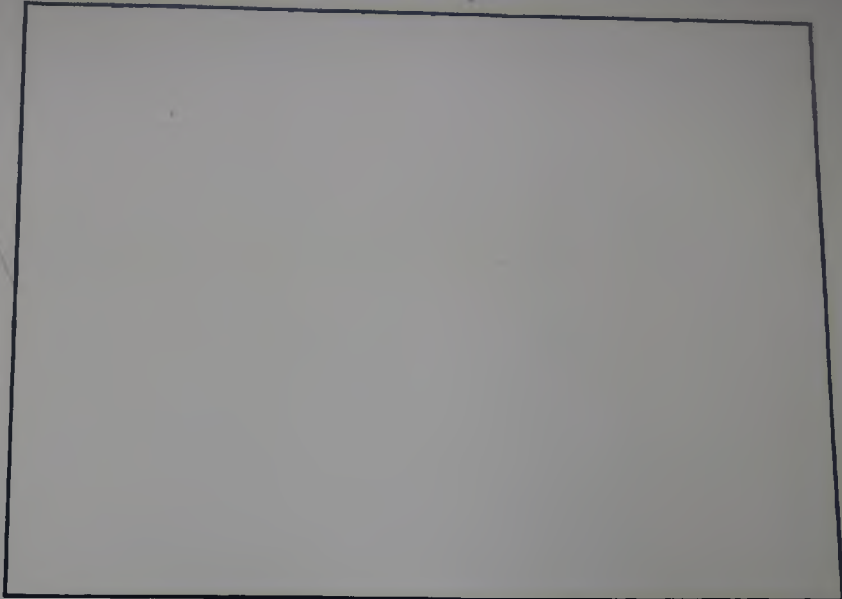
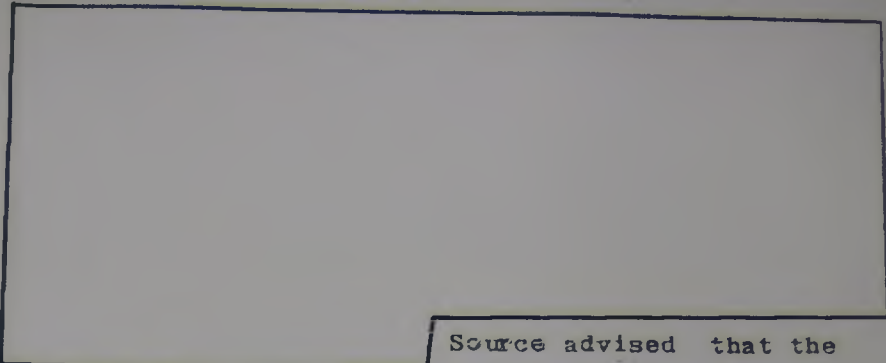


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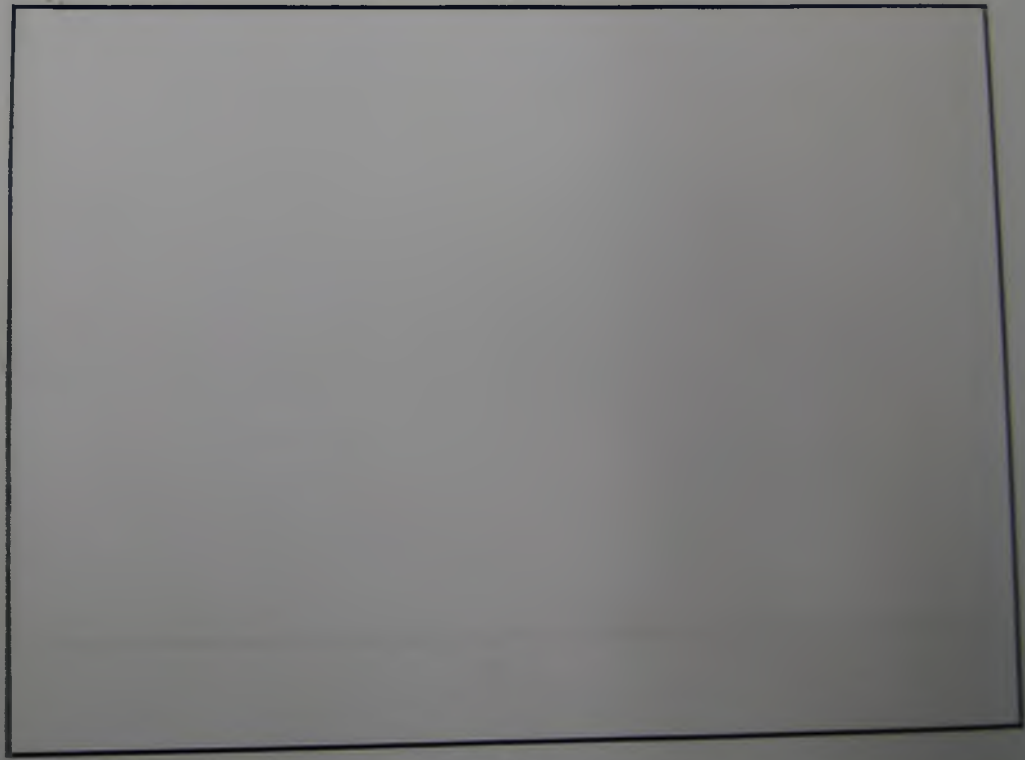
Source further stated that RED GLOVER is known to possess an automatic carbine with a banana clip. Source stated that this carbine has been modified to fire fully automatic and the fire selector switch has been cut off by GLOVER, but he has to use a knife blade to slip the switch to the automatic position. 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.



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.

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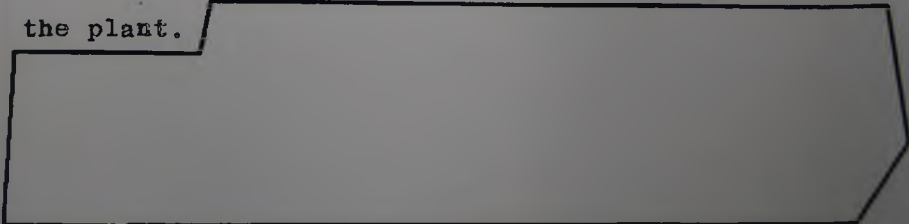
Source also stated that during the time that the Harrisonburg Unit was active, it was associated with the State OKKKK officials at Winnsboro, Louisiana,



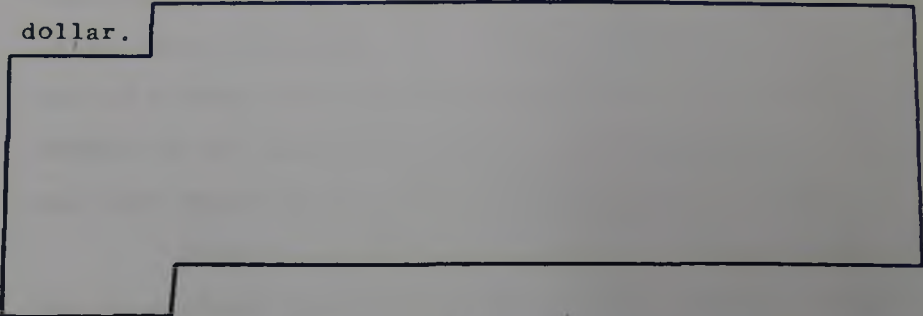
Source stated that he does not know of NORMAN HEAD or BUCK HORTON of Vidalia, Louisiana; however, he may know these men by sight. Source stated that he knows J. B. TEMPLE of Vidalia, Louisiana, and as a local auto parts dealer, but he is sure that TEMPLE is not a member of the Silver Dollar Group. He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

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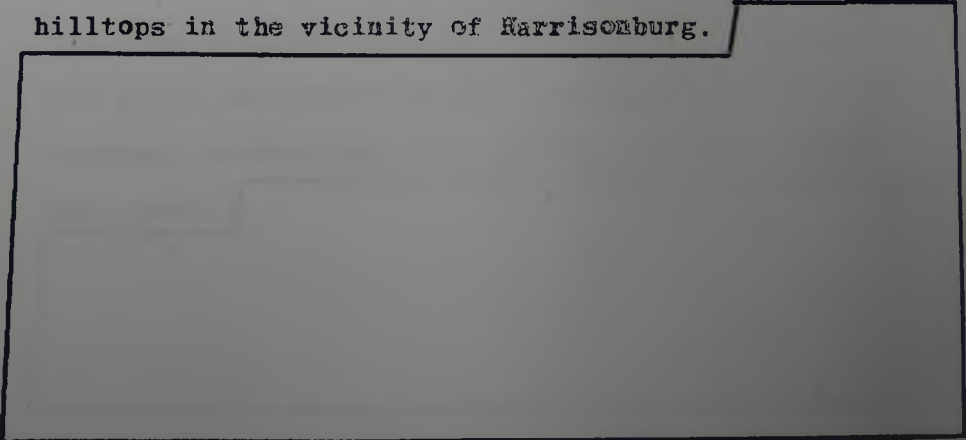
Source stated that he knows of an individual who is a close associate of R. J. "RED" GLOVER. This man is only known to him by the name "SCRAPMAN" and he did live on a farm between Archibald and Baskin, Louisiana. Source stated it is his understanding that the SCRAPMAN obtained his name by the fact that his first employment at the Armstrong Tire Plant in Natchez, Mississippi, was picking up scraps around the plant.

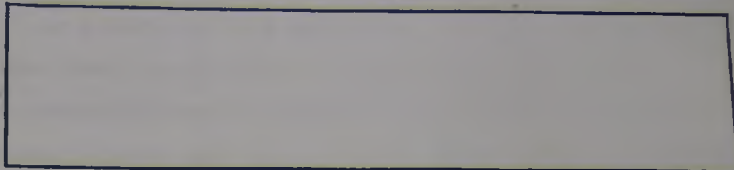


Source stated that JAMES LEE invited most of the guests to this particular fish fry and it was understood by all those in attendance that everyone in attendance was a member of the Silver Dollar Group. Source stated that the wives of these members attended the fish fry and approximately two or three months before this fish fry it is known that R. J. GLOVER gave SONNY TAYLOR of Harrisonburg, Louisiana, a silver dollar.



A(b)7 - (D) 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.





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:

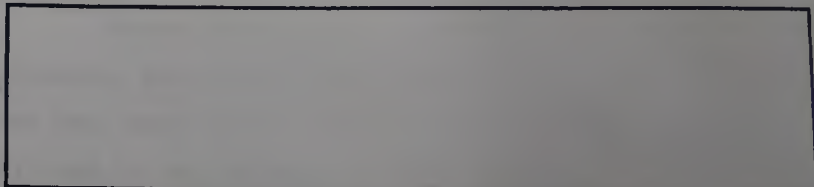
SONNY TAYLOR of Harrisonburg, Louisiana

E. D. MORACE

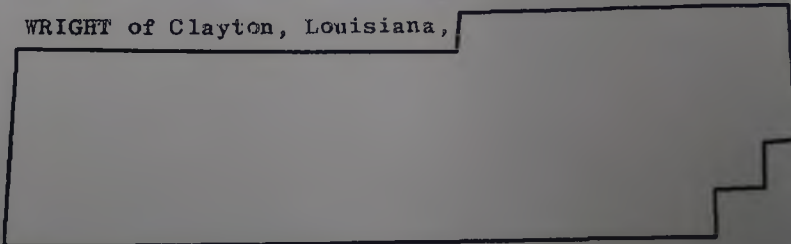
JAMES SCARBOROUGH

BLUE HOLLOWAY, all of Ferriday, Louisiana

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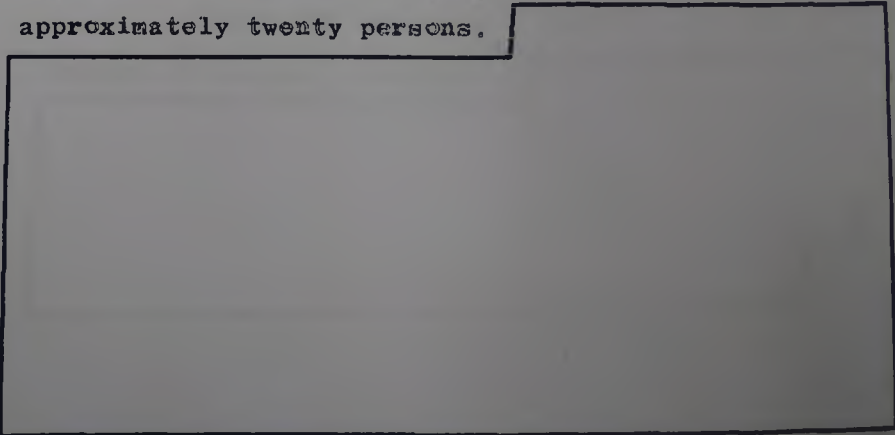
JAMES LEE was at the fish fry, as was SCOTTIE WRIGHT of Clayton, Louisiana,



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.



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- 1-157-2160 (TOMMIE JONES)
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- 1-157-4699 (WOODROW "BLUE" HOLLOWAY)
- 1-157-4592 (JAMES LEE)
- 1-157- (JACK SEALE)
- 1-157-3789 (SCOTTIE WRIGHT)
- 1-157-3489 (E. J. GLOVER)
- 1-157- (GERALD CRAWFORD, Harrisburg, La.)
- 1-157- (J. M. BLANEY, Harrisburg, La.)
- 1-157- (EARL WALKER, Sicily Island, La.)
- 1-157-1506 (MURRAY MARTIN)
- 1-157-3520 (JAMES LEVI MAHONEY)
- 1-157-1779 (VIDALIA UNIT UKA)
- 1-157-3435 (J. B. TEMPLE)
- 1-157-3611 (NORMAN HEAD)
- 1-157-4700 (BUCK HORTON)
- 1-157- (ELTON HESTER, aka "SCRAPMAN")
- 1-157-2790 (Acquisition of explosives)
- 1-157- (CHARLES ELMO FORD)
- 1-157- (DOYLE RAY FORD)
- 1-157- (JOHN WILLIAM FORD)
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- 15-Jackson (RM)
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Information concerning identities of persons in Silver Dollar Group of Klan and activities of such persons along with identities of persons of the Harrisonburg unit of the OKKKK.

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TO : SAC, JACKSON (157-)

DATE: 3-31-67

FROM : SA Webb & Graves

SUBJECT: Scotty Wright
RACIAL MATTERS - KLAN

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RACIAL INFORMANT INFORMATION DISSEMINATION SHEET

On 3-28-67, , furnished the following information regarding subject to SA Webb & Graves; the original detailed information is located in Jackson file

1. Subject attended meeting of _____ Klavern on _____.
2. Subject not known to be Klansman.
3. Subject unknown to informant.
4. Subject recruited as member on _____.
5. Subject sworn into _____ Klavern on _____ (date).
6. Subject elected to office of _____.
7. Subject is member of _____ Klavern.
8. Subject resides at _____.
9. Subject employed at _____.

(10) Other information or remarks: Subject was in Scarborough's Old Original group, they met in Clayton La., and Scarborough was the Exalted Cyclops.

11. See informant file for additional detailed information.

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TO : INSPECTOR JOSEPH A. SULLIVAN (157-) DATE: 4/11/67

FROM : SA MICHAEL L. COLEMAN

SUBJECT: RAYMOND SCOTT WRIGHT
RM (KLAN)

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

J. P. SCRUGGS, Town Marshal, Clayton, Louisiana, checked the files at the Clayton Police Department and he advised that he had no record whatsoever for RAYMOND SCOTT WRIGHT.

CHARLES DE LAUGHTER, Radio Operator, Ferriday, La., Police Department, similarly advised after checking his records that he could find nothing identical with RAYMOND SCOTT WRIGHT, a resident of Clayton, Louisiana.

ETHEL DORE, Clerk, Office of the Sheriff of Concordia Parish, Vidalia, Louisiana, advised she could locate no record for RAYMOND SCOTT WRIGHT.

MARGARET KING, Manager, Concordia Credit Bureau, 809 Louisiana Avenue, Ferriday, Louisiana, advised that she had a record for RAYMOND SCOTT WRIGHT, employed by the International Paper Company and a resident of Route 1, Box 115, Clayton, Louisiana. She stated that WRIGHT had a very good credit rating.

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Memorandum

JACKSON FORM #2
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TO : SAC, JACKSON(157-7639)

DATE: 4-13-67

FROM : SA *Shawes + Martin*

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SUBJECT: *Scotty Wright*
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- ⑩ 10. Other information or remarks: *Had heard name*

11. See informant file for additional detailed information. *VC*

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Re: W. HARRISON Field File No. 157-2046

Furnish The Known Identification Record of the Following:

Name: RAYMOND SCOTT WRIGHT FBI No. _____
Other No. US Army RA 18 283 847

Aliases: Scotty Wright *4th Dist New Orleans*

Sex: Male Race: White Birth Date: 5/8/31 Birthplace: Harrisonburg, La. Residence: Rt. 1, Clayton, La.

Height: 5' 8" Weight: 150 Build: Medium Hair: Brown Eyes: Brown Complexion: Ruddy Age: 35

Fingerprint Classification: _____ Score, marks and tattoos: _____

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 - Handwriting Specimens

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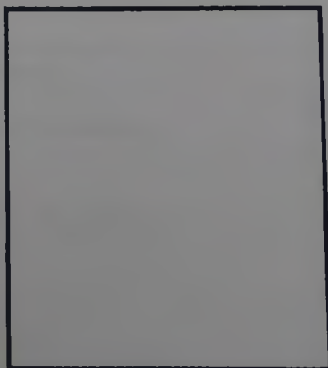
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At this time, the discussion turned to politics, concentrating on local races in Concordia Parish as well as the forthcoming Governor's election in Louisiana. It was hoped by the members of the unit, that a good strong candidate will run against MC KEITHEN as most of the members did not like the MC KEITHEN administration.

R.S. WRIGHT advised that if the Klan does not have a candidate that thinks like the Klan in all the political races, the Klan will be left out. He stressed that all members should work extra hard during the upcoming elections.

MORACE then stated that when the FBI does get a person in a bad spot, and if they have the goods on him, especially a Klansman, they won't just come around and ask questions as in the past, but instead, that they will railroad him into the Federal penitentiary.

The following persons were recognized as being present at this meeting:



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of things at the tire plant in Natchez as there are a several FBI men in the area to protect them at all times.

The fact was brought up that it is generally felt that JONES and the others now on trial at Natchez, Mississippi, for killing a Negro are not guilty, although all agreed that JONES is insane, thus he does not know what he is doing or saying at the trial.

MORACE stated further that after the Klan raffled tires for a defense fund for these men and hired a lawyer, the entire complexion of the case changed.

DURWOOD WILHITE, the Grand Klokard of the OKKKK, then gave a short speech about the reorganization of the OKKKK, stressing that the Ferriday-Clayton unit should do all it can to bring about a functional and active unit. WILHITE advised that the OKKKK now has two units at Kineston, Louisiana, and that the combined strength of these units is about 100 men. He further advised that there is also a good unit at Winnfield, Louisiana. He mentioned that the Grand Klegle is doing a tremendous job in organizing the OKKKK in the vicinity of New Orleans, Louisiana. He advised that there are already a good number of members in that area but he did not mention if any units are presently functional.

WILHITE further stated that JACK HELM of New Orleans has about 45 men in his new organization, the Universal Klans of America.

Newellton, Louisiana
April 14, 1967

Meeting of Ferriday-Clayton Unit OKKKK on April 10, 1967

There was held a regular meeting of the Ferriday-Clayton Unit of the Original Knights of the Ku Klux Klan (OKKKK) on April 10, 1967, at their klavern building located north of Clayton, Louisiana, on the property of R.S. "SCOTTY" WRIGHT.

R.S. WRIGHT, the Exalted Cyclops of the unit, presided over the meeting and initially stated that the FBI has been out to the area of the klavern about four or five times in the past week. He then mentioned that the FBI has been to see some of the members during the past week. This then brought on a general discussion of the bombing at Natchez, Mississippi, on February 27, 1967.

It was first stated that the newspapers and the television programs were not telling all the facts in the case. E.D. MORACE stated, that the news is not telling that JACKSON stole \$1,700 from the NAACP, and he also had a fist fight with CHARLES EVERS. He further stated that another distorted fact is that the job of JACKSON was not one that a white man used to have but it was a newly created job, especially for the benefit of JACKSON.

It was stated that the Negroes must be doing a lot

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Meeting of Ferriday-Clayton Unit OKKKK, 4/10/67, discussion of bombing at Natchez, Mississippi, had, and an effort was made to reorganize the unit. A lengthy discussion of politics was had.

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 - 1- 157-2720 (Newellton Unit OKKKK)
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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:

7639 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.

1617 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.

7519 DONALD HOLLARD

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 HOLLARD lives, as he met him only once at time of meeting at coffee shop. Source stated that at the time he

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asked R. B. WRIGHT if the Ferriday-Clayton unit is still holding regular meetings. WRIGHT advised they have not held a meeting since the bombing due to the fact that the FBI and the law have been watching the unit members real close. in fact the FBI have been at Clayton, Louisiana, just watching for the unit to hold a meeting at the Klavern. WRIGHT felt that the unit will hold a meeting next week, March 27, 1967. WILHITE advised that he would like to attend to see if he could talk to the men and attempt to have them reorganize and become active again. WRIGHT stated he has been trying to reorganize, but the bombing has everyone scared, however he will try to get as many men as possible at the meeting on March 27, 1967. WRIGHT stated that he though it would help if WILHITE would come and speak to the members present.

After the meeting, WOODROW HOLLOWAY advised GEORGE WILHITE that he would try to obtain the dynamite fuse he had promised him several months ago, although it will be hard as the FBI is really watching him. WILHITE indicated that he needed the fuse for a job and he stated he will try to have the fuse at the meeting on March 27, 1967.

It was noted that BANK WASHINGTON was carrying a mortgage on 1900 East, Ferriday, Louisiana license 463241.

stated further that he felt that the sheriff then called him about the bombing, but he was not home, however his daughter told him that the sheriff called the house.

HANK HOWINGTON stated that the bomber thought that METCALFE was going to be in the truck with JACKSON, however METCALFE had to work over time for four hours and thus wasn't in the truck at the time. He feels that the bomber wanted to get both METCALFE and JACKSON.

HOWINGTON further related that he knows a man in Natchez, Mississippi, who has a tape recording stating that a Negro flew into Natchez just prior to the bombing from Memphis, Tennessee, and then flew out after the bombing. This Negro is an ex-Marine demolition man. HOWINGTON also stated that the tape was canceled prior to any release to the press or the public.

WILKINS asked HOWINGTON how he thought the Negro (JACKSON) was located, suggesting that the KKK may have done it. HOWINGTON and WRIGHT both replied that they just don't know who may have done it, but JACKSON was a trouble maker and that almost anyone could have the reason to do the act. HOWINGTON suggested that some Negro organization may be responsible for the bombing, but the reason being, simply, publicity.

WILKINS, who is the Great Klondike of Justice 5,

has no proof, but he feels that Louisiana Representative HALE BOGGS, has something to do with the assassination, although he does not know what part he actually played in the act.

R. S. WRIGHT, of the Ferriday-Clayton Unit of the OKKKK, stated that the purpose of the Warren Commission was to cover up events of the assassination instead of uncovering any evidence in the case.

There then began a lengthy discussion about the bombing on February 28, 1967, at Natchez, Mississippi. WOODROW HOLLOWAY advised that the FBI has questioned him at length about the bombing, but he told them nothing not even of his Klan connection. He wanted to know if any other members of Province 5 had been questioned about the bombing. J. M. CALHOUN, of the Wisner unit of the OKKKK, advised he had been checked on by the FBI, that is his whereabouts on February 28, 1967. He stated the FBI knows he had two sticks of dynamite two years ago and now they check on his whereabouts every time a fire cracker goes off in that area.

GEORGE WILHITE of the Newellton unit of the OKKKK, stated that Sheriff SEAMAN of Tensas Parish had talked with CLIFTON GILL of the Newellton unit and had asked him if he was involved in the bombing. WILHITE

Natchez, Mississippi
March 30, 1967

MEETING OF PROVINCE 5, OKKKK, MARCH 18, 1967

On March 18, 1967, there was a regular monthly meeting of Province 5 of the OKKKK, held at the Klavern of the Wisner unit of the OKKKK, in Gilbert, Louisiana. ERNEST "POP" KENNERLY, the Assistant Exalted Cyclops of the Wisner Unit, was the presiding officer inasmuch as CHESTER COKER, the Great Titan of Province 5 was absent.

KENNERLY stated that he had received a telephone call from COKER indicating that he could not attend the meeting, as well as MURRAY MARTIN and DURWOOD WILHITE, the Grand Dragon and Grand Klokard, respectively. KENNERLY advised that COKER told him that he was tied up and could not make the meeting and that MARTIN and COKER were in Baton Rouge, Louisiana, for a Citizen Council meeting and meeting of Province 5 of the OKKKK. COKER further advised that there would be no members in attendance from either the Wainsboro or Crowville units of the OKKKK.

At this point, the meeting broke up into general discussion of current events, the first topic being that of the Garrison probe in New Orleans. WOL HOLLOWAY, of the Ferriday-Clayton unit of the OKKKK that he felt that President KENNEDY was killed by Cuban because of their disappointment over the Invasion. HANK HOWINGTON of the same unit, s

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Brief description of activity or material Meeting of Province 5 of OKKKK at Gilbert, La. on 3/18/67. A general discussion was had by 8 present, including the topics of the Garrison probe, bombing at Natchez, Miss., and the Warren Commission.		FOIA(b)7 - (D) File where original is located if not attached []

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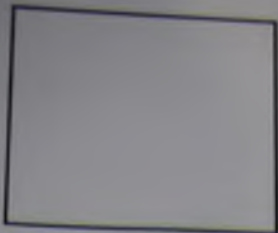
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The general feeling among those present was that it will not be possible to get the OKKKK reorganized like it was about three years ago. There was an agreement that GEORGE WILHITE, the Great Klokard (lecturer) of Province 5 of the OKKKK, will bring DURWOOD WILHITE, the Grand Klokard of the OKKKK to the meeting on April 10, 1967, in order that he can attempt to reorganize the unit and get more interest in activities. The unit agreed to have as many men as possible, present at this meeting.

WOODROW "BLUE" HOLLOWAY, did not mention the fuses as he promised at the Province meeting on March 18, 1967.

The meeting was held at the Klavern building north of Clayton, Louisiana. It is a metal Klavern building and the only other building ever used by this unit is the one down the new levee from Ferriday, Louisiana. The unit has never had a concrete block building.

March 30, 1967

On March 27, 1967, there was held a meeting of the Ferriday-Clayton Unit of the OKKKK. Source advised that this meeting mainly concerned a discussion about the current FBI investigation at Natchez, Mississippi. Source advised that E. D. MORACE stated that the FBI does not scare him and MORACE related that he told the FBI on his last interview that he had talked with them for the last time and that they were not to come back to see him unless they had something on him. MORACE also advised that he hasn't done anything and the FBI has no reason to be pestering him. MORACE related that the FBI does not always drive around in Chevrolets and Ford automobiles with big antennas. MORACE stated that some of the Agents drive pickup trucks and small cars like Volkswagens.

MORACE further related that the FBI have Klansmen on their payroll and he cautioned all members to be alert to what they say in front of other Klansmen as the informer may be your best friend. MORACE related that the FBI pretty well knows the identities of all Klansmen, however, there are a few secret members who they will never find out the identities of and who are known to only a few present members of the OKKKK. Source advised that the following persons were present at this meeting:

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CONTACT WITH [REDACTED]

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.

On April 14, 1967, an individual believed to be identical with REG 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, 5'8", 165-180, 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 LOYD 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 REV CHESTER WHITE to law enforcement officers.

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. MORACE 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. MORACE 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 14-15" barrel that he always brought to Klan meetings. An unknown young man from Jena, Louisiana, visited the Clayton Unit of the OKEKE on one occasion and carried a sawed off shotgun with an extremely short barrel which he referred to as his "digger getter."

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

The trial of SCAROBOROUGH 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 SCAROBOROUGH 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 SCAROBOROUGH 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 SCAROBOROUGH 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.

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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 SCARODOROUGH for divulging klan secrets. MORACE alleged that SCARODOROUGH 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.

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- 1 - 157-5206 (SILVER DOLLAR GROUP)
- 1 - 157-7143 (MORACE) 1 - 157-7996 (HOWINGTON)
- ① - 157-7637 (WRIGHT) 1 - 157-7477 (SCARBOROUGH)
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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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(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.

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 SCAROBOROUGH - 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.

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157-6266 (KENNETH NORMAN HEAD)
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157-5151 (JEWEL LEE BURT)
157-486 (E. L. McDANIEL)
157-2778 (JOE LEE HARDY)

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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

On 5/8/67 at Kentwood, Louisiana

File # Jackson 44-2044

by SA BENJAMIN F. GRAVES and
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DATE: 5-16-67

FROM : SA Webb + Graves

SUBJECT: Scottie Wright
RACIAL MATTERS - KLAN

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RACIAL INFORMANT INFORMATION DISSEMINATION SHEET

On 5-13-67, [redacted], furnished the following information regarding subject to SA Webb + Graves; the original detailed information is located in Jackson file [redacted]

1. Subject attended meeting of _____ Klavern on _____.
2. Subject not known to be Klansman.
3. Subject unknown to informant, but looked familiar.
4. Subject recruited as member on _____.
5. Subject sworn into _____ Klavern on _____ (date).
6. Subject elected to office of _____.
7. Subject is member of _____ Klavern.
8. Subject resides at _____.
9. Subject employed at _____.
10. Other information or remarks:

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11. See informant file for additional detailed information.

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June 12, 1967

Title RAYMOND SCOTT WRIGHT

Character RACIAL MATTERS (KLAN)

Reference Report of SA MICHAEL L. COLEMAN
dated June 12, 1967, at New
Orleans, Louisiana.

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

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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. 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.

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. Rogers, 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 Klauvocation 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

APPENDIXORIGINAL 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 Yu 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

NO T-1 advised that SCOTTIE WRIGHT, the Exalted Cyclops of the Ferriday-Clayton Unit of the OKKKK, attended a meeting of this group held on April 10, 1967, at Clayton, Louisiana.

The source of this information said that WRIGHT was not a member of the Silver Dollar Group.

NO T-3 advised on April 14, 1967, that a regular meeting of the Ferriday-Clayton Unit of the OKKKK was held on April 10, 1967, at its klavern meeting place located north of Clayton, Louisiana, on property belonging to R. S. "SCOTTIE" WRIGHT.

III. MISCELLANEOUS

On April 5, 1967, RAYMOND SCOTT WRIGHT was interviewed at his residence located on Route 1, Clayton, Louisiana, by SA's MICHAEL L. COLEMAN and RICHARD S. BRANDT. On that occasion WRIGHT denied he was affiliated with any Klan organization, either then or at any time in the past. He said he knew of no organization or group of individuals which called itself the "Silver Dollar Group." WRIGHT added that he was acquainted with no one whom he knew to be connected with any Klan organization.

On April 4, 1967, NO T-1 and on May 3, 1967, NO T-2 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), 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 and the UKA appears in the appendix to this report.

NO T-1 advised on May 28, 1967, that SCOTTIE WRIGHT attended a meeting of the Ferriday-Clayton Unit of the OKKKK held on March 27, 1967, in a building owned by WRIGHT located at Clayton, Louisiana.

NO T-1 advised on April 18, 1967, that the Ferriday-Clayton Unit of the OKKKK held a meeting on November 1, 1965. At this meeting one Klansman brought charges against another Klansman for divulging Klan secrets. On the following day the accused Klansman was scheduled to stand trial; however, before the trial started SCOTTIE WRIGHT, the Assistant Exalted Cyclops of the Klan group, and other Klansmen, prevailed upon the Klansman's accuser to postpone the trial for three days to give the accused time to prepare his defense. On the rescheduled trial date, November 5, 1965, the decision was made to call off the trial after SCOTTIE WRIGHT and other spokesmen for the accused agreed that the accused would be demoted from his position as an officer and eased out of the Klan.

WRIGHT's military record went on to say he made a forced march on September 20, 1950, in shoes of such poor condition that the skin wore off the bottom of his feet. Subsequent to his repatriation, he underwent a physical examination at Letterman Army Hospital at San Francisco, California, where it was found he had numerous scars from insect bites and healed lesions on his feet.

No information appeared in WRIGHT's military service record indicating he had had any special knowledge or training in demolitions or explosives.

E. Photograph

An up-to-date photograph of WRIGHT is presently available.

F. WRIGHT'S POSITION IN THE ORIGINAL KNIGHTS OF THE KU KLUX KLAN (LOUISIANA) (OKKKK)

A characterization of the Original Knights of the Ku Klux Klan (OKKKK) appears in the appendix of this report.

On March 9, 1967, NO T-1 advised that SCOTTIE WRIGHT was, as of that date, the Exalted Cyclops of the Ferriday-Clayton Unit of the OKKKK.

II. ACTIVITY OF RAYMOND SCOTT WRIGHT

NO T-2 advised on March 20, 1967, that during the Summer of 1965 a fishfry was held at the home of another Klansman at Wildsville, Louisiana. The guests at the fishfry numbered about 20 persons and SCOTTIE WRIGHT of Clayton, Louisiana, was among them. The source said that each guest at the fishfry believed that all present were members of the Silver Dollar Group.

B. Employment

When interviewed on April 5, 1967, by SA's COLEMAN and BRANDT, WRIGHT advised he was employed as a tester in the Laboratory of the International Paper Company, Natchez, Mississippi.

C. Automobile

WRIGHT also advised SA's COLEMAN and BRANDT on April 5, 1967, that he was the owner of two vehicles. One of them was described by him as being a 1957 tan and white Ford sedan and was observed to have 1966-67 State of Louisiana license 47E-318. The other vehicle, according to WRIGHT, is a 1953 dull gray Ford pickup truck, which has State of Louisiana license 537-106.

D. Military Service

Records of the Military Personnel Records Center, St. Louis, Missouri, showed that RAYMOND SCOTT WRIGHT, Serial Number RA18283881, served in the U. S. Army from October 24, 1949, to October 23, 1953, at which time he received an honorable discharge as a Corporal, by reason of expiration of term of service. His file contained no record of any disciplinary action, or of his having had any nervous or mental disorder.

However, the record did reflect that WRIGHT became separated from his unit while in combat in Korea, and that he lived behind North Korean lines from July 29, 1950, to August 19, 1950, eating food given to him by Korean civilians. On August 19, 1950, he was captured by the North Korean Army and held prisoner until his repatriation on October 22, 1950.

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- 2 - MIGp, New Orleans, Louisiana (RM)
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- 1 - OSI, Barksdale Air Force Base, Louisiana (RM)

SA MICHAEL L. COLEMAN Office: NEW ORLEANS

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RAYMOND SCOTT WRIGHT

Character:

RACIAL MATTERS (KLAN)

Synopsis:

WRIGHT's residence is located on Route 1, Clayton, La. He works as a tester in the Laboratory of International Paper Company, Natchez, Mississippi. He was in the U. S. Army between 10/24/49 and 10/23/52. While serving in Korea he was separated from his unit and was captured by the North Korean Army. He was held prisoner until his repatriation on 10/22/50. Source advised that as of 3/9/67, WRIGHT was the Exalted Cyclops of the Ferriday-Clayton Unit of the OKKKK. Another source advised that WRIGHT was not a member of the Silver Dollar Group.

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DETAILS:

I. BACKGROUND

A. Residence

WRIGHT's residence is located on Route 1, Clayton, Louisiana, and he was interviewed there on April 5, 1967, by SA's MICHAEL L. COLEMAN and RICHARD S. BRANDT.

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AT NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA

Will continue to follow the activities of WRIGHT, the Exalted Cyclops of the Ferriday-Clayton Unit of the OKKKK, and report same to Bureau before the expiration of six months.

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5(c), agreement between the FBI and Secret Service concerning Presidential protection.

A copy of the report is also being furnished to MIGp, NISO, Secret Service, New Orleans, and OSI, Barksdale AFB, La., in view of interest of these agencies in Klan matters.

INFORMANTS:

<u>Identity</u>	<u>Location</u>
NO T-1 is [REDACTED]	Used to characterize Silver Dollar Group.
NO T-2 is [REDACTED]	Used to characterize Silver Dollar Group.
NO T-3 is [REDACTED]	

LEADS:JACKSON DIVISIONAT JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI

A copy of this report is being furnished the Jackson Office for information because of subject's employment at the International Paper Company, Natchez, which is located in its division.

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Reporting Office NEW ORLEANS	Office of Origin NEW ORLEANS	Date 6/12/67	Investigative Period 3/9/67 - 5/31/67
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SUMMARY

NON-PROSECUTIVE SUPPLEMENTAL

REFERENCE:

Non-prosecutive supplemental summary report of SA HENRY J. FLYNN, JR., dated 12/8/66, at New Orleans.

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ADMINISTRATIVE:

The subject's file at Military Records Center, St. Louis, Missouri, was reviewed by IC GEORGE T. JENKINS on 4/13/67.

An extra copy of the report is being furnished to the Bureau for dissemination to Secret Service, Washington, D. C., in view of the fact subject falls within Category

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Notations:

Automobile
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1957 Ford four-door
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1966 - 1967 license
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Weapons

.12 gauge Remington
automatic, 30.30 caliber
Winchester 94.

Residence

Route 1
Clayton, Louisiana

Residence Telephone
Number

757-8414

Arrests

Prisoner of War - North
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Associates

High school mate of
JAMES TAYLOR

The subject's military service record,
St. Louis, Missouri, was reviewed by IC GIBSON,
MOBILE on 4/13/67.

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During the course of the interview, WRIGHT furnished the following descriptive and personal data:

Name	RAYMOND SCOTT WRIGHT
Alias	"SCOTTY"
Sex	Male
Race	White
DOB	5/8/31
POB	Harrisburg, Louisiana
Height	5'8"
Weight	154
Build	Medium
Hair	Brown
Eyes	Brown
Scars and Marks	Appendix removed
Education	High School
Military Service	U. S. Army, 1949 - 1952 Honorable discharge
Military Service Number	RA 18283881 - Corporal
Present Employment	Laboratory, International Paper Company, Natchez, Mississippi - 15 years
Driver's License	Louisiana license number 57785, issued 5/2/67, picture number 43, examining office 15
Marital Status	Married
Wife	BETTY CARRAWAY SCOTT
Children	Two - MICHAEL, age 13 (son) SHERRON, age 11 (daughter)
Father	RAYMOND L. WRIGHT Route 1, Clayton, Louisiana
Mother	MABEL WRIGHT Route 1, Clayton, Louisiana
Organizations	None
Automobile	1953 light grey Ford pickup, Louisiana 1967 - 1967 farm truck tag number 573-851

- 4- Planned confrontation of Negroes at a High school football game in Talullah, Louisiana;
- 5- The bombings of GEORGE METCALFE and WHARLEST JACKSON in Natchez, Mississippi.

With regard to the other persons reportedly involved in the above mentioned intimidation of workers on the construction job, WRIGHT commented as follows.

He is not acquainted with HOUSTON EVANS, JAMES "RED" LEE, TOMMY GRIFFIN, and O. C. POISSOT.

He knows E. D. MORACE as a mechanic but does not know him socially or as a co-worker or associate.

BILL BLANEY was a classmate at Harrisonburg, Louisiana but he has not had any close association with BLANEY for many years.

DOUG NUGENT was known to him as the operator of a bar in Ferriday. NUGENT is now dead as the result of an automobile accident.

WRIGHT knows LEE KING of Ferriday, Louisiana, through having hunted in his company. They have had no other association.

C. A. "HANK" HOWINGTON is a close friend of WRIGHT. He is a co-worker and they ride to work together. HOWINGTON recently told him that Special Agents of the FBI had interviewed him and made inquiries about WRIGHT.

WRIGHT concluded the interview by stating that he was opposed to violence in any form, regardless of whether the violence was initiated by white people or Negroes. He stated that the recent bombings in Natchez did not help to prevent integration but actually helped to destroy "the Southern way of life."

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RAYMOND SCOTT WRIGHT, who is better known as SCOTTY WRIGHT, was contacted outside his residence. He was furnished with a copy of a statement of his rights. This statement was read aloud to him by SA DIVEN. He stated that he understood his rights and orally agreed to discuss any topic with the Special Agents but declined to sign the waiver of rights statement.

At the outset of the interview, he demanded to know if he was being accused of any Federal crime. He was advised that no accusations were being made and the purpose of the contact was to obtain information in the areas of interest to the FBI which he may know and choose to volunteer.

At this point, he responded as follows to questions presented to him. He is not a member of any Klan-type organization and never has been a member of such an organization.

He further advised that he did not participate in nor did he have any information concerning the following incidents:

- 1- Intimidation of employees on a construction project in the vicinity of Jonesville, Louisiana, by hooded and armed men;
- 2- The theft of fish nets from the vicinity of Lake Concordia, Louisiana;
- 3- Swapping of "projects" by Klan-type organizations, including the burning of Mose's Tire Shop in Talullah, Louisiana;

On 7/10/67 at Route One, Clayton, Louisiana

by SA GEORGE F. BENZ
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negroes were to be shipped into the parish from "outside" to attend Catahoula Parish Schools this year.

These Klan leaders, including GERALD CRAWFORD, LONNIE COTTON, SONNY TAYLOR, and JOHNNY HENDERSON, were discussing plans to reorganize and reactivate the old Harrisonburg Unit of the OKKKK of Louisiana.

CHESTER COKER was in Catahoula Parish again during this week and he was urging the above Klan leaders to reorganize, obviously in an effort to gain political support for himself in the coming elections in which he is a candidate for Louisiana State Representative from that area.

SCOTTY WRIGHT had made the statement about two weeks ago that he was going to Harrisonburg to visit SONNY TAYLOR, indicating that he had something to talk to TAYLOR about. WRIGHT has not contacted TAYLOR to date.

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JAMES HORACE "SONNY" TAYLOR was involved in an automobile accident between Jonesville and Harrisonburg, Louisiana, on 7/24/67. TAYLOR stated that he was recuperating satisfactorily from injuries received in this wreck and he was not connected with other Klansmen in the Catahoula Parish area.

On 7/31/67 TAYLOR went to Vidalia, Louisiana, for the purpose of attempting to contact R. J. GLOVER. TAYLOR drove up to the carport of GLOVER's stepson's home, honked his horn, and GLOVER's stepson came outside. TAYLOR asked to see GLOVER and the stepson asked TAYLOR who he was. When TAYLOR told him his name, the stepson said, "GLOVER said he does not want to see you and for you to go to hell". TAYLOR then left although he was certain that GLOVER was home at the time.

TAYLOR was driving a newly acquired 1964 Ford pickup truck, white over blue in color, with a red stripe around the sides, bearing current Louisiana license 567-844.

On 7/28/67 the following Klan leaders in the Harrisonburg, Louisiana area were in contact with each other and continued to talk about the rumor that three

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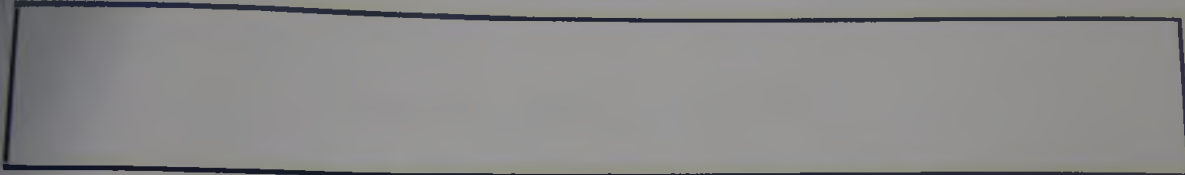
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Source has been unable to develop further information concerning possible alleged existance of a Women's Auxiliary Unit of the OKKKK in Ferriday--Clayton, Louisiana area.

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Brief description of activity or material SCOTTY WRIGHT contacted; no further info as to possible existence of a Women's Auxiliary of the OKKKK in Ferriday--Clayton, La. area.		File where original is located if not attached []

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Reference New Orleans report of SA
JOHN A. PFEIFER, 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.

APPENDIX

CHARACTERIZATION OF SILVER DOLLAR GROUP

On April 4, 1967, and on May 3, 1967, two sources 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, United Klans of America, Inc., and the Original Knights of the Ku Klux Klan from Louisiana, and Mississippi. 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.

APPENDIX

A P P E N D I X

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 that on August 31, 1967, 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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On June 2, 1968, SCAROBOROUGH, R. D. MORACE, also known to source to be a member of the Ferriday - Clayton Unit of the OKKKK and the SDG, R. J. GLOVER, known to be a member of the SDG, and KENNETH NORMAN HEAD, known to be a member of the SDG, reportedly met at HEAD'S home in Ferriday, Louisiana to discuss the situation. They reportedly decided that in the future they would shoot any Negroes who caused any trouble outside the business district in Natchez but would let the police handle them in the business district. SCAROBOROUGH reportedly asked one of the men at the meeting to contact SCOTTIE WRIGHT and tell him to be on standby each weekend and if he should leave home to leave information where he could be reached by telephone. In the event of trouble with the Negroes in Natchez, the men could gather quickly. Reportedly, SCAROBOROUGH was advised later that WRIGHT had been contacted as requested.

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NO T-2 on March 20, 1968, advised that on March 5, 1968, C. A. HOWINGTON and R. S. WRIGHT of the Ferriday - Clayton unit of the OKKKK reportedly told other Klansmen that their Klan unit had not been meeting because the FBI is checking their activities too closely. However, they reportedly both advised that things are being taken care of that need to be taken care of and that the members are keeping in touch with one another. WRIGHT reportedly stated that things were pretty quiet in the Ferriday area at the present time and he felt that if things came up he would not have any trouble getting someone to do whatever needed to be done. WRIGHT reportedly advised that most of the members do not want to attend meetings at the present time because they think they can be more effective by working undercover.

NO T-3 on May 29, 1968, advised that on May 24, 1968 C. A. HOWINGTON and Klansman RAYMOND S. WRIGHT both of whom live in Louisiana and are employed in the International Paper Company, Natchez, Mississippi, discussed the recent burning of Negro business establishments in Ferriday, Louisiana. These business establishments consisted of a juke joint, pressing shop, grocery store and several Negro shacks. This fire occurred approximately one week to ten day previously. HOWINGTON indicated that E. D. MORACE, RAYMOND S. WRIGHT, KENNETH BEASLEY, BLUE HOLLOWAY and HOWINGTON set the fires.

NO T-4 advised on June 11, 1968, that on June 1, 1968, JAMES SCAROBOROUGH, who is known to source to be a member of the Ferriday - Clayton unit of the OKKKK and the SDG reportedly was expressing his concern over the Negro situation in Natchez, Mississippi where the Negroes reportedly were rioting in the Natchez business district. SCAROBOROUGH reportedly wanted men available to go to Natchez to shoot them.

The home of R. S. WRIGHT is reached by driving from Ferriday, Louisiana to Clayton, Louisiana on the Ferriday-Clayton highway, by turning right onto the hard surfaced road passing in front of the Clayton Post Office and continuing for approximately two miles to the levee, which should be crossed. After crossing the levee on this same road, a mail box bearing the name R. S. WRIGHT is located approximately 400 yards from the levee and to the left of the mail box is the frame home owned by WRIGHT.

B. Employment

On July 10, 1968, Mrs. R. S. WRIGHT advised that her husband continues to work days at the International Paper Company, Natchez, Mississippi.

C. Automobile Data

On July 10, 1968, Mrs. WRIGHT advised that her husband drives a Ford sedan and an old white Ford pickup truck.

On July 15, 1968, it was observed that a pink and white 1957 Ford four door sedan with 1968-69 Louisiana license 51E142 and an old model white Ford pickup truck, current Louisiana truck license, number obscured, was parked in the carport at the home of R. S. WRIGHT.

II. CONNECTION WITH KLAN OR HATE-TYPE ORGANIZATIONS:

NO T-1 advised on February 7, 1968, that former Klansman HOWARD WRIGHT, the father of SCOTTIE WRIGHT, on February 6, 1968, reportedly advised other Klansmen that he is not active in the Klan now nor in the recent past and is not interested in becoming active in the Klan. SCOTTIE WRIGHT is known to be a member of the Ferriday - Clayton Unit of the OKKKK.

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port of: SA JOHN A. PFELFER Office: New Orleans
date: 7/22/68
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Title: RAYMOND SCOTT WRIGHT

Character: RACIAL MATTERS - KLAN

Synopsis: RAYMOND SCOTT WRIGHT continues to reside at Clayton, La. and is employed at International Paper Company, Natchez, Miss.. He drives a pink and white 1957 Ford four door sedan with 1968-69 Louisiana license 51E142 and an old model white Ford pickup truck. Subject continues to associate closely with known Klansmen.

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DETAILS:

A characterization of the Original Knights of the Ku Klux Klan (OKKKK) and the Silver Dollar Group (SDG) are attached as appendices to this report.

I. BACKGROUND:

A. Residence

On July 10, 1968, Mrs. R. S. WRIGHT was contacted at her home outside Clayton, Louisiana and advised that she and her husband and family continue to reside at that address.

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This case is being placed in a pending inactive status and will be reopened in six months in order that the subject's residence, employment and Klan activities can be verified.

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ADMINISTRATIVE:

Investigative period reflects date of file review for preparation of report.

An extra copy of this report is being furnished to the Bureau for dissemination to Secret Service, Washington, D. C., in view of the fact that the subject falls within the category 5(c), of the agreement between the FBI and Secret Service concerning Presidential protection.

One copy of this report is being furnished locally to Secret Service, MIG, and NISO, all in New Orleans, in view of their continued interest in Klan matters.

An information copy of this report is being furnished the Jackson Division because subject is employed in Natchez, Mississippi.

Investigation of this subject was reopened and investigated in investigation conducted because he was one of the Klansmen investigated in connection with the prior bomb incident in Natchez, Mississippi and because of his continued association with known members of the Silver Dollar Group.

For the information of the Bureau, the fire in Ferriday, La., described by NO T-3 was thoroughly investigated by the local state fire marshal and no evidence of arson was developed and no evidence obtained through any other source that this fire was anything but accidental.

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NON-PROSECUTIVE SUPPLEMENTAL SUMMARY REPORT

REFERENCE: New Orleans report of SA NATHAN O. BROWN, dated 1/25/68.

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Subject has been under investigation because he was a close associate of several klansmen and other individuals in the area investigated in connection with the bombing death of WHARLEST JACKSON, which was handled as a Bureau special under the code name "Wharboon."

LEADS:

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AT NATCHEZ, MISSISSIPPI. Will re-verify WRIGHT's employment at International Paper Company; will recontact [redacted] or any other informants likely to have current knowledge of his activities.

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AT CLAYTON, LOUISIANA. Will reverify subject's residence and conduct appropriate investigation concerning his more recent activities.

SA WOOTEN, recontact [redacted] and [redacted]
[redacted]

SA COYLE, recontact [redacted]

The foregoing investigation should be completed on or before 1/15/69 so that appropriate LHM or other communication can be prepared on or before 1/28/69.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT
Memorandum

TO : SAC, JACKSON (

DATE: 12/12/68

FROM : SAC, NEW ORLEANS (157-3789)

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SUBJECT: RAYMOND SCOTT WRIGHT, aka;
RM - KLAN

Re report of SA JOHN A. PFEIFER dated 7/22/68
at New Orleans.

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

[Redacted] handled by SA WOOTEN
[Redacted] handled by SA COYLE
[Redacted] handled by SA WOOTEN

I. BACKGROUND

A. RESIDENCE

In a rural area near Clayton, La.

B. EMPLOYMENT

Subject was last known to be on the day shift at
International Paper Company, Natchez, Mississippi.

C. AUTOMOBILE DATA

1957 pink and white Ford, four-door sedan bearing
1968-69 La. license 5LE142; old model white Ford pickup truck
bearing 1968-69 license, number as yet unknown.

D. CONNECTION WITH KLAN

In the past informants have described subject as
a close associate of klansmen, SDG members and minutemen in
the Natchez, Mississippi - Ferriday - Clayton, Louisiana area.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, NEW ORLEANS (157-3789)

DATE: 1/30/69

FROM : SAC, JACKSON (157-7639) (RUC)

SUBJECT: RAYMOND SCOTT WRIGHT, aka;
RM - KLAN

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Re New Orleans letter to Jackson, 12/12/68.

On 1/30/69, ROBERT A. MARLER, Administrative Director, International Paper Company, Natchez, Miss., advised that RAYMOND SCOTT WRIGHT is currently employed as a technician in the technical department of International Paper Company, under Social Security number [redacted]

[redacted] has been discontinued and not being recontacted as a number of New Orleans informants are aware of subject's activities.

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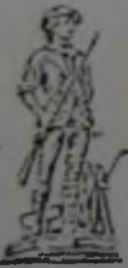
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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
New Orleans, Louisiana
January 29, 1968

Title RAYMOND SCOTT WRIGHT

Character RACIAL MATTERS (KLAN)

Reference Report of SA NATHAN O.
BROWN, 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.

· NO T-6, with whom insufficient contact has been made to establish his reliability.

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WHITE KNIGHTS OF THE
KU KLUX KLAN OF MISSISSIPPI

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

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

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in complete secrecy from the public and government investigative agencies, and the other group to be made up of members who have been publicly identified and who will become active in the Patriotic party. The first group will go completely underground and will continue to emphasize intelligence activities and resistance warfare training programs. The first national convention of the Patriotic Party was held July 3 and 4, 1966, at Kansas City, Missouri, with DePugh acting as chairman. About 300 individuals attended this convention. The second annual convention of the Patriotic Party was held July 2, 3, and 4, 1967, Kansas City, Kansas, with approximately 240 persons attending. DePugh resigned as National Chairman at the convention, however, he stated he would continue in an advisory capacity. The delegates, at DePugh's urging, endorsed former Governor of Alabama, George Wallace and William Penn Patrick, millionaire cosmetics manufacturer of San Rafael, California, as president and vice president candidates in the 1968 elections.

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The "Minutemen" was organized in June, 1960. Its present headquarters are Norborne, Missouri. Robert B. DePugh, Norborne, Missouri, has been publicly identified as the National Coordinator of the organization. DePugh has stated the membership of the "Minutemen" to be in excess of 35,000 members, however, confidential sources state this figure is greatly exaggerated and that a more true estimate would be between 800 and 2,000 members. Statements by DePugh and literature distributed by the organization indicate its purpose to be the resistance to, and exposure of, the spread of Communist influence within the United States; for the formation of a guerrilla or underground organization to combat the troops of any foreign powers which might eventually occupy this country; and resist passage of laws which would regulate private ownership of firearms.

The "Kansas City Star Newspaper" has on numerous occasions contained articles concerning the "Minutemen", wherein it was stated that members of the organization participate in maneuvers utilizing guerrilla tactics with machine guns, mortars, grenades, and other firearms. DePugh has publicly stated that "Minutemen" as an organization does not buy or store arms or ammunition; however, individual members are urged to maintain arms and ammunition, which is their constitutional right. "Minutemen" has given instructions in the use of explosive compounds from such readily accessible ingredients as common fertilizer, ammonium nitrate. Robert DePugh, along with his close associate Walter Patrick Peyson and Troy Haughton, West Coast Regional Coordinator, were convicted in U. S. District Court of violation of the Federal Firearms Act. All were sentenced to prison and all are free on bond pending their appeals to the 8th Circuit Court of Appeals, St. Louis, Missouri.

On October 30, 1966, the New York City Police Department arrested 19 members of the "Minutemen", charging them with "conspiracy to commit arson", and "Illegal possession of firearms". An inventory of firearms seized as a result of these arrests included 115 rifles, 26 handguns, 8 automatic weapons, 3 bazookas, 2 mortars, 1 anti-tank gun and an unknown quantity of ammunition.

In April, 1966, DePugh stated the "Minutemen" organization was then dividing itself into two bodies: One group to be members who have been able to maintain their identity

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

Source furnished the following information regarding the UKA in Louisiana:

Source advised on August 26, 1966, that the headquarters for the UKA for the State of Louisiana is located at Post Office Box 251, Monroe, Louisiana.

The aims and purposes of the UKA in Louisiana are the promotion of Americanism, white supremacy, and the segregation of the races, which aims and purposes are identical to the parent organization which is headquartered at Tuscaloosa, Alabama, and directed by Imperial Wizard Robert M. Shelton.

This same source further advised that a portion of the monthly dues paid by the Louisiana members of the UKA is forwarded to the Alabama Rescue Service, which is a cover name for the UKA headquarters located at Tuscaloosa, Alabama.

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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 that on August 31, 1967, 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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Date 8/7/67

RAYMOND S. WRIGHT, Route 1, Clayton, Louisiana, was contacted at his residence and denied being a member of the Klan or Silver Dollar Group (SDG) and denied knowing RED GLOVER although he stated he read about GLOVER's arrest in a newspaper recently. He admitted knowing JAMES SCARBOROUGH and stated SCARBOROUGH was his deer hunting buddy but denied knowing other Klan members and associates of GLOVER. WRIGHT asked if the newspaper had twisted around J. EDGAR HOOVER's comments about whether or not there was conspiracy in the riots which have occurred throughout the country. He refused to furnish any other information but was cordial throughout the interview.

8/3/67

at Clayton, Louisiana

Jackson 44-2044
File # New Orleans 157-3789

SAs JOHN WILLIARD, THOMAS and
ROBERT E. BASHAM /REB:jls

Date dictated 8/4/67

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NO T-1 advised on July 11, 1967, that he had received information that attempts were being made to re-organize the Vidalia-Ferriday-Clayton Units of the OKKKK during July, 1967, and that SCOTTIE WRIGHT was being considered among the individuals to ~~organize~~ this re-organization.

NO T-3 advised on August 15, 1967, that both SCOTTIE WRIGHT and his father were members of the OKKKK during 1964 and 1965.

NO T-4 advised on August 16, 1967, that SCOTTIE WRIGHT, whom he considers a well known member of the Ferriday-Clayton Unit of the OKKKK, is not believed to be a member of the Silver Dollar Group.

NO T-5 advised on November 8, 1967, that the Clayton-Ferriday Unit of the OKKKK has not been active and NO T-5, therefore, had no information indicating whether or not RAYMOND WRIGHT was presently active in the Klan.

NO T-1 advised on October 10, 1967, that a proposed meeting of the Silver Dollar Group was set for October 15, 1967, and he had received information that SCOTTIE WRIGHT, a former officer in the Ferriday-Clayton Unit of the OKKKK, had indicated he planned to attend that meeting.

NO T-6 advised on November 22, 1967, that he heard that members of the "Minutemen" in Concordia Parish, Louisiana, were being drawn from the ranks of the National Rifle Association in that area. NO T-6 stated that R. S. "SCOTTIE" WRIGHT, the former Exalted Cyclops of the Ferriday-Clayton Unit of the OKKKK, may be a member of the Minutemen, as he heard WRIGHT was contacting individuals and asking them to join the NRA club.

NO T-4 advised on December 13, 1967, that RAYMOND SCOTT WRIGHT, Route 1, Clayton, Louisiana, who is employed at the ~~International~~ Paper Company at Natchez, Mississippi, was formerly the Exalted Cyclops of the Ferriday-Clayton Unit of the OKKKK but has been inactive in the Klan since this Unit stopped meeting about one year ago.

III. INTERVIEW OF SUBJECT

C. AUTOMOBILE DATA

NO T-4 advised further on December 13, 1967, that WRIGHT operates a 1957 tan and white Ford, license number unknown.

D. POSITION IN KLAN

NO T-4 stated on December 13, 1967, that WRIGHT was the Exalted Cyclops of the Ferriday-Clayton Unit of the OKKKK until about one year ago, when this unit stopped meeting. According to NO T-4, WRIGHT has been inactive in the Klan since that time.

11. CONNECTION WITH KLAN OR HATE-TYPE GROUPS

NO T-1 advised on August 8, 1967, that SCOTTIE WRIGHT, the Exalted Cyclops of the Ferriday-Clayton Unit of the OKKKK, was reportedly a member of the "Silver Dollar Group", a Klan organization. NO T-1 stated that at that time, WRIGHT was considering re-organization of the old Ferriday-Clayton Unit of the OKKKK.

NO T-1 noted, however, on August 8, 1967, that he had determined that SCOTTIE WRIGHT was not actually a member of the Silver Dollar Group.

It is noted that NO T-1 and NO T-4 on April 4, 1967, and on May 3, 1967, respectively, 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 UKA and the OKKKK, from Mississippi and Louisiana. No formal organizational arrangement was adopted by the group and membership was attained by invitation and upon receipt of a \$1 silver coin from the group organizer RALEIGH JACKSON GLOVER.

NO T-2 advised on August 8, 1967, that he had no information at that time concerning current membership of Klan Units in the Vidalia-Ferriday-Clayton, Louisiana, area, but recalled that in 1962-63 there were 18 active members of the Ferriday Unit of the OKKKK, one of whom was SCOTTIE WRIGHT, who resided at Clayton, Louisiana, and was employed at the International Paper Company.

B. EMPLOYMENT

On June 20, 1967, J. C. WILSON, Mill Accountant, International Paper Company, Natchez, advised SA ROBERT E. BASHAM that their records indicated that RAYMOND SCOTT WRIGHT was presently residing at Route 1, Clayton, Louisiana, and that he was presently employed as a reel tester and has been employed at the plant since November 7, 1952. He advised that WRIGHT just finished working the graveyard shift and is working on the 3:00 P.M. to 11:00 P.M. shift at present and will be working on this shift for a week.

WILSON advised that their records reflect WRIGHT's Social Security Number is [REDACTED]. The records also reflect that WRIGHT was previously employed by Wilson Company and was a log skill from June, 1949, to October, 1949, and that this was a Natchez, Mississippi, concern, which is presently out of business. He said that prior to the time of this employment, he allegedly worked for his father on his father's farm, which was in 1948. He said that between 1949 and 1951, WRIGHT allegedly served in the United States Army Infantry as a Corporal and his occupation was machine gunner. He advised that according to WRIGHT, when he applied for a position with the company, he mentioned that he had been captured in Korea and was a prisoner of war but managed to escape. He also claimed he had served the Korean death march.

WILSON advised that WRIGHT is married to BETTY LOIS CARRAWAY and they have two children, a boy born in 1954 and a girl born in 1956. His parents were listed as RAYMOND L. WRIGHT of Manifest, Louisiana, and his mother was listed as MABLE SCOTT of Jonesville, Louisiana.

WILSON advised it was mentioned that WRIGHT had a sister but her name was not listed in the records. The only reference furnished was a Mr. RICHARDS, who worked for Wilson and Company in 1952. He advised that WRIGHT indicated he graduated from Harrisonburg, Louisiana High School in 1948.

NO T-4 advised on December 13, 1967, that WRIGHT continues to be employed at the International Paper Company, Natchez, Mississippi.

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SA NATHAN O. BROWN
1/29/68

Office: NEW ORLEANS

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Bureau File #: 157-3919

RAYMOND SCOTT WRIGHT

RACIAL MATTERS (KLAN)

RAYMOND SCOTT WRIGHT resides Clayton, La., and is employed at International Paper Co., Natchez, Miss. WRIGHT has been described as the former Exalted Cyclops of the Ferriday-Clayton, La. Unit of the OKKKK, but at this time, is reportedly inactive in Klan affairs. WRIGHT was interviewed in August, 1967, and denied any membership in the Klan.

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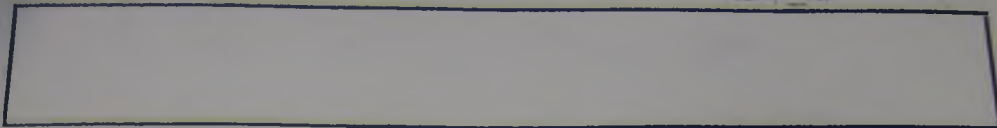
Characterizations of the Original Knights of the Ku Klux Klan (OKKKK), the United Klans of America (UKA), and the Minutemen are attached in the appendix section of this report, also White Knights of the Ku Klux Klan of Mississippi (V

I. BACKGROUND

A. RESIDENCE

NO T-4 advised on December 13, 1967, that RAYMOND SCOTT WRIGHT, who is also known as "SCOTTIE" WRIGHT, resides on Route 1, Clayton, Louisiana.

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ADMINISTRATIVE

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One copy of this report is being furnished to Secret Service, New Orleans, Louisiana, for the same reason.

Copies are also being furnished to MIG and NISO, New Orleans, in view of their interest in Klan matters.

One copy of this report is being furnished to the Jackson Division for their information in view of the fact that subject is employed in Natchez, Miss., and was previously investigated in connection with the Warbon special.

The investigative period of this report reflects date of file review only and not dates of actual investigation.

As sources have advised that subject is not now active in the Klan, he no longer meets the criteria for continued investigation and this matter is being placed in a closed status. In the event information is received reflecting he meets the criteria for continued investigation, a supplemental report will be submitted.

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NON-PROSECUTIVE SUPPLEMENTAL SUMMARY REPORT

REFERENCE: New Orleans report of SA MICHAEL L. COLEMAN, 6/12/67.

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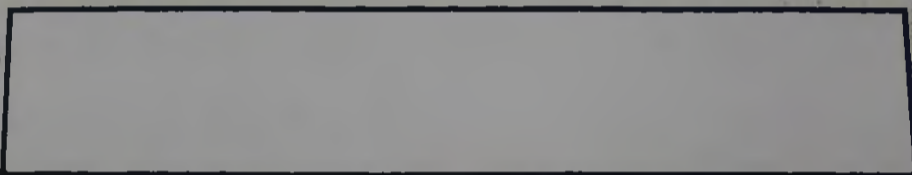
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Character RACIAL MATTERS - KLAN
Reference New Orleans report of
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HOOD dated January 27, 1969.

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nothing has been reported to indicate that he is involved in the OKKKK the SDC or the Minutemen.

NO T-1 advised on December 17, 1968 that RAYMOND SCOTT WRIGHT, who lives on the Rural Route in Clayton, Louisiana, and employed at International Paper Company, Natchez, Mississippi is inactive in the OKKKK or any other Klan type organization and that he is not a member of the SDC or the Minutemen.

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B) Employment

NO T-1 advised on December 17, 1968 that RAYMOND SCOTT WRIGHT still is employed by International Paper Company, Natchez, Mississippi.

C) Automobile Data

NO T-1 advised on December 17, 1968 that WRIGHT still has the 1957 pink and white Ford, four door sedan bearing 1968-1969 Louisiana license number 51E142. In addition to this car WRIGHT also has an old model Ford white pickup but the exact Louisiana license is not known for this vehicle.

D) Position in Klan

None. NO T-1 advised on December 17, 1968 that RAYMOND SCOTT WRIGHT has been inactive in the OKKKK or any other Klan type organizations and that he is not a member of the SDG or Minutemen.

II. AFFILIATION WITH KLAN OR OTHER HATE TYPE ORGANIZATIONS

NO T-1 advised on November 13, 1968 that RAYMOND SCOTT WRIGHT, also known as "SCOTTY" WRIGHT, along with HANK HOWINGTON and E.D. MORACE during mid-November, 1968 discussed the possibility of a reorganization of the Ferriday-Clayton Unit of the OKKKK. At this time the individuals thought that the reorganized unit might be needed in connection with the school integration of September, 1969. At this time MORACE discouraged the possible reorganization by pointing out that violence had not worked in the past. MORACE did agree to take part in the reorganization in the event it was ever decided to reorganize the unit.

NO T-2 advised on December 30, 1968 that nothing has been heard in the past several months concerning any Klan activities on the part of RAYMOND SCOTT WRIGHT, add that

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Report of: CLEMENT J. HOOD Office: New Orleans
Date: January 27, 1969

Field Office File #: 157-3789 Bureau File #: 157-3919

Title: RAYMOND SCOTT WRIGHT

Character: RACIAL MATTER - KLAN

Synopsis:

RAYMOND SCOTT WRIGHT still resides at Clayton, La., and is employed by International Paper Company, Natchez, Miss. WRIGHT is currently reported as being inactive in any Klan organizing and is not currently considered to be a member of the SDG (Silver Dollar Group) or the Minuteman organization.

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DETAILS:

Characterizations of the following organizations are attached as appendices to this report:

Original Knights of the Ku Klux Klan (OKKKK)
Silver Dollar Group (SDG)
Minutemen

I. BACKGROUND INFORMATION

A) Residence

NO T-1 advised on December 17, 1968 that RAYMOND SCOTT WRIGHT still resides on the Rural Route near Clayton, Louisiana.

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One copy of this report is being furnished to Jackson since the subject is employed in Natchez, Mississippi.

This case is being placed in closed status in view of the fact no information has been received that subject continues to be active in any klan organization. In the event subject resumes his klan activity, and meets the existing criteria, this case will be reopened and a supplemental summary report will be submitted.

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