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ADDRESSED—
THE COMMISSIONER,
R. C. M. POLICE,
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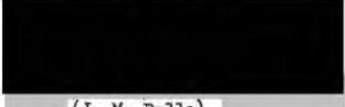
TOP SECRET

Dear Mr. Wall:

You will recall speaking to Superintendent Kelly on Tuesday afternoon concerning the matter of whether or not the Lord Elgin Hotel could be considered as a "hangout" for homosexuals and your request to have some comment on this point. Please be advised that a check of our records reveals that 22 homosexuals who have been interviewed have identified the Lord Elgin Hotel Beer Parlour as a hangout for homosexuals.

2. A number of other places have also been named but it is interesting to note that more than twice as many persons questioned have referred to the Lord Elgin Hotel Beer Parlour than to any other place.

Yours sincerely,


(J. M. Bella),
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Director of Security & Intelligence.

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