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DETAILS

STANLEY ROBERT RIGH was reinterviewed at Hartford, Conn. on August 2, 1951, and affirmed his previous statement that he was a member of the Steinmetz Club, the unit of the Young Communist League at the College of the City of New York during the school year 1937-1938.

RICH described the subject as a studious type of individual with whom he was associated on numerous laboratory experiments during the senior year of the course in Electrical Engineering at CCMY. He related that he held no office in the Steinmetz Club, and attended from two to six meetings of the organization. RICH stated that the subject may have been in attendance at some of these meetings, but claimed to be unable to be certain on this point.

RICH was of the opinion that the subject's interests in his studies overshadowed all other activities at CCNY, and that if he became interested in "left wing sctivities" it was after the period of his attendance at CCNY.

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THE NOTATION RECARDING THE CLOSING OF ACCOUNT AND IN VIEW OF THE
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GENERAL CORRESPONDENCE FILE FAILED TO REFLECT ANY INFORMATION REGARDING
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August 14, 1951

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NORPOLK, VIRGINIA    MYENER   8/23/51   8/10,15/51   REPORT MADE BY FRED A. COOTS   SMC	NORFOLK, VIRGINIA 8/23/51 8/10,15/51 FRED A. COOTS  TITLE WILLIAM PERL, wa.  Deposit tickets at Merchants National Bank, Hampton, Virginia on March 23, 1941 reflect two deposits totaling \$470.00 in cash. Another cash deposit of \$250.00 made on 2/16/42, on February 17, 1942, \$90.00 de- posit to account of subject. This \$90.00 was part of salary government check for \$104.53.  Examination of ledger sheets for subject's account from May 16, 1939 through January 11, 1941 reflects normal semimonally deposits other than a \$190.00 cash deposit on July 20, 1940. No record located for subject at Langley demorial Aeronautics Laboratory Gredit Union. Bank authorities, Hampton, Virginia, believe subject closed out his account by notation on check dated January 3, 1944 in the amount of \$40.00. They also advised that general corred- pondence file failed to re- flect any information regarding subject or subject's forwarding address or forwarding bank.  - RUC -		W YORK	NEW	TED AT	uginate:	SE ORIGII 4	CASE	<b>319</b> (
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A check of the records of the Credit Union Office, Langley Memorial Aeronautics Laboratory, failed to reflect the name of the subject as having had any account with the Credit Union. According to authorities at the Credit Union the subject could have either cashed a check or made a payment to the Credit Union in someone else's name.

A check of the deposit tickets available at the Merchants National Bank with reference to the subject's depositing \$470.00 on March 28, 1948 reflected that these were two cash deposits totaling this amount. There was nothing on the deposit slip to indicate the origin of the money deposited. Another cash deposit of \$250.00 made on February 16, 1942 was reflected on a deposit slip. On February 17, 1942,\$90.00 was deposited to the account of the subject. According to the deposit slip this \$90.00 was part of a salary government check for \$104.53. This check was located on recordak film at the bank.

Regarding the activities of the subject's account prior to January 1941 ledger sheets from May 16, 1939 to January 11, 1941 showing subject's checking account activities at the Merchants National Bank were located in the old vault located on the second floor of the bank. An examination of these ledger sheets reflected that the semimonthly deposits not exceeding \$80.00 at any time. However, it was noted that one of the semimorthly deposits was made on July 17, 1940. was in the amount of w88.45. The deposit slip located in the attic of the bank reflected that this \$88.45 was made by government check. On July 20, 1940 there was a deposit of \$190.00 made to the account of the subject. At this time the bank balance of the subject was 282.29. An examination of the doposit slip for July 20, 1940 reflected that the deposit was made in cash. There were no withdrawals noted above \$30.00 during the period in question. The subject's checking account balance as of January 11, 1941 was \$57.09. The highest balance for the account during the pertinent period was \$308.00 as of October 17, 1939.

Confidential Informant T-1 advised that the check dated January 3, 1944 drawn on Merchants National Lank payable to WILLIAM HUTTERPERL and signed WILLIAM HUTTERPERL was probably mailed by the subject to the bank. This check was located by the reporting agent on recordak film and there was a notation on the check which was probably in the handwriting of the subject, "to close account". There was a clearing house stamp on the base of the check. However, this stamp was illegible. T-1 stated that the check was most likely mailed by the subject to the Bank at Hampton, Virginia, in view of the notation regarding the closing of the account and in view of the mederal Reserve Stamp on the base of the check.

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REFERENCES:

New York teletype to Morfolk on August 9, 1951.

Worfolk teletype to New York on August 10, 1951.

Report of SA FRED A. COUTS dated August 7, 1951 at Norfolk, Virginia.

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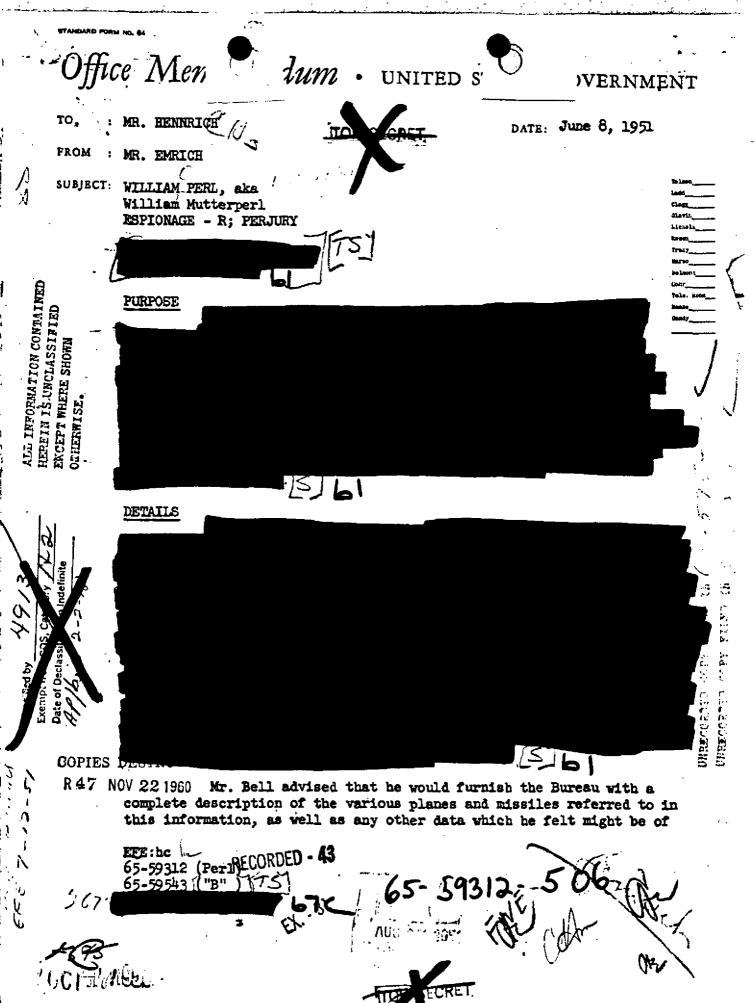
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assistance in the interview. He stated he would also include a number of suggested questions which he would appreciate being asked in order to assist them in making further checks to determine the exact source from which this information may have been secured from NACA.

During the discussion, Mr. Bell advised that he had recently learned that there had been a previous comprehensive report on the NEPA project prior to the "Lexington Report," this earlier report being referred to as NEPA #4 which came out in late 1947, or early 1948. This information is of interest in view of the present investigation to determine the exact nature of the mathematics on NEPA which Rosenberg informed Greenglass he had received in 1948.

Mr. Bell advised that he would locate this report and make a copy thereof available to the Bureau, along with the date it was originally received by NACA.

ACTION

None. For your information.



August 22, 1951 DIRECTOR, FRI William Shutterperl ESPICNACE - R PERJURY Attached hereto is one copy of the report of Special Agent Edward R. Whalen, dated August 15, 1951, at New Haven, Connecticut, in the above-captioned matter. MIG 72 5 33 Ph. 9100 EX-141 U. S. DEPT. OF JUSTICE RECE AT THE PROPERTY OF BOOM 2 17 PH '51

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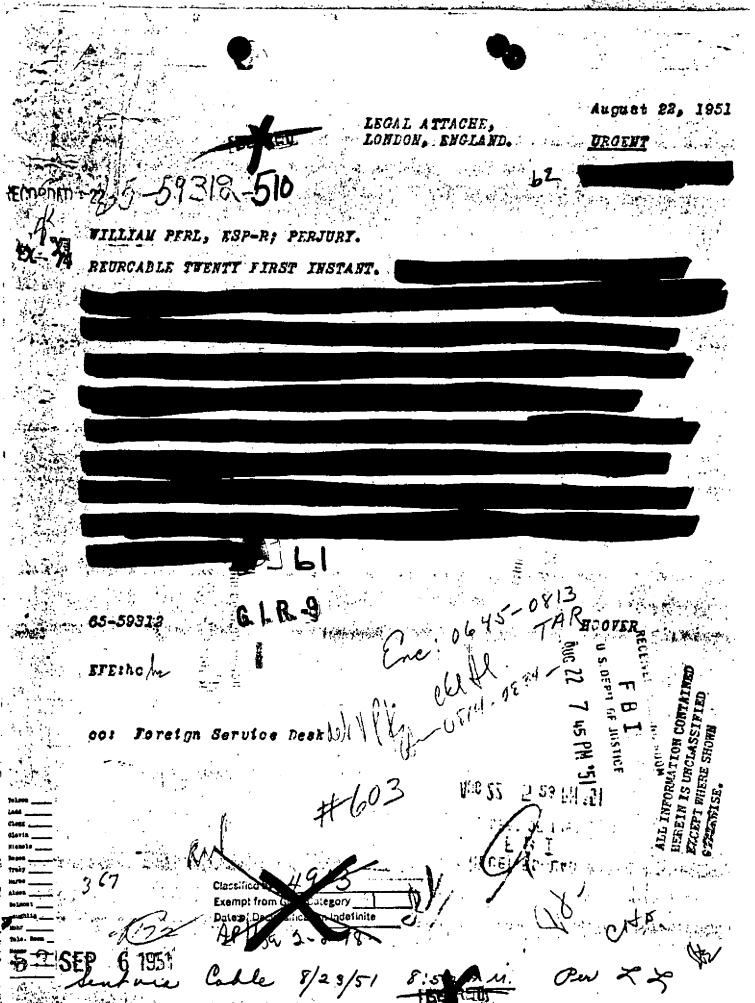
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Ur. William E. Folen. Chief WONTHLY REPORT TO THE

OF ATOMIC EMERCY

Reference to made to your memorandum dated August 23, 1951, your reference JWY :JJCH :arm, 146-41-15, requesting that this Biregu advise as expeditiously as possible of any coservations regarding three cases which the Atonia Energy Commission desires to include in the report to the Joint Congressional Counittee on Atomic Energy.

The status of these cases is noted as follows:

Unknown Subject: Approximately 100 grans of species plutonium missing in DP West Site, Los Alamos Atomic Energy the third from the first proming was concern within a first Project in the state of the concernance

The status of this investigation is pending. "You" may wish to refer to the report of Special Agent J. Jerone Marwell, dated July 10, 1951, at Albuquerque, New Wexico, a copy of which was furnished to you on August 9, 1951.

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The status of this pass is pending. As you are aware subject, Perl, was indicted on Farch 15, 1951, for perjury and has been released on a \$20,000 bond. The date of trial has not as yet been sat.

Lanar Kilburn Lenderman:

The status of this investigation is pending. may wish to refer to the report of Special Apent Laurence A Bracken, dated July 13, 1951, New York, N.T., a copy of white has been previously furnished to you.

The propriety of releasing information in connection with the above cases is being left to your discretion.

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BY SPECIAL MESSENGER

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To: Director

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Washington, D. C.

Attention: Wr. Robert L. Bell. Security Officer

From: John Edgar Hoover, Director Federal Bureau of Investigation

Subject: WILLIAM PERL, aka
William Mutterperl
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In accordance with the telephone conversation with Mr. Lloyd Blankenbaker of your office there are being forwarded herewith two copies of a list of the various NACA documents which you previously advised had been sent to Dr. Theodore von Karman of the Pupin Physics Laboratory, Room 827, Columbia University, New York, New York, You will note that this vest sets forth the identification number of the particular document together with the NACA code number and the time of release.

It is requested that on the basis of this data you institute an appropriate check of your records to determine whether any of these documents may have been returned to your Committee by Dr. Von Karman or whether he may have reported the destruction of any of these documents.

It will also be appreciated if you will make available to this Bureau a list of any other classified documents issued by your Committee which may have been forwarded to Dr. Yon Karman prior to July 4, 1949. It is noted that the attached list purports to cover all such documents sent to Dr. Yon Karman during the years 1947 and 1948, the latest being your research memorandum RIM 85 21, dated September 20, 1948. In furnishing

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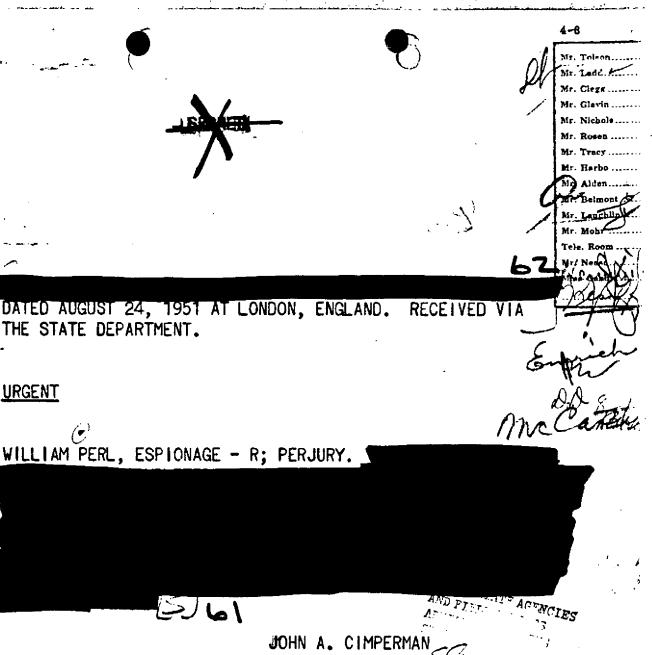
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this information kindly indicate the full title of the document, the exact classification as of July 4, 1949, the name of the person signing the receipt on behalf of Dr. Yon Karman, and the date instant receipt was executed.

As you were advised this information is desired incomuch as the Bureau is making an effort to obtain original copies of such research memoranda and reports sent to Dr. You Karman for appropriate laboratory examination and analysis.



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AND REFERENCES Washington, D. C.  $SLip_{i}$ Attention: Ur. Robert L. Bell Becurity Officer John Edgar Hoover, Director Front Federal Bureau of Investigation WILLIAM PERL, aka Villiam Mutterperl ESPIONAGE - R PERJURY ndefinite 16,00 For your information, Lieutenant Colonel Gregori Alexandrovich Tokaev was born in North Ossetia, Russia, on October 13, 1909. He studied at the Zhokorski Military Academy in Loscow between 1932 and 1937 and remained at the Academy for an additional year in order to pursue scientific work and to assume the position of head of the Aerodynamics baboratory and Note: NACA's request to interview Tokaev emanated from 85-59312 367Dr. Hugh L. Dryden, Director of that Committee who is expecting to be in England from 9/3 to 14/51 as indicated 353 BY SPL M5Th memo from Mr. Belmont to Mr. Lodd 6/22/51. temo from Mr. Belmont to Mr. Lodd 6/22/51.



as lecturer. In June, 1945, Tokaev was posted from the Soviet Air Force to the Air Division of the Soviet Ministry of Aircraft Production in Germany as an Aviation Specialist. During the period from June to August, 1945, he served as Adviser on Air Matters to the Soviet Delegation at Potsdam. He was one of the secretaries of the Russian element of the Allied Secretariat of the Control Council from August, 1945, to February, 1946. In February, 1946, Tokaev, at his own request, became Senior Assistant for Scientific Questions to the Chief of the Air Section of the Ministry of Aircraft Production. He defected from the Soviets on November 3, 1947.

In the event your representative interviews Tokaev it will be appreciated if you will make the results thereof vailable to this Burcau as well as to CIA in accordance with the Mational Security Countil directives No. 13 and No. 14 pertaining to defectors.

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DETAILS: W. L. WELLS, formerly Chief Engineer and C. H. MARSHALL, formerly Chief Project Engineer, Curtis-Wright Corporation, St. Louis, Missouri, now employed by the G. E. Wells Incorporated, 918 South Boyle Avenue, St. Louis, Missouri, upon interview advised that they could not fix a date the plans for the power plants TG-100 or I-40 became known to the Curtis-Wright Corporation. Furthermore, a search of their papers failed to disclose any record which might assist them to approximate a date which would mark the beginning of Project KC-113. This Project it was stated was the installation of a TG-100 power plant in a C46 airplane. They advised that no work was done by the Curtis-Wright Corporation on the I-40 power plant. The name of CHARLES HURKAMP, formerly head of the Development Group at Curtis-Wright Corporation, was suggested as a person who might be able to furnish the desired information.

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that he attended a conference at the Curtis-Wright Research Laboratory, Buffalo, New York, at which time the Army Air Force disclosed the plans for power plants TG-100 and I-40. He advised that he was of this opinion since the plane designated as XP80, which was powered by an I-40 engine had made its test flight during the month of April, 1944, and since it had taken the Lockheed Aircraft Company six months to build this plane, they evidently had the plans some time during the latter part of 1943 at the same time he was also given the information.

At the meeting in Buffalo, New York he stated that he believed that at that time one copy of the plans were earmarked by the Army for the Curtis-Wright Corporation and that after the laboratory had studied them they were sent to St. Louis.

He stated that the Curtis-Wright Corporation had worked on the Project XC-113, which consisted of installation of the TG-100 power plant in a C46 plane, however, after working on this for some time, the project was transferred to Buffalo, New York and later to Columbus, Ohio.

He advised that the person in charge of the Curtis-Wright Research Laboratory at the time of the meeting concerning instant power plants, was a Dr. FURNACE who still remained there after it was taken over by the Cornell University. He added that he was of the opinion that documentary evidence would be available through Dr. FURNACE which would reflect the exact date the plans were made available.

E. M. FIESH, formerly First Project Engineer, Curtis-Wright Corporation, now Engineer, McDonnell Aircraft Company, stated that he concurred in the opinion of Mr. HURKAMP, however, his actual participation in Project XC-113 did not begin until the latter part of 1944 or the early part of 1945.

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A suggested lead to contact Dr. FURNACE, Cornell University, is being left to the discretion of the office of origin inasmuch as it is thought probable that this source has already been contacted it having been noted that previously the Bureau has requested the Buffalo office to secure the desired information.

REFERENCE:

Report of SA WILLIAM C. TOWER dated June 23, 1951 at Seattle.



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Attached herewith for your information is one copy of the report of Special Agent Ralph M. Nolan, dated September 10, 1951, at St. Louis, Missouri, in the above-captioned matter.

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Remycable August 22, 1951, relative to Dr. Hugh L. Dryden, Director of the National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics, interviewing füregori A. Toksev.

You are advised that Dr. Dryden was expected to arrive in London, England, on September 1, 1951, and to stop at the Grand Hotel, Brighton, from September 3 to 8 and at the Kensington Palace in London from September 9 through 14. He contemplates personally handling the interview of Toksev, on September 15, 1951.



For your information, NACA has been very cooperative with this Bureau in connection with the investigation in the above-entitled matter.

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Remylet June 18, 1951, furnishing income tax returns of Abraham Mutterperl, father of subject, for the years 1947, 1948, and 1949.

The Bureauhas been advised by letter dated August 24, 1951, from the Internal Revenue Bureau that the income tax return filed by Abraham Mutterperl in the 14th internal revenue collection district of New York for the year 1945 is not available at the present time.

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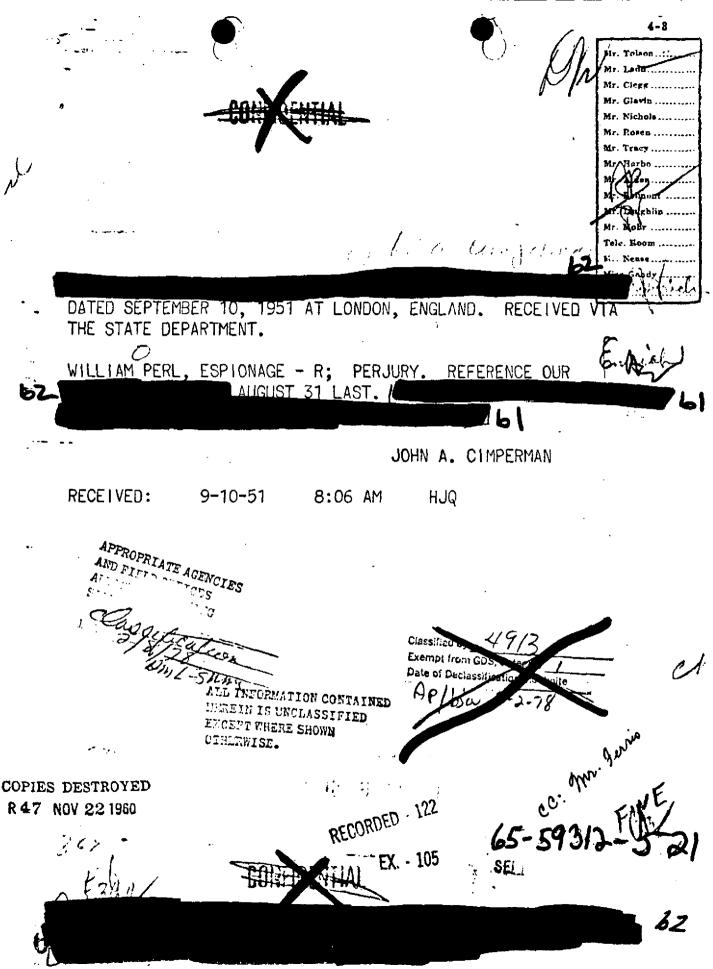


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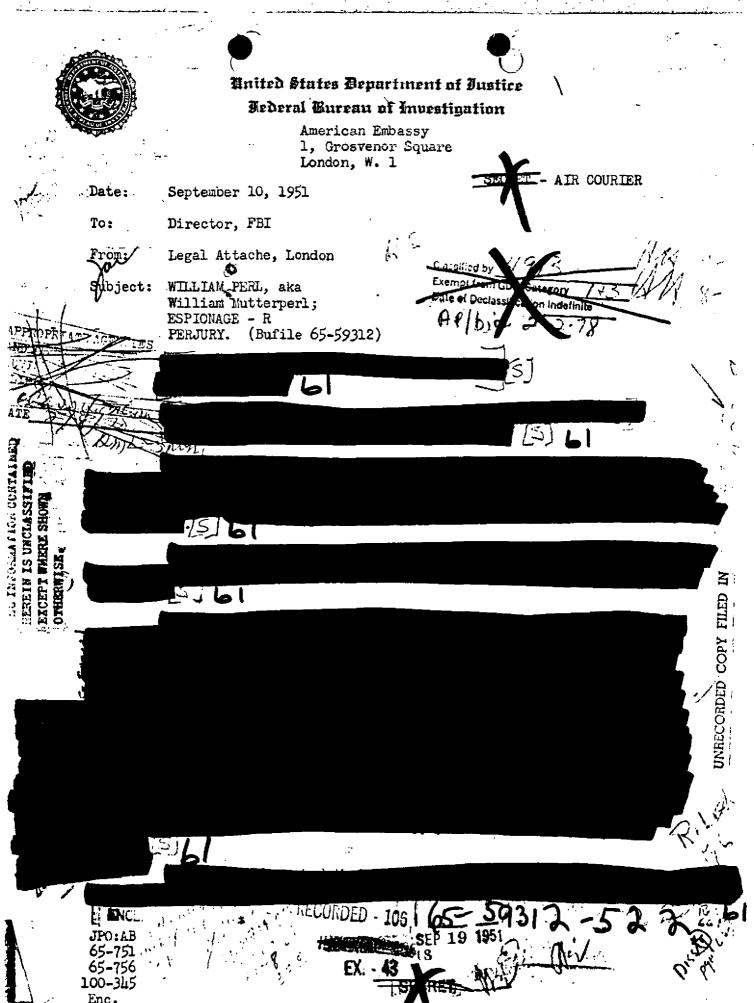
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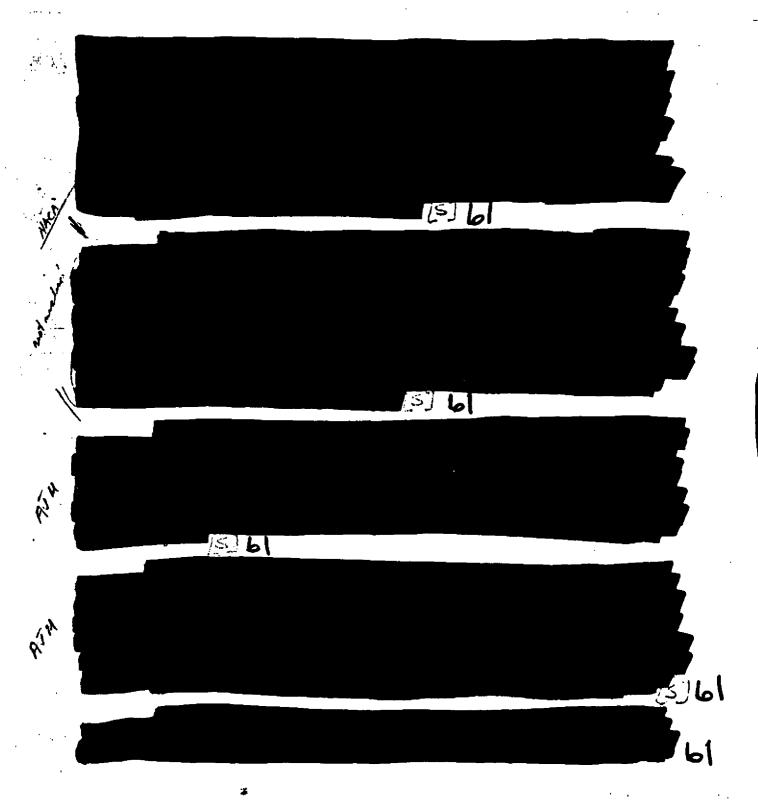
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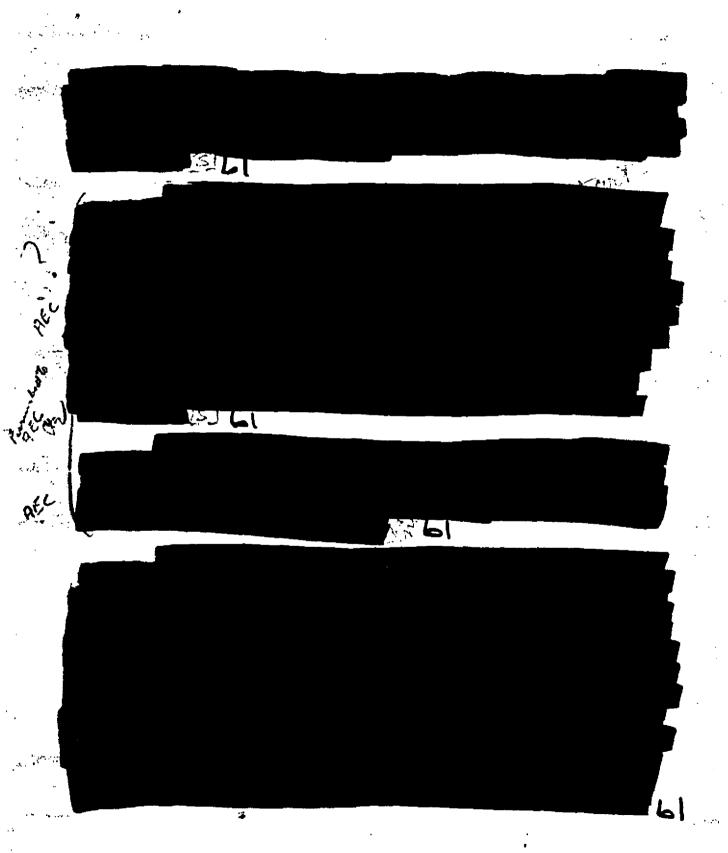
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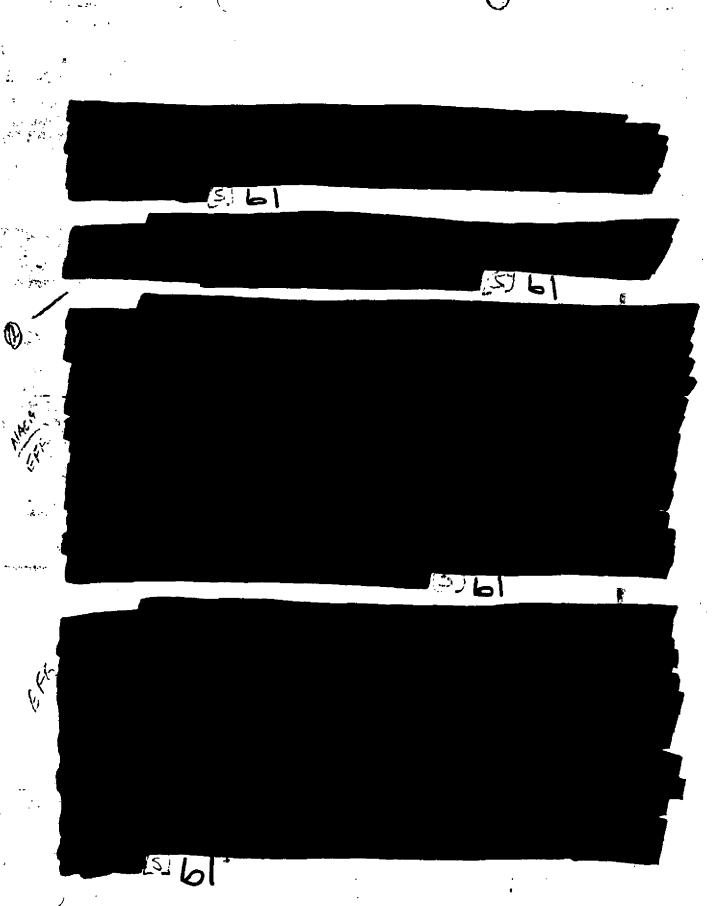
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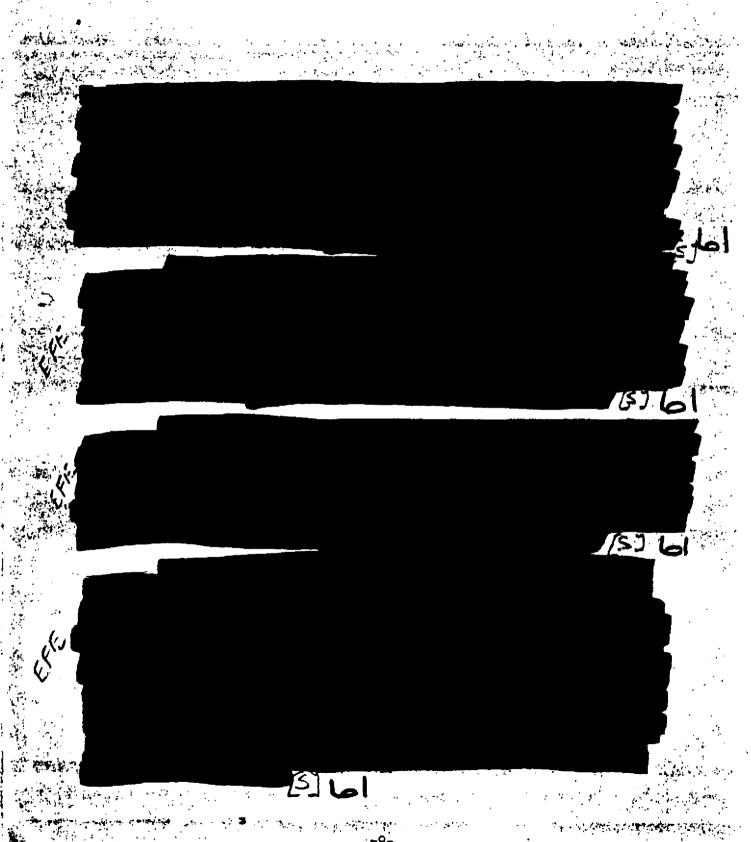
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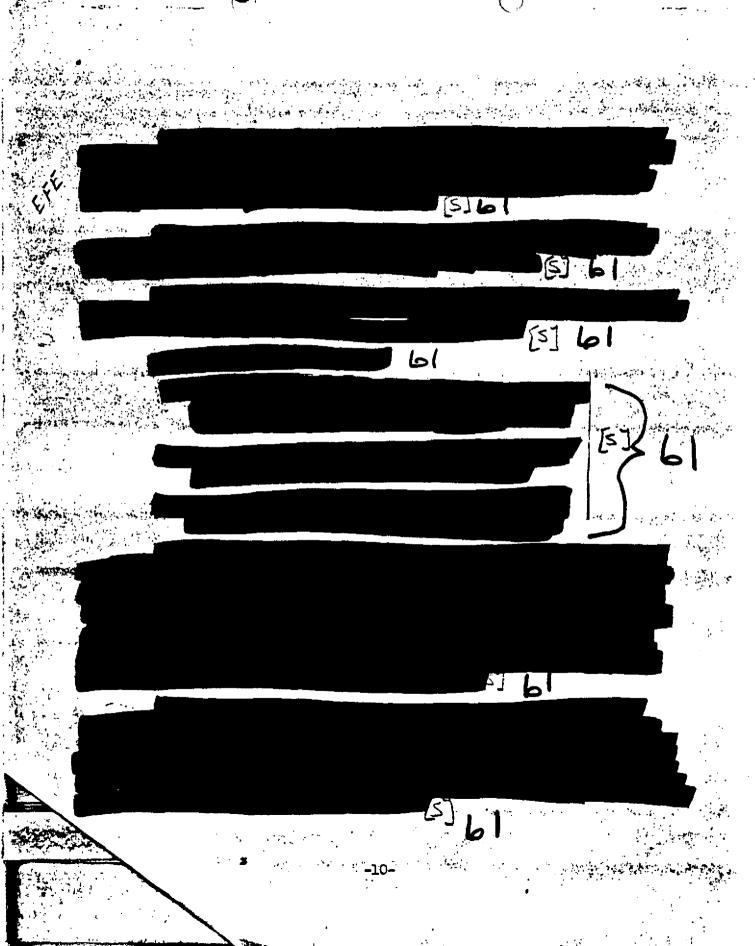


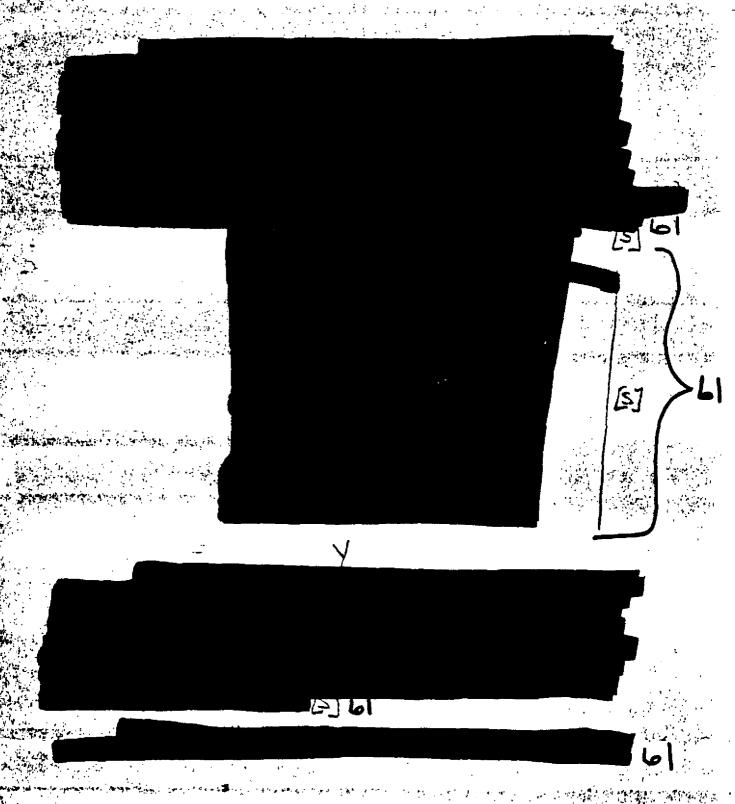




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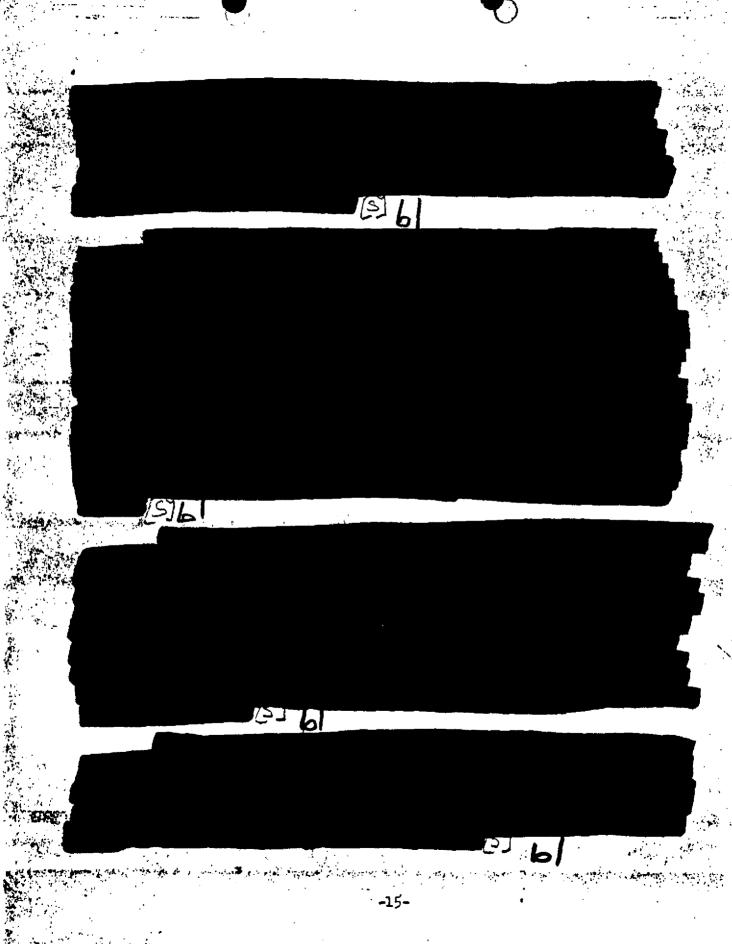


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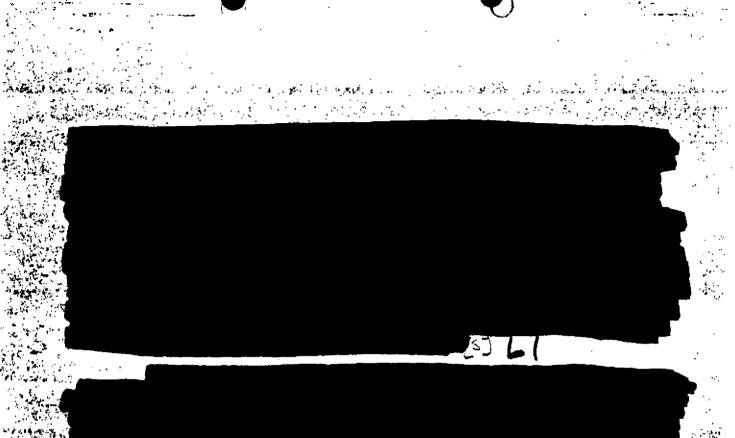
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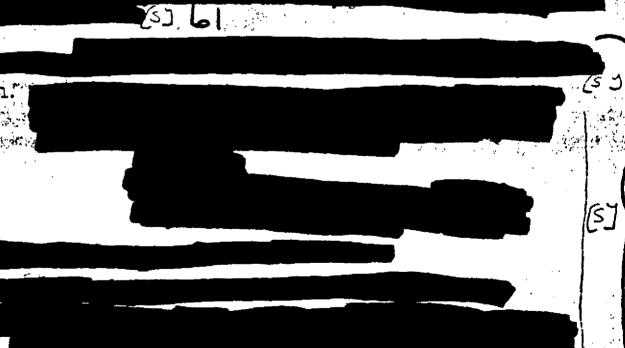
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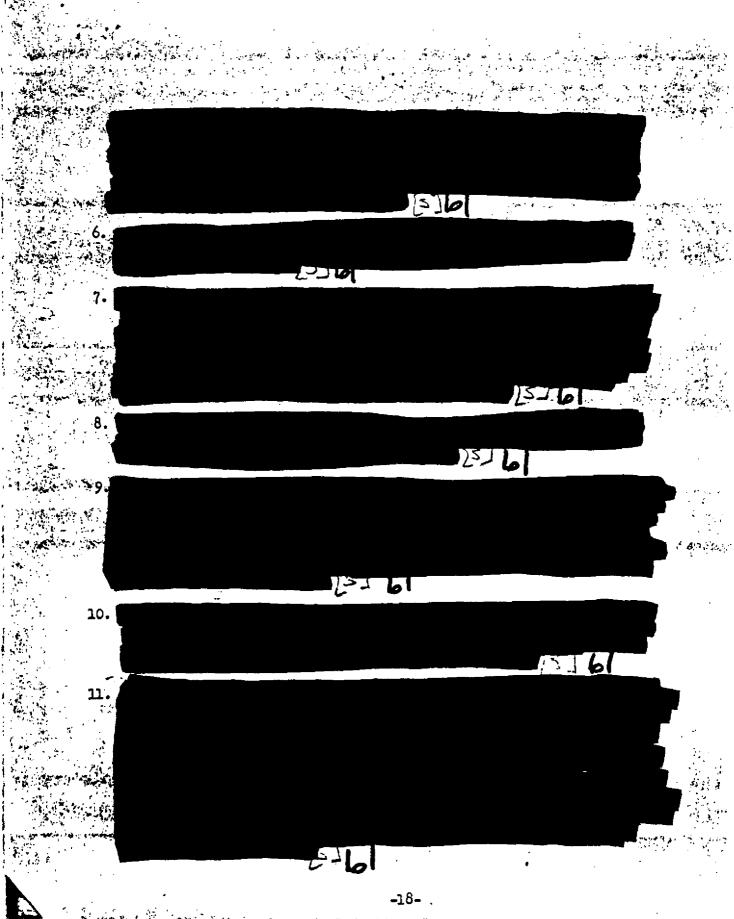


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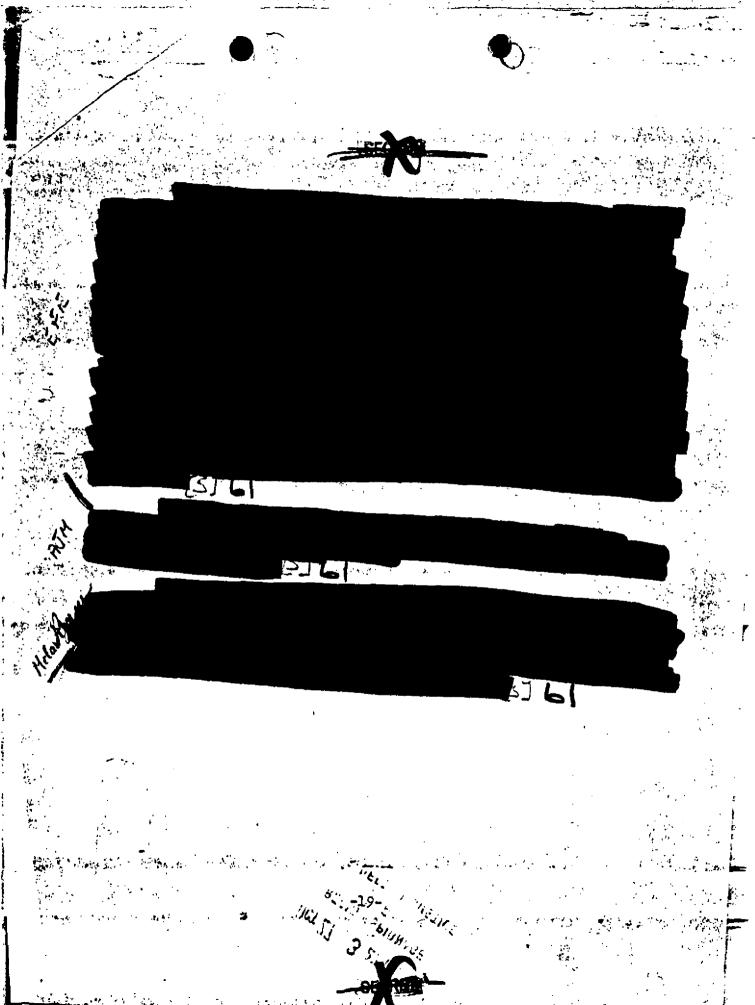




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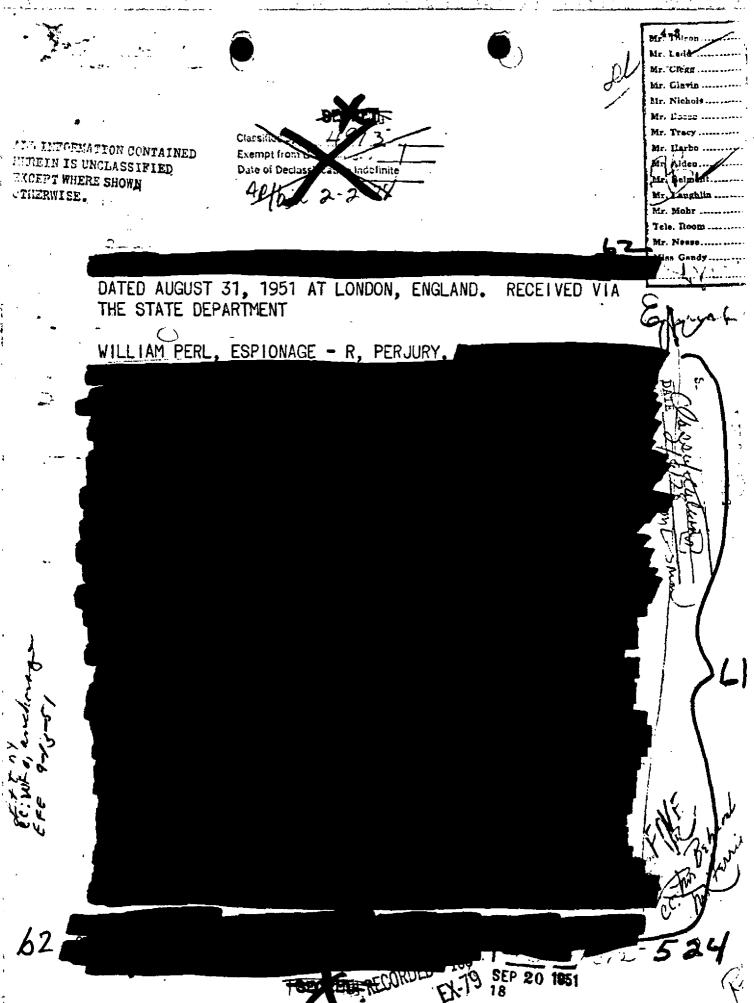
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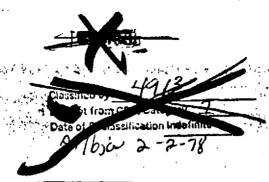
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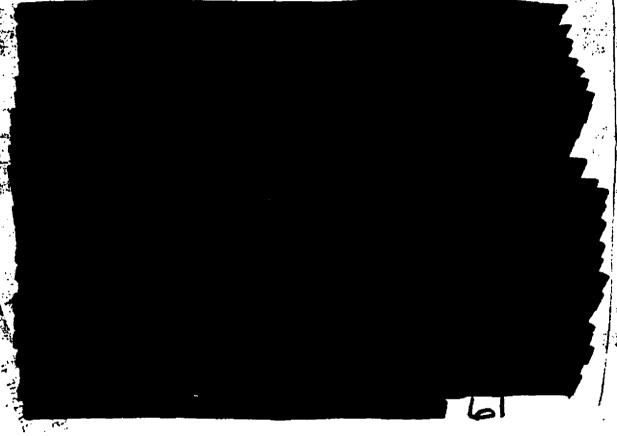
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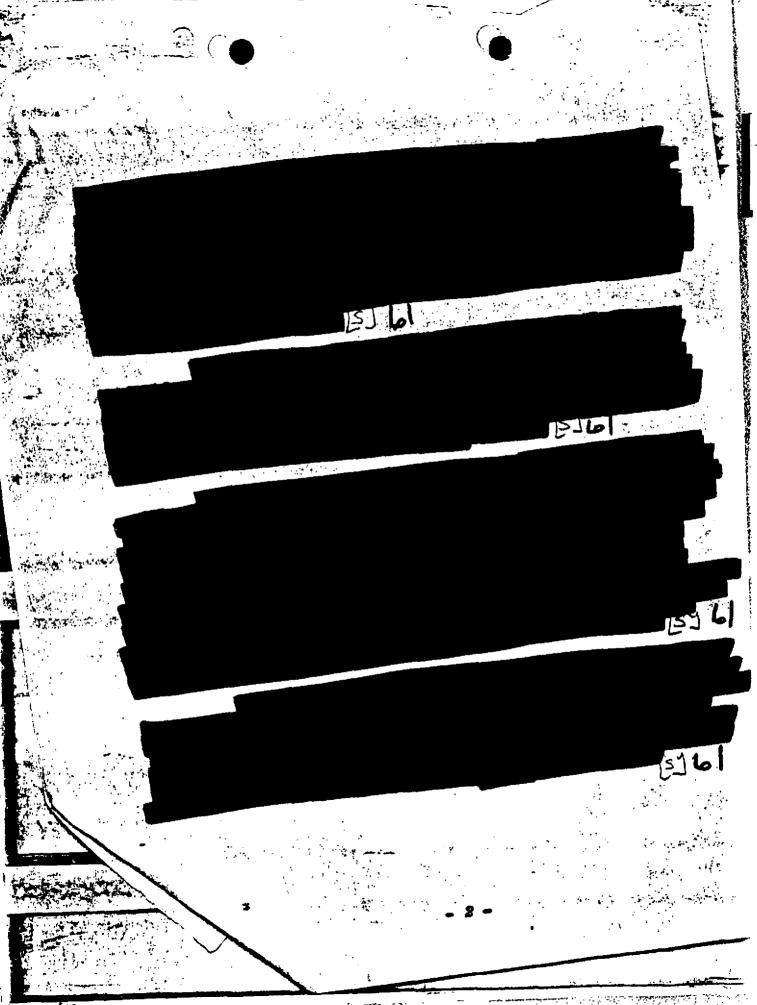
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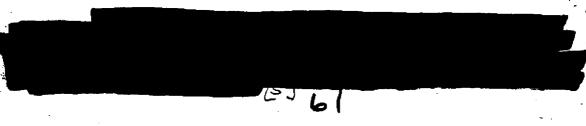
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The files of the WFO contain no derogatory information concerning -SOLOMON HENRY TURKEL. TURKEL was interviewed at the Operations Research Office, Johns Hopkins Institute, 6410 Connecticut Avenue, N.W., at which time he evidenced a desire to cooperate with this office in any investiga-. tion. According to TURKEL he had been employed at the Argonne Laboratory, - Chicago, up to the spring of 1946 at which time he went to Cleveland to visit the NACA establishment having in mind the possible obtaining of employment at the latter place. During this visit he was referred to ALFRED BOBROWSKI a physicist and apparently in charge of a section of the laboratory. BOBROWSKI showed TURKEL through the laboratory during the course of the visit and quite possibly introduced him to some employees there although TURKEL could not recall the names of any such employees. In July 1946 TURKEL was employed with NEPA at NACA at Oak Ridge and subsequently had occasion to correspond with the NACA at Cleveland by letter in the course of his duties but did not thereafter visit the Cleveland laboratory.

EXPEDITE PROPERTY TURKEL categorically stated that he could not recall ever having heard the name of subject and is certain that the latter had never requested of him nor received any information whatsoever, including the "Lexington Report" or concerning the NEPA project. TURKEL likewise had no knowledge concerning any leakage of classified NEPA information to unauthorized persons. RUC

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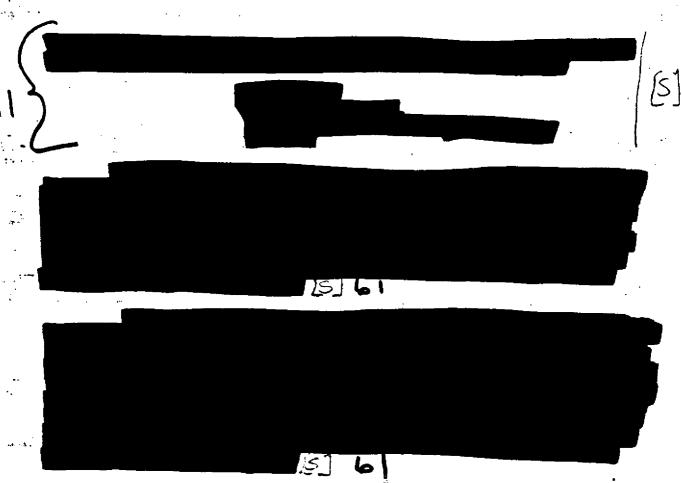
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In view of the imminence of the trial of William Perl and the possible desire of the Bureau to have Samuel Perl reinterviewed prior thereto it will be appreciated if you will give this matter your most expeditious attention.

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