

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : SAC Jackson (157-7479)

DATE: 5-21-68

FROM : SA Chet, Wanda Bridges

SUBJECT: James Lee Scarborough

In connection with the destruction of channelizing memoranda, the information contained on the serials listed below was incorporated in a report dated 6-13-67. The review for this report was made from serial 1 through serial 47.

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Title of Case <b>"CHANGED"</b> <b>JAMES LEE SCARBOROUGH, aka</b> <b>James Lee Scarborough,</b> <b>Jimmy Scarborough,</b> <b>"The Indian"</b>		Report made by <b>SA MICHAEL L. COLZIAN</b>	Typed By <b>hcl</b>
		Character of Case <b>RM (KLAN)</b>	

## SUMMARY

## NON-PROSECUTIVE SUPPLEMENTAL

Title was changed to show the manner in which the subject's surname was spelled in his Social Security account and his Internal Revenue W-2 form held by his employer. Title also changed to show subject is known by the nickname "The Indian," which was obtained from a confidential source.

REFERENCE:

Supplemental summary/report of SA MERRIMAN D. DIVEN dated 3/29/67, at New Orleans.

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ADMINISTRATIVE:

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INFORMANTS:

<u>Identity</u>	<u>Location</u>
JN T-1 is	
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JN T-3 is	
JN T-4 is	

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Will continue to follow the activities of subject, a Silver Dollar Group member, and report same to the Bureau at the expiration of six months.

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SA MICHAEL L. COLEMAN      Office: JACKSON  
JUNE 13, 1967

Field Office File #:

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Bureau File #: 157-3975

Title:

JAMES LEE SCAROBOROUGH

Character:

RACIAL MATTERS (KLAN)

Synopsis:

SCAROBOROUGH resides at 332 Iowa Street, Ferriday, Louisiana. He is employed as a welder by International Paper Company at Natchez, Mississippi. A source advised that SCAROBOROUGH was a member of the Silver Dollar Group. Another source advised that SCAROBOROUGH had charges brought against him by a group within the OKKKK for divulging Klan secrets in November, 1965. As a consequence, SCAROBOROUGH was demoted from his position as Exalted Cyclops and eased out of the OKKKK. SCAROBOROUGH, when interviewed on 3/6/67, said that he had never been a member of a group called the Silver Dollar Group and that he had never heard any of his friends mention a group by this name.

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DETAILS:I. BACKGROUNDA. Residence

On April 7, 1967, MARGARET KING, Manager, Concordia Credit Bureau, Ferriday, Louisiana, advised SA MICHAEL L. COLEMAN that JAMES LEE SCAROBOROUGH resides at 332 Iowa Street, Ferriday, Louisiana.



B. Employment

On April 7, 1967, MARGARET KING advised SA MICHAEL L. COLEMAN that SCAROBOROUGH was employed as a welder by the International Paper Company at Natchez, Mississippi.

C. Current Position in The Klan

JN T-1 advised during the latter part of March, 1967, that JIMMY SCAROBOROUGH, also known as "The Indian," was a member of the Silver Dollar Group as of that time.

On April 4, 1967, JN T-2, and on May 3, 1967, JN T-3, described the "Silver Dollar Group" as a hard-core action group made up of present and former members of the White Knights of the Ku Klux Klan of Mississippi (WKKKKOM), the United Klans of America, Inc., Knights of the Ku Klux Klan (UKA), and the Original Knights of the Ku Klux Klan (Louisiana) (OKKKK) from Mississippi and Louisiana. No formal organizational format has been adopted by the group. Membership is attained by invitation and upon receipt of a silver one dollar coin from the group organizer, RALEIGH JACKSON GLOVER.

A characterization of the WKKKKOM, the UKA, and the OKKKK appears in the appendix of this report.

D. Automobiles

When interviewed on March 4, 1967, by SA FRED B. LAFFERTY, III and SA FRANK B. WATTS, SCAROBOROUGH advised he had a copper colored 1966 Dodge sedan with 1967 State of Louisiana license 11L-221. He also advised he had a black 1957 GMC pickup truck, for which he had no license.



## II. ACTIVITY OF SUBJECT

On March 9, 1967, JN T-2 advised that in late 1965, SCAROBOROUGH had two large cans of gun powder which he purchased from an undisclosed source in Monroe, Louisiana. This gun powder was supposed to have been for the use of another Klansman.

JN T-2 advised on April 18, 1967, that the Ferriday-Clayton Unit of the WKKKKOM held a meeting on November 1, 1965. At this meeting a Klansman brought charges against SCAROBOROUGH, the then Exalted Cyclops, for divulging Klan secrets. SCAROBOROUGH was scheduled to stand trial for this offense on the following day; however, the trial was postponed until November 5, 1965, to give SCAROBOROUGH a chance to prepare his defense. It turned out that no trial was held after SCAROBOROUGH's accuser and SCAROBOROUGH's Klan spokesman agreed instead to demote SCAROBOROUGH from his position as Exalted Cyclops and to ease him out of the OKKKK.

JN T-2 advised on March 6, 1967, that SCAROBOROUGH was a member of the Silver Dollar Group.

The source added that about one year ago, SCAROBOROUGH and two other Silver Dollar Group members, and two or three other companions, pulled up beside a Negro's car outside of Natchez, Mississippi, and riddled the Negro with bullets and shotgun fire. The source of this information was unable to recall any such actual incident having taken place.

On March 17, 1967, JN T-1 advised that JIMMY - SCAROBOROUGH used to be in the "old" OKKKK. On March 21, 1967, JN T-2 advised that JAMES SCAROBOROUGH, in the not too distant past, endeavored to have a package containing blasting caps delivered to a local Klansman.



During March, 1967, JN T-2 advised that JAMES SCARBOROUGH was at a coffee drinking session at Vidalia, Louisiana, on February 20, 1967, which was attended by several other members of the Silver Dollar Group.

The source also advised that on June 26, 1965, SCARBOROUGH and his wife attended a fishfry held at the Wildsville, Louisiana, home of a Silver Dollar Group member named JAMES LEE.

At this fishfry, SCARBOROUGH pulverized charcoal while another member of the Silver Dollar Group mixed saltpeter and sulphur. Afterwards they mixed these ingredients in an attempt at experimenting with the preparation of black powder. The source of this information said that most of the Silver Dollar Group members at the fishfry felt that sooner or later the sale of black powder and ammunition would be prohibited to the general public. Therefore, this group felt the need to produce its own black powder so that it would be assured of a supply when needed, particularly for use in dummy hand grenades, which the source said were in the possession of RALEIGH JACKSON GLOVER, organizer of the Silver Dollar Group.

On March 8, 1967, JN T-1 advised that JAMES SCARBOROUGH was at that time a member of the Silver Dollar Group.

On March 28, 1967, JN T-4 described JIMMY SCARBOROUGH, the one time Exalted Cyclops of the Ferriday-Clayton Unit of the OKKKK, as a very radical type who might kill at the "drop of a hat."

JN T-3 advised on March 29, 1967, that JAMES SCARBOROUGH was a Silver Dollar Group member as of that time.

### III. MISCELLANEOUS



INVESTIGATION  
Date March 6, 1967

JAMES LEE SCAROBOROUGH, 332 Iowa Street, was advised of the identities of the interviewing agents and at the outset of the interview a waiver of rights form was read to him at which time he volunteered that he understood his rights but refused to sign a waiver of rights form.

SCAROBOROUGH advised that he has no present Klan activity. He stated that the only organizations that he belongs to at the present time is the Masonic Lodge and National Rifleman's Association, both at Ferriday, Louisiana.

SCAROBOROUGH, when questioned concerning his past Klan activity, advised that he would not deny that he was formerly associated with a Klan group in Ferriday, Louisiana, and that he would not deny the fact that he was a past officer of this Klan unit. He stated, however, that he took an oath in this Klan organization and did not at this time desire to break this oath and tell of the activities concerning this Klan group nor name names. He did state, however, that in connection with his past Klan activity he knows of no violent acts planned or carried out by this Klan organization. He stated that approximately three or four months ago he discontinued his Klan affiliation because of the fact that all acts of violence taking place throughout the south were being planned on the Klan and he, therefore, did not desire to have a finger pointed at him in connection with any act of violence. He stated that he does not condone violence and that any knowledge he had concerning an act of violence he would immediately report it unless the victim of this act of violence was a "communist." He advised that he believes that the people are going to have to take matters in their own hands concerning communists in view of the fact that the U. S. Congress has not passed adequate laws to cope with these communists.

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SCAROBOROUGH advised that he knew nothing whatsoever concerning the bombing of WHARLEST JACKSON's truck and stated that he had never heard of JACKSON until this act was committed. He stated that he had never heard WHARLEST JACKSON's name mentioned in any group. He advised that he did know of GEORGE METCALFE, who was a National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) worker, and employee of Armstrong Tire and Rubber Company in Natchez, but that he has never heard any discussion concerning any act of violence concerning METCALFE.

SCAROBOROUGH advised that even though he may not agree with what the NAACP is doing he ~~would~~ not condone harming anyone with maybe the exception of STOKELY CARMICHAEL, who is a leader of the Student Non-Violent Coordinating Committee (SNCC). SCAROBOROUGH stated that he is of the opinion that CARMICHAEL is a communist.

SCAROBOROUGH was questioned concerning his knowledge of R. J. GLOVER, JAMES "RED" LEE, TOMMY JONES, "TOG" TORGERSON and ERNEST PARKER. He advised that he knew all these individuals but knew them only on a social basis and has never been associated with them in any organization. He advised that he has no knowledge whatsoever indicating that any of these individuals are Klan members and that he has never heard them discuss in his presence any acts of violence.

SCAROBOROUGH advised that he has never had any knowledge of a group known as the Silver Dollar Group. He stated he does recall being questioned about a year ago by FBI Agents concerning this group. He stated that he is not associated with any group known as the "Silver Dollar Group" and stated again that the only affiliations he has with any organization is the Masonic Lodge and National Rifleman's Association.

He advised that he has not associated nor even seen any of the above individuals in the recent past with the exception of R. J. GLOVER. SCAROBOROUGH stated that approximately two or three weeks ago GLOVER came to his



home in Ferriday, Louisiana, and wanted SCARBOROUGH to do some repairs to his (GLOVER's) truck. SCARBOROUGH advised that he recalls the nature of this repair was that of installing new shock absorbers on the body of GLOVER's truck. SCARBOROUGH stated that GLOVER wanted these shock absorbers welded on his truck and since he, SCARBOROUGH, was a welder, GLOVER wanted him to do the job. SCARBOROUGH stated he told GLOVER that he would do this job for him and to bring his truck by his residence any week end. SCARBOROUGH stated, however, that GLOVER has not been back for this repair and that he has not seen GLOVER since this time.

SCARBOROUGH advised that he understood what conspiracy meant and that a person merely having knowledge of a crime could be prosecuted in addition to those actually participating in a crime. He reiterated, however, at this point that he had never heard any individual in any gathering discussing the bombing of anyone or anything. He stated that he, himself, was deathly afraid of explosives in view of the fact that he blew off his fingernails when as a child shooting firecrackers. He stated since that time he has had no dealings whatsoever with any form of explosives.

When questioned as to why he got out of the Klan organization, SCARBOROUGH stated that as stated before he did not want a finger pointed at him as being responsible for any acts of violence and further that he did not want to get involved in any act of violence because of his devotion to his family. He stated that he has a daughter presently in Louisiana Technical College and two sons in high school at Ferriday, Louisiana, and that he would never do anything which would jeopardize their future. SCARBOROUGH stated that it was because of these reasons that he could not or would not ever become involved in any act of violence.

The following physical description of SCARBOROUGH was obtained in the course of this interview:



Name:	JAMES LEE SCAROBOROUGH
Alias:	JIMMY
Sex:	Male
Race:	White
Residence:	3321 Iowa, Ferriday, Louisiana
Length of Residence:	12 years
Telephone Number:	757-3476
Date of Birth:	March 11, 1921
Place of Birth:	Haile, Louisiana
Height:	5' 11"
Weight:	170 pounds
Build:	Medium
Hair:	Brown
Eyes:	Blue
Complexion:	Ruddy
Scars and Marks:	2" cut scar, right wrist
Physical defects:	Chronic ulcer
Occupation:	Welder, International Paper Company, Natchez, Mississippi (25 years)
Education:	8th grade
Union:	Parrish, Louisiana
Military Service:	1942 - 1945, U. S. Navy, Serial Number 6452989
Arrest Record:	None claimed
Marital Status:	Married
Wife:	DOROTHY WATKINS
Daughter:	CAROLINE, age 18
Sons:	STEVE, age 15 GLEN, age 9
Vehicles:	1966 Dodge, copper colored, current license 1967 Louisiana 11L221; 1957 GMC black pickup truck, license unrecalled



## FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date March 8, 1967

JAMES LEE SCAROBOROUGH, upon being recontacted, acknowledged the identities of the interviewing agents, stated he understood his rights, but refused to sign a waiver of rights form. He did state, however, that he had no objection whatsoever to talking with the interviewing agents and furnished the following information:

SCAROBOROUGH reiterated that he has never been a member of a group called the "Silver Dollar Group" and that he has never heard any of his friends mention a group by this name. He stated that he does not recall ever hearing any of his friends mention a group by this name. He stated that he does not recall ever hearing any of his friends mention the name of WHARLEST JACKSON but does recall several conversations concerning GEORGE METCALFE. He stated, however, that there was no mention of any planned violence concerning METCALFE mentioned in his presence and that he is sure no acts of violence have been discussed in his presence by any of his friends.

SCAROBOROUGH was questioned again concerning his past Klan activity and advised that he did not desire to furnish details nor name individuals at this time. He did state that several years ago he joined the Original Knights of the Ku Klux Klan in Ferriday, Louisiana, and shortly thereafter got out of this group. He stated that he got out of this unit because the United Klans of America had become more active in the Ferriday, Louisiana, area. He stated he then became active in the United Klans of America, Inc., in Ferriday, Louisiana, and remained active until April or May of 1966. He advised that in April or May of 1966 because of "personal reasons" he quit paying dues and discontinued his activity in the United Klans of America completely. He advised that since that time he

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has had no Klan activity whatsoever and after leaving the United Klans of America he joined no other Klan group.

SCARBOROUGH advised that he did not desire to discuss his Klan activity further with the exception of stating that during all his Klan activity he does not recall ever discussing or hearing discussed the plans for acts of violence.



APPENDIXWHITE KNIGHTS OF THE KU KLUX KLAN  
OF MISSISSIPPI (WKKKKOM)

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. These 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.

A second source advised on August 10, 1966, that the White Knights of the Ku Klux Klan of Mississippi is an unincorporated secret organization existing in the State of Mississippi and dedicated to the preservation of white supremacy at any cost, including the use of force and violence. The official constitution and other directives of the organization do not show any advocacy of force or violence, but it is generally conceded among the members that in the end force and violence will be the only salvation of the white man with regard to his relationships with the Negro race. The White Knights of the Ku Klux Klan is controlled by the Imperial Wizard and other State Officers and the State is divided into districts and provinces. There is an estimated membership, as of August 10, 1966, of 800 to 1000 dues-paying members of this organization. The aims and purposes of the organization continue to be the same as when the organization was created in February, 1964. Sam H. Sowers, Jr., Laurel, Mississippi, continues to be the Imperial Wizard.

APPENDIX



UNITED KLANS OF AMERICA, INC.,  
KNIGHTS OF THE KU KLUX KLAN (UKA)

Records of Superior Court of Fulton County, Georgia, reflect that this Klan organization was granted a corporate charter on February 21, 1961, at Atlanta, Georgia, under the name United Klans, Knights of the Ku Klux Klan of America, Inc.

A source advised on February 27, 1961, that United Klans was formed as a result of a split in the U. S. Klans, Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, Inc. According to the source, the split resulted from a leadership dispute and United Klans has the same aims and objectives as the parent group. These are the promotion of Americanism, white supremacy, and segregation of the races.

The first source and a second source advised in July, 1961, that United Klans, Knights of the Ku Klux Klan of America, Inc., merged with Alabama Knights, Knights of the Ku Klux Klan. The merged organization established headquarters in Suite 401, Alston Building, Tuscaloosa, Alabama. (The organization is directed by ROBERT SHELTON, Imperial Wizard, and is the dominant Klan group in the South, with units in several southern states.)

Second source advised that at a meeting in Prattville, Alabama, on October 22, 1961, the U. S. Klans, Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, merged with the United Klans of America, Inc., Knights of the Ku Klux Klan.

Third source advised on May 25, 1966, that the UKA is currently an active organization, with Klaverns in several states. This source said that ROBERT M. SHELTON is the Imperial Wizard of this organization and was elected to this position on September 5, 1964, at a National Klavocation in Birmingham, Alabama. Source stated that during April, 1966, the National office was moved from Suite 401, Alston Building, Tuscaloosa, Alabama, to the carport of SHELTON's residence, #18 Lake Sherwood, Star Route, Northport, Alabama, which space he had converted into a room.

APPENDIX



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

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A source advised on October 25, 1963, that an organization known as the Original Knights of the Ku Klux Klan (OKKKK) had been organized in the State of Louisiana at Shreveport, Louisiana, in December of 1960.

A second source advised on August 12, 1966, that the OKKKK continues to be active within the State of Louisiana, and that the aims and purposes of this organization continue to be to promote Americanism, the supremacy of the white race, and the furtherance of segregation between the races.

APPENDIX



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Jackson, Mississippi  
June 13, 1967

Title JAMES LEE SCAROBOROUGH

Character RACIAL MATTERS (KLAN)

Reference Report of SA MICHAEL L. COLEMAN  
dated June 13, 1967, at Jackson,  
Mississippi.

All sources (except any listed below) whose identities are concealed in referenced communication have furnished reliable information in the past.



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Brief description of activity or material <u><b>Silver Dollar Group; New chapter of NRA in Ferriday, La., as front for Minute Man Organization.</b></u>		File where original is located if not attached <u><b>FOIA(b)7 - (D)</b></u>

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   (1 - 157- J. K. GREER)  
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On 6/4/67, [FOIA(b)7 - (D)] advised that he met with JAMES LEE SCAROBOROUGH the evening of 6/2/67, at SCAROBOROUGH's house in Ferriday, La. Source stated that the new chapter of the NRA to be created in Ferriday is, in fact, going to be a front for a new Minute Man organization in the Mississippi-Louisiana area. SCAROBOROUGH told source that "Our main fight is not with the Civil Rights Movement but is with the Communist Party USA." Source continued that SCAROBOROUGH appeared to be well-versed in the operations of the Minute Men and possessed various types of literature from this organization.

Source stated that SCAROBOROUGH showed him a letter from the Patriot Party which invited SCAROBOROUGH to its second annual meeting in Kansas City, Missouri, in July, 1967.

SCAROBOROUGH also informed source that the letter of application had been sent to the NRA Headquarters in Washington, D. C., but did not say whether the letter went out under SCAROBOROUGH's signature or whether it was written and signed by WILLIAM GUTHRIE, the alleged head of this organization.

SCAROBOROUGH continued that he was planning to see J. K. GREER and NORMAN HEAD this week but did not advise source what the purpose of these meetings were going to be.

Source advised that just prior to his leaving SCAROBOROUGH's house, WAYNE REED stopped in to see SCAROBOROUGH. The conversation about the Minute Men continued in REED's presence and REED stated that they now had their own handloading equipment which could load the following types of ammunition:

308  
30.06  
38 Super  
.30 caliber  
38 Special



Source stated that SCAROBOROUGH showed him the following weapons which were in SCAROBOROUGH's closet: A 22 Magnum Ruger and a 30.06 Remington Rifle with a scope. Source also advised that he observed a large quantity of ammunition in the same closet. SCAROBOROUGH told source that although he was left handed, he could shoot equally with either hand.

Following his meeting with SCAROBOROUGH, he and WAYNE REED went to REED's house where they continued their discussion regarding the Minute Man Organization. Prior to source leaving REED's house, REED showed him the following weapons which he owned, these being:

44 Magnum

A lever action Winchester, which is equipped to shoot carbine ammunition

A 308 Remington with a scope

A .22 caliber rifle with a scope, and

A 12 gauge Winchester pump shotgun.



## FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date May 30, 1967

Special Agents REESIE L. TIMMONS and ROBERT T. BAUTER on May 24, 1967, while in the Vidalia, Louisiana, area observed a 1966 brown Dodge parked at the residence of NORMAN HEAD for approximately two hours from 8:30 to 10:30 p.m. The 1966 Dodge bore 1967 Louisiana License 11F221 registered to JAMES SCARBOROUGH, Ferriday, Louisiana.

Special Agents TIMMONS and BAUTER observed a 1963 two-tone Chevrolet two-door sedan bearing 1967 Louisiana License 47E017 parked at the residence of JAMES WATTS, 103 Lee Avenue, Vidalia, Louisiana, from approximately 8:20 p.m. until 11:35 p.m. From 8:20 p.m. until approximately 10:30 p.m. RALEIGH JACKSON GLOVER and the individual driving the above described Chevrolet were alone in the residence of JAMES WATTS. At approximately 10:30 p.m. RALEIGH JACKSON GLOVER and the unknown individual departed the WATTS residence in the 1965 white Buick of RALEIGH JACKSON GLOVER. They returned to the residence of JAMES WATTS at 11:35 p.m. at which time the unknown individual entered the 1963 two-tone Chevrolet and departed the area as did RALEIGH JACKSON GLOVER in his Buick.

The above described 1963 Chevrolet is registered to C. A. PARTRIDGE, 1104 Peach Street, Vidalia, Louisiana. PARTRIDGE is employed at Armstrong Rubber Company, Natchez, Mississippi.

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SA REESIE L. TIMMONS

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SILVER DOLLAR GROUP  
RACIAL MATTERS (KLAN)

COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM

Enclosed for Bureau and WFO is one copy each of a suggested letter to JAMES LEE SCARBOROUGH.

On 5/29/67, [FOIA(b)7 - (D)] advised that he met with JAMES LEE SCARBOROUGH, 332 Iowa Street, Ferriday, Louisiana, to discuss the formation of a new chapter of the National Rifle Association (NRA). SCARBOROUGH is the subject of Jackson file 157-7479 and Bureau file 157-3975. He was the Exalted Cyclops of the Ferriday-Clayton, Louisiana, Klan in 1965 and is presently under investigation in the WHARBON investigation, Jackson file 44-2044, as a member of the Silver Dollar Group, Jackson file 157-5206.

SCARBOROUGH told source that this new organization was going to be comprised of a good or legitimate side and a dark or secret side. He continued that they planned to admit an unidentified FBI informant who would be restricted to only the legitimate side of the chapter. Source advised that SCARBOROUGH believed by doing this the FBI would have no reason to investigate it.

SCARBOROUGH told source that he is going to write, or has written, a letter to the NRA Headquarters in Washington, D. C. to apply for authorization to form the new chapter, as well as to obtain the names of NRA members in the Mississippi - Louisiana area. Source believed that SCARBOROUGH was going to pick members for the chapter from this list.

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Source continued that the chapter will have an official charter, will charge \$10.00 membership dues, will have legitimate meetings, and will organize a young persons club within it.

SCAROBOROUGH said that he wanted to be particularly sure of the members who will function on the secret side of the chapter so that they can be depended upon when needed.

It is suggested that this proposed chapter of the NRA in Concordia Parish, Louisiana, may be a basis for the revival of the Klan in that area. In view of this, it is suggested that the NRA Headquarters in Washington, D. C. be contacted to establish whether such an application has in fact been received and of the danger of being used as a legal cover for a subversive-type group.

Enclosed is a suggested letter which can be given to appropriate officials of the NRA in Washington, D. C. to be used by them in a correspondence to JAMES LEE SCAROBOROUGH, 332 Iowa Street, Ferriday, Louisiana.

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In event Bureau approves the above, (1) will contact appropriate officials of NRA in effort to establish whether such an application has been received. (2) If a request for application has in fact been received, will discuss enclosed information with appropriate officials of NRA and exhibit enclosed letter to them.



## FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date May 10, 1967

WALTER WAYNE REED, 330 Iowa Street, Ferriday, Louisiana, was advised of the identity of the interviewing Agents and the nature of the investigation. REED was advised by SA JAMES L. DALEY that he did not have to make any statement and any statement he did make could be used in a court of law. REED was also advised he had the right to consult a lawyer before saying anything.

REED advised that he is not now and has never been a member of any Ku Klux Klan organization. He has never attended any Klan meetings. He advised that he was asked to join a Klan organization, but declined to say who had invited him to join. He believes the Klan is "a money making proposition."

He advised that he is the next door neighbor and friend of JAMES SCAROBOROUGH and he often fishes and hunts with SCAROBOROUGH.

He advised that he has met "RED" GLOVER but has not seen him this year. He is not well acquainted with "RED" GLOVER.

He advised that he has never heard of the Silver Dollar Group and he could not say if JAMES SCAROBOROUGH is a member or whether "RED" GLOVER has ever asked SCAROBOROUGH to join the Silver Dollar Group.

He advised that he knows nothing about who committed the bombings of WHARLEST JACKSON or GEORGE METCALFE.

He advised he would not notify the FBI if he did know anything about the Silver Dollar Group or the bombings. He declined to furnish a reason for not advising the FBI.

He advised that he had served with the Recon (Reconnaissance) Engineers in the U. S. Army, but he had never received any training in the use of explosives. He stated, however, he did have some knowledge of laying mine

On 5/8/67 at Ferriday, Louisiana File # Jackson 44-2044  
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by SA JAMES L. DALEY and  
SA JOHN D. COTTERMAN JDC/acp Date dictated

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fields, since this was part of his duties while in the U. S. Army. In connection with his duties in the U. S. Army he had received a "Secret" clearance.

He advised that he knows of no one in his neighborhood with explosives and he denied having any access to explosives.

He advised that he has resided in Ferriday, Louisiana, for five years and he is presently employed at the International Paper Company, Natchez, Mississippi, where he is well acquainted with JOEL FREEMAN who works in the power house at International Paper Company.

He advised that he "tends to his own business;" however, recently he had a fight with his brother-in-law, EUGENE TERRELL, and TERRELL broke his, REED's, jaw. REED was layed off work for five weeks as a result of this injury. TERRELL's wife also took several shots at him during the fight. He declined to say what had caused the fight; however, he advised that he has spoken to his brother-in-law since the fight. His brother-in-law lives on Iowa Street in Ferriday, several houses from REED's house. He advised that recently he had received additional injuries when he wrecked his Ford Mustang. Since that time he has purchased a new Ford Mustang.

He advised he is a good friend of Officer SOWELL of the Ferriday Police Department. He advised he did not know KENNETH HEAD.

The following description of WALTER WAYNE REED was obtained through observation and interview:

Name:	WALTER WAYNE REED
Sex:	Male
Race:	White
Date of birth:	September 23, 1938
Place of birth:	Monticello, Arkansas
Height:	6 feet 1 inch
Weight:	160 pounds
Build:	Medium



Hair:	Brown (REED said that his hair is almost blond when hair oil is not used.)
Eyes:	Brown
Teeth:	2 upper left front teeth missing
Dress:	Wears cowboy boots
Tattoos:	Tattoo left upper arm outer
Military service:	U. S. Army, Recon Engineers, ASN 2542183
Employment:	International Paper Company, Natchez, Mississippi
Social Security #:	426-66-7184
Drivers License:	Louisiana #1621560, issued September 30, 1966, expires 1968 (for WALTER W. REED, 330 Iowa Street, white male, born September 23, 1938, black hair, brown eyes, 6 feet 1 inch)
Wife:	MARTHA, nee TERRELL
Children:	One girl, age 3
Brothers:	Five brothers (one brother U. S. Army Recruiter, Odessa, Texas)
Sisters:	Five sisters (one deceased)
Automobiles:	New Ford Mustang, license unknown; green Chevrolet pickup truck, 1966 Louisiana license 537-388
Weapons:	One shotgun and one rifle, calibers unknown, neither fully automatic
Residence:	330 Iowa Street, Ferriday, Louisiana
Associates:	JAMES SCARBOROUGH; Officer SOWELL, Ferriday Police Department.



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O. C. POISSOT attended three or four meetings of the OKKKK, Clayton, Louisiana, Unit, prior to the time POISSOT left the Ferriday, Louisiana, area. At the time POISSOT left he took a .22 caliber revolver with him which he had borrowed from E. D. MORACE during the time POISSOT had to protect himself against FRANK DE LAUGHTER.

On 11/1/65, at a meeting of the Clayton Unit of the OKKKK, E. D. MORACE brought charges against JAMES SCAROBOROUGH for divulging klan secrets. MORACE alleged that SCAROBOROUGH after each meeting furnished information to a young boy by the name of SAMMY BUTLER who in turn furnished the information to ED FULLER and/or BLACKIE DRAIN who in turn passed this information on to FRANK DE LAUGHTER. BUTLER is about twenty-two years of age, white male, blond, and wears glasses.

BLACKIE DRAIN and ED FULLER were interested in the klan meetings inasmuch as they thought POISSOT and one FRANK WARDELL had burned BLACKIE DRAIN's warehouse in Ferriday, Louisiana.



The trial of SCARBOROUGH was scheduled to take place on the night of November 2, 1965, at the place where KEN HEAD, BUCK HORTON, RED GLOVER, and POSSIOT, all of whom wore white robes with white hoods, to attend this trial so that they could carry out the sentence imposed against SCARBOROUGH should he be found guilty.

Prior to the beginning of the trial, Assistant Exalted Cyclops SCOTTIE WRIGHT and two or three other klansmen prevailed on MORACE to postpone the trial for three days to give SCARBOROUGH time to prepare his defense. On about 11/5/65, SCOTTIE WRIGHT, HANK HOWINGTON, and four or five other members of the Clayton Unit asked MORACE to call off the trial and, in return, promises MORACE that SCARBOROUGH would be demoted from his Exalted Cyclops position and gradually eased out of the klan. MORACE went along with the proposition and the trial was never held.

The night of the trial is the last time RED GLOVER has visited the Clayton klan unit. POISSOT came to a meeting one time after 11/2/65, and it was on this night that SCOTTIE WRIGHT was elected Exalted Cyclops. POISSOT made a speech in which he thanked all of the klan members for protecting him and saving his life.



On the night of the trial HEAD, HORTON, POISSOT, and GLOVER arrived together at the klan meeting place in GLOVER's white Oldsmobile. After the trial was called off, HEAD, HORTON, POISSOT, and GLOVER left together in GLOVER's white Oldsmobile. POISSOT was dropped off at the King Hotel in Ferriday. Shortly after being dropped off POISSOT was seen conversing with E. D. MCGRACE at the counter where both men were drinking coffee.

BUCK HORTON is known to have carried two long barrel revolvers in leather holsters.

BILL BLANEY is known to have carried .22 revolver in a leather holster and always had this gun at klan meetings when he was on guard duty.

E. D. MCGRACE has been seen on several occasions carrying a .410 sawed off shotgun hooked to his belt.

JAMES SCARBOROUGH had a double barrel .20 gauge shotgun with 14-16" barrel that he always brought to klan meetings. An unknown young man from Wena, Louisiana, visited the Clayton Unit of the OKKKK on one occasion and carried a sawed off shotgun with an extremely short barrel which he referred to as the "trigger getter."

Another unknown man at a klan meeting held in Winnsboro, Louisiana, was observed wearing two guns in leather holsters on each hip.



On April 14, 1967, an individual believed to be identical with BIG MAC MC KINNEY stopped by the Shell Service Station in Ferriday to determine if the station needed any lubricants. While at the Shell Service Station, MC KINNEY was observed in conversation with ED MORACE and at that time MC KINNEY suggested to MORACE he join the Mississippi branch of the Klan.

MC KINNEY was heard to tell MORACE that he had a silver dollar like the one MORACE had and most likely got it from the same mutual friend that had given MORACE his. A close associate of MC KINNEY by the name of PREACHER WHITE, white male, 5'4", 155-160, slender build, black hair, glasses, could possibly be a member of the Silver Dollar Group because of his close association with MC KINNEY. WHITE was seen riding with MC KINNEY and RED GLOVER during the time there was trouble in the park in Natchez, Mississippi.

Although many Klan members have contributed to the defense of JAMES LOUIE JONES, MC KINNEY was heard to tell MORACE that JONES' days would be numbered after the trial was over. The Klan feels that JONES will be freed and if freed the other two defendants will not go to trial. MC KINNEY was heard to say "we're going to fix JONES good." This feeling toward JONES is due to his having talked about the shooting of BEN CHESTER WHITE by law enforcement officers.

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On Saturday, April 8, 1967, BILL BLANEY and his wife drove to Raysville, Louisiana, to visit C. T. GRIFFITH. After visiting with GRIFFITH's for a while, BILL and C. T. drove to Sicily Island, Louisiana, where they got drunk drinking beer. While traveling through Wisner, Louisiana, BLANEY was arrested for drunk driving.

At the request of E. D. MORACE, father of BILL BLANEY's wife, NOAH CROSS, Sheriff Concordia Parish, Louisiana, telephoned local authorities in Wisner in an attempt to get charge killed or at least reduce the \$200.00 fine. Local authorities refused to do this. At time of arrest, BLANEY had a .38 caliber pistol in his truck. This gun was sold to BLANEY by E. D. MORACE.



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Date May 9, 1967

Mrs. RALEIGH J. (LAVONIA) GLOVER, contacted at her rural residence, Route 3, Kentwood, Louisiana, was advised of the identity of the interviewing Agents by SA REESIE L. TIMMONS who also advised her that she did not have to furnish any information, that any information she did furnish could be used in a court of law and that she could contact an attorney or anyone else at any time.

Mrs. GLOVER advised that she did not desire to talk with the FBI about anything. She stated that she had furnished the interviewing Agents at Vidalia, Louisiana, some two or three months ago all she knew about the activities of her husband on February 27, 1967.

She advised that if the FBI did not have a warrant for her arrest, she had nothing more to say.

Mrs. GLOVER advised that she was aware that the FBI had searched the residence of her son, "PETE" WATTS, in Vidalia, Louisiana. She stated that she has never seen the painting that the FBI mentioned in connection with the search of her son's residence and is certain that it was never there.

She advised she is also certain that there has never been explosives of any type at the residence of her son.

She advised she has never seen any explosives of any type in the possession of her husband. She advised that there have never been any guns in her residence at Vidalia or Kentwood, Louisiana. She advised that to her knowledge the only gun in their house is a .38 caliber pistol that she keeps for protection as her husband works the "graveyard shift" and is now staying in Vidalia, Louisiana, through the week, returning home on Saturday morning and remaining until late Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. GLOVER advised that she has no reason to believe that her husband has ever been associated with any

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Klan type organization, the Silver Dollar Group, or any other organization. She advised that she has never seen him in possession of a silver dollar or a bag of silver dollars.

Mrs. GLOVER advised that RALEIGH J. GLOVER's 83 year old mother has resided with them for the past 12 to 13 years. She advised that during the past 2 or three weeks she stayed with a "grand niece" until they got settled in their new residence and she has now moved in with them. She advised that she and her husband's mother are alone at the residence from Sunday night through Saturday morning.

Mrs. GLOVER advised that she was born and raised in the Kentwood, Louisiana area. She stated that her mother's maiden name was BLADES, she married a BURT from the Brookhaven, Mississippi area, and divorced him when she, Mrs. GLOVER, was an infant.

She stated she moved to the Natchez, Mississippi area when she was a teenager, met her first husband and RALEIGH JACKSON GLOVER at the same time when both of them were in a "C.C.C. Camp" in Southwest Mississippi. She stated her first husband was killed in World War II and thereafter she married RALEIGH JACKSON GLOVER.

Mrs. GLOVER viewed photographs of the following individuals and made the following comments concerning each:

- (1) ERNEST B. PARKER - Unknown
- (2) E. D. MORACE - a close friend of her husband. She has known him four or five years, and his family often visited the GLOVER residence in Vidalia, Louisiana.
- (3) JAMES SEALE - Unknown
- (4) JAMES LEE SCARBOROUGH - Her husband has known him some three to five years; he is a welder by occupation. Her husband tried to get him to do some work for him in the past. He has visited the GLOVER residence in Vidalia several times.



- (5) JAMES F. LEE - She has known him for three to five years; he works at Armstrong Rubber Company, and is a friend of her husband. She did not go to a fish fry at his residence in 1965. She stated she has never accompanied her husband or anyone else to a fish fry.
- (6) WOODROW HOLLOWAY - Unknown
- (7) ERNEST AVANTS - Unknown
- (8) T. L. TORGENSEN - She has known him three to five years, met him and his wife with TOMMIE LEE JONES and his wife at the Moose Lodge in Natchez, Mississippi. He has visited the GLOVER residence in Vidalia on occasions.
- (9) MYRON WAYNE SEALE - Unknown
- (10) JOE DANIEL HAWKINS - Unknown
- (11) "BUCK" HORTON - a good friend of her and her husband. His family visited at the GLOVER residence in Vidalia frequently. His wife worked with her at the Ben Franklin Store in Natchez, Mississippi.
- (12) TOMMIE LEE JONES - a good friend of her husband. She met him and his family at the Moose Hall in Natchez, Mississippi. He has visited the GLOVER residence in Vidalia, Louisiana, on occasions.
- (13) L. C. MURRAY - Unknown
- (14) JAMES E. BLANEY - Unknown
- (15) O. C. POISSOT - Unknown
- (16) ELDEN GLEN HESTER - a good friend of her husband who did live near Baskin, Louisiana. He and his family have visited the GLOVER residence in Vidalia, and the GLOVERS have visited at his residence near Baskin, Louisiana, on several occasions.



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(17) WALTER GENE HALL - Unknown

(18) DONALD HOLLAND - Unknown

(19) JAMES H. TAYLOR, JR. - She advised he lives "way out in Louisiana," and is a good friend of her husband. She has known him some four to five years. Her husband hired him to help them move to the Kentwood, Louisiana area as he had a commercial driver's license and could drive the "U-Haul It Truck."

(20) KENNETH NORMAN HEAD - a friend of the GLOVER family whom she has known some six to seven years. They have visited "back and forth" many times in the past.

(21) RAYMOND SCOTT WRIGHT - Unknown

(22) JEWEL LEE BURT - her uncle who resides near Fayette, Mississippi. She and her husband are not close to JEWEL LEE BURT and his family.

(23) W. G. WILSON - Unknown

(24) E. L. McDANIEL - Unknown

(25) JOE LEE HARDY - Unknown



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On April 11, 1967, a confidential source furnished the following information to SA WILLIAM E. DENT, JR., and SA JOSEPH G. PEGGS:

On April 10, 1967, a meeting was held of the Clayton Original Knights of the Ku Klux Klan (OKKKK) Unit at the regular meeting place between 7:30 PM and 9:30 PM. Attending this meeting were:

SCOTTIE WRIGHT, Exalted Cyclops

E.D. MORACE

HANK HOWINGTON

DERWOOD WILHITE

DERWOOD's brother, name unknown.

DERWOOD gave a report, indicating that a Klan group in Winnfield, Louisiana, had 85 to 90 members and growing steadily. He also indicated that a Kleagle was working in and around New Orleans attempting to re-organize the OKKKK group in that area. DERWOOD had propaganda pamphlets with him, which were entitled "How To Get People To Think". He also had some bumper stickers "Help Law Enforcement" and "Register to Vote".

The meeting was, for the most part, a bull session concerning politics and some discussion was



had of who all they were going to support in the next election for governor of Louisiana. DERWOOD indicated that the present Louisiana Governor, JOHN MC KINTHEN, was not doing right by the people.

During the course of the meeting, there was no discussion whatever concerning the bombing of the victim, WHARLEST JACKSON.

The murder trial which was currently going on in Natchez, Mississippi, was briefly discussed and all indicated they did not expect any conviction, since there were two Klan members on the jury. The identity of the Klan members was unknown.

RALEIGH JACKSON "RED" GLOVER was observed to visit E.D. MORACE at his place of employment on April 10, 1967. GLOVER was overheard telling MORACE that the "fat boy" on the Vidalia, Louisiana, police force had been tailing him, GLOVER.

GLOVER indicated that he did not trust SCARBOROUGH, JONES or TORGENSEN. GLOVER was heard to remark something to the effect that the above three had been GLOVER pull the trigger on a "nigger, but I havn't seen them." He was also heard to say something about the sheriff in



Woodville, Mississippi, having lost all of his guns. GLOVER also stated that "I had blown up a 'nigger' Masonic lodge around Brookhaven."

Relative to the Silver Dollar Group:

SCOTTIE WRIGHT

Exalted Cyclops of OKKKK, Clayton, Louisiana, Unit; is not a member of the Silver Dollar Group; is known by GLOVER, but they are not closely associated.

ELDON GLEN HESTER

Photograph of HESTER identified as being identical with the man previously referred to by him as "Scrapman" or "Junkman". HESTER definitely Silver Dollar member who had explosives and painting of JEFFERSON DAVIS at his house near Meadville, Mississippi.

DONALD HOLLAND

Source picked photograph of HOLLARD from group picture and identified him as being very similar in appearance to the man who owns the feed mill in Meadville. Source does not know where HOLLAND lives, as he met him only once at time of meeting at coffee shop. Source stated that at the time he



met HOLLAND he had just removed a cast from his arm or hand.

JAMES FREDERICK LEE

Identified photograph of LEE as definite member of Silver Dollar Group who was the host of a fish fry held at his home on June 26, 1965.

Source also identified the photograph of LEE's residence where fish fry was held.

BENNIE WALDRUP

Could not identify photograph of WALDRUP, but stated it looked vaguely familiar. He has not heard name associated with Silver Dollar Group.

JOE DANIEL HAWKINS

Could not identify photograph of HAWKINS; could not associate name with Silver Dollar Group.

WALTER GENE HALL

Could not identify photograph of HALL, but after being furnished name stated HALL is definitely member of the Silver Dollar Group. Furnished the following information regarding HALL:  
HALL worked in a shop that repaired boat motors, lawnmowers, etc. GLOVER had indicated a Silver



Dollar man had run off with a thousand rounds of ammunition belonging to GLOVER. Later, GLOVER asked if he knew anyone in Memphis, Tennessee. By tying the two conversations together, source indicated that he concluded that HALL is the Silver Dollar man who ran off to Tennessee.

W.G. WILSON

Stated WILSON is not a Klan member to the best of his knowledge and definitely is not a member of the Silver Dollar Group.

JAMES "BILL" BLANEY

Definitely member of the Silver Dollar Group. Formerly closely associated with RED GLOVER, but has lost interest in the group activity during the past six or eight months.

"BLUE" HOLLOWAY

Definitely Silver Dollar Group member; closely associated with SCOTTIE WRIGHT, Exalted Cyclops, OKKKK Clayton, Louisiana, Unit.

JOEL FREEMAN

Formerly Investigator for the Vidalia Unit of OKKKK. FREEMAN wanted to get sworn out of the



Klan sometime in 1966, but did not do so. He is no longer active. After leaving OKKKK, FREEMAN and about ten others attempted to start a splinter group called the "Shock Troopers". This group never got organized.

KENNETH NORMAN HEAD

Definitely member of the Silver Dollar Group, no longer attending Klan meetings.

JAMES L. "BIG MAC" MC KINNEY

This individual previously reported to have been with BRYAN DE LA BECKWITH in Vidalia, Louisiana. He is also an associate of GLOVER, but not known to be a Silver Dollar member.

PAUL TALBERT

Not known to be Silver Dollar Group member. Also formerly member of Clayton, Louisiana, Unit of OKKKK. Has not attended meetings since about Spring of 1966.

E.D. MORACE

Close associate of RED GLOVER, active member of Clayton Unit of OKKKK and definitely Silver Dollar Group member.



JAMES HORACE TAYLOR

Close associate of JAMES FREDERICK LEE and definitely Silver Dollar Group member. Resides near Harrisonburg, Louisiana. Also associates with RED GLOVER and BILL BLANEY.

THORE L. TORGERSEN

Member of Silver Dollar Group. During recent past there has been some indication that TORGERSEN is not trusted by GLOVER.

ERNEST PARKER

Definitely member of Silver Dollar Group.

TOMMIE LEE JONES

Member of the Silver Dollar Group. During recent past there has been indication that JONES is not trusted by GLOVER.

JAMES LEE SCARBOROUGH

Silver Dollar Group member. It has been reported in the recent past SCARBOROUGH not trusted by RED GLOVER.

Relative to the experiment with explosives in which a stump was blown up, this experiment took place in the hills near the residence of JAMES SONNY TAYLOR.



This experiment was conducted by JAMES LEE and SONNY TAYLOR. Did not know full details of this experiment, but the results had been very effective as the stump had been blown to pieces.

Regarding FRANK DE LAUGHTER:

Deputy Sheriff IKE COWAN and BILL OGDEN, Concordia Parish, found a stolen "Bush Hog" in possession of FRANK DE LAUGHTER on his place near Clayton, Louisiana. The District Attorney and Sheriff NOAH CROSS have been advised of the above. No action has been taken and most likely no action will be taken.



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Date April 24, 1967

JAMES LEE SCAROBOROUGH, contacted at his home located at 332 Iowa Street, readily acknowledged the identity of the interviewing Agent and stated that he understood his rights. However, he said he had no desire to sign any waiver of rights form and that he was willing to cooperate fully and furnish whatever information of interest he might have to the FBI.

SCAROBOROUGH related that he was not the individual who negotiated privately with ED FULLER, the head of the old Sligo Unit of the White Knights of the Ku Klux Klan of Mississippi (WKKKKOM) for a merger between that group and the Original Knights of the Ku Klux Klan (OKKKK) Unit at Ferriday and Clayton, Louisiana. He also related that the man named JAMES LEE SCAROBOROUGH who was the Exalted Cyclops of the OKKKK, Clayton-Ferriday Unit, was not him. To the best of his knowledge, SCAROBOROUGH said there was no other individual residing in the Clayton-Ferriday, Louisiana, area with the same name as his own. He said the JAMES LEE SCAROBOROUGH who was cited by the OKKKK and subsequently brought to trial by this unit for negotiating with the leader of the old Sligo Unit of the WKKKKOM was not him. He further denied that he was the JAMES LEE SCAROBOROUGH who was replaced on December 27, 1965, as the Exalted Cyclops of the OKKKK, Ferriday-Clayton Unit.

SCAROBOROUGH said that he is a friend of RALEIGH JACKSON GLOVER. He mentioned at this time, as he had done previously, that GLOVER requested him to perform some kind of welding job for him which he was unable to accomplish for GLOVER. SCAROBOROUGH added that he would not cast GLOVER in the role as being a violent man. He further

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revealed that it would be a surprise to him if it were shown that GLOVER committed any act of violence.

SCARBOROUGH said, therefore, it was impossible for him to point to any situation in which GLOVER participated that might be deemed as being violent in nature.

According to SCARBOROUGH, a merger of the United Klans of America (UKA) Group and the OKKKK located in the Clayton-Ferriday area of Louisiana, would give the two Klan groups unity and, therefore, greater strength. However, he said he heard that the OKKKK chose not to merge with the UKA because the former group disliked ROBERT SHELTON, Imperial Wizard of the UKA. Although he does not know for sure, SCARBOROUGH said he heard a rumor that there was some Klan activity at the present time in the Clayton-Ferriday area of Louisiana. He said he could not define exactly what kind of Klan activity existed there, nor did he choose to identify any of the individuals participating in this activity. However, he did offer information to the effect that a particular official of Concordia Parish was a very influential man in the Klan in the Clayton-Ferriday area. All that SCARBOROUGH would say about this individual was that he was a big man, well known to everybody in Concordia Parish. This same man was involved in the beating of an individual named DAVIS, whom SCARBOROUGH said was some kind of an "idiot", not too far in the distant past. This Concordia Parish official, whom SCARBOROUGH refused to name because of the jeopardy it might cause the members of his family, was supposed to have beaten this individual named DAVIS. SCARBOROUGH added that this episode later reached the courts and when it did it was found that DAVIS had disappeared. SCARBOROUGH went on to say that both this incident concerning DAVIS and the participating



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Concordia Parish officials are well known to the inhabitants of the Clayton-Terriday area, and it is generally held that this Concordia Parish official killed SMITH.



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Attention: Identification Division

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4/7/67

Re

JAMES LEE SCARBOROUGH, aka James Lee Scarborough

Furnish The Known Identification Record of the Following:

Name

FBI No.

Other No. US Navy 645 29 89

Aliases

4-18-67  
Jury 7131 # 2743161  
Jury Civil CCC Ringgold, La. CO in file

Sex

Race

Birth Date

Birthplace

Residence

Male

White

3/11/21

Haile, Louisiana

332 Iowa St.,  
Perriday, La.

Height

Weight

Build

Hair

Eyes

Complexion

Age

5' 11"

170

Medium

Brn.

Blue

46

Fingerprint Classification

Scars, marks and tattoos

Also Furnish:

- ☐ Photo  
☐ Fingerprints  
☐ Handwriting Specimens

Identification Division's Reply

4-24-67

- ☐ On basis of information furnished, unable to identify:

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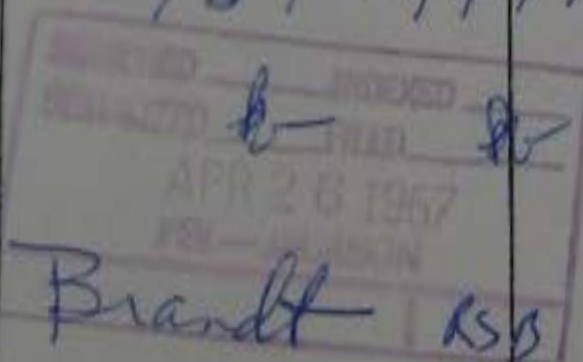
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SO, Salt Lake City, Utah	James Lee Scarborough #15456	4-25-41	trespassing	
State Highway Patrol, Montgomery, Ala.	James Lee Scarborough #S.F.C.	applicant for laborer 1-23-42		
U.S. Naval Recruiting Station, New Orleans, La.	James Lee Scarborough #V-6	applicant 10-7-42		

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Weight: 140

Hair:

Eyes:

Date and Place of Birth:

Scars & Marks: ANT: s<sub>1</sub>" lt leg; S<sub>1</sub>" rt leg; burn rt thigh;  
S<sub>1</sub>" rt wrist. POST: S<sub>1</sub>" lt index finger.

Address: (in 1942) 302 Center Street, Bastrop, Louisiana.

Occupation: Unknown

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CCC Ringgold La	James Lee Scarborough	FP for civil ident purposes prt rec 2-1-41		
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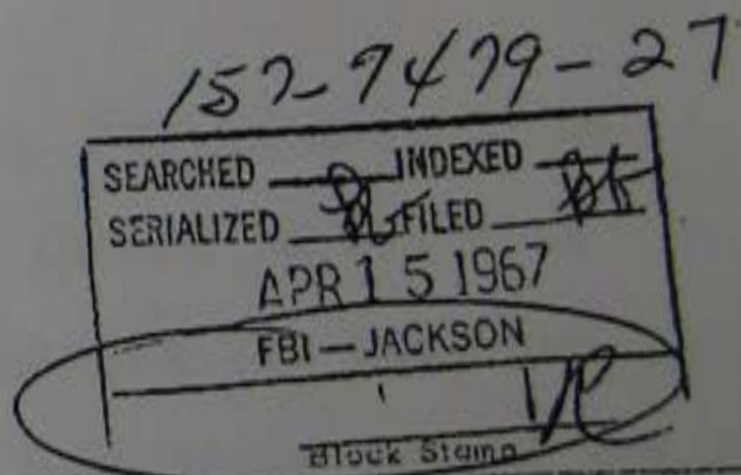
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R. J. "RED" GLOVER first approached "SONNY" TAYLOR about joining a new exclusive group of klansmen which GLOVER referred to as the Silver Dollar Group, about six months prior to the fish fry which was held on 6/26/65, at the residence of JAMES FREDERICK "RED" LEE. GLOVER approached TAYLOR at a regular meeting of the OKKKK in Ferriday, La., and stated that TAYLOR had been recommended by klan leaders as a klansman. GLOVER stated that he was checking out TAYLOR along with other prospective members of the group and would contact him later in this regard.

About two months later, GLOVER contacted TAYLOR, giving him a silver dollar and told him that he had been accepted as a member of the group. GLOVER stated that he had hand picked men for members of this group from La. and Miss.

"SONNY" TAYLOR stated that he considers E. D. MORACE of Ferriday, La., as a number two man under GLOVER in this organization and further believes that MORACE actually recruited the BLANEYS, BILL and GERALD.

For a period of time in 1965, E. D. MORACE and GLOVER had some differences and at one time MORACE turned in his klan equipment, sold his guns and said he was quitting the klan and the Silver Dollar Group. However, a short time later MORACE was



back active in the klan and the Silver Dollar Group and MORACE and GLOVER have been very close ever since that time.

GLOVER and ELDON "SCRAPMAN" HESTER have a reputation for breaking into Negro homes and stealing guns from these homes.

On one occasion in early 1966, GLOVER talked "SONNY" TAYLOR into accompanying him to the Woodville, Miss. area at which time GLOVER said they were going to steal some guns from a Negro's home in that area. When they arrived at the Negro's house it was observed that the Negro was at home and they did not attempt to steal guns at that time. GLOVER told TAYLOR that they would return when the Negro was not home; however, TAYLOR never went back to this location with GLOVER.

In connection with the fish fry held by the Silver Dollar Group on 6/26/65, at the home of JAMES FREDERICK LEE, there were approximately 17 to 20 men present and three of these brought their wives. SONNY TAYLOR brought his wife and another man, name unknown, who lives in the Wildsville, La. area. He, at that time, drove a Mercury automobile and lived across the road from the big store at the main boat landing on Horse Shoe Lake in a big house. This man brought his wife. The only other wife there was LEE's wife.

Several others present at this fish fry arrived early on the morning of 6/26/65, to prepare the food and began cooking



the fish for the others who were to arrive in the early afternoon. The three wives were busy in the kitchen of the house and several of the men were assisting them and were in and out of the house during the day. There were several in attendance who came early in the afternoon and several left early; however, the majority stayed until just before dark.

During the afternoon, GLOVER and ED MORACE were experimenting with some explosive ingredients stating they were trying to invent an explosive and were stirring a mixture on the table in the back yard. On at least one occasion, and possibly on two or three other occasions, they took the mixture out in the woods behind LEE's home and stated they had lit a fuse, but were unable to get an explosion or any reaction from this mixture. It was unknown who brought the explosive ingredients or fuse to the fish fry.

On viewing photographs on suspected members of the Silver Dollar Group, the following is information concerning photographs displayed:

L. C. MURRAY - positively identified and was at fish fry, and was believed to be driving black Mustang at the time and was later suspected by GLOVER as an FBI informer.

REGGIE P. CARTER - could not identify.

JOE DANIEL HAWKINS - could not identify.



JAMES K. GREER - could not identify.

ELDON GLEN "SCRAPMAN" HESTER - could not identify photograph shown, but is known as klansman.

JAMES F. SEALE - identified.

R. J. GLOVER - identified.

TOMMIE LEE JONES - identified.

JAMES FREDERICK "RED" LEE - identified.

ERNEST HENRY AVANTS - could not identify.

JACK SEALE - could not identify photograph, but is well known as klansman.

WOODROW "BLUE" HOLLOWAY - identified.

JAMES SCARBOROUGH - identified.

THOR L. TORGENSEN - could not identify.

O. C. POISSOT - could not identify.

BILL BLANEY - identified.

RAY HUDNALL - could not identify.

E. D. MORACE - identified.

ERNEST B. PARKER - could not identify.

There is no Silver Dollar Bar in Ferriday; however, the Bonanza Club near Ferriday may have been called the Silver Dollar Bar at the time E. D. MORACE operated the Bonanza Club.

DON STRINGER is not known to be a member of the Silver Dollar Group.



In connection with the arrest and alleged bailing out of TOMNIE JONES, who was arrested by Ferriday PD on 6/26/65, "SONNY" TAYLOR did not go to the Ferriday Jail after the fish fry. However, SCARBOROUGH, MORACE, GLOVER and several others who were at the fish fry had stated they were going to the Ferriday Jail to release JONES immediately after the fish fry and subsequently stated that LEE CALHOUN had put up the money for JONES' bail.

A rumor has circulated among several klan associates of R. J. GLOVER that he has a girl friend and from his wife's remarks and actions, it appears obvious that she knows about this girl friend inasmuch as she raises "hell" with GLOVER about his "running around". The identity of this girl friend is not known.



UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : INSPECTOR SULLIVAN

FROM : SA MICHAEL L. COLEMAN

SUBJECT: JAMES LEE SCARBOROUGH, aka.  
RM (KLAN)

DATE: 4/19/67

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SA MICHAEL L. COLEMAN

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JAMES LEE SCARBOROUGH  
RACIAL MATTERS (KLAN)

The following investigation was conducted by SA's  
MICHAEL L. COLEMAN and RICHARD S. BRANDT on 4/7/67:

CHARLES DE LAUGHTER, Radio Operator, Ferriday, La.,  
Police Department, advised after checking his files that he  
could locate no record for JAMES LEE SCARBOROUGH.

ETHEL DORE, Clerk, Office of the Sheriff of Concordia  
Parish, Ferriday, Louisiana, advised she could locate in her  
files no record for JAMES LEE SCARBOROUGH.

MARGARET KING, Manager, Concordia Credit Bureau,  
809 Lee Avenue, Ferriday, Louisiana, advised that her files  
reflect that JAMES LEE SCARBOROUGH resided at 332 Iowa  
Street, Ferriday, Louisiana. She added he has worked for  
the International Paper Company since 1945. He was born 3/11/21.  
She stated that SCARBOROUGH had a good credit rating.

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## Memorandum

TO: SAC, NEW ORLEANS (44-2044) (P) DATE: 4/5/67

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FROM: SA MICHAEL L. COLEMAN

SUBJECT: WHARBON

JAMES LEE SCARBOROUGH  
RACIAL MATTERS (KLAN)

The following investigation was conducted by SA's  
MICHAEL L. COLEMAN and RICHARD S. BRANDT on 4/7/67:

CHARLES DE LAUGHTER, Radio Operator, Ferriday, La.,  
Police Department, advised after checking his files that he  
could locate no record for JAMES LEE SCARBOROUGH.

ETHEL DORE, Clerk, Office of the Sheriff of Concordia  
Parish, Ferriday, Louisiana, advised she could locate in her  
files no record for JAMES LEE SCARBOROUGH.

MARGARET KING, Manager, Concordia Credit Bureau,  
809 Lee Avenue, Ferriday, Louisiana, advised that her files  
reflect that JAMES LEE SCARBOROUGH resided at 332 Iowa  
Street, Ferriday, Louisiana. She added he has worked for  
the International Paper Company since 1945. He was born 3/11/21.  
She stated that SCARBOROUGH had a good credit rating.

S. S. INFORMATION FURNISHED BY CI IN THIS MATTER HAS BEEN  
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BATCHELOR BA FOR INCLUSION IN THE JACKSON REPORT ON  
WHARBON.

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TO : SAC NEW ORLEANS FOIA(b) 7 - (D) (P) DATE: 4/5/67

FROM : SA JOHN D. BRADY

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SUBJECT: FOIA(b) 7 - (D)

Dates of Contact

3/21/67

Titles and File #s on which contacted

WHARBOM

44-3214

Purpose and results of contact

☐ NEGATIVE

☒ POSITIVE

☐ STATISTIC

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DUE TO THE SENSITIVE NATURE OF THE INFORMATION.

N. B. INFORMATION FURNISHED BY CI IN THIS MATTER HAS BEEN DIRECTLY FURNISHED TO INSPECTOR SULLIVAN AT THE NATCHEZ RA FOR INCLUSION IN THE JACKSON REPORT ON WHARBOM.

☒ Informant certified that he has furnished all information obtained by him since last contact.

Rating

Excellent

Coverage RM, General Criminal, Prostitution Gambling Matters

No personal weaknesses noted.

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CI advised that the person employed by the telephone company at Ferriday, Louisiana, who was probably involved in checking on FBI Agents at the Patricia Motel several months ago was O. C. HOUSE and not JOE WHEAT. Source stated that HOUSE is similar in appearance to WHEAT and is known to be secretly on the payroll of Sheriff NOAL CROSS of Concordia Parish, Louisiana. JOE WHEAT was a member of the Ferriday Unit of the OKKKK. HOUSE lives on the Doty Road in Ferriday, Louisiana.

Concerning packages taken across the river into Mississippi by the source, source related that he could not recall ever taking a package across into Mississippi other than the one he had previously mentioned, this being a bag of groceries that he and his wife took to Mrs. AVANTS. Source stated that he had been requested previously by JAMES SCAROBOROUGH of Ferriday, Louisiana, to take a package to JACK SEALE in Natchez; however, he did not do so when he found out the contents of the package was blasting caps.

Source stated that in viewing a picture of a group of individuals in Natchez, Mississippi, on September 18, 1965, the person in the photograph with the straw hat and glasses was known to him as R. B. SHARP of Deer Park, Louisiana. Source stated that SHARP is an elderly, well-to-do farmer, who is not known to have any Klan affiliation.

Source further referred to this same photograph and indicated that the person standing in the center with a blue plaid sports shirt was known to him as an individual who formerly worked in Natchez, Mississippi, for the Aetna Finance Company and who is now employed at the Armstrong Tire Plant. Source stated that he does not know the name of this person but knows he is a member of the Silver Dollar Group and was one of the unknown persons at the fish fry at



the home of JAMES LEE in Wildsville, Louisiana, in June of 1965.

Source further viewed four color photographs and stated that the three photographs of a light blue GMC pickup truck with a cattle rack on the bed and bearing Louisiana license 583-332, was the truck belonging to the junkman. Source stated that the junkman is known to him as ELTON HESTER from Meadville, Mississippi. Source stated that the photograph of the man walking toward this pickup truck appeared similar in height, weight, and appearance to HESTER; however, he could not make a positive identification from this particular photograph.

Source advised that it is his personal impression that the junkman acquired his name due to the fact he was a person in the Klan who possessed explosives. Source stated he has heard several persons refer to the junkman as also being the scrapman. Source stated that R. J. GLOVER told him that the names were just nicknames and GLOVER did not provide any further details.

Source also related that he has heard members of the Silver Dollar Group refer to the junkman, these being SONNY TAYLOR, JAMES LEE, RED GLOVER and BLUE HOLLOWAY.

Concerning the fishfry at the home of JAMES LEE in Wildsville, Louisiana, on June 26, 1965, source stated that JAMES and JACK SEALE were present at this fishfry. When source was questioned further about the fishfry and in reference to what ingredients were used to make black powder, source stated that SONNY TAYLOR and JAMES LEE left the fishfry at one point in the truck of TAYLOR and subsequently returned with a large stick of dynamite, two empty dummy hand grenades, and two rolls of fuse, one roll being dynamite fuse and the other was pink in color and similar in diameter to a cigarette. Source stated that the stick of dynamite was large, about two feet in length.



Source stated that JACK SEALE touched a match to the dynamite fuse and it slowly burned out, this being a section of about one foot cut from the roll. Later SEALE tried to put a match to the pink colored fuse and immediately TAYLOR told him that if he lit this fuse "We'd all be blown up."

Source stated that an attempt to make black powder was had by cutting up the dynamite, mixing the ingredients with charcoal, sulphur and borax. Source stated that this mixture was then placed in the dummy grenades with a dynamite fuse stuck in the end. This fuse was lit and the mixture did not explode. The ingredients of the black powder and the fuse were taken from the fishery by GLOVER and source has not seen these items since that time.

Source stated that RED GLOVER has a girl friend in Vidalia, Louisiana, who works with GLOVER at the Armstrong Tire Plant. This girl works as a panner at the plant and is known to be a widow. Source stated that the girl's name is unknown to him, however, he feels that GLOVER's wife knows about this girl friend as GLOVER has indicated to him that his wife has been receiving anonymous telephone calls about his association with this particular girl.

On Saturday, March 18, 1967, RED GLOVER came to the home of E. D. MORACE of Ferriday, Louisiana, at about 11:00 AM. GLOVER requested that MORACE ride with him to his recently purchased home in Kentwood, Louisiana, as he had to deliver a load of plywood and other lumber at this home. MORACE and GLOVER left in the green Ford pickup truck of GLOVER and proceeded to Natchez, Mississippi. GLOVER drove to the Highway 61 Bypass and stopped at the Barbecue Pit, a known hangout for Klansmen in the Natchez area. Here GLOVER and MORACE had lunch and GLOVER talked briefly with the operator of this Barbecue Pit, TINY, concerning the raffle of tires to provide money for the defense of the three Klansmen who are to go on trial shortly in Natchez, Mississippi.



GLOVER and MORACE left and proceeded toward Meadville, Mississippi. After traveling six or seven miles on the road to Meadville, GLOVER stopped briefly at a dairy located on the left-hand side of the road. MORACE questioned GLOVER about this stop and GLOVER told him that this was the dairy that the "nigger" worked at who had recently caused a white boy to lose his job. MORACE stated that he did not want to fool with any "nigger" at that time and GLOVER stated that he did not desire to do anything at that time either. GLOVER made no mention as to whether he wanted to do anything in the future about this individual at the dairy.

GLOVER proceeded down the road another two to three miles and stopped at the home of JAMES SEALE.

SEALE and GLOVER, along with MORACE, held a conversation about the current FBI investigation of the bombing at Natchez, Mississippi. GLOVER and SEALE discussed the questions that the FBI were asking and SEALE stated that the worse enemy of any person is his mouth. SEALE and GLOVER then briefly talked about politics and SEALE gave GLOVER and MORACE a campaign card bearing a photograph of JAMES F. SEALE, who is running for sheriff and tax collector of Franklin County, Mississippi.

SEALE and GLOVER further decided that GLOVER should contact each individual in the Silver Dollar Group and advise him to keep his mouth shut. In particular, GLOVER stated that these persons should talk to the FBI only on the first visit of the FBI and then only to tell them necessary personal data type information. Any succeeding visit by the FBI, these persons should tell the Agents that they do not desire to talk and if the Agents have anything on them they should arrest them or leave the premises.



GLOVER further stated that he was very upset over the fact that T. L. TORGERSEN had told him that he had advised the FBI about the fishfry at JAMES LEE's house in Wildsville, Louisiana, in June of 1965. JAMES SEALE stated that he feels that the FBI wants to know all of the names of those present at the fishfry and both he and GLOVER feel that the FBI could then charge these persons with a conspiracy due to the fact that the dynamite, hand grenades and black powder were at this fishfry.

GLOVER stated that TORGERSEN and TOMMIE JONES were real close friends and that he was upset and disturbed at both of them, giving the impression that either one might have talked too much to the FBI. GLOVER stated that since TORGERSEN has told the FBI about the fishfry, it would now not be necessary for the FBI to produce their informant. GLOVER stated that this is why we should not tell the FBI anything from now on. GLOVER further suggested that the Silver Dollar Group should meet in groups of two or three at the most and should be very careful in whom they confided any pertinent information. GLOVER was definitely very mad at TORGERSEN and JONES and suggested that he would tell these two that they had better not speak any more about the fishfry and in particular had better not get any other persons involved with the FBI. GLOVER stated that he would tell these two that if they wanted to hang themselves it was okay with him but they better not involve anyone else. SEALE and GLOVER discussed no particular action taken by the Silver Dollar Group in the past, nor was there any mention of any activity planned for the future.

GLOVER and MORACE then proceeded to Kentwood, Louisiana, to drop off the lumber supplies at the home of GLOVER. This house is located on the main highway and has no other homes in the immediate area other than a house on the opposite side of the road about 400 to 500 yards away. Source stated this house is a rather typical farm house and GLOVER indicated he had recently acquired this home. After unloading the lumber, GLOVER proceeded back toward Natchez, Mississippi.



On the way MORACE inquired as to whether they should stop by at Meadville, Mississippi, and drink coffee with the scrapman. GLOVER thought this was a good idea and stopped at the home of the scrapman and a young son of the scrapman told GLOVER that his father was not home and indicated he may be visiting at the hospital in Meadville. GLOVER and MORACE proceeded to the hospital and when they could not find the truck of the junkman, GLOVER stated that probably he had not returned from work and, thus, they proceeded back toward Ferriday, Louisiana.

MORACE asked GLOVER if the junkman still had the explosives in his home. GLOVER merely stated that all had been taken care of and indicated that these explosives were not now in the home of the junkman; however, he offered no suggestion as to their present whereabouts.

Source also related that when JAMES SEALE and RED GLOVER were talking previously SEALE wanted GLOVER to make contact with LEEANDER PEREZ of Plaquemine Parish, Louisiana, concerning PEREZ making some bumper stickers captioned "Perez for Governor". GLOVER indicated that he would think about this but did not state he would definitely contact PEREZ.

Source advised that all the members of the Silver Dollar Group feel that RED GLOVER is the leader and inspirational force of this group. Even the Mississippi members have this same feeling, however, at one time JACK SEALE was thought to be the next in command under GLOVER. Source now has the impression that JAMES SEALE currently holds the next in command position. Source further stated that he had personally seen RED GLOVER give silver dollars to BUCK HORTON of Vidalia, Louisiana; E. D. MORACE of Ferriday, Louisiana; SONNY TAYLOR of Harrisonburg, Louisiana; and JAMES LEE of Wildsville, Louisiana.

Source stated that GLOVER and MORACE returned to Ferriday, Louisiana, at about 7:00 PM on March 18, 1967,



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GLOVER stating that he would be in touch with MORACE in the immediate future.



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Harrisonburg, Louisiana  
March 20, 1967

Source advised that BILL BLANEY, a member of the OKKKK from Ferriday, Louisiana, has been associating with JAMES HORACE TAYLOR, JR., of Harrisonburg, Louisiana. TAYLOR is also a member of the OKKKK and BLANEY was last seen in Harrisonburg on Thursday, 3/16/67. BLANEY drives a 1966 red Chevrolet Super Sports and is known to have left his wife, who resides in New Orleans, Louisiana. Source stated that BLANEY possesses a silver dollar, claims to be a Silver Dollar Group member, and is now residing on the Doty Road outside of Ferriday, Louisiana.

Source advised that the fish fry that was held at the home of JAMES LEE in Wildsville, Louisiana, about one and one-half years ago was attended by approximately twenty persons. Source stated that at this fish fry was one individual from Mississippi who was reported to be an informant for either the FBI or other law enforcement agencies. Source advised that this person was unknown to him; however, he was at the courthouse in Adams County, Mississippi, about two years ago on the day that JAMES SEALE was arrested in Natchez, Mississippi, for taking a photograph of a



local police official. Source stated that this person is a heavy set man and drives a black Mustang and reportedly is well known by persons in and around the Adams County Courthouse.

Source related that TOMMIE JONES of Natchez, Mississippi, was arrested on the way to this fish fry and the following persons were known to be at this fish fry:

SONNY TAYLOR of Harrisonburg, Louisiana

E. D. MORACE

JAMES SCARBOROUGH

BLUE HOLLOWAY, all of Ferriday, Louisiana

JAMES and JACK SEALE from Mississippi, and who also had three other individuals with them unknown to the source, one being the person previously referred to as owning the black Mustang.

JAMES LEE was at the fish fry, as was SCOTTIE WRIGHT of Clayton, Louisiana, and source stated that there was one other man whose identity is unknown to him, but who comes from the area of Horseshoe Lake, Louisiana, and drives a Mercury automobile and is known as a person who has a rather large farm.



Source stated that JAMES LEE invited most of the guests to this particular fish fry and it was understood by all those in attendance that everyone in attendance was a member of the Silver Dollar Group. Source stated that the wives of these members attended the fish fry and approximately two or three months before this fish fry it is known that R. J. GLOVER gave SONNY TAYLOR of Harrisonburg, Louisiana, a silver dollar. GLOVER came to the home of TAYLOR, asked him for a regular dollar, and in exchange gave him a silver dollar dated 1886 with a small hole in the top of this silver dollar. At the time GLOVER was in his old pickup truck and an unknown individual was in the truck with him.

Source stated that the OKKKK Unit at Harrisonburg, Louisiana, has not been active for over a year and at the time they were active they met infrequently on various hilltops in the vicinity of Harrisonburg. SONNY TAYLOR was the Night Hawk of this unit and GERALD CRAWFORD was the Exalted Cyclops, both from Harrisonburg. At this time E. D. MORACE of Ferriday was the Province Klan Bureau of Investigation (KBI) man, and J. M. BLANEY of Harrisonburg, Louisiana, was the Unit KBI man. EARL WALKER from Sicily Island, Louisiana, was at one time also a Night Hawk of the Harrisonburg Unit of the OKKKK.



Source also stated that during the time that the Harrisonburg Unit was active, it was associated with the State OKKKK officials at Winnsboro, Louisiana, MURRAY MARTIN being the Grand Dragon and JAMES LEVI MAHONEY was the State KBI man.

Source stated that he does not know of NORMAN HEAD or BUCK HORTON of Vidalia, Louisiana; however, he may know these men by sight. Source stated that he knows J. B. TEMPLE of Vidalia, Louisiana, and as a local auto parts dealer, but he is sure that TEMPLE is not a member of the Silver Dollar Group. He was last known to be a Kleagle for the UKA at Vidalia.

Source stated that he knows of an individual who is a close associate of R. J. "RED" GLOVER. This man is only known to him by the name "SCRAPMAN" and he did live on a farm between Archibald and Baskin, Louisiana. Source stated it is his understanding that the SCRAPMAN obtained his name by the fact that his first employment at the Armstrong Tire Plant in Natchez, Mississippi, was picking up scraps around the plant. Source described this individual as being in his forties, 5'-11", brown hair and a lean build. Source stated that GLOVER advised him that the SCRAPMAN is a member of the Silver Dollar Group and



that he became a member when he returned to his employment at the Armstrong Tire Plant, after leaving the farm in Louisiana. Source stated that the SCRAPMAN in his previous employment at Armstrong worked on the same shift as GLOVER and that GLOVER and the SCRAPMAN used to travel together during this time in their off hours. Source advised that the SCRAPMAN now works days and he understood that the SCRAPMAN was given this farm in Louisiana by an uncle; however, he did not remain on the farm and now lives in Mississippi.

Source stated that approximately two weeks prior to the bombing on February 27, 1967, at Natchez, Mississippi, RED GLOVER came to his house and asked him about making a trip. GLOVER advised that he knew a man in seismographic work and that this person could show GLOVER how to get hold of some seismographic explosives. GLOVER wanted the source to go with him to get these explosives, however, source declined to make the trip. Source stated that after he heard about the explosion in Natchez he began to think about this visit of GLOVER and about the statements concerning explosives; however, GLOVER did not indicate exactly where these explosives were located.



Source stated that he had relatives by the name of FORD from Ainswell, Louisiana. He stated that there are four boys in this family who are his stepcousins, and two of these persons used to be members of the Harrisonburg Unit of the OKKKK. CHARLES ELMO FORD and DOYLE RAY FORD were these individuals and CHARLES is now employed in construction work in Texas, and DOYLE works for the International Paper Company at Natchez. Source stated JOHN WILLIAM FORD is not known to be in the Klan and the other stepcousin, KEITH, is not known to be in the Klan and is employed as a deputy for Catahoula Parish, Louisiana.

Source related that sometime in the past week, that being the week of March 13-17, 1967, BILL BLANEY advised the source that he had burned the Two Mile Inn north of Sicily Island about one year ago. At the time source and BLANEY were alone in BLANEY's automobile and BLANEY was drinking rather heavily. BLANEY only mentioned that he had burned the inn and in so doing, was shot at by unknown persons. BLANEY further related that the car involved in this job had bullet holes in it and hinted that other persons



were in the car; however, he gave no further details. Source stated that he knew that the District Attorney from Catahoula Parish had considered BLANEY as a prime suspect in this incident.

Source stated that BLANEY further made the remark to him concerning RED GLOVER, that if he caught anyone turning RED in he would kill him. Source stated that BLANEY did not explain this statement and source is of the impression that BLANEY might have been trying to warn him. BLANEY is known to carry a .38 revolver, nickel-plated, with a four and one-half inch barrel on the front seat of his automobile, this revolver being in a holster.

Source further stated that RED GLOVER is known to possess an automatic carbine with a banana clip. Source stated that this carbine has been modified to fire fully automatic and the fire selector switch has been cut off by GLOVER, but he has to use a knife blade to slip the switch to the automatic position. Source stated GLOVER has had this weapon for approximately four to five months and he keeps the weapon at times in his home, but frequently keeps it behind the front seat of his pickup truck.



## FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date 3/16/67

JAMES LEE SCAROBOROUGH, 332 Iowa Street, Ferriday, acknowledged the identity of the interviewing Agent and volunteered that he was completely aware of his rights, but refused to sign a Waiver of Rights form.

SCAROBOROUGH re-emphasized that he did not participate in, nor has he had any prior knowledge of the bombing of WHARLEST JACKSON's truck in Natchez, Mississippi, on February 27, 1967. He stated that on that date he worked from 7:00 a.m. until 3:30 p.m. at International Paper Company in Natchez. He stated at 3:30 p.m., he returned to his home in Ferriday, Louisiana. He stated that on that day he rode with JAMES BASS, Iowa Street, Ferriday, Louisiana; JESSE RUCKER, Lake St. John, Louisiana, and DAVY EDWARDS, Texas Avenue, Ferriday. SCAROBOROUGH advised he arrived home at approximately 4:30 p.m., and that he remained there until approximately 8:30 p.m., that evening.

SCAROBOROUGH continued to deny any membership at the present time in any klan group and reiterated that he was not a member of an had no knowledge of a group called the Silver Dollar Group.

SCAROBOROUGH advised he has no idea whatsoever who might be responsible for the bombing of WHARLEST JACKSON's truck on February 27, 1967, in Natchez, Mississippi.

On 3/14/67 at Ferriday, Louisiana

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by SA FRANK B. WATTS/raj

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## FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date March 8, 1967

JAMES LEE SCAROBOROUGH, upon being recontacted, acknowledged the identities of the interviewing agents, stated he understood his rights, but refused to sign a waiver of rights form. He did state, however, that he had no objection whatsoever to talking with the interviewing agents and furnished the following information:

SCAROBOROUGH reiterated that he has never been a member of a group called the "Silver Dollar Group" and that he has never heard any of his friends mention a group by this name. He stated that he does not recall ever hearing any of his friends mention a group by this name. He stated that he does not recall ever hearing any of his friends mention the name of WHARLEST JACKSON but does recall several conversations concerning GEORGE METCALFE. He stated, however, that there was no mention of any planned violence concerning METCALFE mentioned in his presence and that he is sure no acts of violence have been discussed in his presence by any of his friends.

SCAROBOROUGH was questioned again concerning his past Klan activity and advised that he did not desire to furnish details nor name individuals at this time. He did state that several years ago he joined the Original Knights of the Ku Klux Klan in Ferriday, Louisiana, and shortly thereafter got out of this group. He stated that he got out of this unit because the United Klans of America had become more active in the Ferriday, Louisiana, area. He stated he then became active in the United Klans of America, Inc., in Ferriday, Louisiana, and remained active until April or May of 1966. He advised that in April or May of 1966 because of "personal reasons" he quit paying dues and discontinued his activity in the United Klans of America completely. He advised that since that time he

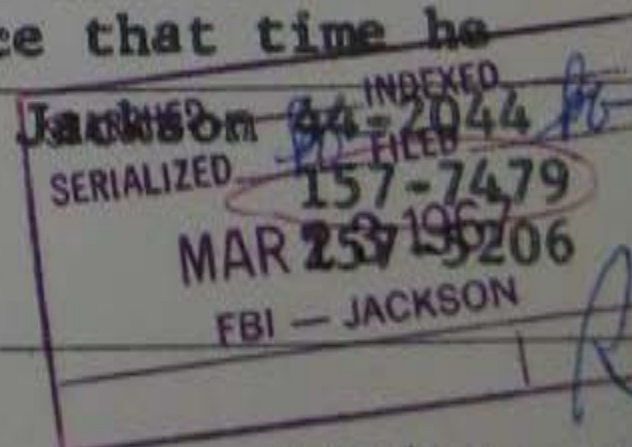
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has had no Klan activity whatsoever and after leaving the United Klans of America he joined no other Klan group.

SCARBOROUGH advised that he did not desire to discuss his Klan activity further with the exception of stating that during all his Klan activity he does not recall ever discussing or hearing discussed the plans for acts of violence.



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JAMES LEE SCAROBOROUGH, 332 Iowa Street, was advised of the identities of the interviewing agents and at the outset of the interview a waiver of rights form was read to him at which time he volunteered that he understood his rights but refused to sign a waiver of rights form.

SCAROBOROUGH advised that he has no present Klan activity. He stated that the only organizations that he belongs to at the present time is the Masonic Lodge and National Rifleman's Association, both at Ferriday, Louisiana.

SCAROBOROUGH, when questioned concerning his past Klan activity, advised that he would not deny that he was formerly associated with a Klan group in Ferriday, Louisiana, and that he would not deny the fact that he was a past officer of this Klan unit. He stated, however, that he took an oath in this Klan organization and did not at this time desire to break this oath and tell of the activities concerning this Klan group nor name names. He did state, however, that in connection with his past Klan activity he knows of no violent acts planned or carried out by this Klan organization. He stated that approximately three or four months ago he discontinued his Klan affiliation because of the fact that all acts of violence taking place throughout the south were being planned on the Klan and he, therefore, did not desire to have a finger pointed at him in connection with any act of violence. He stated that he does not condone violence and that any knowledge he had concerning an act of violence he would immediately report it unless the victim of this act of violence was a "communist." He advised that he believes that the people are going to have to take matters in their own hands concerning communists in view of the fact that the U. S. Congress has not passed adequate laws to cope with these communists.

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SCARBOROUGH advised that he knew nothing whatsoever concerning the bombing of WHARLEST JACKSON's truck and stated that he had never heard of JACKSON until this act was committed. He stated that he had never heard WHARLEST JACKSON's name mentioned in any group. He advised that he did know of GEORGE METCALFE, who was a National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) worker, and employee of Armstrong Tire and Rubber Company in Natchez, but that he has never heard any discussion concerning any act of violence concerning METCALFE.

SCARBOROUGH advised that even though he may not agree with what the NAACP is doing he would not condone harming anyone with maybe the exception of STOKELY CARMICHAEL, who is a leader of the Student Non-Violent Coordinating Committee (SNCC). SCARBOROUGH stated that he is of the opinion that CARMICHAEL is a communist.

SCARBOROUGH was questioned concerning his knowledge of R. J. GLOVER, JAMES "RED" LEE, TOMMY JONES, "TOG" TORGERSON and ERNEST PARKER. He advised that he knew all these individuals but knew them only on a social basis and has never been associated with them in any organization. He advised that he has no knowledge whatsoever indicating that any of these individuals are Klan members and that he has never heard them discuss in his presence any acts of violence.

SCARBOROUGH advised that he has never had any knowledge of a group known as the Silver Dollar Group. He stated he does recall being questioned about a year ago by FBI Agents concerning this group. He stated that he is not associated with any group known as the "Silver Dollar Group" and stated again that the only affiliations he has with any organization is the Masonic Lodge and National Rifleman's Association.

He advised that he has not associated nor even seen any of the above individuals in the recent past with the exception of R. J. GLOVER. SCARBOROUGH stated that approximately two or three weeks ago GLOVER came to his



home in Ferriday, Louisiana, and wanted SCARBOROUGH to do some repairs to his (GLOVER's) truck. SCARBOROUGH advised that he recalls the nature of this repair was that of installing new shock absorbers on the body of GLOVER's truck. SCARBOROUGH stated that GLOVER wanted these shock absorbers welded on his truck and since he, SCARBOROUGH, was a welder, GLOVER wanted him to do the job. SCARBOROUGH stated he told GLOVER that he would do this job for him and to bring his truck by his residence any week end. SCARBOROUGH stated, however, that GLOVER has not been back for this repair and that he has not seen GLOVER since this time.

SCARBOROUGH advised that he understood what conspiracy meant and that a person merely having knowledge of a crime could be prosecuted in addition to those actually participating in a crime. He reiterated, however, at this point that he had never heard any individual in any gathering discussing the bombing of anyone or anything. He stated that he, himself, was deathly afraid of explosives in view of the fact that he blew off his fingernails when as a child shooting firecrackers. He stated since that time he has had no dealings whatsoever with any form of explosives.

When questioned as to why he got out of the Klan organization, SCARBOROUGH stated that as stated before he did not want a finger pointed at him as being responsible for any acts of violence and further that he did not want to get involved in any act of violence because of his devotion to his family. He stated that he has a daughter presently in Louisiana Technical College and two sons in high school at Ferriday, Louisiana, and that he would never do anything which would jeopardize their future. SCARBOROUGH stated that it was because of these reasons that he could not or would not ever become involved in any act of violence.

The following physical description of SCARBOROUGH was obtained in the course of this interview:



Name:	JAMES LEE SCAROBOROUGH
Alias:	JIMMY
Sex:	Male
Race:	White
Residence:	3321 Iowa, Ferriday, Louisiana
Length of Residence:	12 years
Telephone Number:	757-3476
Date of Birth:	March 11, 1921
Place of Birth:	Haile, Louisiana
Height:	5' 11"
Weight:	170 pounds
Build:	Medium
Hair:	Brown
Eyes:	Blue
Complexion:	Ruddy
Scars and Marks:	2" cut scar, right wrist
Physical defects:	Chronic ulcer
Occupation:	Welder, International Paper Company, Natchez, Mississippi (25 years)
Education:	8th grade
Union:	Parrish, Louisiana
Military Service:	1942 - 1945, U. S. Navy, Serial Number 6452989
Arrest Record:	None claimed
Marital Status:	Married
Wife:	DOROTHY WATKINS
Daughter:	CAROLINE, age 18
Sons:	STEVE, age 15 GLEN, age 9
Vehicles:	1966 Dodge, copper colored, current license 1967 Louisiana 11L221; 1957 GMC black pickup truck, license unrecalled



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Date March 5, 1967

Review of time records, International Paper Company, as made available through JOHN WILSON, Chief Accountant, reflects the following information concerning JAMES L. SCAROBOROUGH, Identification Number 5498:

These records reflect SCAROBOROUGH was laid off during the month of December, 1966, and that the first week in January, 1967, he received one week's vacation which he had requested on October 25, 1966.

During the week of February 20 - 24, 1967, he worked eight hours each day commencing at 7:00 a.m. and leaving the plant at 3:30 p.m. He did not work on Saturday and Sunday, February 25 and 26, 1967, and on February 27, 1967, he worked eight hours commencing at 7:00 a.m. and leaving the plant at 3:30 p.m.

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CLARENCE WOODHAM, Personnel Foreman, Personnel Department, International Paper Company, advised that even though he knows of no specific activity in regard to Klan affairs pertaining to JAMES LEE SCAROBOROUGH at International Paper Company, he has heard from an unrecalled source or unrecalled individuals that SCAROBOROUGH was a member of some Klan type organization. He advised that he has not received any official complaint from SCAROBOROUGH's fellow employees reflecting any Klan activity on the part of SCAROBOROUGH on the company grounds.

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HARRY HILL, Personnel Department, International Paper Company, advised that he has heard of no derogatory information coming from other employees concerning JAMES LEE SCARBOROUGH. He advised that to the best of his knowledge SCARBOROUGH has had no Klan activity at the International Paper Company.

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Re Jackson teletype to New Orleans, 3/1/67.

In regard to re teletype, each of the following are enclosed for information of Jackson re captioned matter as a review of New Orleans files does not reflect that Jackson has such information.

RE: R. J. GLOVER, NO 157-3489

- 1) FD-209 dated 12/30/66 from
- 2) FD 299 dated 2/17/67 from

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RE: KENNETH NORMAN HEAD, aka, Norman Head  
NO 157-3611

- 1) New Orleans reports of SA DONALD J. MC GORTY dated 6/17/65.
- 2-4) New Orleans reports of SA DONALD J. MC GORTY dated 9/8/65, 10/27/65 and 4/29/66.

- ③ - Jackson (RM) (Enc. 12)  
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RE: JAMES LEE SCARBROUGH, aka, J. L. Scarbrough,  
Jimmy Scarbrough, NO 157-3788

- 1-3) New Orleans reports of SA DONALD J. MC GORTY dated 9/9/65, 10/28/65 and 4/11/66
- 4) New Orleans report of SA ALOYSIUS J. MC FALL dated 10/10/66.
- 5) Memo of SA JOHN A. PFEIFER to SAC, New Orleans, 11/25/66.
- 6) FD-209 of FOIA(b) 7 - (D) dated 12/6/66.

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## Memorandum

TO : SAC NEW ORLEANS FOIA(b)7 - (D)

FROM : SA JOHN A. PFEIFER

SUBJECT: FOIA(b)7 - (D)

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## Dates of Contact

11/21/66

## Titles and File #s on which contacted

JAMES LEE SCARBOROUGH, RM (KLAN)	157-3788
SCOTTY WRIGHT, RM (KLAN)	157-3789
LEROY HARRISON PRUNTY, RM (KLAN)	157-4822
SHOOTING OF GARRIE LEE WASHINGTON	44-3128
NORMAN BEAD; RUCK HORTON; R. J. GLOVER;	
JAMES LEE SCARBOROUGH, NFA, ACQUISITION	
OF WEAPONS BY KLAN	157-2980

## Purpose and results of contact

☐ NEGATIVE  
☒ POSITIVE  
☒ STATISTIC

157-3788

Source advises subject still lives on Iowa Street, Ferriday, La., and is employed at the International Paper Co., in Natchez, Miss. He still is active member of Ferriday-Clayton Unit of the OKKKK and is adamant in his refusal to talk to any agent of the FBI and keeps several German Shepherd dogs penned in his fenced-in front yard to keep out unwanted persons. Subject drives a 1951-52 black GMC pick-up truck and his wife drives a 1966 tan Dodge sedan, both bearing unknown La. license plates.

157-3789

Source advised subject still lives at Route 1, Clayton, La., and is employed at International Paper Co. in Natchez,

☒ Informant certified that he has furnished all information obtained by him since last contact.

Rating

Excellent

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SAC, NEW ORLEANS (157-3788)

11/25/66

SA JOHN A. PFEIFER

JAMES LEE SCARBOROUGH  
RM (KLAN)

The following investigation conducted by Agent  
this date at Ferriday, Louisiana:

Agent attempted to interview subject at his  
home and by pretext determined from neighbor that  
subject still resides on Iowa Street in Ferriday  
(last house on the left heading toward town) and is  
employed at International Paper Company, Natchez, Miss.

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furnished the information that subject lives on  
Iowa Street, Ferriday, with his family, and still  
is an active member of the Ferriday-Clayton Unit of  
the OKKKK. He advised subject drives a black 1951-52  
GMC pick-up truck and his wife drives a 1966 tan  
Dodge sedan, both bearing unknown Louisiana license  
plates. He advised subject is adamant in his refusal  
to talk to the FBI and keeps several German Shepards  
penned in his fenced front yard to keep out unwanted persons.

RECOMMENDATION

In view of subject's continued klan activity  
and resistance to interview by Agents; case should  
remain pending inactive.

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		CHARACTER OF CASE  <b>RM (KLAN)</b>	

SYNOPSIS:

## NON-PROSECUTIVE SUPPLEMENTAL SUMMARY REPORT

### REFERENCE:

Report of SA DONALD J. MC GORTY at New Orleans dated 4/11/66.

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### INFORMANTS:

#### IDENTITY OF SOURCE

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The investigative period of this report reflects only the date on which a file review was made prior to the assembling of the report and does not reflect the dates of actual investigation.

This matter is being placed in a pending inactive status for a period of six months, at which time it will be reopened and the subject's klan activities reported.

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Report of:  
Date:SA ALOYSIUS J. MC FALL  
OCTOBER 10, 1966

Office: NEW ORLEANS

Field Office File No.:

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Title:

JAMES LEE SCARBOROUGH

Character:

RACIAL MATTERS (KLAN)

Synopsis:

SCARBOROUGH continues to be active in Klan affairs at Concordia Parish, Louisiana. Subject resides at 332 Iowa Street, Ferriday, La., and is still employed at the International Paper Co., Natchez, Mississippi.

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DETAILS:I. BACKGROUNDA. RESIDENCE

Subject resides at 332 Iowa Street, Ferriday, Louisiana.

B. EMPLOYMENT

Subject is employed as a welder for the International Paper Company, Natchez, Mississippi.

C. AUTOMOBILE DATA

Subject has two vehicles as follows:

1. 1965 tan Dodge, bearing 1966-1967 Louisiana license # 11 F 221.
2. 1957 black GMC pickup truck. No license tag displayed.



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II. CONNECTION WITH KLAN OR OTHER HATE-TYPE ORGANIZATIONS

On April 18, 1966, NO T-1 advised that JIMMY SCARBOROUGH stated that HANK HOWINGTON had a package to deliver to JACK SEALS in Mississippi. SCARBOROUGH indicated that the package to be delivered was actually two dynamite caps. SCARBOROUGH stated, "The Burger Chef won't burn."

On the same date, NO T-1 advised that on April 18, 1966, at the Province Meeting, SCARBOROUGH indicated that the package was still in his possession.

NO T-1 also advised that a Province meeting was held by Province 5 of the Original Knights of the Ku Klux Klan (OKKKK) on April 16, 1966. The meeting took the form of a social gathering rather than a business meeting. JIMMY SCARBOROUGH was recognized in attendance at this meeting.

On August 15, 1966, NO T-1 advised that the Original Knights of the Ku Klux Klan (OKKKK) Unit is still not meeting. JIMMY SCARBOROUGH has been talking about having meetings again; however, no definite plans have been made.

NO T-1 also advised that SCARBOROUGH has been in contact with ED MORACE and has discussed what should be done about Negro pickets. SCARBOROUGH was advised by MORACE that nothing should be done, so long as the Negroes just picket and do not go onto private property or molest any white people.

On April 29, 1966, NO T-2 advised that there was a regularly scheduled meeting of Province 5, of the OKKKK held at Ferriday, Louisiana, in a building furnished by the Ferriday-Clayton Unit of the OKKKK. Recognized in attendance at this meeting was JIMMY SCARBOROUGH who represented the Ferriday-Clayton Unit of the OKKKK.



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NO T-2 advised that it was announced at this meeting that the next meeting of Province 5 of the OKKKK would be held on May 21, 1966, at the Wisner Unit Klavern located in Gilbert, Louisiana.

On August 26, 1966, NO T-2 advised that on August 20, 1966, there was held a regular monthly meeting of Province 5 of the OKKKK. This meeting was held at the Klavern of the Wisner Unit of the OKKKK and is located to the east of Gilbert, Louisiana.

NO T-2 advised that there were only seven members present at this meeting, one of whom was JAMES L. SCARBOROUGH of the Ferriday-Clayton Unit of the OKKKK. During the course of the meeting, SCARBOROUGH indicated that the citizens of Concordia Parish have started to build the private school in Ferriday, Louisiana, and that they are receiving a great deal of cooperation from all persons. SCARBOROUGH stated that one Mr. GUTHRIE is the President of the private school association.

On September 9, 1966, NO T-2 advised that on August 29, 1966, a meeting of the Ferriday-Clayton Unit of the OKKKK was held at the Klavern building. However, due to the fact that there were not enough members present, no official meeting was held. JAMES SCARBOROUGH stated that the Negroes in Ferriday, Louisiana, were causing lots of trouble and that the Klan was not going to do much about it as the people of the town have been against the Klan.

A characterization of the OKKKK is attached in the appendix section of this report.



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

A source advised on October 25, 1963, that an organization known as the Original Knights of the Ku Klux Klan (OKKKK) had been organized in the State of Louisiana at Shreveport, Louisiana, in December of 1960.

A second source advised on August 12, 1966, that the OKKKK continues to be active within the State of Louisiana, and that the aims and purposes of this organization continue to be to promote Americanism, the supremacy of the white race, and the furtherance of segregation between the races.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
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New Orleans, Louisiana  
October 10, 1966

Please Refer to

Title

JAMES LEE SCARBOROUGH

Character

RACIAL MATTERS (KLAN)

Reference

Report of SA ALOYSIUS  
J. MC FALL at New  
Orleans dated and  
captioned as above.

All sources (except any listed below) whose identities are concealed in referenced communication have furnished reliable information in the past.



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Date: APRIL 11, 1966  
Office: NEW ORLEANS

Field Office File #: NO 157-3788  
Bureau File #: 157-3975

Title: JAMES LEE SCARBOROUGH

Character: RACIAL MATTERS (KLAN)

Synopsis: Subject continues to be active in Klan activities in Concordia Parish, Louisiana. He resides in Ferriday, Louisiana, and still works at the International Paper Company in Natchez, Mississippi.

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DETAILS:

I. BACKGROUND

A. RESIDENCE

Subject resides at 332 Iowa Street in Ferriday, Louisiana.

B. EMPLOYMENT

Subject is employed as a welder for the International Paper Company, Natchez, Mississippi.



C. AUTOMOBILE DATA

The subject owns a 1965 tan four-door Dodge, bearing 1966-67 Louisiana License 11F221. Subject also owns a 1957 GMC black pick-up truck, which has no license displayed.

II. CURRENT POSITION AND ACTIVITIES IN ORGANIZATION

On October 22, 1965, NO T-1 advised that J. SCARBOROUGH, Exalted Cyclops of the Ferriday - Clayton Unit of the Original Knights of the Ku Klux Klan (OKKKK), announced that the Association of the Preservation of the White Race was to hold a rally in Ferriday, Louisiana, on November 6, 1965, and that members of the Ferriday - Clayton Unit of the OKKKK are selling chances at \$1.00 each for a pony which is to be given away at this rally. SCARBOROUGH stated that this rally was to be held at 5:30 PM and that there would be three speakers. One of the speakers would be Judge JOHN J. RARICK of St. Francisville, Louisiana.

On October 19, 1965, NO T-2 advised that JIMMY SCARBOROUGH was present at a meeting of the Ferriday - Clayton Unit of the OKKKK, which was held on October 18, 1965, at the Klavern Hall located north of Clayton, Louisiana. NO T-2 further advised that JIMMY SCARBOROUGH was present at the weekly meeting of the Ferriday - Clayton Unit of the OKKKK held on October 11, 1965. At this meeting there was a talk about a private school in Concordia Parish and a committee composed of, among others, JIMMY SCARBOROUGH, who was to handle the raising of the funds for this private school.

On October 19, 1965, NO T-2 advised that at a district meeting held on October 16, 1965, of the OKKKK, JIMMY SCARBOROUGH talked about the re-activation of the Old Sligo Unit, which was a Klan unit in Adams County, Mississippi. It was believed that this unit would join the OKKKK.

On November 29, 1965, NO T-1 advised that at a Provincial meeting of the OKKKK, held near Wisner, Louisiana, on November 20, 1965, JIMMY SCARBOROUGH, the Exalted Cyclops of the Ferriday Clayton Unit of the OKKKK, stated that there had been quite a bit of trouble in Ferriday recently in regards to the Negro movement; however, the Klan had been doing a good job in keeping things under control in the area.



On November 9, 1965, NO T-2 advised that E. D. MORACE brought charges against JIMMY SCARBOROUGH for giving information to ED FULLER and telling FULLER that the Ferriday - Clayton Unit of the OKKKK would affiliate with the Old Sligo Unit of the White Knights of the Ku Klux Klan of Mississippi. In this regard, SCARBOROUGH had been telling FULLER what went on at the Ferriday-Clayton Unit meetings and FULLER, in turn, would tell MORRIS what went on at the meetings.

NO T-2 further advised that at the weekly meeting of the Ferriday - Clayton Unit of the OKKKK held on November 2, 1965, during which a trial for JIMMY SCARBOROUGH was supposed to be held, he, SCARBOROUGH, spoke to a few of the other Klansmen who approached ED MORACE and asked him to let the matter drop. No action was taken at this meeting concerning the charges against SCARBOROUGH.

On December 7, 1965, NO T-2 advised that JIMMY SCARBOROUGH has been in attendance at the weekly meeting of the Ferriday - Clayton Unit of the OKKKK, held on December 6, 1965, at the Klavern Hall near Clayton, Louisiana.

On November 9, 1965, NO T-2 advised that a weekly meeting of the Ferriday - Clayton Unit of the OKKKK was held on November 8, 1965, and JIMMY SCARBOROUGH read the rules and regulations of the organization and they were discussed. SCARBOROUGH stated that all men were to be in the vicinity of the Arcade Theater in Ferriday, Louisiana, on Saturday and Sunday to see that there was no trouble when the Negroes attempt to integrate the theater. He stated that the members were not to do anything, but only to observe.

On January 6, 1966, NO T-2 advised that JIMMY SCARBOROUGH was present at the weekly meeting of the Ferriday - Clayton Unit of the OKKKK held on January 3, 1966, at the Klavern Hall.

On January 6, 1966, NO T-2 advised that at the weekly meeting of the Ferriday - Clayton Unit of the OKKKK held on December 27, 1965, JIMMY SCARBOROUGH was replaced as Exalted Cyclops of the unit.

On January 25, 1966, NO T-2 advised that JIMMY SCARBOROUGH was in attendance at the weekly meeting of the



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Ferriday - Clayton Unit of the OKKKK, held at the Klavern Hall on January 17, 1966.

A characterization of the OKKKK is contained in the appendix section of this report, as well as a characterization of the White Knights of the Ku Klux Klan of Mississippi.



APPENDIX

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

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A source advised on October 25, 1963, that an organization known as the Original Knights of the Ku Klux Klan (OKKKK) had been organized in the State of Louisiana at Shreveport, Louisiana, in December of 1960.

A second source advised on March 23, 1965, that this organization continues to be active and that the aims and purposes of this group are to continue to promote Americanism, the supremacy of the white race, and the continuance of segregation between the races.

A third source advised on December 23, 1965, that this organization continues to be active within the State of Louisiana and its aims and purposed 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.

APPENDIX



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
New Orleans, Louisiana  
April 11, 1966

TITLE:

JAMES LEE SCARBOROUGH

CHARACTER:

RACIAL MATTERS (KLAN)

REFERENCE:

Report of SA DONALD J. MC GORTY, dated  
and captioned as above.

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REPORTING OFFICE NEW ORLEANS	OFFICE OF ORIGIN NEW ORLEANS	DATE 10/28/65	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD 10/13-25/65
TITLE OF CASE  JAMES LEE SCARBOROUGH, aka.		REPORT MADE BY SA DONALD J. MC GORTY	TYPED BY bab
		CHARACTER OF CASE  RM (KLAN)	

SUPPLEMENTAL NON PROSECUTIVE SUMMARY REPORTREFERENCES:

Report of SA DONALD J. MC GORTY dated 9/9/65 at New Orleans.

St. Louis letter to New Orleans dated 10/15/65.

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ADMINISTRATIVE:

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A copy of this report is being furnished to ICG, ONI and Secret Service, New Orleans, as well as OSI, Barksdale Air Force Base, Louisiana, in view of their interest in Klan matters.

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NO 157-3788

This case is being placed in a pending inactive status and will be re-opened at the end of six months to report on subject's klan activity and affiliation.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
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Report of: SA DONALD J. MC GORTY      Office: NEW ORLEANS  
Date: 10/28/65

Field Office File No.: 157-3788      Bureau File No.:

Title: JAMES LEE SCARBOROUGH

Character: RACIAL MATTER (KLAN)

Synopsis: Subject's military service record reviewed and information set forth.

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DETAILS:

By communication dated October 15, 1965 the St. Louis Division of the FBI advised that a review on October 13, 1965, by IC EARL M. RANEY of the Naval service records on file at the Military Personnel Records Center, St. Louis, Missouri, for JAMES LEE SCARBOROUGH, Serial Number 645 29 89, indicated he enlisted in the U. S. Navy on October 27, 1942, at Monroe, Louisiana, and served on active duty until November 10, 1945, at which time he was honorably discharged as a Boatswain's Mate Second Class at Shoemaker, California by reason of demobilization.

Naval records for SCARBOROUGH failed to contain any information which would indicate that he has or had any specialized training in the field of demolition or explosives.

The following background and descriptive information is contained in the records:

Date and place of birth	March 11, 1921, Haile, Louisiana
Height	5'10"
Weight	140 lbs.
Race	White



Hair	Brown
Eyes	Blue
Education	7 years grammar
Military Occupation	Boatswain's Mate
Civilian Occupation	Farmer
Civilian Employments	Southern-Kraft Paper Co., Bastrop, Louisiana, January 1942 to October 1942
Addresses	302 Center Street, Bastrop, Louisiana (10/42); Haile, Louisiana (11/45)
Relatives	Wife, ANNIE BELLE SCOTT SCARBOROUGH, and daughter, PEGGY MARIE SCARBOROUGH, both of Haile, Louisiana (10/42). Mother, LIZZIE LEE SCARBOROUGH, Haile, Louisiana (10/42)
Photograph	Available upon request.



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REPORTING OFFICE <b>NEW ORLEANS</b>	OFFICE OF ORIGIN <b>NEW ORLEANS</b>	DATE <b>9/9/65</b>	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD <b>7/13 - 8/30/65</b>
TITLE OF CASE  <b>JAMES LEE SCARBOROUGH, aka J.L. Scarborough, Jimmy Scarborough</b>		REPORT MADE BY <b>SA DONALD J. MC GORTY</b>	TYPED BY <b>gml</b>
		CHARACTER OF CASE  <b>RM (Klan)</b>	

## SUMMARY REPORT

REFERENCE: Jackson airtel to New Orleans, dated 4/2/65.

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### LEADS

ST. LOUIS DIVISION

AT ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI

At Military Personnel Records Center, review subjects military record for background information as well as ascertaining if subject received any specialized schooling.

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Copies of this report will be furnished to 112th Intelligence Corps Group, New Orleans, and Office of Naval Intelligence, New Orleans, and to the office of Special Investigations, New Orleans, in view of their respective interest in members of a Klan-type organization with activities inimical to the welfare of the United States.

This investigative period includes dates of actual investigation only and does not contain dates of file review.



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Copy to: 1-Secret Service, New Orleans (RM)  
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Report of: SA DONALD J. MC GORTY  
Date: September 9, 1965

Office: NEW ORLEANS

File Number: 157-3788

Title: JAMES LEE SCARBOROUGH

Character: RACIAL MATTER (KLAN)

Synopsis: JAMES LEE SCARBOROUGH is reported to be the Exalted Cyclops of the Ferriday-Clayton Unit of the OKKKK, Realm of Louisiana. He resides in Ferriday, La., and is employed at the International Paper Co., in Natchez, Miss. Background information set forth.

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DETAILS:

This investigation is predicated upon information that JAMES LEE SCARBOROUGH was the Exalted Cyclops of the Ferriday Unit of the Original Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, Realm of Louisiana. (OKKKK)

A characterization of the OKKKK can be located in the appendix section of this report.

The following background information was obtained by a review of the subjects credit record, employment record and by interview.



## BACKGROUND

### A. BIRTH DATA

Born March 11, 1921, Union Parish, Haile, Louisiana.

### B. CITIZENSHIP STATUS

American by birth

### C. EDUCATION

Ninth grade.

### D. MARITAL STATUS

Married-wife, DOROTHY FAYE WATKINS  
Three children

### E. RESIDENCE

332 Iowa Street, Ferriday, Louisiana

### F. EMPLOYMENT

Employed as a welder for the International Paper Co., Natchez, Mississippi.

### G. MILITARY SERVICE

U.S. Navy, October 27, 1942, to October 10, 1945. Achieved rating of Boatswain mate Serial number 6452989.

### H. CREDIT AND ARREST CHECK

On August 3, 1965, MARGARET KING, Concordia Parish Credit Bureau, Ferriday, Louisiana, advised SA CHARLES A. KINCAID and SA RICHARD F. HUFFORD that her file on the subject contains very little information. It gives the subject's address as 332 Iowa in Ferriday and lists his wife as DOROTHY. His date of birth is given as March 11, 1921, and his occupation as welder at the International Paper Company, Natchez, Mississippi. Her file lists only two accounts for the subject on which he was rated as slow.



On July 13, 1965, R. W. WARREN, Chief of Police, Ferriday, Louisiana, advised that his department had no record on the subject.

On July 13, 1965, RAYMOND KEATHLEY, Deputy, Concordia Parish, Louisiana, Sheriff's Office, advised that his files contain no record identifiable with the subject.

#### I. PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION

Sex	Male
Race	White
Age	44
Height	5'11"
Weight	170
Build	Medium
Hair	Dark
Eyes	Blue
Complexion	Ruddy
Marital status	Married
Scars and Marks	None visible

#### J. AUTOMOBILE DATA

1963 green Dodge, bearing 1964-65 Louisiana license #61E408.

1957 black GMC pick up truck, bearing 1965 Louisiana license 566-317.

#### K. ASSOCIATES

The subjects' associates include E. D. MORACE, "BLUE" HOLLOWAY and TOMMY JONES, who are all known Klansmen.

#### L. PHOTOGRAPH

A photograph of the subject is contained in the New Orleans files.

#### M. WEAPONS

The subject admitted having the following weapons:



30.06 rifle  
Browning Automatic shotgun  
.22 caliber magnum loader  
.22 caliber rifle.

He also has access to two other shotguns, which belong to his wife and son.

## II. INTERVIEW WITH SUBJECT



## FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date August 12, 1965

JAMES LEE SCARBOROUGH, 332 Iowa Street, was interviewed at his home. He was advised of the Agents' identity and SA TONY J. SEABAUGH advised SCARBOROUGH that he did not have to make any statement, but any statement made could be used against him in a court of law. He was also reminded that he had the right to consult his attorney before continuing this interview.

SCARBOROUGH stated that he presently resides with his family at the above address and is employed as a welder at the International Paper Company in Natchez, Mississippi. He served in the U. S. Navy from August, 1942 until December, 1945, and had serial number 6452989. SCARBOROUGH added that he has had no military training in explosives. SCARBOROUGH said he has no police record.

SCARBOROUGH related that he is not now and has never been a member of the KKK. He said that he has attended several "conservative meetings" during the past year but never attended any KKK meetings or rallies to his knowledge. SCARBOROUGH said that his wife, DOROTHY, is a member of the Americans for the Protection of the White Race (APWR) and he and his wife have attended several of these meetings. SCARBOROUGH added that he and his wife attended a meeting in Natchez, Mississippi, sometime within the past 6 or 3 months and one ROBERT SHELTON was the speaker.

SCARBOROUGH was questioned in detail regarding Klan activities and he said that he would not "pimp" on his friends. He denied attending any KKK meetings during the past 6 months and when asked if he had attended a meeting of the OKKKK in Winnsboro, Louisiana, in April, 1965, replied that he would respectfully decline to answer. SCARBOROUGH says that he has read the "Firey Cross" but knows nothing concerning its publication or origin.

SCARBOROUGH continued that in his opinion, MARTIN LUTHER KING is a Communist and he based this conclusion upon what he read about KING in the "White Citizens Council Bulletin". SCARBOROUGH said that he did not believe in resorting to violence.

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at Ferriday, Louisiana

File #

NO 157-3789

AS THOMAS T. TRETTIS, JR., &amp; TONY J. SEABAUGH/jms

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in racial matters and had never been involved in any violence activities. When questioned about knowledge concerning such activities, SCARBOROUGH said he would not "pimp" on his friends.

A description of SCARBOROUGH obtained through interview and observation follows:

Name	JAMES LEE SCARBOROUGH
Sex	Male
Race	White
Date of Birth	March 11, 1921, Union Parish, Louisiana
Height	5'11"
Weight	170 pounds
Build	Medium
Eyes	Blue
Hair	Dark
Complexion	Ruddy
Marital Status	Married
Wife	DOROTHY SCARBOROUGH
Family	3 children; one daughter away at college.
Military Service	US Navy (August, 1942 - December, 1945)
Serial Number	6452989
Vehicles	1963 green Dodge; Louisiana 61E408 1957 black GMC pick-up; Louisiana 566 317

Data from Louisiana:

Driver's License	Date issued March 2, 1965 License number 379045 Expires 1967
Firearms	No photograph number 30.06 rifle; Browning automatic shotgun; .22 magnum luger; .22 rifle Two shotguns belonging to wife and son.



II. AFFILIATION WITH KLAN TYPE GROUPS

On March 23, 1965, NO T-1 advised that the Exalted Cyclops of the Original Knights of the Ku Klux Klan in Concordia Parish, Louisiana was one JIMMY SCARBOROUGH. At a meeting of this group on March 22, 1965, SCARBOROUGH made a "wild sounding" speech, during which he advocated the forming of squads of men with plenty of ammunition and firearms. He stated that these squads should practice, keeping up a sustained rate of weapon fire, during which a portion of the squad would be loading while the other portion was firing, and that this was needed for the coming revolution between the Negroes and the whites.

On March 10, 1965, NO T-1 advised that the distribution of hate type literature in Natchez, Mississippi, during the night of March 9, 1965, was arranged by JIMMY SCARBOROUGH, a member of the OKKKK, Realm of Louisiana.

On March 8, 1965, Deputy Sheriff PRESTON RHODES, Tensas Parish, Louisiana, advised that J. L. SCARBOROUGH who is employed as a welder for the International Paper Company in Natchez, Mississippi, lives in Ferriday, Louisiana, was a member of the Ku Klux Klan in Concordia Parish.

On May 10, 1965, L. W. DAVIS, Mayor, Ferriday, Louisiana, advised that he believed that J. L. SCARBOROUGH was an active member of the Ferriday Ku Klux Klan.

NO T-2 advised on May 7, 1965, that J. L. SCARBOROUGH was the Exalted Cyclops of the Ku Klux Klan which meets at Ferriday, Louisiana.

NO T-3 advised on May 19, 1965, that JIMMY SCARBOROUGH, Ferriday, Louisiana, was the Exalted Cyclops of the OKKKK, Concordia Parish, Louisiana.

NO T-4 advised May 13, 1965, that JIMMY SCARBOROUGH was the Exalted Cyclops of the Ferriday-Clayton Unit of the OKKKK. Source further advised that SCARBOROUGH approves what is to be included in the "Firey Cross" which is a hate type sheet distributed during the night in Concordia Parish, Louisiana. NO T-4 further advised that JIMMY SCARBOROUGH attended the State meeting of the OKKKK held at Winnsboro, Louisiana, on April 17, 1965.



NO T-4 advised on May 26, 1965, that JIMMY SCARBOROUGH, the Exalted Cyclops of the Ferriday-Clayton Unit of the OKKKK, Realm of Louisiana, had a list of all the individuals who were ever a member of the Klan group.

NO T-4 advised on June 2, 1965, that JIMMY SCARBOROUGH had attended the Klan Unit meeting at Ferriday, Louisiana on May 31, 1965.

NO T-5 advised on June 18, 1965, that (FNU) SCARBOROUGH, the Exalted Cyclops of the Ferriday Unit of the OKKKK had participated in a planned Klan sit-in at Whites' Restaurant in Tallulah, Louisiana, on May 26, 1965.

NO T-5 advised on June 26, 1965, (FNU) SCARBOROUGH attended the Province #5 meeting of the OKKKK, held at Winnsboro, Louisiana on June 19, 1965.

NO T-5 advised on July 8, 1965 that (FNU) SCARBOROUGH the Exalted Cyclops of the Ferriday Unit of the OKKKK had participated in a Citizens Council Rally held at Baton Rouge, Louisiana on July 4, 1965.

NO T-4 advised on July 20, 1965, that a fish fry was held at the home of JAMES LEE, Wildaville, Louisiana, on June 26, 1965. All those present were members or being considered for membership in the "Silver Dollar" group. It is believed that the "Silver Dollar" group is responsible for recent acts of violence in Natchez, Mississippi and Ferriday-Vidalia, Louisiana areas. Those present at the fish fry attempted unsuccessfully to make some black powder. NO T-4 advised that JIMMY SCARBOROUGH was one of those who was in attendance at the fish fry.

NO T-4 advised on July 20, 1965, that JAMES SCARBOROUGH attended the Ferriday Klan Unit meeting which was held on July 19, 1965.

NO T-4 advised on August 6, 1965, that JIMMY SCARBOROUGH attended the Ferriday, Klan Unit meeting held on August 2, 1965.



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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

New Orleans, Louisiana  
September 9, 1965

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Title	JAMES LEE SCARBOROUGH
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Reference	Report of SA DONALD J. MC GORTY, dated and captioned as above at New Orleans.

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# Memorandum

TO : SAC

DATE: 3/2/67

FROM : Karen Bracey

SUBJECT: JAMES LEE SCARBOROUGH  
aka Jimmy Scarbrough

157-63-2132, FD 306, rec'd 10/28/66, FOIA(b)7 - (D) by SA John A. Pfeifer. Source stated that about three months prior, one Jimmy Scarborough, of Ferriday, La. a member of the Original Knights of the Ku Klux Klan (Ferriday-Vidalia area) had acquired through legitimate sources, .30 caliber carbines of World War II. Source advised that subject along with 3 other known klansmen had conversion kits. All of the Klansmen are close friends of Tommy Jones of Natchez, Miss., reported to be a member of the Silver Dollar Group.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : SAC, JACKSON (157-7479)

DATE: 9/23/70

FROM : STENO PATRICIA A. PACE

SUBJECT: JAMES LEE SCARBOROUGH, aka;  
RM - KLAN

The following is a correlation of information contained in the file re subject:

Serial 144 [FOIA(b)7 - (D)] advised on 7/15 & 22/68, that due to inactivity of JAMES LEE SCARBOROUGH, Unit 1733 of the Minutemen has not had any meetings or carried out any projects in the last six weeks. SCARBOROUGH is not leaving his residence because of his wife and family. SCARBOROUGH no longer wields the authority or influence that he once used to. On 7/11/68, DON WILKINSON went to the residence of SCARBOROUGH and met him in his yard. SCARBOROUGH asked WILKINSON several questions re the Silver Dollar Group.

Serial 147 [FOIA(b)7 - (D)] advised SCARBOROUGH indicated to DON WILKINSON that he was in complete charge of Unit 1733 of the Minutemen and could do with it as he pleased. JAMES SCARBOROUGH is under impression DONALD WILKINSON has been a member of the SDG for sometime. SCARBOROUGH has not yet got WILKINSON bell he requested approximately three weeks ago. WILKINSON feels SCARBOROUGH may be security risk to their organization.

Serial 148 [FOIA(b)7 - (D)] advised subject has not been active in Klan or Minutemen activities for the last two or three months and has apparently relinquished his position as head of Unit 1733 of the Minutemen to DONALD WILKINSON.

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# Memorandum

TO : SAC, NEW ORLEANS (157-3788)

DATE: 8/19/68

FROM : SAC, JACKSON (157-7479) (RUE)

FOIA(b)7 - (D)

SUBJECT: JAMES LEE SCARBOROUGH, Aka  
James Lee Scarborough  
Jimmy Scarbrough  
"The Indian"  
RM - KLAN  
OO: NEW ORLEANS

Re New Orleans letter to Kansas City, dated 7/29/68.

Indices check at Jackson reflects no additional information re above captioned subject.

The only source in Natchez having contact with above captioned subject is [redacted] and his information is reported to the New Orleans Office by the Case Agent at Natchez.

Record checks by SA MICHAEL J. O'NEILL on 8/15/68, at the Natchez Credit Bureau, Natchez Police Department and Adams County Sheriff's Office failed to reveal any information identifiable with SCARBOROUGH.

On 8/16/68, ROBERT MARLER, Administrative Director, International Paper Company, Natchez, Mississippi, advised SA MICHAEL J. O'NEILL that SCARBOROUGH is currently employed by the International Paper Company as a welder.

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SAC, KANSAS CITY

7/29/68

SAC, NEW ORLEANS (157-3788) (P)

JAMES LEE SCARBOROUGH, aka  
James Lee Scarborough,  
Jimmy Scarbrough,  
"The Indian"  
RM (KLAN)  
(OO: NEW ORLEANS)

Rerep of SA MICHAEL L. COLEMAN, dated 6/13/67 at  
Jackson and New Orleans letter to Bureau and LHM dated  
3/29/68.

Subject is identical to Bufile No. 157-3975.

BACKGROUND

A. Residence

332 Iowa St., Ferriday, La.

B. Employment

A welder for International Paper Company at Natchez,  
Miss. Subject has been employed by this firm since 1947. He  
started out in the Bastrop, La., plant but has been employed  
in Natchez since 1950 when he came there under transfer from  
Bastrop.

C. Automobile Data

1966 or 1967 Dodge Monaco, brown in color, La.  
license 11F221.

2 - Kansas City (RM)  
② - Jackson (RM)  
6 - New Orleans  
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NO 157-3788  
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1963 Rambler Station Wagon, La. license 47E248.

FOIA(b) 7 - (D) on 1/10/68 reported that subject also drives a 1957 GMC, black pickup truck and a 1964 Dodge, but the informant made no mention of the Rambler wagon.

D. Position in the Klan

1. Subject is a member of the Silver Dollar Group (SDG).

2. Subject has been reported as being a leader and active in Minuteman Unit No. 1733 in the vicinity of Ferriday, La., and Natchez, Miss.

3. He has been reported as active in a new National Rifle Association (NRA) chapter in the Ferriday, La., vicinity which at times appears to be used as a front name or group for SDG and Minutemen characters as an excuse for their being in possession of firearms.

4. Subject is part of a group, the SDG, which in the past has been under intensive investigation in the WHARBON special and also in connection with other cases at local level involving racial segregationist-type activities in the Natchez-Ferriday area.

The following informants in the Jackson Field Division have furnished information concerning subject in the past:

Informant

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NO 157-3788  
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<u>Informant</u>	<u>File</u>	<u>Handled by</u>
FOIA(b)7 - (D)		SA JAMES A. WOOTE
		SA JAMES A. WOOTE
		SA VINCENT B. COYLE
		SA MERRIMAN D. DIVEN
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Subject has been interviewed.

The following investigation should be completed by 9/15/68 so that a Non-Prosecutive Supplemental Summary Report can be prepared by 9/29/68:

LEADS

KANSAS CITY

AT KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI. At Kansas City, Mo., which covers the headquarters for the Minutemen organization, will review indices on the subject. He is described as

Race  
Sex  
DOB

White  
Male  
3/11/21



NO 157-3788  
CJH:jpb

POB	Baile, La.
Height	5'11"
Weight	170 lbs.
Build	Medium
Hair	Brown
Eyes	Blue
Complexion	Ruddy
Scars and Marks	2 inch cut scar right wrist
Physical Defects	Chronic ulcer
Education	8th grade in Union Parish, La.
Military Service	1942-45, U. S. Navy
Serial Number	6452989
Arrest Record	None claimed
Marital Status	Married
Wife	DOROTHY WATKINS
Children	One daughter - CAROLINE, age 18 in 3/67 Son - STEVE, age 15 in 3/67 Son - GLENN, age 9 in 3/67.

Check appropriate Klan and Minutemen informants and check name of subject against any other appropriate sources of record.

JACKSON

AT JACKSON AND NATCHEZ, MISSISSIPPI. Provide results of current contacts of informants re subject. Also provide results of current indices check or the results of checks of other appropriate agencies.

Will reverify employment.

NEW ORLEANS

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SAC, KANSAS CITY

7/29/68

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, JACKSON (157-7479)

DATE: 7/15/68

FROM : XX TYPIST, MARTHA LYNN TANNER

SUBJECT: JAMES LEE SCARBOROUGH  
 RM (KLAN)

In connection with the destruction of channelizing memoranda, the information contained on the serials listed below was incorporated in a ~~report~~ dated **July 15, 1968**. The review for this report was made from serial ~~448~~ **#48** through serial **#141**.

In accordance with the above, the following serials are to be destroyed:

Volume	Serials (List by serial or serial scope.)
	53 original in
	54 original in
	56 original in
	57 original in
	58 original in
	59 original in
	60 original in
	61 original in
	62 original in
	64 original in
	66 original in
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	81 original in
	82 original in

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 7/23/68  
 2-1 ret. by Jackson  
 No report by Olson  
 on 7/20/68  
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : SAC,

DATE:

FROM : SA

SUBJECT:

In connection with the destruction of channelizing memoranda, the information contained on the serials listed below was incorporated in a ☐ report ☐ letterhead memorandum dated \_\_\_\_\_. Where the serial is accompanied by the file and serial number of the original informant report, the information was not used because it was of no value to the report. The review for the communication checked above was made from \_\_\_\_\_ through \_\_\_\_\_.

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	85 original in
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	115 original in
	117 original in
	121 original in
	123 original in
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# Memorandum

TO : SAC, JACKSON (62-2) (P)

FROM : SA PAUL W. ROEMER

SUBJECT: MEMBERSHIP OF UNIT 1733  
FERRIDAY, LA.

DATE: 5/29/68

On 5/29/68 [FOIA(b)7 - (D)] advised that the following are current members of Unit 1733 of the Minutemen in Ferriday, La.

JAMES LEE SCARBOROUGH  
DONALD HOUSTON WILKINSON  
JOHN BOSTICK  
DONALD CRAFT

JEWEL LEE BURT

CALVIN HARRIS  
E. L. LEWIS, aka., "Tiny"  
JAMES SWILLIE  
WILLIAM GUTHERIE  
VIRGIL WRIGHT  
WAYNE REED

It is recommended that new 157 cases be opened and assigned to the writer on those individuals that do not already have pending case open on them.

1 - 62-2  
[FOIA(b)7 - (D)]  
1 - 157-7479 (JAMES LEE SCARBOROUGH)  
1 - 157- (DONALD HOUSTON WILKINSON)  
1 - 157- (JOHN BOSTICK)  
1 - 157- (DONALD CRAFT)  
1 - 157- (JEWEL LEE BURT)  
1 - 157- (CALVIN HARRIS)  
1 - 157- (E. L. LEWIS)  
1 - 157- (JAMES SWILLIE)  
1 - 157- (WILLIAM GUTHERIE)  
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