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SUBJECT: Interview with Liesly (Bauman) Shawago - October 26, 1979

Liesly Bauman Shawago is years old, married to a member of the Air Force and living at the Minot Air Force Base. Liesly B. Shawago was interviewed as a result of having a dog's ear mounted at Hensen's Taxidermist in Glenburn, North Dakota.

Liesly stated that in August of 1977, while at the apartment of Bobby Bouquet, and sitting in the kitchen, she mentioned to Bobby Bouquet that her father did some taxidermy work on animals that he killed. Upon learning such, Bobby opened the freezer door, took out a dog's ear and asked her to have it mounted by her father. He said this was the ear of a sentry dog at the base that he had become affectionate towards, but the dog had gone mad and had to be put to sleep. He asked the pathologist performing the autopsy on the dog to sever its ear and return it to him. Liesly brought the dog's ear to her father but he refused to take it and suggested she bring it to Hensen's Taxidermist in Glenburn, with whom he had dealt before.

When Liesly told Bobby that her father refused to do it, and that she brought it to Hensen's Taxidermist, he refused to have anything to do with dog's ear. Before picking up the dog's ear, Bobby Bouquet left, upon being discharged from the Minot Air Force Base and is believed to be in Boston. The taxidermist contacted her many times to pick up the ear. She finally did, paying \$12 for it and gave it to a Royce Crome, who knew Bobby and was to forward it to Bobby. She does not know what happened to the ear.

Upon further questioning, Liesly was shown a picture of the person whom we believe to be Trachtman. She identified the picture as a person who she had seen on four occasions in July, 1977. Liesly stated she was positive this was the person, since she had seen him four times within a one-week period in the above month and year.

The first time she met him was at Jeff Sloat's house. She went there with a Marcy (Love) McKane. Love is her maiden name, who was then Jeff Sloat's girlfriend. Upon entering with Marcy, she saw this person whom

we believe to be Trachtman, sitting on a couch in the livingroom. As soon as they walked through the door, he got up and went to the bedroom and was never seen for the balance of 45 minutes there. Nor was he introduced to them.

A few days later she met him again at Sloat's house. When she entered with Marcy, he was sitting on a chair in the livingroom. Again, he got up and walked to another room. Marcy asked Jeff Sloat for money and left.

Within a week, she saw him again at Jeff Sloat's house. At this time, she was going to Sloat's house with Marcy and a Rick Christener. Sloat answered the door and told them to come back later because J.C. (John Carr) was having a bad trip. When Sloat opened the door, Liesly saw John Carr burning money in the ash tray in the livingroom. She also saw the same person whom we believe to be Trachtman sitting at the diningroom table. When he saw Liesly and the others at the door, he got up and walked into another room in the apartment.

The following day she saw him again. At this time, she was there again with Marcy, Sloat's girlfriend. Jeff answered the door and asked them to come in, and Liesly saw the same person standing in the entry way between the living-room and the hallway. When this person, whom we believe to be Trachtman, saw Liesly and the others, he walked away and she had not seen him since.

Liesly remembers this person so vividly because he was the subject of conversation between herself and Marcy as to who he was. No one had ever met him before or been introduced to him, and the peculiarity he had of leaving the room when anyone else but Jeff Sloat was there.

She was asked if Marcy, being the girlfriend of Jeff Sloat, had ever asked Jeff who he was, and she replied yes she had asked, but Jeff Sloat became angered by such a question. He did not like to be asked questions in reference to people he did not introduce. According to Liesly, everyone was afraid to ask questions of Jeff Sloat unless he volunteered the information.

Liesly stated that she did speak to a Det. Cinotti, a Lt. Terry Gardner, and a person whom she later learned to be a newspaper reporter from New York, and conveyed to all of them the above information.

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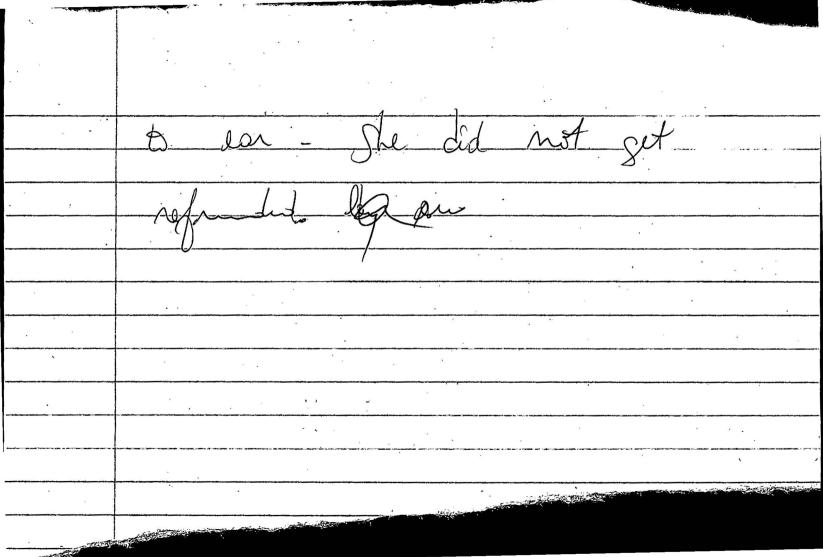
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