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FROM : SAC, CLEVELAND (65-2736)

SUBJECT: VIVIAN GLASSMAN, was.
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Rerep SA JOHN B. O'DONOUGHE dated January 21, 1952 at Cleveland.

Information concerning the Warner-Swasey strike as previously contained in the report of SA JOHN B. O'DONOGHUE dated August 6, 1951, at Cleveland, in the case entitled MICHAEL ALEXANDER SIDOROVICH, was., ETAL; ESPIONAGE - R, PERJURY, also contains a sketch depicting the proximity of the Warner-Swasey Company to normal communication centers in Cleveland as well as to the SIDOROVICH residence.

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cc: New York (65-15385)

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SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

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Details: At Cleveland, Ohio

[redacted] Warner-Swasey Company, East 55th Street and Carnegie Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio, advised the employees of the Warner-Swasey Company were out on strike from December 24, 1948, until July 1, 1949. b2D

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VIVIAN GLASSMAN, WAS., ESPIONAGE - R, INTERNAL SECURITY ACT OF NINE-TEEN FIFTY. SUBJECT MARRIED TO ERNEST PATAKI ON JANUARY NINETEEN NINETEEN FIFTY TWO BY THE DEPUTY CLERK, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, NYC. SHE RESIGNED HER POSITION AT THE LONG ISLAND COLLEGE HOSPITAL DECEMBER THIRTY FIRST LAST. NO INDICATION THAT SHE IS EMPLOYED AT PRESENT. STILL RESIDES AT ONE THREE ONE EAST SEVENTH ST., NYC.

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TO: Director, FBI (65-59334)

DATE: February 11, 1952

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Amended page 2 of the report of SA RICHARD T. HRADSKY dated 5/10/51 at New York have been forwarded to the offices which received copies of this report.

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JAVNA advised he first met LEON ROSENBAUM at the Stuyvesant High School in Brooklyn, N. Y. where both were students and from which both were graduated in 1935. Their association with one another was casual during this period but seemed to become more close when both enrolled at City College immediately after graduation from high school. This close personal association was short-lived however because ROSENBAUM was dismissed from City College after his first year for academic reasons and seemed to become very jealous of JAVNA's academic achievements.

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Although JAVNA and ROSENBAUM stayed in touch with one another through occasional phone calls after ROSENBAUM was dismissed from City College they did not see each other until sometime in 1939 or 1940 when they saw each other under circumstances JAVNA could not recall. JAVNA did recall that ROSENBAUM was then married and that it was on that occasion that JAVNA met ROSENBAUM's wife, RUTH ROSENBAUM. Shortly thereafter LEON ROSENBAUM was inducted into the Armed Forces and his wife RUTH remained in Brooklyn. JAVNA, who was classified 4-F also remained in Brooklyn.

During this period that LEON ROSENBAUM served in the Armed Forces from 1940 to 1945 JAVNA would occasionally stop at RUTH ROSENBAUM's apartment to make inquiry as to her general well being. These "occasional visits" were on an average of twice a month and according to JAVNA his association with RUTH remained "platonic" during the entire period.

With the exception of JAVNA, RUTH ROSENBAUM's social acquaintances during this period were women of her age, some of whom were married with husbands in the Armed Forces, while others were unmarried. It was natural, therefore that RUTH and some of the other married women would endeavor to match JAVNA and other eligible bachelors of their acquaintance with some of their unmarried friends and it was during one such effort by RUTH that JAVNA was introduced to the subject.

JAVNA saw little of RUTH ROSENBAUM after her husband LEON returned from service in 1945 but would on occasion see mutual friends from whom he learned that the ROSENBAUMS began experiencing marital difficulties almost immediately after his return from service. This was confirmed in 1946 when JAVNA and his wife, quite by coincidence saw RUTH ROSENBAUM on the beach at Fire Island which island is near Jones Beach in New York, and RUTH advised at that time she and LEON were divorced.

JAVNA has not seen nor heard of RUTH or LEON ROSENBAUM since that time.

In answer to specific questions, JAVNA furnished the following information regarding RUTH ROSENBAUM's background and physical description:

Name:	RUTH ROSENBAUM (maiden name unknown)
Present Age:	Approximately 35
Height:	5'2"
Weight:	140 pounds
Build:	Plumpish
Hair:	Light Brown or dirty blond of average length.

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Eyes:	Color unknown but occasionally wore glasses and in 1945 had a flare for bright colored frames.
Education:	Believed to be a graduate of Hunter College, class of 1939 or thereabouts.
Employment:	Believed to have worked in CBS in general field of program direction.
Relatives:	Believed to have a sister with whom she has shared an apartment in New York at one time.
Marital Status:	Present status unknown, was married to LEON ROSENBAUM from 1940 to 1945 at which time was divorced, present whereabouts unknown.
Former Residence:	Resided in Apartment on Christopher Street in Greenwich Village at time of husband's induction in 1940 and for several years thereafter. Subsequently moved to unknown address in uptown NYC.

JAVNA, who appeared sincere, volunteered that although it would seem that his association with RUTH ROSENBAUM was a close one it was not so close as to permit him to have delved into her family background or into her personal activities to any great extent. JAVNA advised that he could not recall the identity of any mutual acquaintance who might furnish information regarding RUTH ROSENBAUM and that although he met his wife at a social function sponsored by RUTH ROSENBAUM, his wife has not seen RUTH more than a few times and was not well acquainted with her.

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NEW YORK DIVISION:

At New York City:

Will, if deemed desirable verify ROSENBAUM's exact address at Greenwich Village in 1940 through reference to telephone and city directories during that period.

Will, if deemed desirable ascertain RUTH ROSENBAUM's maiden name through review of Brooklyn Marriage Records for period of 1938 to 1940, inclusive and Brooklyn Divorce records, period of 1945 to 1947 inclusive.

REFERENCE: Report of SA RICHARD T. HROUSKY dated 12/21/51 at New York.

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VIVIAN GLASSMAN WA ESP-R, INTERNAL SECURITY ACT FIFTY. SUBJ OBSERVED ON EVENING OF FEB TWENTYSEVEN INSTANT TO ENTER ALONE KATZ RESTAURANT, TWO ZERO FIVE E. HOUSTON ST., NYC, AND TO LEAVE RESTAURANT WITH UNKNOWN MAN. MAN WAS SURVEILLED TO AND WAS OBSERVED TO ENTER A SERVICE ENTRANCE OF THE PARIS HOTEL. MAN IDENTIFIED AS BEN BELKIM, ONE TWO ZERO FIRST ST., TROY, NY ON HOTEL PARIS REGISTER. HE REGISTERED WITH WIFE ON JAN NINE, FIFTYTWO, FOR TWO MONTHS STAY. HOTEL RECORDS REFLECT MR AND MRS. BEN BILKEN, ONE ONE FIVE WASHINGTON AVE, ENDICOTT, NY REPRESENTING THE B AND E SHOE CO. ALSO REGISTERED AT HOTEL PARIS ON JULY ELEVEN FORTY EIGHT FOR TWO DAY STAY. NY DIVISION INDICIES NEGATIVE. ALBANY AND BUFFALO REQUESTED TO CHECK INDICES AND LOCAL SOURCES OR BACKGROUND AND TO VERIFY RESIDENCE AND BUSINESS. SUTEL.

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Note: Marilyn Mills was girl friend of Max Finestone in 1949 and 1950. Daniel Marien was roommate of Finestone and Edward James Weinstein in 1950. Gladys Meyer was girl friend of Joel Barr in 1943 and 1944. Finestone reported latest recruit in Rosenberg espionage network and Barr reported member of network. USA subpoenaing witnesses for FGJ SDNY during week 3-24-52 for further inquiry into operations of Rosenberg network.

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SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

VIVIAN GLASSMAN, 131 E. 7th St., NYC, resigned her position at Long Island College Hospital, Brooklyn, NY, on 12/31/51. Informant advised she is not employed at present. Records of Marriage License Bureau, Manhattan, reflect that GLASSMAN was married to ERNEST PATAKI, an instructor in electrical engineering, Cooper Union Institute, NYC, on 1/19/52. Her sister, ELEANOR GLASSMAN, was married on 1/20/52 to EUGENE E. HUTNER and they reside at 335 E. 17th St., NYC. NY banks that redeemed subject's US Savings Bonds in 1945 ascertained to be the Fulton St. Branch of the Brooklyn Trust Company and the South Brooklyn Savings and Loan Association, 44 Willoughby St., Brooklyn, NY. Neither bank has a record of an account for subject. GLASSMAN identified herself as an employee of the Personal Service Bureau, Columbia University, when she cashed her bonds at the Brooklyn Trust Company. No indication of the identity used at the South Brooklyn Savings and Loan Association. Manufacturers Trust Co. advised no safe deposit box for subject located at any branch. MARILYN MILLS advised that JAMES WEINSTEIN took her to a party at his apartment at 418 E. 19th St., NYC, sometime in 1950, but claimed to recollect no details of the nature of the party, nor did she

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remember seeing GLASSMAN, MAXWELL FINESTONE or WILLIAM PERL there. DANIEL MARLEN, who lived at 418 E. 9th St., NYC, with FINESTONE and JAMES WEINSTEIN in the summer of 1950, refused to be interviewed on grounds that it may tend to incriminate him. NATHAN SUSSMAN, 56-55 205th St., Bayside, L.I., NY, advised that he was a member of the CP branch known as 16B of the Industrial Division which included ETHEL and JULIUS ROSENBERG and JOEL BARR, the former boy friend of VIVIAN GLASSMAN. SUSSMAN stated that GLASSMAN and one GLADYS MEYER were rivals for the affection of JOEL BARR in about 1943. GLADYS MEYER, 36 Carr St., Carrboro, North Carolina, now the wife of JUNIUS SCALES, Chairman of the CP, USA, District 29, refused to be interviewed by Bureau agents. Look out notices placed with US State Dept. and INS on subject's marriage names VIVIAN PATAKI and Mrs. ERNEST JOSEPH PATAKI.

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DETAILS The title of this report is being marked changed to reflect the marriage names of the subject, VIVIAN PATAKI and Mrs. ERNEST JOSEPH PATAKI.

DAVID GREENGLASS and his wife, RUTH GREENGLASS, have advised that they were recruited into the Soviet espionage apparatus by JULIUS ROSENBERG, a brother-in-law of DAVID GREENGLASS. DAVID GREENGLASS is now serving a fifteen year sentence for transmitting certain classified data relating to the atomic bomb project at Los Alamos, New Mexico, to HARRY GOLD, a confessed Soviet spy now serving a thirty-year sentence for espionage. JULIUS ROSENBERG and his wife, ETHEL, were sentenced to death in April, 1951 in the Southern District of New York for conspiracy to commit espionage against the United States.

DAVID and RUTH GREENGLASS learned through conversation with JULIUS ROSENBERG during the period 1946 to 1950 that he was extensively engaged in Soviet espionage in connection with which he was using as a conspiratorial headquarters and for the purpose of microfilming documents and making espionage contacts an apartment in the Greenwich Village section of New York City, and an apartment in the vicinity of Twelfth Street and Avenue B.

Information obtained from MAX LEITCHER, who admits that ROSENBERG attempted to recruit him for Soviet espionage, indicates that the Greenwich Village apartment was located at 65 Morton Street, New York City. This apartment was rented in the name of ALFRED SARANT from October 1943 to January 1950.

Confidential Informant T-1, of known reliability, advised on [redacted] that JULIUS ROSENBERG "mentioned an apartment rented by a student ostensibly used for studying on Morton Street where he, JOEL BERR and 'BILL' used to meet in secret to discuss their plans." ROSENBERG did not identify "BILL" at this time, but from other conversations informant had with ROSENBERG, "BILL" is believed by T-1 to be WILLI MPERL. b7D

On [redacted] T-1 stated that ROSENBERG informed that this apartment was ostensibly rented for a

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student to have a place to study but that the real purpose was to have a place for meetings. ROSENBERG said that he had typed for many hours on various occasions in the Morton Street apartment and that to reduce the typing sounds he placed rubber pads under the typewriter table legs and would let the water run in the bathroom. ROSENBERG advised T-1 that he paid the rent on this apartment.

ALFRED SARANT, upon interview, has advised that he was a member of the Greenwich Village Branch of the Communist Party in 1943-1944 and believes that he met JULIUS ROSENBERG through a mutual friend named JOEL BARR. SARANT has denied that ROSENBERG was ever in his apartment at 65 Morton Street, but MAX ELITCHER has advised that JULIUS ROSENBERG, JOEL BARR, WILLIAM PERL (also known to him as WILLIAM MUTTERPERL), and ELITCHER and his wife, HELENE, were together in SARANT's apartment, number 6-I, at 65 Morton Street, New York City, in 1943-1944.

In 1945 ALFRED SARANT married LOUISE JACQUELINE RUBEL ROSS and moved to Ithaca, New York, in about September, 1946, at which time the apartment at 65 Morton Street, New York City, was taken by his friend, JOEL BARR. It was arranged that BARR would send him the rent for the apartment in Ithaca, New York, and that SARANT would then pay the landlord of 65 Morton Street by check.

SARANT has advised that WILLIAM PERL, who was a friend of both SARANT and JOEL BARR, used the apartment subsequent to JOEL BARR under the same rental paying arrangement and that PERL in sending the last money order payment in January, 1950 attached a note requesting SARANT to relinquish the apartment as PERL no longer had any use for it.

ALFRED SARANT, following his interview by Bureau agents in July-August, 1950, fled the United States into Mexico, entering under an assumed name. His present whereabouts are unknown.

WILLIAM PERL has been identified as a Soviet agent by ROSENBERG to Confidential Informant T-1, PERL

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is at present under indictment for perjury before the Federal Grand Jury in the Southern District of New York.

JOEL BARR was identified as a Soviet agent by ROSENBERG to DAVID GREENGLASS following JOEL BARR's sailing from the United States for Europe in January, 1948. ROSENBERG advised DAVID GREENGLASS that BARR was going to Europe to continue his espionage work in European countries.

ALFRED SARANT has advised that JOEL BARR had a girl friend named VIVIAN GLASSMAN and that he believes that VIVIAN GLASSMAN sent him the first few rental payments in the form of money orders for the apartment rent at 65 Morton Street, New York City.

The Albany office advised on July 22, 1950 that a money order #988487 issued at the Church Street Station Post Office, New York City, on August 8, 1949, payable to ALFRED SARANT from VIVIAN GLASSMAN, 131 East 7th Street, New York City, as remitter, was located in the account of ALFRED SARANT in the First National Bank of Ithaca, New York. This money order was in the amount of $45.00 and bore a deposit date of August 11, 1949.

VIVIAN GLASSMAN has advised upon interview that she was the former fiancee of JOEL BARR and that she had sent money orders to ALFRED SARANT in payment of the rent on 65 Morton Street in July and August, 1948. She also admitted that she had made an airplane trip to Cleveland, Ohio on July 22, 1950 to contact WILLIAM PERL with $2,000 in cash and to give instructions to PERL to leave the United States and go to Mexico. She stated that she received the $2,000 and the instructions for PERL from an unknown man who contacted her at her apartment at 131 East 7th Street, New York City, on the evening of July 21, 1950. GLASSMAN claimed that the identity of the man who contacted her was unknown to her, but refused to assist agents to identify him.

Confidential Informant T-1 advised that in conversation JULIUS ROSENBERG stated that on a holiday weekend, which the informant believes may have been the Fourth of July weekend, 1949, WILLIAM PERL removed some

secret files from a laboratory located at Columbia University and that PERL took these files to ROSENBERG's apartment at Knickerbocker Village, New York City, where ROSENBERG, PERL, a third unidentified individual who was called in from out of town, and a fourth man together spent fourteen to seventeen hours with two cameras photographing the material that PERL had obtained in order that PERL could return the material at his earliest convenience to Columbia University. ROSENBERG indicated to T-1 that the third man was MICHAEL SIDOROVICH, who he described as a member of his espionage organization.

Confidential Informant T-1 stated that the fourth man was a definite member of the ROSENBERG espionage apparatus; that he is the man who subsequently contacted VIVIAN GLASSMAN on July 21, 1950, to arrange with her to proceed to Cleveland, Ohio, to contact WILLIAM PERL and give him $2,000 in order to facilitate his flight from the United States into Mexico.

The informant advised that JULIUS ROSENBERG indicated that the Russians sent his last recruit to contact VIVIAN GLASSMAN on July 21, 1950 and that the last individual that JULIUS ROSENBERG recruited into his Soviet espionage ring was a man who lived with the son of a wealthy family. The informant stated that the son of a wealthy family owned a black convertible Buick automobile with a white top, either a 1949 or 1950 model and that he had loaned his Buick to the last JULIUS ROSENBERG recruit who drove ROSENBERG to Ithaca, New York, to see ALFRED SARANT and make a pickup of espionage material.

Concerning the identity of the two individuals described above by T-1, investigation to identify the last recruit of JULIUS ROSENBERG who lived with the son of a wealthy family and who owned a 1949 or 1950 black Buick convertible automobile with a white top, indicates that one MAXWELL FINESTONE, with alias Max Finestone, was the last recruit of JULIUS ROSENBERG and that EDWARD JAMES WEINSTEIN, commonly known as JAMES WEINSTEIN, was the individual with whom he lived.

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JAMES WEINSTEIN is the son of JOSEPH WEINSTEIN, President of the Versailles Garment Corporation, 470 Seventh Avenue, New York City, a ladies garment manufacturing firm. JAMES WEINSTEIN, in an interview with Bureau agents on August 21, 1950 produced a New York State automobile registration dated January 19, 1950 for a 1949 Buick convertible.

JAMES WEINSTEIN resided at 418 East 9th Street, New York City, with MAX FINESTONE from February, 1950 to about October-November, 1950.

MAX FINESTONE who was born on July 28, 1922 at Boston, Massachusetts is a graduate of Cornell University having graduated in September, 1949, and is a close friend of LOUISE (PUSS) SARANT.

On April 5, 1951 VIVIAN GLASSMAN was observed by SA JOHN J. DOERMER and the writer leaving her apartment at 131 East 7th Street, New York City; with a man who was subsequently identified as MAX FINESTONE.

INFORMATION AT LONG ISLAND COLLEGE HOSPITAL

On January 21, 1952 Mr. RICHARD COLLETT, Assistant Superintendent, Long Island College Hospital, advised that VIVIAN GLASSMAN had resigned her position at the Long Island College Hospital, effective December 31, 1951 and had given as her reason that she was going to be married.

On January 23, 1952 Miss CATHERINE MULLIGAN, supervisor, Social Service Department, Long Island College Hospital, 98 Amity Street, Brooklyn, New York, advised that VIVIAN GLASSMAN had been under her supervision from March through December, 1951 and that she was an industrious, competent employee. She stated that the subject was an interviewer in the psychiatric division of the Social Service Department on a part-time basis and that she manifested a great interest in this type of work; that she was far more advanced in the study and application of the subject matter with which she dealt than some of the other girls and that she seemed to fascinate the younger girls with her conversation during the luncheon periods.

The only criticism that she had of GLASSMAN was that she was frequently late in reporting for work,

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but she said that GLASSMAN would always work later in the evenings so that no administrative action was ever taken against her.

Miss MULLIGAN stated that due to additional work received in the Social Service Department in the fall of 1951 it was found necessary to request GLASSMAN to become a full-time employee and handle some of the medical records, but that GLASSMAN refused to accept a full-time position indicating that she was only interested in psychiatric work and did not wish to do any medical work. GLASSMAN consequently was asked to resign, which she did, effective December 31, 1951.

Miss MULLIGAN advised that shortly after the Christmas holiday she learned that GLASSMAN had telephoned the girls at the office and had excitedly told them that she was going to be married; that her sister, ELEANOR, GLASSMAN HUTNER was also going to be married and that they were both marrying school teachers and would probably have a double wedding. Miss MULLIGAN did not know the identity of the individuals that VIVIAN or ELEANOR were marrying, nor if the wedding date had been set.

She stated that GLASSMAN had indicated that her mother and father lived in upstate New York; that they were planning to come to New York City for the double ceremony; that they were selling their home and were going to Florida to live and that they planned to attend the wedding of their daughters before continuing their trip to Florida from New York City. She did not know if GLASSMAN's mother and father were going to reside in Florida permanently or were going there on a vacation trip. She said that she believes GLASSMAN spent her week's vacation, which was granted to her by the Long Island College Hospital during 1951, with her mother and father in upstate New York.

Miss MULLIGAN advised that GLASSMAN was paid $175.00 per month and that money did not seem important to her. She based this observation upon the refusal of GLASSMAN to accept the position offered to her to work a full week with a proportionate increase in salary and

upon GLASSMAN's ready and generous contributions to all collections made at the office. She stated that GLASSMAN's personal background was unknown to her, but that when GLASSMAN applied for her position in answer to a newspaper ad run by the Long Island College Hospital early in 1951 she, Miss MULLIGAN, wrote to the Social Service Vocational Bureau, 192 Lexington Avenue, to ascertain if GLASSMAN's social service employment record was available. She said that GLASSMAN's previous employment in this field was sent to her by the Social Service Vocational Bureau together with comments as to her competency in the various jobs that she had held and that her work record was very favorable. She stated that the information furnished by the Social Service Vocational Bureau had been returned and that it could possibly be obtained there if GLASSMAN's previous social service employments were desired.

INFORMATION FROM CONFIDENTIAL INFORMANT T-2

On February 7, 1952 Confidential Informant T-2, of known reliability, advised that VIVIAN GLASSMAN did not appear to be employed as she was home during the day and seemed to be very busy altering her house.

T-2 stated that on January 27, 1952 ERNEST PATAKI, the boy friend of GLASSMAN, was at her home and that a man and woman, believed by the informant to be, the subject's sister, HORTENSE SKOLNICK, and her husband, visited the subject at her apartment at about 3 P.M. T-2 stated that GLASSMAN, ERNEST PATAKI and the SKOLNICKS were doing a considerable amount of running up and down the stairs of the apartmant house with boxes which they loaded into a wine-colored automobile and that at about 5 P.M. they all entered the car and left, Mr. SKOLNICK driving the car.

They returned a little later in the evening with a load of boxes, which they took up to GLASSMAN's apartment. The informant advised that it would appear that PATAKI was now living at GLASSMAN's apartment as he had been observed there more frequently than usual during January and that possibly GLASSMAN and PATAKI had married and were moving PATAKI's possessions into GLASSMAN's apartment.

Confidential Informant T-2 stated that on February 1, 1952 at about 11 A.M. a small moving truck with book cases and a large quantity of books stopped

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at GLASSMAN's apartment and GLASSMAN appeared at the apartment house entrance to supervise the moving of the books and book cases into her apartment.

RECORDS OF MARRIAGE LICENSE BUREAU
Manhattan, New York

On January 31, 1952 SE GERARD M. LENAHAN checked the records of the Marriage License Bureau, Manhattan, New York for a marriage license for VIVIAN GLASSMAN. Certificate number 1115 reflected that VIVIAN GLASSMAN, 131 East 7th Street, New York City; white race; born January 30, 1919 at New York; occupation social worker; was married on January 19, 1952 by MURRAY STAND, Deputy Clerk, Municipal Building, New York City, to ERNEST PATAKI, 217 East 19th Street, New York City.

GLASSMAN's parents' names were reflected as SAMUEL GLASSMAN, born in Russia and SADIE HOROWITZ, born in the United States. ERNEST PATAKI's birth date was reflected as June 5, 1915 in Hungary and his father and mother were listed as CHARLES PATAKI, born in Hungary and ROSA KLEIN, born in Germany. His occupation was reflected as teacher. Witnesses to the ceremony were SALLY RAUCH and C. E. RAUCH, whose residence address was given as 131 East 7th Street, New York City. SALLY RAUCH is the subject's true mother and C. E. RAUCH is CLARENCE E. RAUCH, the subject's stepfather. Their last known address was Box 6, Route 202, Lincolndale, New York.

The records of the Marriage License Bureau, Manhattan, also reflect that certificate number 1049 recorded the marriage of ELEANOR GLASSMAN, 343 East 8th Street, the subject's sister, to EUGENE E. HUTNER, 335 East 17th Street, New York City, on January 20, 1952 by LOUIS GERSTEIN (Rabbi), 225 West 71st Street, New York City. The witnesses to this ceremony were HARRIS B. PECK, M.D., 161 West 86th Street, New York City, and MURRAY STAAL, 2030 Valentine Avenue, Bronx, New York. The following background information was reflected on the application:

ELEANOR GLASSMAN; white; 343 East 8th Street; born April 20, 1921 at New York City; occupation, social

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worker; parents, SAMUEL, father, born in Russia and SADIE HOROWITZ, mother, born in Russia. It was her first marriage.

EUGENE EMANUEL HUTNER; white; 335 East 17th Street; born September 11, 1921 at New York City; occupation, teacher; father, BENJAMIN, born in Russia; mother, DOROTHY ROGEN, born in Russia. It was his first marriage.

INFORMATION FROM TOM AYTCH,
Superintendent, 335 East 17th Street, New York City

On February 11, 1952 inquiry was made of TOM AYTCH, superintendent, 335 East 17th Street, New York City. AYTCH advised that EUGENE HUTNER had been residing at this address for about three years and that he had lived there alone; that about three weeks ago he had married and that he and his wife were now residing in the quarters that HUTNER had occupied previously, which consists of one and one-half rooms. AYTCH stated that this apartment rented on a semi-furnished basis and rents for about $50 or $55 per month. He stated HUTNER's occupation or employment was unknown to him and he stated that HUTNER has always been a quiet tenant. He stated that he knows nothing about HUTNER's new wife as he has only seen her on two or three occasions since she has been residing at this address.

No record of EUGENE EMANUEL HUTNER was located in the New York Office indices.

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BACKGROUND OF SUBJECT'S HUSBAND,
ERNEST PATAKI

ERNEST PATAKI to whom subject was married on January 19, 1952 was interviewed by SA ROBERT F. ROYAL and the writer on August 9, 1950 when he advised that he met VIVIAN GLASSMAN in about 1945 through ELIZABETH HOLLOS, a former employee of the National Maritime Union, who is the sister of Mrs. EMERY (CLARA) HOLLOS PATAKI. EMERY is ERNEST PATAKI's brother. ERNEST PATAKI stated that ELIZABETH HOLLOS lived at 217 East 19th Street, New York City, until April, 1950 and that he met VIVIAN GLASSMAN at a house party at ELIZABETH's apartment.

He saw her subsequently at the United Office and Professional Workers of America meetings, as he was a steward of Local 231, located at the Federal Telecommunication Laboratories, Nutley, New Jersey, and had infrequent dates with her until about 1949 when he began dating her steadily.

He claimed no knowledge of the subject's acquaintance with JULIUS or ETHEL ROSENBERG, or any of their known associates. He claimed no knowledge of Communist Party membership on the part of the subject, and denied that he had attended any Communist Party meetings with her. PATAKI denied that he had ever been in the 65 Morton Street apartment in Greenwich Village, and that the only musicales that he had ever attended with VIVIAN GLASSMAN were public performances.

He stated that he recalled getting a telephone call from GLASSMAN on approximately July 21, 1950 at about 7:30 P.M. and stated that their conversation was interrupted; that GLASSMAN had told him that a man was knocking at her apartment door and that she was frightened. He stated that he did not remember whether she had made the statement relative to opening the door and leaving the receiver off the hook so that he could hear if she were in any trouble. PATAKI said that GLASSMAN opened her apartment door and then returned to the telephone and informed him that everything was all right, and that she would call him later. PATAKI said that he assumed the visitor was a friend, since GLASSMAN seemed to be very much relieved.

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He stated that the subject had never mentioned the incident to him since that time.

P.T.KI advised that he was a naturalized citizen of the United States, having been born in Szeged, Hungary, on June 5, 1915 and that he entered the United States at New York City in 1936. He said that he was naturalized in 1944 in the Eastern District of New York, in the name of ERNEST P.T.KI.

A waiver of search was obtained from ERNEST P.T.KI at the time of his interview, which search reflected that he had approximately fifty Communist books in his library in his apartment at 217 East 19th Street, New York City, reflecting works by MARX, ENGEL, STALIN, LENIN, WILLIAM Z. FOSTER and HOWARD FAST. Also found were several pamphlets, including "Far East Spotlight", and "A Constitutional Right to Advocate Social and Economic Change - An Essential of American Democracy", which was issued by the National Lawyers Guild, New York Chapter, 1050 Avenue of the Americas, New York City. Also found were several petitions issued by the New York Labor Conference for Peace, 80 East 11th Street, New York City, which are popularly known as the Stockholm Peace Petitions; six invitation cards entitled "A Call to William Z. Foster Day", by the New York County Committee Communist Party; a card of admission to a meeting called, "Defense of the Party" at the Hotel Capitol, New York City, Friday, February 11th, reflecting that the speaker would be a member of the National Committee of the Communist Party; a letter dated April 7, 1948 on a letterhead marked to "All Teachers of Ideological Campaign Classes in Branches", signed by S.M COLEM.N, Education Department; and one fourteen page bulletin entitled, "New York County Education Department Bulletin", prepared by the Cultural Committee of the Communist Party, with the following content:

"1. Model weekly quiz.
2. Skit - Dialectically Speaking.
3. Skit - Sky High the Limit, with a page headed "Suggestion for Weekly Quiz, Information Gathered from the Daily Worker".

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P.TAKI advised that he has participated in May Day Parades in New York City and that he marched in the May 1, 1950 parade. He stated that he did not consider the May Day Parade a Communist Party function, but rather considers it a union activity.

P.TAKI denied that he was a member of the Communist Party or had been a member in past years. He stated that he was not a Communist, but was a "progressive", and explained the Communist Party literature and Communist books in his library by stating that as an officer of his union he kept abreast of progressive developments by reading "progressive" books and literature, in which category he placed the above.

The following is a description of ERNEST P.TAKI:

Name	ERNEST JOSEPH P.TAKI, was.: Erno Jozsef Pataki, Ernest Packi
Residence	217 East 19th Street, New York City - 1945-1950
Previous residences	834 Riverside Drive, New York City 827 Waring Avenue, Bronx, New York - 1940-1941 231 West 70th Street, New York City - 1941-1942 2531 East 18th Street, Brooklyn, New York - 1942-1943 54 West 91st Street, New York City - 1943-1945
Born	June 5, 1915 at Szeged, Hungary
Citizenship	Entered United States in 1936 at New York City, naturalized June 21, 1944, Eastern District of New York
Race	White
Height	5' 8"
Weight	145 pounds

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Hair	Black, streaked with grey, combed straight back
Eyes	Grey-blue
Complexion	Sallow
Present employment	Instructor, Electrical Engineering Department, Cooper Union for the Advancement of Arts and Science, 3rd Avenue and 6th Street, New York City
Previous employments	Electric Motors Company, New York City Pilot Radio Company, Long Island City Link Radio Company, 125 West 17th Street, New York City Federal Telecommunication Laboratories, Nutley, New Jersey
Education	Gymnasium, Hungary, and Cooper Union, School of Electrical Engineering; graduated 1944 with E.E. degree
Relatives	Father, CHARLES, deceased; Mother, ROSE, resides in Hungary; Brother, EMERY, 257 West 86th Street, New York City; Sisters, LILY, resides in Hungary, ELIZABETH resides in Hungary
Organizations	Institute of Radio Engineers (former member the Federation of Architects, Engineers, Chemists and Technicians before merger with Institute of Radio Engineers) Former steward of United Office and Professional Workers of America, Local 231, at Federal Telecommunication Laboratories, Nutley, New Jersey

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Social Security #	112-09-9750
Alien Registration Number (1940)	3491111
FBI Number	749162

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INTERVIEW OF THOMAS BISHOP,
Superintendent, 217 East 19th Street, New York City

On February 8, 1952 Mr. THOMAS BISHOP, 207 East 19th Street, New York City, superintendent of the building at 217 East 19th Street, the residence address of the subject's husband, ERNEST PATAKI, advised that he has not seen ERNEST PATAKI at this address for about three weeks or since about the middle of January, 1952, except on one occasion, which he recalled as about the first week in February, 1952 when he noted that PATAKI was moving a considerable amount of furniture from his apartment into a small truck.

Mr. BISHOP stated that PATAKI's apartment, number 4A, appears to be empty, but that he had no notice of evacuation from PATAKI. He stated that he reported the moving of furniture by PATAKI to the owner of the building on the date that he observed this moving and had inquired of the owner if PATAKI had given him a notice that he was going to move. He stated that the owner had advised him that he had received no notice that PATAKI was moving and that he had informed BISHOP that he would not tolerate PATAKI placing new tenants in the apartment without the owner's and BISHOP's approval. BISHOP advised that he planned to padlock the apartment door if he noticed new tenants in 4A or a new name on PATAKI's mail box.

Inspection of the mail box at 217 East 19th Street reflected that PATAKI's name was still attached thereto. No shades or curtains were in the windows of apartment 4A and the apartment did not appear to be inhabited.

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IDENTITY OF BANKS REDEEMING
SUBJECT'S SAVINGS BONDS

In connection with endeavors to locate a bank account for the subject in the nineteen forties, it was ascertained that VIVIAN GLASSMAN had cashed a number of United States Government Savings Bonds on 1945 at the Federal Home Loan Bank at New York City and at the Brooklyn Trust Company, Brooklyn, New York.

The Chicago Office was requested to ascertain from the United States Treasury Department, Fiscal Service, Bureau of Public Debt at Chicago, Illinois, the identity of the sub-agents of the above banks which cashed VIVIAN GLASSMAN's savings bonds and the dates of redemption. On November 29, 1951 the Chicago Office advised that the redemption stamps on the subject's bonds identified as Q456111535E, Q456112112E, Q456111991E was 1-102-14 of the Brooklyn Trust Company, Brooklyn, New York, and the date of payment was October 19, 1945. The subject's savings bonds Q124954706E, Q256689626E, and Q303703722E bore the redemption stamp of the Federal Home Loan Bank $1-88-90-1. The date of redemption was October 29, 1945. The cashing agent for the latter three bonds was C. J. FRANCOIS.

At the Federal Home Loan Bank, New York City, it was ascertained that the identify of sub-agent number 1-88-90-1 was the South Brooklyn Savings and Loan Association, 44 Willoughby Street, Brooklyn, New York.

On January 10, 1952 at the South Brooklyn Savings and Loan Association, 44 Willoughby Street, Brooklyn, New York, [redacted] advised that no record of an account for VIVIAN GLASSMAN could be located at this bank or at any of its four branches in New York City. No record of the identification exhibited by GLASSMAN to identify herself for the purpose of cashing these bonds was located. b7D

[redacted] advised that it has never been a requirement of the bank that an individual presenting a United States Government Bond for redemption had to be a depositor at the bank; that it was only necessary for an individual to satisfactorily identify himself to cash such bonds. b7D

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At the Manufacturers Trust Company, 55 Broad Street, New York City, which bank has absorbed the Brooklyn Trust Company, [redacted] advised that the identity of the sub-agent number 1-102-14 was the Fulton Street Branch of the Brooklyn Trust Company and that the identification book kept by this branch concerning bond redemptions reflected that VIVIAN GLASSMAN, 343 East 8th Street, New York City, had cashed these bonds on October 19, 1945 and that she had identified herself as an employee of the Personal Service Bureau of Columbia University. He stated that no account in the name of VIVIAN GLASSMAN was located in the records of the Brooklyn Trust Company. [redacted] also stated that there was no record of VIVIAN GLASSMAN being the renter of a safe deposit box in any of the Manufacturer Trust Company's branches in New York City.

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BANKING INFORMATION

At the Bankers Trust Company, 16 Wall Street, Confidential Informant T-3, of known reliability, made available the following information concerning the subject's account:

Ledger sheets for the subject's account for October, 1951 reflected that on October 9, 1951 she had a balance of $86.96 and made the following deposits and withdrawals:

Date	Checks	Deposits
October 9, 1951	$ 5.60	
October 11, 1951	9.60	
"	1.00	
October 12, 1951	35.72	
"	.50	
October 24, 1951	9.60	$ 50.00
October 31, 1951	29.90	
November 5, 1951		74.39
November 7, 1951	9.60	

Balance November 7, 1951 $ 108.78

Check Withdrawals Identified as Follows:

Checks	Date	Payee	Amount	Endorsers
#220	October 3, 1951	Elron Co.	$ .50	Elron Co., Lake Shore National Bank, Chicago, Ill.
221	October 8, 1951	NY Telephone Co.	5.60	
222	"	NY State Tax Commission	35.72	
223	"	Majestic Theater	9.60	
225	"	Alvin Theater	9.60	
226	"	Daily Compass	1.00	

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Checks	Date	Payee	Amount	Endorsers
#228	October 23, 1951	Greenspan Equities	$ 29.90	
229	November 1, 1951	Music Box Theatre	9.60	

The deposits were identified as follows:

Date	Checks
October 24, 1951	$ 5.00
"	10.00
"	35.00
November 5, 1951	74.39

The identity of the makers of these checks could not be ascertained as no recordak is maintained of checks deposited.

The ledger sheet for the month of November, 1951 reflects as follows:

Date	Checks	Deposits
November 13, 1951	$15.28	
November 16, 1951	35.00	$ 20.00
November 19, 1951	8.19	
November 21, 1951	29.90	45.00
December 3, 1951	2.00	
December 5, 1951	9.00	

Balance December 5, 1951
$ 44.46

Checks	Date (1951)	Payee	Amount	Endorsers
#232	November 8	United Hospital Fund	$ 2.00	
240	November 9	East Side Refrigerator Company	15.28	Stuyvesant Branch, National City Bank
241	November 14	Sally Rauch	35.00	

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Checks	Date (1951)	Payee	Amount	Endorsers
# 242	November 15	Ohrbachs	$ 8.19	
243	November 21	Greenspan Equities Inc.	29.90	
245	December 1	Health Insurance Plan of Greater NY	9.00	

The ledger sheet for December, 1951 reflects as follows:

Date	Checks	Deposits
December 14, 1951		$ 40.00
December 20, 1951	$29.90	
December 26, 1951	16.77	
"	5.77	
December 17, 1951	7.20	
December 28, 1951		74.39
December 31, 1951	10.00	

Checks	Date (1951)	Payee	Amount
# 260	December 20	Greenspan Equities	$ 29.90
270	December 26	Consolidated Edison	16.77
280	December 26	NY Telephone Co.	5.77
247	December 17	Century Theater	7.20
261	December 31	Rose Tusky	10.00

The ledger sheet for the mohth of January, 1952 reflects as follows:

Balance January 10 $77.16

Date	Checks	Deposit
January 22, 1952	$18.52	
January 24, 1952	29.90	$ 81.13
January 29, 1952	28.79	

Balance January 31, 1952
$ 80.53

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The ledger sheet for January, 1952 further reflects:

Checks	Date (1952)	Payee	Amount	Endorsers
# 283	January 18	S. Klein	$ 18.52	
282	January 19	Greenspan Equities	29.90	
284	January 24	Gladys Glassman	28.79	Corduroy Corner, Inc. 7 Greenwich Ave., NYC

Greenspan Equities reflected as a payee above is the owner of the apartment house in which the subject resides at 131 East 7th Street, New York City.

Mrs. ROSE TUSKY, 113 Avenue A, reflected as a payee of a $10.00 check dated December 31, 1951 is the superintendent of the subject's apartment building. It is believed that this $10.00 was a holiday gift given to the superintendent of the building as is the custom in New York City.

GLADYS GLASSMAN, payee of check dated January 24, 1952 for $28.79, is the subject's sister.

S. Klein and Ohrbach's are department stores in New York City.

The information obtained from Confidential Informant T-3 is not to be made public except in the usual proceeding following the issuance of a subpoena.

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STOPS AND LOOKOUT NOTICES PLACED

On October 30, 1951 the Bureau advised that a communication had been received from the Criminal Division of the Justice Department which was dated October 10, 1951 in which the Criminal Division requested that the Immigration and Naturalization Service advise the Department of the intended departure from the United States of VIVIAN GLASSMAN, but that Immigration and Naturalization Service should take no steps to detain her.

On February 12, 1952, in view of the subject's marriage to ERNEST PATAKI and the expected use by the subject of her marriage name, the Washington Field Office was requested to arrange with the Immigration and Naturalization Service to add the name VIVIAN PATAKI and Mrs. ERNEST JOSEPH PATAKI to the aforementioned lookout notice.

On the same date the Washington Field Office was requested to contact the United States Department of State and add to a previous stop notice placed there on the name VIVIAN GLASSMAN the additional names of VIVIAN PATAKI and Mrs. ERNEST JOSEPH PATAKI.

On February 14, 1952 the New York Office of the Immigration and Naturalization Service was also notified that VIVIAN GLASSMAN was now married to ERNEST JOSEPH PATAKI and a request was made that these names be added to a previous stop notice placed with the Immigration and Naturalization Service, New York City.

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INTERVIEW OF MARILYN MILLS

Miss MARILYN MILLS, 33-11 74th Street, Jackson Heights, New York, was interviewed by SA ROBERT F. ROYAL and the writer on January 11, 1952 and she advised that she was a graduate of Queens College, Long Island, New York, class of June, 1951 and is at present employed at the Bulova Watch Company, Long Island City, New York.

Miss MILLS stated that she believes that she met EDWARD JAMES WEINSTEIN sometime in the latter part of 1948 or early 1949 at a Cornell University social affair staged somewhere on Park Avenue, New York City, but does not remember who introduced them.

She stated that her brother, MARVIN MILLS, was a student at Cornell University for one term from about February to June, 1949 and that during that period she visited Ithaca, New York twice to attend Cornell University dances. She travelled by train to Ithaca on both occasions. She used a taxicab from the railroad station the first time and was met at the railroad station by WEINSTEIN the second time. Miss MILLS stated that the dances were held on Friday or Saturday nights and that she arrived in Ithaca on Friday night and returned to New York City on Sunday; that she undoubtedly met a number of friends of WEINSTEIN while at the dance and probably met her brother's roommates and some of his friends. However, she stated that she does not remember their names nor does she recollect them by description. She stated that she actually had very little time to spend in Ithaca other than the period during which the dances were held and that WEINSTEIN did not take her to visit any Ithaca residents.

She advised that she recalls meeting MAX FINESTONE in Ithaca but that she does not know anything about him other than that her recollection of him associates him with the telling of obscene jokes and stories.

Miss MILLS stated that she had several dates with WEINSTEIN in New York City during 1949-1950 and that they went to the movies on these dates. She stated that she has no recollection of WEINSTEIN ever taking her to visit anyone's apartment in Greenwich Village, but on one occasion after the theatre he took her to his apartment on

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the lower East Side of New York City where a large party was in progress. She claimed she could recall no details of the affair; whether it was a housewarming or other occasion; whether or not MAX FINESTONE was there or whether any of the individuals that she had met at the Cornell University dances were there. She claimed that she did not recall if there was music or dancing; if it was staged as a benefit for, or was sponsored by any organization; if anyone made a talk or if the gathering was conducted as a meeting with a presiding officer. She claimed she did not recognize the photographs of VIVIAN and ELEANOR GLASSMAN, WILLIAM PERL or WELDON BRUCE BRYTON, which were exhibited to her, as any of the individuals in attendance. She stated that the lights were very low making it difficult to observe the individuals.

Miss MILLS was shown photographs of ALFRED and LOUISE SARANT to ascertain if she had met them in the company of WEINSTEIN or FINESTONE or if they had taken her to visit SARANT's home in Ithaca. She stated that she did not recognized the SARANTS as anyone she had met or visited in Ithaca.

She was also asked what mode of transportation she had used to return from Ithaca to New York City and she replied that she had to the best of her recollection used a train. To the question of whether or not she had ever driven back in WEINSTEIN's Buick convertible she answered that she may have, but she did not recall doing so.

Miss MILLS stated that she knew very little about WEINSTEIN and that she had not seen him for about two years; that WEINSTEIN had not told her that he was studying the Russian language nor had he discussed Communism pro or con; that he had indicated that he was interested in an organization known as the Young Progressives of America, but that WEINSTEIN was not a talkative individual and disclosed very little information concerning himself or his activities.

She stated that she had not met any members of his family nor had she ever been to his parents' home at 211 Central Park West, New York City. She claimed no knowledge of mutual acquaintance between WEINSTEIN,

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FINESTONE, WILLIAM PERL and the GLASSMAN sisters, VIVIAN and ELEANOR.

It was observed that Miss MILLS' recollection of events, persons, times and places became more vague as the interview progressed and the interview was discontinued with a request that Miss MILLS review her recollection of the individuals whose photographs had been shown to her and that recontact would be made with her.

Upon recontact the following week Miss MILLS refused to be interviewed and stated that she had given all the information that she wished to give.

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INTERVIEW OF DANIEL MARIEN
209 Clinton Avenue
New York City

On February 14, 1952 DANIEL MARIEN, 209 Clinton Street, New York City, apartment 6C, was interviewed by SA ROBERT F. ROYAL and the writer at Schermerhorn Hall, Columbia University, where he is currently working toward a doctor's degree. MARIEN was telephonically contacted at his residence during the late afternoon of February 13, 1952 and he suggested Schermerhorn Hall, Columbia University, as the place where he desired to be interviewed.

MARIEN was cordial in receiving the agents and inquired as to the agents' interest in him. He was advised that the Bureau's inquiry was of the upmost interest to the security of the United States and that possibly he could be of assistance in connection with an investigation being conducted by the Bureau.

MARIEN, upon the mention of the name of MAX FINESTONE stated, "I don't wish to answer any question or questions which would tend to incriminate me". He refused to explain how his answers might tend to incriminate him. MARIEN, in answer to questions, advised that he did not have any knowledge of nor had he ever participated in any crimes against the United States. He was specifically asked as to whether or not he had any knowledge of or if he had ever participated in any acts of espionage and he stated that he had not participated nor did he have any knowledge of acts of espionage against the United States.

He stated, in answer to questions, that he was a citizen of the United States; that he had served honorably in the United States military service during World War II; that he believed in our constitutional form of government and democratic way of life; that he considered himself a loyal American citizen and then repeated his statement that he did not wish to answer any questions on the grounds that it may tend to incriminate him.

He stated that he did not have an attorney nor had he consulted with one. MARIEN stated that the only person with whom he had discussed the matter of an interview

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with the FBI was with his wife and he stated, "This is my decision". MARIEN stated that on February 13, 1952 he had consented to be interviewed only in a desire to learn of the Bureau's interest in him.

The following description of DANIEL MARIEN was obtained through observation and investigation:

Name	DANIEL MARIEN
Address	Apartment 6C, 209 Clinton Street, New York City
Birth date	August 19, 1925
Birth place	New York City
Race	White
Sex	Male
Height	5' 7"
Weight	135 pounds
Build	Slender
Hair	Black, long crew cut, combed straight back
Eyes	Dark brown
Complexion	Sallow
Marital status	Married
Relatives	Wife, GRACE C. MARIEN, nee MIRANDA Father, LEON MARIEN, 1916 Grand Concourse, Bronx, New York
Education	College of the City of New York, Advanced Undergraduate Standing, Bachelor of Science, New York State College of Agriculture, Cornell University on September 20, 1949; Master of Science, Columbia University, zoology major, June 7, 1951
Occupation	Graduate student at Columbia University working toward doctorate
Military service	Unknown branch, allegedly served during World War II

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Background Information pertaining to DANIEL MARIEN

JOHN DAVID LYLE, who currently resides at 321 Elizabeth Avenue, Lafayette, Louisiana, advised SA ROBERT F. ROYAL on October 16, 1951 that DANIEL MARIEN, who was a student at Cornell University during the time MAX FINESTONE was in attendance at Cornell University, moved into the FINESTONE-WEINSTEIN apartment at 418 East 9th Street, New York City, during the late spring or summer of 1950.

GARETH (GARY) PICKARD had advised that DANIEL MARIEN, whom he believed to have been a former student at Cornell University, had resided with FINESTONE and EDWARD JAMES WEINSTEIN at their 418 East 9th Street, New York City apartment sometime during 1950.

On July 6, 1951 Assistant United States Attorney JOHN M. FOLEY, Southern District of New York, advised that FINESTONE informed him on that date by telephone that he was currently residing at 209 Clinton Street, New York City, with an unnamed friend.

The current Manhattan telephone directory indicates that one DANIEL MARIEN resides at 209 Clinton Street and has telephone number OR 7-6809. This number first appeared in a 1951 directory.

Mrs. ESTHER FISHER, apartment 3A, 209 Clinton Street, New York City, advised on August 5, 1951 that she had observed FINESTONE in her building on August 4, 1951. She stated that he received a package through the mail on that date. She advised that it was her understanding that MAX FINESTONE was using the MARIEN apartment while they were away for the summer months. Mrs. FISHER stated that Mrs. MARIEN is a teacher by profession.

Records of the registrar's office for the Graduate School, Columbia University, New York City, reflect that DANIEL MARIEN, 209 Clinton Street, New York City, telephone number OR 7-6809, entered the Graduate School in September, 1949. MARIEN had formerly attended Cornell University and had received his Bachelor of Science degree in September, 1949. MARIEN received his Master of Science degree on June 7, 1951 and re-entered Columbia Graduate School on September 20, 1951 and is

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currently working toward his doctor's degree. The records further reflect that LEO MARIEN, 1916 Grand Concourse, Bronx, New York, is his parent and that GRACE C. MARIEN is his wife. The records indicate that he was born August 19, 1925 in New York City and that he has a New York State Veterans Scholarship.

The records of the Board of Election for New York City reflect that the signature of one DANIEL MARIEN, 1916 Grand Concourse, Bronx, New York, appeared on a Communist Party Independent Nominating Petition, State of New York, dated August, 1946.

The "Cornell Daily Sun", student newspaper at Cornell University, in its issue of May 17, 1947 reflects an article captioned "AYD...Elects Officers". The article states that at a meeting held May 16, 1947 DANIEL MARIEN of the class of 1950 was elected Representative at Large.

Confidential Informant T-5, of known reliability, advised that DANIEL MARIEN was elected to the Executive Committee of the Cornell Chapter of the American Youth for Democracy for the 1947-1947 school year.

The American Youth for Democracy has been cited by the Attorney General as coming within the purview of Executive Order 9835.

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INTERVIEW OF NATHAN AND GERTRUDE SUSSMAN

On March 17, 1951 NATHAN SUSSMAN, who resides at 5655 205th Street, Bayside, Long Island, New York, was interviewed by SAS BERT S. TAYLOR and ROBERT F. ROYAL concerning his knowledge of members of the ROSENBERG espionage apparatus. SUSSMAN stated that he met ALFRED SARANT at the Western Electric, Bayonne, New Jersey plant approximately one month after he began his employment there. He placed this as approximately May, 1942.

SARANT was employed, as was SUSSMAN, in the Electrical Engineering Division of Western Electric. SUSSMAN indicated that he moved to Western Electric's 11th Avenue and 42nd Street plants with SARANT and at the latter plant SUSSMAN was SARANT's immediate supervisor for a very short period of time. He indicated that this was possibly in ZPG 7 (Eagle) radar project. SUSSMAN recalled that SARANT moved from Western Electric to Bell Laboratories in the latter part of 1945.

SUSSMAN stated that in the latter half of 1942 a branch known as 16B of the Industrial Division, Communist Party, USA, was organized. He stated that either JULIUS ROSENBERG or JOEL BARR had invited him to become a member of Branch 16B. SUSSMAN stated that among the small membership of this group were JULIUS and ETHEL ROSENBERG, JOEL BARR, ALFRED SARANT and SUSSMAN's wife, GERTRUDE SUSSMAN.

SUSSMAN stated that meetings were held monthly usually at the home of JULIUS and ETHEL ROSENBERG, 10 Monroe Street, New York City. He recalled that on one occasion the monthly meeting of this group was held at his apartment, which was then located at 103 Eldridge Street, New York City. SUSSMAN stated that JULIUS ROSENBERG was the Chairman of this group on most occasions and that he was the Secretary-Treasurer. SUSSMAN indicated that in all probability SARANT would have paid his Communist Party dues to him, based on a small percentage of SARANT's salary.

SUSSMAN, in describing the operations of this group, indicated that it was a Marxist study group which

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had no outside group activities. He recalled that on one occasion the group participated in the addressing of some envelopes in connection with a Communist Party election campaign in approximately 1943. He indicated that SARANT was in regular attendance at the meetings held from 1942 until the time he transferred out of the group sometime prior to February, 1944.

Concerning the dissolution of this group, SUSSMAN stated that in approximately February, 1944 he submitted a list of the members of his branch to the Industrial Division Headquarters, Communist Party, USA, on Bleecker Street, New York City, and was given Communist Party transfer cards for each of the members of this group. He does not recall definitely having given a transfer card to SARANT. However, he believes that in all probability the transfer card from this group to a neighborhood club would have been delivered to him.

SUSSMAN assumed that each member of his Communist Party branch utilized his transfer card and re-affiliated with his respective Communist Party clubs. He stated that he had no direct knowledge that this was done; however, he believes that possibly SARANT told him that he had joined the Greenwich Village Club of the Communist Party after the dissolving of Branch 16E.

NATHAN SUSSMAN advised that he recalled that Branch 16B of the Industrial Division, Communist Party, USA, had a farewell party in 1944 at Benats Restaurant, which he believed was then located on 32nd or 33rd Street between Eighth and Ninth Avenues in New York City. He recalled that JULIUS and ETHEL ROSENBERG, JOEL BARR, ALFRED SARANT and others, including his wife, GERTRUDE SUSSMAN and himself, attended this private dinner. He recalled that ETHEL ROSENBERG sang as part of their entertainment.

It is to be noted that the Communist Party has been declared by the Attorney General as coming within the purview of Executive Order 9835.

Concerning the social relationship which existed between ALFRED SARANT and SUSSMAN, he recalled visiting at

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SARANT's and BARR's apartment in New Jersey while they were all employed at the Bayonne plant of Western Electric Company. SUSSMAN also recalled that he visited SARANT's apartment with a group of fellow employees in the early part of 1943 in the Bayonne, New Jersey area at which time SARANT was ill.

He recalled that ALICE KATZ, a girl friend of ALFRED SARANT who was employed at the United States Army Signal Corps at Fort Monmouth, New Jersey was in the apartment nursing SARANT. SUSSMAN believed that KATZ was staying in SARANT's apartment during his convalescence. SUSSMAN further advised that he recalled meeting ALICE KATZ again at a musicale at JOEL BARR's parents' penthouse apartment, which was located on West 97th Street in New York City, possibly in 1944. She was married at this time and her husband was away in military service. SUSSMAN stated that ALFRED SARANT was also present at this musicale.

SUSSMAN recalled having gone with his wife GERTRUDE in approximately 1943 (date is prior to SUSSMAN's marriage to his wife - December 2, 1943) to JOEL BARR's apartment, which was located in the Greenwich Village area. He stated that he could not definitely recall the address; however, it was not SARANT's 65 Morton Street apartment. He further described the apartment as having one and one-half rooms and that a girl named GLADYS lived either next door or across the hall from BARR with another girl.

SUSSMAN identified photographs of GLADYS MEYER, who is now known as Mrs. JUNIUS SCALES, and of NORMA HANAN MOODY as being identical with the two girls who lived either next door or across the hall from JOEL BARR. SUSSMAN recalled that SARANT was present at the time he and his wife visited BARR on this occasion.

SUSSMAN recalled that he and his wife went to an ice skating party during the winter of 1944 with ALFRED SARANT and JOEL BARR. He stated that they traveled by train to a public lake in Westchester, New York. He stated that others who went on this ice skating party were JOEL BARR, ALFRED SARANT, GLADYS MEYER, RICHARD

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SARANT and ELECTRA SARANT, brother and sister of ALFRED SARANT, and he and his wife. SUSSMAN recalled visiting SARANT at 65 Morton Street, New York City, on one occasion with his wife subsequent to January, 1945 and prior to VJ Day (August 15, 1945). He recalled that SARANT's wife, whom he identified from photographs, was the only other individual present. He stated that he did not know whether SARANT was married at that time.

SUSSMAN explained that this was the last social visit with SARANT and that their friendship was dissolved over a personality breach and that this visit was the climactic point. He explained that their difficulty was over Communism. SUSSMAN stated that he was becoming very dissatisfied with the Communist Party movement and that he and SARANT had numerous discussions over SUSSMAN's breaking away from the Communist movement. He stated that SARANT stayed true to the Communist Party movement and always opposed him in his viewpoint on this question. SUSSMAN recalled seeing SARANT for the last time somewhere in New York City after VJ Day with JOEL BARR.

SUSSMAN recalled hearing from SARANT or BARR that they were planning to start a research laboratory and heard that this plan was consumated and that Sarant Laboratories was opened with a Greenwich Village address. He stated that he had never been to the Sarant Laboratories and was unable to furnish any additional information.

SUSSMAN also related an instance in which SARANT, BARR, GLADYS MEYER, VIVIAN GLASSMAN and he and his wife participated. He said that GLADYS MEYER prior to December, 1943 was dating SARANT and he believes that VIVIAN GLASSMAN was then dating JOEL BARR. He related that although MEYER was dating SARANT, she was in love with BARR and in order to "purge" herself of SARANT she [redacted] with some unknown man at the very same resort in the Peekskill Mountain region where SUSSMAN and his wife were spending their honeymoon in December, 1943. b7C

SARANT heard about this and "blew his top". In an attempt to effect a reconciliation between MEYER

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and SARANT, VIVIAN GLASSMAN entered into this as a consulting psychologist. The reason for VIVIAN GLASSMAN's participation in this was that she desired to assist in a reconciliation between GLADYS MEYER and ALFRED SARANT and her sole interest was saving JOEL BARR for herself.

On March 20, 1951 Mrs. NATHAN SUSSMAN was reinterviewed by SAS LERT S. TAYLOR and ROBERT F. ROYAL at her residence, 56-55 205th Street, Bayside, Long Island, New York. Concerning Branch 16B, Industrial Division, Communist Party, USA, she advised that this was a Communist cell or branch of which her husband was a member prior to their marriage on December 2, 1943. She stated that she joined this group in the latter months of 1943 and recalled having attended three meetings. She indicated that the meetings were held at her husband's parents' residence at 103 Eldridge Street and at JULIUS ROSENBERG's 10 Monroe Street, New York City residence.

Mrs. SUSSMAN stated that she was quite dissatisfied with the inactivity of this group inasmuch as it was her first Communist Party membership and she had expected to join with a group which had an active program. She was unable to recall any specific activity of the group. She recalled that this group disbanded in approximately February, 1944 and transfer cards were issued to each of the members so that they might rejoin in their respective neighborhood Communist Party clubs. Among the members who attended meetings were ALFRED SARANT, JOEL BARR, JULIUS and ETHEL ROSENBERG, her husband NATHAN SUSSMAN, and herself.

Mrs. SUSSMAN recalled that possibly in 1944 or 1945 she and her husband were at the ROSENBERG apartment at 10 Monroe Street, New York City, when JOEL BARR and possibly ALFRED SARANT were present. She related that she had written a paper on Communism in connection with one of the courses she was pursuing at Columbia University and that she had brought this paper with her to the ROSENBERG apartment. She stated that JOEL BARR read the paper and tossed it aside admonishing her for taking an anti-Communist stand. She recalled that ALFRED SARANT and JOEL BARR were an inseparable pair and that she and her husband visited BARR and SARANT in an apartment near

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West 12th Street in the Greenwich Village area of New York City prior to their marriage.

Mrs. SUSSMAN stated that this is the same apartment to which her husband has referred as possibly the temporary residence for SARANT and JOEL BARR prior to the 65 Morton Street, New York City residence. Mrs. SUSSMAN stated that GLADYS MEYER and NORMA HANAN resided next door to JOEL BARR's apartment and at that time BARR was dating NORMA HANAN and SARANT was dating GLADYS MEYER. Mrs. SUSSMAN identified the photographs of GLADYS MEYER SCALES and NORMA HANAN MOODY.

Mrs. SUSSMAN also recalled that ALFRED SARANT came to their apartment in the Sunnyside Section of Long Island, New York, in early 1944 and related his difficulties with GLADYS MEYER to them. It is noted that in reporting the information received from NATHAN SUSSMAN the GLADYS MEYER incident was set forth and Mrs. SUSSMAN substantiated the facts pertaining to this incident.

Subsequent to SARANT's visit to their Sunnyside residence, Mrs. SUSSMAN stated that she and her husband met JOEL BARR, ALFRED SARANT and VIVIAN GLASSMAN somewhere in the Greenwich Village area of New York City in possibly January, 1944. She stated that the reason for this meeting was for them to discuss the GLADYS MEYER problem and that it had been contemplated that ALFRED SARANT would approach GLADYS MEYER for a reconciliation.

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INTERVIEW OF GLADYS MEYER SCALES
36 Carr Street
Carrboro, North Carolina

On January 30, 1951 the Charlotte Office advised that Mrs. GLADYS MEYER SCALES, who has been identified by Confidential Informant T-4, of known reliability, as a Communist and the wife of JUNIUS SCALES, Chairman of the Communist Party, USA, District 29, was contacted at her home, 36 Carr Street, Carrboro, North Carolina, by SAS CARMON J. STUART and JAMES E. WALLACE.

She refused to open the door to them, but asked the agents through the screen door what they wanted to know. She was advised that they desired to obtain some information from her concerning certain individuals whom she knew in New York. She stated that she considered her friends and contacts "personal" matters which she did not care to discuss with the FBI.

In the conversation it was indicated to her that information was desired concerning ALFRED SARANT (No other names were mentioned.) and she restated her attitude in general that she considered her contacts personal and did not want to be interviewed about them. She did not confirm or deny knowing SARANT. She added that she felt as "citizens" she and her friends had a "right" not to be "investigated" by the FBI.

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NEW YORK

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At New York, New York

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WASHINGTON FIELD

At Washington, D. C.

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Will, at the Central Office of the Immigration and Naturalization Service, arrange to add to a previous lookout notice requested on subject in the name VIVIAN GLASSMAN, the addtional names, VIVIAN PATAKI and Mrs. ERNEST JOSEPH PATAKI, subject's marriage names.

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ADMINISTRATIVE cont'd

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REFERENCE

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Report of SA RICHARD T. HRADSKY, 12/21/51, New York.

New York teletype to the Bureau and Washington Field, 2/12/52.

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NEW YORK	3/5/52	10/30;11/9,29; 12/6,21/51;1/ 10,11,21,23,31; 2/7,8,11-14,20/ 52	RICHARD T. HRADSKY

TITLE	CHARACTER OF CASE
~~CHANGED~~ VIVIAN GLASSMAN, was.; Vivian Pataki, Mrs. Ernest Joseph Pataki	ESPIONAGE - R INTERNAL SECURITY ACT OF 1950

SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

VIVIAN GLASSMAN, 131 E. 7th St., NYC, resigned her position at Long Island College Hospital, Brooklyn, NY, on 12/31/51. Informant advised she is not employed at present. Records of Marriage License Bureau, Manhattan, reflect that GLASSMAN was married to ERNEST PATAKI, an instructor in electrical engineering, Cooper Union Institute, NYC, on 1/19/52. Her sister, ELEANOR GLASSMAN, was married on 1/20/52 to EUGENE E. HUTNER and they reside at 335 E. 17th St., NYC. NY banks that redeemed subject's US Savings Bonds in 1945 ascertained to be the Fulton St. Branch of the Brooklyn Trust Company and the South Brooklyn Savings and Loan Association, 44 Willoughby St., Brooklyn, NY. Neither bank has a record of an account for subject. GLASSMAN identified herself as an employee of the Personal Service Bureau, Columbia University, when she cashed her bonds at the Brooklyn Trust Company. No indication of the identity used at the South Brooklyn Savings and Loan Association. Manufacturers Trust Co. advised no safe deposit box for subject located at any branch. MARILYN MILLS advised that JAMES WEINSTEIN took her to a party at his apartment at 418 E. 19th St., NYC, sometime in 1950, but claimed to recollect no details of the nature of the party, nor did she

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (65-59334) DATE: March 27, 1952

FROM : SAC, WFO (65-5550)

SUBJECT: VIVIAN GLASSMAN, was.
ESPIONAGE - R
INTERNAL SECURITY ACT OF 1950

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Re report of SA RICHARD T. HRADSKY dated March 5, 1952, at New York.

Based on New York teletype of February 12, 1952, in captioned case, this office placed an appropriate stop by letter dated February 18, 1952, with the State Department under the additional names VIVIAN PATAKI and Mrs. ERNEST JOSEPH PATAKI, subject's married name.

Since this office had no previous knowledge that a stop notice had been placed with INS as reflected on page 25 of referenced report, a complete new stop was placed by this office with INS including all names of subject by letter dated February 18, 1952. RUC.

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cc: New York (65-15385)

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Director, FBI (65-59334)

VIVIAN GLASSMAN, was.
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TO: L. B. NICHOLS

FROM: R. T. HARBO

DATE: 5-5-52

SUBJECT: VIVIAN GLASSMAN, was.
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There is attached the file which has been maintained in the Laboratory in connection with the above captioned matter. It is desired that this file be maintained as an enclosure behind the main file in the Records Section.

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TITLE	CHARACTER OF CASE
VIVIAN GLASSMAN, was.	ESPIONAGE - R; INTERNAL SECURITY ACT OF 1950

SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

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DETAILS: AT MIAMI, FLORIDA:

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[redacted] in New York City and Miami Beach. Mrs. LOEWENSTEIN also has another daughter whose name is LOIS LOEWENSTEIN. b7C

Mr. LOEWENSTEIN is believed to be retired from active business at the present time.

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INFORMANTS

b7D T-1 [redacted] Lincolndale, New York.

REFERENCE: Report of Special Agent RICHARD T. HRADSKY, 5/20/52, New York.

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TITLE	CHARACTER OF CASE
VIVIAN GLASSMAN, was.	ESPIONAGE - R; INTERNAL SECURITY ACT OF 1950

SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

Mrs. KONSTANT T. KOWALL, Boise, Idaho, does not know JAMES WEINSTEIN, ERNEST PATAKI, or ELEANOR GLASSMAN. KOWALL states she met VIVIAN GLASSMAN in November, 1948, and associated scholastically with her until May, 1949, while both were enrolled in Class 1-F, Marxist Institute of the Jefferson School, Sixteenth and Six Avenue, New York City. KOWALL determined that GLASSMAN was a member of the Communist Party and a member of Local No. 16, UOPWA, a Communist controlled union. GLASSMAN was active in class discussions and well advised in Marxist theory.

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Details:

AT BOISE, IDAHO

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Mrs. KOWALL, however, identified a photograph of VIVIAN GLASSMAN as an individual she had met while attending a class in the Marxist Institute of the Jefferson School, Sixteenth and Sixth Avenue, New York City, New York.

Mrs. KOWALL said that VIVIAN GLASSMAN and she were members of Class 1-F in the Marxist Institute and were associated scholastically from November, 1948, until May, 1949. This class was held during the winter term and designed to develop advanced Communists in the Marxist doctrine.

The school was attended by top leaders and functionaries and by the elite of the Communist movement in the New York City area. KOWALL added that some Communists who were being groomed for entrance into the Communist Party could attend.

KOWALL related that she, KOWALL, was Secretary of Class 1-F and in that capacity maintained the class roll and such records as were associated with attendance. The class started out with approximately thirty-five members but the regular attendance averaged approximately thirty. She recalled that VIVIAN GLASSMAN sat in the first row and was active in class discussions and appeared to be well advanced in Marxist theory.

KOWALL related that as secretary of the class she determined either from conversation with GLASSMAN or from comment made by some Communist members in the class that VIVIAN GLASSMAN was a member of the Communist Party.

KOWALL also stated she learned that VIVIAN GLASSMAN was a member of Local 16 of the Union of Office and Professional Workers of America which at that time was dominated and controlled by the Communist Party in New York City.

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Report of SA RICHARD T. HRADSKY, New York, May 20, 1952 dec 202

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BOSTON	6/27/52	6/4, 12/52	WILLIAM H. CARPENTER cg

TITLE	CHARACTER OF CASE
VIVIAN GLASSMAN, was. Vivian Pataki, Mrs. Ernest Joseph Pataki, "Vivie", Vivian Glassmen, Mrs. S. Goldberg	ESPIONAGE - R INTERNAL SECURITY ACT of 1950

SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

No record of DANIEL MARIEN at Marine Biological Laboratory or Post Office at Woods Hole, Massachusetts.

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DETAILS:

[redacted], Marine Biological Laboratory, Woods Hole, Massachusetts, was unable to recall or locate any record pertaining to DANIEL MARIEN. He was positive that no such person ever registered there as a student or professor or one doing independent research. [redacted] check with his assistants to determine if any of them recalled anyone by that name calling for mail at the above laboratory in 1951, particularly about July. None could recall any MARIEN. b7D

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Indices of the Boston Division failed to reflect any reference to MARIEN not already in the possession of the New York Division

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LOS ANGELES	6/30/52	6/20,23/52	THOMAS E. BRYANT PPP

TITLE: VIVIAN GLASSMAN, was;

CHARACTER OF CASE: ESPIONAGE - R
INTERNAL SECURITY ACT OF 1950

SYNOPSIS OF FACTS: A. A. HEIST, 257 South Spring Street, Los Angeles, correspondent of subject, identical with A. A. HEIST, Executive Director, American Civil Liberties Union, Southern California Branch.

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DETAILS: T-1, of known reliability, advised that on March 11, 1952, subject received a communication bearing the return address "A. A. Heist, 257 S. Spring Street, Los Angeles, California."

On June 9, 1952, T-2, of known reliability, furnished the Los Angeles Office a copy of a news release given to various Los Angeles newspapers by the American Civil Liberties Union, 257 South Spring Street, Los Angeles. This release stated that Mr. A. A. HEIST, who had served as Executive Director for the Southern California Branch of the American Civil Liberties Union, 257 South Spring Street, for the past seven years, had tendered his resignation to take effect July 1, 1952. It was stated HEIST planned to return to his home in Huntington Park, California.

Several references are contained in the files of the Los Angeles Office concerning A. A. HEIST's connections with activities of the American Civil Liberties Union which has been declared by the Attorney General as within the purview of Executive Order 9835. A review of these references fails to

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INFORMANTS:

T-1 Mail cover on subject's residence, 131 East 7th Street, New York City, as set forth in report of SA RICHARD T. HRADSKY dated May 20, 1952, at New York.

T-2 [redacted]ollywood Citizen News, Hollywood, California.

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REFERENCE:

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LOS ANGELES	6/30/52	6/20-23/52	TERRAS E. BRYANT

TITLE	CHARACTER OF CASE
VIVIAN GLASTMAN, was;	ESPIONAGE - R INTERNAL SECURITY ACT OF 1950

SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

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A review of the indices of the New Haven Office reflect no information regarding ALBERT or PEARL M. BERGMAN.

Confidential Informant T-2 advised that ALBERT BERGMAN and his wife presently reside at RFD #3, Danbury, Conn.

Records of the Danbury Credit Bureau and the Danbury Police Dept. reflected no information regarding ALBERT BERGMAN nor his wife PEARL M. BERGMAN.

Confidential Informants T-3 and T-4, who are somewhat acquainted with Communist Party and related activities in the general area, advised that they were not acquainted with ALBERT BERGMAN or PEARL M. BERGMAN.

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INFORMANTS

The following Confidential Informants were utilized in the report of SA PETER R. DURLAND dated 8-26-52 at New Haven, Connecticut.

T-1 is a mail cover on the subject at 131 East 7th St., New York City, as reflected in report of SA RICHARD BRADSHAW dated 5-20-52 at New York City.

T-2 is [redacted], Danbury, Conn. to SA PETER R. DURLAND on 8-20-52. b7D

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VIVIAN GLASSMAN, Was.

CHARACTER OF CASE

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SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

NORMA HANAN, 275 Third Avenue, NYC advised that she was acquainted with ALFRED SARANT, JOEL BARR and MAXWELL FINESTONE but did not meet VIVIAN GLASSMAN and did not know that JOEL BARR was dating her. MILDRED BLOCK and ELAINE GOLD, with whom subject lived at 320 Ocean Avenue, Long Branch, New Jersey while all were employed by the US Signal Corps, located. GOLD refused to talk to agents. Withdrawal of $1,521.75 made from subject's account at Union Square Savings Bank in June 1952. Registration of 1950 Hudson automobile by subject's husband indicates money possibly used to purchase this car. Records of the Vocational Service Bureau, 192 Lexington Avenue, NYC checked. Investigation to locate subject's friend, RUTH ROSENBAUM, nee GASSEL, at her last known employment, Face Contour Incorporated, NYC reveals that this concern discontinued business in 1951. RUTH ROSENBAUM'S father, CHARLES GASSEL, advised that his daughter was now employed by UNESCO in Paris, France and that she is now known as RUTH FROMA. AUSA, SDNY advised subpoenaes will be issued for recalcitrant witnesses to appear before Grand Jury.

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DETAILS:

DAVID GREENGLASS and his wife, RUTH GREENGLASS, have advised that they were recruited into the Soviet espionage apparatus by JULIUS ROSENBERG, a brother-in-law of DAVID GREENGLASS. DAVID GREENGLASS is now serving a fifteen year sentence for transmitting certain classified data relating to the atomic bomb project at Los Alamos, New Mexico, to HARRY GOLD, a confessed Soviet spy now serving a thirty-year sentence for espionage. JULIUS ROSENBERG and his wife, ETHEL, were sentenced to death in April 1951 in the Southern District of New York for conspiracy to commit espionage against the United States.

DAVID and RUTH GREENGLASS learned through conversation with JULIUS ROSENBERG during the period 1946 to 1950 that he was extensively engaged in Soviet espionage in connection with which he was using as a conspiratorial headquarters and for the purpose of microfilming documents and making espionage contacts an apartment in the Greenwich Village section of New York City, and an apartment in the vicinity of Twelfth Street and Avenue B.

Information obtained from MAX ELITCHER, who admits that ROSENBERG attempted to recruit him for Soviet espionage, indicates that the Greenwich Village apartment was located at 65 Morton Street, New York City. This apartment was rented in the name of ALFRED SARANT from October 1943 to January 1950.

Confidential Informant T-1, of known reliability, advised on [redacted] that JULIUS ROSENBERG "mentioned an apartment rented by a student ostensibly used for studying on Morton Street where he, JOEL BARR and 'BILL' used to meet in secret to discuss their plans." ROSENBERG did not identify "BILL" at this time, but from other conversations informant had with ROSENBERG, "BILL" is believed by T-1 to be WILLIAM PERL. b7D

On [redacted] T-1 stated that ROSENBERG informed that this apartment was ostensibly rented for a student to have a place to study but that the real purpose was to have a place for meetings. ROSENBERG said that he had typed for many hours on various occasions in the Morton Street apartment and that to reduce the typing sounds he placed rubber pads under the typewriter table legs and would let the water run in the bathroom. ROSENBERG advised T-1 that he paid the rent on this apartment. b7D

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ALFRED SARANT, upon interview, has advised that he was a member of the Greenwich Village Branch of the Communist Party in 1943-1944 and believes that he met JULIUS ROSENBERG through a mutual friend named JOEL BARR. SARANT has denied that ROSENBERG was ever in his apartment at 65 Morton Street, but MAX ELITCHER has advised that JULIUS ROSENBERG, JOEL BARR, WILLIAM PERL (also known to him as WILLIAM MUTTERPERL), and ELITCHER and his wife, HELENE, were together in SARANT'S apartment, number 6-I, at 65 Morton Street, New York City, in 1943-1944.

In 1945 ALFRED SARANT married LOUISE JACQUELINE RUBEL-ROSS and moved to Ithaca, New York, in about September, 1946 at which time the apartment at 65 Morton Street, New York City, was taken by his friend, JOEL BARR. It was arranged that BARR would send him the rent for the apartment in Ithaca, New York, and that SARANT would then pay the landlord of 65 Morton Street by check.

SARANT has advised that WILLIAM PERL, who was a friend of both SARANT and JOEL BARR, used the apartment subsequent to JOEL BARR under the same rental paying arrangement and that PERL in sending the last money order payment in January 1950, attached a note requesting SARANT to relinquish the apartment as PERL no longer had any use for it.

ALFRED SARANT, following his interview by Bureau agents in July-August 1950, fled the United States into Mexico, entering under an assumed name. His present whereabouts are unknown.

WILLIAM PERL has been identified as a Soviet agent by ROSENBERG to Confidential Informant T-1. PERL is at present under indictment for perjury before the Federal Grand Jury in the Southern District of New York.

JOEL BARR was identified as a Soviet agent by ROSENBERG to DAVID GREENGLASS following JOEL BARR'S sailing from the United States for Europe in January 1948. ROSENBERG advised DAVID GREENGLASS that BARR was going to Europe to continue his espionage work in European countries.

ALFRED SARANT has advised that JOEL BARR had a girl friend named VIVIAN GLASSMAN and that he believes that VIVIAN GLASSMAN sent him the first few rental payments in the form of money orders for the apartment rent at 65 Morton Street, New York City.

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The Albany Office advised on July 22, 1950 that a money order number 988487 issued at the Church Street Station Post Office, New York City, on August 8, 1949, payable to ALFRED SARANT from VIVIAN GLASSMAN, 131 East Seventh Street, New York City, as a remitter, was located in the account of ALFRED SARANT in the First National Bank of Ithaca, New York. This money order was in the amount of $45.00 and bore a deposit date of August 11, 1949.

VIVIAN GLASSMAN has advised upon interview that she was the former fiancee of JOEL BARR and that she had sent money orders to ALFRED SARANT in payment of the rent on 65 Morton Street in July and August 1948. She also admitted that she had made an airplane trip to Cleveland, Ohio on July 22, 1950 to contact WILLIAM PERL with $2,000. in cash and to give instructions to PERL to leave the United States and go to Mexico. She stated that she received the $2,000. and the instructions for PERL from an unknown man who contacted her at her apartment at 131 East Seventh Street, New York City, on the evening of July 21, 1950. GLASSMAN claimed that the identity of the man who contacted her was unknown to her, but refused to assist agents to identify him.

Confidential Informant T-1 advised that in conversation JULIUS ROSENBERG stated that on a holiday weekend, which the informant believes may have been the Fourth of July weekend, 1949, WILLIAM PERL removed some secret files from a laboratory located at Columbia University and that PERL took these files to ROSENBERG'S apartment at Knickerbocker Village, New York City where ROSENBERG, PERL, a third unidentified individual who was called in from out of town, and a fourth man, together spent fourteen to seventeen hours with two cameras photographing the material that PERL had obtained in order that PERL could return the material at his earliest convenience to Columbia University. ROSENBERG indicated to T-1 that the third man was MICHAEL SIDOROVICH, who he described as a member of his espionage organization.

Confidential Informant T-1 stated that the fourth man was a definite member of the ROSENBERG espionage apparatus; that he is the man who subsequently contacted VIVIAN GLASSMAN on July 21, 1950, to arrange with her to proceed to Cleveland, Ohio, to contact WILLIAM PERL and give him $2,000. in order to facilitate his flight from the United States to Mexico.

The informant advised that JULIUS ROSENBERG indicated that the Russians sent his last recruit to contact VIVIAN GLASSMAN on July 21, 1950 and that the last individual that JULIUS ROSENBERG recruited into his Soviet espionage ring was a man who lived with the son of a wealthy family. The informant stated that the son of the wealthy family owned a black convertible Buick automobile and that he had loaned his Buick to the last JULIUS ROSENBERG recruit who drove ROSENBERG to Ithaca, New York, to see ALFRED SARANT and make a pickup of espionage material.

Concerning the identity of the two individuals described above by T-1, investigation to identify the last recruit of JULIUS ROSENBERG who lived with the son of a wealthy family and who owned a 1949 or 1950 black Buick convertible automobile with a white top, indicates that one MAXWELL FINESTONE, with alias MAX FINESTONE, was the last recruit of JULIUS ROSENBERG and that EDWARD JAMES WEINSTEIN, commonly known as JAMES WEINSTEIN, was the individual with whom he lived.

JAMES WEINSTEIN is the son of JOSEPH WEINSTEIN, President of the Versailles Garment Corporation, 470 Seventh Avenue, New York City, a ladies' garment manufacturing firm. JAMES WEINSTEIN, in an interview with Bureau agents on August 21, 1950, produced a New York State automobile registration dated January 19, 1950 for a 1949 Buick convertible.

JAMES WEINSTEIN resided at 418 East Ninth Street, New York City, with MAX FINSTONE from February 1950 to about October-November 1950.

MAX FINESTONE who was born on July 28, 1922 at Boston, Massachusetts, is a graduate of Cornell University having graduated in September 1949 and is a close friend of LOUISE (PUSS) SARANT.

On April 5, 1951 VIVIAN GLASSMAN was observed by SA JOHN J. DOERMER and the writer leaving her apartment at 131 East Seventh Street, New York City, with a man who was subsequently identified as MAX FINESTONE.

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INTERVIEW OF NORMA HANAN

On March 17, 1951 NATHAN SUSSMAN, 56-55 205th Street, Bayside, Long Island, New York was interviewed, and recalled having gone with his wife, GERTRUDE, in approximately 1943 to JOEL BARR'S apartment which was located in the Greenwich Village area. He stated that he could not definitely recall the address but it was definitely not ALFRED SARANT'S 65 Morton Street apartment.

He further described the apartment as having 1-1/2 rooms and stated that a girl named GLADYS lived either next door or across the hall from BARR with another girl. SUSSMAN identified photographs of GLADYS MEYER, who is now known as Mrs. JUNIUS SCALES, and of NORMA HANAN MOODY, as being identical with the two girls who lived either next door to or across the hall from JOEL BARR.

SUSSMAN related an incident in which SARANT, BARR, GLADYS MEYER, VIVIAN GLASSMAN and he and his wife participated. He said that GLADYS MEYER prior to December 1943 was dating SARANT and he believes that VIVIAN GLASSMAN was then dating JOEL BARR. He related that although MEYER was dating SARANT, she was in love with BARR and in order to "purge" herself of SARANT she [redacted] with some unknown man at the same resort in the Peekskill Mountain region where SUSSMAN and his wife were spending their honeymoon in December 1943. In an attempt to effect a reconciliation between MEYER and SARANT, VIVIAN GLASSMAN entered into this as a consulting psychologist. SUSSMAN stated that the reason for VIVIAN GLASSMAN'S participation in this was that she desired to assist in a reconciliation between GLADYS MEYER and ALFRED SARANT for the sole purpose of saving JOEL BARR for herself. ~~Spector~~ born 12-31-1922 b7C

On July 17, 1952 Mrs. HARRY SPECTOR, also known as NORMA HANAN and NORMA MOODY, 275 Third Avenue, New York City, was interviewed by SA ROBERT F. ROYAL and the writer.

She advised that her maiden name was NORMA HANAN; that she was now married to HARRY SPECTOR and had been previously married to WILLIAM MOODY. Mrs. SPECTOR informed that she was at present employed as a secretary in the law office of CHEREVAS and STENZLIER, Room 1710, 15 Park Row, New York City, telephone number BE 3-8956.

The current Manhattan telephone directory lists this number to WILLIAM B. CHEREVAS, attorney and MELVIN STENZLIER, attorney and CPA. (A listing also appears for one IRVING CHEREVAS, 15 Park Row, New York City, telephone number CO 7-6452.

At the outset of the interview Mrs. SPECTOR informed that she did not desire to answer any questions concerning her Communist Party membership or activities, or any questions pertaining to any of her friends in the Communist Party. It was pointed out that agents requested interview pertained to an espionage investigation.

Mrs. SPECTOR then acknowledge that she knew ALFRED SARANT; that she met him in 1943 and that he had an apartment in the same building in which she resided. She did not recall the address of the apartment building but stated that the building was located on West 15th Street near Seventh Avenue, New York City. She acknowledged that she may have shared her apartment there with one GLADYS MEYER, whom she claimed she has not seen since about 1945 and whose present whereabouts are unknown to her.

Mrs. SPECTOR stated that she met a man named JOEL BARR through an introduction by ALFRED SARANT but that she did not believe that JOEL BARR shared ALFRED SARANT'S apartment although he was there frequently. She did not recall how or where she met ALFRED SARANT but believed that they may have met in the hall of the apartment building. She stated that SARANT was living at this location before she moved into her apartment and that he was still living there when she moved from New York City to Detroit, Michigan in about September 1944.

At the time of her move to Detroit, she was employed at the National Maritime Union (NMU) in New York City and she moved to the NMU in Detroit, Michigan just prior to the CIO Convention which was held there in October 1944.

Mrs. SPECTOR advised that she was in the company of ALFRED SARANT several times a week during the 1943-1944 period and that she had frequently visited his apartment to listen to the playing of phonograph records, of which he had a large collection.

She stated that SARANT was very interested in music and that she had no recollection of him having manifested any

interest in photography. He had no cameras or photographic equipment in his apartment to her best recollection and she did not recall either SARANT or BARR ever talking about electronic equipment.

Mrs. SPECTOR professed no knowledge of the employment or profession of either SARANT or BARR during the time she knew them. She stated that she had dated JOEL BARR and that on one occasion he had taken her to his parents' home on West 97th Street, New York City, which was a penthouse-type apartment. She stated that BARR'S parents were not home at the time but that she met BARR'S sister there.

Concerning people that she met while dating BARR and SARANT, Mrs. SPECTOR recalled a girl named "PUSS", whom she had met during that time. She stated that she believes that while walking with BARR she met ALFRED SARANT and "PUSS" at Sheridan Square and Seventh Avenue, New York City and believes that she met "PUSS" with AL on one other occasion while dating JOEL BARR. She believed that "PUSS" married SARANT at a later date.

Mrs. SPECTOR stated that she did not know VIVIAN GLASSMAN and has only a vague recollection of the name. She stated that the photographs of VIVIAN GLASSMAN shown to her by agents were not familiar and that her recollection of the name may stem from mention of VIVIAN GLASSMAN'S name by BARR. She professed not to know that BARR was dating VIVIAN GLASSMAN.

Mrs. SPECTOR stated that the photograph of WILLIAM PERL was definitely not familiar and that she did not know him.

She stated that she recognized the photograph of MAXWELL FINESTONE and that she has know him since she was employed at the NMU in New York City as he also was employed there about 1944. She recalled that FINESTONE was in the Merchant Marine service during World War II and that he came to see her on one occasion when he was stationed at the Great Lakes Training Station and she was living in Detroit. She stated that she had dated FINESTONE several times in 1944 in New York City and again in 1945 in Detroit. She claimed not to have seen FINESTONE from 1945 to 1952 when she met him at a Greek seamen's dance in New York City and spoke to him briefly.

Asked about either SARANT, BARR or FINESTONE having taken her to listen to record playing at any other apartment

that they may have rented, Mrs. SPECTOR advised that she never visited any other apartment of either of them and she did not know that FINESTONE knew SARANT and BARR.

She denied ever having visited an apartment located at 65 Morton Street, New York City and stated that she had not seen either SARANT or BARR for many years nor has she received any correspondence from them.

Mrs. SPECTOR stated that she had never met JULIUS or ETHEL ROSENBERG while in the company of SARANT or BARR and had never heard their names mentioned during the brief time that she knew them. She stated that she first heard of the ROSENBERGS when they were arrested in 1950. She said that she had lived near Knickerbocker Village in 1947 in an apartment on Madison Street which is close to Knickerbocker Village and was somewhat curious about having lived so close to a spy.

Asked how interested her girl friend GLADYS MEYER was in JOEL BARR, Mrs. SPECTOR advised that she was not aware MEYER was at all interested in JOEL BARR; that MEYER did date SARANT but did not confide in her that she had any longing for BARR. She professed no knowledge of the incident concerning ALFRED SARANT having sought the advice of VIVIAN GLASSMAN in his quest for the affections of GLADYS MEYER as related by Mr. SUSSMAN. Mrs. SPECTOR stated that she did not know if VIVIAN GLASSMAN and GLADYS MEYER knew each other and that the incident concerning them must have occurred subsequent to her departure from New York City in 1944.

NORMA HANAN MOODY SPECTOR was born December 31, 1922 in New York City, the daughter of LOUIS HANAN and LILLI MEYERS, both parents born in Russia. LOUIS HANAN'S last known address was 316 North 21st Street, Birmingham, Alabama. NORMA HANAN resided at 277 Madison Street, New York City while married to her first husband WILLIAM MOODY. NORMA MOODY as of March 31, 1948 was employed at New York State Communist Party headquarters, New York City as a telephone operator.

Confidential Informant T-2, of known reliability, advised that NORMA HANAN was employed as a secretary in the NMU office, 138 Cadillac Square, Detroit, Michigan as of October 1945. T-2 also stated that she was a member of the Downtown Club of the Communist Party in Detroit, Michigan.

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INTERVIEW OF MRS. HERBERT CANTOR,
nee MILDRED BLOCK

Mrs. SIDNEY BARSKY, nee ALICE KATZ, 1475 Metcalf Avenue, Bronx, New York advised on November 2, 1950 that she had formerly been employed by the United States Signal Corps at Fort Monmouth, New Jersey from about June 1942 until the time of her marriage in September 1943 and that she was employed there as a physicist. She stated she resided at 320 Ocean Avenue, Long Branch, New Jersey during this period with a group of girls composed of VIVIAN GLASSMAN, her sister, ELEANOR GLASSMAN, ESTHER BALSAM, nee BUTTAN, VIVIAN CARLIN nee FRUCHTBAUM, JUDITH GROLLMAN, GLADYS SEIGAL, MILDRED CANTOR, nee BLOCK and ELAINE ADLER, nee GOLD.

It was ascertained that Mrs. HERBERT CANTOR, nee MILDRED BLOCK was residing at 41 Lilac Lane, Levittown, Long Island in 1951.

On August 1, 1952 Mrs. HERBERT CANTOR was interviewed by SA WILLIAM A. JOHNSON at 78 Sprucewood Drive, Levittown, Long Island, her present residence. Mrs. CANTOR stated that she knew VIVIAN GLASSMAN when they lived together in the house at 320 Ocean Avenue, Long Branch, New Jersey. She stated that six other girls resided in this house and that all were then employed at the United States Signal Corps installation at Fort Monmouth, New Jersey.

She stated to the best of her recollection she first met subject in the fall of 1942 but that they had little or no contact with each other at their place of employment as they worked in different sections. She stated that the residence at which the girls were living was operated on a cooperative basis and that VIVIAN GLASSMAN roomed with her sister, ELEANOR.

She pointed out there there was not too much contact between the girls in the house as they all had their own friends. She recalled that the subject acted as treasurer for the house and that she, Mrs. CANTOR, did all the shopping and planning of the meals.

She pointed out that the only collective social life at the house was an occasional musical that was held for the girls and some of their friends but that these musicals were not too frequent. She stated that she knew none of the subject's friends or activities and stated that the names of JOEL BARR and ALFRED SARANT meant nothing to her.

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ATTEMPTED INTERVIEW OF ELAINE ADLER nee GOLD

On July 18, 1952 SAS LEO H. FRUTKIN and KENNETH R. ROUTON contacted ELAINE ADLER nee GOLD, Apartment 3E, 200 North Village Avenue, Rockville Center, New York, at which time she admitted her identity but refused to answer any questions. Agents advised that she made known her intention not to answer any questions before knowing what the questions might be.

BANKING INFORMATION

At the Union Square Savings Bank, 245 First Avenue, New York City, Confidential Informant T-3, of known reliability, made available the deposit and withdrawal record of the savings account of VIVIAN and ERNEST PATAKI, 131 East Seventh Street, New York City which reflected the following:

Date 1952	Withdrawals $	Deposits $	Balance $
3/14		2,191.00	
3/26	30.00		
4/16		13.20	
4/16	100.00		
4/21	100.00		
4/29			1,976.49
5/2		100.00	2,076.49
6/10	615.00		1,461.49
6/19		55.50	
6/19	906.75		
6/30			610.24

(Bank interest not reflected in the above)

On July 30, 1952 Confidential Informant T-3 advised there was no activity in this account during July 1952.

At the Manufacturers Trust Company, 230 Second Avenue, New York City, Confidential Informant T-4, of known reliability, supplied the following information concerning the joint checking account of subject and her husband, ERNEST PATAKI, 131 East Seventh Street, New York City.

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Date 1952	Checks Drawn $	Deposits $	Balance $
3/31			408.66
4/2		124.78	
4/7	6.62		
4/15	10.80		
4/21	13.71		
	4.50		
4/23	29.90		
4/23			467.91

Check No.	Date 1952	Payee	Amount $	Signed
	4/3	Buy Wise	6.62	VIVIAN PATAKI
40	4/8	New York City Center	10.80	VIVIAN PATAKI
44	4/15	Consolidated Edison	13.71	ERNEST PATAKI
43	4/15	Teachers Union Local 555, UPW	4.50	ERNEST PATAKI
45	4/16	Greenspan Equities	29.90	VIVIAN PATAKI
47	5/12	B.Nelson & Co.	6.45	VIVIAN PATAKI
46	5/1	New York Telephone Co.	14.82	VIVIAN PATAKI
49	5/15	Health Insurance Plan of Greater New York	17.90	VIVIAN PATAKI
50	5/16	Greenspan Equities	29.90	VIVIAN PATAKI

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Date 1952	Checks Drawn $	Deposits $	Balance $
5/29			398.84
6/3		113.00	
6/5	8.22		
6/6	23.39		
6/12	7.59		
6/17	1.00		
	4/11		
6/18	70.00		
6/19	5.02		
6/20	7.16		
6/25	29.90		
	13.02		
			342.43

Check #	Date 1952	Payee	Amount $	Signed
	6/3	S. Klein	8.22	
41	4/15	State Tax Commission	23.39	ERNEST PATAKI
42	4/15	State Tax Commission	7.59	VIVIAN PATAKI
48	5/13	Woman's Day Bird Charts	1.00	VIVIAN PATAKI
	6/16	S. Klein	4.11	VIVIAN PATAKI
52	6/13	HARRY HYMAN	70.00	VIVIAN PATAKI

Check #	Date 1952	Payee	Amount $	Signed
	6/17	S. Klein	5.02	
	6/18	Bloomes Shoe Shop	7.16	
	6/20	Consolidated Edison	13.02	
	6/17	Greenspan Equities Inc.	29.90	

Confidential Informant T-4 advised that the June 30, 1952 balance was $292.43. There was no activity in this account during July 1952 and the balance remained the same.

The foregoing information supplied by Confidential Informants T-3 and T-4 is made available on a confidential basis and is not to be made public except upon issuance of a subpoena duces tecum.

It is noted that check #52 dated June 13, 1952 for $70. was payable to one, HARRY HYMAN.

Information was received during an interview with Confidential Informant T-12, of known reliability, on June 12, 1952 that HARRY HYMAN and subject's husband, ERNEST PATAKI, were close friends while they were employed at Federal Telecommunications Laboratories, Nutley, New Jersey between 1944 and 1950. T-12 advised that HARRY HYMAN was President of Local 231, of the United Office and Professional Workers of America Union and that he had admitted to informant that he was a Communist Party member.

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INFORMATION FROM NEW YORK STATE
MOTOR VEHICLE BUREAU

On July 22, 1952 SE CLINTON E. POLLOCK advised that the records of the New York State Motor Vehicle Bureau reflect that an automobile described as a 1950 Hudson sedan, color black, engine number 50011003 was registered by subject's husband, ERNEST PATAKI, 131 East Seventh Street, New York City and received New York license registration number QE 6344.

The records also reflect that PATAKI was in possession of 1949-1952 operator's license number 1296861 issued when he resided at 217 East 19th Street, New York City and was employed at the Federal Telecommunications Laboratory, Nutley, New Jersey. There was no record of an operator's license issued to subject.

Registration of the above vehicle indicates that the withdrawal of $1521.75 from subject's savings account at the Union Square Savings Bank, New York City in June 1952 may have been used to purchase this automobile.

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CHECK FOR BANK ACCOUNT OF SUBJECT

During investigation to locate a banking record for the subject prior to 1948, information was received that VIVIAN GLASSMAN had redeemed a United States savings bond at the Brooklyn Trust Company, Brooklyn, New York on October 19, 1945. At that time she exhibited an identification card reflecting that she was employed at the Workers Personal Service Bureau of Columbia University.

Mr. EDWIN WILSON, editor of the "Brooklyn Eagle" newspaper, Brooklyn, New York advised that he had served as treasurer for the Workers Personal Service Bureau from May 22, 1945 to about December 1946 and that although he was not certain, he believes that the bank used by the Workers Personal Service Bureau was the Lafayette National Bank, Brooklyn, New York or the Brooklyn Trust Company.

On July 24, 1952 [redacted], Lafayette National Bank, 100 Livingston Street, Brooklyn, New York advised that a check of the bank records reflected no account for the Workers Personal Service Bureau or for VIVIAN GLASSMAN. b7D

It has been previously ascertained that the Brooklyn Trust Company was absorbed by the Manufacturers Trust Company, 55 Broad Street, New York City in 1950. Previous inquiry at the Manufacturers Trust Company has reflected no account for subject prior to 1948.

On July 25, 1952 inquiry was made at the Public National Bank, Avenue C Branch, Seventh Street and Avenue C, New York City, which bank is located in the vicinity of subject's former residence at 343 East Eighth Street, New York City concerning an account for subject, with negative results.

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RECORDS OF SOCIAL SERVICE VOCATIONAL BUREAU

During an interview of [redacted] Social Service Department, Long Island College Hospital, 98 Amity Street, Brooklyn, New York on January 23, 1952 where subject was formerly employed, [redacted] advised that a record of GLASSMAN'S previous employment in the social service field had been sent to her by the Social Service Vocational Bureau of New York City, together with comments as to her competency in the various jobs that she had held. b7D

On July 25, 1952 at the Social Service Vocational Bureau, Room 1406, 192 Lexington Avenue, New York City, subject's social service vocational record reflected the following information:

VIVIAN GLASSMAN

Birth January 30, 1919 — 131 East Seventh Street, New York City

United States citizen — Single

Education: Hunter College, AB 1939 - Statistics and English; City College, graduate work, 1940-1941 - Education and Psychology; Columbia University - New York School of Social Work, MSS 1946.

Field Work: Jewish Community Services of Queens and Nassau, New York, 3 months - 3 days a week; American Red Cross, Queens, New York, 6 months - 4 days a week; Workers Personal Service Bureau, New York, 3 months, 4 days a week.

Experience: Brooklyn State Hospital, New York
October 1943 - January 1945

Psychiatric case worker - carried an average case load of 80 patients. Assisted discharged patients with their adjustment in the community. Prepared case histories, preparole and convalescent status reports. Worked closely with psychiatric staff at diagnostic seminars and in clinics.

Jewish Board of Guardians, New York
April 1946 - October 1946

Psychiatric case worker - carried average case load of 18 children and their parents. Practiced psycho-

therapy including play techniques in conjunction with Dr. PETER NEUBAUER. Prepared diagnostic summary reports. Participated in seminars given by Dr. JOHAN VAN OPHUIPSEN involving preparation of case material for analysis. Coordinated individual therapy with group therapy lead by Mr. S. R. SLAVSON. Supervised Big Brother and Big Sister Volunteers for Brownsville Office.

Personal Service Department, National Maritime Union, New York
October 1946 - February 1948

Personal service interviewer: Gave service to seamen and their families re health, financial problems, family situations, housing, unemployment insurance and old age and survivors insurance. Assistant Director: Assisted in management of department consisting of 12 professional and clerical workers. Assisted in programming of welfare services. Responsible for job assignments and work flow. Set up office procedures. Responsible for monthly statistical reports. Prepared series of reports on application of State Unemployment Insurance Laws to seamen. These reports were used to train personnel working with seamen and as reference material by the New York State Division of Placement and Unemployment Insurance.

United Service for New Americans, New York
March 1948 - December 1950

Caseworker - investigation consultant. Analyzed personal case records for investigation possibilities and soundness of social planning. Prepared reports and evaluation of findings for use of lay organizations. Reports included interpretation of immigration laws and social concepts in non-technical language. Consultant to agencies throughout the United States and overseas. Liaison with United States Government agencies.

Also reflected in subject's file was a copy of a letter dated November 12, 1945 from SARAH IVINS, Director, Field Work Department, New York School of Social Work, New York

City advising that VIVIAN GLASSMAN had an outstandingly high academic record and that she was an alert, intelligent, well-informed person who used social work theory well.

A copy of a letter dated February 2, 1946 from MILDRED H. LOCKWOOD, Supervisor of Social Work, Department of Mental Hygiene, Brooklyn State Hospital, Brooklyn, New York reflects that VIVIAN GLASSMAN was a member of the staff from October 1943 to December 1944 and that GLASSMAN was an extremely enthusiastic and hard-working individual who was tireless in her efforts. Although new to psychiatric work, she adjusted very quickly.

A copy of a letter dated March 8, 1951 from FREDERIKA NEUMAN, Director, Casework Services, Jewish Board of Guardians, New York City reflected VIVIAN GLASSMAN was on the staff from April 1 to October 15, 1946 and was assigned to the Volunteer Department Service in the Boro Hall office. She established good working relations with the volunteers and was well organized in all of the administrative details involved in her job.

A copy of a letter dated February 20, 1951 from BERTHA C. REYNOLDS, Stoughton, Massachusetts reflected that VIVIAN GLASSMAN was known at United Seamen's Service, Personal Service Department of National Maritime Union during the war. REYNOLDS was case supervisor of the professional staff. VIVIAN GLASSMAN was liaison between the NMU and the office of the Insurance Division when unemployment insurance benefits became available to seamen and was both a good organizer of detail to expedite application of education of both staffs as to the meaning of administrative policy. VIVIAN GLASSMAN was described as having an "attractive personality, imagination, sensitivity to people."

A copy of letter dated February 28, 1951 from ELEANOR KATZ, Director of Personnel, United Service for New Americans, New York City reflected VIVIAN GLASSMAN was employed as case-worker in the Migration Department from March 29, 1948 to November 30, 1950. She was a dynamic worker who comprehended quickly and applied theoretical knowledge to her case handling, showed sound judgment and imagination, worked quickly and handled case load skillfully especially her correspondence. Her letters were well organized and thoughts skillfully and clearly presented.

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INVESTIGATION TO LOCATE RUTH ROSENBAUM

STEPHEN JAVNA who operates the Magnetic Devices Corporation, 103 South Van Brunt Street, Englewood, New Jersey, and who has advised that he had known JULIUS ROSENBERG at the College of the City of New York and had given JULIUS ROSENBERG a contract in 1946 to manufacture caps and cores for a solonoid for which he, JAVNA, had contracts to manufacture for the Armed Services, has advised that he had been introduced to VIVIAN GLASSMAN in 1945 by a mutual friend named RUTH ROSENBAUM. RUTH ROSENBAUM'S whereabouts were unknown to JAVNA at the time of his interview on January 17, 1952. JAVNA stated that in 1946 RUTH ROSENBAUM advised that she had been divorced from her husband, LEON ROSENBAUM.

It was ascertained that RUTH ROSENBAUM had been employed at Face Contour, 730 Fifth Avenue, New York City, a beauty salon, under her maiden name of RUTH GASSEL in 1942.

Inquiry was made of Confidential Informant T-5, of known reliability, concerning Face Contour Incorporated, 730 Fifth Avenue, New York City. Informant advised that this firm was a dealer in wholesale and retail cosmetics and had formerly been located at 1 West 57th Street, New York City. Its most recent location was at Seventh Avenue and 53rd Street, New York City as of March 1951.

Informant stated that the firm was incorporated in New York on April 22, 1936 and had acquired certain assets of the Charmate Cosmetic Company, not incorporated, which business was a partnership of HAROLD SIBNER and MILTON BOYLE, JR., who were the original President and Vice President-Treasurer, respectively.

In 1949 the entire capital stock of Charmate Cosmetic Company was purchased by one EUNICE SKELLY, widow of the late HAL SKELLY, former prominent Broadway and Hollywood producer. Mrs. EUNICE SKELLY became President and one ANNETTE RICHARDS became Secretary of Face Contour Incorporated. Informant stated that the corporation discontinued operations in 1951 when the principal at interest, Mrs. EUNICE SKELLY, left the New York area due to illness and had not returned as of March 1952.

On August 7, 1952 Mr. CHARLES GASSEL, 915 Hoe Avenue, Bronx, New York, telephone number KI 2-6624 telephonically advised Confidential Informant T-6, of known reliability, that he was the father of RUTH GASSEL who was formerly married to

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LEON ROSENBAUM. Mr. GASSEL advised informant that his daughter had been previously employed by the Columbia Broadcasting System in New York City and that she was now known as RUTH FROMA. He stated that RUTH FROMA was at present employed by the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO) and that she is at present located at 19 Avenue, Kleber, Paris, France. He advised that her mailing address is as follows:

RUTH FROMA
(BS)
(Sales Office)
UNESCO
19 Avenue Kleber
Paris, France

Any communications other than those of an official nature should be marked personal.

Concerning RUTH FROMA, information was received on November 29, 1948 from Confidential Informant T-7, of known reliability, that a flyer of the Radio Guild of the United Office and Professional Workers of America, CIO, 30 East 29th Street, New York City dated November 15, 1948, announced that the Radio Guild had renewed its agreement with the Columbia Broadcasting System covering 650 white collar and professional employees. The flyer reflected members of the union's negotiating committee, among whom was RUTH FROMA, Columbia Broadcasting System Chapter Chairman.

Information was also received by SA ROBERT F. ROYAL during an interview of Mrs. SIDNEY BARSKY, nee ALICE KATZ, 1475 Metcalf Avenue, Bronx, New York on November 2, 1950, that she, Mrs. BARSKY, had known RUTH FROMA and her former husband LEON ROSENBAUM. Mrs. BARSKY informed that LEON ROSENBAUM had sold the SARANTS his Praxidos Enlarger prior to going into military service.

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CORRESPONDENTS OF SUBJECT

Confidential Informant T-8, of known reliability, has advised that subject received correspondence from the following:

May 19, 1952	(NFN)	Carlin Fairlawn Parkway Fairlawn, New Jersey
June 5, 1952	Dr.	G. M. Allen 312 West 71st Street New York City

The current Manhattan telephone directory reflects that G. M. ALLEN is Dr. G. MARGERY ALLEN, 312 West 71st Street, New York City. The 1950 American Medical Directory reflects that Dr. GENEVIEVE M. ALLEN was born in 1897 and attended Columbia University, College of Physicians and Surgeons, New York City and graduated in 1927. Her office address is 312 West 71st Street, New York City. Her specialty is psychiatry and she is a member of the American Psychiatric Association.

References in the New York Office indices could not be identified with GENEVIEVE MARGERY ALLEN.

It was determined from Confidential Informant T-9, of known reliability, that a correspondent of subject on February 10, 1952 reflected as M. BLOCK, 248-40 Van Zandt Avenue, Little Neck, New York, who it was believed was possibly MILDRED BLOCK a former girl friend of subject, was MICHAEL BLOCK residing at this address. Informant advised that MICHAEL BLOCK'S wife's name was MILLICENT and that he was an optician with offices at 33-03 Ditmars Boulevard, Astoria, Long Island.

Confidential Informant T-13, of known reliability, advised on October 24, 1947 that MIKE BLOCK had been transferred to the Freeport, Long Island Club of the Communist Party and then because of a "change in the situation", wanted to be returned to the Kingshighway Club. This was done by transfer #18252, book #24512.

MICHAEL BLOCK resided at 1562 Ocean Avenue, Apartment 1A, Brooklyn, New York and was employed by the firm of H. S. Herman, Opticians, 1458 Madison Avenue, New York City. He was born February 19, 1919, Bronx, New York and was married to MILLICENT BLOCK. He moved to 248-40 Van Zandt Avenue, Little Neck, New York in 1949.

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INFORMANT CHECK

On August 1, 1952 Confidential Informant T-10, of known reliability, was contacted and a photograph of subject was exhibited. T-10 advised that he had seen subject at Communist Party affairs but did not know her name. He stated that he had seen her at Webster Hall in New York City at a Communist Party function about two years ago or sometime in 1950.

Informant advised that he had never been present with subject at a closed Communist Party meeting and that he had only seen her at open meetings.

On July 28, 1952 Confidential Informant T-11, of known reliability, was contacted and shown a photograph of subject with negative results.

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CONTACT OF ASSISTANT UNITED STATES ATTORNEY, SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

On March 22, 1952 the Bureau instructed that the desirability of issuing a subpoena for MARILYN MILLS, 33-11 74th Street, Jackson Heights, New York, DANIEL MARIEN, 209 Clinton Street, New York City and GLADYS MEYER SCALES, 36 Carr Street, Carrboro, North Carolina be discussed with the United States Attorney, Southern District of New York in view of their reluctance to furnish information to the FBI.

On July 11, 1952 this matter was discussed with Assistant United States Attorney JAMES B. KILSHEIMER, Southern District of New York who advised that he would be willing to issue a subpoena for recalcitrant witnesses to appear before a Federal Grand Jury, Southern District of New York.

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INFORMANTS

IDENTITY OF SOURCE	DATE OF ACTIVITY OR DESCRIPTION OF INFORMATION	DATE RECEIVED	AGENT WHO RECEIVED INFORMATION	FILE NUMBER AND LOCATION
T-1 b7D [redacted]	1943-44 info re 65 Morton St., NYC, Apart. 1	b7D [redacted]	ARMAND A. CAMMAROTA	66-6309
	1/4/48 or 49 WILLIAM PERL brought secret material to ROSENBERG to photograph	b7D [redacted]	ARMAND A. CAMMAROTA	66-6309
	7/21/50 -Last recruit of ROSENBERG contacted VIVIAN GLASSMAN	b7D [redacted]	ARMAND A. CAMMAROTA	66-6309
T-2 Detroit b7D [redacted]	October 1945 NORMA HANAN, CP member in Detroit, Michigan	October 1945		100-90909
T-3 b7D [redacted] Union Sq. Savings Bank, 245 1st Ave., NYC	Info re savings account of subj. & her husband ERNEST PATAKI	6/30/52 7/30/52	RICHARD T. HRADSKY	Instant report
T-4 b7D [redacted] Mfgrs Tr. Co., 230 2nd Ave., NYC	Info re checking account of subj. & her husband, ERNEST PATAKI	6/30/52 7/30/52	RICHARD T. HRADSKY	Instant report

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INFORMANTS (CONTD.)

IDENTITY OF SOURCE	DATE OF ACTIVITY OR DESCRIPTION OF INFORMATION	DATE RECEIVED	AGENT WHO RECEIVED INFORMATION	FILE NUMBER AND LOCATION
T-5 [redacted] b7D	Face Contour Inc. discontinued business in 1951	7/28/52	SE BRUCE BROWN	Instant report
T-6 [redacted] b7E [redacted] 5/7/52 to Dr. CHAS. HASSEL, MD [redacted], Bronx	RUTH ROSENBAUM'S whereabouts in 1952	8/7/52	SA RICHARD T.HRADSKY	Instant report
T-7 [redacted] b7D	RUTH FROMA was Chapter Chairman at CBS,NYC in 1948	11/29/48	SA RICHARD T. HRADSKY	Instant report
T-8 Mail cover on subj. at 131 E. 7 Street, NYC	May and June 1952	May 19 and June 5, 1952	SA RICHARD T. HRADSKY	Instant report
T-9 [redacted] b7D	M. BLOCK is MICHAEL BLOCK, 248-40 Van Zandt Ave.,Little Neck,NY	7/25/52	SE GERARD M. LENAHAN	Instant report
T-10 [redacted] b7D	8/1/52		SA ALEXANDER C. BURLINSON	Instant report
T-11 [redacted] b7D	7/28/52		SA ALEXANDER C. BURLINSON	Instant report

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IDENTITY OF SOURCE	DATE OF ACTIVITY OR DESCRIPTION OF INFORMATION	DATE RECEIVED	AGENT WHO RECEIVED INFORMATION	FILE NUMBER AND LOCATION
T-12 [redacted] UOPWA at FTL, Nutley, NJ	HARRY HYMAN, admitted CP membership 1947	6/12/52	SA ANDREW R. BABYAK	100-100219-128
T-13 NYD 119	MICHAEL BLOCK transferred CP membership	10/24/47	SA JOHN A. HARRINGTON & SE KIERAN F. BUCKLEY	100-59043

LEADS

NEWARK

At Newark, New Jersey:

Will ascertain if the correspondent reported as CARLIN residing at Fairlawn Parkway, Fairlawn, New Jersey is identical with VIVIAN FRUCHTBAUM CARLIN with whom subject resided at 320 Ocean Avenue, Long Branch, New Jersey in 1942-1943 while they were employed by the United States Signal Corps in Monmouth, New Jersey and will interview her concerning her acquaintance with and the associates and activities of VIVIAN GLASSMAN, ALFRED SARANT, JOEL BARR and ELEANOR GLASSMAN, subject's sister.

Will inquire concerning the Communist Party affiliations and activities of the girls who resided at 320 Ocean Avenue and will ascertain if Mrs. CARLIN knows the present address of JUDITH ANN GROLLMAN and GLADYS SIEGAL, her former roommates.

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LEADS (CONTD.)

NEWARK (CONTD.)

Newark is referred to referenced report dated December 21, 1951 at New York in instant case reflecting interview of Mrs. SIDNEY BARSKY, one of the group of girls for background data.

NEW YORK

At New York, New York:

Will contact Assistant United States Attorney JAMES B. KILSHEIMER, Southern District of New York concerning the advisability of issuing a subpoena for Mrs. MARTIN ADLER, nee ELAINE GOLD, 200 North Village Avenue, Rockville Center, New York, Apartment 3E, who upon request, had refused to answer any questions of Bureau agents.

Will follow and report activities of subject.

Will consider requesting Bureau to arrange an interview of RUTH FROMA in Paris, France concerning her knowledge of subject's activities.

REFERENCE

Reports of SA RICHARD T. HRADSKY, 3/5/52, 5/20/52 and 12/21/51 at New York.

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVE[redacted]TION

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VIVIAN GLASSMAN, Was.

CHARACTER OF CASE

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INTERNAL SECURITY ACT OF 1950

SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

NORMA HANAN, 275 Third Avenue, NYC advised that she was acquainted with ALFRED SARANT, JOEL BARR and MARVELL FINKSTONE but did not meet VIVIAN GLASSMAN and did not know that JOEL BARR was dating her. MILDRED BLOCK and ELAINE GOLD, with whom subject lived at 320 Ocean Avenue, Long Branch, New Jersey while all were employed by the US Signal Corps, located. GOLD refused to talk to agents. Withdrawal of $1,521.75 made from subject's account at Union Square Savings Bank in June 1952. Registration of 1950 Hudson automobile by subject's husband indicates money possibly used to purchase this car. Records of the Vocational Service Bureau, 192 Lexington Avenue, NYC checked. Investigation to locate subject's friend, RUTH ROSENBAUM, nee GASKEL, at her last known employment, Face Contour Incorporated, NYC reveals that this concern discontinued business in 1951. RUTH ROSENBAUM'S father, CHARLES GASKEL, advised that his daughter was now employed by UNESCO in Paris, France and that she is now known as RUTH FROMA. AUSA, SDNY advised subpoenaes will be issued for recalcitrant witnesses to appear before Grand Jury.

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DETAILS:

DAVID GREENGLASS and his wife, RUTH GREENGLASS, have advised that they were recruited into the Soviet espionage apparatus by JULIUS ROSENBERG, a brother-in-law of DAVID GREENGLASS. DAVID GREENGLASS is now serving a fifteen year sentence for transmitting certain classified data relating to the atomic bomb project at Los Alamos, New Mexico, to HARRY GOLD, a confessed Soviet spy now serving a thirty-year sentence for espionage. JULIUS ROSENBERG and his wife, ETHEL, were sentenced to death in April 1951 in the Southern District of New York for conspiracy to commit espionage against the United States.

DAVID and RUTH GREENGLASS learned through conversation with JULIUS ROSENBERG during the period 1946 to 1950 that he was extensively engaged in Soviet espionage in connection with which he was using as a conspiratorial headquarters and for the purpose of microfilming documents and making espionage contacts an apartment in the Greenwich Village section of New York City, and an apartment in the vicinity of Twelfth Street and Avenue B.

Information obtained from MAX ELITCHER, who admits that ROSENBERG attempted to recruit him for Soviet espionage, indicates that the Greenwich Village apartment was located at 65 Morton Street, New York City. This apartment was rented in the name of ALFRED SARANT from October 1943 to January 1950.

Confidential Informant T-1, of known reliability, advised on [redacted] that JULIUS ROSENBERG "mentioned an apartment rented by a student ostensibly used for studying on Morton Street where he, JOEL BARR and 'BILL' used to meet in secret to discuss their plans." ROSENBERG did not identify "BILL" at this time, but from other conversations informant had with ROSENBERG, "BILL" is believed by T-1 to be WILLIAM PERL. b7D

On [redacted] T-1 stated that ROSENBERG informed that this apartment was ostensibly rented for a student to have a place to study but that the real purpose was to have a place for meetings. ROSENBERG said that he had typed for many hours on various occasions in the Morton Street apartment and that to reduce the typing sounds he placed rubber pads under the typewriter table legs and would let the water run in the bathroom. ROSENBERG advised T-1 that he paid the rent on this apartment. b7D

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ALFRED SARANT, upon interview, has advised that he was a member of the Greenwich Village Branch of the Communist Party in 1943-1944 and believes that he met JULIUS ROSENBERG through a mutual friend named JOEL BARR. SARANT has denied that ROSENBERG was ever in his apartment at 65 Morton Street, but MAX ELITCHER has advised that JULIUS ROSENBERG, JOEL BARR, WILLIAM PERL (also known to him as WILLIAM MUTTERPERL), and ELITCHER and his wife, HELENE, were together in SARANT'S apartment, number 4-I, at 65 Morton Street, New York City, in 1943-1944.

In 1945 ALFRED SARANT married LOUISE JACQUELINE RUBEL-ROSS and moved to Ithaca, New York, in about September, 1946 at which time the apartment at 65 Morton Street, New York City, was taken by his friend, JOEL BARR. It was arranged that BARR would send him the rent for the apartment in Ithaca, New York, and that SARANT would then pay the landlord of 65 Morton Street by check.

SARANT has advised that WILLIAM PERL, who was a friend of both SARANT and JOEL BARR, used the apartment subsequent to JOEL BARR under the same rental paying arrangement and that PERL in sending the last money order payment in January 1950, attached a note requesting SARANT to relinquish the apartment as PERL no longer had any use for it.

ALFRED SARANT, following his interview by Bureau agents in July-August 1950, fled the United States into Mexico, entering under an assumed name. His present whereabouts are unknown.

WILLIAM PERL has been identified as a Soviet agent by ROSENBERG to Confidential Informant I-1. PERL is at present under indictment for perjury before the Federal Grand Jury in the Southern District of New York.

JOEL BARR was identified as a Soviet agent by ROSENBERG to DAVID GREENGLASS following JOEL BARR'S sailing from the United States for Europe in January 1948. ROSENBERG advised DAVID GREENGLASS that BARR was going to Europe to continue his espionage work in European countries.

ALFRED SARANT has advised that JOEL BARR had a girl friend named VIVIAN GLASSMAN and that he believes that VIVIAN GLASSMAN sent him the first few rental payments in the form of money orders for the apartment rent at 65 Morton Street, New York City.

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The Albany Office advised on July 22, 1950 that a money order number 988487 issued at the Church Street Station Post Office, New York City, on August 6, 1949, payable to ALFRED SARANT from VIVIAN GLASSMAN, 131 East Seventh Street, New York City, as a remitter, was located in the account of ALFRED SARANT in the First National Bank of Ithaca, New York. This money order was in the amount of $45.00 and bore a deposit date of August 11, 1949.

VIVIAN GLASSMAN has advised upon interview that she was the former fiancee of JOEL BARR and that she had sent money orders to ALFRED SARANT in payment of the rent on 65 Morton Street in July and August 1948. She also admitted that she had made an airplane trip to Cleveland, Ohio on July 22, 1950 to contact WILLIAM PERL with $2,000. in cash and to give instructions to PERL to leave the United States and go to Mexico. She stated that she received the $2,000. and the instructions for PERL from an unknown man who contacted her at her apartment at 131 East Seventh Street, New York City, on the evening of July 21, 1950. GLASSMAN claimed that the identity of the man who contacted her was unknown to her, but refused to assist agents to identify him.

Confidential Informant T-1 advised that in conversation JULIUS ROSENBERG stated that on a holiday weekend, which the informant believes may have been the Fourth of July weekend, 1949, WILLIAM PERL removed some secret files from a laboratory located at Columbia University and that PERL took these files to ROSENBERG'S apartment at Knickerbocker Village, New York City where ROSENBERG, PERL, a third unidentified individual who was called in from out of town, and a fourth man, together spent fourteen to seventeen hours with two cameras photographing the material that PERL had obtained in order that PERL could return the material at his earliest convenience to Columbia University. ROSENBERG indicated to T-1 that the third man was MICHAEL ELITCHOVICH, who he described as a member of his espionage organization.

Confidential Informant T-1 stated that the fourth man was a definite member of the ROSENBERG espionage apparatus; that he is the man who subsequently contacted VIVIAN GLASSMAN on July 21, 1950, to arrange with her to proceed to Cleveland, Ohio, to contact WILLIAM PERL and give him $2,000. in order to facilitate his flight from the United States to Mexico.

The informant advised that JULIUS ROSENBERG indicated that the Russians sent his last recruit to contact VIVIAN GLASSMAN on July 21, 1950 and that the last individual that JULIUS ROSENBERG recruited into his Soviet espionage ring was a man who lived with the son of a wealthy family. The informant stated that the son of the wealthy family owned a black convertible Buick automobile and that he had loaned his Buick to the last JULIUS ROSENBERG recruit who drove ROSENBERG to Ithaca, New York, to see ALFRED SARANT and make a pickup of espionage material.

Concerning the identity of the two individuals described above by T-1, investigation to identify the last recruit of JULIUS ROSENBERG who lived with the son of a wealthy family and who owned a 1949 or 1950 black Buick convertible automobile with a white top, indicates that one MAXWELL FINESTONE, with alias MAX FINESTONE, was the last recruit of JULIUS ROSENBERG and that EDWARD JAMES WEINSTEIN, commonly known as JAMES WEINSTEIN, was the individual with whom he lived.

JAMES WEINSTEIN is the son of JOSEPH WEINSTEIN, President of the Versailles Garment Corporation, 470 Seventh Avenue, New York City, a ladies' garment manufacturing firm. JAMES WEINSTEIN, in an interview with Bureau agents on August 21, 1950, produced a New York State automobile registration dated January 19, 1950 for a 1949 Buick convertible.

JAMES WEINSTEIN resided at 418 East Ninth Street, New York City, with MAX FINESTONE from February 1950 to about October-November 1950.

MAX FINESTONE who was born on July 28, 1922 at Boston, Massachusetts, is a graduate of Cornell University having graduated in September 1949 and is a close friend of LOUISE (RUSS) SARANT.

On April 5, 1951 VIVIAN GLASSMAN was observed by SA JOHN J. DORMER and the writer leaving her apartment at 131 East Seventh Street, New York City, with a man who was subsequently identified as MAX FINESTONE.

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INTERVIEW OF NORMA HANAN

On March 17, 1951 NATHAN SUSSMAN, 56-55 205th Street, Bayside, Long Island, New York was interviewed, and recalled having gone with his wife, GERTRUDE, in approximately 1943 to JOEL BARR'S apartment which was located in the Greenwich Village area. He stated that he could not definitely recall the address but it was definitely not ALFRED SARANT'S 65 Morton Street apartment.

He further described the apartment as having 1-1/2 rooms and stated that a girl named GLADYS lived either next door or across the hall from BARR with another girl. SUSSMAN identified photographs of GLADYS MEYER, who is now known as Mrs. JUNIUS SCALES, and of NORMA HANAN MOODY, as being identical with the two girls who lived either next door to or across the hall from JOEL BARR.

SUSSMAN related an incident in which SARANT, BARR, GLADYS MEYER, VIVIAN GLASSMAN and he and his wife participated. He said that GLADYS MEYER prior to December 1943 was dating SARANT and he believes that VIVIAN GLASSMAN was then dating JOEL BARR. He related that although MEYER was dating SARANT, she was in love with BARR and in order to "purge" herself of SARANT she [redacted] with some unknown man at the same resort in the Peekskill Mountain region where SUSSMAN and his wife were spending their honeymoon in December 1943. In an attempt to effect a reconciliation between MEYER and SARANT, VIVIAN GLASSMAN entered into this as a consulting psychologist. SUSSMAN stated that the reason for VIVIAN GLASSMAN'S participation in this was that she desired to assist in a reconciliation between GLADYS MEYER and ALFRED SARANT for the sole purpose of saving JOEL BARR for herself. b7C

On July 17, 1952 Mrs. HARRY SPECTOR, also known as NORMA HANAN and NORMA MOODY, 275 Third Avenue, New York City, was interviewed by SA ROBERT P. ROYAL and the writer.

She advised that her maiden name was NORMA HANAN; that she was now married to HARRY SPECTOR and had been previously married to WILLIAM MOODY. Mrs. SPECTOR informed that she was at present employed as a secretary in the law office of CHERKAS and STENZLER, Room 1710, 15 Park Row, New York City, telephone number BE 3-8956.

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The current Manhattan telephone directory lists this number to WILLIAM B. CHEREVAS, attorney and MELVIN STRUZLIKR, attorney and CPA. (A listing also appears for one IRVING CHEREVAS, 15 Park Row, New York City, telephone number CO 7-6452.

At the outset of the interview Mrs. SPECTOR informed that she did not desire to answer any questions concerning her Communist Party membership or activities, or any questions pertaining to any of her friends in the Communist Party. It was pointed out that agents requested interview pertained to an espionage investigation.

Mrs. SPECTOR then acknowledge that she knew ALFRED SARANT; that she met him in 1943 and that he had an apartment in the same building in which she resided. She did not recall the address of the apartment building but stated that the building was located on West 15th Street near Seventh Avenue, New York City. She acknowledged that she may have shared her apartment there with one GLADYS MEYER, whom she claimed she has not seen since about 1945 and whose present whereabouts are unknown to her.

Mrs. SPECTOR stated that she met a man named JOEL BARR through an introduction by ALFRED SARANT but that she did not believe that JOEL BARR shared ALFRED SARANT'S apartment although he was there frequently. She did not recall how or where she met ALFRED SARANT but believed that they may have met in the hall of the apartment building. She stated that SARANT was living at this location before she moved into her apartment and that he was still living there when she moved from New York City to Detroit, Michigan in about September 1944.

At the time of her move to Detroit, she was employed at the National Maritime Union (NMU) in New York City and she moved to the NMU in Detroit, Michigan just prior to the CIO Convention which was held there in October 1944.

Mrs. SPECTOR advised that she was in the company of ALFRED SARANT several times a week during the 1943-1944 period and that she had frequently visited his apartment to listen to the playing of phonograph records, of which he had a large collection.

She stated that SARANT was very interested in music and that she had no recollection of him having manifested any

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interest in photography. He had no cameras or photographic equipment in his apartment to her best recollection and she did not recall either SARANT or BARR ever talking about electronic equipment.

Mrs. SPECTOR professed no knowledge of the employment or profession of either SARANT or BARR during the time she knew them. She stated that she had dated JOEL BARR and that on one occasion he had taken her to his parents' home on West 97th Street, New York City, which was a penthouse-type apartment. She stated that BARR'S parents were not home at the time but that she met BARR'S sister there.

Concerning people that she met while dating BARR and SARANT, Mrs. SPECTOR recalled a girl named "FUSS", whom she had met during that time. She stated that she believes that while walking with BARR she met ALFRED SARANT and "FUSS" at Sheridan Square and Seventh Avenue, New York City and believes that she met "FUSS" with AL on one other occasion while dating JOEL BARR. She believed that "FUSS" married SARANT at a later date.

Mrs. SPECTOR stated that she did not know VIVIAN GLASSMAN and has only a vague recollection of the name. She stated that the photographs of VIVIAN GLASSMAN shown to her by agents were not familiar and that her recollection of the name may stem from mention of VIVIAN GLASSMAN'S name by BARR. She professed not to know that BARR was dating VIVIAN GLASSMAN.

Mrs. SPECTOR stated that the photograph of WILLIAM PERL was definitely not familiar and that she did not know him.

She stated that she recognized the photograph of MAXWELL FINESTONE and that she has know him since she was employed at the NMU in New York City as he also was employed there about 1944. She recalled that FINESTONE was in the Merchant Marine service during World War II and that he came to see her on one occasion when he was stationed at the Great Lakes Training Station and she was living in Detroit. She stated that she had dated FINESTONE several times in 1944 in New York City and again in 1945 in Detroit. She claimed not to have seen FINESTONE from 1945 to 1952 when she met him at a Greek seamen's dance in New York City and spoke to him briefly.

Asked about either SARANT, BARR or FINESTONE having taken her to listen to record playing at any other apartment

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that they may have rented, Mrs. SPECTOR advised that she never visited any other apartment of either of them and she did not know that FINESTONE knew SARANT and BARR.

She denied ever having visited an apartment located at 65 Morton Street, New York City and stated that she had not seen either SARANT or BARR for many years nor has she received any correspondence from them.

Mrs. SPECTOR stated that she had never met JULIUS or ETHEL ROSENBERG while in the company of SARANT or BARR and had never heard their names mentioned during the brief time that she knew them. She stated that she first heard of the ROSENBERGS when they were arrested in 1950. She said that she had lived near Knickerbocker Village in 1947 in an apartment on Madison Street which is close to Knickerbocker Village and was somewhat curious about having lived so close to a spy.

Asked how interested her girl friend GLADYS MEYER was in JOEL BARR, Mrs. SPECTOR advised that she was not aware MEYER was at all interested in JOEL BARR; that MEYER did date SARANT but did not confide in her that she had any longing for BARR. She professed no knowledge of the incident concerning ALFRED SARANT having sought the advice of VIVIAN GLASSMAN in his quest for the affections of GLADYS MEYER as related by Mr. SUSSMAN. Mrs. SPECTOR stated that she did not know if VIVIAN GLASSMAN and GLADYS MEYER knew each other and that the incident concerning them must have occurred subsequent to her departure from New York City in 1944.

NORMA HANAN MOODY SPECTOR was born December 31, 1922 in New York City, the daughter of LOUIS HANAN and LILLI MEYERS, both parents born in Russia. LOUIS HANAN'S last known address was 316 North 21st Street, Birmingham, Alabama. NORMA HANAN resided at 277 Madison Street, New York City while married to her first husband WILLIAM MOODY. NORMA MOODY as of March 1, 1948 was employed at New York State Communist Party headquarters, New York City as a telephone operator.

Confidential Informant T-2, of known reliability, advised that NORMA HANAN was employed as a secretary in the NMU office, 138 Cadillac Square, Detroit, Michigan as of October, 1945. T-2 also stated that she was a member of the Downtown Club of the Communist Party in Detroit, Michigan.

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INTERVIEW OF MRS. HARBERT CANTOR,
nee MILDRED BLOCK

Mrs. SIDNEY BARSKY, nee ALICE KATZ, 1475 Metcalf Avenue, Bronx, New York advised on November 2, 1950 that she had formerly been employed by the United States Signal Corps at Fort Monmouth, New Jersey from about June 1942 until the time of her marriage in September 1943 and that she was employed there as a physicist. She stated she resided at 320 Ocean Avenue, Long Branch, New Jersey during this period with a group of girls composed of VIVIAN GLASSMAN, her sister, ELEANOR GLASSMAN, ESTHER SALSAM, nee LURIAN, VIVIAN CARLIN nee FRUCHTBAUM, JUDITH GROLLMAN, GLADYS SAIGAL, MILDRED CANTOR, nee BLOCK and ELAINE ADLER, nee GOLD.

It was ascertained that Mrs. HARBERT CANTOR, nee MILDRED BLOCK was residing at 41 Lilac Lane, Levittown, Long Island in 1951.

On August 1, 1952 Mrs. HARBERT CANTOR was interviewed by SA WILLIAM A. JOHNSON at 78 Sprucewood Drive, Levittown, Long Island, her present residence. Mrs. CANTOR stated that she knew VIVIAN GLASSMAN when they lived together in the house at 320 Ocean Avenue, Long Branch, New Jersey. She stated that six other girls resided in this house and that all were then employed at the United States Signal Corps installation at Fort Monmouth, New Jersey.

She stated to the best of her recollection she first met subject in the fall of 1942 but that they had little or no contact with each other at their place of employment as they worked in different sections. She stated that the residence at which the girls were living was operated on a cooperative basis and that VIVIAN GLASSMAN roomed with her sister, ELEANOR.

She pointed out there there was not too much contact between the girls in the house as they all had their own friends. She recalled that the subject acted as treasurer for the house and that she, Mrs. CANTOR, did all the shopping and planning of the meals.

She pointed out that the only collective social life at the house was an occasional musical that was held for the girls and some of their friends but that these musicals were not too frequent. She stated that she knew none of the subject's friends or activities and stated that the names of JOEL BARR and ALFRED SARANT meant nothing to her.

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ATTEMPTED INTERVIEW OF ELAINE ADLER nee GOLD

On July 18, 1952 SAS LEO P. FRUTKIN and KENNETH R. ROUTON contacted ELAINE ADLER nee GOLD, Apartment 3E, 200 North Village Avenue, Rockville Center, New York, at which time she admitted her identity but refused to answer any questions. Agents advised that she made known her intention not to answer any questions before knowing what the questions might be.

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BANKING INFORMATION

At the Union Square Savings Bank, 245 First Avenue, New York City, Confidential Informant T-3, of known reliability, made available the deposit and withdrawal record of the savings account of VIVIAN and ERNEST PATAKI, 131 East Seventh Street, New York City which reflected the following:

Date 1952	Withdrawals $	Deposits $	Balance $
3/14		2,191.00	
3/26	30.00		
4/16		13.20	
4/16	100.00		
4/21	100.00		
4/29			1,976.49
5/2		100.00	2,076.49
6/10	615.00		1,461.49
6/19		55.50	
6/19	906.75		
6/30			610.24

(Bank interest not reflected in the above)

On July 30, 1952 Confidential Informant T-3 advised there was no activity in this account during July 1952.

At the Manufacturers Trust Company, 230 Second Avenue, New York City, Confidential Informant T-4, of known reliability, supplied the following information concerning the joint checking account of subject and her husband, ERNEST PATAKI, 131 East Seventh Street, New York City.

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Date 1952	Checks Drawn $	Deposits $	Balance $
3/31			408.66
4/2		124.78	
4/7	6.62		
4/15	10.80		
4/21	13.71		
	4.50		
4/23	29.90		
4/23			467.91

Check No.	Date 1952	Payee	Amount $	Signed
	4/3	Buy Wise	6.62	VIVIAN PATAKI
40	4/8	New York City Center	10.80	VIVIAN PATAKI
44	4/15	Consolidated Edison	13.71	ERNEST PATAKI
43	4/15	Teachers Union Local 555, UPW	4.50	ERNEST PATAKI
45	4/16	Greenspan Equities	29.90	VIVIAN PATAKI
47	5/12	B.Nelson & Co.	6.45	VIVIAN PATAKI
46	5/1	New York Telephone Co.	14.82	VIVIAN PATAKI
49	5/15	Health Insurance Plan of Greater New York	17.90	VIVIAN PATAKI
50	5/16	Greenspan Equities	29.90	VIVIAN PATAKI

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Date 1952	Checks Drawn $	Deposits $	Balance $
5/29			398.84
6/3		113.00	
6/5	8.22		
6/6	23.39		
6/12	7.59		
6/17	1.00		
	4.11		
6/18	70.00		
6/19	5.02		
6/20	7.16		
6/25	29.90		
	13.02		
			342.43

Check #	Date 1952	Payee	Amount $	Signed
	6/3	S. Klein	8.22	
41	4/15	State Tax Commission	23.39	ERNEST PATAKI
42	4/15	State Tax Commission	7.59	VIVIAN PATAKI
48	5/13	Woman's Day Bird Charts	1.00	VIVIAN PATAKI
	6/16	S. Klein	4.11	VIVIAN PATAKI
52	6/13	HARRY HYMAN	70.00	VIVIAN PATAKI

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Check #	Date 1952	Payee	Amount	Signed
	6/17	S. Klein	5.02	
	6/18	Blooms Shoe Shop	7.16	
	6/20	Consolidated Edison	13.02	
	6/17	Greenspan Equities Inc.	29.90	

Confidential Informant T-4 advised that the June 30, 1952 balance was $292.43. There was no activity in this account during July 1952 and the balance remained the same.

The foregoing information supplied by Confidential Informants T-3 and T-4 is made available on a confidential basis and is not to be made public except upon issuance of a subpoena duces tecum.

It is noted that check #52 dated June 13, 1952 for $70. was payable to one, HARRY HYMAN.

Information was received during an interview with Confidential Informant T-12, of known reliability, on June 12, 1952 that HARRY HYMAN and subject's husband, ERNEST PATAKI, were close friends while they were employed at Federal Telecommunications Laboratories, Nutley, New Jersey between 1944 and 1950. T-12 advised that HARRY HYMAN was President of Local 231, of the United Office and Professional Workers of America Union and that he had admitted to informant that he was a Communist Party member.

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INFORMATION FROM NEW YORK STATE MOTOR VEHICLE BUREAU

On July 22, 1952 SA CLINTON E. POLLOCK advised that the records of the New York State Motor Vehicle Bureau reflect that an automobile described as a 1950 Hudson sedan, color black, engine number 50011003 was registered by subject's husband, ERNEST PATAKI, 131 East Seventh Street, New York City and received New York license registration number CK 6344.

The records also reflect that PATAKI was in possession of 1949-1952 operator's license number 1296861 issued when he resided at 217 East 19th Street, New York City and was employed at the Federal Telecommunications Laboratory, Nutley, New Jersey. There was no record of an operator's license issued to subject.

Registration of the above vehicle indicates that the withdrawal of $1521.75 from subject's savings account at the Union Square Savings Bank, New York City in June 1952 may have been used to purchase this automobile.

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CHECK FOR BANK ACCOUNT OF SUBJECT

During investigation to locate a banking record for the subject prior to 1948, information was received that VIVIAN GLASSMAN had redeemed a United States savings bond at the Brooklyn Trust Company, Brooklyn, New York on October 19, 1945. At that time she exhibited an identification card reflecting that she was employed at the Workers Personal Service Bureau of Columbia University.

Mr. IRWIN WILSON, editor of the "Brooklyn Eagle" newspaper, Brooklyn, New York advised that he had served as treasurer for the Workers Personal Service Bureau from May 22, 1945 to about December 1946 and that although he was not certain, he believes that the bank used by the Workers Personal Service Bureau was the Lafayette National Bank, Brooklyn, New York or the Brooklyn Trust Company.

On July 24, 1952 [redacted] Lafayette National Bank, 100 Livingston Street, Brooklyn, New York advised that a check of the bank records reflected no account for the Workers Personal Service Bureau or for VIVIAN GLASSMAN. b7D

It has been previously ascertained that the Brooklyn Trust Company was absorbed by the Manufacturers Trust Company, 55 Broad Street, New York City in 1950. Previous inquiry at the Manufacturers Trust Company has reflected no account for subject prior to 1948.

On July 25, 1952 inquiry was made at the Public National Bank, Avenue C Branch, Seventh Street and Avenue C, New York City, which bank is located in the vicinity of subject's former residence at 343 East Eighth Street, New York City concerning an account for subject, with negative results.

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RECORDS OF SOCIAL SERVICE VOCATIONAL BUREAU

During an interview of [redacted], Social Service Department, Long Island College Hospital, 98 Amity Street, Brooklyn, New York on January 23, 1952 where subject was formerly employed, [redacted] advised that a record of GLASSMAN'S previous employment in the social service field had been sent to her by the Social Service Vocational Bureau of New York City, together with comments as to her competency in the various jobs that she had held. b7D

On July 25, 1952 at the Social Service Vocational Bureau, Room 1406, 192 Lexington Avenue, New York City, subject's social service vocational record reflected the following information:

VIVIAN GLASSMAN

Birth January 30, 1919 — 131 East Seventh Street, New York City

United States citizen — Single

Education: Hunter College, AB 1939 - Statistics and English; City College, graduate work, 1940-1941 - Education and Psychology; Columbia University - New York School of Social Work, MSS 1946.

Field Work: Jewish Community Services of Queens and Nassau, New York, 3 months - 3 days a week; American Red Cross, Queens, New York, 6 months - 4 days a week; Workers Personal Service Bureau, New York, 3 months, 4 days a week.

Experience: Brooklyn State Hospital, New York
October 1943 - January 1945

Psychiatric case worker - carried an average case load of 80 patients. Assisted discharged patients with their adjustment in the community. Prepared case histories, preparole and convalescent status reports. Worked closely with psychiatric staff at diagnostic seminars and in clinics.

Jewish Board of Guardians, New York
April 1946 - October 1946

Psychiatric caseworker - carried average case load

therapy including play techniques in conjunction with Dr. PETER NEUBAUER. Prepared diagnostic summary reports. Participated in seminars given by Dr. JONAS VAN OPHUIJSEN involving preparation of case material for analysis. Coordinated individual therapy with group therapy lead by Mr. S. R. SLAVSON. Supervised Big Brother and Big Sister Volunteers for Brownsville Office.

Personal Service Department, National Maritime Union, New York
October 1946 - February 1948

Personal service interviewer: Gave service to seamen and their families re health, financial problems, family situations, housing, unemployment insurance and old age and survivors insurance. Assistant Director: Assisted in management of department consisting of 12 professional and clerical workers. Assisted in programming of welfare services. Responsible for job assignments and work flow. Set up office procedures. Responsible for monthly statistical reports. Prepared series of reports on application of State Unemployment Insurance Laws to seamen. These reports were used to train personnel working with seamen and as reference material by the New York State Division of Placement and Unemployment Insurance.

United Service for New Americans, New York
March 1948 - December 1950

Caseworker - investigation consultant. Analyzed personal case records for investigation possibilities and soundness of social planning. Prepared reports and evaluation of findings for use of lay organizations. Reports included interpretation of immigration laws and social concepts in non-technical language. Consultant to agencies throughout the United States and overseas. Liaison with United States Government agencies.

Also reflected in subject's file was a copy of a letter dated November 12, 1945 from SARAH IVINS, Director, Field Work Department, New York School of Social Work, New York

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City advising that VIVIAN GLASSMAN had an outstandingly high academic record and that she was an alert, intelligent, well-informed person who used social work theory well.

A copy of a letter dated February 2, 1946 from MILDRED H. LOCKWOOD, Supervisor of Social Work, Department of Mental Hygiene, Brooklyn State Hospital, Brooklyn, New York reflects that VIVIAN GLASSMAN was a member of the staff from October 1943 to December 1944 and that GLASSMAN was an extremely enthusiastic and hard-working individual who was tireless in her efforts. Although new to psychiatric work, she adjusted very quickly.

A copy of a letter dated March 8, 1951 from FREDERIKA HEUMAN, Director, Casework Services, Jewish Board of Guardians, New York City reflected VIVIAN GLASSMAN was on the staff from April 1 to October 15, 1946 and was assigned to the Volunteer Department Service in the Boro Hall office. She established good working relations with the volunteers and was well organized in all of the administrative details involved in her job.

A copy of a letter dated February 20, 1951 from BERTHA C. REYNOLDS, Boughton, Massachusetts reflected that VIVIAN GLASSMAN was known at United Seamen's Service, Personal Service Department of National Maritime Union during the war. REYNOLDS was case supervisor of the professional staff. VIVIAN GLASSMAN was liaison between the NMU and the office of the Insurance Division when unemployment insurance benefits became available to seamen and was both a good organizer of detail to expedite application of education of both staffs as to the meaning of administrative policy. VIVIAN GLASSMAN was described as having an attractive personality, imagination, sensitivity to people.

A copy of letter dated February 28, 1951 from ELEANOR KATZ, Director of Personnel, United Service for New Americans, New York City reflected VIVIAN GLASSMAN was employed as case-worker in the Migration Department from March 29, 1948 to November 30, 1950. She was a dynamic worker who comprehended quickly and applied theoretical knowledge to her case handling, showed sound judgment and imagination, worked quickly and handled case load skillfully especially her correspondence. Her letters were well organized and thoughts skillfully and clearly presented.

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INVESTIGATION TO LOCATE RUTH ROSENBAUM

STEPHEN JAVNA who operates the Magnetic Devices Corporation, 103 South Van Brunt Street, Englewood, New Jersey, and who has advised that he had known JULIUS ROSENBERG at the College of the City of New York and had given JULIUS ROSENBERG a contract in 1946 to manufacture caps and cores for a solenoid for which he, JAVNA, had contracts to manufacture for the Armed Services, has advised that he had been introduced to VIVIAN GLASSMAN in 1945 by a mutual friend named RUTH ROSENBAUM. RUTH ROSENBAUM'S whereabouts were unknown to JAVNA at the time of his interview on January 17, 1952. JAVNA stated that in 1946 RUTH ROSENBAUM advised that she had been divorced from her husband, LEON ROSENBAUM.

It was ascertained that RUTH ROSENBAUM had been employed at Face Contour, 730 Fifth Avenue, New York City, a beauty salon, under her maiden name of RUTH GASSEL in 1942.

Inquiry was made of Confidential Informant T-5, of known reliability, concerning Face Contour Incorporated, 730 Fifth Avenue, New York City. Informant advised that this firm was a dealer in wholesale and retail cosmetics and had formerly been located at 1 West 57th Street, New York City. Its most recent location was at Seventh Avenue and 53rd Street, New York City as of March 1951.

Informant stated that the firm was incorporated in New York on April 22, 1936 and had acquired certain assets of the Charmate Cosmetic Company, not incorporated, which business was a partnership of HAROLD SIEBNER and MILTON BOYLE, JR., who were the original President and Vice President-Treasurer, respectively.

In 1949 the entire capital stock of Charmate Cosmetic Company was purchased by one EUNICE SKELLY, widow of the late HAL SKELLY, former prominent Broadway and Hollywood producer. Mrs. EUNICE SKELLY became President and one ANNETTE RICHARDS became Secretary of Face Contour Incorporated. Informant stated that the corporation discontinued operations in 1951 when the principal at interest, Mrs. EUNICE SKELLY, left the New York area due to illness and had not returned as of March 1952.

On August 7, 1952 Mr. CHARLES GASSEL, 915 Hoe Avenue, Bronx, New York, telephone number KI 2-6624 telephonically advised Confidential Informant T-6, of known reliability, that he was the father of RUTH GASSEL who was formerly married to

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LEON ROSENBAUM. Mr. GASSEL advised informant that his daughter had been previously employed by the Columbia Broadcasting System in New York City and that she was now known as RUTH FROMA. He stated that RUTH FROMA was at present employed by the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO) and that she is at present located at 19 Avenue, Kleber, Paris, France. He advised that her mailing address is as follows:

RUTH FROMA
(Br)
(Sales Office)
UNESCO
19 Avenue Kleber
Paris, France

any communications other than those of an official nature should be marked personal.

Concerning RUTH FROMA, information was received on November 29, 1948 from Confidential Informant T-7, of known reliability, that a flyer of the Radio Guild of the United Office and Professional Workers of America, CIO, 30 East 29th Street, New York City dated November 15, 1948, announced that the Radio Guild had renewed its agreement with the Columbia Broadcasting System covering 650 white collar and professional employees. The flyer reflected members of the union's negotiating committee, among whom was RUTH FROMA, Columbia Broadcasting System Chapter Chairman.

Information was also received by SA ROBERT P. ROYAL during an interview of Mrs. SIDNEY BARSKY, nee ALICE KATZ, 1475 Metcalf Avenue, Bronx, New York on November 2, 1950, that she, Mrs. BARSKY, had known RUTH FROMA and her former husband LEON ROSENBAUM. Mrs. BARSKY informed that LEON ROSENBAUM had sold the SARANTS his Praxidos Enlarger prior to going into military service.

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CORRESPONDENTS OF SUBJECT

Confidential Informant T-8, of known reliability, has advised that subject received correspondence from the following:

May 19, 1952 — Carlin
(illegible) Fairlawn Parkway
Fairlawn, New Jersey

June 5, 1952 — G. M. Allen
Dr, 312 West 71st Street
New York City

The current Manhattan telephone directory reflects that G. M. ALLEN is Dr. G. MARGERY ALLEN, 312 West 71st Street, New York City. The 1950 American Medical Directory reflects that Dr. GENEVIEVE M. ALLEN was born in 1897 and attended Columbia University, College of Physicians and Surgeons, New York City and graduated in 1927. Her office address is 312 West 71st Street, New York City. Her specialty is psychiatry and she is a member of the American Psychiatric Association.

References in the New York Office indices could not be identified with GENEVIEVE MARGERY ALLEN.

It was determined from Confidential Informant T-9, of known reliability, that a correspondent of subject on February 10, 1952 reflected as M. BLOCK, 248-40 Van Zandt Avenue, Little Neck, New York, who it was believed was possibly MILDRED BLOCK a former girl friend of subject, was MICHAEL BLOCK residing at this address. Informant advised that MICHAEL BLOCK'S wife's name was MILLICENT and that he was an optician with offices at 33-03 Ditmars Boulevard, Astoria, Long Island.

Confidential Informant T-13, of known reliability, advised on October 24, 1947 that MIKE BLOCK had been transferred to the Freeport, Long Island Club of the [redacted] Party and then because of a "change in the situation", wanted to be returned to the Kingshighway Club. This was done by transfer #18252, book #24512.

MICHAEL BLOCK resided at 1562 Ocean Avenue, Apartment 1A, Brooklyn, New York and was employed by the firm of H. S. Herman, Opticians, 1458 Madison Avenue, New York City. He was born February 16, 1919, Bronx, New York and was married to MILLICENT BLOCK. He moved to 248-40 Van Zandt Avenue, Little Neck, New York in 1949.

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INFORMANT CHECK

On August 1, 1952 Confidential Informant T-10, of known reliability, was contacted and a photograph of subject was exhibited. T-10 advised that he had seen subject at Communist Party affairs but did not know her name. He stated that he had seen her at Webster Hall in New York City at a Communist Party function about two years ago or sometime in 1950.

Informant advised that he had never been present with subject at a closed Communist Party meeting and that he had only seen her at open meetings.

On July 28, 1952 Confidential Informant T-11, of known reliability, was contacted and shown a photograph of subject with negative results.

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CONTACT OF ASSISTANT UNITED STATES ATTORNEY, SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

On March 22, 1952 the Bureau instructed that the desirability of issuing a subpoena for MARILYN MILLS, 33-11 74th Street, Jackson Heights, New York, DANIEL MARIEN, 209 Clinton Street, New York City and GLADYS MEYER SCALES, 36 Carr Street, Carrboro, North Carolina be discussed with the United States Attorney, Southern District of New York in view of their reluctance to furnish information to the FBI.

On July 11, 1952 this matter was discussed with Assistant United States Attorney JAMES P. KILSHEIMER, Southern District of New York who advised that he would be willing to issue a subpoena for recalcitrant witnesses to appear before a Federal Grand Jury, Southern District of New York.

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INFORMANTS

IDENTITY OF SOURCE	DATE OF ACTIVITY OR DESCRIPTION OF INFORMATION	DATE RECEIVED	AGENT AND RECEIVED INFORMATION	FILE NUMBER AND LOCATION
T-1 [redacted] b7D	1943-44 info re 65 Morton St., NYC, Apart. 1	[redacted] b7D	ARMAND A. CALMAROTA	66-6309
	1/4/48 or 49 WILLIAM PERL brought secret material to ROSENBERG to photograph	[redacted] b7D	ARMAND A. CALMAROTA	66-6309
	7/21/50 -Last recruit of ROSENBERG contacted VIVIAN GLASSMAN	[redacted] b7D	ARMAND A. CALMAROTA	66-6309
T-2 Detroit [redacted] b7D	October 1945 [redacted]MA HAWAR, CP member in Detroit, Michigan	October 1945		100-90909
T-3 [redacted] b7D Union Sq. Savings Bank, 245 1st Ave., NYC	Info re savings account of subj. & her husband ERNEST PATAKI	6/30/52 7/30/52	RICHARD T. HRADSKY	Instant report
T-4 [redacted] b7D Mfgrs Tr. Co., 230 2nd Ave., NYC	Info re checking account of subj. & her husband, ERNEST PATAKI	6/30/52 7/30/52	RICHARD T. HRADSKY	Instant report

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INFORMANTS (CONTD.)

IDENTITY OF SOURCE	DATE OF ACTIVITY OR DESCRIPTION OF INFORMATION	DATE RECEIVED	AGENT WHO RECEIVED INFORMATION	FILE NUMBER AND LOCATION
T-5 [redacted] b7D	Pace Contour Inc. discontinued business in 1951	7/28/52	SA BRUCE BROWN	Instant report
T-6 [redacted] b7E [redacted] 8/1/52 to Mr. CHAS. CASSEL, 915 Noe Ave., Bronx	RUTH ROSENBAUM's whereabouts in 1952	8/1/52	SA RICHARD T. HRADSKY	Instant report
T-7 [redacted] b7D	RUTH FROMA was Chapter Chairman at CBS, NYC in 1948	11/29/48	SA RICHARD T. HRADSKY	Instant report
T-8 Mail cover on subj. at 131 E. 7 Street, NYC	May and June 1952	May 19 and June 5, 1952	SA RICHARD T. HRADSKY	Instant report
T-9 [redacted] b7D	M. BLOCK is MICHAEL BLOCK, 248-40 Van Zandt Ave., Little Neck, NY	7/25/52	SA GERARD M. LENAHAN	Instant report
T-10 [redacted] b7D	8/1/52		SA ALEXANDER C. BURLINSON	Instant report
T-11 [redacted] b7D	7/28/52		SA ALEXANDER C. BURLINSON	Instant report

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IDENTITY OF SOURCE	DATE OF ACTIVITY OR DESCRIPTION OF INFORMATION	DATE RECEIVED	AGENT WHO RECEIVED INFORMATION	FILE NUMBER AND LOCATION
T-12 [redacted] b7D COPWA at PTL, Nutley, NJ	HARRY HYMAN, admitted CP membership 1947	6/12/52	SA ANDREW R. BARYAK	100-100219-128
T-13 ND 419	MICHAEL BLOCK transferred CP membership	10/24/47	SA JOHN A. HARRINGTON & SE KIERAN F. BUCKLEY	100-59043

LEADS

NEWARK

At Newark, New Jersey:

Will ascertain if the correspondent reported as CARLIN residing at Fairlawn Parkway, Fairlawn, New Jersey is identical with VIVIAN FRICHTBAUM CARLIN with whom subject resided at 320 Ocean Avenue, Long Branch, New Jersey in 1942-1943 while they were employed by the United States Signal Corps in Monmouth, New Jersey and will interview her concerning her acquaintance with and the associates and activities of VIVIAN GLASSMAN, ALFRED SARANT, JOEL BARR and ELEANOR GLASSMAN, subject's sister.

Will inquire concerning the Communist Party affiliations and activities of the girls who resided at 320 Ocean Avenue and will ascertain if Mrs. CARLIN knows the present address of JUDITH ANN GROLLMAN and GLADYS SIEGAL, her former roommates.

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NEWARK (CONTD.)

Newark is referred to referenced report dated December 21, 1951 at New York in instant case reflecting interview of Mrs. SIDNEY BARSKY, one of the group of girls for background data.

NEW YORK

At New York, New York:

Will contact Assistant United States Attorney JAMES B. KILGREIMER, Southern District of New York concerning the advisability of issuing a subpoena for Mrs. MARTIN ADLER, nee ELAINE GOLD, 200 North Village Avenue, Rockville Center, New York, Apartment 3E, who upon request, had refused to answer any questions of Bureau agents.

Will follow and report activities of subject.

Will consider requesting Bureau to arrange an interview of RUTH FROMA in Paris, France concerning her knowledge of subject's activities.

REFERENCE

Reports of SA RICHARD T. HRADSKY, 3/5/52, 5/20/52 and 12/21/51 at New York.

[redacted]

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TITLE	CHARACTER OF CASE
VIVIAN GLASSMAN, Was.	ESPIONAGE - R INTERNAL SECURITY ACT OF 1950

SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

NORMA HANAN, 275 Third Avenue, NYC advised that she was acquainted with ALFRED SARANT, JOEL BARR and MAXWELL FINESTONE but did not meet VIVIAN GLASSMAN and did not know that JOEL BARR was dating her. MILDRED BLOCK and ELAINE GOLD, with whom subject lived at 320 Ocean Avenue, Long Branch, New Jersey while all were employed by the US Signal Corps, located. GOLD refused to talk to agents. Withdrawal of $1,521.75 made from subject's account at Union Square Savings Bank in June 1952. Registration of 1950 Hudson automobile by subject's husband indicates money possibly used to purchase this car. Records of the Vocational Service Bureau, 192 Lexington Avenue, NYC checked. Investigation to locate subject's friend, RUTH ROSENBAUM, nee GASSEL, at her last known employment, Face Contour Incorporated, NYC reveals that this concern discontinued business in 1951. RUTH ROSENBAUM'S father, CHARLES GASSEL, advised that his daughter was now employed by UNESCO in Paris, France and that she is now known as RUTH FROMA. AUSA, SDNY advised subpoenses will be issued for recalcitrant witnesses to appear before Grand Jury.

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DETAILS:

DAVID GREENGLASS and his wife, RUTH GREENGLASS, have advised that they were recruited into the Soviet espionage apparatus by JULIUS ROSENBERG, a brother-in-law of DAVID GREENGLASS. DAVID GREENGLASS is now serving a fifteen year sentence for transmitting certain classified data relating to the atomic bomb project at Los Alamos, New Mexico, to HARRY GOLD, a confessed Soviet spy now serving a thirty-year sentence for espionage. JULIUS ROSENBERG and his wife, ETHEL, were sentenced to death in April 1951 in the Southern District of New York for conspiracy to commit espionage against the United States.

DAVID and RUTH GREENGLASS learned through conversation with JULIUS ROSENBERG during the period 1946 to 1950 that he was extensively engaged in Soviet espionage in connection with which he was using as a conspiratorial headquarters and for the purpose of microfilming documents and making espionage contacts an apartment in the Greenwich Village section of New York City, and an apartment in the vicinity of Twelfth Street and Avenue B.

Information obtained from MAX ELITCHER, who admits that ROSENBERG attempted to recruit him for Soviet espionage, indicates that the Greenwich Village apartment was located at 65 Morton Street, New York City. This apartment was rented in the name of ALFRED BARAN from October 1943 to January 1950.

Confidential Informant T-1, of known reliability, advised on [redacted] that JULIUS ROSENBERG "mentioned an apartment rented by a student ostensibly used for studying on Morton Street where he, JOEL BARR and 'BILL' used to meet in secret to discuss their plans." ROSENBERG did not identify "BILL" at this time, but from other conversations informant had with ROSENBERG, "BILL" is believed by T-1 to be WILLIAM PERL. b7D

On [redacted] T-1 stated that ROSENBERG informed that this apartment was ostensibly rented for a student to have a place to study but that the real purpose was to have a place for meetings. ROSENBERG said that he had typed for many hours on various occasions in the Morton Street apartment and that to reduce the typing sounds he placed rubber pads under the typewriter table legs and would let the water run in the bathroom. ROSENBERG advised T-1 that he paid the rent on this apartment. b7D

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ALFRED SARANT, upon interview, has advised that he was a member of the Greenwich Village Branch of the Communist Party in 1943-1944 and believes that he met JULIUS ROSENBERG through a mutual friend named JOEL BARR. SARANT has denied that ROSENBERG was ever in his apartment at 65 Morton Street, but MAX ELITCHER has advised that JULIUS ROSENBERG, JOEL BARR, WILLIAM PERL (also known to him as WILLIAM MUTTERPERL), and ELITCHER and his wife, HELENE, were together in SARANT'S apartment, number 6-I, at 65 Morton Street, New York City, in 1943-1944.

In 1945 ALFRED SARANT married LOUISE JACQUALINE ROSSI-ROSS and moved to Ithaca, New York, in about September, 1946 at which time the apartment at 65 Morton Street, New York City, was taken by his friend, JOEL BARR. It was arranged that BARR would send him the rent for the apartment in Ithaca, New York, and that SARANT would then pay the landlord of 65 Morton Street by check.

SARANT has advised that WILLIAM PERL, who was a friend of both SARANT and JOEL BARR, used the apartment subsequent to JOEL BARR under the same rental paying arrangement and that PERL in sending the last money order payment in January 1950, attached a note requesting SARANT to relinquish the apartment as PERL no longer had any use for it.

ALFRED SARANT, following his interview by Bureau agents in July-August 1950, fled the United States into Mexico, entering under an assumed name. His present whereabouts are unknown.

WILLIAM PERL has been identified as a Soviet agent by ROSENBERG to Confidential Informant T-1. PERL is at present under indictment for perjury before the Federal Grand Jury in the Southern District of New York.

JOEL BARR was identified as a Soviet agent by ROSENBERG to DAVID GREENGLASS following JOEL BARR'S sailing from the United States for Europe in January 1948. ROSENBERG advised DAVID GREENGLASS that BARR was going to Europe to continue his espionage work in European countries.

ALFRED SARANT has advised that JOEL BARR had a girl friend named VIVIAN GLASSMAN and that he believes that VIVIAN GLASSMAN sent him the first few rental payments in the form of money orders for the apartment rent at 65 Morton Street, New York City.

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The Albany Office advised on July 22, 1950 that a money order number 988487 issued at the Church Street Station Post Office, New York City, on August 6, 1949, payable to ALFRED SARANT from VIVIAN GLASSMAN, 131 East Seventh Street, New York City, as a remitter, was located in the account of ALFRED SARANT in the First National Bank of Ithaca, New York. This money order was in the amount of $45.00 and bore a deposit date of August 11, 1949.

VIVIAN GLASSMAN has advised upon interview that she was the former fiancee of JOEL BARR and that she had sent money orders to ALFRED SARANT in payment of the rent on 65 Morton Street in July and August 1948. She also admitted that she had made an airplane trip to Cleveland, Ohio on July 22, 1950 to contact WILLIAM PERL with $2,000. in cash and to give instructions to PERL to leave the United States and go to Mexico. She stated that she received the $2,000. and the instructions for PERL from an unknown man who contacted her at her apartment at 131 East Seventh Street, New York City, on the evening of July 21, 1950. GLASSMAN claimed that the identity of the man who contacted her was unknown to her, but refused to assist agents to identify him.

Confidential Informant T-1 advised that in conversation JULIUS ROSENBERG stated that on a holiday weekend, which the informant believes may have been the Fourth of July weekend, 1949, WILLIAM PERL removed some secret files from a laboratory located at Columbia University and that PERL took these files to ROSENBERG'S apartment at Knickerbocker Village, New York City where ROSENBERG, PERL, a third unidentified individual who was called in from out of town, and a fourth man, together spent fourteen to seventeen hours with two cameras photographing the material that PERL had obtained in order that PERL could return the material at his earliest convenience to Columbia University. ROSENBERG indicated to T-1 that the third man was MICHAEL SIDOROVICH, who he described as a member of his espionage organization.

Confidential Informant T-1 stated that the fourth man was a definite member of the ROSENBERG espionage apparatus; that he is the man who subsequently contacted VIVIAN GLASSMAN on July 21, 1950, to arrange with her to proceed to Cleveland, Ohio, to contact WILLIAM PERL and give him $2,000. in order to facilitate his flight from the United States to Mexico.

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The informant advised that JULIUS ROSENBERG indicated that the Russians sent his last recruit to contact VIVIAN GLASSMAN on July 21, 1950 and that the last individual that JULIUS ROSENBERG recruited into his Soviet espionage ring was a man who lived with the son of a wealthy family. The informant stated that the son of the wealthy family owned a black convertible Buick automobile and that he had loaned his Buick to the last JULIUS ROSENBERG recruit who drove ROSENBERG to Ithaca, New York, to see ALFRED SARANT and make a pickup of espionage material.

Concerning the identity of the two individuals described above by T-1, investigation to identify the last recruit of JULIUS ROSENBERG who lived with the son of a wealthy family and who owned a 1949 or 1950 black Buick convertible automobile with a white top, indicates that one MAXWELL FINESTONE, with alias MAX FINESTONE, was the last recruit of JULIUS ROSENBERG and that EDWARD JAMES WEINSTEIN, commonly known as JAMES WEINSTEIN, was the individual with whom he lived.

JAMES WEINSTEIN is the son of JOSEPH WEINSTEIN, President of the Versailles Garment Corporation, 470 Seventh Avenue, New York City, a ladies' garment manufacturing firm. JAMES WEINSTEIN, in an interview with Bureau Agents on August 21, 1950, produced a New York State automobile registration dated January 19, 1950 for a 1949 Buick convertible.

JAMES WEINSTEIN resided at 418 East Ninth Street, New York City, with MAX FINESTONE from February 1950 to about October-November 1950.

MAX FINESTONE who was born on July 28, 1922 at Boston, Massachusetts, is a graduate of Cornell University having graduated in September 1949 and is a close friend of LOUIS (BUSS) SARANT.

On April 5, 1951 VIVIAN GLASSMAN was observed by SA JOHN J. DOERMER and the writer leaving her apartment at 131 East Seventh Street, New York City, with a man who was subsequently identified as MAX FINESTONE.

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INTERVIEW OF NORMA HANAN

On March 17, 1951 NATHAN GLASSMAN, 56-55 205th Street, Bayside, Long Island, New York was interviewed, and recalled having gone with his wife, GERTRUDE, in approximately 1943 to JOEL BARR'S apartment which was located in the Greenwich Village area. He stated that he could not definitely recall the address but it was definitely not ALFRED SARANT'S 65 Morton Street apartment.

He further described the apartment as having 1-1/2 rooms and stated that a girl named GLADYS lived either next door or across the hall from BARR with another girl. GLASSMAN identified photographs of GLADYS MEYER, who is now known as Mrs. JULIUS SCALET, and of NORMA HANAN MOODY, as being identical with the two girls who lived either next door to or across the hall from JOEL BARR.

GLASSMAN related an incident in which SARANT, BARR, GLADYS MEYER, VIVIAN GLASSMAN and he and his wife participated. He said that GLADYS MEYER prior to December 1943 was dating SARANT and he believes that VIVIAN GLASSMAN was then dating JOEL BARR. He related that although MEYER was dating SARANT, she was in love with BARR and in order to "purge" herself of SARANT she [redacted] with some unknown man at the same resort in the Peekskill Mountain region where GLASSMAN and his wife were spending their honeymoon in December 1943. In an attempt to effect a reconciliation between MEYER and SARANT, VIVIAN GLASSMAN entered into this as a consulting psychologist. GLASSMAN stated that the reason for VIVIAN GLASSMAN'S participation in this was that she desired to assist in a reconciliation between GLADYS MEYER and ALFRED SARANT for the sole purpose of saving JOEL BARR for herself. b7C

On July 17, 1952 Mrs. HARRY SPECTOR, also known as NORMA HANAN and NORMA MOODY, 275 Third Avenue, New York City, was interviewed by SA ROBERT P. ROYAL and the writer.

She advised that her maiden name was NORMA HANAN; that she was now married to HARRY SPECTOR and had been previously married to WILLIAM MOODY. Mrs. SPECTOR informed that she was at present employed as a secretary in the law office of CHERKAS and STERZLICH, Room 1710, 15 Park Row, New York City, telephone number BE 3-8956.

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The current Manhattan telephone directory lists this number to WILLIAM B. CHEREVAS, attorney and MELVIN STEVELMAN, attorney and CPA. (A listing also appears for one IRVING CHEREVAS, 15 Park Row, New York City, telephone number CO 7-6452.

At the outset of the interview Mrs. SPECTOR informed that she did not desire to answer any questions concerning her Communist Party membership or activities, or any questions pertaining to any of her friends in the Communist Party. It was pointed out that agents requested interview pertained to an espionage investigation.

Mrs. SPECTOR then acknowledge that she knew ALFRED SARANT; that she met him in 1943 and that he had an apartment in the same building in which she resided. She did not recall the address of the apartment building but stated that the building was located on West 15th Street near Seventh Avenue, New York City. She acknowledged that she may have shared her apartment there with one GLADYS MEYER, whom she claimed she has not seen since about 1945 and whose present whereabouts are unknown to her.

Mrs. SPECTOR stated that she met a man named JOEL BARR through an introduction by ALFRED SARANT but that she did not believe that JOEL BARR shared ALFRED SARANT'S apartment although he was there frequently. She did not recall how or where she met ALFRED SARANT but believed that they may have met in the hall of the apartment building. She stated that SARANT was living at this location before she moved into her apartment and that he was still living there when she moved from New York City to Detroit, Michigan in about September 1944.

At the time of her move to Detroit, she was employed at the National Maritime Union (NMU) in New York City and she moved to the NMU in Detroit, Michigan just prior to the CIO Convention which was held there in October 1944.

Mrs. SPECTOR advised that she was in the company of ALFRED SARANT several times a week during the 1943-1944 period and that she had frequently visited his apartment to listen to the playing of phonograph records, of which he had a large collection.

She stated that SARANT was very interested in music and that she had no recollection of him having manifested any

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interest in photography. He had no cameras or photographic equipment in his apartment to her best recollection and she did not recall either SARANT or BARR ever talking about electronic equipment.

Mrs. SPECTOR professed no knowledge of the employment or profession of either SARANT or BARR during the time she knew them. She stated that she had dated JOEL BARR and that on one occasion he had taken her to his parents' home on West 97th Street, New York City, which was a penthouse-type apartment. She stated that BARR'S parents were not home at the time but that she met BARR'S sister there.

Concerning people that she met while dating BARR and SARANT, Mrs. SPECTOR recalled a girl named "FUSS", whom she had met during that time. She stated that she believes that while walking with BARR she met ALFRED SARANT and "FUSS" at Sheridan Square and Seventh Avenue, New York City and believes that she met "FUSS" with AL on one other occasion while dating JOEL BARR. She believed that "FUSS" married SARANT at a later date.

Mrs. SPECTOR stated that she did not know VIVIAN GLASSMAN and has only a vague recollection of the name. She stated that the photographs of VIVIAN GLASSMAN shown to her by agents were not familiar and that her recollection of the name may stem from mention of VIVIAN GLASSMAN'S name by BARR. She professed not to know that BARR was dating VIVIAN GLASSMAN.

Mrs. SPECTOR stated that the photograph of WILLIAM PERL was definitely not familiar and that she did not know him.

She stated that she recognized the photograph of MAXWELL FINKSTONE and that she has know him since she was employed at the NPB in New York City as he also was employed there about 1944. She recalled that FINKSTONE was in the Merchant Marine service during World War II and that he came to see her on one occasion when he was stationed at the Great Lakes Training Station and she was living in Detroit. She stated that she had dated FINKSTONE several times in 1944 in New York City and again in 1945 in Detroit. She claimed not to have seen FINKSTONE from 1945 to 1952 when she met him at a Greek seamen's dance in New York City and spoke to him briefly.

Asked about either SARANT, BARR or FINKSTONE having taken her to listen to record playing at any other apartment

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that they may have rented, Mrs. SPECTOR advised that she never visited any other apartment of either of them and she did not know that PINKSTONE knew SARANT and BARR.

She denied ever having visited an apartment located at 65 Morton Street, New York City and stated that she had not seen either SARANT or BARR for many years nor has she received any correspondence from them.

Mrs. SPECTOR stated that she had never met JULIUS or ETHEL ROSENBERG while in the company of SARANT or BARR and had never heard their names mentioned during the brief time that she knew them. She stated that she first heard of the ROSENBERGS when they were arrested in 1950. She said that she had lived near Knickerbocker Village in 1947 in an apartment on Madison Street which is close to Knickerbocker Village and was somewhat curious about having lived so close to a spy.

Asked how interested her girl friend GLADYS MEYER was in JOEL BARR, Mrs. SPECTOR advised that she was not aware MEYER was at all interested in JOEL BARR; that MEYER did date SARANT but did not confide in her that she had any longing for BARR. She professed no knowledge of the incident concerning ALFRED SARANT having sought the advice of VIVIAN GLASSMAN in his quest for the affections of GLADYS MEYER as related by Mr. SUSSMAN. Mrs. SPECTOR stated that she did not know if VIVIAN GLASSMAN and GLADYS MEYER knew each other and that the incident concerning them must have occurred subsequent to her departure from New York City in 1944.

NORMA HANAN MOODY SPECTOR was born December 31, 1922 in New York City, the daughter of LOUIS HANAN and LILLI MEYERS, both parents born in Russia. LOUIS HANAN'S last known address was 316 North 21st Street, Birmingham, Alabama. NORMA HANAN resided at 277 Madison Street, New York City while married to her first husband WILLIAM MOODY. NORMA MOODY as of March 1, 1948 was employed at New York State Communist Party headquarters, New York City as a telephone operator.

Confidential Informant T-2, of known reliability, advised that NORMA HANAN was employed as a secretary in the NMU office, 138 Cadillac Square, Detroit, Michigan as of October 1945. T-2 also stated that she was a member of the Downtown Club of the Communist Party in Detroit, Michigan.

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INTERVIEW OF MRS. HERBERT CANTOR,
nee MILDRED BLOCK

Mrs. SIDNEY BARSKY, nee ALICE KATZ, 1475 Metcalf Avenue, Bronx, New York advised on November 2, 1950 that she had formerly been employed by the United States Signal Corps at Fort Monmouth, New Jersey from about June 1942 until the time of her marriage in September 1943 and that she was employed there as a physicist. She stated she resided at 320 Ocean Avenue, Long Branch New Jersey during this period with a group of girls composed of VIVIAN GLASSMAN, her sister, ELEANOR GLASSMAN, ESTHER BALSAM, nee LUSTAN, VIVIAN CARLIN nee FRUCHTBAUM, JUDITH GROLLMAN, CLAIRE SEIGAL, MILDRED CANTOR, nee BLOCK and BLAINE ADLER, nee GOLD.

It was ascertained that Mrs. HERBERT CANTOR, nee MILDRED BLOCK was residing at 41 Lilac Lane, Levittown, Long Island in 1951.

On August 1, 1952 Mrs. HERBERT CANTOR was interviewed by SA WILLIAM A. JOHNSON at 78 Sprucewood Drive, Levittown, Long Island, her present residence. Mrs. CANTOR stated that she knew VIVIAN GLASSMAN when they lived together in the house at 320 Ocean Avenue, Long Branch, New Jersey. She stated that six other girls resided in this house and that all were then employed at the United States Signal Corps installation at Fort Monmouth, New Jersey.

She stated to the best of her recollection she first met subject in the fall of 1942 but that they had little or no contact with each other at their place of employment as they worked in different sections. She stated that the residence at which the girls were living was operated on a ecoperative basis and that VIVIAN GLASSMAN roomed with her sister, ELEANOR.

She pointed out there there was not too much contact between the girls in the house as they all had their own friends. She recalled that the subject acted as treasurer for the house and that she, Mrs. CANTOR, did all the shopping and planning of the meals.

She pointed out that the only collective social life at the house was an occasional musical that was held for the girls and some of their friends but that these musicals were not too frequent. She stated that she knew none of the subject's friends or activities and stated that the names of JOEL BARR and ALFRED SARANT meant nothing to her.

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ATTEMPTED INTERVIEW OF ELAINE ADLER nee GOLD

On July 18, 1952 SAS LEO M. FRUTKIN and KENNETH R. ROUTON contacted ELAINE ADLER nee GOLD, Apartment 3E, 200 North Village Avenue, Rockville Center, New York, at which time she admitted her identity but refused to answer any questions. Agents advised that she made known her intention not to answer any questions before knowing what the questions might be.

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BANKING INFORMATION

At the Union Square Savings Bank, 245 First Avenue, New York City, Confidential Informant T-3, of known reliability, made available the deposit and withdrawal record of the savings account of VIVIAN and ERNEST PATARI, 131 East Seventh Street, New York City which reflected the following:

Date 1952	Withdrawals $	Deposits $	Balance $
3/14		2,191.00	
3/26	30.00		
4/16		13.20	
4/16	100.00		
4/21	100.00		
4/29			1,976.49
5/2		100.00	2,076.49
6/10	615.00		1,461.49
6/19		55.50	
6/19	906.75		
6/30			610.24

(Bank interest not reflected in the above)

On July 30, 1952 Confidential Informant T-3 advised there was no activity in this account during July 1952.

At the Manufacturers Trust Company, 230 Second Avenue, New York City, Confidential Informant T-4, of known reliability, supplied the following information concerning the joint checking account of subject and her husband, ERNEST PATARI, 131 East Seventh Street, New York City.

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Date 1952	Checks Drawn $	Deposits $	Balance $
3/31			408.66
4/2		124.78	
4/7	6.62		
4/15	10.80		
4/21	13.71		
	4.50		
4/23	29.90		467.91
4/23			

Check No.	Date 1952	Payee	Amount $	Signed
	4/3	Ary Wise	6.62	VIVIAN PATAKI
40	4/8	New York City Center	10.80	VIVIAN PATAKI
44	4/15	Consolidated Edison	13.71	ERNEST PATAKI
43	4/15	Teachers Union Local 555, UP-	4.50	ERNEST PATAKI
45	4/16	Greenspan Equities	29.90	VIVIAN PATAKI
47	5/12	B.Nelson & Co.	6.45	VIVIAN PATAKI
46	5/1	New York Telephone Co.	14.82	VIVIAN PATAKI
49	5/15	Health Insurance Plan of Greater New York	17.90	VIVIAN PATAKI
50	5/16	Greenspan Equities	29.90	VIVIAN PATAKI

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Date 1952	Checks Drawn $	Deposits $	Balance $
5/29			398.84
6/3		113.00	
6/5	8.22		
6/6	23.39		
6/12	7.59		
6/17	1.00		
	4/11		
6/18	70.00		
6/19	5.02		
6/20	7.16		
6/25	29.90		
	13.02		
			342.43

Check #	Date 1952	Payee	Amount $	Signed
	6/3	S. Klein	8.22	
41	4/15	State Tax Commission	23.39	ERNEST PATAKI
42	4/15	State Tax Commission	7.59	VIVIAN PATAKI
48	5/13	Woman's Day Bird Charts	1.00	VIVIAN PATAKI
	6/16	S. Klein	4.11	VIVIAN PATAKI
52	6/13	HARRY SYMAN	70.00	VIVIAN PATAKI

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Check #	Date 1952	Payee	Amount	Signed
---	6/17	S. Klein	5.02	
	6/18	Bloomes Shoe Shop	7.16	
	6/20	Consolidated Edison	23.02	
	6/17	Greenspan Equities Inc.	29.90	

Confidential Informant T-4 advised that the June 30, 1952 balance was $292.43. There was no activity in this account during July 1952 and the balance remained the same.

The foregoing information supplied by Confidential Informants T-3 and T-4 is made available on a confidential basis and is not to be made public except upon issuance of a subpoena duces tecum.

It is noted that check #52 dated June 13, 1952 for $70. was payable to one, HARRY HYMAN.

Information was received during an interview with Confidential Informant T-12, of known reliability, on June 12, 1952 that HARRY HYMAN and subject's husband, ERNEST PATAKI, were close friends while they were employed at Federal Telecommunications Laboratories, Nutley, New Jersey between 1944 and 1950. T-12 advised that HARRY HYMAN was President of Local 231, of the United Office and Professional Workers of America Union and that he had admitted to informant that he was a Communist Party member.

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INFORMATION FROM NEW YORK STATE
MOTOR VEHICLE BUREAU

On July 22, 1952 SE CLINTON B. POLLOCK advised that the records of the New York State Motor Vehicle Bureau reflect that an automobile described as a 1950 Hudson sedan, color black, engine number 50011003 was registered by subject's husband, ERNEST PATAKI, 131 East Seventh Street, New York City and received New York license registration number LK 6344.

The records also reflect that PATAKI was in possession of 1949-1952 operator's license number 1296861 issued when he resided at 217 East 19th Street, New York City and was employed at the Federal Telecommunications Laboratory, Nutley, New Jersey. There was no record of an operator's license issued to subject.

Registration of the above vehicle indicates that the withdrawal of $1521.75 from subject's savings account at the Union Square Savings Bank, New York City in June 1952 may have been used to purchase this automobile.

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CHECK FOR BANK ACCOUNT OF SUBJECT

During investigation to locate a banking record for the subject prior to 1948, information was received that VIVIAN GLASSMAN had redeemed a United States savings bond at the Brooklyn Trust Company, Brooklyn, New York on October 19, 1945. At that time she exhibited an identification card reflecting that she was employed at the Workers Personal Service Bureau of Columbia University.

Mr. ABEL WILSON, editor of the "Brooklyn Eagle" newspaper, Brooklyn, New York advised that he had served as treasurer for the Workers Personal Service Bureau from May 22, 1945 to about December 1946 and that although he was not certain, he believes that the bank used by the Workers Personal Service Bureau was the Lafayette National Bank, Brooklyn, New York or the Brooklyn Trust Company.

On July 24, 1952 [redacted] Lafayette National Bank, 100 Livingston Street, Brooklyn, New York advised that a check of the bank records reflected no account for the Workers Personal Service Bureau or for VIVIAN GLASSMAN. b7D

It has been previously ascertained that the Brooklyn Trust Company was absorbed by the Manufacturers Trust Company, 55 Broad Street, New York City in 1950. Previous inquiry at the Manufacturers Trust Company has reflected no account for subject prior to 1948.

On July 25, 1952 inquiry was made at the Public National Bank, Avenue C Branch, Seventh Street and Avenue C, New York City, which bank is located in the vicinity of subject's former residence at 343 East Eighth Street, New York City concerning an account for subject, with negative results.

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RECORDS OF SOCIAL SERVICE VOCATIONAL BUREAU

During an interview of [redacted] Social Service Department, Long Island College Hospital, 98 Amity Street, Brooklyn, New York on January 23, 1952 where subject was formerly employed, [redacted] advised that a record of GLASSMAN's previous employment in the social service field had been sent to her by the Social Service Vocational Bureau of New York City, together with comments as to her competency in the various jobs that she had held. SD

On July 25, 1952 at the Social Service Vocational Bureau, Room 1406, 192 Lexington Avenue, New York City, subject's social service vocational record reflected the following information:

VIVIAN GLASSMAN

Birth January 30, 1919 — 131 East Seventh Street, New York City

United States citizen — Single

Education: Hunter College, AB 1939 - Statistics and English; City College, graduate work, 1940-1941 - Education and Psychology; Columbia University - New York School of Social Work, MSS 1946.

Field Work: Jewish Community Services of Queens and Nassau, New York, 3 months - 3 days a week; American Red Cross, Queens, New York, 6 months - 4 days a week; Workers Personal Service Bureau, New York, 3 months, 4 days a week.

Experience: Brooklyn State Hospital, New York
October 1943 - January 1945

Psychiatric case worker - carried an average case load of 80 patients. Assisted discharged patients with their adjustment in the community. Prepared case histories, preparole and convalescent status reports. Worked closely with psychiatric staff at diagnostic seminars and in clinics.

Jewish Board of Guardians, New York
April 1946 - October 1946

Psychiatric caseworker - carried average case load of 18 children and their parents. Practiced psycho-

therapy including play techniques in conjunction with Dr. PETER NEUBAUER. Prepared diagnostic summary reports. Participated in seminars given by Dr. JOHAN VAN OPHUIJSEN involving preparation of case material for analysis. Coordinated individual therapy with group therapy lead by Mr. S. R. SLAVSON. Supervised Big Brother and Big Sister Volunteers for Brownsville Office.

Personal Service Department, National Maritime Union, New York
October 1946 - February 1948

Personal service interviewer: Gave service to seamen and their families re health, financial problems, family situations, housing, unemployment insurance and old age and survivors insurance. Assistant Director: Assisted in management of department consisting of 12 professional and clerical workers. Assisted in programming of welfare services. Responsible for job assignments and work flow. Set up office procedures. Responsible for monthly statistical reports. Prepared series of reports on application of State Unemployment Insurance Laws to seamen. These reports were used to train personnel working with seamen and as reference material by the New York State Division of Placement and Unemployment Insurance.

United Service for New Americans, New York
March 1948 - December 1950

Caseworker - investigation consultant. Analyzed personal case records for investigation possibilities and soundness of social planning. Prepared reports and evaluation of findings for use of lay organizations. Reports included interpretation of immigration laws and social concepts in non-technical language. Consultant to agencies throughout the United States and overseas. Liaison with United States Government agencies.

Also reflected in subject's file was a copy of a letter dated November 12, 1945 from SARAH IVINS, Director, Field Work Department, New York School of Social Work, New York

City advising that VIVIAN GLASSMAN had an outstandingly high academic record and that she was an alert, intelligent, well-informed person who used social work theory well.

A copy of a letter dated February 2, 1946 from MILDRED M. LOCKWOOD, Supervisor of Social Work, Department of Mental Hygiene, Brooklyn State Hospital, Brooklyn, New York reflects that VIVIAN GLASSMAN was a member of the staff from October 1943 to December 1944 and that GLASSMAN was an extremely enthusiastic and hard-working individual who was tireless in her efforts. Although new to psychiatric work, she adjusted very quickly.

A copy of a letter dated March 8, 1951 from FREDERIKA NEUMAN, Director, Casework Services, Jewish Board of Guardians, New York City reflected VIVIAN GLASSMAN was on the staff from April 1 to October 15, 1946 and was assigned to the Volunteer Department Service in the Boro Hall office. She established good working relations with the volunteers and was well organized in all of the administrative details involved in her job.

A copy of a letter dated February 20, 1951 from BERTHA C. REYNOLDS, Boughton, Massachusetts reflected that VIVIAN GLASSMAN was known at United Seamen's Service, Personal Service Department of National Maritime Union during the war. REYNOLDS was case supervisor of the professional staff. VIVIAN GLASSMAN was liaison between the NMU and the office of the Insurance Division when unemployment insurance benefits became available to seamen and was both a good organizer of detail to expedite application of education of both staffs as to the meaning of administrative policy. VIVIAN GLASSMAN was described as having an attractive personality, imagination, sensitivity to people.

A copy of letter dated February 28, 1951 from ELEANOR KATZ, Director of Personnel, United Service for New Americans, New York City reflected VIVIAN GLASSMAN was employed as case-worker in the Migration Department from March 29, 1948 to November 30, 1950. She was a dynamic worker who comprehended quickly and applied theoretical knowledge to her case handling, showed sound judgment and imagination, worked quickly and handled case load skillfully especially her correspondence. Her letters were well organized and thoughts skillfully and clearly presented.

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INVESTIGATION TO LOCATE RUTH ROSENBAUM

STEPHEN JAVNA who operates the Magnetic Devices Corporation, 103 South Van Brunt Street, Englewood, New Jersey, and who has advised that he had known JULIUS ROSENBERG at the College of the City of New York and had given JULIUS ROSENBERG a contract in 1946 to manufacture caps and cores for a solenoid for which he, JAVNA, had contracts to manufacture for the Armed Services, has advised that he had been introduced to VIVIAN GLASSMAN in 1945 by a mutual friend named RUTH ROSENBAUM. RUTH ROSENBAUM'S whereabouts were unknown to JAVNA at the time of his interview on January 17, 1952. JAVNA stated that in 1946 RUTH ROSENBAUM advised that she had been divorced from her husband, LEON ROSENBAUM.

It was ascertained that RUTH ROSENBAUM had been employed at Face Contour, 730 Fifth Avenue, New York City, a beauty salon, under her maiden name of RUTH GASSEL in 1942.

Inquiry was made of Confidential Informant T-5, of known reliability, concerning Face Contour Incorporated, 730 Fifth Avenue, New York City. Informant advised that this firm was a dealer in wholesale and retail cosmetics and had formerly been located at 1 East 57th Street, New York City. Its most recent location was at Seventh Avenue and 53rd Street, New York City as of March 1951.

Informant stated that the firm was incorporated in New York on April 22, 1936 and had acquired certain assets of the Charmate Cosmetic Company, not incorporated, which business was a partnership of HAROLD SIBER and MILTON SCYLE, JR., who were the original President and Vice President-Treasurer, respectively.

In 1949 the entire capital stock of Charmate Cosmetic Company was purchased by one EUNICE SKELLY, widow of the late HAL SKELLY, former prominent Broadway and Hollywood producer. Mrs. EUNICE SKELLY became President and one ANNETTE RICHARDS became Secretary of Face Contour Incorporated. Informant stated that the corporation discontinued operations in 1951 when the principal at interest, Mrs. EUNICE SKELLY, left the New York area due to illness and had not returned as of March 1952.

On August 7, 1952 Mr. CHARLES GASSEL, 915 Noe Avenue, Bronx, New York, telephone number KI 2-6624 telephonically advised Confidential Informant T-6, of known reliability, that he was the father of RUTH GASSEL who was formerly married to

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LEON ROSENBAUM. Mr. GASSEL advised informant that his daughter had been previously employed by the Columbia Broadcasting System in New York City and that she was now known as RUTH FROMA. He stated that RUTH FROMA was at present employed by the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO) and that she is at present located at 19 Avenue, Kleber, Paris, France. He advised that her mailing address is as follows:

RUTH FROMA
(BS)
(Sales Office)
UNESCO
19 Avenue Kleber
Paris, France

Any communications other than those of an official nature should be marked personal.

Concerning RUTH FROMA, information was received on November 29, 1948 from Confidential Informant T-7, of known reliability, that a flyer of the Radio Guild of the United Office and Professional Workers of America, CIO, 30 East 29th Street, New York City dated November 15, 1948, announced that the Radio Guild had renewed its agreement with the Columbia Broadcasting System covering 650 white collar and professional employees. The flyer reflected members of the union's negotiating committee, among whom was RUTH FROMA, Columbia Broadcasting System Chapter Chairman.

Information was also received by SA ROBERT F. ROYAL during an interview of Mrs. SIDNEY PARSEY, nee ALICE KATZ, 1475 Metcalf Avenue, Bronx, New York on November 2, 1950, that she, Mrs. PARSEY, had known RUTH FROMA and her former husband LEON ROSENBAUM. Mrs. PARSEY informed that LEON ROSENBAUM had sold the SARANTS his Praxidos Enlarger prior to going into military service.

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CORRESPONDENTS OF SUBJECT

Confidential Informant T-8, of known reliability, has advised that subject received correspondence from the following:

May 19, 1952 — Carlin (illegible) Fairlawn Parkway, Fairlawn, New Jersey

June 5, 1952 — G. M. Allen Dr. 312 West 71st Street New York City

The current Manhattan telephone directory reflects that G. M. ALLEN is Dr. G. MARGERY ALLEN, 312 West 71st Street, New York City. The 1950 American Medical Directory reflects that Dr. GENEVIEVE M. ALLEN was born in 1897 and attended Columbia University, College of Physicians and Surgeons, New York City and graduated in 1927. Her office address is 312 West 71st Street, New York City. Her specialty is psychiatry and she is a member of the American Psychiatric Association.

References in the New York Office indices could not be identified with GENEVIEVE MARGERY ALLEN.

It was determined from Confidential Informant T-9, of known reliability, that a correspondent of subject on February 10, 1952 reflected as M. BLOCK, 248-40 Van Zandt Avenue, Little Neck, New York, who it was believed was possibly MILDRED BLOCK a former girl friend of subject, was MICHAEL BLOCK residing at this address. Informant advised that MICHAEL BLOCK'S wife's name was MILLICENT and that he was an optician with offices at 33-03 Ditmars Boulevard, Astoria, Long Island.

Confidential Informant T-13, of known reliability, advised on October 24, 1947 that MIKE BLOCK had been transferred to the Freeport, Long Island Club of the [redacted] Party and then because of a "change in the situation", wanted to be returned to the Kingshighway Club. This was done by transfer #18252, book #24512.

MICHAEL BLOCK resided at 1562 Ocean Avenue, Apartment 1A, Brooklyn, New York and was employed by the firm of H. S. Herman, Opticians, 1458 Madison Avenue, New York City. He was born February 19, 1919, Bronx, New York and was married to MILLICENT BLOCK. He moved to 248-40 Van Zandt Avenue, Little Neck, New York in 1949.

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INFORMANT CHECK

On August 1, 1952 Confidential Informant T-10, of known reliability, was contacted and a photograph of subject was exhibited. T-10 advised that he had seen subject at Communist Party affairs but did not know her name. He stated that he had seen her at Webster Hall in New York City at a Communist Party function about two years ago or sometime in 1950.

Informant advised that he had never been present with subject at a closed Communist Party meeting and that he had only seen her at open meetings.

On July 28, 1952 Confidential Informant T-11, of known reliability, was contacted and shown a photograph of subject with negative results.

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CONTACT OF ASSISTANT UNITED STATES ATTORNEY,
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

On March 22, 1952 the Bureau instructed that the desirability of issuing a subpoena for MARILYN MILLS, 33-11 74th Street, Jackson Heights, New York, DANIEL MARIEN, 209 Clinton Street, New York City and GLADYS MEYER SCALES, 136 Carr Street, Carrboro, North Carolina be discussed with the United States Attorney, Southern District of New York in view of their reluctance to furnish information to the FBI.

On July 11, 1952 this matter was discussed with Assistant United States Attorney JAMES B. KILGALLEN, Southern District of New York who advised that he would be willing to issue a subpoena for recalcitrant witnesses to appear before a Federal Grand Jury, Southern District of New York.

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INFORMANTS

IDENTITY OF SOURCE	DATE OF ACTIVITY OR DESCRIPTION OF INFORMATION	DATE RECEIVED	AGENT WHO RECEIVED INFORMATION	FILE NUMBER AND LOCATION
T-1 b7D [redacted]	1943-44 info re 65 Morton St., NYC, Apart. 1	b7D [redacted]	ARMAND A. CAMMAROTA	66-6309
	1/4/48 or 49 WILLIAM PERL brought secret material to ROSENBERG to photograph	b7D [redacted]	ARMAND A. CAMMAROTA	66-6309
	7/21/50 -Last recruit of ROSENBERG contacted VIVIAN GLASSMAN	b7D [redacted]	ARMAND A. CAMMAROTA	66-6309
T-2 Detroit b7D [redacted]	October 1945 NORMA HAHAN, CP member in Detroit, Michigan	October 1945		100-90909
T-3 b7D [redacted] Union Sq. Savings Bank, 245 1st Ave., NYC	Info re savings account of subj. & her husband ERNEST PATAKI	6/30/52 7/30/52	RICHARD T. HRADSKY	Instant report
T-4 b7D [redacted] Mfgrs Tr. Co., 230 2nd Ave., NYC	Info re checking account of subj. & her husband, ERNEST PATAKI	6/30/52 7/30/52	RICHARD T. HRADSKY	Instant report

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INFORMANTS (CONTD.)

IDENTITY OF SOURCE	DATE OF ACTIVITY OR DESCRIPTION OF INFORMATION	DATE RECEIVED	AGENT WHO RECEIVED INFORMATION	FILE NUMBER AND LOCATION
T-5 b7D [redacted]	Face Contour Ins. discontinued business in 1951	7/28/52	SA BRUCE BROWN	Instant report
T-6 b7E [redacted] 8/7/52 to Mr. CHAS. GABEL, 915 Noe Ave., Bronx	RUTH ROSENBA M'S whereabouts in 1952	8/7/52	SA RICHARD T. HRADSKY	Instant report
T-7 b7D [redacted]	RUTH PROMA was Chapter Chairman at CBS, NYC in 1948	11/29/48	SA RICHARD T. HRADSKY	Instant report
T-8 Mail cover on subj. at 131 E. 7 Street, NYC	May and June 1952	May 19 and June 5, 1952	SA RICHARD T. HRADSKY	Instant report
T-9 b7D [redacted]	M. BLOCK is MICHAEL BLOCK, 248-40 Van Zandt Ave., Little Neck, NY	7/25/52	SA GERARD M. LENAHAN	Instant report
T-10 b7D [redacted]		8/1/52	SA ALEXANDER C. BURLINSON	Instant report
T-11 b7D [redacted]		7/28/52	SA ALEXANDER C. BURLINSON	Instant report

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IDENTITY OF SOURCE	DATE OF ACTIVITY OR DESCRIPTION OF INFORMATION	DATE RECEIVED	AGENT WHO RECEIVED INFORMATION	FILE NUMBER AND LOCATION
T-12 [redacted] DOPSA at FTL, Butler, NJ	HARRY HYMAN, admitted CP membership 1947	6/12/52	SA ANDREW R. BASYAK	100-100219-128
T-13 ND 419	MICHAEL BLOCK transferred CP membership	10/24/47	SA JOHN A. HARRINGTON & SE KIERAN F. BUCKLEY	100-59043

LEADS

NEWARK

At Newark, New Jersey:

Will ascertain if the correspondent reported as CARLIN residing at Fairlawn Parkway, Fairlawn, New Jersey is identical with VIVIAN FRICHTMAN CARLIN with whom subject resided at 320 Ocean Avenue, Long Branch, New Jersey in 1942-1943 while they were employed by the United States Signal Corps in Monmouth, New Jersey and will interview her concerning her acquaintance with and the associates and activities of VIVIAN GLASSMAN, ALFRED SARANT, JOEL BARR and ELEANOR GLASSMAN, subject's sister.

Will inquire concerning the Communist Party affiliations and activities of the girls who resided at 320 Ocean Avenue and will ascertain if Mrs. CARLIN knows the present address of JUDITH ANN GROLLMAN and GLADYS SIEGAL, her former roommates.

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Newark is referred to referenced report dated December 21, 1951 at New York in instant case reflecting interview of Mrs. SIDNEY BARSKY, one of the group of girls for background data.

NEW YORK

At New York, New York:

Will contact Assistant United States Attorney JAMES B. KILSHEIMER, Southern District of New York concerning the advisability of issuing a subpoena for Mrs. HARRY FISHER, nee ELAINE GOLD, 200 North Village Avenue, Rockville Center, New York, Apartment 3A, who upon request, had refused to answer any questions of Bureau agents.

Will follow and report activities of subject.

Will consider requesting Bureau to arrange an interview of RUTH FRONA in Paris, France concerning her knowledge of subject's activities.

REFERENCE

Reports of SA RICHARD T. [illegible], 3/5/52, 5/20/52 and 12/21/51 at New York.

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Form No. 1
THIS CASE ORIGINATED AT [illegible] NEW YORK

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TITLE	CHARACTER OF CASE
VIVIAN CLAFLIN, Sep.	[illegible] - R INTERNAL SECURITY ACT OF 1950

SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

NORMA MANAS, 275 Third Avenue, NYC advised that she was acquainted with ALFRED SARANT, JOEL BARR and [illegible] but did not meet VIVIAN CLAFLIN and did not know that JOEL BARR was dating her. MILDRED BLOCH and LAURA GOLD, with whom subject lived at 320 Ocean Avenue, Long Branch, New Jersey while all were employed by the US Signal Corps, located. GOLD refused to talk to agents. Withdrawal of $1,521.75 made from subject's account at Union Square Savings Bank in June 1952. Registration of 1950 Hudson automobile by subject's husband indicates money possibly used to purchase this car. Records of the Vocational Service Bureau, 192 Lexington Avenue, NYC checked. Investigation to locate subject's friend, RUTH ROSENBAUM, nee GABEL, at her last known employment, Face Contour Incorporated, NYC reveals that this concern discontinued business in 1951. RUTH ROSENBAUM's father, [illegible] GABEL, advised that his daughter was now employed by UNESCO in Paris, France and that she is now known as RUTH [illegible]. [illegible], SDNY advised subpoenas will be issued for recalcitrant witnesses to appear before Grand Jury.

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DETAILS:

DAVID GREENGLASS and his wife, RUTH GREENGLASS, have advised that they were recruited into the Soviet espionage apparatus by JULIUS ROSENBERG, a brother-in-law of DAVID GREENGLASS. DAVID GREENGLASS is now serving a fifteen year sentence for transmitting certain classified data relating to the atomic bomb project at Los Alamos, New Mexico, to HARRY GOLD, a confessed Soviet spy now serving a thirty-year sentence for espionage. JULIUS ROSENBERG and his wife, ETHEL, were sentenced to death in April 1951 in the Southern District of New York for conspiracy to commit espionage against the United States.

DAVID and RUTH GREENGLASS learned through conversation with JULIUS ROSENBERG during the period 1946 to 1950 that he was extensively engaged in Soviet espionage in connection with which he was using as a conspiratorial headquarters and for the purpose of microfilming documents and making espionage contacts an apartment in the Greenwich Village section of New York City, and an apartment in the vicinity of Fulton Street and Avenue B.

Information obtained from [redacted], who admits that ROSENBERG attempted to recruit him for Soviet espionage, indicates that the Greenwich Village apartment was located at 65 Morton Street, New York City. This apartment was rented in the name of ALFRED SARANT from October 1943 to January 1950.

Confidential Informant T-1, of known reliability, advised on [redacted] that [redacted] mentioned an apartment rented by a student ostensibly used for studying on Morton Street where he, JOEL BARR and "BILL" used to meet in secret to discuss their plans." [redacted] did not identify "BILL" at this time, but from other conversations informant had with ROSENBERG, "BILL" is believed by T-1 to be WILLIAM FEIL. b7D

On [redacted] T-1 stated that ROSENBERG informed that this apartment was ostensibly rented for a student to have a place to study but that the real purpose was to have a place for meetings. ROSENBERG said that he had typed for many hours on various occasions in the Morton Street apartment and that to reduce the typing sounds he placed rubber pads under the typewriter table legs and would let the water run in the bathroom. ROSENBERG advised T-1 that he paid the rent on this apartment. b7D

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ALFRED SARANT, upon interview, has advised that he was a member of the Greenwich Village Branch of the Communist Party in 1943-1944 and believes that he met JULIUS ROSENBERG through a mutual friend named JOEL BARR. SARANT has denied that ROSENBERG was ever in his apartment at 65 Morton Street, but MAX ELITCHER has advised that JULIUS ROSENBERG, JOEL BARR, WILLIAM PERL (also known to him as WILLIAM WEITZENBERG), and ELITCHER and his wife, HELENE, were together in SARANT's apartment, number 6-I, at 65 Morton Street, New York City, in 1943-1944.

In 1945 ALFRED SARANT married [illegible] PERL-ROSE and moved to Ithaca, New York, in about September, 1946 at which time the apartment at 65 Morton Street, New York City, was taken by his friend, JOEL BARR. It was arranged that BARR would send him the rent for the apartment in Ithaca, New York, and that SARANT would then pay the landlord of 65 Morton Street by check.

SARANT has advised that WILLIAM PERL, who was a friend of both SARANT and JOEL BARR, used the apartment subsequent to JOEL BARR under the same rental paying arrangement and that PERL in sending the last money order payment in January 1950, attached a note requesting SARANT to relinquish the apartment as PERL no longer had any use for it.

ALFRED SARANT, following his interview by Bureau agents in July-August 1950, fled the United States into Mexico, entering under an assumed name. His present whereabouts are unknown.

WILLIAM PERL has been identified as a Soviet agent by ROSENBERG to Confidential Informant I-1. PERL is at present under indictment for perjury before the Federal Grand Jury in the Southern District of New York.

JOEL BARR was identified as a Soviet agent by ROSENBERG to DAVID GREENGLASS following JOEL BARR's sailing from the United States for Europe in January, 1948. ROSENBERG advised DAVID GREENGLASS that BARR was going to Europe to continue his espionage work in European countries.

ALFRED SARANT has advised that JOEL BARR had a girl friend named VIVIAN GLASSMAN and that he believes that VIVIAN GLASSMAN sent him the first few rental payments in the form of money orders for the apartment rent at 65 Morton Street, New York City.

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The Albany Office advised on July 22, 1950 that a money order number 580487 issued at the Church Street Station Post Office, New York City, on August , 1949, payable to ALFRED SARANT from VIVIAN [illegible], 131 East Seventh Street, New York City, as a remitter, was located in the account of ALFRED SARANT in the First National Bank of Ithaca, New York. This money order was in the amount of $45.00 and bore a deposit date of August 11, 1949.

VIVIAN [illegible] has advised upon interview that she was the former fiancee of JULIUS [illegible] and that she had sent money orders to ALFRED SARANT in payment of the rent on 45 Morton Street in July and August 1949. She also admitted that she had made an airplane trip to Cleveland, Ohio on July 22, 1950 to contact [illegible] with $2,000. in cash and to give instructions to HAROLD to leave the United States and go to Mexico. She stated that she received the $2,000. and the instructions for HAROLD from an unknown man who contacted her at her apartment at 131 East Seventh Street, New York City, on the evening of July 21, 1950. VIVIAN claims that the identity of the man who contacted her was unknown to her, but refused to assist agents to identify him.

Confidential Informant T-1 advised that in conversation JULIUS ROSENBERG stated that on a holiday weekend, which the informant believes may have been the fourth of July weekend, 1949, WILLIAM PERL removed some secret files from a laboratory located at Columbia University and that PERL took these files to [illegible]'s apartment at Knickerbocker Village, New York City where [illegible], PERL, a third unidentified individual who was called in from out of town, and a fourth man, together spent fourteen to seventeen hours with two cameras photographing the material that PERL had obtained in order that PERL could return the material at his earliest convenience to Columbia University. ROSENBERG indicated to T-1 that the third man was MICHAEL [illegible], who he described as a member of his espionage organization.

Confidential Informant T-1 stated that the fourth man was a definite member of the ROSENBERG espionage apparatus; that he is the man who subsequently contacted VIVIAN [illegible] on July 21, 1950, to arrange with her to proceed to Cleveland, Ohio, to contact WILLIAM PERL and give him $2,000. in order to facilitate his flight from the United States to Mexico.

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The informant advised that JULIUS ROSENBERG indicated that the Russians sent his last recruit to contact VIVIAN GLADNAY on July 21, 1950 and that the last individual that JULIUS ROSENBERG recruited into his Soviet espionage ring was a man who lived with the son of a wealthy family. The informant stated that the son of the wealthy family owned a black convertible Buick automobile and that he had loaned his Buick to the last JULIUS ROSENBERG recruit who drove ROSENBERG to Ithaca, New York, to see ALFRED SARANT and make a pickup of espionage material.

Concerning the identity of the two individuals described above by T-1, investigation to identify the last recruit of JULIUS ROSENBERG who lived with the son of a wealthy family and who owned a 1949 or 1950 black Buick convertible automobile with a white top, indicates that one HARRY GOLD, with alias MAX FISHBEIN, was the last recruit of JULIUS ROSENBERG and that EDWARD JAMES WEINTRAUB, commonly known as JAMES WEINTRAUB, was the individual with whom he lived.

JAMES WEINTRAUB is the son of JOSEPH WEINTRAUB, President of the Versailles Garment Corporation, 470 Seventh Avenue, New York City, a ladies' garment manufacturing firm. JAMES WEINTRAUB, in an interview with Bureau agents on August 21, 1950, produced a New York State automobile registration dated January 19, 1950 for a 1949 Buick convertible.

JAMES WEINTRAUB resided at 416 East Ninth Street, New York City, with MAX FISHBEIN from February 1950 to about October-November 1950.

MAX FISHBEIN who was born on July 2[illegible], 1922 at Boston, Massachusetts, is a graduate of Cornell University, having graduated in September 1949 and is a close friend of [illegible] (NMI) SARANT.

On April 5, 1951 VIVIAN GLADNAY was observed by SA JOHN J. [illegible] and the writer leaving her apartment at 131 East Seventh Street, New York City, with a man who was subsequently identified as MAX FISHBEIN.

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INTERVIEW OF NORMA HANAN

On March 17, 1951 NATHAN SUSSMAN, 56-55 205th Street, Bayside, Long Island, New York was interviewed, and recalled having gone with his wife, GERTRUDE, in approximately 1943 to JOEL BARR'S apartment which was located in the Greenwich Village area. He stated that he could not definitely recall the address but it was definitely not ALFRED SARANT'S 65 Morton Street apartment.

He further described the apartment as having 1-1/2 rooms and stated that a girl named GLADYS lived either next door or across the hall from BARR with another girl. SUSSMAN identified photographs of GLADYS MEYER, who is now known as Mrs. JUNIUS SCALES, and of NORMA HANAN MOODY, as being identical with the two girls who lived either next door to or across the hall from JOEL BARR.

SUSSMAN related an incident in which SARANT, BARR, GLADYS MEYER, VIVIAN GLASSMAN and he and his wife participated. He said that GLADYS MEYER prior to December 1943 was dating SARANT and he believes that VIVIAN GLASSMAN was then dating JOEL BARR. He related that although MEYER was dating SARANT, she was in love with BARR and in order to "purge" herself of SARANT she [redacted] with some unknown man at the same resort in the Peekskill Mountain region where SUSSMAN and his wife were spending their honeymoon in December 1943. In an attempt to effect a reconciliation between MEYER and SARANT, VIVIAN GLASSMAN entered into this as a consulting psychologist. SUSSMAN stated that the reason for VIVIAN GLASSMAN'S participation in this was that she desired to assist in a reconciliation between GLADYS MEYER and ALFRED SARANT for the sole purpose of saving JOEL BARR for herself. b7C

On July 17, 1952 Mrs. HARRY SPECTOR, also known as NORMA HANAN and NORMA MOODY, 275 Third Avenue, New York City, was interviewed by SA ROBERT P. ROYAL and the writer.

She advised that her maiden name was NORMA HANAN; that she was now married to HARRY SPECTOR and had been previously married to [illegible] MOODY. Mrs. SPECTOR informed that she was at present employed as a secretary in the law office of CHEREVAS and STENZLER, Room 1710, 15 Park Row, New York City, telephone number BE 3-8956.

The current Manhattan telephone directory lists this number to [illegible] CRERAR, attorney and SILVIA SIEGLER, attorney and CPA. (A listing also appears for one IRVING CRERAR, 15 Park Row, New York City, telephone number CO 7-6452.

At the outset of the interview Mrs. SPECTOR informed that she did not desire to answer any questions concerning her Communist Party membership or activities, or any questions pertaining to any of her friends in the Communist Party. It was pointed out that agents requested interview pertained to an espionage investigation.

Mrs. SPECTOR then acknowledge that she knew ALFRED SARANT; that she met him in 1943 and that he had an apartment in the same building in which she resided. She did not recall the address of the apartment building but stated that the building was located on West 15th Street near Seventh Avenue, New York City. She acknowledged that she may have shared her apartment there with one [illegible] MILLER, whom she claimed she has not seen since about 1945 and whose present whereabouts are unknown to her.

Mrs. SPECTOR stated that she met a man named JOEL BARR through an introduction by ALFRED SARANT but that she did not believe that JOEL BARR shared ALFRED SARANT'S apartment although he was there frequently. She did not recall how or where she met ALFRED SARANT but believed that they may have met in the hall of the apartment building. She stated that [illegible] was living at this location before she moved into her apartment and that he was still living there when she moved from New York City to Detroit, Michigan in about September 1944.

At the time of her move to Detroit, she was employed at the National Maritime Union (NMU) in New York City and she moved to the NMU in Detroit, Michigan just prior to the CIO Convention which was held there in October 1944.

Mrs. SPECTOR advised that she was in the company of ALFRED SARANT several times a week during the 1943-1944 period and that she had frequently visited his apartment to listen to the playing of phonograph records, of which he had a large collection.

She stated that SARANT was very interested in music and that she had no recollection of him having manifested any

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interest in photography. He had no cameras or photographic equipment in his apartment to her best recollection and she did not recall either [redacted] or [redacted] ever talking about electronic equipment.

Mrs. [redacted] professed no knowledge of the employment or profession of either [redacted] or [redacted] during the time she knew them. She stated that she had dated [redacted] and that on one occasion he had taken her to his parents' home on East 97th Street, New York City, which was a penthouse-type apartment. She stated that [redacted] parents were not home at the time but that she met [redacted] sister there.

Concerning people that she met while dating [redacted] and [redacted], Mrs. [redacted] recalled a girl named "[redacted]", whom she had met during that time. She stated that she believes that while walking with [redacted] she met [redacted] and "[redacted]" at Sheridan Square and Seventh Avenue, New York City and believes that she met "[redacted]" with [redacted] on one other occasion while dating [redacted]. She believed that "[redacted]" married [redacted] at a later date.

Mrs. [redacted] stated that she did not know VIVIAN GLASSMAN and has only a vague recollection of the name. She stated that the photographs of VIVIAN GLASSMAN shown to her by agents were not familiar and that her recollection of the name may stem from mention of VIVIAN GLASSMAN'S name by [redacted]. She professed not to know that [redacted] was dating VIVIAN GLASSMAN.

Mrs. [redacted] stated that the photograph of [redacted] was definitely not familiar and that she did not know him.

She stated that she recognized the photograph of [redacted] and that she has known him since she was employed at the [redacted] in New York City as he also was employed there about 1944. She recalled that [redacted] was in the Merchant Marine service during World War II and that he came to see her on one occasion when he was stationed at the Great Lakes Training Station and she was living in Detroit. She stated that she had dated [redacted] several times in 1944 in New York City and again in 1945 in Detroit. She claimed not to have seen [redacted] from 1945 to 1952 when she met him at a Greek seamen's dance in New York City and spoke to him briefly.

Asked about either [redacted], [redacted] or [redacted] having taken her to listen to record playing at any other apartment

that they may have rented, Mrs. SPECTOR advised that she never visited any other apartment of either of them and she did not know that VINETOTE knew SARANT and BARR.

She denied ever having visited an apartment located at 65 Morton Street, New York City and stated that she had not seen either SARANT or BARR for many years nor has she received any correspondence from them.

Mrs. SPECTOR stated that she had never met JULIUS or ETHEL ROSENBERG while in the company of SARANT or BARR and had never heard their names mentioned during the brief time that she knew them. She stated that she first heard of the ROSENBERGS when they were arrested in 1950. She said that she had lived near Knickerbocker Village in 1947 in an apartment on Madison Street which is close to Knickerbocker Village and was somewhat curious about having lived so close to a spy.

Asked how interested her girl friend GLADYS MEYER was in JOEL BARR, Mrs. SPECTOR advised that she was not aware MEYER was at all interested in JOEL BARR; that MEYER did date SARANT but did not confide in her that she had any longing for BARR. She professed no knowledge of the incident concerning ALFRED SARANT having sought the advice of VIVIAN GLASSMAN in his quest for the affections of GLADYS MEYER as related by Mr. GLASSMAN. Mrs. SPECTOR stated that she did not know if VIVIAN GLASSMAN and GLADYS MEYER knew each other and that the incident concerning them must have occurred subsequent to her departure from New York City in 1944.

NORMA WANAN a.k.a. SPECTOR was born December 31, 1922 in New York City, the daughter of LOUIS WANAN and LILLI MEYERS, both parents born in Russia. LOUIS WANAN's last known address was 316 North 21st Street, Birmingham, Alabama. NORMA WANAN resided at 277 Madison Street, New York City while married to her first husband WILLIAM MOODY. NORMA MOODY as of March 1, 1948 was employed at New York State Communist Party headquarters, New York City as a telephone operator.

Confidential Informant T-2, of known reliability, advised that NORMA WANAN was employed as a secretary in the WMD office, 138 Cadillac Square, Detroit, Michigan as of October 1945. T-2 also stated that she was a member of the Downtown Club of the Communist Party in Detroit, Michigan.

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INTERVIEW OF MRS. HERBERT CANTOR,
nee MILDRED BLOCK

Mrs. SIDNEY BARSKY, nee ALICE RATZ, 1475 Metcalf Avenue, Bronx, New York advised on November 2, 1950 that she had formerly been employed by the United States Signal Corps at Fort Monmouth, New Jersey from about June 1942 until the time of her marriage in September 1943 and that she was employed there as a physicist. She stated she resided at 320 Ocean Avenue, Long Branch, New Jersey during this period with a group of girls composed of VIVIAN GLASSMAN, her sister, ELEANOR GLASSMAN, ESTHER BALSAM, nee [illegible], VIVIAN CARSIN nee FRECHTRAUB, JUDITH CROLLMAN, GLADYS SEIGAL, MILDRED CANTOR, nee BLOCK and ELAINE ADLER, nee GOLD.

It was ascertained that Mrs. HERBERT CANTOR, nee MILDRED BLOCK was residing at 41 Lilac Lane, Levittown, Long Island in 1951.

On August 1, 1952 Mrs. HERBERT CANTOR was interviewed by SA WILLIAM A. JOHNSON at 76 Sprucewood Drive, Levittown, Long Island, her present residence. Mrs. CANTOR stated that she knew VIVIAN GLASSMAN when they lived together in the house at 320 Ocean Avenue, Long Branch, New Jersey. She stated that six other girls resided in this house and that all were then employed at the United States Signal Corps installation at Fort Monmouth, New Jersey.

She stated to the best of her recollection she first met subject in the fall of 1942 but that they had little or no contact with each other at their place of employment as they worked in different sections. She stated that the residence at which the girls were living was operated on a cooperative basis and that VIVIAN GLASSMAN roomed with her sister, ELEANOR.

She pointed out there there was not too much contact between the girls in the house as they all had their own friends. She recalled that the subject acted as treasurer for the house and that she, Mrs. CANTOR, did all the shopping and planning of the meals.

She pointed out that the only collective social life at the house was an occasional musical that was held for the girls and some of their friends but that these musicals were not too frequent. She stated that she knew none of the subject's friends or activities and stated that the names of JOEL BARR and ALFRED SARANT meant nothing to her.

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ATTEMPTED INTERVIEW OF ELAINE MILLER nee GOLD

On July 16, 1952 [illegible] and [illegible] contacted ELAINE MILLER nee GOLD, Apartment 3E, 200 North Village Avenue, Rockville Center, New York, at which time she admitted her identity but refused to answer any questions. Agents advised that she made known her intention not to answer any questions before knowing what the questions might be.

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At the Union Square Savings Bank, 245 First Avenue, New York City, Confidential Informant T-3, of known reliability, made available the deposit and withdrawal record of the savings account of VIVIAN and ERNEST PAIAI, 131 East Seventh Street, New York City which reflected the following:

Date 1952	Withdrawals	Deposits	Balance
	$	$	$
3/14		2,191.00	
3/26	30.00		
4/16		13.20	
4/16	100.00		
4/21	100.00		
4/29			1,975.49
5/2		100.00	2,075.49
6/10	615.00		1,461.49
6/19		55.50	
6/19	906.75		
6/30			610.24

(Bank interest not reflected in the above)

On July 30, 1952 Confidential Informant T-3 advised there was no activity in this account during July 1952.

At the Manufacturers Trust Company, 230 Second Avenue, New York City, Confidential Informant T-4, of known reliability, supplied the following information concerning the joint checking account of subject and her husband, [illegible] PAIAI, 131 East Seventh Street, New York City.

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Date 1952	Checks Drawn $	Deposits $	Balance $
3/31			408.66
4/2		124.78	
4/7	6.62		
4/15	10.80		
4/21	13.71		
	4.50		
4/23	29.90		
4/23			467.91

Check No.	Date 1952	Payee	Amount	Signed
	4/3	Buy Rite	6.62	VIVI N PATAKI
40	4/8	New York City Center	10.80	VIVIAN PATAKI
44	4/15	Consolidated Edison	13.71	[illegible] PATAKI
43	4/15	Teachers Union Local 555, [illegible]	4.50	[illegible] PATAKI
45	4/16	Greenspan Beauties	29.90	VIVIAN PATAKI
47	5/12	B.Nelson & Co.	6.45	VIVIAN PATAKI
46	5/1	New York Telephone Co.	14.82	VIVIAN PATAKI
49	5/15	Health Insurance Plan of Greater New York	17.90	VIVIAN PATAKI
50	5/16	Greenspan Beauties	29.90	VIVIAN PATAKI

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Date 1952	Checks Drawn	Deposits	Balance
5/29			398.84
6/3		113.00	
6/5	8.22		
6/6	23.39		
6/12	7.59		
6/17	1.00		
	4.11		
6/18	70.00		
6/19	5.02		
6/20	1.19		
6/25	24.50		
	13.02		
			342.43

Check #	Date 1952	Payee	Amount	Signed
	6/3	C. Klein	8.22	
41	4/15	State Tax Commission	23.39	[illegible]
42	4/15	State Tax Commission	7.59	VIVIAN [illegible]
48	5/13	Woman's Day Bird Charts	1.00	VIVIAN [illegible]
	6/16	C. Klein	4.11	VIVIAN [illegible]
52	6/13	[illegible]	70.00	VIVIAN [illegible]

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Check #	Date 1952	Payee	Amount	Signed
	6/17	S. Klein	5.[illegible]2	
	6/18	Bloomes Shoe Shop	7.16	
	6/20	Consolidated Edison	13.02	
	6/17	Greenspan Equities Inc.	29.90	

Confidential Informant T-4 advised that the June 30, 1952 balance was $292.43. There was no activity in this account during July 1952 and the balance remained the same.

The foregoing information supplied by Confidential Informants T-3 and T-4 is made available on a confidential basis and is not to be made public except upon issuance of a subpoena duces tecum.

It is noted that check #52 dated June 13, 1952 for $70. was payable to one, HARRY HYMAN.

Information was received during an interview with Confidential Informant T-12, of known reliability, on June 12, 1952 that HARRY HYMAN and subject's husband, ERNEST PATAKI, were close friends while they were employed at Federal Telecommunications Laboratories, Nutley, New Jersey between 1944 and 1950. T-12 advised that HARRY HYMAN was President of Local 231, of the United Office and Professional Workers of America Union and that he had admitted to informant that he was a Communist Party member.

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INFORMATION FROM NEW YORK STATE MOTOR VEHICLE BUREAU

On July 22, 1952 SECRETARY [illegible] advised that the records of the New York State Motor Vehicle Bureau reflect that an automobile described as a 1950 Hudson sedan, color black, engine number 50011003 was registered by subject's husband, ERNEST FATAKI, 131 East Seventh Street, New York City and received New York license registration number [illegible] 6344.

The records also reflect that FATAKI was in possession of 1949-1952 operator's license number 1296661 issued when he resided at 217 East 19th Street, New York City and was employed at the Federal Telecommunications Laboratory, Nutley, New Jersey. There was no record of an operator's license issued to subject.

Registration of the above vehicle indicates that the withdrawal of $1521.75 from subject's savings account at the Union Square Savings Bank, New York City in June 1952 may have been used to purchase this automobile.

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CHECK FOR BANK ACCOUNT OF SUBJECT

During investigation to locate a banking record for the subject prior to 1948, information was received that VIVIAN GLIFFMAN had redeemed a United States savings bond at the Brooklyn Trust Company, Brooklyn, New York on October 19, 1945. At that time she exhibited an identification card reflecting that she was employed at the Workers Personal Service Bureau of Columbia University.

Mr. LEWIS WILSON, editor of the "Brooklyn Eagle" newspaper, Brooklyn, New York advised that he had served as treasurer for the Workers Personal Service Bureau from May 22, 1945 to about December 1946 and that although he was not certain, he believes that the bank used by the Workers Personal Service Bureau was the Lafayette National Bank, Brooklyn, New York or the Brooklyn Trust Company.

On July 24, 1952 [redacted] Lafayette National Bank, 100 Livingston Street, Brooklyn, New York advised that a check of the bank records reflected no account for the Workers Personal Service Bureau or for VIVIAN GLIFFMAN. b7D

It has been previously ascertained that the Brooklyn Trust Company was absorbed by the Manufacturers Trust Company, 55 Broad Street, New York City in 1950. Previous inquiry at the Manufacturers Trust Company has reflected no account for subject prior to 1948.

On July 25, 1952 inquiry was made at the Public National Bank, Avenue C Branch, Seventh Street and Avenue C, New York City, which bank is located in the vicinity of subject's former residence at 343 East Eighth Street, New York City concerning an account for subject, with negative results.

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RECORDS OF SOCIAL SERVICE VOCATIONAL BUREAU

During an interview of [redacted] Social Service Department, Long Island College Hospital, 58 Amity Street, Brooklyn, New York on January 23, 1952 where subject was formerly employed, [redacted] advised that a record of GLAZMAN's previous employment in the social service field had been sent to her by the Social Service Vocational Bureau of New York City, together with comments as to her competency in the various jobs that she had held. b7D

On July 25, 1952 at the Social Service Vocational Bureau, Room 1406, 192 Lexington Avenue, New York City, subject's social service vocational record reflected the following information:

VIVIAN GLAZMAN

Birth January 30, 1919 131 East Seventh Street, New York City

United States citizen Single

Education: Hunter College, AB 1939 - Statistics and English; City College, graduate work, 1940-1941 - Education and Psychology; Columbia University - New York School of Social Work, MSS 1946.

Field work: Jewish Community Services of Queens and Nassau, New York, 3 months - 3 days a week; American Red Cross, Queens, New York, 6 months - 4 days a week; Workers Personal Service Bureau, New York, 3 months, 4 days a week.

Experience: Brooklyn State Hospital, New York
October 1943 - January 1945

Psychiatric case worker - carried an average case load of 60 patients. Assisted discharged patients with their adjustment in the community. Prepared case histories, prepurole and convalescent status reports. Worked closely with psychiatric staff at diagnostic seminars and in clinics.

Jewish Board of Guardians, New York
April 1946 - October 1946

Psychiatric case worker - carried average case load of 18 children and their parents. Supervised psycho-

therapy including play techniques in conjunction with Dr. [illegible]. Prepared diagnostic summary reports. Participated in seminars given by Dr. [illegible] involving preparation of case material for analysis. Coordinated individual therapy with group therapy lead by Dr. [illegible]. Supervised Big Brother and Big Sister volunteers for Brownsville Office.

Personal Service Department, National Maritime Union, New York
October 1946 - February 1948

Personal service interviewer: Gave service to seamen and their families re health, financial problems, family situations, housing, unemployment insurance and old age and survivors insurance. Assistant Director: Assisted in management of department consisting of 12 professional and clerical workers. Assisted in programming of welfare services. Responsible for job assignments and work flow. Set up office procedures. Responsible for monthly statistical reports. Prepared series of reports on application of State Unemployment Insurance Laws to seamen. These reports were used to train personnel working with seamen and as reference material by the New York State Division of Placement and Unemployment Insurance.

United Service for New Americans, New York
March 1946 - December 1950

Caseworker - investigation consultant. Analyzed personal case records for investigation possibilities and soundness of social planning. Prepared reports and evaluation of findings for use of lay organizations. Reports included interpretation of immigration laws and social concepts in non-technical langua Consultant to agencies throughout the United States and overseas. Liaison wit United States Government agencies.

Also reflected in subject's file was a copy of a letter dated November 12, 1945 from [illegible], Director, Field Work Department, New York School of Social Work, New York