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AUTHORITY WILL BE REQUESTED BY SEPARATE COMMUNICATION IF SERVICES OF
[REDACTED] FEASIBLE FOR THESE FUTURE CONTACTS

BY [REDACTED]

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Airtel

1 - Mr. [REDACTED]

**To: SACs, Birmingham
Jackson**

From: Director, FBI

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ReBuairtel 2/3/65.

By return mail advise date and caption of communication submitted in response to referenced communication. If this matter has not been handled, handle immediately and advise reason for delay.

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NOTE:

On 2/3/64 the Birmingham and Jackson Divisions were requested to advise the Bureau of having racial informants contacted concerning the connection of [REDACTED]

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Mr. Casper	_____
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TO DIRECTOR (157-1025)

FROM BIRMINGHAM (157-352) 2P b7c



BAPBOMB. DAILY SUMMARY.

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AFFORDED ABOVE MEETING WITH JACKSON BY [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] INFORMATION RECEIVED FROM THIS SOURCE BEING REVIEWED
FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION. SERVICES THIS SOURCE TO BE REINSTITUTED
FOR COVERAGE OF [REDACTED]

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COMMUNICATIONS SECTION

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

Tolson
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TO : Mr. Belmont *ASB*

DATE: March 3, 1965 *V.*

FROM : A. Rosen *R*

- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. Rosen
- 1 - Mr. [REDACTED]
- 1 - Mr. [REDACTED]
- 1 - Mr. [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: UNKNOWN SUBJECT; BOMBING
 OF SIXTEENTH STREET BAPTIST
 CHURCH, BIRMINGHAM,
 ALABAMA, SEPTEMBER 15, 1963
 BOMBING MATTER

This is the case involving the bombing of the Sixteenth Street Baptist Church, Birmingham, Alabama, 9/15/63, in which four Negro children were killed.

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In view of the time element, SAC Ingram was authorized to proceed with the installation as has been done on previous occasions.

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SAC Ingram also advised informant has been required to [REDACTED]

Ingram requested (in view of the valuable information being obtained) Birmingham be permitted to make use of the microphone recorder on the night of [REDACTED]

ACTION

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SAC Ingram was advised that authority was granted for the installation on [REDACTED] based on his assurance full security was available and there would be no trespass.

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MAR 10 1965

Date of Mail 2-26-65

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Date 1-8-79

Subject JUNE MAIL *Bay Bemb*

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 URGENT 2-26-65
 TO DIRECTOR
 FROM BIRMINGHAM 261501

from
 [REDACTED]
 6-7c 2712
 [REDACTED]

JUNE.

SAPBOMB.

62 REBURAD FEBRUARY 23, LAST AND BHRAD FEBRUARY 24, LAST.
 [REDACTED] REINSTITUTED [REDACTED] AND
 DISCONTINUED [REDACTED] SAME DATE. MICROPHONE AND RECORDING
 EQUIPMENT REMOVED. *62 A*

RECEIVED: 12:26 PM MF

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cc - Mr. Sullivan + Mr. [unclear]

[REDACTED]
 [REDACTED]
 [REDACTED]

Mr. Sullivan
 ()
 MAR 3 1965

If the intelligence contained in the above message is to be disseminated outside the Bureau, it is suggested that it be suitably paraphrased in order to protect the Bureau's cryptographic systems.

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MAR 3 1965

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FBI BIRMGHAM

7:01 PM CST URGENT 3-3-65 HEP

TO DIRECTOR (157-1025)

FROM BIRMINGHAM (157-352) 2P

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BAPBOMB. DAILY SUMMARY.

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[REDACTED]

SUPPLEMENTAL
COVERAGE BY [REDACTED] BEING ARRANGED.

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RE BIRMINGHAM SUMMARY TEL, FEBRUARY NINETEEN LAST, CONCERNING
INFORMATION REPORTEDLY RECEIVED FROM [REDACTED]
INVESTIGATION AT BIRMINGHAM HAS FAILED TO IDENTIFY [REDACTED]

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SEPARATE COMMUNICATION,
BREC-102 157-1025-134

MOBILE OFFICE BEING REQUESTED TO OBTAIN ADDITIONAL BACKGROUND
INFORMATION RE THESE INDIVIDUALS IN ORDER TO IDENTIFY AND LOCATE THEM.

MAR 5 1965

RE [REDACTED] AND INFORMATION CONTAINED IN BIRMINGHAM
SUMMARY TELETYPE JANUARY TWENTYSIX LAST. [REDACTED] LOCATED

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Date: 3/5/65

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Via AIRTEL AIRMAIL - REGISTERED
(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (157-1025)
FROM: SAC, BIRMINGHAM (157-352) (P)
SUBJECT: BAPBOMB

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Re Bureau airtels, 2/3/65 and 3/3/65, concerning

[REDACTED]

- 3 - Bureau (AM - RM)
- 2 - Jackson (AM - RM)
- 2 - Birmingham

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Approved: _____

Special Agent in Charge

Sent _____

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[REDACTED]

It is noted the above informants, within the area of their coverage, would be in a position to be aware of any connection of [REDACTED] with Klan activities in the Birmingham area and, incidentally thereto, in connection with suspects in the investigation of the church bombing at Birmingham.

Interviews have been attempted on numerous occasions with [REDACTED] however, he is adamant in his refusal to even speak to FBI Agents even to the extent of rolling up his car windows and locking the doors on the most recent occasion when Agents attempted to contact him.

Interview was attempted with [REDACTED] on 2/15/65 and [REDACTED] emphatically refused to speak to Agents.

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date *1-8-79*

Subject JUNE MAIL *Baptists*

Removed By *CP [unclear] 1968*

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (157-10255)
FROM: SAC, BIRMINGHAM (157-352-SF-20) (P)
SUBJECT: BAPBOMB
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JUNE

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Re telephone conversation between Inspector [redacted] from SAC EVERETT J. INGRAM, 3/3/65.

Authority for installation, [redacted] obtained in referenced telephone conversation. [redacted] was re-instituted [redacted] and discontinued [redacted] Microphone, attending wiring and reporting equipment removed.

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Approved: [Signature] Special Agent in Charge

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Date 1-8-77

Subject JUNE MAIL *Bap Bomb*

Removed By 65 MAR 19 1965

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Via AIRTEL AIRMAIL - REGISTERED
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (157-1025)
FROM: SAC, BIRMINGHAM (157-352-SF-20) (P)
SUBJECT: BAPBOMB "JUNE"

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Re Telephone Conversation between Inspector [redacted] and SAC EVERETT J. INGRAM, 3/3/65.

[redacted] was reinstated [redacted] as of [redacted] and discontinued [redacted] Microphone attending wiring and recording equipment removed.

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FBI BIRMGHAM

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TO DIRECTOR /157-1025/

FROM BIRMINGHAM /157-352/ /P/ 2P

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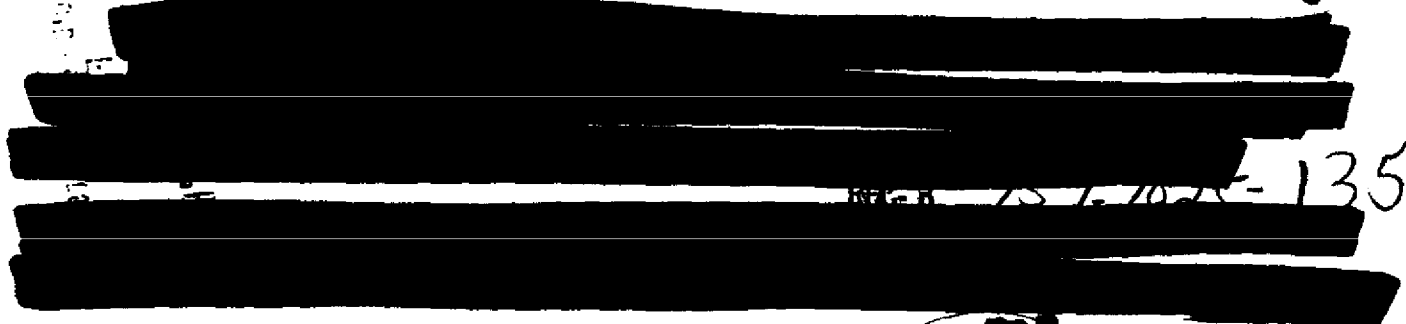
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DASH DAILY SUMMARY. *67D*



SURVEILLANCE COVERAGE PRINCIPAL SUSPECTS, AS SET OUT IN
BIRMINGHAM DAILY SUMMARY MARCH ELEVEN, CONTINUED TODAY.

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910 PM CST URGENT 3-11-65 WCR

TO DIRECTOR /157-1025/

FROM BIRMINGHAM /157-352/ /P/

W [REDACTED]
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BAPBOMB, DAILY SUMMARY.

IN VIEW OF POSSIBILITY OF INCIDENTS EMANATING FROM DEMONSTRATIONS BIRMINGHAM AREA, ARISING OUT OF RECENT SELMA DISTURBANCES, BIRMINGHAM AGENTS HANDLING INSTANT MATTER UTILIZED EXCLUSIVELY TODAY IN ^{PHYSICAL SURVEILLANCE} ~~FIELD~~ COVERAGE OF PRINCIPAL AND CERTAIN SECONDARY BAPBOMB SUSPECTS. WHEREABOUTS VERIFIED AT HOMES OR PLACES OF EMPLOYMENT AND COVERAGE CONTINUED DURING DAY.

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ATTEMPTS TO INTERVIEW [REDACTED] MARCH TEN LAST UNSUCCESSFUL.

[REDACTED]
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 TO DIRECTOR (157-1025)
 FROM BIRMINGHAM (157-352) 2P

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BAPBOMB. DAILY SUMMARY.

[REDACTED] AFFORDED SURVEILLANCE COVERAGE TODAY IN
 PREPARATION FOR [REDACTED] INTERVIEW PLANNED FOR NIGHT OF MARCH
 SIXTEEN, INSTANT.

REVIEW OF COVERAGE AFFORDED BY [REDACTED]
 REFLECTS THE FOLLOWING EXCHANGE IN A CONVERSATION BETWEEN [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

THIS IS NOTED IN CONNECTION WITH OTHER
 REPORTED INFORMATION THAT [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

RE [REDACTED]
 REINTERVIEWED AND VERIFIED ALIBI AS FURNISHED BY [REDACTED] INTERVIEW

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None of above sources are "close" enough to [redacted] to inquire as to his possible connection with [redacted] or other suspects. All are alerted and will immediately report any information coming to their attention. [redacted] is currently attempting to develop additional contacts in the Philadelphia, Mississippi area.

Delay in the submission of this communication was occasioned by the desire to allow adequate time to the above sources to attempt to develop available information.



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Jackson, Mississippi

March 12, 1965

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

UNKNOWN SUBJECTS; BOMBING OF
16TH STREET BAPTIST CHURCH,
BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA
SEPTEMBER 15, 1963

Reference is made to letter of Herbert J. Miller, Jr., Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, United States Department of Justice, to Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation, dated January 29, 1965.

The following organizations mentioned herein have not been designated by the Attorney General pursuant to Executive Order 10450, and are characterized in the appendix pages hereto:

White Knights of the Ku Klux Klan of Mississippi
(WKKKKOM)

Original Knights of the Ku Klux Klan (OKKKK)

Referenced letter requests effort be made to determine the possible connection between

with Klan activities, as related to the Birmingham, Alabama area.

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APPENDIX

ORIGINAL KNIGHTS OF THE KU KLUX KLAN
(LOUISIANA)
(OKKKK)

A source advised on October 25, 1963, that in December, 1960, a group was organized at Shreveport, Louisiana, known as the Original Knights of the Ku Klux Klan (OKKKK). The purpose of this organization was to promote Americanism, white supremacy, and the maintaining of segregation.

This source further advised on October 25, 1963, that the OKKKK continues to be active and that the aims and purposes continue to be the same.

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WHITE KNIGHTS OF THE
KU KLUX KLAN OF MISSISSIPPI

A source advised that on February 15, 1964, approximately 200 members of the Original Knights of the Ku Klux Klan (OKKKK) from the State of Mississippi met at Brookhaven, Mississippi. Those present decided to defect from the OKKKK and to form their own klan group in Mississippi to be known as the White Knights of the Ku Klux Klan of Mississippi.

This source advised that the aims and purposes of the White Knights of the Ku Klux Klan of Mississippi are to preserve Christian civilization, protect and promote white supremacy and the segregation of the races, to fight communism and to extend the dignity, heritage and rights of the white race of America.

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APPENDIX

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

A

TO : The Director

DATE: September 17, 1963

FROM : N. P. Callahan

SUBJECT: The Congressional Record

Bap bomb

Original filed in: / 177177

Page 16138. Senators Mansfield, (D) Montana, and Javits, (D) New York, discussed the recent bombing of the Baptist church in Birmingham. Mr. Mansfield stated, "There can be no excuse for an occurrence of that kind under any possible circumstances. I hope that those who are guilty are found and punished according to the deserts which they merit. - - - I am glad to know that not only is the Governor of Alabama, Mr. Wallace, responding to the request of the Birmingham city administration, but that the President of the United States and the Attorney General are likewise taking an active and intense interest. That, of course, includes not only the dispatch of officials of the Department of Justice but also, in sufficient number, members of the FBI to probe into this matter to find the culprits who are guilty and to see that they get their just deserts." Mr. Mansfield went on to state, "Contrary to reports which appear in the press from time to time about the lack of interest of the FBI in cases of the kind occurring in Birmingham, the Senator from Montana has no doubt whatsoever in his own mind that Mr. J. Edgar Hoover and those in his agency will do everything in their power to see that the culprits are found and punished."

In the original of a memorandum captioned and dated as above, the Congressional Record for 9/16/63 was reviewed and pertinent items were marked for the Director's attention. This form has been prepared in order that portions of a copy of the original memorandum may be clipped, mounted, and placed in appropriate Bureau case or subject matter files.

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REVIEW OF COVERAGE PREVIOUSLY FURNISHED BY [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] CONTINUING AND PERTINENT INFORMATION TO BE REPORTED AS
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Mr. Tolson	
Mr. DeLoach	
Tele. Room	
Miss Holmes	
Miss Gandy	

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FBI BIRMGHAM

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TO DIRECTOR (157-1025)

FROM BIRMINGHAM (157-352) 1P

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BAPBOMB. DAILY SUMMARY.

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SPOT CHECKS CONDUCTED TO DAY OF PRIME SUSPECTS AND REFLECTED
SUSPECTS FOLLOWING THEIR USUAL ROUTINES.

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(SEE BAPBOMB SUMMARY TEL MARCH SEVEN, LAST.)

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MAR 26 1965

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March 23, 1965

GENERAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

Bapbomb is the code name for the investigation of the bombing of the Sixteenth Street Baptist Church, Birmingham September, 1963, in which four small Negro children were killed. Our investigation has identified Klansmen Chambliss, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] as responsible for the bombing and has indicated [REDACTED] may have been involved in planning. Our investigation and contact with live sources being given top priority in efforts to connect suspects in this case with the six attempted bombings in Birmingham on 3/21-22/65.

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Mr. Belmont	/
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Mr. Conrad	/
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Mr. Rosen	/
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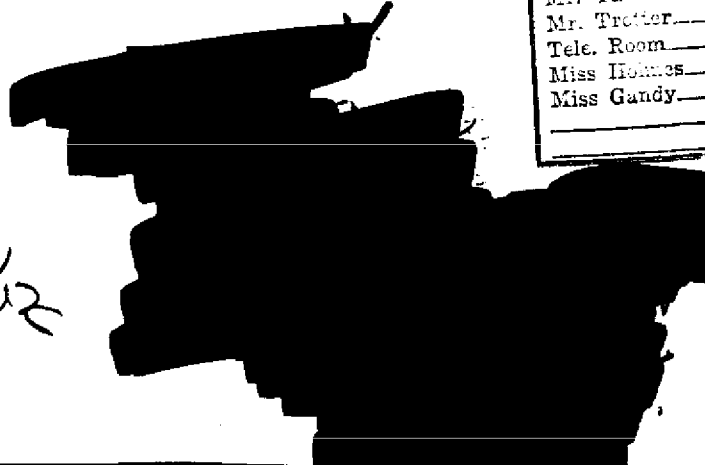
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TO DIRECTOR (157-1025)

FROM BIRMINGHAM (157-352) 2P (P)

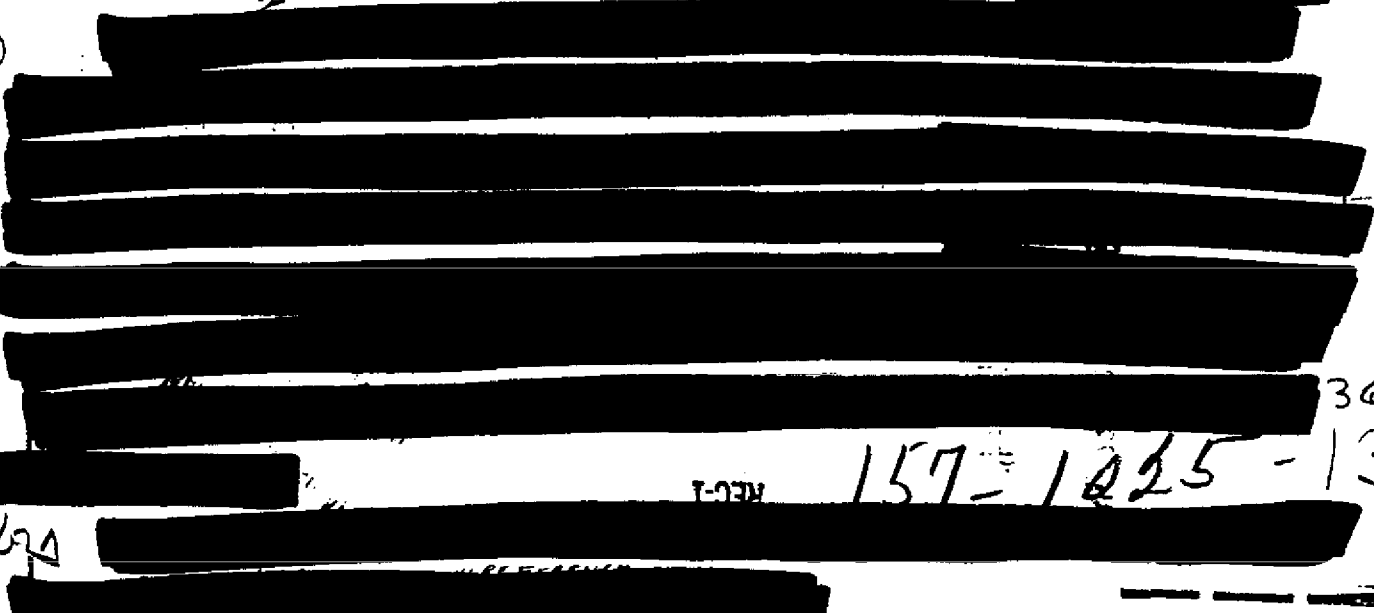
BAPBOMB. DAILY SUMMARY.



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BIRMINGHAM AGENTS ASSIGNED INST. MATTER BEING UTILIZED MAR 26 1965
 TIME DURING INITIAL INVESTIGATIVE PHASE OF CASE CAPTIONED "UNKNOWN SUBJECT"
 DYNAMITE FOUND AT OUR LADY, QUEEN OF THE UNIVERSE, CATHOLIC CHURCH,
 ET AL, BIRMINGHAM, ALA., MARCH TWENTYONE, NINETEEN SIXTYFIVE.

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Mr. Tolson	_____
Mr. Belmont	_____
Mr. Mohr	_____
Mr. DeLoach	_____
Mr. Casper	_____
Mr. Callahan	_____
Mr. Conrad	_____
Mr. Felt	_____
Mr. Gale	_____
Mr. Rosen	_____
Mr. Sullivan	_____
Mr. Tavel	_____
Mr. Trotter	_____
Tele. Room	_____
Miss Holmes	_____
Miss Gandy	_____

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FBI BIRMGHAM

1030PM CST URGENT 3-25-65 HEP

TO DIRECTOR (157-1025)

FROM BIRMINGHAM (157-352) 1P



BAPBOMB. DAILY SUMMARY.

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*5 amg info
included in Green Bombs
IT sent up 3/25/65*

SURVEILLANCE COVERAGE NIGHT OF MARCH TWENTYFOUR DISCLOSED LIGHTS ON AND SIGNS OF ACTIVITY AT RESIDENCE OF [REDACTED] UNTIL EARLY HOURS OF MORNING. NO OTHER PERTINENT DEVELOPMENTS RE THIS OBSERVED.

MAJOR ACTIVITY OF BAPBOMB SQUAD CONTINUING IN CONNECTION WITH INVESTIGATION OF GREENBOMBS SPECIAL. REC-66 157-1025-1365

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Subject JUNE MAIL Bap bomb

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Date: 3/22/65

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Via Q AIRTEL AIRMAIL - REGISTERED
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (157-1025)

FROM: *[Signature]* SAC, BIRMINGHAM (157-352-SF) (P)

J U N E

SUBJECT: BAPBOMB
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(BH OO)

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Re telephone conversation between Bureau Supervisor *[Redacted]* and SAC EVERETT J. INGRAM, Birmingham, 3/21/65. *h7D*

h2 *[Redacted]* was reactivated as of *[Redacted]*. Service was discontinued at *[Redacted]* microphone, attending wiring and recording equipment removed. *[Signature]*

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③ - Bureau - AM RM
[Redacted] Birmingham

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6 MAR 31 1965 Special Agent in Charge

[Redacted]
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SPEN. MCK. [Redacted]

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 URGENT 3-24-65
 TO DIRECTOR
 FROM BIRMINGHAM 241710

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BAPBOMB. DAILY SUMMARY.

DAILY SUMMARY CAPTIONED MATTER FOR MARCH 23 LAST
 INCORPORATED INTO DAILY SUMMARY TELETYPE SUBMITTED
 MARCH 23 LAST UNDER CAPTION BNSUB; DYNAMITE FOUND AT OUR
 LADY OF THE UNIVERSE CATHOLIC CHURCH, BIRMINGHAM, ALA.
 ETC. BM.

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3/25/65

GENERAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
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Mr. Tolson	_____
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Tele. Room	_____
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Miss Gandy	_____

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FBI BIRMGHAM

928PM CST URGENT 3-24-65 HEP

TO DIRECTOR (157-10259

FROM BIRMINGHAM (157-352) 2P

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a BAPBOMB. DAILY SUMMARY.

POTENTIAL ORIGINAL INFORMANT

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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AGENTS ASSIGNED BAPBOMB SQUAD CONTINUE TO BE UTILIZED IN
INVESTIGATION OF GREENBOMBS.

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FBI WASH DC

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

Tolson	✓
Belmont	✓
Mohr	✓
DeLoach	✓
Walters	✓
Malone	✓
Felt	✓
Gale	✓
Rosen	✓
Sullivan	✓
Tavel	✓
Trotter	✓
Tele. Room	✓
Holmes	✓
Gandy	✓

TO : Mr. Tolson

DATE: March 27, 1965

FROM : A. H. Belmont

- 1 - Mr. Tolson
- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. Mohr
- 1 - Mr. Sullivan
- 1 - Mr. Rosen
- 1 - Mr. [redacted]
- 1 - Mr. [redacted]

SUBJECT: GREENBOMB AND RELATED CASES
STATE OF ALABAMA

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Inspector [redacted] who is handling the special investigations at Birmingham regarding the six bombing devices found on March 21-22, 1965, and the murder of Mrs. Viola Liuzzo on March 25, 1965, discussed with me today the need for additional manpower. In addition to the leads in the Liuzzo case to develop corroborating data concerning the informants story and to establish the activities of the subjects prior to and subsequent to the murder, [redacted] is vigorously pursuing the leads to identify the persons responsible for the bombing devices. He is running out the sources of the clocks used as timing devices, the dynamite caps and contemplates interviewing 180 employees of the mine from which it is believed the dynamite was stolen. [redacted] is also very alert to develop any indication that these two cases are tied into the bombing of the Sixteenth Street Baptist Church in September, 1963. Additionally, the Bureau instructed [redacted] to have all Klansmen and members of hate groups interviewed for the purpose of developing any information showing the activities of members of such groups in violence in the past, including the cases under investigation, and any contemplated violence or demonstrations opposing the civil rights movement. It is noted that about 45 automobiles from the Birmingham Bessemer area took part in the Ku Klux Klan demonstration in Montgomery on March 21, 1965, thus showing active participation in Klan activities.

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Inspector [redacted] said that he desired to pursue these investigations rapidly and aggressively and needs additional 30 Agents, 3 stenographers and 1 clerk for this purpose. He presently is using 12 Agents on special and 8 Agents from the Birmingham Office.

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Memorandum to Mr. Tolson
RE: GREENBOMB AND RELATED CASES

I talked to Inspector Sullivan at Selma, Alabama, bearing in mind that we had sent Agents in to Selma on special assignment to assist in covering the march from Selma to Montgomery on March 21-25, 1965. Sullivan has a number of special matters under investigation including the shooting of Jimmy Jackson by a state trooper on February 18, 1965, at Marion; the march at Selma on March 7, 1965, where troopers and the sheriff's posse used tear gas and clubs to disperse the march; the killing of Reverend Rebb on March 9, 1965; the dispersal of demonstrators at Montgomery by unnecessary force on March 16, 1965; leads from the murder of Mrs. Liuzzo on March 25, 1965; and the coverage of continuing demonstrations at the Selma area. Sullivan said these investigations are coming along well, he is getting results down in report form and while there is considerable additional investigation in some of these cases, he is now at the point where he can start releasing men. He has a total of 70 men, approximately 50 of whom are on special assignment. He can release 30 of these men starting Monday morning, March 29, 1965. I told him to have these 30 men together with 15 automobiles report to ██████████ at Birmingham, Monday morning or as soon as possible thereafter. Sullivan said he can release additional men probably by the end of next week and he will keep us advised.

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I advised Inspector ██████████ that 30 men and 15 cars would report to him unless advised to the contrary starting Monday morning, March 29, 1965, and that he should check with Inspector Sullivan to see if Sullivan could likewise release 3 stenographers and a clerk to come to Birmingham. If Sullivan cannot release the clerical personnel ██████████ is to recontact the Bureau.

I told both Inspector ██████████ and Inspector Sullivan that the Department is thinking in terms of an early Grand Jury and a Departmental Attorney is going down to Montgomery this weekend to lay the groundwork. The Department is interested in the cases we are investigating and also the activities of the Ku Klux Klan and other hate groups. I told them that we do not want incomplete investigative results furnished to the attorneys; that we want the investigations reduced to report form and sent into the Bureau and thereafter we will clear these reports for delivery to the attorneys at the scene. For this reason, it is essential that the investigations be completed promptly and reduced to report form promptly.

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BIRMINGHAM, ALA., 5/11/63
BM (BH OO)
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UNSUB.; BOMBING OF RESIDENCE OF
A. D. W. KING, BIRMINGHAM, ALA.,
5/11/65
BM
(BH OO)
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BH 157-244

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ARTHUR SHORES, 1021 CENTER STREET,
NORTH, BIRMINGHAM, ALA., 8/20/63
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Special Agent in Charge

BH 157-352

UNSUB.; BOMBING OF RESIDENCE OF
ARTHUR SHORES, 1021 CENTER STREET,
NORTH, BIRMINGHAM, ALA., 9/4/63

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Bufile 157-998
BH 157-339

UNSUB.; EXPLOSION AT 1601 CENTER
STREET, SOUTH, BIRMINGHAM, ALA.,
9/25/63

BM
Bufile 157-1042
BH 157-407

Weekly summary airtels not being submitted for week
ending 3/26/65.

All Agents assigned these matters utilized entire
week in investigation of GREENBOMBS Special and
ET AL; MRS. VIOLA LIUZZO - VICTIM;
VICTIM. CR - EL.

Agents assigned BAPBOMB Squad continuing investi-
gation above specials. BAPBOMB daily summary teletypes
will be submitted as information pertinent to BAPBOMB is
developed in investigation of these other matters.

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The Attorney General

April 5, 1965

Director, FBI

Case Six

**UNKNOWN SUBJECT; BOMBING
OF SIXTEENTH STREET BAPTIST
CHURCH, BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA
SEPTEMBER 15, 1963
BOMBING MATTER**

- 1 - Mr. Sullivan
- (Attn: [redacted])
- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. Rosen
- 1 - Mr. [redacted]
- 1 - Mr. [redacted]
- 1 - Mr. [redacted]
- 1 - Mr. [redacted]

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This is the case involving the bombing in which four Negro children were killed.

[redacted]

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This installation was made with the knowledge and the consent of the informant.

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No information of significance was obtained from the informant's meeting with [redacted]

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1 - The Deputy Attorney General

Cont

1 - Mr. John Dear
Acting Assistant Attorney General

[redacted]

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SENT FROM D. C.
TIME 4:00 PM
DATE 4-5-65
PY [initials]

NOTE: See Rosen to Belmont memo, 4/5/65, captioned as above,

- Tolson _____
- Belmont _____
- Mohr _____
- DeLoach _____
- Casper _____
- Callahan _____
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

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TO : Mr. Rosen *RW*

DATE: April 5, 1965

FROM : [REDACTED] *42c*

- 1 - Mr. Sullivan
- (Attn: [REDACTED])
- 1 - Mr. Rosen
- 1 - Mr. [REDACTED]
- 1 - Mr. [REDACTED]
- 1 - Mr. [REDACTED]
- 1 - Mr. [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: UNKNOWN SUBJECT; BOMBING
 OF SIXTEENTH STREET BAPTIST
 CHURCH, BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA
 SEPTEMBER 15, 1963
 BOMBING MATTER

67c SAC Ingram was telephonically contacted this morning in connection with the microphone recorder installed [REDACTED]

Ingram advised that the installation had been taken out the same night it was installed. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

ACTION:

67c The need for justification of the continued use of the recorder [REDACTED] was pointed out to Ingram. He was instructed to submit a supplemental airtel when the tape has been reviewed and analyzed advising the Bureau of the specific information developed through the recorder. It was pointed out to Ingram that this procedure should be followed in connection with any further utilization of this source. He stated this would be done.

[REDACTED] *W* *67c* *JH*

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25 APR 6 1965

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

Tolson	_____
Belmont	_____
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TO : Mr. Belmont

DATE: April 5, 1965

FROM : A. Rosen

- 1 - Mr. Sullivan
- (Attn: [redacted])
- 1 - Mr. Belmont
- 1 - Mr. Rosen
- 1 - Mr. [redacted]
- 1 - Mr. [redacted]
- 1 - Mr. [redacted]
- 1 - Mr. [redacted]

SUBJECT: UNKNOWN SUBJECT; BOMBING
OF SIXTEENTH STREET BAPTIST
CHURCH, BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA
SEPTEMBER 15, 1963
BOMBING MATTER

This is the case involving the bombing of the Sixteenth Street Baptist Church, Birmingham, Alabama, 9/15/63, in which four Negro children were killed.

At 6:45 p. m., 4/2/65, SAC Ingram, Birmingham, advised Extra Duty Supervisor [redacted] that Birmingham [redacted]

[redacted] SAC Ingram requested approval to reactivate [redacted] a technical installation (microphone recorder, [redacted] which has been used in the past. He related the informant would be aware of the installation so there will be no trespass involved.

CONF. INFT.

SAC Ingram stated that in view of the recent bombings, it was most desirable to activate [redacted] in view of the opportunity to develop information. He advised that full security would be assured.

SAC Ingram advised on 4/5/65, nothing of significance was developed.

5 APR 9 1965

ACTION:

(1) In view of the extreme importance of this investigation and in view of the urgency in that the informant was meeting the suspect the same evening, SAC Ingram was authorized to reactivate the recorder since full security was assured and no trespass or other illegal action was involved.

(2) A letter to the Attorney General advising him of the installation is attached.

Enclosure

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[redacted] 4-5-65
[redacted]

[redacted]

Date of Mail 4-5-65

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- review by Rowe Task Force
Date *10/29*

Subject JUNE MAIL *Baptist*

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Date: 4/5/65

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TO: Director, FBI (157-1025)
FROM: SAC, Birmingham (157-352-SF-20) (P)
SUBJECT: BAPBOMB

Re telephone conversation, SAC EVERETT J. INGRAM
Birmingham Office, and Special Agent Supervisor [redacted] in
Assistant Director ROSEN's Office, on 4/2/65.

[redacted] was reactivated on [redacted] in
[redacted] Surveillance discon-
tinued at [redacted] Microphone and recording
equipment removed.

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2-Birmingham

[redacted] 67c

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[redacted] [redacted] [redacted]

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Approved: _____
Special Agent in Charge

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Memorandum

TO : Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation

DATE: APR 12 1965
JD:BKL:jtt
DJ 144-1-0

FROM : John Doar
Acting Assistant Attorney General
Civil Rights Division

SUBJECT: Unknown Subjects;
Bombing of 16th Street Baptist Church,
Birmingham, Alabama, 9/15/63,
BOMBING MATTERS

*Skc
4-12-65
Doar*

Enclosed is a letter, and its envelope, relating to the above-captioned matter received by the Department of Justice on February 19, 1965. The writer of the letter, [REDACTED] indicates that he has information relating to the identity of persons involved in the bombing.

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Please ascertain whether there is any substance to [REDACTED] allegations.

Encl.

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(2 Xeroxes made of enc.)
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W.C.
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4/15/65

1 - Mr. [REDACTED]

Airtel

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To: SACs, Birmingham (157-352) (enc. 4)
Charlotte (157-402) (enc. 4)

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From: Director, FBI (157-1025) - 1375

BAPBOMB

Enclosed are two copies of a letter from the Department dated 4/12/65 with two copies of the enclosure thereto. Although the letter from [REDACTED]

Birmingham should immediately attempt to identify [REDACTED] and determine his present location so that he can be interviewed. Charlotte should attempt to identify and locate [REDACTED] and Charlotte.

Birmingham should conduct discreet investigation concerning Birmingham [REDACTED] mentioned in the enclosed letter.

Advise Bureau results of your investigation in this matter.

You should use caution during this investigation and not mention the enclosed letter or the name of the correspondent.

(6)

NOTE: Bapbomb is the code name for the case of the bombing of the 16th Street Baptist Church, Birmingham, Alabama, 9/15/63, in which four Negro girls were killed. Enclosure to Departmental letter is a letter from [REDACTED]

- Tolson
- Belmont
- Mohr
- DeLoach
- Casper
- Callahan
- Conrad
- Felt
- Gale
- Rosen
- Sullivan
- Tavel
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- Tele. Room

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GENERAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

BAPBOMB is the code word for the bombing of the 16th Street Baptist Church, Birmingham, 9/15/63, in which four Negro girls were killed.

Eugene Thomas and two others have been indicted on Federal Civil Rights charges in connection with the murder of Viola Liuzzo between Selma and Montgomery, Alabama, on 3/25/65.

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[REDACTED]

The Sayreton Mine is a possible source of dynamite used in the bombing of the Crowell residence in Birmingham on 4/1/65 and the unexploded bombs found 3/21-22 and 4/1/65. GREENBOMBS is the code word for the bombing on 4/1/65 and unexploded bombs.

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[REDACTED]

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
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COMMUNICATIONS SECTION

APR 14 1965

TELETYPE

Mr. Tolson	✓
Mr. Belmont	✓
Mr. Mohr	
Mr. DeLoach	
Mr. Casper	
Mr. Callahan	
Mr. Conrad	
Mr. Felt	
Mr. Gale	
Mr. Rosen	
Mr. Sullivan	
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Mr. Trotter	
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FBI WASH DC

FBI BIRMGHAM

902PM CST URGENT 4-14-65 HEP

TO DIRECTOR (157-1025)

FROM BIRMINGHAM (157-352) 2P

BAPBOMB. DAILY SUMMARY.

Best

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

HOWEVER, THERE IS NO INDICATION THESE INDIVIDUALS
 FURNISHED ANY PERTINENT INFORMATION. FBI INTERVIEWS OF ABOVE
 SUSPECTS FAILED TO DEVELOP ANY CURRENT PERTINENT INFORMATION OF
 VALUE RE BAPBOMB OR GREENBOMBS. EX 105

AGENTS CONDUCTING INTERVIEW OF [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

HOWEVER, HE APPEARS LESS HOSTILE FOLLOWING
 FEDERAL INDICTMENTS OF EUGENE THOMAS, ET AL, IN THE EUGENE THOMAS,
 etc., CIVIL RIGHTS CASE, MOBILE ORIGIN.

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PAGE TWO.

[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] INVESTIGATION CONTINUING; HOWEVER, THUS FAR [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] REFERRED TO BIRMINGHAM TEL APRIL THIRTEEN LAST, NOT
YET LOCATED OR IDENTIFIED.

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REVIEW OF RESULTS INFORMATION PREVIOUSLY FURNISHED BY [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] RE [REDACTED]

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BEING REINSTITUTED, IT BEING NOTED THAT NATURE OF THIS INFORMATION
TOGETHER WITH MANNER IN WHICH RECEIVED BY BIRMINGHAM OFFICE REQUIRES
CAREFUL, TIME CONSUMING, REPETITIVE PROCESS OF REVIEW TO INSURE
ACCURATE INTERPRETATION. PERSONNEL PREVIOUSLY HANDLING THIS WERE
ASSIGNED GREENBOMBS SPECIAL AND EUGENE THOMAS, ETAL, ETC., CIVIL
RIGHTS CASE, SINCE MARCH TWENTYONE LAST.

END

WA BMS

FBI WASH DC

April 16, 1965
GENERAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

Bapbomb is the code word for the bombing of the 16th Street Baptist Church, Birmingham, 9-15-63, in which four Negro girls were killed.

Robert Chambliss is a suspect.

[REDACTED]

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is a suspect in the Greenbombs case. Greenbombs is the code name for bombings at Birmingham on 3/21-22/65, and 4/1/65, and at residence of T. L. Crowell, Birmingham, 4-1-65.

[REDACTED] is also

suspect in Bapbomb.

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4/21/65

GENERAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

BAPBOMB is code word for bombing of 16th Street Baptist Church, Birmingham, 9/15/63, in which four Negro girls were killed.

Chambliss, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] are suspects in the bombing.

[REDACTED] is an associate of

67c Chambliss, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] is an associate

of [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
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COMMUNICATIONS SECTION

APR 20 1965

TELETYPE

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FBI BIRMGHAM

8-20 PM CST URGENT 4-20-65 GR

TO DIRECTOR (157-1025)

FROM BIRMINGHAM (157-352) (P)

Mr. Tolson	✓
Mr. Belmont	✓
Mr. Mohr	
Mr. DeLoach	
Mr. Casper	
Mr. Callahan	
Mr. Conrad	
Mr. Felt	
Mr. Gale	✓
Mr. Rosen	
Mr. Sullivan	
Mr. Tavel	
Mr. Trotter	
Tele. Room	
Miss Holmes	
Miss Gandy	

BAPBOMB - DAILY SUMMARY.

b20

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

CHAMBLISS OBSERVED AGENTS INTERVIEWING [REDACTED] AFTERNOON
 OF APRIL SIXTEEN, BECAME VERY EXCITED AND UPSET, AND WAS VERY AGITATED
 WONDERING WHY AGENT WERE TALKING [REDACTED]

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April 22, 1965
GENERAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

Bapbomb is code word for bombing of 16th Street Baptist Church, Birmingham, 9-15-63, in which four Negro girls were killed.

[REDACTED] Chambliss, and [REDACTED] are suspects in the case.

[REDACTED]

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furnished data re murder of civil rights worker, Mrs. Viola Liuzzo, between Selma and Montgomery, Alabama, 3-25-65.

[REDACTED] is not an informant and has been considered as suspect in Bapbomb. Has been described by informant as a "tough individual." Also been described as Klan member.

[REDACTED]

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
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COMMUNICATIONS SECTION

APR 21 1965

TELETYPE

Mr. Tolson	_____
Mr. Belmont	✓
Mr. Mohr	_____
Mr. DeLoach	_____
Mr. Casper	_____
Mr. Callahan	_____
Mr. Conrad	_____
Mr. Felt	_____
Mr. Gale	_____
Mr. Rosen	✓
Mr. Sullivan	_____
Mr. Tavel	_____
Mr. Trotter	_____
Tele. Room	_____
Miss Holmes	_____
Miss Gandy	_____

FBI BIRMGHAM

6-43 PM CST URGENT 4-21-65 GR

TO DIRECTOR (157-L025)

FROM BIRMINGHAM (157-352)(P)

BAPBOMB. DAILY SUMMARY

REVIEW OF INFORMATION FURNISHED BY [REDACTED]

RACIAL
[REDACTED] HAS DISCLOSED THAT [REDACTED]

REVIEW OF COVERAGE PREVIOUSLY FURNISHED BY [REDACTED]

CONTINUING.

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cc-Mr. ROSEN

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4/22/65

Airtel

To: SAC, Birmingham (157-352)

From: Director, FBI (157-1025)

RAPBOMB

Re Bureau telephone call 4/5/65 and irtel 4/21/65. ReBucall instructed that a supplemental airtel be submitted when the tapes had been reviewed and analyzed, advising the Bureau of the specific information developed through [redacted]. Retel stated that review of coverage previously furnished by [redacted] was continuing.

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Your review must be completed and the requested airtel submitted without further delay.

[redacted] 620
(4) 100

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NOTE:

Bapbomb is the code name for the bombing of the 16th Street Baptist Church, Birmingham, Alabama, 9/15/63, in which four Negro girls were killed. [redacted] is a microphone installation.

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[redacted] The microphone installation has been authorized in the past by the Bureau and is made with the knowledge of the informant. It was last used on [redacted] and is now inactive.

- Tolson _____
- Belmont _____
- Mohr _____
- DeLoach _____
- Casper _____
- Callahan _____
- Conrad _____
- Felt _____
- Gale _____
- Rosen _____
- Sullivan _____
- Tavel _____
- Trotter _____
- Tele. Room _____
- Holmes _____
- Gandy _____

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April 24, 1964
GENERAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

Bapbomb is the code word for bombing of 16th Street Baptist Church, Birmingham, 9/15/63, in which four Negro girls were killed.

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Robert E. Chambliss, [REDACTED] are suspects in the case.

[REDACTED]

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April 14, 1965

GENERAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

BAPBOMB is code word for case involving bombing of 16th Street Baptist Church, Birmingham, 9-15-63, in which four Negro children were killed.

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Chambliss. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] are suspects in BAPBOMB case.

Also considered as same in GREENBOMBS matter.

GREENBOMBS is the code name for the attempted bombings at Birmingham on 3/21-22/65, and 4/1/65, and the explosion at the residence of T. L. Crowell, Birmingham, 4/1/65.

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[REDACTED]

COMMUNICATIONS SECTION
APR 13 1965

TELETYPE

Mr. Mohr	_____
Mr. DeLoach	_____
Mr. Casper	_____
Mr. Callahan	_____
Mr. Conrad	_____
Mr. Felt	_____
Mr. Gale	_____
Mr. Rosen	_____
Mr. Sullivan	_____
Mr. Tavel	_____
Mr. Trotter	_____
Tele. Room	_____
Miss Holmes	_____
Miss Gandy	_____

FBI WASH DC

FBI BIRMGHAM

800 PM CST URGENT 4-13-65 GR

TO DIRECTOR (157-1025)

FROM BIRMINGHAM (157-352)(P)

BAPBOMB

[REDACTED]

FOLLOWING IS A SUMMARY OF INFORMATION DEVELOPED INSTANT MATTER SINCE LAST DAILY SUMMARY SUBMITTED MARCH TWENTYFIVE LAST. DAILY SUMMARIES BEING REINSTITUTED WITH SUBMISSION THIS TELETYPE.

[REDACTED]

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INVESTIGATION RE ██████████ COMPLETED WITH RECEIPT
RESULTS OF REVIEW OF HIS MILITARY SERVICE RECORD FROM ST. LOUIS
UNDER DATE APRIL TWO LAST ██████████ NOT BEING CONSIDERED BAPBOMB
SUSPECT.

EXPERIMENTS CONDUCTED BY PERSONNEL, ONE HUNDRED FORTYSECOND
ORDNANCE DETACHMENT (EXPLOSIVES DISPOSAL), FT. MC CLELLAN, ALABAMA,
INDICATED SAFETY FUSE PLACED ONE TO TWO INCHES AWAY COULD BE
IGNITED BY USING GELATIN CAPSULES, CONCENTRATED SULPHURIC ACID AND
THREE PARTS POTASSIUM CHLORATE AND ONE PART SUGAR, WITH TIME DELAY
ELEMENT VARYING AS TO AMOUNT AND STRENGTH OF ACID USED AND SIZE OF
GELATIN CAPSULE CONTAINING THE POTASSIUM CHLORATE AND SUGAR MIX.
FURTHER, THAT SUBSTANTIALLY SAME RESULTS COULD BE OBTAINED BY USING
TWO PARTS SODIUM PEROXIDE AND SAWDUST MIX TO ONE PART PLAIN ~~TEXX~~ TAP
WATER, HOWEVER, THE CAPSULE DISSOLVED VERY RAPIDLY, GIVING VERY
SHORT DELAY PERIOD.

CORR PAGE FOUR LINE 8 WD THREE # "MORE"

END WA WBS

FBI WASH DC

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4/27/65

GENERAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

BAPBOMB is the code name for the case involving bombing of 16th Street Baptist Church, Birmingham, 9/15/63, in which four Negro children were killed.

Chambliss, [REDACTED] are suspects in this bombing.

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4/29/65
GENERAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

BAPBOMB is the code name of the case involving the bombing of the 16th Street Baptist Church, Birmingham, 9/15/63, in which four Negro children were killed.

Chambliss, [REDACTED] mentioned in attached teletype, are suspects in this bombing.

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[REDACTED]

Attached teletype indicates this individual tentatively identified as [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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FBI

Date: 4/26/65

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plaintext or code)

Via AIRTEL _____
(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (157-1025)

FROM: SAC, CHARLOTTE (157-402) (P)

BAPBOMB

Re Bureau airtel to Charlotte and Birmingham
4/15/65.

On 4/26/65, SA [redacted] contacted the
following individuals at Louisburg, N. C., and all
advised they knew of no individual in the vicinity of
Louisburg, N. C., by the name of [redacted]

[redacted]
Louisburg, N. C. Post Office, who
advised that he checked all four rural
routes out of the Louisburg Post Office
and that no family of [redacted] is located
on any of these routes.

- 3 - Bureau
- 2 - Birmingham (157-352)
- 2 - Charlotte

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EX-101

3 APR 28 1965

Approved: Wol Special Agent in Charge

Sent _____ M Per _____

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Date: 4/26/65

Transmit the following in _____
(Type in plaintext or code)

Via AIRTEL _____
(Priority)

CE 157-402

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[REDACTED]

SA [REDACTED] reviewed the current Louisburg, N.C. telephone directory and no family by the name of [REDACTED] is listed therein.

It will be noted that Louisburg, N. C. is a town of approximately 3,000.

Investigation Charlotte continuing.

Approved: _____ Sent _____ M Per _____
Special Agent in Charge

April 28, 1965

GENERAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

Bapbomb is code word for
case involving bombing of 16th Street
Baptist Church, Birmingham, 9-15-63,
in which four Negro children were killed.

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TO DIRECTOR (157-1025)

FROM BIRMINGHAM(157-352) 2P

Mr. Tolson	
Mr. DeLoach	
Mr. Mohr	
Mr. Bishop	
Mr. Casper	
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Mr. Conrad	
Mr. Felt	
Mr. Gale	
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Mr. Sullivan	
Mr. Tavel	
Mr. Trotter	
Tele. Room	
Miss Holmes	
Miss Gandy	

BAPBOMB DAILY SUMMARY.

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42 [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

NATIONAL STATES RIGHTS PARTY

[REDACTED]

670 [REDACTED]

Potential Criminal Informant

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[REDACTED]

REBUAIRTEL APRIL TWENTYTWO, LAST, CONCERNING REVIEW OF COVERAGE FURNISHED BY [REDACTED] *62*

IT IS NOTED THAT NATURE AND FORM IN WHICH INFO FROM THIS SOURCE WAS FURNISHED TO BIRMINGHAM OFFICE REQUIRES METICULOUS AND REPEATED REVIEW IN ORDER TO INSURE ACCURATE INTERPRETATION. TWO OR THREE DAYS OF AGENT TIME REQUIRED TO COMPLETE REVIEW EACH INSTANCE OF COVERAGE BY THIS INFORMANT. REVIEW OF INSTANCES OF COVERAGE BY THIS INFORMANT ALMOST COMPLETED, HAVING BEEN DELAYED INTERMITTENTLY BY SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS OF AGENT PERSONNEL IN CONNECTION WITH OTHER SPECIALS THIS DIVISION. RESULT OF COMPLETED REVIEW OF ALL INFO FURNISHED TO DATE BEING EXPEDITED AND WILL BE FURNISHED BUREAU NO LATER THAN MAY SEVEN, NEXT.

WITH REGARD TO BUAIRTEL APRIL FIFTEEN, LAST, EFFORTS TO IDENTIFY [REDACTED] NEGATIVE. DETAILED AIRTEL TO FOLLOW FOR BUREAU AND CHARLOTTE. *62*

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Date: 4-29-65

Transmit the following in _____

(Type in plaintext or code)

Via AIRTEL

AIR MAIL

(Priority)

TO : Director, FBI (157-1025)
FROM : SAC, Birmingham (157-352) (P)
SUBJECT: BAPBOMB

Re Bureau airtel 4-15-65; Charlotte airtel 4-26-65.

RE: [REDACTED] *62*

The following investigation was conducted at Birmingham, Alabama, by SA [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

On the same date, records maintained in the Recorders Court, City of Birmingham, were examined and no record identifiable with [REDACTED] was located.

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[REDACTED]

No listing identifiable with [REDACTED] was disclosed by a search of all logical and appropriate city directories and references.

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- ③ - Bureau
- 2 - Charlotte (157-402)
- 3 - Birmingham (2 - 157-352)
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Approved: _____

Special Agent in Charge

Sent _____

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Per _____

[REDACTED]

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For information of Bureau and Charlotte, attention is directed to the following:

There is no [REDACTED] employed by the Birmingham PD. Undoubtedly, this is [REDACTED] whose full name is [REDACTED]

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Extensive investigation conducted in the BAPBOMB matter has failed to disclose any connection of [REDACTED]

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with the church bombing, any previous acts of racial violence, or association with the principal suspects developed in the church bombing and no derogatory or unfavorable information is known concerning them.

Above submitted to assist the Bureau and Charlotte in appropriately evaluating the contents of the correspondence received by the Department from [REDACTED] and in placing this information in its proper perspective.

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Accordingly, it is felt that any investigation of [REDACTED] is inappropriate. It is possible that [REDACTED] could be identified by interview of [REDACTED] which could be handled discreetly; however, for obvious reasons, this course of action is not being recommended.

No further action as to this aspect of the BAPBOMB investigation being taken by Birmingham pending results of efforts by Charlotte to identify, locate, and interview [REDACTED]

May 1, 1965

GENERAL INVESTIGATIVE DIVISION

Bapbomb is the code word for the bombing of the 16th Street Baptist Church, Birmingham, 9-15-63, in which four Negro girls were killed.

Chambliss is suspect in the bombing.

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TO DIRECTOR (157-1025)

FROM BIRMINGHAM (157-352) (P)

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BAPBOMB.

DAILY SUMMARY.

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MR. BELMONT FOR [REDACTED]

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BUREAU WILL NOTE THAT THIS INFORMATION RECEIVED [REDACTED]

AS SUCH IT IS NOT HEARSAY AND IS

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