he should. However, regarding him as a person, [redacted] stated his actions are those of a perfectly normal young man, interested in girls of his own age, a person who has not been in trouble with the law and a person who would in no way be suspect in the kidnaping of a small child.

[redacted]

On November 30, 1973, the Pittsburgh Office furnished the following information:

On October 4, 1973, information regarding instant crime along with photograph of the Victim were furnished to [redacted] Criminal Identification Bureau, West Virginia State Police, South Charleston, West Virginia. [redacted] stated this information would be maintained on file and also would be placed in the next issue of the West Virginia State Police Exchange Bulletin, which is disseminated to all law enforcement agencies in the state.

On October 4, 1973, Detective [redacted] Charleston, West Virginia, Police Department, advised his department has arrested [redacted] white male, date of birth [redacted], in the murder-rape of a seven-year-old girl, REBECCA BRICKER at Charleston on July 8, 1973.

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[redacted] advised that when arrested, [redacted] was wearing tennis shoes, which have been found to be identical to shoe prints found at the murder scene at Charleston. [redacted] advised that [redacted] resided within one-half mile of the murder scene with his [redacted] at [redacted] Charleston. [redacted] stated that [redacted] was arrested several weeks after the murder when he attempted to assault another young female.

[redacted] advised that [redacted] was an employee of the [redacted], Charleston. He stated that investigation by his department determined that [redacted] was probably in Charleston during the months prior to the BRICKER murder. It was the opinion of Detective [redacted] that it is highly remote that [redacted] would be involved in instant crime because of the considerable distance from Charleston.

Details regarding the disappearance of instant Victim, including her photograph, appeared in the October 23, 173, edition of the Police Exchange Bulletin issued by the West Virginia State Police, South Charleston, West Virginia, with the notation that any information should be furnished to the local office of the FBI.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted]

On October 10, 1973, [redacted] Grand Haven, Michigan, [redacted] Grand Haven, advised he has never been in the State of Montana in his life. He stated during the month of June and most of July, 1973, he was home in Grand Haven employed at his job at [redacted] He stated the only time he was away this year was when he took his [redacted] and [redacted] to the Upper Peninsula for three days in August, 1973.

[redacted] were both shown a photograph of victim, [redacted]MARIE JAEGER, and were unable to identify same and furnish information concerning this matter.

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[redacted], Arizona, was contacted and he advised that he is still employed with the [redacted] He advised that he was on a construction site with his company from June, 1971 until July 1, 1973. He stated that while he was there that there was a lot of publicity concerning the kidnaping at the camp grounds near Three Forks, Montana, which occurred on June 25, 1973; however, he advised that the only thing he was aware is what he had heard through the local news media and has no idea as to who might have been responsible for this act.

He said he could not furnish any information whatsoever concerning the solution of this case; however, if anything should come to his attention in the future that he would immediately notify the FBI.

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Interviewed on 10/3/73 at Williams, Arizona File # Phoenix 7-53

by SA [redacted] JR./mc Date dictated 10/10/73

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[redacted] Florida, caused his employment records to be reviewed and located a W-2 form in the name of [redacted] Social Security Number, [redacted] which reflected he worked June 30, 1973, for the company and received a total of $14. The address listed beforehand was that of the [redacted] No other information pertaining to background or employment is in possession of the [redacted]

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On 8/27/73 at Ft. Lauderdale, Florida File # Miami 7-1036

by SA [redacted] :paw Date dictated 8/31/73

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LT. [redacted] Vice Squad, Ft. Lauderdale, Florida Police Department, who is fairly familiar with the operation of motorcycle gangs in the Broward County area, was requested to identify a motorcyclist known as [redacted] a white male, [redacted] years of age, [redacted] pounds, [redacted] hair with glasses, who reportedly had a black Triumph motorcycle stolen from him on July 3, 1973, at Ft. Lauderdale, Florida, which was abandoned approximately 50 miles away. b6 b7C

Lt. [redacted] caused his mug photographs of motorcycle gang members to be reviewed and stated that this individual is probably identical to [redacted] the only motorcycle gang member in the Broward County area who has the nickname [redacted] has been Broward County Sheriff's Office number [redacted] Vice President of the Outlaw motorcycle gang in Broward County. He is described as follows:

Race	White
Sex	Male
Date of birth	[redacted]
Place of birth	Florida
Height	[redacted]
Weight	
Hair	
Eyes	

[redacted] last listed residence was [redacted] Florida, however, recent inquiry by the [redacted] rding [redacted] determined that he has not s address for a number of months. The file on [redacted] revealed he owned a 1948 motorcycle.

[redacted] caused the records of the Ft. Lauderdale [redacted] to be reviewed in the name [redacted] to determine if [redacted] was the theft of his motorcycle on or about was no record that [redacted] had lice department at any time regarding

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Date dictated 9/10/73

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted], Fargo, North Dakota, Resident Agency:

[redacted] identified as residing at [redacted] Wahpeton, North Dakota.

[redacted] Deputy Sheriff, Richland County, Wahpeton, North Dakota, advised on August 13, 1973, that his office had no information identifiable with [redacted].

On August 13, 1973, [redacted] Wahpeton, North Dakota, was interviewed. He advised that he drives a 1968, light green, Dodge truck camper. He, his [redacted] and [redacted] had been on vacation in early July and at this time had visited both the Fort Union and Fort Buford, North Dakota, historic sites. He advised that he had been to the Fort Buford Museum with his [redacted] and family and while touring that location recalled only one other group as being present. This was a family, husband and wife, and about four children of varying ages. They had no contact with this other party and could not recall what kind of a vehicle they may have been driving.

On the same day that they visited the museum, they also toured the area. They recalled seeing a sign pointing toward the campground at Fort Buford. They did not drive over to it because of muddy road. They did recall seeing from a distance the campground and as he recalled there were only about two units there that were occupied.

Both [redacted] were questioned concerning possible recollection of having seen a blue Volkswagon bus in the area on the day they visited Fort Buford. Neither of these inidviduals could recall such a vehicle or could they recall having seen a man with a young child touring the area.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA

AT BUTTE, MONTANA

On November 2, 1973, was located and interviewed at his residence in Butte, by SA and SA He advised that he owns a 1971 cream-colored Volkswagen, Montana License # He stated that he and his spent the week end at Bozeman, Montana, while attending a rodeo.

Credit records reveal name is He has been employed at the , Montana, since 1949. He was born his Social Security number is and he has

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Illinois License #

The following investigation was conducted by SA :

AT TERRE HAUTE, INDIANA

The address of as listed previously, is that of . There is no in the Terre Haute area.

No listing in the Terre Haute telephone or city directories could be found for a . Also, no Wáner Avenue could be located in the Terre Haute area.

As part of instant investigation, a , Terre Haute, Indiana, registered at the Bozeman, Montana, June 23, 1973, driving a 1969 Volkswagen, Illinois License #

The Indianapolis Office advised August 28, 1973, that there is no in City Directores; also, no .

California License #

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted] in the general vicinity of Sacramento, California:

This is in reference to California license [redacted] allegedly registered to [redacted] Sacramento, California.

A review of Sacramento area phone directories, city and suburban directories, and contact with public utilities reflects no such street as [redacted] in the Sacramento area. A check through the California Law Enforcement Telecommunications System (CLETS) reflects California license [redacted] is registered to a 1963 English Ford registered to [redacted] or [redacted] North Hollywood, California.

Reversing the license letters to [redacted] reflected registration for a 1969 Pontiac, which was sold on July 6, 1973.

On September 12, 1973, [redacted] Sacramento, California, and [redacted], Sacramento, both advised that they do not presently own a Volkswagen nor have they owned, possessed, or driven a Volkswagen during the past year. They stated that during June of 1973 they were in the area of Sacramento and definitely were not in the State of Montana.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted] at the Rochester, Minnesota, Resident Agency:

On August 23, 1973, Mr. VIRGIL NELSON, Postmaster, Stanton, Minnesota, advised that [redacted] is totally unknown to him, and he is acquainted with every resident of this community and the nearby area. He pointed out that the population of this community is only 125 persons.

Further, there is no such address as [redacted] in this community.

[redacted] advised that Stanton, Minnesota, is frequently confused with the following towns:

1. Slayton, Minnesota
2. Stanton, Michigan
3. Stanton, Missouri

[redacted] suggested that [redacted] could be a resident of any of these other three communities. He suggested that the most likely city would be Stanton, Michigan, as the abbreviations for Minnesota and Michigan are similar.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted] at Sioux Falls, South Dakota, Resident Agency:

On September 24, 1973, Patrolman [redacted] Slayton, Minnesota, Police Department, advised he is not familiar with the name [redacted]. He further advised that there is no such street in Slayton as West Street.

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AT STANTON, MICHIGAN

On October 12, 1973, a check of the Stanton telephone directory and Polk's City Directory disclosed no record regarding [redacted] Stanton.

On October 25, 1973, Montcalm County Sheriff's Office, Stanton, disclosed a check of their arrest and traffic records was negative regarding [redacted], Stanton.

On November 16, 1973, Mrs. LAURA ENGEL, Postmaster, U. S. Post Office, advised she has been Postmaster at Stanton for the past fourteen years and is not familiar with anyone named [redacted] She added there is no street in the Stanton area named West Street.

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On December 21, 1973, the Sacramento Office furnished the following information:

Trinity County Sheriff TOM KELLY, during continuing contact, has furnished the following information:

Three-year-old [redacted] disappeared from the vicinity of the cabin of his [redacted] at Barney Gulch, twenty miles northwest of Weaverville in Trinity County, California, on July 26, 1973. [redacted] had been playing with his dog near the cabin just prior to disappearing. A massive search by 150 men, helicopters and bloodhounds failed to turn up a trace of [redacted]

Sheriff KELLY noted the area of the [redacted] cabin is extremely remote; that there is no indication of an abduction; that apparently the [redacted] boy wandered off and became lost and possibly subsequently was eaten by animals.

Sheriff KELLY stated there had been no reason to consider foul play and he advised he does not believe there is any association with the JAEGER kidnaping case.

[redacted]

Colorado License #[redacted]

AT DENVER, COLORADO

Investigation at the Colorado Department of Motor Vehicles determined that 1973 Colorado License #[redacted] is listed to a 1973 Chevrolet, four-door Sedan, owned by [redacted] Colorado.

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Colorado, furnished the following information:

She and her [redacted] are the owners of a 1973 Chevrolet four-door Sedan, green and gold in color, bearing 1973 Colorado License [redacted] They also are the owners of a 1966 Fan twenty-foot camp trailer, white trimmed in grey.

[redacted] advised that she and her [redacted] departed Denver, Colorado with the above described vehicles on July 7, 1973, for a vacation at Glacier National Park, Montana. She advised that during their trip a travel to Butte, Montana, via the Lewis and Clark caves in Montana, and then on to Glacier National Park. She stated she was unable to recall the specific stops and camp grounds they visited but does recall going through Stanford, Montana. She stated that no one accompanied them during this trip and they definitely did not have a small child in their trailer at any time during the trip.

[redacted] advised that prior to leaving Denver she remembers hearing of the missing JAEGER girl from a camp ground in Montana. She advised that her [redacted] is employed as the [redacted] in Arvada, Colorado, and she is unemployed. She further stated that no one had access to their car or camper during the entire trip.

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by SA [redacted] /jrd Date dictated 11/16/73

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted]:

AT GALLATIN CANYON, MONTANA

On January 23, 1974, [redacted] who resides seven miles south Gallatin Gateway, Gallatin Canyon, Gallatin County, Montana, advised that the only thing that he knew concerning the JAEGER kidnaping was what he had read in papers and magazines. He stated that the thing that stood out in his mind was that there was no mention of the girl yelling or calling out when she was removed from the tent.

He stated that because of this the question arose in his mind as to whether the children, who were in the tent when the JAEGER girl was removed, were possibly doped or asphyxiated.

[redacted] further stated that the one thing that would be available to an individual that would not need a prescription or a druggist record would be starter fluid, which has an ether base and could possibly have been sprayed in the tent thereby knocking out or asphyxiating the people therein.

It was pointed out to [redacted] that this was taken into consideration during initial investigation and her sleeping bag had been sent to the FBI Laboratory, where it was examined for any type of foreign substance and/or chemical used to knock out or asphyxiate the Victim.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted] at Ft. Collins, Colorado:

On December 13, 1973, [redacted] Ft. Collins, was contacted at his place of employment, [redacted] where he is the [redacted]

At this time [redacted] advised that during the first week of July, 1973, he went on a five-day fishing trip with [redacted] leaving Denver, Colorado on a Saturday and returning the following weekend and which trip was taken in his brown 1972 Pinto bearing unknown Colorado license.

[redacted] advised that he and [redacted] stayed at various motels in Montana three nights during this period and stayed with relatives of [redacted] the other two nights. He advised that he could furnish no information pertinent to this matter, stating that he did hear about the kidnapping while on the trip but did not hear anything which would assist in identifying the subject.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted]:

AT BUTTE, MONTANA

A review of the records of the Butte Credit Bureau, Butte, determined that [redacted] Butte, has [redacted] and has been on file there since 1946. He listed his employer as the [redacted] In 1946 he listed a [redacted] age [redacted] years, and [redacted] age [redacted] years. Reference was listed as [redacted] Butte.

Check with the Silver Bow County Sheriff's Office and the Butte Police Department were negative concerning [redacted] or [redacted]

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The following investigation was conducted by the Milwaukee Division at Hurley, Wisconsin:

On August 15, 1973, Sheriff JOHN GENTILE, Iron County Sheriff's Office, advised Special Agent [redacted] that victim's photograph was shown to [redacted] Mercer, Wisconsin, at which time she advised the child she saw was definitely not the victim.

The following investigation was conducted by Special Agent [redacted] at Appleton, Wisconsin:

On July 27, 1973, a review of the 1973 Appleton City Directory failed to show a listing for the name [redacted] The ABC Kiddie Shop was listed in the directory as being located at 215 West College Avenue, Appleton, Wisconsin, telephone number 731-3821.

On August 2, 1973, [redacted] Appleton attorney, advised he is the owner of the building located at [redacted] and rents the building's upstairs portion. His records do not reflect anyone by the name [redacted] as residing at this address.

On August 28, 1973, investigation at [redacted] under suitable pretext, revealed a [redacted] age 44-50, resides in one of the upstairs apartments when he is not working out of town with the Milwaukee Railroad. [redacted] has been utilizing this apartment for the past year and the occupant of this apartment stated he has no knowledge as to whether [redacted] has ever been arrested and since meeting [redacted] approximately two years ago he has never been involved in any criminal activity. The occupant of this apartment, [redacted] stated he is not aware of [redacted] origin and suggested [redacted] be contacted personally for further information. Telephone number at this address was given as [redacted]

On July 27, 1973, the Appleton Police Department and Outagamie County Sheriff's Office, Appleton, could find no record identifiable with the name [redacted]

On August 30, 1973, Clerk of Courts, Outagamie County, Appleton, could find no record identifiable with [redacted]

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On September 20, 1973, [redacted] Appleton Credit Bureau, could find no record in her files identifiable with [redacted]

On September 25, 1973, the following police officers, Appleton, were contacted with negative results regarding their knowledge of [redacted]

Captain [redacted]

Sergeant [redacted]

Detective [redacted]

Detective

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted]:

AT MISSOULA, MONTANA

On January 10, 1973, Captain of Detectives [redacted] Missoula City Police Department, advised that he is slightly acquainted with [redacted] Missoula, and he is and has been for the past several years an area sales representative for Volkswagen automobiles.

Captain [redacted] stated that neither [redacted] nor any member of his family possess an arrest record with his department and he personally would not consider him a logical suspect in the kidnaping of the above young girl.

On January 10, 1974, the records of the Missoula County Sheriff's Office were checked by SA [redacted] with negative results relative to [redacted]

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The following investigation was conducted by SA BYRON H. DUNBAR:

AT THREE FORKS, MONTANA

The Chamber of Commerce, Three Forks, received a letter dated September 25, 1973, from [redacted], [redacted], Arizona. In this letter [redacted] expressed considerable interest concerning the disappearance of SUSAN MARIE JAEGER.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted]:

On November 28, 1973, it was determined that [redacted] is a practicing doctor of veterinary medicine with offices located on [redacted] in close proximity to [redacted] Montana.

It is noted that [redacted] reportedly stayed at the IMPERIAL 400 MOTEL in Bozeman, Montana, June 24-27, 1973. [redacted] was in Bozeman during that period of time on a business trip and appeared to have a legitimate reason for being there.

The records of the Billings Police Department failed to reveal any record identifiable with [redacted] A review of the records of the Yellowstone County Sheriff's Office revealed that one [redacted] of Worden, Montana, was arrested on February 6, 1970, as a suspected prowler. The charges, however, were subsequently dismissed.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted]:

AT BILLINGS, MONTANA

On November 28, 1973, [redacted], who resides at [redacted] was located and interviewed at his place of employment, [redacted] in Billings.

At this time, [redacted] stated that he was in Bozeman, Montana, on June 23, 1973, and June 24, 1973, to attend the National Finals Rodeo being held in that city on that week end. During his stay in Bozeman, he was accompanied by his [redacted] and, after attending the rodeo, returned to Billings.

A review of the records of the Yellowstone County Sheriff's Office and Billings Police Department failed to reveal any record identifiable with [redacted]

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted]:

AT GLENDIVE, MONTANA

On November 5, 1973, the records of the Dawson County Sheriff's Office, as well as the records of the Glendive Police Department were checked by SA [redacted] and they reflected the following information:

[redacted]

[redacted] Montana
Has one arrest in July, 1971, for
Displaying an Altered Driver's License
No other arrest record

He is described as follows:

Race	White
Sex	Male
Nationality	American
Date of Birth	[redacted]
Height	
Weight	
Eyes	
Hair	
Remarks	No further description

[redacted]

[redacted] Montana
Has only one arrest in February, 1970,
for failure to obey a traffic sign
No other information in his file, except
the following description:

Race	White
Sex	Male
Nationality	American
Date of Birth	[redacted]
Height	
Weight	
Eyes	
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Both men are unknown to Sheriff GEORGE RICE and Police Chief LARRY MARQUART, Glendive.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted]:

AT KALISPELL, MONTANA

Records of the Flathead County Sheriff's Office and Kalispell Police Departments at Whitefish and Kalispell, along with the Juvenile Records of Flathead County were all negative in reference to any record for [redacted] Montana.

The files of the Credit Bureau of Kalispell reflected that he is an employee of the BURLINGTON NORTHERN and has been a student and resided with his [redacted]

[redacted] Special Agent, BURLINGTON NORTHERN, Whitefish, Montana, advised on January 24, 1974, that [redacted] is a reliable person and has been in no trouble to his knowledge. He stated that the [redacted] are respected in the community. At the present time [redacted] is in Missoula and resides at [redacted] and currently has odd jobs and awaiting employment for the railroad for the spring.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA

AT COEUR D'ALENE, IDAHO

On November 16, 1973, Detective Coeur d'Alene Police Department, advised that the murder rape of DEBRA ALICE PRETY, a fifteen year old Coeur d'Alene resident, has not been solved and his department is still gathering background material on numerous sex perverts in the general area of Coeur d'Alene and Spokane, Washington. He advised that there are no solid suspects to date; however, he will keep instant matter in mind and will notify SA in the event he develops any information, which might relate to this case.

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AT ST. PAUL, MINNESOTA

On October 10, 1973, [redacted] advised he obtained information contained previously from the "spirits" and that "the spirits" of [redacted] and [redacted] are currently "within his body."

[redacted] advised he has previously been contacted by SA [redacted] and explained to him how this information was received by the "spirits." [redacted] stated he would contact SA [redacted] in the event he develops any additional information concerning SUSAN MARIE JAEGER.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted]:

AT LEWISTOWN, MONTANA

On September 21, 1973, TOM HUFF, Chief of Police, advised records of his department reveal no record for [redacted]. He advised [redacted] is [redacted] of [redacted] who has resided in Lewistown for several years. He stated the [redacted] reside at [redacted] and have never been involved in any type of criminal activity.

JACK SONGER, Fergus County Sheriff, advised records of his office reveal no record for [redacted]. He stated that he is personally acquainted with [redacted] and has no knowledge that [redacted] was ever involved in any criminal activity.

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AT FARMINGTON HILLS, MICHIGAN

[redacted] Attorney, Farmington Hills, advised on December 19, 1973, the Susan Jaeger Reward Fund, Inc., received a letter dated and postmarked November 29, 1973, from a [redacted] [redacted] Las Vegas, Nevada, 89107, who claims she is a clairvoyant.

[redacted] stated after reading newspaper account of kidnaping she received psychic information that Victim "is in a rest state" (deceased) and Victim's body is "in a shallow grave near a large tree and in the shadow of a large tree, in the woods, ten miles from the camp site."

[redacted] claimed Unknown Subject's intended Victim and Victim's older sister and Unknown Subject "is a man with perverted sexual desires with much frustration."

[redacted] requested information not be furnished to Victim's parents as it might upset them and that information was provided for possible location of Victim's body.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted] On October 11, 1973, at Trent, South Dakota, a check of the Trent telephone book revealed no listing for any family named [redacted] or [redacted]

At Glandreau, South Dakota, Moody County Sheriff FLETCHER FARIS, advised he knows practically everyone at Trent, South Dakota, however, the names [redacted] or [redacted] are not familiar to him. Sheriff FARIS checked the arrest records of his office and advised that he could locate no reference to any person named [redacted] or [redacted]

Later on the same date, Sheriff FARIS advised he received information from a source who has been reliable in the past that both [redacted] and [redacted] had been in the Trent area for a short period of time but departed on August 31, 1973. Their current whereabouts are unknown. Sheriff FARIS said his source told him the two came to Trent from California and that no one has seen them in the area since August 31, 1973.

At Sioux Falls, South Dakota, on October 11, 1973, [redacted] Office Deputy, Minnehaha County Sheriff's Office, advised she could locate no record for [redacted] or [redacted]

On October 12, 1973, [redacted] Records Clerk, Sioux Falls, South Dakota, Police Department, advised she located several references to [redacted] on suspicion of juvenile offenses; however, she stated no file jacket had been prepared and therefore, she could not provide any descriptive information or was a photograph of [redacted] available.

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[redacted] a retired [redacted] and his [redacted] were interviewed at their residence regarding their observations at 3 Forks Campground in Montana on June 25, 1973.

They participated at that time in an Air Stream Trailer caravan in the Bozeman-Montana area with about 4000 others. They were accompanied in their travels by [redacted] and [redacted] and their [redacted] The [redacted] who traveled with sepagate trailers, were with [redacted] at the 3 Fork Campground from approximately 2:00 to 6:00 P.M., on June 25, 1973. b6 b7C

While the [redacted] were waiting for the [redacted] to change their clothes and join them outside, they observed various vehicles and individuals in the area. The [redacted] were parked in such a way that they could not see the other occupants of the campground. The [redacted] particularily recalled that the JAEGERs were located about 500 yards from them during their stay. They did not speak with the JAEGERs at any time, and have no specific recollection of SUSAN MARIE JAEGER.

Both [redacted] recalled two or possibly three white males, age 18 to 25, with moderately long hair in a 1956 or 1957 bluish Oldsmobile. The vehicle had a very bad finish on the outside, with either a substantial amount of rust, or rust color primer on it. They were wearing white T-shirts, and are recalled as being tough looking. The vehicle was parked on the north side of the main road, adjacent to the campground, facing in a westerly direction. [redacted] spoke with another white, male, age 45-50, slender build, graying hair, medium height, and wearing a sweater, outside the outdoor bathrooms at the campground. Both he and [redacted] believed that this man was the driver of the vehicle just described. In a very brief conversation, the man told [redacted] that he was from Arizona. The [redacted] could provide no further information regarding the individuals or the vehicle just described.

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by SA [redacted] Date dictated 1/8/74

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Also at the campgrounds was either a panel or pick-up truck, which the [redacted] could not further describe. Around the pick-up was one white male, about 45 years of age, and approximately eight to 10 young boys all eating watermelon. The [redacted] assumed that they were a Boy Scout group or some other similar group.

Neither the occupants of the Oldsmobile or truck just described were camping at 3 Forks Campground. The Oldsmobile and its occupants departed the area before the [redacted] did. Aside from the JAMES, the only other campers at the campground were some young parents with their baby. The [redacted] did recall that two caretakers came to the campgrounds to pick up garbage while the [redacted] and [redacted] were there. They remained in the area for about ten minutes, and one of them commented to the [redacted] that there had been no action at the campgrounds for several years. The [redacted] could not describe either men further, and could not comment as to the meaning of the statement.

About three or four days later, local authorities asked the Air Stream caravan for participation in a search for the JAMES girl at Bozeman. [redacted] participated in that search.

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AT HAZEN, NORTH DAKOTA

On January 7, 1974, [redacted] and [redacted] were interviewed for any information they could provide regarding this matter. They affirmed the details provided by [redacted] as to their stay at Three Forks Campground on June 25, 1973, but had no recollection of the vehicle or people observed there by the [redacted] The [redacted] were accompanied by their [redacted]

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The following investigation was conducted by SA BYRON H. DUNBAR:

AT BOZEMAN, MONTANA

Sheriff L. D. W. ANDERSON, Gallatin County, advised he received the following from , Oregon, which letter was sent to from Cando, North Dakota.

advised that is a relative and that the person, who sent the letter, is a map witcher."

advised that he could give no substance to the information set forth in the contents of the letter, which are as follows:

About the little girl — the man from California was partly right but 50 miles off — according to my wand. After taking the girl the sex maniac headed East on (90) and (94) to junction of (312) which he took South to Broadus. Just north of town he took the trail on the North side of the Powder River — southwest. He went down this trail 2 + 3/5 miles where he parked and carried the girl down to the River where he strangled her and buried her in the sand at the waters edge. No doubt the water seeped in and as the Calif man said — laying partly in the water. That is all, except that the man went back to 212 and on East, I wish I lived closer so I could check it out. Perhaps

your [redacted] could get down there & check on it. If I could get my hands on a man like that maniac I would probably kill him.

I hope I am correct on my witching. At the site — the River bends north and nearer the trail.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted]

AT BROADUS, MONTANA

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On December 5, 1973, SA [redacted] advised Powder River County Sheriff GRANT GATLIN, Broadus, on the information contained in the letter of [redacted] as to the location of the Victim.

Sheriff GATLIN advised that the location described is a physical impossibility as the Powder River runs north itself and, therefore, there could be no "north side" of the river. He further advised that numerous hunters and trappers and fishermen have traversed the entire Powder River and no one has reported any body having been sighted. He advised that in the absence of more credible information there would be no way that any logical searching could be done.

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The following investigation was conducted by Special Agent [redacted] at Belle Fourche, South Dakota:

On August 27, 1973, Chief of Police R. K. MITCHELL, Belle Fourche, South Dakota, advised that [redacted] about whom inquiries were being made, should actually be [redacted] and that he resides at [redacted] with his [redacted] at Belle Fourche, South Dakota. He recalled that [redacted] had attended [redacted] and was working with [redacted] a [redacted] just outside of Belle Fourche.

On September 6, 1973, attempt was made to interview [redacted] in order to facilitate determination of whether or not he could be eliminated as a suspect in this matter. [redacted] was not available for interview at that time.

[redacted] was finally interviewed on October 4, 1973, regarding his whereabouts and activities on June 22-June 24, 1973. He advised that on the morning of June 22, 1973, he departed, by personally owned automobile, his destination being Boseman, Montana. He arrived there that afternoon and the following morning appeared before the Montana State [redacted] to take an examination for a license in that state. [redacted] displayed a certificate which confirmed that he had, in fact, taken the test on that date. He departed Boseman, Montana, on June 24, 1973, at about noon, driving straight back to Belle Fourche. During his stay at Boseman, Montana, he advised that he was checked into the Imperial 400 Motel.

[redacted] furnished the following descriptive information of himself:

Name	[redacted]
Sex	Male
Race	White
Date of Birth	[redacted] at [redacted] South Dakota

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Height [redacted]
Weight
Eyes
Marital Status Single
Address [redacted]
Belle Fourche, South Dakota
Characteristics [redacted]

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In view of the above information, it would be reasonable to eliminate [redacted] as a suspect in this matter.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted]

On October 4, 1973, Mr. HAROLD SNEED, Postmaster, Quitman, Arkansas, who is a life-long resident of the area, advised the Fairbanks, Arkansas, community is a rural community which is serviced by the Post Office at Quitman, Arkansas. He stated there was no Post Office at Fairbanks, Arkansas, and certainly no street addresses. He is well acquainted with residents in that area. He knows of no one by the name of [redacted] who resides in the area. He pointed out a search of the U. S. Postal Guide reveals there are cities by the name of Fairbanks in Alaska, Indiana, Louisiana, and Texas, and there are cities by the name of Fairbank in Arizona and Iowa.

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On November 8, 1973, the Anchorage Division furnished the following information:

The records of postal locator, Fort Wainwright, shows [redacted] Social Security Account # [redacted] departed Fort Wainwright on [redacted] for reassignment to U. S. A. MED. DAC., Fort Carson, Colorado.

On November 7, 1973, the following persons at Fairbanks advised they could locate no record identifiable with [redacted] in the files of their respective agencies:

[redacted]
Clerk
Fairbanks Police Department

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[redacted]
Clerk
Alaska State Troopers

The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted]:

AT FORT CARSON, COLORADO

On December 11, 1973, a review of the Post Locator revealed that [redacted] is currently assigned to the [redacted] U. S. Army Hospital, Fort Carson.

On January 10, 1974, an attempt to contact [redacted] at the U. S. Army Hospital met with negative results.

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[redacted] furnished the following information:

He is the [redacted] of the [redacted] at the United States Army Hospital, Fort Carson, Colorado.

[redacted] advised he was transferred by the Army from Fairbanks, Alaska, to Fort Carson, Colorado. He advised he left Fairbanks on [redacted] by car. He stated he entered the United States at Sweetgrass, Montana. [redacted] advised he does recall staying over night at Great Falls, Montana, but does not recall staying at the Gallatin Motel in Bozeman, Montana, on June 24, 1973. He also advised he does not recall stopping at Three Forks, Montana, or stopping at the Headwaters State Monument. [redacted] advised he arrived at Fort Carson on June 28, 1973.

[redacted] advised he could furnish no information regarding the kidnaping of SUSAN M. JAEGER.

The following description was obtained through observation and interview:

Name	[redacted]
Race	White
Sex	Male
Nationality	American
Date of birth	[redacted]
Place of birth	[redacted] Pennsylvania
Height	[redacted]
Weight	
Hair	
Eyes	
Current residence	Fort Carson, Colorado

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by SA [redacted] /rag Date dictated 1/16/74

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AT BUTTE, MONTANA

On October 31, 1973, at 7:30 p.m., Security Patrol Clerk [redacted] received a call from [redacted], Butte, who stated while hunting in the Riderburg Pass area he found a blue coat with hood. He said that the coat looked like it would be for a small girl or boy. He also stated that it is possible that the coat was left by a cmmper or a tourist. He felt that it might be possible it could belong to the Victim. The Riderburg Pass is in the area of Elk Horn, Montana.

On November 1, 1973, a determination was made that the items found at Riderburg Pass, including the blue coat with hood, have no significance in relation to instant case.

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AT BOZEMAN, MONTANA

By letter dated November 8, 1973, [redacted] "Detroit News," advised that a review of the News Circulation Department for the "Detroit News" indicates that they have five new subscriptions for the State of Montana. [redacted] further advised that prior to the JAEGER case, there was only one subscription in Montana and that possibly predated the kidnaping and possibly not.

The persons now subscribing to the news are as follows:

[redacted]
Missoula, Montana
(Takes Sunday and is the oldest subscription, possibly predating JAEGER case)

[redacted]
Bozeman, Montana
(Order came in this week - Sunday)

[redacted]
Fishlake, Montana
(D & S)

[redacted]
Billings, Montana
(Daily)

[redacted]
Butte, Montana
(D & S)

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted]:

AT BILLINGS, MONTANA

On December 11, 1973, [redacted] advised that she is a personal friend of [redacted] stated that [redacted] is the former [redacted] District of Eastern Montana, having retired in July, 1973. She stated that prior to coming to Billings, [redacted] worked for an extended period of time in the Detroit area.

In view of the above, it would appear that [redacted] has a logical reason for subscribing to "The Detroit News."

The following investigation was conducted by SA BYRON H. DUNBAR:

AT THREE FORKS, MONTANA

Anonymous letter received by Sheriff, Three Forks, Montana, postmark, place and date illegible. Contents in handprinting as follows:

> "The party who took the girl from Three Forks lives in the McAllister area. He is 45 to 50, 5'8", 165#, light hair, lives on farm or ranch."

It is to be noted that previous information was received that the Unknown Subject from McAllister area lived on farm or ranch. This came from a group in Minneapolis, Minnesota, who practice clairvoyance in which writers identified themselves. The above message was anonymous.

The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted]

On September 21, 1973, Deputy [redacted] Madison County Sheriff's Office, was contacted and advised of the anonymous letter. He stated at that time that he knew

of no one in the area around McAllister, Montana, who would fit the description received in the letter. However, he advised that he would check and attempt to identify this individual.

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On November 5, 1973, Deputy [redacted] advised that he had been unable to identify anyone fitting this description, but would continue his efforts.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted] The people were interviewed regarding their stay in Bozeman, Montana, June 21-27, 1973, and any knowledge of three hippie-type people with a young girl. The following people were contacted with negative results:

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Denver, Colorado

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Denver, Colorado

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Denver, Colorado

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Denver, Colorado

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted]:

A memorandum, suitable for dissemination, was distributed to all Agents of the Richmond Division of the FBI. This memorandum set forth the circumstances of the disappearance of SUSAN MARIE JAEGER, along with her description and requested that all Agents contact local police departments and sheriffs offices. No positive information was received as a result of those contacts.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted] at Mobile, Alabama, on August 30, 1973:

Sergeant [redacted], Juvenile Division, Mobile Police Department, Mobile, Alabama, and [redacted], Mobile County Sheriff's Office, Juvenile Division, Mobile, Alabama, were advised of the circumstances surrounding the kidnaping of SUSAN MARIE JAEGER, and both were provided with photographs of the victim.

[redacted] and [redacted] were advised of the victim's [redacted] letter of appeal to the Governor of each state.

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AT BOZEMAN, MONTANA

United Press International articles Montana newspapers January 21, 1974, indicate a decomposed fully clothed body of a young girl was found on a wilflife preserve owned by NASA near Titusville, Florida, on January 19, 1974; discovered in same area were bodies of four murdered women, having been found between Thanksgiving and mid-December, 1973. Slain women range in ages from fourteen to twenty-two.

On January 28, 1974, the Tampa Office advised that authorities at Titusville, Florida, were given information regarding descriptions of KAREN TYLER and JESSICA TYLER and they advised neither of these two individuals fit the description of the fifth body found in the Titusville area on January 19, 1974.

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AT FARMINGTON HILLS, MICHIGAN

On November 12, 1973, [redacted] provided the following letter, which is from [redacted] who has previously furnished information which has been used in this investigation.

This letter reflects [redacted] has made adjustments in naming the locatin in which Victim supposedly is located.

[redacted]
La Puente, Cal.
Ph. [redacted]

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November 8, 1973

Dear [redacted]

It was a disappointment to me when the search of the Custer National Forest failed to turn up little Susie. Possibly it was my fault since I had located her on a Montana state road map in an old atlas, which didn't give a very good scale of miles. But in order to try and direct the sheriff to the general area I estimated the distance to be around five to six miles south of Mill Iron. At the time I gave him the location, he was told that the distance was not accurate but the head of the wash where she was (and still is) empties into Box Elder creek to the west. Susie is near the top of the small unnamed tributary, and is lying in the bottom where there are bushes growing on both sides. 15 to 16 MI. S. of MILL IRON.

The ground is covered with snow now and I fear coyotes and other wild animals will be driven to the location by hunger. At the present time I am prepairing another article for the Treasure Hunting Unlimited paper, which will be mailed out around January 10th. In my column I intend to relate the story of the misfortune in your family, asking all who can to concentrate on the Custer National Forest in order to try and locate your little girl. Also, the area where I think she is will be shown on a map to aid in the search because I will stake my reputation on the location.

A good friend of mine (a woman gifted of visions) saw the aerial search that the sheriff made through a vision. Yesterday she told me in detail about how the plane was too far to the north as it circled the area. She caught herself telling the pilot to come farther south as she was watching Susie's eyes open and close in the tributary of Box Elder creek where I had made the location on the map. But the plane never did get far enough south to fly over her.

The horses used in the search were almost in the right area, however, they stopped between Susie and the Box Elder creek to the west. The head of the wash is narrow and brushy; the south side where Susie fell over the cliff at night isn't so high but its a sudden drop-off to the bottom. The injury she sustained in the fall was what kept her from eventually finding someone in the forest who could have taken her to safety.

The woman I mentioned saw the Mexican earthquake two weeks before it happened and told a number of people about it. She described it in such detail there were a few people who could identify the country as being Mexico. Then when it was announced on the news two weeks after she had the vision, people who know her began calling friends to tell them of her former predictions.

Yesterday she saw another seven year old girl thrown into a ditch after being murdered. She told me the child's hair is blonde and gave her description as if I might be called on to help make her location. Both of us know the little girl in her vision hasn't been murdered yet but we also know it will happen.

Time after time this woman has envisioned such things and she always tells her friends about it long before the incident happens. She saw President Nixon lying on the ground with something red under his head but couldn't tell whether the red colour was blood or something used as a pillow. We dont know how soon her vision will be reality but you can keep it in mind and watch for it as we are.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted]

AT EKALAKA, MONTANA

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On September 19, 1973, Carter County Sheriff VERNON PREUSS, Ekalaka, was advised of the information contained in [redacted] letter.

Sheriff PREUSS stated that he was quite familiar with the area described in the Mill Iron and Capital, Montana, regions and he advised that it is all timber country located in a national forest. He stated that he would contact the ranchers in that area and conduct a personal search to determine as best he could the location referred to by [redacted] and then attempt to locate the Victim.

He advised also that the hunting season was opening in the near future and he would make every effort to cause all of the hunters in that area to be aware of the Victim's description in the hope that one of the hunters might spot the Victim in the remote area.

On September 20, 1973, Sheriff PREUSS telephonically contacted SA [redacted] from Ekalaka and stated that he had conducted an all-day and part of the night hunt for the Victim's body and had looked in every area that remotely favored the description of the area by [redacted] where the Victim could be found. Sheriff PREUSS stated, however, that neither he nor any of his men saw any sign of the Victim or any indications in the area that anyone had met with foul play.

Sheriff PREUSS stated that he had received a long distance call from LaPuente, California, from [redacted] who had advised him that he was using some sort of psychic method in order to conjure up a vision, which would tell him the exact location of the Victim's body.

Sheriff PREUSS stated that he contacted the Victim's mother in Michigan and ascertained that it was all right with her if he did act pursuant to the information furnished by [redacted] from California.

On September 21, 1973, Sheriff PREUSS was contacted by SA [redacted] at which time he was advised of all information concerning the background of [redacted] and of all the additional information furnished by [redacted] as to the location of the Victim.

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On November 12, 1973, Sheriff PREUSS stated telephonically to SA [redacted] that he and his deputies, as well as members of the County Rescue Squad and perhaps some 50 or 60 local hunters, had thoroughly combed the entire area described by [redacted] and no one had come up with anything, which might furnish a clue as to the Victim's whereabouts. He advised they had traversed the entire area occupied by the Lone Pine National Forest, which is located between Capital and Mill Iron, Montana, during the process of this search.

Sheriff PREUSS was instructed by SA [redacted] that only in the event of some additional specific information would there be any request by the FBI that Sheriff PREUSS or any of his personnel conduct any further search as it did not seem to be prudent at the time.

The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted]:

AT BILLINGS, MONTANA

On December 14, 1973, [redacted] was contacted concerning the JAEGER case.

It was determined that [redacted] and his [redacted], [redacted] Boulder, Montana, have been seeking help from psychics in an effort to locate her missing [redacted].

[redacted] advised that [redacted] had received a letter from psychic [redacted] LaPuente, California. The letter received by [redacted] made reference to SUSIE JAEGER.

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La Puente, Calif.
Ph. [redacted]

October 25, 1973

Dear [redacted]

Please accept my apologies for being so slow. When so many maps come in as they have been doing for the past month I get so sick of dowsing there are times when I think of quitting altogether. Almost every day I start work at 7:30 AM and continue until after midnight, so the strain is more than a person's system can take.

Your [redacted] has been staying in Wheat Ridge, Colorado, on 38th Avenue just east of Kipling a few houses. I can't guarantee he is still there but his radiations are very strong at that spot on the map. In the event he has moved you should be able to pick up his trail in that area anyhow. I really think he is staying there since I fail to pick up his radiation anywhere else except on his way HO where he has traveled to Ogden, Utah then turned north into Idaho. That's what made me think he might have been driving a truck since a person's radiations will still linger on any road they travel for as much as a year later.

I still believe little Susie Jaeger's body will be found in the Custer National Forest approximately 14 to 16 miles south of Mill Iron in a small but deep wash emptying into Box Elder Creek. I traced her radiation from the Three Forks area down the highway to where the automobile in which she was riding turned south. From there I could follow every turn they made until I located her strong radiation at the head of this wash (or small stream). The auto continued on south but Susie's radiation wasn't half as strong from the point where she was released. There is no question in my mind but what I could locate that child in very short order if I were in that area.

People all over the country get lost or have children who run away and need help to locate them. I can't be everywhere so the temptation to go and locate them is merely wishful thinking on my part. At any rate I have the satisfaction of knowing my dowsing is helping many who are desperately in need so I should be content to continue as I have been. It isn't uncommon for me to dowse as many as 500 maps for others during the course of a single month.

The articles you sent are being returned in a separate package that should arrive the same time this letter does. Please let me know if the location was correct if you will please.

Best wishes always

[redacted]

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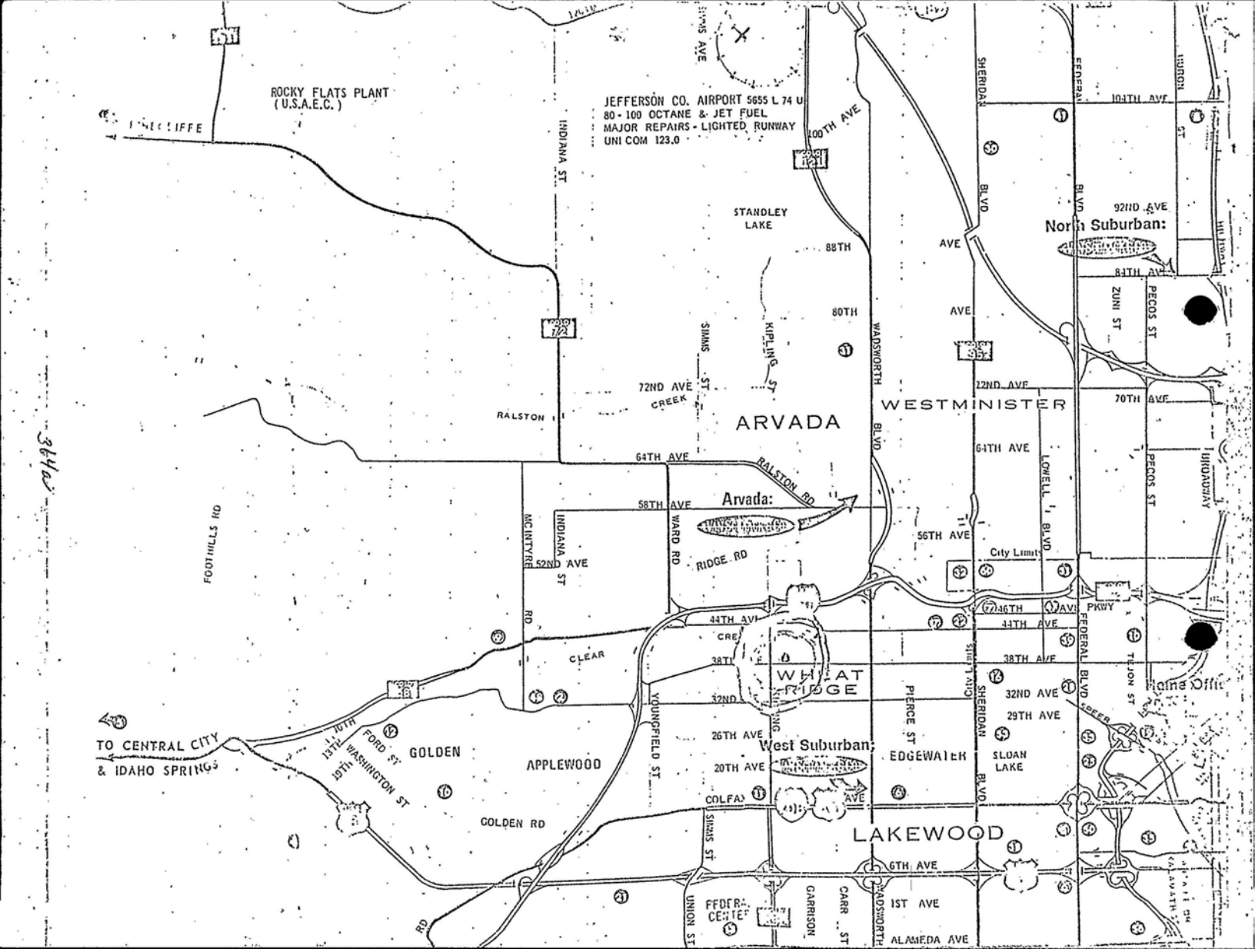
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AT EKALAKA, MONTANA

The following letter postmarked p.m., January 15, 1974, Akron, Ohio, sent to Sheriff VERNON G. PREUSS, Ekalaka:

"Dear Sir:

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Read about little Susie Jaeger in Treasure Hunting Unlimited. If she is still not found might try this: dowsing? [redacted] buried her near edge of main road east of Montana State Park Entrance. Says, 'Be Careful of Your Children,' now over the first small rise there and where a road cuts off to the R. side and just before that road down small embankment from road she (illegible) M. T. barrels sticking up well just on past last one there look for three old trees (like) back of same, on Route 63. These going east by northeast??

"Signed [redacted] (possibly some other initial)

"Treasure Hunting Unlimited" is magazine to whom [redacted] LaPuente, California, contributes under name [redacted] has been in periodic contact with Victim's [redacted]

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[redacted] The following people were contacted by SA [redacted] regarding the kidnaping of SUSAN MARIE JAEGER with negative results:

[redacted] Colorado.

[redacted] Colorado.

[redacted] Colorado.

[redacted], Colorado.

[redacted] Colorado.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted] at Wiley, Colorado:

After several negative attempts, [redacted] who was miscorrectly identified as [redacted] was contacted at his place of business, the [redacted] Wiley, Colorado, on December 21, 1973.

[redacted] advised that on June 21, 1973, he and his [redacted] had flown to Bozeman, Montana, on business, and after arriving at the airport, had immediately gone to the Holiday Motel, where he conducted business with friends and associates.

[redacted] stated that with the exception of going for a small tour of some of the outlying ranchos, certifying various livestock, he had not left the motel at any time, and was unable to provide any information as to recollection of any specific Vollswagen, bug type, observed in the Bozeman, Montana area, at the time of the kidnapping.

[redacted] further advised that on June 22, 1973, he and his [redacted] returned from Bozeman, Montana, via Colorado Springs, Colorado, to Wiley, Colorado.

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On December 11, 1973, [redacted] Colorado Springs, Colorado, was contacted at his residence. [redacted] verified that he was in Bozeman, Montana, on either June 21, 1973 or June 22, 1973. [redacted] advised that he is a [redacted] and his employer is the [redacted] stated that he flew to Bozeman in a private aircraft; was picked up at the airport by business associates and spent the evening at the Holiday Inn in Bozeman. [redacted] never rented a car while in Bozeman, Montana, and further advised that he did not own a Volkswagen. [redacted] further advised that he has no information whatsoever concerning the kidnaping of SUSAN MARIE JAGER.

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On December 7, 1973, a review of the Rock Springs Daily Rocket-Miner for August 23, 1973, revealed the following article:

Article appearing in the Rock Springs Daily Rocket-Miner, Rock Springs, Wyoming, page 1, Volume XCIII, #168, Thursday, August 23, 1973. Article captioned "HUNT FOR LOST GIRL MAY BE CALLED OFF":

> Helena Mont. (AP) - The William Jaeger family of Farmington, Mich. says it is willing to call off FBI involvment in the investigation of the disappearance of their daughter, Susie, 7, who apparently was kidnaped from a montana campsite in the predawn hours of June 25.
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> The Jaegers made the statement in an open letter distributed nationwide in hopes of securing the return of the little girl.
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> William and Marietta Jaeger, the parents of the girl, believe she may still be alive.
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> The Jaegers issued a letter addressed to "Whomever has our little daughter - Susie, or knows where she is". The letter was forwarded to the governors of every state.
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> Montana Governor Thomas L. Judge, released the message today.
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> "We will not involve the FBI or any other police agency if it will prevent out daughters return to us", the letter said. "This is the only desire we have - to get her back home".

The letter asked those with knowledge of the childs' whereabouts to contact the Jaegers by telephoning 1-313-476-1080.

"Tell us any arrangement you wish to make and we will do what you want," the letter says. "If you wish someone else to handle this matter, just tell us who."

Susie is described as having shoulder-length dark brown hair, blue eyes, medium build, standing four feet tall and weighing 55 pounds. When last seen, she was wearing a rust colored short-sleeved shirt, blue jeans, yellow knee-length socks and no shoes.

A letter to Judge said that if the abduction had been a typical assault-murder crime, the family and the FBI feel the body would have been located by now.

"But the many thorough searches utilizing manpower, horses, dogs, cycles, four-wheel drives, boats and planes have not turned up one shred of evidence to indicate she is anywhere in the area," the letter said. "So the feeling is that she was taken away and she could still be alive."

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The following investigation was conducted by SA

On December 18, 1973, resident of advised that is her that he is currently in Texas on the rodeo circuit between college quarters at Lamar, Texas, and during this conversation telephoned his home residence in Denver and telephonically advised that he did stay in the Holiday Inn in June of 1973, when he was up in Bozeman, Montana, but that he does not recall seeing any hippie-type individuals up there who had a small girl with them which could be considered suspicious in nature. advised that he would like to cooperate in any way in this investigation and that if he needs to be recontacted, that since he is working on the rodeo circuit that it would be best to contact him through his at Denver, Colorado.

On January 8, 1974, efforts to contact Lakewood, Colorado, met with negative results and it was determined that this address is non-existent. A review of the Denver telephone directory indicated address is telephone

On January 8, 1974, was contacted at Lakewood, Colorado, and advised that had moved and left a forwarding address of Concord, California, 94518.

On January 21, 1974, efforts to contact Lakewood, Colorado, met with negative results and it was determined that had moved to Billings, Montana, and the new residents are and advised she does not know the forwarding address of in Billings.

On January 22, 1974, United States Postal Inspector Denver, Colorado, advised forwarding address is , Billings, Montana.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA

AT HELENA, MONTANA

BURLINGTON NORTHERN
RAILROAD EXTRA GANG

This investigation concerns members of the above extra gang, who were working in the Three Forks, Montana, area June 23, 24 and 25, 1973, who listed their residence as Helena, Montana.

listed his Helena address as

The 1973 edition of the Polk City Directory for Helena, Montana, lists as a student residing at Also listed at that address are Field Representative, Workmen's Compensation Division, State of Montana, and his

On September 10, 1973, Assistant Chief Helena Police Department, advised the only arrest on file for born was a charge of speeding on April 15, 1967, which was subsequently dismissed. He listed his address then as said he had no reports, which would reflect unfavorably on young or that would involve him in this investigation. His is a respected employee of the state and the family has a good community reputation.

On October 2, 1973, Chief JACK L. WILLIAMS, Jr., Helena Police Department, concurred in comments and said that he knows of nothing that would implicate young in his mind in this investigation.

On October 26, 1973, Undersheriff Lewis and Clark County Sheriff's Office, and on November 1, 1973, Chief County Probation Officer, both advised that they have no record on young and consider him to have a good reputation in the community.

a member of the above train crew, listed his address as in Helena.

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The 1973 Polk City Directory for Helena, Montana, listed [redacted] as a student residing at [redacted]. Also listed at that address is a [redacted], occupation listed as a [redacted] at [redacted].

On September 10, 1973, Assistant Chief [redacted] Helena Police Department, advised he has no record of arrest for [redacted] although an [redacted] no description, with a residence address of [redacted] involved in a minor accident at the HUSTED SHOPPING CENTER on May 23, 1964. This person is not described and currently there was no charge placed against him. [redacted] said that he is vaguely acquainted with [redacted] and believes [redacted] to be her [redacted]. He said these persons have a good reputation in the community and there is nothing he knows, which would associate young [redacted] with this investigation.

On October 2, 1973, Chief JACK L. WILLIAMS, Jr., Helena Police Department, on October 26, 1973, [redacted] Undersheriff, Lewis and Clark County Sheriff's Office, and on November 1, 1973, [redacted] Chief County Probation Officer, all advised they know of no arrest record for [redacted] and they know of nothing concerning this person, which would be any basis for considering him a suspect in this matter.

[redacted] of the above extra gang listed his address as [redacted] Helena.

The 1973 Polk City Directory for Helena listed [redacted] as a student residing at [redacted]. Also listed at that address is [redacted] occupation - [redacted] and his [redacted] at [redacted].

On September 10, 1973, Assistant Chief [redacted] Helena Police Department, advised that [redacted] described as a white male, born [redacted] in Helena, was charged with destruction of private property on June 19, 1971, and at a subsequent court hearing was found not guilty. He has FBI # [redacted] At the time of this arrest he was listed as a student.

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[redacted] said that this is the only record of arrest for young [redacted] and, although he has no recollection of the incident, believes it was some sort of juvenile prank and that [redacted] has since matured and has had no further problems with the law. He believes this young man has a good reputation and comes from a good family background and he would not consider him implicated in this investigation.

On October 2, 1973, Chief JACK L. WILLIAMS, Jr., Helena Police Department, on October 26, 1973, Undersheriff [redacted] Lewis and Clark County Sheriff's Office, and on November 1, 1973, [redacted] Chief County Probation Officer, all stated they have no record of arrest for young [redacted] and do not consider him the type of person, who would be involved in this crime.

[redacted] of the above extra gang listed his address as [redacted] Helena, and his [redacted] as a [redacted] or the [redacted]

The 1973 Polk City Directory for Helena, Montana, lists [redacted] as a student residing at [redacted] Also listed at that address are [redacted] a [redacted] for [redacted] and his [redacted]

On September 10, 1973, Assistant Chief [redacted] Helena Police Department, advised that [redacted] a student residing at [redacted] was charged on February 4, 1972, with a traffic violation for which he was fined $32.00. He has FBI # [redacted] This is the only arrest on file for young [redacted] and he is considered by [redacted] to be a person of good character, reputation and from a good family background. [redacted] said he did not think young [redacted] would be in any way implicated in this case.

On October 2, 1973, Chief JACK L. WILLIAMS, Jr., Helena Police Department, on October 22, 1973, Undersheriff [redacted] and on November 1, 1973, Chief Probation Officer [redacted] all advised that they have no arrest record for young [redacted] and have no information, which would implicate him in this crime and consider him a person from a good family background and of good reputation.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted]

On November 19, 1973, [redacted] Arvada, Colorado, was contacted and advised that her family had vacationed in Montana in August and that her [redacted] travels to Bozeman, Montana on business occasionally and may have been there in June. She advised that she has no suspects in the kidnaping of SUSAN JAEGER, but that she would discuss the matter with her [redacted] and provide any positive results to the FBI in Denver.

On November 19, 1973, [redacted] Westminster, Colorado, was contacted and advised that her family had vacationed in Montana in June, 1973, but that they had noted nothing out of the ordinary during their vacation and have no suspects regarding the kidnaping of SUSAN JAEGER. She advised that during their vacation they had not traveled into North Dakota.

On November 20, 1973, efforts to contact [redacted] telephone number [redacted] met with negative results.

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Date of transcription November 23, 1973

[redacted] home address [redacted] Arvada, Colorado, telephone number [redacted] business address [redacted] Arvada, Colorado, telephone number [redacted] advised that his [redacted] had contacted him to advise the FBI was making inquiries regarding the kidnaping of SUSAN JAEGER in Montana last summer and [redacted] thereafter telephonically furnished the following information:

Although he has business and travels on occasion to Montana, he does not believe that he stayed on June 24, 1973, in Boseman, Montana, but that if he did, he stayed in either the Holiday Inn or the Topper Motel and that he has never stayed at the Gallatin Motel and that someone else must have registered there using his name, although he has no idea who it might have been.

[redacted] advised that he can think of two possible suspects in the kidnaping who are both white males in their early [redacted] with [redacted] and that these two individuals, one of whom has a first name of [redacted] and the other whose name he does not know, were working in Boseman, Montana, and that they drove an off-blue Volkswagen bus. They were charged in Boseman with stealing cabinets off the job which were valued at more than $100 and their bus was confiscated and was last located in the basement of the Gallatin County Courthouse.

[redacted] advised that [redacted] who had a contract in Boseman, might be able to provide further information regarding these two young men who lived at the King Arthur's Mobile Home Court outside Boseman, Montana on Rural Route 4, which he believes is State Highway 191. [redacted] local telephone number is [redacted] and [redacted] had a [redacted] working for him at the time of the theft of the cabinets.

Interviewed on 11/19/73 at Denver, Colorado File # DN 7-754

by SA [redacted] :vlr Date dictated 11/21/73

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AT DENVER, COLORADO

On January 25, 1974, [redacted] advised that approximately one and one-half weeks ago he was in Bozeman, Montana, and talked to [redacted] a subcontractor who owns [redacted]

[redacted] told him that he had talked to a [redacted] who was an ex-employee of [redacted] and who presently resides in [redacted] Montana. [redacted] told him that the two men, who owned the Volkswagen Bus and who had a small girl with them at Bozeman were currently in Fort Lauderdale, Florida. [redacted] advised that one individual was named [redacted] (LNU).

[redacted] stated that [redacted] did not furnish any further information regarding this conversation with [redacted] and was not aware of how [redacted] came into possession of this information.

The following investigation was conducted by SA BYRON H. DUNBAR:

AT BOZEMAN, MONTANA

[redacted] advised as follows January 30, 1974:

He had met an individual named [redacted] during the summer of 1973. He was in Bozeman, Montana, living with a girl and also was a close associate of one [redacted] All of these persons worked together, along with an older man, who appeared to be of Mexican descent and drove a truck with a camper. They also were in the company of another individual named [redacted] who drove a four-wheel drive Dodge Pickup, red in color.

Insofar as [redacted] was concerned, he lived in an old Chevrolet van, which was made to look like a Winebago at the KOA Campgrounds, Bozeman, Montana; subsequently at King Arthur Park and subsequently at Big Sky.

[redacted] was recently in Bozeman and indicated that [redacted] was en route to either Florida or Texas. If he were going to Florida, he probably would be going to the Fort Lauderdale area.

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Regarding [redacted] advised that he had worked for [redacted] at Big Sky, Montana, and may presently be working at Big Sky.

[redacted] advised that these individuals arrived in Bozeman, Montana, in July or August, 1973, and went to work for [redacted] They then subsequently worked for [redacted] [redacted] advised that he is virtually certain that they did not arrive in Bozeman as early as June 25, 1973. He advised that he can furnish no other information as to where they are located and all have departed the area except for [redacted] who might be at Big Sky.

Periodic contact with [redacted] Security Office, Big Sky of Montana; [redacted] Deputy Sheriff, West Yellowstone, Montana, and [redacted] Deputy Sheriff, Big Sky, all indicate that they have made extensive inquiry and as of date of last contact, February 8, 1974, could furnish no information regarding the information of [redacted]

They advised that each contractor and subcontractor at Big Sky have been polled and have no one by this name in their employ.

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AT LIVINGSTON, MONTANA

Sheriff DONALD GUINTONI advised on February 4, 1974, that he had just received an anonymous phone call as follows:

> "Light blue Ford pickup, white and green letter license plate. Shallow grave by river. Susan Jaeger in it. I can't say more now. Will call information as I get it."

Sheriff GUINTONI advised that the anonymous caller gave no other information, no descriptive data, except as set forth, and terminated the call with the assurance that she would call again.

GUINTONI advised that this caller would appear to be a female person, age probably late twenties or early thirties.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

1 Date of transcription 1/30/74

[redacted] was contacted at place of business a wholesale drug house at [redacted], at which time he furnished the following information:

He and his [redacted] in June, 1973, traveled to Helina, Montana, to visit his [redacted] En route on a Sunday which was June 24, 1973 at approximately 3:00 PM they stopped at the Headwaters State Park to look at the monument in the park. They parked their car, a two door 1972 Saber Chevelle with a black top on the dirt road at the entrance to the park. They began walking toward the monument when they were stopped by a state employee of the Montanan Publicity Department. This individual took a photograph of him and his [redacted] They then proceeded to the monument remaining approximately 30 minutes. They then returned to their car and departed for Helena.

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[redacted] was exhibited a diagram of the state park and advised that while at the monument he recalled seeing the tents which were depicted north of the monument. He said he also recalls seeing a girl approximately 20 years of age sunbathing near the tents. He said he could recall nothing further concerning the park and had no contact with the family of the kidnaped girl. He advised he learned of the kidnaping the following day through the news media.

Interviewed on 1/21/74 at Posen, Illinois File # CG 7-1926

by SAs [redacted] and REH/mag Date dictated 1/24/74

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On January 5, 1974, the Detroit Office furnished the following information:

Registered letter received January 31, 1974, addressed to JAEGERs at their residence from a [redacted] Post Office Box #[redacted] Avila Beach, California (also lists [redacted] Avila Beach). [redacted] claims he is a map douser and had read of the JAEGER kidnaping in "Treasure Hunting Unlimited," a treasure hunting publication.

[redacted] claims he has taken readings and readings indicated Victim is with an American Indian couple, in good health, and in Wyoming. [redacted] states first reading on January 18, 1974, indicates Victim was in Hot Springs, Wyoming, area, and near East Thermopolis. On January 21, 1974, [redacted] places Victim at Moorcraft Junction Highway at the intersection of Highways 90, 14 and 16. He claims a January 22, 1974, reading places Victim again at Moorcraft Junction.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted] Minneapolis Division:

On December 18, 1973, EMMONS CHRISTOPHER, Sheriff, Grand Forks County, Grand Forks, North Dakota, advised he knows of no abandoned railroad tracks in the entire county of Grand Forks. He stated the names [redacted] or [redacted] and [redacted] are not familiar to him, and his office has no record under these names. It is noted that Grand Forks, North Dakota, is on the North Dakota - Minnesota border, and East Grand Forks, Minnesota, is adjacent to Grand Forks.

On December 18, 1973, JAMES CLAGUE, Chief of Police, Grand Forks, North Dakota, advised he knows of no abandoned railroad tracks in this area, and especially approximately seven miles west of Grand Forks, North Dakota, and the names [redacted] or [redacted] and [redacted] are not familiar to him. A check of the records of the Grand Forks Police Department as to these names was negative. [redacted] inquired of the local railroad detective, and was informed there is a recently abandoned railroad track east of East Grand Forks, Minnesota.

On December 18, 1973, [redacted] Deputy Sheriff, Polk County, East Grand Forks, Minnesota, was advised of descriptive information as furnished by ESP practitioner [redacted] He stated he would be on the lookout for any place answering this description.

On December 18, 1973, JAMES CLAGUE, Chief of Police, Grand Forks, North Dakota, advised he had heard there is an abandoned railroad track just north of the Grand Forks Air Force Base, North Dakota, this base being located 18 miles west of Grand Forks, North Dakota. On December 19, 1973, check of this area revealed there is an abandoned spur line from Meckinock to the Grand Forks Air Force Base which is abandoned, and this line is only about two miles in length. Nofarm as described could be located in this area.

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MP 7-609
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On January 4, 1974, [redacted] Deputy Sheriff, Polk County, East Grand Forks, Minnesota, advised while conducting investigation the previcus day concerning a stolen snowmobile, he had come upon a farm near Fisher, Minnesota, which had a striking resemblance to the farm as described by [redacted]

On January 4, 1974, [redacted] farmer, was contacted at Rural Fisher, Minnesota. It is noted that he resides about one-half mile north of Fisher, Minnesota, along the Red Lake River. The approach to his farm is from East Grand Forks, Minnesota, approximately 15 miles east on Highway 2. About one-half mile north of Fisher, a right turn is made over railroad tracks of the Great Northern Railroad which runs from East Grand Forks through Fisher to Crookston, Minnesota, and beyond. On crossing the tracks, there is a dump grounds, then a farm on the south side of the road, then an S curve in the road, and the road deadends at the farm of [redacted] about one-half mile off Highway 2. [redacted] farm has a windmill and beneath the windmill tower is a white frame house. There is no fundation sitting by itself.

[redacted] advised he is single, has never been married, is [redacted] years of age, and he had lived there with his [redacted] deceased, and he lives alone. He stated that ISAAC TORKELSON, known as IKE, resides at the farm just east of his place near the dump grounds, and he is 73 years of age approximately. ISAAC TORKELSON resides there with [redacted] working for her. Her [redacted] is deceased. [redacted] advised he has never heard of [redacted] or [redacted] or [redacted] stated he has never been out of the State of Minnesota, and therefore, has not been in North Dakota or Montana. He was shown a picture of the victim and he denied any knowledge of this kidnaping. [redacted] said he had no objection to a search of his home, and this search was made with negative results.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted] Minneapolis Division:

On December 15, 1973, records of the Police Department and Sheriff's Office, Rapid City, South Dakota, were checked under the name [redacted] without developing any information.

Records of the Credit Bureau, Rapid City, South Dakota, reveal that [redacted], residing at [redacted] Rapid City, South Dakota, is and has been employed as the [redacted] Pennington County, Rapid City, South Dakota, since 1965. Nothing of a derogatory nature was shown in the Credit Bureau files.

On January 23, 1974, [redacted] was contacted at his office, [redacted] Rapid City, and was advised of the nature of this investigation. [redacted] readily admitted that he, while attending a convention in Bozeman, Montana, in October, 1966, was questioned by the police department after he and several other individuals at the convention were questioned for being boisterous and unruly. [redacted] stated that he was not arrested on this charge, only questioned, and he has not been in Montana since that time. He stated that during the period June 25 to July 31, 1973, his job was [redacted] working in the Rapid City area continually.

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The FBI Identification Division advised as follows on February 4, 1974: b6 b7C

A name check was conducted of the Identification files on the basis of the information furnished without locating any record for [redacted]

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (7-14789) DATE: 11/21/73
Attention: FBI Identification Division
Latent Fingerprint Section

FROM : SAC, BUTTE (7-497) (P)

SUBJECT: UNSUB;
SUSAN MARIE JAEGER,
aka - VICTIM
KIDNAPING
OO: Butte

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All records, Bozemen, Montana, PD, and Gallatin County SO, were reviewed 11/8-9/73, to obtain names and descriptive data of all persons having any arrests or contact by law enforcement because of a sexual-type offense. The following names and DOBs were obtained (where available, addresses and fingerprint classifications are set out; where other dates are listed, these are dates of police contact):

[redacted] DOB [redacted]
(4/14/59; 2/23/56),
peeping tom,
fingerprint classification:
[redacted]

[redacted] DOB [redacted]
5' 6",
3/31/62 - indecent exposure,
Fingerprint classification:
[redacted]

[redacted] DOB [redacted]
Billings, Montana

3 - Bureau
2 - Chicago (7-1926)
2 - Minneapolis (7-609)
7 - Butte
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[redacted] DOB [redacted]
10/23/57, peeping tom
10/11/61, peeping tom

[redacted] DOB [redacted]
peeping tom - no date indicated

[redacted] DOB [redacted]
2/18/62 - indecent language;

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
3/24/62 - indecent exposure

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Exhibitionist - 9/7/65;

[redacted]
Cut Bank, Montana;

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Fingerprint classification:
[redacted]

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Fingerprint classification:
[redacted]
Indecent exposure, 5/19/63

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]

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Montana State University,
Bozeman, Montana,
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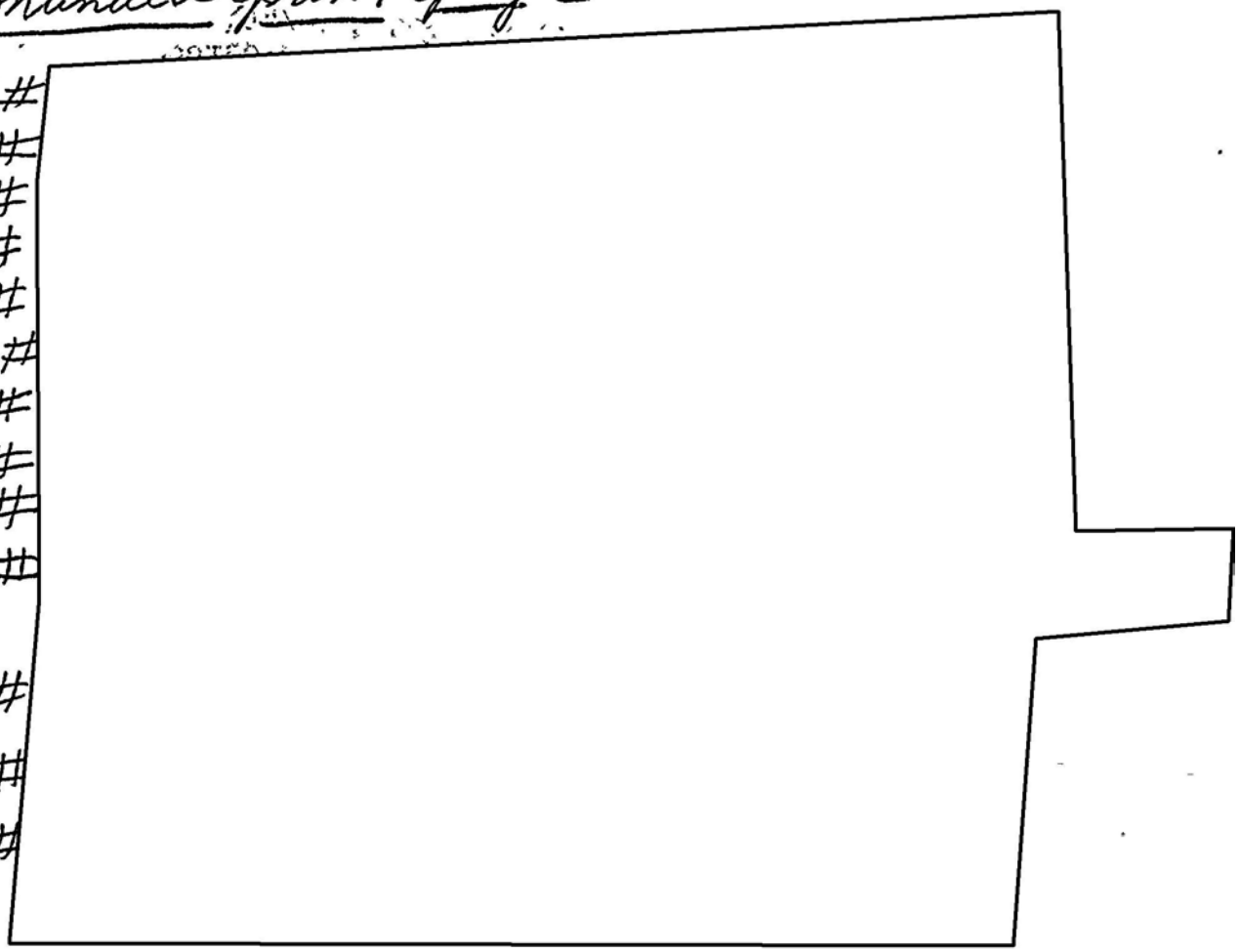

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[redacted]
DOB
4/18/62 10 years suspended

[redacted]
DOB
Bozeman, Montana

[redacted]
DOB
P. O. Box [redacted] Bozeman,

[redacted]
DOB

[redacted]
DOB
prowler;

[redacted]
DOB
peeping tom, 3/20/50;

[redacted]
DOB
Lewd and Lascivious Act;

[redacted]
DOB
4/25/57, sent to Miles City, Montana;

[redacted]
DOB
Indecent exposure;

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DOB
picking up children, 5/28/58;

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[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
1014 South Hedges, Montana State University; 422 North Pitt, Box [redacted] Red Lodge, Montana

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]

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DOB [redacted]

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[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Fingerprint Classification:
[redacted]

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[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Indecent Exposure, 10/23/65;

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Fingerprint Classification:
[redacted]

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]

cc: infile

Indecent telephone calls, 3/14/59;

[redacted]
Works McDONALDS, Bozeman, Montana, and unusual interest in children;

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Indecent Exposure, 10/6/67;

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[redacted]
DOB [redacted] (obvious wrong DOB),
7/3/69 - pulled girl's pants;

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Improper approach, 11/2/63;

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Molesting, 7/6/65;

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Indecent Act, 9/3/58;

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Peeping Tom, 12/10/58;

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Montana Stat University
Home - [redacted]
Chicago, Illinois;

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
[redacted] (FBI Number),
Bozeman, Montana, 1/25/72,
Indecent Exposure;

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
[redacted]
Billings, Montana

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
(4/18/60);
Attempted Rape, 4/18/60,
Fingerprint classification:
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[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Queer, 4/12/66;

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Indecent Exposure;

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Lewd and Lascivious, 10 years, four counts;

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Investigation, 5/28/63;

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Lewd and Lascivious,
FBI # [redacted]

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
10/6/59, following women,
Fingerprint Classification:
[redacted]

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
7/7/65, exposure
Fingerprint classification:
[redacted]

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Indecent Exposure, 6/28/67;

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
7/2/59, Indecent Exposure,
Fingerprint classification:
[redacted]

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[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Indecent Exposure;

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DOB [redacted]
FBI # [redacted]

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[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Indecent Exposure, 4/28/72;
Queer Act, 6/5/60,
Fingerprint Classification:
[redacted]

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Peeper;

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]

[redacted]
Peeper;

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
9/28/60 - Indecent Exposure,
Fingerprint classification:
[redacted]

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Peeping Tom, 11/8/58;

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Feeling Women's Clothing;
3/27/63, moved to Billings, Montana;

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[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Indecent Exposure;

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[redacted]
10/12/61, Indecent Act,
8/23/52, Contributing,
9/27/61, Lewd act, 5 years,
Deer Lodge, Montana,
Fingerprint Classification:
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[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Indecent Exposure, 10/26/65;

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Lewd and Lascivious, 9/18/58, 5 years
Montana State Prison

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Rape;

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
4/27/59, peeping tom;

[redacted]
white male, DOB [redacted]

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
8/24/67, Lewd and Lascivious,
Warm Springs, Montana;

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
2/19/66, Lewd and Lascivious,
Butte Police Department # [redacted]
Butte, Montana;

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[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
3/14/64, hands on women;

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Indecent Exposure;

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Peeping Tom;

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Fingerprint Classification:
[redacted]

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Peeping Tom, 9/3/64;

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
11/10/72 - Exhibitionist;

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Exposure, 1/23/65;

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Fingerprint Classification:
[redacted]
4/20/66, followed girls;

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Peeping Tom, 10/18/66,
[redacted]
Rapid City, South Dakota;

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[redacted] 1129 513 Cmw
DOB [redacted]
10/16/47 - Indecent Act, to Warm Springs, Montana; 4/11/63, Indecent Exposure; 11/1/63, Indecent Exposure; 11/19/63, Indecent Exposure;

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Peeper, following girls, committed to State Hospital, Warm Springs, Montana;

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
5/1/63, Indecent Exposure, Fingerprint Classification:
[redacted]

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Peeper, Fingerprint Classification:
[redacted]

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Peeping Tom, 9/1/65.

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Request of The Bureau

The FBI Identification Division, Latent Fingerprint Section, is requested to send identifiable or possible identifiable FBI Records of the names of persons listed. In view of the voluminous number of names, individual requests were not made by FD-9.

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LEADS

CHICAGO DIVISION

AT CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

Will resolve if [redacted] currently resides at [redacted] Chicago, or if his whereabouts for the dates of 6/25/73, and 7/31/73, can be verified.

MINNEAPOLIS DIVISION

AT RAPID CITY, SOUTH DAKOTA

Will resolve if [redacted] DOB [redacted] (address - 10/66), [redacted] Rapid City, South Dakota, currently resides at that address or if his whereabouts for the dates of June 25, 1973 and 7/31/73, can be verified.

BUTTE DIVISION

AT BILLINGS, MONTANA

Will endeavor to determine present location and verify the whereabouts of the following persons on 6/25/73, and 7/31/73:

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
[redacted]

AT BOZEMAN, MONTANA

Will conduct same investigation as requested of Billings, concerning all names set forth herein, not otherwise covered in specific leads.

AT BUTTE, MONTANA

Cover same investigation as requested in Billings lead, concerning:

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
Butte PD # [redacted]

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AT DEER LODGE, MONTANA

Will, at Montana State Prison, obtain sufficient background from visitors' mailing list and and records to cause the following persons to be located and their whereabouts resolved, 6/25/73, and 7/31/73:

[redacted],
DOB [redacted]

[redacted] DOB [redacted]
Montana State Prison # [redacted]
FBI # [redacted]

[redacted]
received 5 years, Montana State Prison, 9/27/61;

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]
received 9/18/58;

[redacted]
DOB [redacted]

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AT MILES CITY, MONTANA

Will conduct the same investigation as was requested at Deer Lodge, Montana, at the Pine Hills School concerning [redacted] DOB [redacted] sent to Miles City, 4/25/57.

AT WARM SPRINGS, MONTANA

Will conduct the same investigation as requested at Deer Lodge, Montana, through Montana State Hospital, concerning:

[redacted]
DOB [redacted] sent to
Warm Springs, 8/24/67;

AT CUT BANK, MONTANA

Conduct same investigation as requested at Billings, concerning:

[redacted]

COPY

The Original Mailed To

Miles City, Montana
Dec. 25, 1973

F. B. I. Agent
Butte, Montana

Dear Mr. Agent: I am close to 81 years of age now, retired, and have arthritis in one of my hip sockets, which necessitates my using one of those Walkers to move about. I had 41½ years of postal service here, with about 31 years as the Assistant Postmaster when I retired in 1955.

I have had a Christmas card from the Jaeger family thanking me again for a donation which I sent to them at Three Forks while they were awaiting the possible recovery of their sweet little Susan. Jaeger

In this morning's Billings Gazette, there appears a news item, wherein it is reported that now the reward offers have totaled $14,000.00 etc, which your office may be aware of.

This item, plus the card from Mr. & Mrs. Jaeger, has started my line of thought again to the incident of the child's disappearance, it being so terrible and heart-breaking.

I now resolve the case into two points: It was either by some Montana person - Or - some transient or transients.

Now as I rethink about it....had it been some transient from far off states, or Mexico, the perpetrators of the crime, undoubtedly would have cut other tents over the nation, repeating said crime during the interval wherein the boy's attempted kidnapping some years prior, occurred. Since no such event had occurred out of state ever...

Then it brings it back to the strong possibility that some local man, in and/or around Three Forks ....or perhaps some place in western Montana, may have been the one.

So....I think there is a strong suspicion that attention may be mistakenly applied nation-wide, rather than in the Three Forks area. also, it being perhaps neglected.

My thought in writing is, that if more than one was involved in the kidnapping, then they get to fussing among themselves, and with a tempting reward of $14,000.00 or more, just might cause the case to be solved, by one of them tipping your FBI off.

I believe, that it were myself handling the case, I would start asking each and everyone in western Montana to report any and every suspcion they might have, to your office, for a check-out. Regardless of how slight their suspicion might be...To just report it, etc.

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I cannot think of a person so low, who would molest a 7 year old kid, or even if that could be possible at such an early age of the little girl. There is a possibility that some boy, might pull such a stunt. I have noted that when some heartless crime is committed, that quite often it is a boy involved. Boys can do so many things so terribly heartless which show no emotional remorse or feeling...that they would be a prime suspect, right along with some mentally-gone man. Two cases of tent-cutting right in the same spot...with an attempted kidnapping in the first case...and a real one in the second. It sure as heaven smells like a local case to me....and I might say, some boy might just be the prime suspect.

JAN 10 1974

Why not offer ask the public to report their suspicions to you...and indicate it might have been youth accomplished. Sounds just like a kid. But if so, the girl would be dead now. o/c Kids.

JAN 17 1974

Well, with your busy office, I hate to bother you, but I hope my thoughts might help solve a heart-rending case, with all credit to your very wonderful staff.

CORRESPONDENCE

Most sincerely, Archie E. Benson, 322 Yellowstone Ave.
Miles City, Mt. Ph. 232-3443 (No one else uses it)

Archie E. Benson

No Ack - Copy to MM

10 MILES CITY STAR
December 26, 1973

Jaegers hope for Susie return as season's gift

FARMINGTON HILLS, Mich. (AP) — "We hope as the Prince of Peace comes, He will also bring us the peace we are seeking," Marietta Jaeger said Tuesday as she spent her first Christmas in seven years without her daughter, Susan.

"We're praying for a Christmas miracle," she said, half a year after 7-year-old Susan mysteriously disappeared from a Montana campsite.

She said this was an especially difficult holiday to celebrate because Susan disappeared exactly six months ago Christmas.

"But we'll make it," she said. "We've gone this far and God keeps us going."

The Jaegers and their four other children began their Christmas by attending Midnight Mass where they said they prayed for Susan's safe return.

"We still are thinking of her as if she is coming back," Mrs. Jaeger said. "We are waiting for her to come back."

The girl, youngest member of the William Jaeger family, vanished in the predawn hours on June 25 from Headwaters State Park near Bozeman, Mont., where the family was taking a camping vacation.

Officials found a hole slashed in the tent she shared with her sister and two brothers. Police say she apparently was kidnaped but no ransom note ever has been received. One man was arrested in Detroit after he allegedly tried to get money from the Jaegers in return for information about their daughter but his ploy apparently was a ruse.

So far, $14,000 has been offered as reward for information about Susan.

"Our Christmas preparations were quite painful," Mrs. Jaeger said, "because they are a very family oriented thing to us."

She said the other children helped decorate the family's Christmas tree, bake cookies and select gifts for one another.

"The kids are bearing up beautifully through a hard time," Mrs. Jaeger said, "and we have the joy of having them. Its just that we're not complete without Susie."

She said her "mother's intuition" tells her Susan still is alive.

But she said the family really is in a sort of limbo, not knowing exactly what happened to the child.

"Normally, if you lose someone you love, you grieve," Mrs. Jaeger said, "but that is also a healing process.

"But we can't grieve or rejoice," she said. "We feel we could rejoice just knowing Susie is safe; either with us or with God."

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ENCLOSURE





Federal Bureau of Investigation
U.S. Dept. of Justice
Washington, D.C. 20535

Archie E. Benson
322 Yellowstone Avenue
Miles City, Mont. 59301

Airtel

February 4, 1974

To: SAC, Butte (7-497)

From: Director, FBI (7-14789)

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UNSUB;
SUSAN MARIE JAEGER
AKA - VICTIM
KIDNAPING

Reurairtel January 25, 1974.

A name check was conducted of the identification files on the basis of the information furnished without locating any record for [redacted]

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Date: 1/25/74

Transmit the following in _____ (Type in plaintext or code)

Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL (Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (7-14789)
ATTENTION: IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

FROM: SAC, BUTTE (7-497) (P)

SUBJECT: UNSUB;
SUSAN MARIE JAEGER,
aka - VICTIM
KIDNAPING
OO: Butte

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Following letter postmarked p.m., 1/15/74, Akron, Ohio, sent to Sheriff VERNON G. PREUSS, Ekalaka, Montana:

"Dear Sir:

Read about little Susie Jaeger in Treasure Hunting Unlimited. If she is still not found might try this: dowsing? [redacted] buried her near edge of main road east of Montana State Park Entrance. Says 'Be Careful of Your Children,' now over the first small rise there and where a road cuts off to the R. side and just before that road down small embankment from road she (illegible) M. T. barrels sticking up well just on past last one there look for three old trees (like) back of same, on Route 63. These going east by northeast??

"Signed [redacted] (possibly some other initial) [redacted]

REC-16
7-14789-7
JAN 31 1974

3 - Bureau (AM)
2 - Los Angeles (7-1565) (AM)
1 - Cleveland (7-1043) (AM) (Info)
3 - Butte
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Approved: _____ Sent _____ M Per _____
Special Agent in Charge

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"Treasure Hunting Unlimited" is magazine to whom [redacted] La Puente, California, contributes under name "Lobo." [redacted] has been in periodic contact with Victim's parents.

REQUEST OF BUREAU:

Furnish FBI Identification Division record concerning all individuals named [redacted] to Butte Office.

LEADS

LOS ANGELES DIVISION

AT LA PUENTE, CALIFORNIA

1. Re-interview [redacted] La Puente, Endeavor to identify subscriber to "Treasure Hunting Unlimited" in Akron, Ohio, initials [redacted], noting that area described in quoted letter in same general area as [redacted] has previously furnished.

2. Will obtain business address of "Treasure Hunting Unlimited" if different than [redacted] in order that subscribers can be identified to locate author of above letter.

BUTTE DIVISION

AT MILES CITY, MONTANA

Will continue to coordinate the search, which has been made in Carter County based on information furnished herein and previously by [redacted]

CLEVELAND DIVISION (INFORMATION)

One copy furnished Cleveland for information as that office will be requested to locate and interview [redacted] when identified.

OPTIONAL FORM NO. 10
MAY 1962 EDITION
GSA FPMR (41 CFR) 101-11.6

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (7-14789) DATE: 2/14/74

FROM : SAC, BUTTE (7-497)(P)

SUBJECT: UNSUB;
SUSAN MARIE JAEGER,
aka - VICTIM
KIDNAPING
OO: Butte

Rereps of SA BYRON H. DUNBAR, Butte, 8/20/73, and 11/16/73.

For information of Bureau, captioned investigation has caused an extensive number of potential suspects to be located and interviewed.

As part of this investigation, the following person has been identified as potential suspect and one who should be interviewed. BURT STURGEON has been located and all investigation has failed to eliminate him as a suspect; therefore, place of employment necessary to resolve his alibi.

The person, whose location is desired, is BURT STURGEON, who is described as follows:

Race	White
Sex	Male
Nationality	American
Dates of Birth, Places of Birth	December 31, 1910, at Tondawanda, New York December 31, 1912, at Hollywood, Florida
Height	5'7"
Weight	180#
Hair	Black
Eyes	Brown
Social Security #	383-26-1853

REC-64 7-14789-72

EX-117

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Bureau authority is requested to conduct Baltimore Source #4 contact regarding BURT STURGEON, SSAN 383-26-1853.

3 - Bureau (Reg.)
2 - Butte
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APPROVED 2/27/74

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To: SAC, Butte (7-497) 2/25/74

From: Director, FBI (7-14789) -73

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UNSUB; REC-84
SUSAN MARIE JAEGER, AKA - VICTIM
KIDNAPING
OO: BUTTE

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ReBTtel to the Bureau 2/23/74.

Bureau authority is granted to conduct polygraph examination of [redacted] and [redacted] Handle in accordance with guidelines set out in Manual of Instructions, Part I, Section 8, pages 14 and 14a. Insure that written consent form completed prior to examination.

SA [redacted] Denver Division, currently on a polygraph assignment at Butte, should administer examination.

Butte furnish Bureau with results of examination.

1 - Denver (For information)

NOTE: Victim, 7-year-old white female, disappeared while on camping trip with her family near Three Forks, Montana, 6/25/73. Intensive investigation has been conducted in connection with this case, however, no subject has been developed to date. In Butte teletype dated 2/23/74, Butte requested authority for polygraph examination to be administered to two individuals, [redacted] and [redacted] considered excellent suspects in this matter and case captioned, "Unsub; Sandra Dykna Smallegan, aka - Victim, Missing Person, OO: Butte". This request has been approved and coordinated with [redacted] of the Laboratory Division.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
COMMUNICATIONS SECTION

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TO DIRECTOR (7-14789)

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FROM BUTTE (7-497) (P) 3P

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UNSUB; SUSAN MARIE JAEGER, AKA - VICTIM, KIDNAPING. OO: BUTTE.

REREPS OF SA BYRON H DUNBAR, BUTTE, AUGUST 30, 1973, AND NOVEMBER 16, 1973; BUTTE TEL TO THE BUREAU, FEBRUARY 19, 1974, CAPTIONED "UNSUB: SANDRA DYKNA SMALLEGAN (CARRIED SMOLLEGAN RE TEL), AKA - VICTIM, MISSING PERSON", OO: BUTTE: AND BUTEL TO BUTTE, FEBRUARY 21, 1974.

BURIED BONES BELIEVED IDENTICAL WITH SMALLEGAN FOUND FEBRUARY 19, 20, AND 21, 1974, SUBMITTED TO PATHOLOGIST, GREAT FALLS, MONTANA. PATHOLOGIST'S PRELIMINARY OPINION BONES ARE HUMAN, SOME ARE OF RECENT ORIGIN. PROBABLY WILL BE IDENTICAL WITH SMALLEGAN. NOTE, PATHOLOGIST FURTHER ADVISED IN PRELIMINARY OPINION (CONFIDENTIAL) THAT SOME OF BONES ARE SEVERAL MONTHS OLD AND INCLUDE PORTIONS OF RIB CAGE OF YOUNG CHILD. NOTE, LOCATION WHERE BONES FOUND IN CLOSE PROXIMITY (WITHIN FIVE MILES) SITE OF CAPTIONED ABDUCTION.

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approved ~~2/23/73~~ polygraph interviews
Call to [redacted]
Security clerk - Butte
advised - gpz 2/23/73

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SA [redacted] FBI POLYGRAPH TECHNICIAN, ASSIGNED DENVER, PRESENTLY BOZEMAN, MONTANA, AND ADMINISTERED POLYGRAPH TEST TO DAVID MEIRHOFFER. SEPARATE TEL RE RESULTS TO BE FURNISHED.

INVESTIGATION IN JAEGER AND SMALLEGAN CASES INDICATES FOLLOWING EXCELLENT SUSPECTS:

[redacted], DOB [redacted] (REFERRED TO IN REREPS);

[redacted] (REFERRED TO IN REREPS).

LOCAL OFFICERS DETERMINED [redacted] AND [redacted] PRESENTLY IN MANHATTAN, MONTANA. BOTH NAMED AS OBVIOUS SEX DEVIATES AND/OR OFFENDERS. BOTH CONSIDERED EXCELLENT SUSPECTS THIS TIME. [redacted] FIRED ON LOCAL OFFICERS WHEN THEY APPROACHED HIS HOME. WHILE OFFICERS TOOKCOVER, [redacted] SEXUALLY ASSAULTED HIS WIFE ON THE FLOOR, AND THEN RETURNED TO CONTINUE FIRING AT OFFICERS. [redacted] HAD FIVE GALLON CANS OF GASOLINE AROUND RESIDENCE INDICATING HE WOULD BURN WIFE AND CHILDRED IF OFFICERS REACHED THE HOUSE. [redacted] IS A CHILD MOLESTER ON LOCAL PROBATION FOR SEXUALLY ASSAULTING A YOUND FEMALE CHILD.

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BT (7-497)

HE MAINTAINS A LARGE COLLECTION OF DOLLS IN VARIOUS STATES OF UNDRESS.

WITH SA [redacted] BEING IN BUTTE DIVISION AT SCENE, BUREAU AUTHORITY REQUESTED FOR POLYGRAPH EXAMINATION OF [redacted] AND [redacted]

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8:45 PM NITEL FEB. 25, 1974 FLC

TO DIRECTOR, FBI 7-14789

FROM SAC BUTTE 7-497 (P)

UNSUB; SUSAN MARIE JAEGER, AKA-VICTIM. KIDNAPING. OO BUTTE.

REBUTTE TEL TO BUREAU, FEB. 23, 1974, AND BU PHONE CALL TO BUTTE, FEB. 23, 1974.

[redacted] AND [redacted] WERE AFFORDED POLYGRAPH EXAMINATIONS FEBRUARY 24, 1974. RESULTS BEING FURNISHED BY EXAMINER.

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TO SACS, BUTTE (7-497) 1- [redacted] 2/21/74
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FROM DIRECTOR, FBI (7-14789) 15 1-

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UNSUB; SUSAN MARIE JAEGER - VICTIM, KIDNAPING. OO: BUTTE.

REBTTEL TO BUREAU FEBRUARY 20, 1974, AND BUTELCALS TO BUTTE AND DENVER FEBRUARY 21, 1974.

BUREAU APPROVES REQUEST FOR POLYGRAPH EXAMINATION OF DAVID MIERHOFER IN ACCORDANCE WITH BUREAU REGULATIONS. SA [redacted] [redacted] DENVER DIVISION, HAS BEEN DESIGNATED BY BUREAU AS POLYGRAPH EXAMINER TO HANDLE THIS EXAMINATION.

BUTTE COORDINATE WITH DENVER AND FURNISH BUREAU WITH RESULTS OF EXAMINATION.

NOTE: Victim, 7-year-old female, disappeared while on camping trip with family near Three Forks, Montana, 6/25/73. Extended intensive investigation has been conducted in connection with this violation. In 2/20/74, Butte teletype (attached) they have requested Bureau authority for polygraph examination of prime suspect, David Mierhofer. This request is being approved and designation of the examiner has been coordinated with [redacted] of the Laboratory Division.

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10:56 PM NITEL FEBRUARY 20, 1974 TDS

TO DIRECTOR (7-14789)

FROM BUTTE (7-497)

UNSUB; SUSAN MARIE JAEGER-VICTIM. KIDNAPING. OO: BUTTE.

[redacted]

REBUTTE REPORTS SA BYRON H. DUNBAR, AUG. 30, 1973, NOV. 16, 1973. BUTTE TEL TO DIRECTOR, FEB. 19, 1974, CAPTIONED "UNSUB; SANDRA DYKNA SMALLEGAN (CARRIED SMOLLEGAN RE TEL) AKA-VICTIM. MISSING PERSON. OO: BUTTE.

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BURNED BONES BELIEVED IDENTICAL WITH SMALLEGAN, FOUND FEB. 19, 1974, NEAR SMALLEGAN VEHICLE. LOCAL OFFICERS DEVELOPED DAVID G. MIERHOFER AS PRIME SUSPECT. [redacted] DAVID, CONFIDENTIALLY ADVISED BUAGENT FEB. 20, 1974, HE BELIEVES [redacted] RESPONSIBLE FOR SMALLEGAN DEATH. LOCAL OFFICERS REQUESTED MIERHOFER TAKE POLYGRAPH EXAMINATION ON FEB. 18, 1974, WHICH HE REFUSED.

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EX-104 REC-30 7-14789-75

MIERHOFER DEVELOPED AND NEVER ELIMINATED AS SUSPECT JAEGER CASE. IN THAT CASE MIERHOFER REFUSED POLYGRAPH EXAM.

ESTENSIVE INTERVIEW WITH MIERHOFER FEB. 20, 1974 HE DENIED

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Tel to D.V. BT
2/21/74

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INVOLVEMENT BOTH MATTERS, HOWEVER CONSENTED TO POLYGRAPH EXAMINATION BY FBI.

BUREAU AUTHORITY REQUESTED FOR POLYGRAPH EXAMINATION OF DAVID MIERHOFER.

SEVERAL CASED BUTTE DIVISION, IN ADDITION TO ABOVE CASE, SUCH AS [redacted] MISSING PERSONS.(BUFILE 7-3197Ø) AND ADDITIONAL LOCAL CASES JUSTIFY USE OF BUREAU POLYGRAPH EXAMINER. BUTTE DIVISION HAS NO EXAMINER. REQUEST QUALIFIED EXAMINER FROM SURROUNDING OFFICE TO ADMINISTER POLYGRAPH EXAMINATION.

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SMALEGAN CASE RECEIVING EXTENSIVE PUBLICITY.

MIERHOFER'S PRESENT CONSENT MAKES TIME OF ESSENCE.

BUREAU REQUESTED SUTEL WHETHER AUTHORITY GRANTED, TIME EXAM CAN BE GIVEN.

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To Sac Butte
via Fax 8-31-73 SAK

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1059 AM URGENT 8-31-73 TMT

TO DIRECTOR (7-14789)

ATTN: IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

FROM BUTTE (7-497) (P) 1P

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UNSUB; SUSAN MARIE JAEGER, AKA - VICTIM, KIDNAPING, OO: BUTTE.

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RE: [redacted] DOB [redacted]
[redacted] AND [redacted] DOB [redacted]
[redacted] RESIDENTS, BOZEMAN, MONTANA, AREA,

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CONSIDERED SUSPECTS IN MURDER OF ONE DONNA IRENE LEMON, WHOSE BODY LOCATED IDAHO FALLS, IDAHO, 7/8/73.

FBI IDENTIFICATION DIVISION REQUESTED TO EXPEDITIOUSLY FURNISH FACSIMILE IDENT. RECORD FOR INTERVIEW RE LEMON AND CAPTIONED.

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VIA TELECOPIER
TO IDENT 1 Sup GFW Fax dest 8-31-LGL

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

DATE: August 27, 1973

TO: SAC, Butte (7-497)
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Re: UNSUB;
SUSAN MARIE JAEGER;
aka - VICTIM
KIDNAPING
OO: Butte

Invoice of Contents

Glass microscope slides and

pillboxes containing hairs from Q8

- ☐ Crypt.-Trans.
- ☐ Document
- ☒ B&C
- ☐ Radio Engineerin
- ☐ LFPS

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PC-K0995 NU

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

DATE: August 27, 1973

TO: SAC, Butte (7-497)

Re: UNSUB;
SUSAN MARIE JAEGER,
aka - VICTIM
KIDNAPING
OO: Butte

Invoice of Contents

- ☐ Crypt.-Trans.
- ☐ Document
- ☑ FX & C
- ☐ Radio Engineering
- ☐ LFPS

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SAC, **Detroit (7-1248)** **August 24, 1973**

Director, FBI 7-14789-

UNSUB;
SUSAN MARIE JAEGER
VICTIM
KID
(OO: BUTTE)

Reference is made to your communication dated 8/16/73 transmitting ☒ negative(s) ☐ film ☒ photograph(s) ☐ document(s) ☐ pertaining to the above-captioned matter.

In accordance with your request ☐ film has been developed
☒ enlargement(s) made
☐ positive copy made
☐ print(s) made
☐ slide(s) made
☐ negative(s) made
☐ Photostats made

The above is ☒ attached
☐ being sent under separate cover, via ☐ registered mail
☐ REA Express

Per your request prints forwarded to each receiving office.

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FBI

Date: 8-16-73

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Via Airtel _____
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8-23-73 JB+MP

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI
(Att. - Mechanical Section)
FROM : SAC, DETROIT (7-1248) (P)

SUBJECT: UNSUB;
SUSAN MARIE JAEGER
VICTIM
KID
(OO: BUTTE)

Enclosed for the Bureau is the negative and two copies of photograph of victim. Enclosed for Butte are five copies of a color photograph of victim. Enclosed for each continental office is one photograph of victim.

On approximately 8-7-73, [redacted] sent a letter of appeal to the governors of each state, excluding Hawaii, giving the background concerning the kidnapping of [redacted] and requesting publicity through the various news media. [redacted] feel that such an appeal and coverage may result in additional leads regarding [redacted]

Detroit has obtained from [redacted] a photograph which they feel is a better likeness of [redacted] than any being currently used.

Request of Bureau

Bureau is requested to reproduce enclosed photographs and furnish five to each receiving office for their use.

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ENCLOSURE
Det'd & Rec'd to Detroit 8-24-73 pj

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2 - Butte (7-497) (5 Enc.)
1 - Each Continental Office (1 Enc.)
1 - Detroit
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4 color photos

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Approved: _____ Sent _____ M Per 7230
Special Agent in Charge

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EACH RECEIVING OFFICE

Enclosed is one photograph for use by your office should a governor's appeal in your division require such. Additional photographs will be furnished by the Bureau.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Washington, D. C. 20537

REPORT

of the

IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

YOUR FILE NO. 7-1248
FBI FILE NO. 7-14789
LATENT CASE NO. A-74672

September 7, 1973

TO: SAC, Detroit

RE: UNSUB.;
SUSAN MARIE JAEGER, AKA - VICTIM
KIDNAPING

REFERENCE: Letter 8/20/73
EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY: Detroit
SPECIMENS: Three envelopes, Q9, Q12 and Q13
Three pages of two letters, Q10, Q11 and Q14

Listed Q specimens described in separate Laboratory report.

REC-26 7-14789-54

No latent prints of value developed on specimens, which are enclosed.

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2 - Butte (7-497)

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Clarence M. Kelley, Director

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Recorded 9-5-73 3:25p.m. amg Received 9-5-73
Laboratory Work Sheet

NO LAB FILE

Re: UNSUB;
SUSAN MARIE JAEGER, aka - VICTIM;
KIDNAPING
latent
OO: Butte

File #7-14789 - 54
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Examination requested by: Detroit (7-1248) let 8/20/73

Examination requested: Document - Fingerprint

Date received: 8/23/73

Result of Examination:
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No lat pts val dev N or SN 9-6 WAB
Specs returned encl

Examination by: [redacted]

Noted By:

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Q9 Envelope postmarked "DETROIT JUL 24 1973 P. M. GRATIOT ~~GRATIOT~~ STA," bearing the handprinted address "Secret Witness P.O. Box [redacted]

Q10 First page of two-page handprinted letter beginning "Your Girl is O.K. ...."

Q11 Second page of two-page hand printed letter beginning "tell [redacted] to come ...."

Q12 Envelope bearing the hand printed nam[redacted]

Q13 Envelope postmarked "U.S. POSTAL SERVICE MI 493 PM 4 JUL 1973," bearing the handw printed address "Secret Service 110 Michign N.W. Grand Rapids Mich"

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Ansd 9-7-73 WAB:

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Q14 Accompanying one-page k hand printed letter dated 7/3/73, Beginning "Dear Sirs. This Letter ...."

Examination completed 1pm 9-6 Dictated 9-6

Time Date Date

DIRECTOR, FBI
ATTN: FBI LABORATORY

8/20/73

SAC, DETROIT (7-1248) (P)

UNSUB;
SUSAN MARIE JAEGER, aka - VICTIM
KIDNAPING
OO: BUTTE

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Enclosed for the Bureau are the following:

1a. One envelope addressed "Secret Witness, P.O. Box [redacted] written in pencil.

1b. One two page letter written in pencil beginning, "Your girl is O.K. . . ."

1c. One envelope addressed in pencil [redacted]

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2a. One envelope addressed in ink, "Secret Service, [redacted]

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2b. One-onepage letter written in ink beginning, "Dear Sirs. This letter is in regards to . . ."

3. One copy of photographic reproductions of the above.

Enclosed for Butte is one photographic reproduction of the enclosures for the Bureau.

On 6/25/73, captioned victim was taken from a tent at a camp ground in Montana where victim was camping with her family. To date no substantial leads have been developed which would indicate where victim is currently located. Several attempts have been made by various individuals to claim part of the reward, none of which instances have produced any indication of knowledge of the victim's whereabouts by those individuals.

(2) - Bureau (Enc. - 9) (RM)
2 - Butte (7-497) (Enc. - 4)
2 - Detroit
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The enclosures were furnished to FBI Detroit by [redacted] of the "Detroit News", which newspaper has a "Secret Witness" program offering a reward for the return of the victim. b6 b7C

The FBI Laboratory is requested to process the enclosures for any latents and for possible matching with the Single Fingerprint File. It is noted that all enclosures have been handled by various people. The Laboratory is also requested to compare the enclosures with the Anonymous Letter File.

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ST-102

September 12, 1973

1 - Office 7133 b6
1 - [redacted] b7C

To: SAC, Butte (7-497)

REC-39

From: Director, FBI (7-14789)

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UNSUB;
SUSAN MARIE JAEGER,
aka - VICTIM
KIDNAPING
OO: Butte

Reference your airtel September 4, 1973.

Enclosed is a hair sample from the Q8 brush of the victim in accordance with your request.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (7-~~14810~~ 14789)
ATTENTION: FBI LABORATORY

FROM: SAC, BUTTE (7-497) (P)

SUBJECT: UNSUB;
SUSAN MARIE JAEGER,
aka - VICTIM
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ReBulet, 8/27/73.

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REC-39 7-14789-55

BUTTE DIVISION

AT BOZEMAN, MONTANA

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Will, if the FBI Laboratory can send extra pieces of hair, give same to local "witcher" for the above purpose.

2 - Bureau (AM)
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TO DIRECTOR (7-14789) (NITEL)

MILWAUKEE (7-534) (URGENT)

DETROIT (7-1248) (NITEL)

FROM BUTTE (7-497) (P) 2P

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UNSUB; SUSAN MARIE JAEGER, AKA - VICTIM; KIDNAPING

OO: BUTTE.

RE DETROIT TEL TO BUTTE, 9/25/73, AND BUTTE TEL TO DETROIT, 7/31/73.

FOR INFORMATION MILWAUKEE, ON 9/24/73 TWO PHONE CALLS RECEIVED AT [redacted] TELEPHONE [redacted] FIRST 5:30 PM (CENTRAL TIME) WAS COLLECT AND REFUSED BY [redacted] AGE [redacted] SECOND 5:45 (CENTRAL TIME) DIRECT BUT WITH OPERATOR ASSISTANCE, RECEIVED BY [redacted] CALLER IDENTIFIED SELF AS PERSON WHO HAD CONTACTED [redacted] 7/2/73 AND REQUESTED $50, 000 FOR RETURN OF VICTIM. CALLER INDICATED IS READY TO NEGOTIATE AGAIN AND WILL RECONTACT [redacted]

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MILWAUKEE TO CONTACT [redacted] AND/OR [redacted] BANK OF COMMERCE, MILWAUKEE, AND ASSURE AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS, $50,000, AND CAUSE TRANSFER OF SAME TO A BANK IN DETROIT.

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9:06Q PM MIXED 9-26-73 LKS

TO DIRECTOR (7-14789) (NITEL)

DENVER (7-754) (URGENT)

DETROIT (7-1248) (NITEL)

FROM BUTTE (7-497) (P) 1P

UNSUB; SUSAN MARIE JAEGER, AKA -VICTIM; KIDNAPING

OO: BUTTE.

RE DETROIT TEL TO BUTTE AND DENVER, 9/25/73.

DENVER REQUESTED TO CONTACT SECURITY OFFICER, DENVER TELEPHONE COMPANY, AND THROUGH HIM CONTACT SUPERVISORS AND/OR LONG DISTANCE OPERATORS WHO WORKED AFTERNOON SHIFT BETWEEN 5 AND 6 PM (CENTRAL TIME) ON 9/24/73 TO ASCERTAIN IF ANY REMEMBER HANDLING TWO TELEPHONE CALLS REFERRED TO IN REFERENCED COMMUNICATION. [redacted] IS [redacted] [redacted] TELEPHONE [redacted]

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BUTTE CHECKING LOCAL TELEPHONE COMPANY.

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12:45 PM URGENT 9-27-73 LKS

TO DIRECTOR (7-14789)

DENVER

DETROIT (7-1248)

SALT LAKE CITY

FROM BUTTE (7-497) (P) 4P

UNSUB; SUSAN MARIE JAEGER, AKA - VICTIM, KIDNAPING,

OO: BUTTE.

RE DETROIT TELETYPE TO BUREAU 9/25/73, AND BUTTE TELETYPE TO BUREAU, 9/26/73.

FOR INFORMATION SALT LAKE CITY, APPROXIMATELY 5:30 P.M., 9/24/73, LONG DISTANCE FEMALE TELEPHONE OPERATOR, LOCATION UNKNOWN, CONTACTED [redacted] TELEPHONE [redacted] CALL RECEIVED BY VICTIM'S [redacted] AGE [redacted] OPERATOR IDENTIFIED [redacted] AS REQUESTING [redacted] TO ACCEPT LONG DISTANCE CHARGE. [redacted] REFUSED AND OPERATOR STATED CALLER WOULD RETURN CALL LATER THAT EVENING. APPROXIMATELY 5:45 P.M., 9/24/73, SECOND LONG DISTANCE CALL RECEIVED AT [redacted] BY VICTIM'S [redacted] AGE [redacted] CALL PLACED DIRECT WITH AID OF [redacted]

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FEMALE OPERATOR. CALL NOT COLLECT. VICTIM'S [redacted]
AT HOME AT TIME OF CALL. CALLER STATED [redacted] WOULD HAVE
TO WAIT A WHILE BEFORE GETTING VICTIM BACK BECAUSE OF FBI
AND POLICE ACTIVITY. FURTHER STATED, "YOU MAY THINK I'M A
HOAX BUT I KNOW SOMETHING ABOUT SUZIE. THE FINGERNAILS OF
HER FIRST FINGERS ARE HUMPED." CALLER FURTHER STATED HE HAD
PREVIOUSLY CONTACTED [redacted] RE KIDNAPING. IT IS TO BE
NOTED [redacted] THREE FORKS, MONTANA,
CONTACTED 7/2/73, BY UNKNOWN MALE REQUESTING $50,000.00 FOR
RETURN OF VICTIM AND ALSO DESCRIBED FINGERNAILS OF HER FIRST FINGERS BEING
HUMPED. [redacted]
VERIFIED THIS DEFORMITY WHICH WAS UNKNOWN TO INVESTIGATING
OFFICERS AT THAT TIME.

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CALLER ENDED CONVERSATION STATING [redacted] WOULD BE
RECONTACTED IN A WEEK TO TWO MONTHS WHEN HIS PLANS HAD BEEN
FORMULATED. ALSO [redacted] WOULD HAVE TO TRAVEL WEST IN ORDER
TO GET SUZIE. BOTH CALLS RECORDED ON TAPE.

[redacted] MOUNTAIN BELL, BOZEMAN, MONTANA, ON 9/26/73,
ADVISED ANY LONG DISTANCE CALL FROM GALLATIN, PARK,

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[redacted] COUNTIES WOULD GO THROUGH OPERATORS IN [redacted]

CONTACT WITH [redacted] [redacted] REVEALED [redacted] RECALLED HANDLING COLLECT CALL TO FARMINGTON, MICHIGAN FOR INDIVIDUAL IDENTIFYING HIMSELF AS [redacted] ON INTERVIEW VERIFIED ABOVE AND STATES CALL REFUSED AT [redacted] FOR SOME UNKNOWN REASON BELIEVES CALL ORIGINATED [redacted]

NO LIVINGSTON, MONTANA, OPERATOR RECALLS HANDLING SECOND TELEPHONE CALL TO [redacted]

STOP PLACED THROUGH [redacted] WITH [redacted] OPERATORS PERTAINING TO ANY FUTURE CALL TO [redacted] ORIGINATING FROM ABOVE [redacted]

[redacted] IS IN [redacted] [redacted] STATES TOLL RECORDS FOR [redacted] SENT TO [redacted] AND SHOULD HAVE ARRIVED [redacted] OR [redacted] ATTEMPTED TO CONTACT [redacted] [redacted] AREA SECURITY AGENT FOR IDAHO, MONTANA, AND UTAH IN

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[redacted] TELEPHONE [redacted] BUT [redacted] OUT OF TOWN UNTIL [redacted]

[redacted] REQUESTED TO COVER LEADS SET OUT IN REFERENCED TELETYPE SINCE OPERATORS IDENTIFICATION OF FIRST CALL NO 100-PERCENT SURE.

[redacted] REQUESTED TO IMMEDIATELY FORWARD TAPE OF RECORDED CALLS TO BUTTE SO CAN BE PLAYED FOR [redacted] TO IDENTITY HER VOICE AND VERIFY HER RECOLLECTION.

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[redacted] REQUESTED TO CONTACT [redacted] AND HAVE HIM PULL CHARGES FOR [redacted] FORM [redacted] OFFICE AND ATTEMPT TO DETERMINE ORIGIN OF BOTH CALLS TO [redacted] ON [redacted]

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SENT 155 AM 9-28-73 NITEL 9-27-73 CXV

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (7-14789)

BUTTE (7-497)

DENVER

DETROIT (7-1248)

FROM: SALT LAKE CITY (7-590) (P)

UNSUB; SUSAN MARIE JAEGER, AKA - VICTIM, KIDNAPING, OO: BUTTE.

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RE BUTTE TELETYPE 9-27-73.

[redacted] NOT AVAILABWE REST OF WEEK.

[redacted], CAUSED SEARCH OF CHARGES FOR [redacted] FROM [redacted] NO RECORD OF CALL TO [redacted] TELEPHONE [redacted] LOCATED.

[redacted] STATED CHECK OF [redacted] CHARGES FOR NEXT FEW DAYS WILL BE MADE IN EVENT SUBMISSION DELAYED.

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MATTER BEING FOLLOWED AND PERTINENT INFORMATION DEVELOPED WILL BE FURNISHED.

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September 26, 1973

GENERAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

Summary

BACKGROUND: Susan Marie Jaeger, seven-year-old white female, disappeared from a camp near Three Forks, Montana, 6/25/73, while camping with family. All-out search by local and state authorities and investigation by FBI since disappearance of victim has been negative to date. Disappearance of victim and efforts to locate her has generated considerable publicity.

On 7/2/73, [redacted] on duty at kidnap site received call from [redacted] Caller described [redacted] (This fact little known and not given any publicity). Caller nonspecific as to identity of [redacted] covered all bus stations with negative results.

Attached advises [redacted] unknown subject (unsub) telephonically [redacted] unsub spoke to [redacted]

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[redacted] Caller advised [redacted] s [redacted] Both calls recorded on tape; telephone company unable to trace calls.

Investigation continuing to identify unsub and locate victim.

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7:20 PM URGENT 9/25/73 GJW

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TO DIRECTOR

BUTTE (7-497)

DENVER

FROM DETROIT (7-1248)

UNSUB; SUSAN MARIE JAEGER, AKA-VICTIM; KIDNAPING;
OO:BUTTE.

APPROXIMATELY [redacted] LONG-DISTANCE FEMA [redacted]
TELEPHONE OPERATOR, LOCATION UNKNOWN, TELEPHONICALLY
CONTACTED [redacted]
TELEPHONE NUMBE [redacted] CALL RECEIVED BY [redacted]
[redacted], AGE [redacted] OPERATOR IDENTIFIED A [redacted]
[redacted] AS REQUESTING [redacted] TO ACCEPT LONG-
DISTANCE CHARGES. [redacted] REFUSED TO ACCEPT CHARGES AND
OPERATOR STATED CALLER WOULD RETURN CALL LATER THAT
EVENING.

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AT APPROXIMATELY [redacted] SECOND LONG-DISTANCE
TELEPHONE CALL RECEIVED AT [redacted] BY [redacted]
[redacted] AGE [redacted] CALL PLACED DIRECT
WITH AID OF FEMALE OPERATOR. CALL NOT COLLECT. [redacted]
[redacted] NOT AT HOME AT TIME OF CALL.

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DE 7-1248

CALLER STATED THAT [redacted] CALLER STATED [redacted] RE KIDNAPING (PRESUMABLY [redacted] THREE FORKS, MONTANA).

CALLER ADVISED [redacted] CALLER ENDED CONVERSATION STATING [redacted] CALLER STATED [redacted]

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BOTH CALLS RECORDED ON TAPE. [redacted] DUPLICATING TAPE AND WILL PROVIDE COPY TO BUTTE.

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REVIEW OF TAPES REFLECTS CALLER SOUNDS LIKE [redacted]

ADVISES ATTEMPTS NOW TO DETERMINE FROM WHERE ABOVE CALLS PLACED IMPOSSIBLE INASMUCH AS FIRST CALL CHARGES WERE NOT ACCEPTED AND THAT SECOND CALL WAS NOT COLLECT BUT RATHER DIRECT. b6 b7C b7D b7E

DETROIT WILL MAINTAIN CLOSE CONTACT WITH [redacted] ADVISES NAME [redacted] NOT FAMILIAR AND [redacted] HAVE NO RELATIVES BY THAT NAME.

DENVER IS BEING PROVIDED INFORMATION COPY IN VIEW ABOVE CALLER MAY BE IDENTICAL WITH CALLER WHO CONTACTED THEIR OFFICE 6/30/73.

BUTTE WILL SET FORTH LEAD TO ARRANGE TRANSFER OF RANSOM FUNDS FROM BANK OF COMMERCE, MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN, TO A DETROIT AREA BANK IN VIEW OF POSSIBLE FUTURE NEED AND ACCESSIBILITY AT DETROIT.

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6:43PM NITEL 9/28/73 RDE

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (7-14789)

BUTTE (7-749)

DETROIT

FROM: DENVER (7-754) (P)

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UNSUB; SUSAN MARIE JAEGER, AKA - VICTIM; KIDNAPING.

OO: BUTTE

RE BUTTE NITEL TO BUREAU, DENVER AND DETROIT. [redacted]

ON THIS DATE SUPERVISORY PERSONNEL [redacted] b6 b7C b7D b7E

[redacted] ADVISED THAT NO RECORDS HAVE BEEN LOCATED AT THIS TIME REGARDING TELEPHONE CALLS REFERRED TO IN REFERENCED COMMUNICATION. SUPERVISORY PERSONNEL STILL CONDUCTING CHECKS AND IF RECORDS LOCATED, REGARDING SUCH CALLS, BUTTE AND DETROIT WILL BE IMMEDIATELY NOTIFIED.

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9:17 PM NITEL 9/28/73 TDS

TO DIRECTOR (7-14789)

DETROIT (7-1248)

FROM BUTTE (7-497) (P) 1P

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UNSUB; SUSAN MARIE JAEGER, AKA - VICTIM, KIDNAPING,

OO: BUTTE.

RE DETROIT TELETYPE TO BUREAU, 9/25/73, AND DETROIT NITEL TO BUTTE, 9/27/73.

BUTTE REQUESTS [redacted] AND REINSTITUTE TRAP AND TRACER ON TELEPHONE OF [redacted] b6 b7C b7E

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6:44 PM NITEL 10-2-73 FLC

TO DIRECTOR, FBI 7-14789

SACS DENVER 7-754

DETROIT 7-1248

SALT LAKE CITY 7-590

FROM SAC BUTTE, 7-497

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UNSUB; SUSAN MARIE JAEGER, AKA-VICTIM, KIDNAPING. OO BUTTE.

RE DETROIT TELETYPE TO BUREAU 9/25/73; BUTTE TELETYPES TO BUREAU 9/26/73, 9/27/73; AND SALT LAKE CITY TELETYPE TO BUTTE 9/28/73.

AFTER REVIEW OF TAPES WITH [redacted] IT IS CONCLUSIVELY ESTABLISHED THAT CALL TO [redacted] COLLECT AND REFUSED WAS NOT ORIGINATED FROM LIVINGSTON, MONTANA AREA.

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[redacted] ENDEAVORING TO ESTABLISH FEASIBILITY OF DETERMINING ORIGIN OF CALL THROUGH [redacted]

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DENVER AT [redacted] MAINTAIN CONTACT WITH [redacted]

RE LEADS SET OUT REFERENCED TELETYPES.

DETROIT, AT [redacted] MAINTAIN CONTACT [redacted]

FOR INFO [redacted] RE LIAISON WITH [redacted].

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October 5, 1973

To: FBI, Detroit (7-1248)

From: Director, FBI (7-14789) REC-9 St. 100 64

Re: UNSUB;
SUSAN MARIE JAEGER, AKA-VICTIM
KIDNAPING

By teletype 10/3/73, Butte requested the Laboratory to examine the magnetic tape of the telephone call to the [redacted] made on [redacted] in order to attempt to identify the residence or background of the individual placing this call.

The Detroit Office is requested to furnish a copy of this tape to the FBI Laboratory, attention FBI Annex, so that this examination can be made.

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ADDENDUM FOR YELLOW:

Victim, 7-year-old female, disappeared while on camping trip with family near Three Forks, Montana, 6/25/73. On 9/24/73, an unknown [redacted] In telephone conversations, he described [redacted] which had not been publicized.

1 - Butte (7-497)
1 - Denver (7-754)
1 - [redacted] (Attention: Personal Crimes Unit)

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6:00 PM NITEL 10/3/73 TDS

TO DIRECTOR (7-14789)

ATTENTION FBI LABORATORY

FROM BUTTE (7-497) (P) 1P

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UNSUB; SUSAN MARIE JAEGER, AKA - VICTIM. KIDNAPING. OO: BUTTE.

REMYNITEL, 10/2/73.

LABORATORY REQUESTED TO ADVISE POSSIBILITY OF EXPERT IN DIALECTS IDENTIFYING SPECIFIC RESIDENCE OR BACKGROUND OF PERSON MAKING CALL TO [redacted], AS TAPED [redacted]

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CC: MR. GEBHARDT

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6:33PM NITEL 10/15/73 RDE

TO: DIRECTOR 7-14789

BUTTE 7-497

FROM: DENVER 7-754 P

UNSUB; SUSAN MARIE JAEGER, AKA - VICTIM, KIDNAPING,

OO: BUTTE

RE BUTTE TELETYPE TO BUREAU, 10/2/73.

ON 10/11/73, [redacted] ADVISED FURTHER CHECK OF RECORDS AND CONTACTS WITH OPERATORS ON DUTY DURING PERTINENT TIMES HAS FAILED TO LOCATE ANY RECORD OF TELEPHONE CALL ON [redacted] TO [redacted]

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INVESTIGATION CONTINUING DENVER. AMCC DE AND SU.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (7-14789) DATE: 10/17/73
ATTN: FBI LABORATORY FBI ANNEX

FROM : SAC, DETROIT (7-1248) (P)

SUBJECT: UNSUB;
SUSAN MARIE JAEGER, aka. -
VICTIM
KIDNAPING
(OO: BUTTE)

Re Bureau airtel to Detroit, dated 10/5/73.

Enclosed for the Bureau is one cassette tape of the telephone call to the [redacted] made on [redacted]

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The FBI Laboratory is requested to attempt to identify the residence or background of the individual placing this call, as previously requested in Butte teletype, dated 10/3/73.

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FBI LABORATORY

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

1 - [redacted] b6 b7C

To: SAC, Butte (7-497)

Date: November 1, 1973

From: Director, FBI

Re:

UNSUB;
SUSAN MARIE JAEGER, AKA - VICTIM
KIDNAPING

FBI File No. 7-14789

Lab. No. CR-14103 IC

Examination requested by: Butte

Reference: Butte teletype 10/3/73, Quairtel 10/5/73, Detroit letter 10/17/73

Examination requested: Cryptanalysis

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Specimens received 10/19/73

Q15 Tape cassette inscribed "Two calls received [redacted] b7E

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Result of examination:

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The quantity and content of the material in Q15 is so limited no definitive conclusions can be drawn. Certain comments and general observations can be made, however.

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Enclosure (specimen Q15)

1 - Detroit (7-1248)
1 - [redacted]
1 - [redacted] (Attention: Personal Crimes Unit)
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It would appear the caller is adult male of indeterminate age, probably with at least a high school education but with a rural background. There appear to be no eastern or deep south speech characteristics indicating he may be from the west, southwest or midwest.

Specifically, he has a tendency to use rural western colloquialisms such as "can't hardly do that" and "gotta figger out ways not t' git caught." He tends to deemphasize the letter "L" in his speech, almost pronouncing it as a modified "Y".

No Laboratory report is being furnished.

Specimen Q15 is forwarded herewith.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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Laboratory Work Sheet

Re: UNSUBS;
SUSAN MARIE JAEGER, aka.
VICTIM; KIDNAPING
(OO: BUTTE)

File # 7-14789-67
Lab.# CR-14108 IC

Examination requested by: Detroit, letter 10/17/73

Examination requested: Cryptanalysis

Date received: 10/19/73

Result of Examination:

Examination by: [redacted]

No definitive conclusions,
Adult male
High school education
No east/deep southaccent
West colloquialisms

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Q15 Tape cassette inscribed "Two calls received [redacted]

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

REPORTING OFFICE	OFFICE OF ORIGIN	DATE	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD
BUTTE	BUTTE	11/16/73	7/3 - 10/26/73

TITLE OF CASE

UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
SUSAN MARIE GAEGER,
aka Susie - VICTIM

REPORT MADE BY [redacted]

TYPED BY imw

CHARACTER OF CASE

KIDNAPING

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REFERENCE

Report of SA [redacted] Butte, 8/20/73.

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ACCOMPLISHMENTS CLAIMED ☐ NONE					ACQUITTALS	CASE HAS BEEN:
CONVIC	FUG.	FINES	SAVINGS	RECOVERIES		PENDING OVER ONE YEAR ☐ YES ☐ NO X PENDING PROSECUTION OVER SIX MONTHS ☐ YES ☐ NO X

APPROVED [signature] SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE

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2 - Los Angeles (7-1565)
2 - Minneapolis
2 - Salt Lake City (7-590)
8 - Butte (7-497)

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A voluminous number of letters primarily from persons having visions, thoughts, dreams or setting forth in anonymous letters non-specific information without lead value are not being set forth in the details of this report, but are retained in the files of the Butte Office. This includes communications from mystics and clairvoyants, map dousers, Ouija Boards and similar-type.

In the listing of suspects in this report, there will be certain persons for whom there is no documentation in the specific "Suspects" section preceding the name. However, the documentation will come from news media, Montana State Hospital releasees and other sources as suggested by local law enforcement, citizens and anonymous information.

Reference is made to the report captioned "UNKNOWN SUBJECT; [redacted] MISSING PERSONS," Butte File #7-501. In that investigation, as well as this investigation there has been a great deal of correlation to prevent the duplication of leads, which would be applicable to both cases. It is further noted that considerable amount of information has been furnished the Bureau in the [redacted] case, which is not being reported herein. b6 b7C

It is to be further noted that on numerous occasions throughout this report, the dates of July 31, 1973, will be used without notable significance pertaining to captioned investigation. This is a significant date in the [redacted] investigation and was set forth where the coverage of leads included both captioned case and the [redacted] investigation.

Consideration is being given to setting out leads to contact all phone companies and persons having a listed number where the area code is not known, it being noted that [redacted] have established that the Victim knew her telephone but not the area code. Pursuant to this particular type of investigation, [redacted] is making inquiries to determine the practicality of obtaining listings of the various phones throughout the United States, having the number [redacted] b6 b7C b7D b7E

Numerous communications from the various field offices of the Federal Bureau of Investigation to Butte setting forth

data that lead information pertaining to this case has been disseminated to all Agents as well as local law enforcement, but which does not set forth specific leads or suggest suspects, is not being reported herein. These communications are filed in the Butte Office.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA

AT LIVINGSTON, CALIFORNIA

On August 7, 1973,

advised that a check of his company's records reveals that there was no call made to telephone number from telephone number on or about

On August 16, 1973,

were interviewed at their residence, They advised that they arrived at the campground near Three Forks, Montana, on June 22, 1973, and departed on June 25, 1973. They said that they remember the victim, SUSAN JAEGER, because they were camped about 100 yards from her family. They stated that they do not know anything regarding her disappearance. They advised that as they left the campgrounds, a deputy was stopping and searching all the vehicles. They said if they were to recall anything, they would call the FBI.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted]

AT BILLINGS, MONTANA

On August 7, 1973, [redacted] (Protect), who resides at [redacted], Telephone [redacted] was interviewed at the Billings Resident Agency and provided the following information:

[redacted] advised that she and her family left the Billings area on June 24, 1973, for a short vacation at the Flathead Lake. She stated that while camped in the campground at Yellow Bay the following incident occurred:

She advised that on June 25, 1973, it was a cold, windy and wet day and that there was very little activity in the camp area. On the same day at approximately 9:00 to 9:30 a.m., the family took the boat out on the lake and proceeded across the lake in a southerly direction to Blue Bay, where they used the telephone. She said they arrived back at the campground area approximately one to one and one-half hours later.

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At approximately 11:30 they were back in their camper and at that time a vehicle did come into the campground area which they heard, but did not see. They do not recall any vehicles leaving the campground area after this time.

At approximately 12:00 noon [redacted] and her two children took a walk down the lake shore toward the south end of the lake. She advised that at the far end of the camp area they came to a narrow private road and that the chain across the road was down. They proceeded up the road approximately 1/8th of a mile looking for driftwood and rocks, when they came upon a small cabin or shed. Also located in this area was a small aluminum trailer approximately ten or fifteen feet in length.

Two individuals were seen at this area and one of them immediately came over to [redacted] and advised her very emphatically that he wanted no beer cans thrown in this area. Also, that no one was to go near the cabin. [redacted] aid this seemed rather strange as all she had was a cup of coffee in her hand. She stated that at this time she also observed a

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second male individual and also two cars in the area of the cabin, both of which had their trunks open at this time. She stated that both individuals seemed extremely nervous.

At this time she did not observe any fishing tackle, weapons or camping equipment whatsoever. She stated that the first individual made statements all this time to the effect that no one was to go near the cabin area.

She advised that at this time she and the two children started to walk down the road, where they came towards the camp area. As they were walking, she heard, "trunks to the cars close and observed both individuals get into one car and left the cabin area." She stated as they approached the chain, which crossed the road, the car passed them and that it stopped at the gate and that the second individual got out of the car and fumbled with the chain and locked the gate, after which he stood and stared at [redacted] and her "kids" for approximately two to three minutes. She stated that he too appeared to be extremely nervous, but never spoke at any time. She advised that the first individual with whom she spoke was described as follows:

Age	Mid-40s
Height	5'10"
Weight	170-180
Build	Heavyset
Characeristics	Ruddy cheeks
Hair	Light
Wearing Apparel	Tan jacket, khaki pants and possibly Wellington type boots; had a shuffle to his gate when he walked

The second individual was described as follows:

Height	5'9"
Age	Late 20s or possibly early 30s
Hair	Dark and wavy, but not too long
Wearing Apparel	Rainier beer T-shirt, dark slacks and tennis shoes

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Build	Slender
Weight	160-165#

The vehicles, which were at this area were described as being a light green car, which was parked behind the cabin or shed, possibly a 1965 or newer and possibly an Oldsmobile. The second car, which the two individuals left in, was described as a white Ford LTD with a black vinyl top over a white body, License [redacted] Montana. This car also had a black dog in the back seat at this time. b6 b7C

She finally advised that because of the date that this occurred and the extreme nervousness of both individuals she felt she should bring this to the attention of the FBI. She stated that they were very emphatic about not wanting anybody to go near the cabin or shed and that while the first individual was talking to her the second individual seemed to be pacing back and forth between the two cars with their trunks open.

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Widespread coverage was given on Utah television and radio stations concerning the disappearance of SUSAN MARIE JAEGER, as well as the disappearance of [redacted]

On August 22, 1973, a letter was directed to [redacted] Protect) relative to the possible existence of [redacted] in the State of Utah. A reply was subsequently received indicating there is no such number in Utah. b6 b7C b7D

With regard to information relating to an alleged attack on a seven-year-old girl in Salt Lake City, the following is being furnished:

The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted]

AT SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH

On September 15, 1973, [redacted] A), Salt Lake City Police Department, noted that since May, 1973, thirty-two females have been accosted in the vicinity of South Salt Lake by a rapist. This individual is described as a white male American, approximately 25 years of age, light brown or blond hair, medium to muscular build, with collar-length and thinning or slightly receding hair. b6 b7C

[redacted] oted that the Modus Operandi of this individual was that he usually appeared before his victims completely in the nude.

To date, this individual has not been located or apprehended and his identity is unknown.

This individual is also considered a suspect in the attack of a seven-year-old girl in Salt Lake City during the first week end of September, 1973.

Extensive investigation is still being conducted concerning these individuals and [redacted] stated he is aware of the situation concerning the missing JAEGER girl as well as the disappearance of the two children from Marion, Montana, on July 31, 1973, and at the present time has no information, which would indicate the Salt Lake City rapist is or could be identical with the apparent kidnaper of Victim SUSAN MARIE JAEGER.

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On September 7, 1973, the Cincinnati Office furnished the following information:

On August 29, 1973, [redacted], Worthington Foods, Proprietors Road, Worthington, Ohio, advised that [redacted] had worked at Worthington Foods from August 20, 1969, until he terminated on April 1, 1971, to begin work as a [redacted] doing alternative service at Harding Hospital, Worthington, Ohio.

She further added that he had also worked at Worthington Foods from July 10, 1968, through December 13, 1968. The records reflected that [redacted] was married to [redacted] on June 23, 1970, and had one child. He was a satisfactory worker at Worthington Foods; however, he did suffer from poor attendance. When he first began work, he was listed as residing with his [redacted] b6 b7C

[redacted] advised that she subsequently learned that [redacted] had moved to Colorado. The records further reflected that [redacted] had resided previously in Enterprise, Kansas, and attended school in that area.

[redacted] added that [redacted] is presently employed at Worthington Foods.

On August 29, 1973 [redacted] Apartment [redacted] Unlisted Telephone [redacted] (Protect Identity), was interviewed at Worthington Foods and requested that in any subsequent interviews with [redacted] or [redacted] associates, [redacted] identity be protected. b6 b7C b7D

[redacted] advised that [redacted] left Ohio in the first week of June, 1973, driving his 1968 Volkswagen Station Wagon, which was tan in color. She added that [redacted] who was in the company of [redacted] and their [redacted] were initially going to visit his mother in Enterprise, Kansas. From Kansas, they were going to Colorado, where their [redacted] resides in [redacted] From Colorado they intended to go on to the State of Washington.

[redacted] added that [redacted] formerly resided at [redacted], and

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moved to [redacted] a few years ago. [redacted] described her [redacted] as follows:

Race
Sex
Height
Weight
Hair

Eyes
Characteristics
Date of Birth
Age

[redacted] has described [redacted] as follows:

Race
Sex
Age
Height
Build
Eyes
Complexion
Hair

Voice
Characteristics
Education

[redacted] described [redacted] as follows:

Race
Sex
Age
Hair
Eyes
General
Characteristics

[redacted] stated that to her knowledge [redacted] has not been in any trouble for several years. She

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qualified this remark by stating that a few years ago [redacted] had left his home and gone to live with a group of hippie types in Lincoln, Nebraska. He had subsequently related to [redacted] that while he was living in Lincoln, Nebraska, he and several others had broken into trailer trucks on several occasions to obtain food for their subsistence.

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She added that she knew of no other difficulties [redacted] had been in. She also disclaimed knowledge of whether or not [redacted] had gone to Montana or adjacent states on the way west this year.

[redacted] also stated that shortly before [redacted] and [redacted] left to go west a friend of [redacted] named [redacted] came by their residence at [redacted] and asked if he could travel along with them in his own van. They consented reluctantly to having [redacted] go along with them and [redacted] accompanied them driving his Volkswagen Van, which was approximately two years old. [redacted] recalled that this van was also tan in color to the best of her knowledge. She stated that she is familiar with [redacted] and is aware of the fact that he has experimented with LSD and various other narcotic drugs in the past. He formerly attended Andrew University, a University belonging to the Seventh Day Adventists Church, in Berrien Springs, Michigan.

[redacted] stated to the best of her knowledge [redacted] was to accompany [redacted] and [redacted] to Enterprise, Kansas, then Colorado, and was eventually going to see a friend of his graduate from a college in the State of Wyoming. [redacted] disclaimed knowledge of the person's name, who was graduating and also disclaimed knowledge of the name of the college.

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[redacted] described [redacted] as follows:

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Sex
Hair
Age
Eyes
Parents

Height
Weight
Build

[redacted]

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[redacted] furnished her mother's telephone number in Enterprise, Kansas, as [redacted] She stated that she knew that [redacted] initially went to visit [redacted] of his in [redacted] and that he stayed with her for a short period of time and then her [redacted] obtained a residence of their own. b6 b7C She stated that she would look up [redacted] address when she returned to her residence that evening and notify the FBI of same. She added that [redacted] knows of [redacted] whereabouts.

[redacted] further requested that under any conditions her [redacted] who resides somewhere in Washington, b6 b7C not be made aware of [redacted] whereabouts, inasmuch as [redacted] matter and that [redacted] She also added that on one occasion [redacted] had traveled from Washington to Enterprise, Kansas, and [redacted] and return them to Washington.

On August 29, 1973, [redacted] telephonically contacted the Columbus Resident Agency of the Federal Bureau of Investigation and advised that [redacted] present residence is [redacted]

[redacted] also related that she forgot to mention that another individual from Worthington, Ohio, who is presently working at Worthington Foods, moved some of [redacted] belongings to Kansas in a truck with a trailer on the rear of it. She stated that this individual may have accompanied [redacted] from Kansas to Colorado; however, she is not certain of this, as she has not talked to him since he returned. She added that the individual's name is [redacted] (Phonetic). She described [redacted] as follows: b6 b7C

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Sex
Height
Weight
Age
Hair
Eyes

[redacted]

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Characteristics [redacted]

[redacted] is married to a [redacted] who also is believed to have accompanied him to Kansas. [redacted] is a [redacted] who has [redacted] and a relatively plain general feature.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted]

On September 25, 1973 [redacted] advised at Miles City, Montana, that she received information from a source she feels is reliable locally that one [redacted] now residing on a small ranch in the [redacted] area, should be considered a strong suspect in this matter, since he is believed to be a [redacted] and since he moved from [redacted] to [redacted] about eight years ago, just at a time when the first of the mysterious disappearance in the area came about.

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Informant states [redacted] has been single although he is a very attractive person and has always shown a propensity toward young children in a manner deemed to be over-patronizing insofar as a parent would be concerned. [redacted] is [redacted] the Informant as being outwardly calm, but being extremely volatile.

Informant described [redacted] as follows:

Race [redacted]
Sex
Nationality
Age
Height
Weight
Previous Residence

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The FBI Laboratory has been requested to advise of the possibility of an expert in dialects in identifying the specific residence or background of the caller to the [redacted] as taped September 24, 1973.

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The Detroit Office is making available a copy of this tape to the FBI Laboratory for this purpose.

The Detroit Office was requested September 28, 1973, to reinstitute trap tracer on the telephone of [redacted]

The following CIs and PCIs were contacted on the dates indicated and advised they could furnish no information pertaining to the JAEGER case:

[redacted]
July 25, 1973

[redacted]
July 25, 1973

[redacted]
September 5, 1973

[redacted]
September 5, 1973

[redacted]
September 5, 1973

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September 5, 1973

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September 5, 1973

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September 5, 1973

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On July 31, 1973, the Detroit Office furnished the following information:

[redacted] Telephone [redacted] who demands to remain anonymous, advised $50,000.00 for ransom purposes will definitely be made available as needed through BANK OF COMMERCE, Milwaukee, Wisconsin. The $50,000.00 presently remains at the FIRST NATIONAL BANK, Bozeman, Montana, to be returned to the BANK OF COMMERCE, Milwaukee, August 3, 1973. b6 b7C

Arrangements have been handled by [redacted] and/or [redacted] Milwaukee Bank.

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On October 5, 1973 [redacted] informed that a [redacted] residence on [redacted] was made [redacted] This call was made at [redacted] and was of [redacted] b6 b7C b7D b7E

The subscriber to thi[redacted] He appeared at the Butte business office to protest the charge on this call. A telephone company employee, [redacted] then called [redacted] residence in [redacted] to verify the call. Apparently, [redacted] gave some non-committal answer or in effect said the call had been made.

Allegedly [redacted] indicated to [redacted] that the recipient of this call was [redacted] then allegedly, said he would go home and check on this, as it may have been made as a [redacted]. He has not returned to further protest the charge and nothing more has been heard from him. b6 b7C b7E

[redacted] said in view of the confidential nature of this information concerning the relationship of [redacted] it is requested that if [redacted] is to be interviewed he would appreciate being contacted first. He was informed this would be done.

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The Detroit Office furnished the following information:

On October 7, 1973, [redacted] advised no [redacted] recalls receiving any type of call from a [redacted] b6 b7C
[redacted] also stated she does not recall any [redacted] b7E
from private citizens in [redacted]

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At 12:40 a.m., information was received at the Butte Office from [redacted] Columbus, Montana, Police Department, who advised that [redacted] (protect identity) had furnished [redacted] information that the BIG SKY AMUSEMENT COMPANY was responsible for the abduction of the three girls. [redacted] could not furnish [redacted] address at this time. [redacted] said that [redacted] had previously given information to [redacted] Montana Highway Patrol, who had furnished it to an Agent in Billings, Montana. [redacted] suggested that the Columbus, Montana, Sheriff's Office be contacted regarding the reliability of [redacted]

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted]

AT BLACKFOOT, IDAHO

On July 30, 1973, [redacted] Idaho State Hospital South (ISHS), Blackfoot, Idaho, advised one [redacted] was admitted to that hospital on a limited order from the court. When interviewed by an employee of ISHS, [redacted] stated, "I like to eat flesh of little girls." [redacted] was very careful not to furnish detailed information concerning his recent whereabouts or activities. He indicated he has been in Ann Arbor, Farmington and Detroit, Michigan, areas. He attended Murray College and had been committed to the ward for the criminally insane at a State Mental Hospital in Michigan. He is employed with VISTA as a "GED" instructor.

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ISHS received inquiries from the VISTA Office, Boise, Idaho, as to why [redacted] is at ISHS.

[redacted] is described as follows:

Race
Sex
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Date of Birth
Place of Birth
Social Security
Account #
Mother

[redacted]

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[redacted] furnished the following information in strictest confidence concerning his client:

[redacted] has been treated on three different occasions since his molestation of the little girl on his ranch. He has admitted he has a tremendous compulsion to touch young children. However, there is no compulsion to harm them. The psychiatrist feels [redacted] is now able to control his emotions in this regard, but apparently this has been with [redacted] for a long time and now that he has been charged with molesting the little girl it has come to light, but not openly.

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[redacted] said [redacted] is a strong churchman and the people in the area cannot believe he would do such a thing with which he is charged.

[redacted] said he honestly feels [redacted] had nothing to do with the disappearance of SUSAN JAEGER, but will have trouble defending him on the state charge. He believes his client concerning what [redacted] has told him about the JAEGER case, that he had nothing to do with it.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted] at Ripley, Tennessee:

On August 24, 1973, a confidential source at the U. S. Post Office, Ripley, Tennessee, who is in a position to furnish positive information advised that there is no Post Office at Central, Tennessee, a small community in the western portion of Lauderdale County, Tennessee. Central is served by Ripley, Rural Route 2, 3, and 4, all of which intersect at Central. There is no [redacted] residing on any of these three rural routes.

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The Sacramento Office advised as follows:

On July 13, 1973 [redacted] (Protect), [redacted] b6
[redacted] Livingston, California, advised b7C
that [redacted] has Telephone [redacted] He advised b7D
that the billing for July 2, 1973, would not be recorded before
July 16, 1973.

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LEADS

CHICAGO DIVISION

AT CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

Attempt to locate and resolve activities of [redacted] on June 25, 1973.

(Background information set forth on Page 428 of referenced report.)

DENVER DIVISION

AT CASPER, WYOMING

Through police, sheriff, relatives and other logical sources endeavor to resolve the whereabouts of [redacted] and [redacted] on June 25, 1973.

AT CHEYENNE, WYOMING

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1. Will follow results of investigation being conducted regarding [redacted] Telephone [redacted] the pay telephone at [redacted]

2. Will maintain contact with appropriate officials, [redacted] regarding long distance operators being alerted to telephone calls to [redacted]

AT ROCK SPRINGS, WYOMING

Will follow and pursue leads set forth in interoffice communications regarding [redacted] and [redacted] and [redacted] Telephone [redacted] as set out in interoffice communications.

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AT DENVER, COLORADO

1. Will maintain contact with appropriate officials, [redacted] regarding future telephone calls made to [redacted] and maintain liaison concering long distance operators being notified to be alert to the calls to the [redacted]

2. Pursue leads set forth in interoffice communications.

DETROIT DIVISION

AT FARMINGTON, MICHIGAN

Will maintain contact with [redacted] to follow up all telephone calls and suggested leads.

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AT WHITE CLOUD, MICHIGAN

Maintain close liaison with the investigation concerning [redacted] and endeavor to resolve if [redacted] could have been in Montana on June 25, 1973, or July 31, 1973 (date two girls missing from Marion, Montana), and other pertinent dates, July 2, September 24 (dates telehone calls were made regarding Victim.

LOS ANGELES DIVISION

AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA

1. Regarding [redacted] will furnish either the elimination obtained by Los Angeles and/or Seattle or information, which can be used to eliminate him as suspect.

2. Regarding [redacted] resolve his whereabouts on June 25 and July 31, 1973.

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MINNEAPOLIS DIVISION

AT SISSETON, SOUTH DAKOTA

Will endeavor to locate and/or resolve whereabouts of [redacted] set forth in details under suspects referred to in referenced report Pages #272 and #274.

[redacted] allegedly known to Roberts County Sheriff's Office. His parents are [redacted] and [redacted] and they allegedly reside Sisseton.

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SALT LAKE CITY DIVISION

AT SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH

Will continue to follow with [redacted] any situations which might be of pertinence in the kidnaping of SUSAN MARIE JAEGER or relate to the missing Marion, Montana, girls, [redacted] and [redacted]

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AT BILLINGS, MONTANA

Will locate and interview [redacted] referred to on Page #364 of referenced report.

AT BLACKFOOT, IDAHO

Will by all logical investigation and interview, if necessary, determine the whereabouts of [redacted] on June 25, 1973.

AT DILLON, MONTANA

Will at [redacted] verify identity of [redacted] and resolve that he did not arrive with a seven-year-old child, who could be identical with Victim.

AT KALISPELL, MONTANA

1. Will conduct same investigation as requested at Dillon, Montana, regarding [redacted] at [redacted]

2. Will determine owner of property and shack south of the Yellow Bay campgrounds and interview him concerning his whereabouts during the early morning hours of June 25, 1973, and possible connection with the SUSAN JAEGER kidnaping.

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3. Will determine the owner of the black over white Ford DTD, License [redacted] Montana, and interview same concerning whereabouts during the early morning hours of June 25, 1973, for his possible connection in the SUSAN JAEGER kidnaping.

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AT GLENDIVE, MONTANA

At Box [redacted] Telephone [redacted] locate and interview [redacted] and resolve his activities June 25, 1973.

AT GREAT FALLS, MONTANA

Locate and resolve activities of [redacted] Telephone [redacted] Resolve his whereabouts and/or activities on June 25 and July 31, 1973.

AT MISSOULA, MONTANA

Resolve activities of suspect [redacted] for June 25 and July 31, 1973, bringing it to the attention of local authorities regarding the alleged 1969 murder of a waitress as set forth in details. Consider Armed and Dangerous.

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AT MILES CITY, MONTANA

1. Will contact [redacted] and determine when [redacted] arrived at Miles City and verify his whereabouts at the [redacted] residence June 25, 1973.

2. Resolve the whereabouts of [redacted] on June 25, July 2, July 31 and September 24, 1973.

3. Contact and interview [redacted] regarding [redacted] suspect.

AT SHELBY, MONTANA

Resolve whereabouts and activities of [redacted] on June 25, July 2, July 31 and September 24, 1973.

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AT WARM SPRINGS, MONTANA

1. Ascertain dates that [redacted] was in the State Hospital at Warm Springs from Three Forks during the spring and/or summer of 1973.

2. Identify suspect (FNU) [redacted] committed to Warm Springs August 23, 1973, and resolve his whereabouts and activities on June 25, July 2, July 31 and September 24, 1973.

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AT THREE FORKS, MONTANA

1. Will endeavor to resolve whether or not any of the following persons could be identical with Unknown Subject in this case:

[redacted]

(Parents may reside in Three Forks)

[redacted] b6 b7C

FBI [redacted]
Employee, Three Forks
Cement Company

[redacted]

FBI [redacted]

[redacted]

FBI [redacted]

2. Will determine if the employees of the IDEAL CEMENT COMPANY at Trident are identical to the persons with the FBI number as set forth. If identical, resolve whether or not they could be responsible for captioned case.

AT BOZEMAN, MONTANA

1. Will submit FD-165 regarding [redacted] date of birth January 5, 1948.

2. Will resolve whether or not [redacted] who was home on leave from the U. S. Navy in the summer of 1973, is a logical suspect.

3. Will endeavor to locate or cause the location of [redacted] Gallatin County Sheriff's Office [redacted] to see if logical suspect. b6 b7C

4. Will cause the location of the appropriate persons of PACIFIC WEST COAST SHOWS to be interviewed concerning the alibi statements of [redacted]

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Copy to:

Report of: [redacted] Office: BUTTE b6 b7C

Date: 11/16/73

Field Office File #: 7-497 Bureau File #: 7-14789

Title: UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
SUSAN MARIE JAEGER - VICTIM

Character: KIDNAPING

Synopsis: FBI Laboratory advised one hair found inside Victim's sleeping bag is similar to hairs recovered from her personal hairbrush. Blood from a submitted rock is human, but not suitable for grouping. Two limb hairs found in sleeping bag; one brown chest hair found on section of tent, but possessed too few unique characteristics for significant comparison. No latents of value developed on miscellaneous debris previously submitted. [redacted] stated a truck left Three Rivers campground approximately 3:30 a.m., date of abduction of Victim. Copy of [redacted] plea to Governors of various states set forth [redacted] On [redacted] long distance telephone call received [redacted] not home and caller identified [redacted] investigation indicates this call came from [redacted] Telephone Details regarding [redacted] b6 b7C b7E

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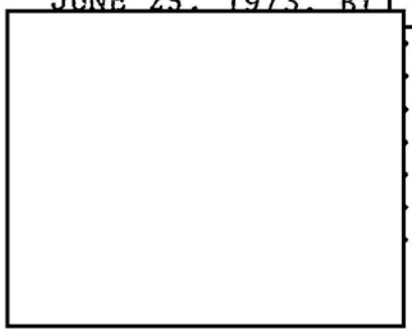

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NEIGHBORHOOD AT CRIME SCENE

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[redacted] was located at Torchie's Campsite, at which time he advised his home address is [redacted] b6 b7C

He stated that he and his [redacted] have been travelling since the first of May, 1973, and will not return home to Florida until after October 15, 1973. He stated that he and his wife are in contact with his [redacted]

[redacted] stated that at about 6:30 p.m. on June 24, 1973, he and [redacted] pulled into the Three Forks, Montana, campground and paid [redacted] $1.00 for camping on that night. [redacted] described the manager as an older man approximately 60, dressed in gray, with a white cowboy hat.

[redacted] stated that [redacted] talked of the [redacted] stating that they, along with their grandparents, came to this campsite every year for about the past three years. [redacted] did not know whether [redacted] meant the [redacted] or the grandparents.

He stated after parking his Ford, color red and white, with a camper cap, he went fishing in the Gallatin River, which was approximately 20 or 30 feet behind his truck. He stated that he fished until about 9:00 p.m. and while fishing, met a [redacted] whose campsite was directly across from them.

It was [redacted] recollection that [redacted] were from Arizona.

It was [redacted] recollection that [redacted] b6 b7C had [redacted] name unknown, living in Livingston, Montana.

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by SA [redacted] cr. Date dictated 8/14/73

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[redacted] stated the mosquitoes became so bad that he returned to the truck about 9:00 p.m., as did [redacted]

[redacted] stated it was about 9:30 or 10:00 that the manager parked his truck, a dark-green pickup with a wooden cap behind their [redacted] truck.

[redacted] stated he learned the following morning that this was the manager's truck, because of the description. b6 b7C

[redacted] stated that he is a sound sleeper and did not hear anything during the night until he awoke at 8:00 a.m. the following morning when there was much activity in the campground, and upon being interviewed by a representative of the Sheriff's Department, was notified that a kidnaping had occurred in the area that previous evening, and that the victim was one of the small children belonging to the [redacted]

[redacted] stated that [redacted] campsite was the third trailer down from them.

[redacted] stated he had noticed several children in the area of [redacted] camp that evening, however, did not talk to the parents at any time. [redacted] stated that adjacent to them at the campsite was an Airstream trailer, and that this individual, whose name he could not recall, was attending a convention in Bozeman, Montana. b6 b7C

[redacted] stated that his [redacted] ould furnish more information relative to some activity which occurred during that night.

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[redacted] was interviewed at Torchie's Campsite and indicated her home address was [redacted] and that she was travelling with [redacted] throughout the western states, planning to return to Florida sometime after October 15, 1973.

She stated they are in contact with her [redacted] stated they had parked in the Three Forks, Montana, campground at approximately 6:30 p.m. on June 24, 1973, and after parking, [redacted] described as a man in his 60s, wearing gray, shirt and trousers, and a white cowboy hat, walked over to their site and they paid him $1.00 for the evening. b6 b7C

It was [redacted] recollection that [redacted] was driving a dark-green pickup with a wooden cap.

She stated the manager of this campground talked to them for a while and discussed [redacted] whose campsite was within three trailers from them, and that the manager stated this family came every year for the past three years to this campsite, along with their grandparents.

She stated that after setting up their camp, her [redacted] began fishing at the river to the rear of their campsite, returning to the trailer at about 9:00 p.m.

She stated that during this interim, they met and talked with a [redacted] who were from Arizona, and whose campsite was directly across the road from them. It was [redacted] recollection that [redacted] had [redacted] residing in Livingston, Montana. b6 b7C

Shortly after 9:00 p.m. [redacted] went to their trailer and at the same time, she and her husband retired to their truck.

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She stated that between 9:30 and 10:00 the park manager had parked his truck directly behind their's and that the following morning, realized that it had been the camp manager's truck.

She stated that this same truck left the area from behind their truck at approximately 11:00 p.m.

[redacted] stated she heard this truck leave, but did not know or see who was driving it. b6 b7C

[redacted] stated that about 1:00 a.m., another truck pulled up directly behind their's but not as close as the first truck, however, she could not give a description of the truck or the driver, inasmuch as the bright lights were on and the lights shined directly into their cap, of the truck where they were sleeping.

[redacted] stated that she went to sleep and then at 3:30 a.m., she heard this truck start up at the rear of their truck with much noise, and that the person driving it raced the engine and left the area in a hurry. b6 b7C

[redacted] stated that she knew it was exactly 3:30 a.m., because she turned on the light in the truck and looked at her watch. She stated that she did not notice if the lights were turned on as this truck left the area, at that time.

[redacted] stated she layed awake for approximately one-half hour after this and did not hear any other noise. She stated that both she and her husband woke up at 8:30 a.m. the following morning and that there was much activity in the campground.

She stated they were interviewed by a Sheriff and advised that a kidnaping had occurred in the area and that it was a small girl belonging to the [redacted] b6 b7C

Later on in the morning, [redacted] stated that she had talked to [redacted] who said that she; [redacted] had noticed a pickup parked behind the [redacted] truck early that morning, that also, [redacted] told her, [redacted] that she saw a young man with a cap with a BILL, driving this truck.

[redacted] stated that to the best of her knowledge, she could not identify the truck which parked at 1:00 a.m. and left at 3:30, and did not see the person who was driving it.

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The following investigation was conducted on July 20, 1973, by SA [redacted]

AT COUNCIL BLUFFS, IOWA.

[redacted] Credit Bureau of Council Bluffs, advised that [redacted] have resided at the present address of [redacted] since 1952, and [redacted] has been employed at Hale Cartage, Incorporated, Omaha, Nebraska, since 1953; however this information was last verified in 1969. [redacted] seldom use credit and their file showed no derogatory information. b6 b7C

[redacted] Identification Division, Pottawattamie County Sheriff's Office, advised his department has no record for [redacted] and [redacted]

[redacted] Council Bluffs Police Department, advised his department has no record for either [redacted] b6 b7C

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[redacted] telephone number [redacted] telephonically advised that she and her family were present at Three Forks campground, Three Forks, Montana, when the kidnapping of SUSAN MARIE JAEGER occurred and had previously been interviewed by FBI Agents in Montana. [redacted] advised that [redacted] had furnished information concerning descriptive data of an unknown young white male to the interviewing Agent [redacted] further advised that [redacted] and her family arrived at the Three Forks campground after the disappearance had been discovered but had apparently seen the same individual observed by [redacted]

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The St. Louis Office furnished the following information.

On September 24, 1973, toll records received for telephone [redacted] subscribed to by [redacted] Toll records from [redacted] to [redacted] showed no billing for any [redacted] number. b6 b7C b7E

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The Los Angeles Office advised as follows:

On September 11, 1973, [redacted] ROYAL DUKE MOBILE ESTATES, 1301 Ventura Boulevard, Oxnard, California, advised that she last heard from the [redacted] on September 3, 1973, when she received a check for their September rent. The letter stated they were in Oregon and barring inclimate weather would remain there for another six weeks. b6 b7C

[redacted] stated she has no way to contact the [redacted] as they have given her no address or itinerary.

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The San Francisco Office advised on August 23, 1973, that a review of toll charges of Telephone [redacted] subscribed to by [redacted] b6 b7C for the period May 7 through July 5, 1973, reflects no calls to Three Forks, Montana, Telephone [redacted]

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The following information was obtained from the records of the [redacted]

This information is confidential and can only be obtained by issuance of a subpoena duces tecum directed to [redacted] b6 b7C b7D

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by R.H.K SC [redacted] sac Date dictated 9/20/73

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[redacted] was contacted by SA [redacted] who identified himself as a Special Agent of the Federal Bureau of Investigation. [redacted] advised that he is [redacted] the Fire Department which is located at 532 Court Street, Woodland, California, where he has been employed since 1962. [redacted] advised that about June 11, 1973, his family [redacted] departed from Woodland, California, on vacation traveling through Oregon, Idaho, Canada, Montana and back to California, arriving June 30, 1973.

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At about 5:30 p.m., June 24, 1973, they arrived at the Missouri River Campground near Three Forks, Montana. This campground consisted of two generally oval shape areas, the second which contiguous and north of the first campground. They parked their Ford van and camped on the southwest corner (generally at about the 7 o'clock position) of this first camp area (southern-most of the two camp areas) [redacted] furnished information regarding the descriptions of the vehicles located at respective camp sites, as follows, noting that his recollection could be inaccurate:

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Regarding vehicles at camp sites in Southern oval shape camp area:

7 o'clock position (southwest corner). [redacted] and family camped sleeping in their Ford van.

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9 o'clock position. Believed to have been occupied by pickup camper and

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inhabited by an older couple who were interviewed on the morning of 6/25/73 by local law enforcement officers. (Had apparently slept through the excitement)

11 o'clock position. White Volkswagen camper with pop-up top. (No information regarding occupants).

3 o'clock position. Two tents occupied by six college students who were participating in archaeological diggings nearby).

Northern generally oval shape area.

5 o'clock position. Blue or possibly blue green tent occupied by victim, SUSAN MARIE JAEGER and family.

10 o'clock position. Bue or green and white Volkswagen van bearing California license. (Allegedly from Bolinas, California).

3 o'clock position. Trailer and car occupied by older couple.

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Subsequent to parking at about 5:30 p.m., June 24, 1973, the [redacted] set up camp druing which time [redacted] while getting water from a water hydrant by the oval shape camp areas had met victim, SUSAN MARIE JAEGER. They played frisby, prepared and ate dinner, walked to the junction to the river and returned and subsequently went to sleep in their van at 10:00 p.m.

June 24, 1973. At about 9:30 p.m. prior to going to sleep, two Caucasian males in their late teens or early 20's and a third individual about the same age, possibly Indian or Chicano, driving around the campground throwing fire crackers. The driver (black hair, medium length) was driving a 1972 or 1973 metallic blue Datsun station wagon with walnut side panelling and odd looking humps over the body of the rear wheels. [redacted] recalled that he had formerly reported to Sheriff Investigators that this vehicle was a Mazda, however, he subsequently saw a similar car which was definitely a Datsun and believes the vehicle seen on the night was a Datsun station wagon. At approximately 9:35 p.m. two motorcycles, one a yellow possibly 90 CC Honda trail bike (girl style) and a second motorcycle possibly similar, went by ridden by two Caucasian males in their late 20's. (no description available).

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After going to sleep at about 10:00 p.m., June 24, 1973, he was awaken at 5:30 a.m., June 25, 1973 by deputy sheriffs and plain clothes officers who interviewed members of the [redacted] and other individuals in the area concerning the missing child, SUSAN MARIE JAEGER. [redacted] recalled having been interviewed by [redacted] who had directly inspected the [redacted] van. [redacted] complied with the request of the Sheriff and participated with [redacted] in searching the back roads surrounding the campground without locating the victim or any evidence which would aid in clarifying the disappearance of the victim. During the interview by [redacted] and other officers, [redacted] and members of the [redacted] were unable to recall any specific information known to relate to the disppearance of SUSAN MARIE JAEGER. The only member of the [redacted] who had seen SUSAN MARIE JAEGER was [redacted] who had met the victim near the water hydrant shortly after 5:30 p.m., June 24, 1973.

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[redacted] could not recall having seen any blue Volkswagens in the area.

About 10:00 a.m., June 25, 1973, while [redacted] and his family departed from the campground and as they drove, they discussed the matter of the missing JAEGER girl and attempted to recall instances and details to aid in resolving the mystery. [redacted] stated, "that little girl, SUSIE, I think there is something wrong with her. She doesn't look retared but she looks like something is wrong. She just sat and while the rest of us were playing. She could stand up. I know because she did but then she would seat right back down". [redacted] noted [redacted] is a very responsible, mature girl for her age who does [redacted] with retared children in a local convalescent home in Woodland, California.

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[redacted] stated that he was unable to furnish any information to aid in clearing up the disappearance or whereabouts of SUSAN MARIE JAEGER. He noted that SUSAN MARIE JAEGER had slept in the rather large tent with several other people; that the slit in the tent was directly adjacent to the victim's sleeping bag and he speculated that the person or persons responsible possibly knew the positions of the various occupants in the tent.

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The following investigation was conducted by SA [redacted]

AT LETHBRIDGE, ALBERTA, CANADA

On July 6, 1973, [redacted] City Police, Lethbridge, Alberta, Canada, was requested to determine the reputation and whether there is any criminal record for [redacted] b6 b7C

By letter dated July 24, 1973, Chief of Police RALPH D. MICHELSON, City Police, Lethbridge, advised [redacted] is regarded as a respectable citizen, who is married and has a family. [redacted] is employed as an [redacted] by the "Lethbridge Herald", a local newspaper.

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[redacted] telephonically advised that on Saturday, June 30, 1973, while driving in the vicinity of the Three Forks campground, she observed the below described individual who appeared to be hitchhiking toward Logan, Montana:

Sex	Male
Race	Caucasian
Age	Approximately 23
Height	Approximately 5'
Weight	Approximately 160
Build	Slender
Hair	Dark and curly - regular cut with long sideburns
Clothing	Blue plaid shirt - blue jeans.

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[redacted] advised that she would probably recognize the individual if she observed him again.

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