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Re: Requested Specimens

Examination requested by: Individual City (P-101)

Date of reference communication: Lot 1-1-5b

Examination requested: Pp.

Result of Examination:

Examination by: Sum

Specimens submitted for examination:

1. Government postcard add "Mr. Greenspun, Las Vegas, Fun Las Vegas, Nevada." PM "NEW YORK, N.Y., APR 9, 1954, 1:230 PM," the reverse side containing the message say: "The man who was..." ending...
SYNOPSIS OF FACTS

Victim received postcard in Las Vegas mailed from New York 7, New York on 4/7/54 which states in substance, "We just want to see if you can take a little shellacking from a few New York tough guys. Look for us. Signed Michiolo Gazolo or Micheloz Gazolo." Facts as to threats present in communication presented to AUSA in Las Vegas on 4/17/54 and after a review of postcard he declined prosecution in favor of prosecution by USA, New York, where the postcard was deposited in the mails, this being in accordance with Departmental Policy. Victim states that [Redacted] is unknown to him and that he has no suspects.

DETAILS: AT LAS VEGAS, NEVADA

HERMAN MILTON GREINSPUN, Publisher of the "Las Vegas Sun" Las Vegas, Nevada, submitted a postcard to the Reporting Agent which postcard was mailed at New York 7, New York, on April 7, 1954. Instant postcard is quoted as follows:

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(2 - Bureau
1 - USA, Reno
1 - New York (1-USA)
1 - Salt Lake City (9-301)
May 12, 1954

To the City

There follows a copy of a FBI laboratory examination of a miniature ball bearing sent on April 21, 1954, and the request for examination received at the New York office on April 21, 1954.

Salt Lake City - New York

Letters 4/21/54 - 4/20/54

Document - Fingerprint

Specimen 1, submitted by Salt Lake City with letter dated 4/21/54.

Government postal card addressed "Mr. Greenspun, Las Vegas, Nevada," postmarked "NEW YORK 7, N.Y., APR 9 19: 1230 PM," the reverse side containing the message beginning "The man who ...," ending "...

Requested by New York in letter dated 4/20/54

Request for comparison of handwriting in this case with the case entitled "UNSUB; HERMAN MILTON GREENSPUN - VIKEX." No 9-25973.

Results of Examination:

Specimen 1, described above, was compared with material in the Anonymous Letter File without affecting an identification. A copy of this evidence has been added to this file.

A search was made in the files of the Identification Division for fingerprint cards for persons using the names , but no fingerprint cards were located.

Specimen 2, a sample was compared with specimens through 23 in file 9-25973 which were submitted by the Salt Lake City office with letter dated April 16, 1954, under the caption 2 - New York (9-2021) RECORDED 29

John Edgar Hoover, Dir.

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Specimen submitted for examination
The following post card was received by EMMA MILLER (publisher of the Las Vegas Sun, Las Vegas, Nevada, on April 15, 1934), was mailed at New York, New York, on April 9, 1934.

The man who was an associate of the murder of Bugs Siegel is now held and trying to assassinate Senator McCarthy. We will be out your way soon. We just want to see if you can take a little shellacking from a few New York townies. Look for us.
The title of this case is marked changed to reflect the correct title as unknown subject: wa: and to add the nickname HANK by which victim is also known, according to the information furnished, by the Salt Lake Office.

The records of the Bureau of Criminal Identification of the New York City Police Department as checked by SA J. MICEK failed to reflect a record for any person named on the basis of the information furnished.

A search of the telephone directories for all boroughs of the City of New York was made for the name of subject with negative results.
The post card containing threatening state
which was mailed to the victim and postmarked New Yo
New York, on April 3, 1954, was forwarded to the FBI
Laboratory by the Salt Lake Office under date of April
1954, with a request that the card be processed for f
prints and that it be compared with the anonymous let
signed \_
received by the victim on April 13, 19
and which had previously been furnished to the Labora
ty by Salt Lake Office by letter dated April 21, 1954.

In communication dated May 11, 1954, the Bur.
informed that an examination of the post card resulted
no latent fingerprint impressions to be of value.

By letter of May 12, 1954, the FBI Laboratory
advised that the post card addressed to victim as Mr.
GREENSPUN, Las Vegas - Sun, Las Vegas, Nevada, postmarke
New York 7, New York, April 9, 1954, containing message
ending \_
was compared with the material i
the anonymous letter file without effecting an identifica

A search of the Identification Division's files
revealed that no fingerprint cards for \_
or
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was located. The comparison of the post
card with the anonymous letter signed \_
received by
the victim on May 13, 1954, and postmarked New York 1,
New York, April 10, 1954, resulted in no conclusion being
reached because the handwriting on the post card was not
comparable with the handwriting appearing on the anonymous
letter.

Assistant United States Attorney \_
Southern District of New York, upon being apprised of the
contents of instant note, stated that the threats contained
therein appeared to be in violation of the Federal Extortion
Statute.

The victim, publisher of the "Las Vegas Sun" Las
Vegas, Nevada, was recently indicted by a Federal Grand Jury
in Las Vegas for publishing articles in his paper "that would
tend to incite riot, murder or assassination" and sending
the papers through the mail. When interviewed by Agents
of the Salt Lake Office, the victim advised he knew no one
by the name \_
and, further, could
furnish no suspects.
Inasmuch as there are no logical suspects, this case is being closed subject to being re-opened in the event that any information is received leading to the identity of the unknown subject.
REFERENCE: Report of CA H. L. HAYWARD, Salt Lake City, 17