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TITLE OF CASE  <b>HARRY RAYMOND POPE</b>		Report made by <b>ROBERT M. BARRETT</b>	Typed By: <b>JH</b>
		CHARACTER OF CASE  <b>ANTI-RACKETEERING</b>	

Synopsis:

*TEX*  
 No information developed that subject engaged in any specific illegal activities while awaiting local prosecutive action at Dallas, other than continued association with Dallas police character EDWARD DANIEL DAY, was., FBI #1486812. POPE scheduled to plead guilty 7/25/58, in Dallas court to narcotics possession charge and receive 3 years sentence. SUBJECT HAS BEEN KNOWN TO USE A KNIFE IN A FIGHT, CARRIES A .38 S&W NOSE-NOSE REVOLVER ON PERSON, WAS IN POSSESSION OF .45 CALIBER AUTOMATIC DURING RECENT ARREST, HAS SAWED-OFF SHOTGUN AND SHOULD BE CONSIDERED ARMED AND EXTREMELY DANGEROUS. POPE HAS MADE STATEMENTS THAT HE WOULD KILL ANY OFFICER WHO ATTEMPTED TO ARREST HIM.

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DETAILS:

C. ASSOCIATES

AT FORT WORTH, TEXAS

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On July 8, 1958, it was determined that 2930 Forest Avenue, Dallas, was a Negro rooming house and has been so for the past three years. Tenants JESSIE SHELTON and BERTHA JEAN LEMMON both advised that they knew of no white female named Mrs. J. B. HUDSON having resided at that address for the past three years. From the above it appears that Mrs. HUDSON used a false address when she registered at the St. Angelus Hotel, San Angelo, Texas, in November, 1957.

(3) Gangland Killings

On June 18, 1958, Dallas Confidential Informant T-7, who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised she was a very close friend of Dallas-Fort police character EUGENE TOWNLEY. T-7 stated TOWNLEY was a known narcotics pusher and addict who was dealing in narcotics with ANGELO THOMAS CASTEN, when TOWNLEY and TOWNLEY's wife mysteriously disappeared from the Dallas-Fort Worth area. T-7 stated TOWNLEY at that time was obtaining pure heroin from CASTEN and that based on her knowledge and association with police characters in the Dallas-Fort Worth area, T-7 was of the opinion that TOWNLEY and TOWNLEY's wife were murdered by ANGELO CASTEN, HARRY POPE, and a third unknown individual believed to have been GENE PAUL NORRIS, over a narcotics argument. T-7 stated she had no definite proof concerning the above but that it was merely an opinion.

(4.) Miscellaneous Criminal Activities Information

On June 9, 1958, Assistant District Attorney CHARLES CABINASS advised SA ROBERT M. BARRETT that prosecutive action against POPE on charges of narcotics possession would take place on July 9, 1958, in the Dallas District Court of Judge FRANK B. WILSON.

On July 9, 1958, CABINASS advised POPE's attorney, CHARLES TESSMER, had on July 9, 1958, made a motion to have POPE's case passed until July 25, 1958, at which time POPE has agreed to enter a guilty plea and will accept a three year sentence. (Information leading to the arrest and indictment of POPE on the narcotics possession charge was originally furnished the Dallas Sheriff's Office by the Dallas FBI Office.)

F. PLACES OF AMUSEMENT AND HANGOUTS FREQUENTED

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INFORMANT PAGE

T-1 is Mr. R. W. BURROW, Chief Special Agent,  
Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, Dallas.

T-2 is DL-95-C.

T-3 is DL-90-C.

T-4 is PCI [REDACTED]

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T-5 is DL-83-C.

T-6 is El Paso PCI [REDACTED],

Texas.

T-7 is PCI [REDACTED].