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JOSEPH AIUPPA

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ANTI-RACKETEERING

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The investigation of ROCCO FISCHETTI, Top Hoodlum, CG Office, has been placed in a closed status and investigation of captioned individual has been instituted as a replacement under this program. AIUPPA was born 12/1/07 in Melrose Park, Illinois and presently resides at 4 Yorkshire Drive, Elmhurst, Illinois.

The Bureau is requested to furnish income tax returns on captioned individual.

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JOSEPH AIUPPA, aka.
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There is enclosed for your information a copy of material received from the Internal Revenue Service reflecting that no record of income tax returns of subject for the years 1954 and 1955 has been located.

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SYNOPSIS:

Subject born 12/1/07, Melrose Park, Illinois. Married 10/31/31, Melrose, Park, Illinois, to ANGELINE ZITO. Has numerous relatives residing in Chicago suburban area. Records checked indicate little or no education. He has resided various places in Melrose Park and Cicero, Illinois, currently resides at 4 Yorkshire Drive, Elmhurst, Illinois. A malignant nasal growth removed from subject in 1941, and he has been examined periodically since for cancer. Subject has FBI No. 951184. Served one year and a day at Federal Penitentiary, Terre Haute, Indiana. Released 3/13/58. AIUPPA was connected with JOHN DILLINGER and KARPIS gangs in early 1930's. He was also a member of CAPONE mob. He has continued to associate with members of CAPONE mob, who currently are the most notorious hoodlums of the Chicago area. AIUPPA is connected with the gambling activities currently in Cicero, Illinois. He is recognized as boss of the "strip", a row of gambling spots and strip shows on Cermak Road, Cicero, Illinois. He also allegedly runs the prostitution along the "strip". He was a charter member of Local No. 450, Hotel, Restaurant Employees, and Bartenders Union, and allegedly remains a controlling factor in this union. He appeared before recent United States Senate Committee Hearings, but refused to testify. AIUPPA is one of the owners of Taylor

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and Company, manufacturers of gambling equipment, located in Cicero, Illinois. He also owns Turf Club and Towne Hotel in Cicero. He allegedly owns the Navajo Hills Golf and Country Club, Cook County, Illinois. He operates auto registered to one [REDACTED] who denied any knowledge of this. Subject's telephone at residence listed to one [REDACTED]

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He is a member of Oak Park, Illinois, YMCA. Description of subject set forth and photographs obtained. SUBJECT IS KNOWN TO CARRY GUNS AND HAS ALLEGEDLY COMMITTED MURDER IN THE PAST AND SHOULD BE CONSIDERED ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

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DETAILS:

The title of this report is being marked "changed" to show all the aliases of the subject. These aliases were obtained from a review of the Chicago Office files, the records of the Chicago Crime Commission, and the United States Senate investigative file regarding the subject.

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PERSONAL HISTORY AND BACKGROUND

Birth Data

According to the records of the Bureau of Vital Statistics, Cook County, Chicago, Illinois, as checked by Investigative Clerk [REDACTED] on October 1, 1958, the birth of the subject was recorded as follows: b7c

JOSEPH AIUPPA, male, legitimate, born December 1, 1907, Birth Certificate No. 23511, which was filed on February 16, 1943. His father's name was shown as SAM AIUPPA, age 23, laborer, born in Fanary, Italy. His mother's name was shown as ROSE GRECO, age 21, also born in Fanary, Italy. The address was give as 2110 Main Street, Melrose Park, Illinois.

There was a notation indicating that this was a first child of this marriage. No physician's name was given, and the affadavit, which was filed on February 16, 1943, was signed by ANTHONY P. AIUPPA, brother of JOSEPH, 910 North 22nd Avenue, Melrose Park, Illinois.

Marital Status

The records of the Bureau of Vital Statistics, Cook County, Chicago, Illinois, as checked by Investigative Clerk [REDACTED] on October 2, 1958, revealed the following: b7c

Marriage Certificate No. 1325243, filed on September 26, 1931, indicated that JOSEPH AIUPPA and Miss ANGELINE ZITO were married in Melrose Park, Illinois, on October 31, 1931, by Reverend BENJAMIN FRANCH, Catholic Priest, 1101 23rd Avenue, Melrose Park, Illinois. On an affidavit completed regarding the above, JOSEPH AIUPPA gave his address as 910 22nd Avenue, Melrose Park, Illinois, and his date of birth as December 1, 1907. It was also noted that it was his first marriage.

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The affidavit also indicated that Miss ANGELINE ZITO resided at 139 23rd Street, Melrose Park, Illinois, and gave her date of birth as May 26, 1910. It was also noted that this was Miss ZITO's first marriage.

Employments

It is noted that this subject was one of the individuals investigated by the Senate Committee (Mc Cellan Committee) regarding the criminal infiltration of labor organizations.

Information from an investigation in Chicago, Illinois, was made available to SA [REDACTED] on October 1, 1958.

During the above investigation, Senate Investigators checked the subject's prison file at the Federal Penitentiary Terre Haute, Indiana. These records indicated that the subject left school in 1918, and started working for a Mr. [REDACTED] as a gardener.

In 1922, he was employed by the Alming Greenhouse, Hillside, Illinois. In 1925, he became a driver for the Midwest Cartage Company, Chicago, Illinois. In 1930, he purchased the Turf Lounge, located at 4831 West Cermak Road and Cicero, Illinois. He still owns and operates this establishment. Further in 1930, he also became a partner in the Taylor Company, Cicero, Illinois, which company manufactures gambling equipment.

According to the subject's Selective Service records, checked in March of 1945 by Special Agents of the Chicago Division, the subject, when he registered with Local Draft Board No. 3, 2244 South Laramie, on October 16, 1940, indicated his occupation as the previously mentioned Taylor Company, and the Turf Lounge.

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According to the previously mentioned Senate Investigation records, and [REDACTED] the subject still owns the Turf Lounge and is an owner of the Taylor Company.

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Education

At the time the subject completed his Selective Service questionnaire on October 16, 1940, he indicated that he had attended school until the third grade.

Also according to the subject's prison records, previously mentioned, he left school in 1918, which would have made him approximately 11 years old.

Relatives

At the time the subject completed the previously mentioned Selective Service questionnaire, he gave his wife's name as ANGELINE DOLORES AIUPPA, 910 22nd Avenue, Melrose Park, Illinois; his mother as Mrs. ROSALINE AIUPPA, same address; [REDACTED] same address; [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] same address; [REDACTED] Illinois, who was employed [REDACTED] in the City-County Building, Clark and Randolph Streets, Chicago, Illinois; and [REDACTED] Illinois.

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Regarding [REDACTED] Lieutenant [REDACTED] Illinois, Police Department, in 1945, advised that [REDACTED] is a [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] and that [REDACTED]

On November 3, 1958, SA [REDACTED] contacted records clerk [REDACTED] United States Penitentiary, Terre Haute, Indiana; at which time he made available their records regarding the subject. These records revealed the following relatives and individuals who corresponded with the subject:

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Mother, ROSALIE AIUPPA
910 22nd Avenue,
Melrose Park, Illinois;

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]
Illinois;

[REDACTED]
Illinois;

Wife, ANGELIA AIUPPA,
[REDACTED]
St. Ann's, Illinois

[REDACTED]
Illinois;

[REDACTED]

New York, New York

No name.

[REDACTED]
Illinois

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Illinois;

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[redacted] Illinois;

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No name [redacted]
[redacted] Illinois.

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[redacted] advised that [redacted] residing at [redacted] Park, Illinois, is [redacted]. He further advised that [redacted] Melrose Park Police Department.

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[redacted] added that [redacted] is employed [redacted] and is allegedly [redacted]. He further added that [redacted] and is presently living in that home located at [redacted] Illinois.

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[redacted] previously mentioned, advised that [redacted] currently operate a [redacted] in [redacted] Illinois. [redacted] further advised that [redacted]

The records of the Chicago Credit Bureau, Incorporated, as checked by Investigative Clerk [redacted] on October 1, 1958, were negative as to the following individuals:

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JOSEPH J. AIUPPA.

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These same records revealed that [REDACTED] Illinois, is employed by [REDACTED]. The date of this inquiry was February 3, 1958.

These records also revealed that in a report, dated December 26, 1939, regarding an inquiry from the Evans Fur Company, Chicago, Illinois, it was shown that [REDACTED] had resided at [REDACTED] Illinois, for the past [REDACTED]. He was shown as [REDACTED] years of age, and employed at [REDACTED].

According to the Chicago Office files, [REDACTED] Police Officer, [REDACTED] Illinois, advised on May 11, 1956, that the building at [REDACTED] a widow of the past 5 years, who lives [REDACTED]. He added that he had learned that [REDACTED].

According to the previously mentioned United States Senate Investation, investigators visited the home of Mrs. ROSALIE AIUPPA, mother of the subject, on July 7, 1958, located at 910 22nd Avenue, Melrose Park, Illinois. She was asked the whereabouts of her son, JOEY; at which time she said, "he's home isn't he?". She then professed to understand little or no English, although she had shown no difficulty before. She was then served a subpoena to appear before the same Senate Committee.

Later this same day, the same investigators proceeded to the residence of the subject, and contacted an individual who identified himself as [REDACTED] who is [REDACTED]. He was sitting in a black Thunderbird Ford, bearing 1958 Illinois License No. [REDACTED]. The investigators noted another car, described as a light green Ford, bearing 1958 Illinois License No. [REDACTED] which was parked beside the home.

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Regarding the above mentioned Thunderbird, it is noted that this automobile is registered to [REDACTED] Illinois.

Concerning the above mentioned light green Ford, it is noted that this automobile is registered to one [REDACTED] Illinois.

Regarding [REDACTED] it is noted that according to the Chicago files, [REDACTED] Illinois, was a subject in the investigation concerning [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] at the time of her arrest in this matter, was employed as [REDACTED] who was also arrested in this matter.

It is noted that these above mentioned [REDACTED] business establishment owned by [REDACTED] and located in [REDACTED] Illinois. The charges concerning [REDACTED] were later dismissed.

Regarding [REDACTED] it is noted that he is closely associated with [REDACTED] notorious hoodlum [REDACTED] Illinois.

Residences

A review of the Chicago Office files, the previously mentioned Senate Investigation, and the Chicago Crime Commission records, reveals that the subject has resided at or indicated the following addresses as his residence in the past:

910 22nd Avenue,
Melrose Park, Illinois

575 Parkway Road
Riverside, Illinois

1437 South 58th Court
Cicero, Illinois

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1836 South 58th Avenue
Cicero, Illinois

1203 Austin Boulevard
Chicago, Illinois

2318 South 58th Street
Cicero, Illinois.

Regarding the above addresses, it is noted that the subject maintained his residence at 1836 South 58th Avenue, Cicero, Illinois, from approximately 1940 until he moved to his current address, 4 Yorkshire Drive, Elmhurst, Illinois, in 1956.

Regarding subject's current residence, it is noted that this home is located in an exclusive residential area called Yorkshire Woods. This area is made up of homes costing approximately \$40,000 and up. Due to the current Illinois Toll Road construction, there is only entrance or exit to Yorkshire Woods, and it is temporary, until the toll road is completed.

Physical Condition

At the time the subject completed his Selective Service questionnaire on October 16, 1940, he gave his doctors' names as Doctor [REDACTED] Chicago, Illinois, and Doctor [REDACTED] in Henrotin Hospital, Chicago, Illinois. He also indicated he had had surgery regarding a nose condition.

According to the subject's record at the United States Penitentiary, Terre Haute, Indiana, previously mentioned, the subject was considered by the prison psychiatrist as a stable, well-adjusted individual, to be assigned minimum security and light duty. His medical record showed Gonorrhoea in 1934, Cancer in 1942, and an Appendectomy Operation in 1936.

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On October 6, 1958, Doctor [REDACTED] Henrotin Hospital, 939 North La Salle Street, Chicago, Illinois, advised SA [REDACTED] that the subject's true name or known alias is unknown to him. He explained that [REDACTED] as such, but is a staff doctor [REDACTED] at Henrotin Hospital, and in this capacity does not come in contact with patients.

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Doctor [REDACTED] stated that the subject may have been a patient at the hospital, and a sample of the subject's tissue may have been submitted to him for examination, in which event he would have signed a report setting forth the diagnosis and results of his examination.

Doctor [REDACTED] caused the hospital records to be searched and the following information was contained therein:

1.	Name	JOSEPH AIUPPA (7/31/41-8/4/41)
	Address	1437 South 58th Court, Cicero, Illinois
	Admitted	7/31/41
	Cause	Sore on bridge of nose
	Age	33 years old
	Birthplace	Melrose Park, Illinois
	Occupation	Clerk
	Nearest Relative	Wife, ANGELINA
	Doctor	[REDACTED]
	Discharged	8/4/41 - No surgery

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2.	Name	JOSEPH AIUPPA (8/19/41-8/20/41)
	Address	1437 South 58th Street, Cicero, Illinois
	Admitted	8/19/41
	Age	33 years old

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Birthplace	Melrose Park, Illinois
Occupation	Clerk
Nearest Relative	Wife, ANGELINE
Doctor	[REDACTED]
Surgery	Removed nasal polyps-- examined by Dr. [REDACTED] [REDACTED] and found tissue examined was malignant with infiltration into other areas of tissue examined (removed polyps).
Discharged	8/20/41

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3. Name JOSEPH AIUPPA (7/26/43, 1:p.m.--
7/26/43, 7:00 p.m.)
Address 1836 57th Avenue,
Cicero, Illinois
Admitted 7/26/43
Cause Infected tear duct
Age 35 years old
Birthplace Melrose Park, Illinois
Occupation Cabinetmaker
Nearest Relative Mother, ROSALIE
Doctor [REDACTED]
Discharged 7/26/43 (Left without hospital
or physican's consent, signed
own release.)

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On October 27, 1958, Doctor [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Chicago, Illinois, advised SA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] that JOSEPH AIUPPA is a patient of his, and
has been since 1941, when AIUPPA came to him. Doctor [REDACTED]
stated that he was recommended to AIUPPA by [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] City of Chicago.

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Doctor [REDACTED] stated that the subject is supposed to visit him about once every three months, but it is usually once every six months. He stated that the subject is due for an examination, but will not be in for a while, as AIUPPA's wife advised the Doctor last week, (October 20, 1958), that the subject was going to the Dakotas hunting pheasants.

Doctor [REDACTED] stated that the subject, in 1941, had a malignant nasal growth, but this was removed and subsequent treatment has completely eliminated the malignancy or trace thereof; however, the subject must and has periodically subjected himself to a doctor's care and examination.

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The subject was admitted to Presbyterian Hospital in 1957, for exploratory abdominal surgery, at which time a non-malignant mass was removed from the abdominal area.

According to Doctor [REDACTED] records, the subject listed his residence as 4848 West 25th Street, Riverside, Illinois, and his business address as 2242 South Cicero, in 1953. The only telephone number in his records is TE 2-9440.

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CRIMINAL RECORD

The subject has the following identification record under FBI No. 951184:

JOSEPH AIUPPA, aka. JOEY O'BRIEN

<u>DATE</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>ARRESTED</u>	<u>CHARGE</u>	<u>DISPOSITION</u>
6/14/35	JOSEPH AIUPPA	Berwyn, Ill.	suspicion of assault with intent to kill.	Turned over to States Attorney's Office - no disposition shown. Dismissed.
6/17/35	"	Oak Park, Ill.	general principles	Released
3/29/51	"	Chicago, Ill.	refusing to answer questions before a sub-committee of the Senate.	
4/13/51	"	Cleveland, Ohio	same charge	Feb. 7, 1952, found guilty and sentenced to 6 mos. and \$1,000 fine and costs. He was released on \$10,000 appeal bond Case was subsequently reversed by US Supreme Court.

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<u>DATE</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>ARRESTED</u>	<u>CHARGE</u>	<u>DISPOSITION</u>
10/13/54	JOSEPH AUIPPA	Chicago, Ill.	shipping unregistered gambling devices interstate.	1/27/56, sentenced to a year and a day and \$1,000 fine and costs and started serving his sentence on 6/3/57.

According to the Chicago Office files, Oak Park, Illinois, Police Department record No. 2981, show that the Berwyn Police Department on June 17, 1935, arrested AUIPPA as a suspect in an assault to murder, at Maywood, Illinois, and that this case was dismissed. The records further reflected that the subject has no Chicago Police Department number, nor does he have an arrest record at the Cicero, Illinois, Police Department.

It is noted that the subject's attorney at the time he refused to testify before the Kefauver Senate Committee in 1951, was GEORGE CALLAGHAN.

According to the Chicago Crime Commission records, Chicago, Illinois, in a "Chicago Tribune" newspaper clipping of December 30, 1933, JOSEPH AUIPPA, alias JOEY O'BRIEN, is listed as an official of Local No. 782, of the Teamsters Union of Maywood, Illinois, and was one of 35 co-conspirators, named in an indictment charging 17 persons with racketeering. A mistrial against the 17 persons was declared on November 22, 1934, and on a second trial there was a finding of not guilty on May 10, 1935.

In a "Chicago Tribune" newspaper clipping of June 24, 1945, it was shown that JOSEPH AUIPPA, age 36, Cicero, Illinois, MICHEAL DE ROSE, and SAM OAPLAN were booked as keepers of a gambling house at 4820 Cermak Road, Cicero, Illinois, after a raid, by the Cook County Highway Police. The charge was dismissed.

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In a "Chicago American" newspaper clipping of December 24, 1954, it was indicated that the sheriff's office had arrested AIUPPA, LARRY RASSANO, and RUTH SINGER, in connection with a dice game at the Frolics, 4813 Cermak Road, Cicero, Illinois.

AIUPPA at that time claimed that he was the manager of the Frolics.

On July 14, 1958, when the subject accepted a subpoena to appear before the Mc Clellan Committee, he was accompanied by his attorney, MAURICE J. WALSH, 105 West Adams Street, Chicago, Illinois.

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ASSOCIATES

According to the Chicago Office files, in 1945,

[REDACTED] Police Department, [REDACTED] and Lieutenant [REDACTED] Police Department, all described AIUPPA as one of the most ruthless killers and hoodlums in the Chicago area. The records further reflected that he is connected with the top gangsters in Cook County, Illinois. Some of the hoodlums names furnished at that time were as follows:

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JOHN E. MOORE, alias CLAUDE MADDOX

JACK GUZIK

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[REDACTED]
TONY CAPEZIO

ALEX LOUIS GREENBERG

ROBERT J. ANSANI

WILLIE HEENEY

TONY ACCARDO

ROCCO DE GRAZIO

RALPH [REDACTED] CAPONE.

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Out of the above, all are now dead except ANSANI, ACCARDO, DE GRAZIO, RALPH [REDACTED] CAPONE.

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It is noted that all of them were members of the AL CAPONE mob, and those who are currently alive are leading hoodlums in the Chicago Area.

b2, b7D According to the Chicago files, in the early 1930's, [redacted] advised that the individuals who [redacted] JOEY O'BRIEN. He further advised that after [redacted] JOEY O'BRIEN, in order to [redacted] When [redacted] appeared they had [redacted]

b2, b7D [redacted] further stated that HAMILTON died soon thereafter, and was buried in the vicinity of Aurora, Illinois. He stated further that [redacted] JOEY O'BRIEN had helped to bury HAMILTON.

Further, according to Chicago files, [redacted] previously mentioned, advised in 1935, that JOEY AIUPPA goes by the name of JOEY O'BRIEN, and that AIUPPA is a trigger man, and always has been, for CLAUDE MADDOX, a notorious Cicero hoodlum. The records reflected further that AIUPPA is an expert bank robber; and [redacted]

b2, b7D Regarding the above happenings (in the early 1930's, [redacted] advised that shortly after the gun battle between FBI Agents and members of the DILLINGER mob at Little Bohemia, [redacted] JOEY O'BRIEN came to Aurora, Illinois, with Doc BARKER, HOMER VAN METER, JOHN DILLINGER, and JOHN HAMILTON. HAMILTON was shot in the liver, where the bullet mushroomed, and died soon thereafter.

b2, b7D Further, according to [redacted] the above gangsters brought a long period of heat on the CAPONE gang in Chicago, and therefore, they stayed out of Chicago at that time.

Also according to office files, States Attorney's Office, Cook County, Illinois, on August 16, 1935, rounded up seven subjects as suspects, who were being charged with various holdups of Golf Clubs in Chicago. Among those apprehended was JOSEPH AIUPPA, alias JOEY O'BRIEN. While they were being interrogated by special men assigned to the States Attorney's Office, they were shown no special courtesy until JOSEPH AIUPPA, when asked who he was working for responded, "You know me, I'm working for JOHNNY MOORE." Upon this answer, AIUPPA was shown many courtesies, and within a few minutes he and a few other suspects were released.

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Regarding [REDACTED] activities in 1935, [REDACTED] the Moulin Rouge Night Club in Maywood, Illinois, which was operated by JOEY O'BRIEN. [REDACTED] the said club was located on 1st Avenue, just north of Roosevelt Road, in Maywood, Illinois.

[REDACTED] mentioned mob in the early 1930's.

[REDACTED] AIUPPA was active with MURRAY HUMPHREYS, [REDACTED] JACK GUZIK, and [REDACTED] in the establishment of a wire service for book making in the Chicago Area.

On February 8, 1952, [REDACTED] Chicago Heights Police Department arrested [REDACTED] for attempting to cash a fraudulent money order at the First Nation Bank, Chicago Heights, Illinois.

On February 11, 1952, [REDACTED] made bond with the Chicago Heights Police Department, and was released to the 31st District, Chicago Police Department, for the investigation of a burglary.

Officer [REDACTED] 31st District, Chicago Police Department, the officer investigating this burglary, informed Agents in the Chicago Office, that [REDACTED] was in close contact with JOEY O'BRIEN, of Cicero, Illinois.

[REDACTED] stated that O'BRIEN had sent a cab with the bail bond money, to the 31st District, and had [REDACTED] released. [REDACTED] stated that O'BRIEN is a well-known gambler and owns the Ritz Cab Company, plus the 4811 Club, on Cermak Road in Cicero. Further, that he owns the Turf Lounge and Towne Hotel in Cicero. [REDACTED] further stated that a man named [REDACTED] (LMU), remained in the cab, and that [REDACTED] for O'BRIEN.

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[redacted] further stated that O'BRIEN prints punch boards, and that cabs are used as runners for his various gambling enterprises in Cicero, Illinois.

Also according to the Chicago files, in 1952, Lieutenant [redacted] Oak Park Police Department, described one [redacted] as a very smart woman and the brains behind a gang of thieves. He stated that she is [redacted] that use the fictitious address of [redacted] which is the actual address of [redacted]

[redacted] advised that [redacted] JOEY AIUPPA.

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Lieutenant [redacted] advised that he is of the opinion that [redacted] previously mentioned, [redacted] AIUPPA.

Lieutenant [redacted] also revealed that AIUPPA was very upset on [redacted] when the Oak Park Police Department arrested [redacted] JAMES TORELLO, 2727 South Austin Boulevard, and [redacted] who were all arrested on suspicion of robbery.

According to the Chicago Office files, in January of 1953, [redacted] was interviewed in connection with a bank robbery. When asked why [redacted] a suspect, kept a black Ford automobile in his garage, [redacted] kept this car for JOEY O'BRIEN, Cicero, Illinois.

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The "Chicago Sun" in the issue of January 26, 1947, contained an article entitled "Capone's Pals Still in Rackets".

The article reflects that more than a score of AL CAPONE's old associates of the Roaring 20's are still active. In Chicago, most of them are connected in one capacity or another with the still functioning crime outfit CAPONE built up on a foundation of bootleg beer.

Their activities have changed. No longer do they have lucrative incomes from illicit liquor and brothels. Most of them are now connected with gambling and other assorted rackets.

Among CAPONE's associates still active around town is JOEY AIUPPA, who now rules the Cicero rackets for the outfit.

According to information received from the Chicago Police Department in 1954, TONY ACCARDO, a notorious hoodlum, on July 5, 1954, entertained at a barbecue party at his home, 915 Frankling Street, River Forest, Illinois. Among the many hoodlums in attendance was JOEY AIUPPA, who was driving a Cadillac bearing Illinois license 711 711, and his address was shown as 1836 South 58th Avenue, Cicero, Illinois.

b2, b7D During January, 1954, [REDACTED] advised that [REDACTED] b7C a well known Chicago hoodlum, visited several bars in Cicero, Illinois, and was in contact with JOEY O'BRIEN, the boss of Cicero.

b7C It is noted that [REDACTED] now resides in Indianapolis, Indiana.

On May 30, 1955, LOUIS CAMPAGNA, a notorious CAPONE hoodlum, died of a heart attack while fishing off the coast of Florida on a yacht owned by Attorney [REDACTED] who has in the past represented many of the Chicago hoodlums. His wake was held in the mortuary at 2921 South Harlem Avenue, Berwyn, Illinois. According to the "Chicago Tribune" of June 2, 1955, the wake was attended by the hierarchy of the underworld with TONY ACCARDO presiding, followed by, among others, JOEY AIUPPA.

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b7c According to the "Chicago Tribune" of November 13, 1956, TONY ACCARDO's annual party on the 4th of July was held this year and was attended by many of the same underworld leaders who have been ACCARDO's guests in previous years. Among those present were CLAUDE MADDOX, JOEY AIUPPA and [REDACTED] an armed robbery ex-convict who has been arrested as an employee of AIUPPA's gambling joints in Cicero, Illinois.

b7c According to the Chicago Crime Commission, a meeting of the several well known Chicago hoodlums was held at Meo's Norwood House located at Harlem and Lawrence Avenues on December 18, 1956. This meeting was attended by JOEY DE WARGO, LENNY GIANOLA, JOEY AIUPPA, JOHN LARDINO, CHARLES ENGLISH, [REDACTED] FELIX ALDERISIO, [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]

It is noted that the above listed hoodlums are well known in the Chicago area as leaders in the rackets controlled by the outfit.

According to the Chicago Crime Commission, a list of license numbers observed on the cars at the wedding of CLAUDE MADDOX's daughter on January 22, 1955, at Riverside, Illinois, reflected a license traced to JOSEPH AIUPPA, 139 23rd Avenue, Melrose Park, Illinois, for a Cadillac. Among others in attendance were TONY ACCARDO, and PAUL RICCA.

According to the Chicago Crime Commission, additional hoodlums who attended the wake of LOUIS CAMPAGNA, previously mentioned, were as follows:

MURRAY HUMPHREYS
ROCCO FISCHETTI
SAM BATTAGLIA
SAM GIANCANA
JACK CERONE
WILLIE ALOSIO
RALPH PIERCE
JAMES EMERY and
FRANK LA PORTE.

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b7c Further, according to the Chicago Crime Commission, among those hoodlums who attended TONY ACCARDO's 1955 4th of July party were TONY CAPEZIO, [REDACTED] HARRY RUSSELL, SAM "Goldbag" HUNT and JOEY GLIMCO.

All the hoodlums named in this section of the report under acquaintances of the subject are all well known Chicago hoodlums and many of them got their start with the CAPONE regime during the Roaring 20's.

According to the Chicago Office files and the Chicago Crime Commission, the two hoodlums who are the closest to the subject are CLAUDE MADDOX and ROBERT ANSONI. The other hoodlums are business associates of the subject in the various rackets in the Chicago area.

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CRIMINAL ACTIVITIES

Gambling

The "Chicago Daily News" on July 3, 1950, contained an article concerning the existence of bookies in Chicago. Shown on this list of places receiving wire service for horse betting was a location under the name of J. BRIEN. The article stated BRIEN is actually JOEY AIUPPA, who likes to be known as JOEY O'BRIEN, and that AIUPPA operates handbooks at 4835, 4811, and 4818 Cermak Road, Cicero, Illinois. The article stated further that AIUPPA's big spot is the 4811 Club at 4811 Cermak Road with the others being used as "sneak spots" when the heat is on.

b7C According to Chicago Office files, [redacted] advised on July 16, 1947, that [redacted] JOEY O'BRIEN at his location in Cicero, Illinois, and [redacted]

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The "Chicago Herald American" on November 9, 1950, contained an article which reflects that a man named by the late Lieutenant WILLIAM DREBY, Chicago Police Department, as the outfit's gambling boss of Cicero, Stickney and Forest Park is a one time labor racket slugger named JOEY AIUPPA, also known as JOEY O'BRIEN.

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b7D According to [redacted] in December, 1950, the Turf Club, Cicero, Illinois, is run by JOEY O'BRIEN and BOBBY TAYLOR, whose true names are AIUPPA and ANSONI. According to [redacted] they are presently running in the Turf Club a handbook which is patronized by approximately 100 persons per day. Also, in the evenings and on week ends, there are about five games running as well as two dice tables and a roulette wheel. Further, that this activity is carried on in a room located between the Turf Club and the adjoining Town Hotel. Further, according to [redacted] O'BRIEN and TAYLOR [redacted]

[redacted] were concerned. [redacted] did not know [redacted]

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but pointed to the open operations of the gambling activity in the Turf Club as a verification of this statement.

According to the "Chicago Sun Times" of January 20, 1951, when AIUPPA appeared before the United States Senate Committee he was described as a leading Chicago bookmaker and gambling equipment manufacturer. Further, that although AIUPPA refused to testify, evidence was brought forth showing he operated a book and betting layoff place at 4831 Cermak, Cicero, Illinois. Further, that this place handled \$1,900,000.00 in bets during 1947.

During these hearings, AIUPPA sat scowling, chewing gum and sometimes ~~chomping~~ angrily at a large unlighted cigar and refused to say where he was born, how old he was, whether he was married or anything else.

Senator KEFAUVER, Chairman of the Committee, called him the most contemptuous witness ever to appear before the committee.

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[redacted] in 1956, advised that the Town Hotel, located on Cermak Avenue in Cicero, is owned by AIUPPA and is connected with the Turf Lounge, ~~one of the largest gambling operations~~ in the Chicago area. Further, that the Turf Lounge is owned by AIUPPA. [redacted] added that ~~it is an uninterrupted spot as far as gambling is concerned, and that the operator, AIUPPA, has many lookouts around the hotel and the Turf Lounge.~~

[redacted] in 1958, advised that the Cicero, Illinois, area is run by JOEY O'BRIEN, who is currently incarcerated in the Federal Penitentiary at Terre Haute, Indiana, but who will be out shortly and resume his control in that area. He advised that ~~one of the largest gambling establishments running in the Cicero area currently is~~ [redacted]

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[redacted] has some other political affiliation in Chicago. [redacted] said that [redacted] is a front man [redacted] for JOEY O'BRIEN. He advised that huge crop games and horse bookings take place at this spot all the time, and that is running openly with the sanction of the Cicero Police Department. b2, b7D

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According to the Chicago Crime Commission in a memorandum dated December 8, 1950, it is reported that in 1943, AIUPPA

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[REDACTED] previously mentioned, advised that JOEY AIUPPA has a "large piece" of the Cicero operation and that he runs the "strip". [REDACTED] described the "strip" as the bars and clubs, which have the strippers and B girls, and the gambling joints on Cernak Road, between Cicero Avenue and 49th Avenue in Cicero, Illinois.

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[REDACTED] advised that AIUPPA has what is known as the "strip" in Cicero, Illinois, and is associated with one ROBERT TAYLOR in this area. Further, that he runs the Frolics with one [REDACTED] (Phonetic) being associated with AIUPPA in this spot.

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[REDACTED] stated further that AIUPPA has a huge amount of power in the Cicero operation but does not control all of the activity. He explained that most of the leading hoodlums of the Chicago area have a part in the Cicero operation, adding that AIUPPA, among others, has part of the "big game". [REDACTED] described the big game as the huge crap game operated by ROCCO FISCHETTI which has been running for many years and is now in operation at the Viaduct Lounge in Cicero, Illinois.

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Prostitution

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██████████ advised in June, 1954, that the Turf Lounge located on Cermak Road in Cicero, Illinois, was owned by JOEY O'BRIEN but is operated by one ██████████ advised that prostitution is carried on from the Turf Club, in that all of the B girls and entertainers connected with the Turf Club are hustlers. ██████████ advised that the manner in which this is organized is that when a customer desires a girl, he approaches a bartender known to ██████████ as ██████████ indicating his choice, and then ██████████ will call the girl in question over and furnish her with a key to the Town Hotel, which is connected to the Turf Lounge. ██████████ advised further that the payment for the room is made to the hotel clerk and payment for the trick is made directly to the girl, and further that no money is paid directly to ██████████

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Union Activity

It is noted that in a previously mentioned "Chicago Tribune" article of December 30, 1933, JOEY AIUPPA, alias JOEY O'BRIEN, was listed as an official of Local 782 of the Teamsters Union of Maywood, Illinois. He was shown as one of 35 co-conspirators named in an indictment charging 17 persons with racketeering. This indictment against 17 persons was dismissed on July 22, 1934, and on a second trial there was a finding of not guilty on May 10, 1935.

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██████████ advised that the Hotel and Restaurant Employees Union in the Chicago area is controlled by the hoodlum element and that the union's international president is a Mr. BLAKELY, who is controlled by JOHN LARDINO, alias JOHN NARDICO, a murderer, and that LARDINO is controlled by JOHNNY MOORE, alias CLAUDE MADDOX, originally from St. Louis, Missouri. ██████████ added that MADDOX's boss is MOONEY-GIANCANA, who has the support of the triggerman JOEY AIUPPA.

In connection with the 1958 Senate Committee investigation of the Hotel, Restaurant Employees and Bartenders International Union, particularly of Local 450, Cicero, Illinois, the International Office records were examined by investigators of this committee and this information was