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SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

Records of AGO, St. Louis, Missouri reflect ABRAHAM FOOKSON, 3534 10th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. as name furnished by JULIUS ROSENBERG as character reference when he applied for civilian job with War Department. Personnel file National Bureau of Standards, Department of Commerce, Washington, D.C., reflects

Subject employed by Patent Office, Department of Commerce from December 12, 1938, to March 31, 1940, when he transferred to National Bureau of Standards as Junior Chemist.

At this time subject was working on new hydrogen compounds in the aviation gasoline range. Dr. ALLAN V. ASTIN, Director of Security, IES, advised subject was not working on classified material. Application for admittance to GWU, BENJAMIN BIALEK, 4007 18th Street, N.W., and STANLEY RICH, 1115

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N.J. Avenue, N.W., both Washington, D.C., given as references by subject. BIALEK and RICH have been reported by confidential informants as active in Communist front activities in Washington, D.C. On or about September 3, 1944, subject made application at the Soviet Government Purchasing Commission, Washington, D.C., for employment, at which time he expressed a desire to go to Russia. ANNE FOOKSON, wife of subject, reported by confidential informants to have been connected with United American Spanish Aid Committee, American Peace Mobilization, American Youth Congress, and the Washington Committee for Democratic Action. When interviewed by representatives of T-2 on August 16, 1943, she denied belonging to Washington Committee for Democratic Action or the American Peace Mobilization. However, she stated that at that time she was a member of the Washington Cooperative Bookshop. Confidential informants of WFO reflect ANNE FOOKSON in contact with numerous reported Communists in Washington, D.C.

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DETAILS: AT WASHINGTON, D.C.

The records of the Records Administration Center, Adjutant General's Office, St. Louis, Missouri, reflect that ABRAHAM FOOKSON, Chemist at 3534 10th Street, Washington, D.C., appeared as a character reference on application for civilian employment with the Department of the Army by JULIUS ROSENBERG. On July 17, 1950, a Complaint was filed charging JULIUS ROSENBERG with violation of Title 50, Section 34, United States Code (1946 edition). The aforementioned Complaint charged that on October 10, 1950, indictment was returned by the Grand Jury, Southern District of New York charging as follows:

On or about November 1, 1944, up to and including June 16, 1950, at the Southern District of New York and elsewhere, JULIUS ROSENBERG, ETHEL ROSENBERG, and ANATOLI A. ~~SMOLY~~, also known as JOHN, DAVID GREENGLASS, and MORTON SOBELL, the defendants herein did, the United States of America then and there being at War, conspire, combine, confederate and agree with each other, and with HARRY WOLD and RUTH GREENGLASS named as co-conspirators but not as defendants, and with divers other persons presently to the Grand Jury unknown, to violate Subsection (a) of Section 32, Title 50, United States Code, and that they did conspire, combine, confederate, and agree with intent and reason to believe that it would be useful to the advantage of a foreign nation to wit, The Union of Soviet Socialist Republics, to communicate, deliver, and transmit to a foreign Government, to wit, The Union of Soviet Socialist Republics, and representatives and agents thereof, directly or indirectly, documents, writings, sketches, notes, and information relating to the national defense of the United States of America.

The files of the Credit Bureau, 1221 G Street, N.W., Washington, D.C., reflected that ABRAHAM FOOKSON, who was residing at 3554 10th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C., in August, 1944, was employed at the National Bureau of Standards. These records reflected that prior to coming to Washington, D.C., in 1938 he had lived at 2155 Mahegan Avenue, New York City. This file reflected that his wife, ANNE GOLDIE FOOKSON, was employed in 1940 by the Washington Glass Company, 2133 Ward Place, N.W., Washington, D.C., as a Secretary.

Commerce
The personnel file of subject at the Patent Office, Department of Commerce, Washington, D.C., reflected that he entered on duty December 12, 1938, and that he resigned March 31, 1940, in order to accept an appointment at the National Bureau of Standards, Department of Commerce as a Junior Chemist (organic) at P-1, \$2,000. per annum. These files reflected that he was rated "good" by C.O. DURAS.

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The personnel files at the National Bureau of Standards reflected that [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] Subject began his employment at National Bureau of Standards on April 1, 1940, as a Junior Chemist (organic) and is still so employed.

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These files contain a letter to the Selective Service Board #10, Washington, D.C., requesting industrial deferment for subject. This letter was dated June 11, 1943, and reflected that subject was, at that time, conducting work of a highly specialized nature which has for its purpose the production of new hydrogen compounds in the aviation gasoline range, that subject with the aid of one or more professional assistants over which he had supervision operates a power plant. This letter reflected that the work being done is highly experimental in character and that subject's plant is one of the immediate steps moving towards the development of large scale production of superior aviation gasoline for military purposes. This letter further stated that the work subject was participating in was for a highly confidential military project assigned to the National Bureau of Standards by the Army-Navy and the National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics. These files further reflected that in June, 1943 subject was working in the Heat and Power Division as a Chemist in the Automotive Power Plant Section. These files further reflected that subject has worked in the Heat and Power Division, Automotive Power Plant Section from March 31, 1941 and that during the majority of this time he has been rated by Mr. D. B. BROOKS, which ratings have been reviewed by Mr. H. C. DICKINSON.

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Dr. ALLAN V. ASTIN was interviewed by Special Agent JOSEPH CRAIG on December 14, 1950, at which time Dr. ASTIN advised that subject had not worked on classified matters. He had not been cleared for handling classified matters. The only clearance that has been afforded subject was under the Loyalty of Government Employees Program. Dr. ASTIN advised that the Power Plant in which subject is employed is not handling classified experiments or work. He further advised that subject does not have a pass or has not been cleared by the National Bureau of Standards to enter restricted areas. He stated that only persons who have been cleared to enter restricted areas have their photographs on file.

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The files of Washington T-22, a Federal agency, reflected that subject registered with Selective Service on October 16, 1940, at which time he listed his residence as 1727 R Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. This record showed that he was married December 10, 1938, in New York City and that he has one son, born January 25, 1946. He was classified 3-A on July, 1941. On June 13, 1942, his classification was changed to 1-A. On July 19, 1942, his classification was changed to 2-B. On January 12, 1943, his classification was changed to 3-B. These files contained the following description of subject:

Name - ABRAHAM FOOKSON
 Residence - 1727 R Street, N.W. (1944)
 Employment - National Bureau of Standards
 Married - Wife ANNE GOLDIE FOOKSON
 Date of birth - October 18, 1916, New York City.
 Race - White
 Height - 5' 4"
 Weight - 140 pounds
 Eyes - Brown
 Hair - Brown
 Complexion - Light

The records of George Washington University, Washington, D.C., reflected that subject enrolled in that university for the fall term 1939, seeking an M.S. degree in Chemistry. These records reflected that he attended the university for two semesters in 1939-1940; one semester 1940-1941; one semester 1941-1942; was a resident student for two semesters in 1942-1943 and 1943-1944. During the two semesters of 1944, 1945, and the summer semester of 1945 he was also a resident student. During 1945-1946 he did work at the Laboratory only on Saturday. From the fall of 1946 through 1948 he was a resident student working on his thesis for his masters degree. This degree was conferred on him February 22, 1949. These files contained a petition for extension of time for completion of his thesis for his masters degree dated September 12, 1945, giving as a reason for such "one year (1941) lost because of incapability due to accident". These files contained another request for extension of time. At this time he gave the reason for the request as "poor health of his wife, extraordinary work during war years at the National Bureau of Standards". His thesis for his masters degree was entitled "The Reaction of Isobutylene Bisnitrochloride with Concentrated Hydrochloric Acid". These files reflect that

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the transcript of his record was sent to the University of Maryland on September 2, 1949. Subject's application for admission to George Washington University contained the following references:

BENJAMIN BIALEK, 4007 13th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C.

STANLEY RICH, 1115 New Jersey Avenue, N.W.

The files of Washington T-2, a local agency which conducts special investigations in the District of Columbia, contained the following information concerning BENJAMIN BIALEK:

BENJAMIN BIALEK, 5405 13th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C., appeared on the mailing list of the Friends of the Soviet Union, Washington, D.C. Branch in May of 1933. These files had no source for this information. Information was contained in these files under the heading of "The Anti-War Strike Notice to the Whitehouse and the Student Strike Against War Staged by the Students of Howard University April 12, 1935". This report showed that about 11:00 a.m. on April 12, 1935, approximately one hundred students and young men and women, also professors of Howard University, and "several unknown radicals", lead by one of the students paraded with banners on the campus of Howard University. It was pointed out in this report that about ten of the persons participating in this demonstration were not students of the University but "known members of radical organizations". It was reported that persons were conveyed to and about the University campus in automobile described as a Dodge Sedan bearing D.C. License #9-957, which was listed to one BENJAMIN BIALEK, 4201 Georgia Avenue, N.W. This report further reflected that banners were displayed by the demonstrators reading "Students League for Industrial Democracy on Strike" and "Deusche Verein is on Strike".

The files of T-2 further reflected that a mass meeting of the Communist Party was held in the National Press Building Auditorium on May 2, 1948, which celebrated May Day in Washington, D.C. Report reflected that this meeting was presided over by WILLIAM C. TAYLOR, Chairman

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~~of the District of Columbia Communist Party and that the speakers were GERHARDT EISLER, ELIZABETH GURLEY FLYN, and GEORGE MYERS. MYERS was described as the Labor Secretary of the Communist Party of Maryland and the District of Columbia. Mr. ROBERT BIALEK and his daughter-in-law, BERNICE BIALEK were identified among the people attending this meeting.~~

An article in the Washington Post paper of September 18, 1950, reflected that BENJAMIN BIALEK, who was born in Russia, came to the United States when he was seventeen years old, that he returned shortly after for eight months to register for military service in the Czar Army. Mr. BIALEK escaped to this country in 1912. In 1918 he entered the pharmaceutical business. He was a partner with Dr. LOUIS ROSENBERG in the Petworth Pharmacy, 4201 Georgia Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C., until his retirement two years ago. This article reflected that Mr. BIALEK had died in George Washington University Hospital on September 17, 1950. He was survived by his ^{see B. ALEK} wife, FANNIE BIALEK, a daughter, Mrs. LILLIAN CLOCK, New York, and three sons, SAMUEL, 3117 Queen Chapel Road,

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Mt. Rainier, Maryland; ROBERT 329 Quincy Street, N.W., and
THEODORE, both of Washington, D.C.

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The records of the Credit Bureau, 1221 G Street, N.W., Washington, D.C., contained a report dated October 17, 1949, which reflected that BENJAMIN BIALEK resided at 4007 18th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C.

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MAX ELITCHER, during an interview conducted at the New York Office on July 20, 21, 24, 27, 1950, stated that he had joined the Communist Party sometime in 1939 while in Washington, D.C., and was active in Party politics until sometime in 1948 just prior to his going to New York. ELITCHER stated that he was induced to join the Communist Party through persuasion of MORTON SOBELL. ELITCHER stated that he recalled STANLEY RICH as having been a student in the Engineering School at CCNY at the same time he was attending that school. He believed RICH graduated from City College in 1938 with an engineering degree. ELITCHER stated he remembered RICH as having been a "Leftist" while on the campus of City College and that RICH had exhibited the same tendencies when he went to Washington, D.C., in the latter part of 1938 or early 1939 to work at the Bureau of Ordnance in the Navy Department. ELITCHER stated RICH was also a roommate at the 1316 Delafield residence in Washington. ELITCHER was unable to state whether RICH was a member of the Communist Party in Washington, D.C. ELITCHER further advised that RICH did not remain for a long period of time with the Navy Department but left after about a year and a half to obtain a job in Boston, Massachusetts. In this connection ELITCHER stated that while on a business trip to Boston for the Bureau of Ordnance he chanced to meet RICH. He recalled that at that time RICH stated that he was working at the Submarine Signal Corporation, Boston, on underwater sonic devices. Later at a social occasion at which ELITCHER was present, someone brought RICH's name into the conversation at which point some person, possibly SOBELL, stated RICH had deviated from his leftist attitude and viewpoint. ELITCHER stated he got the impression SOBELL or possibly one of the other individuals present seemed to know what STANLEY RICH was doing and he also stated he got the distinct impression someone in the group had been in touch with STANLEY RICH. He further pointed out that RICH's name was thereafter dropped from the conversation very abruptly.

MAX ELITCHER said that MORTON SOBELL told him sometime in 1939 that he, himself, was a member of the Communist Party. ELITCHER stated that MORTON SOBELL attended the College of the City of New York from 1934 to 1938, graduating from the Engineering School, receiving a Bachelor of Science degree. ELITCHER stated that SOBELL was an acquaintance of his at CCNY but did not associate with him and they never went out socially together. ELITCHER first saw SOBELL in Washington, D.C., about December, 1938. ELITCHER had gone to Washington about November, 1938 to gain employment with the Bureau of Ordnance, Navy Department. According to ELITCHER, SOBELL went to Washington in December, 1938, receiving a position as Engineer with the Bureau of Ordnance and lived next door to ELITCHER. ELITCHER, at that time, was residing at 1316 Delafield Place, N.W., Washington, D.C. Sometime prior to April, 1939 SOBELL and ELITCHER took an apartment at 4925 7th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. This was a three room apartment in a private home. They lived at this address for about one year and they moved to 2225 N Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. They remained there together until about September, 1941 when SOBELL left to do graduate work at the University of Michigan. ELITCHER further related that SOBELL spent approximately one year at the University of Michigan and then obtained employment at the General Electric Company in Schenectady, New York sometime around September, 1942. He stated that SOBELL remained in the employment of the General Electric Company until 1947 when he and his family came to New York City and resided at his mother's home for several months. In the latter part of 1947, SOBELL purchased a home at 164-17 73rd Avenue, Flushing, New York.

It should be noted that ELITCHER resided at 164-18 72nd Avenue, Flushing and that SOBELL and ELITCHER's house had adjoining back yards. ELITCHER advised that shortly after SOBELL's arrival in New York City, SOBELL obtained employment at the Reeves Instrument Company, New York City, where ELITCHER was also later employed. ELITCHER stated that SOBELL had been steadily employed at the Reeves Company up until approximately June 16, 1950, but thereafter SOBELL did not show up for work claiming that he was sick.

According to T-4, of known reliability, MORTON SOBELL was reported to have been active in the American Peace Mobilization and American Youth Congress. This informant also advised that SOBELL signed a Communist Party petition for ISIDORE BEGUN on August 8, 1939.

The American Peace Mobilization and the American Youth Congress have been both declared within the purview of Executive Order 9835.

MORTON SOBELL's wife, HELEN, was formerly married to CLARENCE DARTON GUREWITZ. According to T-3, CLARENCE GUREWITZ is a member of the Communist Party in Washington, D.C.

Confidential Informant I-18, of known reliability, advised that as of February 1, 1944, HELEN GUREWITZ was also a member of the Communist Party in Washington, D.C.

The records of the County Clerk, Arlington Court-House, Arlington, Virginia, reflected that MORTON SOBELL married HELEN GUREWITZ on March 19, 1945, in Arlington, Virginia. He listed his parents as LOUIS SOBELL and ROSE ~~STARTECH~~ and his wife listed her parents as MAX LEVITOV and ROSE ~~STON~~.

Confidential Informant I-6, of known reliability, advised that [REDACTED] at Washington, D.C. on February 21, 1936, she married [REDACTED] in Washington, D.C. On March 5, 1945, she divorced [REDACTED] in Arlington, Virginia and was awarded custody of one child, [REDACTED] who had been born in [REDACTED]. Informant advised that [REDACTED] had been employed by the National Bureau of Standards from January 2, 1942, to March 9, 1946.


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DAVID GREENGLASS, a self confessed Soviet espionage agent, advised that JULIUS ROSENBERG was responsible for recruiting him into Soviet espionage work. RUTH GREENGLASS, wife of DAVID GREENGLASS, in a signed statement, stated that JULIUS ROSENBERG originally approached her to recruit DAVID GREENGLASS into the Soviet espionage network.

On August 3, 1950, Complaint charging MORTON SOBELL with violation of Title 50, Section 34, United States Code (1946 edition) and that from on or about July of 1944 and continuously thereafter up to and including July 16, 1950, in the Southern District of New York, MORTON SOBELL did, the United States of America being then and there at war conspire, combine, confederate and agree with JULIUS ROSENBERG and others to deponent unknown, to violate Section 32 (a) of Title 50, United States Code and that they did conspire, combine, confederate and agree with intent and reason to believe that it would be used to the advantage of a foreign nation, to wit, the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics, to communicate, deliver, and transmit and attempt to communicate, deliver, and transmit to a foreign Government, to wit, the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics, and representatives and agents thereof, directly or indirectly, documents, writings, sketches, notes, and information relating to the national defense of the United States.

On the same day a warrant was issued by EDWARD W. McDONALD, United States Commissioner, Southern District of New York for MORTON SOBELL, in that SOBELL did, in or about July, 1940 and continuing thereafter up to and including the 16th day of July in the year 1950, at the Southern District of New York, violate Section 34, Title 50, United States Code (1946 edition) unlawfully conspired to transmit information relating to the national defense of the United States. MORTON SOBELL was arrested by agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation at 2:50 a.m. on August 18, 1950, in the office of the Immigration and Naturalization Service, Laredo, Texas just after entering the United States from Mexico via the International Bridge at Laredo.

MAX ELITCHER advised agents of the New York Office on August 31, 1950, that he had a vague recollection of ABRAHAM FOCKSON as a person whom he had met socially early in the 1940's.



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Subject was interviewed by Special Agent C. EDWARD NICHOLSON, JR., with regard to JULIUS ROSENBERG giving his name as a character reference. At this time he advised that he knew of no reason why ROSENBERG had given his name as a character reference since he was only casually acquainted with ROSENBERG as a classmate at CCNY during the 1930's. He advised further that since leaving CCNY he happened to have two "chance" meetings with ROSENBERG, the first in 1944 or possibly 1945 on the grounds of Washington branch of the National Bureau of Standards where subject himself, was employed, and the second meeting in Washington during the winter of 1949 or 1950. He stated that he could not remember the circumstances of this second meeting except to state that he drove JULIUS ROSENBERG to Union Station in Washington, D.C., in his, subject's, automobile. He stated that at the second meeting, ROSENBERG had inquired of him whether he was still employed at the National Bureau of Standards and asked what type of work subject was handling. Subject advised that he told ROSENBERG he was working on "hydrocarbons" which was not confidential in nature. Subject denied that ROSENBERG had attempted to compromise him in any way or persuade him to turn any information over to Russia. Subject admitted that the name of MAX ELITCHER and WILLIAM DANZIGER were familiar to him but was unable to explain how except to say that he recalled that both ELITCHER and DANZIGER were once involved with a friend of his named LEO SCHUBERT, who is also employed as a Chemist by the Bureau of Standards.

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and who went to CCNY in the middle 1930's. According to subject SCHUBERT, ELITCHER, and DANZIGER were part of a group of ten fellows in Washington, D.C., who, about three years ago were involved in a plan to promote a low cost housing development. Subject stated that the name HORTON SOELL was very familiar to him but could only suggest that it was due to their mutual attendance at CCNY. He also stated that MILTON JAMES is known to him very well both socially and as a former fellow student at CCNY and George Washington University in Washington, D.C.

Photographs of persons who were associates of ROSENBERG were exhibited to FOOKSON but on this first interview he was unable to identify any of them, however, he did identify the photograph of JULIUS ROSENBERG. Upon being interviewed a second time at the Washington Field Office ABRAHAM FOOKSON stated that he had had an opportunity to reflect upon this matter and that he wished to furnish the following information as a matter of record in order to show the exact nature of his relationship with JULIUS ROSENBERG.

Pursuant to his request the following informal written statement was executed by him:

"Washington, D.C.
August 17, 1950

"I, ABRAHAM FOOKSON, made the following voluntary statement to C. EDWARD NICHOLSON, JR., and ROBERT L. SMELTZER who have identified themselves to me as Special Agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

"I first met JULIUS ROSENBERG while we were both students at CCNY in the middle nineteen thirties. During this period ROSENBERG was an average acquaintance only, that is to say, I might have lunch with him but not have social contact with him away from the school. After leaving CCNY in 1937 I had no further contact with ROSENBERG until either the summer of 1944 or 1945 when I chanced to run into him on the grounds of the National Bureau of Standards

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where I work. We had a casual conversation at this time during which ROSENBERG mentioned that he was "stationed" at Emerson radio plant but was at the Bureau of Standards for several weeks to receive special radio training of some kind. I might have seen him a few more times shortly after this but always at the Bureau of Standards. I next saw ROSENBERG to the best of my recollection here in Washington, D.C. during the winter of 1949-1950. On this occasion he telephoned my apartment and stated he was in town. I invited him to come out to see me at my apartment located at 204 Newcomb St., S.E., which he did the same evening. As I recall we sat around and chatted about family and business matters for about half an hour. I believe he had a briefcase with him at this time and ~~man~~ to recall that he was going to Baltimore, Maryland or had just come from there. I remember that he asked me if I was still employed by the Bureau of Standards and what I was working on. I told him I was working on "hydrocarbons". I then drove ROSENBERG to Union Station in my automobile where I let him out. I have never seen JULIUS ROSENBERG since.

"I wish to state that JULIUS ROSENBERG never attempted to elicit any information from me concerning my work except to ask what I was working on. When I told him "hydrocarbons" and that it was not confidential ROSENBERG did not pursue it further.

"I have been given to understand that ROSENBERG once gave my name as a character reference when applying for Federal employment. I am unable to understand why he did this as I don't know him that well.

"I have read the above statement and affirm it to be the truth to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(s) ABRAHAM FOOKSON

Witnesses:

C. Edward Nicholson, Jr. - Special Agent, FBI, Wash, D.C.
Robert L. Smeltzer - Special Agent, FBI, Washington, D.C."

After executing the above statement, photographs of known associates of JULIUS ROSENBERG were again exhibited to FUCHSON and on this occasion he identified the photograph of MAX ELITCHER as the individual to whom he had met at the home of LEO SCHUBERT.

Mrs. FLORENCE E. MILLER, 1730 Park Road, N.W., advised that during 1940 and 1941 she operated a rooming house at 1930 Biltmore Street, N.W., that during the summer of 1940, JULIUS ROSENBERG and his wife had resided in a room on the second floor. One of the other roomers, Mr. MILTON MANES, had brought the ROSENBERGS to her, and had been instrumental in arranging for them to obtain a room at this address.

Mrs. MILLER advised that MANES and ROSENBERG were extremely friendly and even had a small club of some sort. She recalled that once MANES asked her for permission to hold some meeting of this club in his room, which request was granted by Mrs. MILLER. She stated, however, that the meetings were always held when she, Mrs. MILLER, was away from the house.

The indices of the Washington Field Office reflect that MILTON MANES, also known as MILTON MANNS, was employed in 1942 as a General Chemist, Food and Drug Administration, Federal Security Agency, and was investigated by the FBI under the terms and provisions of the Hatch Act. The basis of this investigation was that he had been reported by Washington T-1, of known reliability, as having his name listed on the indices of the American Peace Mobilization, known also as the American Peoples Mobilization since the German Invasion of Russia in the summer of 1941.

MILTON MANES, in a sworn statement which he refused to sign, declared that he was not a member of the American Peace Mobilization but that he had attended one meeting and contributed less than one dollar to this organization.

When ELITCHER was interviewed by agents of the New York Office, he stated that he had known SOBELL for a longer period than he had known ROSENBERG and that his association with SOBELL was always more intimate than with ROSENBERG, that it was likely that he would go into considerable detail about his work to SOBELL and that SOBELL could have been trying to get some type of report relating to his, ELITCHER, work

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and given the information to JULIUS ROSENBERG either orally or in writing. He stated that SOBELL did not take notes or indicate that he was possibly preparing a report on him. ELITCHER recalled that SOBELL was present with him on one occasion when they met ROSENBERG. At that time ROSENBERG advised ELITCHER that he was making plans to have someone in Washington contact ELITCHER in the future.

ELITCHER also stated that just prior to his moving to New York and taking a job with the Reeves Instrument Company, he got in touch with SOBELL and told him of his plans. SOBELL, upon hearing this, made some remark to the effect that ROSENBERG would want to talk to him about making this transfer of employment.

MAX ELITCHER advised that in one of his early meetings with JULIUS ROSENBERG, either in Washington, D.C., or New York, ROSENBERG introduced the name WILLIAM DANZIGER to him, recalling to ELITCHER that DANZIGER had been a classmate of theirs at CCNY. ELITCHER stated that he and DANZIGER had gone to Washington, D.C., in November of 1938 where they both secured positions with the Bureau of Ordnance, Navy Department. They resided together at 1316 Delafield Place, N.W., Washington, D.C. ELITCHER advised that DANZIGER had been a member of the Communist Party from approximately 1939 until the summer of 1948 and indicated that DANZIGER may still be a member of the Communist Party.

ELITCHER stated that MORTON SOBELL knew WILLIAM DANZIGER had been a member of the Communist Party in Washington, D.C.

It should be noted that JULIUS ROSENBERG, in an application for employment in a position of Engineer with the General Electric Company in Schenectady, New York, listed WILLIAM DANZIGER as a reference and that he had known him for a period of twelve years.

Confidential Informant T-7, of known reliability, advised that informant had knowledge of the name ABRAHAM FOOKSON. Informant stated that she had heard the name of FOOKSON and primarily the name of ANNE FOOKSON through MILTON and DENA HELENSON.

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Confidential Informant T-7 advised that ANNE FOOKSON was associated with ANNA STEIN and EDITH SCHUBERT and that they have often spoken of the FOOKSONS.

The records of the House Committee on Un-American Activities reflect that DANZIGER and his wife were members of the Washington Committee for Democratic Action.

Confidential Informant T-8, of known reliability, has reported that WILLIAM DANZIGER and his wife, SYLVIA DANZIGER, were members of the American Peace Mobilization in 1940.

Confidential Informant T-15, of known reliability, has reported that SYLVIA DANZIGER worked as a Cashier at the Convention of the American Youth Congress held February 7, 8, and 9, 1941.

Confidential Informants T-11, and T-5, both of known reliability, have reported that SYLVIA DANZIGER was a member of the Communist Party in Long Beach, California in 1943 and 1944.

The Communist Party, Washington Committee for Democratic Action, American Peace Mobilization, and American Youth Congress have been declared as coming within the purview of Executive Order 9835.

LEO SCHUBERT, 1100 Mississippi Avenue, S.E., who is employed at the National Bureau of Standards, was reported by Confidential Informant T-9, of known reliability, that he was a member of the Communist Party up until the time the Non-Aggression Pact was entered into between Germany and Russia. This informant has also advised that his wife, EDITH SCHUBERT was a former member of the Communist Party.

Confidential Informant T-10, of known reliability, has reported that Mr. and Mrs. SCHUBERT are close associates of JULIUS WEISSER.

JULIUS WEISSER is an employee of the Department of Agriculture and on October 23, 1947, he executed a request for report on loyalty data in which he listed membership in the Washington Bookshop Association.

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Confidential Informant T-3, of known reliability, has reported that JULIUS WEISSEN and ETHEL WEISSEN are active figures in the Communist Party underground movement in Washington, D.C.

Confidential Informant T-8, of known reliability, has advised that the name MILTON KELENSON appeared in the active indices of the American Peace Mobilization in 1940. T-8 advised that the name ANNE FOOKSON, 3545 10th Street, N.W., appeared in the indices of the Washington Chapter of the American Peace Mobilization in 1941.

Confidential Informant T-13, of known reliability, advised that the name of ANNE FOOKSON was contained in the active indices or mailing list of the United American-Spanish Aid Committee in 1942.

Confidential Informant T-14, of known reliability, advised in February of 1944 that the name Mrs. ANNE FOOKSON, 440 Newcomb Street, S.E., was on the list of active members of the Washington Bookshop Association.

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An employee of T-2, a local agency which conducts special investigations in and around Washington, D.C., interviewed ANNE FOOKSON on August 16, 1943, at which time she denied ever having belonged to the Washington Committee for Democratic Action or the American Peace Mobilization. However, she did say that she was, at that time, a member of the Washington Cooperative Bookshop, 916 17th Street, Washington, D.C. She stated "I have never received any literature from the American Peoples Mobilization or the Washington Committee for Democratic Action and I have no knowledge of either group other than what I see in the paper. I am not a member of the Communist Party nor, to my knowledge do I have any friends who are members. I paid a membership fee of one dollar per year to the Washington Bookshop". She advised that her mother, BERTHA FISHMAN CHAWES, was born in Rumania, and her father, RUBIN CHAWES, was born in Lithuania. She stated that they resided at 810 Eastern Parkway, Brooklyn, New York (1943). Her brother, JERRY CHAWES, then eighteen, was in the United States Navy and her brother, MAURICE, then twenty, was in the United States Army at that time. This employee of T-2 observed a book entitled "The Red Army Sings" in the bookcase of subject's living room.

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Confidential Informant T-12, of known reliability.



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Confidential Informant T-15, of known reliability, advised that at the time of the Second Annual Convention of the American Youth Congress in Washington, D.C., SADIE SOKOLOVE, 1410 H Street, N.W., Washington, D.C., advised a representative arriving for this convention that ALICE FOOKSON, and CHARLOTTE ORAM would be present at this convention.

The Washington Bookshop Association has been declared as coming within the purview of Executive Order 9835.

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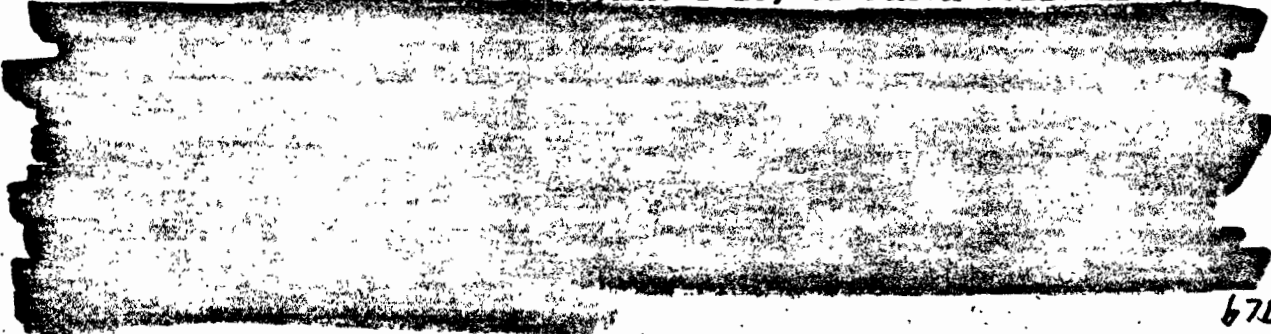
Confidential Informant T-16, of known reliability, furnished the following information regarding acquaintances and friends of the FOOKSONS:

Informant advised that during the fall of 1948 that the informant had knowledge that ANNE FOOKSON was acquainted with ETHEL WEISSER, BABS ~~TELDMAN~~, and ANNIE ~~STEIN~~. Informant did not know the extent of this acquaintance or friendship but did know that at least ETHEL WEISSER and subject's wife planned on having their children play together. Informant recalled that ANNE FOOKSON, BELLA ~~REDMAN~~, HELLER ~~SHOICK~~, and EDITH SCHUBERT, participated in a picket line in front of PUC (Public Utilities Commission) held the middle of September, 1948 when the Capital Transit Company was attempting to secure fair rates.

Confidential Informant T-1, of known reliability, advised that JOE ~~TORER~~ and ANNE FOOKSON were acquainted in 1949. Informant could not state the degree of acquaintanceship or when they met each other.

Confidential Informant T-17, of known reliability, furnished the following information regarding friends and acquaintances of ANNE FOOKSON: The only information that informant had was that ANNE FOOKSON knew GERTRUDE ~~MURLEY~~ and ESTHER ~~WASKOFF~~ in Washington, D.C., in 1947. Informant could furnish no additional information or names of persons acquainted with ANNE FOOKSON or subject.

Confidential Informant T-18, of known reliability,



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T-3 advised that ESTHER ~~WASKOFF~~, 1709 17th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C., was formerly co-manager of the ~~Bookshop Association~~ and as being a member of the Communist

Party in Washington, D.C., for over fourteen years and is active in many Communist front organizations.

JOSEPH FORER, 1519 2 Street, N.W., Apartment 200, according to T-3, was a member of the Mid-City Communist Club in June of 1944.

JOSEPH FORER, 1107 Trenton Place, S.E., Washington, D.C., according to Confidential Informant T-19, of known reliability, has furnished legal counsel to GERHARDT EISLER and HANS EISLER, NATHAN GREGORY SILVERMASTER, CLAUDIA JONES, LOUISE BRANSTEN BERMAN, and JACOB STACHEL and other prominent Communists.

In May, 1950, he represented EUGENE DENNIS in the United States District Court at Washington, D.C., in the Contempt of Congress case versus DENNIS. He has also furnished legal counsel in connection with contempt proceedings against the Foley Square (New York) lawyers. FORER has admitted membership in the Washington Committee for Democratic Action, National Foundation for Constitutional Liberties and the American League for Peace and Democracy.

Both FORER and STEIN

of the Communist Party. Informant believes ARTHUR STEIN is on a very high level in the Communist Party and that his assignments have been to assist in the formation of a Government Workers Union. The STEINS are considered by informant to be fanatics who live for the Communist Party and would never change their ideas.

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SYLVIA SOLOFF, also known as SYLVIA SAKOLOFF, 2301 15th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C., has been described by T-3 as a member of the Communist Party. T-3 stated that as late as 1948 she was active in the Communist Party in Washington, D.C.

HELEN SHOICK, 1468 Girard Street, N.W., Washington, D.C., according to T-3 was a member of the Communist Party in Washington, D.C., in January of 1946 and was Chairman of the Health Club of the Communist Party as of November, 1948.

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Confidential Informant T-3 advised that BABETTE FELDMAN, who is also known as "BABS" was a member of the Health Club of the Communist Party in Washington, D.C., in 1948.

CHARLOTTE ORAM, who was formerly CHARLOTTE YOUNG, 4659 Massachusetts Avenue, According to T-3, is former membership Secretary of the Communist Party of the District of Columbia. T-3 advised that CHARLOTTE ORAM has not been reported to have been active in open Communist Party activities in the District of Columbia since September of 1949.

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ADMINISTRATIVE PAGE

Confidential Informant T-21, of known reliability, advised that during December of 1950, Mr. and/or Mrs. ABRAHAM FOCKSON, 204 Newcomb St., received the following communications which showed the following return addresses:

1033 Parkview Apartments, Collingswood 6, New Jersey.
 Jefferson Chemical Company, 711 5th Avenue, New York 22, New York.
 Harvey, 2541 Adelphi Avenue, Bronx 63, New York.
 Mendelson, 7434 Georgia Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C.
 9702 Lawndale Drive, Silver Spring, Maryland.
 World Editions, 105 W. 40th Street, New York 18, New York.
 Shirley Jacobson, 2814 Wisconsin Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C.
 The Hecht Company, Washington, D.C.
 American Chemical Society, 1155 16th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C.
 J. S. Wilson, Cam Products Refining Company, Argo, Illinois.
 Chestnut Farms, Navy Chase Dairy, Washington 7, D.C.
 Monsanto Chemical Company, 1700 South Second Street, St. Louis 4, Missouri.
 California Spray-Chemical Corporation, Richmond, California.
 Purkiss Associates, 225 W. 34th Street, New York 1, New York.
 Farm Bureau Mutual Auto Insurance Company, Columbus, Ohio.
 The Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Company, Washington, D.C.
 *Bankberg, *Chavez, 810 Eastern Parkway, Brooklyn, New York.
 Mrs. SAMUEL BIALEK

The files of T-2 reflect that BENJAMIN BIALEK and his son SAMUEL and the latter's wife, BERNICE, were among "local subversives or fellow travelers" who attended a Progressive Party "Rally for Peace, All Thursday May 25, 1950, at 523 New Jersey Avenue, N.W." This report described this meeting and reflected that IZZY BIALEK, who was described as a well known representative of the Leftist Press and current Washington Correspondent for the Daily Compass, spoke on the topic "The Cold War". Among the other speakers listed were GEORGE E. MURPHY, Assistant to the National Secretary of the Progressive Party, who spoke on the topic "Vigil for FEPC"; and PHILLIP MORRISSE, who was introduced as an Atomic Scientist and who was alleged to be a Professor of Physics

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at Cornell University, Ithaca, New York.

Confidential Informant T-3, of known reliability, advised that although not personally acquainted with any of the members of the BIALEK family, referring to BENJAMIN and his son and daughter-in-law, they, however, seem to be connected with the Communist Party in some way but that he was unable to furnish any specific information.

The records of the Credit Bureau, 1221 G Street, N.W., Washington, D.C., were checked by Special Employee WALTER J. TOLSON.

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NEWARK DIVISION

AT NEWARK, NEW JERSEY

Will conduct sufficient investigation to identify the occupant of Apartment 103D, Parkview Apartments, Collingswood 6, New Jersey. The occupant of this apartment was in communication with Mr. and Mrs. FOOKSON.

BALTIMORE DIVISION

AT BALTIMORE, MARYLAND

Will conduct necessary investigation to determine the identity and activity of the occupant who was in communication with Mr. and Mrs. FOOKSON during December, 1950, occupants of 9702 Lawndale Drive, Silver Spring, Maryland.

CHICAGO DIVISION

AT CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

Will identify J. S. WILSON, Carn Products Refining Company, Argo, Illinois, and if deemed advisable, will ascertain his relationship between subject and WILSON.

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WASHINGTON FIELD OFFICE

AT WASHINGTON, D.C.

Will ascertain if Mrs. ANNE FOOKSON is now employed at the Washington Glass Company, 2133 Ward Place, N.W.

Will interview Mr. C. O. DURAS, United States Patent Office, former supervisor of subject.

Will conduct appropriate investigations at the following former addresses of subject:

1524 Varnum Street, 1938.
1410 Meridian Street, 1939.
3554 10th Street, N.W., 1940.
1729 R Street, N.W., 1940-1942.
440 Newcomb Street, S.E., 1942-1948.

Will conduct necessary investigation to determine the identity of the following persons who were in contact with subject and/or his wife during December, 1950 as set out in the administrative section of this report:

Mendelson, 7434 Georgia Avenue, N.W.
Shirley Jacobson, 2814 Wisconsin Avenue, N.W.

Will, at the Hecht Company, review application for charge account of subject for any pertinent information.

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- T-1 - C-513, whose identity is known to the Bureau.
- T-2 - Special Investigations Squad, Washington Police Department, Washington, D.C.
- T-3 - [REDACTED] whose identity is known to the Bureau. b7d
- T-4 - Review of files of Third Naval District, Office of Naval Intelligence, New York, as reflected in report of Special Agent REX I. SHRODER, made at New York August 5, 1950, entitled "MORTON SOBELL, was. Espionage - R".
- T-5 - [REDACTED] b7d
- T-6 - Records of the Civil Service Commission and the National Bureau of Standards as reflected in Washington Field Office file entitled [REDACTED] was.; Security Matter - C". CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION b7c
- T-7 - [REDACTED] whose identity is known to the Bureau, furnished information to SA JOSEPH E. KELLER.
- T-8 - Anonymous.
- T-9 - [REDACTED] New York Division.
- T-10 - [REDACTED] whose identity is known to the Bureau.
- T-11 - [REDACTED]
- T-12 - Anonymous.
- T-13 - Anonymous.
- T-14 - [REDACTED] whose identity is known to the Bureau. b7d
- T-15 - Anonymous.
- T-16 - C-550, whose identity is known to the Bureau.
- T-17 - C-501, whose identity is known to the Bureau.

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- T-18 - [REDACTED] whose identity is known to the Bureau.
 - T-19 - [REDACTED] whose identity is known to the Bureau.
 - T-20 - [REDACTED] whose identity is known to the Bureau.
 - T-21 - Mail cover at 204 Newcomb Street, S.E., Washington, D.C.
 - T-22 - Selective Service Board #10, Washington, D.C.
- [REDACTED]

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REFERENCE:

Bureau Letter to Washington Field dated November 16, 1950, concerning JULIUS ROSENBERG, subject, and others, Espionage - R.

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SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

Records of AGO, St. Louis, Missouri reflect ABRAHAM FOCKSON, 3534 10th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. as name furnished by JULIUS ROSENBERG as character reference when he applied for civilian job with War Department.

Personnel file of National Bureau of Standards, Department of Commerce, Washington, D.C. reflects

Subject employed by Patent Office, Department of Commerce from December 14, 1938, to March 31, 1940, when he transferred to National Bureau of Standards as Junior Chemist.

At this time subject was working on new hydrogen compounds in the division of atomic energy. ALLAN W. TROTT, Director of Security, IRS, advised subject was not working on classified material. Application for admittance to GWU, BENJAMIN BIALEK, 4007 18th Street, N.W., and STANLEY RICH, 1115

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DETAILS

WORTON SOBELL was indicted on January 13, 1951, by a Federal Grand Jury in the Southern District of New York for conspiracy to commit espionage on behalf of Soviet Russia. On March 29, 1951, he was convicted by a Petit Jury in U.S. District Court, Southern District of New York. On April 5, 1951, SOBELL was sentenced to 30 years in prison.

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BACKGROUND

Birth Data

Records of the Department of Health, City of New York, County of Bronx, under Certificate Number 13096, reflected BENJAMIN ZUCKERMAN was born September 28, 1917, at Bronx, New York, the son of JACOB ZUCKERMAN and ROSE MILLY ZUCKERMAN, both born in Poland.

Citizenship

The subject obtained United States citizenship by birth, as noted above.

Education

Records of Newark Confidential Informant T-2, another Government agency which conducts security and intelligence type investigations, reflect that the subject indicated his attendance at the following educational institutions.

School Attended	Location	Type	Dates	Degrees
P.S. 29	Bronx, N.Y.	Elementary	1923-24	—
P.S. 65	Bronx, N.Y.	Elementary	1924-26	—
P.S. 77	Bronx, N.Y.	Elementary	1926-30	Graduated
James Monroe High School.	Bronx, N.Y.	Secondary	1930-34	Graduated
C.C.N.Y.	138th Street and Convent Avenue, N.Y.C.	College	1934-38	B.S.

Marital Status

The records of Confidential Informant T-2, previously described, reflects that the subject listed the following data concerning his marital status.

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Name of Spouse
Date of Marriage
Place of Marriage
Occupation of Spouse
Residence of Spouse

EDITH PERLSON ZUCKERMAN
April 28, 1946
New York City
Housewife

(as of 1949.) b7C
AIR FOR.

At the time of the above listing, subject also indicated that he had never been previously married.

Military Service

Newark Confidential Informant T-2 advised that the subject indicated in 1949, that he had never been a member of any branch of the Armed Service.

Criminal Record

The files of the following agencies, as reviewed by Special Agent AUGUST WICK in 1951, reflected no record for the subject:

1. Bureau of Special Services and Investigations
New York City Police Department
2. Bureau of Criminal Identification
New York City Police Department

The files of the Identification Division, Syracuse, New York Police Department, which were reviewed by a representative of Confidential Informant T-2, reflect no record concerning the subject.

The files of the Newark, New Jersey Police Department were checked by Special Agent RICHARD C. VINCENT in 1951, and failed to reflect any record for BENJAMIN ZUCKERMAN.

The files of the Asbury Park, New Jersey Police Department, which covers the Manamassa, New Jersey area, and the Edison, New Jersey Police Department, as reviewed by Special Agent JAMES A. WARLEY on October 22, 1953, contain no reference to the subject or his wife.

Credit Records

The files of the Bureau of Greater New York, as reviewed in 1951 by Special Agent GORDON C. LUND, contained no record of the subject.

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The files of the Credit Bureau of Greater Newark, 27 Branford Place, Newark, New Jersey, as reviewed by Special Agent EDWARD C. VINCENT, in 1951, failed to reflect any record of BENJAMIN ZUCKERMAN or his family.

The files of the Merchants' Credit Bureau, 100 North 10th Street, Newark, New Jersey, as reviewed by Special Agent JAMES A. MARLEY on October 22, 1953, reflect no unfavorable information concerning the subject.

Employment

The files of Newark Confidential Informant T-3, another Government agency which conducts personnel investigations, reflect the following employment record for subject as of December 15, 1950.

<u>Date</u>	<u>Employer</u>	<u>Address</u>
Nov. 1938 to Nov. 1940	Bureau of Ordnance, Department of the Navy.	Washington, D. C.
Nov. 1940 to Sept. 1945	Newark Signal Corps Inspection Agency, War Department.	Newark, New Jersey. Philadelphia, Pa. Brooklyn, New York
Sept. 1945 to 1950	Tatson Laboratories, INC.	Red Bank, New Jersey.

Residences

The files of Newark Confidential Informant T-3, previously described reflect the following listed addresses for the subject.

11-38 to 11-40	705 19th Street, South, Arlington, Virginia.
11-40 to 3-41	1509 East 172nd Street, Bronx, New York.
3-41 to 8-43	437 Prince Albert, Montreal, Quebec, Canada.
8-43 to 8-45	2303 East Genesee Street, Syracuse, New York.
8-45 to 3-46	657 Campbell Avenue, Long Branch, New Jersey.
3-46 to 12-47	112 Franklin Avenue, Long Branch, New Jersey.
12-47 to present.	1302 Turner Avenue, Manamassa, New Jersey.

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ACTIVITIES OF SUBJECT INDICATING FURTHERANCE OF THE PROGRAM OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY.

The Communist Party has been designated by the Attorney General of the United States pursuant to Executive Order 10450.

The Communist Political Association has been designated by the Attorney General of the United States pursuant to Executive Order 10450.

Association with Communist Party Members

Records of Confidential Informant T-2, previously described, reflect that the subject, in 1943, listed one AARON NOVIKOFF, [REDACTED] as a reference he had known for 10 years. b7C
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BENJAMIN ZUCKERMAN was interviewed on January 6, 1951, by Special Agents VINCENT J. CAHILL and REX I. SRODER, of the Federal Bureau of Investigation at New York City, at which time subject stated he was a friend of AARON NOVIKOFF; that he had known NOVIKOFF at the College of the City of New York (CCNY); and that NOVIKOFF had resided with him for a time at Arlington, Virginia.

He said that he had suggested to NOVIKOFF on one occasion in 1942, that NOVIKOFF contact a certain Captain, name not recalled, Signal Corps Installation in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, for a job, and that he has maintained his friendship with NOVIKOFF up to the present time.

On January 8, 1951, AARON NOVIKOFF was interviewed by Special Agent JAMES R. FRANKY, of the FBI at New York City, and confirmed the friendly acquaintance mentioned above by ZUCKERMAN. He added that they had lived together for a time at an address which he could not recall, in Arlington, Virginia, when ZUCKERMAN was employed in Washington.

In January, 1945, Newark Confidential Informant T-4, of known reliability, advised that AARON NOVIKOFF, 1101 East 35th Street, Brooklyn, New York, was a member of the Communist Political Association in 1944 and 1945, at Brooklyn, New York.

On September 13, 1950, ZUCKERMAN advised Special Agent FRANK P. TILLETTE, of the Federal Bureau of Investigation at New York City, that he recalled an individual named MORTON SOBELL as a classmate at CCNY, who was

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considered quite a radical, and he had the general impression that when SOBELL was a Freshman, he was a Communist, although in subsequent years at college, he seemed to quiet down and became only interested in his school work.

ZUCKERMAN stated that he, ZUCKERMAN, went to Washington, D. C., in November, 1938, and while there was invited by some other CCNY graduates, whom he met, to move into a house on Delafield Place in Washington. He and his housemates were EDWARD HILLMAN, WILLIAM DANZIGER, MAX FLITCHER, and another man whose name he could not recall.

He added that about a month after he arrived in Washington, MORTON SOBELL arrived and moved in with the others. ZUCKERMAN said he lived at this house on Delafield Place for only two or three months. He stated he did not care for the other men of the house and preferred to live alone.

ZUCKERMAN said that never during his contact with SOBELL in Washington did SOBELL talk politics or give an inkling to his political beliefs. He said he and SOBELL worked in different sections of the Navy Department, Bureau of Ordnance, and had no contact with each other at work.

ZUCKERMAN said that he left Washington, D. C., in September, 1940, and in 1948, while employed by the Watson Laboratories, Red Bank, New Jersey, he first "bumped into" MORTON SOBELL in the Laboratories cafeteria. He said that he had lunch with SOBELL, and that he saw SOBELL several times following this meeting, but at no time did SOBELL discuss politics or approach him for information. He said that both he and SOBELL were interested in tape recorders, and SOBELL offered to get him one at a reduced rate through his company, and did get him a tape recorder several months later.

At the time he was interviewed on January 6, 1951, by Special Agents VINCENT J. CAHILL and REX I. SHEROBER, of the Federal Bureau of Investigation at New York City, ZUCKERMAN advised that when he chanced to meet SOBELL in the cafeteria as mentioned above, SOBELL was at Watson Laboratories in connection with employment by his company, and that he needed an additional day to complete his business.

ZUCKERMAN said that he invited SOBELL to stay at his house overnight, and that SOBELL accepted the invitation and spent the night. ZUCKERMAN said he believed this took place sometime during January, 1949.

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ZUCKERMAN said that following this visit by SOBELL, he received an electric grill from him in appreciation of the above hospitality. He stated that this was the only present or gift he ever received from SOBELL.

ZUCKERMAN said that he next met SOBELL in the summer of 1949, also a chance meeting in the Watson Laboratories Cafeteria. He said they lunched together, and he asked SOBELL if he wanted to stay at his home again. SOBELL declined the invitation, ZUCKERMAN said.

ZUCKERMAN related that he told MORTON SOBELL about a hardware store in Flushing, New York, operated by AARON NOVIKOFF, and asked him to patronize it, as NOVIKOFF was an old friend of ZUCKERMAN'S from CCNY. ZUCKERMAN said he later saw SOBELL at NOVIKOFF'S store.

ZUCKERMAN stated he also recalled meeting SOBELL in Schenectady, New York, in 1943 or 1944, when ZUCKERMAN went to General Electric plant where SOBELL worked, on business for the Signal Corps, and he had visited SOBELL at his residence in Schenectady for about two hours.

With regard to WILLIAM DANZIGER, mentioned previously by ZUCKERMAN, ZUCKERMAN stated that he had not known him at CCNY, and had met him for the first time in Washington. He said he did not like DANZIGER, and did not know what his political leanings were.

Newark Confidential Informant T-1 stated that WILLIAM DANZIGER had been a member of the Communist Party from approximately 1939 until the summer of 1948, and had been a member of a Communist Cell at the Navy Department at Washington, D. C., during the time of his employment at the Bureau of Ordnance. Informant added that DANZIGER had always been a close friend of MORTON SOBELL.

The same informant further stated that MAX ELITCHER, previously mentioned, had joined the Communist Party sometime in 1939 in Washington, D.C., and was active in Party affairs until sometime in 1948.

It is noted that DANZIGER was investigated under the provisions of Executive Order 9835, while an employee of the Naval Ordnance Laboratory. His personnel file at the Naval Ordnance Laboratory reflects that he was discharged on November 16, 1949, under Public Law 808, 77th Congress.

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Confidential Informant T-1 also related that he had known the subject while both were students at CCNY, but did not associate with him at the college and knew nothing bearing on his loyalty in any way in connection with his college activities.

T-1 advised that he had been appointed to a position at the Navy Department's Bureau of Ordnance at Washington, D. C., at the same time as the subject, and that he had resided with the subject and several other men who worked at the Bureau of Ordnance in a house at 1316 Delafield Place, Washington, D.C., from about the end of 1938 until about February, 1939, and these men were STANLEY RICH, MAX ELITCHER, EDWARD WILLMAN, WILLIAM DANZIGER, and another individual whose name T-1 could not recall, but did not work at the Bureau of Ordnance.

T-1 further stated that he did not see or hear of ZUCKERMAN from sometime in 1939 at Washington, until shortly after October, 1948, when WORTON SOBELL said to him that he had recently met ZUCKERMAN, and told T-1 where ZUCKERMAN was working and what he was doing, although T-1 said that he is unable to recall the specific details SOBELL mentioned. T-1 recalled that SOBELL had mentioned, on more than one occasion, that he had seen ZUCKERMAN at his home and had stayed overnight at his home.

T-1 said that at some later date which he cannot recall specifically, WORTON SOBELL had told him that ARON NOVIKOFF was operating a hardware store in Flushing, New York, and that he, T-1, had met NOVIKOFF in Washington, but T-1 was unable to recall this meeting.

T-1 related that SOBELL took him out to NOVIKOFF'S store in the early summer of 1949, and that he had thereafter made occasional purchases there. T-1 said that he recalled that on some of his visits to make a purchase, NOVIKOFF mentioned to him that ZUCKERMAN had been in the store and tried to call SOBELL on the telephone, but was unable to reach him. T-1 said that he remembers that once when he visited NOVIKOFF'S store with his wife, at about the end of the summer of 1949, he met ZUCKERMAN at the store.

T-1 also stated that he recalled one occasion, although he did not remember the date, when WORTON SOBELL mentioned to him something about getting a birthday gift for either ZUCKERMAN or ZUCKERMAN'S wife, since SOBELL had stayed at their home and wanted to pay them for their hospitality.

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T-1 advised that ZUCKERMAN appeared to him to be a man of independent thought, and that he had not noted anything during his residence with ZUCKERMAN which might be considered unfavorable to his loyalty, nor did ZUCKERMAN, to his knowledge, have any special association or connection with MORTON SOBELL in Washington.

Newark Confidential Informant T-5, of known reliability, advised that she had first met subject during 1949, at the hardware store of AARON NOVIKOFF, in Flushing, New York. T-5 said that she has been acquainted with MORTON SOBELL for some years, and recalled SOBELL speaking of ZUCKERMAN and telling her things about ZUCKERMAN'S home, his wife, and children, although she did not recall the details thereof. She also recalled that SOBELL told her he had stayed overnight at ZUCKERMAN'S home on at least one occasion, and possibly more, although she had no specific recollection of his mentioning more than one such instance.

T-5 said that on one occasion, subject had telephoned her home and spoke to her, telling her that he was anxious to secure SOBELL'S telephone number, which she gave to him. T-5 stated that other than the above, she had no personal acquaintance with ZUCKERMAN, and was unable to make any comment in regard to his loyalty to the United States.

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Records of Confidential Informant T-2, previously described, reflect that the subject, in 1949, admitted membership in the American Civil Liberties Union and the Consumers Union.

The American Civil Liberties Union has been cited by the California Committee on Un-American Activities as heavily infiltrated with Communists and fellow travelers, and frequently following the Communist line and defending Communists.

In regard to the Consumers Union, the Committee on Un-American Activities, U.S. House of Representatives, 82nd Congress, in its publication entitled, "Guide of Subversive Organizations and Publications," dated March 3, 1951 on page 42 sets out the following:

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"Consumers Union

- "1. Cited as a Communist front 'headed by the Communist ARTHUR KALLET (whose Party name is EDWARD ADAMS.) BEN GOLD and LOUIS WEINSTOCK, both well known Communists, were also members of the labor advisory committee of Consumers Union.' (Special Committee on Un-American Activities, Report, March 29, 1944, p. 153.)"
- "2. Cited as a Communist front set up by SUSAN JENKINS, former employee of the 'Daily Worker;' WALTER TRUMBULL, who had been courtmartialed in 1925 and sentenced to a twenty-six year term as a Communist attempting to bore from within the United States Army; and ARTHUR KALLET. (California Committee on Un-American Activities, Report, 1943, p 102.)"
- "3. Cited as subversive and Un-American. (Special Subcommittee of the House Committee on Appropriations, Report April 21, 1943, p 3.)"
- "4. On its labor advisory board were BEN GOLD, an avowed Communist and leader of the joint board, Furriers Union LOUIS WEINSTOCK.... (New York City Council Committee investigating the Municipal Civil Service Commission.)"
- "5. Cited as a Communist Front. (Pennsylvania Commonwealth Council before the reviewing board of the Philadelphia County Board of Assistance, January, 1942.)"

Newark Confidential Informant T-6, a representative of another Government agency which conducts security and intelligence type investigations, advised that on December 15, 1950, BENJAMIN ZUCKERMAN made application for employment at the Signal Corps Engineering Laboratories as an Electrical Engineer. T-6 stated that after a screening of ZUCKERMAN'S application papers, and from information already in his agency's possession, ZUCKERMAN was advised that he did not meet the requirements for a "sensitive" position, and it was recommended that his employment at Fort Monmouth be denied.

T-6 explained that a review of the Personal History Statement, Form 643A, completed by ZUCKERMAN in applying for the position, listed membership in the Consumers Union.

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In addition, Newark T-6 advised that information in the files of agency reflected that ZUCKERMAN had been an associate of MORTON SOBELL, both as a classmate at CCNY, and subsequently as a friend. He went on to state that inasmuch as MORTON SOBELL had been arrested by the Federal Bureau of Investigation on charges of conspiracy to commit espionage against the United States, and in view of the above mentioned membership in the Consumers Union, it was decided that ZUCKERMAN was not qualified to be employed in a "sensitive" position in the Signal Corps Engineering Laboratories, and was so advised.

In addition, T-6 stated that on January 3, 1951, ZUCKERMAN personally appeared at the Post Intelligence Office, Fort Monmouth, New Jersey, and requested information as to why he was not, or could not be employed at Fort Monmouth. T-6 related that during the ensuing interview, ZUCKERMAN advised that he had been a member of the Consumers Union, but was not a member at the time of the interview.

ZUCKERMAN also stated that he had been a classmate of MORTON SOBELL at CCNY in 1938, and that he had been friendly with SOBELL until the latter's arrest on espionage charges by the FBI.

ZUCKERMAN further related that MORTON SOBELL had stayed at his home in Vanamassa, New Jersey, and described this visit as being in connection with SOBELL'S presence at Watson Laboratories in connection with Government contracts being completed by the Reeves Instrument Corporation of New York City, SOBELL'S employers.

Confidential Informant T-2, previously described, advised in 1953, that the subject, in applying for Federal employment, dated September 5, 1945, listed Ensign H. JASIK, [REDACTED] Radio Engineer, as a person who had knowledge of his engineering qualifications.

According to Confidential Informant T-1, previously mentioned, JASIK for many years was a friend of MORTON SOBELL, and JASIK had married ESTHER GERSON, an old girlfriend of SOBELL'S. T-1 advised that because of the close relationship between SOBELL and JASIK, that JASIK would have been a logical person to develop for espionage purposes. T-1 also stated that JASIK'S wife, ESTHER GERSON, is the sister of SPYON W. GERSON, a prominent Communist Party functionary in New York City. T-1 advised that JASIK was friendly with WILLIAM DANZIGER, who has been previously mentioned in this report.

According to information provided by Newark Confidential Informant T-7, another Government agency which conducts security and intelligence type investigations, the subject was an associate of the following listed individuals:

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1. [REDACTED]

2. [REDACTED]

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Confidential Informant T-7 states that [REDACTED] subject, ZUCKERMAN, resided [REDACTED] in an apartment in the Fort Monmouth area sometime between the years 1940 - 1950.

Newark Confidential Informant T-8, another Government agency which conducts intelligence type investigations, made available records which reflect the subject was a member of Local 236, Monmouth County Chapter, United Federal Workers of America, CIO, which union later changed its name to United Public Workers of America. T-8 stated that OKUN was Editor of this union's monthly news letter publication, and active in the affairs of the union.

Confidential Informant T-6, previously described, advised that the Monmouth County Chapter of this union was infiltrated and dominated by Communist Party members. T-6 advised that OKUN was a member of the Executive Committee of the Monmouth County Chapter of the UFWA - CIO.

Newark Confidential Informant T-9, of known reliability, advised that OKUN received copies of "In Fact," which was delivered to his home through the mails during the early part of 1949.

"In Fact" has been cited as a Communist front publication by the California Committee on Un-American Activities in a report in 1948.

T-6, previously mentioned, advised that records of his agency reflect that BERNARD MARTIN had made it possible for one MARCEL ULLMAN, a co-worker, to have access to classified information to which ULLMAN was not entitled.

3. [REDACTED]

Confidential Informant T-7 advised that it is believed (by T-7) that ZUCKERMAN was a classmate, at CCNY, of ROSENBERG, SOBELL, BARR, ELITCHER, SUSMAN, [REDACTED] and [REDACTED].

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JULIUS ROSENBERG was tried in U.S. District Court, Southern District of New York, for conspiracy to commit espionage against the United States in time of war. He was found guilty and was executed on June 19, 1953.

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MORTON SOBELL has been previously described in this report.

JOEL BARR - DAVID GREENGLASS, self admitted espionage agent, in an interview conducted July 17, 1950, by Special Agents JOHN W. LEWIS and LEO H. FURTKIN, stated that JULIUS ROSENBERG came to him and told him that he would have to leave the country. According to GREENGLASS, ROSENBERG said JOEL BARR had already left the country, and was doing espionage work for the Russian Government in Europe, and was using music studies as a cover for espionage work.

MAX ELITCHER has previously been described in this report.

NATHAN SUSSMAN - DAVID GREENGLASS advised that SUSSMAN was a member of the Steinmetz Hale Branch of the Young Communist League at CCNY, and that SUSSMAN was in periodic contact with JULIUS ROSENBERG from 1938, and as late as 1947.

Newark Confidential Informant T-10, of known reliability, advised in 1947 that SUSSMAN and his wife, GERTRUDE, were members of the Sunnyside Section of the Communist Party in Queens, New York, as late as 1946.

The Young Communist League has been designated by the Attorney General of the United States pursuant to Executive Order 10450.

[REDACTED] - Confidential Informant T-7, previously described, advised that [REDACTED] is alleged to have attended Young Communist League meetings while attending CCNY; that he violated security regulations while employed at Fort Monmouth, and associated with persons suspected of subversive activities and other persons linked with the Rosenberg espionage apparatus.

[REDACTED] was reported by Confidential Informant T-7 to have allegedly registered as an American Labor Party voter in 1946, and to have received mail from the Eugene Dennis Defense Committee in 1947.

The American Labor Party of New York City has been cited by the Congressional Committee on Un-American Activities as having been "captured" by the Communists.

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Newark Confidential Informant T-7 advised that [REDACTED] attended CCNY at the time that [REDACTED] and BENJAMIN ZUCKERMAN attended; that [REDACTED] has been a close associate of [REDACTED] and that [REDACTED] may still be an associate of [REDACTED] and ZUCKERMAN. T-7 also advised that [REDACTED] was friendly with [REDACTED] who according to informant, was a Communist Party member.

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The informant expressed the belief that [REDACTED] was deliberately slowing down the development of radar equipment under his supervision at Fort Monmouth, New Jersey, and that [REDACTED] stated he was in favor of any system of Government which would do the most for the greater number of people, and if Communism was that system, then he was in favor of Communism.

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5. [REDACTED]

6. [REDACTED]

Confidential Informant T-7 advised that he was not in possession of information concerning the degree of association between the subject ZUCKERMAN and [REDACTED] or between ZUCKERMAN and [REDACTED]. T-7 described [REDACTED] as being "an associate of many suspected subversives."

BENJAMIN BOOKBINDER, presently employed at Fort Monmouth, New Jersey, admitted to Special Agents LOUIS G. TURNER and RICHARD C. VINCENT, on November 6, 1950, that he and MORTON SOBELL were childhood friends. BOOKBINDER stated that he saw SOBELL while he was employed at General Electric and again at Fort Monmouth. He stated that he knew nothing of SOBELL'S espionage activities.

[REDACTED]

Newark Confidential Informants T-12 and T-13, of known reliability, who are acquainted with certain phases of Communist Party activity in the State of New Jersey, advised that they are not acquainted with the subject.

PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION

The following descriptive data concerning the subject was obtained from the files of Confidential Informant T-2, previously described.

Name
Aliases
Race

BENJAMIN ZUCKERMAN
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White

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Date of Birth
Place of Birth
Height
Weight
Eyes
Hair
Complexion
Occupation
Citizenship
Spouse

Children

Parents

Brother

Residence

September 28, 1917

Bronx, New York

5'6"

150

Grey

Brown

Sallow

Electrical Engineer

U.S. citizen by birth.

EDITH PEARLSON ZUCKERMAN, born

March 21, 1921, at New York City.

MARSHA ANNE ZUCKERMAN, daughter,

5 1/2 years.

Father - JACOB ZUCKERMAN, deceased,

born 1887, Poland.

Mother, ROSE ZUCKERMAN, born 1890,

Poland. Resides (as of 1949)

MARY ZUCKERMAN, Resides (as of 1949)

1302 Turner Avenue, Manamassa, N.J.

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Identity of Source	Date of Activity and/or Description	Date Received	Receiving Agent	Location
T-1, MAX ELITCHER, 164-18 72nd Ave., Flushing, N.Y.	Subj. association with MORTON SOBELL.	Awaiting Documentation	VINCENT CAHILL	Awaiting Documentation
	Identity of WILLIAM DANZIGER.			
	Identity of MAX ELITCHER.			
	Subj. association with ARON NOVIKOFF in 1949.	Awaiting Document	VINCENT CAHILL	"
	Identity of HENRY JASIK.			
T-2, U.S.A.F., OSI, NYC.	Subj. educational data.	1-3-49	SAC S.K. MC KEE	121-2903-16
	Marital data.	"	"	"
	Military Ser. Data.	"	"	"
	Listing of ARON NOVIKOFF as reference in 1943.	"	"	"
	Membership in Civil Liberties Union & Consumers Union.	Unknown	None	121-2903-2
	Listing of HENRY JASIK as reference.	1945		
	Physical description.	1-3-49	SAC S.K. MC KEE	121-2903-16
T-3, C.S.C. request form for rept. on Loyalty Data dated 12-15-50.	Subject's employment record.	12-15-50	None	121-2903-1
	Residences	12-15-50	None	"

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Identity of Source	Date of Activity and/or Description	Date Received	Receiving Agent	Location
T-4, Anonymous	Documentation of AARON NOVIKOFF.			
T-5, Mrs. MAX WITCHER, 164-18 72nd Avenue, Flushing, N.Y.	Acquaintance with subject and subject's association with SOBELL.	Awaiting Document-ation	VINCENT CAHILL	Awaiting Documenta-tion
T-6, ANDREW REID, Civ. Intell. Officer, Security & Intell. Office, Ft. Monmouth, N.J.	Subject's applica-tion for Federal employment in 12-50.	12-15-50	REGINALD C. VINCENT	121-2903-23
	Documentation of [REDACTED]			
	Documentation of [REDACTED]			
T-7, Files of U.S. Army, CIC, NYC.	Subject's associates.	1953	None	100-38462
T-8, ALBERT BUSH, Civ. Chief in Office of Capt. Jacob E. Vance, Provost Marshal, Watson Lab, Red Bank, N.J.	Documentation of [REDACTED]			
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T-9, JOHN WILSON, 920 Chestnut St., West Palm Beach, Fla.	Documentation of JACK OKUN.			
T-10, [REDACTED]	Documentation of NATHAN and GERTRUDE SUSSMAN.			
T-11, [REDACTED]	[REDACTED]			100-38462
T-12, [REDACTED]	Acquaintance with subject.	10-20-53	J.F. BURKE	100-38462
T-13, [REDACTED]	"	"	"	"

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This report is being classified "Secret" inasmuch as information received from CIC files was used in the preparation of instant report, and bears that classification.

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NEWARK OFFICE

At Wanamassa, New Jersey

Will attempt to ascertain information regarding the subject's present residence and employment status.

Upon coverage of the above mentioned lead, will give consideration to a request for authority to interview subject.

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PASSPORT OFFICE

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

No. 3

AGENCIES-- Passport Office

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FILE NO. 65-5076

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SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

Passport records of the State Department reflect JOEL BARR obtained a passport on December 8, 1947, for purpose of going to Sweden and Holland to study for a period of two years. Copy of birth certificate issued in the name of JOYCE P. BARR indicates he was born in Brooklyn, N. Y., January 1, 1916. Mother and father born Ukraine, Russia; came to the U. S. in 1911; have not been naturalized as U. S. citizens.

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REFERENCE:

Bureau File 65-50058.
Report of Special Agent T. Scott Miller, Jr., dated October 18, 1948, at New York City. (u)

DETAILS:

At Washington, D. C.

DEFERRED RECORDING

The records of the Passport Division of the State Department reflected that JOEL BARR was issued Passport No. 133825 on December 8, 1947. BARR applied for this passport on December 1, 1947, stating that he was an engineering student with a Master's Degree from Columbia University, in 1946, and he was considering broadening his background by continuing study in Europe. He stated he had applied to the University of Delft, Holland, and the Kungl Technical University in Stockholm, Sweden, for admission to study at these schools. His tentative plans were for two years' study abroad. He wanted to leave immediately for Stockholm to study for one year and

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then to Delft for the second year. He stated that Miss ROSLYN C. BARCON of Embassy Tours was to arrange for his transportation and he expected to leave New York around January 1, 1948. This application had attached a photostatic copy of a birth certificate issued to JOYEL R. BARR, #2575, and reflecting that BARR was born on January 1, 1916, in Brooklyn. His father was listed as BENJAMIN, his mother as BECKY DOBROWOLSKY BARR, who were living at 228 Pulaski Street, Brooklyn. On the passport application, BARR reflected his father, BENJAMIN BARR, was born in 1886 in Ukraine, Russia, and his mother, REBECCA, born in Ukraine 1890 - both of whom came to the United States in 1911 and at the time of the filing of the application, they were not citizens of the United States. BARR's residence at that time was 241 West 97th Street, New York 25, New York. His description was given as six feet; hair, brown; eyes, brown; scars and marks - brown mole on left-side of forehead.

Copies of the picture of BARR submitted with his application for passport were obtained and two are being forwarded to the Bureau and four to the New York Office. (u)

The records of the Civil Service Commission reflected that JOEL BARR's name was flagged for questioned loyalty as of March 31, 1942. This notice stated that BARR had received his notice of discharge as Assistant Engineer, Fort Monmouth, New Jersey, effective February 23, 1942, under the provisions contained in Section VI of the Act approved June 28, 1940, Public Law No. 671, 76th Congress. This action was predicated upon a report by the Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2, stating that subject was a member or closely associated with the Communist Party.

ENCLOSURES TO THE BUREAU:

Two photographs of BARR.

ENCLOSURES TO THE NEW YORK OFFICE:

Four photographs of BARR.

JOEL BARR - photograph

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Bureau File 65-53068.
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The records of the Passport Division of the State Department reflected that JOEL BARR was issued Passport No. 133825 on December 8, 1947. BARR applied for this passport on December 1, 1947, stating that he was an engineering student with a Master's Degree from Columbia University, in 1946, and he was considering broadening his background by continuing study in Europe. He stated he had applied to the University of Delft, Holland, and the Kungl Technical University in Stockholm, Sweden, for admission to study at these schools. His tentative plans were for two years' study abroad. He wanted to leave immediately for Stockholm to study for the year and

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Reference is made to the report of Special Agent H. Dudley Payne, dated November 15, 1948 at Washington, D. C. in the above captioned matter. It is to be noted that the enclosures listed with this report indicated that two photographs of Barr were designated for the Bureau and four photographs of Barr were designated for the New York Office. Actually the Bureau received four photographs and accordingly, two photographs are enclosed herewith for the New York Office. (u)

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This investigation should be conducted as soon as possible and the Bureau immediately advised as to the results. (u) See Ser 7

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TITLE ABRAHAM FOOKSON, aka, Archie, Abe			CHARACTER OF CASE ESPIONAGE - R

SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

Confidential Informant T-1, of known reliability, advised: M. HARRIS, 4513 Hillside Road, S.E.; E. NELSON, 7434 Georgia Avenue, N.W.; JESSE BRYON MANBECK, 1 Scott Circle, N.W. and SILLERS 1530 Upshur Street, N.W., all Washington, D. C., communicated with ANNE FOOKSON 204 Newcomb Street, S.E., the subject's wife, during January and February, 1951. Pertinent information regarding these persons set out. She also received communications from Consumers Union, 38 East First Street, New York, New York, during this period. Consumers Union has been cited by the Special Committee on Un-American Activities. Photographs of subject taken March 10, 1951.

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DETAILS: AT WASHINGTON, D. C.

Confidential Informant T-1, of known reliability, advised that about February 4, 1951, Mrs. ~~ABRAHAM~~FOOKSON, 204 Newcomb Street, S.E., wife of the subject received a letter from ~~M.~~HARRIS, 4613 Hillside Road, S.E., Washington, D.C.

The current Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Directory for Washington, D. C., lists ~~MARK~~HARRIS, 4613 Hillside Road, S.E.

~~MAX~~ELITCHER, when re-interviewed on September 7, 1950 by Special Agents VINCENT J. CAHILL and CHARLES R. SILVERTHORN at New York, advised that he had attended at least two Communist meetings at the home of William Danziger, which ~~MARK~~HARRIS attended. He stated that Harris was an active member of the Navy Department, Communist Cell at the time he, ELITCHER, left for New York City. He indicated further that HARRIS had been active in this Communist Cell for at least two years. He stated that PAULINE GOLDMAN, ~~ABRAHAM~~SUMMELL, IRAN KLAFTER, SAM MESHER, MARY ~~ELITCHER~~, and JEANETTE ~~ELITCHER~~ were members of the Navy Department Cell of the Communist Party.

On September 7, 1950, Mrs. HELENE ELITCHER was re-interviewed at her home by Special Agents VINCENT J. CAHILL and CHARLES R. SILVERTHORN, and advised that she had been a member of the Communist Party from approximately the end of 1943. Shortly after her marriage, she joined the Communist Party, and was placed in the Navy Department Cell, in which her husband was also a member. She stated that she was active in this Cell until April, 1946. She attended some meetings of this Cell until March, 1947, at which time she was transferred to the Housewives' Cell, which Cell appeared to be set up on the basis of location of residence in Washington, D. C.

She advised that WILLIAM and SYLVIA DANZIGER, ESTHER SUROVELL, PAULINE GOLDMAN and ~~MARK~~HARRIS were members of the Navy Department, Communist Party Cell at the time she attended meetings of this Cell.

Mrs. Abraham Fookson

Washington T-2, a reliable Confidential Informant, has advised that in February, 1944, MARK HARRIS was a member of the Washington Cooperative Book Shop.

The Washington Cooperative Book Shop has been cited by the Attorney General as coming within the purview of Executive Order 9835.

On September 11, 1950, MARK HARRIS was interviewed at the Washington Field Office by Special Agent LEWIS E. GLENN, at which time he advised that he attended the College of the City of New York for one-half a year in 1936. He advised that he was employed by the National Youth Administration for approximately one year in 1940 and 1941 in Astoria, Long Island, New York. From May 5, 1942, to September, 1943 he was employed as a Draftsman by the Army Signal Corps in Belmar, New Jersey. He married EVELYN LEAH LEVINE on August 5, 1943. In September, 1943 he came to Washington, D. C., and started working for the Navy Department, where he was employed at the time of the interview. He denied ever having been a member of the Communist Party or having participated in Communist Party activities.

Washington T-3, a Confidential Informant of known reliability, advised that the name ABRAHAM FOCKSON is known to the Informant, and that ANNE FOCKSON, his wife, was a member of the Women's Auxiliary of the United Public Workers of America; that this Auxiliary is comprised of wives and relatives of the UPWA members. T-3 had no information of any evidentiary value that ANNE FOCKSON is a Communist. Informant stated that ANNE FOCKSON could very well be a member of the Communist Party underground. This surmise, on the part of the Informant, is based on the fact that ANNE FOCKSON has been identified with individuals in the Women's Auxiliary of UPWA, who are known to the Informant as either members of the Communist Party or strong sympathizers of the Communist Party.

The Navigator, official publication of the Navy Department Branch of Local One, United Federal Workers of American, CIO in the March, 1945 issue reflected that MARK HARRIS had been elected Chairman of the Education and Recreation Committee.

The United Public Workers of America (UPWA), CIO was formed in 1946 by the merging of two unions - The State, County and Municipal Workers of America and the United Federal Workers of America. According to the article in the May, 1946 issue of the Washington Post newspaper, the State, County and Municipal Workers of America had for years, under the leadership of ABRAM FLAXER, consistently followed the Communist Party line. The article continued that at its organizing convention the United Public Workers of America adopted a strongly pro-Russian foreign policy resolution and voted down a resolution of bar Communists from the Union.

The resolution on foreign policy as contained in the report on the First Constitutional Convention of the UPWA is as follows:

"Resolution of Foreign Policy.

"WHEREAS: The unity of Great Britain, the Soviet Union and the United States was the foundation for military defeat of Fascism and their continued unity is absolutely essential if the United States is to provide a sound and lasting peace; and

"WHEREAS: friendship and cooperation between the United States and the Soviet Union is the essential basis for an enduring peace; and

"WHEREAS: powerful influences are attempting to drive a wedge between the peoples of the United Nations for the purpose of furthering their imperialist and ambitions as evidenced by ex-Prime Minister CHURCHILL's speech; the forming of Anglo-American bloc within the UN; and the policy of assisting by armed force in some cases the most reactionary groups in friendly countries such as China, the Philippines, France, Belgium and others; and

"WHEREAS: to further these policies, the demobilization of American troops now stationed throughout the world is being deliberately delayed; and

"WHEREAS: the failure to establish international cooperation in the government and control of atomic energy and the continued 'secrecy' and manufacture of atomic bombs have created world fear and distrust which weaken the peace,

"THEREFORE, be it resolved that the UPWA, meeting in convention April 24-26, 1946, call upon President Truman, Secretary of State Byrnes and members of Congress to take the following immediate steps:

"(1) To halt the present policy of attempting to isolate the Soviet Union in the United Nations and world affairs and call for an immediate meeting of the heads of the BIG THREE:

"(2) To take protective steps to re-establish friendly U. S.- Soviet Relations by word and deed.

"(3) To withdraw American troops and call for the withdrawal of British troops from all friendly countries including China, the Philippines, France, Greece, India, Belgium and Iceland.

"(4) To support the policy of UN regulations and control of all phases of atomic energy including the immediate possession of all atomic bombs and the passage by Congress of legislation vesting full control of atomic energy in a civilian commission.

"AND BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED THAT copies of this resolution be sent to President Truman, Secretary of State Byrnes, members of Senate Foreign Relations Committee and the members of the United States delegation to the UN."

Confidential Informant T-1 advised that ANN FOCKSON received a communication from E. MENDELSON, 7434 Georgia Avenue, N.W., Washington, D. C. during January and February of 1951.

The City Directory for the City of Washington, D. C. for 1948 reflects that DAVID R. MENDELSON, a Clerk in the United States Public Health Service resides at 7434 Georgia Avenue, N.W. This book also reflected that his wife's name was EVA F. MENDELSON.

Investigation was conducted on [REDACTED] under the Loyalty Program in January, February, March and April of 1949, based on information from T-4, a Federal Agency which conducts personnel investigations. That information was in their files that indicated that [REDACTED] was a stockholder in Radio Station WQQW. According to T-4, the House Committee on Un-American Activities had stated that several of the stockholders of WQQW, the radio station for the National Broadcasting Corporation, were affiliated with the Communist Party and that the stockholders are a "close knit group which have identified themselves with numerous Communist front groups".

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Washington T-1 advised that JESSE BIRCHMANBECK, 1 Scott Circle, N.W., Washington, D. C., communicated with the subject's wife in January, 1951.

The City Directory for Washington, D. C., for 1948 reflects that JESSE B. MANBECK, 1 Scott Circle, N.W., Washington, D. C., was listed as Secretary, Sons of the American Revolution, District of Columbia Society. The name JESSE MANBECK appeared on the stationery of the Washington Committee to Win the Peace, affiliated with the National Committee to Win the Peace, as one of the Washington Committee. This was in September of 1946. The National Committee to Win the Peace has been cited by the Attorney General as coming within the purview of Executive Order 9835.

Washington T-1 also advised that ANN FOCKSON received a letter from SILLERS, 1530 Upshur Street, N.W., Washington, D. C., about the 1st of February, 1951.

The City Directory for the District of Columbia for 1948 reflects that FREDERICK SILLERS resided at 1530 Upshur Street, N.W. This book also reflects that his wife's name was CHARLOTTE.

Confidential Informant T-6, of known reliability, advised that he was acquainted with FREDERICK SILLERS from 1936 to 1938 and that during that time SILLERS told the Informant that he had founded a Communist Party Bookstore in Washington, D. C.

Confidential Informant T-7, of unknown reliability, advised that he has been told that SILLERS had attended Communist Party meetings in Washington, D. C.

Confidential Informant T-8, of known reliability, advised that SILLERS was a member of the Washington Bookshop Association in 1944.

Confidential Informant T-9, of known reliability, advised that CHARLOTTE SILLERS, wife of FREDERICK SILLERS, was a member of the Washington Bookshop Association as of December, 1947.

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T-10, a Confidential Informant of known reliability, stated that the name CHARLOTTE SILLERS was contained in the active indices of the American Peace Mobilization in 1940.

T-11, a Confidential Informant of known reliability, has reported that the name of CHARLOTTE SILLERS was contained in the active indices of the Washington Committee for Democratic Action in 1940.

Washington T-1 advised that the subject and his wife received communications from the Consumers Union, 38 East First Street, New York, New York, during February of 1951. The Consumers Union was cited by the Special Committee on Un-American Activities in a report dated March 29, 1944, as being a Communist Front Organization headed by the Communist ARTHUR KALLET (whose Party name is EDWARD ADAMS).

On March 10, 1951, photographs of the subject were secured while subject was working in the vicinity of his apartment.

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Washington T-13, of known reliability, advised that on July 21, 1951, someone who gave her name as Mrs. FOOKSON, called collect the residence of the subject from Brooklyn, New York, telephone number, Slocum 6-3308.

This Informant further advised on September 1, 1950, someone at the residence of the subject called the above number in Brooklyn, New York.

Washington T-13 also advised that about Midnight of the night of September 5-6, 1950, someone at the residence of the subject called CYP 9-6278, New York City.

T-1 advised that in January and February, 1951, the subject's wife received communications from:

S. JOSEPH, 7436 Georgia Avenue, N.W., Washington, D. C.
6132 North 12th Street, Arlington, Virginia.

~~DANKBERG~~, 21-20 33rd Road, Astoria, Long Island.

A. ~~FOOKSON~~, 1365 Townsend Avenue, Bronx, New York.

T-1 advised that during this period the subject received communications from:

~~HECHALUTEG~~, 34 West 13th Street, New York, New York.

W. H. ~~PICO~~, Cavalier, North Dakota.

DANKBERG, care of CHAVES, 1810 Eastern Parkway,
Brooklyn, New York.

S. A., Suite 200, 24 West 40th Street, New York,
New York.

T-1 further advised that subject's wife received a letter which showed the return address as 1103 Trenton Place, S.E., D. C. A search of the City Directory for 1948 reflects

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that the above address is that of an apartment house which has 10 apartments. One of these apartments, namely Apartment 1B, is occupied by DAVID REIN, Attorney, member of the law firm of FORER and REIN, 711 14th Street, N.W., Washington, D. C. REIN is Executive Director, District of Columbia Chapter of the National Lawyers Guild. During 1947 and 1948 Confidential Informants T-14 and T-12, of known reliability, advised that REIN had been active in Guild affairs, both on a local and National basis. T-14 advised that REIN had frequently been in contact with known Communists and has furnished them with legal advice. According to T-14, REIN acted as Attorney of Record during 1947 for GERHARDT EISER, admitted German Communist, while the latter was on trial in the District of Columbia for Fraud and Contempt.

According to the files of the Record Office, District of Columbia, REIN was one of the original incorporators and trustees of the American Youth Congress. The American Youth Congress was designated by the Attorney General as coming within the purview of Executive Order 9835.

According to T-14, REIN acted as Attorney for NATHAN GREGORY SILVERMASTER and WILLIAM LUDWIG ULLMANN, while the latter two individuals testified before the House Committee on Un-American Activities during August, 1948, concerning allegations by ELIZABETH BENTLEY that SILVERMASTER and ULLMANN were engaged in Espionage while employed by the Government.

The National Lawyers Guild has been cited as a Communist Front by the Special Committee on Un-American Activities on March 29, 1944.

T-1 had advised that during December of 1950, SHIRLEY JACOBSON, 2814 Wisconsin Avenue, N.W., Washington, D. C., was in contact with the subject or his wife.

A search of the indices of the Washington Field Office reflect that SHIRLEY S. JACOBSON, 2814 Wisconsin Avenue, N.W., Washington, D. C., who was born June 12, 1922 at New York, New York, was investigated as an applicant for the Central Intelligence Group in February of 1947 (Bureau File 118-876).

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At the time of instigating this investigation, SHIRLEY JACOBSON stated that she had been employed by the General Accounting Office, 1331 U Street, N.W., Washington, D. C. as a Passenger Specialist from September, 1943 to that time. She advised that she had been residing at 2814 Wisconsin Avenue, N.W., Washington, D. C., since December, 1943. She furnished references as Mr. SOL LANMAN, 2949 West 17th Street; Mr. ELLIOT DENNIS, 3053 Brighton Street; Dr. L. LOUIS ABEDSON, 8313 Bay Parkway; Dr. RUVIM, 5605 12th Avenue, all Brooklyn, New York, and Mr. HAROLD EBERSON, CCNY Library, 17 Lexington Avenue, New York City. She stated she had attended CCNY from September, 1939 to June, 1943, receiving a B.B.A. She had been employed at the College of the City of New York, 17 Lexington Avenue, New York City from February, 1941 to September, 1943. She listed her New York residence as being 20 Brighton 3 Road, Brooklyn, New York.

During the course of the investigation in the Washington Field Division, no derogatory information was developed which could be identified with SHIRLEY JACOBSON, subject of the investigation. However, the files of MID reflected information that one [REDACTED] a Communist Party Membership Director for Los Angeles County, California during 1943, recruited an individual named [REDACTED] into the Communist Party. During the investigation by Washington Field Office no information was developed indicating that the Central Intelligence Group applicant, SHIRLEY JACOBSON, had ever resided in Los Angeles County, California. b6
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Mr. M. S. JUSTER, Credit Department, The Hecht Company, Washington, D. C., had the record of the Company checked and advised that the subject had a "straight" account, which was fairly active. The subject had this account for over 10 years and the records did not list any references or other data which might be of interest.

For the information of [REDACTED] Office, the records of the AGO, St. Louis, Missouri, reflected that the subject's name was furnished as a character reference by JULIUS ROSENBERG

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at the time when he applied for civilian employment with the War Department. On July 17, 1950 a complaint was filed charging JULIUS ROSENBERG with violation of the Espionage Statute during War Time. He is at present being tried in the United States District Court, Southern District of New York, on this charge.

The subject admitted when interviewed by Agents of the Washington Field Office that JULIE ROSENBERG had talked with him on two occasions in Washington, D. C., and that on one of these occasions JULIUS ROSENBERG had come out to the subject's house to see him.

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NEW YORK OFFICE:

AT NEW YORK, NEW YORK:

Will ascertain the identity of the subscriber to telephone number 312-3308 at Brooklyn, New York in July and September, 1950.

Will ascertain the identity of the subscriber to telephone number CUP 3-6278, New York City, as of September, 1950.

Will exhibit photographs of subject to MAX and HELENE ELITCHER and other sources who would be able to identify contacts of ROSENBERG.

Will identify HECHALUTZ, 34 West 13th Street, New York, New York, who was in contact with subject in January of 1951.

Will identify S. A., Suite 200, 24 West 40th Street, New York City, who was in contact with subject in January and February of 1951.

Will review their indices for any derogatory information or pertinent information pertaining to SHIRLEY SANDRA JACOBSON, who was investigated as a Central Intelligence Group applicant in February of 1947.

MINNEAPOLIS OFFICE:

AT MINNEAPOLIS, MINNESOTA

Will at Cavalier, North Dakota, ascertain the identity of W. H. PICO, who was in contact with subject in February, 1951.

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WASHINGTON FIELD OFFICE

AT WASHINGTON, D. C.

Will ascertain the identity of the occupants of 6132 North 12th Street, Arlington, Virginia.

Will identify S. JOSEPH, 7436 Georgia Avenue, N.W., Washington, D. C., who was in contact with ANN FOOKSON in January, 1951.

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T-1 - Mail Coverage at 204 Newcomb Street, the subject's residence.

T-2 - [REDACTED]

T-3 - [REDACTED]

T-4 - CSC

T-5 - [REDACTED] who requested
identity be kept confidential as requested
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T-6 - DONALD E. BABCOCK, 65 Leighton Avenue, Youngstown, Ohio, as reflected in the report of Special Agent LEWIS GLENN, made November 29, 1949, at Washington, D. C., entitled Communist Infiltration of United Public Workers of America, CIO, Internal Security - C (Bureau File 100-344835).

T-7 - LEO J. WALDRON, Engineer, Naval Research Laboratory, Washington, D. C., as reflected in the report as above.

T-8 - [REDACTED]

T-9 - Anonymous

T-10 - Anonymous

T-11 - [REDACTED] as reflected in the report of Special Agent LEWIS GLENN as listed above.

T-12 - [REDACTED]

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REFERENCE: Report of HOWARD FLETCHER, Jr., made at Washington, D. C., February 14, 1951.

ENCLOSURES:

Six photographs of the subject taken March 10, 1951, to the following:

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SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

Subject's Naval Service record reviewed and pertinent data reported. Birth at NYC verified. Subject's parents born in Russia. Subject's name legally changed from MARCUS POGARSKY to MARK PAGE, 9/24/40. Photo of subject obtained from naval record. N.Y. files reviewed and reported.

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REFERENCE:

Report of SA WILLIAM G. BEDELL, Newark, 8-11-48.

DETAILS:

At Garden City, New York

The Navy Service record of MARK PAGE, NSN 9093710, Social Security number 093166753, reflects he was born at New York on November 15, 1918; that he entered military service at New York on June 1, 1944, and that he was honorably discharged (dependency) as Seaman First Class at San Bruno, California on October 18, 1945. He was inducted through Local Board #2, 217 East Broadway, New York, and attended New York University, where he studied electrical engineering and left in 1944. He entered upon military leave from 6/21/45 until 7/9/45, at which time he gave his leave address as 485 Newell Street, Barberton, Ohio. He was employed by GEORGE SCHER, Engineering Company, Newark, New Jersey, for 2 1/2 years, leaving in May, 1944, at which time he gave as his address, 73 South Walnut Street, East Orange, New Jersey.

At New York, New York

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Local Board #2 records reflect that the subject registered from 153 Madison Avenue, New York, on October 16, 1940. He was then employed by the Bulova Watch Company, Woodside, Long Island. His Selective Service Questionnaire, dated September 26, 1941, reflects that MARK PAGE, aka, MARCUS POGARSKY, whose name was legally changed on September 24, 1940, 12 Desson Avenue, Troy, New York, attended College of the City of New York, School of Technology, evening classes, for four years and also attended New York University and Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute for one half year each. He was employed at one time by the War Department, Watervliet, New York, at the Watervliet Arsenal. The following are the subject's relatives, all residing at 144 Columbia Street, New York:

Father:	DAVID POGARSKY	age 56
Mother:	SARAH POGARSKY	age 46
Brother:	SOLOMON POGARSKY	age 27
Sister:	EVA POGARSKY	age 12
Sister:	CLARA M. POGARSKY	age 10

Birth Certificate #53327, Department of Health, New York, New York, reflect that MARCUS POGARSKY was born on November 15, 1918, at New York, New York, to DAVID and SARAH POLARIA POGARSKY, both of whom were born in Russia. The record further reflects that the subject's name was changed by Court Order of September 24, 1940, and approved by the Commissioner of Health on August 25, 1948, from MARCUS POGARSKY to MARK PAGE.

Confidential Informant T-1 advised on September 25, 1947, that in the Fall of 1935, MARCUS POGARSKY, a student at CCNY, New York, was interested in the Students' Workers Alliance on Constitution Committee.

Confidential Informant T-2 advised on August 14, 1941 that Mrs. ETHEL GREENGLASS ROSENBERG, 112 Goerch Street, New York and Mrs. STELLA HOPE POGARSKY PAGE, address unknown, were alleged to have pro-Communist sympathies. It was stated no derogatory information was known about Mrs. PAGE'S husband, who was employed as an engineer-draftsman of the Bulova Watch Company, 6210 Woodside Avenue, Long Island City, New York. It was further reported that while Mrs. ROSENBERG and Mrs. PAGE resided at 111 South Third Street, Brooklyn, New York, they distributed Communist literature at the doors of various apartments in the building and that on April 13, 1939, they signed Communist Party Nominating Petitions.

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A photograph of the subject was obtained from the Navy Service Records, Garden City, Long Island.

ENCLOSURES FOR NEWARK

Two (2) photographs of subject MARK PAGE, with alias,
Navy Serial Number 909371.

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ADMINISTRATIVE PAGE

The investigation at Garden City, New York, was conducted by SA J. J. DOBBINS, who reviewed the Navy records and obtained a photograph of the subject.

SA A. J. TROWER, JR., reviewed the Selective Service record of the subject.

SE RICHARD F. O'HARA reviewed the subject's birth certificate.

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CONFIDENTIAL INFORMANTS

The confidential informants mentioned in the report of SA
GEORGE H. VALENTINE, dated January 21, 1949, at New York, New York,
are as follows:

T-1:

[REDACTED] who advised that
[REDACTED] desired
name be kept strictly confidential. b7d

T-2:

United States Civil Service Commission,
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SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

Subject's Naval Service record reviewed and pertinent data reported. Birth at NYC verified. Subject's parents born in Russia. Subject's name legally changed from MARCUS POGARSKY to MARK PAGE, 9/21/40. Photo of subject obtained from naval record. N.Y. files reviewed and reported.

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REFERENCE:

Report of SA WILLIAM O. DEWELL, Newark, 8-11-48.

DETAILS:

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NY rec'd
cc. 65-4558-184-3

Washington, DC FO report dated 12-22-53, by SAs PAUL H. FIELDS, Jr. & CARROLL J. HUNT entitled "CARL GREENBLUM; ESPIONAGE - R" reflects that: DAVID F. IRWIN, Electronics Engineer, Radar Section, Electronics Branch, Office of Chief Signal Officer, (OCSO), advised SA FIELDS, on 11-19-53, that he personally handled the phase of Project 444A with which GREENBLUM was concerned in 1951-1952. Lt. Colonel CHARLES E. HARRISON was IRWIN's branch chief and superior during that period and sat in on some of the discussions. IRWIN stated further that ~~xxxx~~ GREENBLUM came to OCSO at various times during 1951 as did AARON COLEMAN, SAMUEL LEVINE, & HERMAN STAUDT, to consult with him regarding 444A, but he could not recall the exact dates or exactly which of these persons came at a certain time. He stated that he kept no personal record of the visits of the electronics men from Ft. Monmouth. IRWIN advised that he had also attended meetings at Ft. Monmouth during the above period at which GREENBLUM and/or some of the others mentioned were present.

NY rec'd
cc. 65-4558-275-8

Newark FO report dated 7-22-54 by SA HARVEY N. JOHNSON, Jr. entitled "CARL GREENBLUM, aka; SIGNAL CORPS ENGINEERING LABORATORIES, FORT MONMOUTH, NJ; ESPIONAGE - R" reflects that:

a review of the files of G-2, Fort Monmouth, NJ, on 6-17-54, by SA HARVEY N. JOHNSON, Jr., disclosed that [redacted] was to be granted a hearing before the Army Security Hearing Board, Governors Island, NY, NY, on 6-15-54. One of the individuals who was to appear as a witness in his behalf was SAMUEL LEVINE, 98 Beachwood Avenue, Long Branch, NJ. The foregoing informant, G-2, should be protected by the use of a "T"-symbol.

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Newark FO report dated 11-7-53 by SA HARVEY N. JOHNSON, Jr., entitled "AARON HYMAN COLEMAN; ESPIONAGE - R" reflects that:

the files of T-1 reflect that a review of the files of the Mail and Records Section, Evans Signal Laboratory, Fort Monmouth, NJ, revealed that approximately 150 documents were charged to ~~xxxxxx~~ [redacted] at the time of his transfer from the laboratory.

the files of T-1 indicated that SAMUEL LEVINE, [redacted] at the lab, was asked to produce 15 of the

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documents. He was able to account for only 8 and commented that of the 7 documents which could not be located, one was not entered on the incoming document register and one had been returned to the Mail and Records Sections.

T-1 is identified as the files of the 108th CIC Detachment, NY, NY, reviewed in connection with the Senontel Project: this informant should be protected by the use of a "T"-symbol at all times.

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100-31628-294-5

Cc NYlet to the Director, dated 1-27-54, captioned 'AARON HYMAN COLEMAN; ESP - R' reflects that on 1-4-54, NATHAN SUSSMAN, a self-admitted CP member and a Young Communist League (YCL) member, was interviewed at the NYFO by SAs BERT S. TAYLOR & PAUL J. BLASCO, on 1-4, 8, 14-54. SUSSMAN was exhibited yearbooks of graduating classes at CCNY for the years 1936 through 1941. In reviewing photographs, names of students and graduates, SUSSMAN furnished the names of certain individuals whom he believed might have attended YCL meetings. He stated that he could not definitely say that they were members of the YCL or attended YCL meetings, but for some reason, after reviewing yearbooks, believed there might be an association between these individuals and the YCL.

From the class of 1938, SUSSMAN identified SAMUEL LEVINE as one of these individuals.

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Interoffice memo from SA EARL F. WARFORD to the SAC, D. S. HOSTETTER, dated 11-18-53, captioned 'IRVING STOKES; ACAA' reflects that during the course of the investigation entitled 'HAROLD NAPOLEON TATE; Electronic Engineer (Radio), Evans Signal Laboratory, Department of the Army, Fort Monmouth, NJ, SGE,' conducted during 1953, under the provisions of EO 10450, IRVING STOKES, Branch Chief, Radar Branch, Evans Signal Laboratory, Belmar, NJ, of Keyport, NJ, was interviewed by SA WARFORD on 10-28-53, at which time he furnished certain information:

re SAMUEL LEVINE: "STOKES stated that he had been acquainted with LEVINE since 1940. He stated that from 1940 to 1943 or 1944, while they worked at Fort Hancock and Camp Evans, he knew LEVINE on a casual business basis. He stated that in about 1943 or 1944, when he became Section Chief of the IFF and Beacon Section, LEVINE became his Assistant Section

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Chief and that they had a close business relationship until about 1949 or 1950 when LEVINE was transferred as Assistant Section Chief of the Systems Section under AARON COLEMAN. He stated that since 1951, when he became Assistant Branch Chief of the Radar Branch, he had been LEVINE's supervisor and that LEVINE was, at that time, Section Chief of the Systems Section since COLEMAN had had his clearance taken away in about 1952.

"STOKES stated that during the period 1943 to 1945, he also knew LEVINE on a social basis, and they visited each other in their homes several times while their children played together. He stated that their social relationship broke off in about 1945 when STOKES moved to the country. He stated that he had had no reason to question LEVINE's loyalty."

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121-74-18-19,20

Newark FO report dated 12-18-52 by SA EARL F. WARFORD and entitled "HYAM GERBER YAMINS, aka; ELECTRONIC ENGINEER, HEADQUARTERS, SIGNAL CORPS ENGINEERING LABORATORIES, DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY, FT. MONMOUTH, NJ; LGE" reflects that:

Concerning YAMINS, SAMUEL LEVINE, Acting Chief, System Section, Radar Branch, Evans Signal Laboratory, Belmar, NJ, whose home address was 98 Beechwood Ave., West Long Branch, NJ, whose comments were set forth in a report dated 4-2-48, at Newark, NJ, was recontacted.

Not pertinent to investigation 105-2745
LEVINE advised that he first became acquainted with YAMINS in 1940. He stated that from 1940 to 1942 they worked in the same section of the Signal Corps at Ft. Hancock, NJ, and had occasional business contacts, but not on a day to day basis. He stated that for a few months in 1942, YAMINS was his supervisor. LEVINE stated that from 1943 to 1945, at Camp Evans, Belmar, NJ, they were not in the same section, but worked on related problems and saw each other occasionally. He stated that from 1945 to 1947, he was indirectly under YAMINS' supervision when YAMINS was Chief of the Radar Branch at Evans Signal Laboratory, and had frequent contact with YAMINS during that period.

LEVINE stated that from about 1947 to 1950 YAMINS was on the Headquarters Staff of the Signal Corps Engineering Laboratories at Ft. Monmouth, NJ, and that he had frequent contact with YAMINS during this period, as they worked on problems together.

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121-74-48-7 Boston FO report dated 5-31-54, by SA ROBERT E. SHEEPAN, entitled "HYAM GERBER YAMINS, was;
SM - C; LGE" REFLECTS that:

WILLIAM HUBER, 50 West Sylvania Ave., Neptune, NJ, in 1948, stated that he had known ~~xxx~~ YAMINS since 1941 and that he suspected YAMINS of being a Communist, but could provide no information to substantiate his suspicion. HUBER added that YAMINS was usually in company with IRVING STOKES, WILLIAM GOLDBERG, & SAMUEL LEVINE, all of whom he, HUBER, considered to be Communists. HUBER could give no reason to substantiate those opinions.

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121-2768-29-7,8 Newark FO report dated 12-16-52 by SA EARL F. WARFORD entitled "HAROLD DUCORE, aka; Radio Engineer, Department of the Army, Fort Monmouth, NJ; LGE" reflects that:

not pertinent to investigation - 105-2795
"SAMUEL LEVINE, Acting Chief, System Section, Radar Branch, Evans Signal Laboratory, Belmar, NJ, whose home address was 98 Beechwood Ave., W. Long Branch, NJ, advised that he first met DUCORE when they worked together for about three months in 1942 on a Signal Corps project at Fort Hancock, NJ. He stated that except for that three month period, they have not worked directly together but have attended conferences together and conferred on mutual problems on a number of occasions. He also stated that since about 1948, he had ridden to work in the same car pool with DUCORE. He stated that for the past few years, he and his wife and DUCORE and his wife have visited in each other's homes on several occasions. LEVINE further stated that he had had no reason whatsoever to question the loyalty of DUCORE OR his wife to the USA.

"LEVINE stated that he knew ALBERT SOCOL by sight from having seen him at the laboratory but that he knew of no association between DUCORE and SOCOL. LEVINE stated that he, LEVINE, was not a member of the UPWA - CIO and did not know whether the DUCORES were members of that organization or not. He stated that he had never heard them mention that they were members of that organizations.

"LEVINE stated that he did not recall having ever met a LOUIS KAPLAN and could furnish no info concerning him."

It is to be noted that SAMUEL LEVINE was investigated ~~xxxx~~ by the FBI in January 1951, under the provisions of EO #9835, in the case entitled "SAMUEL LEVINE, Deputy Chief, System Section, Evans Signal Laboratory, Department of the Army, Belmar, NJ."

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121-3329-12-5,6,12,13

Newark FO report dated 11-7-53, by
SA EARL F. WARFORD entitled "SAMUEL

POMERANTZ, aka; Electronic Engineer (Radio) Evans Signal
Laboratory, Department of the Army, Fort Monmouth, NJ; SGE"
reflects that:

*re: Samuel
Pomerantz
105-2795*
"It is to be noted that POMERANTZ'
personnel record, Ft. Monmouth, NJ, contained an application
for Federal employment dated 7-22-40, which reflected that
POMERANTZ listed the name of SAMUEL LEVINE as an employee of
the Signal Corps Laboratories who knew him well.

"It is to be noted that SAMUEL LEVINE
was investigated by the FBI in 1950 and 1951 under the provisions
of EO #9835 in the case entitled "SAMUEL LEVINE, Deputy Chief,
Systems Section, Evans Signal Laboratory, Department of the
Army, Belmar, NJ."

"It is to be noted that in the report
of the NY FO of the FBI dated 1-11-51 in the above-mentioned
case, SAMUEL POMERANTZ, whose NY address was 365 East 158th
St., Bronx, NY, advised that he attended CCNY as an Electrical
Engineering student from 1934 thru' 1938 and became acquainted
with SAMUEL LEVINE in 1936. He stated that to the best of
his knowledge LEVINE engaged in no disloyal activities while
a student at CCNY and that he considered LEVINE TO BE LOYAL
to the USA.

"POMERANTZ further stated that he met
LEVINE again in 1940 when they both began employment at Fort
Monmouth, NJ. He stated that they both worked in the same
section in 1946 and that he had seen LEVINE occasionally during
the other years from 1940 to the present time. He stated
that he had never questioned LEVINE's loyalty.

"Concerning SAMUEL LEVINE, STOKES (IRVING)
advised that during the period that POMERANTZ worked in the IFF
and Beacon Section, LEVINE was Assistant Section Chief of that
section and POMERANTZ was acquainted with LEVINE on a business
basis ~~for~~ during that period. He stated that he did not know
if LEVINE and POMERANTZ knew each other outside of the business
relationship. STOKES stated that he had had no reason personally
to question LEVINE's loyalty to the USA.

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[redacted] Cc Boston memo to the Director, cc to
Newark, dated 12-29-53, captioned [redacted]
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SOURCES' reflects that [redacted] Potential Confidential
Dource of the Boston Division, was interviewed on 11-4,6-53; and
12-19,20,21-53. Information obtained on 12-19,20,21-53 is
reflected below. [redacted] stated the following re SAMUEL LEVINE:
"LEVINE graduated with me from CCNY. I recall him as a stout,
happy fellow although I did not know him outside of classes.

[redacted] Because of this, I met LEVINE
occasionally and exchanged pleasant greetings although I never
visited his apartment or house and vice versa. In 1950 and
1951 I met LEVINE professionally as a result of direct
liaison between our respective organizations. [redacted]

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in 105-2795
[redacted] Cc Boston memo to the Director, cc to
Newark, dated 11-16-53, captioned [redacted]
Confidential Sources' reflects that:
[redacted] was interviewed on 11-4-53; his
identity should be protected by the use of a "TM"-symbol. He
stated that SAMUEL LEVINE & HYMAN G. YAMINS were pretty close
to the "top brass" at Ft. Monmouth [redacted]
[redacted] and spent most of their social
time together.

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100-38632-26 Interoffice memo from SA EUGENE C. JONES
to the SAC, H. G. FOSTER, dated 5-25-55.
captioned 'MARTHA MILLET; Sm - C' reflected that [redacted]
[redacted] Asst. Director, Roosevelt, NJ, made available to SA JONES
by mail a two-page letter dated 5-16-55 from EUGENE DENNIS.
According to a note attached to this letter, it was sent to
through MARTHA MILLET.

[redacted] also made available the name, one
LEVINE, 1173 Popham Ave., Bronx, NY, as a person who
had corresponded with MARTHA MILLET.
It is to be noted that LEVINE's (subject of
this Correlation Memo) last address in NY was in the Bronx;
also his wife's parents at present (1954) live in the Bronx, NY.

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Mr. and Mrs. FLOYD ELWYN, Jr. and FLOYD ELWYN, Sr., Superintendents and Mr. and Mrs. WALTER YANUSHEFSKY and Mrs. PATRICK E. BROWN, neighbors at 65 Morton St., NYC, fail to identify MICHAEL SIDOROVICH when viewed in person 8/30/50. Handwriting examination reveals WILLIAM PERL wrote Money Order Applications for rental payments to ALFRED SARANT. Subject re-interviewed 8/16/50. Investigation re University of Tennessee and Department of Agriculture postcards reveals they emanated from SADIE MUTTERPERL, subject's sister, who is mentally unsound. Prospective recipients of "Good Food" literature interviewed. Attempts to reinterview VIVIAN GLASSMAN negative. GLASSMAN subpoenaed before F.G.J., SDNY. HENRIETTA SAVIDGE reinterviewed. JOSEPH P. BLUM states unable to explain JULIUS ROSENBERG'S possession of BLUM'S business card. Background of BLUM reported. PERL wrote letter in 1940 which mentions "my friend -- SOBELL". MAX and HELENE ELITCHER reinterviewed. PERL now admits acquaintance with HELENE ELITCHER. Information re PERL'S use of VON KARMEN car Summer 1948 reported. Photographs obtained. PERL, Mr. and Mrs. ROBERT E. PFLEGER, MICHAEL and ANNE SIDOROVICH and STANLEY E. PRICE information re auto transactions set forth. PERL now resides 610 Cathedral Parkway, NYC. AUSA, SDNY considering prosecution of PERL for perjury.

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I. INVESTIGATION RE: 65 MORTON STREET, NEW YORK CITY

It is recalled that FLOYD E. YN, Jr., Superintendent at 65 Morton Street, New York City, the apartment tenanted by ALFRED SARANT and later occupied by WILLIAM PERL under an agreement with SARANT, executed a statement under date of August 1, 1950, wherein he identified PERL and supplied information concerning the latter's activities in Apartment 6-I at this address.

On August 11, 1950, Mr. ELWYN was reinterviewed by SAs HERMAN C. LITTLEJOHN and ROBERT F. ROYAL at which time he stated that he desired to make a correction in his signed statement of August 1, 1950.

While the above mentioned statement has been reported previously in this case, it is being restated here for the purpose of clarity, together with the addendum dated August 11, 1950 which covers the above mentioned correction:

"New York City
August 1, 1950

"I, FLOYD ~~ELWYN~~, Jr., make the following free and voluntary statement to ROBERT F. ROYAL and HERMAN C. LITTLEJOHN who have identified themselves to me as Special Agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, U. S. Department of Justice. No threats or promises were made to me to induce me to make this statement and I was told that I did not have to make any statement. I was also told that any statement I did make could be used in a Court of Law.

"I reside at 65 Morton Street, New York City. I have been Superintendent of 65 Morton Street since October, 1948.

"On July 24, 1950, Special Agent LITTLEJOHN exhibited to me a photograph of a man who I recognized as an individual I knew as 'Mr. Perl'. I had occasion to be in apartment 6-I, 65 Morton Street, in connection with my official duties during the Christmas Holidays of 1949, and at that time saw 'Mr. Perl' in that apartment. I also observed approximately six or seven other men in the apartment at that time.

"Previous to this occasion, in July or August, 1949, I accepted a letter for a William Perl, addressed to 65 Morton Street. The

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"Postman gave me this letter because the apartment number was not on it. While the Postman was still there, I told him that the rentbook for 65 Morton Street listed a PERL in Apartment 6-I. I then, in the Postman's presence, put the letter in the mailbox for Apartment 6-I.

"Just after the Postman left, and before I left the area, I noticed a man opening the mailbox for Apartment 6-I. I asked him if a Mr. PERL was in the apartment with him and he said that PERL was in the apartment at that very moment.

"I recognized a photograph shown to me by Agent LITTLEJOHN on July 24, 1950 as a photograph of this man, the one I saw at the mailboxes. Agent LITTLEJOHN told me that this photograph was of WELDON BRUCE X DAYTON.

"Shortly after seeing this man at the mailboxes, I saw him again leaving 65 Morton Street. He was with a man who I took to be 'Mr. Perl'. This 'Mr. Perl' is the same man I saw in apartment 6-I during the Christmas Holidays of 1949, whose photograph I identified on July 24, 1950.

"In the latter part of January, 1950, I again went to apartment 6-I. I had received instructions from the building owner that the apartment had to be vacated. I observed that the man named 'DAYTON' was in the apartment. He told me that 'they' had permission from the tenant, ALFRED SARANT, to stay in the apartment until the end of the month. At this time I did not see anyone else in the apartment. About two days later I returned to the apartment with orders to ask the occupants to move and at this time saw both 'DAYTON' and 'Mr. PERL' there.

"I asked these men to vacate the apartment and they said they would. The next day 'Mr. PERL' asked me if they could store their household effects in the basement at 65 Morton Street for a few days. I said they could and I observed 'Mr. PERL', 'DAYTON' and two other men move things from Apartment 6-I to the basement. This was the last time I saw 'Mr. PERL' at 65 Morton Street.

"Agent LITTLEJOHN told me the photograph I recognized as 'Mr. PERL' was of WILLIAM PERL.

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"On August 1, 1950 I accompanied Agents ROYAL and LITTLEJOHN to the Hotel Seville, Madison Ave., and 29 Street, New York City. There, I observed a man who I recognized as 'Mr. PERL'. This man was introduced to me by Agents ROYAL and LITTLEJOHN as WILLIAM PERL. He is the man I knew as 'Mr. PERL' and the man I observed at 65 Morton Street as set forth in this statement.

"I have read the above statement written on 4¹/₂ pages by Agent LITTLEJOHN.

"It is true to the best of my knowledge.

/s/ "FLOYD ELLYN, Jr.

"Witnessed by:

"ROBERT F. ROYAL - Spec. Agent - FBI - NYC.

"HERMAN C. LITTLEJOHN - Spec. Agent - FBI - NYC.

"New York City
August 11, 1950

"The statement on page 4 of this statement dated August 1, 1950, that 'this is the last time I saw 'Mr. PERL' at 65 Morton Street,' was not correct. About a week after PERL and the other men moved furnishings from Apartment 6-I, 65 Morton Street to the basement, I observed PERL and another man carrying the bottom half of a studio couch, which they had stored in the basement, out of 65 Morton Street. I observed them leaving this building via the Morton Street entrance. I told them it would be closer to leave this building by another way but they ignored me.

"This was the last time I saw WILLIAM PERL at 65 Morton Street.

"This correction to my statement made on August 1, 1950, was read by me and is true.

/s/ "FLOYD ~~C~~ ELLYN, Jr.

"WITNESSED:

"ROBERT F. ROYAL, Special Agent, FBI, NYC.

"HERMAN C. LITTLEJOHN, Special Agent, FBI, NYC.

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On August 30, 1950, at which time MICHAEL SIDOROVICH appeared before the Federal Grand Jury, Southern District of New York, he was viewed in person at the office of Chief Assistant United States Attorney MYLES J. LANE, Room 401, U. S. Court House, New York City, by Mr. and Mrs. FLOYD ELWYN, Jr., and FLOYD ELWYN, Sr., Superintendents at 65 Morton Street, New York City; and by Mr. and Mrs. WALTER YANUSHEFSKY and Mrs. PATRICK E. BROWN, tenants at this address.

It is recalled that during the previous interviews with agents of this office, Mr. and Mrs. FLOYD ELWYN, Jr., had identified a photograph of SIDOROVICH as the person who came to them in June or July, 1949, claiming to be ALFRED SARANT and asked for a key to Apartment 6-I (The SARANT apartment) explaining he had left his key in another suit in the apartment. Upon being let into the apartment by ELWYN, this individual stayed around for about a week and left without notice.

It is further recalled that Mrs. PATRICK E. BROWN had previously identified a photograph of SIDOROVICH as an individual who resided in Apartment 6-I from approximately October, 1949, to January, 1950, had assisted her in carrying groceries up six flights of steps on one occasion and was observed by her to assist in moving furniture from Apartment 6-I at the time it was vacated in the latter part of January, 1950.

Likewise, Mrs. YANUSHEFSKY has previously recalled talking to an individual in Apartment 6-I at the time the apartment was being vacated and described the individual as male, white, medium height, medium build, dark hair, tortoise shell glasses, heavy beard and clean shaven. She estimated his age at thirty-nine years.

However, on August 30, 1950, when the above persons viewed SIDOROVICH in person, each failed to confirm their previous identification of him made by photographs. Mr. and Mrs. FLOYD ELWYN, Jr. said SIDOROVICH was not the man that had identified himself to them as SARANT and was not one of the four men who moved furniture from SARANT'S apartment, 6-I, in January, 1950.

FLOYD ELWYN, Sr. did not identify SIDOROVICH in connection with Apartment 6-I, although he claimed he has seen SIDOROVICH in the neighborhood, but that the date and circumstances of this observation are unknown to him.

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Mr. and Mrs. YANUSHEFSKY advised SIDOROVICH was not the man they observed at Apartment 6-I in January, 1950.

Mrs. BROWN said that SIDOROVICH was not the man she observed at Apartment 6-I from October, 1949, until January, 1950. However, Mrs. BROWN and the FLOYD ELLIENS, Jr., stated that the individual whom they described above had the same features as SIDOROVICH but now he is recalled to have been considerably taller.

MR. AND MRS. FLOYD ELLIENS JR.

II. FBI LABORATORY REPORTS RE MONEY ORDERS

The FBI Laboratory has advised that a comparison of the handwriting contained on the following U. S. Postal Money Order applications, which were obtained from the records of the Main Post Office, 7 Avenue and 32 Street, New York City, and the known handwriting of WILLIAM PERL, as contained in his correspondence with his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. JOSEPH P. ~~BLUM~~, revealed that the Money Order applications were written by the subject, WILLIAM PERL.

The Money Order applications included in the above comparison are as follows:

<u>Number</u>	<u>Date</u>
162213	1/20/47
195061	9/23/47
199603	10/28/47
886362	11/26/47
207151	12/18/47
211814	1/22/48
221200	3/24/48
898919	4/26/48
900938	5/24/48
913574	11/24/48

It is noted that in the event the originals of the above Money Order applications are desired at a public proceeding, same will be produced only upon issuance of a subpoena duces tecum addressed to the Postmaster, General Post Office, New York City.

It is recalled that during several interviews with the subject he has denied any recollection of payments of rent to ALFRED SARANT, as evidenced by the above money order applications, subsequent to June, 1948.

Joseph P. Blum

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III. INTERVIEW OF PERL, AUGUST 17, 1950, NEW YORK CITY

On August 17, 1950, subject appeared at the office of Chief Assistant United States Attorney MILES J. LANE, United States Court House, Foley Square, New York, in company with his attorney, RAYMOND L. WISE, 80 Broad Street, New York City, with the request that he be reinterviewed. Mr. WISE, in the presence of the subject and SA LEO H. FRUTKIN and the reporting agent, advised Mr. LANE that he had discussed the details of this case thoroughly with the subject, and that the latter had "determined to give the Government the full benefit of his knowledge of this case." Mr. WISE thereupon instructed PERL to answer all questions put to him by Mr. LANE or by Bureau agents.

PERL was thereupon interviewed by the above agents, Mr. WISE having departed. PERL stated that in previous interviews, he had made every attempt to minimize his associations with JOEL BARR and ALFRED SARANT, for fear of prejudicing his position with respect to his loyalty investigation. He said that he felt BARR and SARANT were sympathetic to the Communist cause, although he did not know if they were members of the Communist Party.

He stated that he desired to advise that he had known JOEL BARR intimately for several years, but lost track of him in 1948 when he left Columbia to return to the National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics at Cleveland. He professed not to know BARR'S present whereabouts, his activities in Europe, or the reason for his presence on the Continent.

PERL was questioned in detail as to his knowledge of ALFRED SARANT, but no information was obtained in addition to that previously reported in this case.

PERL stated he paid SARANT monthly rentals for the apartment at 65 Morton Street from the fall of 1946 to June, 1948, with the exception of a few months during 1947, when the apartment was used by HENRIETTA SAVIDGE. He denied any payments after June, 1948, and when informed that records of Postal Money Order payments had been located which revealed payments by him subsequent to June, 1948, he continued to deny any such payments and could not explain the matter further.

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Information previously obtained in this case concerning PERL'S alleged presence at 65 Morton Street after June, 1948, was reviewed with him as obtained from various witnesses including the ELVINS, and he consistently denied returning to that address after his departure for Cleveland. PERL was questioned as to the title to the furniture and the reason or necessity of the bill of sale covering certain furniture which was obtained from ALFRED SARANT at Ithaca, New York, and PERL declined to discuss the matter further, stating that he could not recall the details.

PERL was questioned concerning information previously reported as emanating from the ELITCHERS involving PERL'S alleged association with the ELITCHERS, JOEL BARR, ALFRED SARANT, the ROSENBERGS and the SOBELLs at the Bird-in-Hand Restaurant, New York City, at the Sarant apartment, at the Rosenberg apartment, and at the Blue Mill restaurant. He denied any recollection of being present at these gatherings and steadfastly maintained he did not even know the ROSENBERGS or SOBELLs.

He said, of course, he was acquainted with BARR and SARANT, and vaguely remembered MAX ELITCHER, and did not know his wife HELENE. Photographs of these individuals were again displayed to PERL along with photographs of other persons previously mentioned in this case, and he recognized only the following:

JOEL BARR
ALFRED SARANT
MAX ELITCHER
HENRIETTA SAVIDGE
VIVIAN GLASSMAN

The incident involving the GLASSMANS' visit to PERL'S apartment in Cleveland in July, 1950 was reviewed with PERL, and he stated he had no information in addition to that previously given to Bureau agents at Cleveland, Ohio.

Concerning VIVIAN GLASSMAN'S sister, ELEANOR GLASSMAN, PERL stated that he now recalls he met her as a casual pick-up acquaintance in a Greenwich Village restaurant about two months prior to April, 1950, but cannot remember further details of this pick-up. He said when he met ELEANOR GLASSMAN in New York City in April, 1950 as previously

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reported, the meeting was by appointment, the details of which he now professes to forget.

On August 18, 1950, PERL appeared under subpoena to testify before the Federal Grand Jury, Southern District Of New York.

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IV. INVESTIGATION RE: POST CARDS

Previous investigation by the Cleveland Office has revealed that on or about July 29, 1950, one S. PERL, Tiffany Street, Bronx, New York, requested the Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., to forward copies of a pamphlet entitled, "Money Saving Main Dishes", to the following individuals:

WILLIAM PERL
16002 Larchwood
Cleveland, Ohio

SOLOMON KISCHNER
1387 (or 7387) Boscobel
Bronx, New York

EDWARD GOLDZAND
263 East Gun Hill Road
Bronx, New York

SAM PERL
81 Rue de Maugeuge
Paris, France

PATRICK FLOOD
137 East 238 Street
Bronx, New York

Similarly, previous investigation in this case at Knoxville, Tennessee, has revealed that S. PERL, 936 Tiffany Street, Bronx, New York, requested the University of Tennessee to send copies of a bulletin entitled, "Good Food", issued by the School of Home Economics to the above named persons and, in addition, to one Dr. ADLERSBERG, 136 East 64 Street, New York City.

David

During an interview on September 12, 1950, subject advised Special Agents of the Cleveland Office concerning his knowledge of a booklet entitled "Good Food", issued by the University of Tennessee. He stated at this time that his sister, SADIE MUTTER PERL, had requested

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same be sent to him. Upon his arrival in New York City on September 9, 1950, he questioned SADIE concerning the receipt of this booklet as well as other literature that he had received and had not personally requested. She explained to him that she had requested this material be forwarded to him since he was away from home and eating in restaurants and she was worried that he might not be getting proper nourishment. She also said she had this material sent to other individuals whom she described to subject as friends of hers. PERL said his sister is not of sound mind; that she has previously been confined to a mental institution which probably accounts in some measure for her activities in this regard.

To demonstrate the type and volume of material which SADIE had arranged to have sent to him, PERL made available to the reporting agent a large, brown manila envelope containing a copy of the University of Tennessee booklet entitled, "Good Food" and various graphs, weight tables and diets which will be listed herein.

This brown envelope carried the return address of the American Institute of Baking, 1135 Fullerton Avenue, Chicago 14, Illinois. It was addressed to WILLIAM PERL, 16802 Larchwood, Cleveland, 11, Ohio, and had been readdressed to 666 East 103rd Street, Cleveland. It bore eight cents in postage, which stamp had been canceled July 28, 1950, at Chicago, Illinois.

Contained in the above envelope were the following which PERL said he gathered up from his personal affects. He said that this material has been received by him over a period of time and, in fact, is not all of this type of material, but only a sample of it.

The following is a list of the above material furnished by PERL:

1. A booklet entitled, "Good Food" by MARJORIE M. MORRISON, Graduate Student in Nutrition, School of Home Economics, University of Tennessee, Volume XXIII, No. 2, Extension Series, May, 1947.

2. A pamphlet entitled, "Enriched Bread, Facts and Tables About its Nutritive Value", issued by the American Institute of Baking, Chicago, Illinois, which treats of the percentage of protein, calcium, etc., in various types of bread.

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3. A pamphlet entitled, "Good Cooks--Good Eating", issued in 1947 by the American Institute of Baking, which contains recipes and scheduled diets.

4. A pamphlet entitled, "Information on Bread and Flour Enrichments", issued by the American Institute of Baking, which describes "enriched bread and the amount of vitamin content retained through various processes of milling".

5. An order list issued by the American Institute of Baking which describes various available pamphlets with directions how to obtain them.

6. A pamphlet entitled, "Bread and the Diet of a Fifteen Year Old Boy", issued by the American Institute of Baking, which contains a chart of dietary contributions of food to an adolescent boy.

7. A weight record supplement to a pamphlet entitled, "Eat and Grow Slim", which contains a weight table by age.

8. A pamphlet entitled, "Eat and Grow Slim", by GERTRUDE AUSTIN, issued in 1948 by the American Institute of Baking, which contains a diet in weight control with menus and caloric tables.

9. A colored poster entitled, "The Wheel of Good Eating", which contains information of the basic seven foods.

10. A pamphlet entitled, "Suggestions for Teachers--Our Daily Food", which is a booklet for elementary grades on the "Wheel of Good Eating", above mentioned.

11. A wall poster entitled, "Bread as a Basic Ingredient", which illustrates how to prepare bread for use in various recipes, issued by the American Institute of Baking.

12. A chart entitled, "What Did You Eat Today? Check Yourself", which contains suggested diets for various meals over a given period of time.

13. A pamphlet entitled, "Our Daily Food", which contains supplementary information for elementary grades on the "Wheel of Good Living".

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14. Two pamphlets entitled, "Teaching the Values of Enriched Bread--Lessons Nos. 1 and 2".

During the above interview, subject was questioned concerning the identity of the individuals listed above to whom SADIE requested that copies of the above material be sent. With the exception of his brother, SAM PERL, and Dr. ADLERSBERG, whom subject described as his mother's doctor, PERL advised he did not know any of the individuals, but said he suspected that they were probably former classmates or personal friends of his sister, SADIE.

Mrs. SARAH ~~MUTTER~~PERL, 926 Tiffany Street, Bronx, New York, the subject's mother, recently advised SAS WALTER C. ROETTING and HAROLD F. GOOD that there were three individuals in her home whose first name began with an "S", that is, her daughter, SADIE, her son, SAMUEL, and herself. When questioned concerning the identity of the individual who sent the above post cards, Mrs. MUTTERPERL advised that her son, SAMUEL, was in France in July, 1950, which would eliminate him, inasmuch as the post cards were dated during that month at New York City. Mrs. MUTTERPERL stated she had not written the cards herself, after the contents were described to her, and that, in fact, she could not write except for signing her name.

She stated that since the requests were concerning booklets on food, she was certain that her daughter, SADIE, had sent them because SADIE was continually sending post cards regarding foods and diets. She explained that her daughter is mentally unsound and has been for some time quite concerned because she is overweight.

Mrs. MUTTERPERL did not know specifically at the time of the interview if SADIE had, in fact, made the above requests, but said she presumed she had. She stated that SADIE is very nervous, is easily upset and requested, if possible, she not be questioned by Bureau Agents for fear she go into a mental relapse and require further hospitalization. The names of those persons listed on the post cards as prospective recipients were mentioned to Mrs. MUTTERPERL and she recognized her sons, SAM, and WILLIAM, and also stated that Dr. ADLERSBERG is her doctor. She said she had no knowledge of the names SAUL or SOL KISCHNER, EDWARD GOLDBAND or PATRICK FLOOD.

Mrs. MUTTERPERL later advised that she had discussed the matter of the postcards with her daughter, SADIE, who advised that she had, in fact, made requests for the above material to be sent to some friends of hers.

SAMUEL *PERL
SADIE *PERL

Saul *Kischner

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The following prospective recipients of the above literature were interviewed by SAS WALTER C. ROETTING and HAROLD F. GOOD.

Dr. DAVID ADLERSBERG

Dr. DAVID ADLERSBERG, 136 East 64 Street, New York City, advised that he had been treating Mrs. SARAH MUTTERPERL for diabetes but had never met any other members of the MUTTERPERL family. He stated Mrs. MUTTERPERL had indicated to him on several occasions that her daughter is mentally unbalanced and recently told him that her daughter had taken books belonging to her son, SAMUEL, and without his knowledge, sold them. Dr. ADLERSBERG advised that he is in charge of the Nutrition Clinic at Mount Sinai Hospital and, therefore, received considerable literature on the subjects of food and nutrition. He stated it is entirely possible that Mrs. MUTTERPERL's daughter had literature sent to him on foods but he does not recall any such incident.

PATRICK J. FLOOD

PATRICK J. FLOOD, 137 East 238 Street, Bronx, New York, advised that he is a teacher of Latin in both the day and evening school at Theodore Roosevelt High School, Bronx, New York. He stated SADIE MUTTERPERL is a student of his in the evening school and is in his opinion, an "odd" person. He stated she seems to be extremely interested in food and diet.

On one occasion she gave him a book, the title of which was "How to Eat and Not Grow Fat" or something similar thereto. On several other occasions, she has asked him whether he had read certain books on this subject. Mr. FLOOD stated he cannot recall ever having received any literature on food through the mail. He also advised that he has never met any other members of the MUTTERPERL family.

Mr. FLOOD pointed out that SOL KISCHEER is a history teacher at the Theodore Roosevelt High School evening classes and that EDWARD GOLDZAND, 236 East Gun Hill Road, is a student in the evening school.

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EDWARD GOLDZAND

EDWARD GOLDZAND, 236 East Gun Hill Road, Bronx, New York, advised that he attends the Theodore Roosevelt High School in the evening and in one of his classes sits next to SADIE MUTTERPERL. He stated that she has expressed interest in the subject of food and on one occasion suggested to him that he write a book report on that subject. She has never given him any literature on food but several weeks ago he did receive this type of literature through the mail. However, he does not know definitely who sent this literature to him.

SOE KISCHNER

SOE KISCHNER, 1387 Boscobel Street, Bronx, New York, is a history teacher at Theodore Roosevelt High School, according to information received from PATRICK FLOOD. In view of the information supplied by Dr. ALBERSBERG, Mr. FLOOD and Mr. GOLDZAND concerning SADIE MUTTERPERL'S interest in food and nutrition, no further effort will be made to contact Mr. KISCHNER. Likewise, SADIE MUTTERPERL will not be interviewed at this time concerning this matter in view of her mental condition.

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V. INFORMATION CONCERNING VIVIAN GLASSMAN

Since the original interview of VIVIAN GLASSMAN at New York City on August 3, 1950, several attempts have been made to re-interview her in an effort to obtain further identifying data concerning the "stranger" who allegedly directed her to make her trip to Cleveland to see PERL. These efforts have met with negative results as she has refused further interview by Bureau Agents.

However, on September 6, 1950, at the office of Chief Assistant United States Attorney MYLES J. LANE, Southern District of New York, and in the presence of her attorney, HERBERT BURSTEIN, 135 Broadway, New York City, VIVIAN GLASSMAN reviewed various photographs of individuals mentioned in this case and she advised AUSA LANE that she did not recognize any of them to be the "stranger" who contacted her in New York.

On September 12, 1950, WILLIAM PERL was questioned by SAS RICHARD T. HRADSKY and the reporting agent concerning the GLASSMAN trip to Cleveland, previously reported in this investigation, and concerning his knowledge of and association with VIVIAN GLASSMAN and her sister, ELEANOR. It is recalled that subject previously stated he originally met VIVIAN GLASSMAN through JOEL BARR and that he met her sister as a casual pickup acquaintance. No information in addition to that previously received in instant investigation was obtained from PERL on this date. He denied any knowledge of the possible identity of the person who sent GLASSMAN to see him in Cleveland and consistently stated he is of the opinion that she erred in coming to him. He explained that he believes GLASSMAN was, in fact, directed to see an aeronautical engineer in Cleveland and mistook him for the person actually intended by the stranger in his instructions to GLASSMAN.

Concerning ELEANOR GLASSMAN, PERL now states he first met her about February, 1950, as a casual pickup acquaintance in a Greenwich Village Restaurant, the name or location of which he does not recall.

Thereafter, he returned to Cleveland and possibly in March, 1950, he received a letter from ELEANOR which advised she would have a one week vacation in April, 1950, during Easter week. She invited him to come to New York to see her. He, therefore, came to New York City and registered at the Statler Hotel where he telephoned

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ELEANOR after his arrival and spent the next week with her at her apartment, 343 East Eighth Street, New York City. He advised that during that week he met VIVIAN GLASSMAN and GLADYS GLASSMAN, sisters of ELEANOR and also her brother and mother, whose name is now Mrs. RIUCH. The residences and employments of these members of the GLASSMAN family were unknown to PERL, with the exception of the residence of GLADYS who resides with ELEANOR at the above address.

PERL stated on September 11, 1950, that he had neither seen nor been in communication with VIVIAN GLASSMAN since her trip to Cleveland in July, 1950, although he had telephoned ELEANOR GLASSMAN during the evening of September 10, 1950, to determine if she knew any recent developments in the case in New York City. PERL said that she replied she had no information and seemed reluctant to speak to him.

VIVIAN GLASSMAN has been subpoenaed to testify before the Federal Grand Jury, Southern District of New York, on August 10, 11, 14, 15, 1950.

VL. REINTERVIEW OF HENRIETTA SAVIDGE

HENRIETTA SAVIDGE, 104 East 38th Street, New York City, advised reporting agent that she had discussed the matter of her vacation in 1944 in New Jersey with PERL, and they had recalled that the name of the place they visited was Budd Lake, New Jersey. She said that while she had no personal recollection of it, PERL told her JOEL BARR had recommended it as a pleasant vacation spot. She recalled they went by bus because PERL had no car and that they remained approximately one week. She said they met no one they knew during this week nor did they make any new acquaintances she can recall. Miss SAVIDGE recalled that this vacation was several weeks after she had met PERL casually while viewing art exhibits in the Museum of Modern Art, New York City.

On September 12, 1950, PERL confirmed the above information stating that he met HETTY SAVIDGE during the spring of 1944 at the Museum of Modern Art, New York City, and that in June of that year, he spent one week's vacation at a cottage at Budd Lake, New Jersey. He recalled that this particular location was recommended to them by his friend, JOEL BARR, who apparently had spent some time there before. He does not recall what arrangements were made for reservations, but believed he either telephoned or wrote a letter to an address undoubtedly furnished by BARR. He said that he and SAVIDGE travelled by bus and obtained a cottage upon arrival as man and wife. During their stay, they did not see or hear of anyone of their acquaintance.

Continuing, Miss SAVIDGE related in detail as previously reported in this investigation, information concerning her residence at Sarant's apartment at 65 Morton Street, New York, from February to September, 1947. She said she paid the rent for that period herself, usually by money order, and recalled the amount to be something like \$45.00. She said she may have accepted money for rent from PERL if she was short of funds, but did not specifically recall doing so. She reiterated that she lived in the apartment alone and that PERL was residing with his parents in the Bronx. She said PERL visited her at this apartment but that none of his friends accompanied him with the possible exception of JOEL BARR and that no meetings were ever held in the apartment.

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Miss SAVIDGE declined to submit handwriting specimens which were desired for comparison with the hand-printed signature "H. SAVIDGE" on the money order application #57474 dated July 25, 1947 in the amount of \$45.50 and made payable to ALFRED SARANT in Ithaca, New York. Miss SAVIDGE declined to give information concerning her family with the exception of the name of her father, DAVID SAVIDGE, and the fact that he lives up state and is not well. She was questioned concerning her sister, MARY LOUISE LEITMAN, and advised that the latter has recently returned from Europe. She refused to give her address, stating she did not want any of her family brought into the PERL investigation since they had absolutely no information concerning his activities.

In this connection, subject has stated that HENRIETTA SAVIDGE's father resides with a married daughter in Nyack, New York, but he does not know the daughter's married name or her address. He said that HENRIETTA's sister, MARY LOUISE, is married to an individual named H. B. LEITMAN who has something to do with ships or shipping. He said that MARY LOUISE formerly tenanted the apartment now occupied by HENRIETTA at 104 East 38th Street, New York City, which is believed by him still to be maintained in the name of LEITMAN. He recalled that the name LEITMAN appears on the mail box along with the name SAVIDGE, but he does not think MARY LOUISE gets her mail there nor does she visit HENRIETTA since they are not on friendly terms.

HENRIETTA SAVIDGE advised further that she recalled going Abalone diving with PERL and some friend of his while they were at Pasadena in 1946, but she could not recall this friend's name, explaining that she had not known him previously and was not particularly interested in his acquaintance.

Miss SAVIDGE was again questioned concerning her recollection of the identity of the couple with whom the SARANTS stayed while visiting in New York City in 1947, but she again stated she did not know their name and had no idea of the location of their apartment except that it was within walking distance east of 65 Morton Street and within the Greenwich Village area.

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Miss SAVIDGE was questioned concerning her knowledge of the various individuals mentioned in this investigation, and she either said she was not acquainted or had no information in addition to that previously submitted.

Previous investigation at Los Angeles has revealed that subject and HENRIETTA SAVIDGE resided at 750 North Madison Street, Pasadena, California, and that Mrs. IDA SMITH, the landlady at this address, did not recall them. Miss SAVIDGE was questioned concerning her residence immediately upon arrival at Pasadena with PERL in 1946, and she stated she recalls stopping at some tourist home for a day or two prior to locating their permanent residence with Mrs. McCANDLESS on South San Rafael Street, Pasadena. She could not recall the address of this tourist home, nor the name of the proprietor, and believes that they stopped there after seeing a sign in front of the house. She said they were definitely not recommended to any residence in Pasadena.

Mr. H. FONTAGUE, Riker and Company, Realtors, and Mr. W. LEEDS, Crosse and Browne, Realtors, consecutive owners of the apartment house at 104 East 38th Street since 1948, advised SA W. R. YATES they have no record of HENRIETTA SAVIDGE in their lease accounts. This apartment is leased to H. B. LEITMAN who, it has been determined, is the brother-in-law of HENRIETTA SAVIDGE.

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VII. INTERVIEW OF JOSEPH P. BLUM

On July 17, 1950 a search of the apartment of JULIUS ROSENBERG, 10 Monroe Street, New York City, apartment GE 11, was conducted incident to the arrest of ROSENBERG by Bureau agents on espionage charges. During this search Special Agents Paul J. Blasco and Michael J. McDonagh located a number of business cards in the kitchen of the apartment. Included therein was a business card of the MECHANICAL HEATING CORPORATION, affiliated with CONSUMERS OIL COMPANY, 2415 Third Avenue, Bronx, New York, telephone Mott Haven 9-2357, 2358. This card contained the name JOSEPH P. BLUM.

Previous investigation in instant case has disclosed that JOSEPH P. BLUM is the brother-in-law of WILLIAM PERL, being married to PERL'S sister, nee ANN MUTTERPERL. Both Mr. and Mrs. BLUM have been interviewed by SA's Harold F. Good and Edward Cahill concerning their knowledge of the activities of WILLIAM PERL and the results thereof have been reported previously,

Concerning ROSENBERG'S possession of BLUM'S business card, Mr. BLUM has advised that he never met JULIUS ROSENBERG and could not explain the fact that the business card of the MECHANICAL HEATING CORPORATION, with which he is affiliated, had been found in ROSENBERG'S possession.

BLUM volunteered the following information during the above interview concerning his background:

He was born March 27, 1906 at Mannheim, Germany; entered the U.S. in 1928, and was naturalized in the Southern District of New York on July 13, 1933. He attended public school in Mannheim for about one year during 1912-1913. For five years he attended high school in Nurnberg. He attended a technical college in Essen, Germany for about two years, graduating in 1926 with a mechanical engineering degree. In the United States he attended a public school in New York City for a few months, principally to acquire the knowledge of the English language. He attended Fordham Evening High School, which was located in the Theodore Roosevelt High School on Fordham Road, Bronx, New York, during 1928 and 1929. For about three years he attended evening sessions at the College of the City of New York, taking a post graduate engineering course which he completed in the above period. He also attended the evening session of New York University for about two years, studying engineering. In 1933 he completed a one year course at Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute, Brooklyn, New York.

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For approximately six weeks in 1928 BLUM was employed by the CASCADE LAUNDRY, Myrtle Avenue, Brooklyn, New York. Thereafter he had the following employments:

S. A. POTTER MACHINE & TOOL WORKS 129 Street and Park Avenue, NYC	Approximately 1½ years— during 1928 and 1929.
ALBERT FENTZLAFF, INC., Consulting Engineers, 11 West 42 Street (now 111 Broadway, N.Y.C.)	From 1929 to 1933 or 1934 and for a few months in 1936.
WPA, Brooklyn Navy Yard and the Merchant Marine Academy, Fort Schuyler, Bronx, N.Y.	During 1934 and 1935
Board of Education, New York City, Bureau of Construction, 49 Flatbush Avenue Extension, Brooklyn, New York	1937 to December, 1945
MECHANICAL HEATING CORPORATION, 2514 Third Avenue, Bronx, N.Y.	1945 to December, 1947
(The principal stockholder of this corporation was a Mr. HARRY SINGER, who transferred a small portion of the stock to BLUM, thereby making him a principal in the corporation.)	
SOLING CORPORATION, then located at 43 Street, New York City, and presently in Long Island City.	About six weeks in 1947
MALAN PLUMBING COMPANY, INC. 25-09 42 Road, Long Island City, New York	1947 to present, as Chief Engineer and Estimator

Regarding his present employment BLUM stated that the MALAN PLUMBING COMPANY was attempting to qualify for Navy contracts. He also stated that he has submitted figures for a job at the Atomic Energy Plant, Oak Ridge, Tennessee, to the Atomic Energy Commission for a new type of plumbing to provide for the disposal of atomic waste. He said, however, that his company was unsuccessful in this venture.

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BLUM currently resides at 79-23 209 Street, Flushing, New York, telephone Hollis 4-3833, and has been at this address since 1940. He has had the following residences:

1938-1940	1460 57 Street, Brooklyn, N.Y.
1936-1938	1944 Unionport Road, Bronx, N.Y.
1932-1936	1227 White Plains Road, Bronx, N.Y.
1930-1932	1148 Boynton Avenue, Bronx, N.Y.

The BLUMS were married on October 28, 1930 in New York City. They have three children, ROBERT, 19 years of age; ELEANOR, 13 years of age, and STEPHEN MICHAEL, 4 years of age.

During the above interview photographs of JOEL BARR, MORTON SOBELL, ABE SILVERSTEIN, JULIUS ROSENBERG, ALFRED SARANT, WILLIAM PERL, MAX and HELENE ELITCHER, DAVID and RUTH GREENGLASS, and MICHAEL SIDOROVICH were exhibited to BLUM. The only picture he recognized was that of Mrs. BLUM'S brother, WILLIAM PERL.

In connection with MORTON SOBELL it is recalled that the subject, during a recent interview at Cleveland, Ohio, advised that the name MORTON SOBELL was recognized by him as a casual acquaintance at the College of the City of New York whom he has not seen nor heard of since. At this time PERL failed to effect an identification of SOBELL'S photograph.

Mr. and Mrs. BLUM made available a quantity of correspondence received by them from PERL and also by the subject's mother. One of these letters, dated February 4, 1940 and addressed, "Dear Ma" reads as follows:

"I am well and trust you are too. I am very busy these days with my job, but it isn't hard work; just interesting.

"The weather's been pretty cold here (there's snow on the ground) but I have no cold and feel disgustingly healthy. I'm getting a sweater because the old one just wore a hole through the elbow. The boys in the office have been watching for my shirt to show through and the suspense was terrific, but it's all over now and I have to get a new one. My friend came down from Washington (the

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"boy who owns the drug store--Sobell) looking for a new job. He may be transferred soon.

"How's Sammy making out? Give me all the ghastly details. There's nothing more to report.

"Greetings to the family.
"Willie

"P.S. Has Sammy heard any more about the thesis?"

It is noted that PERL was employed by the NACA at Langley Field, Virginia at the time the above letter was written.

At this point Mr. BLUM was asked whether or not he was a salesman at the time he was employed by the MECHANICAL HEATING CORPORATION. He said that he was an engineer and estimator and did a very limited amount of soliciting of new business. He was asked whether or not that would mean that his business cards would have been distributed in a limited manner. BLUM stated that there were very few occasions on which he had to give his business cards to anyone. He was shown the photographs of JULIUS ROSENBERG and DAVID GREENGLASS again and reiterated that he could not recognize either of these two men.

BLUM was then asked if he could explain how his business card could have been found in the possession of ROSENBERG at the time of the latter's arrest. He indicated that he was completely taken by surprise and conjectured that he may have given his business cards to his father-in-law, to his brother-in-law WILLIAM PERL, or maybe to some friends, inasmuch as he was looking for business, but he could not specifically recall ever having given cards to these individuals or to anyone else for that purpose.

During the course of the remainder of the interview this subject was brought up from time to time and Mr. BLUM could not explain how his business card came into the possession of ROSENBERG. He estimated that there were about 1,000 business cards printed for him by the MECHANICAL HEATING CORPORATION.

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BLUM stated that he was a trustee and chairman of the Building Committee of the Hollis Hills Jewish Center, 210-10 Union Turnpike, Hollis Hills, Long Island. He is a member of the East Cunningham Civic Association, Holliswood Church, 214 Street, Queens Village. He stated that Mrs. BLUM was secretary for this organization for the first two years of its existence. He was a member of the Society of Architects and Engineers while he was employed by the City of New York. He has been a member of the Pontiac Democratic Club in the Bronx. He also said that he was a member of the Zionist Organization of America, the headquarters of which is located at 41 East 42nd Street, New York City. BLUM stated consistently that he is opposed to Communism and is not and never has been a member of any organization that favors Communism.

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VIII. INFORMATION CONCERNING PERL FROM MAX AND HELENE ELITCHER

During recent interviews with SA VINCENT J. CAHILL, MAX ELITCHER has reviewed his various associations with PERL, the results of which are summarized below to supplement information previously reported.

It is noted that PERL has stated on several occasions that he knew MAX ELITCHER as a casual acquaintance while he attended City College of New York, and that he has not seen ELITCHER since the time of his graduation from this institution in 1938.

MAX ELITCHER has stated that he knew PERL while at City College of New York, and further said they were closely associated on the City College campus during September and October, 1938, when both were taking post graduate courses. He said they were the only two members of the graduating class who took these post graduate courses. According to ELITCHER, he and PERL became quite friendly and spent practically all of their time on the campus together. He added that he got to know PERL quite well and liked him, but said that this relationship during the above two-month period was confined only to the campus. He said that he never went out socially with PERL nor did he visit at PERL'S home.

ELITCHER also indicated he had not seen PERL from that time until the Fall of 1944 when he was present with PERL on two occasions in the company of JULIUS ROSENBERG, one time when he and PERL and ROSENBERG and others had dinner together at the Bird in Hand Restaurant, 1659 Broadway, New York City. ELITCHER said on this occasion he immediately recognized PERL at the restaurant and greeted him by name. He said that PERL in turn immediately recognized him and greeted him warmly and cordially. On the other occasion, about Christmas, 1946, PERL, ELITCHER, ROSENBERG and others had dinner together at a restaurant known as the Blue Mill in Greenwich Village and later the same evening, visited at Sarant's apartment and later went to JULIUS ROSENBERG'S apartment in Knickerbocker Village.

PERL has likewise said on various occasions that he did not know HELENE ELITCHER, and has failed to recognize her photographs.

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Mrs. HELENE ELITCHER on September 7, 1950 advised SA'S VINCENT J. CAHILL and CHARLES P. SILVERTHORN that she was first introduced to JULIUS ROSENBERG in the Spring of 1944 when he called at her home one evening to see her husband MAX. She stated that she and her husband and ROSENBERG chatted socially for some time, but recalled that she was not present during the entire conversation. She said she was of the impression that she was either asked to step into another room, or else her husband and ROSENBERG stepped into another room to discuss some matter privately.

Mrs. ELITCHER said that she had absolutely no recollection of a second visit from JULIUS ROSENBERG at her home in Washington during the summer of 1944. Her next recollection of a meeting with ROSENBERG occurred possibly in the fall of 1944, when she and MAX were in New York City. She said that she and her husband, JULIUS ROSENBERG, WILLIAM PERL, and PERL'S younger brother whose name she could not recall, together with Mrs. RUTH ALSCHER, had dinner together at the Bird-in-Hand restaurant located at 1659 Broadway, New York City.

She stated that either during dinner, or shortly thereafter, JULIUS ROSENBERG went to the telephone and called JOEL BARR. JOEL BARR eventually joined the group at the restaurant. After dinner the entire party returned to BARR'S home where they remained for some time. Thereafter, this same group went to the apartment of ALFRED SARANT in Greenwich Village. On the way to SARANT'S apartment, they dropped Mrs. ALSCHER off at her home. When they arrived at SARANT'S apartment, they found that he was asleep in bed, but he got up, admitted them to his apartment, and played some recordings for them.

Mrs. ELITCHER recalled another occasion, believed to be shortly after Christmas of 1946, when she was in the company of JULIUS ROSENBERG. She stated that she and her husband, MAX, were in New York City, and by prearrangement met an individual whom she believed to be WILLIAM PERL, outside of SARANT'S apartment house in Greenwich Village. PERL told them at the time that the others were in a restaurant around the corner. HELENE and MAX ELITCHER, together with WILLIAM PERL then went to this restaurant, which HELENE ELITCHER described as being the BLUE MILL. The current New York telephone directory for the Borough of Manhattan lists a Blue Mill Tavern at 50 Commerce Street, New York, which is located in the Greenwich Village Section of New York. When

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they arrived at the restaurant, they found JULIUS ROSENBERG, JOEL BARR, and MORTON SOBELL and his wife, HELEN, already there. The ELITCHERS and PERL joined the others for dinner, and after dinner, all of them went to AL~~X~~SARANT'S apartment in Greenwich Village.

It is noted that Mrs. ELITCHER stated that they did not leave the restaurant until quite late in the evening, since they had to wait a considerable length of time before they were served. As a result they arrived at SARANT'S apartment rather late. She stated that they remained at SARANT'S apartment for only a short period of time, and recalled that upon their arrival they found that a party was in progress. She stated that she was not introduced to anyone in the apartment at the time of their arrival. Mrs. ELITCHER also indicated that this was the occasion when they found the apartment darkened, and people inside the apartment sitting around listening to music from a record player.

Mrs. ELITCHER then stated that she was not absolutely certain but was quite sure that she and her husband, WILLIAM PERL, JOEL BARR, JULIUS ROSENBERG and MORTON SOBELL and his wife HELEN, then proceeded to ROSENBERG'S apartment. She stated that it was either on that night that they went to ROSENBERG'S house or possibly within a couple of days thereafter. Mrs. ELITCHER stated that, upon arriving at ROSENBERG'S apartment she was introduced to ETHEL ROSENBERG for the first time. She stated that the ROSENBERGS had a Christmas tree in their apartment and she indicated that this fact substantiated her belief that the visit took place shortly after Christmas of 1946. Mrs. ELITCHER recalled that there was a rather lengthy discussion among the group that night on the manner of bring up Jewish children, and also religious training for Jewish children, and she recalled specifically that all of the married couples present were opposed in their beliefs to WILLIAM PERL and JOEL BARR, both of whom were single.

Mrs. ELITCHER explained at this point that when she was previously interviewed by Agents of this office on July 20, 1950, she advised that it was her belief that WILLIAM and SYLVIA DANZIGER were present during dinner at the Blue Mill restaurant in Greenwich Village. Mrs. ELITCHER stated that she had given the matter considerable thought since the time of the first interview and had concluded that she was confusing the DANZIGERS with the SOBELLs and that actually the SOBELLs were the ones present at the Blue Mill restaurant and subsequently at ROSENBERG'S apartment.

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On September 20, 1950, WILLIAM PERL, Mrs. HELENE ELITCHER, Mrs. SYLVIA DANZIGER, and Mrs. HELEN SOBELL appeared at the United States Court House, Foley Square, New York City, to testify before the Grand Jury. HELENE ELITCHER advised SA CAHILL and the reporting agent that while she was in the reception room outside the Grand Jury Room, Mrs. DANZIGER asked her if the individual who was sitting in the room with them was WILLIAM MUTTERPERL. Mrs. ELITCHER said she replied in the affirmative and Mrs. DANZIGER then stated that he had changed considerably since she last saw him at the time of graduation from City College of New York twelve years ago.

PERL was questioned concerning his recognition of the individual who was Mrs. DANZIGER, and he stated that he had never seen her before.

On the same date, Mrs. ELITCHER was sitting in the reception room of Chief Assistant United States Attorney LANE'S Office in the United States Court House when WILLIAM PERL entered the room. Mrs. ELITCHER immediately advised SA CAHILL that she knew this individual and that his name was WILLIAM PERL. Later in the hallway, on the way to the Grand Jury Room, PERL was confronted by Mrs. ELITCHER in the presence of SA CAHILL and the reporting agent at which time he was asked if he knew who this woman was. He hesitated and stated that he did know her. He then said, "Hello HELENE," to which she replied, calling him "BILL." She then said, "I recognized you before when you came into Mr. LANE'S office." PERL replied, "I recognized you too, but I guess I was inhibited." PERL, when questioned about this incident, declined to explain his previous failure to recognize Mrs. ELITCHER either by name or photograph, and further declined to discuss the circumstances under which he knew her.

IX. INFORMATION RE AUTO TRANSACTIONS

ROBERT E. ~~PFLEGER~~, 5202 Albertly, Parma, Ohio, has advised agents of the Cleveland Office that on July 21, 1948, he sold a 1941 Studebaker to MICHAEL SIDOROVICH for \$750, and that SIDOROVICH was accompanied at the time by his wife ANNE and another male, age thirty, six feet tall, one eighty pounds, lean narrow face and slight frame, who appeared to have knowledge of automobiles. He later positively identified the subject WILLIAM PERL as this person and recalled PERL intimated he was an aircraft mechanic or had a related job. He further recalled when PERL brought the SIDOROVICHES to look at the Studebaker he was driving an old blue car, possibly a Chevrolet.

A review of the records of the Auto Title Department, Office of the Clerk of Court, Cuyahoga County, Cleveland, Ohio, revealed an Assignment of Certificate of Title dated July 21, 1948 conveying a 1941 Studebaker from ROBERT E. PFLEGER to MICHAEL SIDOROVICH. A certified copy thereof was forwarded to the New York Office and has been handed to Chief Assistant to the United States Attorney MILES J. LANE, for his use in connection with this case.

During an authorized search of the personal effects of the subject at Cleveland by agents of that office, a letter was located which was addressed to PERL under date of August 20, 1948, and written on the letterhead of Fairchild Publications, 7 East 12th Street, New York City, by CLYDE E. ~~BROWN~~. The letter stated in substance that it would be agreeable for PERL to bring a car to BROWN'S garage and that it was probable that Mrs. BROWN would be at home when PERL arrived with the car on September 2 or 3, 1948.

Previous investigation in this case has revealed that PERL left New York City for Cleveland in June, 1948 when he finished his doctorate studies at Columbia University.

CLYDE E. BROWN, Advertising Manager, Fairchild Publications, Inc., 7 East 12th Street, New York City, who resides at 196 Ridgewood Avenue, Glen Ridge, New Jersey, advised SA MARTIN J. McGUINN in an interview on September 6, 1950 that he met Professor THEODORE ~~VON KARMAN~~ about 1943 while residing in Pasadena, California. BROWN said that he was then employed by Fairchild in its Pasadena Office and that ~~VON KARMAN~~ was then working at the California Institute of Technology. He stated

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that he and his wife were social acquaintances of VON KARMAN and when the latter came to Columbia University, New York City, the BROWNS renewed their social acquaintance. Mr. BROWN stated further that during his acquaintance with VON KARMAN, he met many of his students, but recalled none in particular, and when shown a photograph of the subject, he did not recognize him either from the picture or by name.

About 1947, according to BROWN, Professor VON KARMAN requested that he be allowed to store his car in BROWN'S garage inasmuch as VON KARMAN was planning a European trip. BROWN stated that this automobile, which was an old Plymouth, has been stored in his garage at his residence at 190 Ridgewood Avenue, Glen Ridge, New Jersey, since the above date to the present, with the exception of a few months during the summer of 1948. At this time, exact dates not recalled, an individual who is unknown to BROWN, took the car with prior permission of Professor VON KARMAN.

During the above interview, Mr. BROWN contacted his wife, Mrs. ELIZABETH BROWN, who was, at that time, at their summer home at Bridgehampton, Long Island, by long distance telephone. She advised that the person who took the car was a WILLIAM PERL, whom she described as quite tall, thin build, dark bushy hair and dark features. She said that PERL told her he was going to take VON KARMAN'S car to Cleveland, Ohio.

With Mr. BROWN'S permission and in his presence, VON KARMAN'S car was examined and photographed in color at the above garage on Sept. 6, 1950 by SA MARTIN J. McGUINN and Bureau Photographer KENNETH DELANOY. Copies of these photographs are available in the Cleveland and New York Offices for use in this investigation.

VON KARMAN'S car is described as a 1935 Plymouth coupe, Motor #PJ 31499, Body #PJ 3636BC. The body of the automobile is a medium blue color and the fenders are painted black. At the time of the inspection on September 6, the automobile had 1948 Ohio License Plate #KT 938. On the right side of the windshield was a small rectangular sticker bearing the letters "NACA." On the left hand door frame was a motor lubrication sticker advertising HYVIS Motor Oil issued by the Earley Bassett Company, 362-376 West Colorado Street, Pasadena, California.

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Mrs. ELIZABETH BROWN was later contacted in person by SA McGUINN, but could give no further information concerning PERL'S use of the VON KARMAN car. She recalled that PERL returned the car after two or three months probably around Labor Day, 1948.

On September 30, 1950, MICHAEL and ANNE SIDOROVICH appeared under subpoena to testify before the Federal Grand Jury, Southern District of New York. Prior to their testimony, they both advised Chief Assistant United States Attorney LANE and the reporting agent that they did not know WILLIAM PERL and denied that the latter had accompanied them at the time of their purchase of the PFLEGER automobile above mentioned. A photograph of WILLIAM PERL was exhibited to them and they evidenced no recognition.

The SIDOROVICHES were then confronted by ROBERT E. PFLEGER, who was also present in New York City under subpoena for Grand Jury appearance on that date, in the presence of Mr. LANE, SA JOHN A. HARRINGTON and the reporting agent. They met in the reception room of the Federal Grand Jury, Room 701, United States Court House, Foley Square. Mr. PFLEGER reviewed in detail their meeting in July, 1948, at which time PERL allegedly accompanied the SIDOROVICHES to view PFLEGER'S 1941 Studebaker. Mr. PFLEGER specifically mentioned the presence of PERL and again described his physical characteristics.

MICHAEL and ANNE SIDOROVICH were repeatedly questioned as to the presence of PERL on that occasion, but they consistently said they went to PFLEGER'S home alone by public conveyance, that PERL did not accompany them, and that, in fact, they did not know WILLIAM PERL. They stated they went to PFLEGER'S by bus and street car, and that no one else accompanied them.

Subsequent to their appearance before the Grand Jury, this point was again brought up to SIDOROVICH and his wife, to which MICHAEL replied only that, "I won't change my story." Mr. and Mrs. SIDOROVICH were recalled by the Grand Jury for further testimony on August 31 and September 1, 1950, after which they were excused to return to their home in Cleveland.

On August 31, 1950, Mrs. ROBERT E. PFLEGER advised Mr. LANE and the reporting agent that she recalled the SIDOROVICHES and another male appeared at their home in an automobile at the time her

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husband sold his Studebaker to the SIDOROVICHES. She said that she had seen PERL in person at Cleveland, Ohio, but was unable to recall the third individual well enough to identify him as WILLIAM PERL. However, she was positive that there were three individuals present and that they came to her home in an automobile.

Mr. PFLEGER also advised that her next door neighbor, Mrs. MARIE BEIER, 5206 Albertly, Parma, Ohio, told her prior to Mrs. PFLEGER'S departure for New York City that she too distinctly recalls the above automobile incident, and further recalls the prospective purchasers arrived by car and that there were definitely two men and a woman.

Mrs. PFLEGER also stated that her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. EDWARD KESTNER were present at the Pfleger home on the date in question, and that both recall three individuals arriving to look at Mr. PFLEGER'S car, but that neither of the KESTNER'S are able to recall enough of the physical characteristics of these three persons to make an identification.

Mrs. PFLEGER, at the conclusion of the above interview, testified before the Federal Grand Jury on the same date.

On September 11, 1950, subject appeared under Grand Jury subpoena at the office of Chief Assistant United States Attorney LANE, where he advised in an interview with Mr. LANE and reporting agent that he did not know MICHAEL or ANNE SIDOROVICH, and denied generally and specifically being present at Parma, Ohio, or at the Pfleger home in July of 1948 with the SIDOROVICHES for the purpose of purchasing an automobile. He stated that he had never been in Parma, Ohio, and professed not to know Mr. PFLEGER.

PERL stated he had answered several advertisements in various Cleveland papers which offered a 1941 Studebaker for sale during the summer of 1948, since he had previously owned one and liked that model car. He explained that he had the use of an old car which was the property of Professor VON KARMAN on a loan basis, but realized that he would have to return this car upon request, and for this reason desired to locate one of his own.

He said in this connection that Professor VON KARMAN'S sister, JOSEPHINE deCARMEN, owned a 1935 Plymouth, which had been stored with their

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friends, the BROWNS, in Glen Ridge, New Jersey. With VON KARMAN'S permission, PERL said he took the car from the BROWNS' garage and through a power of attorney obtained from JOSEPHINE de CARMEN'S attorney in New York City, he obtained Ohio license plates for the car and took it to Cleveland. PERL could not recall the name of JOSEPHINE de CARMEN'S attorney. He said he used this automobile from about June to September, 1948. He returned it at this time to the BROWN garage in Glen Ridge at the request of Professor VON KARMAN.

PERL was questioned on this occasion concerning the purchase of his 1941 Studebaker in September, 1948 from EDWARD K. RHODES, which he readily admitted, and advised he had been accompanied on that occasion by one MILTON KLEIN, a co-employee at NACA. He denied that MICHAEL SIDOROVICH was present with him at Rhodes house on the above occasions or that he even knew MICHAEL SIDOROVICH. In this regard, investigation by the Cleveland Office has revealed that MILTON KLEIN recalled going with PERL to look at the above car and that Mr. RHODES later identified KLEIN as the individual who accompanied PERL on the date he sold his car to PERL.

Subject appeared before the Federal Grand Jury, Southern District of New York, under subpoena on September 11, 1950.

The records of the Auto Title Department, Office of the Clerk of Court, Cuyahoga County, Cleveland, Ohio, contained the following documents regarding PERL'S purchase of the RHODES car, certified copies of which were forwarded by the Cleveland Office to the New York Office. These documents have been handed to Mr. LANE for his use in instant case.

Assignment of Title of 1941 Studebaker, Motor #199801 from EDWARD K. RHODES to WILLIAM PERL;

Ohio Certificate of Title #182469067 obtained by PERL for the above auto.

The above records also contained an Ohio Certificate of Title #182834501 for a 1949 Dodge, Motor # D30245346 in the name of WILLIAM PERL which was issued for use on the automobile he presently owns. A certified copy of this document was received from the Cleveland Office and handed to Mr. LANE at his request.

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Additional investigation by the Cleveland Office has revealed that one STANLEY E. PRICE stated he had offered a 1941 Studebaker for sale in September, 1943, and that he identified PERL and SIDOROVICH as one of three prospective buyers of this car who appeared at his home to look at his automobile.

STANLEY E. PRICE appeared at the office of Mr. LANE on September 20, 1950 on subpoena to testify before the Grand Jury. During the interview with Mr. LANE and reporting agent, Mr. PRICE recounted details of the transaction and reaffirmed his identification of PERL and SIDOROVICH as prospective buyers.

PERL, who was also present on that date, was then confronted with Mr. PRICE in Mr. LANE'S office, at which time he stated he did not know PRICE, that he had never gone to his home to look at a car, and further that he did not know the SIDOROVICHES.

STANLEY E. PRICE testified before the Federal Grand Jury on the above date.

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X. PERL'S RESIDENCE AT 610 CATHEDRAL PARKWAY (WEST 110th STREET), NEW YORK

On September 13, 1950, subject telephonically advised reporting agent that he had located a room near Columbia University campus, 610 Cathedral Parkway (West 110th Street), New York City, Penthouse Room #5. He stated that if this office desired he could be located in the future at the above address. He said that he had no phone, but could be contacted by telephone through his landlady, Mrs. MINNIE SMITH, 601 Cathedral Parkway, telephone MU 2-4241. He advised that during the week, he could be located at Pupin Physics Laboratory, Columbia University, telephone: UN 4-3200, Extension 501, where he is engaged as a physics instructor and in research work.

Confidential Informant TY-1, of known reliability, confirmed the above information and stated subject had moved considerable personal effects to the above address from his parents' home at 936 Tiffany Street, Bronx, New York, on September 13, 1950.

Confidential Informant TY-2, of known reliability, advised that he would supply information concerning the subject which becomes available at this address or at the home of his parents.

XI. PROSECUTIVE OPINION

Chief Assistant United States Attorney MILES J. LANE has advised that he is giving consideration to proceeding against the subject for various perjury in this and related cases before the Federal Grand Jury, although he does not anticipate making a final decision in this matter until the dispositions of the ROSENBERG and SOBELL cases are known. It is noted that subject has testified before the Grand Jury, Southern District of New York, on August 18, 1950, September 11, 1950 and October 3, 1950. It is further noted that JULIUS ROSENBERG and MORTON SOBELL are presently incarcerated in the Southern District of New York under \$100,000.00 bail each on espionage charges.

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XII. MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION~~X~~ HARRY GOLD

On August 7, 1950, SA ROBERT G. JENSEN of the Philadelphia Office exhibited to HARRY GOLD, who is awaiting sentence on espionage charges in that city, pictures of various individuals mentioned in this case, including the subject, WILLIAM PERL. GOLD advised SA ROBERT G. JENSEN that he was unable to identify the subject.

~~X~~ MELARD Manufacturing Company

Previous investigation by the Cleveland Office revealed that subject has recently been in contact with the Melard Manufacturing Company, 37-25 32 Street, Long Island City, New York. SIDNEY and HAROLD SHAMES, brothers, Melard Manufacturing Company, advised SA WILLIAM R. YATES that they own and operate the above company. SIDNEY SHAMES advised WILLIAM PERL is a creditor of the firm, having loaned the brothers \$500 approximately one year ago and that it was regarding this matter that they had been in contact with PERL.

HAROLD SHAMES stated that at the time the loan was arranged, the firm was in need of ready cash and since they had known PERL while working at the National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics in Cleveland, they approached him regarding the loan. The SHAMES brothers stated they worked with PERL on a professional basis in the NACA and as such they were friendly with him, but they mixed with him socially on a limited scale due to war work pressure and due to the fact that PERL kept to himself most of the time. SIDNEY SHAMES stated PERL was a very hard working individual while at NACA and that he spent a great many evenings preparing reports and other data. Neither the SHAMES brothers knew anything about PERL'S personal life or activities.

~~X~~ Fairchild Camera and Instrument Corporation

Previous investigation in this case has reflected that subject received Check No. 43343 dated June 23, 1948, in the sum of \$50 drawn on the Grace National Bank, Jamaica, New York, by the Fairchild Camera and Instrument Corporation.

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At the request of SA RAYMOND J. RUCKLE, Mr. C. L.

*TERRILL, Vice-President, Fairchild Camera and Instrument Corporation, 8306 Van Wyck Boulevard, Jamaica, New York, checked the records of this concern relative to the above payment. Thereafter, he advised same was made to PERL for consulting services performed on May 28, 1948, in connection with the development of a thrustmeter, believed to be used in connection in the manufacture of jet planes.

Mr. TERRILL stated PERL'S services consisted of making recommendations as to the best type of thrustmeter to be developed and used by Fairchild in performing work under contract with the government. He stated, however, that the project was later developed at Fairchild's Branch in Pasadena, California. PERL had been recommended to Fairchild as a theoretician who had been associated with the National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics. He had no contact with anyone at Fairchild other than on this particular case for the above mentioned purpose.

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PATRICK J. FLOOD, 137 East 236 Street, Bronx, New York

The Bronx Telephone Directory reflects that PATRICK J. FLOOD resides at the above address and has telephone number Fairbanks 4-2817.

The Credit Bureau of Greater New York records were examined with negative results.

The New York Office is in possession of no information which can be identified as pertaining to PATRICK J. FLOOD.

The interview of Mr. FLOOD reflected that he is a very active member of the Catholic Church. He is the father of thirteen children, one of which is a Jesuit Brother and two of whom are Sisters of Charity. He advised that his daughter, MARY, prior to her marriage, worked for the FBI in New York City.

Through the cooperation of Mr. FLOOD, a specimen of the handwritten signature of SADIE MUTTERPERL was obtained from her which has been forwarded to the FBI Laboratory for comparison with the handwriting contained on the post card sent to the University of Tennessee by S. PERL. It is pointed out that efforts to obtain additional handwritten specimens of SADIE MUTTERPERL at the Theodore Roosevelt High School were met with negative results.

Dr. ADLERSBERG, 136 East 64 Street, New York City

The Manhattan Telephone Directory reflects that D. ADLERSBERG, M. D., residing at the above address, has telephone number REgent 7-4444. Mrs. D. ADLERSBERG is also listed at this address with telephone number REgent 7-3528. This source also indicates that ZINA ALVERS resides at the same address with telephone number REgent 7-3528.

The American Medical Directory for 1950 reflects that DAVID ADLERSBERG was born in 1897, graduated in 1921 from the

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Medizinische Fakultät Der Universität Wien, was licenced to practice in New York in 1936 and is a member of the American Medical Association, the American College of Physicians, Association for the Study of Internal Secretions and the National Gastroenterological Association.

The Medical Directory of New York, New Jersey and Connecticut for 1949, in addition to listing the various medical associations to which Dr. ADLERSBERG belongs, stated that he was adjunct physician, metabolism disease, Mount Sinai Hospital, New York City.

The records of the Credit Bureau of Greater New York reflect that Dr. DAVID ADLERSBERG, 136 East 64 Street, formerly maintained an office at 568 Park Avenue, New York City.

WINSTON WELLS, Beaux Arts Department, 400 East 44 Street, New York City, advised in August, 1948, that Dr. DAVID ADLERSBERG is a famous chemist from Vienna who is highly cultured and associated with several pro-Communists on the staff of the Mount Sinai Hospital. WELLS pointed out that he had no direct evidence that Dr. ADLERSBERG himself is or has been a Communist.

Mrs. GRACE CLENDENON, 217 St. Marks Place, Mt. Kisco, New York, directed a letter to the Bureau under date of January 9, 1941, in which she stated that from different reports which she had heard, an investigation should be conducted of D. D. ADLERSBERG, a German doctor who resided at 136 East 64 Street, New York City, telephone number, REgent 7-4444.

In connection with ZINA ALVERS, it is noted that on page 5 of the October, 1946, issue of the "Fraternal Outlook", a publication of the International Workers Order, there is an article concerning a concert tour of "Russian stars of opera", sponsored by the American Russian Fraternal Society. ZINAIDA ALVERS is listed as one of the singers who was participating in this tour.

The International Workers Order has been cited by the Attorney General as a subversive organization.

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The records of the Credit Bureau of Greater New York were examined with negative results as to ZINA or ZINLADA ALVERS.

EDWARD GOLDZAND, 236 East Gun Hill Road, Bronx, New York

The Bronx Telephone Directory contains a listing for EDWARD GOLDZAND at the above address, telephone number KINGSBRIDGE 7-3346.

The records of the Credit Bureau of Greater New York were examined with negative results for information concerning this individual.

This office is in possession of no information which can be identified as pertaining to EDWARD GOLDZAND.

PATRICK J. FLOOD, previously referred to herein, advised that GOLDZAND is a refugee whose wife and children were reportedly executed in a German concentration camp. He stated that the records of Theodore Roosevelt High School reflect that GOLDZAND was born March 16, 1906; place not shown.

SOL (SAUL) KISCHNER, 1387 Boscobel Avenue, Bronx,
New York

The Bronx Telephone Directory contains no listing for this individual. The records of the Credit Bureau of Greater New York were examined for a record of SOL or SAUL KISCHNER with negative results.

The New York Office is in possession of no information which can be identified as pertaining to this individual.

The records of the Credit Bureau of Greater New York were checked for the above listed individuals by SE GERALD M. LENANIAN.

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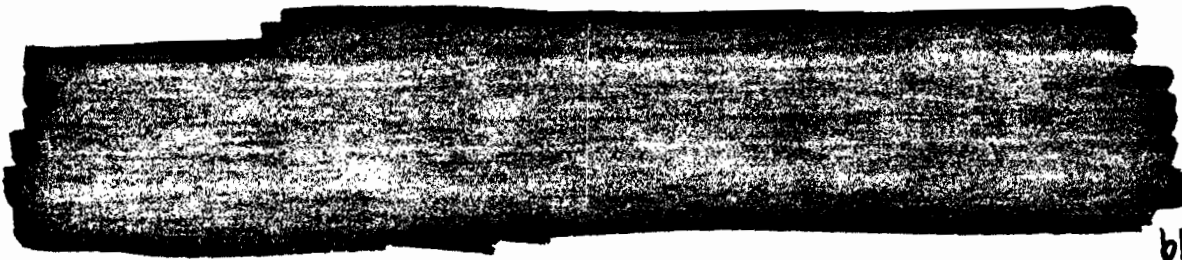
II. FBI LABORATORY REPORTS RE MONEY ORDERS

In addition to information previously set forth herein, a search of the Postal Money Order records of the U. S. Post Office at Ithaca, New York by agents of the Albany Office revealed a stub for Money Order number 57474 dated July 25, 1947 issued by the Bryant Post Office Sub Station, New York City and executed by H. SAVIDGE, 65 Morton Street.

By letter dated August 7, 1950 a photographic copy of the above Money Order application, which is on file in the records of the General Post Office, New York City, was sent to the FBI Laboratory with the request that same be compared with the known handwriting of HENRIETTA SAVIDGE. The Laboratory advised in its report of August 17, 1950 that known specimens of the handwriting of HENRIETTA SAVIDGE were not available for comparison with the above questioned specimen. The Laboratory later requested that handprinting specimens known to have been prepared by HENRIETTA SAVIDGE be submitted to enable this comparison.

During a recent interview by New York agents HENRIETTA SAVIDGE declined to submit handprinting specimens. During this interview she readily admitted residing in the SARANT apartment at 65 Morton Street from February to September, 1947, during which time she made monthly payments of rent to SARANT by Money Orders in the amount of \$45.50.

In view of the above no additional efforts are being made to obtain the desired known specimens of Miss SAVIDGE'S handprinting at this time.



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III. STOPS PLACED FOR POSSIBLE DEPARTURE OF PERL

In view of the recent departure of MORTON SOBELL for Mexico and in view of information previously obtained in this case that PERL received instructions from VIVIAN GLASSMAN to flee to Mexico, the following stops have been placed so that this office will be notified in the event PERL should attempt flight:

U. S. State Department

It is noted that Cleveland teletype dated July 22, 1950, in the case entitled, "JULIUS ROSENBERG, ESPIONAGE - R", requested the Washington Field Office to check the records of the State Department for any available information concerning attempts of PERL to obtain a passport and to place a stop on these records for notification of any future passport requests.

Inquiry by the Washington Field Office at the Passport Division, Department of State, reflected that under date of March 22, 1948, PERL made application to the Passport Division for travel papers to Europe for the purpose of study and research. Further, according to these records, a U. S. passport was issued to him on March 29, 1948, No. 179423.

U. S. Immigration and Naturalization Service

By letter dated August 10, 1950, this office requested the Honorable EDWARD J. SHAUGHNESSY, District Director, United States Immigration and Naturalization Service, 70 Columbus Avenue, New York City, to place a stop in his records in connection with the Departure Control Program against WILLIAM PERL. It was suggested that since there was no process outstanding for him, he be delayed, if possible, under some pretext and the nearest FBI Office be notified.

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Scheduled Air Lines

SA HAROLD J. GLASCOCK of New York placed stops with the following air lines who operate a foreign service, so that this office would be notified upon their receipt of a request for reservation by the subject:

Air France
British Overseas Air Lines
Colonial Air Lines
Northeast Air Lines
Northwest Air Lines
Pan American Air Ways
Royal Dutch (KLM)
Swiss Air
Scandinavian Air Lines
Trans Canada Air Lines
Trans World Air Ways

Steamship Companies

SA WILLIAM A. FLYNN of New York placed stops at the following steamship companies operating out of the Port of New York for any information concerning a reservation by subject for foreign travel:

Moore McCormick Lines
Waterman's Steamship Line
Bull Line
United States Lines
Cunard White Star Steamship Company
French Line
Holland American Line
Israeli American Line
Boise Griffin Lines
American Export Lines
Istrandtsen Steamship Company
Robin Steamship Lines
Funch Edye Steamship Company
Agwilines
Moller Lines
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Isthmian Steamship Company
Barber Line
Furness, Withy and Co., Ltd.

It is noted that this office reviews the advance passenger manifests of the MS Batory operated by the Gdynia America Line for information concerning departures from the Port of New York of passengers aboard this ship.

In addition thereto, Confidential Informant TQ-1, of known reliability, has advised he will immediately inform this office in the event the Gdynia America Line receives a request for passage by the subject aboard the MS Batory.

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It is recalled that the subject, who was then a resident of Cleveland, Ohio, was ordered under subpoena to appear before the Federal Grand Jury, Southern District of New York on August 18, 1950. He arrived at Newark Airport aboard a United Airlines plane during the morning of August 16, 1950 and immediately departed for New York City under surveillance by Newark agents.

Upon arrival at New York City the surveillance was taken over by agents of the New York Office. The subject visited the home of his parents at 936 Tiffany Street, Bronx, from Noon until approximately 2:45 P.M., when he went to the office of his attorney, RAYMOND L. WISE, 80 Broad Street. He remained in the attorney's office until approximately dinnertime, after which he returned to the home of his parents at the above address.

On August 17, 1950 the subject was observed entering the apartment of his attorney, Mr. WISE, located at 322 Central Park West. After approximately 45 minutes he and Mr. WISE emerged from the apartment and went to the U. S. Court House at Foley Square. It is recalled that subject had an appointment at this time with Chief Assistant U. S. Attorney MILES J. LANE, Room 401, U. S. Court House. Thereafter he was interviewed by Bureau agents at his request at the office of the U. S. Attorney, the results of which are set forth elsewhere herein.

PERL departed from Mr. LANE'S office at 4:25 P.M. and proceeded to the office of Mr. WISE at 80 Broad Street, where he remained until approximately 6:10 P.M. Thereafter he returned to the home of his parents for the night.

On August 18, 1950 PERL appeared at the U. S. COURT HOUSE, Foley Square, where he testified before the Federal Grand Jury. After leaving the Court House at approximately 2:30 P.M. he went to the West Side Savings Bank, West 8 Street and 6th Avenue, Greenwich Village, New York, where he was observed transacting business.

Thereafter he entered the Airlines Terminal Building at 42 Street and Park Avenue, where he purchased a one way ticket to Cleveland, Ohio aboard the United Airlines.

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During the late afternoon the subject spent approximately 45 minutes reading in the New York Public Library, 5th Avenue and 42 Street, after which he picked up HENRIETTA SAVIDGE at 104 East 38 Street and both proceeded to the office of his attorney at 80 Broad Street. PERL and Miss SAVIDGE spent approximately an hour with Mr. WISE, after which they emerged in his company and had dinner in a restaurant at 50 Broad Street. Thereafter PERL accompanied Miss SAVIDGE to her residence, where he spent the remainder of the evening.

On August 19, 1950 PERL was observed to leave his parent's address shortly before Noon and go to the apartment of his attorney at 322 Central Park West, where he spent approximately 2½ hours. He returned to the home of his parents; stayed approximately one hour, and then proceeded to the Airlines Terminal Building. He was observed proceeding to LaGuardia Airport aboard an airport limousine and he departed for Cleveland aboard United Airlines plane N30047 at 6:32 P.M.

The above surveillance of the subject was conducted by the following agents:

ALEXANDER C. BURLINSON
CLARK NEWTON
ROBERT S. PLANTZ
CHARLES D. VANCE
STEPHEN L. HALPIN
WILLIAM R. YATES
JOHN J. DOERMER
WALTER C. ROETTING, JR.
ROBERT STONER

Complete surveillance logs covering the above activities are maintained in the New York Office.

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The subject returned to New York City from Cleveland via automobile on September 9, 1950 to assume duties as an instructor in the Physics Department at Columbia University. He resigned his position with the NACA at Cleveland effective September 1, 1950. The surveillance of the subject was taken over by New York agents at 2:35 P.M. on that date, at which time he was observed unloading luggage from his car and taking it into the home of his parents at 936 Tiffany Street, Bronx.

During that afternoon the subject was observed mailing a postcard in the vicinity of Grand Central Station, 42 Street and Park Avenue, New York City. It was determined that the postcard was addressed to Miss GLENDON L. BENNETT, 404½ East 2nd Street, Chattanooga, Tennessee. The message stated, "New York is hot and humid. Am looking for a place to live. Hope you had a good trip. Will write again soon". The card was signed only "Z".

It is recalled that GLENDON BENNETT is a girlfriend of the subject, a native of Chattanooga, who was attending Western Reserve University at Cleveland during the summer of 1950. It is further recalled that during subject's trip to New York via automobile in July, 1950 GLENDON BENNETT accompanied him and resided at a local hotel during PERL'S stay here.

Later in the afternoon of September 9th the subject was observed entering the apartment of HENRIETTA SAVIDGE at 104 East 38th Street, New York City. Late in the evening the two had dinner at Lorré's Restaurant, 48 West 56 Street, after which they strolled in Central Park for approximately an hour. Thereafter the subject took Miss SAVIDGE to her residence and later returned to the home of his parents.

On September 10, 1950 the subject was observed leaving his parent's residence and entering Miss SAVIDGE'S apartment at 104 East 38 Street, just prior to Noon. He remained with Miss SAVIDGE during the afternoon of that day and at 7:30 P.M. in the evening they emerged; had dinner, and later went to the Sutton Theatre on 57 Street. Late in the evening the subject accompanied Miss SAVIDGE to her home and thereafter went to the home of his parents.

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On September 11, 1950 the subject appeared at the U. S. Court House, Foley Square; testified before the Grand Jury, and then went to the campus of Columbia University, where he entered the Pupin Physics Laboratory. After some thirty minutes he left Columbia and went to the office of his attorney, RAYMOND L. WISE, at 80 Broad Street. After approximately two hours subject went to the residence of HENRIETTA SAVIDGE; remained there approximately three hours, and then returned to his parents' home.

On September 12th the subject again appeared at the U. S. Court House, Foley Square, where he remained for two hours. He then went to the campus of Columbia University, stopping for approximately thirty minutes at the residence of Miss SAVIDGE. During that afternoon he was observed entering various apartment houses and rooming houses in the vicinity of the Columbia campus. At 5:02 P.M. he was seen leaving 601 West 110 Street, after which he went to his parents' home at 936 Tiffany Street, where he stayed for the rest of the evening.

On September 13th the subject came out of 936 Tiffany Street during the middle of the morning and drove to numerous used car lots in the Bronx and Broadway used car districts. On each occasion the used car lot attendant was seen examining PERL'S automobile. That afternoon the subject took miscellaneous baggage from the home of his parents and placed same in his automobile. Thereafter he unloaded several bags at the Pupin Laboratory Building on Columbia campus. He was later observed taking baggage into the apartment house at 610 West 110 Street (Cathedral Parkway). During the rest of the afternoon he visited additional used car lots and at 4 P.M. was seen entering the Pupin Laboratory. That evening he went to visit HENRIETTA SAVIDGE at 104 East 38 Street. At 8 P.M. they had dinner at the President Tavern, 41 Street and Lexington Avenue. After dinner the subject accompanied Miss SAVIDGE to her home and was observed entering 610 West 110 Street (Cathedral Parkway) at approximately 12:30 A.M.

On September 14th the subject left 610 West 110 Street (Cathedral Parkway) at approximately 10 A.M. and went to the Pupin Laboratory at Columbia University, where he remained until dinner time. He spent that evening with Miss SAVIDGE at her residence and at 10:30 P.M. was seen entering his residence at the above address.

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On September 15th the subject was observed leaving 610 West 110 Street at 9 A.M. He spent the remainder of that day at the Pupin Physics Laboratory, after which the surveillance was discontinued.

The above surveillances were conducted by the following
Special Agents:

JOHN P. DALEY
JOHN M. O'MARA
VICTOR TURYN
RAYMOND J. RUCKEL
CHESTER J. GUSTOWSKI
ROBERT S. PLANTZ
JOHN M. STOLZENTHALER
EDWARD C. MORGAN, JR.
LESTER O. GALLAHER
STEPHEN A. MC GARR
FRANK P. WILLETTE
PAUL J. BLASCO
EDGAR C. FORREST
VINCENT J. CAHILL

Complete surveillance logs are maintained in the New York file of this case.

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V. SUMMARY OF PERL CORRESPONDENCE WITH BLUMS

On July 26, 1950 Mr. JOSEPH P. BLUM and his wife, ANNE *BLUM, sister and brother-in-law of WILLIAM PERL, were interviewed at the New York Office by SAA's Edward J. Cahill and Harold F. Good. The results of this interview have been reported previously. At the time they were interviewed the BLUMS brought to the office a folder of correspondence containing letters and cards which, they stated, were written by WILLIAM PERL to various members of the family. The following is a summary of pertinent portions of the correspondence:

Letter dated October 16, 1939 addressed, "Dear Ma"-- "I have just received your letter and also the three packages containing speaker, records and record players all in perfect condition. . . I really appreciate all the work you and the rest of the family did in sending the records. . . Incidentally, I found the packages at home when I arrived from the field today. . . I'm glad to hear that ANNE and JOE are getting their own home. . . I'd like to get a job in New York but I don't think I'll be able to do so for a while at least. The work they do down here is right down my alley and I think it's a chance of a life time. . . I'd like to go to California and help you cure your rheumatism, but it will be a few years before they can start sending people out there from here. . . Hold yourself in readiness to ship more stuff out to me. Adios. (Learn your German 11, I wish to h--- I knew how to read it fluently now). . . Regards to TRUMPENICKES, I have nothing to write to them. . . I am eligible to vote down here, but due to Jim Crow and other laws I have to wait three more years and pay about five dollars, etc., hence I'm not voting this year or next. Love, WILLIE".

Letter dated November 1, 1939, showing the address 197 Melrose Avenue. "Dear ANNE & JOE" -- ". . . I'm figuring on getting back for Christmas week (10 days). . . However, I expect to do some real work during Christmas. I've written the prof. at school telling him to hurry up and ship the thesis down here in time for me to correct it and then have it typed during Christmas. . . So far the powers that be haven't paid much attention to my request for a transfer. Not having any idea of what research is, these administrative big shots figure that a stranger gotten off a Civil Service list to do maintenance

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"work should do maintenance work even if (in the stranger's opinion, which means nothing) he can do 10 times more in research. . . I bought an amplifier from Lafayette and its high fidelity all right. What's more they've got a small record library in Hampton Institute from which I think I'll be able to draw records. . . I'd like to come back to your new home but I suppose it won't be finished. Where the devil is Hollis anyway? . . . Yours, WILLIE. P.S.S. Note my new address; I've moved again."

Letter dated November 19, 1939 addressed to "Dear ANNE". This letter contains instructions in the typing of his thesis which his sister, ANNE, had promised to do. This letter is signed, "Yours, WILLIE. P.S. Birthday greetings to BOBEY. I'll see him soon".

Letter dated November 26, 1939 addressed to "Dear ANNE"--
". . . They're still looking for an electrical to take my place so I can be transferred. I've been having a good time of late out at the field. . . It was most interesting, being as they've got some fancy equipment here in the Instrument Lab. . . Regards to all, WILLIE".

Card dated November 27, 1939 addressed to MRS. ANNE BLUM, 1460 57 Street, B'klyn, N.Y., with return address WM. MUTTERPERL, 197 Melrose Avenue, Hampton Va., postmarked Hampton, Va. November 28, 1939, 2 P.M. - - ". . . I'm writing to a friend of mine with this mail to arrange having it typed. He's a classmate and has done this sort of thing before. . . Would you mind lending your typewriter if need be? . . . WILLIE".

Letter dated November 20, 1949 addressed to "DEAR ANNE". This letter sets forth instructions for the typing of a section of his thesis which contains numerous mathematical equations. Signed, "Yours; WILLIE. P.S. Enclosed is the usual five bucks".

Letter dated Sun., December 3, 1939 to "Dear ANNE". Most of this letter deals with the thesis. "I'm looking forward to getting back to New York Christmas. I'll probably start out Fri. night, by car, and get to the city on Sat. morning Dec. 22. . . WILLIE".

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A card, undated, addressed to MRS. ANNE BLUM, 1460 57th Street, B'klyn, N.Y., return address WM. MUTTERPERL, 197 Melrose Ave., Hampton, Va., December 10, 1939, 6 P.M. "I think I'll wait until I get home before starting to fill in. . . I'm looking forward to being in the city again. Regards to the family, WILLIE."

Letter dated February 4, 1940 addressed, "Dear Ma" - -
". . . My friend came down from Washington (the boy who owns the drug store—SOBELL), looking for a new job. He may be transferred soon. . . . WILLIE".

Letter dated March 1, 1940 addressed, "Dear ANNE and JOE".
"There are some legal matters that must be attended to. This fed income tax I think I can get rid of without paying anything inasmuch as I've made about \$1500 this past year of which \$350 is taxable and I can legally claim credit for supporting the family to the extent of \$400. . . Incidentally I'll be coming into contact with some ace mathematicians in connection with this report. The assistant is to have Editorial Committees on every report, and some of the best men in the field will be on this one. . . I'm reading about airplanes, etc., as I don't think a person should do aeronautic research without knowing something about airplanes. . . What color are you painting my future room? Red? I hope. Expectantly yours, WILLIE."

Letter dated June 5, 1940 addressed, "Dear ANNE and JOE" *
". . . I'm avidly awaiting July 4 in order to visit you. I just got my driver's license and want to get a car as soon after hitting New York as possible. . . Yours, WILLIE".

Card, undated, addressed to BOBBY BLUM, 7923 209 Street, Flushing, L. I., return address WM. MUTTERPERL, 197 Melrose Ave., Hampton, Va., postmarked Hampton, Va., July 1, 1940, 8:30 A.M. - -
"I expect to visit you sometime this week. I'll be in the city this Thursday but will stay at your grandmother's house for a day or two before coming to your joint. I hope the address on this is right; your mother gave me a different one: 7923 Oceania St. I'll be seeing you. WILLIE".

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Blum Letter dated July 21, 1940 addressed to "Dear ANNE and JOE". "Enclosed is \$210, bringing the loan to \$300. I now have \$25 to my name. . . I'll send JOE the book 'Millions on Wheels' as soon as I get it back from my friend. . . I found a certification to the Franford Arsenal, Philadelphia waiting for me dated July 5. I am now in process of turning it down. . . I find that I get about 11 mi. per gal. out of the LaSalle. . . Brotherly yours, WILLIE."

Letter dated September 3, 1940 addressed, "Dear BOBBY". ". . . However, just when I was fully recovering from my visit to you, they put on a night shift. . . Your uncle, WILLIE."

Bobby Blum Letter dated March 1, 1941 addressed to "Dear ANNE and JOE". ". . . They are advancing a lot of boys from Juniors to Assistants (I am one of the boys) probably to keep them from leaving. The corresponding increase in lucre (to \$2600) will come through in April or thereabouts. I've just paid an income tax of \$14.43. . . I am thinking of getting a new Cadillac, but will probably settle for a Nash or Studebaker. My plan is to accumulate some dough, drive to N.Y. in the LaSalle and buy a new car out right. . . How's your Plymouth holding up? . . . I was glad to hear that Mama is still trying for a citizenship. . . WILLIE."

Letter dated June 30, 1941 addressed, "Dear ANNE". ". . . I've finished a paper and just started working on another problem, this time propellers. As a prelude I've got a week of midnight shift to perform, 11 PM to 8 AM or so. . . Yours, WILLIE."

Letter dated June 30, 1941 addressed, "Dear BOBBY". "From your gastly scrawl I gather that you intend to do some dynamiting on the 4th. Furthermore you want me to be an accomplice and send you explosives. This I cannot do because it is illegal to send explosives to New York through the mails (I think). Besides it's too much trouble. . . Yours, WILLIE."

Letter dated September 15, 1941 addressed, "Dear BOBBY". ". . . So far as the caiacobra is concerned, I don't know what it looks like myself, so obviously I can't send you a model of it. . . Sincerely, UNCLE WILLIE."

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Letter dated October 3, 1941 addressed, "Dear ANNE, JOE, ELEANOR, BOBBY". ". . .The work I do at the field is so secret, I don't know what it's all about myself. . .I think I'm going to start saving up money, and leave for a trip abroad someday. A friend of mine just quit his \$2600 a year job to go back to school and study radio. Not a bad idea in the long run. If not for money I'd do it too. . .Yours, WILLIE."

Letter dated November 1, 1941 addressed, "Dear ANNE and JOE and family - - . . .I'm supposed to be reading up all that's known about aircraft engines. This, together with my trying to acquire a working knowledge of mathematics, leaves me only about 7 nights a week to devote to the social situation. . .Yours, WILLIE".

Letter dated February 1, 1942 addressed, "Dear Ma". ". . .The apartment is taking up a lot of time, in shopping, preparing meals, washing dishes, etc. Maybe I'll give it up. . .I used potatoes, onions, and matzo meal (bought in Newport News). . .I have a phone now. . .Love, WILLIE."

Letter dated February 1, 1942 to "Dear ANNE and JOE". Nothing of apparent significance appears in this letter, with the exception of the subject's address. Signed, "Yours, WILLIE, 1258 Ferguson Ave., Newport News, Va."

Letter dated February 16, 1942 addressed, "Dear ANNE and JOE". ". . .I trust SELMA married a properly substantial personage. . . Well, I've had enough of apartment life and am going back to a room. My new address will be 451 Chapel Street, Hampton, Va. starting about Sunday, February 22. . .MILTON KLEIN (remember him?) dropped in unexpectedly last night. He got himself transferred to the Norfolk Navy Yard from some hick town out West." The lower portion of this page of the letter was cut away and the letter continues, "I've just censored myself on some highly secret stuff. Everybody around here works in an atmosphere of secrecy whose only apparent effect is a heightening of everybody's self importance. . . Yours, WILLIE".

Letter dated May 18, 1942 addressed, "Dear ANNE and JOE". ". . .I really regret that the war is upon us (and from the way the Russians are going possibly nearing a conclusion) because in a year or so I might be able to contribute something to the nation's defense.

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"I guess this sounds immature, while it definitely is premature, so I'll say no more and proceed to some personal items as requested. . . By the way I have rented P.O. box 366 in Hampton so address future mail there. . . Did I tell you that I work 48 hours a week now and clear about \$3100 a year, some of which in defense bonds? . . . WILLIE."

An envelope addressed to Mrs. J. P. BLUM, 7923 Oceania St., Bayside, L.I., N.Y., return address M. MUTTERPERL, P.O. Box 366, Hampton, Va., postmarked Hampton, Va., October 4, 1942, 10:30 A.M.

Letter dated August 1, 1942 addressed, "Dear ANNE and JOE".
". . . MILTON KLEIN (one of the original cronies) is now working down here. Another one JOE GLAZER, just got married. . . You picture life in Queens in glowing terms. I wish I could do the same with respect to Hampton, . . . WILLIE."

Letter dated October 1, 1942 addressed, "Dear BLUMS".
"Nothing new since September 1, essentially except that my unwanted career proceeds a pace and I'm an associate E.E. now (almost a big fish in a little pond). The work has taken on an invigorating tune, all the more so because it is very directly part of the war effort. . . We work in close contact with industry and the Army, and are working hard. . . How's JOE'S diamond machine coming along. Yours, WILLIE."

Letter dated February 21, 1943 addressed to "Dear Moms".
". . . I just got a letter from SAMMIE and was glad to hear that he is near you and can see you occasionally. I've also heard from ANNE that SADIE is in NY again. . . Love, WILLIE."

Letter dated April 5, 1943 addressed, "Dear ANNE and JOE". "Sorry to be brief, I'm in the middle of my first big idea and my brain is in a continuous whirl trying to see what it's all about. Regards to the family. Yours, WILLIE."

Letter dated April 30, 1943 on stationery bearing the printed heading, "Hampton, Virginia", addressed to "Dear ANNE and JOE". ". . . That hot idea I mentioned a while back is working out all right, though my temperature concerning it is down to normal now. . . Yours, WILLIE."

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Letter dated March 28, 1944 addressed, "Dear ANNE".
 "...I'm planning to drop into N.Y. in time for the Mon. night,
 Apr. 3 seder. Can you manage to be at Mama's for the ritual? . . .
 Yours, WILLIE."

Letter dated August 8, 1944 addressed, "Dear JOE and ANNE". "...Enclosed you will find two check vouchers, which I believe will close out both my accounts. I take this step after due deliberation, etc. It appears that the matrimonial situation is quite promising and that all of the enclosed amount will be required to set up house. As for the actual date of the great event I do not as yet know. In fact I would like my intentions to be kept a closely guarded secret. I shall inform you all as soon as things transpire. She's a wonderful girl. Regards to family. WILLIE.
 P.S. Thanks very much for attending to this little matter of sending me a check. W."

Letter dated September 27, 1944 addressed, "Dear ANNE and JOE". "I hope that we, HENRIETTA and myself, have your blessings in spite of my not having written you for a while. . .Love, WILLIE."

Letter dated October 8, 1944 addressed, "Dear ANNE, JOE and Children". "The way things are it is very doubtful that we can be in N.Y. for BOBBY'S bar-mitzvah. Am pondering at wisdom of sending him a suitable treatise on the virtues of atheism for the occasion. . . Affectionately, WILL."

Card, undated, addressed to Mrs. J. P. BLUM, 7923 Oceania St., Bayside, L.I., New York, return address, H. & W. PERL, 1516 E. 120 Street, Cleveland, Ohio, postmarked Cleveland, Ohio, November 4, 1944, 6 PM. "Just a hurried note to inform you that we are moving again to 1516 East 120 Street, Cleveland, Ohio. . .Have I mentioned that I'm trying out the name of PERL for a while? Yours, HENRIETTA and WILL."

Letter dated October 29, 1948 addressed, "Dear Mom".
 "...I got a nice letter from the BLUMS, and was glad to hear that they no longer have to walk the streets but can ride in a nice new Ford instead. . .I hope to be in N.Y. toward the end of November (to meet my old boss KARMAN) and if so, will see you then. . .Love, WILL."

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Letter, undated, bearing the sender's address, 1257 Brockley Avenue, Lakewood 7, O., addressed, "Dear ANNE, JOE and family". ". . .I look forward to seeing you all in November: Yours, WILL."

Letter dated January 8, 1949 with the sender's address, 16802 Larchwood Avenue, Cleveland 11, Ohio, addressed, "Dear ELEANOR". Nothing of consequence is mentioned in this letter. Signed, "Love, WILL". (The BLUMS have stated that ELEANOR is their 13 year old daughter.)

Letter dated November 2, 1949 addressed, "Dear ANNE, JOE, ~~Blum~~ etal; and Mom, Pop, etal". "Have just got the news that I passed my exams. Am now arranging for the final (and somewhat formal) step of the oral, which I hope I can take in about a month. . .WILL."

Letter dated February 7, 1950 addressed, "Dear BOB". "SAM sent me a letter in French. He's doing all right (tell grandma). I am reading Solid State and Field Theory right now. Nothing serious, just getting educated. I am sure you know more about the H Bomb than I do. . .WILL." (The BLUMS advised that ROBERT is their 19 year old son.)

Letter dated March 11, 1950 with the sender's address, 16802 Larchwood Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio, addressed, "Dear ANNE and JOE". "What's the story on SADIE? She has just written me from Washington, D.C. where she says she is working in a government position. . .WILL."

Letter dated March 26, 1950 with sender's address, 16802 Larchwood Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio, addressed, "Dear Mom". "I was sorry to hear about SADIE being back from Washington. . .I may be sent to the University of Chicago soon for advanced study and training. Preliminary negotiations are underway. I am going up to Chicago next weekend to talk with the various people concerned. . .I have already had some informal telephone conversations with PROF. FERMI. . .WILL."

Letter dated March 23, year not shown, addressed, "Dear ANNE". Information in this letter sets forth the manner in which two radios can be operated from the same antenna and ground, which was offered by PERL to the BLUMS to be used in their new house. ". . . I intended to ask for it (vacation) around July 4th or so and make it about two or three weeks. . .I'm learning to drive a car and ought to have a driver's license (but no car) before long. WILLIE."

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A letter, undated, addressed, "Dear ANNE and JOE". B/w M
Nothing in this letter appears pertinent, except possibly the postscript, which states, "I am now saving with a purpose. The purpose is a doctorate". This letter was signed, "WILLIE".

Letter dated November 1, year not shown, addressed, "Dear ANNE and JOE" -- ". . .I hear SAMMIE quit the Army. . .WILL".

Letter, undated, addressed, "Dear ANNE" -- "I've been away to the mountains on a camping trip for a few days. . .I may take a hurried trip to N.Y. in a month or so. . .WILLIE. P.S. Have you heard from SAMMIE recently? He was expecting to be sent to Philadelphia the last I heard from him."

Letter, undated, addressed, "Dear ANNE and JOE and Children" -- "I have been running around a trifle, to wit, then to Cincinnati last weekend to see SAMMIE. . .SAMMIE may drop in to visit if and when he gets his furlough this summer. Perhaps I can take a few days off too. . .WILLIE."

The originals of the above correspondence are being retained in the New York Office.

Photostatic copies thereof have been forwarded to the FBI Laboratory for appropriate examination. Results of this examination are set forth elsewhere in this report.

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Investigation by the Los Angeles Office has revealed that WILLIAM and HENRIETTA PERL opened a commercial checking account at the Oak Knoll Branch of the Security First National Bank, Pasadena, California on February 20, 1946. At this time he furnished the address 750 North Madison, Pasadena; however, this address was later changed to 375 South San Rafael, Pasadena.

Inquiries of Mrs. IDA SMITH, 750 North Madison, Pasadena revealed that she had only rented a room to two persons during the several years she had resided at that address, which is her private home. She said that neither of these persons were named PERL and, after viewing the photograph of the subject, Mrs. SMITH stated she had never seen him to the best of her knowledge.

During an interview with the reporting agent on September 27, 1950 PERL stated that upon his arrival at Pasadena in 1946 he and HETTY SAVIDGE stayed for one or two nights at a tourist home located on North Madison Street. During this time they located another place on South San Rafael, Pasadena, which was a better accommodation, and they immediately moved to the new address. He recalls specifically that they did not stay at the North Madison Street address more than two days. He cannot recall the street number of the house on North Madison, but believed it was a transient tourist home. He cannot recall the name of the person who rented him the room.

Mrs. RUTH MC CANDLESS, 375 South San Rafael, South Pasadena, California, advised agents of the Los Angeles Office that the subject rented a garage apartment from her in March, 1946 at the above address and resided there with HENRIETTA SAVIDGE until June, 1946, when he left, presumably for New York. According to this source, HENRIETTA SAVIDGE continued residing at this address until February, 1947 when she too moved to New York City.

Mrs. MC CANDLESS stated that during the time the subject and HENRIETTA SAVIDGE resided at this address they were visited by a man who appeared to be a friend of subject's and either subject or HENRIETTA SAVIDGE indicated that the man attended the California

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Institute of Technology with PERL and formerly was in the Air Corps. She recalled that this man was approximately 25 years of age and wore thick-lensed glasses. She understood that the subject, HENRIETTA, PERL and the unknown man went diving for abalone off the coast of Southern California.

In this connection the subject advised reporting agent on September 27, 1950 that the only person with whom he went abalone diving in California was one HERB PASS, whom he believed to be a native New Yorker. He described him as being about 30 or 31 years old at the present time; wearing thick-lensed glasses, and as being an electrical engineer whom he met at the NACA, Langley Field, Virginia while both were employed there. He said PASS had come to California to work in some aircraft plant as a consultant. He believes PASS was later employed in a missile research project operated by the Navy in the Los Angeles area.

Confidential Informant TR-1, of known reliability, advised that one [REDACTED] made application for federal employment as an aeronautical engineer at the Naval Air Missile Test Center, Department of the Navy, Point Mugu, California on April 23, 1947. At that time [REDACTED] was residing at [REDACTED] and was then employed as an [REDACTED] engineer at the Northrop Aircraft Company, Inc., Hawthorne, California.

His employment application reflected that he was born [REDACTED] at Brooklyn, New York; was educated at the Thomas Jefferson High School, Brooklyn, New York, and attended New York University from February, 1935 to June, 1938, when he received the degree of Bachelor of Aeronautical Engineering cum laude. Thereafter, according to this application, [REDACTED] was employed from September, 1938 to January, 1943 by the National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics, Langley Field, Virginia; from January, 1943 to June, 1944 by HUGHES AIRCRAFT, INC., Culver City, California; from June, 1944 to January, 1946 by NORTHROP AIRCRAFT, INC., Hawthorne, California; from January, 1946 to August, 1946 by the University of Southern California, Los Angeles, and thereafter at NORTHROP AIRCRAFT, INC., Hawthorne, California.

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Additional information from the above source indicated that [REDACTED] remained at Northrop until March, 1948 when he was again employed by the University of Southern California at Los Angeles.

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The above Confidential Informant advised that he had received information from Confidential Informant TR-2, of known reliability, another government investigative agency, to the effect that [REDACTED] had been heard to have made pro-Russian statements; was a Communist sympathizer; subscribed to the "Peoples World", and was an associate of known Communists and Communist sympathizers.

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It is noted that the "Peoples World" is a West Coast Communist newspaper and is often referred to as the West Coast edition of the "Daily Worker".

The records of the Kings County Bureau of Vital Statistics, Brooklyn, New York, revealed a birth certificate, number 11715, reflecting that PASS was born on March 14, 1915 in Brooklyn, New York. It is noted that the above application for employment lists his date of birth as March 14, 1918. The same birth certificate indicated that PASS' father is MAURICE I. PASS, who was born in Russia, and that his mother RAY PASS, nee PLOTKIN, was born in the United States.

No additional information pertinent to this investigation is available in the New York Office regarding HERBERT RALPH PASS.

The above background information has been previously reported in the case entitled, "HERBERT RALPH PASS, AERONAUTICAL ENGINEER-APPOINTEE, NAVAL AIR MISSILE TEST CENTER, DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY, POINT MUGU, CALIFORNIA; LOYALTY OF GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES" (New York File 121-5595).

Mrs. Maurice I. Pass

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VII. PERL'S ASSOCIATES AT SVERDRUP AND PARCEL

Confidential Informant TS-1, of known reliability, has advised that WILLIAM PERL opened an account in September, 1947 at the West Side Savings Bank, 422 Avenue of the Americas, New York City. A review of this account reflected that PERL deposited certain checks made by Sverdrup and Parcel, consulting engineers, Railway Express Building, St. Louis, Missouri, details of which have been reported previously in this investigation.

This account also revealed that on October 21, 1947, a deposit was made in the amount of \$118.40. This item was made up in part of a check dated September 30, 1947, in the amount of \$20.00 payable to LILLIAN FRICKER and made by THEODORE VON KARMAN. It carried the notation, "Petty Cash--Stamps" and was endorsed, "Paid to the Order of WILLIAM PERL, LILLIAN FRICKER."

BRICE R. SMITH, Vice President and Partner, Sverdrup and Parcel, consulting engineers, Syndicate Trust Building, 915 Olive Street, St. Louis, Missouri, has advised special agents of the St. Louis Office that THEODORE VON KARMAN was employed in 1947 by that company as a special consultant in New York City, and that he maintained his own staff which, as a general rule, he paid personally from funds provided by SVERDRUP and PARCEL.

At the time of the issuance of the above-mentioned checks, the records of Sverdrup and Parcel reflect that one of the addresses used by PERL was Room 711, 570 Lexington Avenue, New York City.

C. R. VOGEL, Assistant Manager, General Electric Building, 570 Lexington Avenue, New York City, advised that the present occupant of Room 711 of the building is Bechtel International Corporation, which has itself, or in the name of apparently affiliated companies, occupied the suite since early 1946. Lists available to him of affiliate companies includes Sverdrup and Parcel, consulting engineers. He said that ARTHUR W. SHAW, Office Manager in Room 711, has been there most of the period since 1946.

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ARTHUR W. SHAW, Manager, New York Office, Bechtel International Corporation, advised that his office exists as a personnel and general service organization for Bechtel and various affiliate corporations in facilitating the international operations of those offices, especially in the Saudi Arabian Oil project. He stated that PERL is unknown to him and is not listed in the office indices as an employee of one of the affiliate corporations, which they have served.

GEORGE COUGHLIN, Assistant to Mr. SHAW, advised that for six months or so, at about the time he first became an employee there, an office was set aside in the suite for Sverdrup and Parcel for Dr. THEODORE VON KARMAN and several of his assistants. He said that PERL is not known to him.

Mrs. JEANNE ANGUILO, stenographer, Bechtel International Corporation, advised that she recalled WILLIAM PERL as one of VON KARMAN'S assistants for a period of several months in the summer of 1947. She said that most of PERL'S work was done at Columbia University and that he only occasionally came and went there, and actually had but little contact with Bechtel employees.

She recalled that about a year after the Sverdrup and Parcel office was closed, she had occasion to talk with PERL on the phone concerning a supposed friend of Dr. VON KARMAN who came there and borrowed money apparently on false pretenses from her and several others in the office. PERL, at that time, was apparently still at Columbia University or at least in New York City. She said that she knew nothing of PERL'S background, associates or activities, and nothing of his current whereabouts.

Miss MARGARET HUGHES, 2361 Harrington Avenue, Bronx, temporary secretary, Bechtel International Corporation, advised that she was formerly employed on a permanent basis and that she remembered PERL distinctly as an associate of Dr. VON KARMAN doing research at the Pupin Laboratories, Columbia University. She said that she saw very little of PERL since he spent very little time at the Lexington Avenue Office. She stated that she knew nothing about his background or activities, but mentioned as his associates, LILLIAN FRICKER, secretary to Dr. VON KARMAN, and one Professor F. S. EGILSRUD. Professor EGILSRUD

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succeeded VON KARMAN in charge of the Sverdrup and Parcel Office for a short while and thereafter went to Pratt Institute in Brooklyn to teach.

Current telephone directories reflect F. S. EGILSRUD now resides at 8903 Rutledge Avenue, Glendale, Long Island, telephone Illinois 9-7078. There is no information concerning Professor EGILSRUD in the indices of the New York Office.

Mrs. MARY STEPHENSON, stenographer, Bechtel International Corporation, advised that she remembers PERL, but said that she knows nothing about him except that he worked with VON KARMAN, and for a short time with EGILSRUD, and was connected with Pupin Laboratories, Columbia University. She stated that the latest known address for LILLIAN FRICKER is 118 Marlborough Street, Boston 14, Massachusetts, telephone Circle 8061. She said this address is two years old, although she knew that Miss FRICKER'S family resided in Cleveland. Miss FRICKER, according to Mrs. STEPHENSON, resided with her in 1947, at 8 East 68th Street, New York City. She recalled that Miss FRICKER knew PERL much better than she, and is believed to have gone out with him socially on several occasions. Miss FRICKER is studying or working in nutrition or dietetics at Harvard or some other school in or near Boston.

It is noted that investigation by the Cleveland Office has reflected that Miss FRICKER currently resides at 694 Crestview Avenue, Akron, Ohio.

There is no information concerning LILLIAN FRICKER in the files of the New York Office.

However, Confidential Informant TS-2, of known reliability, advised on April 19, 1946 that CEDRIC BELFRAGE, one of the subjects involved in the Gregory case, contacted a Mrs. FRICKER (ph) at 640 West 153rd Street, New York City. In this connection, it is noted that investigation by the Cleveland Office revealed LILLIAN FRICKER'S father's name is WILLIAM FRICKER and that her brother is FRANK FRICKER. It would, therefore, appear that LILLIAN FRICKER is a single person.

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It is further noted that in the above investigation of Bechtel International Corporation, information was obtained that LILLIAN FRICKER is in fact a single person who resided at 8 East 68th Street, New York City, with Mrs. MARY STEPHENSON during her employment by VON KARMAN.

While a review of the Gregory case file in the New York Office reveals that Mrs. FRICKER(ph), mentioned by Confidential Informant TS-2, has never been further identified, it appears that she is in fact not identical to LILLIAN FRICKER, the secretary of Dr. VON KARMAN.

Investigation by the Washington Field Office has revealed that the files of the National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics, Washington, D.C. contained a letter which was directed to the Committee on July 29, 1947, requesting certain reports on stability and control. This letter was written on the letterhead of Dr. THEODORE VON KARMAN, 570 Lexington Avenue, Room 711, New York 22, New York, and was signed, "E. MEYERS, for WILLIAM PERL."

It was likewise noted in this file that VON KARMAN at that time was in Paris, France, and had directed a letter to NACA under date of July 22, 1947 introducing PERL as his technical assistant and requesting that certain classified material be sent to PERL by the Committee for VON KARMAN while the latter was in Europe.

The above file also revealed that during 1947 and 1948, various technical material was forwarded by NACA to WILLIAM PERL for Dr. VON KARMAN and receipts for same were executed by WILLIAM PERL with the exception of the period July 8 - 26, 1948, when twenty-three receipts were executed by one K. GALLAGHER.

During the interview of September 27, 1950, subject advised that he did not recall E. MEYERS or K. GALLAGHER in connection with his work with Dr. VON KARMAN and SVERDRUP and PARCEL. He stated, however, that he supposed they were either receptionists or part-time secretaries on VON KARMAN'S staff. He suggested LILLIAN FRICKER, VON KARMAN'S former secretary, was well acquainted with the entire VON KARMAN staff and would undoubtedly be of assistance in this regard.

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Mrs. MARY STEPHENSON, above mentioned, advised from her records that LILLIAN FRICKER left New York for Switzerland on July 7, 1947 at which time she gave up her position as secretary to Dr. VON KARMAN. She was replaced at or about the same time, for a period of about two months, by a red-headed woman in her thirties, whose name she could not recall. When the name MEYERS was suggested to her, she said she believed this woman's name was ETHEL or ETHEL MEYERS. She recalled the woman had a son of college age and has the impression that she was divorced. She said she knew nothing about her background, her residence, or in what manner she had been employed by VON KARMAN. A review of the available records by Mrs. STEPHENSON failed to provide further information.

Miss JEANNE ANGUILO recalled the red-headed woman as ETHEL MEYERS, but could give no further pertinent information.

Miss MARGARET HUGHES stated she recalled a substitute secretary taking LILLIAN FRICKER'S place for a few months in the summer of 1947, but was not positive that her name was ETHEL MEYERS. She said she barely knew this woman and could give no further information. Each of the above-named persons said that the name "K. GALLAGHER" is completely unknown to them in that office or in connection with VON KARMAN or PERL or RECHTEL, and they feel quite sure no such person ever worked in the office at the General Electric building.

Current New York City telephone directories failed to provide further information.

In view of the lack of identifying data at this time, it is not practical to attempt a search of the indices of this office for further information regarding E. MEYERS or K. GALLAGHER.

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VIII. CONFIDENTIAL INFORMANTS

On July 25, 1950, Confidential Informant TZ-1, of known reliability, advised SA RICHARD T. CLANCY that he had no information concerning WILLIAM PERL or WILLIAM MUTTERPERL. He was unable to recognize his photograph.

On August 23, 1950, ELIZABETH BENTLEY, self-admitted Soviet espionage agent, advised SA THOMAS G. SPENCER that she did not recognize subject by his name, known alias or photographs.

On August 31, 1950, Confidential Informant TZ-2, of known reliability, advised SA WILLIAM J. MC CARTHY that he did not recognize subject either from his name, known alias, or photographs.

On September 5, 1950, Confidential Informant TZ-3, of known reliability, advised SA WILLIAM J. MCCARTHY that he did not recognize subject from his name, known alias, or photographs.

On August 30, 1950, JAY DAVID WHITTAKER CHAMBERS was interviewed at his farm near Westminster, Maryland, by SAs PATRICK D. PUTNAM and FRANK G. JOHNSTONE. He advised that he did not recognize subject either by his name, known alias, or photograph.

On September 7, 1950, [REDACTED], [REDACTED], advised SA ARTHUR R. WARE that he could not identify subject either by name, known alias, or photograph. b7c

On August 25, 1950, Confidential Informant TZ-4, of known reliability, advised SA WALTER C. ROETTING, Jr., that he did not recognize subject by his name, known alias or photograph.

On July 27, 1950, [REDACTED], [REDACTED], advised SAs ROBERT SWANSON that he did not know the subject by name, known alias, or photographs. b7D

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IV. INTERVIEWS WITH PERL'S CLASSMATES, COLLEGE
OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK

In connection with this investigation and the investigation of the case entitled, "MORTON SOBELL, was., ESPIONAGE-R" and "JULIUS ROSENBERG, ESPIONAGE-R", there is currently in progress in the New York Office a project to locate and interview all individuals who attended College of the City of New York during the years 1934 to 1939 when PERL, SOBELL, ROSENBERG, JOEL BARR, and other individuals mentioned in this investigation, were attending that institution.

These classmates are being questioned concerning the activities, associations and degrees of relationship of the above persons. It is anticipated that all graduates in the February and June, 1938, and February and June, 1939, classes will be contacted. Complete results are not yet available and same will be reported in detail at a later date. However, it may be pointed out at this time in connection with instant investigation, a review of information obtained to date has not revealed pertinent information concerning PERL.

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It has been reported previously herein that subject was in contact with SYDNEY and HAROLD SHIMES, owners of the Melard Manufacturing Company.

A check of the indices of the New York Office failed to reflect any further data concerning the company or the SHIMES brothers.

DAVID SAVIDGE, MARY L. ~~LEITMAN~~ AND
H. B. LEITMAN

The indices of the New York Office revealed no pertinent information which can be identified with DAVID SAVIDGE, MARY LOUISE LEITMAN or H. B. LEITMAN.

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LEADS

Copies of this report are being forwarded for information to all field offices having investigation in this and related cases arising from the ROSENBERG espionage ring.

No leads are set forth in this report since this case is receiving expeditious attention and all leads are being set forth by teletype or letter.

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CONFIDENTIAL INFORMANTS

The confidential informants mentioned in the report of S. Maurice W. Corcoran dated October 26, 1950, New York are as follows:

TY-1 Physical surveillance of subject on September 13, 1950 by SAs John M. Stoizenthaler and Edward C. Morgan, Jr.

TY-2 Mail covers placed on subject at 936 Tiffany Street, Bronx, N.Y. and at 510 Cathedral Parkway (W. 110th St.), New York City.

TQ-1 [REDACTED] at his request. b7D

TR-1 U. S. Civil Service Commission as previously reported in the case entitled, "HERBERT RALPH PASS, Navy; LGE".

TR-2 Undated letter from L. J. O'Dea Head, Investigations Unit, Office of Industrial Relations, U. S. Navy Department, Washington, D.C., as set forth in New York file 121-5595 entitled, "HERBERT RALPH PASS, Navy; LGE".

TS-1 [REDACTED] West Side Savings Bank, 422 Avenue of the Americas New York City, as previously reflected in the report of S. Maurice W. Corcoran dated 8/7/50 in instant case.

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TS-2 NIT-352, as previously reported
 in the case entitled, "GREGORY;
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TZ-1 [REDACTED] contacted 7/25/50 by S.
Richard T. Clancy.

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TZ-2 [redacted] contacted by SA William J. McCarthy on August 31, 1950.

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TZ-3 [redacted] contacted by SA William J. McCarthy on September 5, 1950.

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TZ-4 [REDACTED] was contacted former
member of the CP and former student
at [REDACTED], New York State College,
College of the City of New York.
[REDACTED] contacted by SA Walter C. Roetting, Jr.
on August 25, 1950

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Cleveland.
Bulet to Cleveland, 9/27/50.
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SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

Mr. and Mrs. FLOYD ELTYN, Jr. and FLOYD ELTYN, Sr., Superintendents and Mr. and Mrs. WALTER YANUSHEFSKY and Mrs. PATRICK E. BROWN, neighbors at 65 Morton St., NYC, fail to identify MICHAEL SIDOROVICH when viewed in person 8/30/50. Handwriting examination reveals WILLIAM PERL wrote Money Order Applications for rental payments to ALFRED SARANT. Subject re-interviewed 8/16/50. Investigation re University of Tennessee and Department of Agriculture postcards reveals they emanated from SADIE MUTTERPERL, subject's sister, who is mentally unsound. Prospective recipients of "Good Food" literature interviewed. Attempts to reinterview VIVIAN GLASSMAN negative. GLASSMAN subpoenaed before F.G.J., SDNY. HENRIETTA SAVIDGE reinterviewed. JOSEPH P. BLUM states unable to explain JULIUS ROSENBERG'S possession of BLUM'S business card. Background of BLUM reported. PERL wrote letter in 1940 which mentions "my friend -- SCHELL". MAX and HELENE ELITCHER reinterviewed. PERL now admits acquaintance with HELENE ELITCHER. Information re PERL'S use of VON KARIEN car Summer 1946 reported. Photographs obtained. PERL, Mr. and Mrs. ROBERT E. PFLEGER, MICHAEL and ANNE SIDOROVICH and STANLEY E. PRICE information re auto transactions set forth. PERL now resides 610 Cathedral Parkway, NYC. AUSA, SDNY considering prosecution of PERL for perjury.

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I. INVESTIGATION RE: 65 MORTON STREET, NEW YORK CITY

It is recalled that FLOYD ELWYN, Jr., Superintendent at 65 Morton Street, New York City, the apartment tenanted by ALFRED SARANT and later occupied by WILLIAM PERL under an agreement with SARANT, executed a statement under date of August 1, 1950, wherein he identified PERL and supplied information concerning the latter's activities in Apartment 6-I at this address.

On August 11, 1950, Mr. ELWYN was reinterviewed by SAs HERMAN C. LITTLEJOHN and ROBERT F. ROYAL at which time he stated that he desired to make a correction in his signed statement of August 1, 1950.

While the above mentioned statement has been reported previously in this case, it is being restated here for the purpose of clarity, together with the addendum dated August 11, 1950 which covers the above mentioned correction:

"New York City
August 1, 1950

"I, FLOYD ELWYN, Jr., make the following free and voluntary statement to ROBERT F. ROYAL and HERMAN C. LITTLEJOHN who have identified themselves to me as Special Agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, U. S. Department of Justice. No threats or promises were made to me to induce me to make this statement and I was told that I did not have to make any statement. I was also told that any statement I did make could be used in a Court of Law.

"I reside at 65 Morton Street, New York City. I have been Superintendent of 65 Morton Street since October, 1948.

"On July 24, 1950, Special Agent LITTLEJOHN exhibited to me a photograph of a man who I recognized as an individual I knew as 'Mr. Perl'. I had occasion to be in apartment 6-I, 65 Morton Street, in connection with my official duties during the Christmas Holidays of 1949, and at that time saw 'Mr. Perl' in that apartment. I also observed approximately six or seven other men in the apartment at that time.

"Previous to this occasion, in July or August, 1949, I accepted a letter for a William Perl, addressed to 65 Morton Street. The

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"Postman gave me this letter because the apartment number was not on it. While the Postman was still there, I told him that the rentbook for 65 Morton Street listed a PERL in Apartment 6-I. I then, in the Postman's presence, put the letter in the mailbox for Apartment 6-I.

"Just after the Postman left, and before I left the area, I noticed a man opening the mailbox for Apartment 6-I. I asked him if a Mr. PERL was in the apartment with him and he said that PERL was in the apartment at that very moment.

"I recognized a photograph shown to me by Agent LITTLEJOHN on July 24, 1950 as a photograph of this man, the one I saw at the mailboxes. Agent LITTLEJOHN told me that this photograph was of WELDON BRUCE DAYTON.

"Shortly after seeing this man at the mailboxes, I saw him again leaving 65 Morton Street. He was with a man who I took to be 'Mr. Perl'. This 'Mr. Perl' is the same man I saw in apartment 6-I during the Christmas Holidays of 1949, whose photograph I identified on July 24, 1950.

"In the latter part of January, 1950, I again went to apartment 6-I. I had received instructions from the building owner that the apartment had to be vacated. I observed that the man named 'DAYTON' was in the apartment. He told me that 'they' had permission from the tenant, ALFRED SARANT, to stay in the apartment until the end of the month. At this time I did not see anyone else in the apartment. About two days later I returned to the apartment with orders to ask the occupants to move and at this time saw both 'DAYTON' and 'Mr. PERL' there.

"I asked these men to vacate the apartment and they said they would. The next day 'Mr. PERL' asked me if they could store their household effects in the basement at 65 Morton Street for a few days. I said they could and I observed 'Mr. PERL', 'DAYTON' and two other men move things from Apartment 6-I to the basement. This was the last time I saw 'Mr. PERL' at 65 Morton Street.

"Agent LITTLEJOHN told me the photograph I recognized as 'Mr. PERL' was of WILLIAM PERL.

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"On August 1, 1950 I accompanied Agents ROYAL and LITTLEJOHN to the Hotel Seville, Madison Ave., and 29 Street, New York City. There, I observed a man who I recognized as 'Mr. PERL'. This man was introduced to me by Agents ROYAL and LITTLEJOHN as WILLIAM PERL. He is the man I know as 'Mr. PERL' and the man I observed at 65 Morton Street as set forth in this statement.

"I have read the above statement written on 4¹/₂ pages by Agent LITTLEJOHN.

"It is true to the best of my knowledge.

/s/ "FLOYD ELWYN, Jr.

"Witnessed by:

"ROBERT F. ROYAL - Spec. Agent - FBI - NYC.

"HERMAN C. LITTLEJOHN - Spec. Agent - FBI - NYC.

"New York City
August 11, 1950

"The statement on page 4 of this statement dated August 1, 1950, that 'this is the last time I saw 'Mr. PERL' at 65 Morton Street,' was not correct. About a week after PERL and the other men moved furnishings from Apartment 6-I, 65 Morton Street to the basement, I observed PERL and another man carrying the bottom half of a studio couch, which they had stored in the basement, out of 65 Morton Street. I observed them leaving this building via the Morton Street entrance. I told them it would be closer to leave this building by another way but they ignored me.

"This was the last time I saw WILLIAM PERL at 65 Morton Street.

"This correction to my statement made on August 1, 1950, was read by me and is true.

/s/ "FLOYD C. ELWYN, Jr.

"WITNESSED:

"ROBERT F. ROYAL, Special Agent, FBI, NYC.

"HERMAN C. LITTLEJOHN, Special Agent, FBI, NYC.

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On August 30, 1950, at which time MICHAEL SIDOROVICH appeared before the Federal Grand Jury, Southern District of New York, he was viewed in person at the office of Chief Assistant United States Attorney MYLES J. JANE, Room 401, U. S. Court House, New York City, by Mr. and Mrs. FLOYD ELWYN, Jr., and FLOYD ELWYN, Sr., Superintendents at 65 Morton Street, New York City; and by Mr. and Mrs. WALTER YANUSHEFSKY and Mrs. PATRICK E. BROWN, tenants at this address.

It is recalled that during the previous interviews with agents of this office, Mr. and Mrs. FLOYD ELWYN, Jr., had identified a photograph of SIDOROVICH as the person who came to them in June or July, 1949, claiming to be ALFRED SARANT and asked for a key to Apartment 6-I (The SARANT apartment) explaining he had left his key in another suit in the apartment. Upon being let into the apartment by ELWYN, this individual stayed around for about a week and left without notice.

It is further recalled that Mrs. PATRICK E. BROWN had previously identified a photograph of SIDOROVICH as an individual who resided in Apartment 6-I from approximately October, 1947, to January, 1950, had assisted her in carrying groceries up six flights of steps on one occasion and was observed by her to assist in moving furniture from Apartment 6-I at the time it was vacated in the latter part of January, 1950.

Likewise, Mrs. YANUSHEFSKY has previously recalled talking to an individual in Apartment 6-I at the time the apartment was being vacated and described the individual as male, white, medium height, medium build, dark hair, tortoise shell glasses, heavy beard and clean shaven. She estimated his age at thirty-nine years.

However, on August 30, 1950, when the above persons viewed SIDOROVICH in person, each failed to confirm their previous identification of him made by photographs. Mr. and Mrs. FLOYD ELWYN, Jr. said SIDOROVICH was not the man that had identified himself to them as SARANT and was not one of the four men who moved furniture from SARANT'S apartment, 6-I, in January, 1950.

FLOYD ELWYN, Sr. did not identify SIDOROVICH in connection with Apartment 6-I, although he claimed he has seen SIDOROVICH in the neighborhood, but that the date and circumstances of this observation are unknown to him.

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Mr. and Mrs. YANUSHEFSKY advised SIDOROVICH was not the man they observed at Apartment 6-I in January, 1950.

Mrs. BROWN said that SIDOROVICH was not the man she observed at Apartment 6-I from October, 1949, until January, 1950. However, Mrs. BROWN and the FLOYD ELLIENS, Jr., stated that the individual whom they described above had the same features as SIDOROVICH but now he is recalled to have been considerably taller.

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II. FBI LABORATORY REPORTS RE MONEY ORDERS

The FBI Laboratory has advised that a comparison of the handwriting contained on the following U. S. Postal Money Order applications, which were obtained from the records of the Main Post Office, 7 Avenue and 32 Street, New York City, and the known handwriting of WILLIAM PERL, as contained in his correspondence with his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. JOSEPH P. BLUM, revealed that the Money Order applications were written by the subject, WILLIAM PERL.

The Money Order applications included in the above comparison are as follows:

<u>Number</u>	<u>Date</u>
162213	1/20/47
195061	9/23/47
199603	10/28/47
886362	11/26/47
207151	12/18/47
211814	1/22/48
221200	3/24/48
898919	4/26/48
900938	5/24/48
913574	11/24/48

It is noted that in the event the originals of the above Money Order applications are desired at a public proceeding, same will be produced only upon issuance of a subpoena duces tecum addressed to the Postmaster, General Post Office, New York City.

It is recalled that during several interviews with the subject he has denied any recollection of payments of rent to ALFRED SARANT, as evidenced by the above money order applications, subsequent to June, 1948.

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III. INTERVIEW OF PERL, AUGUST 17, 1950, NEW YORK CITY

On August 17, 1950, subject appeared at the office of Chief Assistant United States Attorney MILES J. LANE, United States Court House, Foley Square, New York, in company with his attorney, RAYMOND L. WISE, 80 Broad Street, New York City, with the request that he be reinterviewed. Mr. WISE, in the presence of the subject and SA LEO H. FRUTKIN and the reporting agent, advised Mr. LANE that he had discussed the details of this case thoroughly with the subject, and that the latter had "determined to give the Government the full benefit of his knowledge of this case." Mr. WISE thereupon instructed PERL to answer all questions put to him by Mr. LANE or by Bureau agents.

PERL was thereupon interviewed by the above agents, Mr. WISE having departed. PERL stated that in previous interviews, he had made every attempt to minimize his associations with JOEL BARR and ALFRED SARANT, for fear of prejudicing his position with respect to his loyalty investigation. He said that he felt BARR and SARANT were sympathetic to the Communist cause, although he did not know if they were members of the Communist Party.

He stated that he desired to advise that he had known JOEL BARR intimately for several years, but lost track of him in 1948 when he left Columbia to return to the National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics at Cleveland. He professed not to know BARR'S present whereabouts, his activities in Europe, or the reason for his presence on the Continent.

PERL was questioned in detail as to his knowledge of ALFRED SARANT, but no information was obtained in addition to that previously reported in this case.

PERL stated he paid SARANT monthly rentals for the apartment at 65 Morton Street from the fall of 1946 to June, 1948, with the exception of a few months during 1947, when the apartment was used by HENRIETTA SAVIDGE. He denied any payments after June, 1948, and when informed that records of Postal Money Order payments had been located which revealed payments by him subsequent to June, 1948, he continued to deny any such payments and could not explain the matter further.

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Information previously obtained in this case concerning PERL'S alleged presence at 65 Morton Street after June, 1948, was reviewed with him as obtained from various witnesses including the ELITNS, and he consistently denied returning to that address after his departure for Cleveland. PERL was questioned as to the title to the furniture and the reason or necessity of the bill of sale covering certain furniture which was obtained from ALFRED SARANT at Ithaca, New York, and PERL declined to discuss the matter further, stating that he could not recall the details.

PERL was questioned concerning information previously reported as emanating from the ELITCHERS involving PERL'S alleged association with the ELITCHERS, JOEL BARR, ALFRED SARANT, the ROSENBERGS and the SOBELLs at the Bird-in-Hand Restaurant, New York City, at the Sarant apartment, at the Rosenberg apartment, and at the Blue Mill restaurant. He denied any recollection of being present at these gatherings and steadfastly maintained he did not even know the ROSENBERGS or SOBELLs.

He said, of course, he was acquainted with BARR and SARANT, and vaguely remembered MAX ELITCHER, and did not know his wife HELENE. Photographs of these individuals were again displayed to PERL along with photographs of other persons previously mentioned in this case, and he recognized only the following:

JOEL BARR
ALFRED SARANT
MAX ELITCHER
HENRIETTA SAVIDGE
VIVIAN GLASSMAN

The incident involving the GLASSMANS' visit to PERL'S apartment in Cleveland in July, 1950 was reviewed with PERL, and he stated he had no information in addition to that previously given to Bureau agents at Cleveland, Ohio.

Concerning VIVIAN GLASSMAN'S sister, ELEANOR GLASSMAN, PERL stated that he now recalls he met her as a casual pick-up acquaintance in a Greenwich Village restaurant about two months prior to April, 1950, but cannot remember further details of this pick-up. He said when he met ELEANOR GLASSMAN in New York City in April, 1950 as previously

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reported, the meeting was by appointment, the details of which he now professes to forget.

On August 18, 1950, PERL appeared under subpoena to testify before the Federal Grand Jury, Southern District Of New York.

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IV. INVESTIGATION - RE: POST CARDS

Previous investigation by the Cleveland Office has revealed that on or about July 29, 1950, one S. PERL, Tiffany Street, Bronx, New York, requested the Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., to forward copies of a pamphlet entitled, "Money Saving Main Dishes", to the following individuals:

WILLIAM PERL
16802 Larchwood
Cleveland, Ohio

SOL KISCHNER
1387 (or 7387) Boscobel
Bronx, New York

EDWARD GOLDZAND
263 East Gun Hill Road
Bronx, New York

SAM PERL
81 Rue de Maugeuge
Paris, France

PATRICK FLOOD
137 East 238 Street
Bronx, New York

Similarly, previous investigation in this case at Knoxville, Tennessee, has revealed that S. PERL, 936 Tiffany Street, Bronx, New York, requested the University of Tennessee to send copies of a bulletin entitled, "Good Food", issued by the School of Home Economics to the above named persons and, in addition, to one Dr. ADLERSBERG, 136 East 64 Street, New York City.

During an interview on September 12, 1950, subject advised Special Agents of the Cleveland Office concerning his knowledge of a booklet entitled "Good Food", issued by the University of Tennessee. He stated at this time that his sister, SADIE LUTTERPERL, had requested

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same be sent to him. Upon his arrival in New York City on September 9, 1950, he questioned SADIE concerning the receipt of this booklet as well as other literature that he had received and had not personally requested. She explained to him that she had requested this material be forwarded to him since he was away from home and eating in restaurants and she was worried that he might not be getting proper nourishment. She also said she had this material sent to other individuals whom she described to subject as friends of hers. PERL said his sister is not of sound mind; that she has previously been confined to a mental institution which probably accounts in some measure for her activities in this regard.

To demonstrate the type and volume of material which SADIE had arranged to have sent to him, PERL made available to the reporting agent a large, brown manila envelope containing a copy of the University of Tennessee booklet entitled, "Good Food" and various graphs, weight tables and diets which will be listed herein.

This brown envelope carried the return address of the American Institute of Baking, 1135 Fullerton Avenue, Chicago 14, Illinois. It was addressed to WILLIAM PERL, 16802 Larchwood, Cleveland, 11, Ohio, and had been readdressed to 666 East 103rd Street, Cleveland. It bore eight cents in postage, which stamp had been canceled July 28, 1950, at Chicago, Illinois.

Contained in the above envelope were the following which PERL said he gathered up from his personal effects. He said that this material has been received by him over a period of time and, in fact, is not all of this type of material, but only a sample of it.

The following is a list of the above material furnished by PERL:

1. A booklet entitled, "Good Food" by MARJORIE M. MORRISON, Graduate Student in Nutrition, School of Home Economics, University of Tennessee, Volume XVIII, No. 2, Extension Series, May, 1947.

2. A pamphlet entitled, "Enriched Bread, Facts and Tables About its Nutritive Value", issued by the American Institute of Baking, Chicago, Illinois, which treats of the percentage of protein, calcium, etc., in various types of bread.

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3. A pamphlet entitled, "Good Cooks--Good Eating", issued in 1947 by the American Institute of Baking, which contains recipes and scheduled diets.

4. A pamphlet entitled, "Information on Bread and Flour Enrichments", issued by the American Institute of Baking, which describes "enriched bread and the amount of vitamin content retained through various processes of milling".

5. An order list issued by the American Institute of Baking which describes various available pamphlets with directions how to obtain them.

6. A pamphlet entitled, "Bread and the Diet of a Fifteen Year Old Boy", issued by the American Institute of Baking, which contains a chart of dietary contributions of food to an adolescent boy.

7. A weight record supplement to a pamphlet entitled, "Eat and Grow Slim", which contains a weight table by age.

8. A pamphlet entitled, "Eat and Grow Slim", by GERTRUDE AUSTIN, issued in 1948 by the American Institute of Baking, which contains a diet in weight control with menus and caloric tables.

9. A colored poster entitled, "The Wheel of Good Eating", which contains information of the basic seven foods.

10. A pamphlet entitled, "Suggestions for Teachers--Our Daily Food", which is a booklet for elementary grades on the "Wheel of Good Eating", above mentioned.

11. A wall poster entitled, "Bread as a Basic Ingredient", which illustrates how to prepare bread for use in various recipes, issued by the American Institute of Baking.

12. A chart entitled, "What Did You Eat Today? Check Yourself", which contains suggested diets for various meals over a given period of time.

13. A pamphlet entitled, "Our Daily Food", which contains supplementary information for elementary grades on the "Wheel of Good Living".

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14. Two pamphlets entitled, "Teaching the Values of Enriched Bread--Lessons Nos. 1 and 2".

During the above interview, subject was questioned concerning the identity of the individuals listed above to whom SADIE requested that copies of the above material be sent. With the exception of his brother, SAM PERL, and Dr. ADLERSBERG, whom subject described as his mother's doctor, PERL advised he did not know any of the individuals, but said he suspected that they were probably former classmates or personal friends of his sister, SADIE.

Mrs. SARAH MUTTERPERL, 926 Tiffany Street, Bronx, New York, the subject's mother, recently advised SAS WALTER C. ROETTING and HAROLD F. GOOD that there were three individuals in her home whose first name began with an "S", that is, her daughter, SADIE, her son, SAMUEL, and herself. When questioned concerning the identity of the individual who sent the above post cards, Mrs. MUTTERPERL advised that her son, SAMUEL, was in France in July, 1950, which would eliminate him, inasmuch as the post cards were dated during that month at New York City. Mrs. MUTTERPERL stated she had not written the cards herself, after the contents were described to her, and that, in fact, she could not write except for signing her name.

She stated that since the requests were concerning booklets on food, she was certain that her daughter, SADIE, had sent them because SADIE was continually sending post cards regarding foods and diets. She explained that her daughter is mentally unsound and has been for some time quite concerned because she is overweight.

Mrs. MUTTERPERL did not know specifically at the time of the interview if SADIE had, in fact, made the above requests, but said she presumed she had. She stated that SADIE is very nervous, is easily upset and requested, if possible, she not be questioned by Bureau Agents for fear she go into a mental relapse and require further hospitalization. The names of those persons listed on the post cards as prospective recipients were mentioned to Mrs. MUTTERPERL and she recognized her sons, SAM, and WILLIAM, and also stated that Dr. ADLERSBERG is her doctor. She said she had no knowledge of the names SAMUL or SOL KISCHNER, EDWARD GOLDZAND or PATRICK FLOOD.

Mrs. MUTTERPERL later advised that she had discussed the matter of the postcards with her daughter, SADIE, who advised that she had, in fact, made requests for the above material to be sent to some friends of hers.

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The following prospective recipients of the above literature were interviewed by SAS WALTER C. ROETTING AND HAROLD F. GOOD.

Dr. DAVID ADLERSBERG

Dr. DAVID ADLERSBERG, 136 East 64 Street, New York City, advised that he had been treating Mrs. SARAH MUTTERPERL for diabetes but had never met any other members of the MUTTERPERL family. He stated Mrs. MUTTERPERL had indicated to him on several occasions that her daughter is mentally unbalanced and recently told him that her daughter had taken books belonging to her son, SAMUEL, and without his knowledge, sold them. Dr. ADLERSBERG advised that he is in charge of the Nutrition Clinic at Mount Sinai Hospital and, therefore, received considerable literature on the subjects of food and nutrition. He stated it is entirely possible that Mrs. MUTTERPERL's daughter had literature sent to him on foods but he does not recall any such incident.

PATRICK J. FLOOD

PATRICK J. FLOOD, 137 East 238 Street, Bronx, New York, advised that he is a teacher of Latin in both the day and evening school at Theodore Roosevelt High School, Bronx, New York. He stated SADIE MUTTERPERL is a student of his in the evening school and is in his opinion, an "odd" person. He stated she seems to be extremely interested in food and diet.

On one occasion she gave him a book, the title of which was "How to Eat and Not Grow Fat" or something similar thereto. On several other occasions, she has asked him whether he had read certain books on this subject. Mr. FLOOD stated he cannot recall ever having received any literature on food through the mail. He also advised that he has never met any other members of the MUTTERPERL family.

Mr. FLOOD pointed out that SOL KISCHNER is a history teacher at the Theodore Roosevelt High School evening classes and that EDWARD GOLDZAND, 236 East Gun Hill Road, is a student in the evening school.

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EDWARD GOLDZAND

EDWARD GOLDZAND, 236 East Can Hill Road, Bronx, New York, advised that he attends the Theodore Roosevelt High School in the evening and in one of his classes sits next to SADIE MUTTERPERL. He stated that she has expressed interest in the subject of food and on one occasion suggested to him that he write a book report on that subject. She has never given him any literature on food but several weeks ago he did receive this type of literature through the mail. However, he does not know definitely who sent this literature to him.

SOL KISCHNER

SOL KISCHNER, 1387 Boscobel Street, Bronx, New York, is a history teacher at Theodore Roosevelt High School, according to information received from PATRICK FLOOD. In view of the information supplied by Dr. ALBERSBERG, Mr. FLOOD and Mr. GOLDZAND concerning SADIE MUTTERPERL'S interest in food and nutrition, no further effort will be made to contact Mr. KISCHNER. Likewise, SADIE MUTTERPERL will not be interviewed at this time concerning this matter in view of her mental condition.

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V. INFORMATION CONCERNING VIVIAN GLASSMAN

Since the original interview of VIVIAN GLASSMAN at New York City on August 3, 1950, several attempts have been made to re-interview her in an effort to obtain further identifying data concerning the "stranger" who allegedly directed her to make her trip to Cleveland to see PERL. These efforts have met with negative results as she has refused further interview by Bureau Agents.

However, on September 6, 1950, at the office of Chief Assistant United States Attorney MYLES J. LANE, Southern District of New York, and in the presence of her attorney, HERBERT BURSTEIN, 135 Broadway, New York City, VIVIAN GLASSMAN reviewed various photographs of individuals mentioned in this case and she advised AUSA LANE that she did not recognize any of them to be the "stranger" who contacted her in New York.

On September 12, 1950, WILLIAM PERL was questioned by SAS RICHARD T. HRADSKY and the reporting agent concerning the GLASSMAN trip to Cleveland, previously reported in this investigation, and concerning his knowledge of and association with VIVIAN GLASSMAN and her sister, ELEANOR. It is recalled that subject previously stated he originally met VIVIAN GLASSMAN through JOEL BARR and that he met her sister as a casual pickup acquaintance. No information in addition to that previously received in instant investigation was obtained from PERL on this date. He denied any knowledge of the possible identity of the person who sent GLASSMAN to see him in Cleveland and consistently stated he is of the opinion that she erred in coming to him. He explained that he believes GLASSMAN was, in fact, directed to see an aeronautical engineer in Cleveland and mistook him for the person actually intended by the stranger in his instructions to GLASSMAN.

Concerning ELEANOR GLASSMAN, PERL now states he first met her about February, 1950, as a casual pickup acquaintance in a Greenwich Village Restaurant, the name or location of which he does not recall.

Thereafter, he returned to Cleveland and possibly in March, 1950, he received a letter from ELEANOR which advised she would have a one week vacation in April, 1950, during Easter week. She invited him to come to New York to see her. He, therefore, came to New York City and registered at the Statler Hotel where he telephoned

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ELEANOR after his arrival and spent the next week with her at her apartment, 343 East Eighth Street, New York City. He advised that during that week he met VIVIAN GLASSMAN and GLADYS GLASSMAN, sisters of ELEANOR and also her brother and mother, whose name is now Mrs. RAUCH. The residences and employments of these members of the GLASSMAN family were unknown to PERL, with the exception of the residence of GLADYS who resides with ELEANOR at the above address.

PERL stated on September 11, 1950, that he had neither seen nor been in communication with VIVIAN GLASSMAN since her trip to Cleveland in July, 1950, although he had telephoned ELEANOR GLASSMAN during the evening of September 10, 1950, to determine if she knew any recent developments in the case in New York City. PERL said that she replied she had no information and seemed reluctant to speak to him.

VIVIAN GLASSMAN has been subpoenaed to testify before the Federal Grand Jury, Southern District of New York, on August 10, 11, 14, 15, 1950.

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VL. REINTERVIEW OF HENRIETTA SAVIDGE

HENRIETTA SAVIDGE, 104 East 38th Street, New York City, advised reporting agent that she had discussed the matter of her vacation in 1944 in New Jersey with PERL, and they had recalled that the name of the place they visited was Budd Lake, New Jersey. She said that while she had no personal recollection of it, PERL told her JOEL BARR had recommended it as a pleasant vacation spot. She recalled they went by bus because PERL had no car and that they remained approximately one week. She said they met no one they knew during this week nor did they make any new acquaintances she can recall. Miss SAVIDGE recalled that this vacation was several weeks after she had met PERL casually while viewing art exhibits in the Museum of Modern Art, New York City.

On September 12, 1950, PERL confirmed the above information stating that he met HETTY SAVIDGE during the spring of 1944 at the Museum of Modern Art, New York City, and that in June of that year, he spent one week's vacation at a cottage at Budd Lake, New Jersey. He recalled that this particular location was recommended to them by his friend, JOEL BARR, who apparently had spent some time there before. He does not recall what arrangements were made for reservations, but believed he either telephoned or wrote a letter to an address undoubtedly furnished by BARR. He said that he and SAVIDGE travelled by bus and obtained a cottage upon arrival as man and wife. During their stay, they did not see or hear of anyone of their acquaintance.

Continuing, Miss SAVIDGE related in detail as previously reported in this investigation, information concerning her residence at Sarant's apartment at 65 Morton Street, New York, from February to September, 1947. She said she paid the rent for that period herself, usually by money order, and recalled the amount to be something like \$45.00. She said she may have accepted money for rent from PERL if she was short of funds, but did not specifically recall doing so. She reiterated that she lived in the apartment alone and that PERL was residing with his parents in the Bronx. She said PERL visited her at this apartment but that none of his friends accompanied him with the possible exception of JOEL BARR and that no meetings were ever held in the apartment.

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Miss SAVIDGE declined to submit handwriting specimens which were desired for comparison with the hand-printed signature "H. SAVIDGE" on the money order application #57474 dated July 25, 1947 in the amount of \$45.50 and made payable to ALFRED SARANT in Ithaca, New York. Miss SAVIDGE declined to give information concerning her family with the exception of the name of her father, DAVID SAVIDGE, and the fact that he lives up state and is not well. She was questioned concerning her sister, MARY LOUISE LEITMAN, and advised that the latter has recently returned from Europe. She refused to give her address, stating she did not want any of her family brought into the PERL investigation since they had absolutely no information concerning his activities.

In this connection, subject has stated that HENRIETTA SAVIDGE's father resides with a married daughter in Nyack, New York, but he does not know the daughter's married name or her address. He said that HENRIETTA's sister, MARY LOUISE, is married to an individual named H. B. LEITMAN who has something to do with ships or shipping. He said that MARY LOUISE formerly tenanted the apartment now occupied by HENRIETTA at 104 East 38th Street, New York City, which is believed by him still to be maintained in the name of LEITMAN. He recalled that the name LEITMAN appears on the mail box along with the name SAVIDGE, but he does not think MARY LOUISE gets her mail there nor does she visit HENRIETTA since they are not on friendly terms.

HENRIETTA SAVIDGE advised further that she recalled going Abalone diving with PERL and some friend of his while they were at Pasadena in 1946, but she could not recall this friend's name, explaining that she had not known him previously and was not particularly interested in his acquaintance.

Miss SAVIDGE was again questioned concerning her recollection of the identity of the couple with whom the SARANTS stayed while visiting in New York City in 1947, but she again stated she did not know their name and had no idea of the location of their apartment except that it was within walking distance east of 65 Morton Street and within the Greenwich Village area.

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Miss SAVIDGE was questioned concerning her knowledge of the various individuals mentioned in this investigation, and she either said she was not acquainted or had no information in addition to that previously submitted.

Previous investigation at Los Angeles has revealed that subject and HENRIETTA SAVIDGE resided at 750 North Madison Street, Pasadena, California, and that Mrs. IDA SMITH, the landlady at this address, did not recall them. Miss SAVIDGE was questioned concerning her residence immediately upon arrival at Pasadena with PERL in 1946, and she stated she recalls stopping at some tourist home for a day or two prior to locating their permanent residence with Mrs. McCANDLESS on South San Rafael Street, Pasadena. She could not recall the address of this tourist home, nor the name of the proprietor, and believes that they stopped there after seeing a sign in front of the house. She said they were definitely not recommended to any residence in Pasadena.

Mr. H. FONTAGUE, Riker and Company, Realtors, and Mr. W. LEEDS, Crosse and Browne, Realtors, consecutive owners of the apartment house at 104 East 38th Street since 1948, advised SA W. R. YATES they have no record of HENRIETTA SAVIDGE in their lease accounts. This apartment is leased to H. B. LEITMAN who, it has been determined, is the brother-in-law of HENRIETTA SAVIDGE.

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VII. INTERVIEW OF JOSEPH P. BLUM

On July 17, 1950 a search of the apartment of JULIUS ROSENBERG, 10 Monroe Street, New York City, apartment GE 11, was conducted incident to the arrest of ROSENBERG by Bureau agents on espionage charges. During this search Special Agents Paul J. Blasco and Michael J. McDonagh located a number of business cards in the kitchen of the apartment. Included therein was a business card of the MECHANICAL HEATING CORPORATION, affiliated with CONSUMERS OIL COMPANY, 2415 Third Avenue, Bronx, New York, telephone Mott Haven 9-2357, 2358. This card contained the name JOSEPH P. BLUM.

Previous investigation in instant case has disclosed that JOSEPH P. BLUM is the brother-in-law of WILLIAM PERL, being married to PERL'S sister, nee ANN MUTTERPERL. Both Mr. and Mrs. BLUM have been interviewed by SA's Harold F. Good and Edward Cahill concerning their knowledge of the activities of WILLIAM PERL and the results thereof have been reported previously.

Concerning ROSENBERG'S possession of BLUM'S business card, Mr. BLUM has advised that he never met JULIUS ROSENBERG and could not explain the fact that the business card of the MECHANICAL HEATING CORPORATION, with which he is affiliated, had been found in ROSENBERG'S possession.

BLUM volunteered the following information during the above interview concerning his background:

He was born March 27, 1906 at Mannheim, Germany; entered the U.S. in 1928, and was naturalized in the Southern District of New York on July 13, 1933. He attended public school in Mannheim for about one year during 1912-1913. For five years he attended high school in Nurnberg. He attended a technical college in Essen, Germany for about two years, graduating in 1926 with a mechanical engineering degree. In the United States he attended a public school in New York City for a few months, principally to acquire the knowledge of the English language. He attended Fordham Evening High School, which was located in the Theodore Roosevelt High School on Fordham Road, Bronx, New York, during 1928 and 1929. For about three years he attended evening sessions at the College of the City of New York, taking a post graduate engineering course which he completed in the above period. He also attended the evening session of New York University for about two years, studying engineering. In 1933 he completed a one year course at Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute, Brooklyn, New York.

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For approximately six weeks in 1928 BLUM was employed by the CASCADE LAUNDRY, Myrtle Avenue, Brooklyn, New York. Thereafter he had the following employments:

S. A. POTTER MACHINE & TOOL WORKS 129 Street and Park Avenue, NYC	Approximately 1½ years— during 1928 and 1929.
ALBERT FENTZLAFF, INC., Consulting Engineers, 11 West 42 Street (now 111 Broadway, N.Y.C.)	From 1929 to 1933 or 1934 and for a few months in 1936.
WPA, Brooklyn Navy Yard and the Merchant Marine Academy, Fort Schuyler, Bronx, N.Y.	During 1934 and 1935
Board of Education, New York City, Bureau of Construction, 49 Flatbush Avenue Extension, Brooklyn, New York	1937 to December, 1945
MECHANICAL HEATING CORPORATION, 2514 Third Avenue, Bronx, N.Y.	1945 to December, 1947
(The principal stockholder of this corporation was a Mr. HARRY SINGER, who transferred a small portion of the stock to BLUM, thereby making him a principal in the corporation.)	
SOLING CORPORATION, then located at 43 Street, New York City, and presently in Long Island City.	About six weeks in 1947
MALAN PLUMBING COMPANY, INC. 25-09 42 Road, Long Island City, New York	1947 to present, as Chief Engineer and Estimator

Regarding his present employment BLUM stated that the MALAN PLUMBING COMPANY was attempting to qualify for Navy contracts. He also stated that he has submitted figures for a job at the Atomic Energy Plant, Oak Ridge, Tennessee, to the Atomic Energy Commission for a new type of plumbing to provide for the disposal of atomic waste. He said, however, that his company was unsuccessful in this venture.

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BLUM currently resides at 79-23 209 Street, Flushing, New York, telephone Hollis 4-3833, and has been at this address since 1940. He has had the following residences:

1938-1940	1460 57 Street, Brooklyn, N.Y.
1936-1938	1944 Unionport Road, Bronx, N.Y.
1932-1936	1227 White Plains Road, Bronx, N.Y.
1930-1932	1148 Boynton Avenue, Bronx, N.Y.

The BLUMS were married on October 28, 1930 in New York City. They have three children, ROBERT, 19 years of age; ELEANOR, 13 years of age, and STEPHEN MICHAEL, 4 years of age.

During the above interview photographs of JOEL BARR, MORTON SOBELL, ABE SILVERSTEIN, JULIUS ROSENBERG, ALFRED SARANT, WILLIAM PERL, MAX and HELENE ELITCHER, DAVID and RUTH GREENGLASS, and MICHAEL SIDOROVICH were exhibited to BLUM. The only picture he recognized was that of Mrs. BLUM'S brother, WILLIAM PERL.

In connection with MORTON SOBELL it is recalled that the subject, during a recent interview at Cleveland, Ohio, advised that the name MORTON SOBELL was recognized by him as a casual acquaintance at the College of the City of New York whom he has not seen nor heard of since. At this time PERL failed to effect an identification of SOBELL'S photograph.

Mr. and Mrs. BLUM made available a quantity of correspondence received by them from PERL and also by the subject's mother. One of these letters, dated February 4, 1940 and addressed, "Dear Ma" reads as follows:

"I am well and trust you are too. I am very busy these days with my job, but it isn't hard work; just interesting.

"The weather's been pretty cold here (there's snow on the ground) but I have no cold and feel disgustingly healthy. I'm getting a sweater because the old one just wore a hole through the elbow. The boys in the office have been watching for my shirt to show through and the suspense was terrific, but it's all over now and I have to get a new one. My friend came down from Washington (the

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"boy who owns the drug store--Sobell) looking for a new job. He may be transferred soon.

"How's Sammy making out? Give me all the ghastly details. There's nothing more to report.

"Greetings to the family.
"Willie

"P.S. Has Sammy heard any more about the thesis?"

It is noted that PERL was employed by the NACA at Langley Field, Virginia at the time the above letter was written.

At this point Mr. BLUM was asked whether or not he was a salesman at the time he was employed by the MECHANICAL HEATING CORPORATION. He said that he was an engineer and estimator and did a very limited amount of soliciting of new business. He was asked whether or not that would mean that his business cards would have been distributed in a limited manner. BLUM stated that there were very few occasions on which he had to give his business cards to anyone. He was shown the photographs of JULIUS ROSENBERG and DAVID GREENGLASS again and reiterated that he could not recognize either of these two men.

BLUM was then asked if he could explain how his business card could have been found in the possession of ROSENBERG at the time of the latter's arrest. He indicated that he was completely taken by surprise and conjectured that he may have given his business cards to his father-in-law, to his brother-in-law WILLIAM PERL, or maybe to some friends, inasmuch as he was looking for business, but he could not specifically recall ever having given cards to these individuals or to anyone else for that purpose.

During the course of the remainder of the interview this subject was brought up from time to time and Mr. BLUM could not explain how his business card came into the possession of ROSENBERG. He estimated that there were about 1,000 business cards printed for him by the MECHANICAL HEATING CORPORATION.

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BLUM stated that he was a trustee and chairman of the Building Committee of the Hollis Hills Jewish Center, 210-10 Union Turnpike, Hollis Hills, Long Island. He is a member of the East Cunningham Civic Association, Holliswood Church, 214 Street, Queens Village. He stated that Mrs. BLUM was secretary for this organization for the first two years of its existence. He was a member of the Society of Architects and Engineers while he was employed by the City of New York. He has been a member of the Pontiac Democratic Club in the Bronx. He also said that he was a member of the Zionist Organization of America, the headquarters of which is located at 41 East 42nd Street, New York City. BLUM stated consistently that he is opposed to Communism and is not and never has been a member of any organization that favors Communism.

VIII. INFORMATION CONCERNING PERL FROM MAX AND HELENE ELITCHER

During recent interviews with SA VINCENT J. CAHILL, MAX ELITCHER has reviewed his various associations with PERL, the results of which are summarized below to supplement information previously reported.

It is noted that PERL has stated on several occasions that he knew MAX ELITCHER as a casual acquaintance while he attended City College of New York, and that he has not seen ELITCHER since the time of his graduation from this institution in 1938.

MAX ELITCHER has stated that he knew PERL while at City College of New York, and further said they were closely associated on the City College campus during September and October, 1938, when both were taking post graduate courses. He said they were the only two members of the graduating class who took these post graduate courses. According to ELITCHER, he and PERL became quite friendly and spent practically all of their time on the campus together. He added that he got to know PERL quite well and liked him, but said that this relationship during the above two-month period was confined only to the campus. He said that he never went out socially with PERL nor did he visit at PERL'S home.

ELITCHER also indicated he had not seen PERL from that time until the Fall of 1944 when he was present with PERL on two occasions in the company of JULIUS ROSENBERG, one time when he and PERL and ROSENBERG and others had dinner together at the Bird in Hand Restaurant, 1659 Broadway, New York City. ELITCHER said on this occasion he immediately recognized PERL at the restaurant and greeted him by name. He said that PERL in turn immediately recognized him and greeted him warmly and cordially. On the other occasion, about Christmas, 1946, PERL, ELITCHER, ROSENBERG and others had dinner together at a restaurant known as the Blue Mill in Greenwich Village and later the same evening, visited at Sarant's apartment and later went to JULIUS ROSENBERG'S apartment in Knickerbocker Village.

PERL has likewise said on various occasions that he did not know HELENE ELITCHER, and has failed to recognize her photographs.

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Mrs. HELENE ELITCHER on September 7, 1950 advised SA'S VINCENT J. CAHILL and CHARLES P. SILVERTHORN that she was first introduced to JULIUS ROSENBERG in the Spring of 1944 when he called at her home one evening to see her husband MAX. She stated that she and her husband and ROSENBERG chatted socially for some time, but recalled that she was not present during the entire conversation. She said she was of the impression that she was either asked to step into another room, or else her husband and ROSENBERG stepped into another room to discuss some matter privately.

Mrs. ELITCHER said that she had absolutely no recollection of a second visit from JULIUS ROSENBERG at her home in Washington during the summer of 1944. Her next recollection of a meeting with ROSENBERG occurred possibly in the fall of 1944, when she and MAX were in New York City. She said that she and her husband, JULIUS ROSENBERG, WILLIAM PERL, and PERL'S younger brother whose name she could not recall, together with Mrs. RUTH ALSCHER, had dinner together at the Bird-in-Hand restaurant located at 1659 Broadway, New York City.

She stated that either during dinner, or shortly thereafter, JULIUS ROSENBERG went to the telephone and called JOEL BARR. JOEL BARR eventually joined the group at the restaurant. After dinner the entire party returned to BARR'S home where they remained for some time. Thereafter, this same group went to the apartment of ALFRED SARANT in Greenwich Village. On the way to SARANT'S apartment, they dropped Mrs. ALSCHER off at her home. When they arrived at SARANT'S apartment, they found that he was asleep in bed, but he got up, admitted them to his apartment, and played some recordings for them.

Mrs. ELITCHER recalled another occasion, believed to be shortly after Christmas of 1946, when she was in the company of JULIUS ROSENBERG. She stated that she and her husband, MAX, were in New York City, and by prearrangement met an individual whom she believed to be WILLIAM PERL, outside of SARANT'S apartment house in Greenwich Village. PERL told them at the time that the others were in a restaurant around the corner. HELENE and MAX ELITCHER, together with WILLIAM PERL then went to this restaurant, which HELENE ELITCHER described as being the BLUE MILL. The current New York telephone directory for the Borough of Manhattan lists a Blue Mill Tavern at 50 Commerce Street, New York, which is located in the Greenwich Village Section of New York. When

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they arrived at the restaurant, they found JULIUS ROSENBERG, JOEL BARR, and MORTON SOBELL and his wife, HELEN, already there. The ELITCHERS and PERL joined the others for dinner, and after dinner, all of them went to AL SARANT'S apartment in Greenwich Village.

It is noted that Mrs. ELITCHER stated that they did not leave the restaurant until quite late in the evening, since they had to wait a considerable length of time before they were served. As a result they arrived at SARANT'S apartment rather late. She stated that they remained at SARANT'S apartment for only a short period of time, and recalled that upon their arrival they found that a party was in progress. She stated that she was not introduced to anyone in the apartment at the time of their arrival. Mrs. ELITCHER also indicated that this was the occasion when they found the apartment darkened, and people inside the apartment sitting around listening to music from a record player.

Mrs. ELITCHER then stated that she was not absolutely certain but was quite sure that she and her husband, WILLIAM PERL, JOEL BARR, JULIUS ROSENBERG and MORTON SOBELL and his wife HELEN, then proceeded to ROSENBERG'S apartment. She stated that it was either on that night that they went to ROSENBERG'S house or possibly within a couple of days thereafter. Mrs. ELITCHER stated that upon arriving at ROSENBERG'S apartment she was introduced to ETHEL ROSENBERG for the first time. She stated that the ROSENBERGS had a Christmas tree in their apartment and she indicated that this fact substantiated her belief that the visit took place shortly after Christmas of 1946. Mrs. ELITCHER recalled that there was a rather lengthy discussion among the group that night on the manner of bring up Jewish children, and also religious training for Jewish children, and she recalled specifically that all of the married couples present were opposed in their beliefs to WILLIAM PERL and JOEL BARR, both of whom were single.

Mrs. ELITCHER explained at this point that when she was previously interviewed by Agents of this office on July 20, 1950, she advised that it was her belief that WILLIAM and SYLVIA DANZIGER were present during dinner at the Blue Mill restaurant in Greenwich Village. Mrs. ELITCHER stated that she had given the matter considerable thought since the time of the first interview and had concluded that she was confusing the DANZIGERS with the SOBELLs and that actually the SOBELLs were the ones present at the Blue Mill restaurant and subsequently at ROSENBERG'S apartment.

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On September 20, 1950, WILLIAM PERL, Mrs. HELENE ELITCHER, Mrs. SYLVIA DANZIGER, and Mrs. HELEN SOBELL appeared at the United States Court House, Foley Square, New York City, to testify before the Grand Jury. HELENE ELITCHER advised SA CAHILL and the reporting agent that while she was in the reception room outside the Grand Jury Room, Mrs. DANZIGER asked her if the individual who was sitting in the room with them was WILLIAM MUTTERPERL. Mrs. ELITCHER said she replied in the affirmative and Mrs. DANZIGER then stated that he had changed considerably since she last saw him at the time of graduation from City College of New York twelve years ago.

PERL was questioned concerning his recognition of the individual who was Mrs. DANZIGER, and he stated that he had never seen her before.

On the same date, Mrs. ELITCHER was sitting in the reception room of Chief Assistant United States Attorney LANE'S Office in the United States Court House when WILLIAM PERL entered the room. Mrs. ELITCHER immediately advised SA CAHILL that she knew this individual and that his name was WILLIAM PERL. Later in the hallway, on the way to the Grand Jury Room, PERL was confronted by Mrs. ELITCHER in the presence of SA CAHILL and the reporting agent at which time he was asked if he knew who this woman was. He hesitated and stated that he did know her. He then said, "Hello HELENE," to which she replied, calling him "BILL." She then said, "I recognized you before when you came into Mr. LANE'S office." PERL replied, "I recognized you too, but I guess I was inhibited." PERL, when questioned about this incident, declined to explain his previous failure to recognize Mrs. ELITCHER either by name or photograph, and further declined to discuss the circumstances under which he knew her.

IX. INFORMATION RE AUTO TRANSACTIONS

ROBERT E. PFLEGER, 5202 Albertly, Parma, Ohio, has advised agents of the Cleveland Office that on July 21, 1948, he sold a 1941 Studebaker to MICHAEL SIDOROVICH for \$750, and that SIDOROVICH was accompanied at the time by his wife ANNE and another male, age thirty, six feet tall, one eighty pounds, lean narrow face and slight frame, who appeared to have knowledge of automobiles. He later positively identified the subject WILLIAM PERL as this person and recalled PERL intimated he was an aircraft mechanic or had a related job. He further recalled when PERL brought the SIDOROVICHES to look at the Studebaker he was driving an old blue car, possibly a Chevrolet.

A review of the records of the Auto Title Department, Office of the Clerk of Court, Cuyahoga County, Cleveland, Ohio, revealed an Assignment of Certificate of Title dated July 21, 1948 conveying a 1941 Studebaker from ROBERT E. PFLEGER to MICHAEL SIDOROVICH. A certified copy thereof was forwarded to the New York Office and has been handed to Chief Assistant to the United States Attorney MILES J. LANE, for his use in connection with this case.

During an authorized search of the personal effects of the subject at Cleveland by agents of that office, a letter was located which was addressed to PERL under date of August 20, 1948, and written on the letterhead of Fairchild Publications, 7 East 12th Street, New York City, by CLYDE E. BROWN. The letter stated in substance that it would be agreeable for PERL to bring a car to BROWN'S garage and that it was probable that Mrs. BROWN would be at home when PERL arrived with the car on September 2 or 3, 1948.

Previous investigation in this case has revealed that PERL left New York City for Cleveland in June, 1948 when he finished his doctorate studies at Columbia University.

CLYDE E. BROWN, Advertising Manager, Fairchild Publications, Inc., 7 East 12th Street, New York City, who resides at 196 Ridgewood Avenue, Glen Ridge, New Jersey, advised SA MARTIN J. McGUINN in an interview on September 6, 1950 that he met Professor THEODORE VON KARMAN about 1943 while residing in Pasadena, California. BROWN said that he was then employed by Fairchild in its Pasadena Office and that VON KARMAN was then working at the California Institute of Technology. He stated

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that he and his wife were social acquaintances of VON KARMAN and when the latter came to Columbia University, New York City, the BROWNS renewed their social acquaintance. Mr. BROWN stated further that during his acquaintance with VON KARMAN, he met many of his students, but recalled none in particular, and when shown a photograph of the subject, he did not recognize him either from the picture or by name.

About 1947, according to BROWN, Professor VON KARMAN requested that he be allowed to store his car in BROWN'S garage inasmuch as VON KARMAN was planning a European trip. BROWN stated that this automobile, which was an old Plymouth, has been stored in his garage at his residence at 190 Ridgewood Avenue, Glen Ridge, New Jersey, since the above date to the present, with the exception of a few months during the summer of 1948. At this time, exact dates not recalled, an individual who is unknown to BROWN, took the car with prior permission of Professor VON KARMAN.

During the above interview, Mr. BROWN contacted his wife, Mrs. ELIZABETH BROWN, who was, at that time, at their summer home at Bridgehampton, Long Island, by long distance telephone. She advised that the person who took the car was a WILLIAM PERL, whom she described as quite tall, thin build, dark bushy hair and dark features. She said that PERL told her he was going to take VON KARMAN'S car to Cleveland, Ohio.

With Mr. BROWN'S permission and in his presence, VON KARMAN'S car was examined and photographed in color at the above garage on Sept. 6, 1950 by SA MARTIN J. McGUINN and Bureau Photographer KENNETH DELANOY. Copies of these photographs are available in the Cleveland and New York Offices for use in this investigation.

VON KARMAN'S car is described as a 1935 Plymouth coupe, Motor #PJ 31499, Body #PJ 3636BC. The body of the automobile is a medium blue color and the fenders are painted black. At the time of the inspection on September 6, the automobile had 1948 Ohio License Plate #KT 938. On the right side of the windshield was a small rectangular sticker bearing the letters "NACA." On the left hand door frame was a motor lubrication sticker advertising HYVIS Motor Oil issued by the Earley Bassett Company, 362-376 West Colorado Street, Pasadena, California.

husband sold his Studebaker to the SIDOROVICHES. She said that she had seen PERL in person at Cleveland, Ohio, but was unable to recall the third individual well enough to identify him as WILLIAM PERL. However, she was positive that there were three individuals present and that they came to her home in an automobile.

Mr. PFLEGER also advised that her next door neighbor, Mrs. MARIE BEIER, 5206 Albertly, Parma, Ohio, told her prior to Mrs. PFLEGER'S departure for New York City that she too distinctly recalls the above automobile incident, and further recalls the prospective purchasers arrived by car and that there were definitely two men and a woman.

Mrs. PFLEGER also stated that her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. EDWARD KESTNER were present at the Pfleger home on the date in question, and that both recall three individuals arriving to look at Mr. PFLEGER'S car, but that neither of the KESTNER'S are able to recall enough of the physical characteristics of these three persons to make an identification.

Mrs. PFLEGER, at the conclusion of the above interview, testified before the Federal Grand Jury on the same date.

On September 11, 1950, subject appeared under Grand Jury subpoena at the office of Chief Assistant United States Attorney LANE, where he advised in an interview with Mr. LANE and reporting agent that he did not know MICHAEL or ANNE SIDOROVICH, and denied generally and specifically being present at Parma, Ohio, or at the Pfleger home in July of 1948 with the SIDOROVICHES for the purpose of purchasing an automobile. He stated that he had never been in Parma, Ohio, and professed not to know Mr. PFLEGER.

PERL stated he had answered several advertisements in various Cleveland papers which offered a 1941 Studebaker for sale during the summer of 1948, since he had previously owned one and liked that model car. He explained that he had the use of an old car which was the property of Professor VON KARMAN on a loan basis, but realized that he would have to return this car upon request, and for this reason desired to locate one of his own.

He said in this connection that Professor VON KARMAN, father, JOSEPHINE & CARMEN, owned a 1935 Plymouth, which had been stored with them

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friends, the BROWNS, in Glen Ridge, New Jersey. With VON KARMAN'S permission, PERL said he took the car from the BROWNS' garage and through a power of attorney obtained from JOSEPHINE de CARMEN'S attorney in New York City, he obtained Ohio license plates for the car and took it to Cleveland. PERL could not recall the name of JOSEPHINE de CARMEN'S attorney. He said he used this automobile from about June to September, 1948. He returned it at this time to the BROWN garage in Glen Ridge at the request of Professor VON KARMAN.

PERL was questioned on this occasion concerning the purchase of his 1941 Studebaker in September, 1948 from EDWARD K. RHODES, which he readily admitted, and advised he had been accompanied on that occasion by one MILTON KLEIN, a co-employee at NACA. He denied that MICHAEL SIDOROVICH was present with him at Rhodes house on the above occasions or that he even knew MICHAEL SIDOROVICH. In this regard, investigation by the Cleveland Office has revealed that MILTON KLEIN recalled going with PERL to look at the above car and that Mr. RHODES later identified KLEIN as the individual who accompanied PERL on the date he sold his car to PERL.

Subject appeared before the Federal Grand Jury, Southern District of New York, under subpoena on September 11, 1950.

The records of the Auto Title Department, Office of the Clerk of Court, Cuyahoga County, Cleveland, Ohio, contained the following documents regarding PERL'S purchase of the RHODES car, certified copies of which were forwarded by the Cleveland Office to the New York Office. These documents have been handed to Mr. LANE for his use in instant case.

Assignment of Title of 1941 Studebaker, Motor #199801 from EDWARD K. RHODES to WILLIAM PERL;

Ohio Certificate of Title #182469067 obtained by PERL for the above auto.

The above records also contained an Ohio Certificate of Title #182334501 for a 1949 Dodge, Motor # D30245346 in the name of WILLIAM PERL which was issued for use on the automobile he presently owns. A certified copy of this document was received from the Cleveland Office and handed to Mr. LANE at his request.

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Additional investigation by the Cleveland Office has revealed that one STANLEY E. PRICE stated he had offered a 1941 Studebaker for sale in September, 1948, and that he identified PERL and SIDOROVICH as one of three prospective buyers of this car who appeared at his home to look at his automobile.

STANLEY E. PRICE appeared at the office of Mr. LANE on September 20, 1950 on subpoena to testify before the Grand Jury. During the interview with Mr. LANE and reporting agent, Mr. PRICE recounted details of the transaction and reaffirmed his identification of PERL and SIDOROVICH as prospective buyers.

PERL, who was also present on that date, was then confronted with Mr. PRICE in Mr. LANE'S office, at which time he stated he did not know PRICE, that he had never gone to his home to look at a car, and further that he did not know the SIDOROVICHES.

STANLEY E. PRICE testified before the Federal Grand Jury on the above date.

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X. PERL'S RESIDENCE AT 610 CATHEDRAL PARKWAY (WEST 110th STREET), NEW YORK

On September 13, 1950, subject telephonically advised reporting agent that he had located a room near Columbia University campus, 610 Cathedral Parkway (West 110th Street), New York City, Penthouse Room #5. He stated that if this office desired he could be located in the future at the above address. He said that he had no phone, but could be contacted by telephone through his landlady, Mrs. MINNIE SMITH, 601 Cathedral Parkway, telephone MU 2-4241. He advised that during the week, he could be located at Pupin Physics Laboratory, Columbia University, telephone: UN 4-3200, Extension 501, where he is engaged as a physics instructor and in research work.

Confidential Informant TY-1, of known reliability, confirmed the above information and stated subject had moved considerable personal effects to the above address from his parents' home at 936 Tiffany Street, Bronx, New York, on September 13, 1950.

Confidential Informant TY-2, of known reliability, advised that he would supply information concerning the subject which becomes available at this address or at the home of his parents.

XL. PROSECUTIVE OPINION

Chief Assistant United States Attorney MILES J. LANE has advised that he is giving consideration to proceeding against the subject for various perjury in this and related cases before the Federal Grand Jury, although he does not anticipate making a final decision in this matter until the dispositions of the ROSENBERG and SOBELL cases are known. It is noted that subject has testified before the Grand Jury, Southern District of New York, on August 18, 1950, September 11, 1950 and October 3, 1950. It is further noted that JULIUS ROSENBERG and MORTON SOBELL are presently incarcerated in the Southern District of New York under \$100,000.00 bail each on espionage charges.

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XII. MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION

HARRY GOLD

On August 7, 1950, SA ROBERT G. JENSEN of the Philadelphia Office exhibited to HARRY GOLD, who is awaiting sentence on espionage charges in that city, pictures of various individuals mentioned in this case, including the subject, WILLIAM PERL. GOLD advised SA ROBERT G. JENSEN that he was unable to identify the subject.

MELARD Manufacturing Company

Previous investigation by the Cleveland Office revealed that subject has recently been in contact with the Melard Manufacturing Company, 37-25 32 Street, Long Island City, New York. SIDNEY and HAROLD SHAMES, brothers, Melard Manufacturing Company, advised SA WILLIAM R. YATES that they own and operate the above company. SIDNEY SHAMES advised WILLIAM PERL is a creditor of the firm, having loaned the brothers \$500 approximately one year ago and that it was regarding this matter that they had been in contact with PERL.

HAROLD SHAMES stated that at the time the loan was arranged, the firm was in need of ready cash and since they had known PERL while working at the National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics in Cleveland, they approached him regarding the loan. The SHAMES brothers stated they worked with PERL on a professional basis in the NACA and as such they were friendly with him, but they mixed with him socially on a limited scale due to war work pressure and due to the fact that PERL kept to himself most of the time. SIDNEY SHAMES stated PERL was a very hard working individual while at NACA and that he spent a great many evenings preparing reports and other data. Neither the SHAMES brothers knew anything about PERL'S personal life or activities.

Fairchild Camera and Instrument Corporation

Previous investigation in this case has reflected that subject received Check No. 43343 dated June 23, 1948, in the sum of \$50 drawn on the Grace National Bank, Jamaica, New York, by the Fairchild Camera and Instrument Corporation.

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At the request of SA RAYMOND J. RUCKLE, Mr. C. L. TERRILL, Vice-President, Fairchild Camera and Instrument Corporation, 8306 Van Wyck Boulevard, Jamaica, New York, checked the records of this concern relative to the above payment. Thereafter, he advised same was made to PERL for consulting services performed on May 28, 1948, in connection with the development of a thrustmeter, believed to be used in connection in the manufacture of jet planes.

Mr. TERRILL stated PERL'S services consisted of making recommendations as to the best type of thrustmeter to be developed and used by Fairchild in performing work under contract with the government. He stated, however, that the project was later developed at Fairchild's Branch in Pasadena, California. PERL had been recommended to Fairchild as a theoretician who had been associated with the National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics. He had no contact with anyone at Fairchild other than on this particular case for the above mentioned purpose.

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PATRICK J. FLOOD, 137 East 238 Street, Bronx, New York

The Bronx Telephone Directory reflects that PATRICK J. FLOOD resides at the above address and has telephone number Fairbanks 4-2817.

The Credit Bureau of Greater New York records were examined with negative results.

The New York Office is in possession of no information which can be identified as pertaining to PATRICK J. FLOOD.

The interview of Mr. FLOOD reflected that he is a very active member of the Catholic Church. He is the father of thirteen children, one of which is a Jesuit Brother and two of whom are Sisters of Charity. He advised that his daughter, MARY, prior to her marriage, worked for the FBI in New York City.

Through the cooperation of Mr. FLOOD, a specimen of the handwritten signature of SADIE MUTTERPERL was obtained from her which has been forwarded to the FBI Laboratory for comparison with the handwriting contained on the post card sent to the University of Tennessee by S. PERL. It is pointed out that efforts to obtain additional handwritten specimens of SADIE MUTTERPERL at the Theodore Roosevelt High School were met with negative results.

Dr. ADLERSBERG, 136 East 64 Street, New York City

The Manhattan Telephone Directory reflects that D. ADLERSBERG, M. D., residing at the above address, has telephone number REgent 7-4444. Mrs. D. ADLERSBERG is also listed at this address with telephone number REgent 7-3528. This source also indicates that ZINA ALVERS resides at the same address with telephone number REgent 7-3528.

The American Medical Directory for 1950 reflects that DAVID ADLERSBERG was born in 1897, graduated in 1921 from the

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Medizinische Fakultät Der Universität Wien, was licenced to practice in New York in 1936 and is a member of the American Medical Association, the American College of Physicians, Association for the Study of Internal Secretions and the National Gastroenterological Association.

The Medical Directory of New York, New Jersey and Connecticut for 1949, in addition to listing the various medical associations to which Dr. ADLERSBERG belongs, stated that he was adjunct physician, metabolism disease, Mount Sinai Hospital, New York City.

The records of the Credit Bureau of Greater New York reflect that Dr. DAVID ADLERSBERG, 136 East 64 Street, formerly maintained an office at 568 Park Avenue, New York City.

WINSTON WELLS, Beaux Arts Department, 400 East 44 Street, New York City, advised in August, 1948, that Dr. DAVID ADLERSBERG is a famous chemist from Vienna who is highly cultured and associated with several pro-Communists on the staff of the Mount Sinai Hospital. WELLS pointed out that he had no direct evidence that Dr. ADLERSBERG himself is or has been a Communist.

Mrs. GRACE CLENDENON, 217 St. Marks Place, Mt. Kisco, New York, directed a letter to the Bureau under date of January 9, 1941, in which she stated that from different reports which she had heard, an investigation should be conducted of D. D. ADLERSBERG, a German doctor who resided at 136 East 64 Street, New York City, telephone number, REgent 7-4444.

In connection with ZINA ALVERS, it is noted that on page 5 of the October, 1946, issue of the "Fraternal Outlook", a publication of the International Workers Order, there is an article concerning a concert tour of "Russian stars of opera", sponsored by the American Russian Fraternal Society. ZINAIDA ALVERS is listed as one of the singers who was participating in this tour.

The International Workers Order has been cited by the Attorney General as a subversive organization.

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The records of the Credit Bureau of Greater New York were examined with negative results as to ZINA or ZINIADA ALVERS.

EDWARD GOLDZAND, 236 East Gun Hill Road, Bronx, New York

The Bronx Telephone Directory contains a listing for EDWARD GOLDZAND at the above address, telephone number Kingsbridge 7-3346.

The records of the Credit Bureau of Greater New York were examined with negative results for information concerning this individual.

This office is in possession of no information which can be identified as pertaining to EDWARD GOLDZAND.

PATRICK J. FLOOD, previously referred to herein, advised that GOLDZAND is a refugee whose wife and children were reportedly executed in a German concentration camp. He stated that the records of Theodore Roosevelt High School reflect that GOLDZAND was born March 16, 1906; place not shown.

SOL (SAUL) KISCHNER, 1387 Boscobel Avenue, Bronx, New York

The Bronx Telephone Directory contains no listing for this individual. The records of the Credit Bureau of Greater New York were examined for a record of SOL or SAUL KISCHNER with negative results.

The New York Office is in possession of no information which can be identified as pertaining to this individual.

The records of the Credit Bureau of Greater New York were checked for the above listed individuals by SE GERALD M. LENAHAN.

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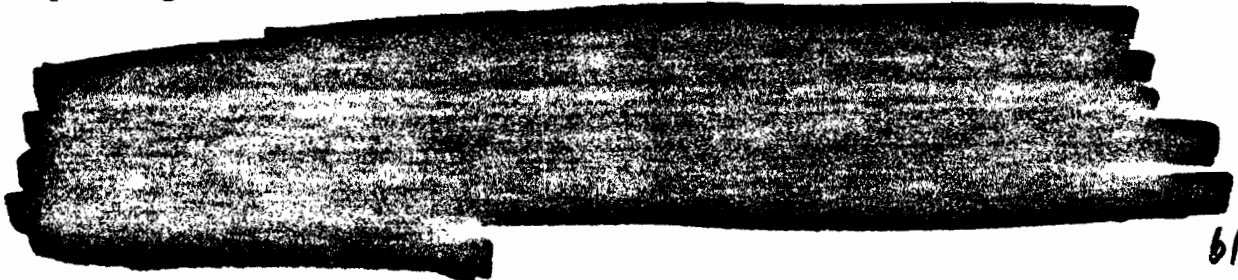
II. FBI LABORATORY REPORTS RE MONEY ORDERS

In addition to information previously set forth herein, a search of the Postal Money Order records of the U. S. Post Office at Ithaca, New York by agents of the Albany Office revealed a stub for Money Order number 57474 dated July 25, 1947 issued by the Bryant Post Office Sub Station, New York City and executed by H. SAVIDGE, 65 Morton Street.

By letter dated August 7, 1950 a photographic copy of the above Money Order application, which is on file in the records of the General Post Office, New York City, was sent to the FBI Laboratory with the request that same be compared with the known handwriting of HENRIETTA SAVIDGE. The Laboratory advised in its report of August 17, 1950 that known specimens of the handwriting of HENRIETTA SAVIDGE were not available for comparison with the above questioned specimen. The Laboratory later requested that handprinting specimens known to have been prepared by HENRIETTA SAVIDGE be submitted to enable this comparison.

During a recent interview by New York agents HENRIETTA SAVIDGE declined to submit handprinting specimens. During this interview she readily admitted residing in the SARANT apartment at 65 Morton Street from February to September, 1947; during which time she made monthly payments of rent to SARANT by Money Orders in the amount of \$45.50.

In view of the above no additional efforts are being made to obtain the desired known specimens of Miss SAVIDGE'S handprinting at this time.



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III. STOPS PLACED FOR POSSIBLE DEPARTURE OF PERL

In view of the recent departure of MORTON SOBELL for Mexico and in view of information previously obtained in this case that PERL received instructions from VIVIAN GLASSMAN to flee to Mexico, the following stops have been placed so that this office will be notified in the event PERL should attempt flight:

U. S. State Department

It is noted that Cleveland teletype dated July 22, 1950, in the case entitled, "JULIUS ROSENBERG, ESPIONAGE - R", requested the Washington Field Office to check the records of the State Department for any available information concerning attempts of PERL to obtain a passport and to place a stop on these records for notification of any future passport requests.

Inquiry by the Washington Field Office at the Passport Division, Department of State, reflected that under date of March 22, 1948, PERL made application to the Passport Division for travel papers to Europe for the purpose of study and research. Further, according to these records, a U. S. passport was issued to him on March 29, 1948, No. 179423.

U. S. Immigration and Naturalization Service

By letter dated August 10, 1950, this office requested the Honorable EDWARD J. SHAUGHNESSY, District Director, United States Immigration and Naturalization Service, 70 Columbus Avenue, New York City, to place a stop in his records in connection with the Departure Control Program against WILLIAM PERL. It was suggested that since there was no process outstanding for him, he be delayed, if possible, under some pretext and the nearest FBI Office be notified.

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Scheduled Air Lines

SA HAROLD J. GLASCOCK of New York placed stops with the following air lines who operate a foreign service, so that this office would be notified upon their receipt of a request for reservation by the subject:

Air France
British Overseas Air Lines
Colonial Air Lines
Northeast Air Lines
Northwest Air Lines
Pan American Air Ways
Royal Dutch (KLM)
Swiss Air
Scandinavian Air Lines
Trans Canada Air Lines
Trans World Air Ways

Steamship Companies

SA WILLIAM A. FLYNN of New York placed stops at the following steamship companies operating out of the Port of New York for any information concerning a reservation by subject for foreign travel:

Moore McCormick Lines
Waterman's Steamship Line
Bull Line
United States Lines
Cunard White Star Steamship Company
French Line
Holland American Line
Israeli American Line
Boise Griffin Lines
American Export Lines
Istrandtsen Steamship Company
Robin Steamship Lines
Funch Edye Steamship Company
Agwilines
Moller Lines
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Isthmian Steamship Company
Barber Line
Furness, Withy and Co., Ltd.

It is noted that this office reviews the advance passenger manifests of the MS Batory operated by the Gdynia America Line for information concerning departures from the Port of New York of passengers aboard this ship.

In addition thereto, Confidential Informant TQ-1, of known reliability, has advised he will immediately inform this office in the event the Gdynia America Line receives a request for passage by the subject aboard the MS Batory.

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It is recalled that the subject, who was then a resident of Cleveland, Ohio, was ordered under subpoena to appear before the Federal Grand Jury, Southern District of New York on August 18, 1950. He arrived at Newark Airport aboard a United Airlines plane during the morning of August 16, 1950 and immediately departed for New York City under surveillance by Newark agents.

Upon arrival at New York City the surveillance was taken over by agents of the New York Office. The subject visited the home of his parents at 936 Tiffany Street, Bronx, from Noon until approximately 2:45 P.M., when he went to the office of his attorney, RAYMOND L. WISE, 80 Broad Street. He remained in the attorney's office until approximately dinnertime, after which he returned to the home of his parents at the above address.

On August 17, 1950 the subject was observed entering the apartment of his attorney, Mr. WISE, located at 322 Central Park West. After approximately 45 minutes he and Mr. WISE emerged from the apartment and went to the U. S. Court House at Foley Square. It is recalled that subject had an appointment at this time with Chief Assistant U. S. Attorney MILES J. LANE, Room 401, U. S. Court House. Thereafter he was interviewed by Bureau agents at his request at the office of the U. S. Attorney, the results of which are set forth elsewhere herein.

PERL departed from Mr. LANE'S office at 4:25 P.M. and proceeded to the office of Mr. WISE at 80 Broad Street, where he remained until approximately 6:10 P.M. Thereafter he returned to the home of his parents for the night.

On August 18, 1950 PERL appeared at the U. S. COURT HOUSE, Foley Square, where he testified before the Federal Grand Jury. After leaving the Court House at approximately 2:30 P.M. he went to the West Side Savings Bank, West 8 Street and 6th Avenue, Greenwich Village, New York, where he was observed transacting business.

Thereafter he entered the Airlines Terminal Building at 42 Street and Park Avenue, where he purchased a one way ticket to Cleveland, Ohio aboard the United Airlines.

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During the late afternoon the subject spent approximately 45 minutes reading in the New York Public Library, 5th Avenue and 42 Street, after which he picked up HENRIETTA SAVIDGE at 104 East 38 Street and both proceeded to the office of his attorney at 80 Broad Street. PERL and Miss SAVIDGE spent approximately an hour with Mr. WISE, after which they emerged in his company and had dinner in a restaurant at 50 Broad Street. Thereafter PERL accompanied Miss SAVIDGE to her residence, where he spent the remainder of the evening.

On August 19, 1950 PERL was observed to leave his parent's address shortly before Noon and go to the apartment of his attorney at 322 Central Park West, where he spent approximately 2½ hours. He returned to the home of his parents; stayed approximately one hour, and then proceeded to the Airlines Terminal Building. He was observed proceeding to LaGuardia Airport aboard an airport limousine and he departed for Cleveland aboard United Airlines plane N30047 at 6:32 P.M.

The above surveillance of the subject was conducted by the following agents:

ALEXANDER C. BURLINSON
CLARK NEWTON
ROBERT S. PLANTZ
CHARLES D. VANCE
STEPHEN L. HALPIN
WILLIAM R. YATES
JOHN J. DOERMER
WALTER C. ROETTING, JR.
ROBERT STONER

Complete surveillance logs covering the above activities are maintained in the New York Office.

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The subject returned to New York City from Cleveland via automobile on September 9, 1950 to assume duties as an instructor in the Physics Department at Columbia University. He resigned his position with the NACA at Cleveland effective September 1, 1950. The surveillance of the subject was taken over by New York agents at 2:35 P.M. on that date, at which time he was observed unloading luggage from his car and taking it into the home of his parents at 936 Tiffany Street, Bronx.

During that afternoon the subject was observed mailing a postcard in the vicinity of Grand Central Station, 42 Street and Park Avenue, New York City. It was determined that the postcard was addressed to Miss GLENDON L. BENNETT, 404 $\frac{1}{2}$ East 2nd Street, Chattanooga, Tennessee. The message stated, "New York is hot and humid. Am looking for a place to live. Hope you had a good trip. Will write again soon". The card was signed only "Z".

It is recalled that GLENDON BENNETT is a girlfriend of the subject, a native of Chattanooga, who was attending Western Reserve University at Cleveland during the summer of 1950. It is further recalled that during subject's trip to New York via automobile in July, 1950 GLENDON BENNETT accompanied him and resided at a local hotel during PERL'S stay here.

Later in the afternoon of September 9th the subject was observed entering the apartment of HENRIETTA SAVIDGE at 104 East 38th Street, New York City. Late in the evening the two had dinner at Lorre's Restaurant, 48 West 56 Street, after which they strolled in Central Park for approximately an hour. Thereafter the subject took Miss SAVIDGE to her residence and later returned to the home of his parents.

On September 10, 1950 the subject was observed leaving his parent's residence and entering Miss SAVIDGE'S apartment at 104 East 38 Street, just prior to Noon. He remained with Miss SAVIDGE during the afternoon of that day and at 7:30 P.M. in the evening they emerged; had dinner, and later went to the Sutton Theatre on 57 Street. Late in the evening the subject accompanied Miss SAVIDGE to her home and thereafter went to the home of his parents.

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On September 11, 1950 the subject appeared at the U. S. Court House, Foley Square; testified before the Grand Jury, and then went to the campus of Columbia University, where he entered the Pupin Physics Laboratory. After some thirty minutes he left Columbia and went to the office of his attorney, RAYMOND L. WISE, at 80 Broad Street. After approximately two hours subject went to the residence of HENRIETTA SAVIDGE; remained there approximately three hours, and then returned to his parents' home.

On September 12th the subject again appeared at the U. S. Court House, Foley Square, where he remained for two hours. He then went to the campus of Columbia University, stopping for approximately thirty minutes at the residence of Miss SAVIDGE. During that afternoon he was observed entering various apartment houses and rooming houses in the vicinity of the Columbia campus. At 5:02 P.M. he was seen leaving 601 West 110 Street, after which he went to his parents' home at 936 Tiffany Street, where he stayed for the rest of the evening.

On September 13th the subject came out of 936 Tiffany Street during the middle of the morning and drove to numerous used car lots in the Bronx and Broadway used car districts. On each occasion the used car lot attendant was seen examining PERL'S automobile. That afternoon the subject took miscellaneous baggage from the home of his parents and placed same in his automobile. Thereafter he unloaded several bags at the Pupin Laboratory Building on Columbia campus. He was later observed taking baggage into the apartment house at 610 West 110 Street (Cathedral Parkway). During the rest of the afternoon he visited additional used car lots and at 4 P.M. was seen entering the Pupin Laboratory. That evening he went to visit HENRIETTA SAVIDGE at 104 East 38 Street. At 8 P.M. they had dinner at the President Tavern, 41 Street and Lexington Avenue. After dinner the subject accompanied Miss SAVIDGE to her home and was observed entering 610 West 110 Street (Cathedral Parkway) at approximately 12:30 A.M.

On September 14th the subject left 610 West 110 Street (Cathedral Parkway) at approximately 10 A.M. and went to the Pupin Laboratory at Columbia University, where he remained until dinner time. He spent that evening with Miss SAVIDGE at her residence and at 10:30 P.M. was seen entering his residence at the above address.

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On September 15th the subject was observed leaving 610 West 110 Street at 9 A.M. He spent the remainder of that day at the Pupin Physics Laboratory, after which the surveillance was discontinued.

The above surveillances were conducted by the following
Special Agents:

JOHN P. DALEY
JOHN M. O'MARA
VICTOR TURYN
RAYMOND J. RUCKEL
CHESTER J. GUSTOWSKI
ROBERT S. PLANTZ
JOHN M. STOLZENTHALER
EDWARD C. MORGAN, JR.
LESTER O. GALLAHER
STEPHEN A. MC GARR
FRANK P. WILLETTE
PAUL J. BLASCO
EDGAR C. FORREST
VINCENT J. CAHILL

Complete surveillance logs are maintained in the New York file of this case.