The FBI’s Search Report

What Bremer Had in Car

Washington

"RFK Must Die" and another book on Sirhan B. Sirhan, convicted assassin of Senator Robert F. Kennedy, were among the items found in Arthur Herman Bremer’s car, according to an FBI search warrant filed in Baltimore yesterday.

Bremer, former Milwaukee busboy and school janitor, is being held on $200,000 bond on charges of shooting Alabama Governor George C. Wallace at a shopping center rally in Laurel, Md., Monday.

High Federal officials who have reviewed investigative reports on the Wallace shooting said yesterday that there was no evidence whatsoever to indicate that Bremer was a hired killer.

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Clarence G. Dietz, magistrate in Baltimore, said yesterday that the warrant used to search Bremer’s home listed six pages of items the FBI took from the car.

Included were 13 gas station road maps, a Rand McNally atlas, two Republican campaign buttons, one Senator George McGovern campaign flyer and one Wallace poster.

In addition, the warrant listed three suitcases, a good deal of clothing. Bremer’s birth certificate, three newspapers and "various pages of lined notebook paper containing miscellaneous items".

Officially, the FBI declined to comment on the search. Other reliable federal sources said the car contained an itinerary for Wallace’s campaign in Maryland.

One source said the material taken from the car included the 21-year-old Bremer was "driving a hotron wheelchair.

The items supported the earlier evidence that Bremer was following the Wallace campaign for at least several weeks.

The campaign material, including letters and documents, is the first positive indication that Bremer had at least a passing interest in other candidates.

The book, "RFK Must Die," by Robert B. Kaiser and the other book with the title of "Sirhan" came from the Milwaukee public library, according to the warrant.

Kaiser’s book, published in 1970, was often advertised as "the book that challenges the police and FBI to re-open the case" and alleged that Robert Kennedy’s 1968 assassination was a conspiracy.

Meanwhile, Prince Georges county police yesterday took apart the Bremer car piece by piece. Searching for evidence that the FBI might not have found in its search of the car.

The FBI conducted a search, said assistant chief John W. Rhoads. "We’re going into it a little deeper.

The FBI’s search of the car was made Tuesday in a service station in Randolph Village, Md., where the car was towed by county police Monday evening.

"They worked on it all day," recalled Thomas Smith, a station attendant.

"It was a junk car, a Rebel Rambler," said Smith. "The fenders were all bent up." He said the FBI fingerprinted the whole car.

Washington Post Service

The Fears Sons Did It

Baltimore

The father of Arthur H. Bremer, the Milwaukee youth charged with the shooting of Gov. George C. Wallace, visited his son yesterday in the Baltimore county jail.

The Detroit Free Press said Bremer’s father told one of its reporters after the visit he feared his son was the person who allegedly fired the shots that hit the Alabama governor during a campaign rally in Laurel, Md., Monday.

"It must have been my boy," the Free Press quoted William Bremer as saying in a copyright story in its morning editions today.

"You start to see all the parts, and they start to add up until you think you have a picture, and you get the feeling it must have been my boy. Listening to the news reports and seeing him there today, I think it must have been my boy," the 58-year-old truck driver told Free Press reporter William Schmidt at the Baltimore airport.

"But I wonder who he’s protecting, I mean, if he did it, I know he didn’t do it on his own," the Free Press quoted the elder Bremer.

Before visiting Arthur, the elder Bremer had been unwilling to believe the charges against his son.

United Press

Suspect’s Brother In Trouble

Miami

Authorities have identified a man wanted here for killing six petty housewives as the brother of Arthur H. Bremer of Milwaukee, who is accused of shooting Alabama Governor George Wallace at Laurel, Md., Monday.

"Officers said William Allen Bremer, 32, is wanted on $25,000 bond at his home at Greenwood, Ark., pending a hearing on extradition to Florida May 20 at Fort Smith, Ark.

Authorities at Fort Smith identified the suspect as Bremer’s brother and the identification was confirmed by another brother, Theodore, of Milwaukee, who told newsmen there, "When it rains, it really rains hard."