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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

March 1, 1961

Mr. James O'Keefe
Chief of Police
Municipal Building
Sixth and Water Streets
Sioux City 3, Iowa

Attention: Mr. Harry J. Gibbons
Chief of Detectives

My dear Chief:

On February 24, 1961, I received your letter concerning Thomas Myles Dougherty, also known as Myles Dougherty, your Complaint number 611E.

In an effort to be of assistance I have had a search made through our Identification Division files. It was disclosed in this way that the missing person is probably identical with Myles Dougherty, also known as Thomas Myles Dougherty, FBI number 746 894 D. The subject of the record was arrested by the sheriff's office in your city, that agency's number 3386, on May 2, 1938, and was fingerprinted on March 23, 1942, in connection with his induction into the Army, serial number 37118951. On both occasions he gave his date of birth as September 29, 1915.

Inasmuch as your letter states that both of the missing person's hands are amputated I am having a missing person notice placed in file on that basis, but for completion of his record I shall appreciate hearing from you as to whether he is positively identical with the subject of fingerprint record FBI number 746 894 D.

We do not publish notices in the FBI Law Enforcement Bulletin Insert regarding adults who have disappeared voluntarily, but it is noted that you state foul play is feared in this disappearance. Consideration is, therefore, being given to publishing a notice in an early issue. The photograph you furnished is being retained.

Sincerely yours,

J. E. Hoover

John Edgar Hoover
Director