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TO *tale in pen, while the other folders were written in black marker]*  
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2/2/66 - DA Dermody's office  
Thom. Bratcher.

- TB made 1st by Capt T. last nite 2/1/66  
- contacting brother to see when brother can  
can come down here to speak to us.

- will leave DAM 2/2/66

- word in mosque is that defendants will be out soon  
& that "the WORD" will be given this year + this 1966  
"SAVIOURS" day will be the last one.

The "WORD" has been awaited by the black muslims  
as the day of reckoning and revolt, + kill all  
the "white devils".

- he was told of impending arrest re. other peop's
- told his brother may be called to Grand Jury  
without immunity
- Get on the ball + get brother in with dispatch
- Brother or suffer consequences
- MR Dermody is the last person in the world to rub wrongly.

Jim T.B. - March 15, 1966

~~Lofton~~

1 car

Clarence 7X ✓

1c

Alvin ~~Jennings~~ Wolcott ✓

1c

{ T.B. 25X ✓

1c

{ Brother Lofton x ✓

~~Wagon~~  
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Hugo x

1c

Norman 3X ✓

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Thomas 15X

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Talmadge ✓

1 car - from Coney Island pick up passengers on way

wagons from L.I.

Vince

SEARS & Roebuck ARE going  
to repossess the furniture if we can find  
out where it is kept we can get it after  
the repossession

MARCH 15, 1966  
INTERVIEW OF T.B. THOMAS BRATCHER

IN THE MONTH OF Dec, 1964 I attended A meeting in the offices of Muhammad Speaks ~~188~~ 153 Lenox Hve. This meeting had been called by Capt Joseph. And was attended by all of the lieutenants in the Mosque #7. At this meeting Capt Joseph stated that the hypocrite meaning Malcolm X was returning to New York City from his trip to Africa And that it would be necessary for him to be removed from the Planet Earth. He further stated that he was giving the job to Lt. NORMAN 3X Butler and that Butler had at his disposal any member of any Mosque that he wanted in order to ~~fulfill~~ fulfill this Assignment. At this time he drew up A list of names and As he read the names off Capt Joseph would either approve or disapprove As to the status or experience of the person named. Butler was told that he had at his disposal any monies he would require And also As many Auto's As he needed. Bratcher also states that At the F.O.I meeting about one week prior to the Malcolm X homicide And At this meeting he saw Thalmadge Hayer.

On the day of the Assassination he states the he and his brother Lotton Bratcher left Long Island in a AUTO and picked up Flynn Walcott <sup>Butler</sup> and Clarence TX they went to the Audobon Ballroom and after discharging his passengers he and his brother first cruised and then parked at a designated spot after the killing he states that Butler, Walcott and Clarence got into the car driven by his brother and they dropped Butler at ~~his home~~ <sup>1694 Boston Rd</sup> they then dropped Walcott at his home. they then went to the Bklyn Mosque, he stated that Thomas 15X Johnson, Thelmadge Hayer, Norman X Butler, Clarence TX Johns Lotton X Bratcher Hugo X Flynn Walcott and also some people from Phila, Pa Wash, DC & Baltimore Md. also took part in this killing. He further stated that he had in his possession a floor plan of the Audobon Ballroom and also movies of the AREA and maps to effect the best getaway routes. these articles Apparanly are lost.



Thomas Bratcher -

First seen in D.A. Office - late  
afternoon - Jan 20, 1966 -

Present at the time were  
A.D.As. - Dermody & Ryan  
Dets - Confrey, Kealey, Cavallaro -  
Rushin & Taylor -

Det Miller -  
Rogers -  
Transit Authority

Lofton Bratcher  
is employed as a  
Tower Man -

Em 212 -  
Det Barney Morris -

Thomas Bratcher

Family —

9th Fls. Bureau Sp. Services -  
Burke

464 Father Thomas Bratcher <sup>01/26/28</sup> - 128 5589 -  
31-3v 98 St E Elm

Mother Janita (Muslim) Pn

Sister Evelyn Johnson <sup>7-24-28</sup> BFB RD#1 West Yaphank Rd  
Middle Island  
Box 447  
Practical Nurse in Creedmoor I

Wife Cora - <sup>Hampton</sup> Bratcher <sup>5-13-31</sup> Osceola Fla

Brother Lotton mrv 9th St Elmhurst

Wrote to Mother Brother & Sister 8-13-38 in Highschool in 1936-

- had TB. -

Stated wife is a Pros and sells drugs -

Girl friend Esther Confetti =

wife had congenial Syphilis And in hosp for more  
than one year.