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On 10/26/65 ROYAL YOUNG contacted ROBERT FULLER by phone and asked FULLER and some of his Original Ku Klux Klan of America, Inc. (OKA) leaders to come to Shreveport and meet with some of the old Klan leaders of that area in order to explain the operation and goals of the OKA. YOUNG indicated that Klan interest in the Shreveport and Northwestern Louisiana area is at a low ebb, and he felt that maybe FULLER and his OKA group would be able to stimulate some interest in the Klan in that area. YOUNG also said that he would explain his group, The American Royal Rangers, to the OKA men.

FULLER said that he was agreeable to meeting with YOUNG and any other Klansmen that he could get together. YOUNG said that he would meet with FULLER at the Kickapoo Motel in Bossier City on the night of 10/28/65, and he said that he would have "Boots" JOHNSON of the Leton, Louisiana, area, but who was active in the Klan in the Minden and Bossier City area, at the meeting. He also said that he expected to be able to get some of the former Klan leaders from the Benton and Coushatta, Louisiana, area to attend the meeting.

On 10/27/65 YOUNG again called FULLER, this time from Vicksburg, Mississippi, as YOUNG stated that he was in Vicksburg in connection with his railroad job. YOUNG told FULLER that he was having difficulty getting men together for the meeting, but he still wanted to meet with FULLER, and he said that the meeting was still set for 10/28/65 at the Kickapoo Motel.

On 10/28/65 FULLER and JERRY LEE HAYES, the Great Titan of Cuachita Parish of the OKA, drove to the outskirts of Bossier City and called YOUNG, who advised that he had been unable to get any others together for a meeting, and he told FULLER to come out to his house instead of going to the Kickapoo Motel. FULLER and HAYES then drove out to YOUNG's house and met with him for approximately an hour. YOUNG said that he had organized his American Royal Rangers along military lines and said that all members are fingerprinted and photographed and receive identification cards. He would not say what his total membership was but did say that the following individuals were on his staff of officers:

JOHNNY BATES

C. D. BATES

HOUSTON MORRIS

WILLIS J. KIDD

JACK YOUNG (brother of ROYAL)

CHARLEY PIERSON

FULLER asked YOUNG if they had any weapons, and YOUNG replied that they did not have an arsenal or weapons at the present time.

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YOUNG said that he has about decided to forget about reorganizing the Klan in the Shreveport area although he claimed that there are still people in contact with him who are interested in the Klan. YOUNG then took FULLER and HAYKS to his boat house and gave them a box of Klan literature which included some Knights of the Ku Klux Klan membership applications, some April, 1963, Konstitutions of The Original Knights of the Ku Klux Klan (OKKKK), and some OKKKK Klorans which YOUNG said dated from 1960. YOUNG then gave then 42 robes and hoods, some of which were officers' robes, saying that he did not want them any longer and that they could probably put them to good use in the OKA. YOUNG did not ask for any money for any of the material he gave to FULLER and HAYES. YOUNG closed out the meeting by stating that if he could get a firm connitment from interested Klansmen that he would ask FULLER to return and talk to those interested in rebuilding the Klan.

J. C. TANNER of Rayville, Louisiana, was reportedly on a week-long drinking spree after having another marital spat with his wife. TANNER reportedly is driving without a driver's license, as it was taken away from him because of either a DWI conviction or some other conviction. TANNER was among those Klansmen contacted by Mississippi Klansmen who were asking for Northeast Louisiana Klansmen to attend the planned Klan protest march in Natchez, Mississippi on 10/30/65.

The march was being planned to Glncide with a Civil Rights march supposedly to be led by CHARLES EVERS of the NAACP. A man who identified himself as "BO" EAILEY of McComb, Mississippi, contacted ROBERT FULLER of the OKA and asked him to send men, but FULLER said that he would not send any men because he had heard that E. V. MC DANIEL of the United Klans was organizing the march, and FULLER did not want to send his men to a UKA-sponsored affair. LEROY COUNTS, a Natchez, Mississippi, taxi driver, was also making phone calls to several Northeast Louisiana Klansmen asking them to come and bring men to the march. The march was supposedly set for 10 A.M., and the Klansmen were to gather at the Eola Hotel in Natchez at 9 A.M.

On 10/26/65 JACK SAUCIER, the Grand Titan of the OKA, attended the regular weekly meeting of the Oak Grove, Louisiana, Unit of the OKA. SAUCIER reported that there were about 25 men at the meeting although C. L. SMITH, The Great Titan of West Carroll Parish, and LLOYD SULLIVAN, the E.C. of the Oak Grove Unit, both claimed that they had taken in many new members as a result of the rally that was held in Oak Grove several weeks ago.

Rev. HARRY MC DONALD has reportedly resigned as E.C. of the Rayville OKA unit, and HOUSTON BRUCE is now acting as E.C. until a new E.C. is elected. The reason for MC DONALD's resignation was not made known.

On 10/27/65 JERRY LEE HAYES attended the regular weekly meeting of West Monroe Unit #2 of the OKA held at the Klavern which is located in an old camp out of Eros, Louisiana. JIMMIE GRIFFIN, the E.C. of the unit, presided at the meeting, and two new members were taken in. The new men are MELVIN RIDER and JAMES ROGERS.

Source advised that he has no information concerning the fires in Tallulah at the WILLIE HAYNES residence, NOLLEY's Store, and MOSE's Tire Shop.

Source also advised he had no information on the current Klan activities of ROBERT BYLES, FREDDIE SULLIVAN, and BOBBY SULLIVAN. Cover Sheet for Informant Report or Material FD-306 (3-21-58)

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Bogalusa, Louisiana November 16, 1965

On November 13, 1965, SAXON FARMER related as to how he first became aware that Klansmen in the Pearl River area were to be arrested for burning two Negro churches.

He said that he was at his residence during one noon hour when he received a telephone call from OSSIE BROWN, an attorney from Baton Rouge, who told FARMER to locate S. J. PARKER and the both of them should come to see him at a pre-arranged location. FARMER stated that he and PARKER subsequently met with BROWN, and BROWN, without mentioning any names, related that he had learned that a group of men from Pearl River area were to be arrested either later that day or the next day for burning two Negro churches as well as being suspected of burning down the Pearl River Junior High School.

BROWN said that he wanted FARMER to hereby attempt to locate individuals who would be willing to put up property bonds for the persons arrested and that the individual bonds probably would be \$10,000.00 apiece.

FARMER related that PARKER was to contact individuals in St. Tammany Parish and that particularly H. F. MAGEE, the Ford dealer at Slidell, as well as the owner of Bosco's Restaurant in Slidell, should be contacted. FARMER related, however, that MAGEE refused to put up any bond and the owner of Bosco's did likewise.

FARMER stated that in about one day's time, a total of approximately \$85,000.00 in property bonds was raised and that the individuals who were subsequently arrested were released on the following day with the use of these property bonds.

FARMER related that ROBERT FULLER and his organization from North Louisiana, with whom the group from Pearl River and Slidell had recently associated themselves with, would do nothing to help the members arrested. FARMER said that FULLER had previously told members in these areas that he was a good friend of the Governor of the State and that if any members were arrested, he would be able, through the Governor, to get the charges reduced to lesser charges.

FARMER stated the only persons who now will help the individuals arrested are the members of the ACCA.

FARMER went on to relate that he wanted all of his Assistant Titans to visit the various Klan Units in the area of the Sixth Louisiana District in order to point out to members of these units that elections would soon be held for the position of Grand Dragon, Grand Titan, and so forth.

FARMER said he wanted all his Assistant Titans to project his name and to tell the members how hard he has worked for the ACCA, that he is always available at any time, day or night, and that under no circumstances has he ever attempted to use the ACCA for his own personal gain nor would he ever furnish any information regarding ACCA activities either to Mayor CUTRER or Governor MC KEITHEN.

Source stated that FARMER noted there had been a lack of a free flow of information regarding ACCA activities between the groups of the Bogalusa area and those in the Baton Rouge area, and as a result, he wanted the source to act in the capacity of a courier. FARMER wanted the source to travel to Baton Rouge periodically and supply his Assistant Titans in this area with what was going on in the Bogalusa area and then bring back to Bogalusa information about activity in the Baton Rouge area. FARMER stated that H. W. NICKENS, who is employed by the Miller Buick Company in Baton Rouge, is one of his Assistant Titans, as well as LESTER ROBINSON, telephone #358-1038.

FARMER related that NICKENS' office telephone number is DI 2-1121, and home telephone # is 358-1826.

FARMER related that H. B. TATE, who resides at Pine Grove, Louisiana, telephone 777-4491, is also an Assistant Titan, as well as JACK BURCH, who resides at Watson, Louisiana, and that JACK BURCH is listed as JOHN BURCH in the telephone directory.

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FARMER told the source in his job as courier, if he was ever in St. Francisville, Louisiana, area and needed any assistance, he should call Judge JOHN RARRICK, home telephone 635-3483, office telephone, Clinton, Louisiana, 683-0259. FARMER related to the source that if he was ever in Natchez and needed assistance, he should call GEORGE ROUSE, telephone 242-7542.

FARMER stated that if the source was ever in New Orleans, and needed assistance, he should contact HAROLD REYNOLDS, who resides at the corner of Mazant and Dauphine Streets and can be contacted through telephone 945-9475. FARMER stated that this telephone number is for Barbara's Beauty Shop which is operated by REYNOLDS' wife and that REYNOLDS resides in the rear of the shop. FARMER related that when he went to see NICKENS in Baton Rouge, he should inform NICKENS to tell BOB MAYLAND that if the printing press is still available that FARMER would send a truck to Baton Rouge to return this press to Bogalusa.

FARMER also related that JIM MERRITT had formerly been the Exalted Cyclops of the Unit at Pine, Louisiana, but had quit the Klan and that the Pine Unit no longer meets.

FARMER related that he has become aware of PETE HOLDEN at Covington and that HOLDEN is not to be trusted. FARMER did not relate the reason for this statement, but advised that he had heard that HOLDEN's Klan Unit at Covington had allegedly been disbanded.

FARMER related that JOHNNY MAGEE had to be removed from his present position as ACCA treasurer as he did not feel that MAGEE was doing his job and was not to be trusted. FARMER said he believed that MAGEE might be a pimp for Mayor CUIRER of Bogalusa.

FARMER related that the printer in Denham Springs had informed that he could run off the Klan newsletter on the evening of November 15, 1965.

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Source advised that MICHENS claiman that the AGCA ind the general Baton Houge area has been successful in adding members to their units as well as taking Kien Units away from the Original Kiens of America (ONA) and ROBERT FULLER. MICHENS did not give the location of these Kien Units, but stated that he had had members of the AGCA in the Baton Rouge area infiltrate FULLEN's Alan organization to created disrupting influence. NICHENS stated that he was also the Exclude Cyclope of a Kien Unit in Batom Rouge as well as the Assistant Fiten, but did not give the location of this Kien Walt.

NICHENS related that JACS BURCH who hives in Watson, Lonisians, located in Livingston Parish and Listed in the phone book as JAM BURCH, was an Assistant Titan. HICKING related that there is a Negro in the Baton Nouge area by the name of SAN TURNER who heads a segregationist organization and up of Negross. He claimed that TURNER sent some members to participate in the Seine to Montgomery march, and these persons were size to take movies and photographs of the three day sex orgy.

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#### November 16, 1965

Source advised that on the evening of November 13, 1965, he and SAXON FARMER traveled to the Pineview Salvage Company located between Pearl River and Slidell, Louisiana, which company is operated by AL BARDIN. The purpose of this trip was that the Original Klans of America (OKA) which BARDIN had recently associated his Klan group with was scheduled to hold a meeting and a rally.

Upon arriving at this location it was discovered that there were no vehicles in the area and that a meeting or a rally was not in progress.

Source stated he and FARMER went to the residence of AL BARDIN where they were informed by BARDIN that the reason there was momenting or rally was that ROBERT FULLER of the Original Klans of America was scheduled to leave on that date under subpoena and travel to attend the House Committee on Un-American Activities hearings in Washington, D.C.

BARDIN stated that he was sorry that he and his Klan Unit had ever become associated with FULLER and the OKA. BARDIN stated that FULLER had assured him that if BARDIN or any members ever needed FULLER's help all they had to do was contact FULLER.

BARDIN stated that as a result of Klan members in the Pearl River area being arrested for burning Negro churches he had contacted FULLER for assistance. He said he asked FULLER to get in touch with the governor who in turn could get in touch with the local judge to have the charges against the men arrested, reduced. BARDIN said FULLER never returned his call and as a result, he and his Klan unit were breaking away from the OKA.

BARDIN related that the Klan rally scheduled for this date was to be held on his property. He stated that in order that he could not be accused of being a Klansman he had gone to the court house in Covington, Louisiana, and had leased ROBERT FULLER the area on which the rally was to be held. The lease was for a twenty-four hour period.

He said he had made this a matter of record in the event any individual came to him and accused him of being a Klan member, he could inform this person that he was not, and that he had merely leased part of his land to ROBERT FULLER.

BARDIN reiterated that sometime in the future the Klan in the area would have a rally out of doors,on Nursery Road,off Louisiana, Highway 41, near Pearl River.

Source advised that the name of ERIC PETERSON came up in the discussion and FARMER remarked that he thought PETERSON would be a good person for the position of Grand Dragon of the Anti-Communist Christian Association (ACCA), and BARDIN replied that he would support PETERSON.

FARMER related that when the elections have been held for the position of Grand Dragon and Grand Titan, these elections have never been held in Bogalusa. FARMER stated that because Bogalusa has the largest amount of Klansmen he felt that the election for these positions should be held in Bogalusa.

The discussion was returned to the OKA and then BARDIN remarked that in the past ROBERT FULLER and LOY SCARBOROUGH had come to his residence at which time they assured BARDIN that they were extremely close to Governor MC KEITHEN, and that if any of BARDIN's members were ever arrested all BARDIN would have to do is call FULLER or SCARBORQUEM and the individual or individuals would be released from jail within the hour.

BARDIN remarked that in order to raise bonds to secure the release of the men arrested in connection with the Negro church burnings, it had been necessary to get in excess of 50 persons to sign the bonds which would total the amount of bond placed on each individual.

BARDIN stated that because of the lack of money available and because additional money would be for legal fees, a defense fund had been established in the Pearl River -Slidell area to raise money to cover legal expenses. BARDIN stated that over \$250.00 had already been collected and it was possible that a raffle would be held in the future to raise additional revenue.

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Source advised that after he and FARMER left BARDIN's residence to return to Bogalusa they were stopped on the highway by a car of the Saint Tammany Parish Sheriff's Office. An individual by the name of CHARLES DILLON of the Sheriff's Office made FARMER display his driver's license. FARMER was then allowed to continue on his way; however, he became angry in that he said that it was obvious that this tactic had been instituted by the FBI in an attempt to harass FARMER.

On the returning to Bogalusa, FARMER remarked that OSCAR ANDERSON and his Klan Unit at Pearl River are still associated with ROBERT FULLER and the OKA, but he did not know why.

FARMER continued to state that none of the Klan Units at Pearl River or Slidell were in good shape in regards to obtaining money from the ACCA inasmuch as these units never paid any dues into the ACCA nor ever paid any assessments which other Klan Units had done. Cover Sheet for Informant Report or Material FD-306 (3-21-58)

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"On 11/11/65, there was an informal meeting at the home of DURWOOD WILHITE, the Grand Kleagle of the OKKKK. At this meeting, WILHITE stated that there was to be a regular scheduled meeting of the Tallulah Unit of the OKKKK on 11/12/65 at their Klavern building on WILHITE's property. WILHITE further advised that ROBERT FULLER, the Grand Dragon of the OKA was in the area of Tallulah, La. in the recent past has been reportedly trying to organize a unit of the OKA in the area. however WILHITE had no idea if this attempt at organization was successful. WILHITE also stated that he did not like the idea of another unit other the OKKKK in Madison Parish, however he would rather have the OKA than the UKA as he feels that that ROBERT SHELTON has been too open in his national statements and he would rather be more secretive.

"DURWOOD WILHITE also advised GEORGE WILHITE that he should not visit the Klaverns of the OKKKK in Province 5 for awhile as the HUAC hearings in Washington, DC, are now curtailed and the FBI and the Justice Department are probably trying to gather more information about the Klan for the reopening of these hearings. GEORGE WILHITE, the Great Klokard of Province 5 of the OKKKK, was thus told to cease his activity in this matter. WILHITE advised that he was in favor of all the members of the OKKKK not doing too much in the near future as the FBI would also try to have some Klansmen talk about their activities at the next hearings. "DURWOOD WILHITE advised that he has heard nothing about the fire at Tallulah on 10/30/65, and he feels that none of the members of the <u>OKKK</u> were responsible for the fire and that it probably was the Negroes themselves who burned down the tire shop to attract sympathy for their cause.

"On Monday, 11/15/65, there was a regular meeting of the Newellton Unit of the OKKKK. This meeting began at 7:30 P.M. and was held at the home of QUINCY BARFIELD.

"The main topic of discussion was the fire at Day's Washateria in Newellton, La. on 11/12/65. None of the members gave any indication that they were involved in the fire, however, most of the members felt that the local unit would be blamed for the fire due to the literature that they had sent DAY in the past concerning his integrated washateria.

"All the members present stated that everyone should be careful and not do anything for awhile because they will be watched by the Tensas Parish Sheriff's Office and may even be questioned about the fire.

"ROBERT BARFIELD, the E.C. of the Unit said that there had been some trouble in Ferriday, La. in the recent past involving picketing of a movie theater. He advised further that on 11/13/65, DURWOOD WILHITE had requested that members of the unit go to Ferriday on 11/14/65 but he stated that he would\_allow anyone to go due to the fire at Day's Washateria as he did not want the Klansmen to be seen in any activity.

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"The members then began to talk about the FBI tactics and what the Klansmen could do to avoid these measures taken by the FBI in order to obtain information. Most members feel that all the meetings are being bugged, their homes and cars are bugged, and just about anything they do is known to the FBI. ROBERT HAROLD and ROBERT BARFIELD seem to feel that it was almost impossible to keep the FBI from bugging the meetings, due to the fact that they have so many technical devices available to them. It was proposed that the only way to hold meetings in complete security was to drive into the woods, leave the cars and walk about a mile into the woods and hold the meeting.

"All present also agreed that anyone caught informing on the Klan will be killed sooner or later by some means not generally known to all people.

"It was announced that ROBERT BARFIELD and GEORGE WILHITE will attend the meeting of Province 5 of the OKKKK at Gilbert, La. on 11/20/65. BARFIELD stated that he was in hopes of discussing with the persons present at this meet, the idea about being called out to ball games or theaters. He feels that this becomes too much of a risk to the Klansmen involved and hopes that there can be someway that a unit can refused to send its members to such activities. He further pointed out that such activity is not well organized and whenever the members avrive on the scene, mobody seems to know exactly what to do.

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"It was further announced that there was to be a meeting of the Citizen Council of Tensas Parish in Newellton on 11/22 or 11/23/65 and that the meeting of the Newellton Unit of the OKKKK would take place on the whichever night the Council did not meet.

"The following persons were present at the meeting:

ROBERT BARFIELD, E. C.

QUINCY BARFIELD

GEORGE L. WILHITE

ROBERT HAROLD, KBI

#### HARVEY OGDEN

"It is further felt that members of the OKKKK at Newellton, Winnsboro, Wisner, and Tallulah, La. are capable of violent actions at any time and this has been manifested in the past, by the recent fires at Tallulah and Newellton, La. and also the church fires at Winnsboro, La. Any member who is active, therefore, can be considered as potentially capable of violent actions and needs to be watched or kept track of.

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"It also further felt that the fire at Day's Washateria on 11/12/65 has definite indications of <u>involment</u> of the Klan. There has been no indication from any of the members as of yet, but their will be efforts made to ascertain if they are responsible and specifically who may behind the plan. It is known that <u>the S.C. EMFINGER</u>, JR., the former KBI man of the unit has made statements in the past that he would see to it the Day's was burned or otherwise destroyed and that he could obtain individuals to do the job in broad daylight if necessary."

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#### INFORMATION CONCERNING HOWARD SWENSON

Howard Swenson of Pearl River, Louisiana, and salesmandriver for Evans Tobacco Company, Bogalusa, Louisiana, was overheard in conversation with another Klansman on November 12, 1965, to comment that the Klan Units in Bogalusa were in a state of confusion and good leadership was lacking. Swenson criticized Saxon Farmer for the handling of the Klan's defense in the Federal proceedings against the Washington Parish Klan Units. Swenson also criticized Ossie Brown, Attorney who represented the Klan, for his handling of the case.

Swenson stated that he is organizing a group of men who are already in the Klan and would start what he called a "Security Force" within the Klan. He explained that this select group would investigate all members thoroughly and keep a check on the activities of all Klansmen. Swenson stated that he is associated with the State organization of the Klan group of which Robert Fuller is the leader.

However, Swenson stated that they were attempting to relax a prohibition against allowing men with Catholic wives from joining the Klan. In that regard, Swenson stated that if investigation should prove the individual to be trustworthy and discrete, they would be allowed in the Klan organization even though their wives are devote Catholics.

### INFORMATION CONCERNING JEROME SWENSON

Jerome Swenson was active in the Klan unit at Bush, Louisiana. He is not known to have been active in Klan-type activities since the Bush Unit became inactive.

However, it is the opinion of this source that Jerome Swemson has a propensity towards violence and is known to have carried a gun, apparently of large caliber, in a plastic-type briefcase, along with various papers and notes.

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Information re beating of Negro couple and their white daughter-in-law furnished to Monroe Police Department. LHM sent re this incident and LHM re Slidell rally previously sent.

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On November 7, 1965, the Original Ku Klux Klan of America, Inc. (OKA) held a state-wide meeting at the Monroe Klavern on Moore Road, outside of Monroe, Louisiana. The meeting was presided over by ROBERT FULLER, the Grand Dragon of the OKA. Topics of discussion included the following:

It was resolved that the OKA would not have anything further to do with the Slidell and Pearl River Units; and HUGH MOORE, the Grand Kligrapp, announced that he had already sent a letter to these Units telling them not to send any dues and that their OKA Charters were immediately revoked. The OKA leaders had already decided on this course of action before the meeting, due to the fact that members of these Units had been arrested for church burnings and other acts of violence in St. Tammany Parish. It was felt that these Units were not fit to be associated with the OKA and several members spoke out against the cowardly acts of arson and the fact that these men had already committed these crimes before they were accepted into the OKA; and they never made this information known to the OKA. OSCAR ANDERSON and his wife, LOTTIE, were both at the meeting; and they, of course, had both been arrested in connection with the burnings. OSCAR ANDERSON gave a brief
plea for the OKA to remain in St. Tammany Parish, but his argument was ineffectual.

It was also discussed at the meeting that if the schools in Monroe are desegregated at mid-term that members should seriously consider taking their children out of school; and, further, that if it comes to this, that the OKA should start thinking about setting up some schooling system whereby their children would not have to be forced into attending an integrated school.

Further discussion was centered around the subject of rallies and ROBERT FULLER announced that the OKA was withdrawing its support of the planned rally at Slidell on November 13, 1965, and FULLER said that no members of the OKA should attend this rally. Representatives from the newly formed Unit at Tallulah, namely JOHN MORGAN and the PARKER brothers, ERNEST and JOHN, inquired as to the possibility of a rally in Tallulah, Louisiana, in the near future. However, it was decided that no further rallies would be held by the OKA until next spring, because of the colder weather in the winter months.

RICHARD LEE POSEY was named as Grand Klabee, or Treasurer, at the meeting; and this was the only new appointment made on the State level, with the exception of LEE

CRAWFORD being named as Deputy Grand Klokan. No one was named to fill the vacancy in the Grand Kleagle position.

Also discussed at the meeting was the incident in Monroe in which four OKA Klansmen, OTIS SIKES, RICHARD THOMPSON, JAMES HEDGEPATH, and GERALD PARDUE, were arrested for breaking into a Negro home and beating up the old Negro and his wife, and also beating up their daughter-in-law, who is white. It was generally agreed that this was a most stupid thing to do and emphasis in the discussion was centered on the fact that the OKA could not stand any bad publicity and that cross burnings and any acts of violence should be strictly avoided. Discussion then shifted to the fact that although these four were guilty, the OKA should not desert them and should raise money for their defense, since they had not been convicted and they would probably plead not guilty.

ROBERT FULLER spoke on the fact that he and Grand Titan JACK SAUCIER had both been subpoenaed by the House Committee and a special collection should be taken up of all members in order to raise money to pay the expenses of the trip to Washington.

The following Klansmen attended the November 7, 1965 OKA State meeting:

ROBERT FULLER and his wife JACK SAUCIER and his wife HUGH MOORE and his wife JERRY HAYES and his wife ABE ALLEN and his wife HAROLD GROSS and his wife OSCAR ANDERSON and his wife WILFORD BURGESS Dr. C. L. SMITH and his wife

FNU MARTIN and his wife

FRED LAING

JAMES LESLIE and his wife (He was previously referred to as "PREACHER" JAMES or "PREACHER" LESLIE; he is from Slidell, or Pearl River, Louisiana.)

MARVIN JAMIESON (He is in West Monroe Unit #1) and his wife, VIOLET

J. C. OLIVER CLIFF OLIVER J. C. TANNER HOUSTON BRUCE Rev. GEORGE BONNER E. G. BLACKWELDER

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JAMES KEENE (Rayville, Louisiana)

JOHN MORGAN

ERNEST PARKER

JOHN PARKER

MACK YATES (is a truck driver, possibly for

Sanderson Trucking)

JIMMIE GRIFFIN

JOE MANCILLAS

RICHARD LEE POSEY

WAYMAN JOHNSON

CHARLES FOX (Kitchenette Drive-In, Monroe, Louisiana,

formerly reported as JOHN FOX)

ROBERT RENFROE

W. D. BROWNING

JAMES BAYLES

LOUIS STOKES

LEE CRAWFORD

OITS SIKES

JAMES HEDGEPATH

GERALD M. PARDUE

RICHARD THOMPSON

ROBERT THOMPSON

# HENRY JEFFERY

WINDY BRUKES (may possibly be BURKE instead of

BRUKES)

WILL GARRISS (driver for Monroe Concrete Company) WAYNE WIBLE

BILL WOOLSEY, 1509 Sunset, Monroe, Louisiana

BILLY KNIGHT

BILLY STOVER

JOHN STRICKLAND and his wife, NELL

RAY WEDGEWORTH

"BUCK" ROBERTS

JACK WATKINS.

LLOYD SULLIVAN

The meeting was concluded with the announcement that new members of the OKA would be sworn in on November 8, 1965, at Monroe, Louisiana.

On November 10, 1965, the West Monroe OKA Unit #2 held a weekly meeting at their new meeting place, W. D. BROWNING'S Saw Mill, West Monroe, which is also used by West Monroe Unit #1 as a meeting place. ROBERT FULLER and ABE ALLEN showed up at the meeting after it had started and the main item of business was taken up with how the four members

of the Unit who had been arrested by the Monroe Police should plead to the charges against them. It was decided that they should plead not guilty and that all efforts should be made to stall the case until the sentiment against them had subsided. It was also decided that an attorney should be hired for them and the name of the attorney to be contacted to see if he would accept the case was JOE GUERRIERO, a prominent criminal attorney in Monroe. The four who were arrested, HEDGEPATH, SIKES, PARDUE, and RICHARD THOMPSON were all present at the meeting. It was also decided that a collection should be taken up for the defense fund for these individuals, and the sum of \$15.00 would be assessed for each man to contribute to the fund. Besides those mentioned above, the following were also in attendance:

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WINDY BURKE (or BRUKES)

LEE CRAWFORD

JIMMIE GRIFFIN (EC of the Unit)

WILL GARRISS

ROBERT THOMPSON

It was learned at the meeting that the third THOMPSON brother, whose first name was not learned, had dropped out of the Unit after his brother had been arrested.

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BOBBIE CAPLES also quit the Unit as a result of the arrests and CURTIS SIKES was expelled from the Unit because of his drinking.

On November 8, 1965, a ceremonial meeting of the OKA was held for the purpose of swearing in new members. Source advised that he would attempt to obtain list of those sworn in. The meeting was held in the Monroe Klavern. J. C. TANNER showed up at the meeting, but he appeared to be drunk so he was asked to leave.

JOHN REPPOND and his wife, PAULINE, are both out of the OKA now, as they were unhappy with some of the new members who were being taken into the Mer Rouge Units; and they both stated that they would not have anything further to do with the OKA. RALPH COURSON, who was in the Mer Rouge Unit, has also dropped out inasmuch as he has moved to New Orleans.

MALCOLM MC KENZIE of Rayville, Louisiana, has been working for Futch's Roofing and Sheet Metal Works on Winnsboro Road, Monroe, Louisiana. MC KENZIE is a close associate of J. C. TANNER; and MC KENZIE is believed to own a 1957 Chevrolet. Other close associates of TANNER include JAMES KEENE and LESLIE NAPPIER. Source advised that TANNER

has the reputation in the OKA of being the individual most likely to condone and foster acts of violence and that any of his close associates are probably of the same beliefs **as TANNER.** Source further advised that TANNER is fairly popular among the Klansmen in Richland Parish at the present time, now that E. W. PACE is spending most of his time in Citizens Council affairs and that the OKA cannot afford to expel TANNER because they would run the risk of losing the Units in Richland Parish if they did.

Source further stated that in addition to TANNER, the Unit most likely to commit acts of violence would be West Monroe OKA Unit #2, as evidenced by the fact that four members of this Unit were arrested by the Monroe Police for beating up two Negroes and a white woman.

The OKA Klansmen who had been subpoenaed by the House Committee, ROBERT FULLER and JACK SAUCIER, received a donation of \$82.00 from E. W. PACE of Rayville to help defray their expenses for the trip to Washington. Shortly after they accepted the donation, both FULLER and SAUCIER were advised that the subpoena date had been changed from November 15, 1965, to January 4, 1966.

On November 12, 1965, a regular meeting of West Monroe Unit #1 was held at W. D. BROWNING's saw mill in West

There were twelve men present and the main topic Monroe. of discussion was the arrest of the four members of the West Monroe Unit #2 by the Monroe Police. Several members were angry at LOY SCARBOROUGH, the Klan adviser and Bail Bondsman, for charging on the bond for the four Klansmen, but ROBERT FULLER told them that SCARBOROUGH only charged them for the cost or fee that had to be submitted to the Bonding Company and that SCARBOROUGH had not made any profit at all on the It is believed that West Monroe Unit #1 is larger business. than the twelve men who showed up for the meeting; and probably many of the members are shift workers at Olin-Mathieson, so they cannot attend all meetings. This Unit is very secretive as they are hooded at their meetings, although they do not pay much attention to the Klan rituals of opening and closing prayer and other Klan ceremonies; and they do not have any procedure, rather one member gets up and starts talking and the meeting results in a big bull session. Those members recognized by their voices and their cars in the parking lot as being in attendance at this meeting were the following:

## MACK YATES, the EC

JAMES BAYLES, a new member, not believed to be any relation to the old time Klansman HENRY IRVING BAYLES

## HAROLD GROSS

ROY FULLER, cousin of ROBERT FULLER

JOEL GUESS, cousin of ROBERT GUESS

W. D. BROWNING, owner of the property on which the Klavern is located

Guests at the above meeting included ROBERT FULLER, JERRY HAYES, and LEE CRAWFORD.

The Delhi Unit of the OKA has now been expelled from the OKA since they were not paying any dues and were always complaining about the handling of OKA funds at the State level. It was tentatively decided at the October 3, 1965, OKA State Meeting to expel the Unit; and this action was then later carried out, so that the Delhi Unit no longer has any affiliation with the OKA. JAMES HARPER was not a member of the Delhi Unit, while it was affiliated with the OKA; and it is not believed that HARPER is active in any Klan matters. It is not known if HARPER has ever lived in Shreveport, Louisiana.

Source furnished the following copies of meetings of various OKA Klan Units and these copies are attached to this report:

Oak Grove, Louisiana Women's Unit - meetings of August 16, 1965, and August 30, 1965

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VITE 11 MEMBERS PRESENT THE MEETING VAS CALLED TO ORDER AND DEFNED VITE PRAYER

## AT 2:05 PM.

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OLD BUSINESS. MINUTES OF LAST MEETING READ AND APPROVED. NEW BUSINESS.

1. THE GRAND DRAGON DISCUSSED THE FINANCIAL REPORT OF THIS ORGAN. A DISCUSSION MAS GIVEN CONCERNING THE COMPLAINT OF STATE MONEY NOT BALANCING OR CHECKING. A REPORT WAS READ BY THE GRAND DRAGON ON THE AMOUNT OF MOMEY TAKEN IN AND THE AMOUNT OF MONEY PAID OUT. THE GRAND DRAGON SAID ANY REPORTS OR MISUNDERS STANDING SHOULD BE BROUGHT DIRECTLY TO MIN AND ANY COMPLAINTS BY ANY MEMBER SHOULD BE MEADED OFF TO AVOID ANY CONFLICTS IN THE ORGAN. THE GRAND DRAGON WAS VERY HURT OVER THIS CHANGE AS YEARS AND MANY DOLLORS FROM HIS POCKET

BE BEEN SPENT FOR THE ORGAN.

- 2. THE BOYCOTTING OF PLACES OF BUSINESDES HAS BEEN VERY SECESSFULL.
- 5. THE GREAT TITAN SHOUD APPEAR AT ALL RALLYS BY 7 OCLOCK.
- 4. VOTED AND APPROVED FOR THE CHIEF. K.B.L. OFFICER TO PICK UP THE CHARTER AND CARDS FROM THE DELMI UNIT. THERE ALSO WAS A GEM. DISCUSSION ON MEANS OF CETTING THE DELMI UNIT TO PAY TREAR DUES AND A WAY TO VOTE THE TREASURER FROM OFFICE. THE CRAND KLOKAN DISCUSSED THE CALLING OF A MENTING TO DIS-EUSS THE SITUATION.
- 5. THE GREAT TITAN OF OUACHITA PARISE PASSED OUT THE NEW APPLICATION BLARKS AGREED TO LEAVE THE USE OF THE EPPLICATION FORMS UP TO EACH PARRISE.
- 6. THE LIEP CONTAINING MAACP, CORE NAMES, LIC. TAGE WAS GIVEN TO THE TITANS.
- 7. A DISCUSSION WAS HELD ON THE PULLING OF THE CARD OF THE GREAT ELOKAN BY THE GRAND KLOKAN, AGREED THAT THE GRAND KLOKAN USE HIS OWN JUDGEMENT ON THIS MATTER.
- 8. A KLOKAN MESTING WILL BE HELD AT RUSSELL SAGE AT 2 P.M. SUNDAY 10 OCT.
- 9. A DISCUSSION WAS HELD CONCERNING SWEARING AT STATE MEETINGS. IT WAS POINTED OUT THAT THIS IS A CERISTIAN ORGAN. SPEARING SHOULD BE OMITTED. AT MEETING.
- 10, ALL GRAND OFFICERS SHOULD ATTEND STATE HERTINGS, CARD WILL BS PULLED FOR FAILURE TO ATTEND ANY LENGTH OF TIME WITHOUT AN EXCUSE.
- 11. IT WAS AGREED TO BY THE BOARD TO SWEAR IN TO THIS ORGAN. ANY UNITS IN THE SOUTE LA. AREA THAT WANTS TO COME IN.
- 12. THE GREAT TITAN DISCUSSED EXPENSES FOR MEN TRAVELING ALL OVER THE STATE, ON MLAN BUSINESS. NO ACTION TAKEN. AGREED TO LET UNITS SEND NONEY IN IF THEY VILL.
- 13.A CROSS BURNING IN THE FUTURE WILL BE SET UP BY THE KLOKANS.
- 14. THE PRIVATE SCROOL FOR KLANSNET'S CHILDREN IS BEING WORKED ON FOR OUACHITA' PARRISH.
- 15.A RALLY IS SCHEDULED FOR SOUTH LA. ON THE 70 OF OCTOBER. SLIDELL, LA. IT WAS URGED THAT EVERY MEMBER ATTEND THAT IS POSSIBLS. WITH NO FUTAER BUSINESS THE MEETING WAS ADJOURNED VITE PRAYER AT 4 P.M.

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# Ku Klux Klan of America, Inc.

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October 28, 1965

The Monroe Women's Club was called to order by the B.C. Frayer was led by a number 2. The meating was opened at 0:05 with 7 sembers present.

The minutes very read and enproved.

\$1.50 was reported in benevolence.

\$1.25 was turned in for dues.

There were 19 extra cardo.

A discussion was, made about Highland School.

The E.C. is to type more names for the votor regristration drive.

Each member is to be contacted during the week about making the meetings.

Report was given by the Klokan.

Guards for next weeks Fr. Blackwolder The Mlokan is to get 3 guards for next week.

with no further business the meeting was adjourned at 9:15 with mayor by



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The Monroe Momen's Glub was called to order by the E.C. Prayer was led by no. 6. The meeting prened at 7:65 with 7 members present.

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wante to be called about voter registration, were given out.

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It was announced that the Grand Dragon and Grand Pitan wouldn't have to go to schington until lator.

A discussion was held on petting modey for the defense fund.

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There vere 19 extra cards.

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No names to be cleared.

with no further business the meeting adjourned at 3:45 with preyer by no. 6.

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The weekly meeting of Monroe OKA Unit #2 was held on October 29, 1965, at the Monroe Klavern with twelve members in attendance and a copy of the minutes of this meeting is attached to this report. The Great Titan referred to in the minutes is JERRY LEE HAYES.

The Monroe Unit #2 of the OKA held another weekly meeting on November 5, 1965, and a copy of the minutes of that meeting is attached. The Grand Titan referred to in the minutes is JACK SAUCIER. New members in this unit are the following:

> WALTER HEARD, 309 Orange Street, Monroe BUDDY BEARDON, 500 Herman Street, West Monroe

ROBERT DUNCAN (a plumber) Fink's Hideaway, Monroe, Louisiana

At this meeting an election was held to fill vacant posts and the following men were elected to the listed positions:

BILLY KNIGHT EARL BRYANT JOHN STRICKLAND BILLY STOVER

Night Hawk

Klokard

Klokan

Captain of the Guard

JOE MANCILLAS

Treasurer

The Monroe Unit #2 of the OKA held another weekly meeting on November 12, 1965, and a copy of the minutes of that meeting is attached.

The Monroe Unit #2 of the OKA weekly meeting of November 19,1965 was attended by approximately nine members including the following:

HENRY JEFFREY -E.C.of the Unit

BILLY STOVER

- ROBERT FULLER

JOHN STRICKLAND

JOE MANCILLAS

CHARLES FOX (KITCHENETTE DRIVE IN) RICHARD POSEY BILLY KNIGHT

EARL BRYANT

HENRY JEFFREY advised that he was very much concerned over the fact that there were so few members attending the last two unit meetings and he stated that apparently the House un-American Activities Committee Hearings are responsible for

the poor turnout, as he stated that probably a lot of members are afraid that they may be exposed as Klan members.

Other discussion centered around the postponement of Grand Dragon FULLER's subpcena to Washington until January and it was decided that no cross burnings or any other similar type of activity should be conducted until after the House Hearings are completed.

On November 22, 1965, the Monroe Unit #1 of the OKA held a weekly meeting and the following men were in attendance at the Klavern:

WAYNE WIBLE (the E. C. of the Unit)

J. C. OLIVER

RAY WOODS (S. 2nd Street, has been inactive for several months and this is the first meeting he has attended this year.)

RUSSELL PRICE (Secretary or Kligrapp of the Unit)

E. G. BLACKWELDER

REX OLIVER (17 year old son of J. C. OLIVER)

CLIFF OLIVER (son of J. C. OLIVER and this was the first meeting he has been to in several weeks inasmuch as he is working on offshore oil rigs in Southern Louisiana.)

L. C. FIELD (had been in United Klan Unit until recently)

ROBERT FIELD (brother of L. C.)

Very little Klan business was discussed at this meeting, as the main topic of discussion was the upcoming deer season and J. C. OLIVER announced that the Klavern was going to be used during the hunting season as a lodge. It was also discussed that the person who lives across from the road leading into the Klavern should be investigated and his background determined as some members thought he might be a Federal Agent since the house he built is directly across from the Klavern entrance and he could easily get all the license numbers of cars going into the Klavern.

After the meeting broke up ROBERT FULLER invited the men to his house to watch the PATTERSON-CLAY fight on TV and most of the men went to FULLER's house.

J. C. TANNER of Rayville called ROBERT GUESS and HENRY JEFFREY on November 19, 1965, and asked them to get some Klansmen together and come to Tallulah with him. He wanted some of his men to check on the picketing and other activities of the Negroes in Tallulah the following day.

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However, GUESS and JEFFREY, both contacted ROBERT FULLER who advised them not to go and FULLER then contacted TANNER and told him not to take any men to Tallulah. TANNER has reportedly been in contact with leaders of the UKA and he reportedly has been trying to convince the OKA Klansmen in Richland Parish that they would be better off if they joined the UKA since the OKA does not want to participate in any real effective Klan activities. One of TANNER's latest close associates is W. H. CRAWFORD, who is supposed to be the son of SIDNEY CRAWFORD, of the Richland Parish Sheriff's Office.

RUDOLPH FOY contacted ROBERT FULLER and told FULLER that he had been interviewed by FBI Agents recently. FULLER asked FOY if he was interested in coming back into the OKA and FOY said that he would wait awhile to see if he was going to have enough free time for the Klan. FOY said that the Delhi Unit has not met at all and there seems to be little interest in reviving the unit. "BUD" WILLIAMS, who was a member of the unit, is supposed to be a preacher and he is believed to live in the Crowville, Louisiana area.

THE ORIGINAL MU KLUX KLAN OF MARICA, INC. Realm of Louisiane

29 OCTOBER 1965

MONROE UNIT 2 REG. MEETING.

WIGH 12 MEMBERS PRESENT THE MEETING WAS CALLED TO ORDER AND OPENED WITH PRAYER AT 7:30 P.N.

OLD BUSINESS.

1. MINUTES OF LAST METING READ AND APPROVED.

NEW BUSINESS.

- 1. THE GREAT TITAN OF OUACHITA PAREISE DISCUSSED THE TRIP TO WASHINGTON BY THE GRAND DRAGON. HE ALSO UNGED EVERYONE TO KEEP CALM AND DON'T GET EXCITED. THIS INVESTIGATION WILL PASS. MEMBERS SHOULD TRY TO RAISE FUNDS FOR THIS TRIP WHERE EVER POSSIBLE. HE ALSO DISCUSSED THE BREAK DOWN OF DU 75¢ STAYS IN UNIT. \$1.25 GOES TO PROVINCE IN WHICH \$1.00 OF THIS COES TO THE STATE DUES.
- 2. THE RALL Y IN SOUTH LA. MAS BERN CALLED OFF UNTIL THE GRAND DEAGON CAN ATTEND.
- 51 THE GREAT TITAN CONGRADULATED THE TURNOUT OF MEMBERS IN TALLULAN FOR THE BALL GAME ON THE 22 OCT.
- 42 KLAN STICKERS WILL BE MADE UP FOR THE PURPOSE OF PLACING IN BUSINESSES OF PERSONS WHO DONATE TO THE KLAN OR IS IN SYMPATHY.
- 5. VOTED AND APPROVED TOOWRITE A CHECK FOR \$100.00 FOR EXPENSES TO WASH. 6. BENOVELENCE FUND CONTAINS S14.87
- 7. NO DRINKING WILL BE PERMITTED AT RALLYS OR IN THE KLAVERN.
- 8. THE KLAN RAFFLE WAS DISCUSSED AN THE GREAT TITAN WILL TAKE CARE OF DETA
- 9. THERE WAS A GEN. DISCUSSION ON KLAN BUSINESS.
- 10. NAMES TO BE CLEARED. A. WALTER HEARD 309 ORANGE ST. WORKS FOR MARVEY RAMSEY.
  - B. BUDDY BEARDON 500 HERMAN ST. W. MONROE WORKS MOTOR SUPPLY.

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WITH NO FUTHER BUSINESS THE MEETING WAS CALLED TO ORDER AND ADJOURNED WITH PRAYER AT 9:00 P.M.

THE KLIGRAPP

5 NOVEMBER 1965

Realm Of Louisiana

MONROH UNIT #2 REG. MEETING. WITH 18 MEMBERS PRESENT THE MEETING WAS CALLED TO ORDER AND OPENED WITH PRAYER

ORIGINAL KU KLUX KLAN OF AME JAA INC.

AT 7:40 P.M. OLD BUSINESS.

1. MINUTES OF LAST MEETING READ AND APPROVED.

NEW BUSINESS.

1. THERE WAS A DISCUSSION ON THE GIVING OF CARD NOS. AT THE ENTRANCE OF THE BUILDING, THIS IS FOR THE PURPOSE OF IDENTIFICATION AND ATTENDANCE RECORD. - THE GRAND TITAN DISCUSSED THE GROUP IN SOUTH LA. PULLING OUT OF THIS ORGAN. AND THE REASONS WHY. THE TRIP TO WASH. WAS DISCUSSED. THERE WAS ALSO GEN. DISCUSSION ABOUT THE NON VIOLENCE OFTHIS ORGANIZATION. THE GREND TITAN TAKED ABOUT THE BORROWING OF MONEY FROM THE FINANCE CO. FOR THE BONDS OF MEN ARRESTED. WE NEED A FUND RAISING DRIVE TO REPAY THIS MONEY. WE MAY ALSO NEED THIS SOURCE OF MONEY IN THE FUTURE. THE GRAND TITAN ASKED TO BE DISMISSED AT THIS POINT. -3. THE E.C. WARNED THAT NO KEY WORK SHALL BE PERFORMED WHILE THE GRAND DRAGON IS GONE TO WASHINGTON. HE DISCUSSED THE SUM TO BE SET FOR THE DEFENSE FUND AGREED TO SET FIGURE AT THE NEXT PROVINCE, MEETING."

4. DUES COLLECTED TO THE ANT. OF \$15.00.

5. THE FOLLOWING MEN WERE ELECTED TO THESE POSTS.

A. BILLY KNIGHT - NIGHT HAWKE

E. EARL BRYANT - KLOKAND C. JOHN STRICKLAND - KLOKAN

D. CAPT OF GUARD - BILLY STOVER

E. OE MANCILLAS - TREASURE

6. MARIES TO BE CLEARED 2nd. WEEK

A.NALTER HEARD, B.JUDDY BEARDON

7. NAMES TO BE CLEARED FIRST TIME.

A.JOBT. DUNCAN PLUMBER LIVES FINKS HIDEAWAY RD. MONROE

8. MEI ASSIGNED TO GUARD DUTY THAT MISSED 2 GUARD NIGHTS WILL BE FINED \$2.00 9. BEANEVELENCE FUND SHOWS \$23.94.

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THE KLIGRAPP

ORIGINAL KU KLUX ELAN OF AMER INS.

12 NOVEMBER 1965

MONROE UNIT # 2 REG. MEETING

WITH 8 MEMBERS PRESENT THE MEETING WAS CALLED TO ORDER AND OPENED WITH PRAYER AT 7.30 P.N.

OLD BUSINESS.

1. MINUTES OF LAST MEETING READ AND APPROVED.

NEW BUSINESS

- 1. BENOVELENCE FUND SHOWS \$24,44
- 2. THERE WAS GEN. DISCUSSION ON KLAN BUSINESS.
- 3. DUES COLLECTED TO THE AMT. OF \$14.00.
- 4. THERE WAS GEN. DISCUSSION OF THE PROBLEM OF FUND RAISING FOR THE DEFENSE FUND.

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WITH NO FUTHER BUSINESS THE MEETING WAS ADJOURNED WITH PRAYER AT 8.30 P.M.

THE KLIGRAPP

# HE ORIGINAL KU KLUX KLAN OF A TICA, INC.

REALM OF LOUISIANA

STATE MEETING 7 HEXENDER 1965

WITH 22 MEMBERS PRESENT THE MEETING WAS CALLED TO ORDER AND OPENED WITH PRAYER AT 2:15 P.M.

OLD BUSINESS. MINUTES OF LAST MEETING READ AND APPROVED.

NEW BUSINESS.

1. THE CROSS BURNING WAS POSTPONED UNTIL FUTHER NOTICE.

- 2. A FINANCIAL REPORT WAS GIVEN BY THE GRAND DRAGON. HE ALS O DISCUSSED THE MONEY RAISED FOR THE WASHINGTON TRIP AND THE DEFENSE FUND.
- 31 THE GREAT TITAN OF OUACHITA PARRISH DISCUSSED THE BUILDING OF A DEFENSE
  - FUND. OUACHITA PARRISE IS BREAKING UP THE UNIT MONEY IN THIS MANNER, \$1.00 FOR STATE DUES. 75¢ for PROVINCE 25¢ FOR UNIT. ME DISCUSSED THE MAKING UP OF STICKERS FOR THE PURPOSE OF DISTRIBUTING THEM TO PLACES OF BUSINESS IN RETURN FOR DONATIONS. PLACES OF BUSINESSES WHO DONATE OR IS IN SYMPATHY WITH THE KLAN, KLANSMEN WILL TRADE AT THESE PLACES OF BUSS. DIFFERENC COLOR STICKERS WILL BE MADE UP FOR KLANSMEN CARS. THE GREAT TITAN SAID ME HOPES OTHER PARRISHES WILL TRY THESE STICKERS. A DEFENSE FUND OF 25¢ PER MAN IN THE HONROE UNIT IS BEING SET UP. RAFFLES WILL BE SET UP FOR THE PURPOSE OF BUILDING THIS FUND.
- 4. THE GRAND DRAGON APPROVES OF THE STICKER PLAN AND SAID THAT IT SHOULD WORK. THE DEFENSE FUND CAN BE KEPT ON A UNIT LEVEL OR A STATE LEVEL.
- 5. THE GREAT TITAN OF RICHLAND PARRISH GAVE HIS REPORT FOR HIS PARRISH. HI CHARTERED ONE NEW UNIT.
- 6. THE GRAND DRAGON SAID A DEGREE WILL BE PUT ON MONDAY NIGHT 8 NOV. URGEN THAT EVERYONE ATTENT THAT CAN TO MAKE THE DEGREE INTERESTING.
- 7. THE GREAT TITAN OF WEST CARROLL PARRISH GAVE HIS REPORT. HE WANTED TO KNOW IF THE PORNIGRAPHIC LITERATURE BEING DISTRIBUTED BY RED RIVER NEW COULD BE STOPPED AND WHAT FORM OF ACTION SHOULD BE TAKEN. PLAN WILL BE WORKED OUT BY THE GRAND DRAGON AND THE GRAND KLOKAN.
- 8. THE GREAT TITAN OF MOREHOUSE GAVE HIS REPORT. MEMBERS ARE NOW IN THE PROCESS OF HARVESTING CROPS. WILL BE BACK ACTIVE SHORTLY.
- 9. THE GREAT TITAN OF THE 6th. DISTRICT GAVE HIS REPORT. NE SAID THE CHAR PLACED ON THEN IN SOUTH LA. ARE FALSE. THE LAW EMPORCEMENT OFFICIALS HA BEEN HARRASSING MEN OF THIS AREA. SOUTH LA. STANDS READY TO HELP, ANY W. 10. NE ALSO SAID THAT MANY CHURCH BURNINGS HAVE BEEN BLAMED ON THE KLAM. I
- NAS BEEN PROVED THAT MANY SHOWEN BOULTINGS HAVE BEEN BARMED ON THEIR BUILDING 11. THE RALLY IN SOUTH LA. WILL BE HELD AFTER THE WASH. TRIP. MAS BEEN HADE 12. THE E.C. OF MONROE #2 ASKED IF ANY ACTION CAN BE TAKEN TO STOP NIGGERS FROM COMING TO VIDALIA TO TRADE WHILE BOYCOTTING MISS. STORES.
- 13. THE LIST OF CORE LIC. TAGS INFORMATION SHOULD BE BROUGHT IN BY EACH II FOR THE PURPOSE OF DISTRIBUTING.
- 14. THE GRAND DRAGON SAID THE 5th. ADMEND. WOULD BE TAKEN ON ANY QUESTION WHILE IN WASH. NOTHING WILL BE SAID TO MURT THIS ORGANIZATION.
- 15. WHEN ATTENDING MEETING AS MANY AS POSSIBLE RIDE IN A KNOWN CAR TO KEEP DISCRIPTIONS AND TAG NO. FROM BEING PICKED UP. THE NEXT STATE MEETING WILL BE HELD ON 5th. DEC.EVERY ONE ATTEND TO MEAR BOUT WASM. TRIP. 16DATE FOR THE AREA RALLY WILL BE SET AT THE NEXT MEETING.

THE GRAND KLICRAPP

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On November 29, 1965, a confidential source advised that JAMES EDWARDS, Grand Dragon for the United Klans of America, Inc. (UKA) in the State of Louisiana, telephonically contacted COY NEAL, Investigator for the Monroe Unit of the UKA, and advised him to contact J.C. ARNOLD at Abbeville, Louisiana. J.C. ARNOLD is reported to be organizing a nucleus of UKA Klansmen in the Abbeville, Louisiana, area, although this unit has not reached charter strength.

J.C. ARNOLD is employed by the H.J. Saw Mill Company, telephone number 893-4557, home phone of ARNOLD is 893-2061.

EDWARDS stated that he wanted J.C. ARNOLD to make sure that members of the New Iberia, Louisiana, Unit of the UKA had members present at proposed speech of Congressman EDWIN WILLIS at Nichols College, Thibodeaux, Louisiana, on the evening of December 1, 1965.

EDWARDS stated that he wanted Klansmen from South Louisiana, in conjunction with representatives from North Louisiana, to appear at this speech and hand out Klan literature, in order to let WILLIS know the Ku Klux Khan was operating in his territory. NEAL advised EDWARDS that, as soon as he contacted J.C. ARNOLD and other members of the Klan in North Louisiana, he would recontact EDWARDS and let him know if this could be accomplished on December 1, 1965.

EDWARDS stated that he has been in contact with ROBERT SHELTON at Tuscaloosa, Alabama, and has been advised by SHELTON that a special addition of the UKA newspaper "The Fiery Cross" could be prepared attacking EDWIN WILLIS<sup>°</sup> attack on the Ku Klux Klan through the House Un-American Activities Committee.

SHELTON advised EDWARDS that the cost of preparing approximately 30,000 copies of this newspaper would be \$400.00.

NEAL contacted J.C. ARNOLD at Abbeville, Louisiana, and ARNOLD stated that he would have representatives from New Iberia and Abbeville present on December 1, 1965. ARNOLD stated there was only two or three individuals in Abbeville who were interested in the UKA. He stated, however, there was a good sized UKA unit operating in New Iberia, Louisiana.

J.C. ARNOLD stated that he would like to see a UKA cross burning rally at New Iberia, Louisiana, and that he could obtain land for this rally. NEAL stated that this would be considered by Grand Dragon EDWARDS in

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the near future. COY NEAL telephonically contacted DENLEY INGRAM of the Kenner Unit of the UKA on November 28, 1965 and advised him to have representatives from his unitavailable to pass out literature at WILLIS' speech on December 1, 1965 at Thibodeaux, Louisiana.

On November 30, 1965, DENLEY INGRAM contacted COY NEAL and advised him that representatives from his unit would meet NEAL at 7:00 P.M. at the Greyhound Bus Depot, Houma, Louisiana, prior to departing for Thibodeaux, Louisiana, to attend the speech.

On November 30, 1965, TOMMY REAGAN, Great Titan for the 5th Province, advised COY NEAL that he had obtained the UKA pamphlet "Introduction To The Klan", which contained an application blank on the back. REAGAN stated that he would personally pass these pamphlets out following the WILLIS speech on December 1, 1965.

There was an Exalted Cyclops meeting of the 5th Province held on November 28, 1965 and CHARLES "BO" BAILEY represented the Monroe Unit at this meeting.

On November 30, 1965, JAMES EDWARDS telephonically contacted COY NEAL and stated that ROBERT SHELTON, Imperial Wizard of the UKA, had ordered that no crosses be burned in the 3rd Congressional District. He stated it was

permissable to pass out Klan literature, particularly special editions of "The Fiery Cross", but that no violence or cross burnings would be permitted.

On November 30, 1965, a meeting of the Monroe Unit of the UKA was held at the residence of Exalted Cyclops BOB DEAN. Recognized as being present at this meeting was:

GRADY BROCKNER

COY NEAL

BOB DEAN

CHARLES "BO" BAILEY

ERNEST HUMPHRIES

OLIVER BUCK PLATT

HARVEY HERSEL PLATT, brother of "BUCK" PLATT

Exalted Cyclops DEAN stated there had been an Exalted Cyclops meeting at the West Monroe Klavern of the UKA on November 28, 1965. He advised that CHARLES "BO" BAILEY had attended this meeting. BAILEY reported that the Monroe Unit was to furnish three men for security guards. The unit was to buy security guard uniforms for each individual. BAILEY stated that a security guard meeting would be held at West Monroe, Louisiana, on the evening of December 10, 1965.

"BUCK" PLATT had suffered a broken leg and, therefore, COY NEAL filled in as a security guard. The
following three individuals will wear security guard uniforms at all Klan functions:

COY NEAL

CHARLES "BO" BAILEY

ROBERT JOHNSON

On December 1, 1965, TOMMY REAGAN, in company with COY NEAL, contacted J.C. TANNER, a member of the Original Ku Klux Klan of America, Inc. (OKA) at Rayville, Louisiana. A general discussion was entered into between TOMMY REAGAN, COY NEAL and J.C. TANNER regarding the three Klan organizations in Northeast Louisiana combining to have a protest march in the near future at Tallulah, Louisiana. The three Klan organizations referred to are the UKA, The Original Knights of the Ku Klux Klan (OKKKK), and the OKA. Following this discussion, TOMMY REAGAN and COY NEAL drove to Houma, Louisiana, where they met other members of the UKA at the Greyhound Bus Depot. Included among these members were:

ROCKY MUPHAY, from the Kenner, Louisiana, Unit, home phone number 721-2921;

LEONARD SWINNEY, Exalted Cyclops of the New Iberia Unit of the UKA, phone number EM 4-1615;

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DENLEY INGRAM, from the Kenner, Louisiana, Unit. There was a total of 14 individuals present. Other individuals recognized were:

HAYES MARCEL, from the Houma, Louisiana, Unit;

W.J. BOUDREAUX, Houma, La., Unit, phone number 872-5664;

J.C. ARNOLD, from Abbeville, Louisiana, Unit;

CHESTER LETEFF, Exalted Cyclops of the Baton Rouge UKA Unit, phone number EL 5-7966;

LARRY K. DOBSON, from the Baton Rouge, Louisiana, Unit, who works for the J. Hall Smith Construction Company, 505 Choctaw Drive, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, business phone 356-2408, residence phone of DOBSON 357-5095.

The above Klansmen then drove from Houma, Louisiana, to the Nichols State College at Thibodeaux, Louisiana.

The 14 Klansmen attended the speech by EDWIN WILLIS, in which he attacked the Ku Klux Klan and stated there was no Ku Klux Klan or Communists in the 3rd Congressional District of Louisiana. There were approximately 90 to 100 students in attendance, as well as eight to ten older couples. Following this speech, the above Klansmen passed out Klan cards stating "You Have Been Patronized By A Member of the Ku Klux Klan, Terrebonne Unit" and pamphlets entitled "Introduction To The Klan" with membership applications on the reverse side.

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Following the passing out of this literature, the above Klansmen then drove to the Highway 69 Motel, located in Houma, Louisiana. A meeting was then conducted.

The following listed individuals were designated to pass out a special edition of The Fiery Cross on December 12, 1965 throughout various cities in this district:

New Iberia, Louisiana, 4,000 copies, LEONARD SWINNEY to be in charge from Baton Rouge.

St. Martinsville, Louisiana, 4,500 copies, DENLEY INGRAM from the Kenner Unit to be in charge of this city.

Abbeville, Louisiana, 2,500 copies, J.C. ARNOLD from Abbeville to be in charge of this city.

Houma, Louisiana, 3,500 copies, HAYES MARCEL to be in charge of this city.

Donaldsonville, Louisiana, 2,000 copies, CHESTER LETEFF to be in charge.

Thibodeaux, Louisiana, 2,500 copies, W.J. BOUDREAUX to be in charge.

Lafayette, Louisiana, 4,000 copies, a member from Northeast Louisiana to be in charge in this city.

It was decided at this meeting that the above cities would be the targets for passing out the special edition of The Fiery Cross attacking EDWIN WILLIS. This

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would be done on December 12, 1965.

On December 11, 1965, Exalted Cyclopses from all units in the State of Louisiana would meet at the Holiday Inn in Lafayette in a room registered to LARRY K. DOBSON from Baton Rouge, Louisiana, and there receive their copies of The Fiery Cross and be told which city their units would pass out these editions. The Exalted Cyclopses would then report to the individual in charge of that particular city or town and receive a city map and instructions on where to pass out this literature. The number of units to be used will be decided on the population and size of the respective city.

It was also announced that a rally of the UKA would be held on the night of December 11, 1965 at Slidell, Louisiana.

ROCKY MUPHAY, a member of the Kenner Unit, drives a 1963 marcon Pontiac. HAYES MARCEL of the Houma Unit drives a 1955 Mercury with a grey bottom and red top.

\$120.00 cash was collected by COY NEAL from the three units represented, New Iberia, Houma and Kenner.

Following this meeting, TOMMY REAGAN and COY NEAL then drove to Alexandria, Louisiana, and met with the new Great Titan of the 8th Congressional District W.L. MC CANN, who lives on Morality Street, Pineville,

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Louisiana, phone number HI 2-7282.

MC CANN advised the Klansmen that for the most part units in and around the Alexandria, Louisiana, area had folded up. He mentioned that an individual in the Tioga Unit of the UKA was ready to press charges against the Exalted Cyclops of that unit for mis-appropriation of unit funds. The individual pressing this charge is a song writer and elderly. NEAL informed MC CANN that the Alexandria area was scheduled to pick up \$100.00 to purchase the special editions of The Fiery Cross passed out on December 12, 1965. MC CANN stated that there were only four units in the Alexandria, Louisiana, area and they were the Oakdale, Pineville, Tiogaand Leesville Units.

DENLEY INGRAM advised, during the meeting at Houma, Louisiana, that he had applied for a charter for the Covington Unit of the UKA approximately one month ago and has not received it as yet. He stated that he was extremely unhappy with JAMES EDWARDS, Grand Dragon, for not furnishing him this charter.

INGRAM further advised that they intended to elect a Great Titan for the New Orleans, Louisiana, area in the near future.

A confidential source advised that BILL TERRY

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is a member of the Swartz Unit of the UKA.

On December 6, 1965, a confidential source advised that the three Klan organizations in Northeast, Louisiana, that is the UKA, the OKA and the OKKKK, intend to hold a Klan march and rally on Decmeber 18, 1965 at Tallulah, Louisiana. The Klan also intends to counter picket Negroes picketing the A & P Food Store in Tallulah, Louisiana. It has also been decided that Klansmen from the States of Mississippi and Arkansas would participate in this Klan march and rally on December 18, 1965.

This activity would begin at 12:00 Noon with Klansmen counter picketing the Negro pickets at the A & P Food Store. The Klan parade would begin at 2:30 P.M. and terminate at 3:30 P.M. The parade will begin at the Tallulah, Louisiana, Courthouse and procede through Tallulah, returning to the Courthouse. The Grand Dragons from the States of Louisiana, Mississippi and Arkansas will ride in the lead car and the Klansmen will walk behind this car in their robes.

Following this march, Klansmen will then purchase goods at the A & P Food Store, presently under boycott by the Negroes of Tallulah, to show the buying power of the Klan.

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A joint rally of the three Klan organizations has been scheduled for 7:30 PM, four miles West of Tallulah, Louisiana, off of U.S. Highway 80. It is estimated that 800 Klansmen will attend this march and rally. According to confidential source, Grand Dragon MURRAY MARTIN of the OKKKK, and ROBERT FULLER of the OKA, are in full agreement with this plan.

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(Tallulah, La. OKA Unit)

(Pearl River, La. OKA Unit) (JAMES ESLIE)

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December 10, 1965

On December 13, 1965, J. C. TANNER of Rayville, Louisiana, contacted ROBERT FULLER, Grand Dragon of the Original Ku Klux Klan of America, Inc., (OKA) and told FULLER that if he did not support the proposed Klan March and Rally scheduled for Tallulah, Louisiana on December 18, 1965, that the Richland Parish Units of the OKA as well as the newly formed OKA Unit in Tallulah, Louisiana, would all drop out of the OKA and throw their support to the United Klans of America who were sponsoring the Klan March and Rally in Tallulah. FULLER told TANNER that the OKA did not want to have anything to do with the Klan protests in Tallulah, inasmuch as the racial situation is too tense in that town and the Klan cause would probably suffer by action at this time in that town. FULLER told TANNER that any OKA Klansmen who participated in Klan activities in Tallulah on December 18. 1965 would be expelled from the OKA. TANNER then replied that FULLER could then consider the OKA units in Richland Parish and in Tallulah as no longer being in the OKA and the charters to these units would be

delivered to FULLER. TANNER told FULLER that FULLER was too soft and did not want to take direct positive action to halt integration. FULLER told TANNER that the best methods were political and that TANNER's methods would just bring more trouble on the Klan and would probably result in several Klansmen ending up in jail.

On December 15, 1965 TANNER called FULLER and again asked him if he was going to send any men to join the Klan protest March and Rally in Tallulah and FULLER reiterated his same position that the OKA would not have any part in the protest activity.

The Pearl River Unit of the OKA has not yet sent in its charter and JAMES LESLIE has been trying to get the OKA to reconsider its action in asking for the charter. LESLIE has planned a Klan rally for December 11, 1965 at Covington, Louisiana, on the property of a Mr. CRAWFORD, no other details known as to the exact location in Covington. Reverend GEORGE BONNER, Pastor of Winnsboro Road Baptist Church, Monroe, Louisiana, and an OKA Klansman will be the principal speakers for the rally, which is scheduled to get underway at 7:00 p.m.

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Director

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### RE: ZENNIE WILLIAM FULLER

Dear Sir:

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On December 16, 1965 ROBERT FULLER, Grand Dragon of the Original Ku Klux Klan of America, Inc. (OKA) telephoned all of the leaders and officers of the OKA to tell them that the OKA was not going to have anything to do with the Klan activities planned for Tallulah, Louisiana, on December 18, 1965 and that any member who takes part will be banned from the OKA. FULLER also told them that he is sending ROBERT GUEST and JERRY HAYES to Tallulah to report to him about the activities and to insure that there are no OKA Klansmen taking FULLER told the officers that the racial part. situation is too tense in the Tallulah, Louisiana, area at the present time and that action by the Klan at this time is foolhardy and irresponsible. FULLER also told the officers that he had talked to Tallulah, Louisiana, Police Chief ROGAN and advised ROGAN that the OKA did not approve of the Klan protest activity and that the OKA would not be participating, and that FULLER would cooperate

with ROGAN in any way that ROGAN wanted. FULLER further stated that he might send Dr. C. L. SMITH. the Great Titan of West Carroll Parish of the OKA. to Tallulah to attempt to convince the United Klans that they should avoid any violence in Tallulah. FULLER concluded that the whole protest activity in Tallulah seemed to be the product of former Grand Klokan of the OKA, J. C. TANNER and that the OKA should not have anything further to do with TANNER. FULLER spoke disparagingly of TANNER saying he was recently arrested in Rayville, Louisiana, for getting into a fight and for beating up his wife and he said that the OKA is better off without TANNER since TANNER is too much in favor of violence.

Two new members of Monroe OKA Unit number 2 are D. HARDESTY who works for the Kitchen-et Drive In Restaurant in Monroe and EVERETTE A. ADAMS of 503 Moore Avenue in Monroe.

The following are new members of the OKA Oak Grove, Louisiana unit:

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LEONARD BLACK (FNU) BLACK ERNEST BLACK CARL WILSON TOMMY HANKINS

Source furnished copies of the October 1, 1965 and October 15, 1965 minutes of meetings of the Monroe, Louisiana, Unit 2 of the OKA and copies are attached to the report. Source also furnished copies of the minutes of three meetings of the Pearl River OKA Womens Unit and these are also attached. The Pearl River Mens and Pearl River Womens Units have not sent in their charters the State OKA and they are trying to remain in the OKA. This matter is to be decided at the next OKA State meeting. Source advised that they probably will be allowed to remain in the OKA as long as they submit their dues.

The plan to pay expense money to the officers of the OKA while traveling on OKA business has fallen through because of the lack of

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funds in the OKA Treasury. ROBERT FULLER and JACK SAUCIER pan to leave Monroe on January 1, 1966 to travel to Washington for the HUAC Hearing, and all the OKA units have been asked to contribute donations to help defray the expenses of the trip.

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#### 1 OCT. 1965

MONROE # 2 REG. MEETING.

WITH 9 MEMBERS PRESENT THE MEETING WAS CALLED TO ORDER AD OPENED WITH PRAYER AT 7:30 P.M.

OLD BUSINESS. NONE

NEW BUSINESS.

1. NEW CARDS WERE ISSUED TO THOSE PRESENT.

2. DUES WERE COLLECTED.

3. ALL WEAPONS SHALL BE DEPOSITED ON THE RACK IN THE KLAVERN, WITH THE EXCEPTION OF THE NIGHT HAWK.

- 4. MOTION MADE SEC. VOTED AND APPROVED TO CHANGE THE DUES FROM \$2.00 per MONTH TO \$3100 per MONTH.
- 5. NAMES TO BE CLEARED
  - A. DEVANGHN ENGEN HARDESTY 307 S.6th. ST. MONROE, LA. WORKS FOR KITCHEN ET DRIVE INN.
    - B. WILLIAM RAY MNIGHT WORKS FOR THOMPSON TREE SURGERY. WASH. ST.W.MONROE OK BY LYNN STRINGER AND EARL BRYANT.
- 6. IT MAS REPORTED THAT BROWN CENTRAL PRINTING IS PRINTING LITERATURE GIVING THE NIGGERS A BUILD UP. THEY ARE LOCATED ON WHITES FERRY RD. WEST MONROE, LA.
- 7. DUES COLLECTED TO THE MOUNT OF \$25.00
- 8. MR. HEDGEPETH TRANSFERED TO THE W.MONROE UNIT.

RAY STEPHENSON AND RAY WEDGEWOOD TRANSFERED TO THE MANGHUM UNIT. WITH NO FUTHER BUSINESS THE MEETING WAS ADJOURNED WITH PRAYER AT 8.35 P.M.

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15 OCTOBER 1965

MONROE UNIT # 2 REG. MEETING.

WITH 10 MEMBERS PRESENT THE MEETING WAS CALLED TO ORDER AND OPENED WITH PRAYER AT 7:30 P.M.

DED BUSINESS. NONE MEW BUSINESS.

1. MINUTES OF LAST MEETING READ AND APPROVED.

2. THERE WAS GEV. DISCUSSION CONCERNING A RAFFLE TO RAISE FUNDS OF THE UNIT 3. NEW MEMBER WAS SWORN IN (E.A. ADAMS).

4. A RALLY FOR SOUTH LA. IS SET FOR THE 30 OCT. SLIDELL, LA.

5. THERE WAS A GENERAL DISCUSSION HELD CONCERNING KLAVERN BUSINESS.

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withNO FUTHER BUSINESS THE MEETING EAS ADJOURNED WITH PRAYER AT 8:30 P.M.

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# Monday , IO A.M.

The meeting was called to order by No. I. Opening prayer was by No. 12. New members were reported on by No. 12, for No.6 & No.7, which were

absent.

The Turkey Shoot that was held Sunday was discussed. It was far a defence fund for the 9 that were arrested & charged with the burning of two churches.

The ladies raffled of a pair of pillowcases, cake, and a rabbit, They are to have another Turkey Shoot next Sunday.

There was a report on a prospect from the state investegator, It was proven untrue.

We had two members sworn out No. 7 & No.I7 that makes a total I3 sworn out in II mo.

Evrey one seems to be frightened at this time due to our unfortunate arrests. Maybe things will cool of . This thing has brought many new friends & sympathizers.

No. I2 ask all members to the next state meeting. This is the first time in history that all members are welcome. She also told of her trip to the last state meeting & how much she enjoyed it. T<sup>H</sup>estate fee was paid, for Sept. & Oct. & Nov. The province was also paid.

It was decided we would pay a month in advance from now on.

## Nov. 21, 1965

The meeting was called to order by No. I.

Opened with prayer.

No. I reminded us that every member was invited to our next state meeting.

No. 5 moved we get small envelopes, put dues owed, Anames, pass them out. They would avoid emberrasment, and the books would be easer to keep.

There were 6 members present, we now have 16 members.

No. 12 reported on the last Turkey Shoot.

The tickets for the spreed are selling real good

We have an electric blanket to be reffeled of on the 19th

The meeting was closed with prayer.

# Nov. 29, 1965

The meeting was called to order by No. I.

No. 6 lead the opening prayer.

No. I confirmed we had paid No. 2s husband for material used to make the cross.

No. 8 moved we pay No. Membership dues because she needed help. Her husband has been in the hospital with a heertattach.

\$17.00 was drawn from the treasure for state dues.

\$100 was pd. to No. 8 for thread.

9 members were present.

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The Rayville, Louisiana, Unit of the Original Ku Klux Klan of America, Inc. (OKA), held a meeting on 12/6/65 at the Klavern in Start, Louisiana, and representatives of the Holly Ridge and Mangham units were also in attendance. The first order of business was brought up by Great Titan WILFORD BURGESS who advised that the OKA Grand Dragon ROBERT FULLER had made the demand on him that the Richland Parish Units were two months in arrears on their dues to the OKA and that if they did not submit these dues promptly then the charters of the Units would be demanded by the State Officers of the OKA. J. C. TANNER then spoke up and said that he believed a vote should be taken to see if the members and the other Richland Parish Units wanted to remain in the OKA or if they should go independent. TANNER said that he thought the Richland Parish Units would be better off if they voted to be independent and not have any connection with the OKA. TANNER said that when the OKA was originally formed, there was a debt of \$400 mentioned, and the Richland Parish Units had contributed at least \$300 to this debt but that ROBERT FULLER was still claiming that the debt stood at \$400. TANNER stated that the CKA was mishandling the funds, and the Rayville Unit of the OKA still had a debt to pay on the Klavern building.

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A vote was then taken, and the results were that the Rayville Unit as well as one other Richland Parish Unit (Mangham) decided to leave the OKA and become independent. The Womens Units in Rayville were not involved in the vote, inasmuch as the units have been inactive and have not met in several months, and there is no indication that they will become active. TANNER stated that he did not favor the women being active in Klan matters, and it appears that TANNER will be the dominant force in the Klan in Richland Parish.

On either 12/7/65 or 12/8/65 JACK SAUCIER, the Grand Dragon of the OKA traveled from Monroe to Rayville and met with TANNER to attempt to persuade TANNER to have Richland Parish reconsider their vote and remain in the OKA. SAUCIER was not effective in his appeal and was reportedly drunk when he met TANNER.

The Tallulah, Louisiana, Unit of the OKA which was recently formed and which is separate from the Original Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, also voted to leave the OKA and be an independent unit in sympathy with the action taken by the Richland Parish Units.

On 12/7/65 MURRAY MARTIN met with LOY SCARBOROUGH in Vidalia, Louisiana, and MARTIN stated that he is going to quit the Klan in January when he returns from the HUAC Hearings. MARTIN said that he is spending very little time with the Klan now and is going to concentrate on building up the Citizens Council rather than waste time with the Klan.

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MARTIN would not say who he was going to turn over his Klan organization to, and he would not say what strength or what units are still loyal to his leadership. MARTIN also said that he did not think he would participate in the Klan activities in Tallulah planned for 12/18/65. MARTIN said that the UKA has no strength in Franklin Parish, and he said there are only four UKA members there.

A Klan rally was held in the Slidell-Covington, Louisiana, area on 12/11/65, and there were about 60 robed Klansmen in attendance, including ROBERT FULLER, HUGH MOORE, and JERRY HAYES of the OKA, and JAMES LELSIE and OSCAR ANDERSON of the Southern Louisiana area. Rev. GEORGE BONNER was the main speaker, and there were approximately 150 spectators.

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#### ADMINISTRATIVE:

An extra copy of this report is being submitted to the Bureau for dissemination to Secret Service, Washington, D. C., in view of the fact that the subject falls within the Categories 5-A and C of the Agreement Between the FBI and Secret Service Concerning Presidential Protection.

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this individual has been subpoenaed to appear before the HCUA in January, 1966.

Investigative period reflects date of file review and not dates of actual investigation.

This case was placed in a pending inactive status on 6/30/65, and reopened to report activity of subject, as well as to furnish current background information. This matter is again being placed in a pending inactive status and will be reopened in six months to report subject's activity.

Information copies of this report are being furnished to the Jackson and Little Rock Offices in view of their respective interests in this matter.





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ZENNIE WILLIAM FULLER

December 21, 1965

NO 157-1300

SA JOHN J. HALLERON, III

Character:

RACIAL MATTERS (KLAN)

Synopsis:

Subject, currently residing at 1500 Sunset Street, Monroe, is presently Grand Dragon of the Original Ku Klux Klan of America, Inc. (OKA). Sources report that FULLER's organization has cooperated in some degree with other Klan groups but that no merger is imminent at this time. FULLER's main activities have centered in Northeast Louisiana, however, in October, 1965, OKA units were chartered in Slidell and Pearl River, La.; these units subsequently lost their charters and are no longer associated with FULLER's organization. Complete details of subject's activities set forth. FULLER SHOULD BE CONSIDERED ARMED AND DANGEROUS AND POSSESSING SUICIDAL TENDENCIES.

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DETAILS:

I. BACKGROUND

A. Residence

1500 Sunset Street, Monroe, Louisiana.

B. Employment

Fuller Sanitation Service, 1500 Sunset Street, Monroe, Louisiana.

#### C. Current Position in Organization

Grand Dragon, Original Ku Klux Klan of America, Inc. (OKA). A characterization of the OKA is set forth in the appendix section of this report.

#### D. Automobile

1964 Ford bearing 1964 - 1965 Louisiana License 76F877.

#### II. ACTIVITY OF SUBJECT AND AFFILIATION WITH KLAN OR HATE-TYPE GROUPS

On June 18, 1965, NO T-1 advised that ROBERT FULLER, representing the OKA, had met with Northeast Louisiana leaders of the Original Knights of the Ku Klux Klar (OKKKK) and United Klans of America, Inc., Knights of the Ku Klux Klan (UKA) on June 16, 1965. Characterizations of the OKKKK and UKA are included in the appendix section of this report. At this meeting various matters were discussed in which the Klan groups were interested and all present agreed to meet in the future.

On June 26, 1965, NO T-2 advised that MURRAY MARTIN had met with ROBERT FULLER and representatives of the UKA. At this meeting all agreed to work together but unification would not be advisable at this time.

On June 16, 1965, NO T-3 advised that ROBERT FULLER was presently the Grand Dragon of the OKA.

On June 13, 1965, NO T-4 advised that ROBERT FULLER had contacted UKA representatives in order to have UKA Klan members participate in an OKA rally at Delhi, Louisiana, on June 19, 1965.

On June 6, 1965, NO T-4 advised that ROBERT FULLER and other OKA and UKA members drove to Oak Grove, Louisiana,

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on June 5, 1965, in order to ascertain if a baseball park there had been integrated.

On June 25, 1965, NO T-3 advised that ROBERT FULLER was one of the speakers at a Klan rally held June 19, 1965. at Delhi. Louisiana.

On July 6, 1965, NO T-3 advised that ROBERT FULLER spoke at a meeting of the Monroe Unit Number 2 (OKA) on June 25, 1965. Source also advised that FULLER attended a Province meeting of Ouachita Parish Klan members on July 2, 1965, at which time he directed Klansmen not to have anything to do with the Ouachita Parish Citizens Council.

On July 12, 1965, NO T-3 advised that FULLER attended an OKA Province meeting for Richland Parish held July 5, 1965, near Girard, Louisiana.

On June 25, 1965, NO T-5 advised that FULLER attended an OKA rally at Delhi, Louisiana, on June 21, 1965.

On July 22, 1965, NO T-4 advised that ROBERT FULLER and OKA Grand Titan JACK SAUCIER had recently attempted to recruit several UKA units in Arkansas.

On July 23, 1965, NO T-3 advised that ROBERT FULLER attended a meeting of the Monroe Unit of the OKA held July 9, 1965. It was decided that FULLER would speak at the rally planned July 24, 1965, at Monroe. FULLER also reportedly attended a meeting of the Rayville Unit of the OKA on July 12, 1965. Source also advised that FULLER attended a rally sponsored by the National Knights of the Ku Klux Klan (NKKKK) at Shreveport, Louisiana, on July 17, 1965. A characterization of the NKKKK is included in the appendix section of this report.

On July 21, 1965, NO T-1 advised that ROBERT FULLER and other OKA members had met on July 20, 1965, with Klan members from El Dorado, Arkansas, in an effort to have these individuals join FULLER's Klan group.

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On August 9, 1965, NO T-3 advised that ROBERT FULLER spoke at an OKA rally held August 7, 1965, at Monroe and an OKA barbeque held August 8, 1965, near Start, Louisiana.

On August 9, 1965, NO T-4 advised that OKA Klan members in Richland Parish were preparing to break away from ROBERT FULLER's leadership,

On August 9, 1965, NO T-4 advised that OKA Grand Dragon ROBERT FULLER was present at a cross-burning rally sponsored by the OKA outside of Monroe, Louisiana, on August 7, 1965.

On August 9, 1965, in connection with injunctive proceedings in United States District Court, Eastern District of Louisiana, Grand Dragon CHARLES CHRISTMAS of the Anti-Communist Christian Association (ACCA) produced two lists of Klan members. One of these lists showed one ROBERT FULLER to be a former member of the OKKKK. A characterization of the ACCA is attached in the appendix section of this report.

On September 7, 1965, NO T-3 advised that ROBERT FULLER was among the OKA members who attended a NKKKK rally held September 4, 1965, at Stone Mountain, Georgia.

On September 9, 1965, NO T-1 advised that ROBERT FULLER planned to come to Bogalusa on September 18, 1965, in order to charter Klan units in that area into the OKA.

On September 20, 1965, NO T-1 advised that ROBERT FULLER and other OKA Klansmen had traveled to Pearl River, Louisiana, at which time a men's and women's unit of the OKA was chartered there.

On August 31, 1965, NO T-3 advised that OKA Grand Dragon ROBERT FULLER was present at a meeting of the Monroe Unit Number 2 (OKA) on August 13, 1965. Source also advised that FULLER was reportedly in attendance at a meeting on August 25, 1965, of the Kings Hunting Club which is the old West Monroe Unit Unit Number 2 of the OKA. FULLER also

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reportedly spoke at an OKA cross-burning rally at Mangham, Louisiana, on August 21, 1965, and attended a meeting of the OKA State leaders on August 29, 1965.

On October 1, 1965, NO T-1 advised that ROBERT FULLER and other OKA leaders planned to go to Slidell, Louisiana, on October 10, 1965, in order to charter OKA units at Slidell and Bush, Louisiana.

On October 1, 1965, NO T-3 advised that the OKA was originally formed by ROBERT FULLER and HOUSTON MORRIS after they split from the OKKKK in December, 1964. Source also advised that FULLER became Grand Dragon of this organization in February, 1965, after HOUSTON MORRIS terminated his membership.

On September 24, 1965, NO T-5 advised that it had been rumored that ROBERT FULLER was associated with NKKKK.

On October 11, 1965, NO T-1 advised that ROBERT FULLER and other OKA Klansmen went to Slidell, Louisiana, on October 9, 1965. At this time OKA charters were issued for OKA units in Slidell and Pearl River, Louisiana.

On October 4, 1965, Sheriff GEORGE BROCA, St. Tammany Parish Sheriff's Office, advised that reportedly on September 12, 1965, ROBERT FULLER was the featured speaker at the Slidell Unit of the OKKKK.

On October 16, 1965, NO T-3 advised that ROBERT FULLER and ABE ALLEN reportedly went to Slidell, Louisiana, on October 14, 1965, to meet OKA Klansman OSCAR ANDERSON. While there FULLER also met SAXON FARMER, OKKKK leader in Bogalusa; no rapport was achieved by these two persons, as FULLER reportedly opposed violence while FARMER believed in the use of violence to achieve Klan goals.

On October 25, 1965, NO T-3 advised that ROBERT FULLER and other Klansmen from both the OKKKK and OKA went to Tallulah, Louisiana, on October 22, 1965, since it had been reported that Negroes would attend a high school football game there.

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On October 19, 1965, NO T-6 advised that ROBERT FULLER held an organizational meeting for Klan members in the Covington, Louisiana area on September 18, 1965.

On October 11, 1965, NO T-7 advised that ROBERT FULLER had met with Washington Parish Sheriff DORMAN CROWE at Bogalusa in August, 1964. FULLER reportedly told CROWE that the OKKKK approved of the hiring of Negro deputies, as this would appease the Negro population in the Parish.

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JAMES MONROE ELLIS, also known as Buster Ellis, Ellis Auto Service, 814 Sabine Street, Bogalusa, Louisiana, furnished the following information:

He joined the Original Knights of the Ku Klux Klan (OKKKK) at Bogalusa, Louisiana, about March, 1964, and was subsequently elected as Exalted Cyclops of Unit Number 2 of the OKKKK at Bogalusa. He remained in the Klan until the Fall of 1964 when he quit.

ELLIS informed that about a month or so after the Negro Deputy Sheriffs were appointed in Washington Parish, exact date not recalled, ROBERT FULLER of Monroe, Louisiana, who was then the Chief of the Klan Bureau of Investigation (KBI) went to see Washington Parish Sheriff DORMAN CROWE at Franklinton, Louisiana.

ELLIS advised that he did not know the identity of any individual or individuals from Washington Parish who may have contacted FULLER to travel from Monroe to Franklinton, Louisiana, in order to see Sheriff CROWE. ELLIS stated that he had no information that the purpose of FULLER's trip was to attempt to persuade Sheriff CROWE to remove the Negro Deputy Sheriffs, but he believed the purpose was formal in nature in that FULLER in his capacity, Chief of the KBI, had the responsibility of visiting Sheriffs in the Louisiana parishes in order to offer the assistance of the Klan to these Sheriffs, if such assistance might ever be needed

ELLIS stated that prior to the visit of FULLER with Sheriff CROWE, FULLER arrived in Bogalusa, accompanied by HOUSTON MORRIS of Baton Rouge, Louisiana, who was at that time Chief Kleagle of the Klan and JOHN BURCH of Walker, Louisiana, also a Klansman who was more or less a constant travelling companion of FULLER.

These three individuals met with ELLIS, RUSSELL MAGEE, who was at that time District Organizer for the Klan, and LEVERT STRAHAN who was Chief of the KBI for Washington Parish, as well as others whose names ELLIS could not recall.

It was decided that BURCH and ELLIS would accompany FULLEF to visit Sheriff CROWE. ELLIS states he was chosen to visit CROWE

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instead of STRAHAN or MAGEE who actually held higher positions in the Klan than he did because MAGEE and STRAHAN were known political adversaries of CROWE and CROWE and ELLIS attended the same church.

ELLIS informed that he, BURCH and FULLER then travelled to Franklinton, Louisiana, where they met with Sheriff CROWE in CROWE's office at the Washington Parish Court House.

ELLIS stated that the conference with Sheriff CROWE lasted approximately thirty minutes. At the outset of the conference, FULLER identified himself to CROWE as head of the KBI for the Klan and in view of his position, one of his duties was to personally contact the chief law enforcement officers of the Louisiana parishes. ELLIS stated that as best he recalls, FULLER told Sheriff CROWE that he represented a group of 3,000 men in Washington Parish who could be counted upon to support CROWE in any political campaigns, as well as furnish CROWE with any type of assistance he might need in the performance of his duties and those of the Washington Parish Sheriff's Office.

ELLIS stated that the figure of 3,000 furnished by FULLER to Sheriff CROWE was highly inaccurate, but FULLER wanted to leave the impression with Sheriff CROWE that the Klan in the parish actually numbered in members more than was the case.

ELLIS stated that he believed that FULLER brought up the question of the Negro Deputy Sheriffs and indicated to Sheriff CROWE that many of the members were upset at the appointment of Negroes to the position of Deputy Sheriff.

ELLIS recalled that Sheriff CROWE explained to FULLER that he had appointed the two Negro Deputies in order to fulfill a campaign promise made to Negro leaders in the parish in return for the Negro vote he had received in the previous election. CROWE went on to explain that he had personally chosen the two Negro Deputies from a list of names submitted by the Negro leaders.

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CROWE told FULLER that he had issued instructions to the two Negro Deputy Sheriffs that their duties were to patrol and enforce the law in only the Negro areas in Washington Parish and that if they ever came upon a highway accident involving white people, they should radio for the assistance of white Deputies to handle the accident, but they should remain at the scene to direct traffic.

CROWE also told FULLER that he had told the Negro Deputies that in the event they did not perform their duties in the proper manner, or if he ever received any complaints about their work, he would fire them.

ELLIS claimed that at no time during this conversation did FULLER, BURCH or he make any type of a demand or insinuate in any manner that the Negro Deputies should be removed. ELLIS stated that at the conclusion of the conference, FULLER remarked to Sheriff CROWE that the Negroes would probably do a good job as there had been Negro law enforcement officers in Monroe, Louisiana, who were doing a good job among the Negro population

ELLIS stated that after the meeting, the three of them met with MAGEE, STRAHAN and others at which time FULLER told them of what had transpired at the conference. FULLER told these persons that he did not see why they were upset with CROWE as he felt that Sheriff CROWE was one of the finest Sheriffs he had ever met.

ELLIS stated that this remark made by FULLER was not well received by the others, but that no remarks or comments were made by the others which would indicate they would oppose FULLER in the handling of this matter by taking action against the Negro Deputies on their own.

ELLIS stated the only comment he could recall which was made after FULLER left was that according to RUSSELL MAGEE it appeared as though Sheriff CROWE was able to "pull the wool over FULLER's eyes."

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RUSSELL ERASTUS MAGEE, upon reinterview, again denied that he was in any way involved in the shooting of the Negro deputies or that he had any information as to whomight be responsible.

MAGEE stated that sometime in 1964, date not recalled, after the Negroes were appointed as deputy sheriffs, ROBERT FULLER, along with HOUSTON MORRIS, state leaders of the Original Knights of the Ku Klux Klan (OKKKK), along with "BUSTER" ELLIS, went to see Sheriff DORMAN CROWE, Washington Parish.

MAGEE stated that he believes FULLER may have been requested to see Sheriff CROWE by BUSTER ELLIS, but he was not sure of this.

MAGEE states he does recall that at a Klan meeting in the Summer of 1964, the question arose as to what could be done about the Negro deputy sheriffs, and to the best of his recollection, FULLER indicated he would go to see CRDWE about this matter. He said he could not recall anything further in regards to this matter.

MAGEE states he did not attend the conference with CROWE, however, it was his understanding that FULLER was going to attempt to pursuade Sheriff CROWE to remove the Negroes from their positions.

MAGEE states that he later learned from FULLER that Sheriff CROWE had told FULLER that the Negro deputies would never arrest a white person and in case of an automobile accident involving a white woman, the Negro deputies would not handle or touch a white woman in any manner, but would call for assistance from white deputy sheriffs.

MAGEE stated that he had never followed the Negro deputy sheriffs and to his knowledge no other individuals had at any time followed these individuals. He stated, however, it was possible that some white persons in the Varnado, Louisiana, area where the Negroes resided, might have on occasions followed them.

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MAGEE stated that to his knowledge, no orders were given by the Klan that the Negro deputies should be followed, nor were there any orders issued to take any type of action against them.

MAGEE states that at no time did anyone ever come to him for authority to take any action against CREED ROGERS or ONEAL MOORE and that at no time had he ever heard anyone make any type of statement which could be interpreted as indicating a physical attack on the Negro deputy sheriffs. NO 157-1300 JJH: jas

On November 1, 1965, NO T-8 advised that ROBERT FULLER was active in the West Monroe Unit Number 2 of the OKKKK in August, 1964.

On October 29, 1965, NO T-9 advised that ROYAL YOUNG, former Grand Dragon of the OKKKK, had sold Klan robes and literature to ROBERT FULLER on October 29, 1965, when the two men and other Klansmen met at YOUNG's home in Shreveport.

On November 16, 1965, NO T-10 advised that the ACCA in the Baton Rouge area was reportedly taking away Klan units from FULLER's group. Source also advised that the members of the CKA Unit at Slidell were disenchanted with FULLER inasmuch as FULLER had done nothing regarding assisting several Slidell members who were arrested for church burnings.

On November 17, 1965, NO T-2 advised that ROBERT FULLER had been reportedly attempting to organize an OKA unit in the Tallulah, Louisiana area.

On November 15, 1965, NO T-11 advised that HAROLD SWENSON of Pearl River, Louisiana, was reportedly associated with ROBERT FULLER's Klan organization.

On November 13, 1965, NO T-3 advised that ROBERT FULLER attended a meeting of the Monroe Unit of the OKA on November 7, 1965. At this meeting the charters of the OKA units at Slidell and Pearl River, Louisiana, were revoked, since members of these units had been arrested for church burnings in St. Tammany Parish. Source also advised that FULLER on November 10, 1965, attended a meeting of the West Monroe Unit Unit Number 2 of the OKA.

On November 24, 1965, NO T-3 advised that ROBERT FULLER attended a meeting of the Monroe Unit Number 2 of the OKA on November 12, 1965, and a meeting of the Monroe Unit Number 1 of the OKA on November 22, 1965.

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## ORIGINAL KU KLUX KLAN OF AMERICA, INC. (LOUISIANA) (OKA)

Records of the Secretary of State, State of Louisiana, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, reflect that a Louisiana corporate charter was issued to the Original Ku Klux Klan of America, Inc., on January 26, 1965, at Monroe, Louisiana.

A source advised on May 16, 1965, that at a Province meeting in Winnsboro, Louisiana, of the Original Knights of the Ku Klux Klan (OKKKK) held in December, 1964, there was considerable dissension among the members and as a result a split in the OKKKK occurred. Houston Morris and Robert Fuller led the split and formed the Original Ku Klux Klan of America, Inc., according to the source.

A second source advised on October 1, 1965, that Houston Morris and Robert Fuller formed the Original Ku Klux Klan of America, Inc. (OKA) after spliting away from the OKKKK in December, 1964. The second source advised that the OKA has the same general purposes as the OKKKK; that is, the promotion of Americanism, white supremacy and the maintaining of segregation.

The second source also advised that Robert Fuller assumed the leadership position of Grand Dragon of the OKA in February, 1965, after Houston Morris left the organization. The second source further advised that the OKA does not have any units chartered outside the State of Louisiana.

#### APPENDIX

## 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 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.

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## RE: UNITED KLANS OF AMERICA, INC., KNIGHTS OF THE KU KLUX KLAN

Birmingham Confidential Informant T-1 advised on October 15, 1965, that on October 11, 1965, ROBERT M. CREEL, Grand Dragon of the United Klans of America, Inc., Knights of the Ku Klux Klan (UKA), stated that he was going to resign from his position as Grand Dragon, and return to work in Bessemer, Alabama. CREEL said that he was going to call a meeting in about two weeks to elect a new Grand Dragon for Alabama. CREEL said that he had been accused by different members of the UKA of getting rich off contributions, and because of this accusation, he was getting out of the Klan.

T-1 said that a Dr. TED CRANE, who is going to write a book on ROBERT M. SHELTON and the UKA, was in Tuscaloosa on October 11, 1965, with ROBERT M. SHELTON. T-1 said Dr. CRANE stated that the Grand Dragon of the State of Virginia, a Mr. KEARNEGAY (phonetic), a former resident of North Carolina, had been made Grand Dragon of Virginia to get him away from the North Carolina area, as the North Carolina "Klan" had discovered that he had taken approximately six thousand to seven thousand dollars from the "Klan" and Klan members in North Carolina were about to kill him.

T-1 said that General EDWIN WALKER is to be made Grand Dragon of the State of Texas. T-1 said that JAMES L. FRAZIER of Tuscaloosa was to fly ROBERT M. SHELTON to Shreveport, Louisiana, on Thursday morning, October 14, 1965, for a meeting with General WALKER, and the Louisiana Grand Dragon, at some motel (name unknown).

T-1 said that ROBERT M. SHELTON had set a UKA rally for Grant Park, in Atlanta, Georgia, for the night of either October 15 or 16, 1965.

.T-1 said that the Imperial Secretary of the UKA is now a Tuscaloosa man named MELVIN SEXTON.

#### APPENDIX

NATIONAL KU KLUX KLAN, also known as Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, Inc., National Grand Council of the Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, National Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, Majority Citizens League

A source advised that on May 22, 1960, the National Grand Council of the Knights of the Ku Klux Klan met at Atlanta, Georgia, to discuss consolidation of the klans unity of effort and activities, to establish a National Fund and a National Secretary and to design a new flag. The meeting was attended by representatives of the Federation of Ku Klux Klan, Alabama; Association of Arkansas Klans, Arkansas; Florida Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, Florida; Southern Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, Florida; Association of Georgia Klans, Georgia; Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, North Carolina; Association of South Carolina Klans, South Carolina; Dixie Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, Tennessee; and Hyksos Klan, Texas.

This source advised that a consolidation meeting at Atlanta, Georgia, September 2 - 5, 1960, at which the North Carolina and Texas klans were not represented, it was resolved and passed that their name be changed to National Ku Klux Klan.

This source also advised that at a consolidation meeting at Savannah, Georgia, October 3, 1960, it was resolved and passed that in any future meetings of this group the name "Majority Citizens League" was to be used.

A second source advised that at a National Klonklave meeting at Texarkana, Texas, on February 11 - 12, 1961, a motion was carried that there were to be at least six national meetings a year to be held any time from one week to twelve weeks after the last meeting. The time and meeting place were to be decided by the newly-elected chairman. This second source also advised that at each meeting a new chairman and acting secretary were to be elected to serve at the next meeting. A national secretary had not been appointed.

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## ANTI-COMMUNIST CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION (ACCA), ALSO KNOWN AS ORIGINAL KNIGHTS OF THE KU KLUX KLAN (OKKKK)

A source advised on October 13, 1965, that the ACCA was formed February, 1965, when members of the OKKKK residing in the Sixth Louisiana Congressional District broke away from the State organization in the Fall of 1964.

The source stated members were told that even though the organization's name had been changed to ACCA, they should still consider themselves to be Klansmen and that they would continue to operate as Klansmen.

In February, 1965, ACCA filed Articles of Incorporation with the Secretary of State's Office in Baton Rouge, Louisiana.

Source advised that the purpose of the ACCA is to promote Americanism, white supremacy and to maintain segregation.

A hearing was held in the United States District Court, Eastern District of Louisiana, New Orleans, during the week of September 11, 1965, wherein the ACCA and various individuals were held to answer a Justice Department petition seeking a temporary injunction against interference with the activities of civil rights workers in the Bogalusa, Louisiana, area.

Charles H. Christmas of Amite, Louisiana, identified as the Grand Dragon of this organization, told the court that the Klan went out of existence four months previously and was succeeded by the ACCA. In reorganizing, ACCA retained as its officers the existing Klan officers, bylaws, and basic organization, according to Christmas. He further told the court that the ACCA membership was restricted to the Sixth Congressional District of Louisiana. Every oath in the ACCA was the same as that of the Klan, and the meeting places were often the same.

#### APPENDIX



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On November 27, 1965, TOMMY REAGAN, Great Titan for the 5th Province of the United Klans of America in company with DALE OETGEN, DAVID REEVES and DAVID RHOTEN, drove to Rayville, Louisiana, for the purpose of contacting J. C. TANNER, who is the KBI man for the Original Ku Kux Klan of America, Incorporated organization. TANNER advised that he had arranged a rally site for the forthcoming Klan rally to be held at Tallulah, Louisiana on December 18, 1965. TANNER stated that this rally would be held four miles west of Tallulah off of United States Highway 80.

On November 28, 1965, an Exalted Cyclops meeting of the 5th Province of the United Klans of America was held at West Monroe Klavern #2 of the United Klans of America. This meeting began at 2:30 P.M. and terminated at 4:30 P.M.

There were two spectators present at this meeting from the State of Arkansas. One of them was MAX MANASCO from El Dorado, Arkansas and the other was the Great Titan from Arkansas.

There was a total of thirty-four Klansmen present including TOMMY REAGAN, HENRY SALLEY, a member of West Monroe Unit #1 and also a member of the 5th Province Titan Committee, replacing STANLEY CHAPMAN, who has resigned from the Klan. Also recognized was DAVID REEVES, DAVID RHOTEN, GIL HARRIS, from the Bernice Unit, VAN HOWELL, Exalted Cyclops of the Sterlington Unit, ARNOLD MANN, from West Monroe Unit #2, W. J. KIDD, Exalted Cyclops of the Swartz Unit, LAVEL TRUELOVE, Exalted Cyclops of the Chatham Unit, HERBERT PACE, member of the Jonesboro Unit #1, REAGAN WILSON, Exalted Cyclops of the College Unit, BILLY PARKER, member of the Charmingdale Unit, BOBBY TINSLEY, Exalted Cyclops of the Okaloosa Unit. BUCK WATSON, member of the CALHOUN UNIT, TOMMY JOHNSON, Exalted Cyclops of the Brownville Unit, JIM MC CLUNG.

TOMMY REAGAN, the Master of Ceremonies for this meeting, discussed the new United Klans of America Security Guard uniforms to be worn by Security Guards. He stated that Security Guards have the job of seeing to it that Klansmon did not interfere with spectators or vice versa during Klan functions.

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He stated there would be three Security Guards designated from each United Klans of America Unit. REAGAN stated that there would be a Major in charge of Security Guards in each Parish and a Captain directly under him. He said there would be a Captain or First Lieutenant in charge of each Unit. REAGAN stated that the job of Major would go to BOBBY TINSLEY and directly under him would be the Captain's position which would go to JESSE LEE. He stated this would be a military organization and would have close order drill once a week.

REAGAN announced there would be a rally of the United Klans of America at Tallulah, Louisiana on December 18, 1965 and that the Klan would conduct a buy in.

He stated that from henceforth there would be a 25¢ extra assessment of dues on each member in the 5th Province and that this money would be returned by the state to the Louisiana Titan Committee for the 5th Province. This motion was placed on the floor by DAVID REEVES and was seconded and unanimously voted for by the members present.

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Following this meeting, TOMMY REAGAN conferred with MAX MANASCO and the Great Titan from Arkansas. Also present during this conference was DAVID RHOTEN and HENRY SALLEY.

REAGAN more thoroughly explained the forthcoming Klan operation in Tallulah, Louisiana and asked that Arkansas send individuals to Tallulah to assist the Louisiana Klan.

On December 1, 1965, TOMMY REAGAN, in company with COY NEAL, from the Monroe Unit, conferred with J. C. TANNER at Rayville, Louisiana. TANNER advised that members of the Original Ku Klux Klan of America, Incorporated in Richland Parish, were in favor of Klan demonstrations in Tallulah and that this in turn was swinging this group behind the United Klans of America.

Following this conference, COY NEAL and TOMMY REAGAN drove to Greyhound Bus Station in Houma, Louisiana. They met with twelve other Klansmen including CHESTER LETEFF, Exalted Cyclops of the Baton Rouge Unit, home Telephone Number EL 5 7966, HAYES MARCEL, home Telephone Number 872-2815, ROCCO J. MURPHY, home Telephone Number 721-2921,

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J. C. ARNOLD, from Abbeville, Louisiana, Telephone Number 893-4557, LEONARD A. SWINNEY, New Iberia, Louisiana, Telephone Number EM 4 1615.

The above Klansmen then drove to Thibodaux, Louisiana where they attended the speech by Congressman WILLIS at the Nichols College.

The above Klansmen attended the speech by Congressman WILLIS at the Nichols State College in which he attacked the Ku Klux Klan. Following this speech, the Klansmen left some Klan literature in the back of the auditorium. This literature was Klan cards stating you have been patronized by a member of the Ku Klux Klan, Terrebone Unit, and also a pamphlet entitled, "Introduction to the Klan".

Following this speech the above Klansmen then met at the Highway 69 Motel at Houma, Louisiana. This meeting was for the purpose of determining what cities and towns in the 3rd Congressional District would be subject to United Klans of America literature distribution on the morning of December 12, 1965.

According to COY NEAL, the Klan would recieve thirty thousand copies of the United Klans of America Newspaper "The Firey Cross", in which a special edition would attack Congressman WILLIS.

It would cost the Klan in Louisiana \$400.00 to have this newspaper printed. The members of the United Klans of America from the 3rd Congressional District donated \$120.00 as their share. The rest of the money to be collected from Klan Units around Alexandria, Louisiana and Monroe, Louisiana.

During this discussion, specific assignments were given to the Klansmen present as to which towns would receive this distribution of "The Firey Cross". Some of the towns mentioned were Lafayette, Louisiana, Saint Martinville, Louisiana, New Iberia, Louisiana, Houma, Louisiana and Thibodaux, Louisiana.

The above Klansmen were to meet at the Holiday Inn in Lafayette, Louisiana at 8:00 P.M. on the night of December 11, 1965.

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A room would be reserved in the name of LARRY DOBSON, who is a member of the Baton Rouge Unit of the United Klans of America. The Klansmen would then discuss what Units would be assigned to what towns in the 3rd Congressional District for distribution of "The Firey Cross". All Units in Louisiana were to be represented in this distribution of literature.

Following this meeting, TOMMY REAGAN and COY NEAL drove to Alexandria, Louisiana. After arriving in Alexandria, Louisiana, they phoned the Great Titan of this District, W. L. MC CANN. The above Klansmen met at a restaurant located in Pineville, Louisiana. MC CANN stated that is district would attempt to raise \$100.00 to contribute towards paying for "The Firey Cross" to be distributed in the 3rd Congressional District. MC CANN stated there were three Units active in and around the Alexandria, Louisiana area. He stated they were the Tioga Unit, the Oakdale Unit and the Pineville Unit. He stated that there was a nucleus Unit located in Colfax, Louisiana, which had been organized by J. C. ARNOLD, who now resides in Abbeville, Louisiana. Following this discussion, the two Klansmen then returned to Monroe, Louisiana.

On November 29, 1965, a meeting of the College Unit of the United Klans of America was held on Winnsboro Highway in South Monroe, Louisiana. A short meeting was held, in which the Unit led by REAGAN WILSON, thanked YOHMY REAGAN for appearing and stated that through REAGAN'S efforts, this Unit had been formulated. The Klansmen then departed and attended a fish fry located two blocks from the meeting site. There were twelve individuals present, all of which were over forty years of age. Including REAGAN WILSON and TOMMY REAGAN, DAVID REEVES, from West Monroe Unit #1, was in attendance. According to REAGAN WILSON, this Unit has twenty-three members on its rolls and will apply for its charter in the wear future.

The official Klan name for this Unit is the Ward 10 Hunting and Fishing Club.

On December 2, 1965, TOMMY REAGAN conferred with J. C. TANNER at Rayville, Louisiana. TANNER stated that the Original Ku Klan of America, Incorporated organization, which was to cooperate with the United Klans of America organization in the proposed activity at Tallulah, Louisiana, on December 18, 1965, had decided not to participate. TANNER stated that the Original Ku Klux Klan of America, Incorporated was supposed to have the hand bills made for distribution prior to the march and rally of the Klan on December 18, 1965. ROBERT FULLER, Grand Dragon of the Origianl Ku Klux Klan of America, Incorporated, stated that his organization would not appear at Tallulah, Louisiana on December 18, 1965.

TANNER stated that the Original Ku Klux Klan of America, Incorporated Units in Richland Parish were for the United Klans of America and wanted to go to Tallulah, Louisiana but would follow the orders of Grand Dragon FULLER.

GEORGE BONNER, who holds the position of Chaplain in the Original Ku Klux Klan of America, Incorporated organization, was to be the principal speaker at the Klan rally at Tallulah, Louisiana, December 18, 1965, but due to FULLER'S orders had now decided not to speak.

In conferring with TANNER, REAGAN also had as an acomplice DALE OETGEN from the Sterlington Unit of the United Klans of America.

TANNER invited REAGAN to return to Rayville on the night of December 2, 1965 and speak to leaders of the Original Ku Klux Klan of America, Incorporated in Richland Parish.

REAGAN, in company with DAVE RHOTEN, returned to Rayville, Louisiana and spoke with E. W. PACE, who holds the position of King Kleagel in the Original Ku Klux Klan of America, Incorporated. REAGAN also conferred with the Great Titan of the Original Ku Klux Klan of America, Incorporated organization, who is from Mangham, Louisiana, regarding the United Klans of America.

PACE and the Great Titan of the Original Ku Klux Klan of America, Incorporated organization, questioned REAGAN closely regarding the principles and goals of United Klans of America.

Following this conference with PACE, TANNER stated that REAGAN had made a good impression on the two Klansmen and that he felt the Richland Parish Units would swing over to the United Klans of America organization.

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A confidential source advised December 9, 1965 that the United Klans of America, Knights of the Ku Klux Klan (UKA) intend to distribute 30 thousand copies of the UKA newspaper "The Fiery Cross" throughout the 3rd Congressional District of Louisiana. This addition of the Firery Cross is to have editorials attacking Congressman WILLIS, Chairman, of the House UnAmerican Activities Committee, presently investigating the Ku Klux Klan.

The distribution of the Firery Crosses will take place between 8 and 12 P. M. on December 12, 1965.

The nine largest towns in the First Congressional District including WILLIS' home town of St. Martinville, Louisiana, will have copies of this paper distributed.

Klansmen are meeting on December 11, 1965 at the Holiday Inn at Lafayette, Louisian a in order to receive instructions regarding the distribution of these newspapers.

On December 8, 1965 COY NEAL flew TOMMY REAGAN to Farmerville, Louisiana for the purpose of having a handbill printed announcing the forthcoming Merchants appreciation Day by the Ku Klux Klan at Tallulah, Louisiana on December 18, 1965.

TOMMY REAGAN, who is Great Titan for the Fifth Provence in Louisiana and COY NEAL, who holds the position of Investigator in the Monroe Unit of the UKA contacted J. D. GILLUM at Gillum's Cafe, Farmerville, Louisiana.

REAGAN requested that GILLUM contact GLENN HOLLOWAY, who is a member of the Farmerville Unit of the UKA and in charge of publishing all Klan publications and request that he have this handbill published.

GILLUM agreed to contact HOLLOWAY regarding the publication of this handbill.

Following this conversation with GILLUM, COY NEAL and TOMMY REAGAN flew back to Monroe, Louisiana.

TOMMY REAGAN then contacted VAN HOWELL, Exalted Cyclops of the Sterlington Unit of the UKA who advised that his unit would back the klan in supporting the Tallulah, Louisiana, klan operation.

It was moted that VAN HOWELL is presently supporting JAMES EDWARDS, Grand Dragon State of Louisiana in actually having a klan march in Tallulah, Louisiana. TOMMY REAGON is simply for having a "Buyin" in order to show the klan buying power. EDWARDS wants to have a klan march in order to show the strength of the Ku Klux Klan in Tallulah.

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Following this contact with VAN HOWELL, TOMMY REAGAN contacted PRENTISS ROBERTS, a member of the Brownville Unit of the UKA who also holds the position of Kleagel (organizer) in the UKA. PRENTISS ROBERTS stated that the Women's Auxiliary of West Monroe, Louisiana, is becoming extremely disturbed over the fact that they have been given no assignments. ROBERTS stated that the Women's Auxiliary Unit is becoming dissatisfied with the klan and will break off and dispand if not given assignments.

On December 7, 1965 COY NEAL and TOMMY REAGAN drove to Bastrop, Louisiana, accompanied with DALE OETGEN. From Bastrop, Louisiana, COY NEAL, DALE OETGEN and TOMMY REAGAN flew in COY NEAL's plane to Jonesboro, Louisiana, where they picked up JAMES EDWARDS. From Jonesboro the above klansmen then flew to Tallulah, Louisiana.

The above klansmen then toured Tallulah to determine the reception that the citizens in Tallulah would give the klan should they come on December 18, 1965. Following this contact at Tallulah the above klansmen flew to Natchez, Mississippi where they attempted to contact Grand Dragon, E. L. MC DANIEL. They were met

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at the air port by a klansman, first and last name unknown, who was an associate of MC DANIEL. This klansman stated that the klan march held in Natchez in the last two months was a tremendous success and that it stimulated membership into the UKA. TOMMY REAGAN stated that the reason for the proposed Tallulah activity by the UKA was to attempt to take over Original Ku Klux Klan of America Units in Richland and Madison Parishes.

Following this contact in Natchez EDWARDS was flown to Jonesboro, Louisiana, and dropped off and the above klansmen returned to Bastrop, Louisiana, and then drove to Monroe.

On December 6, 1965 TOMMY REAGAN met with the Arkansas State Board of the UKA in El Dorado, Arkansas. There were 10 members of the State Board present with one missing. Members recognized were:

GEORGE MC NEELEY, Grand Dragon,

Assistant Grand Dragon, CHARLES LUM. This meeting was held in the Tower Grill in El Dorado, Arkansas.

GEORGE MC NEELEY, the Grand Dragon, stated that the Great Titan in the El Dorado, Arkansas area had got in

trouble and they were thinking of having him dismissed from the klan. Apparently the Great Titan had taken a girl to a klan meeting and had sat in an automobile outside the meeting place drinking alcoholic beverages.

TOMMY REAGAN talked to the UKA State Board regarding the forthcoming Tallulah klan activity on December 18, 1965 and the Arkansas klansmen agreed to send 200 men to assist the Louisiana klansmen in staging this activity. MC NEELEY stated that klansmen would leave from Crossett and El Dorado, Arkansas on December 18, 1965 for Tallulah, Louisiana.

Upon returning from El Dorado, Arkansas, TOMMY REAGAN telephonically contacted JOHN JOHNSON at Junction City, Arkansas and advised him of the forthcoming klan activity at Tallulah.

On December 3, 1965 TOMMY REAGAN contacted J. C. TANNER at Rayville, Louisiana. Accompaning TOMMY REAGAN was DAVE RHOTEN, who is a member of West Monroe Unit #1. J. C. TANNER who holds the position of KBI in the Original Ku Klux Klan of America (OKA) in Richland Parish, Louisiana, stated that there were 6 units presently affiliated with the OKA in the Richland Parish area. He said that when

ROBERT FULLER, Grand Dragon for the OKA, went to Washington in early January 1966 to appear before the House Committee on UnAmerican Activities the 6 units in Richland Parish would swing over to the UKA.

On December 9, 1965 a meeting of West Monroe Unit #1 of the UKA was held at the home of HAROLD MC KASKELL. Recognized as being present at this unit meeting was:

> TOMMY REAGAN CALVIN GULETT HENRY SALLEY BUTCH COON DAVID REEVES CLARENCE CARROLL A. J. HAWTHORN BOBBY GARRETT

LARRY HALEY

(FNU) HALEY, father of LARRY HALEY

DAVID REEVES, the Exalted Cyclops for this unit proposed that crosses be burned at Negro high schools in Monroe and West Monroe, Louisiana on the night of December 11, 1965 to protest the fact that the city officials of Monroe and West Monroe, Louisiana, had

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permitted Negro bands to march with white bands. Following this discussion in which the unit voted to burn the crosses, an auction was held in order to raise funds for the unit treasury.

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On December 20, 1965, ROBERT FULLER and JERRY HAYES contacted LOY SCARBOROUGH and asked him if he would mediate a dispute between some members of the Original Ku Klux Klan of America, Inc. (OKA) but principally between FULLER and HAYES. SCARBOROUGH agreed to meet with the Klansmen and the meeting took place on the night of December 20, 1965 at the offices of SCARBOROUGH on S. Grand Street in Monroe, Louisiana. The following Klansmen attended the meeting:

> ROBERT FULLER JERRY HAYES LOY SCARBOROUGH HAROLD GROSS REV. GEORGE BONNER HUGH MOORE HENRY JEFFERY ROBERT GUESS LEE CRAWFORD BILLY BAYLES JACK SAUCIER

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HAYES started off the meeting by charging that FULLER was not giving any authority to the Titans and that he was trying to tell everyone in the Klan what they could and could not do. HAYES also stated that FULLER had misused some Klan funds and had made false statements about the Klan protest march in Tallulah, Louisiana, on December 18, 1965, in order to discourage the Klansmen from attending the march. HAYES stated that J. C. TANNER had told him that he had a permit to parade in Tallulah and FULLER had said that there was not any permit and that any Klansmen who tried to parade would be arrested.

SCARBOROUGH then stated that to settle the Tallulah situation he would call Chief of Police ROGAN in Tallulah and ask him whether or not the Klansmen had a permit to parade. The Klansmen agreed to this and it was decided that Rev. BONNER would listen on the extension phone and then report on what was said. BONNER listened as the call was made and then reported that Chief ROGAN said that no permit to parade was ever issued and that TANNER had been refused a permit. ROGAN also made the statement in the phone conversation that the people of Tallulah were not impressed and were not influenced by the Klansmen appearing in Tallulah. ROGAN said that the march was not allowed and that the rally that had been planned was called off.

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After BONNER reported on the phone call HUGH MOORE produced a list of figures showing how the OKA money had been spent and most of the members at the meeting were convinced that HAYES did not have any grounds for his complaints against FULLER.

After the meeting was over HAYES told SCARBOROUGH that his real complaint against FULLER is that FULLER knows that HAYES has been going with another woman who is now in Texas and HAYES felt that FULLER had told HAYES' wife about the other woman.

HAROLD GROSS has now reportedly taken over the leadership of both of the West Monroe OKA units as membership has dropped off and the two units are now meeting together. Cover Sheet for Informant Report or Material FD-306 (3-21-58)

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B\* (COVER PAGE) A special meeting of some of the leaders of the Original Ku Klux Klan of American, Inc. (OKA) was held in the office of LOY SCARBOROUGH on December 20, 1965. The purpose of this meeting was to try to iron out the differences between Grand Dragon ROBERT FULLER and Ouachita Parish Great Titan JERRY HAYES, and SCARBOROUGH agreed to act as mediator. HAYES made three charges against FULLER as follows:

- (1) FULLER was taking too much power away from the Titans and was making all the decisions himself without consulting the Titans. HAYES particularly pointed out the Tallulah Protest march as an instance in which FULLER said that no OKA Klansmen could participate and FULLER made this decision knowing that may OKA Klansmen wanted to participate.
- (2) FULLER was misusing the Klan funds
- (3) FULLER organized the OKA in Slidell on his own and took men into the OKA who were unfit and who brought discredit to the group.

On the first point HAYES said that FULLER had lied about the Tallulah situation because FULLER made the statement that the Klan did not have a permit to march. HAYES said that he had talked to J.C. TANNER and TANNER told him that he did have a permit. SCARBOROUGH then suggested that to resolve the point a call should be made to Chief of Police

ROGAN in Tallulah, La. SCARBOROUGH then made the call and Rev. GEORGE BONNER listened on the extention to the call. BONNER reported that ROGAN stated that there was never any permit issued to the Klan and that he had told TANNER in person that he would not permit the Klan to march in Tallulah.

On the second complaint of HAYES, HUGH MOORE reported on how the Klan money was spent and stated that he knew of all the expenditures and that FULLER had definitely not misused any of the Klan funds.

On the third point, FULLER defended his action in Slidell and the members seemed convinced that there was little basis to the complaints of HAYES. Those who attended the meeting included the following:

> LOY SCARBOROUGH ROBERT FULLER JERRY HAYES GEORGE BONNER HUGH MOORE HENRY JEFFERY JACK SAUCIER ROBERT GUESS HAROLD GROSS

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## LEE CRAWFORD

BILLY BAYLES (exact spelling of last name not verified). He is a new OKA member from West Monroe and reportedly was recently discharged from the Army. He is not believed to be related to former Klan leader IRVING BAYLES.

GRADY BARFIELD, another new OKA member, works at Olin-Mathieson.

## JIMMY GRIFFIN

On December 27, 1965, there was a meeting of the Rayville, Louisiana Klan Unit at the Klavern at Start, Louisiana. There were only eight men present including the following:

J.C. TANNER

E.W. PACE

JAMES KEENE

BILL SHIVELY

MALCOLM MC KENZIE

W.H. CRAWFORD

JOHN MORGAN of Tallulah, Louisiana

The PARKER Brothers of Tallulah

It was discussed at the meeting that the Tallulah and Rayville OKA units are now dissolved and their charters have been sent to the Grand Dragon. The Holly Ridge Unit

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remains with the OKA although that unit has been inactive in the past few months. J.C. TANNER suggested that the group should consider forming a new Klan organization with headquarters in Rayville. TANNER stated that he does not want anything further to do with the OKA and he would prefer to start a new Klan group rather than go under the United Klans. TANNER also discussed the protest march in Tallulah, Louisiana, which he had organized and admitted that the march was a failure.

E.W. PACE who has been inactive in the Klan in recent months, stated that he did not see any sense in starting a new Klan group and PACE said that if he gets active again he would rather be with ROBERT FULLER'S OKA group. PACE then said that he believes the Klan is dying and pointed out the fact that there were just nine men at the meeting and he doubted that enough interest could be stimulated in forming a new group. He then said that the only reason TANNER wants to form a new group is because he wants to be a Grand Dragon. TANNER and PACE then had a brief argument and the meeting broke up shortly thereafter, with no further plans being made about a new Klan group.

The two West Monroe OKA units are now meeting

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together inasmuch as there are not enough members attending the separate meetings to warrant holding separate meetings. The two units met together on December 8, 1965, and December 15, 1965, and copies of the minutes of these meetings are attached to this report. RICHARD THOMPSON is the Kligrapp and keeps the minutes of the meetings. HAROLD GROSS is the leader of the two groups although he does not yet have a formal title. At the December 22, 1965 meeting, ROBERT FULLER, the Grand Dragon of the OKA, attended and named ROBERT GUESS as the Grand Klokan of the OKA. GUESS had been serving as Acting Grand Klokan. FULLER also named LEE CRAWFORD as Deputy Grand Klokan to assist GUESS and names JIMMY GRIFFIN as Grand Kleagle.

The OKA Klan rally of December 11, 1965, was held midway between Slidell and Covington on the property of BUSTER CRAWFORD. There were about 250 spectators and approximately 50 robed Klansmen. ROBERT FULLER and Rev. GEORGE BONNER spoke and three large crosses were burned. There were no incidents of any kind. While in the Slidell area, FULLER advised OSCAR ANDERSON that the Slidell units

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(Men's Unit and the Women's unit) would be allowed to come back into the OKA, and the following listed persons would be the officers of the OKA in the Southern area of Louisiana:

> EXALTED CYCLOPS OF SLIDELL MEN®S UNIT - COLEMAN BERRY Exalted Cyclops of Slidell Women's Unit - Mrs. JAMES LESLIE Deputy Titan for Woman - IDA ANDERSON

Great Titan - AL BARDIN

Great Klokan - RALPH COURSON

Deputy Great Klokan - ROBERT HUDSON (reportedly works with COURSON on Plaz a Building construction job in New Orleans.

Deputy Grand Klokan - OSCAR ANDERSON

Great Kleagle - "BUSTER" CRAWFORD

Source advised he has no information on Klan activities in the Lake Charles, Louisiana area and no information regarding LESTER ARON DE LOUCHE and TOMMIE THOMPSON.

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The Original Ku Klan of America Inc. Dec. 8, 1965	
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(1) E.C. AND MEMBERS OF UNIT 3705 cliscussed the little gift who was killed by A hit-ANCI-RUN DRIVER. Unit will send A sympathy CARD to the girl's family. (2) Unit 3705 would like due Notice of Province AND State meeting so unit CAN Attend.

(3) E.C. URGED UNIT MEMBERS to Attend
PROVINCE MEETINGS. DATE NOT FIXED AS OF Yet.
(4) MEMBERS OF UNIT 3705 WERE ISSUED
RAFFIE TICKETS. FIFTY TICKETS CHARGED OUT
to Unit 3705

MEETING TURNED OVER to Special Guests GRAND DRAGON AND GREAT TITAN G.T.G. URGED ATTENDANCE AT RAILIES (B) STATED 7:00 R.M. AS START OF Slidell Rally (C) REMINDED UNIT OF TAILULAH RAILY & MARCH (D) URGED UNIT TO PUSH SALE OF RAFATE TICKETS (E) STATED OUACHITA PARISH WILL DUILD A DEFENSE FUND FOR OUACHITA PARISH ONLY GRAND DRAGON STATED UNIT 3705 WAS CLOING GOOD, AND, HE URGED ATTENDANCE AT RAILIES. E.C. ASK the B.D. & G.T. About security of the MONROE KLAVERN. E.C. told the G.D. that some of the Unit members ASK him About this matter

so, therefore, information was requested on this matter.

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# MEETING WAS CLOSED with A PRAYER

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# The Original Kuklux KLAN OF AMERICA INC. Dec 15, 1965

REALM OF LA, WEST MONROE, # 17 Reg. MEETING

With 14 MEMBERS PRESENT the MEETING WAS CAlled to ORDER AND OPENED WITH PRAYER AT 8:00 P.M.

Minutes READ AND APPROVED E.C. AND UNIT HAD CONVERSATION ON THE VIAN OATH AND THE START OF UNIT#3705 Application FOR CitizENShip- NONE Reccommendations - E.C. URGED UNIT to tighten up on ioldividual security.

E.C. AND UNIT DISCUSSED WHAT to do About MEMBERS Who HAVEN'T BEEN ATTENDING MEETINGS LATELY.

Unit 3705 TRIES AT All times to the the ORGANIZATION IN ANYTHING THAT COMES UP TO RAISE MONEY by GIVING OUR TIME ANIC MONEY to the KIAN. We would like to KNOW why the MONROE KLAVERN CAN'T

E.C. explained positions and officer's Roles to Unit members Card #14 Hurned in. Juiforms will be worn to meetings to inpress new members.

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# Memorandum

TO : SAC, NEW ORLEANS (157-1300)

DATE: 1/7/66

FROM : SA VINCENT B. COYLE (P\*)

SUBJECT: ZENNIE WILLIAM FULLER, aka Robert Fuller RM (KLAN)

Subject meets criteria for 157 investigation since he is Grand Dragon of OKA. P\* report submitted 12/21/65.

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On December 11, 1965, COY NEAL and BILL WINDAM, drove from Tuscaloosa, Alabama to Lafayette, Louisiana. The above Klansmen checked in at the Holiday-Inn in a room registered to LARRY DOBSON, a member of the Baton Rouge UKA unit.

NEAL and WINDAM had obtained from ROBERT SHELTON, Imperial Wizard of the UKA, a total of 37,000 copies of the Klan newspaper "Firey Cross." These newspapers were to be distributed throughout the Third Congressional District of Louisiana by UKA members on the morning of December 12, 1965.

After arrival at the motel LARRY DOBSON and CHESTER LETEFF, E.C. of the Baton Rouge unit stated to COY NEAL they would take 4,500 copies of the "Firey Cross" and distribute them at Donaldsonville, Louisiana.

ROCKY MUMPHREY and JESSE HOLLISTER from the Kenner Louisiana unit in company with DENLEY INGRAM and the brother of ROCKY MUMPHREY were to distribute 4,500 copies of this newspaper at St. Martinsville, Louisiana.

BUTCH COON from West Monroe unit 1 was to distribute 2,500 copies of this newspaper at Abbeville, Louisiana.

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HAYES MARCEL was to distribute 4,000copies of this newspaper at Houma, Louisiana. TOMMY REAGAN and DAVID REEVES was to distribute 5,500 copies of this newspaper in New Iberia, Louisiana.

A (First Name Unknown) LONG and a (First Name Unknown) WALTERS, both from the Alexandria, Louisiana area were to distribute 4,000 copies of this newspaper in Thibodaux, Louisiana.

W. L. MC CANN, Great Titan from the Alexandria, Louisiana area and (First Name Unknown) TEAL were to distribute 4,000 copies of this newspaper at Morgan City, Louisiana.

HUBERT HOLLANDSWORTH, PAUL CLAY, COY NEAL and JAMES EDWARDS were to distribute 4,500 of this newspaper in Lafayette, Louisiana.

HOLLANDSWORTH and CLAY are members of the Winnsboro, Louisiana unit.

During the course of the evening on December 11, 1965, representatives from the Covington, Louisiana unit of the UKA arrived. There were four representatives.

J. C. ARNOLD, from the Abbeville Unit, (FIRST NAME UNKNOWN) SHIVELY, from the New Iberia Unit were to distribute 3, 500 copies of this newspaper in Franklin, Louisiana.

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During the course of this evening COY NEAL telephonically contacted the E.C. of the Lake Charles, Louisiana Unit LESTER DE LOUCHE requesting that be send Klansmen over from Lake Charles to assist in the distribution of newspapers but he said he could not furnish the personnel.

JAMES EDWARDS furnished J. C. ARNOLD with two UKA Klan charters, one of which was for the Covington Unit, UKA and the other for a unit located somewhere in Kenner, Louisiana area.

TOMMY REAGAN advised that he had conferred with E. W. PACE who was a Klan leader of the OKA in Richland Parish, Louisiana, with 143 Klansmen active in this parish. PACE stated that he waswilling to premit the above Klansmen into the UKA as soon as Grand Dragon JAMES EDWARDS gave the OK.

According to E. W. PACE, these units were connected with ROBERT FULLER, leader of the OKA organization in Louisiana but had gone completely independent.

RICHARD LANGREN has advised TOMMY REAGAN that OKA Unit located in Madison Parish, Louisiana, would switch over to the IKA. There would be approximately 25 men in Madison Parish willing to affiliate with the UKA. Recognized as

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being present in Lafayette, Louisiana on December 11, 1965, from north Louisiana was the following Klansmen:

BILL WINDAM
COY NEAL
TOMMY REAGAN
DAVID REEVES
BUTCH COON
HENRY SALLEY
JERRY MOSES

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It does not appear that CHARLEY CHRISTMAS and his group of the National Knights of the KKK are doing anything. It appears they may be dying for lack of leadership.

JOE SYKES, collector for Jones Furniture Co., 1047 Texas Ave., Shreveport, La., 647 Stoner Ave., Shreveport, La., is from Monroe, La., and returns there every week end to visit relatives. He is friendly with and talks about his association with ROBERT FULLER. He drives a 1962 or 63 Oldsmobile, grey over maroon, which has a 2-way radio in it. It has a whip antenna which is clipped down during the week but is put on when he goes to Monroe. He indicates that he is tuned in with FULLER'S cars. He has not said he is a member of any Klan group but indicates he is associated with FULLER and speaks highly of Klan.

STRES is a white male, about 40 years of age, his birthday is 1/13, year unknown, slightly over 6', fairly heavy, somestimes wears glasses. Has son 17, da ghter 16, and a baby only few months old. Divorced from first wife. FD-302 (Rev. 1-25-60)

#### FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date 1/14/66

JERRY ODIS MOSES, 112 Vernon Street, West Monroe, Louisiana, was advised of the identity of interviewing Agent. He was advised before making any statement that he had a right to consult a lawyer or anyone else before making a statement, that he did not have to make any statement and that any statement that he might make could be used against him in court. No threats or promises were made to him.

MOSES refused to furnish details regarding his activities in the Klan, but he admitted that he was a member of West Monroe Unit #2 of the United Klans of America, Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, Inc. (UKA). He stated that he had been a member of the Klan for about two years and that he had formerly attended Klan meetings at the Klan meeting place on White's Ferry Road near West Monroe City Limits and also at a meeting place on GROVER EDWARD's property near a gravel pit a few miles from West Monroe, when his Klan unit was in the Original Knights of the Ku Klux Klan (OKKKK).

MOSES declined to name his associates in the He stated that he was in the Klan when ROYAL YOUNG Klan. of McDade, Louisiana, was the leader about two years ago. He stated that afterwards when Klan leaders ROBERT FULLER of Monroe, Louisiana, and MURRAY MARTIN of Winnsboro, Louisiana, split his group went with the leadership of ROBERT FULLER. He stated that most of the Klan groups in West Monroe broke with ROBERT FULLER several months ago, when the Klan groups had voted to stage a march demonstration in Jonesboro, Louisiana, during a period of Negro civil rights demonstrations and picketing in Jonesboro, but the last minute ROBERT FULLER refused to go along with the demonstration. He stated that hundreds of Klansmen had met at the West Monroe Klan Unit #2 meeting place near Guess's Boat Dock just prior to the planned trip to Jonesboro several months ago. He stated that, when ROBERT FULLER called off the demonstration in Jonesboro, he lost his influence with some of the West Monroe Klan Units, which shortly afterwards went into the UKA.

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MOSES stated that he did not favor use of violence to maintain racial segregation, but he favored use of counter demonstrations to show the strength of those who oppose demonstrations and activities of Negro pressure groups.

MOSES stated that a group from Monroe was going to Lafayette, Louisiana, that afternoon, December 11, 1965, for a meeting relative to passing out literature that night inthe Congressional District of United States Representative WILLIS, Chairman of the House Committee on Un-American Activities. He stated that a man from Monroe had gone by truck to Alabama to return with a truck load of Klan literature to be passed out in WILLIS' Congressional District.

While MOSES was being interviewed, he received a telephone call and, during the telephone conversation, he stated that he would have to dress before he would be ready to go; he offered to drive the car on the trip; he requested that he be picked up at his home; after a brief conversation, he asked to speak with TOMMY and then addressing someone as "TOMMY", MOSES repeated that he would be ready to go when he got dressed and that he would drive the car if those he was going with would come by his house for him.

MOSES declined to furnish any further details regarding Klan matters, but he said he regularly attends Klan meetings and participates in weekly bowling competition in a Klan bowling league.

The following is a description of MOSES obtained from observation and interview:

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5 ' 9" 155 pounds Slender Light red Blue Fair Iron Worker, employed at papermill Married, wife MARILYN MOSES, 2 small children United States Navy, December, 1952 to 1955 Claims unknown Boiler Tender on aircraft carrier USS BENTON. admits one court martial. declined to give details 10th grade. West Monroe High School, West Monroe, Louisiana None admitted 402 Hazelwood Street, West Monroe, Louisiana MARILYN MOSES, Wife: 112 Vernon Street. West Monroe, Louisiana None

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Source advised that the recent move on the part of the Rayville, Mangham, and Tallulah Units of leaving the Original Ku Klux Klan of America, Inc. (OKA) has disrupted the OKA and Grand Dragon ROBERT FULLER has appointed JIMMY GRIFFIN, former Exalted Cyclops(EC) of the West Monroe OKA Unit #2, as Grand Kleagle in order to try to organize new units and new members for the OKA. At the present time the following are the active units in the OKA:

## **OUACHITA PARISH:**

Mohroe Unit #1 (this unit is comprised of the same members who used to be in Monroe Unit #1 of the Original Knights of the Ku Klux Klan (OKKKK)). Monroe Unit #2 (this unit is comprised of the same nucleus of members who used to be in Monroe Unit #2 of the OKKKK.) Monroe Womens Unit (this unit has not been active in the past few weeks and members are same as those who formed OKKKK Womens Auxiliary. West Monroe Unit #1 (this unit is comprised of the same nucleus of members of the

old West Monroe Unit #1 of the OKKKK). West Monroe Unit #2 (this unit is comprised of the same nucleus of members of the old West Monroe Unit #2 of the OKKKKk.)

The two West Monroe Units have been meeting together but it will be GRIFFIN's job to get enough new members in the two units so that they can go back to meeting separately. The West Monroe Womens Unit of the OKA was never chartered inasmuch as there were not enough Women interested to form a unit and plans have been abandoned on forming a womens OKA unit in West Monroe. MOREHOUSE PARISH:

The Mer Rouge Unit is the only OKA Unit in that parish.

RICHLAND PARISH:

Holly Ridge Unit remains the only OKA in the parish, and the former OKA units in Richland Parish have been trying to convince the Holly Ridge Unit to leave the OKA. The two Womens Units have disbanded, as has the Delhi Unit.

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WEST CARROLL PARISH:

Oak Grove Unit

Oak Grove Women's Unit

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Source advised that the OKKKK has not been active and has not had any units in Ouachita Parish for the past several months. Source further advised that WILEY ROACH of Roach's Nursery in West Monroe has never been a member of the OKA.

Source advised that OKA efforts to organize a unit in Columbia, Louisiana were unsuccessful as there were only a handful of men interested and they were more interested in the UKA rather than the OKA. Cover Sheet for Informant Report or Material FD-306 (3-21-58)

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A confidential source advised that the mother of DAVID REEVES, who is Exalted Cyclops of West Monroe Unit #1 of the United Klans of America, Inc. (UKA), was currently making "bleeding heart emblems" for UKA members. These "bleeding heart emblems" are to be worn on robes and other Klan regalia during public functions. It is simply a symbol of the UKA.

On December 18, 1965, BILL WINDAM, in company with COY NEAL, drove to Tallulah, Louisiana, for the purpose of participating in a Klan march and rally. Prior to departing for Tallulah, BILL WINDAM telephoned ROBERT JOHNSON, a member of the Monroe Unit of the UKA in order for him to accompany WINDAM and NEAL, but found out that JOHNSON had gone deer hunting.

After arriving in Tallulah, Louisiana, approximately 50 carloads of Klansmen rendezvoused outside of Tallulah and drove through the city, parking in the courthouse parking lot.

The following UKA security guards gathered in the parking lot:

CHARLES "BO" BAILEY

COY NEAL

DAVID REEVES

BOBBY TINSLEY, who is the major in charge of

security guards.

J.E. LEE, who holds the position of Captain of security guards in the UKA.

PRENTISS ROBERTS, who holds the position of Lieutenant of security guards in the UKA.

CHARLES "BO" BAILEY and COY NEAL are members of the Monroe Unit of the UKA.

DAVID REEVES is a member of West Monroe Unit #1 of the UKA.

BOBBY TINSLEY is the Exalted Cyclops of the Okaloosa Unit of the UKA.

JESSE E. LEE, who is a member of West Monroe Unit #2 of the UKA.

PRENTISS ROBERTS is a member of the Brownville Unit of the UKA.

ALso recognized as being present, but not wearing a security guard uniform, was DALE OTEGEN, a member of the Sterlington Unit of the UKA.

There were also approximately 7 or 8 security guards from Mississippi present at this Klan activity. The security guards from Mississippi wear green uniforms and the security guards from Louisiana wear grey uniforms.

Recognized as wearing robes were: JESSE HOLLISTER, who drives a black Dodge automobile and is from the Kenner UKA Unit.

ROCKY MUMPHREY from the Kenner UKA Unit. JACK HELM, Assistant Grand Dragon for the UKA in the State of Louisiana, who did not wear a robe.

HENRY HEBERT from the New Orleans Unit of the UKA.

JAMES EDWARDS, Grand Dragon.

DENLEY INGRAM from the Kenner UKA Unit.

J.C. TANNER, a member of the Original Ku Klux Klan of America, Inc. (OKA), who was not robed.

DARRON HAMILTON, Exalted Cyclops of the Bastrop UKA Unit.

There were also a couple of Klansmen who came from Covington, Louisiana. According to DEN LEY INGRAM, the Covington, Louisiana, Unit received its charter within the previous week.

Also recognized as being present at this Klan function were:

BILL WINDAM.

BOB DEAN, Exalted Cyclops of the Monroe Unit. BOBBY GARRETT, a member of West Monroe Unit #1.

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CHESTER LETEFF, Exalted Cyclops of the Baton Rouge UKA Unit, who was wearing a red robe with a green cape.

Also recognized was J.C. ARNOLD, who is from Abbeville, Louisiana.

The wife of BOBBY TINSLEY, Exalted Cyclops of the Okaloosa Unit, was also present and she was wearing a robe.

JIM MC CLUNG, a member of the Brownville Unit of the UKA was also recognized as being present.

The parade into Tallulah, Louisiana, was led by Great Titan TOMMY REAGAN.

The Klansmen were not premitted to stage a march, but were rermitted to wear Klan robes in making purchases in local Tallulah, Louisiana, stores. Approximately 150 Klansmen and Klanswomen took part in this "buy-in" in Tallulah. The purpose of this "buy-in" was to counteract a Negro boycott against white stores in Tallulah, Louisiana. This "buy-in" was also intended to show the buying power of the Ku Klux Klan at any given moment.

During the course of this "buy-in", VAN HOWELL, Exalted Cyclops of the Sterlington Unit of the UKA was observed.

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A late arrival, wearing a Klan robe, was PAUL CLAY from the Winnsboro Unit of the UKA.

During the course of this Klan buy-in, JACK HELM and JAMES EDWARDS conferred with Klansmen and specifically instructed COY NEAL to contact LESTER DE LOUCH in Lake Charles, Louisiana, for the purpose of re-organizing the Lake Charles, Louisiana, Unit of the UKA. According to EDWARDS, DE LOUCH had specifically requested help from the Grand Dragon's Office in re-organizing this unit.

A confidential source advised that WAYNE MARTIN, who is a member of the West Monroe Unit #2 of the UKA, has indicated an interest in becoming a UKA security guard.

Also recalled as being present at the Klan function in Tallulah, Louisiana, was DON HIGHTOWER, a member of the Swartz Unit of the UKA.

The UKA buy-in at Tallulah lasted approximately three hours and no incidents occurred.

On December 20, 1965, JAMES EDWARDS, Grand Dragon, called BILL WINDAM, requesting him to contact COY NEAL and requested a meeting at Ray's Grill in Monroe, Louisiana, at 7:00 PM on December 20, 1965.

JAMES EDWARDS met with BILL WINDAM and COY NEAL and advised that J.C. TANNER had telephoned JAMES EDWARDS in Jonesboro, Louisiana, and stated that he wanted EDWARDS

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to meet TANNER in Rayville, Louisiana, regarding Units in Richland Parish, Louisiana, switching over to the UKA Klan organization. The above Klansmen drove to the Sip'n Nip Drive-Inn Restaurant outside Rayville, Louisiana. J.C. TANNER advised that Madison and Richland Parishes were pulling away from ROBERT FULLER, Grand Dragon for the OKA in the State of Louisiana. According to J.C. TANNER, Units located in Madison and Richland Parishes were interested in joining the UKA Klan organization.

EDWARDS stated it was a standing rule of the UKA that, before a Unit which had formerly been affiliated with another Klan organization joined the UKA, it must first go independent for a period of six weeks; during which time this unit would be properly indoctrinated as to the principles and goals of the UKA by picked UKA Klansmen. Following this period of indoctrination, the unit would then be sworn in as a whole into the UKA.

J.C. TANNER questioned EDWARDS regarding the recent UKA buy-in in Tallulah, Louisiana, on December 18, 1965 and wanted to know what the community thought of the Klan after the buy-in.

EDWARDS instructed COY NEAL and BILL WINDAM to meet with businessmen and other leaders of Tallulah on December 21, 1965 to determine what they thought of the

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recent Klan activities in their city.

J.C. TANNER stated that ROBERT FULLER had come over to Rayville, Louisiana, on the night of December 18, 1965, in company with JACK SAUCIER and ROBERT FULLER's wife, and demanded that J.C. TANNER return all Klan robes and Klan cards belonging to the OKA. TANNER stated that he had members of the Klan in Rayville, Louisiana, put ROBERT FULLER in his car and send him back to Monroe, Louisiana.

TANNER stated on December 19, 1965 ROBERT GUEST, JIMMY GRIFFIN, and the Reverend GEORGE BONNER had contacted TANNER on December 19, 1965 in Rayville, Louisiana, and wanted to know what his side of the story was.

TANNER advised the above members of the OKA that ROBERT FULLER had come to Rayville, Louisiana, and demanded the return of Klan cards and robes, in view of TANNER's participation with the UKA on December 18, 1965 at Tallulah.

According to TANNER, ROBERT FULLER had sent word to TANNER that he was not to come to Monroe, Louisiana, because if he did FULLER would get him. TANNER also stated that JERRY HAYES and RICHARD POSEY were present during this conversation, at which he was warned not to come to Monroe.

According to confidential source, an extreme power struggle is now in existence between the two organizations. ROBERT FULLER and JACK SAUCIER, the leaders of the OKA, are extremely apprehensive over the fact that this organization may go into the UKA Klan organization or independent.

A confidential source advised that E.W. PACE, who is a member of the OKA Klan organization in Richland Parish, Louisiana, and presently affiliated with the J.C. TANNER following, had advised TANNER that someone had done some shooting around his house on and around December 19, 1965.

J.C. TANNER stated there were three units in Richland Parish, Louisiana. They were the Holly Ridge Unit, the Rayville Unit and the Mangham Write:

Following this meeting with J.C. TANNER at Rayville, Louisiana, JAMES EDWARDS, BILL WINDAM and COY NEAL conferred. EDWARDS stated that he was taking BILL WINDAM off of his job as co-ordinator for the UKA Women's Auxiliary in the State of Louisiana. He stated that he would let the various Titan Committees throughout the State of Louisiana run the Women's Auxiliary. He stated that he wanted BILL WINDAM to take the job of UKA State Kleagle Co-ordinator. WINDAM agreed to this proposition.

EDWARDS stated that there was a unit in Vidalia, Louisiana, almost ready to charter. EDWARDS advised that WINDAM should contact this unit and advise them of their position in Louisiana. EDWARDS stated this unit was organized by Klansmen from Mississippi and that this unit apparently did not realize its connection with the Louisiana Klan group.

JAMES EDWARDS advised that an individual by the name of LARRY PRITCHARD or PITTMAN apparently is running the Vidalia Unit. He requested that WINDAM contact this individual in Vidalia, Louisiana, and tell them to begin attending Statewide meetings so that dues, which are due and owing to the State of Louisiana, would be paid.

EDWARDS advised WINDAM to contact a CLAUDE BINGHAM, age 41, who resides at Route 1, Sicily Island, Louisiana, and who is employed by the International Paper Company in Sicily Island, Louisiana. According to EDWARDS, CLAUDE BINGHAM sent in a Klan application card to his office in Hodge, Louisiana, and requested that he be contacted regarding Klan membership.

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# MEETING OF SWARTZ UNIT OF UKA, 12/13/65

On 12/13/65, a meeting of the Swartz Unit of the UKA was held in the Swartz, La. klavern of the UKA, Swartz, La.

Recognized as being present at this meeting were the following klansmen:

W. J. KIDD, EC

HOUSTON MORRIS

JEFF FONTENOT

JOHN PUCKETT

DON HIGHTOWER

JACK HUMBLE

BILL TERRY

FRANCIS ODIOM

There was a short meeting conducted, the main topic under discussion being a proposed march and rally of the UKA at Tallulah, La., on 12/18/65.

W. J. KIDD, EC of the unit, stated that it would be better if no members of this unit attended this klan function inasmuch as there might be violence.

On 12/18/65, (FNU) CONNELY, (FNU) MORGAN, and Dr. RICHARD HANNA from Coushatta, La., met with HOUSTON MORRIS and W. J. KIDD at the Holiday Inn, Ruston, La.

The main topic under discussion was the fact that Dr. RICHARD L. HANNA from Coushatta, La., wanted to see the entire state united as it was once under the OKKKK, Realm of La., approximately two years ago. HANNA stated that the best way to unite the various klan groups in the state would be for them to possibly go with the UKA. HANNA wanted MORRIS to act as an intermediary with the leaders of the UKA in the State of La. and set up a future meeting between HANNA and the leader so that the klan group from Coushatta, La. could possibly be brought into the UKA organization. HANNA stated that he would like to see MURRY MARTIN, Grand Dragon of the OKKKK, ROBERT FULLER, Grand Dragon of the OKA, and LOY SCARBOURGH, a klan official, at any future UKA meeting so that all groups could combine in order to defeat the communist conspiracy of civil rights.

HANNA stated he would like to talk to ROBERT SHELTON, Imperial Wizard of the UKA, personally to see to it that this could be accomplished.

HANNA stated he would get in touch with RUSSELL MC GEE in south La. to determine what his feelings would be towards HOUSTON MORRIS and the uniting of all klan groups in La. under the UKA banner.

On 12/18/65, HOUSTON MORRIS and W. J. KIDD conferred with J. C. TANNER, leader of a break-away klan group in Richland Parish, La., JESSE LEE, member of the W. Monroe Unit #2 of the UKA, and LUTHER KANE, member of the Brownville Unit and also parish coordinator of all unit investigators at the Sit and Nip

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Drive Inn, Rayville, Louisiana.

The main theme of this discussion was the tremendous advances being made by the UKA in northeast La. J. C. TANNER advised that within the next month, all units in Richland and Madison Parishes would be in the UKA fold.

According to TANNER, a UKA organizational drive would then be directed towards the OKKKK units in the parishes of Franklin and Tensas. Cover Sheet for Informant Report or Material

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On December 15, 1965, it was determined that at 7:00 P.M. on December 7, 1965, New Orleans United Klans of America Klavern 547 met at 4929 Freret Street. The purpose of this meeting was to swear FREDERICK LUWISCH, JR. and HENRY J. LUWISCH into Klavern 547.

Present at this meeting were DONALD CROSS, JACK HELM, HENRY HEBERT, ALBERT HARTMAN, RENE LACOSTE, AMOS MULLER, KENNETH CORVIN, HAROLD EBNER, and WILLIAM ROBESON. The Exalted Cyclops of Klavern 547, WILLIAM CROSS, did not attend this meeting. In addition to swearing in the two new members of the Klavern, the literature distribution campaign that took place on December 12, 1965, in the Third District of Louisiana was discussed. It was determined that the literature was distributed there between 4:00 A.M. and 6:00 A.M. on December 12, 1965. It was determined that on December 13, 1965, TOMMY REAGAN from Monroe, Louisiana, had telephonically contacted JACK HELM and wanted to know why the New Orleans members had not participated in the literature distribution. Allegedly HELM told REAGAN that the New Orleans Klavern could not participate in something that they did not know anything about.

At the meeting held on December 7, 1965, the New Orleans Klavern passed a resolution not to participate in literature distribution in the Third District of Louisiana.

In reference to JACK HELM'S standing in Klavern 547, at the present time he is just a member and holds no officers position. HELM has made statements to the effect that he had some things planned after the investigation of the House Committee on Un-American Activities was completed. HELM has stated that after the investigation has been completed and things have quieted down, he has twelve men in the New Orleans area who will merge with the New Orleans Klavern. HELM has also stated that he understands the House Committee on Un-American Activities has offered immunity to anyone who will give statements and that a couple of United Klans of America Klansmen from Louisiana will give statements.

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No one has heard anything from DOC EDWARDS, the Grand Dragon of the United Klans of America for the State of Louisiana. The reason for his lack of activity is unknown at the present time, however, it is being rumored that he is one of the United Klans of America Klansmen who will talk when called before the committee.

On December 11, 1965, ROBERT FULLER'S Klan organization had a rally outside of Pearl River, Louisiana. DONALD CROSS, WILLIAM ROBESON and HENRY HEBERT attended this rally and noted there were a number of automobiles with New Orleans license plates parked at the rally site.

It has been determined that Mrs. SHIRLEY DAVIS of the United Klans of America, Abita Springs, Louisiana Unit, stated that LLOYD BARNETT, HAROLD REYNOLDS and their wives, all attended the Klavern meeting held in Abita Springs on November 4, 1965. During the course of the meeting, an argument irrupted and all members of the Abita Springs Klavern, with the exception of one individual, whose first name is HAROLD, asked the BARNETT<sup>S</sup>

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and REYNOLDS to leave. They refused to do so so the Klavern walked out on them. Mrs. DAVIS stated that during the course of the argument Mrs. BARNETT said that she was the Exalted Cyclops of the New Orleans Women's Auxiliary United Klans of America Unit, which had fifty members. It is believed that Mrs. BARNETT'S claim that she is the Exalted Cyclops of the Women's Auxiliary Unit in New Orleans is false, as at the present time, there is no such Unit in the New Orleans area.

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The Original Ku Klux Klan of America, Inc., (OKA) held a statewide meeting at the Monroe Klavern on the afternoon of January 16, 1966. ROBERT FULLER and JACK SAUCIER both gave talks on their recent trip to Washington to testify before the House Committee on Un-American Activities. FULLER said that the House Committee appeared to be after the United Klans of America and they did not give either him or SAUCIER, who were the only OKA representatives subpoened, a hard time after both declined to answer any of the questions. At the meeting SAUCIER announced that he was trying to get a State job so he was going to resign as Grand Titan of the OKA although he indicated that he will remain active in the OKA and he will help whoever is elected to fill his position.

It was announced at the meeting that the new Grand Kleagle for the OKA is JIMMIE GRIFFIN, who has resigned as EC of West Monroe OKA Unit #2. His job as EC has been filled by BILLY CROWELL.

At the meeting Grand Dragon FULLER announced that the Monroe City School System is integrating in the next few days and it was imperative that the OKA not interfere in any way in this integration.

Among those present at the State meeting of January 16, 1966 were:

ROBERT FULLER

JACK SAUCIER

DR. C. L. SMITH

E. W. PACE

HENRY JEFFERY

JIMMIE GRIFFIN

GERALD PARDUE

RUDOLPH FOY (this was the first OKA activity that he had attended in the past few months and he stated that he was trying to build up a unit for the OKA in Delhi, Louisiana.) JAMES C. OLIVER

BILLY BAYLES (named at the meeting to be a bodyguard of the Grand Dragon along with ROBERT "ABE" ALLEN.)

ROBERT "ABE" ALLEN

GRADY BARFIELD

ROBERT GUESS

BILLY CROWELL

JOE SYKES, who used to live in Monroe, Louisiana, but is now in the Shreveport, Louisiana, area, recently requested ROBERT FULLER come to Shreveport and meet with some men who were interested in forming a Klan group in that area. FULLER stated that he intends to take LOY SCARBOROUGH with him in the near future and meet with SYKES to see how many men are interested in the Shreveport area.

LEE CRAWFORD of West Monroe, who used to work as a cabinet maker for CARVER's Hardware, suddenly left town taking everything he owned with him and running off with \$250.00 of the Klan's money that had been entrusted to him for the defense fund for GERALD PARDUE, RICHARD THOMPSON, ODIS SIKES, and JAMES HEDGEPATH. This money had been collected by LOY SCARBOROUGH and had been turned over to CRAWFORD who was supposed to give it to Attorney JOE GUERRIERO as part of the retainer for representing the above mentioned Klansmen in their February 7, 1966 trial in District Court in Monroe on charges of Aggravated Burglary. CRAWFORD supposedly was afraid that he might be involved in the charges facing the four Klansmen, although the Monroe Police Department had questioned him and released him without

filing any charges. It was also rumored that CRAWFORD was having wife trouble and that is another reason why he left the area. Source advised he has been unable to learn where CRAWFORD went to when he left.

JOE MANCILLAS supposedly signed one of the loan notes in order to get the \$2500.00 required by Attorney GUERRIERO as the retainer, and MANCILLAS has been trying to find CRAWFORD. MANCILLAS has also accused former OKA Great Titan JERRY HAYES of setting up the whole deal in which HEDGE PATH, SIKES, THOMPSON, and PARDUE were arrested, although HAYES was smart enough not to participate in the actual breaking in and beating of the old Negro couple and the white woman. HAYES has been seen recently with TOMMY REAGAN of the UKA and it is expected that HAYES will probably join one of the UKA units.

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Source advised that in March of 1965, Mayor L. O. TAIT of Jonesboro, Louisiana, made a long-distance call from Shreveport, Louisiana, to ROBERT FULLER, the Grand Dragon of the Original Ku Klux Klan of American, I<sub>n</sub>c., in Monroe, TAIT told FULLER that the Negroes in Jonesboro Louisiana. were getting out of hand and it was necessary to have a display of force by the Ku Klux Klan in order to show the Negroes that they could not take over Jonesboro. TAIT asked FULLER to bring all the Klansmen he could as a big Klan march FULLER reportedly was contacted by the was being planned. Governor's Office and was told not to go to Jonesboro and not to send any men so neither FULLER nor any OKA Klansmen went to Jonesboro.

JOE V. SMITH, the carpenter from Monroe, Louisiana, who used to be in the United Klans of America has not tried to get into the OKA after he was refused admittance several months ago and it is not believed that SMITH is active in any Klan group.

CARLOS MURRAY LEGGETT has never been in the OKA and it is not believed that he is presently active in any Klan group.

LLOYD THOMPSON has never been in the OKA even though he is reportedly a first cousin of the OKA Grand Dragon FULLER. THOMPSON has a grocery store on Jonesboro Road in West Monroe and if he is in any Klan group it would probably be in the Okalousa UKA Unit.

LE ROY PRICE is not in the OKA and it is not known if he is active in any Klan group.

RAY NICHOLS has never been in the OKA and it is not believed that he has been active in any Klan group in the past several months.

TILEMON RINEHART of Mer Route, Louisiana, is back in the Mer Rouge OKA Unit as he recently paid up his dues to BUCK ROBERTS, who is not Great Titan for Morehouse Parish in the OKA. RINEHART does not hold an officer's position in the Mer Rouge Unit.

LLOYD SULLIVAN has moved from Oak Grove, Louisiana, to the Monroe, Louisiana, area and he has now moved into the Monroe OKA Unit #2. He does not hold an officer's position and his former job as EC of the Oak Grove Unit has been taken over by W. H. TURNER, also known as BILL TURNER.

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At the present time there are only two Women's Units active in the OKA, the Oak Grove Unit and the Slidell Unit, as the other women's groups have disbanded.

JERRY HAYES has resigned as Great Titan of Ouachita Parish in the OKA and it is believed that he will probably go into the UKA. HAYES resigned after a dispute with Grand Dragon FULLER over policies to be followed in the OKA.

LEE CRAWFORD who had been in the OKA West Monroe Unit #2 and who was recently named as Deputy Grand Klokan has left the Monroe area and is supposedly in California, exact location unknown. CRAWFORD allegedly took all of the money that was in the West Monroe Unit #2 dues collections and borrowed some money from other members and then took off without telling anyone where he was going. He reportedly had been living with another woman and when his wife found out about this she supposedly threatened legal action against him so he left the area.

On January 12, 1966, a regular meeting of West Monroe Unit #2 was held at the Klavern which is located about two miles off of Jonesboro Road and just past the King's At the meeting, BILLY CROWELL was unanimously Lake road. elected as EC to replace JIMMY GRIFFIN who is now OKA Grand The United is now meeting on Wednesday nights and Kleagle. is not meeting any longer with the other West Monroe Unit since that unit is again meeting on its own and on Fridays, also at the same Klavern. Grand Dragon FULLER was at the January 12, 1966 meeting and gave a short talk on his trip to Washington and his appearance before the House Committee on Un-American Activities. It was also discussed that the Unit should start working on political activities since elections will be coming up in the Spring. It was decided that the Unit will support BURT HATTEN for Mayor in West Monroe and will support ALBIN LASSITER for re-election to District Attorney. Non-members ROBERT GUESS, the Grand Klokan of the OKA, and HAROLD GROSS, Deputy Grand Klokan, were present at the meeting. Members of the unit present were as follows:

BILLY CROWELL

JIMMIE GRIFFIN

# SAMMY EVANS

# RICHARD THOMPSON (Kligrapp of the Unit)

ROBERT THOMPSON (brother of RICHARD; ROBERT had dropped out of the unit but is now back in.)

BILLY BAYLES (is a 1st Lt. in National Guard. He has been appointed to be one of ROBERT FULLER's bodyguards to assist ABE ALLEN)

RAY BURKES (also known as "Windy" and he has previously been referred to as "Windy" BRUKES)

JAMES HEDGEPATH

W. D. BROWNING

GRADY BARFIELD (a young man may possibly be attending Northeast La. State College.)

GERALD MARVIN PARDUE

On January 14, 1966, a regular meeting of West Monroe Unit 1 was held at the West Monroe Klavern. Former EC MACK YATES was asked to resign and he did so at this meeting. MARVIN JAMIESON was elected to the EC position. YATES was asked to resign since hd did not have any control of the members and the meetings were getting out of hand with no order and no procedure. A new member J. W. HOGAN who works at Olin-Matieson was sworn in at the meeting. HOGAN had been active in the Klan about two years ago but

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had not been in any Klan activities in the past two years. Other members at the meeting included ROBERT GUESS and HAROLD GROSS.

On January 16, 1966, a State OKA Meeting was held at the Monroe, Louisiana OKA Klavern. The meeting was largely taken up with GRAND DRAGON FULLER explaining and discussing the trip he made to Washington to appear before the House Committee on Un-American Activities (HCUA). JACK SAUCIER, who also made the trip, spoke briefly on his appearance before the HCUA and at the meeting, SAUCIER announced that he was going to resign his OKA Grand Titan position since he was thinking about taking a new job and he would not have time to devote to the Grand Titan position.

Also discussed at the meeting was the recent split of the OKA in Richland Parish. E. W. PACE of Start, Louisiana, advised that the split was not as severe as first expected since J. C. TANNER had only about 7 or 8 men with him away from the OKA. PACE said that he will organize a new OKA Unit in Rayville and will build a Klavern on his property. He said that TANNER and his men continue to use the Klavern in Start, Louisiana. PACE said that the Holly Ridge Unit
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remains loyal to the OKA and the Delhi Klansmen will attempt to regroup under the leadership of RUDOLPH FOY and form an OKA Unit in Delhi.

Also discussed at the meeting was a proposal from J. C. OLIVER to have statewide cross burnings, but this was turned down after ROBERT FULLER convinced the members that this type of activity is not longer effective and should be discouraged. The topic of school integration came up and it was agreed that no OKA Klan member should try to interfere with the integration scheduled for Monroe later this month.

HENRY JEFFERY was named to fill SAUCIER's position as Grand Titan and SAUCIER agreed to take over temporarily as EC of Monroe Unit 2 until a new EC is elected.

It was announced at the meeting that the boat raffle had netted \$71.00 for the defense fund, and that Attorney JOE GUERRIERO had been retained to represent GERALD PARDUE, RICHARD THOMPSON, ODIS SIKES, and JAMES HEDGEPATH in their trial for Aggravated Burglary which is scheduled in District Court for February 7, 1966. PARDUE

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borrowed \$2500.00 from a finance company in West Monroe for the Attorney's retainer.

Following is a list of those present at the January 16, 1966 State meeting in Monroe:

ROBERT FULLER JACK SAUCIER GEORGE BONNER ROBERT RENFROE HENRY JEFFERY ROBERT GUESS BILLY BAYLES ROBERT "ABE" ALLEN J. C. OLIVER RICK OLIVER (17 year old son of J. C. OLIVER) RUSSELL PRICE HUGH MOORE KENNY EUBANKS BILLY STOVER AUBREY ROLAND LOUIS GUTHRIE PAUL GULLETTE JIMMIE GRIFFIN

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RICHARD THOMPSON

JAMES HEDGEPATH

ROY BURKES

BILLY CROWELL

WAYNE WIBLE

WILLIAM JOHNSON (S & S Cafe, Monroe, La.)

R. W. TELANO (new member, may be college student, Northeast La. State College.)

JOHN STRICKLAND

DR. C. L. SMITH

W. H. TURNER (new EC of Oak Grove, La. OKA Unit)

FNU BLACK (member of Oak Grove Unit)

FNU JONES (member of Oak Grove Unit)

OSCAR ANDERSON

JAMES LESLIE

BOBBY BOOKHOUT

E. W. PACE

ROYCE PACE (son of E. W. PACE)

RUDOLPH FOY

SHELLY DORMAN

EMMETT GREER (works for Rayville Gin & Supply) "BUCK" ROBERTS

## JACK WATKINS (Mer Rouge area)

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FRED LAING, JR. (son of FRED LAING, who is no longer active in OKA)

JOE CAGE (new member of West Monroe OKA Unit #2 lives on Arkansas Road in West Monroe)

JOE M. SYKES who was formerly employed for Monroe Furniture Company but who is now living in either Bossier City or Shreveport and working for a furniture store in one of those cities recently contacted OKA Grand Dragon FULLER and wanted FULLER to come to Bossier City to meet with him regarding the possibility of setting up an OKA Unit in Bossier City. SYKES told FULLER that he has 11 men who are anxious to get a Klan group formed in the Bossier City Shreveport area. SYKES said that some of them were formerly in ROYAL YOUNG's group but he did not name any of them. He did say that YOUNG was not among those interested.

LESLIE NAPPIER has reportedly quit associating with J. C. TANNER in Rayville and NAPPIER is not longer in any Klan group. TANNER has purchased a new 1966 Oldsmobile, black in color. TANNER's favorite drinking places in the Monroe area are the Golden Pheasant Lounge and Nick's Bar.

Source advised that he contacted RUDOLPH FOY about "BUD" WILLIAMS since FOY had furnished him the initial information about WILLIAMS. Source stated that FOY told him he never knew the first name of WILLIAMS

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and only knew him for about three weeks as WILLIAMS was a transient preacher in the Delhi area and left after only being the area for about one month. FOY said that he met WILLIAMS and WILLIAMS was interested in the Klan and FOY thought that he would use WILLIAMS as his assistant but he left the area after attending only one meeting.

FOY told source that he did not believe that WILLIAMS was ever in any Klan activities other than attending this one Delhi Unit meeting.

Source advised that JESSIE CONLEY of Start, Louisiana, has not attended any Klan meetings in the past four months and it seems doubtful that he will become active in the near future. CONLEY never held an officer's position in the OKA.

The person previously referred to as FNU POSEY has been determined to be W. O. ADAMS, whose nickname is "POSEY". ADAMS is a plumber for R. T. TURNER (a UKA Klansman) of 314 Hadley Street, Monroe, and ADAMS lives in Archibald, Louisiana, on Route 137, the first house on the left after the intersection of Routes 15 and 137 in Archibald.

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The person previously referred to as FAYE RISER of Delhi, Louisiana, has the full name of LEONARD FAY RISER and he drives a truck for a Delhi Company. RISER lives at 307 Valley Street in Delhi. He was a member of the Original Knights of the Ku Klux Klan back in 1964 but he never joined the OKA and he is not believed to have ever held an officer's position in any Klan unit.

Source advised that HOUSTON PERRY has not been active in any Klan group for the past several months.

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# MEETING OF THE SWARTZ UNIT OF THE UKA

On January 10, 1966, a meeting of the Swartz Unit of the UKA was held at the Swartz Klavern, Swartz, La. The following Klansmen were recognized as being present:

> HOUSTON P. MORRIS W. J. KIDD DON HIGHTOWER JACK HUMBLE JOHN PUCKETT JEFF FONTENOT BILL BILTON

W. J. KIDD discussed the House Un-American Activities Committee investigation and stated that both he and HOUSTON MORRIS had been subpoenaed to appear before this committee and both had refused to furnish information to the committee, taking the 5th Amendment.

KIDD stated that Congressman WILLIS, Chairman of the HUAC, was doing a good job in prosecuting the Communist Party and, therefore, should not be harassed by the Klan in Louisiana. According to KIDD, WILLIS is simply misguided in persecuting a Christian non-violent organization like the Klan.

On January 11, 1966, J. C. TANNER, Asst. Exalted Cyclops of the Rayville Unit of the UKA, advised HOUSTON MORRIS that the Rayville Unit was now officially in the UKA organizatic and that in a very short time both the Tallulah and Delhi Units of the OKA would be sworn in to the UKA.

TANNER further advised that the Mangham Unit of the OKA had been sworn in to the UKA.

TANNER stated that ROBERT FULLER, Grand Dragon of the OKA, in company with his wife, FRANCIS FULLER, had accosted TANNER following the Rayville Unit switching to the UKA and had to be removed from the town of Rayville by Klan Lieutenants of TANNER. TANNER stated that FULLER extremely unhappy over the fact his organization is crumbling.

On January 11, 1966, HOUSTON MORRIS, W. J. KIDD, and JEFF FONTENOT met with TOMMY REAGAN at REAGAN's residence in West Monroe, La. REAGAN stated that LLOYD SCARBOURGH, a Lieutenant of ROBERT FULLER, had contacted REAGAN on January 11, 1966, and stated that HOUSTON MORRIS had furnished HUAC Investigator DONALD APPELL a 24-page report on Klan activities in Louisiana.

REAGAN stated that he did not believe SCARBOURGH and that SCARBOURGH was simply trying to run MORRIS down for switching over to the UKA.

TOMMY REAGAN stated he would not run for office and that COY NEAL, BILL WINDAM, and PRENTICE ROBERTS would be the new Klan leaders in Louisiana following the election in 1966.

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On January 12, 1966, HOUSTON MORRIS met with MURRAY MARTIN, Grand Dragon of the OKKKK at Winnsboro, La. MURRAY MARTIN advised MORRIS that LOY SCARBOURGH is working for Governo JOHN MC KEITHEN and is receiving \$200 a month out of the Louisia State Treasury for maintaining dissention between Klan groups in order to keep down Klan violence.

On January 13, 1966, CARL FATHEREE and JESSEE LEE, members of West Monroe Unit #2 of the UKA, contacted HOUSTON MORRIS and stated that the current State Officers of the UKA in the State of Louisiana would not be re-elected because of their liberal position. MORRIS was offered the job of UKA Kleagel Co-Ordinator for the State of Louisiana, but he refused.

On January 15, 1966, W. J. KIDD, JEFF FONTENOT, and HOUSTON MORRIS attended a Citizens Council meeting held at Leland's Motel, Baton Rouge, La. Recognized as being present at this meeting was Judge JOHN RARRICK, a former member of the OKKKK; R. O. MC CRANE, a former member of the OKKKK, sworn in by HOUSTON MORRIS, who is from Zachary, La.

Further Klansmen recognized were RUSSELL MAGEE, CHARLIE CRISTMAS, COURTNEY SMITH, former member, NED TOUCHSTONE, RICHARD HANNA, a present member, TED LOFTIS, former member of OKKKK, from Hammond,La. There were twenty individuals present at this meeting. CHARLIE CHRISTMAS, RUSSELL MAGEE, JEFF FONTENOT met for approximately one hour, in which it was decided that the State of Louisiana should be reunited under one Klan group, that is, the UKA. All of the above ex-Klansmen and present Klan members stated they would support JACK HELM for Grand Dragon, State of Louisiana. MURRAY MARTIN and ROBERT FULLER would not be invited to participate in this unification move.

SAXON FARMER, from Bogalusa, La., would likewise not be invited to unite with the UKA. RUSSELL MAGEE is against both FARMER and MURRAY MARTIN. FOIA(b)(7) - (D) is considered to be an informant.

A meeting was scheduled between the above Klansmen and JACK HELM, at Alexandria, La., on January 29, 1966, to discuss the reunification of the Ku Klux Klan in Louisiana.

RUSSELL MAGEE advised that the Baker, La., Unit had completely folded and was no longer active.

W. J. KIDD advised that ROBERT SHELTON, Imperial Wizard of the UKA, would be invited to attend a meeting between the various Klan factions in Louisiana so that the reunification movement would have his stamp of approval.

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On January 20, 1966, ROBERT FULLER, Grand Dragon of the Original Ku Klux Klan of America, Incorporated (OKA), and his political advisor LOY SCARBOROUGH, drove from Monroe, Louisiana to Shreveport, Louisiana, where they were to meet with JOE M. SYKES. FULLER told SCARBOROUGH that SYKES had nine men in the Shreveport area who were interested in forming a unit in the OKA and the purpose of the trip was to meet with SYKES and his men and explain the purposes and However, the meeting did not come functions of the OKA. off as FULLER had lost the telephone number of SYKES and was unable to contact SYKES inasmuch as SYKES has an unlisted FULLER and SCARBOROUGH contacted several people number. in the Shreveport area but were unable to locate SYKES. On the following day, FULLER contacted SYKES on the telephone and SYKES requested that FULLER return to Shreveport, Louisiana, on January 29, 1966, at which time SYKES would have a unit ready to be chartered into the Original Ku Klux Klan of America.

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On January 26, 1966, a regular meeting of the West Monroe Original Ku Klux Klan of America Unit 2 was held at the Klavern which is located on the property of The main point of discussion centered W. D. BROWNING. around the forming of the private school the Ouachita Academy. in Monroe and ROBERT GUESS stated that BILL WINDHAM and CALVIN GUILLORY of the United Klans of America, had advised him that they wanted to meet with the unit and explain the academy to the members of the unit. It was decided to let WINDHAM and GUILLORY come to the following week's meeting and explain the purposes of the academy to the members. LOY SCARBOROUGH suggested that rather than have WINDHAM and GUILLORY come to the Klavern, that it would be a better idea to have them meet in SCARBOROUGH'S office on the night of February 2, SCARBOROUGH stated that if WINDHAM and GUILLORY 1966. came to the Klavern, they would see how few members there were in the unit and they would also learn the identity of the members.

The members then decided to adopt SCARBOROUGH'S proposition and GUESS stated he would advise WINDHAM and GUILLORY to meet representatives of the unit at SCARBOROUGH'S office on the night of February 2, 1966. Those present at the meeting besides SCARBOROUGH and GUESS were the following:

> BILLY CROWELL, Exalted Cyclops of the unit ROY "WINDY" BURKES

BILLY BAYLES

RICHARD THOMPSON

ODIS SIKES

JAMES HEDGEPETH

GERALD PARDUE

On January 27, 1966, ROBERT FULLER, LOY SCARBOROUGH, ROBERT GUESS and BILLY BAYLES, drove from Monroe to Start, Louisiana, where they met with E. W. PACE, JOE POWELL, JESSIE CONLEY and four other Klansmen from Richland Parish. The purpose of the meeting was to help organize the Rayville Unit of the Original Ku Klux Klan of America, which unit had been split by the move of J. C. TANNER, who took seven members of the unit and formed a United Klans Unit.

E. W. PACE presided at the meeting and stated that he would be the leader of the new Original Ku Klux Klan of America Rayville Unit and that SHELLY DORMAN would return as Klokan of the unit. PACE explained that DORMAN was unable to attend the meeting that night.

It was decided **Are the** meeting that all new members should be checked out closely since it was felt that TANNER would probably try to get one of his men into the unit so that he could find out what was going on in the Original Ku Klux Klan of America. It was also decided that meetings should be twice a month on Thursday nights and that the unit would meet in member's houses rather than having a Klavern. PACE stated that it was his intention to keep out all those who had a history of violence or who had proposed any violent acts in the past. It was also decided that total dues per month would be \$3.00, and that \$1.00 of this would be set aside for a defense fund.

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January 17, 1966

On 1/11/66 COY NEAL stated that at the recent State Board meeting of the UKA, Doctor JAMES EDWARDS, the Grand Dragon, had announced that ROBERT SHELTON, the Imperial Wizard of UKA, had sent down word that all State Boards, Titan Committees and Kleagles were to be changed in the near future to protect those Klansmen holding these positions. It was alleged that ROBERT FULLER, J. D. SWENSON and one other South Louisiana Klansman had spent 12 hours in a closed session with the HCUA when in Washington and it was suspected that they had talked too much. TOMMY REGAN, Great Titan of the 5th Province, UKA, made the statement he was thinking about stepping down and being a one-night-a-week Klansman.

On 1/11/66 at 7:30 PM the regular weekly meeting of the Monroe Unit, UKA, was held at the office of BOB DEAN, 1115 Mississippi Street in Monroe. Present were CHARLES "EO" BAILEY, OLIVER "BUCK" PLATT, ROBERT JOHNSON, and BOB DEAN. Also a new member, HARVEY L. HAMMOND, age about 25, who is employed at Southern Equipment Company, in Monroe, was sworn in. Talk centered around reorganizing the Unit and it was decided

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to start over with new numbers for the present eight members as follows:

#1 COY NEAL

#2 BILL WINDHAM

#3 BOB DEAN

#4 CHARLES "BO" BAILEY

#5 OLIVER "BUCK" PLATT

#6 ROBERT JOHNSON

#7 GRADY BROCKNER

#8 HARVEY L. HAMMONDS

It was announced that COY NEAL and BILL WINDHAM had gone to Tioga, Louisiana to swear in a unit there.

CLAYTON SALLEY is back in West Monroe Unit #1, UKA, and has now been made a Kleagle. SALLEY and BUTCH COON had allegedly been to Mangham, Louisiana, to swear that OKA Unit into the UKA and it was verified that BILL WINDHAM had sworn the Rayville Unit of the OKA into the UKA earlier.

The proposal to assess each member 25¢ per month to finance expenses of the Titan Committee was voted on and defeated by those present. It was also voted to drop all members absent or delinquent in dues for a period of two months or more.

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It was announced that DAVID REEVES had been arrested by the Monroe Police Department and charged with littering in connection with putting out Klan literature in the recent past. COY NEAL allegedly paid REEVES' bond of \$300.00. Dues of \$3.00 were paid by BAILEY, JOHNSON, DEAN and HAMMONDS. HAMMONDS also paid his \$10.00 initiation fee.

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In the fall of 1964 the Brownville Unit, also known as Unit 504, was in the OKKKK. Some of its members at the time were:

(FNU) WHEAT, a barber from the West Monroe area who has since moved out of this area:

JIM MC CLUNG

LUTHER KANE, KBI MAN

RAYMOND TAYLOR, KBI MAN

TOMMY JOHNSON, KBI MAN

SAMMY FOSTER, SECRETARY

JOE THOMAS, Night Hawk, no longer active.

JOE ROWLAN

BILLY ROBINSON

(FNU) ROBINSON, Brother of BILLY ROBINSON

PRENTISS ROBERTS

CURTIS ROBERTS, brother of PRENTISS ROBERTS

The meetings were held off of Washington St., West Monroe in a gravel pit on Wednesday nights. The meetings normally started about 7:30 PM and ended about 9:00 PM.

In the Spring of 1965 an argument developed among the members of the Brownville Unit over the meeting night. Some members wanted to continue meeting on Wednesday nights, and some of the members wanted to change to Thursday night meetings. This argument caused the unit to disband. About one month after the Unit disbanded, the Klavern building burned. In April, 1965 TOMMY REAGAN was instrumental in getting all of the members of the Brownville Unit together again and getting them to join the UKA. At that time about 29 members were sworn into the UKA as members. Those recalled were:

BILLY ROBINSON, Exalted Cyclops

JIM MC CLUNG, Assistant Exalted Cyclops

TOMMY JOHNSON, Officer but exact position not recalled. PRENTISS ROBERTS, Officer but exact position not recalled. SELVIN TRUETT, Officer but exact position not recalled.

SAMMY FOSTER

JOE ROWLAN

(FNU) ROBINSON, brother of BILLY ROBINSON

The meetings of the new unit were held on Tuesday nights and the first meetings were held at the Klavern on White's Ferry Road, West Monroe. After a short time the woman owning this property asked the Unit to leave. The unit then met at different places until it was able to obtain a vacant house off of Highway 80 just west of Roach's Nursery. The Unit then moved to its present meeting site which is the Calhoun Klavern.

In the Fall of 1964, the Klan went to the Fair at Winnsboro, La. to see how many Negroes were at the Fair. Recognized as being present from the Brownville Unit were:

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HARRIE WOODS, owner of Wood's Sporting Goods, West Monroe

SAMMY FOSTER

JOE ROWLAN

In August, 1965 the following members of the Brownville Unit were recognized at a rally in Delhi, La.:

LUTHER KANE

JIM MC CLUNG and his wife SUE

SAMMY FOSTER

JOE ROWLAN

On 8/28/65 a woman's rally was held at Chatham, La.

The following persons were recognized in attendance:

ROY FULLER, Okaloosa Unit

PRENTISS ROBERTS

TOMMY JOHNSON

JOE ROWLAN

DOC EDWARDS

COY NEAL

LUTHER KANE

MRS. SUE MC CLUNG

MRS. MAYES of West Monroe

On 9/13/65 a rally was held in Columbia, La. Recognized as attending were:

ROY FULLER

### TOMMY REAGAN

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ROBERT SHELTON

DOC EDWARDS

LUTHER KANE

COY NEAL

On 9/22/65 a rally was held in Alexandria, La. There was a very poor turn out at this rally. Recognized as attending were:

JOE ROWLAN

SELVIN TRUETT

PRENTISS ROBERTS

SAMMY FOSTER

LUTHER KANE

JIM MC CLUNG

SAMMY FOSTER is no longer in the Klan as he quite when he was defeated in an election for Secretary of the Brownville Unit. He drives a 1956-57 Ford which he paints quite frequently but it was black in color when last seen. He lives in South Monroe.

JIM MC CLUNG drives a 1963-64 Chevrolet tudor hardtop solid black in color with a red interior.

ROY FULLER is an officer in the Okaloosa Unit and related to ROBERT FULLER.

BILLY ROBINSON, past exalted Cyclops of the Brownville Unit, has a citizens band radio outfit in his car and truck. He drives a 1963 white cadillac and a 1955-56 blue over white Chevrolet pickup.

RAYMOND TAYLOR drives a 1957 Ford station wagon, yellow in color.

In late June of 1965 a rally was held on Winnsboro Road, West Monroe, La. Recognized as present at this rally were:

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JACK HELM

COY NEAL

TOMMY JOHNSON

SELVIN TRUETT

PRENTISS ROBERTS

JOE ROWLAN

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LUTHER KANE

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Plaintiff,

Defendants.

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# PRELIMINARY INJUNCTION

Pursuant to the Opinion, the Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law entered in this cause, it is the ORDER, JUDGMENT and DECREE of this Court that:

1. The defendants Original Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, Anti-Communist Christian Association, Charles Christmas, Saxon Farmer, Russell Magee, Dewey Smith, Virgil Corkern, Albert Applewhite, E. J. (Jack) Dixon, Delos Williams, Hardie Adrian Goings, Jr., Esley Freeman, Arthur Ray Applewhite, James A. Hollingsworth, Jr., James A Hollingsworth, Sr., Randle C. Pounds, Ray Risner, Billy Alford, Rawlin Williamson, Lattimore McNeese, Ira Dunaway, Doyle Tynes, Franklin Harris, Charles McClendon, James D. Terrell, Delton Graves, Milton Earl Farker, Van Day, Mervin Taylor, J. D. Jones, Rechard B., Michael R. Holden, James (Jimmie) Burke, Albert Simmons, Jr., Noel Ball, Jr., their agents, employees, officers, members, successors, and all those in active concert or participation

with them be preliminarily enjoined from:

(a) Assaulting, threatening, harassing, interfering with or intimidating, or attempting to assault, threaten, harass, interfere with or intimidate any Negro in the exercise of his right to the equal use and enjoyment of public facilities and places of public accommodation, of the exercise of his right to vote free from racial discrimination, or of his right to equal em-

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(b) Injuring, oppressing, threatening or intimidating any official or employee of the City of Bogalusa or Washington Parish on account of his having accorded or sought to accord Negroes equal treatment in the use of public facilities in Washington Parish;

(c) Injuring, oppressing, threatening or intimidating any businessman, proprietor or other person having accorded or sought to accord Negroes equal treatment in the use and enjoyment of any restaurant, theatre, hotel, motel or other place of public accommodation, or in employment;

(a) Physically assaulting or beating any civil rights demonstrators or inflicting upon any person harassment or intimidation which prevents or discourages or is intented to prevent or discourage his exercise of his right to picket, assemble peaceably or advocate equal civil rights for Negroes, or otherwise interfere with the duty of the city and its officials under this Court's order of July 10, 1965, in the case of <u>Hicks v. Knight</u>.

2. The defendant Original Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, Anti-Communist Christian Association, Charles Christmas, Saxon Farmer and all unit or group heads of said organization shall during the pendency of this

action maintain membership records.

3. Defendants Original Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, Anti-Communist Christian Association, Charles Christmas, and Saxon Farmer shall during the pendency of this action post conspicuously at all meeting places of said organizations a copy of this Court's decree. Said decree shall be posted at all times and during all meetings. Said defendants shall file with the clerk of this court, 15 days from the date of this decree, a report, with a copy to the plaintiff, that postings required by this paragraph have been made, and thereafter said defendants shall file such report on or before the 15th day of each month during the pendency of this action stating that the decrees are posted in accordance with this paragraph and have been continuously posted since the date of the last reporting period.

It is further Ordered that the United States Marshal or Deputy Marshal for this District serve a true copy of this decree upon each of the defendants enjoined by this decree, upon Louis Applewhite, James M. Ellis, Sidney August Warner, and upon each of the persons listed in Attachment B attached to this decree.

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Listed below are non-defendants for whom proof as to Klan-ACCA membership is in evidence.

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ADAMS, Robert R.				x
ADAMS, Willis				x
ALFORD, R. C.				x
ANDERSON, BODDy				X
APPLEWHITE, Wayne			X	
BARBER, Clinton				X
BARBER, Jim				X
BATEMAN, Lucius				X
BATEMAN, Tommy				X
BEDWELL, Frank				x
BEETS, James L.				<b>X</b>
BENNETH, Marvin				X
BOYD, Hoyt L.				X
BOYINGTON, Frank				X
BRANCH, N. H.			X	
BRANCH, Ray			X	
BRANTON, Albert J.				X
BRANTON, Edward				X
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CRAIN, N. R.
CREEL, J. D.
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DAY, Martin
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GOINGS, H. A., Sr.	X	X		X
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On January 24, 1966 a regular meeting of the Monroe Unit of the Original Ku Klux Klan of America, Inc. (OKA) number 1 was held at the Klavern on Moore Road. The meeting was principlely taken up with the discussion of whether or not crosses should be burned by the OKA. ROBERT FULLER, the Grand Dragon of the OKA, was in attendance and commented on the fact that he felt that burning crosses was outdated and should no longer be an approved activity of the OKA. J. C. OLIVER was in favor of burning crosses and stated that if the OKA should ever decide to burn crosses that he has several acres of timber land and a power saw and the OKA could make up crosses at no expense. After more discussion it was decided that no crosses should be burned in the immediate future and that this matter should be brought up at the next OKA State Meeting which is scheduled for February 6, 1966. a Sunday afternoon and is to be held at the Moore Road Klavern in Monroe. A guest at the meeting was DERRELL "BUCK" ROBERTS who is the new Great Titan for Moorehouse Parish of the OKA. The meeting was presided over by the EC of the Unit WAYNE WIBLE and other members in attendance included the following:

J. C. OLIVER

DON OLIVER (son of J. C. OLIVER and who is an off shore oil worker)

RUSSELL PRICE W. C. BLACKWELDER WAYMAN JOHNSON PAUL GULLETTE ROBERT RENFROE

Also in attendance was JACK SAUCIER, who is the new EC of the Monroe Unit #2.

On January 26, 1966 a regular weekly meeting of West Monroe OKA Unit #2 was held at the Klavern located on the property of W. D. BROWNING in West Monroe. The principle items of discussion was the proposed Quachita Academy, a private school designed for children of Klansmen and other people who do not want their children to go to integrated schools. ROBERT GUESS advised that BILL WINDHAM and CALVIN GUILLORY, both Um ted Klan members had requested that they meet with the unit and explain the purposes of It was suggested that members of the Unit the academy. meet with WINDHAM and GUILLORY on February 3, 1966 in Several members inquired the office of LOY SCARBOROUGH. as to when the next OKA Rally would be held and it was decided in view of the cold weather that no rallies would be scheduled at the present time and that the first

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rally would not be until early Spring. It was also decided at the meeting not to attend the United Klan Rally scheduled for Tallulah, Louisiana on January 29, 1966. The following Klansmen were in attendance at this meeting:

> ROBERT FULLER - Grand Dragon of the OKA LOY SCARBOROUGH - Political adviser for the OKA BILLY CROWELL - EC of the Unit ROBERT GUESS - Grand Klokan for the OKA BILLY BAYLES JIMMY GRIFFIN - Grand Kleagle of the OKA RICHARD THOMPSON - Secretary of the Unit ROY BURKES

THE BARFIELD BROTHERS (one of the brothers is

believed to be GRADY

#### BARFIELD)

ODIS SIKES

GERALD PARDUE

JAMES HEDGEPETH

ROBERT THOMPSON

W. E. BROWNING

FNU ROBERTS (believed to be the son-in-law of

### MELVIN RISER)

On January 27, 1966 ROBERT FULLER, BILLY BALES,

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ROBERT GUESS, and LOY SCARBOROUGH drove to Start, Louisiana, where they met at 8:00 P. M. with several Klansmen from Richland Parish at the home of E. W. PACE, located on US Route 80 in Start. Louisiana. The purpose of the trip was to help reorganize the Rayville Unit of the OKA. It was decided at the meeting that E. W. PACE would be the Exalted Cyclops for the reorganized Rayville Unit and that he would also hold the title of Great Titan for Richland Parish, a position which he had formerly held when the OKA was first organized. LOUIS STOKES was also in attendance and he is to be the EC of the reorganized Holly Ridge, Louisiana OKA Unit. PACE announced that SHELLY DORMAN who was not at the meeting had agreed to be the Great Klokan for the OKA in Richland Parish, a position which DORMAN had previously held. It was decided among those present that all members of the Rayville Unit of the OKA would also have to belong to the Citizens Council of Richland Parish, which has been reorganized under the leadership of E. W. PACE. PACE made a short speech at the meeting stating that there would be no burnings of any kind in Richland Parish by the OKA and that the main purpose of the OKA in Richland Parish would be to further the Klan's aims by political means. PACE advised that all new members

should be thoroughly screened in order to keep out informers and he specifically mentioned that J. C. TANNER, who now has a UKA Unit in Richland Parish, would probably try to get one of his men in the OKA Unit. PACE stated that he had spoken with TANNER earlier that day and he said he told TANNER to mind his own business and not to meddle in any OKA business. It was decided at the meeting that the Rayville Unit would meet every two weeks on Thursdays and that no Klavern would be used but rather that the unit would meet at a different members house each meeting.

ROBERT FULLER stated that the OKA was not going to support the UKA rally scheduled for Tallulah on January 29, 1966 and he stated that all OKA Klansmen should not participate in this rally. FULLER stated that he was sending E. W. PACE to Tallulah to observe the rally and to insure that no OKA Klansmen were in attendance.

The following individuals attended the meeting on January 27, 1966 at Start:

> ROBERT FULLER BILLY BALES ROBERT GUESS LOY SCARBOROUGH

E. W. PACE

ROYCE PACE (Son of E. W. PACE)

FNU PACE (Oldest son of E. W. PACE and believed to

work at the Safeway Grocery Store in

Monroe, Louisiana)

JOE POWELL (reportedly a city employee in Rayville,

Louisiana) -

JESSIE CONLEY (South Side ESSO Station, Rayville,

Louisiana)

FOBERT MILLER

FNU KENNEDY (Operates a grocery store at Dunn,

Louisiana)

LOUIS STOKES

ROBERT STOKES (brother of LOUIS STOKES)

Source advised that there were 5 other men present whose names he did not know.

Source advised that the meeting between ROBERT FULLER and JOE M. SYKES, which was planned for January 20, 1966 did not occur since FULLER was unable to get in touch with SYKES. Source advised that on January 21, 1966 SYKES called FULLER and advised that he had nine men ready to form an OKA Unit in the Shreveport-Bossier City area and he requested that FULLER and other officials of the OKA

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come to Shreveport on the night of January 29, 1966. He ordered to meet with the new group and charter them into the OKA.

On January 20, 1966 while FULLER and LOY SCARBOROUGH were in the Shreveport area attempting to locate SYKES, SAXON FARMER and OSCAR ANDERSON reportedly came to Monroe, Louisiana hoping to meet with FULLER. The purpose of this proposed meeting was not learned and FARMER and ANDERSON left Monroe after determining that FULLER would not be available. Cover Sheet for Informant Report or Material FD-306

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On January 23, 1966 an Exalted Cyclops meeting of the Fifth Provence was held at West Monroe, Louisiana.

MEETING OF EXALTED CYCLOPS - FIFTH PROVENCE

This meeting was held at West Monroe Klavern #2 of the UKA. This meeting began at 2:30 P. M. and terminated at 4:30 P. M. There were 37 Klansmen present. The following listed Klansmen were in attendance:

> JAMES EDWARDS - Grand Dragon GEORGE GIL HARRIS - Secretary HENRY SALLEY - Member of West Monroe Unit #1 COY NEAL - Member of UKA State Board ALFRED CALHOUN- Exalted Cyclops of West Monroe

# Unit #2

BILL WINDHAM - Member of UKA State Board BOB DEAN - Exalted Cyclops of Monroe Unit CLARENCE COBB - Exalted Cyclops of Jonesboro Unit #1 DON ROGERS - Member of Jonesboro Unit #1 LEAMON HODNETT - Member of Jonesboro Unit #1 PRENTISS ROBERTS - Member of the Brownville Unit W. E. BURGESS - Exalted Cyclops of the Mangham UKA

# Unit

FNU WARD - Member of the Mangham Unit HUBERT HOLLANDSWORTH - Assistant Exalted Cyclops

of the Winnsboro Unit

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W. J. KIDD - Exalted Cyclops of the Swartz Unit TOMMY JOHNSON - Exalted Cyclops of the Brownville Unit

JIM MC CLUNG - Assistant Exalted Cyclops of the Brownville Unit

KEITH HAMMONS - Member of the Okaloosa Unit VAN HOWELL - Exalted Cyclops of the Sterlington

Unit

J. C. TANNER - Member of the Rayville Unit W. H. CRAWFORD - Who is a member of the Rayville

Unit and works at Louisiana

Machinery Company, Monroe, Louisiana.

TOMMY REAGAN, in company with DAVID REEVES, Exalted Cyclops of West Monroe Unit #1 drove to Arkansas for the purpose of attending the Arkansas UKA State Board meeting.

The principle issue under discussion was the forthcoming rally at Tallulah, Louisiana on the night of January 29, 1966 and the fact that all UKA Units were to meet on Tuesday night. The purpose of having all units meet on Tuesday night was to prevent FBI informants from traveling to more than one unit meeting a week. This meeting was MC'd by VAN HOWELL, EC of the Sterlington Unit.

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GEORGE GIL HARRIS, State Secretary, stated that there were many units behind on their dues.

Following the Unit meeting ALFRED CALHOUN, who is the EC of the West Monroe Unit #2, stated that his unit was extremely unhappy with TOMMY REAGAN because he was not furnishing his wife and children enough money to live on. He stated that undoubtedly ROSS FRIDAY, VAN HOWELL, or PRENTISS ROBERTS would be the next Great Titan from the Fifth Provence of Louisiana.

On January 25, 1966 HENRY SALLEY contacted the Mangham Unit of the UKA.

COY NEAL contacted W. L. MC CANN at Alexandria, Louisiana on the night of January 25, 1966 and was advised by MC CANN that he still did not know where the Alexandria Unit meeting was being held and that on the following Tuesday night he would contact NEAL relative to the meeting.

The following individuals met at the office of BOB DEAN, Exalted Cyclops of the Monroe Unit, for the purpose of attending the Monroe Unit Meeting.

### MEETING OF THE MONROE UNIT

Recognized as being present at this meeting was:

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COY NEAL BOB DEAN CHARLES BO BAILEY ROBERT JOHNSON BILL WINDHAM

This meeting began at 8:00 P. M. and terminated at 9:30 P. M. BOB DEAN stated that the Monroe Unit of the UKA had been assessed \$5.00 and that they would have to pay \$50.00 based on 10 members active in the Unit to the UKA State Board. Everyone in the unit paid their dues and the unit was now paid up fully.

BOB DEAN the Exalted Cyclops announced there would be a rally of the UKA at Tallulah, Louisiana on January 29, 1966.

There is a new man presently in the Monroe Unit by the name of HARVEY HOWARD, who is employed by the Southern Equipment Company in Monroe, Louisiana and resides at Calhoun, Louisiana.

Members of the Unit are disappointed with BOB DEAN, the Exalted Cyclops, mainly because he was the individual who recommended JEWELL SONNY WRIGHT into the Monroe Unit. JEWELL SONNY WRIGHT subsequently after becoming a Klan member attempted to rape a 13 year old

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Negro female and was caught and sent to 10 years in prison by the Ouachita Parish Sheriff's Office. This giving the Ku Klux Klan a bad name.

All members of the Monroe Unit formerly affiliated with the Unit would be contacted within the next week in order to determine if they will be willing to reaffiliate themselves with the Unit.

An election would be held the following week to elect new officers to this unit.

MEETING OF KLANSMEN AT TALLULAH, LOUISIANA 1/26/66 On January 26, 1966 BILL WINDHAM in company with COY NEAL and OLIVER BUCK PLATT attended a klan meeting at Tallulah, Louisiana.

This meeting at Tallulah, Louisiana was held at the residence of ROBERT WEEMS. There were eight men present including WEEMS, FRANK JOHNSON, and a First Name Unknown HARRIS, who runs a wrecking yard on the western side of Tallulah, Louisiana on US Highway 80.

BILL WINDHAM and COY NEAL explained the purposes and goals of the UKA, emphasizing that it was a non-violent organization. ROBERT WEEMS stated that he would within the next two weeks make available 35 individuals in the

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Tallulah, Louisiana who would be interested in joining the Ku Klux Klan.

A confidential source advised that Grand Dragon of the UKA JAMES EDWARDS is extremely unhappy with HILL WINDHAM for swearing in the Rayville, Louisiana Unit of the UKA without waiting for the Unit to become properly indoctrinated into the UKA. Normally before a Unit is sworn into the UKA a waiting period of three months must be maintained.

The above 3 klansmen following their return from Tallulah, Louisiana stopped at the Sip and Nip Drive In in Rayville, Louisiana, and conferred with J. C. TANNER, a member of the Rayville, Louisiana Unit of the UKA. Also present was JERRY HAYES and RICHARD POSEY, who are members of the OKA Klan organization. According to J. C. TANNER, ROBERT FULLER is now down to two units.

On January 27, 1966 COY NEAL contacted HUBERT HOLLANDSWORTH at Winnsboro, Louisiana, and stated that he could not attend the Winnsboro Unit meeting of the UKA as he had a special meeting to attend at Ruston, Louisiana. At 7:30 P. M. at the Post Office Cafe in Ruston, Louisiana, COY NEAL met with JAMES EDWARDS and GEORGE GIL HARRIS and BOBBY KELLEY, who holds position of State

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Treasurer in the UKA. JAMES EDWARDS requested that COY NEAL drive to Tuscaloosa, Alabama for the purpose of contacting Imperial Wizard ROBERT SHELTON, who would make available 66,000 copies of the UKA newspaper "Firey Cross". 50,000 copies of this newspaper were for the Klansmen in Louisiana and 16,000 copies would be delivered to the UKA Realm of Texas.

According to JAMES EDWARD, ROBERT SHELTON would also furnish NEAL with UKA documents needed by EDWARDS. EDWARDS furnished a check for \$500.00 to COY NEAL, payable to the American Southern publishing Company and drawn on the Bernice, Louisiana Bank. GIL HARRIS furnished NEAL a check for \$6.00 payable to the Alabama Rescue Service for 6 UKA lepel pins.

EDWARDS stated that representatives of the UKA Realm of Texas would contact NEAL on January 30, 1966 and pick up the 16000 copies of the Firey Cross.

NEAL stated he would drive on Friday, January 28, 1966 to Tuscaloosa to pick up the newspapers and return on the morning of January 29, 1966.

JAMES EDWARDS stated that he undoubtedly would have to releave TOMMY REAGAN of his duties as Great Titan

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of the Fifth Provence of Louisiana. He stated that TOMMY REAGAN was becoming neglectful in his UKA duties and had actually forgot to contact GLENN HOLLOWAY at Farmerville, Louisiana, who is in charge of all Klan literature regarding the printing of circulars announcing the Tallulah Rally on January 29, 1966. EDWARDS stated that it was now too late for these circulars to be put out and undoubtedly there would be a small turnout at the rally due to this mistake.

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Source advised that the two BARFIELD brothers of the West Monroe, Louisiana OKA Unit 2 have been identified as CHARLES BARFIELD and GERALD BARFIELD. Both are new members of the West Monroe Unit 2 but neighbor holds an officer's position.

The following listed individuals have all left the OKA and are beliefed to be attempting to get into a UKA Unit in the Monroe-West Monroe area:

RICHARD LEE POSEY (works for Friden Calculators in Monroe.)

ROBERT RENFROE

JOE MANCILLAS

HENRY JEFFERY

JERRY HAYES

JOHN STRICKLAND

W.H. TURNER, the Exalted Cyclops of the Oak Grove, Louisiana Unit advised the leaders of the OKA that a school board member in Oak Grove has made a statement in favor of voluntary school integration and TURNER requested that OKA Grand Dragon ROBERT FULLER come to Oak Grove, Louisiana and talk with the school board member and get him to retract his statement on integration. FULLER reportedly told TURNER that he would get E.W. PACE of Rayville and the two of them would come to Oak Grove on February 7, 1966 and meet with the school board member. TURNER has a son who has been appointed the Great Klokan for West Carroll Parish of the OKA and it is believed that the son in W.H. TURNER, JR., although this has not been verified, since TURNER reportedly has two sons, both of whom would be old enough to be in the Klan.

Source advised he does not know anyone by the name of IRA DEBOLT. Source advised Mer Rouge OKA Womens Unit is no longer active.

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