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SUBJECT: (COINTELPRO)


BLACK EXTREMIST

100-448006


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12/11/70

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COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

1 - [REDACTED]
1 - [REDACTED]
1 - [REDACTED]

Reurlet dated 12/4/70.

To properly evaluate your counterintelligence proposal, you should promptly submit specifics regarding it.

Mobile should indicate to whom an approach would be made to prevent further use of the school facilities by [REDACTED] and what would be the content of your approach. Also you should advise what your office files indicate concerning the individual or individuals to be approached.

You are reminded that in the event information comes to your attention indicating the reason for the instruction in karate is for use in a civil disorder, it could be a possible violation of Section 23 (a) (1), Title 18, U.S. Code. If such information now or later becomes available, Bureau should be advised under appropriate separate caption and appropriate investigation instituted.

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NOTE:

Referenced letter indicated that NOI member [REDACTED] is attempting to establish a group in Montgomery, Alabama. [REDACTED]

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Mobile requested authority to implement counterintelligence measure through liaison with Montgomery Police Department and Board of Education, Montgomery, to prevent further use of school premises. No specifics were given.

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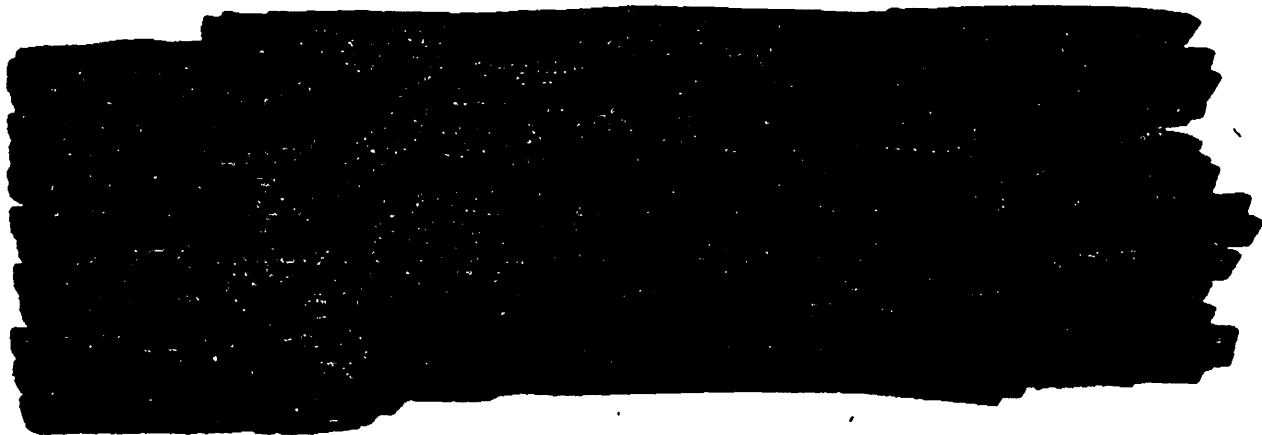
TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 12/4/70

FROM : SAC, MOBILE (157-2578) (P)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

Re MOlet to BU, 11/30/70.



It is believed that a counterintelligence measure could be taken through liaison with the Montgomery PD and Board of Education of Montgomery, Ala., to prevent the further use of these premises, which are the property of the Montgomery School Board. This would disrupt these classes and force the NOI group to find another location in order to hold classes.

Bureau authority is requested to implement this counter-intelligence measure in order to disrupt the NOI attempts in Montgomery to establish a mosque there.

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To: SAC, Cleveland (157-1189) ^{REC 85}
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From: Director, FBI (100-448006) — 2/1/71

COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

Reurairtel 12/4/70.

Although your suggestion would cause friction between the National Committee to Combat Fascism (NCCF) in Cleveland and Black Panther Party (BPP) national headquarters, it is not being authorized due to possibility of embarrassment to the Bureau.

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NOTE:

Cleveland proposed a Negro Agent impersonate [redacted] who generally picks up BPP newspapers shipped into Cleveland from BPP national headquarters. Cleveland proposed that he sign [redacted] name to the air bill and take possession of newspapers being shipped into Cleveland. Cleveland stated it receives advance information concerning arrival of newspapers and indicated investigation revealed air freight clerks are not acquainted with [redacted] and would not in all likelihood recognize the Agent as an impostor. Cleveland felt this tactic would add to recent arguments between national headquarters and local NCCF regarding the shipment of papers into Cleveland and the payment by Cleveland to national headquarters for such papers. This proposal is fraught with danger to the Bureau and as result it is not being authorized. COINTELPRO is code name for counterintelligence program.

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Date: 12/4/70

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Via AIRTEL _____
(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)
FROM: SAC, CLEVELAND (157-1189) (P)
RE: COUNTER-INTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK EXTREMISTS
RM

Re Cleveland letter to Bureau, 8/25/70.

The Cleveland Office proposes the following plan which the office believes will disrupt the Ohio Chapter of NCCF at Cleveland, Ohio, and which plan might also be suitable for use against the Toledo Chapter of NCCF. The plan would consist of the use of a Negro Agent in the interception of the delivery of the Black Panther News to the Ohio Chapter. Prior investigation has shown that the Panthers receive their newspapers via Air Freight through TWA, UAL or American Airlines and that the Cleveland Office had advance information concerning the arrival of these newspapers. Cleveland proposes that when such advance information concerning the arrival of the newspapers is received a Negro Agent proceed to the appropriate airline freight office with sufficient other Agent personnel in the area to assure his security and [redacted] who has usually picked these papers up in the past. Investigation at the airline terminals has reflected that the freight clerks are not familiar with [redacted] and would not in all likelihood recognize the Negro Agent as an impostor. This Agent would then sign [redacted] name to the air bill. It is felt that the above tactic will disrupt the Ohio Chapter because of prior complaints by this Chapter of not receiving newspapers and of recent arguments between National Headquarters and this Chapter regarding the payment for these papers.

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Cleveland then proposes after these papers are successfully intercepted that a letter be drafted to the National Headquarters of the BPP anonymously, stating that the writer is a loyal member of the NCCF and wants to bring something to the attention of the National Office but is fearful of being identified as having informed on the Ohio Chapter. The letter would go on to say that this individual learned that [REDACTED] had conspired to line their pockets with money by claiming they did not receive a shipment of papers and refusing payment because of this, thus keeping the proceeds for themselves. This letter would also inform National Headquarters that [REDACTED] plan to blame the "Pigs" for their not receiving the newspapers.

This letter will be sent on paper without a water mark and will be enclosed in an envelope without a water mark.

It is felt that the above-described counter-intelligence measure would greatly increase friction between the Ohio Chapter and National Headquarters and would be a very strong disruptive influence regarding Black Panther Party activities.

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Memorandum

TO: *W.H.* DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006) DATE: 12/1/70

FROM: *V.H.* SAC, BALTIMORE (157-2520) -P*-

SUBJECT: *O* COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RM

Re: BAlet, 9/4/70.

1. Operations Under Consideration

It is well known that the primary source of income to the various Black Panther Party (BPP) chapters is from the sale of their newspaper. Consideration is being given to some method of depriving the BPP of their newspaper for at least one week.

2. Operations Being Effectuated

A number of local labor unions and officials were selected for anonymous mailing of the VICTOR RIESEL article, and a number of rabbis and Jewish congregations were selected for anonymous mailing of the New York Times Anti-Zionist article. A number of religious congregations, primarily Negro, were selected for anonymous mailing of the "Like It Is" leaflet.

3. Tangible Results

No tangible results from operation of this program at this time.

4. Development of Counterintelligence Interest

Activity of informants presently reporting on BPP activity is being followed closely and every opportunity will be used to discredit [redacted] who has shaken up the local organization with purges of several members and otherwise causing animosities.

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Date: 11/30/70

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Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL (REGISTERED)
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)
FROM: *REG* SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (157-601)
SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMIST
RACIAL MATTERS *NATIONALIST-HATE GROUP*
Jaw ReSFlet 8/31/70.

Counterintelligence in San Francisco Division under above captioned program is limited to Black Panther Party (BPP). Following is counterintelligence activity since submission of last quarterly letter 8/31/70:

- 1) On 9/14/70, BPP Coloring Book was mailed anonymously to the management of drive-in restaurants Jack-In-The-Box to attempt to impede their contributions to BPP Breakfast Program.
- 2) On 9/14 and 9/29/70, anonymous letters were mailed *[redacted]* complaining of HUEY NEWTON's stand on relating to Womens' Liberation and the mens' Gay Liberation League.
- 3) On 9/21/70, xerox copies of a "New York Times" article showing BPP anti-Zionist stand mailed to six Bay Area Jewish leaders.
- 4) *[redacted]* had previously been alerted by this office as to BPP activities there.

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- 5) On 11/6/70, anonymous letter mailed to [REDACTED] San Francisco, advising premises being used as BPP pad.
- 6) On 11/7/70, anonymous letter mailed to HUEY NEWTON complaining of ELDRIDGE CLEAVER's association with LSD adherent TIM LEARY.
- 7) On 11/17/70, xerox copies of VICTOR RIESEL's article "Panthers Urge More Cop Killings" mailed to officials of the Transport Workers Union of America - AFL-CIO and the International Brotherhood of Teamsters in San Francisco.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Director, FBI (100-448006)

FROM : SAC, New Haven (157-785) (P)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO-BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

DATE: 12/1/70

References: New Haven letters to Bureau 6/4/70, 8/7/70, and 10/8/70; Bureau letter 11/10/70.

The following is a ninety-day summary of activities within the New Haven Division relating to captioned program:

I. OPERATIONS UNDER CONSIDERATION

New Haven is presently preparing to submit under separate cover the following proposals for the Bureau's implementation:

- A. New Haven proposals of 6/4/70 and 8/7/70 re leaflets depicting prominent black persons from various walks of life carrying slogans that relate the idea that violence was not used in their climb of the ladder of success.

II. OPERATIONS BEING EFFECTED

- A. The leaflet entitled, "BPP Ten Point Program" and "Like It Is" has been distributed to all offices with BPP chapters or splinter groups.
- B. Mailing of anonymous Bureau counterintelligence article of 11/10/70.
- C. Mailing of anonymous letter to Bobby Seale at Montville State Jail.

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III. TANGIBLE RESULTS

During the month of November, 1970, sources of the New Haven Division advised that the counterintelligence measure entitled "Ten Point Program" and "Like It Is" was being circulated in the black community but could not give any reaction by the BPP regarding same. Other offices given this information have not as yet reported any results regarding this matter.

The results of counterintelligence measure taken as depicted in B of Part II above has been so recent that results have not been obtained.

[REDACTED]

advised on 11/25/70 that BOBBY SEALE had been quite despondent for the past few weeks and on that date did, in fact, cause a disturbance at the prison by breaking up furniture and other items in his cell.

IV. DEVELOPMENTS OF COUNTERINTELLIGENCE INTERESTS

It has been noted that recently the turnover in Black Panther personnel in the New Haven area has been considerable and that the leadership of this chapter is not considered effective at this time. Due to the lack of understanding between the present leadership and the new members, consideration is being given to mailing anonymous letters to these individuals belittling the present leadership in order to drive a wedge between the two factions. These proposals will be submitted in the near future.

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006) DATE: 12/1/70

FROM : SAC, TAMPA (157-3213) (P)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

Re Tampa letters 8/31/70 and 11/2/70; and
Buairtel, 11/10/70.

1. OPERATIONS UNDER CONSIDERATION

The Tampa chapter of the NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO
COMBAT FASCISM (NCCF) has just recently opened new headquarters
at 2918 - 29th Street, Tampa, Florida.

At present, the opening of this headquarters can be used to
the advantage of identifying militants coming to the head-
quarters and of placing sources in contact with militants at
the headquarters. It is believed that the headquarters can
be permanently closed at any time through effective counter-
intelligence measures and such measures are under considera-
tion.

2. OPERATIONS BEING EFFECTED

Tampa is closely following the activities of the
JUNTA OF MILITANT ORGANIZATIONS (JOMO) in St. Petersburg,
Florida, and the NCCF and BLACK YOUTH FOR PEACE AND POWER (BYPP),
in Tampa, and during the continuing investigation will remain
alert for cointelpro.

In accordance with instructions set forth in re
Buairtel, reproductions of a column written by VICTOR RIESEL,
regarding the BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP) will be mailed to
appropriate unions, police organizations or other individuals
who could encourage a boycott of BPP newspapers.

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3. TANGIBLE RESULTS

As set forth in re Tampa airtel, [REDACTED] was arrested in St. Petersburg, Florida, as a result of information from an informant, which information was furnished to the St. Petersburg Police Department. As a result of discussing the arrest with the Intelligence Unit of the Tampa Police Department, the results of the arrest were publicized in Tampa newspapers. The

[REDACTED] in Daytona Beach, Florida, during a racial incident, received publicity in Tampa newspapers through a discussion with the Tampa Police Department Intelligence Unit of the arrest of TUCKER.

4. DEVELOPMENTS OF COUNTERINTELLIGENCE INTEREST

There have been no additional developments of counterintelligence interest within the Tampa Division.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM : SAC, ALBANY (157-231) (P*)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
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DATE: 12/4/70

Re Albany letter to Bureau dated, 8/31/70.

The following quarterly counterintelligence letter is submitted in accordance with current Bureau instructions:

1. Operations Under Consideration

Efforts are being made to organize a National Committee to Combat Fascism (NCCF) Chapter at Ithaca, New York. If such a chapter is, in fact, organized vigorous investigation will be conducted to identify the leaders. When identified, Bureau authority will be requested to conduct a survey to determine the feasibility of installing Misur and/or Tesur coverage.

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2. Operations Being Effected

It should be noted that the persons involved in this matter are reliable, established sources, who have been in intermittent contact with the Syracuse Resident Agency, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] but also matters relating to the New Left and racial fields.

[REDACTED]

admiration for the Bureau's work in the internal security field. Recently, they visited the Syracuse Resident Agency

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and requested recent material prepared by the Bureau concerning SDS, the New Left, the Black Panther Party, etc. They were furnished the Director's Testimony before the House Subcommittee on Appropriations on April 17, 1969, regarding Communist, racial, and extremist groups, together with other statements made by the Director concerning the New Left and the BPP. [redacted] stated that he was especially anxious to be well versed on such matters, since he had recently

[redacted] The committee desires to increase involvement on the part of [redacted] not only in the Syracuse area, but throughout the United States. It is desired that certain firm answers be received from the administration and Student Government, as to how student activity fees are allocated, including the identities of all organizations and individuals who receive funds from Student Government. [redacted] specifically interested in learning of the identities and organizational affiliations of all speakers appearing [redacted] and a precise compilation of funds paid these speakers. It was [redacted] view that the Student Government, guided by certain faculty members with questionable motives, have provided an imbalance, insofar as the political philosophies of the speakers are concerned.

[redacted] also related that the sum of the administration officials did not desire active participation [redacted] in exploring University operations. In fact, he had been discouraged somewhat by [redacted]

[redacted] since the problems of the University were really handled by the administration.

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In addition to the above public information, [redacted] was furnished a copy of a flyer dated, 5/26/70 captioned "Dear Colleague" which had been circulated at [redacted]. The flyer contained details concerning the formation of an Ad Hoc Committee to raise funds among the [redacted] faculty for Black Panther defense.

It is noted that a LHM has been furnished the Bureau concerning the 48 faculty members who have pledged money to the Black Panther Legal Defense Fund.

[redacted] stated that it would be perfectly normal for him to gain access to such a flyer since [redacted]. Since it is public information, they said that this information could be very useful to them in their discussions with the Chancellor and other administration officials. They were both cautioned, of course, that under no circumstances should they reveal that the flyer had been received from the FBI.

3. Tangible Results

It was learned on [redacted] concerning the efforts of [redacted] faculty members in soliciting financial support for the Black Panthers. [redacted]

Additionally, it is expected that [redacted] can and will continue to apply pressure to [redacted] officials concerning this matter, particularly through the [redacted]. It has been determined that [redacted] has been informed of the situation and has received a copy of the flyer.

It is not recommended that any additional action be initiated at this time. It is felt that a significant step has been taken by [redacted] in confronting SU officials with some of the nefarious

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activities of certain radical students and faculty. [REDACTED] stated that he intended to recommend that [REDACTED] student newspaper, but that they also attend open meetings which feature controversial speakers. He noted that with this exposure, he felt that parents could then deal in specifics when they discuss their gripes with [REDACTED]

4. Development of Counterintelligence Interest

Not applicable at this time.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM : SAC, CLEVELAND (157-1189) (P)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

DATE: 12/4/70

Re Cleveland letter to Bureau, 8/25/70. C/ Airtel 12/4/70.

OPERATIONS UNDER CONSIDERATION

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(A) The Bureau is requested to consider the interception of the Black Panther Newspaper by Agents of the Cleveland Division. The newspaper would be intercepted upon arrival in Cleveland and Toledo. Cleveland anticipates this would cause a loss of revenue in the neighborhood of \$2000 based on the number of papers received weekly. It is anticipated that this would create dissension within the Black Panther Party as the Cleveland and Toledo Chapters would certainly be criticized by National Headquarters in California for lack of security.

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No formal plan will be formulated by Cleveland until Bureau consideration of the proposal.

(B) Cleveland also is in the process of formulating a plan whereby ads will be placed in Suburban newspapers using Black Panther Party phone numbers. It is contemplated that constant incoming phone calls will disrupt the normal course of business at local Headquarters.

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(C) Cleveland is also trying to utilize information regarding criminal activities of individual members of the Black Panther Party. Information will be leaked to news sources pointing out Panther Membership of those members arrested for serious offenses. Care would be taken in these programs to insure that the Bureau cannot be identified as the source.

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OPERATIONS IN EFFECT

Cleveland at the present time has no approved counterintelligence programs being effected.

TANGIBLE RESULTS

No tangible results have been achieved by Cleveland under this program since submission of referenced letter.

DEVELOPMENTS OF COUNTERINTELLIGENCE INTEREST

Information being developed from [REDACTED] is being evaluated and its use in developing counterintelligence measures shows some potential. Information already received from this source inspired the proposal submitted in (A) of this letter.

As quality informant coverage in Racial groups improves the information developed will be evaluated as to development of further counterintelligence measures.

ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

SAC, New York (100-161140) **EX-102**
Director, FBI (100-448006) - **2102**

12/8/70

COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

- 1 - New York Field Guidance
- 1 - [REDACTED]
- 1 - [REDACTED]
- 1 - [REDACTED]

ReNYairtel with enclosures 11/18/70, no copies furnished San Francisco.

Enclosed for San Francisco are single copies of referenced New York airtel and enclosures.

The counterintelligence proposal as submitted by New York is not being approved. This proposal offers no counterintelligence potential with respect to [REDACTED]. It does, however, offer some potential as a counterintelligence measure to be directed at disruption of existing relationships between the Student National Coordinating Committee (SNCC) and the Black Panther Party (BPP).

New York is instructed to resubmit the proposed letter rebutting the BPP's attack on [REDACTED] but to delete any reference to [REDACTED] sexual indiscretions. The resubmitted letter should bear the typed signature of [REDACTED] of SNCC's Revolutionary Political Council. New York, in resubmission of its proposal, should indicate the BPP leaders or organizational chapters to which the letter should be directed. San Francisco should furnish its observations and/or recommendations in this matter.

Take no positive action with respect to the above without specific Bureau authority.

- 1 - Atlanta
- 1 - Cincinnati
- 2 - San Francisco (Enclosures - 3)

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Letter to SAC, New York
RE: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
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NOTE:

New York has proposed a letter be mailed, over the signature of SNCC [REDACTED] to various BPP and SNCC members attacking the BPP for its criticism of [REDACTED] which appeared in an article of the BPP newspaper authored by Eldridge Cleaver calling [REDACTED] a do-nothing revolutionary. Proposed letter defends [REDACTED] but contains a reference to his romance with [REDACTED]. This is not in keeping with SNCC's current moral code for its members. Counterintelligence proposal regarding [REDACTED] indiscretions handled separately.

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Date: 11/18/70

Transmit the following in _____
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Via AIRTEL _____
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)
FROM: SAC, NEW-YORK (157-6024)
SUBJECT: COINTELPRO¹ - BLACK EXTREMISTS
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ReBu airtel, 11/12/70.

Enclosed for the Bureau and receiving offices are two copies each of a news article proposed letter relating to [REDACTED]

It is suggested that Atlanta may wish to utilize such proposal in responding to referenced communication. The draft has only an obscure reference to [REDACTED] co-habitation with [REDACTED] in order lend authenticity since such relationship would normally not be one of concern to the alleged author [REDACTED]

Atlanta may have more detailed or more timely information which should be part of the letter.

The letter should be signed by [REDACTED] facsimiles of whose signature are available to Atlanta in

ENCLOSURE

- 2 - Bureau (Encls. 2)(RM)
- 2 - Atlanta (Encls. 2)(RM)
- 1 - Cincinnati (Encls. 2)(RM)
- 1 - New York

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the SNCC and/or [redacted] file. Copies could be mailed to various BPP offices, SNCC members and other so called revolutionaries across the country utilizing the NY SNCC letterhead and an Atlanta postmark in view of [redacted] residence there.

NY can furnish Atlanta with names and addresses of SNCC associates across the country if the proposal is accepted.

STUDENT NATIONAL COORDINATING COMMITTEE

346 West 20th Street
New York, New York 10011

Dear Comrade:

Attached is a reprint of an article in the Black Panther, Saturday, June 20, 1970, page 9.

This article contains a senseless attack by Eldridge Cleaver on SNCC & brother [redacted] a vanguard revolutionary. Phil will assume the position of Director of International Affairs for SNCC upon completion of duties with the Third Venceremos Brigade.

Eldridge Cleaver, now enjoying a self-imposed exile, is an intellectual pimp. He believes that his Panther Pussys are the only relevant revolutionary group in Babylon.

SNCC disputes his claim of leadership and his right to lead.

SNCC has no quarrel with the revolutionary aspect of the Panther program and accepts their basic program as correct; however, we do dispute and detest the cult of personality created by certain Panther leaders about themselves. (Cleaver, Newton, Seale, et al).

While Little Phil, as Eldridge calls him, is in the vanguard of the revolution, Eldridge is safe and ineffective 4,000 miles away. When a revolution is being made the leadership consists of those who are fighting in the vanguard.
NO MATTER WHAT THE RISK!

Where were Fidel, Che, Kim Il Sung, Mao Tse Tung and Patrice Lumumba when revolution was being made? They were with the people, not 4,000 miles from the front.

So, Mr. Moishe Tshumba Cleaver, before you seek to criticize those of us who are engaged in making revolution in America, you must establish your right to primacy. You must show by example not exile, how to wage revolution. You must, in short, become a credible revolutionary.

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SNCC believes strongly that the lackeys of the beast are as dangerous as the beast and the masses of blacks must be educated to recognize real leadership from the mere allegation of leadership on the part of certain charlatans.

[REDACTED] has recently returned from Cuba with the Third Venceremos Brigade and is living in Atlanta with [REDACTED] another vanguard SNCC revolutionary. [REDACTED] is being renewed in struggle by sister revolutionary [REDACTED] and has engaged the enemy once again.

Until Eldridge returns to the wilderness of North America and joins in the day to day battle in Amerika we will continue to regard him as a coward.

Love and Revolution
Yours in struggle,

[REDACTED]

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ON PHIL
HUTCHINS

BY ELDREDGE CLEAVER
MINISTER OF INFORMATION

Phil Hutchins is the new Julius Lester with the same old shabby approach to writing sneaky articles about the shortcomings of the Black Panther Party. This little punk is actually a joke. When SNCC had absolutely collapsed, had totally fallen apart at the seams, James Forman scraped around amongst the left-over Black hippies still relating to the name and past-glory of SNCC and fronted Little Phil off as the chief spokesman for a defunct organization.

As time goes by, the bourgeois nature of SNCC is thoroughly revealed by the paths followed by its former members. Where are these loud-mouthed Black hippies now? Julius Lester, Ismael Donaldson, Charlie Cobb? Some of them that have not been with the pigs have made spiritual journeys with the pigs.

But we should not be fooled or confused by all the weird changes that many people are going through these days as things get hotter. Many people spent the greater part of their lives calling for a revolution, and now that the violent phase of the revolution is unfolding, they throw up both hands and start going through a lot of liberal intellectual changes. Instead of getting down with it and helping to deal with these voracious pigs, these napes find it more relevant to start spinning hairs and debating the fine points of what's wrong with the movement. In the past, they could not be forced to exercise their brains about anything. But now, when action is called for above all else, they suddenly develop a great interest in the fine points of the movement.

We are witnessing today nothing but the plain and simple cowardly copping-out of all these phony Black and White liberals and arm chair philosophers. There is only one question for these napes to answer, only one hair for them to split, and I think it was well-stated by brother Doug Miranda: Do we lick the master's boots or take the master's lead?

Phil Hutchins' answer to this question seems to be: "We do neither of these things. We debate the issue until the master takes our heads."

BLACK PANTHER PARTY
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (100-161140)(P)

SUBJECT: COUNTER INTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

DATE: DEC 21 1970

ReNYlet to Bureau, 8/19/70.

1. Operations Under Consideration

The NYO is aware that one of the most active black nationalist operations in the NYC area is the distribution and sale of the BPP newspaper "The Black Panther".

The NYO realizes the importance of negating the financial benefits coming to the BPP through the sale of their newspaper. Continued efforts will be made to derive logical and practical plans to thwart this crucial BPP operation.

2. Operations Being Submitted

On 8/24/70, Bureau approval was given to mail anonymous letters described in NYlet to Bu, 8/11/70. These mailings were accomplished during a period of 9/7 through 9/14/70.

On 9/14/70, 25 copies of an article appearing in the 8/14/70 issue of "The New York Times" were mailed to select individuals and organizations in the NYC area as so directed by the Bureau in letter dated 9/9/70.

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On 10/20/70, Bureau approval was given to a suggestion submitted by NY by airtel on 10/7/70. This suggestion was implemented by the Legat, Paris, as per prior Bureau instructions.

On 10/29/70, NY was authorized to implement a San Francisco counter intelligence proposal set forth in SF airtel dated 10/21/70. This proposal was handled on 10/29/70.

On 11/3/70, the Bureau approved a NY proposal set forth in NY airtel to Bureau dated 10/29/70. The anonymous letters described in the aforementioned airtel were mailed from NYC on 11/30/70.

On 11/20/70, the NYO set out 50 reproductions of a column written by VICTOR RIESEL which was included as an enclosure in Bureau airtel to NY, 11/10/70.

3. Tangible Results

Inasmuch as the majority of NY proposals were submitted near the end of the period encompassing this letter it is impractical to attempt to determine the tangible results emanating from the aforementioned proposals.

4. Developements of Counter Intelligence Interests

The obvious failure of the BPP to successfully conduct the Revolutionary Peoples Constitutional Convention in Washington, D. C. on 11/27-28/70 as well as their well publicized dispute with the officials of Howard University at Washington, D. C. over the use of the University facilities for the aforementioned convention are examples of the source of future NYO counter intelligence proposals.

The NYO will immediately inform the Bureau of any situations or developements that occur where counter intelligence techniques may be used.

No action will be taken on any counter intelligence proposals without prior Bureau approval.

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 12/1/70

FROM : SAC, PHOENIX (105-2544) (P*)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

Re Buairtel to Albany, 3/4/68, Phoenix letter to the Bureau, 8/27/70, and Bulet to Albany, 10/30/70.

In connection with the above-captioned program, the following is set forth:

1. Operation Under Consideration

Continued contacts with [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] disclosed that all charges against [REDACTED] had been dropped. However, shortly after these charges had been dismissed, new warrants were issued charging [REDACTED] with three counts of forgery of a stolen credit card. [REDACTED] was released on his own recognizance to his attorney. Pre-trial hearing was held [REDACTED] No trial date has been set.

In addition, investigation by the Phoenix PD disclosed that the stolen credit card owner's name was forged in an effort to purchase gasoline for an automobile in the possession of [REDACTED] but registered to ELIJAH MUHAMMAD.

Phoenix will follow this matter closely in an attempt to develop derogatory publicity and will consider sending ELIJAH MUHAMMAD an anonymous letter regarding this matter. Any action considered by Phoenix will be submitted to the Bureau for approval.

2. Operations Being Effectuated

None.

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3. Tangible Results

None.

4. Developments of Counterintelligence Interest

None.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM : *[Signature]* SAC, COLUMBIA (100-324) (P*)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

DATE: 11/27/70

Re COlet to Director dated 8/28/70.

I. SUMMARY OF CHANGES SINCE REFERENCED LETTER

There have been no changes in the Columbia Division since referenced letter.

The following are known Black Nationalist Groups in South Carolina. All are connected with educational institutions except the NOI and the NCCF:

1. Black Awareness Coordinating Committee (BACC), South Carolina State College (SCSC), Orangeburg, S. C.
2. BACC, Voorhees College, Denmark, S. C. *M 2*
3. Association of Afro-American Students (AAAS), University of South Carolina (USC), Columbia, S. C.
4. Student League for Black Identity (SLBI), Clemson University, Clemson, S. C. (not active).
5. Nation of Islam (NOI).
6. National Committee to Combat Fascism (NCCF), Charleston, S. C.

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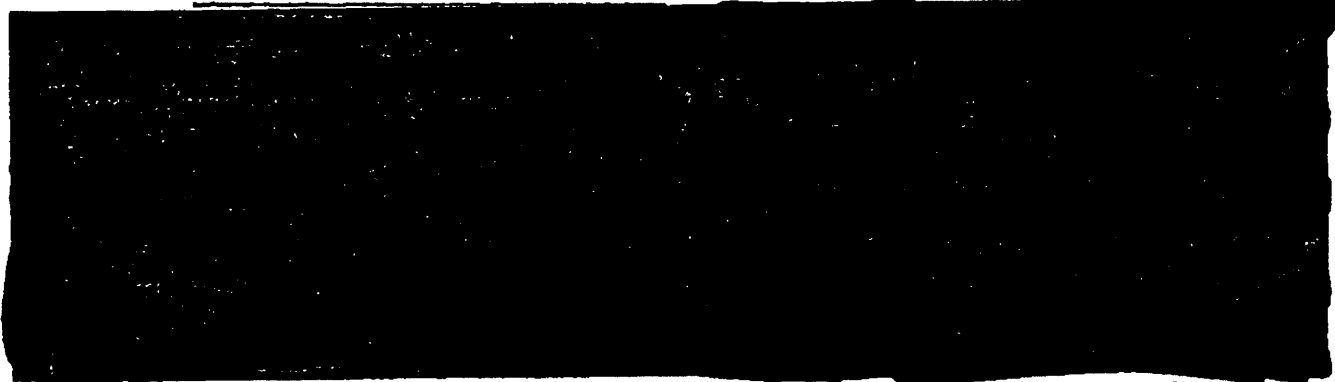
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II. OPERATIONS UNDER CONSIDERATION



It was also set forth in referenced letter that members of the NCCF in Charleston would be checked to determine if any of them were receiving welfare checks; and, if so, authorization would be obtained from the Bureau to attempt to embarrass that group. Investigation determined that no member of the Charleston Group is on welfare.

III. OPERATIONS BEING EFFECTED





Columbia continues to maintain contacts with officials of educational institutions who are established sources and who are in positions of authority concerning student activities.

These officers are extremely valuable contacts and keep the Bureau advised of all activities of militant Black groups on their respective campuses.

The NCCF in Charleston has only five or six members and two of these are informants who furnish excellent information to the Bureau.

IV. TANGIBLE RESULTS

None known.

V. DEVELOPMENTS OF COUNTERINTELLIGENCE INTEREST

None.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 12/1/70

FROM : SAC, OMAHA (157-272) (P)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

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Re quarterly letter submitted in captioned program dated 8/27/70.

- 1. Operations under consideration 0
- 2. Operations being effected 1

Re Bureau airtel dated 11/10/70. Entitled, "COUNTER INTELLIGENCE MEASURES - BLACK PANTHER PARTY."

- 3. Omaha will report any tangible results from mailing of column by VICTOR RIESEL.
- 4. Developments of counterintelligence interests 0

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-443006)

DATE: 11/30/70

FROM : SAC, SPRINGFIELD (157-302) (P)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS,
RACIAL MATTERS

Re Bureau airtel to Albany dated 3/4/68, and
Springfield letter to Bureau dated 3/31/70.

Since the submission of referenced letter, an
additional individual [redacted] has been active in
racial matters in the East St. Louis, Illinois area; and
his activities and those of his organization have been the
objects of vigorous investigation.

Regarding possible counterintelligence operations
under consideration, the activities of [redacted]
Black United Front, Cairo, Illinois, and
Springfield Agitator Index subject, continue to be followed
closely for any possible counterintelligence action that would
be feasible and worthwhile.

Since submission of referenced letter, Springfield
suggested that logical informants contact Black Panther Party
offices expressing confusion whether they should attend
11/26/70 Black United Front activities in Cairo, Illinois,
or the 11/27 - 29/70, Revolutionary Peoples Constitutional
Convention in Washington, D. C.

This matter continues to be followed closely and at
such time as effective counterintelligence operations can be
instituted they will be submitted to the Bureau for approval.

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 11/30/70

FROM : SAC, HOUSTON (157-1210) (P)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
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ReHOlet, 8/31/70.

I. Operations Under Consideration

No specific counterintelligence operation currently being effected against black nationalist elements in the Houston Division.

The main potential problem as regards black nationalist groups in the Houston Division continues to be Peoples Party II (PP II) which was effectively disrupted by the Houston Police Department (MOPD) in July, 1970 and which subsequently has been unable to generate enthusiasm among the black community to reorganize. Several individuals continue to make efforts to organize; however, they have been relatively unsuccessful and the organization continues to exhibit a lack-luster posture and little interest in the black community.

II. Operations Being Effected

Because of the lack of organizational knowhow, the lack of money and the apparent animosity between various PP II members, the disorientation and state of semi-chaos continues to exist and, with the effective utilization of informants, it is anticipated that the PP II will continue to be neutralized in the Houston area.

III. Tangible Results

It is felt that due to the actions of the HOPD, their Intelligence Division and informants of the Houston Division, the PP II will never again become a formidable black nationalist group in the Houston area.

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IV. Development of Counterintelligence Interest

There has been no outstanding development in the Houston Division of a counterintelligence nature and, with the lack of a significant black nationalist extremist group organizing, it is anticipated that the current pressure being put on the black nationalists by the various law enforcement agencies, including the FBI, there will be no significant black extremist activity in the Houston Division. It is noted that [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] has indicated that he wants nothing to do with the Panthers and will not take orders from them. Apparently [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] A power play for leadership of the PP II has lessened in the past, as the organization has no money and few members. Houston anticipates the current situation will continue as far as black extremists are concerned and, barring some significant development which would generate a cohesive black nationalist element, Houston expects that the black extremist situation will continue to be effectively controlled.

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 11/30/70

FROM: SAC, SACRAMENTO (100-894) (P)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
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Re Sacramento letter to Bureau, 8/26/70.

The overall black nationalist movement remains unchanged from referenced letter.

1) OPERATIONS UNDER CONSIDERATION

Black extremist activity in this division remains at a subdued level and as such reduces the possibilities for a meaningful counterintelligence program. Therefore, no additional counterintelligence programs are under consideration at this time except for the operations set forth below.

2) OPERATIONS BEING EFFECTED

Bureau approval has been received to send anonymous letters to the Director of the Economic Opportunity Council in Vallejo, California, and other Vallejo civic leaders regarding Black Panther Party

[REDACTED] This operation is presently being put into effect.

Sacramento is also in the process of mailing copies of VICTOR RIESEL's article regarding the Black Panther Party to officials of appropriate unions, police organizations, and other logical individuals.

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3) TANGIBLE RESULTS

Both programs have not been in effect long enough to sufficiently be able to evaluate and progress and to note tangible results.

4) DEVELOPMENTS OF COUNTERINTELLIGENCE INTEREST

None.

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 12/2/70

FROM : SAC, CHARLOTTE (157-6109) (P)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMIST
RACIAL MATTERS

Re Charlotte letter to Bureau, 8/20/70.

I. OPERATIONS UNDER CONSIDERATION

At the present time Charlotte has under consideration at the Bureau a proposal for a continuation of the "News of Interest to the Black Citizens of Winston-Salem" newsletter, a series which has been extremely successful in the past against the BPP at Winston-Salem, N. C. This letter attacks the BPP attempting to discredit them in the eyes of the community and thereby decreasing their support on the basis of their failure to pay their bills, pregnancy of the female workers, and failure in the organizing for the Revolutionary People's Constitutional Convention (RPCC). In addition, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] On a determination of a correct approach, a proposal will be submitted in order to widen this gap.

II. OPERATIONS BEING EFFECTED

Two newsletters under the guise of the "Committee of Twenty-five" have been submitted. These newsletters, under the guise of a responsible black church-oriented group developed in opposition to the BPP, have attempted to cut off BPP funds and reduce their newspaper sales. In addition, pursuant to Bureau instructions, a letter was prepared and mailed from Winston-Salem, N. C., to [REDACTED] HUEY NEWTON, to assist San Francisco in a counterintelligence operation to plant the seeds of doubt in HUEY NEWTON's mind concerning his status within the BPP.

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III. TANGIBLE RESULTS

In connection with the previously mentioned newsletters which were basically directed to a decrease in the BPP newspaper sales and a decrease in community donations, it is noted that during 8/70 the BPP group was receiving 2,600 copies of the newspaper, however, sales decreased and during 10/70 they were down to receiving 1,500 copies of the newspaper. During 11/70, on three occasions they were unable to purchase their weekly supply. In addition, information was received on [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] indicated the desire to join the "Committee of Twenty-five" and it was suggested to him that he start his own group in opposition to the BPP until such time as he could locate the "Committee of Twenty-five."

[REDACTED] had the opinion that the newsletter would sway people who were on the fence in their thinking concerning the BPP into opposition to the Panthers and considered it a good idea to generate resistance.

IV. DEVELOPMENTS OF COUNTERINTELLIGENCE INTEREST

Noting that BPP members from Winston-Salem traveled throughout the state advertising for people to attend the RPCC reporting that they would pay all expenses for transportation, meals, etc., this ultimately resulted in the Panthers' transportation being a Hertz Rental truck and private automobiles along with poor food and accommodations at the RPCC which was very disorganized. Charlotte will submit additional counter-intelligence proposals in this regard as the opportunity arises.

ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

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1 - WFO (Field Guidance)
1 - [REDACTED]

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To: SAC, WFO
From: Director, FBI

COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

ReBuairtel to Baltimore and selective offices including WFO, dated 9/9/70 bearing the counterintelligence caption.

Referenced Bureau airtel enclosed 25 copies each of an article which originally appeared in 8/14/70 issue of "The New York Times" entitled, "Jews Fear Anti-Zionism of New Left." By letter dated 9/23/70 you advised these articles were mailed anonymously to 25 individuals or groups, identities of which are maintained in your office. Enclosed herewith is an additional copy of this article which you are authorized to anonymously mail to the 7 Locks Jewish Community Center, if not previously done. Insure mailing cannot be traced to the Bureau and under no circumstances is Bureau to be acknowledged as source of enclosure. Advise Bureau of positive results obtained.

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NOTE:

On 11/17/70 three representatives of the BPP spoke before approximately 50 persons under the auspices of 7 Locks Jewish Community Center, Potomac, Maryland. BPP representatives received little or no sympathy and were questioned as to why the BPP supported the Arabs. Enclosed article clearly points out anti-Semitic and anti-Zionist activities of the BPP.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : *nlc* DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 11/30/70

FROM : *W/S* SAC, MOBILE (157-2578) (P)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

Re Mobile letter to Bureau 9/1/70.

1) Operations Under Consideration

The only Black Nationalist Group under investigation in the Mobile Division is the Nation of Islam (NOI), which has an active group in Mobile, Alabama, and which is currently attempting to start a group in Montgomery, Alabama. Investigation to date reflects that the Mobile group is relatively small and has shown no signs of favoring or planning any violent activity.

No counterintelligence activity has been undertaken to date although a program of interviewing NOI members has been instituted.

2) Operations Being Effected

None.

3) Tangible Results

None.

4) Developments of Counterintelligence Interest

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 12/1/70

FROM : SAC, CHICAGO (157-2209) (P)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO-BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

Re Chicago letter dated 9/2/70, captioned
"COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM, BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE
GROUPS, RACIAL INTELLIGENCE" (quarterly progress).

Set forth herewith is the periodic progress letter
concerning captioned matter.

I. Operations Under Consideration

The Bureau has previously advised that it would be
sufficient to note dates on which letters have been submitted
regarding captioned matter for the period covered by the
quarterly letter. /o

Since the date of referenced letter, these letters
have been submitted as follows:

9/25/70, 10/26/70, 11/4/70, 11/19/70.

Chicago continues to analyze the available current
information regarding local Black Panther Party (BPP) activity
in a continuing effort to determine what, if any, such
information may be of assistance in the development of a
counterintelligence effort. The BPP continues to be considered
the focal point for counterintelligence.

II and III Operations Being Effected and Tangible Results Obtained

Reference has previously been made to the specific
counterintelligence actions initiated by Chicago and those

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in which this office participated which were initiated by other offices. No information has been received indicating tangible results of these actions.

Chicago continues to advise local authorities of instances where BPP members appear vulnerable to arrest on local charges.

Information has regularly been disseminated by Chicago to other Bureau offices for local dissemination in instances where Chicago BPP members have traveled elsewhere. Prior knowledge of the presence of BPP members in their areas has been of value in alerting local authorities to the potential for violence that their presence represents.

IV. Development of Counterintelligence Interest

There are no current developments concerning the Illinois Chapter of the BPP which would appear to have reasonable potential for counterintelligence activity.

Regarding the remainder of local Black Nationalist groups and individuals, their activity is fragmented and limited. Chicago continues to follow such activity in the event information is developed which would indicate a counter-intelligence effort would appear to have reasonable potential.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-443006) DATE: 12-1-70

FROM : *Pen* SAC, ST. LOUIS (157-5818) -P-

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

Re St. Louis letter to Bureau, 8-28-70.

The following information is submitted regarding the counterintelligence activities (Black Extremists) by the St. Louis Division since date of referenced communication.

1. OPERATIONS UNDER CONSIDERATION

None.

2. OPERATIONS BEING EFFECTED

Third World Revolutionary Council (see below).

3. TANGIBLE RESULTS

None.

4. DEVELOPMENTS OF COUNTERINTELLIGENCE INTEREST

Third World Revolutionary Council (TWRC) is nearly operational and the Bureau will be advised of results in this cover organization. It is anticipated that initial correspondence from this organization will be sent out in the next ten days.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 12/1/70

FROM : SAC, BIRMINGHAM (100-5492) (P*)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

ReBuairtel to Albany, 3/4/68.

ReBuairtel instructs a 90-day progress letter be submitted using the following captions:

1. Operations Under Consideration

Birmingham does not have at present any counter-intelligence operation under consideration.

2. Operations Being Effected

Birmingham does not have at present any counter-intelligence operation in the process of execution.

3. Tangible Results

None

4. Developments of Counterintelligence Interest

None

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Date:

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Winston-Salem, North Carolina
Black Community News Service
Volume I, Issue 3

NEWS OF INTEREST TO THE BLACK
CITIZENS OF WINSTON-SALEM

The S.V.R.P. is submitting the following bulletin to let the people of Winston-Salem know the truth about the pretenders on 14th Street who claim to be helping the people:

Since they won't pay their telephone bill, the company removed the phone. There is no way to contact them in case of an emergency situation.

Of the five or six girls who stay or work at the BPP Headquarters, only one, the [REDACTED] is not pregnant, but all the rest are 'in a family way.' It appears that [REDACTED] are keeping up with everyone's homework but their own. Keep your wives, girl friends, and daughters away from that place!

We have heard all this talk of the big Revolutionary People's Constitutional Convention which was to be held last weekend in Washington, D. C. Panthers have been all over Winston-Salem and for that matter, North Carolina telling everyone they would pay all expenses for anyone wanting to attend. They are speaking of spending money for buses, trains, food, and rooms, when they are being evicted from their community center on Wilson

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"Street for not paying the rent and can't pay their back phone bill. Their national leaders must have the same delusions since the black officials at Washington, D. C., ask for their money in advance for use of Howard University buildings and shortly the convention was cancelled.

_____ has talked of traveling to Georgia, South Carolina, and Tennessee for the big failure known as the Revolutionary People's Constitutional Convention and attending staff meetings in New York. Maybe a lot of the money meant for the Convention and other things was spent on _____ and other leaders trying to be the 'Big Nigger.'

"A word of caution! Watch out for your women and money when in the presence of a fool who calls himself a 'Panther.'

"S.V.R.P."

It is hoped that the above will point out the failure locally of the BPP and continue to decrease their community support and finances with the blame being placed on the defunct Southern Vanguard Revolutionary Party (S.V.R.P.)

As in the past, if Bureau authority is received, Charlotte will mail the letter to addresses in the area of the BPP Headquarters, Winston-Salem, N. C. The newsletter will be reproduced on unwatermarked paper and mailed in plain envelopes with stamps affixed.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 11/30/70

FROM : *gwb* SAC, NEWARK (100-49654)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

Re Newark letter to Bureau 8/31/70.

I. OPERATIONS UNDER CONSIDERATION

Newark has no operations under consideration at this time.

II. OPERATIONS BEING EFFECTED

Since referenced letter the Bureau has furnished copies of two articles for anonymous mailing, and New Haven has furnished one Bureau-approved item for reproduction and anonymous mailing.

The mailing on the first article furnished by the Bureau pertaining to anti-Zionism by the New Left and BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP) has been completed. Mailing of the second article furnished by the Bureau, a column written by VICTOR RIESEL, and the New Haven item pertaining to the 10 Point Program has commenced.

In addition, since referenced letter, Newark has made seven suggestions, three of which have been approved by the Bureau. Mailings on two of the three have been completed.

III. TANGIBLE RESULTS

Tangible results cannot be directly attributed to any specific counterintelligence operations effected based on information presently available.

IV. DEVELOPMENTS OF COUNTERINTELLIGENCE INTEREST

There have been no recent developments; however, Newark will remain alert for counterintelligence opportunities.

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1 - Newark

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)
ATTENTION: SA GEORGE MOORE

FROM : SAC, SEATTLE (100-29488) (P)

SUBJECT: RACIAL MATTERS
COUNTER INTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE (VISUAL AIDS)

DATE: November 24, 1970

Reference Seattle letter to Bureau dated 9/21/70.

Enclosed herewith are two (2) copies of 8 by 10 photographs of [redacted] Black Panther Party, State of Washington, showing his enthusiasm for selling copies of "The Black Panther" newspaper on a local street corner in Seattle, Washington. The photographs were taken by use of a [redacted]. This technique is used almost weekly with great success by the Seattle Division to aid in identifying individuals selling "The Black Panther" newspaper.

On September 23, 1970, [redacted] made available various photographs, slides and other visual aids of miscellaneous bombings in the Seattle area. The material was made available for use during a current series of state-wide FBI conferences on the matter of bombings and arsons.

When the conferences are over, the material will be reviewed for possible submission to the Bureau under captioned program.

The Seattle Division remains alert for events or items rendering opportunities to obtain visual aid examples of militancy and will submit such items as received.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 11/30/70

FROM : SAC, PITTSBURGH (100-15780) (P)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RM

ReBuairtel to Albany dated 3/4/68, and Pittsburgh letter to the Bureau dated 9/8/70.

I. OPERATIONS UNDER CONSIDERATION:



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II. OPERATIONS BEING EFFECTED:

This office has recently completed the mailing of an article which appeared in the 8/14/70, issue of "The New York Times," which article highlighted the fears of Jews concerning anti-Zionism of the New Left and Black Panther Party (BPP) which article was furnished by Buairtel dated 9/9/70.

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This office is presently effecting the anonymous mailing of a column written by VICTOR RIESEL, regarding the BPP, which was furnished by Buairtel dated 11/10/70.

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This office has furnished to [REDACTED] cooperative and reliable source, at the [REDACTED] information concerning the conviction of [REDACTED] [REDACTED] has indicated that, if appropriate, he will consider preparing an article to expose [REDACTED] conviction in view of his recent appointment as Executive Director of a Drug Rehabilitation Program.

III. TANGIBLE RESULTS:

There have been no tangible results from the Counter Intelligence Program during the current period.

IV. DEVELOPMENTS OF COUNTER INTELLIGENCE INTERESTS.

The National Committee to Combat Fascism (NCCF) Office, which had been established by the BPP in Pittsburgh, was vacated in 9/70. At the end of 10/70, a BPP representative from Philadelphia, Pa., returned to the office for a short period of time and obtained a few items from the office and then closed it permanently. The NCCF Office is now inoperative in Pittsburgh, and there is no indication that it will be reopened in the near future, or that the BPP will attempt to reactivate itself in the Pittsburgh area.

FBI

Date: 11/24/70

Transmit the following in _____
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Via AIRTEL AIRMAIL
(Priority)

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006).

FROM : SAC, MILWAUKEE (157-459)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE MEASURES
BLACK PANTHER PARTY
RACIAL MATTERS

Re Chicago airtel to Bureau, 11/16/70, captioned, "BLACK PANTHER PARTY; RM - BPP," and WFO airtel to Bureau, 11/17/70, captioned, "BLACK PANTHER PARTY, WASHINGTON, D.C., CHAPTER; RM - BPP."

Referenced communications concerned information obtained from sensitive and highly confidential sources



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- 2 - Bureau (100-448006) (AM-RM)
- 1 - Chicago (RM) (Info)
- 1 - WFO (AM-RM) (Info)
- 2 - Milwaukee (1-157-459)
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Milwaukee Division, was discreetly contacted regarding the possible appearance of the BPP speaker [redacted] Subsequently [redacted] advised that the BPP speaker had been cancelled.

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Date: 11/18/70

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Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL (REGISTERED)
(Priority)

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)
REAL
FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (157-601)
SUBJECT: COINTELPRO
BLACK EXTREMIST
RM

Re Newark airtel 11/13/70.

San Francisco is not the office of origin for matters entitled _____ or CONGRESS OF AFRICAN PEOPLE and therefore is not in a position to evaluate Newark's submission.

2 - Bureau (RM)
1 - Newark (100-49654) (RM)
1 - San Francisco
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Date: 11/25/70

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Via _____
(Priority)

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006 Sub-~~13~~)
FROM : SAC, DENVER (157-199)(P*)
SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

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Countdown to the Black Power Conference

Re Denver letter to the Bureau, dated 8/31/70.

- (1) Operations under consideration - None;
- (2) Operations being affected - One.

On 11/18/70, Denver anonymously mailed a column written by VICTOR RIESEL to various unions and police organizations as instructed in Bureau airtel 11/10/70.

- (3) Tangible results - None to date;
- (4) Development of counterintelligence - None.

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Since the last quarterly letter, the authorized chapter of the National Committee to Combat Fascism (NCCF) has been inactive and _____

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Denver sources advise that a renegade group not authorized by BPP headquarters has a minor breakfast program going under the name of NCCF, but due to the lack of the support of the community this renegade group will probably be disbanded in the near future.

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Because of the problems being encountered by the BPP in Denver, no counterintelligence proposal was made during this last quarter as it appears that both NCCF groups are disintegrating because of lack of support of the community.

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2 - Bureau (RM)
1 - Denver
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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)
FROM : SAC, ALEXANDRIA (157-38) (P*)
SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE MEASURES
BLACK PANTHER PARTY
RACIAL MATTERS

DATE: November 30, 1970

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Re Bureau airtel to Albany dated 3/4/68,
Alexandria letter to the Bureau dated 8/13/70, and
Bureau airtel to Alexandria 11/10/70.

During the past three months period, the Alexandria
Division had one spontaneous racial outbreak in the rural
Gum Springs area of Fairfax County that led to a week of
racial disorders by local Negro youths. The situation in
Gum Springs has presently returned to normal. BPP sympathizers
attempting to organize and gain support in the Alexandria
Division have been unsuccessful to date.

Alexandria has determined that BPP newspapers
for the NCCF Chapter in Washington, D.C., are delivered to
the area via TWA and United Air Lines. Copies of the
editorial entitled, "Panthers Urge More Cop Killings"
by VICTOR RIESEL were anonymously mailed in unmarked
"store bought" envelopes on November 25, 1970, from
Arlington, Virginia, to:

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- Chief of Police
- Dulles International Airport;
- Chief of Police
- Washington National Airport;
- TWA Air Freight Office, REC-84
- Dulles International Airport;
- United Air Freight Office, EX-113
- Dulles International Airport;
- United Air Freight Office,
- Washington National Airport.

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The local Teamsters Office is located in Washington, D.C., and will be covered by WFO.

No other counterintelligence programs are in effect due to lack of black nationalist activity in the Alexandria Division.

Alexandria will remain alert for black nationalist activity and will institute appropriate counterintelligence measures as needed.

FBI

Date: 11/24/70

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Via AIRTEL _____

AIR MAIL (REGISTERED)

(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (157-601)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMIST
RM

The Bureau has been advised that HUEY P. NEWTON, Minister of Defense of BPP, has recently rented a luxurious lakeshore apartment in Oakland, California.

San Francisco is aware of the potential counter-intelligence value of this move when the apartment can be compared to the ghetto-like BPP "pads" and community centers utilized by the Party. However because of the value of pending special investigative techniques no suggestions are presently being considered toward leaking this information to cooperative news sources.

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Approved: _____

Special Agent in Charge

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 11/27/70

FROM : SAC, CINCINNATI (100-16921) (P*)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

ReBuairtels 3/4/68 and 9/9/70, and mylet 9/1/70.

1. None.

2. Referenced Buairtel 9/9/70, enclosed reprints of an article which originally appeared in the 8/14/70, issue of "The New York Times." Instant reprints have been anonymously mailed to selected individuals at Cincinnati, Dayton, and Columbus, Ohio, and the results are still being awaited.

3. Results of item two above have not yet been determined.

4. None.

There have been no changes in the overall Black Nationalist Movement in this Division which have not been previously furnished to the Bureau.

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Memorandum

TO : *RF/12/2* DIRECTOR, FBI DATE: 11/25/70

FROM : SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (157-601) (P)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK PANTHER PARTY - RM

Re Los Angeles airtel to Bureau dated 5/27/70.

[REDACTED]

Efforts to isolate [REDACTED] by the San Francisco Division to determine her potential as a source have met with negative results.

The above travel information was provided by [REDACTED] apparently indicating subject was traveling alone.

This information is being provided Los Angeles for information.

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- 2 - Bureau (RM)
- 1 - Los Angeles (157-4054) (INFO) (RM)
- 3 - San Francisco (2-157-601)

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Fairtel

To: SACs, Detroit (157-3214)
San Francisco (157-601)

From: Director, FBI (100-448006) - 2077

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BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

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ReSFairtel 11/23/70.

Detroit was advised by Buairtel 11/24/70 that suggested letter directed to Huey Newton from Bern, Switzerland, should not be sent at this time. In view of submission of similar letter recently sent from overseas to individuals at the national EPP headquarters, the Bureau felt that submission of an additional letter would only weaken the effect of the previous letter.

In view of the above, no action being taken on San Francisco suggestion in referenced airtel.

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Date: 11/23/70

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Via A I R T E L A I R M A I L (REGISTERED)
(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)
FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (157-601)
SUBJECT: COINTELPRO -
BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

Re Detroit airtel 11/16/70, setting forth a suggested letter that might be directed to HUEY NEWTON from Bern, Switzerland.

San Francisco is of the opinion that the Detroit letter is well conceived and excellently phrased. San Francisco would offer the following suggestions:

It is the opinion of the office of origin that [redacted] has never been in a position to have come in possession of \$100,000 and the letter might possibly be better received if an amount of \$13,000 was mentioned. The attention of Detroit and the Bureau are also directed to the fourth line of paragraph 6 on page 2 "the pigs are vamping on the Panthers". That phrase does not appear to be congruent with the remainder of a letter obviously written by a cultured individual and it is suggested that this vernacular be removed for the same reason San Francisco would suggest that the closing of the letter be reduced to simply "all power to the people".

- 2 - Bureau (RM)
 - 1 - Detroit (157-3214) (RM)
 - 1 - San Francisco
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM : *Cah* SAC, NEW HAVEN (157-785) (P)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE MEASURES
BLACK PANTHER PARTY
RM

DATE: 11/23/70

Re: Bureau airtel to Alexandria, 11/10/70.

The material which was received from the Bureau has been mailed to the following list of individuals and organizations in and around the New Haven area where it is felt that the impact of the leaflet would do the most good.

The Bureau will be advised of any positive results obtained as a result of the mailing list.

Brotherhood of Railway Clerks
1098 Chapel Street

Communication Workers of America
AFL-CIO, District 1
200 College Street

Connecticut Council of Police Union
No. 15
185 Church Street

Conn. Union of Telephone Workers, Inc.
3055 Dixwell Avenue
Hamden, Conn.

Truck Drivers and Chauffeur's Union
Local 443
200 Wallace Street

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2- New Haven
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URCL & PWA Local 93 CIO
614 Campbell Avenue
West Haven

Police Departments -

Bridgeport
Cheshire
East Hartford
East Haven
Hamden
Hartford
Madison
New Haven
New London
North Haven
Orange
Waterbury
West Hartford
West Haven
Woodbridge

American Airlines
500 State Street
Bridgeport

Eastern Airlines
152 Temple Street

Flying Tiger Air Freight
Bradley International Airport
Windsor Locks

Mohawk Airlines
Tweed Airport
New Haven

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Northeast Airlines
Bradley Field

Clipper Cargo Information
Bradley Field

Pilgrim Airlines
Bradley Field

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ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

Airtel

1 - [redacted]
1 - [redacted]

To: SAC, Detroit (157-3214)

From: Director, FBI (100-448006) - 2173 -

COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

Reurairtel 11/16/70 transmitting copy of proposed anonymous letter to be sent to Huey P. Newton of the Black Panther Party (BPP).

Although it is realized that careful thought and research has been undertaken on your part in connection with this matter, the Bureau feels that the timing is not right for the submission of this letter. In this connection, an anonymous letter was recently sent from overseas to individuals at the national BPP headquarters and it is felt that the submission of an additional letter would only weaken the effect of the previous letter.

You should continue to give thought to counter-intelligence measures against the BPP, both locally and on a national level, and submit such recommendations for Bureau approval.

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NOTE:

COINTELPRO is recently approved designation for counterintelligence program. Letter submitted by Detroit although containing merit does not appear to be timely as similar letter recently from Paris, France.

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- Casper _____
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FBI

Date: 11/16/70

Transmit the following in _____
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Via AIRTEL _____
(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, DETROIT (157-3214) (P)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK ^{NATIONALIST} EXTREMISTS ^{HATE GROUPS}
RACIAL MATTERS

Re Detroit airtel, 9/30/70, discussing anonymous letter accusing [redacted] of theft; Bureau airtel to Detroit, 10/8/70; and San Francisco airtel to Bureau, 10/13/70.

Enclosed for the Bureau and for San Francisco are two copies of a letter concerning allegations by anonymous source that [redacted] Black Panther Party (BPP) Chief of Staff, has a secret numbered bank account in Switzerland. It is to be noted that enclosed letter varies from original Detroit suggestion of 9/30/70. Changes brought about because of suggestions contained in San Francisco airtel 10/13/70, which highlighted possible credibility problems contained in original idea.

Further, it is deemed advisable to use the main Ministry of Information address as contained in the BPP newspaper.

Should the enclosed letter be accepted, it will be typed on plain unmarked typing paper using a small portable typewriter. It will be in a double envelope, the inner envelope to be marked "Personal, to be opened by Huey P. Newton or his personal secretary only." Letter and envelope will be free from any Bureau fingerprints and all due security precautions will be taken. Letter will be mailed by Legat, Bern, Switzerland.

- 2 - Bureau (Enc.-2) (RM)
- 2 - San Francisco (Enc.-2) (157-601) (RM)
- 2 - Detroit

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Approved: _____
Special Agent in Charge

Sent _____ M Per _____

Bern, Switzerland

Mr. Huey P. Newton
Minister of Defense,
Black Panther Party,
Box 2967
Custom House,
San Francisco, California 94126

Dear Mr. Newton:

Please allow me to introduce myself, I am the "Nigger" or the "Uncle Tom" which I read about so frequently in your publication, "The Black Panther."

I regret to admit that I am part of the "establishment". The "establishment" which you hate so much.

Even though I am not one of the Blacks openly working for the revolution, a revolution with all its "up against the wall" elements, I do support you and the revolutionary movement. Even more than the continued repression of the Black people by the white fascists, I am vehemently against the exploitation of Blacks by other Blacks, particularly by those who preach reform, dedication, and revolution.

In this regard, I have come on to some information which I want to call to your attention. Much of what I am going to say will be vague. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] This is to prevent you from tracing the source of this information, and possibly exposing me. I do not want exposure for even though I hate the white man and his repression of my people, I need him, at least temporarily, for his money and his influence. Further too, it is also quite possible that the situation I am going to relate is being accomplished with your knowledge and approval.

Let me just say that during the past year I have been working at a high echelon level for a federal governmental agency which has been involved in negotiations with a large Swiss banking establishment and their secret numbered accounts. Thrust of these negotiations is to expose for income tax evasion top hoods and gangsters in the United States; to get the mafia.

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There have been many articles in the "New York Times" concerning this, particularly concerning the efforts of former U.S. Attorney Morgenthau in this area before he was replaced by Nixon.

What the public does not know is that the U.S. Government has been successful with some individual banks in Switzerland in these efforts to get the names of U.S. citizens with secret banking deposits in that country.

In this regard, some time less than one year ago during the course of these dealings, certain numbered accounts were secretly revealed to representatives of the U.S. Government. Because of my position these names came across my desk. Included among the names was [REDACTED] your trusted aide.

Although I am not an activist on the political scene, I do know what is happening and I fully know that [REDACTED]

In any event, less than six months ago I went to Switzerland in my official capacity and as such was in direct negotiation concerning the continued flow of this account information. While in Switzerland, I verified the fact that [REDACTED] does have a secret numbered account with funds of just under \$100,000. [REDACTED]

As I have mentioned previously in this letter, it is quite possible that this storing of funds is being done with your approval. Certainly in light of the current repression, the pigs are vamping on the Panthers, it would be wise to have certain funds beyond their reach. It is also possible that these funds are in fact being transferred to Eldridge Cleaver in Algeria in order to fund the international revolution of repressed people.

Frankly negotiations are not going well concerning the further obtaining of these numbered bank accounts, despite massive political pressures of the U.S. Government. Because of this, I could not determine the number of deposits or the method of deposit.



It should be fairly easy for you to check the truth of this information and a careful accounting of your Party's finances.

I would suggest, however, that you attempt to straighten the matter out if there is an irregularity within the Black Panther Party. I have reason to believe that the U.S. Government, should it be able to independently identify the method of depositing these funds, without compromising the fact that certain Swiss banks are giving out the information, would like to use the information to discredit the Black Panther Party and the revolution.

Regretably, I must remain anonymous, should I be exposed, I would be liable to criminal action from the pigs and my career would be ruined.

I hope that in some small way I have aided the revolution.

All Power to the People
Death to all Pigs and Traitors

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FBI

Date: 11/18/70

Transmit the following in _____
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Via W AIRTEL _____
(Priority)

- Mr. Mohr _____
- Mr. Bishop _____
- Mr. Brennan
- Mr. Callahan
- Mr. Casper _____
- Mr. Conrad _____
- Mr. DeLoach _____
- Mr. Evans _____
- Mr. Gale _____
- Mr. Rosen _____
- Mr. Sullivan _____
- Mr. Tavel _____
- Mr. Walters _____
- Mr. Soyars _____
- Tele. Room _____
- Miss Holmes _____
- Miss Gandy _____

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, WFO (157-1292) (P*)

COINTELPRO
BLACK EXTREMISTS

ReBuairtel, 11/10/70.

Column written by Victor Riesel regarding Black Panther Party mailed anonymously 11/18/70, to 46 selected unions and police organizations.

Copy of those sent article being maintained in WFO file.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 11/20/70

FROM : SAC, MIAMI (157-2414) (P)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM-
BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

Re Miami progress letter dated 8/24/70.

The Black Afro Militant Movement (BAMM) remains inactive in the Miami area and there have been no new militant groups organized other than Cry of Black Youth (COBY), which is active in the Belle Glade, Florida, area. No new militant black leaders have come to the attention of the Miami Office since submission of relet.

I. OPERATIONS UNDER CONSIDERATION

The Miami Office is currently considering an operation under this program to discredit [redacted] among Black Activists. [redacted] Black Militant leader within the Miami Division.

[redacted] lessened his Black Militant activities considerably. [redacted]

[redacted]. His acceptance of "the establishment" has again brought about rumors among the Black Militants that he is possibly a "Government Agent."

Miami Division is considering various methods to take advantage of this situation prior to the time [redacted] can reestablish himself with Black Militant groups.

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II. OPERATIONS BEING EFFECTED

Miami does not have any operations under way at the present time other than the continuance of its aggressive interview program.

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III. TANGIBLE RESULTS

The Bureau approved program whereby the Miami Division assisted a local television station in preparation of two stories regarding the activities of COBY, according to officials of the television station, resulted in their receipt of numerous favorable comments concerning the program.

IV. DEVELOPMENTS OF COUNTERINTFLIGENCE INTEREST

None.

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Bureau authority has been requested (Miami Airtel to Bureau 11/5/70, captioned "CONGRESS OF AFRICAN PEOPLES (CAP), MIAMI DIVISION; RM" MM file 157-3679) to initiate contact between Miami's informants and black militants in the Caribbean area who are known to be interested in CAP.

ENCLOSURE IN ENVELOPE

11/24/70

Airtel

1 - [REDACTED]
1 - [REDACTED]

To: SAC, Baltimore (157-2520)

REC-76

From: Director, FBI (100-448006) - 2012

COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

ReBAairtel 11/18/70.

Bureau authority granted to contact established state sources relative to the Black Panther Party planning to secure state owned college buses for transportation to the Revolutionary People's Constitutional Convention.

The Bureau should be advised of tangible results.

JOI:rrd
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NOTE:

Baltimore requested Bureau permission to inform appropriate state authorities of Black Panther Party plans to utilize state-owned college buses for transportation to Revolutionary People's Constitutional Convention in Washington, D. C., 11/27-28/70. Baltimore subsequently advised [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] could be taken by state authorities. Bureau would not be divulged as source.

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Date: 11/18/70

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Via AIRTEL _____
(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
FROM: SAC, BALTIMORE (157-2520) -P-
SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST HATE GROUPS
RM - BPP

Re Baltimore airtel and LHM to Bureau dated 11/13/70 captioned "Revolutionary People's Constitutional Convention - Organized by Black Panther Party (BPP); RM".

Information in referenced communication reflects that transportation to above Convention on 11/27, 28, 29, 1970, is being secured through State owned buses via various colleges in the Baltimore area.

Bureau permission is requested to contact State authorities relative to the BPP obtaining these buses under the guise of bonafide student use.

Should permission be granted for above contact, it will be discreetly handled.

- 2 - Bureau (REGISTERED MAIL)
- 4 - Baltimore
 - (1 - 157-4906)
 - (2 - 157-2520)
 - (1 - 157-3241)

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11/24/70 JOI:rrd

Until to Baltimore

*Supv. Mc Dougall
Baltimore
Advise by phone 11/23/70
BA desires to contact*

*would be advised if suspect
by would not be revealed as
Source REC-76 101-448016-2012*

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

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ROUTE ENVELOPE

11/24/70

Airtel

To: Newark (100-49654)

From: Director, FBI (100-448006) — 2011

REC 74

COINTELPRO
BLACK EXTREMIST
RM

Reurairtel 11/6/70, San Francisco airtel 11/17/70
and Bureau airtel 11/19/70.

In view of San Francisco's observations regarding
proposed counterintelligence, your proposal is denied.

Your interest in forwarding this suggestion is
appreciated.

CEG:pjc
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NOTE:

Newark suggested sending telegrams allegedly
from Black Panther Party (BPP) headquarters to BPP
offices that some food collected for the BPP's Revolutionary
People's Constitutional Convention had been poisoned and
should be destroyed. San Francisco has recommended against
proposal because of danger of compromise to Bureau in
sending multiple telegrams from BPP ministry of information.
The food coordinator of the RPCC would be immediately aware
that the wires were a hoax.

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Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL (REGISTERED)
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (157-601)

COINTELPRO
BLACK EXTREMIST
RM NATIONALIST

Re Newark airtel 11/6/70.

San Francisco recommends Newark suggestion this matter not be approved.

In addition to obvious danger of compromise to Bureau through attempting to send multiple telegrams under name [redacted] (RPCC), would be immediately aware the wires were a hoax.

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- 2 - Bureau (RM)
 - 1 - Newark (100-49654) (RM)
 - 1 - San Francisco
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ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

1 - [redacted]
1 - [redacted]

11/24/70

Airtel

To: Newark (100-49654)

From: Director, FBI (100-448006) - 2090

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BLACK EXTREMIST
RM

EX-103

Reurairtel 11/18/70.

Authority granted to mail proposed letter to [redacted] in such a manner that the Bureau cannot be connected to the letter.

Advise Bureau of any tangible results.

CEG:pjc
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NOTE:

On 11/11/70 the Student Senate at Rutgers University, Newark, New Jersey, campus approved grant of \$800 to defray costs of a group of students to attend the Black Panther Party's Revolutionary People's Constitutional Convention in Washington, D. C. Newark proposes sending an anonymous letter to [redacted] New Jersey, apprising him of the situation and pointing out that this state university is indirectly subsidizing the killing of policemen by making this grant.

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Date: 11/18/70

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Via AIRTEL _____
(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, NEWARK (100-49654) (P)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO
BLACK EXTREMIST
RM

According to the 11/13/70 issue of the "Rutgers Observer", a student paper, page 2, col. 2, the Student Senate at Rutgers, Newark, approved the granting of \$800 to defray costs of a group of students to attend the Revolutionary Peoples' Constitutional Convention, to be held in Washington, 11/27-29/70, a BPP organized affair.

Newark proposes sending the following note to [redacted] apprising him of this situation. Rutgers, Newark, is located in Essex County and [redacted] has been a critic of articles appearing in the past in Rutgers publications:

"Dear Sir:

"I would like to let you know that Rutgers Newark, the State University is now obliquely subsidizing the killing of policemen. How? Because on November 11, 1970 (Memorial Day) the Student Senate at

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2- Bureau (RM)
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Approved: PW/g
Special Agent in Charge

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"RN voted to give \$800.00 (coerced would be a better word) to a group of black students to go to Washington, D.C. to attend the Revolutionary People's Convention to be held in Washington, D.C. 11/27 * 29/70.

"If you want to know about this "convention" just get the copy of the Black Panther paper dated 11/14/70; the one with the guns on the front page & the words "Death to the Facist Pigs" & "Shoot to Kill", & read about it. I'm too well known to RN & no name is used. I value my health."

The letter will be written by an agent in longhand on "5&10" store paper and all precautions will be taken to protect the Bureau as the source.

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ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

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To: SACs, Chicago
Denver
Kansas City
Springfield (157-802)
St. Louis
WFO | REC-34

From: Director, FBI (100-448006) - 2017

COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RM

ReSIairtel 11/18/70.

Due to a lack of sufficient time to properly formulate recommendation mentioned in reairtel, Bureau authority is denied to have logical informants contact Black Panther Party offices expressing confusion whether they should attend 11/26/70 Black United Front activities in Cario, Illinois, or the 11/27-29/70 Revolutionary Peoples Constitutional Convention in Washington, D. C.

LGB:sef (14)

NOTE:

COINTELPRO is recently approved designation for counterintelligence program. Reairtel requested Bureau authority to have logical informants in Chicago, Denver, Kansas City, Springfield, St. Louis and WFO contact local BPP offices to express personal confusion as to which activities mentioned herein they should attend. In view of a lack of time to properly coordinate this matter and instruct logical informants, it is felt above instructions are necessary.

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- DeLoach _____
- Mohr _____
- Bishop _____
- W.C. Sullivan _____
- Casper _____
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Date: 11/18/70

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Via AIRTEL AIRMAIL
(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)
FROM: SAC, SPRINGFIELD (157-802) -P-
SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RM

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Re WFO airtel and LHM dated 11/4/70 captioned
"BLACK SOLIDARITY DAY, 11/2/70, WASHINGTON, D. C.; RM".

Referenced LHM furnished information that on
11/2/70 a Black Solidarity Day rally was held at Rawlins
Park, Washington, D. C., sponsored by the Black United
Front (BUF), Washington, D. C. At this rally the Reverend
DOUGLAS E. MOORE, Chairman of the BUF, requested that the
black community of Washington, D. C., support the BUF in
Cairo, Illinois, and contribute clothing, money and food.
MOORE announced that on Thanksgiving Day groups from such
places as Denver, Wichita, Kansas City, Washington, D. C.,
and Chicago will be arriving in Cairo with supplies that
have been raised.

[Redacted] another speaker, noted
that he would be leaving for Cairo and arriving Thanksgiving
Day and he urged all to join him on the "pilgrimage" to
Cairo.

- (2) - Bureau (100-448006) (RM)
- 2 - Chicago (RM)
- 2 - Denver (RM)
- 2 - Kansas City (RM)
- 2 - St. Louis (RM)
- 2 - Washington Field Office (RM)
- 4 - Springfield (2 - 157-802)
- (1 - 157-1053) (BPP)
- (1 - 157-2108) (RPCC)

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*sent to CO, DN, IN, St. L, WFO
11/24/70 LBC:ajf
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Special Agent in Charge

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It is to be noted that the Revolutionary Peoples Constitutional Convention (RPCC) organized by the Black Panther Party (BPP) is scheduled to be held in Washington, D. C., from 11/27-29/70. It is felt that individuals desirous of attending both the convention and traveling to Cairo would have some difficulty due to the fact that Thanksgiving Day is the day prior to the convention in Washington, D. C.

It is believed by Springfield that telephone calls could be made by appropriate informants of recipient offices to local headquarters of the BPP showing confusion on their part over whether to travel to Cairo in support of [REDACTED] or to travel to Washington, D. C., to attend the RPCC using a lack of funds for not attending both.

[REDACTED] Cairo, is not held in high respect by many individuals active in the black extremist movement and has in the past been referred to by a Chicago BPP leader as a "pork chop". It is believed that these telephone calls could plant further seeds of suspicion in the minds of BPP leaders concerning [REDACTED] loyalty to the black movement in general.

Based upon the above information, Bureau authority is requested to have recipient offices instruct logical informants to contact local offices of the BPP with the hope of discrediting [REDACTED] and creating some dissention between the BPP and the BPP.

FBI

Date: 11/4/70

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Via W **AIRTEL AIR MAIL (REGISTERED)**
(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: *RE JAV* SAC SAN FRANCISCO (157-601)

COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE-GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

Re Sacramento airtel 10/29/70, suggesting a mailing concerning [redacted] and New York airtel 10/29/70, suggesting mailings concerning HUEY NEWTON. *approved by [redacted] copy sent*

San Francisco is of the opinion that both suggestions have merit and knows of no reason why they should not be approved.

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- ② - Bureau (RM)
 - 1 - New York (100-161140) (RM)
 - 1 - Sacramento (100-894) (RM)
 - 1 - San Francisco
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For [redacted]
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Approved: *[Signature]* 61 NOV 13 1970
Special Agent in Charge

Sent _____ M Per _____

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Memorandum

DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 11/19/70

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SAC, CHICAGO (157-2209) (P)

NO
SUBJECT: COINTELPRO-BLACK EXTREMISTS
RM

Re New York airtel dated 10/29/70; Bureau airtel dated 11/3/70.

Chicago has prepared and mailed the anonymous letter proposed in referenced New York airtel. Precautions were taken to insure that this material could not be traced to the Bureau.

The Bureau and interested offices will be advised of any positive results ascertained as a result of this action.

- 2 - Bureau (RM)
- 1 - New York (100-161140) (Info) (RM)
- 1 - San Francisco (157-601) (Info) (RM)
- 1 - Chicago

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 11/13/70

FROM : SAC, SEATTLE (157-721) (P)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

Re Seattle letter to Bureau, 10/15/70.

I. OPERATIONS UNDER CONSIDERATION

None.

II. OPERATIONS BEING EFFECTED

None.

III. TANGIBLE RESULTS

No present results received as a result of a mailing conducted by this office as mentioned in above referenced letter.

IV. DEVELOPMENTS OF COUNTERINTELLIGENCE INTEREST

None.

The next monthly letter will be submitted by December 15, 1970.

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2 - Seattle
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SAC, WFO (157-1292)

December 2, 1970

Director, FBI (100-448006) - 2065 1 [REDACTED]

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COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

ReWFOlet 11/18/70.

Bureau authority is not granted to furnish information to [REDACTED] concerning the Center for Black Education and the Drum and Spear Bookstore as requested in referenced letter.

Action as outlined in referenced letter could result in severe criticism and embarrassment to the Bureau.

WCP:ekw
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NOTE: Relet recommended that information of a derogatory nature concerning the officials of black extremist organizations, Center for Black Education and Drum and Spear Bookstore, be furnished [REDACTED]

According to Washington Field, such information would allow [REDACTED] these extremist groups. Release of information in such a fashion could result in severe criticism and embarrassment to this Bureau.

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- Callahan _____
- Casper _____
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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 11/18/70

FROM : SAC, WFO (157-1292) (P*)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO
BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

ReWFOlet, 10/30/70.

The 63rd Episcopal General Convention held at Houston, Texas, was recently concluded. At the Convention, the controversial program of funding black organizations, which was undertaken by the Episcopal Church three years ago, came under heavy attack by conservative members attending the Convention and resulted in the adoption of several amendments which, if properly exploited, could result in the cut-off of funds to black extremist organizations.

One amendment of particular interest which was passed by the House of Bishops and the House of Deputies gives the Bishop of the Diocese in which a black organization is centered, the power to refuse to allow the National Church to fund a group of which the Bishop disapproves.

In the Washington area, the Center for Black Education (CBE) received \$60,000 and the Drum and Spear Bookstore \$50,000 from the Episcopal Church last year. Both of these organizations would be hard put to operate without these funds and the CBE would be forced to close if their funds were cut off.

Of paramount importance in combating the effectiveness of such groups in the black community is the need to shut off funds and thus dry up the vicious propaganda and white hate programs they are now promulgating.

W.C.P. [unclear]

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With this in mind, WFO suggests that the [REDACTED] be exploited by furnishing [REDACTED] on a confidential basis, information concerning the Drum and Spear Bookstore and the CBE.

In this regard, it is proposed that [REDACTED] be advised of criminal records concerning [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] of the CBE as well as the general immorality of [REDACTED] of the CBE in that he is known at the present time to be having illicite relationships with four females at the CBE. [REDACTED] would also be advised of the use of CBE funds to house girl friends of [REDACTED]

Statements of [REDACTED] in which he has advocated buying guns and killing white people and which were made at public gatherings and can be well documented would also be furnished to [REDACTED] as well as information concerning the teaching of violence to certain select classes at the CBE as reported by informants.

All instances in which misuse of funds is apparent will be given to [REDACTED] especially those instances in which weapons were purchased by [REDACTED]

It would also be pointed out that the Episcopal Church gave the Drum and Spear Press \$50,000 on the understanding it was a community organized and controlled publishing house established to assist with community projects in which the Drum and Spear is engaged and that it proposed to make black material such as short papers available at no cost to individuals, community organizations and other groups, and to publish selected titles, including a paperback edition of The House of Bondage, a photographic essay by ERNEST COLE, a black South African in exile.

WFO 157-1292

not only as a [REDACTED]

The [REDACTED] will, thereafter, be in possession of facts concerning the above mentioned groups upon which he can make sound decisions concerning funding [REDACTED]

ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

11/19/70

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To: SAC, Newark (100-49354)
EX-115 REC-61
From: Director, FBI (100-448008) - 2664

COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMIST
RACIAL MATTERS

Re: airtel 11/13/70.

Your counterintelligence proposal regarding
LeRoi Jones and the Black Panther Party, is approved. Insure
that the letter sent cannot be traced to the Bureau.

Advise the Bureau of all positive results from
this proposal.

1 - San Francisco

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of Newark for his own purposes. Copies of the letter will also
be sent to the Newark newspapers and a letter to the chairman
of the Congress of African People in which

This proposal will cause disruption not
only within [redacted] group but also in the Black Panther Party.
Since [redacted] has an appreciable following in New Jersey who will
resent this statement.

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Via AIRTEL _____
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)
FROM: SAC, NEWARK (100-49654) (P)
SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMIST
RM

The following counterintelligence proposal is submitted for consideration: It is recommended that a letter be sent with a Jersey City, N. J., postmark to [redacted] and the Newark, N. J., newspapers. Consideration might also be given to wider distribution. It should be signed "Ministry of Information, BPP, Jersey City, N. J."

The letter should read similarly to the following:

[redacted] is Tom pig pretending to be a true black revolutionary. He ask people not to buy the Black Panther Newspaper because he want the people's money for himself. [redacted] uses the people's liberation soul power to line his pockets. His heavies threaten Panthers selling papers and people trying to buy them.

"Now [redacted] tries to put himself on a throne, like maybe you saw [redacted]. He fancies himself the reason [redacted] have visions of his throne in Newark, then the whole country, then the world.

- 2 - Bureau (RM)
- 1 - San Francisco (Info) (RM) REC-61
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[redacted] is shoving his [redacted] idea down the throats of brothers and sisters [redacted]. He hustles them his "religion" to make them his slaves. He think he's black Jesus, and he should be put on his own cross.

"Even Africans laughed at [redacted] in New York. When will the black people of Newark wake up and see [redacted] is just playing his king role and they're his pawns?"

In connection with the above-suggested letter, a copy could be sent with a return address of [redacted] after publication in the papers, or even if the papers will not print the letter, as if it were smuggled out of Newark by a loyal CAP member within [redacted] organization who agrees with the letter.

It is pointed out that conflict between the BPP and [redacted] has risen and fallen over a period of years. This letter attempts to take advantage of the currently renewed conflict engendered by [redacted] anti-BPP propoganda, to both belittle [redacted] in CAP and expose the Panthers' resentment of [redacted]

ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

11/25/70

Airtel

1 - [REDACTED]
1 - [REDACTED]

EX-115

To: SAC, Richmond (105-5096)

EC-123

From: Director, FBI (100-448006)

COINTELPRO
BLACK EXTREMIST
RACIAL MATTERS

Reurlet 11/13/70.

Authorization of your proposal in relet is denied. Any such complaint as contained in your proposed anonymous letter would almost without exception be expected to come from the Nation of Islam (NOI) [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] would be aware of this. This would immediately indicate to [REDACTED] that the letter is a hoax and one more incident in a series of harassments directed at him thus minimizing the effect.

It is suggested that you consider directing a letter to NOI headquarters in Chicago, Illinois, either anonymously or with a fictitious name, complaining that the Black Panther newspaper is being sold in conjunction with the NOI newspaper in Richmond. It can be indicated in this letter that the writer considers the selling of the two papers to be a joint venture and the writer objects to the take-over of the NOI by the Panthers since what he has learned about the NOI does not indicate that the Panthers have anything to offer the NOI.

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Airtel to SAC, Richmond
RE: COINTELPRO
BLACK EXTREMIST
100-448006

It appears that a letter written in this vein would have more and wider counterintelligence impact than that proposed in relet.

Submit your observations and your proposed letter for authorization if deemed feasible.

NOTE:

The papers of the NOI have been sold for years in downtown Richmond. With the recent organization of a National Committee to Combat Fascism (NCCF) Chapter (Black Panther Party affiliate) in Richmond the NCCF has started selling Black Panther papers in the same area. Those selling each paper have exchanged views. Richmond recommended an anonymous letter from an NOI member to the [REDACTED] complaining about the Panthers cutting in on the NOI paper sales.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448306)

DATE: 11/13/70

FROM : SAC, RICHMOND (105-5096) -P-

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE
(NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO COMBAT
FASCISM - RICHMOND DIVISION)

ReRMlet to Bureau, 9/3/70.

Referenced letter sets forth information concerning anonymous telephone calls attributed to [redacted] who is in charge of [redacted]. To date, Richmond has not found any significant counterintelligence proposals related to the aforementioned telephone call.

However, the following is being suggested as a counterintelligence proposal concerning the NCCF group being organized in Richmond and Muhammad's Mosque #24 of the Nation of Islam in Richmond, Virginia.

[redacted] and by virtue of this past affiliation he is known to members of MM #24. Members of MM #24 have, for a number of years, sold issues of "Muhammad Speaks" in the downtown area of Broad Street, Richmond, Virginia. As part of the NCCF organizational effort in Richmond, several individuals involved with NCCF activities have recently begun selling issues of "The Black Panther" in the same downtown area of Broad Street. On the last occasion, within the last two weeks, individuals selling "Muhammad Speaks" and other individuals selling "The Black Panther" exchanged views concerning the respective ideologies.

11/25/70 CEG:shb

2 - Bureau (Registered Mail) X-102
5 - Richmond

- (2-105-5096)
- (1-157-2956)
- (1-157-2733)
- (1-157-2991)

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With the foregoing in mind, Richmond believes that an anonymous letter worded in such a way as to make it obvious that the letter emanated from NOI ranks could be directed to [REDACTED]. The letter would center on the sale of BPP papers cutting into the sale of "Muhammad Speaks" newspaper. This letter may cause these respective groups to direct their hatred toward one another.

The proposed letter could read as follows:

"Dear Brother [REDACTED]

As-Salaam-Alaikum:

You boys is sellin panthre papers on Broad Street and there cuttin in to our territory and hurtin our selin papers. Them black panthres got the rong ideas any way. You should no better. You cant deal with this devil."

The above letter could obviously be the basis for future counterintelligence letters attributed to [REDACTED] and the NCCF group, directed to the MM #24 and vice versa.

Richmond - will take no action on this suggestion until specifically authorized to do so by the Bureau.

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1 - [REDACTED]

11/19/70

Airtel

To: SACs, Newark (100-49654)
San Francisco

From: Director, FBI (100-448006) - 2062

COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMIST
RACIAL MATTERS

EX-103

ReNKairtel 11/6/70.

The Bureau cannot authorize the treating of fruit to be shipped to Jersey City, New Jersey, because of the lack of control over the treated fruit in transit.

However, Newark's proposed telegram regarding food collected for the Revolutionary People's Constitutional Convention has merit.

San Francisco's observations are requested concerning this proposal.

CEG:jgr/cae
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NOTE:

Newark suggested counterintelligence operation to cause confusion, distrust, and suspicion within the BPP by indicating in a telegram allegedly from BPP headquarters that some food collected from the Revolutionary People's Constitutional Convention had been poisoned and should be destroyed. It suggested that the Laboratory treat food using a mild laxative and that the food be shipped to BPP headquarters in Jersey City, New Jersey.

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Date: 11/6/70

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Via AIRTEL _____
(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, NEWARK (100-49654) (P)

SUBJ: COINTELPRO -
BLACK EXTREMIST
RM

The following counterintelligence proposal is submitted for consideration.

It is proposed that a telegram be sent from Oakland, California to the Jersey City, NJ, BPP Headquarters, 93 Summit Ave., (and to all BPP Headquarters). The text of the telegram should read similar to the following:

"Word received food donated to Party by anti-Liberation white pigs contains poison. Symptoms cramps, diarrhea, severe stomach pain. Destroy all food donated for convention suspected of poison, however, still required you meet quota."

"Ministry of Information"

It is suggested that the Bureau then consider having the Laboratory treat fruit such as oranges with a mild laxative-type drug by hypodermic needle or other appropriate method, and ship fruit as a donation from a fictitious person in Miami, Florida, to Jersey City headquarters.

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- 1-San Francisco (INFO) (RM)
- 1-WFO (INFO)
- 4-Newark
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Special Agent In Charge

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This plan will at first cause confusion and suspicion within the BPP and will cause a time-consuming search for the sender of the telegram. Even after Oakland denies sending the telegram, some BPP members will fear poisoning by donated food and the Jersey City Headquarters will be hardpressed to make sure donated food is not poisoned. When some Jersey City members react to the laxative and suspect poisoning, Oakland will suspect that someone at Jersey City is a spy since obviously some foreknowledge of the event was present at Jersey City but not at Oakland. Confusion, intra-BPP distrust and hunger at the upcoming convention would be the results. It is noted the Jersey City Headquarters has been given some responsibility for food collection in connection with the convention.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Director, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 11/12/70

FROM : SAC, Memphis (100-4542) (P*)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

Re Memphis letter to Bureau 8/24/70.

90-DAY PROGRESS LETTER

The Memphis Division has two black militant hate groups within this division at this time. One is the [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] These groups were formed from the Invaders which is now defunct.

The Memphis Office is continuing efforts to identify all members of these groups and to determine the extent of their militant activities.

The black militant organization known as We The People currently has an active membership of eight individuals.

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] This group currently has an active membership of 15 individuals.

At the present time there is no counterintelligence activities being considered by the Memphis Office directed against these two organizations in view of the excellent informant coverage afforded and the fact that the Memphis Office is continuing to identify and develop information on members of these organizations.

[REDACTED]

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The Memphis Office will continue to remain alert to any counterintelligence operations that will disrupt the activities of these two groups and the Bureau will be kept advised of all developments.

ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

11/13/70

Airtel

1 - [REDACTED]
1 - [REDACTED]

To: SAC, Los Angeles (157-4054)

From: Director, FBI (100-448006) - 2060

COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

ReLAairtel 10/27/70 captioned, "Counterintelligence Program, Black Nationalist Hate Groups, Racial Intelligence - Black Panther Party (BPP)," Bureau airtel 11/6/70 dually captioned, "Counterintelligence Program, Black Nationalist Hate Groups, Racial Intelligence - Black Panther Party (BPP); Counterintelligence Program, New Left - Security Matters," and San Francisco airtel 11/3/70 captioned, "Counterintelligence Program, Black Nationalist - Hate Groups, Racial Intelligence - Black Panther Party (BPP)."

Since New York Office has been authorized to send an anonymous letter to BPP leader Huey Newton complaining of the press coverage afforded to white radical [REDACTED] rather than to the BPP, Bureau feels letter similar in content to be sent to Newton as outlined in referenced Los Angeles airtel 10/27/70 is not warranted. Bureau feels, however, there is definite merit to Los Angeles suggestion that a similar letter, altered to criticize Huey Newton's lack of aggressiveness at the aforementioned press coverage be sent to Eldridge Cleaver. Los Angeles is requested to submit such letter for approval simpler in format than that outlined, for this purpose.

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1 San Francisco (157-601)

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Airtel to Los Angeles
R: COINTELPRO - Black Extremists
100-448006

NOTE:

Recently, Eldridge Cleaver, fugitive BPP leader, led an "anti-imperialist delegation" of Negro and white extremists, including [REDACTED] New Left-type magazine, to North Korea, China, and North Vietnam. BPP leaders have indicated their annoyance and upset at Scheer who upstaged a New York City press conference upon group's return to the exclusion of the BPP. We have been trying to exploit this situation to create a rift between [REDACTED] supporters (the New Left) and BPP and have already approved a suggested note as indicated to Newton complaining of oversight of BPP. Los Angeles has offered a similar, more detailed suggestion which could be altered to be sent to Eldridge Cleaver with the additional appeal of possibly creating dissension between Cleaver and Newton also.

FBI

Date: 11/3/70

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Via A I R T E L AIR MAIL (REGISTERED)
(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)
FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (157-601)
COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE -
BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP)

Re Los Angeles airtel 10/27/70, suggesting mailing of anonymous letter to HUEY NEWTON concerning [redacted] press conference in New York City.

San Francisco is of the opinion that Los Angeles letter is extremely well written but fails to see where any counterintelligence result could be accomplished by mailing the letter. If NEWTON takes the letter seriously it would only tend to make him more aggressive in the future.

It is not believed that we are going to accomplish anything in this field by pointing out NEWTON's mistakes to him in order that he can improve his performance.

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SF: [unclear]*

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M. J. Jones

- 2 - Bureau (RM)
 - 1 - Los Angeles (157-4054) (RM)
 - 1 - San Francisco
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1 - Guidance Boston

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To: SAC, Boston (157-531)
From: Director, FBI (100-448006)
COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

Reurairtel 11/3/70 under the Black Panther Party (BPP)
caption reporting information furnished by [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]
A counterintelligence maneuver aimed at neutralizing
effectiveness as a BPP functionary is most desirable
especially in view of information that [REDACTED]
in the near
future.

Boston discreetly ascertain if [REDACTED] is currently
receiving welfare from state or local welfare agency in
Massachusetts. After verification of this information, submit
counterintelligence recommendations along lines suggested in
Bureau airtel to Baltimore dated 8/20/70 captioned "Black
Panther Party - Racial Matters," copies of which were furnished
to your office. Take no counterintelligence action without
prior Bureau authority.

1 - New Haven (157-785)

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Date: 11/5/70

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Via AIRTEL _____
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, MIAMI (157-2414)

COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE
DISRUPTION OF HATE GROUPS

C. H. ...

ReBuairtel to Miami, 10/13/70.

M. J. ...
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ReBuairtel authorized the Miami Division to cooperate through making available public source information to [redacted] Fla., in connection with their proposed preparation of a news program highlighting activities of Cry of Black Youth (COBY), Belle Glade, Fla.

Such information under the Counterintelligence Program was made available and television station WCKT-TV prepared in two segments of approximately 7 minutes each a film depicting the activities of this organization in Belle Glade, Fla., with particular emphasis on the alleged extortion and fire bombings perpetrated by members of this organization.

These two segments were aired by WCKT-TV on two consecutive evenings during the regular news program. WCKT-TV is viewed from West Palm Beach, Fla., to the Florida Keys.

The first segment of the program emphasized interviews with members of COBY and other black citizens of Belle Glade, Fla., setting forth their complaints.

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1 - Miami
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The second segment dealt principally with interviews with local citizens, including the Mayor of Belle Glade, Fla., in which the extortion activities of the fire bombings allegedly attributable to members of this organization were vividly set out.

The program, over-all, pointed out activities of such an organization as COBY, but at the same time did point out the conditions that oftentimes give rise to the formation of such groups.

The Miami Division feels that this was a worthwhile undertaking and that the program did serve a definite purpose, not only pointing out the fact that such organizations can flourish, but also pointing out some of the conditions that give rise to such organizations.

Television station WCKT-TV has indicated that they have received a number of favorable comments relative to the presentation of this program.

FBI

Date: 10/30/70

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Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL - REGISTERED
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-44806) ?
FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (157-4054) (P)
RE: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE
BLACK PANTHER PARTY

Re Bureau airtel to New York, 9/30/70 and New Haven letter to Bureau dated 10/12/70.



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- 4 - Bureau (RM)
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- 4 - New Haven (157-785) (RM)
- 4 - New York (RM)
- 4 - San Francisco (RM)
- 2 - Los Angeles
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Date: 11/2/70

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Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL (REGISTERED)
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (157-601)

COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM - *Black nationalist -*
BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP) *HATE GROUPS*
RACIAL MATTERS

Re Newark suggestion for the use of Skatole on "The Black Panther".

For the information of Newark, San Francisco has previously pointed out that use of this substance in the plant where the paper is printed would only result in the work being taken to another printing plant.

The only other place where this office could pursue such a project would be at the airlines freight terminals at San Francisco International Airport. Here again the airlines would have to reimburse the BPP for any loss they would suffer. This office has surveilled the transfer of papers from National Distribution to San Francisco Airport and has ascertained that the papers are moved in a covered van with the back door closed. Inside the freight compartment of the truck there are always several BPP members.

Suggest no action be taken on this matter.

- (2) - Bureau (RM)
- 1 - Newark (157-49194) (RM)
- 1 - San Francisco

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ENCLOSURE IN ENVELOPE

11/6/70

Airtel

1 - [REDACTED]

To: SAC, Pittsburgh (100-15780)

REC 19

From: Director, FBI (100-448006) - 2053

COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

RePGairtel 10/23/70 and LSAirtel 10/31/70.

You are authorized to furnish [REDACTED] cooperative and reliable source who is an [REDACTED] public source-type information concerning the convictions of [REDACTED] for violations of Section 5604 A1, U.S. Code (possession one gallon moonshine whiskey) and Title 18, Section 922 G (interstate transportation of a firearm after having been convicted of a felony). You are also authorized to tactfully explore the possibility of [REDACTED] considering the publication of an article which would expose these convictions of [REDACTED] in Louisville, Kentucky, in view of his recent appointment as [REDACTED] which is receiving state and county funds. Insure [REDACTED] is aware this information is being furnished on a confidential basis and insure Uhl does not reveal our interest in this matter.

Bureau should be advised of any tangible results.

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NOTE:

Cointelpro is recent designated code word for counterintelligence program.

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Airtel to Pittsburgh
Re: Cointelpro - Black Extremists
100-448006

NOTE CONTINUED:

[REDACTED] is an unaffiliated black extremist in Pittsburgh area who is included on the Agitator Index. Pittsburgh reported he had been recently [REDACTED]. It recommended that Louisville verify above-referred to convictions of [REDACTED] and that following verification it be authorized to furnish data concerning such convictions to [REDACTED] so that [REDACTED] could consider preparing an article for publication which would highlight [REDACTED] convictions in relation to his recently appointed executive position with a drug rehabilitation program. [REDACTED] has previously been utilized in the counterintelligence program and has proven to be extremely cooperative and discreet. This suggestion is well-taken and should embarrass [REDACTED]. It could also influence his retention in this program. There is no chance of embarrassment to the Bureau.

LS 157-1128

Re Pittsburgh airtel to Bureau and Louisville,
10/23/70, bearing first caption.

Re Louisville airtel, 7/15/70 to Jackson and
Pittsburgh, bearing second caption.

Re report of [REDACTED] dated
10/20/70, at Cleveland, bearing third caption.

On 10/29/70, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] U. S. Treasury Department,
Louisville, Kentucky, furnished the following information

[REDACTED] was indicted by
a Federal Grand Jury, WDKY, Louisville, Kentucky, alleging
violation of Title 26, Section 5604 A1, USC, (possession one
gallon moonshine whiskey) and violation of Title 18 Section
922 G (Interstate Transportation of a Firearm after having
been convicted of a Felony). The Federal charge which had
been [REDACTED] at Louisville, Kentucky,
against [REDACTED] charging conspiracy to violate Title 18, Section
922A3, USC was dropped.

Subject [REDACTED] was tried in District Court, Louisville,
Kentucky, on 10/21/70, with respect to the above indictment.
After a jury trial, he was found guilty. Sentence was
withheld pending a pre-sentencing investigation by the United
States Probation Office, Louisville, Kentucky. Sentencing
[REDACTED] was released on \$5,000
bond.

The above indictment and trial of [REDACTED] received no
local publicity.

The previous felony conviction for which [REDACTED] was
convicted was on [REDACTED]
Pa. [REDACTED] Pittsburgh, Pa., testified at
[REDACTED] to the effect that on
[REDACTED] in Pittsburgh, Pa., and charged

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him with Armed Robbery and Receiving Stolen Goods; that a non-jury trial was held on [REDACTED] Criminal Court resulting in [REDACTED] being found guilty on the receiving stolen goods charge and sentenced to nine months probated.

[REDACTED] also advised that during ATFD's investigation of [REDACTED] Mississippi was interviewed and said that when [REDACTED] was in Jackson, Mississippi [REDACTED] identification in it. [REDACTED] believes [REDACTED] used this identification to purchase the two .30 caliber carbines and the .38 caliber Smith & Wesson described in Louisville airtel to Pittsburgh, 6/8/70. A subpoena was issued for [REDACTED] to testify at [REDACTED] however, subpoena was not served as [REDACTED] could not be located. [REDACTED] noted that [REDACTED] was supposed to be in [REDACTED], to stand trial on narcotics charges but [REDACTED] failed to appear.

[REDACTED] made available a copy of some articles concerning [REDACTED] which appeared in the Pittsburgh Press, Pittsburgh, Pa., in January and February, 1969. These are enclosed for Pittsburgh.

For the information of Cleveland, the following is noted regarding the disposition of charges in Louisville, Kentucky, against subject [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] advised that the Federal charge [REDACTED] against [REDACTED] charging violation of Title 18, Section 922A3, USC, was dismissed [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] determined the following from a check of the records at the Jefferson County, Kentucky Quarterly Court, Louisville, Kentucky. (It is noted information previously furnished reflected that when subject [REDACTED] was [REDACTED] and charged with CCDW, he gave the name of [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] The case
was continued [REDACTED] was released on
\$300.00 bond. [REDACTED] the charge was amended to
DC, [REDACTED] was fined \$25.00 and the weapon confiscated.

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AT LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY.

After 11/20/70, determine what sentence
HOWZE receives on his 10/21/70 conviction.

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November 13, 1970

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1 - [REDACTED]
1 - [REDACTED]

To: SAC, Newark (100-49194)

From: Director, FBI (100-448006) - 2054
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COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

Reurairtel 10/28/70 and SFairtel 11/2/70.

The Bureau cannot authorize the technique set out in your airtel 10/28/70. Your interest in forwarding this suggestion is appreciated.

CEG:ekw, *...*
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NOTE:

Newark proposed use of foul-smelling chemical on the Black Panther newspapers to disrupt distribution.

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Date: 10/28/70

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Via AIRTEL _____
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (~~105-106700-Sub 21~~)
FROM: SAC, NEWARK (100-49194) (P)
SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM - *BLACK NATIONALIST*
BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP)
RACIAL MATTERS

Re Bureau airtel, 5/15/70.

Newark submits the following as possible measure to disrupt distribution of BPP newspaper.

In the light of known BPP procedures at San Francisco re handling and bundling of the paper prior to shipment to local chapters, an opportunity might arise to spray the papers with a chemical known as Skatole, (C9 H9 N). A very small amount of this chemical disbursts a most offensive odor on the object sprayed and its potency is such that a large amount of papers could be so treated in a matter of seconds. It could be prepared by the FBI Laboratory for use in a small aerosol type dispenser.

It is believed that this measure was previously considered as a move to affect distribution of "The Worker", but it is Newark's understanding that it was considered inadvisable at that time. Inasmuch as Newark does not have specific information re reasons its use was not approved, it is suggested the Bureau review previous use against "The Worker" for background in this matter.

2-Bureau (RM)
1-San Francisco (Info) (RM)
3-Newark
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Airtel to SAC 10/27/70. C. J. E. L. W.

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Memorandum

TO : Mr. G. D. Brennan
FROM : G. C. Moore *Gem*
SUBJECT: RACIAL CONFERENCE
OCTOBER 22-23, 1970
COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

1-Mr. W. C. Sullivan ✓
1-Mr. J. P. Mohr ✓
1-Mr. C. D. Brennan ✓
DATE: 10-29-70

1-Mr. W. M. Felt
1-Mr. J. J. Casper
1-Mr. W. S. Tavel
1-Mr. G. C. Moore
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To endorse recommendation of field racial supervisors, who attended specialized conference at Bureau on 10/22-23/70, that the field be advised on a regular basis of new techniques utilized and successes achieved in our Counterintelligence Program directed toward black extremists and that the title of communications prepared regarding such Counterintelligence Program be abbreviated.

Our experience over the past year and the growth of our knowledge regarding black extremist activities have resulted in utilization of increasing number of sophisticated techniques, some of which have involved a number of our field offices and occasionally Legal Attaches in Canada and Europe. Among highly successful tangible results realized during the past year, as a result of this program, were the disbandment of a Black Panther Party (BPP) front group in Cleveland, Mississippi; the transfer of an energetic organizer and key leader of New Haven BPP chapter to a less influential post in North Carolina; and the complete disruption of a planned conference of the violence-prone Republic of New Africa in Jackson, Mississippi.

Field supervisors felt discussion at the conference of counterintelligence techniques and successes materially benefited them and for this reason recommended the field be

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Memorandum to Mr. C. D. Brennan
Re: Racial Conference
October 22-23, 1970

Counterintelligence Program
Black Nationalist - Hate Groups

furnished similar information on regular basis. This suggestion should materially stimulate ingenuity and illustrate to field the significant results which can be realized through an imaginative, dynamic but Bureau-controlled program. For these reasons, it is felt this recommendation should be implemented.

The currently used caption for Counterintelligence Program relating to black extremists, set forth as second caption in instant memorandum, is lengthy and cumbersome. For these reasons, field supervisors recommended it be abbreviated. Recommended field be instructed to henceforth utilize the caption "COINTELPRO - Black Extremists - Racial Matters" in place of the present caption. Records Branch, Files and Communications Division, has advised this caption is not otherwise being utilized. Adoption of this abbreviated caption also has advantage of affording additional security to this program.

ACTION:

1. That the field be advised on regular basis of new techniques utilized and successes achieved.
2. If approved, attached letter will be sent to 42 field offices participating in above Counterintelligence Program with instructions to utilize above abbreviated caption.

1-Mr. W. C. Sullivan
1-Mr. J. P. Mohr

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COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
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1-Mr. C. D. Brennan
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1-Mr. G. C. Moore

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As a result of a recommendation made by field racial supervisors at a recent Bureau conference, instant abbreviated caption should be utilized henceforth.

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Letter to Albany, et al.
Re: -Cointelpro - Black Extremists
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NOTE:

See memorandum G. C. Moore to Mr. C. D. Brennan,
dated 10-29-70, captioned "Racial Conference, October 22-23,
1970," and "Counterintelligence Program, Black Nationalist -
Hate Groups," prepared by WHA:djw.

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From: Director, FBI (100-448006)ST-115

COUNTERINTELLIGENCE MEASURES
BLACK PANTHER PARTY
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Enclosed for each office are 50 reproductions of a column written by Victor Riesel regarding Black Panther Party (BPP).

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RE: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE MEASURES
BLACK PANTHER PARTY

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Portion of column deals with proposal that union members refuse to handle shipments of BPP newspapers. Obviously if such a boycott gains national support it will result in effectively cutting off BPP propaganda and finances; therefore, it is most desirable this proposal be brought to attention of members and officials of unions such as Teamsters and others involved in handling of shipments of BPP newspapers. These shipments are generally by air freight. The column also deals with repeated calls for murder of police that appear in BPP paper; therefore, it would also be desirable to bring boycott proposal to attention of members and officials of police associations who might be in position to encourage boycott.

Each office anonymously mail copies of enclosed to officials of appropriate unions, police organizations or other individuals within its territory who could encourage such a boycott. Use commercially purchased envelopes and take appropriate measures to insure mailing cannot be traced to Bureau. Make no dissemination of this column other than anonymously.

Handle promptly and advise Bureau of any positive results noted. Any publicity observed concerning proposed boycott should be brought to attention of Bureau.

Be alert for any other opportunities to further exploit this proposal. Submit any suggestions to Bureau for approval prior to taking action.

NOTE:

By memorandum G. C. Moore to C. D. Brennan, 10-28-70, captioned "Racial Conference, October 22-23, 1970, Recommendation for Counterintelligence Action Against Black Panther Party" the reproduction and anonymous mailing of attached column was approved.

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PATERSON, N.J., WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 14, 1970

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INSIDE LABOR

Panthers Urge More Cop Killings

By VICTOR RIESEL

WASHINGTON—There is an amateurish impression that the Black Panther Party (BPP) needs the rickety American Communist Party as a crutch and cash box. The reverse is true. The "C.P. - USA" is feeding off the black revolutionists for their desperate want of any other racial base — especially among the youth.



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So unique are the Panthers as a guerrilla strike force, they've been sought out by the Maoist Peking Central Committee as "equal brothers" and the Chinese Communists "American Section". There is, in fact, a Black Panther subsidiary international, launched recently in Pyongyang, North Korea, dubbed the New World Liberation Front. It is the Maoist avant-garde in the U.S. and can easily be controlled because it has but 750 hard core members in 27 active chapters—down from the original 41 chapters, many of which were wiped out when the party's central committee in Oakland discovered the "organization" had been infiltrated.

Thus, the black strike force can be easily financed, controlled, directed and purged at will—though the thousands of sympathizers are less disciplined and get themselves caught up in the killer rhetoric.

THE SYMPATHIZERS get on the hook, like an addict to

a needle, by taking the Black Panther, official party publication. Trouble with the "outside" world is few ever bother to read it and thus can't understand its deadly impact.

As recently as Nov. 22, 1969, Panther leader Eldridge Cleaver, now setting up a BPP embassy in Algiers, is quoted as saying, "... we will kill Richard Nixon. . . ." Mr. Cleaver is—officially—Minister of Information.

There have been vicious anti-Semitic attacks. There have been gay and ghoulishly gloating reports of the killing of police. As, for example the shooting of a Cleveland cop. The Oct. 3, 1970, issue of the Panther newspaper says: "... one pig dead, one pig wounded at the hands of the Lumpen." Meaning the lumpenproletariat, an old Leninist word.

So the people now are the "lumpen" in the new upright guerrilla community.

This cop was shot when he rushed to help his partner — who had been hit by bullets in the mouth, chest and groin. The rescuer was thrown into the gutter. Then, says the Panther newspaper, "after a scuffle with this pig, the lumpen (in the correct manner) knocked the pig down, took his gun and fired into the pig, bang, bang, dead pig!"

Each week there are cartoons, such as the one showing a worker with three sticks of dynamite in one pocket, a shovel in his right hand and an old-fashioned "Colt" in the other. Or there is a drawing of a man about to hit a cop over the head with an axe. The patrolman has his back to the assailant. Little of this goes

unobserved by big city police — especially such as those in Los Angeles or New York City (where the 25,000-member police union, Patrolmen's Benevolent Association, has learned that new Panther literature soon will be flooding streets under the swinging title of "Pigs Today, Bacon Tomorrow").

Well, cops are brothers, be they black or white. And their brothers are Teamsters, construction workers as well as doctors, university people and bricklayers.

And each week, brothers of brothers are assailed by 180,000 copies of the Panther newspaper—"assailed" being a euphemism for outright calls for their murder.

Late this summer some West Coast authorities were approached by a brother of brothers. He was—and is—a black union Teamster. He had with him some of the Panther material being distributed in his community. This black teamster was tough—and militant—but the "literature" was not his thing.

The authorities listened, and in turn pulled out sheafs of editions of "The Black Panther." They leafed through pages of vituperation, threats to national authorities, happy reports of police killings and the ubiquitous cartoons. They read the rules, one of which prohibits a Panther from joining any "other armed force other than the Black Liberation Army."

They read attacks on labor and urgings by the Panthers that unions be seized and used for revolutionary action.

The Teamster asked how the 180,000 copies were distributed

to and inside the nation's major cities — since at 25 cents apiece 180,000 sales weekly can develop quite an income. The Teamster, an air freight handler, was told much of the distribution was by air.

HE RECALLED reading reports on the East Coast International Longshoremen's Association (AFL-CIO) boycotting the Soviet merchant passenger ships for some 2 years. So he returned to his fellow unionists with the suggestion they refuse to handle or help airlift the Panther newspaper.

The boycott may or may not come off. It may turn out to be little more than a one-man counter-revolution. That's not as important as the fact that some men of the "outside world have read the Panther strike force agitational material. Those who have not haven't the slightest conception of Pantherism. More the pity. The Panthers print right out in the open. Not even in the days of ancient anarcho-syndicalism has there been such tough talk, such blunt calls for blood and killings as in the Panther literature. It's Maoist all the way.

I write this with restraint. Some of the provocative quotes are unprintable anywhere but in some underground press. But the same restraint will not be shown sooner or later by those whose brothers are killed on the streets protecting others.

At least let reason prevail among the public, regardless of race, color or creed. At least let the public be aware of the force striking from within.

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To: SACs, Atlanta
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From: Director, FBI (100-448006)

COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
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Data set forth in retels concerning activities of subjects [REDACTED] in Atlanta in conjunction with the [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] appears to present excellent entrees to the initiation of counterintelligence proposals in their regard.

Atlanta should coordinate efforts in this regard with the New York Office. Cincinnati promptly reinterview [REDACTED] to develop additional pertinent data regarding [REDACTED] relationships with females involved for possible assistance.

Atlanta take no positive counterintelligence action concerning [REDACTED] without prior Bureau authorization. For information Atlanta, Bureau files fail to reveal receipt of [REDACTED]

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a communication for dissemination under [REDACTED] caption.

Bureau files contain no identifiable data concerning [REDACTED] on the basis of available data.

Atlanta initiate in-depth investigations their regard for purpose of developing complete background data together with information concerning the nature and extent of their activities of a black extremist nature. Submit results of investigation concerning [REDACTED] under individual caption in form suitable for dissemination. Include in cover airtel recommendations on additional investigative steps to be taken.

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Date: 10/23/70

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Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL - REGISTERED
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI
FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (157-4054) (P)
RE: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE-BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP)

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G. G. Malone
AKL*

Re Bureau airtel to Los Angeles, 5/27/70, and Los Angeles airtel to Bureau dated 7/30/70.

Enclosed for the Bureau is one copy of a television editorial entitled "BLACK PANTHERS AND REVOLUTION" presented by GEORGE PUTNAM, Newscaster, KTTV-Los Angeles, on 10/7/70.

Enclosure, provided to the Los Angeles Division by PUTNAM's office on 10/15/70, is an editorial presented by PUTNAM attacking the BPP.

On 10/9/70, PUTNAM was telephonically contacted by [redacted] and PUTNAM stated on future dates he intended to do further broadcasts regarding the BPP.

Content of PUTNAM's future editorials and any results received will be provided the Bureau upon their availability.

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BLACK PANTHERS AND REVOLUTION

By George Putnam
October 7, 1970

It is this reporter's opinion that the black extremist organization, known as the Black Panther Party, is now spreading its hoodlum type revolutionary activity to the point where it must be considered to be a serious threat to the international security of our nation.

Originating in 1966 in Oakland, California, it expanded its activities all across the country, forming nearly forty chapters. And then, following a purge of its members, it deliberately reduced its chapters to approximately thirty.

But again, it is steadily growing. Its hard core guerrilla type members, with thousands of supporters, are now concentrated in the major urban areas of this nation.

The Black Panther Party has as its immediate target, law enforcement in America. The Black Panther now shouts openly, "Kill the police!" Black Panther publications abound with cartoons encouraging physical attacks on police, depicted as pigs. Youngsters in the Panther schools do their exercises as they chant, "There is a pig upon the hill--if you don't kill him, the Panthers will."

According to J. Edgar Hoover, Chief of the FBI, testifying March fifth of this year, "These are not idle catchwords, because the Panthers mean business--revolutionary business.

"Police have been lured into ambush by Panthers carrying out cold blooded assassination plots. Negro and white police are treated alike, because the Panthers make no distinction between the black and the white policemen." Mr. Hoover continues, "The Panthers' ferocious attacks on law enforcement officers are understandable, since it is the police that stand between them and their attempts to rule by terror."

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But the attacks are not limited to the police. While falsely claiming their intent to protect the black community, the Black Panthers have assaulted and threatened Negro citizens who have tried to assist the police. Neighborhood stores are forced to contribute food supplies and money--blackmail, under threat of Panther violence.

During 1969, 348 Black Panther Party members were arrested for serious crimes that include murder, armed robbery, rape, bank robbery and burglary. Among the Black Panther leaders arrested for violation of federal and local law are:

Huey Newton, for killing a police officer.

Eldridge Cleaver, on charges stemming from a gun battle between Black Panthers and the Oakland police.

Bobby Seale, on charges growing out of activities during the Democratic National Convention in 1968--and later in connection with the alleged Black Panther Party murder of a Black Panther suspected of cooperating with police.

David Hilliard, charged with making a public threat against the President, November fifteenth of 1969. And on that occasion, Hilliard stated, "We will kill Richard Nixon, or anyone else who stands in the way."

It is documented that in raids and arrests at Panther offices over the past two years, authorities have uncovered 125 machine guns, sawed-off shotguns, rifles, hand grenades, thousands of rounds of ammunition, molotov cocktails, homemade bombs, gunpowder, bayonettes, swords, and machetes.

An edition of the BLACK PANTHER, the official newspaper, cautions Panthers against the use of small caliber weapons, and recommends instead, a high powered rifle with enough killing force to "knock the pig out of his shoes" at a distance of three or more blocks. And the BLACK PANTHER article concludes with the statement, "The only good pig is a dead pig."

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But now the Black Panthers, who have proclaimed their revolutionary intentions, have called for assassination of the President and called for overthrow of the government, are moving internationally and aligning themselves ever more closely with such organizations as Al Fatah, the Palestinian guerrilla organization. And according to a House Committee investigator, the Black Panther ties with Al Fatah have now gone beyond talking stage. The Panthers are reaching out more and more for support and assistance to anti-U.S. forces overseas.

The Black Panther Party is fast becoming a desperate force to be reckoned with, internally and externally. And it is well to note that Black Panther Party speakers made 189 appearances at secondary schools, at colleges and universities within the United States during 1969. And for these appearances, in which they have told our students the ways in which they plan to bring down our government and bring down our way of life--destroy us--for these appearances, they were paid up to nineteen hundred dollars, plus transportation, for each such appearance.

It is this reporter's opinion that we are subsidizing our own destruction if we allow this to continue.

Four and ten p.m. news reports, KTTV, Channel Eleven

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. C.D. Brennan

FROM : G.C. Moore

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

- 1 - Mr. W.C. Sullivan
- 1 - Mr. T.E. Bishop

DATE: 11/3/70

- 1 - Mr. C.D. Brennan
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This describes recent television editorial critical of the Black Panther Party (BPP) presented by [REDACTED] Los Angeles. COINTELPRO is recently approved abbreviation for Counterintelligence Program.

As part of Bureau program, [REDACTED] was suggested by Los Angeles Division as source in television and/or radio field who might be interested in preparing a counterintelligence-type program on Black Panthers. Contact of him for this purpose was approved and he subsequently expressed his willingness to present the true facts about BPP.

[REDACTED] has furnished a copy of an editorial entitled "Black Panthers and Revolution," which he presented on his televised newscast on 10/7/70. [REDACTED] prefaces his editorial with the opinion that spread of Panther hoodlum-type revolutionary activity must be considered a serious national security threat with law enforcement as its immediate target. He then refers to the Director's comprehensive testimony on the BPP before the House Subcommittee on Appropriations on 3/5/70 and using that excellent guideline almost exclusively, he presents the revolutionary and terroristic threat represented by the BPP and its leaders. He concludes with the opinion that "we are subsidizing our own destruction if we allow this to continue." A copy of the Director's testimony had been furnished to [REDACTED]

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None. For information.

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To: SAC, San Francisco (157-601)

From: Director, FBI

COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE - BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP)
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reLAairtel 10/27/70 captioned "Counterintelligence Program, Black Nationalist Hate Groups, Racial Intelligence - Black Panther Party (BPP)"; SFairtel 10/21/70, and Buairtel 10/29/70 dually captioned as above.

San Francisco is requested to submit its observations and recommendations concerning suggestions contained in reLAairtel.

Handle promptly.

1 - Los Angeles (157-4054)

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NOTE: -

In July and August, 1970, Eldridge Cleaver, fugitive BPP leader, led an "anti-imperialist delegation" of Negro and white extremists, including [REDACTED] New Left-type magazine, to North Korea, China and North Vietnam.

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NOTE CONTINUED:

BPP leaders have indicated their annoyance and upset at [REDACTED] who mishandled a New York City press conference upon the group's return to the publicity-wise detriment of BPP. San Francisco and Los Angeles were requested to submit proposals under captioned program to capitalize on this upset. Bureau has already approved a suggestion by San Francisco concerning a note to BPP leader Huey Newton complaining of oversight of BPP in relation to described delegation. San Francisco is origin in Newton and national Black Panther Party case. Its observations and recommendations should be obtained concerning Los Angeles suggestion to assure maximum counterintelligence yield.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)
FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (157-4054) (P)
RE: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE - BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP)

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ReBuairtel to Los Angeles, 10/13/70, entitled
"COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM, BLACK NATIONALIST HATE GROUPS,
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE - BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP); COUNTERINTELLIGENCE
PROGRAM, NEW LEFT, SECURITY MATTERS".

Regarding the dissension which arose following the
New York press conference held 9/16/70 heralding the return of
BPP Minister of Information ELDRIDGE CLEAVER's delegation to
North Vietnam, it is proposed that the following letter be
sent to HUEY NEWTON, BPP supreme commander, on plain paper
from a fictitious person with return Post Office Box in Los
Angeles:

Dear Brother Newton,

Though I do not number myself amongst your
membership, I am compelled to convey to you my
feelings as a black man who has waited 200 years
to stand straight and lift up my eyes from the
ground. As you are aware, there is a substantial
segment of the black population in the United States
that, from the sidelines, watches the actions of you

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and your comrades. You are proud and you are strong, but you are not the first of our people to pick up our fallen flag and continue the struggle. Proceeding you have been both wise men and fools, both men whose hearts cried out for justice and those whose sole intention was to line their pockets with treasure, and we on the sideline are unsure of what stripe history is destined to paint your effort. You and your rhetoricians may elect to brand our reservation and wariness as "Uncle Tomish" or even counter-revolutionary, but the proper leadership of our movement is critical and it will not be entrusted to foolish adventurers whose true satisfaction came not from freeing their people but from tasting of the white woman and being lifted by the mindless praise of masochistic Jews who hate themselves with the same intensity we have hated ourselves.

Though I regretted the lack of opportunity to speak to you on the occasion I wish to mention perhaps the future will provide the same. I would be interested in your personal reaction to my comments though, because your representatives here in Los Angeles display an intolerable lack of ability to deal with our destiny and would, therefore, be unacceptable respondents. Like the majority on the sidelines, I do not consider this matter of my manhood lightly and do not propose to publicly surface if to deal with the caliber of your current Los Angeles leadership.

To the point of my writing, on September 16, 1970, I was departing Kennedy Airport in New York from a business trip and heard of an impending press conference regarding the return of a peace group from travel to North Vietnam. I attended, but the result did not help me stand straight or lift my eyes from the ground. Why was that self-serving honky dog [redacted] allowed to dominate the proceeding, totally ignore you, and deny the Panther Party an excellent opportunity for potentially favorable publicity. It appeared that the Panthers were, like so many black leaders and groups in this country,

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spineless puppets of white liberals and you and [redacted] stood there quietly with your eyes on the floor; hats in your hands, and acted like plantation Niggers. When will we stop acting like Niggers and rid our ranks of the Scheers in this country!

Performances like that do nothing to commit us to your leadership or program but only encourages us to again sit quietly and wait. You have displayed the potential but are you capable of coping with the responsibility?

Sincerely yours,

(fictitious signature)

It is further proposed that a similar letter, altered to criticize Huey Newton's lack of aggressiveness to the aforementioned press conference, be sent to Eldridge Cleaver.

As is apparent, it would be hoped that a possible correspondence could be developed between Newton and the fictitious writer.

No additional action on this proposal will be undertaken without Bureau approval.

ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

11/6/70

Airtel

1 - [REDACTED]
1 - [REDACTED]

To: SAC, San Francisco (157-601)

From: Director, FBI (100-448006) - 2047

COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

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ReSFairtel 10/28/70.

Your proposal to send the anonymous note to Huey P. Newton regarding drugs is approved. Insure that mailing cannot be traced to Bureau.

Advise Bureau of tangible results of this counterintelligence proposal.

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NOTE:

COINTELPRO is recent designated code word for counterintelligence program.

San Francisco proposed anonymous note be sent to Newton, BPP Supreme Commander, criticizing Eldridge Cleaver, Minister of Information, in Algiers, for "playing footsie" with Tim Leary, the escaped convict from California who is ardent advocate of LSD and seeking asylum with Cleaver in Algiers. The BPP has published newspaper articles blasting use of drugs. The anonymous note could cause dissension between Newton and Cleaver over this issue.

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- Sullivan _____
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- Callahan _____
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Chis
[Signature]

FBI

Date: 10/28/70

Transmit the following in _____
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Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL (REGISTERED)
(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: *RSE/jr* SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (157-601)

COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE
BLACK PANTHER PARTY

*from
J. Brown
11/1/70*

As the Bureau is aware, TIM LEARY, the escaped convict from California who is an ardent advocate of LSD, has sought asylum with ELDRIDGE CLEAVEP in Algeria and is known to have travelled in the Far East with [redacted]. Inasmuch as the "Black Panther Party" has published articles blasting the use of drugs it is suggested that San Francisco be allowed to forward the following anonymous letter to HUEY NEWTON:

"San Francisco, California
Date

"Mr. Newton:

"Dope plus capitalism equals genocide.

"If that is true I can't believe that Eldridge Cleaver and [redacted] are playing footsie with Tim Leary. Leary is the greatest acid head and dope addict there is. I think Cleaver like any other Black Panther Party member should take orders from you before he starts associating with a druggie.

"Power to the People"

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Special Agent in Charge

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WFO informants have never seen such material on display at the Drum and Spear free of charge.

WFO will target one informant to inquire regarding the existence of such material and if it is not available, as seems to be the case at the present time, this information will be given to [REDACTED] as a clear indication that church funds are being used for projects other than those outlined by the Drum and Spear at the time the Drum and Spear Press was funded by the Episcopal Church.

[REDACTED] would also be made aware of the involvement of Drum and Spear Bookstore affiliates in the Pan African movement and the use of bookstore funds for extensive trips to various African countries.

Finally, it is believed that the Bishop should be made aware in a general way of certain facts in the RALPH EDWARD FEATHERSTONE case which clearly show that FEATHERSTONE, a former member of the Board of Directors of the Drum and Spear Bookstore, was transporting a bomb in a car driven by FEATHERSTONE at the time of his death near Bel Air, Maryland, 3/9/70, thereby, exposing and exploiting the penchants for violence prevalent in affiliates of the Drum and Spear Bookstore.

It is recommended that [REDACTED], who as [REDACTED] Md., is acquainted with [REDACTED] be designated to pass this information to [REDACTED] on a confidential basis.

It should be noted that the above can be accomplished with no embarrassment to the Bureau since [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] will pass the information to [REDACTED], if approved by the Bureau,

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Letter to SAC, Sacramento
COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
(BLACK PANTHER PARTY)
100-448006

"As a law-abiding member of the black community,
I resent a person such as [REDACTED] a Black
Panther Party worker, coming to our town from
San Francisco and being [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] and getting our youth to rebel.
I think that she should be fired immediately."

Insure that mailing cannot be traced to the Bureau.
Advise the Bureau and San Francisco of tangible results of
this counterintelligence proposal.

NOTE: [REDACTED] residing in San Francisco, is currently
employed as a [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] In San Francisco she has participated in the Breakfast
for Children program sponsored by the Black Panther Party (BPP).

[REDACTED] BPP
newspaper article written by Henry complains that Vallejo police
murdered innocent victim. Sacramento proposed forwarding anonymous
note and newspaper article to individuals connected with [REDACTED]
employment in an effort to alert these individuals to her back-
ground which might provide the impetus to hasten her discharge
It being noted that [REDACTED] ordered fired but continues to retain
her job. The proposed anonymous letter by SF changed to show
[REDACTED] association as a BPP worker. Also, in view that copies
of BPP newspaper appear more available to the average individual
than a Xerox machine, SF being instructed to include original
page of newspaper with anonymous note instead of a Xerox copy.

FBI

Date: 10/29/70

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

Via AIRTEL

AIRMAIL - REGISTERED

(Priority)

Mr. Tolson	_____
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Mr. Mohr	_____
Mr. Bishop	_____
Mr. Brennan	_____
Mr. Callahan	_____
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Mr. Gale	_____
Mr. Rosen	_____
Mr. Tavel	_____
Mr. Walters	_____
Mr. Soyars	_____
Tele. Room	_____
Miss Holmes	_____
Miss Gandy	_____

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, SACRAMENTO (100-894) (P)

COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE (BPP)

Enclosed for the Bureau is one Xerox copy of the 10/17/70 issue, page 9, of the BPP newspaper.

Enclosed page appeared in the 10/17/70, issue of the BPP newspaper. The Sacramento Office would like to send this enclosure, marked as indicated, to _____

The Xerox copy of the page would

- Bureau (Enc. 1) (RM)
- San Francisco (157-601) (RM) (Info)
- Sacramento
- 1- 100-894
- 1- 157-1566
- 1- 157-1703

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Approved: _____

Special Agent in Charge

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be sent anonymously to the above three individuals, taking the usual precautions to be sure that the Bureau could not be identified as the sender. The letter would state:

"As a law-abiding member of the black race, I resent a person such as [REDACTED] coming to our town from San Francisco and being employed by the government, getting our youth to rebel. I think that she should be fired immediately."

Bureau permission is requested to make the above three mailings from Vallejo to the individuals mentioned, because it is believed that the mailing of the copies of this page of the BPP newspaper would, in fact, put the individuals on notice that this individual is indeed directly connected with the BPP and possibly might provide the impetus to actually get her discharged from her position.

On the afternoon of September 17, 1970, George Ware was playing pool at Fuller Recreation at 1927 Solano Avenue. He got into a struggle with two brothers whom he hit with the head of a pool cue. The police were called but they were so busy occupying other areas of the city that Sergeant Ronald M. Roegner, a 39 year old White racist, had to respond alone. This scared pig arrived at the Black owned pool hall and observed George sitting, out with his head down, holding the pool cue vertically. When asked the pig to drop the stick, George did no. Pig Roegner advanced to take the stick and George tried to defend himself from this pig aggression by swinging the stick from left to right. Scared and trigger-mad Roegner drew his .35 caliber service revolver and shot force through his thigh but this is not enough. Seeing the rage and shock in George's face as he tumbled forward with the cue stick hitting Roegner on the shoulder - Roegner emptied his gun, twirling, two hitting George in the chest and one in the groin; was dead before arrival at Vallejo General Hospital.

George's mother, Mrs. Mary Ware, a resident of San Francisco, learned of her son's murder by listening to the radio news the following day even though Vallejo pigs came to San Francisco indirectly following the killing. But they came only to look for George's criminal record, which included theft, resisting arrest and intoxication, to play-up in the racist Vallejo Times Herald newspaper to make Pig Roegner seem worthy of his criminal act in the eyes of the people. But the people are hip to that old trick. When Mrs. Ware went to Vallejo to find out about how her son was killed, she was confronted with another racist, Detective Sgt. Jack D. Minnax, who is supposed to be handling the case. He told her that George had 1.07 alcohol in his blood (about a half a glass of wine) but "everything else was confidential" and this was the extent of his report.

The police and the city of Vallejo sent Mrs. Ware the ambulance bill that carried her dead

body, report from the city of Vallejo. The city is hoping this will all blow over and nothing more will be said.

We can no longer stand by and allow the city police to murder our people. As long as we are unarmed, we are subject to murder and brutality at the hands of the pig.

Many individuals and organizations in San Francisco are concerned with the situation Mrs. Ware will have to wage against the city of Vallejo. We will be having a community meeting on Saturday, October 17, 1970, at 3 p.m., 1513 Fillmore, W. C. C. We will also deal with Mr. and Mrs. Wilson whose five year old daughter was strangled and beaten by a White mental patient and Kaiser Hospital who refused to treat her (as reported in the Black Panther, Black Community News Service, on Sept. 12, 1970).

Saturday, Oct. 17, 1970
1513 Fillmore St
San Francisco
3:00 p.m.
922-4034

SEIZE THE TIME

Carol Barry

**DONATIONS ARE NEEDED FOR PEOPLE'S
EVOLUTIONARY CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION
TO BE HELD IN THE
LATTER PART OF NOVEMBER.**

in Indochina.

In response to Hoover's attack on our constitutional rights, we declare our intention to redouble our efforts to mobilize millions in the streets to force the Administration to end the war in Indochina now.

Hoover claims to be directing his remarks only against "extremists," but the American people know from bitter experience that such McCarthyite red baiting attacks are really nothing but a smokescreen for attacks on the democratic rights of all citizens of unions, of Blacks, Chicanos and other oppressed minorities, of women, and of all groups who need to utilize their constitutional rights to fight for their rightful place in American society. And the American people are also painfully aware that the "extremists" in this society are not those who fight to have our men brought home from Southeast Asia now, but those like Mr. Hoover who force hundreds of thousands of men, against their will, to kill and die in a war which is in the interest of neither the Vietnamese people nor the American

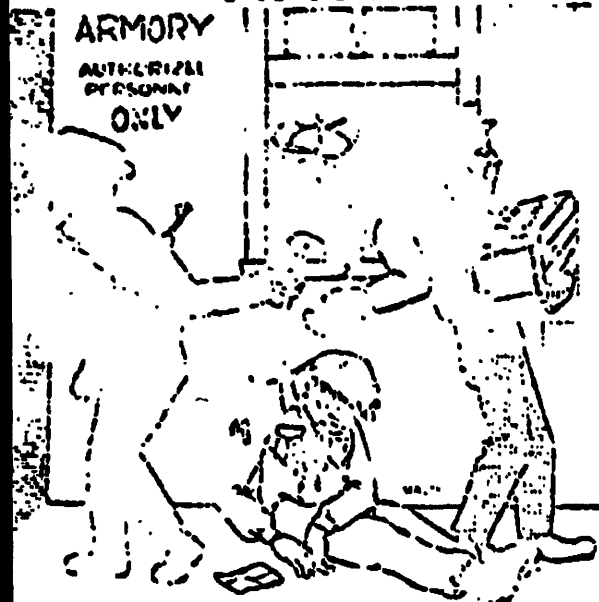
people until every last G.I. IS WITHDRAWN FROM Indochina.

In his remarks Mr. Hoover expresses concern about the widespread "disrespect" for universities, "law enforcement agencies, and other institutions. We would point out that if universities are dis-illustrated with the universities it is because the universities have too long sanctioned ROTC, war research and discrimination against minority students. If Americans have less respect for the cities and National Guard it is because these agencies have been used to murder students. Kent State and Jackson State

have been used to break strikes and occupy precincts in city after city. The violence and repression perpetrated by Hoover and the forces he represents is the real "extremism" in America and if Hoover is really concerned with "disrespect" for authority, he should realize that the "problem" will not go away until he and Nixon and Arneson put an end to their attacks on the rights of the American people and until all the troops are brought home from Indochina.

**DONATIONS SHOULD BE SENT TO
Constitutional Convention Committee
c/o Unity Bank and Trust
Warren Street Roxbury, Mass**

NATIONAL GUARD ARMORY BOMBED, HEROES SUCCESSFULLY ESCAPE



Newburyport, Mass. is a small town in New England town basically composed of people from the White working class. Until last Saturday, October 19, Newburyport's only claim to fame was that it is one of many small towns surrounding Boston which are strongholds for groups like the Minutemen and other right-wing fascist reactionaries. Last Saturday, however, at 6:00 a.m. in the morning of National Guard Armory was bombed, hundreds of rounds of ammunition ripped off, military records taken and to top it they left the scene in a one ton pickup truck. Then the bomb-

the weapons of the pig army, M-1 rifles, .45 caliber pistols and .30 caliber sniper carbines, but were not able to do so. The act was accomplished in one fast motion, and the heroes escaped capture and one week later, "law enforcement officials" are still scratching their heads in wonderment.

And although the weapons, themselves, tools of our liberation were not liberated from the oppressor, the success of this action cannot be denied.

As has been the case in liberation movements all over the world, the guns and arms made by and for the oppressor eventually end up in the hands of the oppressed. More important, the unknown people who accomplished this act, obtained hundreds of rounds of desperately needed ammunition. Again, past experiences has shown that while the guns themselves can be obtained in ample supply, the ammunition, the bullets, that actually injects death upon our enemy, becomes very scarce. One of the necessities of our struggle is our ability to liberate, stockpile, and then accurately use the ammunition of

As for the military personnel records, they can obviously be put to good use. Our oppressors must be harassed and intimidated day and night. They must not sleep, nor rest, these are the devils who plot the genocide of Black people. The National Guard Armory in the small town of Newburyport, like other small time towns surrounding the Black colony in Boston is designed to be used against us in the fascist genocidal plot devised by the treacherous minds of the Nixon-Agnew-Mitchell clique. It is to be carried out by those men whose names and addresses are now in the hands of the people. Unknown members of the fascist majority now appear before the people's tribunal and will be judged according to their actions.

This action is just one of many blows which will be dealt out to the oppressor. If this action was intended to help and serve the people, we welcome their help to our just liberation struggle against the Babylonian Empire.

ARM YOURSELF

Michael Fulla

OPTIONAL FORM NO. 10
MAY 1962 EDITION
GSA FPMR (41 CFR) 101-11.6

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM : SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (157-601)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE
BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP)

DATE: 11/4/70

Re New Haven letter, dated 10/12/70.

[REDACTED] that there was no record of [REDACTED] being on welfare in that county. Source also searched records for known aliases of [REDACTED] with negative results.

The same date, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] also reported to [REDACTED] had searched the name of [REDACTED] and her known aliases through files of his department with negative results.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 11/4/70

FROM : SAC, CHICAGO (157-2209) (P)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE
(BLACK PANTHER PARTY)

Re Bureau letter to New Haven, dated 9/30/70.

Enclosure with referenced letter has been reproduced and distributed to selected individuals.

A record has been made of the recipients of this material for possible future counterintelligence follow-up material.

The Bureau and San Francisco will be advised of any positive results obtained as a result of this action.

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- ② - Bureau (RM)
 - 1 - San Francisco (157-601) (Info) (RM)
 - 1 - Chicago
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Mr. C. D. Brennan

FROM : G. C. Moore

SUBJECT: RACIAL CONFERENCE, OCTOBER 22-23, 1970,
RECOMMENDATION FOR COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
ACTION AGAINST BLACK PANTHER PARTY 1 - Mr. H. E. Helgeson

- 1 - Mr. W. C. Sullivan
- 1 - Mr. J. P. Mohr
- 1 - Mr. C. D. Brennan

DATE: 10/28/70

- 1 - Mr. N. P. Callahan
- 1 - [REDACTED]
- 1 - [REDACTED]
- 1 - [REDACTED]

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To secure approval for anonymous mailing of reproduction of newspaper column critical of Black Panther Party (BPP).

Victor Riesel, noted labor columnist, recently authored a column highly critical of the BPP which exposed their viciousness including cold-blooded attacks on police. It points out the repeated calls for murder of police that appear in the Panther newspaper. The column also tells of a proposal by a union member that union affiliated freight handlers refuse to handle the shipment of the BPP newspaper.

At the recently concluded conference of field supervisors handling BPP matters it was unanimously recommended that this column be reproduced and anonymously mailed to select officials of the unions involved in handling shipments of BPP newspapers as well as selected officials and members of police fraternal organizations who might be in a position to encourage such a boycott.

This recommendation has excellent merit. Riesel's column is outstanding and it provides us with an ideal opportunity to bring the vicious character of the BPP to the attention of many officials of unions who are in a position to give impetus to the suggested boycott of the handling of BPP papers. Such a boycott, if realized, would be a most effective means to cut off BPP finances and propaganda.

The anonymous mailing of the reproduced column will be done from various field offices and can be handled with full security without embarrassment to the Bureau.

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Memorandum to Mr. C. D. Brennan
RE: RACIAL CONFERENCE, OCTOBER 22-23, 1970,
RECOMMENDATION FOR COUNTERINTELLIGENCE
ACTION AGAINST BLACK PANTHER PARTY

Attached is a layout of the proposed reproduction
of this column.

ACTION:

1. That reproduction and anonymous mailing of
attached item be approved.

2. If approved, reproduction to be prepared by
Exhibits Section of Administrative Division in coordination
with Racial Intelligence Section of Domestic Intelligence
Division.

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ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

AC, Chicago (157-2209) EX-102

11/6/70

Director, FBI (100-448006) - 2042

1 - [REDACTED]
1 - [REDACTED]

COINTELPRO - BLACK EXTREMISTS
RACIAL MATTERS

Reurlet 10/26/70 which recommended Bureau consider altering and thereafter duplicating a card for anonymous mailings throughout U.S.

Enclosed is copy of folded card which was submitted to the Bureau by relet.

You did not set forth any views as to how your proposal would cause disruption, dissension or defection among Black Panther Party (BPP) members, nor disillusionment of BPP supporters. The Bureau does not believe the adoption of your recommendation would lead to tangible results and no further consideration is being given to your recommendation at this time.

Enclosure

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NOTE:

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card reveals a drawing of the fully opened mouth of a panther. Chicago recommended Bureau consider possibility of duplicating this card by adding "the Black Panther" across top of card and replacing the inside folded sheet with a yellow-colored drawing of a kitten. No apparent tangible results would be accomplished through adoption of this recommendation. If proposed card was mailed to BPP group, it is conceivable group could engage in violence in effort to refute this indication of cowardice.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 10/26/70

FROM : SAC, CHICAGO (157-2209) (P)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS

RACIAL INTELLIGENCE
BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP)
RM

Enclosed for the Bureau is a folded card with the picture of a black panther's head on the outside which, when opened, reveals a drawing of the fully opened mouth of the panther.

This enclosure was made available by [REDACTED]

It is suggested that the Bureau consider the possibility of duplicating this card with the addition of the statement "The Black Panther" printed across the top of the cover sheet and replacing the inside fold sheet with a yellow colored drawing of a kitten.

Should such be feasible, copies could be furnished to logical offices for anonymous mailings.

A copy of this letter is not being designated for San Francisco as only one copy of the enclosure is presently available to Chicago.

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- 1 - Chicago

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FBI

Date: October 27, 1970

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Via AIRTEL _____
(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)
FROM: *Nushey* LEGAT, PARIS (157-67) (KUC)
SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE
(BLACK PANTHER PARTY)

Re: Bureau airtel, October 20, 1970.

The letter transmitted with referenced airtel was recopied, using stationery purchased at a French 5¢ and 10¢ store, and was sent via French airmail on October 27, 1970.

- 5 - Bureau
 - (1 - New York)(100-161140)
 - (1 - San Francisco)(157-601)
 - (1 - Foreign Liaison Desk)
 - 1 - Paris
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Special Agent in Charge

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Date: 11/2/70

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Via AIRTEL AIRMAIL
(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, TAMPA (157-3213) (P)

COUNTER INTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

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Re Tampa letter to Bureau, 8/31/70.



The above information was orally furnished to the St. Petersburg Police Department on 10/29/70.

Subsequently, [redacted] was stopped by the St. Petersburg Police Department for driving a vehicle with a defective tail light. A search of the vehicle disclosed that [redacted] was in possession of a carbine enforcer with a folding stock. [redacted] was arrested for operating a vehicle with a defective tail light and for carrying a rifle without a license. Other occupants of the vehicle were [redacted]

[redacted] were not arrested.

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Special Agent in Charge

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On 11/2/70, this matter was discussed with [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] As a result of the conversation, [REDACTED] advised the he would bring this information to the attention of his sources at Tampa newspapers and would see to it that the arrest was publicized, especially in view of previous statements made by [REDACTED] to the effect that he was being harassed by the [REDACTED] without reason.

[REDACTED] advised that the FBI would not be mentioned and the Bureau's interests will be protected.

FBI

Date: 10/30/70

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

Via AIRTEL _____
(Priority)

Mr. Mohr	_____
Mr. Bishop	_____
Mr. Brennan	_____
Mr. Callahan	_____
Mr. Casper	_____
Mr. Conrad	_____
Mr. Felt	_____
Mr. Gale	_____
Mr. Rosen	_____
Mr. Tavel	_____
Mr. Walters	_____
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Miss Holmes	_____
Miss Gandy	_____

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, MIAMI (157-2414) (P)

COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK AFRO MILITANT MOVEMENT (BAMM)
RM

Re Bureau teletype to Miami, 10/6/70, and Miami teletype to Bureau, 10/5/70, authorizing Miami to notify local authorities re a complaint against [REDACTED]

Miami has maintained close contact with [REDACTED]

Miami will continue to follow this matter in the event [REDACTED] at some future date.

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OPTIONAL FORM NO. 10
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GSA GEN. REG. NO. 27
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : MR. C. D. BRENNAN

FROM : MR. G. C. MOORE *script*

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE
(BLACK PANTHER PARTY)

- 1 - Mr. W. C. Sullivan
- 1 - Mr. C. D. Brennan
- 1 - Mr. G. C. Moore

DATE: October 19, 1970

- 1 - [REDACTED]
- 1 - [REDACTED]
- 1 - [REDACTED]
- 1 - [REDACTED]

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*5. New York
 11. [REDACTED]
 ATKW: [REDACTED]*

To recommend approval of a counterintelligence proposal aimed at disrupting relationships between high-ranking Black Panther Party (BPP) officials, including Huey P. Newton.

Through our special coverage in New York City, data has been developed of an existing conflict between Newton and Eldridge Cleaver, BPP official and fugitive in Algiers. Newton feels Cleaver is trying to undermine his position and authority in the BPP. In Panther discussions of the conflict, Newton has apparently accused other BPP leaders, including [REDACTED] of being aligned with Cleaver. New York proposed that a letter be sent from abroad to Newton indicating Cleaver, in concert with other BPP leaders in the U.S., is trying to undercut Newton. New York suggests the name of one of three Panther fugitives with Cleaver in Algiers be signed to the letter. Such a letter would further antagonize existing animosities and could result in the fugitive's expulsion from Algiers, thus disrupting operations there.

San Francisco, at the request of New York, suggested that the letter be signed by either [REDACTED]

OBSERVATIONS:

New York's proposal has merit. Bureau has no capability for securely mailing the letter from Algeria. A letter suitable for this purpose has been prepared at Seat of Government (copy attached) and will be sent to Legat, Paris, with instructions to retype on European-style stationery and mail from Paris to Newton in care of BPP attorney Charles Garry in San Francisco, who regularly receives mail for Newton. Due to lack of ready availability of written signatures of BPP members known to be in Algiers who could logically mail such a letter, letter to be sent will not contain a written signature but will bear the typed initials [REDACTED]. These initials will indicate the sender to be [REDACTED] described above.

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Memorandum to Mr. C. D. Brennan
RE: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
(BLACK PANTHER PARTY)
100-448006

ACTION:

If approved, the attached airtel, with enclosed text of the letter involved, will be sent to Legat, Paris, in accordance with the above. Deliberate errors have been incorporated into the letter to make it more believable and Legat, Paris, is being instructed to include the errors in the letter which will be sent.

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Huey P. Newton
Supreme Commander

Dear Brother,

In the few months I've been here I have seen the conspiracy. And now that you are out of the pig jail it's worse. You suffered for all us ~~black~~ brothers and sisters. Everything you do is for freeing all of us from the pig power structure. But Eldridge is rapping with [redacted] to cut you out. Watch out for [redacted] and the others that keep oinking to Eldridge about you.

You are the man Huey and all of us are for you but you have got to watch out. May be you can tell everybody that all letters to or from Eldridge have to clear through you.

I'm having a friend send this for me from Europe because I don't trust the Algerian mail here.

POWER TO THE PEOPLE

[redacted]

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ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

11/3/70

Airtel

1 - [redacted]
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1 - [redacted]

To: SACs, Chicago
EX-111 New York (100-161140)
San Francisco
REC-20
From: Director, FBI (100-448006) - 21.94

COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

ReNYairtel 10/29/70.

Bureau authority is granted for Chicago and New York to prepare and mail the anonymous letters proposed in reairtel. Take the usual precautions to insure that action taken cannot be traced to the Bureau.

Recipients should be alert for any results from this operation.

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COM:la Davis, top ten fugitive, was arrested by Bureau Agents in New York City on 10/13/70. David Rudolph Poindexter, Negro male from Chicago, was arrested with Davis and charged with harboring. New York racial informant has advised that there have been "rumblings" in the Negro communities that Poindexter "fingered" Davis. New York suggests that anonymous letters be mailed to Ebony magazine (postmarked Chicago, Illinois) and Village Voice (postmarked New York City). Both are publications published by and primarily for Negroes. The letters would cast Huey P. Newton, BPP Minister of Defense and Supreme Commander, as the "finger man." Suggestion approved as 1970 could have a disruptive effect in the black nationalist field and particularly between the Communist Party, USA - New Left coalition and the BPP.

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FBI

Date: 10/29/70

Transmit the following in _____
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Via AIRTEL _____
(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)
FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (100-161140)
SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

Enclosed for the Bureau are two copies each of two suggested letters designed to cause disruption with BPP.

As the Bureau is aware ANGELA YVONNE DAVIS, Top Ten Fugitive was arrested by Bureau Agents, New York City 10/13/70. Arrested along with DAVIS and charged with violation of Harboring Statute was DAVID RUDOLPH POINDEXTER, a 37 year old negro male from Chicago, Illinois [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] advised there has been "rumblings" in the negro communities of Brooklyn that POINDEXTER "fingered" DAVIS. This same source stated that he had heard rumors that Ebony Magazine, a weekly negro magazine was presently attempting to determine if this rumor had any semblance of credence. Source stated that these rumors were not confined to Brooklyn, NY but was under impression Ebony Magazine was receiving similar "rumblings" from Chicago and Los Angeles.

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- 1 Chicago (Encls. 2) (RM)
- 1 San Francisco (Encls. 2) (RM)
- 1 New York

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NYO feels that any counterintelligence program directed against POINDEXTER would be superfluous since POINDEXTER's activities in the Black Nationalist field are nominal, at the best.

In view of the fact that there is suspicion in the negro community that DAVIS was "set up", NYO suggests that HUEY NEWTON, Supreme Commander of the BPP be cast in the light as "fingerman". If such a ploy could be successfully carried out it might result in disruption in the Black Nationalist field as well as divorcing BPP from CPUSA and Militant New Left groups.

For the further information of the Bureau, the BPP has taken little or no activity in the defense of DAVIS subsequent to her arrest.

It is the proposal of the NYO that handwritten letters anonymously be forwarded to Ebony Magazine, 1820 S. Michigan Avenue, Chicago, Ill. 60616 and to the Village Voice, 80 University Place, NYC.

If this proposal meets with the satisfaction of the Bureau the letter designated for Ebony Magazine, which begins with the words, Dear Brothers and Sisters would be mailed from a negro area in Chicago, Ill. The second letter for the Village Voice would be mailed from NYC.

Dear Brothers and Sisters:

As of this writing, our lovely Sister Angela languishes in jail and her chances of freedom seem remote. She's got to pay the man, right? But the question I put to you is: Who did the man pay?

You know and I know the pigs can't come up with a Black in a Black community just by driving around the streets and hasseling the Brothers. I tell you that Sister Davis would still be free if her capture was left to the federal pigs alone. Of course, it was not that way at all. There was bread - lots of pure cash rye - put into an eager black hand which in turn twisted the knife of treachery in our Sister's back.

Now, the big question is who? Who was the cat who dishonored his skin and took the 30 pieces of silver? Some of the cats in New York and Chicago point their fingers at Poindexter. Poindexter says no. Naturally, he says no. You wouldn't expect him to say "yes" would you? Well, maybe he's right. Little Davy just don't fit the picture.....no brains, and he's a shooter.

Some of the west coast cats are looking hard at Brother Newton. Shit, you say, Huey would never sell out to pig country. He's a dedicated Nationalist, leader of the Brothers and Sisters and a cat with real soul. Maybe it's bullshit, but let's look at Huey a little closer. He gets sprung from a stiff rap in August. The man suddenly turns kind and sets our Brother free. In that same month Sister Angela is among the missing as the result of a frame the pigs laid on her. What did Huey give for the sunlight and flowers? Or better still, what did the man give sweet Huey? How come Huey's size 12 mouth has been zippered since our Sister's bust? Nothing, he says. Absolutely nothing. Not one appeal for justice. No TV, no papers, no radio, no nothing. He got five grand, so the cats say. It's enough to make a man wonder. Wouldn't be surprised if Huey didn't split the scene soon. I, for one, will be most interested.

A friend of Sister Angela

100-2037/68

Sister Angela is in jail. Poindexter is free.
Huey Newton is free. David P. is a dumb-head and a hop-
head. Forget him. But Huey is smart. Gets along well
with the MAN. The question is: Did this cat bank five
big bills lately.....a gift from the federal pigs?

Concerned Brother

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ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

11/3/70

Fairtel

1 [REDACTED]

To: SAC, Charlotte
From: Director, FBI (100-448006) PERSONAL ATTENTION

COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST HATE GROUPS
BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP)
RACIAL MATTERS

ReSFairtel 10/21/70.

Enclosed is text of a letter to be sent to [REDACTED] as a counterintelligence measure to plant the seed of doubt in Huey Newton's mind concerning his status in the BPP. In view of information in referenced airtel concerning a logical person in a position to know [REDACTED] address, you are instructed to prepare a letter on plain unwatermarked bond paper, typewritten and mailed in a plain envelope to [REDACTED] address as set forth in referenced airtel. Be certain to mail this letter from Winston-Salem, North Carolina. Letter is to be anonymous.

Enclosure

1 - San Francisco (157-601) (Enclosure)

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NOTE:

By memorandum G. C. Moore to Mr. C. D. Brennan captioned "Counterintelligence Program - Black Panther Party" dated 10/12/70, it was recommended and the Director approved that a letter be directed to [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] the purpose of this letter is to plant the seed of doubt in the mind of Huey Newton; that his power

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George
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Airtel to Charlotte
Re: Counterintelligence Program
Black Nationalist Hate Groups
Black Panther Party
100-448006

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in the BPP is being threatened by [REDACTED]
of the BPP. This letter is being forwarded to [REDACTED]
inasmuch as it is doubtful that such a letter directed to
Huey Newton would ever be received by him. Recommendations
concerning this matter were solicited from San Francisco and
referenced airtel suggests that letter be sent from
Winston-Salem, North Carolina, as an individual who would
logically be in a position to know [REDACTED] address
departed Oakland, California, for Winston-Salem. Letter is
to be anonymous.

FBI

Date: 10/21/70

Transmit the following in _____

(Type in plaintext or code)

Via AIRTEL

AIR MAIL (REGISTERED)

(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (157-601)

COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST-HATE GROUPS
BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP)
RACIAL MATTERS

ReBuairtel 10/13/70, concerning the forwarding of an anonymous letter to [redacted]

It is the opinion of the San Francisco Office that [redacted] continues to wield a great deal of power in the BPP not through subverting NEWTON's position but rather because NEWTON has surrendered a portion of his leadership through default. He only occasionally appears at headquarters and leaders in Oakland have complained that he is not relating to all their problems.

At the present, NEWTON also appears to be avoiding many local speeches that are handled at the last moment by other members. It appears that he is contented with the arrangement.

At present there are several members of the NCCF from Dallas at National Headquarters and it is suggested that an anonymous letter be mailed from another branch. Why not mail it from Winston-Salem, North Carolina and possibly foment some trouble with a new chapter?

For the information of the Bureau, mail may be directed to [redacted] who recently departed Oakland for [redacted] would logically be in a position to know [redacted]

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- 1 - Charlotte (RM)
- 1 - San Francisco

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Memorandum

ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

- 1 - Mr. W. C. Sullivan
- 1 - Mr. C. D. Brennan
- 1 - Mr. G. C. Moore

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TO : Mr. C. D. Brennan

DATE: 10/17/70

FROM : G. C. Moore *GM*

1 - [REDACTED]
 1 - [REDACTED]
 1 - [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK PANTHER PARTY

*J. Mohr
5-10-70*

To recommend counterintelligence measures calculated to create a split between top level leaders of the Black Panther Party (BPP).

[REDACTED]

We feel that above information is a sound indication that Huey Newton is being cleverly manipulated by BPP leadership. This offers an excellent opportunity for the Bureau to create friction between Newton and [REDACTED] hopefully resulting in dissension among BPP leaders. It is felt that Newton should be made aware that [REDACTED] is subverting his party position. Because Newton is so well insulated from the public it is felt the most logical method of informing him of [REDACTED] intentions would be to send a Bureau prepared anonymous letter seemingly from a concerned Panther to [REDACTED]

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Memorandum to Mr. C. D. Brennan
Re: Counterintelligence Program
100-448006

The above counterintelligence proposal can be accomplished without danger of embarrassment to the Bureau.

RECOMMENDATION:

That attached airtel outlining proposed counterintelligence measure be approved and sent to San Francisco for their comments and recommendations.

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ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

11-2-70

Airtel

1 - [REDACTED]

To: SA, Charlotte (157-6109)

From: Director, FBI (100-448006) - 2034

COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE (BLACK PANTHER PARTY)

Reurairtel 10-26-70.

You are authorized to prepare and mail anonymous newsletter set forth in referenced airtel. Insure the anonymous newsletter cannot be traced to the Bureau. Advise Bureau of positive results received.

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NOTE: [Handwritten initials]

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This is a continuation of previously approved counterintelligence measures designed to cause dissension between the Black Panther Party (BPP) leadership and the Negro community in Winston-Salem, North Carolina. Charlotte has previously mailed several hundred copies of this leaflet belittling the BPP. Informants have reported dissension among the BPP group in Winston-Salem.

Among those BPP members having been arrested on armed robbery charges. The leaflet to be mailed under the anonymous caption "The Committee of 25" contains the usual misspellings and [REDACTED]

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Airtel to SAC, Charlotte
RE: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE (BLACK PANTHER PARTY)
100-448006

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other errors and it is an attack on the Panthers for commission of armed robberies in the Winston-Salem area; [REDACTED] for his public refusal to work instead of going to jail; and the fact the Panthers are shoplifting from local Negro store owners. The newsletter also sets forth that the Panthers are attempting to create a violent confrontation between the police and the Panthers and this will only hurt the black community. Concerning previous newsletters under the same caption a local Negro pastor and leader of the NAACP in Winston-Salem has exhibited past newsletters indicating he believes this to be a good move by some small church group afraid to speak out publicly against the Black Panthers. This is another good counterintelligence measure to drive a wedge between the BPP and the local Negro residents of Winston-Salem.

FBI

Date: 10/26/70

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Via AIRTEL _____
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)
FROM: SAC, CHARLOTTE (157-6109) (P)
SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE (BLACK PANTHER PARTY)

Re Charlotte airtel to Bureau dated 8/17/70; Bureau airtel to Charlotte dated 9/18/70; and Charlotte airtel to Bureau dated 9/25/70.

It is noted that the Charlotte Office mailed out a news sheet captioned "The Committee of Twenty-five" pursuant to Bureau authority. Response was good; and, in fact,

_____ produced one of the letters noting that he considered it a good move by some small church group who were afraid to speak out publicly and believed that the letter would sway people who were "on the fence" in their thinking about the Black Panthers. In addition, information from the Winston-Salem, N. C., Police Department indicates this proposal may have caused a decrease in donations and other community support of the Black Panther Party noting they are having extreme difficulties in disposing of their newspapers.

Due to the apparent success of this operation, Charlotte desires its continuance; and the following proposed letter under the caption "The Committee of 25" is presented for the Bureau's approval:

"The Committee of 25"

"The Black Panthers of our neighborhood have again shown their complete disregard for the lives

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of black people by their armed robberies of both blacks and whites.

are in jail and rightly so, for a vicious armed robbery committed on

for a vicious armed robbery where the lives of many black people were endangered. They don't really care about us as long as they can grab something off for themselves.

who Panthers say have been stealing newspaper money said in open court some time ago he would rather go to jail than work for 30 days. If he would work he could keep himself up and not be begging from us under the disguise of the breakfast program. This shows he and the other Black Panthers are just one more slumlord we have to contend with.

"This group has grown so fowl they can not get members from the decent people of the neighborhood and are now taking in punks and sissies like . It is becoming a queer house and no wonder they want our children there for 'breakfast.'

"Our contributions and buying the Black Panther paper help support these lazy bandits who refuse to work and then rob from us. (Watch the Black Panther member when he comes to your store carrying a package. It has a door in it and they steal from us by placing meat or close inside the package and carrying it out. Protect yourself from them or they will steal you blind no matter what your color.)

"It is well known in our community the Black Panthers are barricading their house and they have guns. They plan among themselves to get something

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Special Agent in Charge

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started with the police in hopes some of us in the neighborhood will be killed while they are safe in their hole. They will then try to blame the police to gain our support for themselves. Even worse if no one in the neighborhood is killed they talk of killing one of the children there themselves and blaming it on the police. Be alert to this.

"We see their constant lies in the Black Panther Party and hear their constant demands for money and we know they are just another communist backed Mafia as far as we are concerned.

"We The Committee of 25 charge _____

_____ as leeches and traitors to the black people and support the growing effort to remove these fools from our community. Those Black Panthers we have not named may be saved and we urge you to leave the Black Panther Party now before the wrath of the people smashes you.

"Wrap about this among yourselves and pray for us and our work to free the black people from all leeches and masters."

It is noted that there are misspellings and other errors; however, this is to make the newsletter more realistic. It is believed that the newsletter if prepared in this manner will be an attack on the Panthers for commission of armed robberies; _____ for his public refusal to work instead of going to jail; and the fact that the Panthers are shoplifting from local stores. In addition, in the event a violent confrontation does occur between the police and the Panthers, no matter who provoked it, the ground-work will be laid for the Panthers to lose support.

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On receipt of Bureau approval, approximately 200 copies prepared on commercially purchased, unwatermarked, colored paper, using inexpensive envelopes, will be mailed.

The operation will be handled in such a manner so the Bureau will not be identified.

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Special Agent in Charge

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 10/30/70

FROM : SAC, WFO (157-1292)(ea)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE
(BLACK PANTHER PARTY)

ReNHlet to Bureau, 9/30/70.

Referenced letter made available to WFO copies of a leaflet which was reproduced and mailed to selected individuals and groups in the Washington, D.C. area.

Distribution was made by anonymous mailings which cannot be traced to the Bureau.

The Bureau will be advised of any tangible results received as a result of these mailings, the recipients being selected on the criteria of their involvement in the black power movement or their prestige in the community.

A list of those who received a copy of the leaflet is being maintained in WFO file.

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FBI

Date: 10/23/70

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Via AIRTEL _____
(Priority)

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)
FROM: *DM* SAC, PITTSBURGH (100-15780) (P)
SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE
(SAMUEL WESLEY HOWZE)

G. Howard

On 10/22/70, [redacted] advised that he had learned that [redacted] had been convicted on [redacted] in Louisville, Kentucky, believed to be in Federal Court from charges brought by Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms Division.

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For the information of the Bureau [redacted] has been recently named [redacted] Program in Pittsburgh and has received some newspaper publicity as a result of this position.

[redacted] is also known to associate with [redacted] of Jackson, Mississippi, who was arrested in 3/70, in possession of marijuana and who has a reputation in Jackson as a drug pusher. In view of his association with

- 2 - Bureau (RM)
- 2 - Louisville (RM)
- 3 - Pittsburgh (1 - 157-664)

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Special Agent in Charge

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[REDACTED] it is, therefore, considered highly undesirable to have him associated with a Drug Rehabilitation Program which is receiving funds from the state and county.

Louisville is requested to determine full facts concerning [REDACTED] conviction on [REDACTED] and also furnish *any* copies of newspaper publications concerning this conviction.

The Bureau is requested to authorize Pittsburgh to furnish any such information obtained by Louisville to [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] It will be suggested to [REDACTED] that he may desire to write an article setting out [REDACTED] conviction and his position with the [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] has been previously utilized in the Counter-intelligence Program and has been found to be extremely cooperative and discreet.

No action will be taken in this matter without Bureau authority, and the Bureau will be advised of any tangible results.

ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

10/29/70

Airtel

1 - [REDACTED]
1 - [REDACTED]

EX 106

To: SAC, Newark (100-49654)

REC-75

From: Director, FBI (100-448006) - 2631

COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE
(BLACK PANTHER PARTY)

Re: Newark airtel 10/13/70, Bureau airtel 10/20/70
and San Francisco airtel 10/19/70.

Because of the internal dissension in the Jersey City, New Jersey, Chapter of the Black Panther Party (BPP), a criticism of the BPP newspaper from that chapter would have value as a counterintelligence measure in compounding this dissension and add to the possibility that national BPP headquarters will take disciplinary action against the Jersey City BPP which has been baiting the police and seeking a confrontation with the police.

For the above reason Newark authorized to implement its counterintelligence suggestion and keep the Bureau advised of all positive results.

1 - San Francisco (157-601)

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Airtel to SAC, Newark
RE: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
(BLACK PANTHER PARTY)
100-448006

NOTE:

Newark recommended a letter signed "Jersey City Black Panther Party" be sent to BPP national headquarters criticizing cartoons in the BPP newspaper which depict children, women and old men holding guns, creating the impression that these people are leading the "army of liberation." San Francisco fails to see any counter-intelligence value in this, feeling that to point out errors in the paper might improve the product. Newark did not include information about the dissension in Jersey City in its recommendation. This aspect of the situation is worth the counterintelligence effort, despite San Francisco's observations.

FBI

Date: 10/19/70

Transmit the following in _____
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Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL (REGISTERED)
(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (157-601)

COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST-HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE
BLACK PANTHER PARTY

Re Newark airtel 10/13/70, suggesting the forwarding of an anonymous letter criticizing cartoons in "The Black Panther".

San Francisco fails to see any counterintelligence value in such a proposal. If the cartoons do in fact carry the implication set forth in reairtel so much the better. It is our opinion nothing is to be gained by pointing out errors. They might improve the product.

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- 1 - Mr. D. Brennan
- 1 - Mr. C. Moore
- 1 - Mr. L. Shackelford
- 1 - [REDACTED]
- 1 - [REDACTED]

10/29/70

ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

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To: SACs, San Francisco (157-601)
New York

From: Director, FBI (100-448006) - 202A

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COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE - BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP)

COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
NEW LEFT
SECURITY MATTERS

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ReSFairtel 10/21/70.

New York is authorized to send the anonymous letter set out in referenced airtel. However, first paragraph should be amended to include for the initial sentence the following: "I have just returned to New York and have read in back newspapers about [REDACTED] and 'party' returning."

Take the usual precautions to insure that the mailing of this letter cannot be traced to the Bureau. Recipients should be alert for any results from this operation.

1 - Los Angeles
WLS:rrd/cb (14)

WLS
rrd
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NOTE: In July and August, 1970, Eldridge Cleaver, BPP Minister of Information and fugitive from justice, lead an "anti-imperialist delegation" of Negro and white extremists, including [REDACTED] to North Korean and North Vietnam. Cleaver, of course, did not return to this country. BPP leaders have indicated their annoyance as [REDACTED] was more or less the "star" of a New York City press conference upon the group's return. San Francisco suggested that an anonymous letter postmarked in New York City be sent BPP leader Huey P. Newton complaining of the press coverage received by [REDACTED]. Suggestion approved as action could have a disruptive effect by causing a chasm or rift to develop between [REDACTED] supporters (The New Left) and the BPP.

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FBI

Date: 10/21/70

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Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL
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RE: [Handwritten initials]

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)
FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (157-601)
SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE - BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP)

COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
NEW LEFT
SECURITY MATTERS

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Re Bureau airtel, dated 10/13/70, to Los Angeles and San Francisco.

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For the information of the New York Division, the Bureau queried San Francisco and Los Angeles for Counterintelligence recommendations because of the differences that might have arisen between the New Left and the Black Panther Party (BPP) over [redacted] set forth in New York airtel and LHM, dated 9/23/70, captioned, "Travel of U. S. Delegation to North Korea and North Vietnam, July-August, 1970, led by Eldridge Cleaver, IS - Miscellaneous," and Los Angeles airtel and LHM, dated 9/23/70, captioned, "Black Panther Party, Los Angeles Division, Racial Matters."

It is San Francisco's suggestion that the Bureau authorize the New York Office to type on plain paper and mail to HUEY P. NEWTON the following note in a manner that could not be traced to the Bureau:

"New York City, date.

- 3 - Bureau (RM)
(1 - 100-44698)
- 1 - Los Angeles (RM)
- 1 - New York (RM)
- 2 - San Francisco
(1 - 100-60968)

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

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LSB:lcj

"Mr. Supreme Commander--I think you should know and may be you do. These big pig establishment newspapers in New York has sure forgot about a lot of things.

"No body gets the word that ELDRIDGE CLEAVER and the Black Panthers ran that tour to China. They all seem to think it was bossed by white mother country radicals. When that white radical got through talking in New York, no body heard of the Black Panthers.

"Power to the people."

FBI

Date: 10/13/70

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Via _____

AIRTEL AIR MAIL (REGISTERED)

(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (157-601)

COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST-HATE GROUPS
BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP)
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Re Detroit airtel 9/30/70, discussing the composition of anonymous letter directed to HUEY NEWTON accusing [redacted] of stealing BPP funds and depositing them in a numbered account in Switzerland.

In the event the Bureau decides to approve the letter San Francisco is of the opinion it should be directed to HUEY NEWTON at 1046 Peralta, Oakland, California, the National Headquarters of the BPP. It is not likely that a person directing a letter from abroad to NEWTON would be aware of another address where NEWTON might receive mail. San Francisco has already suggested the directing of another anonymous letter to NEWTON through CHARLES GARRY, his attorney, and we feel that a second anonymous communication directed to him at the same address would cause undue suspicion..

San Francisco would recommend that the letter to NEWTON be as uncomplicated as possible in order that the cover not be blown.

This office has had BPP deserters in the past but we know of no BPP deserters who have sought asylum in Europe. The San Francisco Office is not aware that Switzerland offers U.S. deserters the same type of asylum that are granted to Selective Service fugitives in Sweden.

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- Detroit (157-3214) (RM)
- San Francisco

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Detroit should also bear in mind that the BPP has representatives in the Scandinavian countries and might possibly feel they should be aware of any BPP deserter presently residing in Switzerland.

San Francisco also wishes to point out that it is not believed logical for the suspicion to be set forth in the letter that a homosexual may be in contact with [REDACTED] on a periodic basis as the homosexual seems to have access to obtaining BPP newspapers. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] is not involved in the distribution of "The Black Panther" and BPP sources in San Francisco are aware of the number and the destination of "The Black Panther" newspaper being forwarded to Europe. San Francisco might also point out that BOBBY SEALE, [REDACTED]

San Francisco is unable to furnish the name or location of any hangouts in the San Francisco area where BPP members might contact deserters and homosexuals. The BPP members in this area for the most part appear to limit their activities around the party's pads and community centers.

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To: SAC, San Francisco (157-601)

From: Director, FBI (100-448006) *REC-34*

COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE - BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP)

Reurlet 10/22/70.

Bureau authority granted to direct the anonymous letter outlined in relet to the [REDACTED]. Insure that the letter cannot be traced to the Bureau. Advise of positive results.

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1 - 105-165706 (BPP)

NOTE:

San Francisco requested authority to direct anonymous letter to [REDACTED]. San Francisco files contain no information that would preclude the sending of such an anonymous letter. The proposed letter points out to the [REDACTED] the problems the BPP has caused in other premises and indicates that the Panthers have plastered posters over a nearby garage. The anonymous letter is to be from a concerned property owner."

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DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 10/22/70

FROM :

SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (157-601)

SUBJECT:

COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE - BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP)

It has been ascertained that the BPP has recently initiated a new Breakfast Program at 127 Downey Street in the notorious Haight-Ashbury District of San Francisco. Investigation reflects that the [redacted]

A review of the files of the San Francisco Office would indicate there was no reason not to forward [redacted] an anonymous letter advising him of this fact. San Francisco asks permission to prepare the following anonymous letter for mailing to [redacted]. If permission is granted, care will be taken to see that the communication cannot be traced to the Bureau:

"San Francisco, California, date

"Dear Mr. [redacted]

"I would call and talk to you about this matter, but I am not sure how you feel, and I do not wish to become personally embroiled with neighbors. It seems that the property owners on Downey Street have had enough trouble in the past without bringing in Black Panthers.

"Maybe you are not aware, but the Black Panthers have taken over 127 Downey Street. Perhaps if you drive up the street, you can see what they are going to do to the property values. They have already plastered a nearby garage with big Black Panther posters.

"A Concerned Property Owner."

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006) DATE: 10/27/70

FROM : SAC, PHILADELPHIA (157-2371)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST--HATE GROUPS
BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP)
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Re Philadelphia airtel, 8/13/70; Bureau airtel, 8/19/70.

On 8/24/70 an anonymous letter was mailed to HUEY NEWTON criticizing organizing for the Revolutionary Peoples Constitutional Convention, 9/5 - 7/70, Philadelphia.

On approximately [redacted] and others, were expelled from BPP for various reasons.

It is felt that the letter submitted under this program helped to have [redacted] and the others expelled from BPP.

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2 - Bureau (100-448006)
1 - San Francisco
1 - Philadelphia (157-2371)

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To: SAC, Norfolk (157-464)
From: Director, FBI (100-448006) 2026

COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE
(NATION OF ISLAM)

ReNFlet 10/22/70 recommending that an anonymous letter be sent to the [REDACTED] regarding an illegitimate child fathered by the [REDACTED] Norfolk, Virginia.

Authority is granted to send the anonymous letter as outlined in referenced Norfolk letter. Appropriate precautions are to be taken to avoid the possibility of the letter being traced back to the Bureau. Advise Bureau if tangible results observed as a result of this action.

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NOTE:

Norfolk letter 10/22/70 enclosed a copy of a letter that they recommended sending to the [REDACTED] informing that the [REDACTED] had fathered an illegitimate child. The purpose of such a letter is to cause dissension among NOI members and possibly cause removal of [REDACTED]

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 10/22/70

FROM: SAC, NORFOLK (157-464) (P)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE (NATION OF ISLAM)

Re Norfolk letters, 10/23/68 and 5/19/69; Chicago letter, 6/3/69.

Enclosed herewith are two copies of an anonymous letter which the Norfolk Division desires to send to [redacted], Chicago, Illinois. The letter will contain the noted typographical errors and misspelled words. It will be sent in an envelope to the indicated address with no return address. It will be handwritten.

The purpose of the letter is to request [redacted] to direct that an inquiry be made concerning the allegation that [redacted] fathered an illegitimate child by [redacted] etc. If investigation were conducted by NOI Headquarters, it is felt it could cause dissension in the Mosque, "shake things up," and even possibly cause the removal of [redacted]

[redacted] has suspended several members of the Mosque, both male and female, for fornication and has frequently told the membership what a high standard of morals he allegedly has. Following his marriage to [redacted], he bragged how he never even touched or kissed her until they were married "because the Messenger wanted me to be pure."

A similar type letter was previously directed to [redacted] but no action was taken on the basis of that letter. It is felt that another attempt should be made at this time through [redacted]

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1-Norfolk

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There is a small dissenting NOI group which meets in Portsmouth, Virginia, consisting of four members. These persons refuse to go to Mosque meetings as long as [REDACTED]

Since [REDACTED] removed [REDACTED] in [REDACTED] he has been unable to find a suitable replacement for him. The current [REDACTED] has already incurred the wrath of the male members because he is attempting to run the small Norfolk Mosque like the NOI runs the New York Mosques. Membership growth in the Norfolk Mosque has been at virtually a standstill during the last several years and according to informants, new members quickly become disenchanted with [REDACTED]

About three months ago, [REDACTED] had a number of NOI members sign a petition asking for the removal of [REDACTED] on the grounds of incompetency; and [REDACTED] indicated he was going to send a petition to Chicago Headquarters. [REDACTED]

It is felt that an anonymous letter at this time would be timely following in the wake of [REDACTED] petition.

Referenced Norfolk letters contain further background about [REDACTED] who are members of the Tidewater Mosque.

[REDACTED]
Muhammad's Mosque #2
5335 South Greenwood Avenue
Chicago, Illinois

Dear Brother,

AS-SALAAM-ALAIKUM

Greetings in the name of Almighty God Allah. We write you complaining about [REDACTED] in the Holy Messenger's Mosque in Norfolk, Virginia.

[REDACTED] gives us the life-giving words of the Messenger, our leader and teacher the Honorable Elijah Muhammad. [REDACTED] Mosque because they had fornicated, but he has fornicated too. Why is he not put out too.

Some of the sisters have quit the Mosque but send their donations to the Messenger. They will not go back to the Mosque because they know [REDACTED] morals are bad. Everyone knows he is the father of [REDACTED]. To save face for [REDACTED], [REDACTED] pays nothing for the support of the child. [REDACTED] works hard and must pay donations too. [REDACTED] got married and bragged to everyone how he never done touched his wife before they gots married.

Since [REDACTED] can't get no other good Fruit officers. [REDACTED] is no good. The brothers don't trust him.

Please help us, oh captain. Get us a Minister who is truly a believer. Help us. Send someone to help us.

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ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

10-23-70

Airtel

1 - [REDACTED]

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To: SAC, Miami (157-2414)

From: Director, FBI (100-448006) — *2, 25*

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COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM,
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE
DISRUPTION OF HATE GROUPS

Reurtel 10-20-70.

Bureau authority as requested in Miami teletype to institute counterintelligence proposal denied.

You should continue your aggressive counter-intelligence program in your efforts to discredit the black extremists in your division.

JOI:bad (4)

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Miami in referenced teletype submitted a counterintelligence suggestion that a cooperative [REDACTED] be furnished public source information implying that [REDACTED] furnished information to the Government that led to the arrest of Angela Davis. It is noted that [REDACTED] furnished no information to the Bureau regarding Davis.

[REDACTED] Bureau authority denied since article regarding [REDACTED] could be an issue in the hotly contested elections in Florida this year and the Bureau would reap no great benefit from this suggestion. On the informative note submitted 10-20-70, the Director concurred with the above and indicated "Right. H."

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FLY DAVIS FROM MIAMI TO CUBA. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]. THERE APPEARS TO BE NO BASIS FOR SUCH A REPORT AND THIS APPEARS TYPICAL OF A RUMOR [REDACTED] MAY HAVE INITIATED HIMSELF TO ENHANCE HIS POSITION IN THE MILITANT COMMUNITY.

BUREAU AUTHORITY IS REQUESTED FOR THE MIAMI OFFICE TO INITIATE CONTACT WITH [REDACTED] [REDACTED] TO ENCOURAGE HIM TO PREPARE AN ARTICLE USING ONLY PUBLIC SOURCE INFORMATION WHICH WOULD IMPLY [REDACTED] MAY HAVE BEEN THE GOVERNMENT INFORMANT WHO FURNISHED INFORMATION LEADING TO THE APPREHENSION OF DAVIS. THE BUREAU IS AWARE OF [REDACTED] AND THE COOPERATION HE HAS EXTENDED TO THE BUREAU IN THE PAST. IT IS NOTED THAT [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] IN THE PAST, [REDACTED] HAS COOPERATED WITH THE MIAMI DIVISION AND HAS PROVEN TO BE VERY RELIABLE AND TRUSTWORTHY. HE
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HAS NEVER DIVULGED THE BUREAU AS A SOURCE OF HIS INFORMATION.
IN THIS ARTICLE, [REDACTED]
SENTATIVES OF A MILITANT BLACK GROUP FROM OUTSIDE FLORIDA
ARE IN THE MIAMI AREA ATTEMPTING TO DETERMINE WHO WAS
RESPONSIBLE FOR FURNISHING INFORMATION TO THE FBI THAT
LED TO DAVIS' APPREHENSION.

IT IS NOTED THAT THERE HAVE BEEN NUMEROUS ARTICLES IN
MIAMI PAPERS AND THE NATIONAL PRESS WHICH REFLECT CONSIDERABLE
INTEREST IN DETERMINING THE SOURCE OF THE INFORMATION THAT
LED TO DAVIS' ARREST. THIS WOULD INDICATE MEMBERS OF THE
PRESS ARE NOT SATISFIED WITH THE EXPLANATION THAT DAVIS'
ARREST RESULTED FROM EXTENSIVE INVESTIGATION CONCERNING
THE AUTOMOBILE WHICH WAS IN HER POSSESSION.

MIAMI FEELS CONFIDENT THAT THIS PROGRAM WITH [REDACTED]
WILL BE HANDLED ON A STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL BASIS AND WILL
NOT RESULT IN ANY EMBARRASSMENT TO THE BUREAU.

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CC-MR. BRENNAN

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5-113a (10-7-60)

Domestic Intelligence Division

INFORMATIVE NOTE

Date October 20, 1970

Attached relates to Miami counter-intelligence suggestion that a cooperative staff writer for "Miami Herald" be furnished public source information implying that [redacted] furnished information to Government that led to arrest of Angela Davis. [redacted] furnished no information re Davis.

[redacted]

If you agree, Miami being advised Bureau authority denied since article regarding [redacted] would be an issue in the hotly contested elections in Florida this year and Bureau would reap no great benefit from this suggestion.

JOI:bad

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SAC, Newark (100-50136)

10/23/70

Director, FBI (100-449393)

1 - [REDACTED]
1 - [REDACTED]
1 - [REDACTED]

COINTELPRO - NEW LEFT

ReNKairtel 10/16/70.

Bureau appreciates your efforts under the Counterintelligence Program. However, Newark should consider something different from the suggested item submitted in referenced airtel. Your submission by airtel captioned "Counterintelligence Program, Black Nationalist Hate Groups, Racial Intelligence, Black Panther Party (BPP)," is quite similar and more applicable for use in the BPP Counterintelligence Program. Bureau airtel 10/20/70 approved Newark's proposal set out in NKairtel 10/13/70.

Newark report dated 9/18/70 captioned "Students for a Democratic Society, IS - SDS; Sedition" stated that no SDS activity is reported in the Newark, New Jersey, area. However, your submission in referenced airtel indicated that the handwritten letter to be sent to the BPP would be signed by "Newark SDS." Bureau feels that this would have little impact or cause no disruption in BPP headquarters, Jersey City, New Jersey, particularly since on October 15, 1970, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] emphasized that his group no longer was connected with the Weatherman faction and that the Weatherman faction had split off from SDS. [REDACTED] also claimed that his group was opposed to recent bombings. Review of SDS report mentioned above from your office indicates that only Worker Student Alliance chapters are present in the State of New Jersey.

Newark should reconsider a submission under Cointelpro aimed at disrupting present main chapters of SDS/WSA in the State of New Jersey.

1 - Newark (100-49354)

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Letter to Newark
Re: Cointelpro - New Left
100-449698

NOTE:

Newark submitted Cointelpro suggestion which was based upon a cartoon in "The Black Panther." Previously under Cointelpro of the Black Panther Party, Newark submitted a similar suggestion. However, it was to be sent from Jersey City, BPP headquarters to national BPP headquarters, Oakland, California. Suggestion submitted under Cointelpro-New Left most likely would be discarded by BPP and have little disruptive force against SDS.

FBI

Date: 10/7/70

Transmit the following in _____
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Via AIRTEL _____
(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)
FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (100-161140)
SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE
(BLACK PANTHER PARTY)

Enclosed herewith is the following counterintelligence proposal.

For the information of the Bureau on 10/3/70, [redacted]

[redacted] NY, reported the following discussion between [redacted]

[redacted]. This formed the basis of New York's proposal for Bureau's consideration and is set out as follows:

[redacted] to inquire what was new. [redacted] said he has been arguing all night with the two men (believed referring to HUEY P. NEWTON and [redacted]) [redacted] commented that he was trying to help [redacted] as much as possible but "they" were trying to put [redacted] up against the wall. [redacted] retorted that "they" were trying to put [redacted] up against the wall as well. [redacted] said the discussion lasted all night but it is still not resolved, and [redacted] wants to discuss the matter further with [redacted]

2-Bureau (Encls. 2) (RM)
2-San Francisco (Encls. 1) (RM)
1-New York

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Continuing [redacted] that HUEY (NEWTON) was running his mouth off "to that crazy woman, [redacted]" [redacted] interjected that they should not be talking behind anyone's back. [redacted] said "they" even brought up ELDRIDGE's (CLEAVER) attitude towards [redacted] and other party people. [redacted] said he can never understand what's on ELDRIDGE's mind because he never comes out with anything "plain and simple".

[redacted] then stated that HUEY (NEWTON) was uptight last night because ELDRIDGE called and asked for him and it seemed as if he was overriding HUEY's position and authority in the Party. [redacted] indicates that this is one reason why HUEY has not permitted him to go over there (Algiers).

[redacted] then said "I don't have no conspiracy going with ELDRIDGE". [redacted] retorted that someone has to straighten out all this "madness".

The NYO believes that the proposal may bear fruit because it would appear that HUEY P. NEWTON is apparently unstable and suffering some sort of complex. His instability was set forth by [redacted]

[redacted] was disciplined and had to sit on a park bench all night because NY Panthers did not show the proper respect for the Supreme Commander on a recent visit to NY. [redacted]

Concerning the proposal the NYO believes that the letter should be hand written, if possible, and signed by either [redacted]

It is hoped that if nothing more is accomplished the letter writer would be thrown out of his sanctuary in Algiers and possibly result in his apprehension.

NY 100-161140

It is suggested that the letter be mailed from Algiers through cooperation of CIA.

The San Francisco Office is requested to advise the most logical address for NEWTON in California. It is believed that addressing the letter to NEWTON at National Headquarters of the BPP might result in its being intercepted and not given to NEWTON.

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PROPOSAL

Huey P. Newton
Supreme Commander

Dear Brother,

It pains me to have to write about this conspiracy. I know how you have suffered for the Party, your every breathing moment is dedicated to all our brothers and sisters, but there are renegades rampant dedicated to isolate you from your rightful position as our beloved leader. Here abroad Eldridge and his close advisors in consort with [REDACTED] and others in Babylon are conspiring to set you up, take away your leadership and make you our "Impotent Commander".

Huey, we love you but fear, not for your life, but fear what will happen in Babylon once they wrest from you all your power.

Look out for [REDACTED] and others who keep oinking to Eldridge about you. Suggest orders be issued that any correspondence to Eldridge be cleared through you.

Power to the People

Signed

ENCLOSURE

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ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

October 20, 1970

Airtel

- 1 - Mr. W. C. Sullivan
- 1 - Mr. C. D. Brennan
- 1 - Mr. G. C. Moore
- 1 - [REDACTED]
- 1 - [REDACTED]
- 1 - [REDACTED]

To: REC 27 Legat, Paris

From: EX-103 Director, FBI (100-448006) - 2023

COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE
(BLACK PANTHER PARTY)

ReNYairtel 10/7/70 and San Francisco airtel 10/12/70.
no copies Legat, Paris.

The Bureau considers New York's suggestion an excellent one. Due to lack of handwriting specimens and inasmuch as the Bureau has no capability for securely mailing such a letter from the African Continent, the text of the letter as proposed by New York has been revised at the Seat of Government to indicate it is being mailed from Europe for security reasons. Copy of revised letter enclosed.

Legat, Paris, is instructed to promptly retype the text of this letter verbatim on stationery which is manufactured and readily available in Europe. Include the errors which are contained in attached letter. The letter should then be mailed under secure conditions from Paris to Huey P. Newton in care of Charles Garry, 341 Market Street, San Francisco California, 94111.

Enclosure

- Tolson _____
 - Sullivan _____
 - Mohr _____
 - Bishop _____
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 - McGuire _____
 - Tele. Room _____
 - Holmes _____
 - Gandy _____
- 1 - New York (100-161140) (Enclosure)
- 1 - San Francisco (157-601) (Enclosure)
- 1 - Foreign Liaison Desk (Route through for review)

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Airtel to Legat, Paris
COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
(BLACK PANTHER PARTY)
100-448006

Legat, Paris, should advise the Bureau, New York,
and San Francisco when the above has been accomplished. All
recipients should advise the Bureau of positive counter-
intelligence benefits derived from this action.

NOTE:

See memorandum G. C. Moore to C. D. Brennan
dated 10/19/70, captioned as above, prepared by PEN:ckw.

FBI

Date: 10/12/70

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Via _____

A I R T E L A I R M A I L (REGISTERED)

(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (157-601)

COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST-HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE
(BLACK PANTHER PARTY)

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ReNYairtel proposing a letter directed to HUEY
NEWTON from Algiers, Algeria.

San Francisco would suggest that the note be signed
by [redacted] BPP
members in Algiers are in frequent telephonic contact with
National Headquarters [redacted] in particular is on the phone
frequently. It is believed that it would be a simple matter
for NEWTON to ask [redacted] directly if he had forwarded such a
letter, but he may have to make such an inquiry of [redacted]
[redacted] through another person and might hesitate to do so.

San Francisco does not believe that either [redacted]
[redacted] would be in a position to know NEWTON's residence but
they would surely know of NEWTON's close association with
CHARLES GARRY, the BPP attorney. It is therefore suggested
that the proposed letter, if approved, be directed to HUEY
NEWTON, c/o CHARLES GARRY, 341 Market Street, San Francisco,
California 94111.

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- 2 - Bureau (RM)
- 1 - New York (100-16140) (RM) EX-103
- 1 - San Francisco

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Approved: _____
Special Agent in Charge

Sent _____ Per _____

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 10/21/70

FROM : SAC, BOSTON (157-531)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE
BLACK PANTHER PARTY

The 10/10/70 edition of the Black Panther newspaper on page two contained an unsigned article captioned, "Boston Pig Killed During Bank Holdup."

The article referred to the fatal shooting of Patrolman WALTER SCHROEDER, Boston Police Department, who was gunned down when he responded to a bank robbery alarm at the State St. Bank on 9/23/70. The above-mentioned article referred in glowing terms to the death of the "criminal pig" by name, stating he was nothing more than a lackey who stood in the way of the oppressed during a justifiable act of reclaiming what was theirs. This article was unsigned but was contributed by the Boston Chapter, BPP.

The fatal shooting of Patrolman SCHROEDER received voluminous publicity in the Boston area and throughout the nation. Much sympathy for the patrolman's widow and nine children was in evidence and several trust funds were set up for them and contributions were noted from people throughout the country and from all walks of life.

An article in the Boston Sunday Herald of 10/11/70 contained a reprint of the above BPP newspaper article. Reaction to this latter article, according to Boston Office sources, has been very unfavorable to the BPP and there is little doubt that the BPP article has incurred the wrath of most citizens.

In view of the above, it is suggested that as a counterintelligence move in similar situations, friendly news sources be contacted to disseminate similar BPP newspaper articles on a selected basis which are certain to arouse animosity toward the BPP. It is contemplated that such actions could result in the curtailment of BPP speaking engagements as well as a reduction in financial contributions to the Party, thereby creating a serious problem for the BPP.

2 - Bureau (RM)
1 - Boston
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 10/20/70

FROM : SAC, PHOENIX (105-2544) (P)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

ReBuairtel to Albany, 3/4/68.

In connection with above-captioned program, the following is set forth:

1. Operation Under Consideration
None.
2. Operations Being Effected
None.
3. Tangible Results
None.
4. Developments of Counterintelligence Interest
None.

2 - Bureau (RM)
2 - Phoenix
RJM:gjk
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Buy U.S. Savings Bonds Regularly on the Payroll Savings Plan



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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO *Re: [handwritten]* DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)
FROM SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (157-601)
SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM;
BLACK NATIONALIST HATE GROUPS
(BPP)
RM INTELLIGENCE

DATE: 10/21/70

Re Bureau letter, dated 6/16/70, authorizing this office to discreetly advise [redacted] of violations of housing authority contract by members of the Black Panther Party (BPP).

[redacted] was contacted on 6/19/70, and on 10/21/70, reported that [redacted]

[redacted] also advised that all BPP posters had been removed from the premises of 115 Westpoint Road in the Hunters Point Housing authority, and at present it is his opinion that the BPP Liberation School and Breakfast Program are no longer in existence in that area, and the BPP is apparently not utilizing any of the Hunters Point apartments as a pad.

2 - Bureau (RM)
1 - San Francisco
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of harassment while incarcerated may jeopardize his prosecution on State or Federal charges San Francisco will prepare an anonymous letter to him and not mail it to SEALE but send a copy to [REDACTED] in Oakland, California.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)

DATE: 10/15/70

FROM : SFC, SEATTLE (157-721) (P)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE
(BLACK PANTHER PARTY - BPP)

Re New Haven letter to Bureau, 9/30/70.

New Haven

I. OPERATIONS UNDER CONSIDERATION

None.

II. OPERATIONS BEING EFFECTED

Seattle has initiated the recommendation as included in above referenced letter from New Haven. Anonymous mailings have been sent to several individuals involved in racial matters in the Seattle area.

III. TANGIBLE RESULTS

The mailing as cited above was conducted October 7, 1970, and there were no known tangible results of this operation to date.

IV. DEVELOPMENTS OF COUNTERINTELLIGENCE INTEREST

None.

The next monthly letter will be submitted by November 15, 1970.

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2 - Seattle
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10/20/70

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1 - [REDACTED]
1 - [REDACTED]
1 - [REDACTED]

To: SAC, Newark (100-49654)
From: Director, FBI (100-448006)

COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE
BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP)

Reurairtel 10/13/70.

Your counterintelligence suggestion is approved. Insure that in the implementation of this suggestion the material cannot be connected to the Bureau.

Advise the Bureau of any results of this counter-intelligence operation.

CEG:amk
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NOTE:

Newark noted that in one recent issue of "The Black Panther" newspaper a woman, a boy and an old man were depicted holding weapons. Newark proposes that it send a letter to BPP Headquarters in Oakland, California, signed "BPP, Jersey City, New Jersey," criticizing the inference that women, children and old men are leading the "liberation." The Jersey City Chapter is having internal problems. Three leading members recently deserted the chapter. The chapter for months has been baiting the police seeking a confrontation. This suggestion will help keep the dissension going.

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Date: 10/13/70

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448006)
FROM: SAC, NEWARK (100-49654)
SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST-HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE
BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP)

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The following counterintelligence suggestion pertains to cartoons in the 10/10/70 issue of "The Black Panther".

On page 3, columns 4 and 5, there is depicted a man holding a child on his knee, one at his feet, and behind a screen door a woman holding an automatic weapon. On page 4, columns 3-5, there is pictured a boy holding a weapon and a "molotov cocktail". On page 5, column 5, a cartoon of an elderly man, bald and smoking a corn-cob pipe, armed with an automatic weapon and a knife.

All three cartoons could be implied to indicate that women, children and old men are primarily responsible for carrying on the fight of the BPP.

Newark proposes that the following letter be sent to the BPP Ministry of Information in San Francisco. It will be written in longhand by an agent, on 5"x10" type paper purchased in a local stationary store and mailed in Jersey City.

"I just got done reading the last issue of our paper, dated October 10 & I am bugged by the possibility there is a agent provacature in your midst. Judging from the pictures on page 3, page 4 & page 5, it looks like women, kids & old men are fighting for the lumpen. Someone out there is either real smart or real stuped. Brothers & sisters in our area who

3-Bureau (RM)
1-San Francisco (157-1573) (Info) (RM)
4-Newark
1 (1-100-49194) (BPP)
1 (1-S-2 Desk)

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Approved: _____
Special Agent in Charge

cc 8/14/70

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we have been tryin to get to join the liberation army are now
laughing at us. Man, you really don't dig your people.

Black Panther Party
Jersey City, N.J."

Full precautions will be exercised to protect the
Bureau as the source of the letter.

ROUTE IN ENVELOPE

SAC, San Antonio

10-19-70

Director, FBI

COMMUNITY UNITED FRONT (CUF)

RACIAL MATTERS

SAFILE: 157-734

BUFILE: 157-10379

COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM

BLACK NATIONALIST - HATE GROUPS

RACIAL INTELLIGENCE

COMMUNITY UNITED FRONT (CUF)

RACIAL MATTERS

BUFILE: 100-448006

Promptly submit in form suitable for dissemination pertinent information contained in referenced letter concerning the activities of captioned group and [REDACTED]

San Antonio should consider preparation of blind memorandum from public source data to be passed to friendly local news media pointing out [REDACTED] background, the organization's Black Panther Party-oriented programs and his solicitation of funds for such activities. No affirmative action should be taken by San Antonio to disseminate such information without prior Bureau approval.

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NOTE:

[REDACTED] whose programs are patterned after those of the violence-prone Black Panther Party. San Antonio attempted to block [REDACTED] in obtaining permit to solicit funds by furnishing public source information to responsible officials. Attempt was unsuccessful and [REDACTED] is now legally soliciting funds.

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To: SACs, San Francisco (157-601)
New York (100-161140)

From: Director, FBI (100-448006) - 2-16

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COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
BLACK NATIONALIST-HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE
BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP)

ReSftel 10-3-70 captioned

Relations, RM, Counterintelligence Program, Black Nationalist - Hate Groups, BPP - RM; aka, Fugitive et al, UFAP - Attempted murder."

The Bureau is taking no action with respect to San Francisco's counterintelligence proposal regarding BPP member [redacted] as suggested on page three of retel inasmuch as [redacted] successfully entered the United States on 10-2-70 and remains here at this time. It is further pointed out that course of action proposed by San Francisco would involve the Central Intelligence Agency and its sources abroad, thus removing this proposed action from close supervision and tight control by the Bureau.

In the event San Francisco and/or New York develop additional information concerning [redacted] capable of exploitation under captioned program which may achieve results as set forth in retel, promptly submit recommendations to the Bureau in this regard. Take no counterintelligence action with respect to Burns without specific Bureau approval.

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Airtel to San Francisco
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BLACK NATIONALIST HATE GROUPS
RACIAL INTELLIGENCE
BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP)
100-448006

NOTE:

Retel reported anticipated arrival in New York City on 10-2-70 by [REDACTED] who functions as the [REDACTED]. [REDACTED] has contact with BPP leader Eldridge Cleaver in Algiers. Retel suggested New York advise immigration authorities of her anticipated arrival in attempt to deny her entrance into the United States and thereafter to leak information through Central Intelligence Agency sources abroad to indicate BPP fugitive [REDACTED] was responsible for U.S. authorities obtaining information concerning her arrival. San Francisco suggested this activity might result in [REDACTED] expulsion from the Algerian BPP organization thus forcing him to seek asylum in some other country with a reciprocal extradition treaty with the United States.

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TO DIRECTOR (157-13656) (195-165706) (100-448006) (88-47275)

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FROM SAN FRANCISCO (157-4138) 157-2871 (157-601)
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Mr. Tolson
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Mr. Bishop
Mr. Casper
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Mr. Conrad
Mr. Felt
Mr. Gale
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Mr. Sullivan
Mr. Tavel
Mr. Trotter
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Miss Gandy

[REDACTED] RM - BPP, OO - SF.

BLACK PANTHER PARTY (BPP) - INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS, RM
COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM, BLACK NATIONALIST-HATE GROUPS, BPP-RM.

[REDACTED]
ATTEMPTED MURDER, OO - NY.

[REDACTED]
CONTACTED BPP NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS, OAKLAND FROM
ALGIERS, ALGERIA.

[REDACTED] WAS ENROUTE TO THE
U.S. TRAVELLING FROM GENEVA, SWITZERLAND TO NEW YORK ABOARD
SWISSAIR FLIGHT ONE TWENTY ARRIVING AT NEW YORK AT FOUR
FIFTY P.M., OCTOBER SECOND, INSTANT.

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[REDACTED] IS SCHEDULED TO LEAVE NEW YORK ON AMERICAN AIRLINES FLIGHT FIFTEEN AT SIX THIRTY P.M. FOR SAN FRANCISCO, ARRIVING AT NINE THIRTY P.M., OCTOBER SECOND, INSTANT.

REASON FOR TRAVEL AT THIS TIME ON [REDACTED] PART UNKNOWN. ADMINISTRATIVE. [REDACTED]

RE SF TEL CALL TO NEW YORK THIS DATE.

IT APPEARS THAT [REDACTED] HAS PROBABLY TRAVELLED FROM ALGIERS VIA ITALY TO GENEVA TO SECURE TRANSPORTATION AS SHE HAS DONE IN THE PAST, IN VIEW OF OUTSTANDING FRENCH INTERDICTION ORDER.

IN VIEW OF THE FACT THAT [REDACTED] WAS DENIED ENTRY TO THE U.S. SEVERAL DAYS AFTER HER LAST ARRIVAL HERE, DEPARTING BEFORE AN IMMIGRATION HEARING WAS CONVENED IN HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT, NEW YORK SHOULD ALERT APPROPRIATE IMMIGRATION AUTHORITIES TO HER EXPECTED ARRIVAL ABOARD THIS PLANE AND EFFORTS SHOULD BE MADE IF POSSIBLE TO AGAIN DENY HER ENTRANCE INTO THE U.S.

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AS A ~~SECURE~~ COUNTERINTELLIGENCE MEASURE, IN VIEW
THE CONFIRMATION HERIN OF THE PRESENCE OF FUGITIVE [REDACTED]
IN ALGERIA, WHICH INDICATES HE IS FUNCTIONING WITH THE
INTERNATIONAL SECTION OF THE BPP IN ALGIERS, THE BUREAU MAY
DESIRE TO SUGGEST THAT CIA IN AN APPROPRIATE FASHION THROUGH
ALGERIAN OR EUROPEAN SOURCES, LEAK INFORMATION THAT DATA
REGARDING [REDACTED] ATTEMPTED RETURN TO THE U.S. WAS OBTAINED BY
CIA OR SOME FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE AGENCY THROUGH CONTACT OR
COMMENTS MADE BY [REDACTED] IN ALGIERS TO AN INTELLIGENCE
AGENT OR INFORMANT.

IF SEEDS OF SUSPICION RE BURNS ARE PROPERLY PLANTED [REDACTED]
COULD CONCEIVABLY BE EXPELLED BY CLEAVER FROM ALGERIAN BPP
OPERATION AND MIGHT BE FORCED TO LEAVE ALGIERS AND SEEK ASYLUM IN
SOME OTHER NATION WHICH HAS RECIPROCAL EXTRADITION TREATY WITH
THE U.S. ENCOMPASSING CHARGE FOR WHICH BURNS IS BEING SOUGHT.
THIS MEASURE IF SUCCESSFUL COULD POSSIBLY RESULT IN [REDACTED]
EVENTUAL APPREHENSION.

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