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## THE PRESIDENT HAS SEEN....

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

INFORMATION

September 3, 1976

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MEMORANDUM FOR:

THE PRESIDENT

FROM:

PHILIP BUCHEN

Last night in the Mayflower Hotel, a man named Mike Casey alleged he had been robbed at gun point of \$800 and of a tape-recording. Casey's report to the D. C. police charged that his assailant was an agent of Leo Cherne and that the purloined tape-recording contained evidence showing an earlier threat to his life made directly by Leo.

This occurrence is the latest in a series of bizarre events involving efforts by this same individual to embarrass Leo Cherne and to implicate him in wrongdoing.

I report this to you in the event the newspapers carry an account of this episode. The FBI and the Department of Justice are investigating the whole series of events, and I will keep you informed.