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*Subject:* ZODIAC KILLER

*File Number:* 9-HQ-49911

*SECTION 3*



*Federal Bureau of Investigation*



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TO SAC SAN FRANCISCO (9-2296)  
FROM DIRECTOR FBI (9-49911)

ZODIAC; EXTORTION.

REURTEL DECEMBER FIVE.

LATENT FINGERPRINTS AND IMPRESSIONS PREVIOUSLY REPORTED  
CAPTIONED CASE NOT IDENTICAL FINGERPRINTS

IN SAN JOSE, CALIFORNIA, WHO MAY BE INDIVIDUAL

NOT CONTAINED IDENTIFICATION  
DIVISION FILES.

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2 - SACRAMENTO (9-66) AIRMAIL

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VIA TELETYPE  
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Tolson \_\_\_\_\_  
DeLoach \_\_\_\_\_  
Mohr \_\_\_\_\_  
Bishop \_\_\_\_\_  
Casper \_\_\_\_\_  
Callahan \_\_\_\_\_  
Conrad \_\_\_\_\_  
Felt \_\_\_\_\_  
Gale \_\_\_\_\_  
Rosen \_\_\_\_\_  
Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_  
Tavel \_\_\_\_\_  
Trotter \_\_\_\_\_  
Tele. Room \_\_\_\_\_  
Holmes \_\_\_\_\_  
Gandy \_\_\_\_\_

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Date: 11/28/69

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Via AIRTEL AIRMAIL  
(Priority)

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (9-49911)  
(Attention: IDENTIFICATION DIVISION)

FROM SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (9-2296)(P)

SUBJECT: ZODIAC  
EXTORTION  
OO: Sacramento

Re San Francisco airtel to Bureau, dated  
11/26/69.

Inspector [REDACTED] Homicide Detail,  
San Francisco Police Department requested that the finger-  
prints of the following individuals, all veterans and  
white male Americans, be compared with latent fingerprints  
submitted in this case. Inspector [REDACTED] advised that  
these names were furnished by a highly confidential source

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- 2 - Bureau
  - 2 - Sacramento (9-68)
  - 2 - San Francisco
- CEG/crv  
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Approved: \_\_\_\_\_  
Special Agent in Charge

Sent \_\_\_\_\_ M Per \_\_\_\_\_

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Inspector [REDACTED] requested that the following prints also be checked as requested above:

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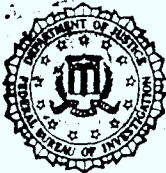
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Inspector [REDACTED] advised that all the persons set forth above have had some serious mental problem and had been suggested as possible suspects in this matter.





# FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Washington, D. C. 20537

## REPORT

of the

## IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

### LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

YOUR FILE NO.

FBI FILE NO.

LATENT CASE NO.

9-2296

REC- 51

9-49911-62

A-10042

December 5, 1969

TO:

SAC, San Francisco

EX-102

RE:

ZODIAC;

EXTORTION

REFERENCE:

EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY:

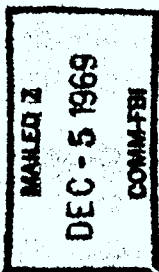
SPECIMENS:

Airtel 11-28-69

San Francisco

No fingerprint records located here for

b7c



Latent fingerprints and latent impressions previously reported in this case not identical with fingerprints of eighteen individuals who may or may not be the eighteen other individuals mentioned in airtel. No palm prints available here for these individuals.

Tolson \_\_\_\_\_  
DeLoach \_\_\_\_\_  
Mohr \_\_\_\_\_  
Bishop \_\_\_\_\_  
Casper \_\_\_\_\_  
Callahan \_\_\_\_\_  
Conrad \_\_\_\_\_  
Felt \_\_\_\_\_  
Gale \_\_\_\_\_  
Rosen \_\_\_\_\_  
Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_  
Tavel \_\_\_\_\_  
Trotter \_\_\_\_\_  
Tele. Room \_\_\_\_\_  
Holmes \_\_\_\_\_

2 - Sacramento (9-68)

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LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION WORK SHEET

Recorded: 12-1-69 11:50 a.m.

Reference No: 9-2296

Received: 12-1-69 sjh

FBI File No: 9-49911-62

Latent Case No: A-10042

Answer to: SAC, San Francisco

Examination requested by: Addressee

Copy to: SAC, Sacramento (9-68)

RE: ZODIAC;  
EXTORTION

Date of reference communication: Airtel 12-28-69

Specimens: Named Suspects:

No Rec. [REDACTED] DOB: [REDACTED]  
 No Rec. [REDACTED] DOB: [REDACTED]  
 No Rec. [REDACTED] DOB: [REDACTED]  
 b7C No Rec. [REDACTED] DOB: [REDACTED]  
 [REDACTED] DOB: [REDACTED]  
 [REDACTED] DOB: [REDACTED]  
 [REDACTED] DOB: [REDACTED]  
 [REDACTED] DOB: [REDACTED]

Result of examination: 12/1/69  
 list to Carl Jones

Examination by: [REDACTED]  
 Evidence noted by: [REDACTED]

No foot. records located for [REDACTED]  
 b7C [REDACTED]

See other side for list of comparisons made.

Original  
 LNW: pb  
 12-5-69

Examination completed 2<sup>55</sup> P.M. 12/3/69 Date Dictated 12/3/69 Date





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**AIRMAIL**

FROM : SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (9-2296)(P)

Re San Francisco airtel to Bureau, dated

b7C<sup>at</sup>

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25/10/1944  
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2 - Bureau  
2 - Sacramento (9-68)  
2 - San Francisco  
CEG/crv  
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**SF 9-2296**

CEG/erv

Inspector [REDACTED] requested that the following prints also be checked as requested above:

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Inspector [REDACTED] advised that all the persons set forth above have had some serious mental problem and had been suggested as possible suspects in this matter.

VIA TELETYPE  
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Mr. Tolson \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. DeLoach \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Walters \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Mohr \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Bishop \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Casper \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Callahan \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Conrad \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Felt \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Gale \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Rosen \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Tavel \_\_\_\_\_  
Mr. Soyars \_\_\_\_\_  
Tele. Room \_\_\_\_\_  
Miss Holmes \_\_\_\_\_  
Miss Gandy \_\_\_\_\_

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TO: DIRECTOR (9-49911)

(ATTN: IDENTIFICATION DIVISION, LATENT CASE A 10042)

FROM: SAN FRANCISCO (9-2296) (P)

ZODIAC, EXTORTION. OO, SACRAMENTO.

RE SAN FRANCISCO AIRTEL TO BUREAU, DEC. FOUR LAST.

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF., PD THIS DATE REQUESTED IDENTIFICATION

DIVISION COMPARE FINGERPRINTS

OF FOLLOWING SUSPECT WITH LATENT FINGERPRINTS PREVIOUSLY SUBMITTED

IN THIS MATTER:

WMA, BORN

SOCIAL SECURITY NO.

OF SAN FRANCISCO.

SUTEL.

ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

AM COPY SACRAMENTO.

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cc - Mr. Rosen

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Date: 11/24/69

Mr. Tolson \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mr. DeLoach \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mr. Mohr \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mr. Bishop \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mr. Casper \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mr. Callahan \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mr. Conrad \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mr. Felt \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mr. Gale \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mr. Rosen \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mr. Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mr. Tavel \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mr. Soyars \_\_\_\_\_  
 Tele. Room \_\_\_\_\_  
 Miss Holmes \_\_\_\_\_  
 Miss Gandy \_\_\_\_\_

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Via \_\_\_\_\_  
(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (9-49911)  
 ATTN: IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (9-2296)

SUBJECT: ZODIAC  
 EXTORTION  
 OO: Sacramento

Re San Francisco teletype to Bureau, 11/17/69.

Inspector [REDACTED] Homicide Detail,  
 San Francisco Police Department, has requested that the  
 following individuals' fingerprints, which are believed to  
 be on file in the Identification Division, be compared  
 with the latent fingerprints previously submitted in this case:

[REDACTED] WMA, born [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] WMA, FBI [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] WMA, age [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] former employee [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] WMA, born [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] WMA, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] WMA, born [REDACTED] former  
 [REDACTED] San Rafael, California;

② - Bureau  
 2 - Sacramento  
 3 - San Francisco  
 (1 - 26-34776)  
 CAG/fr  
 (7)

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CC: ROSEN

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 JCS/par

Approved: \_\_\_\_\_ Sent \_\_\_\_\_ M Per \_\_\_\_\_  
 Special Agent in Charge



SF 9-2296  
CAG/fr

[REDACTED] WMA, born [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] born [REDACTED]

The Identification Division is also requested to compare the fingerprints of [REDACTED] and wanted flyer [REDACTED] with latents submitted in this matter.

ARMED AND DANGEROUS.



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## REPORT

of the

## IDENTIFICATION DIVISION

### LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

YOUR FILE NO.

FBI FILE NO.

LATENT CASE NO.

9-2298

9-49911

A-10042

December 3, 1969

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EX-111

TO: SAC, San Francisco

RE: ZODIAC;  
EXTORTION

REFERENCE: Airtel 11-24-69

EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY: San Francisco

SPECIMENS:

Correct FBI number for [redacted] FBI [redacted] which was previously assigned to [redacted] has been consolidated with FBI [redacted]

On basis of information furnished, no identification records located for [redacted] or [redacted]

Remaining unidentified latent fingerprints and a latent impression (fingerprint or palm print) previously reported this case not identical fingerprints [redacted] born [redacted] in San Rafael, California, or with fingerprints of remaining individuals named in report. A latent impression, which is from the lower joint area of a finger or a palm print, was compared with available finger-

2 - Sacramento (9-68)  
1 - San Francisco (95-34776)

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John Edgar Hoover, Director

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Tolson \_\_\_\_\_  
DeLoach \_\_\_\_\_  
Mohr \_\_\_\_\_  
Bishop \_\_\_\_\_  
Casper \_\_\_\_\_  
Callahan \_\_\_\_\_  
Conrad \_\_\_\_\_  
Felt \_\_\_\_\_  
Gale \_\_\_\_\_  
Rosen \_\_\_\_\_

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December 3, 1969

prints of these individuals, but no identification was effected.  
Impressions of lower joint areas of the fingers and palm prints  
of these individuals not contained Identification Division files.  
b7c [REDACTED] may or may not be individual named.

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LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION WORK SHEET

Recorded: 11/26/69

8:40 a.m.

Reference No: 9-2296

Received: 11/26/69

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FBI File No: 9-49911 64

Latent Case No: A-10042

Answer to: SAC, San Francisco

Examination requested by: Addressee

Copy to: SAC, Sacramento (9-68)

RE:

ZODIAC  
EXTORTION

Date of reference communication: Airtel, 11/24/69

Specimens:

Named Suspects:

W-M, DOB, [REDACTED] UTL CD

(FBI # [REDACTED] FBI # [REDACTED])

W-M UTL CD

W-M, DOB, [REDACTED]

W-M, [REDACTED] # [REDACTED]

W-M, DOB, [REDACTED] in San Rafael, Calif.

W-M, DOB, [REDACTED] # [REDACTED]

(SEE BE [REDACTED] DOB [REDACTED])

Result of examination:

Examination by: [REDACTED]

Evidence noted by:

Listed to CD 11/26 jcl

Assem called 11/26

FBI # [REDACTED] prev assigned to [REDACTED] has been consolidated  
with FBI # [REDACTED]Basis information furnished. no latent records located  
for [REDACTED] or [REDACTED]

1- San Francisco (26-34776

Examination completed

2:00 PM

Time

12/2/69

Date

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Date

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1- JCL

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DOB, [REDACTED]

IO # [REDACTED]

FBI # [REDACTED]

Remaining unidentified lat fpts and 1 lat imp (fpt or pp) not  
of fpts of suspects. Lat imp which is from lower  
joint area of a finger on pp comp available  
fpts these individuals, but no of effected. Imps of  
lower joint areas of the fingers and pps of these individuals  
not contained Ident Dir files.

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[REDACTED] may or may not be individual named.

F B I

Date: 11/20/69

Mr. Tolson  
Mr. Belmont  
Mr. Mohr  
Mr. Bishop  
Mr. Casper  
Mr. Callahan  
Mr. Conrad  
Mr. Felt  
Mr. Gale  
Mr. Rosen  
Mr. Sullivan  
Mr. Tavel  
Mr. Soyars  
Tele. Room  
Miss Holmes  
Miss Gandy

Transmit the following in \_\_\_\_\_  
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(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (62-0)

FROM: SAC, CHICAGO (62-0)

SUBJECT: UNSUB, aka  
Zodiac  
INFORMATION CONCERNING -  
POLICE COOPERATION

Enclosed for San Francisco is one photograph  
of [REDACTED] taken in 1954.

[REDACTED] Highland Park, Illinois,  
telephone [REDACTED] appeared at the Chicago FBI Office  
today. He stated that [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] who is associated with [REDACTED]  
Encino, California. He stated  
that [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] He described [REDACTED] as W/M,

[REDACTED] was further described as [REDACTED]  
and a business minded individual. After [REDACTED]  
he felt that there was some resemblance between  
[REDACTED] and a description published by newspapers concerning  
"the Zodiac Killer". The thought that [REDACTED] might be  
identical to the Zodiac was strengthened with an artists  
conception of the unsub appeared in the "Chicago Daily News",  
of 11/19/69.

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  - 2 - San Francisco (62-0) (RM)
  - 1 - Los Angeles (62-0) (Info) (RM)
  - 1 - Chicago
- EPM/mmc  
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Approved: \_\_\_\_\_  
Special Agent in Charge

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b7D [redacted] requested that all information in this regard must be kept in strictest confidence, inasmuch as [redacted]

Chicago indices negative regarding [redacted].

b7- Chicago File [redacted] (Bureau File [redacted] aka: [redacted] Kansas City, reflects that [redacted] white male, born [redacted]

b7C [redacted] was identified as a dues paying member of the Communist Party at [redacted]

b7C Information was also developed that [redacted] was a member of the [redacted] at [redacted]

NOT ATTACHED

[redacted] The enclosed photograph, obtained from Chicago File of [redacted] bears striking resemblance to artist's conception appearing in above mentioned newspaper.

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SAN FRANCISCO

AT SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA. Will make above information available to appropriate police authorities.

b7C Information copy being set forth for Los Angeles inasmuch as [redacted] apparently has his business in the Los Angeles Division.

## FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Washington, D. C. 20537



## REPORT

of the

IDENTIFICATION DIVISION  
LATENT FINGERPRINT SECTION

December 9, 1969

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YOUR FILE NO.

FBI FILE NO.

LATENT CASE NO.

62-0

9-49911

A-10042

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EX-111

SAC, Chicago

RE:

KOREAN;  
RENTAL

REFERENCE:

EXAMINATION REQUESTED BY:

SPECIMENS:

Airtel 11/25/69

Chicago

This case received under title "Korean; the  
Korean; Information Concerning - Police Department."

Remaining unidentified latent fingerprints  
and latent impressions (fingerprints or palm prints)  
previously reported this case are identical finger-  
prints of [REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] may or may not be individual name in ventral.  
Palm prints of [REDACTED] not have for comparison with pre-  
viously reported latent palm prints.

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2 - Bureau (9-62)

1 - New Orleans (9-2262)

1 - Los Angeles

Tolson \_\_\_\_\_  
DeLoach \_\_\_\_\_  
Mohr \_\_\_\_\_  
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Reference No: 62-0

Received: 12-2-69 gmk

FBI File No: 9-49911 65

Latent Case No: A-10042

Answer to: SAC, Chicago

Examination requested by: Addressee

Copy to:

RE: ZODIAC;  
EXTORTION

Date of reference communication: Airtel 11/20/69

Specimens:

Named Suspect:

W-M, DOB [REDACTED] in [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] b7C [REDACTED] FB 2<sup>nd</sup> [REDACTED]This case received under titles:  
UNSUB, AKA  
ZODIAC  
INFORMATION CONCERNING-  
POLICE COOPERATION

Result of examination:

b7C Examination by: [REDACTED]  
Evidence noted by: [REDACTED]

Remaining unidentified lat fpts and compo prev reported this case not f fpts of [REDACTED] who may or may not be individual named in airtel.

- 1- San Francisco (9-2296)
- 2- Sacramento (9-68)
- 1- Los Angeles

Pps of [REDACTED] not here for comp with prev reported lat pps.

Examination completed

Time 9:15AM

Date 12/5/69

Dictated

Date 12/5/69

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12/8/69  
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FBI

Date: 12/9/69

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Via **AIRTEL**

**AIR MAIL**

(Priority)

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (9-49911)  
(Att: FBI Laboratory)

FROM: SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (9-2296) (P)

SUBJECT: ZODIAC  
EXTORTION  
OO: Sacramento

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Re San Francisco airtel to the Bureau dated 12/9/69.

Enclosed for the FBI Lab are 18 pages of handwriting specimens which are attributed to [REDACTED] FBI

The above described handwriting specimens were furnished San Francisco by Inspector [REDACTED] Homicide Detail, San Francisco Police Department, on 12/8/69. Inspector [REDACTED] requested that the handwriting and printing of [REDACTED] be compared with specimens of Unsub previously submitted in this matter.

The Lab is requested to advise San Francisco and Sacramento results of the handwriting analysis.

- 2 - Bureau (Encls. 18)
  - 2 - Sacramento
  - 2 - San Francisco
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