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4	7-18-50	CV Teletype to HQ + NY caption - Julius Rosenberg	1	0	SEE BUFILE 65-58236
5	7-18-50	CV LETTER TO NY caption - Julius Rosenberg	1	0	SEE NY 65-15348
5a	7-19-50	NY SA MEMO TO FILE caption - Julius Rosenberg	1	0	SEE NY 65-15348-140
6	7-19-50	NY SA MEMO TO FILE caption - Julius Rosenberg	1	0	SEE NY 65-15348-142
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10	7-19-50	HQ Teletype to N.Y. caption Julius Rosenberg	1	0	SEE BUFILE 65-58236
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16	7/21/50	caption - Julius Rosenberg NY TELETYPE TO HQ	5	0	SEE BUFILE 65-58236
17	7/21/50	caption - Julius Rosenberg WFO TELETYPE TO HQ+NY	2	0	SEE BUFILE 65-58236
18	7/21/50	caption - Julius Rosenberg NY Teletype TO HQ	5	0	SEE BUFILE 65-58236
19	7/21/50	caption - Julius Rosenberg NY SA Memo To File	8	0	SEE NY 65-15348-190
19a	7/20/50	caption - Julius Rosenberg CV LETTER TO HQ	1	0	SEE BUFILE 65-58236
20	7/21/50	caption - Julius Rosenberg NY Teletype To HQ	7	0	SEE BUFILE 65-58236
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26	7/23/50	NY MEMO TO FILE Caption - Julius Rosenberg	5	0	SEE NY 65-15348-228
27	7/24/50	NY Teletype To HQ Caption - Alfred SARANT	5	0	SEE BUFILE 65-58236
28	7/24/50	NY MEMO TO FILE Caption - Julius Rosenberg	1	0	SEE NY 65-15360
29	7/20/50	CV Letter To HQ	1	0	SEE BUFILE 65-58236
30	7/24/50	NY LETTER TO CV	1	1	
31	—	SERIAL 31 SKIPPED IN SERIALIZING	1	1	
32	7/25/50	NY MEMO TO FILE Caption - Julius Rosenberg	1	0	SEE NY 65-15348
33	7/26/50	NY TO FILE	1	1	
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37	7/27/50	NY Memo To File	2	2	
38	7/26/50	NY MEMO TO FILE	1	1	
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41	7/26/50	NY MEMO TO FILE	1	0	SEE NY 65-15385
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49	7/27/50	NY Letter To 3 RD Party	1	1	
50	7/29/50	NY MEMO TO FILE	4	4	
51	7/27/50	NY Letter To 3 RD Party	1	1	
51a	7/27/50	NY Letter To 3 RD Party Caption - Julius Rosenberg	1	1	
52	7/26/50	AL LETTER TO HQ	2	0	SEE BUFILE 65-58236
53	7/29/50	CV TELETYPE TRANSMIT TO HQ	2	0	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
54	7/28/50	NY Teletype To HQ Caption - Julius Rosenberg	1	0	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
55	7/29/50	HQ LETTER TO NY	1	0	SEE BUFILE 65-58236
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58	7/29/50	NY TELETYPE TYPED TO HQ	1	0	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
59	7/29/50	CV LETTER TO AL	1	1	
60	7/30/50	KX TELETYPE TRANSMIT TO HQ caption: Alfred SARANT	1	0	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
61	7/31/50	NY MEMO TO FILE	5	0	SEE NY 65-15310
62	7/31/50	CV TELETYPE TRANSMIT TO HQ	2	0	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
63	7/31/50	HQ TELETYPE TRANSMIT TO NY	1	0	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
64	8/1/50	NY TELETYPE TYPED TO HQ ^{AL CV}	4	0	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
65	8/1/50	CV TELETYPE TRANSMIT TO HQ	1	0	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
66	8/1/50	NK TELETYPE TRANSMIT TO HQ	1	0	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
67	8/1/50	NY TELETYPE TYPED TO HQ	4	0	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
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69	8/1/50	NY MEMO TO FILE	1	1	
70	8/1/50	Caption - Julius Rosenberg NY MEMO TO FILE	3	0	SEE NY 65-15348
71	8/1/50	Caption Julius Rosenberg HQ LAB REPORT TO CV	1	0	SEE BUFILE 65-58236
72	8/2/50	HQ TELETYPE TRANSMIT TO NY	1	0	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
73	8/2/50	SL REPORT TO HQ	3	0	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
74	8/3/50	Caption - Joel BAAR NY Teletype To HQ	1	1	
75	8/3/50	NK TELETYPE TRANSMIT TO HQ	2	0	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
76	8/3/50	NY MEMO TO FILE	11	11	
77	8/4/50	Caption - Vivian Glassman NY Teletype to HQ	6	0	SEE BUFILE 65-59334
78	8/4/50	CV TELETYPE TRANSMIT TO HQ	2	0	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
79	8/4/50	INQ LETTER TO HQ	1	0	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
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COMPLAINT FORM

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William Perl
Subject's Name and Aliases

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Address of Subject _____

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SAC, Cleveland

July 24, 1950

SAC, New York

W.P.P.
WILLIAM PERL, aka, William Mutterperl
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Reurtele dated July 22, 1950, 3:26 PM.

Enclosed herewith are five full length photographs of JULIUS ROSENBERG; five full face and side views of JULIUS ROSENBERG; five full face photographs of MORTON SOBELL; five full face photographs of MAX ELITCHER; five full face photographs of JOEL BARR and five passport photographs of JOEL BARR.

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Hollis 4-383

past six-month period
JOSEPH P. BLUM, 79-23 209th St, Flushing

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Federal Bureau of Investigation
United States Department of Justice
607 United States Court House
Foley Square
New York 7, New York

~~PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL~~

July 26, 1950

[REDACTED]
New York Telephone Company
140 West Street
New York 7, New York

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Dear [REDACTED]

In connection with an official investigation being conducted by this office it is requested that information be furnished concerning toll calls charged to Hollis 4-3533 during past six-month period. This number is reported to be listed to JOSEPH P. BLUM, 79-23 209th St, Flushing

Your cooperation in this matter will be greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,

Edward Scheidt
EDWARD SCHEIDT,
Special Agent in Charge

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Mary Vaccaro

July 24, 1950

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WILLIAM PERL
Internal Security - R

del 2-2-14

Branch 43
[redacted] Corn Exchange Bank Trust Company, 67d
Sheridan Square Branch, New York City advised that William Perl, 936 Tiffany
Street, Bronx, New York City opened a Special Checking Account on November 4, 1946.
He showed his occupation to be a student at Columbia University and gave as reference
Public National Bank & Trust Company, Avenue C Branch. This account was closed on
December 2, 1948.

The following is a transcript of the account :

Date	Checks	Deposits	Balance
11-4-46		\$ 150.00 Cash	\$ 150.00
11-6-46		270.00 Cash	170.- Check on Public
11-20-46	40.00	42.85 National Bank, N.Y.C.	
12-2-46	50.00		
12-7-46	10.00		
12-13-46	90.00		
12-18-46	5.00		
1-20-47	100.00		
2-1-47	70.00		
2-3-47	70.00		
2-15-47	100.00		
3-1-47	85.00		
3-3-47	1,078.22		
3-11-47			
3-14-47	2,650.00		
4-1-47	50.00		
4-11-47	5.98		
5-6-47	.70		
7-3-47			
7-31-47	28.40		
9-22-47		5.00	
9-30-47	1,000.00		
11-5-47	50.00		
11-26-47	50.00		
12-1-47	400.00		
12-9-47			
12-16-47	10.00		
12-18-47	3.00		
12-19-47	8.13		
12-22-47	164.00		
12-24-47	50.00		
1-22-48			
2-18-48	180.00		
4-26-48	100.00		
4-29-48	4.90		
5-11-48	2.25		
5-25-48	4.50		
6-15-48	100.00		
6-16-48	20.00		
7-6-48			
9-9-48	1,008.00		

1,000.00 Perl's a/c at Security First National Bank, Pasadena Calif was changed with 1,000.- check on 1/23/47.

1,078.22 (Series E Bond) Charged with ch sam. amount

146.10 (Texas) On this date Perl cashed 52 U.S. Savings Bonds here

700.58 Chase National Bank

400.00 Check on Public National Bank, N.Y.C.

598.40 Cash 500.- 98.40 Check on Bank of Manhattan N.Y.C.

Only 1 copy

F. B. I.
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Trust for 4,008.00

505.81 Perl's a/c Central National Bank - Chas

[redacted] stated that no record is maintained which would show the

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payees of the checks drawn against this account. However, it is possible that the deposit tickets will show the transit number of banks of checks deposited if such checks are drawn on New York City banks and they may show the state in which bank is located if checks was drawn from on account out of this state. No transit number will be shown in the latter case however, and the only information will be as is shown on above transcript where the checks deposited were drawn on banks in states other than New York.

██████████ is attempting to locate the deposit tickets for all deposits and expects to have information available in about a week. b7d

██████████ Public National Bank & Trust Company, b7d
 Avenue C and 7th Street, New York City advised that William Perl, 936 Tiffany Street, Bronx, New York City opened a Special Checking Account on July 17, 1945 with an initial deposit of \$1,100.00 consisting of a Cashier's Check of the Security First National Bank of Los Angeles, Oak Knoll Branch, Pasadena, California. Perl gave as his occupation, engineer (student at present at Columbia University) and gave as reference Joseph P. Blum, Consumers Oil Co., 2415 Third Avenue, Bronx, New York, Telephone Mott Haven 9 - 2357. The name of Abe Silverstein was written in as a reference but was crossed out. In letter dated July 22, 1946 Joseph Blum stated that he knew Perl for six sixteen years and regards him highly. This account was closed on November 26, 1947.

The following is a transcript of this account :

Date	Checks	Deposits	Balance
7-17-46		1,100.00	\$ 1,100.00 - 1 ch. (X14)
8-8-46	150.10		
8-22-46	100.10		
8-29-46	150.10		
9-6-46	100.10		
9-13-46	50.10		
9-17-46	100.10		
9-23-46	5.81		
9-23-46	242.60		
9-27-46	5.10		
9-27-46	4.94		
9-30-46	100.10		
10-11-46	14.24		
10-15-46	3.10		
10-17-46	75.10		
10-23-46	25.10		
11-4-46	100.10		
4-15-47	18.10		
11-26-47	.11		
	1295.00		

Refers to page 14 Serial 206 Telephone bill 65-15260
 145.00 7/20 - 1 ch
 25 - another ch.

No record is maintained which will show the payees of checks drawn on this account. No further investigation will be conducted in connection with this account.

A lead ^{HAS BEEN} should be set out to determine who was responsible for the Cashier's Check which was the initial deposit in this account and an investigation should be conducted to identify that individual and the account which was charged to pay for that check should be examined and all available information obtained.

July 26, 1950

WILLIAM PERL
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In connection with the examination of the account of above subject at the Corn Exchange Bank Trust Company, Sheridan Square Branch, New York City, [redacted] furnished the following information regarding the deposits in this account.

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<u>Date</u>	<u>Deposit</u>	<u>Details</u>
11-4-46	\$ 150.00	Cash
11-6-46	270.00	Cash \$100.00, Check \$170.00 on Public National Bank & Trust Co.
1-20-47	1,000.00	Check - no identification on deposit ticket
7-3-47	700.58	Check on Chase National Bank
12-9-47	400.00	Check on Public National Bank & Trust
1-22-48	598.40	Cash \$500.00 Check \$98.40 on Bank of Manhattan
7-6-48	505.81	Cash \$500.00 Check \$5.81 on New York Trust Co.

This information is to supplement that set forth in memo dated July 21, 1950.

Harold F. Wood, SAA

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New York, New York
July 27, 1950

MEMO:

Re: WILLIAM PERL;
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JOSEPH PAUL BLUM was interviewed by Special Agents (A) EDWARD J. CAHILL and HAROLD F. GOOD on July 24, 1950 at his place of business, MALAN PLUMBING COMPANY, INC., 25-09 42nd Road, Long Island City.

On July 26, 1950, BLUM and his wife were interviewed by the above-mentioned agents at the New York Office. (The information supplied by BLUM on both occasions and by his wife on the latter occasion is consolidated in this memorandum.) *and not*

JOSEPH BLUM furnished the following information regarding his own history and background:

He resides at 79-23 209th Street, Flushing, New York; telephone, HOLLIS 4-3833. He also has a special telephone, the rates of which are based on the number of messages. That number is believed to be HOLLIS 5-5872. BLUM is a Chief Engineer and Estimator of the MALAN PLUMBING COMPANY, INC., at 25-09 42nd Road, Long Island City. He has been employed at this place from approximately 1947 to the present time.

Prior to that he was employed for about six weeks in 1947 by the SOLING HEATING & COOLING COMPANY, which at that time was located at 43rd Street, New York City, but is now located in Long Island City.

From 1945 to December, 1947, BLUM was employed by the MECHANICAL HEATING CORPORATION, 2514 Third Avenue, Bronx, New York. The principal stockholder of this corporation was a Mr. HARRY SINGER, who transferred a small portion of the stock to BLUM, thereby making him a principal in the corporation.

From 1937 to December, 1945, BLUM was employed by the Board of Education, New York City, Bureau of Construction, 49 Flatbush Avenue Extension. He resigned from this employment to go with the MECHANICAL HEATING CORPORATION.

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For approximately two years, 1934 and 1935, he was employed by the WPA at both the Brooklyn Navy Yard and the Merchant Marine Academy, Fort Schuyler in the Bronx.

From 1929 to 1933, or 1934, and for a few months in 1936, he was employed by ALBERT FENTZLAFF, INC., Consulting Engineer, who at that time was located at 11 West 42nd Street, but is now believed to be located at 111 Broadway, New York City.

For approximately a year and a half, during the years 1928 and 1929, BLUM was employed by S. A. POTTER, Machine and Tool Works, located at about 129th or 130th Street, on Park Avenue, New York City.

For approximately six weeks in 1928, BLUM was employed by the CASCADE LAUNDRY, Myrtle Avenue, Brooklyn.

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

Regarding his family, BLUM stated his parents are deceased, he has no living brothers, and three living sisters; namely, ELLA ROTHBEIN, 3517 Neptune Avenue, Brooklyn; ROSA MUSSENBERG, 26 Rawley Street, Rochester, New York, and MIRIAM GOTMANN, whose home is in Palestine, Israel, but who is presently visiting the BLUMS in New York City.

The BLUMS have resided at their present address for approximately eleven years, from 1940 to the present time. From 1938 to 1940 they resided at 1460 57th Street, Brooklyn. From 1936 to 1938 their address was 1944 Unionport Road, Bronx, New York. From 1932 to 1936 their address was 1227 White Plains Road,

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Bronx, and from 1930 to 1932 they lived at 1148 Boynton Avenue, Bronx, New York.

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

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

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

Mrs. ANNE JUDITH BLUM, nee MUTTERPERL, stated that she was born on September 23, 1910 at Miedcyrec, Poland. She came to the United States when she was six months of age, and was naturalized in April, 1923, in the Southern District of New York through her father's papers.

Her family consists of her mother, SARAH; father, ABRAHAM; sister, SADIE, and brothers, SAMUEL and WILLIAM. She stated that WILLIAM has changed his name from the family name MUTTERPERL to PERL.

She was educated at P.S. 168; attended Julia Richman High School, from which she graduated; took two years of post graduate work at Washington Irving High School, and attended Hunter College evening session for three years. She did not receive a degree from Hunter College.

She was employed part-time for about two years, ending in 1944 or 1945, as medical secretary to Dr. PONERMON, Radiologist, 150th Street in Jamaica. Prior to that she was employed by the law firm, FINE & BRODY, 1440 Broadway. BRODY has since died, and FINE, she believes, has become a State

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Senator. She was employed by the CABLE SUPPLY CORPORATION in Brooklyn, New York, and prior to that she was employed by the RADIO PRODUCTS CORPORATION in Newark, New Jersey. Mrs. BLUM stated that she is not sure of the dates of her employment, but those listed extend from the year 1930 to date.

In addition to the organizations mentioned under Mr. BLUM'S history and background, which showed Mrs. BLUM as a member and officer, she stated that she was secretary and treasurer of Hadassah, Hollis Hills Chapter, Hollis Hills, Long Island. She is presently secretary, and was formerly treasurer of the Sisterhood of Hollis Hills Jewish Center. She was a member of the Parent Teachers Association of Public School 109. She has formerly been a Girl Scout troop mother.

The photographs of JOEL BARR, MORTON SOBELL, ABE SILVERSTEIN, JULIUS ROSENBERG, ALFRED SARANT, WILLIAM PERL, MAX and HELENE ELITCHER, DAVID and RUTH GREENGLASS, MICHAEL SIDOROVICH, and the two pictures of women believed to be LOUISE SARANT, or sister, were exhibited to Mr. and Mrs. BLUM. The only picture they recognized was that of Mrs. BLUM'S brother, WILLIAM PERL. At this point, Mr. BLUM was asked whether or not he was a salesman at the time he was employed by the MECHANICAL HEATING CORPORATION. He stated that he was an engineer and estimator, and did a very limited amount of soliciting of new business. He was asked whether or not that would mean that his business cards would have been distributed very limitedly. BLUM stated that there were very few occasions in which he had to give his business cards to anyone. He was then shown the photograph of JULIUS ROSENBERG again, and also the photograph of DAVID GREENGLASS. He again repeated that he could not recognize either of these two men. Mr. BLUM was then asked if he could explain how his business card could have been in the possession of JULIUS ROSENBERG at the time ROSENBERG was arrested. Mr. and Mrs. BLUM indicated that they were completely taken by surprise, and Mrs. BLUM stated that she was terribly shocked to think that her husband's business card could have been in the possession of such a person. Mrs. BLUM stated that, of course, Mr. BLUM gave out his business cards prolifically. BLUM was astounded and conjectured that he may have given his business cards to his father-in-law, to his brother-in-law WILLIAM PERL, or maybe to some friends, inasmuch as he was looking for business, but he stated that he could not specifically recall ever giving cards out to these individuals or to anybody for that purpose.

During the course of the remainder of the interview, this subject was brought up from time to time, and Mr. BLUM could not furnish any explanation

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as to how this business card came into the possession of JULIUS ROSENBERG. He estimated that there were about one thousand business cards printed for him by the MECHANICAL HEATING CORPORATION.

With respect to WILLIAM PERL, Mrs. BLUM stated that he was born on October 1, 1918; graduated from Public School at eleven years of age; graduated from DeWitt Clinton High School at about fourteen years of age. He received his Bachelor of Science degree in Electrical Engineering from CCNY at about 18½ years of age, and received his Masters degree in Electrical Engineering at CCNY at 19 years of age, which was approximately in the year 1940. He was employed by the National Advisory Committee on Aeronautics, at Langley Field, Hampton, Virginia around 1939 or 1940. In December, 1943, still being employed by the National Advisory Committee, he was transferred to Cleveland. In 1944 he was married to HENRIETTA SAVAG. According to Mrs. BLUM, the only persons in the family who have seen HENRIETTA, also known as HEDY, was Mrs. MUTTERPERL and SAMUEL PERL. Mrs. BLUM stated that PERL would stay with his parents when he visited New York, at 936 Tiffany Street, Bronx. The prior addresses of the parents of WILLIAM PERL were on Beck Street and Bryant Avenue, both in the Bronx. She stated that PERL visits the City about once or twice, or maybe three times a year, around the Jewish holidays and Christmas.

In about 1946, PERL attended the California Institute of Technology, studying for his Doctor of Philosophy degree. He completed this study at Columbia University in New York in 1949, and actually received his Doctor's degree in February, 1950. Mrs. BLUM stated that PERL did some special research work on a wind tunnel for the Army at Cornell University.

In about 1948, PERL was secretary to Professor VON KARMAN, who was a professor at Columbia University, and was considered as an outstanding authority in the field of Aeronautical Engineering. It was through VON KARMAN that PERL was able to obtain his Doctor of Philosophy degree.

In 1948, according to Mr. and Mrs. BLUM, WILLIAM PERL and his wife were divorced in Reno.

Mr. and Mrs. BLUM stated that WILLIAM PERL has been with the National Advisory Committee on Aeronautics for over ten years. In Cleveland, his supervisor is ABE SILVERSTEIN, with whom PERL worked very closely. Other associates of the Committee are MILTON KLEIN and a man named KATZOFF. MILTON KLEIN was an associate of PERL'S at CCNY, who worked with PERL at Langley Field.

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Virginia, and is presently working with PERL in Cleveland. Another associate of PERL while PERL was in New York, was a man whose name Mr. BLUM could not recall, but remembered that this man worked at the GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY in Schenectady, probably as a mathematician. He was shown the photograph of MORTON SOBELL, and stated definitely that this was not the man to whom he referred.

Mr. BLUM further explained that this man from GENERAL ELECTRIC visited his home about three or four years ago for a period of about one or two hours. As he recalled, WILLIAM PERL was at that time visiting his family when this individual came out to visit. As he remembers the incident, research work was discussed, the nature of which he cannot recall. The visitor, he assumes was a classmate of his brother-in-law, and he cannot recall any of the details.

Regarding a physical description, he said he was unable to furnish any information other than it was a young man and he was rather short.

Mrs. BLUM could not recall having met the visitor or any of the details.

Mr. and Mrs. BLUM stated that during 1947 and 1948, during which time PERL was studying for his doctorate degree at Columbia University, PERL lived part of the time with his family at 936 Tiffany Street, part of the time at the dormitory in Columbia University, and part of the time at a Morton Street address. Mrs. BLUM stated that on one occasion, in the summer of 1947, she visited WILLIAM PERL at the Morton Street address, the number of which she can not recall. She stated that PERL was there alone, and had stated that he had subleased this three-room apartment from an ALFRED SARANT. She explained that she had not seen PERL since he had returned from California, but had received a telephone call from him, at which time he gave her a telephone number, which she cannot recall, in order to communicate with him in case of an emergency. At this time, in the summer of 1947, she had been visiting in New York and called PERL at the number he had given her, and told him that she was going to visit him. With some reluctance, PERL furnished her with the address on Morton Street, and being close by, she went immediately to his apartment. PERL told her on this occasion that he was living there alone, preparing his thesis for his doctor's degree. He stated that he was occasionally visited by his wife HEDY. She was surprised at this because she had understood that WILLIAM and his wife had previously separated. It is her present understanding that after WILLIAM

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left this apartment, HENRIETTA lived there for a while.

In describing this apartment, Mrs. BLUM stated that in the bedroom there was a double bed in a very untidy condition. She also thought there were some cartons or luggage in the bedroom, but she could not recall the details concerning these items. The kitchen contained no furniture, but was very dirty and contained a number of unwashed dishes. PERL explained that when he ate in the house, he was tall enough to use the top of the refrigerator as his table, which was the only item in the room. The living room was furnished with a desk, a chair, and a box, on which Mrs. BLUM said she had to sit. She stated that the desk was covered with papers, which PERL was preparing for his thesis for his doctor's degree. She stated that she was certain of this because she had examined these papers.

She stated that this apartment was located on the top floor of this house, no elevator, but from the outside it appeared to be in better condition than the houses that surrounded it. She stated that there was no photographic equipment in the apartment, which, of course, would include cameras, floodlights, etc.

Mrs. BLUM stated that in her conversations with PERL, he stated that while he was at Columbia University, an acquaintance of his at the University, stated that he knew a fellow who had an apartment which he would be willing to sublease to PERL since he was going out of town. It was in this manner that PERL was able to sublease this apartment from ALFRED SARANT. According to Mrs. BLUM, PERL had told her that he had only met SARANT on the occasion of subleasing the apartment. SARANT, PERL believed, was going up-State in New York to attend college. She recalled the name SARANT on the mail box on the first floor, and also said her brother's name did not appear on the mail box since he was subleasing, and did not want to put the landlord on notice that he had subleased the apartment from SARANT. When asked how to spell SARANT'S name, she spelled it S-E-R-A-N-T. She stayed with her brother for a short visit that day, and then, since it was near the dinner hour, she went out to a restaurant, believed to be the Golden Eagle, for dinner. She believes the Golden Eagle was a rather elaborate restaurant, and was not frequently used by her brother for his meals.

She said when her brother left this apartment he returned to the dormitory at Columbia to continue his work there. She stated definitely that he had no other apartments as his residence in New York. She did recall that

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sometime around the Jewish holidays, in the spring of 1948 or 1949, he called her from the Hotel Gotham, and advised he would not be able to visit her since he was in town for only a short period of time. The purpose of the visit to New York was to deliver a technical paper to some society with Dr. VON KARMAN.

Mr. BLUM stated that PERL wrote about a dozen books, the material of which is still considered classified because of its importance. PERL indicated that he has been interested in research work for many years, and is desirous of entering Atomic research. BLUM stated that PERL has never indicated any interest in Communism, either for it or against it. However, about fifteen years ago, while attending CCNY, he considered PERL as a liberal. By liberal, he means, PERL disapproved of the segregation of the whites and the blacks, PERL discarded his Jewish religion and became an atheist, and other factors in the way PERL thought that impressed BLUM of PERL being a liberal.

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The name of SAM SACHS was mentioned to both Mr. and Mrs. BLUM as possibly being an individual who was very friendly both with WILLIAM PERL and with the MUTTERPERL family. Neither Mr. nor Mrs. BLUM could recall the name of SAM SACHS.

When questioned concerning the sources of funds for PERL'S living expenses at college, Mrs. BLUM stated that her brother had always earned a good salary, knows him to be a very thrifty person, and he was his sole support. She stated he keeps a detailed record of all expenses which he incurs. They were unable to advise as to any bank accounts the subject may have.

The following names were brought to their attention, and they were unable to identify any of the names:

INGVAR JENSEN
MELBEN TANCEL
HERBERT BENOWITZ
EDWARD LOHSE
MORRIS BAYLEN

The following is a physical description of JOSEPH P. BLUM:

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Height
Birth date
Birthplace

5'11"
March 27, 1906
Mannheim, Germany; entered U.S.
1928; naturalized July 13, 1933,
SDNY

Weight
Eyes
Glasses
Complexion
Hair

140 pounds
Blue-gray
Wears glasses
Fair

Moustache
Speech

Receding black hair which he
combs straight back
Small black moustache
Speaks with a definite German
accent, frequently using German
words in place of English words.

Mr. and Mrs. BLUM furnished a folder containing letters, cards, and envelope from WILLIAM PERL to various members of the family. A receipt was given to Mr. and Mrs. BLUM for this material, and this material will be returned as soon as necessary examination and notes have been made. A summary will be made of these letters for the purpose of determining the location of PERL on particular dates where possible, individuals which he names in the correspondence for possible future reference, and any material that he mentions which might be of interest in this investigation.

HAROLD F. GOOD, SA (A)

Federal Bureau of Investigation
United States Department of Justice
507 United States Court House
Foley Square
New York 7, New York

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July 27, 1950

[Redacted]
New York Telephone Company
140 West Street
New York 7, New York

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Dear [Redacted]

In connection with an official investigation being conducted by this office it is requested that information be furnished concerning toll calls charged to Dayton 6-8226 during ~~past six-month period~~ *all available*. This number is reported to be listed to SAMUEL B. PERL, 936 Tiffany, Bronx, NY

Your cooperation in this matter will be greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,

Edward Scheidt
EDWARD SCHEIDT,
Special Agent in Charge

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New York, New York
July 28, 1950

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RE: WILLIAM PERL
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On July 21, 1950 [REDACTED] 67d
West Side Savings Bank, 422 Avenue of the Americas, New York City, made available to the writer the following information:

WILLIAM PERL opened savings account No. 148985 at this bank on September 2, 1947. The signature card for this account reflected the following information:

Residence: 65 Morton Street, New York City
Father's name: ABRAHAM MUTTERPERL
Mother's name: SARAH MUTTERPERL
Marital status: Single
Occupation: Aeronautical Engineer
Birthplace: New York, New York
Date of birth: October 1, 1918
Brother: SAMUEL
Sisters: SADIE and ANNE

No record of a safe-deposit in the name of the subject.

The following is a complete transcript of WILLIAM PERL'S account:

<u>Date</u>	<u>Withdrawal</u>	<u>Deposit</u>	<u>Interest</u>	<u>Balance</u>	<u>Explanation</u>
1947 September 2		\$463.30			This deposit consisted of check No. 1165 dated August 1, 1947 payable to WILLIAM PERL. The payer was SVERDRUP and PARCEL, Consulting Engineers, Railway Exchange Building, St. Louis 1, Missouri, for A.E.D.C. account, drawn on First National Bank, St. Louis Missouri. The check was endorsed "WILLIAM PERL".

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<u>Date</u>	<u>Withdrawal</u>	<u>Deposit</u>	<u>Interest</u>	<u>Balance</u>	<u>Explanation</u>
September 30		2032.82			This deposit consisted of two checks in the amounts of \$1000.00 and \$1032.82. The \$1000.00 item was a check dated September 30, 1947 payable to WILLIAM PERL and was drawn on his account at the Corn Exchange Bank and Trust Company, New York City. The \$1032.82 item was check #1235 dated September 18, 1947 payable to WILLIAM PERL, drawn by SVERDRUP and PARCEL, St. Louis, Missouri, same address as above. Check was endorsed by WILLIAM PERL.
October 21		118.40			This deposit consisted of two items. The first was check #103716 dated September 30, 1947 in the amount of \$98.40 and was drawn by the Trustees of Columbia University in the city of New York on the salary account at Bank of Manhattan. Payee was WILLIAM PERL, who endorsed and deposited this check. The second item in this deposit was an unnumbered check dated Sept. 30, 1947 payable to LILLIAN FRICKER (may have been FRICHER), drawn on the Chase National Bank, Park Avenue Branch, New York City. Notation on the face of the check in the lower left hand corner read "Petty cash stamp". The signature of the drawer was not clear but appeared to read "THEODORE VON KARMAN (may have been KARMAN) by ANDREW G. HALEY, Attorney". This check was endorsed "Paid to order of WILLIAM PERL, LILLIAN FRICKER".

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<u>Date</u>	<u>Withdrawal</u>	<u>Deposit</u>	<u>Interest</u>	<u>Balance</u>	<u>Explanation</u>
December 30			\$9.36	\$2623.88	
<u>1948</u>					
May 24	\$100.00				Cash
May 27	250.00				Cash
July 1			17.04		
<u>1949</u>					
January 1			22.90		
July 1			23.13		
July 18	100.00				Cash. The withdrawal ticket for this item reflected that PERL's address was 16802 Larchwood Avenue, Cleveland 11, Ohio.
<u>1950</u>					
January 1			22.36		
April 23	100.00				Cash. The withdrawal ticket reflected that PERL'S address at this time was 936 Tiffany Street, New York 59, New York.
July 1			21.59	\$2180.90	

On September 25, 1950 [redacted] Park Avenue Branch, Chase National Bank, Park Avenue and 60th Street, New York City, was contacted by the writer for background information concerning the maker of the check which was deposited October 21, 1947 in WILLIAM PERL'S account at the West Side Savings Bank, New York City. This check was mentioned above in connection with PERL'S account. [redacted] advised as follows: b7d

Dr. THEODORE VON KARMAN and his sister, JOSEPHINE de KARMAN opened a joint checking account at this branch on May 13, 1944. On October 1, 1945

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this account was transferred to the Sundry Ledger inasmuch as it was a blocked account under Executive Order 8389. On April 1, 1946 the account was transferred back to the Active Ledger. This account is a purely non-borrowing account and [REDACTED] said the balance averages \$200.00 to \$300.00. b7d

KARMAN advised the bank he was Director of the Daniel Guggenheim Aeronautical Laboratory at the California Institute of Technology, Pasadena, California. When this account was opened he advised he maintained an account at the First Trust and Savings Bank, Pasadena, California, who later verified this information. They further advised the Chase that he was a valued customer for a number of years. KARMAN furnished as a reference, Major LESTER GARDNER, who was at that time connected with the Institute of Aeronautical Sciences, Rockefeller Plaza, New York City. GARDNER, when he was contacted by the bank, advised "KARMAN is a leading scientist of aeronautics in the United States".

It is noted that ANDREW G. HALEY had the power of attorney for this account. HALEY'S address in 1945 was Room 1101 Earle Building, Washington, D.C. It is also noted that he was connected with the firm of Cramer and Haley, 1703 K. Street, Northwest, Washington, D.C.

When VON KARMAN opened the account in 1944, his address was Westbury Hotel, 69th Street and Madison Avenue, New York City. From August 1948 through November 9, 1949 his address was Hotel California, 16 Rue de Berri, Paris, France. He then went to his present address of 1501 South Marengo Avenue, Pasadena, California.

The initial deposit of \$200.00 in this account consisted of a \$100.00 check of the University of Michigan, drawn on the Ann Arbor Bank, Ann Arbor, Michigan, and a \$100.00 check of the Philosophical Society of Washington, D.C. No examination was made of VON KARMAN'S account at this time and will not be unless a lead is set out to do so.

EDWARD J. CAHILL, SA

Federal Bureau of Investigation
United States Department of Justice
607 United States Court House
Foley Square
New York 7, New York

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July 27, 1950

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New York Telephone Company
140 West Street
New York 7, New York *b7c*

Dear [Redacted]

This will confirm receipt of information concerning the following
telephone numbers: *Greard 4-4673*

This information was needed in connection with an official
investigation being conducted by this office.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Very truly yours,

Edward Scheidt

EDWARD SCHEIDT
Special Agent in Charge

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New York 7, New York

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New York Telephone Company
140 West Street
New York 7, New York

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Dear [REDACTED]

In connection with an official investigation being conducted by this office it is requested that information be furnished concerning toll calls charged to MU 4-4177 during ~~past six month period~~ *all available*. This number is reported to be listed to HENRIETTA SAVIDGE, 104 E. 38th St, NYC

Your cooperation in this matter will be greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,

Edward Scheidt
EDWARD SCHEIDT,
Special Agent in Charge

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900 Standard Building
Cleveland 13, Ohio

AIR MAIL SPECIAL DELIVERY

July 29, 1950

SAC, Albany

Re: WILLIAM PERL, aka.
ESPIONAGE - R

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to Albany teletype sent July 28, 1950 intended for Cleveland received by Chicago under caption "ALFRED SARANT, Espionage - R."

In accordance with instructions in referenced teletype, there is being forwarded AMSD as an enclosure with this letter a photograph of HETTIE SAVIDGE, former common-law wife of subject PERL.

In connection with photographs of MICHAEL SODOROVICH and wife requested in Albany teletype, it is to be noted that these photographs were included among a number forwarded by Cleveland to a number of interested offices July 28.

A photograph of HETTIE SAVIDGE is also being made available to the New York Office with this letter, as it may be valuable in connection with leads of that office.

Very truly yours,

R. J. ABBATICCHIO JR.
Special Agent in Charge

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New York, New York
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Re: WILLIAM PERL
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Mrs. SARAH MUTTERPERL, 936 Tiffany Street, Bronx, New York, was interviewed on July 28, 1950, by SA FREDERICK C. BAUCKHAM and the writer. She stated that she was born in Russia-Poland and is 62 years of age. She came to the United States about 38 years ago and was naturalized in the Southern District of New York in about the year 1942.

Mrs. MUTTERPERL stated that her husband, who is employed as a baker, was asleep and could not be disturbed. She stated that her husband, ABRAHAM, was born in Russia about 63 years ago, came to the United States about 40 years ago, was naturalized in the Southern District of New York about 37 years ago. She stated that she could not remember the dates of birth or of naturalization. She stated that she was married in Russia-Poland about 42 years ago; that her husband came to the United States alone and subsequently brought her and her oldest daughter, ANNE, to this country. ANNE was naturalized under her father's papers.

Mrs. MUTTERPERL stated that her ~~family~~ ^{family} consists of two sons, WILLIAM and SAMUEL, and two daughters, SADIE ~~MUTTERPERL~~ and ANNE BLUM.

Mrs. MUTTERPERL stated that the last time she had seen her son, WILLIAM, was on May 28, 1950. He visited her at that time for a few hours and stated to her that he was going to Columbia University where he had living accommodations. On Tuesday, May 30, 1950, ~~December~~ ^{December} Day, he telephoned his mother to say good-bye before returning to Cleveland. Prior to this visit, Mrs. MUTTERPERL stated she had not seen WILLIAM PERL for about two years. He had visited her at Passover time about two years ago and after a few hours' visit stated that he was going to Columbia University to stay overnight.

Mrs. MUTTERPERL stated that it was difficult for her to remember dates of his visits, and she believes that the information she has furnished regarding these two visits of WILLIAM PERL were accurate.

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She stated that WILLIAM PERL studied at the College of the City of New York and received an electrical engineering degree in 1938, at which time he was about 20 years of age. He was employed by the Government in Virginia and later transferred to Cleveland, Ohio. She believes that WILLIAM has been in Cleveland about six years.

While studying at Columbia University for his doctor's degree, WILLIAM PERL lived in an apartment in Greenwich Village. Mrs. MUTTERPEL stated that she could not recall the location of this apartment. She stated that she had the telephone number of the apartment at the time PERL occupied it, but did not have it at the present time. She had called PERL when he resided at Greenwich Village and once a girl answered the phone. She attempted to find out from the girl and later from her son, WILLIAM, who the girl was, but both were evasive.

Mrs. MUTTERPEL stated that her son was married in Cleveland and was later divorced. She stated that she could not recall whether it was WILLIAM PERL or his wife who obtained the divorce, nor could she recall where the divorce was obtained. She stated that she visited her son, WILLIAM, and his wife in Cleveland and stayed with them for two weeks. She was opposed to WILLIAM'S marriage because his wife was not of the same faith, but after she had met the girl, she saw that she was very nice and upon leaving them gave them both her blessing.

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She stated that a very close friend of her son, WILLIAM, was a boy by the name of ~~MILTON~~ KLEIN, whose parents lived on Fox Street nine years ago, but that she is unaware of their present address. ~~ALAN~~ attended Columbia University with WILLIAM and is presently working with him in Cleveland.

A friend of her son, SAMUEL, MORRIS BERENBAUM, who formerly resided at 1114 Second Avenue, New York City, obtained a job in Washington through her son, WILLIAM. BERENBAUM is presently residing at 1630 R Street, Northwest, Washington 9, D. C.

The Names of various individuals were mentioned to Mrs. MUTTERPEL and the following is her reaction to the name of each person mentioned:

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ELITCHER
SARANT
ROSENBERG
GREENGLASS
SILVERSTEIN
BROTHMAN
KATZOFF

SIDOROVICH

JOEL BARR

She could not recognize any of these names.

The name was familiar to her, but she could not place it or identify the individual.

Mrs. MUTTERPERL stated that BARR was attending Columbia University at the time her son, WILLIAM PERL, was studying there. She stated that she visited Mrs. BARR, who lived on the West Side, and at that time Mrs. BARR stated that she had a room for WILLIAM PERL to stay in while he was studying at Columbia University.

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HARRY SINGER, Partner, Consumers Oil Company, 2514 Third Avenue, Bronx, New York, was interviewed by SAA EDWARD J. CAPILL and the writer on July 25, 1950. SINGER'S brother, SOLOMON SINGER, was present during the interview. HARRY SINGER stated that he was the principal stockholder of Mechanical Heating Corporation at the same address as Consumers Oil. He stated that the Mechanical Heating Corporation is now in an inactive status.

SINGER stated that he has known JOSEPH P. BLUM since around 1937, at which time SINGER resided at 2300 Bronx Park East, which was in the vicinity of the BLUMS' residence at that time. He became acquainted with BLUM as a neighbor. Later BLUM, while employed by the City of New York, drew up plans for certain installations in the Consumers Oil Company. About four and one-half years ago BLUM resigned from the City and worked for HARRY SINGER in the Mechanical Heating Corporation. BLUM was given a small number of shares of the corporation so that he became a principal in that corporation.

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SINGER stated that BLUM received the salary of \$100.00 a week and his job was that of engineer and estimator which included the drawing up of plans for installing oil burners. BLUM was not a salesman for the corporation and most of the installations of oil burners by Mechanical Heating Corporation were for customers of Consumers Oil.

SINGER stated that BLUM was instrumental in bringing a limited number of new customers to Mechanical Heating Corporation for installation of oil burners. Some of the names of such customers of BLUM'S were EITTINGER, furrier; GRUNDLINGER, 123-80th Road, Kew Gardens, Long Island, a dentist friend of BLUM'S; GALPER, 80-27 188th Street, Jamaica, Long Island; and HALPER, 209-18 Richland Avenue, Jamaica, Long Island, the latter two are believed to be neighbors of BLUM'S. In addition to these, SINGER believed that a burner was installed in the house of a rabbi who was a brother-in-law of BLUM'S, having married a sister of BLUM'S.

SINGER believed that BLUM had finished his education in Germany, but that when BLUM came to the United States he also attended schools here. SINGER stated that BLUM never discussed politics and more specifically Communism, so that it was impossible to determine whether or not BLUM favored or opposed Communism.

While BLUM was employed at Mechanical Heating, most of his mail and visitors had to do with business; however, some personal mail was received by BLUM at the office, but SINGER could not recall any visitors of BLUM'S who came who were friends of his.

SINGER stated that some mutual friends of his and BLUM'S were a family by the name of DOLLINGER who were jewelers located around 86th Street in New York City. The DOLLINGERS come from the same part of Germany as BLUM.

On December 27, 1947, BLUM left Mechanical Heating Corporation to go to the Milan Plumbing Company in Long Island City.

The pictures of SOBELL, ELITCHER, SIDOROVICH, SARANT, ROSENBERG, BARR, GREENGLASS, LOUISE SARANT, and RUTH GREENGLASS were shown to HARRY SINGER and SOLOMON SINGER, and both men stated they had never seen any of these individuals.

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[redacted] and [redacted] letter carriers located at the Oakland Gardens Post Office, Springfield Boulevard, Bayside, Long Island, were interviewed on July 25, 1950, by SAA EDWARD J. CAHILL and the writer. [redacted] stated that he had delivered mail to the BLUM residence at 79-23 209th Street, Flushing, Long Island, from 1939 to 1943 or 1944. [redacted] stated that he handled mail to the BLUM address during the years 1948 and 1949. Neither man noticed any mail of an unusual character being delivered to this address. They stated that the following publications were periodically delivered:

1. Jewish newspaper "Haddassah"
2. "Heating Plant Engineer"
3. "Life"

Neither man noticed any "Daily Worker" or other newspaper or periodical which they would associate with Communist publications.

The records of the Board of Elections of Queens were checked and from the year 1940 through 1949 JOSEPH P. BLUM and ANNE BLUM were registered under the Democratic Party.

The back traffic on the telephone Hollis 4-3833, which is listed in the name of JOSEPH P. BLUM, shows the following out-of-town calls that were made:

Great Neck 2-4799 - Numerous calls between December 12, 1949 to May 12, 1950.

Floral Park 4-1331 - 1/6/50, 1/9/50, and 3/8/50.

Floral Park 4-0443J (? maybe F) - 3/29/50, 4/11/50, 4/20/50, 5/4/50 and 5/6/50.

Lanham 7-3990 - 1/15/50.

Collect call from Mrs. BLUM, New Smyrna, Florida 9136 - 2/2/50.

Curtis 5-8226 - 3/9/50.

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Mrs. ROSA ~~ALBERG~~, c/o HERMAN PARNETT, 23-20 Southwest
Second Street, Washington, D. C., Johnson 2-6105 - 3/8/50 and
4/27/50.

Telegram, New York, charge \$.40, 3/25/50.

Telegram, New York, charge \$.36, 3/26/50.

Telegram, Jackson Heights, charge \$.36, 4/1/50.

Telegram, Rochester, charge \$.50, 4/25/50.

HASHEL ~~GOLDMAN~~, 1400 Monroe Avenue, Monroe 3653R, Rochester,
4/27/50.

SID ~~FELDMAN~~, Andrew Johnson Hotel, Knoxville, Tennessee,
2-4103 originally, but call completed to 2-5116 - 5/3/50.

The above information regarding telephone calls was obtained
by SE WILLIAM H. STAPLETON.

HAROLD F. GOOD, SAA

New York, New York
August 1, 1950

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RE: WILLIAM PERL
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I called SA Tracy, of the Newark Office, at 1:15 PM, July 31, 1950, and advised him that subject, PERL, was departing New York for Princeton at 1:50 PM, July 31st, and would reach Princeton at 3:12, Daylight Saving Time. I stated that he was being surveilled by SAS J. M. O'Mara and P. J. Blasco and requested that Newark Agents pick up the surveillance if possible at Newark. He said they would handle this.

R. R. GRANVILLE, SA

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JOEL B. BARR, KSP. - R. REBUTEL, JULY THIRTYONE, LAST, CAPTIONED,
WILLIAM FEHL, KSP. - R. REBECCA BARR INTERVIEWED AND ADVISED SHE HAD NOT
RECEIVED ANY LETTERS OR INFO FROM HER SON, JOEL, IN A YEAR. AS SHE CANNOT
WRITE, SHE HAS NEVER WRITTEN HIM AND IS ABLE TO READ VERY LITTLE. ELEVATOR
OPERATOR IN BUILDING ADVISED HE READS MOST OF HER LETTERS TO HER. MRS.
BARR HAS NO KNOWLEDGE OF JOEL'S PRESENT ADDRESS OR ANY PAST ADDRESSES.
SHE ADVISED HER OTHER SON, BERNARD BARR, RESIDES IN BROOKLYN, ADDRESS
UNKNOWN. AS SOON AS BERNARD BARR IS LOCATED, HE WILL BE INTERVIEWED REGARD-
ING ANY KNOWLEDGE HE MAY HAVE CONCERNING BARR'S PRESENT LOCATION.

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New York, New York
August 3, 1950

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RE: WILLIAM PERL
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SA. *Harold F. Gold*

On July 26, 1950, Mr. JOSEPH P. BLUM and his wife, ANNE BLUM, sister and brother-in-law of WILLIAM PERL, were interviewed at the New York Office by SAA EDWARD J. CAHILL and the writer. The results of this interview ~~(is the subject of a separate memo.)~~ At the time they were interviewed, the BLUMS brought to the office a folder of correspondence containing letters and cards which they stated were written by WILLIAM PERL to various members of the family. The following is a summary of pertinent portions of the correspondence:

have been reports facilities

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

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Letter dated November 1, 1939, showing the address 197 Melrose Ave., addressed to "Dear ANNE & JOE". - ".....I'm figuring on getting back for Christmas week (10 days).....However, I expect to do some real work during Christmas. I've written the prof. at school telling him to hurry up and ship the thesis down here in time for me to correct it and then have it typed during Christmas.....So far the powers that be haven't paid much attention to my request for a transfer. Not having any idea of what research is, these administrative big shots figure that a stranger gotten off a Civil Service list to do maintenance work should do maintenance work even if (in the stranger's opinion, which means nothing) he can do 10 times more in research..... I bought an amplifier from Lafayette and its high fidelity all right. What's more they've got a small record library in Hampton Institute from which I think I'll be able to draw records.....I'd like to come back to your new home but I suppose it won't be finished. Where the devil is Hollis anyway?..... Yours, WILLIE. P.S.S. Note my new address. I've moved again."

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

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

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

Letter dated November 30, 1939, addressed to "Dear Anne". This letter sets forth instructions for the typing of a section of his thesis which contains numerous mathematical equations. Signed, "Yours, WILLIE. P.S. Enclosed is the usual five bucks."

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

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

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

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

A card, undated, addressed to BOBBY BLUM, 1460 57th Street, B'klyn, N.Y., return address WM. MUTTERPERL, 197 Melrose Ave., Hampton, Va., postmarked Hampton, Va., March 2, 1940, 7 A.M. Nothing of consequence is contained in this card and it is signed, "Your uncle, WILLIE".

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

Card undated, addressed to BOBBY BLUM, 7923 209th Street, Flushing, L.I., return address WM. MUTTERPERL, 197 Melrose Ave., Hampton, Va., postmarked Hampton, Va., July 1, 1940, 8:30 AM. - "I expect to visit

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"you sometime this week. I'll be in the city this Thursday but will stay at your grandmother's house for a day or two before coming to your joint. I hope the address on this is right; you mother gave me a different one: 7923 Oceania St. I'll be seeing you. WILLIE".

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

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

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

Card undated, addressed to ROBERT BLUM, 7923 Oceania St., Flushing, L.I., New York, return address WM. MUTTERPERL, 197 Melrose Ave., Hampton, Va., postmarked Hampton, Va., March 16, 1941, 6 PM. Nothing of significance is contained in this card. Signed "Uncle WILLIE".

Letter dated May 1, 1941, addressed to "Dear Anne, Joe, Bobby, Eleanor". Nothing of significance noted in this letter. Signed WILLIE.

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

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Letter dated June 30, 1941, addressed to "Dear Bobby". -

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

Letter dated September 15, 1941, addressed to "Dear Bobby". -

".....So far as the caiacobra is concerned, I don't know what it looks like myself, so obviously I can't send you a model of it....Sincerely, UNCLE WILLIE."

Letter dated October 3, 1941, addressed to "Dear Anne, Joe, Eleanor, Bobby". -

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

Letter dated November 1, 1941, addressed to "Dear Anne and Joe and family" -

".....I'm supposed to be reading up all that's known about aircraft engines. This, together with my trying to acquire a working knowledge of mathematics, leaves me only about 7 nights a week to devote to the social situation.....Yours, WILLIE."

Letter dated February 1, 1942, addressed to "Dear Ma". -

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

Letter dated February 1, 1942, to "Dear Anne and Joe". Nothing of apparent significance appears in this letter. Signed, "Yours, WILLIE, 1258 Ferguson Ave., Newport News, Va."

with the exception of the address of subject

Letter dated February 16, 1942, addressed to "Dear Anne and Joe". - ".....I trust SELMA married a properly substantial personage...."

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

Letter dated May 18, 1942, addressed to "Dear Anne and Joe". -
".....I really regret that the war is upon us (and from the way the Russians are going possibly nearing a conclusion) because in a year or so I might be able to contribute something to the nation's defense. I guess this sounds immature, while it definitely is premature, so I'll say no more and proceed to some personal items as requested.....By the way I have rented P.O. Box 366 in Hampton so address future mail there.....Did I tell you that I work 48 hours a week and clear about \$3100 a year, some of which in defense bonds?.....WILLIE".

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

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

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

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Letter dated February 2, 1943, addressed to "Dear Anne, Joe and family". Nothing of significance appears to be included in this letter. Signed, "WILL".

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

Letter dated March 2, 1943, addressed to "Dear Anne". Nothing of significance noted in this letter. Signed, "WILL".

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

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

Letter dated November 1, 1943, addressed to "Dear Anne and Joe". - ".....I'm busy these days finishing up my work projects down here preparatory to visiting to Cleveland. I hope I can go in about two weeks. However it might be two months.....Incidentally, I've been flying recently, in connection with some test work. One flight we made was to Baltimore, where we spent the night and had a swell time before flying back the next day.....Your brother, WILL."

Letter dated November 21, 1943, addressed to "Dear Anne". - ".....I'm getting ready to move. December 1st is the date, probably. I won't be able to make a side trip to NY. I will after I get somewhat settled in Cleveland! The NACA is taking care of moving all my furniture.... WILL."

Letter dated December 23, 1943, addressed to "Dear Ma". - "At last I'm in Cleveland.. I got in this afternoon, after a pleasant two day trip. My boss (SILVERSTEIN) has invited me to share his apartment until I can find a place of my own.....By the way, Ma, I'll send you

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"some money as soon as I get my account transferred over to the local bank. My place of work is very new and modern. It's located at the Municipal Airport. My outfit is called the Aircraft Engine Research Laboratory, occupies one end of the airport. There is one big wind-tunnel, a hanger for airplanes, an engine-testing building and other smaller buildings. I'm connected with the wind-tunnel.....I feel very satisfied with the change from Langley Field.....Love, WILLIE".

Letter dated January 2, 1944, addressed to "Dear Anne and Everybody". - ".....I am moving into an apartment which I hit on by luck. The address is 16808 Madison Avenue. It consists of three rooms, unfurnished, with Murphy bed in living room.....WILLIE."

Letter dated February 22, 1944, addressed to "Dear Mom". - ".....The work, as usual, is piled up very high. I have half a dozen people to keep busy besides myself.....Love, WILLIE."

Letter dated March 5, 1944, addressed to "Dear Mom". - "..... I was supposed to go on a trip to find people to work in my section but at the last minute they cancelled it. That's the way the government does things. I may go yet, however. Speaking of the government, I just made out my income tax. It came to about \$850, of which I owed the government a balance of \$120.....Love, WILLIE".

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

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

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

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

Letter dated October 21, 1944, addressed to "Dear Mom". Nothing of apparent significance was contained in this letter. Signed, "WILLIE". *out*

Letter dated October 24, 1944, addressed to "Dear Anne, Joe, Bobby and Eleanor". Nothing of apparent significance appears in this letter. Signed, "WILL". *out*

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

Letter dated February 14, 1945, addressed to "Dear Eleanor". Nothing of apparent significance appears in this letter and it is signed, "Your Valentine, (guess who?)". *new page 13*

Letter dated January 14, 1945, addressed to "Dear Anne and Joe". Nothing of apparent significance appears in this letter. Signed, "The Perls". *out*

Letter dated August 29, 1948, addressed to "Dear Anne, Joe and family". Nothing of apparent significance appears in this letter. Signed, "Lovingly yours, WILL." *out*

Letter dated October 29, 1948, addressed to "Dear Mom". - ".....I got a nice letter from the BLUMS, and was glad to hear that they no longer have to walk the streets but can ride in a nice new Ford instead...."

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"I hope to be in N.Y. toward the end of November (to meet my old boss KARMAN) and if so, will see you then.....Love, WILL."

Letter undated bearing the senders address, 1257 Brockley Avenue, Lakewood 7, O., addressed to "Dear Anne, Joe and family". - "..... I look forward to seeing you all in November. Yours, WILL".

Blums states Eleanor is their daughter now age 13

Letter dated January 8, 1949, with the sender's address 16802 Larchwood Avenue, Cleveland 11, Ohio, addressed to "Dear Eleanor". Nothing of consequence is mentioned in this letter. Signed, "Love, WILL".

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

Letter dated February 7, 1950, addressed to "Dear Bob". - ".....SAM sent me a letter in French. He's doing all right (tell grandma). I am reading Solid State and Field Theory right now. Nothing serious, just getting educated. I am sure you know more about the H Bomb than I do..... WILL."

"Bob" according to Blums is their son Robert, now age 19

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

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

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Letter dated March 23, year not shown, addressed to "Dear Anne". Information in this letter sets forth the manner in which two radios can be operated from the same antenna and ground which was offered by PERL to the BLUMS to be used in their new house. ".....I intended to ask for it (vacation) around July 4th or so and make it about two or three

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"weeks.....I'm learning to drive a car and ought to have a driver's license (but no car) before long. WILLIE".

A letter undated addressed to "Dear Anne and Joe". Nothing in this letter appears pertinent, except possibly the postscript which states, "I am now saving with a purpose. The purpose is a doctorate." This letter was signed "WILLIE".

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

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

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

True
Photostatic copies of all of the above correspondence is being maintained in the exhibits of this case file in the New York Office.

The originals of the above correspondence are retained in the NY Office.

Harold F. Goss, SA
HAROLD F. GOSS, SA

Photostatic copies thereof have been forwarded to the FBI Lab for appropriate examination.

FILE DESCRIPTION

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94	8/9/50	NY Letter to HQ J. Rosenberg	1	-	see HQ 65-58236
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103	8/14/50	Civ. Letter to HQ	2	-	See HQ 65-59312
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105	8/15/50	KX Teletype to HQ CV, NY 5/12/50	2	-	See HQ 65-59312
106	8/15/50	Civ. Letter to HQ	2	-	See HQ 65-59312
107	8/15/50	NY SA memo to file	2	2	
108	8/16/50	Civ. Teletype to HQ	1	-	See HQ 65-59312
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111	8/14/50	C.V. Teletype to HQ	1	-	see HQ 65-59312
112	8/16/50	N.Y. Teletype to HQ	1	-	^{6/20/9/05} see HQ 65-59312-45
113	8/16/50	NK Teletype to HQ NY	1	1	^{6/20/9/05} see HQ 65-59312 ^{being processed}
114	8/17/50	HQ Teletype to NY	1	-	see HQ 65-59312
115	8/17/50	C.V. Teletype to HQ	3	-	see HQ 65-59312
116	8/17/50	NY Teletype to HQ CV	1	1	^{6/20/9/05} see HQ 65-59312 ^{Being processed}
117	8/17/50	HQ Lab report to NY	2	-	see HQ 65-59312
118	8/17/50	C.V. Letter to HQ	1	-	see HQ 65-59312
119	8/17/50	C.V. Letter to HQ	1	-	see HQ 65-59312
120	8/18/50	C.V. Teletype to HQ	1	-	see HQ 65-59312
121	8/18/50	NY Teletype to HQ CV	1	-	^{6/20/9/05} see HQ 65-59312-69
122	8/18/50	NY Teletype to HQ CV	1	-	^{6/20/9/05} see HQ 65-59312-77

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123	8/18/50	HQ Teletype to NY	1	-	see HQ 65-59310
124	8/18/50	HQ Letter to C.V.	3	-	see HQ 65-59312
125	8/18/50	NY TEL TO HQ J. Rosenberg	1	-	see HQ 65-58236
126	8/19/50	C.V. Teletype to HQ	1	-	see HQ 65-59312
127	8/19/50	NY memo to file	1	1	
128	8/19/50	KX report to HQ	5	-	see HQ 65-59312
129	8/18/50	NK Rep to HQ A. Sarant	30	-	Rev 9-11-78 11-2-68 see HQ 65-59242-158
130	8/21/50	NY Letter to HQ	1	-	see HQ 65-59312
131	8/22/50	LA TEL TO HQ J. Rosenberg	2	-	see HQ 65-58236
132	8/22/50	HQ Lab report to C.V.	2	2	App 9/25 Being Processed see HQ 65-59312
133	8/22/50	C.V. Teletype to HQ	1	-	see HQ 65-59312
134	8/22/50	CV TEL TO HQ	1	-	see HQ 65-59312

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135	8/22/50	S.A. Letter to HQ M. Sobell	1	+	see HQ 100-37158
136	8/22/50	C.V. Letter to HQ	2	-	see HQ 65-59312
137	8/23/50	NY. SA memo to file	2	2	
138	8/23/50	NY. SA memo to file	2	2	
139	8/24/50 8/29/50	CV TEL TO HQ F2280 10/2/78.	3	-	see HQ 65-59312-106
140	8/24/50	B.A. Teletype to HQ	1	-	see HQ 65-59312
141	8/24/50	NY Teletype to HQ	2	-	see HQ 65-59312 65-59294-NY after 68
142	8/24/50	KX Letter to HQ LAB	1	-	see HQ 65-59312
143	8/24/50	C.V. Letter to HQ	3	-	see HQ 65-59312
144	8/25/50	NY TEL TO HQ, CV F1282	3	-	See HQ 65-59312
145	8/25/50	CV TEL TO HQ	2	-	See HQ 65-59312
146	8/25/50	NY MEMO TO file A. Sarant	1	-	See NY 65-15348

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147	8/25/50	NY SA memo to file	1	1	
148	8/25/50	NY let to HQ V. Glassman	4	-	see HQ 65-15348
149	8/26/50	CV TEL TO HQ	4	-	see HQ 65-59312
150	8/28/50	C.V. Teletype to HQ	1	-	see HQ 65-59312
151	8/28/50	HQ TEL TO NY	1	-	see HQ 65-59312
152	8/29/50	Civ. Letter to HQ NY FBI WFO	1	-	see HQ 65-59312
153	8/30/50	Civ. memo to NY	1	1	
154	8/29/50	W.F.O. Letter to HQ	1	-	see HQ 65-59312
154A	8/30/50	NY TEL TO HQ - A. Sarant	1	-	see HQ 65-59242
155	8/30/50	NY TEL TO HQ, CV, NH, PG, PH, NK FBI WFO	1	-	see HQ 65-59312-65-59294-MIR
155A	8/28/50	NY LET TO HQ FBI WFO	1	-	see HQ 65-59312
156	8/30/50	NY memo to file	1	1	
156A	8/30/50	NY let to HQ - A. Sarant	2	-	see HQ 65-59242
157	8/31/50	NY memo to file J. Rosenberg	1	-	see NY 65-15348
158	8/31/50	CV TEL TO HQ	2	-	see HQ 65-59312

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159	8/31/50	C.V. Teletype to NY, NY	1	1	All HQ 65-59312 Being Processed
160	8/31/50	HQ Letter to C.V.	1	—	See HQ 65-59312
161	8/31/50	NY TEL TO HQ	2	—	See HQ 65-59312
162	8/31/50	HQ Lab report to C.V.	2	—	See HQ 65-59312
163	9/1/50	NY TEL TO HQ	1	—	See HQ 65-59312
164	9/1/50	NY Let to HQ	1	—	See HQ 65-59312
165	9/1/50	NY SA memo to file	2	2	1
166	9/1/50	CV TEL TO HQ	1	—	See HQ 65-59312
167	9/2/50	CV TEL TO HQ	1	—	See HQ 65-59312
168	9/5/50	CV TEL TO HQ	2	—	See HQ 65-59312
169	9/5/50	NY SA memo to file	1	1	
170	9/5/50	HQ Teletype to N.Y.	1	—	See HQ 65-59312

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171	9/5/50	W.F.O. Teletype to HQ	1	-	See HQ 65-59312
172	9/5/50	HQ Lab report to C.V.	3	-	See HQ 65-59312
173	9/5/50	NY MEMO TO FILE ^{J. Rosenberg}	1	-	See NY 65-15348
174	9/6/50	C.V. Teletype to HQ	1	-	See HQ 65-59312
175	9/6/50	CV TEL TO HQ	3	-	See HQ 65-59312
176	9/7/50	NY MEMO to FILE ^{J. Rosenberg}	1	-	See NY 65-15348
177	9/7/50	NY Letter to HQ	3	-	See HQ 65-59312
178	9/7/50	NY TEL TO HQ, CV, WFO	3	-	See HQ 65-59312-136 F2780
179	9/7/50	C.V. Teletype to HQ	1	-	See HQ 65-59312

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New York 7, New York

August 15, 1950

MEMO

Re: WILLIAM PERL, wa
ESPIONAGE - R

Rebulet to Cleveland August 9, 1950, in instant case, which makes reference to the report of SA JOHN B. O'DONAHUE, August 7, 1950, at Cleveland, and the report of SA MAURICE W. CORCORAN, August 7, 1950, at New York, and which requests that an appropriate report concerning subject's loyalty be prepared for dissemination to the National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics Loyalty Board. This request originally emanated from JAMES J. KELLY, Chairman of the NACA Loyalty Board.

Reference is also made to New York File 116-37097, entitled "WILLIAM PERL - CH - 5341, aka William Mutterperl; AEAA", which concerns an investigation of subject between December 1949 and June 1950.

The above file reflects that the clearance of subject was requested in November 1949 by the National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics, Cleveland Airport, Cleveland, Ohio. According to the PSQ form executed by subject on November 18, 1949, he has been employed by that Committee at Langley Field, Virginia, and Cleveland, Ohio, from 1939 to the present with the exception of the period 1946 to 1948, when he completed his education at Caltech, Pasadena, California, and at Columbia University, New York City. According to NACA records, subject was in a Leave Without Pay status during the above period.

PERL became an active subject in the ROSENBERG espionage ring about July 15, 1950, when it became evident that he had been closely associated with JOEL BARR, ALFRED SARANT, and other individuals, all of whom are currently being investigated as members of the above ring. On July 26, 1950, PERL admitted to Bureau Agents at Cleveland that he had been visited by VIVIAN GLASSMAN of New York City on July 23, 1950, and that she carried instructions from a "stranger" in New York that he should flee to Mexico. GLASSMAN offered him \$2,000.00 cash from this individual and during the conversation ROSENBERG'S name was mentioned.

An active investigation is being conducted concerning GLASSMAN. She has refused to testify before the Federal Grand Jury, SDNY, and is under subpoena for another appearance on August 15, 1950.

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WILLIAM PERL has been subpoenaed to appear before the Grand Jury on August 18th next.

In connection with the Bureau's request for the preparation of a report, in Loyalty Report form, covering PERL'S activities, it is pointed out that the AEAA file reflects information concerning subject to June 1950. The information developed since that time in instant investigation appears to be of such a nature, at least at the present time, that dissemination of same to outside agencies does not seem advisable.

Such a Loyalty Report will necessitate documentation of PERL'S various associates mentioned in the Cleveland and New York reports in instant case, all of whom are the subjects of active case files in this ring, as well as their alleged connections with ROSENBERG. Since none of these investigations has been concluded, dissemination of the information is not recommended.

It is pointed out that copies of such a Loyalty Report would be furnished to the Civil Service Commission and to the Loyalty Board. Furthermore, it is possible that PERL, himself, might be confronted with information contained in such a report.

It is further noted that, during previous hearings, the Loyalty Board has advised PERL concerning some information obtained in California to the effect that his ex-common law wife, HENRIETTA SAVIDGE, had made pro-Russian remarks to her former landlady in California. In recent interviews with Miss SAVIDGE in New York, she has identified the informant as RUTH McCANDLESS, which is correct.

PERL has also been advised concerning the allegations of his associations with BARR and SARANT by the Loyalty Board.

The report of the writer dated August 7, 1950, reflects information on Page 70 as obtained from Professor POLYKARP KUSCH, Executive Officer of the Physics Department, Pupin Laboratory, Columbia University, to the effect that PERL has been engaged as an instructor in the Physics Department, Columbia University, effective July 1, 1950, and is scheduled to begin teaching in September 1950. It is unknown if this information is currently available to NACA, Cleveland.

It is suggested that the above information be brought to the Bureau's attention in connection with its request for a Loyalty Report contained in rebulet.

MAURICE W. CORCORAN, SA

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WILLIAM PERL, WA, ESP-R. RE CLEVELAND TEL AUGUST SIXTEEN. SUBJECT.

ARRIVED NEWARK AIRPORT TEN TWENTYFIVE AM EDST THIS DATE. PROCEEDED BY BUS TO AIRLINE TERMINAL, NEW YORK CITY, WHERE SURVEILLANCE TURNED OVER TO NEW YORK AGENTS AT ELEVEN THIRTY AM EDST. NO CONTACTS NOTED.

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CV WILL BE ADVISED.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

NEW YORK, NEW YORK
AUGUST 17, 1950

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Transmit the following Teletype message to: BUREAU, CLEVELAND

WILLIAM PERL, WA; ESPIONAGE-R. ON AUGUST SIXTEEN LAST, SUBJECT THROUGH ATTORNEY RAYMOND L. WISE, EIGHTY BROAD ST., NYC, REQUESTED INTERVIEW WITH AUSA MILES LANE AT ELEVEN A.M. TODAY. WISE IN PRESENCE OF AUSA ADVISED SUBJECT TO COOPERATE WITH GOVERNMENT AND FURNISH ANY AND ALL FACTS IN HIS POSSESSION CONCERNING INSTANT CASE. AT LANE'S REQUEST, PERL INTERVIEWED BY SAS MAURICE W. CORCORAN AND LEO H. FRUTKIN FROM ELEVEN THIRTY A.M. TO FOUR P.M. TODAY. SUBJECT STATED THAT HE HAD ATTEMPTED TO MINIMIZE HIS ASSOCIATION WITH JOEL BARR AND ALFRED SARANT DUE TO THEIR POLITICAL BACKGROUND IN CONNECTION WITH COMMUNISM FOR FEAR SAME WOULD PREJUDICE HIM AND HIS LOYALTY INVESTIGATION. PERL NOW STATES HE MET ELEANOR GLASSMAN AS A CASUAL PICKUP. ACQUAINTANCE IN A GREENWICH VILLAGE RESTAURANT ABOUT TWO MONTHS PRIOR TO APRIL SEVEN, FIFTY. HE CLAIMS HE DOES NOT RECOLLECT ANY DETAILS OF THIS PICKUP. NOW BELIEVES MEETING WITH ELEANOR GLASSMAN ON APRIL SEVEN, FIFTY, WAS BY APPOINTMENT, THE DETAILS OF WHICH HE PROFESSES NOT TO RECALL. PERL WAS THOROUGHLY QUESTIONED REGARDING INCONSISTENCIES PREVIOUSLY REPORTED IN INSTANT CASE. (HE IN NO INSTANCE RESOLVED ANY INCONSISTENCY BUT RELIED ON THE STATEMENT HE DOES NOT REMEMBER. PERL ADVISED HE HAS GIVEN NOTICE OF TERMINATION TO NACA, CLEVELAND, EFFECTIVE SEPTEMBER SECOND NEXT, AND THAT HE HAS BEEN HIRED BY COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY, NYC, AS AN INSTRUCTOR IN PHYSICS. PERL SCHEDULED TO APPEAR BEFORE FGJ, SDNY, TEN THIRTY A.M. AUGUST EIGHTEEN.

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Special Agent in Charge

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Aug 19, 1950

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Re: William Perl
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At 7⁰⁰ PM the writer telephonically contacted S. A. S. Weible of the Cleveland office and advised him that the subject William Perl departed N. Y. C via United Airlines at 6³⁰ PM and was due to arrive Cleveland 9⁰⁵ PM D.T.S.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASHINGTON D. C.

August 22, 1950

To: SAC, Cleveland

There follows the report of the FBI Laboratory on the examination of evidence received from your office on August 10, 1950.

Re: WILLIAM PERL, aka
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J. Edgar Hoover
John Edgar Hoover, Director

YOUR FILE NO. 65-2730
FBI FILE NO. 65-59312
LAB. NO. D-120411 BE

*see exhibit
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Examination requested by: Cleveland
Reference: Letter dated 8-8-50
Examination requested: Document
Specimens:

Q7 Postal card bearing typewritten address "Mr. Perl 16802 Larchwood Avenue Cleveland 11, Ohio," postmarked "KNOXVILLE TENN. JUL 20 1950 6:30 PM," from Division of University Extension, Knoxville, Tennessee, containing the typewritten words on the reverse side " 'Good Food' ."

K4 Post card addressed to "William Perl 16802 Larchwood Ave. Cleveland 11, Ohio U.S.A., beginning "Dear Will, I am taking a....," signed "Sam," containing the purported known handwriting of SAM PERL.

ALSO SUBMITTED: Film pack containing exposures of above listed cards.

Result of Examination:

No typewriting specimens have been received from the Knoxville office thus far for comparison with the typewriting on Q7.

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Specimens Q7 and K4 are returned herewith to the Cleveland office. Photographic copies are retained. The film pack negatives also received with the above listed evidence are also retained in the Bureau's files.

New York, New York
August 23, 1950

MEMO

RE: WILLIAM PERL
ESPIONAGE - R

Re Knoxville teletype, 7/30/50, 11:45 A.M.

On August 14, 1950 SA Vernon G. Smith contacted ROBERT C. HARRON, Director of the Bureau of Public Information, Columbia University, New York City, for information concerning Professor POLYKARP KUSCH, Executive Officer, Department of Physics, Pupin Laboratory, Columbia University. Mr. HARRON advised SA Smith that he could not locate a photograph of KUSCH at the Men's Faculty Club, the University Secretary's office and through a check of various books, alumni records and appropriate library sources. However, the following information was obtained from the "Who's Who In American Colleges and Universities:"

KUSCH was born January 26, 1911 at Blankenburg, Germany. He came to the United States in 1912 and was naturalized in 1922. KUSCH obtained a Bachelor of Science Degree at the Case Institute of Technology, Cleveland, Ohio, in 1931; a Master of Science Degree at the University of Illinois in 1933 and a Doctor of Philosophy Degree from the University of Illinois in 1936.

The above source reflected that KUSCH was an Assistant in the Physics Department at the University of Illinois from 1931 to 1936 and was engaged in the same capacity at the University of Minnesota from 1936 to 1937.

The above source also reflected that KUSCH was employed by Westinghouse, New York City, from 1941 to 1942 and by the Bell Telephone Laboratories from 1944 to 1946.

According to the above source, KUSCH is currently residing at 375 Riverside Drive, New York City, is married and has three daughters.

During a recent interview SA Edward P. Morgan viewed KUSCH and supplied the following description in addition to that set forth above:

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Weight
Build
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145 lbs.
Slender
Brown, turning gray;
Parted left side;
Hair falls over eyes
Wears glasses

Characteristics

It is recommended that appropriate contacts be made at Westinghouse and Bell Telephone Laboratories to obtain full background, physical description and, if possible, photograph of POLYKARP KUSCH.

MAURICE W. CORCORAN, SA

New York City
August 23, 1950

MEMO:

RE: WILLIAM PERL, wa
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Re: SA HARRY C. JUNG, St. Louis, 8/2/50.

C. R. VOBEL, Assistant Manager, General Electric Building, 570 Lexington Avenue, NYC, advised that the present occupant of Room 711 of the building is BECHTEL INTERNATIONAL CORPORATION, which has itself or in the name of apparently affiliated corporations occupied the suite since early 1946. Lists available to him of affiliate corporations include SVEDERUP & PARCEL. He said that ARTHUR W. SHAW, office manager in 711 has been there most of the period since 1946.

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

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

Mrs. ~~KIKKI~~ JEANNE ANGILO, Stenographer, Bechtel International Corporation, advised that she recalls WILLIAM PERL as one of VON KARMAN's assistants for a period of several months in the summer of 1947. She said that most of PERL's work was done at Columbia University and that he only occasionally came and went there and had but little contact with Bechtel employees. She recalled that about a year after the SVEDERUP & PARCEL office was closed she had occasion to talk with PERL on the phone concerning a supposed friend of Dr. VON KARMAN who came there and borrowed money, probably on false pretenses, from her and several others in the office. PERL at that time was apparently still at Columbia University or at least in New York City. She said that she knew nothing of PERL's background, associates, activities and nothing of his current whereabouts.

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Miss MARGARET HUGHES, 2261 Harrington Avenue, Bronx, temporary Secretary, Bechtel International Corporation, formerly regularly so employed, advised that she remembers PERL distinctly as an associate of Dr. Von Karman, doing research at the Pupin Laboratories, Columbia University. She said that she saw very little of PERL, however, and then only as he occasionally came to the Svederup & Parcel office, always alone and always reserved and distant. She said that she knows nothing about his background, associates, or activities. She said that LILLIAN FRICKER, Dr. Von Karman's secretary, and Prof. F. S. EGILSRUD, then an associate of Von Karman and Perl, would be the persons most likely to know more about Perl. Prof. EGILSRUD succeeded ~~PERL~~ Von Karman in charge of the Svederup & Parcel office for a short while and then went to Pratt Institute in Brooklyn to teach.

Mrs. MARY STEPHENSON, Stenographer, Bechtel International Corporation, advised that she remembers PERL, but said that she knows nothing about him except that he worked with Egilsrud and Von Karman, with an address noted on VON Karman's card in the *A* indices for PERL as Box 88 Pupin Laboratories, Columbia University. Box 827 is also listed as that for Non Karman. She said that the latest address she has for LILLIAN FRICKER, ~~is~~ 118 Marlborough Street, Boston, 14, Mass., telephone Circle 8061—is two years old. Miss Fricker's family lives in Cleveland, and she lived at 8 East 68th. Street, NYC, where Mrs. Stephenson also lived in 1947. She recalled that Miss Fricker knew PERL much better and may have gone out with him on several occasions. Miss FRICKER is studying or working in nutrition or diabetics at Harvard or perhaps another school in or near Boston.

At the Engineering School of Pratt Institute, 195 Lexington Avenue, Brooklyn, NY, it was learned that Prof. E. S. EGILSRUD was not employed there after 1948. His home address is listed as 8903 Rutledge Avenue, Glendale, L.I., N.Y., telephone IL 9-7078. "Ebasco Services, Inc., 2 Rector Street, DI 4-4400" is also listed on the card, probably representing an employment prior to his coming to Pratt Institute, it was said.

It is being left to the discretion of the agent to whom instant case is assigned to set out leads arising out of the above investigation, inasmuch as it is not known to the writer how much or what investigation has already been conducted by this office at Columbia University or otherwise.

PERIOD: 8/17, 22, 23/50.

W. D. Wright, SA

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Federal Bureau of Investigation
United States Department of Justice

August 25, 1950
New York 7, N. Y.

MEMO

RE: WILLIAM PERL
ESPIONAGE - R

At 4:50 P.M. 8/24/50, I telephonically contacted SA J. Kelly of Cleveland in connection with their teletype dated 8/22/50, wherein that office indicated they intended to reinterview both PERL and MIKE SIDOROVICH. φ

With reference to this matter I advised SA Kelly that AUSA Myles Lane has requested these reinterviews be withheld at present inasmuch as PERL, at his last appearance before the Grand Jury in New York City, clearly stated in answer to questions that he did not know either ANN or MIKE SIDOROVICH. P

In view of the above, SA Kelly was advised that Mr. Lane contemplates proceeding against PERL on perjury and anticipates again calling him before the Grand Jury in this case.

GERALD A. MCCARVILLE, SA

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United States Department of Justice
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Cleveland 13, Ohio



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AIR MAIL SPECIAL DELIVERY

SAC, NEW YORK:

Re: WILLIAM PERL, wa.
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Dear Sir:

Remytel dated August 28, 1950.

Enclosed is a certified copy of the Assignment
of Certificate of Title dated July 21, 1948 conveying a 1941
Studebaker from ROBERT E. PFLEGER to MICHAEL SIDOROVICH.

Very truly yours,

R. J. Abbaticchio, Jr.
R. J. ABBATICCHIO JR., *Saw*
Special Agent in Charge.

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MEMO

Re: WILLIAM PERL
ESPIONAGE - R

C. L. TERRILL, Vice President, FAIRCHILD CAMERA & INSTRUMENT CORP., 88-06 Van Wyck Boulevard, Jamaica, New York, checked the records of his concern relative to payment of \$50.00 to PERL in the form of Check No. 47343 dated June 23, 1948, drawn on the Grace National Bank. After checking his records, TERRILL advised that this payment was made to PERL for consulting services performed on May 28, 1948, in connection with the development of a thrustmeter, believed to be used in connection with the manufacture of jet planes. PERL'S services consisted in making recommendations as to the best type of thrustmeter to be developed and used by FAIRCHILD in performing work for the Government. This project was later developed at FAIRCHILD'S branch at Pasadena, California, under the direction of DAVID MOORE, who would probably be more familiar with this matter.

However, from the record in the files here, PERL was probably recommended to make this study on the recommendation of either a JAMES A. TOWNSEND, Project Engineer on Thrustmeters, Equipment Laboratory, Wright Field, or a Mr. OSDIN (first name unknown), who probably also was connected with the Equipment Laboratory at Wright Field. PERL was recommended as a theoretician who had been associated with the National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics.

TERRILL advised that PERL had no personal contact with anyone at FAIRCHILD other than on this particular occasion.

It was noted that the payment to PERL was addressed to him in care of Box 88, Pupin Laboratory, Columbia University.

RAYMOND J. RUCKEL, SA

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-MR. SCHEIDT
-MR. WHELAN
-MR. STEIN
-MR. COLLIER
-MR. GRANVILLE
-MR. KENNEDY
-MR. LEVVIS
-MR. MARCHESBAULT
-NIGHT SUPERVISOR
-MR. RAGAN
-MR. RING
-MR. SULLIVAN
-MR. TUOHY
-MR. WALSH
-MR. WOHL
-CHIEF CLERK
-PROPERTY CLERK
-TRAINING UNIT

WJ

FBI CLEVELAND 8-31-50 4-39 PM EDST

DH

SAC-S, NEW YORK AND NORFOLK

URGENT

JPM
 WILLIAM PERL, AKA, ETAL, ESP-R. RMYTEL THIS DATE. NEW YORK
 REQUESTED TO FURNISH NORFOLK AMSD ONE SET PHOTOS ROSENBERG
 RING FOR USE INVESTIGATION THAT OFFICE.

ABBATICCHIO

END

NY OK FBI NYC JJG

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 JWS*

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September 1, 1950

Memo

Re: William Bel
Espionage - R

Henrietta Savidge
104 E. 38th, NYC

Present superintendent has been here since 9/49 and lives at 63 Park Avenue, Apt. 1F. Supt. said Savidge does sketch illustrations of women's clothes; does her work in her apartment for employers he is not acquainted with.

Mr. H. Fontayne of Riker & Co., Realtors, NYC and Mr. W. Leeds of Gosse & Browne, Realtors, NYC, consecutive owners of 104 E. 38th, NYC, since 1948, advised that they have no record of Savidge in the lease. The apartment in question has been and still is leased to H. B. Leitman who has previously been determined Savidge's brother-in-law.

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Nothing in NY index re Mary Louise Leitman or Savidge

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Re 10/31/50 at 7:33

David Savidge, Lillian Ficker

Miss Abndon Bennett
Seville Hotel
Madison Ave. & 29th, NYC

(Info. from A. J. Goldstein, N.Y.)

Home address: 2102 Cornell (Cornell?) Road
Cleveland, 6, Ohio

Entered hotel 7/29/50 into Room 238 & left
Phone calls:

7/29 - Grosse & Braine Realty - MILA
7/29 - Donella Dresses, 1385 Bldg. - WI
7/30 - S. B. Perl, 936 Tiffany, Bk. - DA8
7/31 - Josephine Muzzie, 837 2nd Ave - MI

NR

SA W. R. Yates

New York, New York
September 5, 1950

MEMO:

RE: WILLIAM PERL
ESPIONAGE - R

Reference Cleveland teletype to New York, August 19, 1950.

SIDNEY and HAROLD SHAMES of the MELARD MANUFACTURING COMPANY, 3725 32d Street, Queens, New York, were contacted on August 24, 1950 by the writer regarding the letter they sent to the subject PERL. The SHAMES brothers advised that they own and operate the MELARD MANUFACTURING COMPANY at this address.

Mr. SIDNEY SHAMES stated that PERL is a creditor of the MELARD firm, having lent the brothers \$500.00 about one year ago, and that it was regarding this matter that they had contacted PERL by letter. Mr. HAROLD SHAMES stated that at the time the loan was arranged, the firm was short of ready cash and since the brothers had known PERL while working with him at the NACA in Cleveland, they approached him regarding the loan.

The SHAMES brothers stated that they worked with PERL on a professional basis at the NACA in Cleveland and as such were friendly with him but that they mixed with him socially on a very limited scale due to the war work pressure and the fact that PERL stayed to himself most of the time. SIDNEY SHAMES advised that PERL was a very hard worker while he was at the NACA, and that he spent a great many of his evenings preparing reports and other data. Neither of the SHAMES brothers knew anything about PERL'S personal life or activities.

The indices of the New York Office were checked and have been found to contain no information pertaining to SIDNEY or HAROLD SHAMES.

WILLIAM R. YATES, SA

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SUBJECT William Perl

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Re: William Perl

Date: 1/78

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179a	9/1/50	(Re: Julius Rosenberg) CG Report to HQ	21	-	See Bufile 65-58236
180	9/7/50	(Re: Stanley Robert Rich) NH Teletype to HQ+NY	1	1	
181	9/7/50	HQ LAB to CV	2	-	Bufile 65-59312
182	9/8/50	CV Teletype to HQ, NY, NK, ^{PH} FB	1	-	Bufile 65-59312
183	9/8/50	CV Teletype to HQ, NY, WFO	2	-	Bufile 65-58321
184	9/8/50	SA Memo to file	1	1	
185	9/8/50	(Re: Julius Rosenberg) BA Letter to HQ	1	-	See Bufile 65-58236
186	9/8/50	CV Letter to HQ	1	-	Bufile 65-59312
187	9/8/50	PH Report to HQ	2	-	Bufile 65-59312
188	9/8/50	typed copy NY Teletype to HQ, CV, RX	1	-	Bufile 65-59312
189	9/8/50	typed copy NY Teletype to HQ, NK, CV	1	-	Bufile 65-59312
190	9/8/50	NY Letter to HQ	1	-	Bufile 65-59312

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191	9/8/50	NY Letter to HQ	4	-	See Bufile 65-59312
192	9/11/50	SA Memo to file	2	2	
192a	9/11/50	HQ LAB Report to NY (Re: Alfred Sarant)	1	-	See Bufile 65-59242
193	9/11/50	SA MEMO to file (Re: Julius Rosenberg)	2	-	See NY file 65-15348
194	9/9/50	NK Teletype to HQ, NY	1	-	Bufile 65-59312
195	9/11/50	HQ Teletype to NY	1	-	Bufile 65-59312
196	9/9/50	SA Memo to file	1	1	
197	9/11/50	SA Memo to file (Re: Morton Sobell)	5	-	See NY file 100-37158
198	9/11/50	SA Memo to file	1	-	See NY file 65-15380
199	9/11/50	SA Memo to file (Re: Morton Sobell)	3	-	See NY file 100-37158-354
200	9/12/50	NY Teletype ^{typed copy} to HQ, CV, AL	1	1	See Bufile 65-59312 <i>Being discussed</i>
201	9/12/50	LA Report to HQ	5	-	Bufile 65-59312

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202	9/12/50	CV Teletype to HQ, NY (Re: Julius Rosenberg)	2	-	Bufile 65-59312
203	9/12/50	SA Memo to file	2	-	See NY file 65-15348
204	9/13/50	NY Letter to HQ (Re: Julius Rosenberg)	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
205	9/13/50	SA Memo to file	1	4	See NY file 65-15348
206	9/13/50	SA Memo to file	1	1	
207	9/13/50	CV Teletype to HQ, NY, AL (Re: Michael Sidorovich)	1	-	Bufile 65-59312
208	9/13/50	NY Letter to HQ	4	-	See Bufile 65-59294
209	9/13/50	PG Letter to HQ	3	-	Bufile 65-59312
210	9/14/50	NY Teletype to HQ, CV TYPED COPY (Re: Morton Spbell)	2	-	Bufile 65-59312
211	9/14/50	SA Memo to file	3	-	See NY file 100-37158
212	9/14/50	CV Letter to NY	2	2	
213	9/15/50	CV Teletype to HQ, NY	4	-	Bufile 65-59312

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214	9/12/50	CV Letter to HQ	1	-	Bufile 65-59312
215	9/15/50	CV Letter to HQ	1	-	Bufile 65-59312
215a	9/15/50	NY Letter to Postmaster	1	1	
215b	9/15/50	3 rd party letter to 3 rd party	2	2	
216	9/15/50	NY Letter to HQ (Re: ALFRED DEAN SLACK)	3	3	
217	9/18/50	SA Memo to file (Re: Julius Rosenberg)	1	-	See NY file 65-15348
218	9/18/50	TYPED COPY NY Teletype to HQ, CV	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
219	9/18/50	CV Teletype to HQ, NY	2	-	Bufile 65-59312
220	9/19/50	PH Report to HQ	3	-	Bufile 65-59312
221	9/19/50	CV Teletype to HQ, NY	2	-	Bufile 65-59312
222	9/19/50	SA Memo to file	1	-	See NY file 65-15380
223	9/19/50	TYPED COPY NY Teletype to HQ, CV	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312

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224	9/20/50	NY Teletype to HQ, CV TYPED COPY	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
225	9/20/50	CV Teletype to HQ, NY	2	-	Bufile 65-59312
226	9/20/50	SA Memo to file	1	-	See NY file 65-15380
227	9/22/50	CV Letter to HQ	1	-	Bufile 65-59312
228	9/21/50	WFO Letter to HQ	1	-	Bufile 65-59312
229	9/21/50	WFO Letter to HQ	1	-	Bufile 65-59312
230	9/21/50	HQ Report	50	-	Bufile 65-59312
231	9/25/50	SA Memo to file	1	1	
232	9/25/50	NY Letter to HQ	2	-	See Bufile 65-59312
233	9/25/50	HQ Letter to NY	1	-	Bufile 65-59312
234	9/25/50	HQ Letter to NY	1	-	Bufile 65-59312
235	9/26/50	(Re: Max + Helene Elitcher) SA Memo to file	4	-	See NY file 65-14873

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Re:

William Perl

Date:

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236	9/26/50	NY Letter to HQ	1	-	See BUfile 65-59312
237	9/26/50	NY Letter to HQ	1	-	BUfile 65-59312
238	9/26/50	HQ Letter to CV	1	-	See BUfile 65-59312
239	9/27/50	TYPED COPY NY Teletype to HQ, CV	1	-	BUfile 65-59312
240	9/27/50	9/26/50 (Re: Ralph W. Spitzer) ENCL to SERIAL 240a NY NEWS Newspaper clipping	1	-	BUfile 65-59312
240a	9/27/50	NY Letter to HQ	1	-	BUfile 65-59312
241	9/27/50	HQ Letter to CV	1	-	BUfile 65-59312
242	9/27/50	CV Report to HQ	67	-	BUfile 65-59312
243	9/27/50	NY Letter to Postmaster	1	1	
244	9/27/50	NY Letter to Postmaster	1	1	
245	9/28/50	Postmaster to NY	1	-	referred to another agency
246	9/28/50	Postmaster to NY	1	-	referred to another agency
246	no date	Serial status sheet	1	1	

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247	10/2/50	HQ Teletype to NY	1	-	Bufile 65-59312
248	10/2/50	(Re: Max + Helene Elitcher) NY Report to HQ	66	-	See Bufile 101-2115
249	10/4/50	CV Letter to HQ	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
250	10/6/50	CV Letter to HQ	1	-	Bufile 65-59312
251	10/9/50	AL Letter to HQ	2	-	Bufile 65-59312
252	10/19/50	CV Letter to HQ	2	-	See Bufile 65-59312
253	10/20/50	(Re: Julius Rosenberg) SA Memo to file	2	-	See NY file 65-15348
254	10/20/50	HQ Letter to NY	1	-	Bufile 65-59312
255	10/20/50	BS Report to HQ	4	-	Bufile 65-59312
255	10/20/50	CV Letter to NY	1	1	
256	10/23/50	NY Letter to HQ LAB	1	-	Bufile 65-59312
257	10/23/50	CV Letter to HQ	1	-	Bufile 65-59312

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DIRECTOR, FBI AND SAC, NEW YORK

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STANLEY R. RICH, ESPIONAGE - R. SUBJECT RE-INTERVIEWED AT OWN
 REQUEST AT HARTFORD, CT. TODAY. DESIRED TO CHANGE PREVIOUS STATEMENT
 RE YOUNG COMMUNIST LEAGUE MEMBERSHIP. WAS MEMBER STEINMETZ CLUB AT
 CCNY WHICH BECAME UNIT OF YCL. ATTENDED BOTH OPEN AND CLOSED MEETINGS
 FOR PERIOD OF FOUR TO SEVEN MONTHS IN SENIOR YEAR. RECALLS ATTENDANCE
 AT CLOSED MEETINGS OF JULIUS ROSENBERG, MORTON SOBELL, MAX ELITCHER,
 WILLIAM DANZIGER, NATHAN SUSSMAN AND POSSIBLY WILLIAM MUTTERPERL.
 SUBJECT DENIES BEING A LEADER IN LEFT WING ACTIVITIES AT CCNY BUT COULD
 HAVE BEEN LOGICALLY REGARDED AS SUCH BECAUSE OF LEADERSHIP IN GENERAL
 STUDENT AFFAIRS. CLAIMS PARENTS COMPLETELY OPPOSED TO LEFT WING
 ACTIVITIES AND SUBJECT DISCONTINUED INTEREST ENTIRELY AFTER GRADUATION.
 SUBJECT RECENTLY EXECUTED PSQ FORM IN CONNECTION WITH WORK CONTEMPLATED
 IN GUIDED MISSILES AND RADAR IN COOPERATION WITH RCA. DID NOT LIST YCL
 MEMBERSHIP AND EXHIBITED CONCERN OVER FAILURE. SUBJECT ADVISED THAT
 THREE MALE VISITORS TO HARTFORD ON AUGUST TWENTY THREE LAST WERE
 DON GUNTER OF RCA, CAMDEN, NEW JERSEY AND TWO RCA ASSOCIATES. VISITORS
 TO DARIEN, CT. WEEKEND OF AUGUST EIGHTEEN LAST WERE JOSEPH AND HELEN
 DARIO, OF TEN MONROE STREET, NEW YORK CITY, BOTH FORMERLY SYMPATHETIC
 TO COMMUNISM AND FOR SEVERAL YEARS MUCH OPPOSED. ALBANY AND CLEVELAND
 ADVISED SEPARATELY FOR INFO. REPORT FOLLOWS.

WILLIS

65-1539

CORRECTION LINE SIX WORD SIX SHOULD BE ROSENBERG

WACK AND NO PLS BOTH STATIONS

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NY 10-42 AM OK FBI NYC DU

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New York, New York,
Sept. 8, 1950

MEMO:

WILLIAM PERL was
ESPIONAGE-R

Newark phoned at 11:30 PM this date to advise that subject is staying overnight at a tourist court in Hamburg, Pa. about thirty five miles west of Easton, Pa.

SAs Miller and Burlinson were advised that it is not expected he will arrive in NYC until sometime Saturday.

Albert T. Healy SA

10:25 AM SA Frank Raisbeck, Newark called & advised subject Enroute NYC vicinity of Easton, Pa or Phillipsburg, Pa. Expected in NYC 2-3 hrs. Newark Agents on Perl & will contact NY office on arrival.

Granville advised. Agents McGour, Blasco & Forest advised to pick up surveillance.

GRT

Subject 936 TIFFANY St
E. Bronx

65-15387-184

F. B. I.	
SEP 11 1950	
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Concans

New York, New York
September 11, 1950

MEMO

Re: WILLIAM PERL, was.
ESPIONAGE - R

Re Cleveland teletype 8/17/50, 3:07 p.m.

Reference teletype requested SADIE MUTTERPERL be interviewed regarding a card sent to the University of Tennessee requesting copies of "Good Food" be sent to various individuals. This card contained the return address S. PERL, 963 Tiffany Street, Bronx 59, New York.

Because of the information in our files that SADIE MUTTERPERL [redacted] and according to her mother, SARAH MUTTERPERL, SADIE is not [redacted] and is easily upset, the Bureau has been requested for advice as to whether or not SADIE should be interviewed.

Inasmuch as Mrs. MUTTERPERL'S first name is SARAH, it was considered possible that she might have been the S. PERL on the return address of the card, and therefore was interviewed at her home, 963 Tiffany Street, Bronx, New York by SA WALTER ROETTING and the writer on September 8, 1950.

Mrs. MUTTERPERL stated that SAM PERL was in France in July, 1950. This eliminated the possibility that the card was written by him inasmuch as it was dated July 17, 1950 and postmarked in New York. Mrs. MUTTERPERL stated that she had not written this card after the contents were described to her, and that in fact, she could not write, except for writing her name. (A sample of her handwriting is attached herewith.) She stated that since the request was for a booklet on good food, she was certain that her daughter, SADIE, had sent it because SADIE was continually sending postcards regarding foods and diets. The names of those listed on the postcard were mentioned to Mrs. MUTTERPERL. She identified her sons, SAM and WILLIAM, and she stated that Dr. ADLERSBERG is her doctor. She stated that she had no knowledge whatever of the names SAUL or SOL KISCHNER, EDWARD GOLDZAND or PATER FLOOD.

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She reiterated that her daughter is highly emotional and for little reason become terribly upset.

HAROLD F. GOOD, SA (A)

New York, New York
September 9, 1950

MEMO:

RE: WILLIAM PERL, was.
ESPIONAGE - R.

At 10:25 A.M. on September 9, 1950, SA FRANK RAISBECK of the Newark Office called and advised that WILLIAM PERL was proceeding toward New York and at that time was in the vicinity of Easton or Philipsburg, Pennsylvania. It was estimated that PERL would reach New York within two or three hours.

Supervisor ROBERT R. GRANVILLE was notified immediately and SAs PAUL J. BLASCO, STEPHEN A. MCGARR, and EDGAR C. FOREST were notified inasmuch as they were scheduled to pick up the surveillance of PERL from the Newark agents when PERL arrived in New York City.

EDWIN R. TULLY, SA

ERT:MK
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Memo

September 13, 1950

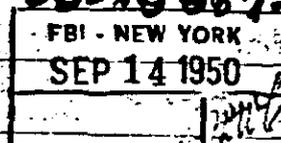
Re: William Perl, was.
Espionage - R.

Reference made to Surveillance Log dated 9/9/50 wherein it is reflected subject handed a postcard to mail carrier on corner of 42nd St. and Park Ave., NYC.

The mail carrier was approached by the writer and exhibited the postcard in question. It was addressed to: "Miss Glendon L. Bennett, 404 1/2 E. 2nd St., Chattanooga, Tennessee." In the message subject simply stated that "New York is hot and humid. Am looking for a place to live. Hope you had a good trip. Will write again soon." The message was signed only "Z".

J. Edgar C. 65-15387-206

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, New York

FROM : *RJA* SAC, Cleveland

SUBJECT: WILLIAM PERL, wa.
ESPIONAGE - R

DATE: September 14, 1950

AIRMAIL
REGISTERED

#6

Re telephone call of Special Agent MAURICE CORCORAN of the New York Office September 11, 1950 to Special Agent JAMES F. KELLY of this office, during which Agent CORCORAN advised that Assistant U. S. Attorney LANE desired photostatic copies of the Ohio Registration of THEODORE VON KARMAN's car; the registration of the Studebaker sold by EDWARD K. RHODES to WILLIAM PERL; and the registration of the Dodge automobile presently owned by PERL.

At the Auto Title Department, Office of the Clerk of Court, Cuyahoga County, no record could be found of the VON KARMAN 1935 Plymouth by means of searching the names of PERL and VON KARMAN. However, through a telephonic search of the motor number of this car, PJ31499, at the Bureau of Motor Vehicles, Title Division, Columbus, Ohio, it was determined that Dr. JOSEPHINE DE KARMAN was the owner of instant Plymouth.

It was ascertained that the file on this automobile in the Auto Title Department contains the following documents:

1. 1944 and 1946 California Registration Cards of instant Plymouth in the name of Dr. JOSEPHINE DE KARMAN, 1501 South Marengo, Pasadena, California.
2. 1947 New York Registration #3N2732, dated April 10, 1947 for instant plymouth in the name of Dr. JOSEPHINE DE KARMAN, Gotham Hotel, 5th Avenue and 55th Street, New York City.
3. A photostatic or photographic copy of a Power of Attorney from JOSEPHINE DE KARMAN to T. EDWARD BEEHAN, executed and recorded in California, dated June 13, 1946.
4. Application for Ohio Certificate of Title for instant Plymouth executed by T. E. BEEHAN for JOSEPHINE DE KARMAN notarized in Los Angeles, California on June 21, 1948. This application shows the applicant to be Dr. JOSEPHINE DE KARMAN with address originally inscribed as Gotham Hotel, 5th Avenue and 55th Street, New York City. However,

*Enclosure Dallas
June 9-21-50
JMB*

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CC: Albany, Buffalo, Los Angeles, San Francisco, Washington Field and Cincinnati, and CV Files 65-2726 and 65-2728.

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SAC, New York:

The original address is lined out and the address 3200 Franklin entered in what appears to be a different handwriting.

5. Ohio Certificate of Title (1948) Number 182400412 issued in the name of Dr. JOSEPHINE DE KARMAN, 3200 Franklyn Boulevard, Cleveland, Ohio.

Certified photostatic copies of all these documents except the 1934 and 1936 registration cards of instant Plymouth are being forwarded to New York as an attachment to this letter.

It is noted in connection with the 1935 Plymouth Coupe owned by Dr. JOSEPHINE DE KARMAN, that PERL'S name is in no way mentioned, although 3200 Franklin Boulevard was at one time his Cleveland address.

Certified photostatic copies of the following documents obtained from the Auto Title Department, Office of the Clerk of Court, Cuyahoga County are also attached:

Assignment of Title of 1941 Studebaker, Motor Number 199802 from EDWARD K. RHODES to WILLIAM PERL.

Ohio Certificate of Title Number 182469067 obtained by PERL for this automobile.

Ohio Certificate of Title Number 182834501 for PERL'S 1949 Dodge, Motor Number D30245346.

In the event it is desired to obtain copies of the Ohio Passenger Registration Cards issued in connection with the assignment of license plates to the above automobiles, it will be necessary to contact the Bureau of Motor Vehicles, License Plate Registration Division, Columbus, Ohio.

It is noted that Columbus, Ohio is within the jurisdiction of the Cincinnati Division.

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Federal Bureau of Investigation
United States Department of Justice



607 United States Court House
Foley Square
New York 7, New York

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

September 15, 1950

Mr. Edward L. Braune, Agent
New York Telephone Company
140 West Street
New York 7, New York

Dear Mr. BRAUNE:

In connection with an official investigation being conducted by this Office it is requested that information be furnished concerning toll calls charged to Murray Hill 6-9741 during This number is reported to be listed to

Your cooperation in this matter will be greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,

Edward Scheidt

EDWARD SCHEIDT
Special Agent in Charge

WHS:HJC

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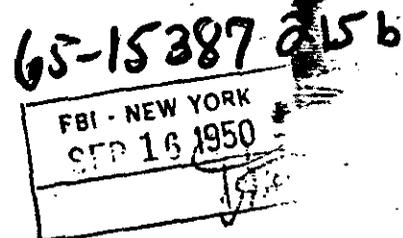
Mr. E. F. McNamara
Bayshore, N.Y.

Dear Mr. McNamara:

Mr. Higinbotham has told me to send you the enclosed statement of William Perl to the FBI. He also suggested that you might be interested in the reprint.

Sincerely yours,

T. A. Pond Sec'y



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Director, FBI

September 15, 1950

SAC, New York

ALFRED DEAN SLACK
ESPIONAGE-R

Re Knoxville teletypes July 24, 1950 in instant case and Knoxville teletype July 30, 1950 entitled, "WILLIAM PERL, wa.; ESPIONAGE-R", which requests a photograph of any Columbia University professors contacted by WILLIAM PERL while in New York City, to be forwarded to Knoxville for exhibition to SLACK.

Investigation at New York City reflected that subject has been in contact with Professor POLYKARP KUSCH, Executive Officer, Department of Physics, Columbia University, and that in April 1950 KUSCH employed PERL as an instructor in the Physics Department, effective September 1950.

Surveillances of WILLIAM PERL during recent visits to New York reveal that he spent some time on the Columbia campus and while it was not practical to determine the exact identity of his contacts it was noted that he visited the Pupin Physics Laboratory building where Professor KUSCH's office is located.

The following information was obtained from "Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities":

KUSCH was born January 26, 1911, at Blankenburg, Germany; he came to the United States in 1912 and was naturalized in 1922; he obtained a Bachelor of Science degree at the Case Institute of Technology, Cleveland, Ohio, in 1931; a Master of Science degree at the University of Illinois in 1933, and a Doctor of Philosophy degree from the University of Illinois, in 1936. This source revealed that KUSCH was an assistant in the Physics Department at the University of Illinois from 1931 to 1936 and was engaged in the same capacity at the University of Minnesota from 1936 to 1937. This source also reflected that KUSCH was employed by Westinghouse, New York City, from 1941 to 1942 and by the Bell Telephone Laboratories from 1944 to 1946. He is married, has three daughters and presently resides at 376 Riverside Drive, New York City.

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Columbia University, confidentially advised SA VERNON G. SMITH that a search of the records of the University's Secretary's Office, the Men's Faculty Club and through a check of the various books, alumnus records and appropriate laboratory sources failed to reflect any information concerning Professor KUSCH not set forth above. He stated that there was no indication in the

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Let to

records of Columbia University that Professor KUSCH has been abroad since his arrival in this country, nor was a photograph available.

HAROLD E. GILLETTE, General Employment Manager, Bell Telephone Laboratories, New York City, advised from his records as follows:

POLYKARP KUSCH attended the Case School of Technology from September 1927 to August 1931 when he obtained a Bachelor of Science degree in physics. He attended the University of Illinois from September 1931 to February 1933 when he obtained a Master of Science degree in physics. He continued at the University of Illinois from February 1933 to February 1936 when he was awarded a Doctor of Philosophy degree in physics.

According to the above record KUSCH was employed at the University of Illinois from September 1931 to August 1936 as a part-time instructor. He worked at the University of Minnesota from September 1936 to August 1937, performing research work on mass spectroscopy. From September 1937 to February 1941 he was engaged as an instructor in physics and mechanics at Columbia University, New York City. From February 1941 to March 1942 he was employed by Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company, Bloomfield, New Jersey. From March 1942 to October 1944 he was doing research work in the Radiation Laboratory at Columbia University. From October 9, 1944 to April 12, 1945 KUSCH was employed at the Bell Telephone Laboratories, 463 West Street, New York City, as a member of the technical staff in the development of micro-wave electronic tubes. He resigned his position with Bell to accept a teaching position at Columbia University on the latter date.

The above records contain the following physical description of KUSCH:

Born	January 26, 1911, at Blankenburg, Germany
Height	6'
Weight	146
Hair	Brown
Eyes	Brown
Characteristics	Wears glasses
Social Security No.	052-18-077
Marital Status	Married; wife, EDITH STARR McROBERTS, born Canton, Missouri.

Mr. GILLETTE made available to this office a copy of a photograph of KUSCH taken in 1944.

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It is noted that previous investigation in instant case revealed that SLACK was placed in contact with an unknown person by RICHARD BRIGGS, about 1937 to 1939, at New York City. He described this person as an instructor at Columbia University who had recently returned from a one year trip to Russia where he had been employed as an engineer in the construction of the Moscow subway. SLACK said this person was an engineer, mechanical or electrical, and described him as: 5' 7", slim build, dark complexion, dark hair, about 30 years of age at the time of the meeting, and presumably American born.

It is obvious from the above that the physical description of KUSCH varies from that of SLACK's contact between 1937 and 1939 and that the employment of KUSCH is accounted for through the pertinent period.

However, on the possibility that SLACK may have misjudged the height and further that KUSCH may have had a leave of absence from Columbia University that is not reflected in available records, copies of a photograph of KUSCH, taken in 1944, as obtained at the Bell Laboratories, is submitted herewith to Knoxville for display to SLACK. Additional copies of this photograph are being retained by this office.

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New York, N.Y.
September 25, 1950

Memo:

Re: William Perl, was;
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On 9/22/50 a stop notice was placed with [redacted]

[redacted] the (M.S. Batory) of the Edgna America Line, 37 Wall Street, N.Y.C. (Confidential symbol) for advance sailing notice of the subject.

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Stanley J. Grabowski, SA

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607 U.S. Court House
Foley Square
New York 7, New York

September 27, 1950

Honorable Albert Goldman
Postmaster

33rd Street and Eighth Avenue
New York 1, New York

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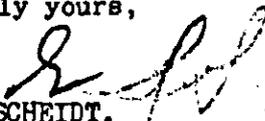
WILLIAM PERL with alias
WILLIAM MUTTERPERL
936 Tiffany Street
Bronx 59, New York

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Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,


EDWARD SCHEIDT,
Special Agent in Charge

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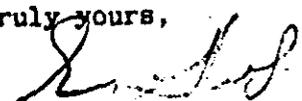
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TO : SAC, New York

DATE: October 20, 1950

FROM : SAC, Cleveland

SUBJECT: WILLIAM PERL, aka
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New York file 65-15387

[Redacted] Central National Bank, Cleveland, Ohio has advised that PERL closed his savings account with that bank by a draft issued from the Irving Savings Bank, 2852 Broadway, New York City, in the amount of \$2690.31; dated October 3, 1950. b7D

For your information.

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260	10/21/50	HQ Teletype to N.Y.	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
261	11/1/50	N.Y. Teletype to HQ	2	0	Bufile 65-59312
262	11/2/50	N.Y. SA memo to file CAPTIONED MAY ELITCHER	6	0	See N.Y. 65-15348 PO
263	11/3/50	Civ. Letter to HQ	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
264	11/3/50	HQ Lab. report to NY	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
265	11/10/50	HQ Letter to N.Y.	2	0	Bufile 65-59312
266	11/14/50	HQ Lab. report to NY	2	0	Bufile 65-59312
267	11/16/50	HQ Letter to NY NY NY HQ	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
268	9/25/50	N.F. report to HQ	4	0	Bufile 65-59312
269	11/18/50	N.F. Letter to HQ	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
270	11/21/50	HQ Letter to N.Y.	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
271	11/22/50	N.Y. Teletype to HQ CAPTIONED JULIUS ROSENBERG	1	0	see 1/Bufile 65-58236

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272	11/22/50	HQ Lab report to N.Y.	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
273	11/25/50	N.Y. teletype to HQ	1	0	Bufile 65-59294
273 ^A	11/21/50	LA Letter to HQ	3	1	
274	11/30/50	w.f.o. report to HQ	16	0	Bufile 65-59312
275	12/2/50	c.v. Letter to HQ	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
276	12/5/50	AL report to HQ	3	0	Bufile 65-59312
276 ^A	12/11/50	NY FD complaint form	1	1	
277	12/9/50	HQ Letter to c.v.	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
278	12/11/50	HQ Letter to N.Y.	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
279	12/15/50	HQ teletype to N.Y.	2	0	Bufile 65-59312
280	12/12/50	N.Y. report to HQ CAPTIONED MAX ELITCHER	119	0	Bufile 101-2115
281	12/16/50	NY teletype to HQ	2	0	Bufile 65-59312-189

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283	12/12/50	HQ NY to C.V.	2	0	Bufile 65-59312
284	12/21/50	HQ Letter to NY	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
285	12/25/50	HQ Letter to C.V.	2	0	Bufile 65-59312
286	12/28/50	HQ Letter to BU	2	0	Bufile 65-59312
287	12/29/50	C.V. Letter to HQ	2	0	Bufile 65-59312
288	1/3/51	C.V. Teletype to HQ	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
289	1/4/51	C.V. Letter to HQ	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
290	1/5/51	C.V. report to HQ	29	0	Bufile 65-59312
291	1/9/51	N.K. Letter to HQ	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
291A	1/9/51	LA report to HQ	4	4	
292	1/15/51	HQ Letter to C.V.	2	0	Bufile 65-59312

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293	1/16/51	NY SA memo to file CAPTIONED MAX ELITCHER	1	0	See NY 65-15348
294	1/16/51	HQ Letter to C.V.	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
295	1/19/51	NY Teletype to HQ	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
296	1/19/51	NY Teletype to HQ	4	0	See 61 Bufile 65-58236
297	1/22/51	P.H. Letter to HQ	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
298	1/22/51	CI Letter to HQ	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
299	1/26/51	C.V. Letter to HQ	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
300	1/26/51	C.V. Letter to HQ	6	0	Bufile 65-59312
301	1/27/51	C.V. Letter to HQ	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
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302	2/3/51	HQ Letter to C.V.	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
303	2/3/51	HQ Letter to C.V.	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
304	2/2/51	N.Y. letter to HQ TELETYPE	1	0	Bufile 65-59312

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306	2/5/51	Civ. Letter to HQ	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
307	2/6/51	N.Y. SA memo to file CAPTIONED MAX ELITCHER	1	0	See NY 65-15348
307A	2/3/51	N.Y. verification info.	1	1	
308	2/6/51	LA report to HQ	2	0	Bufile 65-59312
309	2/10/51	N.F. Letter to HQ	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
310	2/13/51	AL report to HQ	2	0	Bufile 65-59312
311	2/9/51	HQ Lab report to O.C.	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
312	2/13/51	Civ. memo to N.Y.	1	1	
313	2/14/51	HQ Letter to N.Y. CAPTIONED MICHAEL SIDOROVICH	3	0	Bufile 65-59294
314	2/19/51	Another Gov't Agency memo to SAC	1	0	Referred to another Gov't Agency
315	2/14/51	HQ Letter to N.Y.	4	0	Bufile 65-59312

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317	2/15/51	Another Gov't Agency Memo to SAC	1	0	Referred to Another Gov't Agency
318	2/16/51	N.Y. report to HQ	59	0	Bufile 65-59312
319	2/16/51	N.Y. Letter to HQ	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
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321	2/13/51	NY SAC memo to Postmaster	1	1	
322	2/13/51	NY SAC memo to Postmaster	1	1	
323	2/13/51	P.B. Letter to HQ	4	0	Bufile 65-59312
324	2/17/51	NY Teletype to S.L.	1	1	
325	2/12/51	B.V. report to HQ	8	0	Bufile 65-59312
326	2/19/51	S.L. Teletype to HQ	2	0	Referred to Another Gov't Agency
327	2/19/51	NY Teletype to HQ CAPTIONED MICHAEL SIDOROVICH	1	0	Bufile 65-59294

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328 ^A	2/20/51	NY Memo to file	2	0	Referred to Another Gov't Agency
329	2/21/51	HQ Teletype to N.Y.	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
330	2/21/51	C.V. Teletype to HQ CAPTIONED MICHAEL SIDOROVICH	1	0	Bufile 65-59294
331	2/20/51	HQ Teletype to NY CAPTIONED MICHAEL SIDOROVICH	1	0	Bufile 65-59294
332	2/21/51	NY Letter to HQ	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
333	2/23/51	NY Teletype to HQ CAPTIONED JULIUS ROSENBERG	1	0	Bufile 65-58236
334	2/23/51	HQ T/T to NY	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
335	2/23/51	NY T/T to SL	1	0	Referred to Another Gov't Agency
335 ^A	2/24/51	S.D. report to	5	5	
336	2/26/51	SL Teletype to NY	2	0	Referred to another Gov't Agency
337	2/27/51	N.Y. Teletype to N.F.	2	0	Bufile 65-59312
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340	2/28/51	A.L. Letter to HQ	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
341	3/1/51	C.V. Teletype to HQ	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
342	3/2/51	N.F. Teletype to HQ	1	1	Being Processed Bufile 65-59312
342 ^A	3/1/51	C.V. Letter to HQ CAPTIONED JULIUS ROSENBERG	3	0	Bufile 65-58236
343	3/3/51	NY SA memo to file	1	1	
344	3/6/51	NY Teletype to HQ	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
345	3/5/51	NY memo to file	2	2	
346	3/5/51	NY memo to file	2	2	
347	3/5/51	NY memo to file	2	2	
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350	3/2/57	HQ Lab report to AL	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
351	3/5/57	C.V. Teletype to HQ	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
352	3/2/57	K.C. Teletype to N.Y.	2	0	Referred to Another Gov't Agency
353	3/5/57	NY Teletype to HQ SL. f2182 NT	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
354	3/6/57	N.Y. SA memo to file CAPTIONED JULIUS ROSENBERG	1	0	NY File 65-15348
355	3/6/57	N.Y. Teletype to HQ	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
356	3/5/57	N.F. report to HQ	4	0	Bufile 65-59312
356A	3/7/57	N.Y. SAC letter to BANK OFFICIAL	1	1	
357	3/7/57	N.Y. SA memo to file	2	2	
358	3/7/57	HQ Teletype to NY	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
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TITLE [REDACTED]			CHARACTER OF CASE ESPIONAGE - R

SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

ADMINISTRATIVE REPORT

Former employees of Consolidated Vultee interviewed for information regarding XP-81 with negative results.

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APPROPRIATE AGENCIES AND FIELD OFFICES ADVISED BY ROUTING SLIP(S) OF DATE 1/12/51

DETAILS:

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H. RICHARD ALEXANDER was interviewed on December 4, 1950 at the Stratos Corporation, 1307 Westwood Boulevard, West Los Angeles, California.

Mr. **ALEXANDER** advised he was transferred from Consolidated Vultee in Los Angeles to the Consolidated Vultee in San Diego in 1942. He said he had never performed any work on the XP-81 and was not acquainted with anyone by the name of **WILLIAM FERLO**. He stated to the best of his recollection **WILTON PARKER**, presently employed at Air Research, worked on the power plant group engineers of the XP-81 in 1944.

WILTON PARKER was interviewed at the Air Research Manufacturing Company, 9851 Sepulveda Boulevard and the following information was learned concerning his work on the XP-81:

He said he was a group leader working on the power plant of the XP-81 from January, 1944 until the time he resigned in September, 1945.

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PARKER advised that he was not acquainted with anyone by the name of WILLIAM FIKL and that he had not corresponded with any representative of NACA Laboratories at Cleveland, Ohio concerning the X-51 or any other airplanes.

PARKER stated that all correspondence was handled by ERICKL PRICE, Administrative Engineer, believed to be living in Fullerton, California and that the correspondence directed to NACA would have to be o.k.'d by PRICE. PARKER advised that he recalled that sometime in 1944 a group of NACA representatives visited Consolidated Vultee and were shown the X-51. PARKER could not recall the date or names of the persons or the details regarding this visit.

PARKER stated that Dr. EDWARD DUNHOLDEN, of Consolidated Vultee in San Diego, might possibly have information concerning the X-51. PARKER advised that PAUL V. ANDERSON, formerly with Consolidated Vultee, presently living at 807 West Huntington Drive, Arcadia, California, worked on the power plant of the X-51.

PAUL V. ANDERSON, of the above address, was interviewed on December 7, 1950 for details concerning the X-51 and it was determined that he was not acquainted with WILLIAM FIKL nor could he furnish any information regarding correspondence with NACA. ANDERSON advised that JOHN KIMBALL, 655 South Madro Avenue, Arcadia, California, might have possibly worked on the X-51.

Mr. JOHN KIMBALL, of the above address, was questioned and it was determined that he had not worked on this particular model.

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SAN DIEGO DIVISION

At San Diego, California: Will interview Dr. HOWARD DUNCLIFF as Consolidated Fultee for information regarding the XP-81.

At Fullerton, California: Will interview KICHEL PRIGS concerning any correspondence he might possess with NACA involving the XP-81.

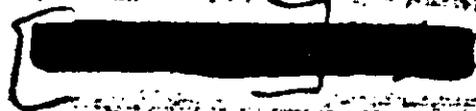
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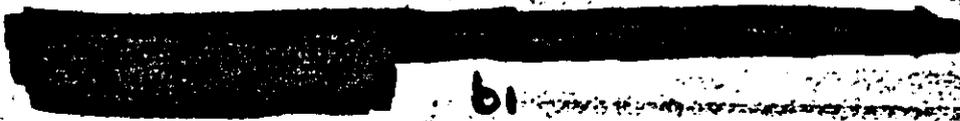
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VERIFICATION OF INFORMATION ON SECURITY INDEX CARD

MEMORANDUM

RE: *William Pearl Wa.*
esp. R - Bergury

This Office File *65-15387*
Byfile 65-059312

The following is the most recent residence address, place of employment and employment address of the above subject as contained on the subject's security index card.

Residence: *W. Cathedral Parkway*
~~*292*~~
Employment: *Physics Dept., Columbia U. (Same)*
Address: *N.Y.C.*
Remarks: *Oct 29*

It is requested that the residence address of the subject, place of employment and address of employment be verified and the proper notation be made below:

Residence: *104 East 38 St*
New York City
Employment: *Unemployed*
~~*Physics Dept Columbia University*~~
Address: ~~*New York City*~~
Verified by: *W. W. Coxioran*
Method of Verification: *Pending - Active investigation*
Date: *2-3-51*

The security index card on this subject should be revised if changes are noted above.

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Office Memorandum

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, New York

DATE: February 13, 1951

FROM : SAC, Cleveland

SUBJECT: WILLIAM PERL, was
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New York file 65-15387

Enclosed please find two copies of FBI Laboratory report dated February 9, 1951 and enclosure thereto, inadvertently directed to this office.

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Enclosures
REGISTERED MAIL
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Foley Square
New York 7, New York

February 13, 1951

Honorable Albert Goldman
Postmaster
U.S. Post Office
33rd St. & 8th Ave.
New York, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

In connection with an investigation being conducted by this Bureau, it is requested that a cover be placed on all mail, including special delivery and registered mail, of the following for a period of thirty days:

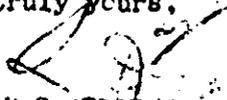
Mr. and or Mrs. William Perl
wa. Mutterperl
104 East 38th Street
New York City

return cards

tracings

Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,



EDWARD S. JELOT
Special Agent in Charge

MWC:JM

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607 U.S. Court House
Foley Square
New York 7, New York

February 11, 1951

Honorable Albert Goldman
Postmaster Office
33rd St. & 8th Ave.
New York, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

In connection with an investigation being conducted by this Bureau, it is requested that a cover be placed on all mail, including special delivery and registered mail, of the following for a period of thirty days:

All mail addressed to "utterperl
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at 936 - Tiffany Street
Bronx, New York

return cards

tracings

Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,

EDWARD SCHMIDT
Special Agent in Charge

MWC:JM

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

New York, NY
Feb. 17, 1951

Transmit the following Teletype message to:

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 COMPLETE BACKGROUND DATA INCLUDING PERIODS AND PLACES OF
 CAMP ASSIGNMENTS AND DATES OF LEAVES AND PLACES WHERE
 LOCATED DURING LEAVES FOR SAMUEL BENJAMIN PERL AKA MUTTERPERL,
 ASN ONE TWO ONE EIGHT NINE NINE SIX ONE. BOTH DEC. THIRTEEN,
 NINETEEN TWENTYTWO AT NYC. ENTERED SERVICE AS PRIVATE FROM
 NINE THREE SIX TIFFANY ST., BRONX, NY ON NOV. TWENTYSEVEN,
 NINETEEN FORTY TWO. RECEIVED HONORABLE DISCHARGE JAN. THIRTY,
 NINETEEN FORTYSIX AS PFC, FIFTY SIXTH FIGHTER CONTROL
 SQUADRON AT SEPARATION CENTER, FT. LEWIS, WASHINGTON.
 SAMUEL BENJAMIN PERL REPORTED IN ATTENDANCE WITH BROTHER,
 WILLIAM PERL, JULIUS ROSENBERG, MORTON SOBELL, ET AL, AT A
 DINNER PARTY IN NYC PROBABLY DURING FIRST WEEK OF SEPT.
 NINETEEN FORTY FOUR. EXPEDITE. SUTEL.

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CHARACTER OF CASE
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ADMINISTRATIVE

HAROLD POPE, Project Engineer, Convair, San Diego, states he made trip to NACA, Cleveland to discuss "flush ducts" early in development of XP-81 (Model 102). Check of POPE's expense accounts reflects only trip to Cleveland during 1944 was on July 2, 1944 "to discuss test results applicable to Model 102 with NACA personnel". Other interviews with former Vultee employees negative.

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APPROPRIATE AGENCIES AND FIELD OFFICES ADVISED BY ROUTING SLIP(S) OF DATE *2/27/51*

DETAILS: AT SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA

Dr. HOWARD DUNHOLTER, 10831 Melba Drive, Mt. Helix, La Mesa, California, of the Thermal Dynamics Division, Engineering Department, Consolidated Vultee Aircraft Corporation, San Diego, California, stated that he could recall no correspondence or conferences he had had with NACA, Cleveland regarding the XP-81 airplane, and advised that WILLIAM PERL is unknown to him personally or by name.

Mr. EXCELL B. PRICE, 500 Mountain View Road, Fullerton, California, advised SA EDWARD J. KIRBY that he had been Administrative Supervisor at the Vultee Field Division of Convair at Downey, California during the War and said he recalled no correspondence relating to the XP-81 to the NACA in

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Cleveland, Ohio. He also said that the name WILLIAM BENT was unfamiliar to him, but furnished the name of a former Army Captain DON W. TUTTLE, who was the Project Officer for the Army at Wright Field, Dayton, Ohio, and who is now employed by Convair at San Diego, California. He said that HAROLD POPE, now associated with Convair, San Diego, also worked on the XP-81.

DON W. TUTTLE, 3658 Dudley, San Diego, California, stated that he could not definitely recall any correspondence on the XP-81 emanating from him to the NACA at Cleveland during the time that he was at Wright Field, Dayton, Ohio. He said, however, that there could have been such correspondence and that if any correspondence existed it would have been directed to the Army Liaison Officer at the NACA in Cleveland, and that the files of the Army Liaison Office at NACA should reflect any such correspondence.

HAROLD W. POPE, Gardena Road, Wintergarden, California, who is presently a Project Engineer at Convair, San Diego, stated that during 1944 he was either Chief of Dynamics or working in the Aero-Dynamics Division at Vultas in Downey, California. He said that he recalled that early in the development of the XP-81 Project, he believed during March or April, 1944, that he had, during a trip East on other matters, made a side trip to the NACA at Cleveland at the request of RALPH SCHICK, in order to discuss some unknown problem in connection with the XP-81 airplane. He said he believed the problem was in connection with "flush ducts" but said he could not be sure.

POPE said he definitely recalled that he stayed at the Hotel Cleveland in Cleveland, Ohio, and that when he entered the NACA Laboratory he had to sign a visitor's registration book.

During the time that he was in the NACA Laboratory he was accompanied by the Army Liaison Officer, whom he remembered to be either a Major or a Colonel, name unknown, who possessed a handlebar mustache, and had formerly been in charge of power plant work at Wright Field, Dayton, Ohio.

POPE recalled definitely that he had discussed the problem with ABE SILVERSTONE and that 3 other men, including the Army Liaison Officer, had been in the room at the time. Mr. POPE said he was unable to recall the names or descriptions of the other men and said that he did not recall ever hearing the name WILLIAM PERE before.

Mr. POPE said that at the time of his visit to NACA, Cleveland, he believes they were either getting ready to run or were already running a series of tests in their windtunnel on the jet engine on the P-59 airplane, and said he seemed to recall that the problem which he discussed with SILVERSTONE was in connection with "flush ducts".

POPE said he also faintly recalled that SILVERSTONE or one of the other men present made a remark, "What in hell do you want flush ducts for?" POPE said that such a remark would then call for a general description of the XP-81 and the fact that air intake for the second engine could not be achieved through the nose of the plane, and would necessarily involve air ducts along the fuselage.

Mr. RALPH SCHICK, Consolidated Vultee Aircraft Corporation, was reinterviewed concerning his knowledge of POPE's visit and advised that he now recalled that POPE had been requested to make such a visit to the NACA Laboratory in Cleveland, but was unable to remember what the problem involved was. He said, however, that the problem of air ducts did present a large problem in the development of the XP-81 and that that possibly could have been the reason for the visit made by POPE.

Mrs. SELMA KOSANKE, General Accounting Office, Consolidated Vultee Aircraft Corporation, San Diego, California, made available HAROLD W. POPE's expense accounts for the year 1944. A careful review of these expense accounts reflected that POPE had visited Cleveland only once during the year of 1944 and that on that occasion he arrived in Cleveland on July 2, 1944, stayed at the Hotel Cleveland, and left Cleveland on July 3, 1944. The purpose of his trip as reflected on his expense account was "to discuss test results applicable to Model 102 with NACA personnel". The expense account further reflected that POPE had previously been to Schenectady, New York, to discuss vibration test equipment for the B-36 with the General

Electric Corporation, and had stopped at Detroit and Dayton, Ohio to outline a test program and to report the results of an H-36 conference to the Wright Field Project Office at Dayton, Ohio.

In view of the fact that POPP's visit to the NACA Laboratory occurred subsequent to May 15, 1944, it is not believed to be pertinent to this case.

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CLEVELAND

At Cleveland, Ohio

Will consider the advisability of examining the Visitor's Register at NACA for names of visitors during the first six months of 1941. You might have been connected with Consolidated Vultee.

Will also consider the examination of the records of the Army Liaison Office for correspondence relating to the XP-81 airplane.

Will consider identifying the Major or Colonel described in this report by POPE, who was the Liaison Officer at NACA, Cleveland, during the pertinent period, and interview him concerning information about the XP-81 which might have come to the attention of WILLIAM PERL.

REFERENCE:

Report of SA GILMER G. ROBINSON, dated January 9, 1951, at Los Angeles.

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 MR. WOLF
 MR. [unclear]
 TRAINING UNIT
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WILLIAM PERL, WA., ESPIONAGE, R. INVESTIGATION REFLECTS SUBJECT ROOMED

AT ONE NINE SEVEN MELROSE AVE., LOCATED SUBURBS HAMPTON, VA., FROM JAN.,

FORTY TO APRIL, FORTY ONE, WHEN HE OBTAINED ROOM IN PRIVATE HOME OF

CHARLES WELCH LOCATED ON HAMPTON INSTITUTE GROUNDS, SUBURBS OF HAMPTON.

MRS. HENRY CURTIS, FORMERLY OF ONE NINE SEVEN MELROSE AVE., WIDOW OF

DECEASED POLICE CHIEF, RECALLED SUBJECT AND STATED SUBJECT NEVER HAD

ANY VISITORS DURING PERTINENT PERIOD. MRS. CHARLES WELCH STATES SUBJECT

HAD VISITORS BUT COULD NOT IDENTIFY SOBELL AS EVER HAVING VISITED SUBJECT

SHE STATES NO VISITORS OF SUBJECT EVER STAYED OVERNIGHT. MRS. WELCH

STATES SHE HAS NOTATIONS IN OLD RECORDS SHOWING SUBJECT PAID FOR ROOM

BY CHECK ON TWO OCCASIONS AND BELIEVES CHECKS WERE ON A LOCAL BANK.

ALL BANKS IN HAMPTON, PHOEBUS, AND NEWPORT NEWS, VA., FAILED TO REFLECT

ANY ACCOUNT OR LOCK BOX IN SUBJECTS NAME. INVESTIGATION AT NACA, LANGLEY

AFB, VA., REFLECTS JACK N. NIELSEN, NOW AT AMES LAB, NACA, MOFFET FIELD,

CALIF., WAS CO-WORKER AND VERY CLOSE FRIEND OF PERL. MRS. CURTIS

ADVISED KEITH E. COXE ROOMED AT HER HOME AT SAME TIME THAT SUBJECT

ROOMED THERE. COXE, WHOSE HOME ADDRESS IN NINETEEN FORTY THREE WAS

BOX FIVE SEVEN THREE, WEBSTER, S. DAK., IS NOW BELIEVED TO BE

EMPLOYED AT NACA, CLEVELAND. NO LEADS SET OUT. REPORT FOLLOWS. (11)

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Memo -

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March 3, 1951

WILLIAM PERL
ESPIONAGE - R

Joseph and Anna Blum, 79-23 209th Street, Flushing, Long Island, New York, were interviewed at their home by the writer on Saturday, March 3, 1951.

Mr. and Mrs. Blum could not recall whether or not William Perl, Mrs. Blum's brother, was in New York during the Christmas season of 1949. They could not recall where Perl was in September, 1944 or during the Christmas season of 1946. They stated that they never heard of the Blue Mill in Greenwich Village or The Bird in Hand Restaurant on Broadway. Mrs. Blum stated that her brother William Perl was a very studious type man and that he never made it a practise to go to parties.

The letter dated Aug. 8, 1944 addressed to "Dear Joe, and Anne," and signed "Willy" which refers to two check vouchers was exhibited to Mr. and Mrs. Blum. This letter was among those that Mrs. Blum had previously loaned to the New York Office. Mr. Blum stated that he recalls that Perl had maintained two accounts in the South Brooklyn Savings and Loan Association and had sent money to him, Blum, for periodic deposits in these accounts. At the time this letter was received, Perl was preparing to be married and desired to close out the accounts. Blum stated that he believes that he sent withdrawal slips to Perl and the vouchers mentioned in the above letter were the withdrawal slips made out. Blum stated that he recalls closing out the accounts for Perl and believes that he received a check covering the balances in the two accounts. Mrs. Blum estimated that the total amount involved was about \$700.00.

Mrs. Blum stated that Perl never sent any money to her or her husband to hold for him and as a matter of fact he never sent any money which they deposited in a bank. Mrs. Blum stated that she was well acquainted with her mother's finances and knows that William Perl sent money to her mother for her care and was very generous giving about \$20.00 a month. However, he never sent money to her mother that was deposited in a bank.

It is suggested that the South Brooklyn Savings and Loan Association, Willoughby and Jay Streets, Brooklyn, the location of which was furnished by Mr. Blum, and a record of the accounts of William Perl be examined. Furthermore, determine if a bank check was issued in the name of William Perl, or Mutterperl at the time these two accounts were closed. If so the examination of such a check may reveal an account of Perl in which this check was deposited from the bank stamp that will appear on the reverse side of the check.

HAROLD F. GOOD
SPECIAL AGENT (A)

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S. C. [Signature]

*Copy of [unclear]
Blum Tel file
with Brooklyn Savings & Loan
Assoc. of [unclear] Willoughby
mass of [unclear] 5-6-51*

Memo. William Perl

Exp. - R

On 11/21/49 Sarah Mutterperl withdrew \$2500.00 from her thrift a/c at the Public National Bank, 982 So. Blvd. At this time she was issued an official Ch # 2615 of by this bank. On same day she endorsed & deposited this Ch in her savings a/c # 570 962 at the Harlem Savings Bank, 125 St + Lexington Ave, N.Y.C.

On 11/28/50 the writer contacted [redacted] F2 b
[redacted] Harlem Savings Bank, 125 St + Lexington Ave. She reviewed the open & closed a/c's at this bank for a record of any a/c for Wm, Sarah, Abraham, Samuel & Henrietta Perl (also as Mutterperl) also for Anne Blum. (b)(7)(D)

She located an a/c # 570 962 in name of Sarah Mutterperl in trust for Anne Blum. which was opened 3/21/41. Following record of activity including interest entries

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Date	Withdrawals	Deposits	Balance
1941			
3/21		428.34	
6/16	Cash	195.-	
10/13	Cash	116.-	
11/3	40 - check 60 - Cash	100.-	
1946			
1/9	23 - Cash 77 - Check	100.-	
1949			
11/21	2,500 - check	2,700.-	
1950			
12/13	Transferred to a/c # 637 032	3,700.17	
March 19		3500.-	

A/c # 637 032 is a joint savings a/c in the name of Sarah Mutterperl or Anne Blum. Balance in this a/c as of Feb. 28, 1951 \$ 3,737.17

[redacted] advised that prior to 1:40 Sarah Mutterperl had maintained a/c # 565 605. The records can be obtained if necessary. (b)(7)(D)

A. Blum's address was listed as being 79-23 209 St. Fushing L.I. Born Poland 9/23/10.

Edward J. Cahill (a/c)

Memo William Perl
Esp. - R.

Information was previously received from [redacted] Irving Savings Bank Broadway at 111 St. that on 12/19/50 subject had deposited a check in the amount \$200.- at this bank. Baker advised this was a personal check of Wm Perl drawn on the National City Bank of N.Y. City. (b)(7)(D)

[redacted] National City Bank of N.Y. 111 St. Broadway, advised that Wm Perl maintained a special checking a/c at this branch. He made available the following info furnished by Perl. (b)(7)(D)

On 9/20/50 application was made at this branch for a special checking a/c in the name of Wm Perl, Box 55, Puppis, Columbia University. He advised that he was a new instructor at Columbia Un. As bank ref he furnished the name of the Central National Bank, Local, West 117 St Branch, Cleveland, Ohio. Perl exhibited operator lic. NY 53/3.141: 8/22/47 expires 7/30/48. Ohio op. lic. 254 9356. The initial deposit was a check drawn on the Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland (F-1) for \$280.35 of this \$150.- Cash was given to Perl by the balance of \$130.35 deposited at this branch. (b)(7)(D)

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By letter dated 9/27/50 the Central National Bank of Cleveland, Ohio advised that Pearl had maintained a ^{Checking} a/c with them since 1948 but a/c was closed in Sept. 1950.

On Sept 25, 1950 the 111st. Nat. City Bank received as a collection \$1,389.36 from the Central National Bank of Cleveland of this amt \$1,388.61 was credited to Wm Pearl a/c.

Work paper placed in exhibits

Edward J. Cahill S. del

Memo William Pearl
Espionage - R

Following the results of investigation conducted at the Public National Bank & Trust Co., 982 Southern Blvd. Bronx, N.Y. into the a/c of Sarah Mutterper by S.A. Edward J. Cahill his information was obtained on the usual Confidential basis & should not be made public except in the usual proceedings following the issuance of a subpoena duces tecum.

[REDACTED] Public Nat Bank, 37 Broad St. advised that Sarah Mutterper maintains a thrift (savings) a/c at the bank's branch at 982 So. Blvd. Bronx. He was unable to locate a record of any open or closed a/c for (b)(7)(D)

William, Abraham, Samuel, Henrietta Mutterper or Pearl

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Public Nat. Bank, 982

So/ Blvd made available the ledger cards for this a/c
#18711 in name of Sarah Mutterperl, 934 Taffey St,
Bronx. When this a/c was opened on 3/18/41 Customer
advised she had been born in Russia & was 53 yrs of age.
At this time her address was 834 Beck St, apt 8. (b)(7)(D)

Attached is a complete listing of withdrawals
from or deposits to this a/c from date of opening.
Writer examined several deposit tickets & info
contained on these slips has been noted on the
Agent's work papers. No further examination will
be conducted at this time.

Work papers placed in exhibit

Edward J Cahill

LV 9-3141

Memo William Perl, Exp - R

On 2/25/51 writer contacted [redacted] [redacted], Dollar Savings Bank, 1046 Southton Blvd, Bronx for information concerning bank accounts for William, Samuel, Sarah, Abraham & Perl also as Mutterperl. [redacted] searched both open & closed savings a/c and the results of his search are set forth on attached worksheets.

(b)(7)(D)

Worksheets placed exhibits

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Edward J. Carroll SAA

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Memo:

William Perl
Esp - R

Re Cleveland letter to N.Y., 10/20/56

On 2/28/51 writer contacted [redacted] Irving Savings Bank, Broadway at 111 St for info. Concerning the a/c of William Perl [redacted] made the ledger card pertaining to the savings a/c of William Perl available & also caused an examination to be made of the photographs in film on which the various C's deposited by W. Perl were recorded. The results of this examination is set forth on attached work papers. Signature Card for this savings account lists Perl's address as 610 W 110 St Apt P.H. 5, Occupation Physicist. Born 10/1/98 N.Y.C. (b)(7)(D)

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Edward J. Cahill SA(0)

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Foley Square
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March 7, 1951

The National City Bank of New York
55 Wall Street
New York 5, New York

Gentlemen: Attention of [REDACTED] b7D

In connection with an official investigation being conducted by this office, it is requested that you make available to Special Agent Harold F. Wood all records relative to the following account:

William Perl

It is requested that your depositor not be notified of this inquiry and the information furnished by you will not be disclosed to any unauthorized persons without the use of a subpoena duces tecum directed to your bank.

Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,


EDWARD SCHEIDT
Special Agent in Charge

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March 7, 1951

Memo

Re: William Perl, wa.
Espionage R-

On March 6, 1951, AUSA Roy Cohn held a conference with Atty Raymond L. Wise, and the subject in Room 119. Conference was attended by AUSA, Cohn, Kilsheimer, Foley, & Blinder and SA R. A. Mucken & the writer were requested to be present.

During this conference, Cohn advised Wise and Perl that purpose of conference was to obtain from Perl any available info. re. Julius Rosenberg since latter's trial started this date. Perl made no pertinent disclosures. However, Perl did state that he had previously lied to JBD agents and to the F.B.I. S.D.N.Y. In response to Cohn's inquiry as to what he lied about specifically, Perl

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replied that he had minimized his
assurances with Bear & Sarah. Colin
asked the reason for his lies and he stated
in effect that he thought they were a couple
of red hot spies. In response to Colin's
further question as to why he thought they were
spies he said he believed this must be so
since the FBI was so interested in them.

It is noted Perl admitted about info to
Sarah and Bear to SAs. further and writes
on 8-17-50.

For info, re \$5000 withdrawal from Perl's
account at Irving Savings Bank, Wien stated
to Colin during above conference that he had
received "substantial fee" so returned.

No further appointments for additional conference
made.

—M. L. Brennan
S.A.

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360	3/10/51	NY Report to HQ	82	-	See HQ file 65-59294
361	3/10/51	NY letter to HQ	2	-	See Bufile 65-59312
362	3/8/51	NY teletype to HQ	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
363	3/8/51	NY teletype to HQ	3	-	See Bufile 65-59312
364	3/10/51	NY letter to HQ	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
365	3/10/51	NY teletype to HQ + CV	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
366	3/5/51	SL Report to HQ	4	-	See Bufile 65-59312
367	3/8/51	KC Report to HQ	4	-	See Bufile 65-59312
368	3/12/51	NY teletype to HQ	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
369	3/12/51	SA Memo for File	1	1	
370	3/12/51	NY teletype to HQ	3	-	See Bufile 65-59312
371	3/13/51	SA Memo for File	1	1	

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372	3/13/51	NY teletype to HQ	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
373	3/13/51	NY letter to Postmaster, NY	1	1	
374	3/13/51	NY letter to Postmaster, NY	1	1	
375	3/13/51	HQ teletype to NY	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
376	3/13/51	WFO teletype to HQ + NY	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
377	3/13/51	NY letter to HQ	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
378	3/13/51	AL Report to HQ	3	-	See Bufile 65-59312
379	3/14/51	HQ teletype to NY	3	-	See Bufile 65-59312
380	3/14/51	NY teletype to HQ	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
381	3/14/51	HQ teletype to NY	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
382	3/14/51	SA Memo for File	1	1	
383	3/13/51	DE Report to HQ	3	-	See Bufile 65-59312

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384	3/14/51	HQ letter to CV	2	-	See Bufile 65-59312
385	3/14/51	HQ Lab Report to NY	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
386	3/15/51	NY teletype to CV	1	1	
387	3/15/51	SA Memo for File	1	1	
388	3/15/51	NY teletype to HQ & CV	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
388a	3/15/51	NY teletype to HQ + CV	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
389	3/15/51	SA Memo for File	5	5	
390	3/15/51	CV teletype to HQ & NY	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
391	3/12/51	SE Report to HQ	3	-	See Bufile 65-59312
392	3/15/51	NY Postmaster to NY	1	-	Referred to another agency
393	3/15/51	NY Postmaster to NY	1	-	Referred to another agency
394	3/15/51	HQ teletype to CV and SF	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312

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395	3/15/51	SA Memo for File	1	1	
396	3/16/51	Complaint Form	2	2	
397	3/16/51	SA Memo for File	1	1	
398	3/16/51	SA Memo for File	1	1	
399	3/16/51	SL teletype to HQ & NY	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
400	3/16/51	CV teletype to NY	1	1	See Bufile 65-59312
401	3/16/51	HQ teletype to NY	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
402	3/15/51	CV teletype to HQ	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
403	3/17/51	SF teletype to HQ, CV, and NY	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
404	3/17/51	SF teletype to HQ and NY	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
405	3/17/51	NY teletype to HQ and NF	2	-	See Bufile 65-59312-274
406	3/17/51	CV teletype to HQ, NY, and RH	2	-	See Bufile 65-59312

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407	3/17/51	SA Memo for File	1	1	
408	3/17/51	KX letter to CV	2	2	
409	3/19/51	CV teletype to HQ and NY	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
410	3/19/51	SA Memo for File	2	2	
411	3/19/51	RH teletype to HQ and NY	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
412	3/19/51	WFO teletype to HQ and LA	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
413	3/20/51	LA teletype to HQ, WFO, and NY	2	-	See Bufile 65-59312
414	3/21/51	NF teletype to HQ, NY, and WFO	2	-	See Bufile 65-59312
415	3/20/51	DE letter to HQ	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
416	3/22/51	CV teletype to HQ and NY	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
417	3/19/51	NY teletype to HQ and CV	1	-	see Bufile 65-59302
418	3/20/51	HQ letter to DE	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312

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419	3/20/51	HQ letter to NY	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
420	3/22/51	NY letter to HQ	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
421	3/22/51	NY teletype to HQ and PH	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
422	3/22/51	NY teletype to HQ and LA	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
423	3/22/51	NY teletype to HQ and NF	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
424	3/21/51	NF teletype to CI, CV and LA	2	2	^{10/20/83} See Bufile 65-59312 Process
425	3/21/51	KX Report to HQ	4	-	See Bufile 65-59312
426	3/23/51	SA Memo for File Re: Julius Rosenberg	6	-	see NY file 65-15348
427	3/23/51	PH teletype to HQ and NY	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
428	3/23/51	CI teletype to NY, NF, and WFO	2	2	See Bufile 65-59312 Process
429	3/23/51	NF teletype to HQ and NY	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
430	3/23/51	LA teletype to HQ and NY	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312

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431	3/22/51	NF Report to HQ	10	-	See Bufile 65-59312
432	3/26/51	NY teletype to HQ and WFO	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
433	3/26/51	NY teletype to HQ and CV	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
434	3/21/51	SF Report to HQ	3	-	See Bufile 65-59312
435	3/27/51	NY letter to HQ Re: Joel Barr	3	-	see NYfile 65-15348
436	3/28/51	NY letter to HQ	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
437	3/28/51	NY teletype to HQ	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
438	3/27/51	CV Report to HQ	32	31	See Bufile 65-59312 Process
439a	3/28/51	HQ letter to LA	3	-	See Bufile 65-59312
439	3/29/51	HQ letter to PH	2	-	See Bufile 65-59312
439a	3/29/51	NY letter to National City Bank	1	1	
440	3/28/51	RH Report to HQ	2	-	See Bufile 65-59312

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441	3/27/51	Identification Record	2	2	
442	3/30/51	NY letter to HQ	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
443	3/30/51	NY teletype to HQ	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
444	3/30/51	SA Memo for File	1	1	
445	3/23/51	NF Report to HQ	4	-	See Bufile 65-59312
446	4/2/51	NY teletype to CG	1	1	
446a	4/2/51	NY letter to HQ	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
447	4/2/51	NY teletype to HQ and WFO	3	3	129 p's Process See Bufile 65-59312
448	4/2/51	HQ letter to all Field Offices	2	2	
449	4/2/51	HQ letter to NY	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
450	4/2/51	HQ letter to NY	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
451	3/31/51	BA Report to HQ	4	-	See Bufile 65-59312

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453	4/2/51	HQ letter to KX	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
454	4/4/51	CV teletype to HQ and NY	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
455	4/4/51	WFO Report to HQ	9	-	See Bufile 65-59312
456	4/5/51	HQ teletype to NY	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
457	4/5/51	WFO teletype to HQ and NY	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
458	4/5/51	NY teletype to HQ Re: Julius Rosenberg	10	-	see Bufile 65-58236
459	4/5/51	NY Memo for File Re: Max and Helene Elitcher	8	-	see NY file 65-14873
460	4/6/51	SA Memo for File	1	1	
461	4/6/51	NY teletype to HQ	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
462	4/6/51	NY teletype to HQ, WFO, LA, CV, AL, CG, and DE captioned Julius Rosenberg	3	-	see NBufile 65-58236
462a	4/6/51	SA Memo for File duplicate of serial 460	1	1	

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463	4/6/51	HQ letter to NY	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
464	4/9/51	WFO teletype to HQ and NY	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
465	4/7/51	NY letter to HQ	1	1	^{7/2/82} See Bufile 65-59312 Process
466	4/9/51	NY teletype to HQ	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
467	4/7/51	NY teletype to HQ and CV	1	-	^{4/12/82} ^{9/1/82} See Bufile 65-59312 ³¹⁸
468	4/10/51	SA Memo for File Re: Julius Rosenberg	1	-	see NYfile 65-15348
469	4/11/51	NY teletype to HQ, DE, SF, CV, and LA Re: Julius Rosenberg	7	-	see Bufile 65-58236
470	4/12/51	LA teletype to HQ and NY	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
471	4/13/51	NY Memo for File	4	4	
472	4/11/51	SL letter to HQ	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
473	4/13/51	NY letter to Postmaster, NY	1	1	
473a	4/13/51	NY letter to Postmaster, NY	1	1	

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475	4/14/51	HQ teletype to NY	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
476	4/12/51	CV letter to HQ	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
477	4/9/51	LA Report to HQ	6	-	See Bufile 65-59312
477a	4/16/51	NY teletype to HQ	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
478	4/14/51	WFO letter to HQ	2	-	See Bufile 65-59312
478a	4/7/51	PH letter to HQ	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
479	4/17/51	NY teletype to HQ	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
480	4/16/51	HQ letter to SF	2	-	See Bufile 65-59312
481	4/16/51	HQ letter to NY	2	-	See Bufile 65-59312
482	4/16/51	HQ letter to NY	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
483	4/17/51	CG Report to HQ	29	-	See Bufile 65-59312

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484	4/18/51	WFO Report to HQ	5	-	See Bufile 65-59312
485	4/16/51	Postmaster, NY letter to NY	1	-	Referred to another agency
486	4/16/51	Postmaster, NY letter to NY	1	-	Referred to another agency
487	4/17/51	SA Memo for File Re: Julius Rosenberg	1	-	See NY file 65-15348
488	4/20/51	CV letter to HQ	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
489	4/20/51	KX letter to CV	1	1	
490	4/20/51	WFO Report to HQ	4	-	See Bufile 65-59312
491	4/21/51	MP Report to HQ	2	-	See Bufile 65-59312
492	4/24/51	SA memo for File	1	1	
493	4/24/51	NH letter to HQ	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
494	4/24/51	KX letter to HQ	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
495	4/23/51	DE Report to HQ	4	-	See Bufile 65-59312

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March 12, 1951

MEMO:

RE: William Perl, wa
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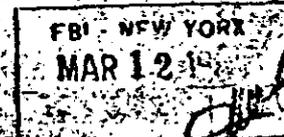
On Sunday night March 11, 1951 at 9 P.M., Walter Winchell during his regular broadcast over Radio Station WJZ made the following comment which apparently refers to the subject of this case.

"A source very close to Columbia University told me this tonight - that a top scientist at Columbia University is in very great trouble with the Federal Grand Jury investigating espionage. The explosion will rock 'em any day."

M.W. CORCORAN, SA

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MWC:



**Federal Bureau of Investigation
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March 13, 1951

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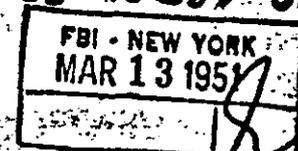
RE: WILLIAM PERL
ESP-R

I called Mr. Brannigan of the Bureau at 1:30 P.M. and advised him a true bill had been voted by the Federal Grand Jury against WILLIAM PERL charging him with violation of Title 18, Section 1621, U.S. Code on four counts. The indictment had been sealed and it was initially planned by the U.S. Attorney's Office to unseal it on Saturday 3/17/51.

While talking with Mr. Brannigan I requested that the Bureau expedite the review of the prosecutive summary report of SA Richard A. Minihan and authorize furnishing copies to the U.S. Attorney as soon as possible.

ROBERT R. GRANVILLE, SA

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607 U.S. Court House
Foley Square
New York 7, New York

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March 13, 1951

Honorable Albert Goldman
Postmaster
U.S. Post Office
33rd St. & 8th Ave.
New York, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

In connection with an investigation being conducted by this Bureau, it is requested that a cover be ~~placed~~ on all mail, including special delivery and registered mail, of the following for a period of thirty days:

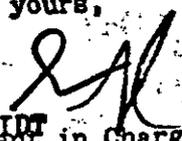
All mail addressed to Mutterperl
or Perl
at 936 Tiffany Street
Bronx, New York

return cards

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Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,


EDWARD SCHEIDT
Special Agent in Charge

MWC: JH 


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607 U.S. Court House
Foley Square
New York 7, New York

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March 13, 1951

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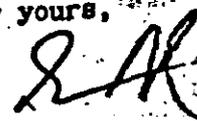
Mr. and or Mrs. William Perl
wa. Mutterperl
104 East 38th Street
New York City

return cards

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Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,


Special Agent in Charge

SAC Letter dated 3/3/51

Re: SECURITY INDEX SUBJECTS

William Paul

"In every case involving a subject maintained in the Special Section in the espionage category where a summary for distribution has not been prepared, a summary report suitable for distribution must be submitted to the Bureau within 30 days of the receipt of this letter. In any case involving a double agent operation, these summaries should stress, where possible, a basis other than the espionage activity of the subject for inclusion in the Regular Section of the Security Index. For example, if a collateral subject in a double agent operation, who is maintained in the Special Section under the espionage category because his apprehension would destroy the effectiveness of the double agent operation, has a record of C.P. membership which in itself would justify his inclusion in the Security Index, such C.P. membership should be stressed in the report prepared for ultimate distribution. If the sole basis for inclusion in the Security Index is collaboration with espionage agents, this should be set forth concisely, appropriately concealing the source of information and informants.

"Regardless of the number of reports covering the investigation of a subject in the espionage category which are prepared subsequent to the above summary and which are not intended for distribution should, after the preparation of the summary requested above, be prepared each six months during such time as the subject remains in the Special Section."

ROBERT R. GRANVILLE, SA

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

NEW YORK, N.Y.
MARCH 15, 1951

Transmit the following Teletype message to:

CLEVELAND....URGENT

WILLIAM PERL, AKA, ESP-R. RE CLEVELAND TEL MARCH FIVE AND BULET FEB.
FOURTEEN LAST. ADVISE DATE PERL OPENED HIS ACCT AT CLEVELAND TRUST CO.
IN EVENT CLEVELAND ACCT WAS NOT OPENED DURING NINETEEN FORTYFOUR ADVISE
IF ANY INFO IS AVAILABLE WHICH WOULD BE OF ASSISTANCE IN LOCATING OTHER
ACCTS FOR SUBJECT, ESPECIALLY FOR PERIOD COVERING FORTYFOUR. IN EVENT NO
INFO AVAILABLE NY WILL REQUEST REVIEW OF HIS GOVT SALARY CHECKS. SUTEL.

Just

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SCHEIDT

- ___ MR. SCHEIDT
- ___ MR. WHELAN
- ___ MR. HARGETT
- ___ MR. COLLIER
- ___ MR. GILLSPIE
- ___ MR. GRANVILLE
- ___ MR. HEALY
- ___ MR. LEVVIS
- ___ MR. MARCHESSAULT
- ___ MR. McANDREWS
- ___ NIGHT SUPERVISOR
- ___ MR. RAGAN
- ___ MR. SULLIVAN
- ___ MR. WALEH
- ___ MR. WOHL
- ___ CHIEF CLERK
- ___ PROPERTY CLERK
- ___ TRAINING UNIT

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Approved: _____
Special Agent in Charge

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Federal Bureau of Investigation
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March 15, 1951

MEMO

RE: WILLIAM PERL
ESP-R

Rebutel instant case 9:32 P.M., 3/14/51.

At 9:45 P.M. 3/14/51 I called the U.S. Attorney and asked him if the U.S. Attorney's Office had any objection to an immediate interview of ANNE and MICHAEL SIDOROVICH following a public announcement of the arrest of PERL.

Mr. Saypol advised there was no objection to this and I accordingly advised Mr. Moynihan of the Bureau at 9:50 P.M. and told him I would telephonically inform the Cleveland Office of this fact so that they could be guided accordingly and interview the SIDOROVICHES at their discretion.

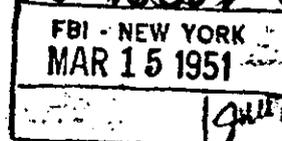
Mr. Moynihan called back at 10:00 P.M. and stated the above was satisfactory with the Bureau and at 10:10 P.M., I spoke with SA O'Donoghue of Cleveland, referred to Bureau teletype of 9:32 P.M. in the PERL case and told him the U.S. Attorney's Office had no objection to an interview with the SIDOROVICHES following the public announcement of the arrest of PERL.

I explained to Mr. O'Donoghue ^{Cleveland} that in all probability they would want to wait until March 15th to interview the SIDOROVICHES but that they could use their own discretion as to when they felt would be the most psychological time for the approach.

I requested Cleveland to keep us advised.

ROBERT R. GRANVILLE, SA

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Memo.

Re: William Paul wa.
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Reference Exhibit file, Serial 1B48, which contains 67 pieces of correspondence of Hennietta Sawidge Paul which was obtained during the search of subject's apartment 2A, 104 E 38 St, NYC, incidental to his arrest on March 14, 1951.

A review of this material has revealed nothing of immediate interest to instant case although same is being retained for possible future use.

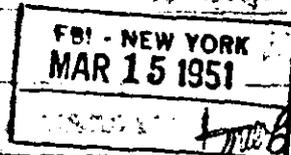
The following correspondents are named in the above letters.

David Sawidge

2450 Rinconia Drive

Hollywood 26, California

From the context of his letters,



it appears David Savidge is Hennetta's brother.

Richard J. Savidge

2947 North Murray Ave.

Milwaukee, Wisconsin

From the context it appears, he is Hennetta's brother. His wife's name is Bloyce Savidge.

Nancy McGuire

264 No. Main St.

Romeo Michigan.

From the context, it appears she is a very close friend of Hennetta.

Doris Whitaker

244 West 10 St.

New York City, NY.

From the context, it appears she is a close friend of Hennetta who was a witness at her marriage to subject.

Ms. & Mrs. Fred C Rodewald
North Greenbush Road.
West Nyack, N.Y.

From the context, it appears that Mrs. Rodewald may be a sister of Henrietta's. However, it is noted that Fred C Rodewald in 1947 was using a letterhead as follows: Fred C Rodewald Associates, Advertising Art, 41 W 46 St, N.Y.C. It is further noted that Henrietta Paul is a commercial artist.

Miss Katherine Maclean
401 19 St.
Santa Monica, Calif.

From the context, it appears she is a friend of Henrietta's.

Jack G. Day
Attorney
526-28 Standard Bldg.
Cleveland 13 Ohio.

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Telephone Main 8235

From the contact, it appears he was the attorney who was handling Pele's "Common-law" divorce from Hennetta, prior to their marriage in October, 1950.

Mrs. Ruth M^c Candless

375 So. San Rafael Ave.

Pasadena 2, California

From contact, it appears she is a close friend of Hennetta's. It is noted she has been interviewed by Los Angeles Office in instant case.

Inasmuch as a review of the correspondence from the above listed persons reveals that they are members of the Soudge family and friends of Hennetta's who have not figured in instant investigation with the exception of Mrs. Ruth M^c Candless who has already been interviewed, no further action is being taken concerning them at the

present time. A review of the indices concerning them revealed no pertinent info.

MW Coxon
SA.

Note - Re 1B48(a) - the telephone book of Henselta Swidge - a review of names listed therein revealed nothing pertinent to this investigation at this time. These names have been indexed in this office - The telephone book is returned. Indices check re same negative. *awb.*

Federal Bureau of Investigation
United States Department of Justice

March 15, 1951

MEMO

RE: WILLIAM PERL
ESP-R; PERJURY

Reference is made to newspaper articles contained in March 15th issue of "New York Daily Mirror," the "New York Post" and the "New York Journal American" which stated in substance that during search of subject's apartment during 3/14/51, same was left by agents in a disorderly state.

It was noted by the undersigned agents upon entrance to the apartment that it was filled with numerous books, magazines, pamphlets and pencil and paint sketches. The immediate impression was one of overcrowding and disorder. As a result of this the agents conducting the search were particularly careful to replace the material searched in its original position. When the search centered on the closet located in the living room, everything was removed and searched. This material consisted mainly of boxes and suitcases containing clothing.

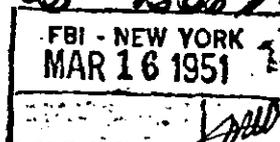
At the conclusion of the search of this closet the agents had replaced the bulk of this material in its original position in the closet and there remained on the living room floor three or four small suitcases and two or three cardboard boxes.

At this point Mrs. PERL requested that agents discontinue placing the material in the closet inasmuch as she desired to rearrange and clean the closet. SA Tully stated that the agents would replace all of this material; however, Mrs. PERL reiterated that she would like to arrange the closet herself. Again, before leaving, Agent Tully commented that the agents were willing to replace the few articles remaining outside the closet to which she again replied that it was unnecessary.

During the entire search both Mrs. PERL and the subject were very cooperative and had no criticism or objection to the manner in which this search was conducted.

ROBERT W. COHOLAN *RC*
MAURICE W. CORCORAN *MWB*
JAMES P. LEE *JPL*
EDWIN R. TULLY *ERT*

LWC:IM
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United States Department of Justice

IN REPLY, PLEASE REFER TO
FILE NO. 65-15387

COMPLAINT FORM

William Perl

Subject's Name and Aliases

William Lotocki

Name of Complainant Lotocki Cameras

Street Floor Chrysler Bldg 42 & Lee Ave
Address of Complainant

Address of Subject

Espionage - R

Character of Case

Telephone Number of Complainant

12:40 P.M. 3-16-51

Date and Time Complaint Received

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DESCRIPTION OF SUBJECT:

FACTS OF COMPLAINT: Lotocki advised William Perl has been a
customer of his for several years. About 10 days ago
Perl inquired about purchasing approximately \$1000-
worth of photographic equipment and discussed possible
elimination of excise tax as the material was to
go out of the country. Perl left a phone number
where he could be called, possibly the Shelburne
Hotel at 27th Street and Lexington Ave. Lotocki
called this number about 1000 AM; a man

W/lead

(cont)

ACTION RECOMMENDED BY AGENT:

For information of Agents handling Perl case at

*4-9-51
Lotocki advised
to Gallaher that
he has no good
suspect to be
with film for
developing + upon
no suspect still
PMB*

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answered, and referred him to
Columbia University. ^{covered} The proposed
deal was not consummated.

Lotocki advised that the following
customer advised ^{him} that Perl has
suggested the Lotocki shop to him:

Paul M. Petroff,

15 Featherbed Lane

Bronx, N.Y.

Lotocki is a former neighbor of the writer

John A. Ruhl SA.

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United States Department of Justice**

March 16, 1951

MEMO

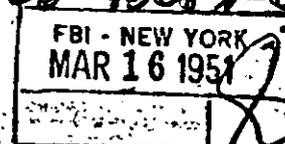
RE: WILLIAM PERL
ESP-R

I telephonically contacted Mr. Hennrich of the Bureau at 11:20 A.M. on 3/15/51 and advised him that PERL had been arraigned before Federal District Judge Henry W. Goddard. He pled not guilty to each of the four counts of indictment. Bail was stated at \$20,000.00 and trial date set for April 17th.

I pointed out that PERL had until 4:00 P.M. 3/15/51 to make bail.

ROBERT R. GRANVILLE, SA

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Federal Bureau of Investigation
United States Department of Justice

March 16, 1951

MEMO

RE: WILLIAM PERL
ESP-R; PERJURY

Re my memo 3/15/51.

On 3/16/51 subject's wife, Mrs. HENRIETTA PERL, telephoned this office to speak to the writer in connection with certain newspaper publicity in this case on 3/15/51 pursuant to the arrest of subject the previous evening.

Mrs. PERL stated she had read articles in several newspapers which described the appearance of her apartment upon the departure of the agents with subject in custody as in a "state of shambles" and as having been "ransacked." Mrs. PERL wanted to apologize to this office for the articles and made the following explanation.

Mrs. PERL said that immediately after the departure of the agents several reporters practically forced their way in. She finally opened the door and they attempted to interview her in the doorway and in the hall leading to her apartment. One of the reporters made mention that the apartment was a mess and that the agents must have "gone over everything." She told them that she was in the process of cleaning the closet (in the living room) and that the appearance of her apartment should be of no concern to them. Mrs. PERL stated she desired to again advise the writer she had no criticism of the manner in which the search was conducted by agents and did not want this office to think she had given out any false stories to the press.

For information, during the above conversation Mrs. PERL said she had made arrangements to see subject at the FHD at 12:30 on 3/17/51. She also said she had raised \$11,000.00 bail money and hoped to see a few more people. She said Mr. Wise, subject's attorney, was leaving for Florida today, 3/16/51, and that one of the men in his office would handle the case in his absence.

It was recalled that on one occasion last Fall Mr. Wise advised AUSA Lane in the writer's presence, that in the event of Wise's absence his associate Stanley Kanarik would know the details of this case and could be contacted by AUSA Lane. It may be that Mr. Kanarik will act for Mr. Wise during the latter's absence in Florida. AUSA Foley has been advised of Mr. Wise's departure for Florida.

MAURICE W. CORCORAN, SA

MWC:IM

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- MR. TOLSON
- MR. WELLS
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FBI, CLEVELAND 3-16-51 5-22 PM EST CGP
 SAC, NEW YORK URGENT

WILLIAM PERL, AKA, ESP DASH R, PERJURY. REURTEL SIX THIRTEEN PM,
 MARCH FIFTEEN. ACCOUNT LOCATED CLEVELAND TRUST OPENED JANUARY
 SIXTEEN, FORTYFIVE. HOWEVER PRIOR ACCOUNT LOCATED AT DIFFERENT
 BRANCH OF CLEVELAND TRUST AND RECORDS PRESENTLY BEING LOCATED FOR
 REVIEW BY THIS OFFICE. BANK OFFICIALS WILL BE REQUESTED TO EXPEDITE
 SEARCH FOR RECORDS AND DETAILS WILL BE FURNISHED AS SOON AS

AVAILABLE. (LJ)
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Memorandum

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WILLIAM PERL, was.
PERTURJ-

Re Cleveland tel to n.y.c. 3/17/51

Mr. Matthew Stutz, owner Stutz auto sales,
221 Bruckner Blvd. Bronx, N.Y., advised
his records indicate a 1941 Tudor, champagne
Studebaker, was sold to one William MUSTERPERL
on April 1, 1944. Perl's address was given as
197 Michaux, Hampton, Va. The ^{motor} serial number
of this car was 153004. The ^{serial} number,
G 135382.

No further information was available
concerning this transaction, according to STUTZ.

Ray S. Shodek, SA

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WILLIAM PERL, wa.
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(Cleveland file 65-2730)

On March 12, 1951, [redacted] who is employed [redacted] advised Special Agents GEORGE C. WILSON and JACK D. HUGUELET that she had previously been interviewed by Special Agents at New York City and Cleveland, Ohio, concerning WILLIAM PERL. She indicated that she had not been completely cooperative at the time of those interviews and stated that she now desired to cooperate fully with this Bureau. She stated, however, that she had no information concerning activities of WILLIAM PERL other than that which she has previously furnished to Special Agents at New York and Cleveland.

[redacted] contacted the Knoxville Office for the purpose of reporting information which she had received from [redacted]. She stated that [redacted]

[redacted] She stated that this [redacted]

[redacted] was present at this same time and stated that he had received from [redacted]

[redacted] album, the property of [redacted] also a resident of the [redacted]. He exhibited this book and it was ascertained that it contains numerous picture postcards and smooth photographs depicting scenic views of the Chattanooga, Tennessee, area including TVA dams. The book was made up in the form of a travelogue.

[redacted] stated they had no information [redacted] indicating that [redacted] was unloyal to the United States [redacted] but stated they were furnishing this information for whatever value it might be. It is noted that the files of the Knoxville Office contain no information concerning [redacted]

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New York

SAC, Cleveland

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This information is being transmitted to the Cleveland and New York Offices in view of the fact that [REDACTED] indicates that she would be willing to cooperate with Special Agents of the FBI.

b7D

The following is the description of [REDACTED]

b7C

Race:	White
Sex:	Male
Age:	55 to 60
Height:	5'6"
Build:	Medium
Hair:	Gray
Residence:	[REDACTED]

b7C

[REDACTED] advised that she now resides [REDACTED]

b7D

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Memo

3-19-51

William Perl, wa
Espionage R- Peziny.

b7D On March 17, 1951 the writer interviewed [redacted] who had requested that an agent contact him concerning information he had with respect to the subject.

b7D [redacted] was interviewed at his home at New York. He advised as follows:

b7D [redacted] Henri B. Leitman, husband of Jessie Sarge Leitman, who is the sister of Wendell Sarge Perl, subject's wife. The Leitmans own a dairy farm outside Spring Valley, N.Y. and Henri Leitman also engages in any kind of legitimate enterprise from which he can derive a profit. At present he is travelling in Europe on some kind of business deal.

Note
[redacted] make a copy of this
[redacted] [redacted]

By reason of the fact that Leitman never had continued to remain in the cell at the address of the Perls after [redacted] Leitman was by a [redacted] b7D suspected that he might have at least some other casual interest in subject. This, he admitted, was purely conjecture on the part of Leitman wife has described Perl as an

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innocuous type of person who wouldn't knowingly
harm anybody. She hasn't admitted knowing
anything about Perl's activities, but [redacted] 670
would be pleased to arrange a meeting of agents
with her on the event this office considers it
expedient to interview her.

[redacted] might be contacted at his
office at [redacted] telephone number [redacted]
where he is associated with [redacted]

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A. G. Burlinson
S.A.

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PCF: Jnd

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FBI NORFOLK

3-21-51

10:50 am

SACS CINCINNATI, CLEVELAND, AND LOS ANGELES URGENT

WILLIAM PERL, WA., WILLIAM MUTTERPERL, ESP B, PERJURY. NY TEL TO NORFOLK
 MARCH SEVENTEENTH ADVISED PERL INDICTED FOR PERJURY TWO COUNTS INVOLVING HIS
 DENYING KNOWING JULIUS ROSENBERG OR MORTON SOBELL. WILLIAM H. HERRNSTEIN,
 JR., RESIDING SEVECA DRIVE, CHILLICOTHE, OHIO, WAS FORMERLY ONE OF MEN AT NACA
 HIRING QUALIFIED TECHNICIANS IN FORTY. ARTHUR W. TIFFORD, CLASSMATE OF PERL,
 SOBELL, AND ROSENBERG, EMPLOYED NACA, LANGLEY, FROM APRIL THIRTYNINE TO MARCH
 FORTYTWO AND POSSIBLY KNOWS OF PERL BEING CONTACTED BY ROSENBERG OR SOBELL.
 TIFFORD LAST KNOWN AS PROFESSOR OF OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY, COLUMBUS, OHIO.
 PRESENT WHEREABOUTS UNKNOWN. HERBERT PASS, COWORKER OF PERL AT NACA DURING
 PERTINENT PERIOD AND BELIEVED FRIENDLY WITH HIM, LAST KNOWN EMPLOYED USM
 AIR MISSILE TEST CENTER, POINT MUGU, CALIF. ABE SILVERSTEIN AND LAWRENCE
 MARCUS, CLEVELAND LAB, NACA, FORMERLY EMPLOYED NACA LANGLEY DURING PERTINENT
 PERIOD, KNOWN ASSOCIATES OF PERL, AND SILVERSTEIN POSSIBLY SERVED AS TALENT
 SCOUT FOR TECHNICAL EMPLOYEES FOR NACA. OLD RECORDS NACA REFLECT ROSENBERG
 CONSIDERED FOR EMPLOYMENT AND HIRED ACCEPTANCE FROM NY FEBRUARY TWENTYTHIRD
 FORTYONE; HOWEVER NOT EMPLOYED AS ACCEPTANCE BASED ON TELEGRAM REQUESTING
 INFO RE AVAILABILITY, NOT OFFER OF APPOINTMENT. CINCINNATI INTERVIEW
 HERRNSTEIN AND TIFFORD. CLEVELAND INTERVIEW SILVERSTEIN AND MARCUS. LOS
 ANGELES INTERVIEW PASS IN EFFORT TO DETERMINE ANY INFO RE CONTACTS BETWEEN

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PERL AND ROSENBERG OR SOBELL AND ANY EFFORT MADE BY PERL TO OBTAIN EMPLOYMENT FOR THESE INDIVIDUALS. ALSO WHETHER SOBELL OR ROSENBERG KNOWN BY THESE INDIVIDUALS TO HAVE VISITED PERL AT HAMPTON, VA., OR CONTACTED PERL. EXPEDITE AND SUTEL RESULTS NY ORIGIN. (4)

MC CABE

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- MR. WHELAN
- MR. HARGETT
- MR. COLLIER
- MR. GILLESPIE
- MR. GRANVILLE
- MR. HEALY
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SACS NEW YORK NORFOLK AND WASHINGTON FIELD U R G E N T
 WILLIAM PERL, WA, WILLIAM MUTTERPERL, ESPIONAGE - R, PERJURY. RE NY TEL
 TO NORFOLK MARCH SEVENTEENTH, NORFOLK TEL TO CINCINNATI MARCH TWENTYFIRST
 FOR INFORMATION WFO, PERL INDICTED FOR PERJURY, TWO COUNTS, INVOLVING
 HIS DENYING KNOWING JULIUS ROSENBERG OR MORTON SOBELL. ARTHUR N.
 TIFFORD, TWO NINE TWO FOUR SHERWOOD ROAD, COLUMBUS, OHIO, ADMITS
 KNOWING SUBJECT PERL AT LANGLEY FIELD DURING PERIOD APRIL, NXXX
 NINETEEN THIRTYNINE, TO MARCH, NINETEEN FORTYTWO. HE STATED THAT
 DURING SUMMER OF NINETEEN THIRTYNINE HE SHARED AN APARTMENT WITH PERL
 AND FRED BRYANT ON NEWPORT NEWS AVENUE, HAMTOXX HAMPTON, VIRGINIA.
 TIFFORD BELIEVES STREET NUMBER TO BE TWO FOUR NAUGHT, BUT IS UNCERTAIN.
 TIFFORD CANNOT RECALL PERL BEING CONTACTED BY SOBELL OR ROSENBERG AT
 ANY TIME DURING NINETEEN THIRTYNINE TO NINETEEN FORTYTWO. TIFFORD
 ADVISED SAM KATZOFF TO BE ON OXX ONE OF PERL-S CLOSEST FRIENDS AT
 LANGLEY FIELD. TIFFORD BELIEVES KATZOFF STILL AT NACA, LANGLEY FIELD.
 ACCORDING TO TIFFORD, FRED BRYANT NOW EMPLOYED TAYLOR MODEL BASIN,
 NAVY RESEARCH, WASHINGTON, D. C. UNLESS PREVIOUSLY HANDLED REQUEST
 WFO INTERVIEW BRYANT AND NORFOLK OFFICE INTERVIEW KATZOFF TO DETERMINE
 ANY INFORMATION RE ACQUAINTANCE BETWEEN PERL AND ROSENBERG OR SOBELL,
 OR WHETHER SOBELL OR ROSENBERG KNOWN BY THESE INDIVIDUALS TO HAVE
 VISITED PERL AT HAMPTON, VIRGINIA. WILLIAM A. HERRNSTEIN, JR., SIX

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TWO THREE SENECA DRIVE, CHILlicothe, OHIO, ADVISES HE BELIEVES PERL EMPLOYED IN HIS SECTION AT NACA, LANGLEY FIELD, ABOUT NINETEEN THIRTYNINE OR SHORTLY THEREAFTER. HERRNSTEIN LEARNED THROUGH MAJOR FNU HARTLEY, THEN U. S. INTELLIGENCE AND SECURITY OFFICER AT LANGLEY FIELD, THAT SEVERAL EMPLOYEES OF NACA AT LANGLEY FIELD WERE CONTACTING A WOMAN CP ORGANIZER NAMED BURKE AND HERRNSTEIN BELIEVES PERL WAS ONE OF THESE CONTACTING BURKE. OTHER ASSOCIATES OF PERL AT NACA, LANGLEY FIELD, ACCORDING TO HERRNSTEIN WERE NACA EMPLOYEES NAMED ABE SILVERSTEIN, ROBERT JONES, DORIS COHEN, AND ARTHUR KANTROWITZ. JONES LATER MARRIED DORIS COHEN. HERRNSTEIN STATES HE DID NOT KNOW PERL SOCIALLY AND PERL NEVER REQUESTED HIM TO OBTAIN EMPLOYMENT FOR PERL. HERRNSTEIN DOES NOT RECALL KNOWING JULIUS ROSENBERG OR MORTON SOBELL. IF NOT DONE, SUGGEST NYC REQUEST NORFOLK OBTAIN PERSONAL DATA AND LAST KNOWN ADDRESSES OF SILVERSTEIN, JONES AND KANTROWITZ WITH VIEW TO INTERVIEWING THEM RE KNOWLEDGE OF ASSOCIATION BETWEEN PERL, JULIUS ROSENBERG, AND MORTON SOBELL, NYC ORIGIN. RUC. (L)

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JOHN B. O'DONOGHUE mlk

Title

WILLIAM PERL, aka

Character of Case
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PERJURY**

Synopsis of Facts:

Subject opened commercial account, Cleveland Trust Company, Branch 25, 1/44. Only unusual deposits 8/19/44, \$547.61, and 10/7/44, \$521.39. Opened savings account 1/16/45, Branch 8; opened commercial account 1/20/45, Branch 8; account at Branch 25 substantially closed 1/22/45. No unusual deposits Branch 8 accounts except \$838.06 on 2/9/46. LILLIAN FRICKER, co-employee under THEODORE VON KARMAN, knows of no unusual activity on part of subject and states no top secret data in VON KARMAN's office except one document PERL had no access to. ELEANORE WILKINS, librarian, NACA, states social acquaintance with PERL limited and knows of no inordinate requests for data by PERL. States she has no access to top secret data. This corroborated by chief librarian, NACA. KEITH COXE, fellow resident of subject's 1940 - 1941, Hampton, Virginia, did not associate with PERL and knows of no associates. Recalls PERL bought 1941 Studebaker while at Hampton. Later verified by Ohio Title Registration records. In application for divorce filed August, 1950, Cleveland, against HENRIETTA BOYD SAVIDGE, subject stated they were married 9/1/44 at New York.

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Details:

At Cleveland, Ohio

T-1, of known reliability, advised that WILLIAM MUTTERPERL opened a Commercial Account at the West 117th - Lorain Branch of the Cleveland Trust Company (Branch 25) on January 15, 1944.

Informant advised that as WILLIAM PERL, subject opened a Savings Account at the East 105th - Euclid Branch of the Cleveland Trust Company (Branch No. 8) on January 16, 1945 and a Commercial Account at the same branch on January 20, 1945. The latter two accounts were opened in the name of WILLIAM PERL and/or Mrs. WILLIAM PERL (HENRIETTA PERL). Informant advised that the records of this information may be secured upon the issuance of a subpoena duces tecum.

Informant furnished the following data concerning these accounts:

COMMERCIAL ACCOUNT
WILLIAM MUTTERPERL
Cleveland Trust Co., W. 117th - Lorain, Branch (25)

<u>Date</u>	<u>Remarks</u>	<u>Checks</u>	<u>Deposits</u>	<u>Balance</u>
1/15/44	Opening Deposit		\$108.89	\$108.89
1/22/44			61.13	170.02
1/30/44		\$ 40.00		130.02
2/1/44		37.50		92.52
2/3/44		1.80		90.72
2/4/44		20.00		70.72
2/7/44		5.00		65.72
2/10/44	Service Charge	.11		65.61
2/14/44		12.29		53.32
2/16/44		20.00		33.32
2/19/44			108.89	142.21
2/28/44		.99		141.22
3/1/44		40.00		101.22
3/13/44		.50		100.72
3/16/44	Service Charge	.63		100.09
3/18/44			58.89	158.98

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<u>Date</u>	<u>Remarks</u>	<u>Checks</u>	<u>Deposits</u>	<u>Balance</u>
3/20/44		\$ 20.00		\$138.98
3/22/44		1.28		137.70
3/23/44		1.82		135.88
3/25/44		3.82		132.06
4/1/44			\$ 71.39	203.45
4/3/44		27.18		176.27
4/3/44		45.00		131.27
4/4/44		112.20		19.07
4/5/44		10.00		9.07
4/13/44	Service Charge	.28		8.79
4/17/44			121.39	130.18
4/22/44		16.00		
4/22/44		20.00		
4/22/44		20.00		74.18
4/25/44		5.00		69.18
4/27/44		26.28		42.90
4/29/44		40.00		2.90
5/1/44			125.39	128.29
5/8/44		20.00		
5/8/44		10.00		98.29
5/11/44	Service Charge	.81		97.48
5/11/44		45.00		52.48
5/16/44			121.39	173.87
5/18/44		3.64		170.23
5/22/44		5.00		165.23
5/25/44		30.00		135.23
6/3/44			88.39	223.62
6/3/44		20.00		203.62
6/5/44		11.00		192.62
6/7/44		20.00		172.62
6/8/44	Service Charge	.64		171.98
6/10/44		10.00		161.98
6/13/44		56.25		105.73
6/20/44		40.00		
6/20/44		2.08		63.65
6/26/44			61.39	125.04

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<u>Date</u>	<u>Remarks</u>	<u>Checks</u>	<u>Deposits</u>	<u>Balance</u>
7/3/44			\$ 42.93	\$167.97
7/8/44		\$ 40.00		127.97
7/13/44	Service Charge	.69		127.28
7/17/44		10.00		
7/17/44		40.00		77.28
7/22/44			41.39	118.67
7/24/44		20.00		98.67
7/29/44		21.45		77.22
7/31/44		20.00		57.22
8/4/44		10.00		47.22
8/14/44			35.95	83.17
8/17/44	Service Charge	.67		82.50
8/18/44		40.00		
8/18/44		3.60		38.90
8/19/44			547.61	586.51
8/21/44			41.39	627.90
8/28/44		50.00		577.90
9/7/44		20.00		557.90
9/9/44		20.00		537.90
9/11/44			121.39	659.29
9/16/44		2.08		
9/16/44		40.00		617.21
9/19/44		11.16		606.05
9/20/44	Service Charge	.15		605.90
9/21/44		30.00		575.90
10/5/44		8.72		567.18
10/7/44			521.39	1,088.57
10/9/44		68.00		1,020.57
10/16/44		5.00		
10/16/44		40.00		975.57
10/23/44			121.39	1,096.96
11/2/44		20.00		1,076.96
11/2/44			131.39	1,208.35
11/8/44		20.00		1,188.35
11/13/44		20.00		
11/13/44		20.00		1,148.35
11/24/44		17.50		1,130.85
11/28/44		20.00		1,110.85

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12/1/44		\$ 20.00		\$1,090.85
12/2/44		20.00		1,070.85
12/4/44		37.50		1,033.35
12/11/44		50.00		983.35
12/11/44		1.82		981.53
12/13/44		20.00		961.53
12/14/44		40.00		921.53
12/15/44		37.50		884.03
12/16/44		20.00		
12/16/44		20.00		844.03
12/21/44		1.47		842.56
12/22/44		50.00		792.56
12/29/44		50.00		742.56
12/30/44		20.00		722.56
1/6/45		37.50		685.06
1/8/45		2.25		682.81
1/10/45		30.00		652.81
1/11/45	Service Charge	.40		652.41
1/22/45		600.00		52.41
2/1/45		30.00		22.41
2/13/45		.50		21.91
2/15/45	Service Charge	.30		21.61
3/21/45	Service Charge	.80		20.81
4/17/45	Service Charge	.75		20.06
5/17/45	Service Charge	.25		19.81
6/5/45		19.81		- - -

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WILLIAM PERL - Mrs. WILLIAM PERL (HENRIETTA PERL)
Cleveland Trust Co., E. 105th, Euclid, Branch (8)

<u>Date</u>	<u>Remarks</u>	<u>Checks</u>	<u>Deposits</u>	<u>Balance</u>
1/20/45	Opening Deposit (Note withdrawal of \$600 at Branch 25, 1/22/45)		\$600.00	\$600.00
1/24/45		\$ 10.46		\$585.06
1/24/45		4.48		583.14
1/25/45		1.92		
2/2/45		3.50		579.64
2/7/45		33.75		545.89
2/9/45		3.59		542.30
2/9/45		.90		
2/9/45		7.44		
2/9/45			\$125.79	\$659.75
2/13/45		53.00		606.75
2/14/45		52.41		554.34
2/17/45		11.00		543.34
2/21/45			125.79	669.13
2/27/45		2.25		666.88
2/28/45		20.00		646.88
3/1/45		40.00		606.88
3/5/45		37.50		569.38
3/7/45		45.00		524.38
3/10/45		20.00		
3/10/45		60.00		
3/10/45	Debit Memo		\$170.68	\$615.06
3/12/45		50.00		565.06
3/16/45		2.08		562.90
3/24/45		2.25		560.73
4/4/45		37.50		523.23
4/5/45		40.00		483.23
4/14/45			50.79	534.02
4/28/45			75.95	609.97

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<u>Date</u>	<u>Remarks</u>	<u>Checks</u>	<u>Deposits</u>	<u>Balance</u>
5/4/45		\$ 37.50		\$572.47
5/12/45		10.00		562.47
5/12/45			\$ 70.95	\$633.42
5/15/45		\$ 30.00		
5/15/45		5.00		598.42
5/26/45		.70		597.72
5/26/45			100.00	697.72
6/4/45		37.50		660.22
6/14/45		2.08		658.14
6/16/45		2.00		656.14
6/18/45		3.23		652.91
6/23/45			138.45	791.36
7/3/45		1.00		790.36
7/5/45		1.20		789.16
7/6/45		37.50		751.66
7/7/45			138.45	890.11
7/10/45		30.00		860.11
7/18/45		17.16		842.95
7/20/45		3.50		839.45
7/30/45		20.00		819.45
8/1/45		1.60		817.85
8/4/45		40.00		777.85
8/4/45			\$ 43.84	821.69
8/8/45		37.50		784.19
8/8/45			143.84	928.03
8/22/45		1.60		926.43
8/23/45		1.75		924.68
8/27/45		30.00		894.68
9/4/45		17.60		877.08
9/7/45		19.84		857.24
9/8/45		30.00		827.24
9/12/45		37.50		789.74
9/13/45		9.00		780.74
9/24/45		2.08		778.66
10/5/45		37.50		741.16
10/6/45		30.00		
10/6/45			82.06	793.22

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10/17/45		\$ 20.00		
10/17/45		2.40		\$770.82
10/20/45		20.00		750.82
10/29/45		20.00		730.82
11/2/45		2.08		728.74
11/3/45			\$ 82.06	810.80
11/5/45		5.00		805.80
11/5/45		1.35		804.45
11/6/45		4.50		799.95
11/7/45		37.50		
11/7/45		3.50		758.95
11/8/45		1.45		757.50
11/19/45		2.08		755.42
11/23/45		20.00		735.42
11/24/45			\$ 82.06	817.48
11/26/45		.75		816.73
11/30/45		2.24		814.49
12/5/45		3.50		810.99
12/10/45		1.50		
12/10/45		37.50		771.99
12/17/45		1.00		
12/17/45		2.24		768.75
12/18/45		30.00		738.75
12/18/45		1.00		
12/26/45		1.00		736.75
1/3/46		2.24		734.51
1/7/46		1.84		732.67
1/8/46		37.50		695.17
1/9/46		3.50		691.67
1/10/46		40.00		651.67
1/12/46			88.06	739.73
1/14/46		1.00		
1/14/46		2.24		736.49
1/19/46		11.50		724.99
1/24/46		45.00		679.99
1/26/46			61.46	741.45
1/30/46		2.24		739.21
1/31/46		40.00		699.21

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<u>Date</u>	<u>Remarks</u>	<u>Checks</u>	<u>Deposits</u>	<u>Balance</u>
2/2/46			\$ 5.00	\$704.21
2/6/46		\$ 1.75		702.46
2/6/46			27.00	729.46
2/9/46			838.06	1,567.52
2/11/46		37.50		
2/11/46		2.24		1,527.78
2/19/46		2.88		1,524.90
3/14/46	Closing withdrawal \$1,524.90			- - -

SAVINGS ACCOUNT
WILLIAM PERL - Mrs. WILLIAM PERL (HENRIETTA PERL)
Cleveland Trust Co., E. 105th - Euclid Branch 8

<u>Date</u>	<u>Remarks</u>	<u>Withdrawals</u>	<u>Deposits</u>	<u>Balance</u>
1/16/45	Opening deposit		\$125.79	\$125.79
1/16/45			12.24	138.25
7/21/45	Plus 22/100 interest		95.26	233.51
7/23/45			80.00	313.51
8/25/45			143.84	457.35
9/8/45			123.56	580.91
9/22/45			72.06	652.97
10/20/45			100.00	752.97
12/1/45			122.06	875.03
12/31/45	Plus 72/100 interest		194.87	1,071.62
2/9/46	Closing withdrawal \$1,071.62 Check deposited 2/21/46 at Security First National Bank of Los Angeles (Check No. 8-231520)			

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It is noted that upon opening the first account referred to above, subject gave as his address 16808 Madison Avenue, Lakewood, Ohio. The bank statement for November, 1944 reflects a new address of 2744 Mayfield Road, Cleveland, Ohio, and during December of 1944 and January of 1945, the address appears as 3744 Mayfield Road, Cleveland, Ohio. The latter is a non-existent address and may be a typographical error, since PERL's residence at 2744 Mayfield Road has been verified.

Details concerning this will be shown later in this report.

The February, 1945 statement and all succeeding statements reflect PERL's address to be 1560 East 120th Street, Cleveland, Ohio.

INTERVIEW OF LILLIAN FRICKER

On February 21, 1951, the writer and SA DAVID A. WIBLE interviewed LILLIAN FRICKER, 694 Crestview, Akron, Ohio.

FRICKER advised she first met PERL in March of 1947 when both were employed by Dr. THEODORE VON KARMAN at the General Electric Building in New York, noting she has been employed sporadically by VON KARMAN since 1929. According to FRICKER, VON KARMAN's employees shared space with the Bechtel Engineering Company in this building. At that time, PERL was acting as assistant to VON KARMAN and was pursuing his doctor of philosophy degree at Columbia University. All confidential files were under the control of FRICKER or VON KARMAN during the period she was employed by him; however, throughout the day, anyone employed could have material from the files by going to FRICKER. These files were always locked at night and FRICKER and VON KARMAN were the only ones who possessed keys. The only document of genuine value to a foreign agent, according to FRICKER, would be a document pertaining to the future prospects of the United States Air Force. According to FRICKER, this was a detailed analysis of the possibilities of aviation for the next twenty to thirty years and was classified "top secret." She stated PERL had no access to this document as long as she was employed by VON KARMAN and it was returned to the USAF prior to her departure.

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FRICKER advised that VON KARMAN left for Europe the early part of July, 1947, and that she went to Europe approximately one week after. ~~Following this, PERL was left alone in VON KARMAN's office with an unrecalled secretary and during that period, would have had access to any material in VON KARMAN's office.~~ During the period March through July, 1947, FRICKER recalls that PERL used the address 65 Morton Street for mail and probably lived there since she sent a telegram to him there at one time at the behest of Dr. VON KARMAN.

FRICKER advised she returned to the United States in August of 1947 and was employed by Harvard University from September 15, 1947 until April of 1948 when she returned to Akron. After her return to Akron, she contacted PERL at Cleveland and invited him to her home in Akron where she resides with her parents. She recalled that PERL visited them on one occasion and she knew that he was in possession of the VON KARMAN car during the summer of 1948. She was unable to describe this car and did not recognize photographs of it. She advised she has seen PERL occasionally since 1948 and had dinner with him and attended several movies as recently as the Spring of 1950.

FRICKER advised she had no reason to question PERL's loyalty and knew none of his associates.

INTERVIEW OF ELEANORE WILKINS

Miss ELEANORE WILKINS was interviewed by SA EDWIN B. BIRNEY and the writer, at which time she furnished the following information:

WILKINS advised she has been employed at the Lewis Flight Propulsion Laboratory, NACA, Cleveland, since August of 1947 as a librarian. She advised she first met PERL about September of 1948 and occasionally had a dinner date or theater engagement with him. She emphasized that her social contacts with PERL were irregular and of a limited nature.

WILKINS recalled that PERL's interest in the NACA library, when she first met him, centered on "Theories of Turbulence" and during his last year at NACA, he concerned himself with the study of "Solids." Generally, PERL desired a greater bulk of information than the other scientists and requested photostatic copies of magazine articles quite regularly. Although WILKINS had access to

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"Confidential" data, it is her recollection that he usually sought unclassified material. WILKINS advised that she has no access to "secret" or "top secret" material. At no time did PERL exhibit any evidence of being other than loyal to the United States. WILKINS does not recall ever discussing politics with PERL nor does she recall any expression of interest on his part toward his family or college classmates. She knew of no close associates of PERL at NACA and described him as a studious person and a "lone wolf."

WILKINS advised she visited New York during November of 1950 and called PERL on one occasion; however, he advised he had recently married and she therefore did not recontact him. They did meet unexpectedly on one occasion thereafter but separated after a few moments of conversation. This has been her only contact with him since he left the employ of NACA in September of 1950.

ETHEL V. LYON, Chief Librarian, Lewis Flight Propulsion Laboratory, NACA, advised that WILKINS had no access to "secret" or "top secret" data.

INTERVIEW OF KEITH COXE

KEITH E. COXE was interviewed on March 15, 1951 by the writer, at which time he furnished the following information:

COXE advised he had been employed by the National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics at Langley Field, Virginia from approximately October of 1940 until August of 1943. From October of 1940 until approximately June or July of 1941, COXE resided at 197 Melrose Avenue, Hampton, Virginia. He described this as the home of the Chief of Police of Hampton and stated that he, COXE, and the subject, as WILLIAM MUTTERPERL, were the only roomers. COXE pointed out that neither boarded at this home, taking their meals in nearby restaurants, although he was not sure where PERL dined. He stated that PERL had the front upstairs bedroom, while he had the only downstairs bedroom. He pointed out that he did not associate with PERL nor did he know of any of PERL's associates. He described PERL as very studious but having no social inclinations. PERL was polite and civil but did not attempt to become friendly and, as a result, COXE did not go out of his way to become overly friendly with PERL.

COXE advised that he and PERL worked in different areas at Langley Field, PERL being engaged in theoretical work while COXE was in the Technical Service Division.

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COXE advised that in August of 1943, due to poor health, he resigned from NACA and returned to his home in South Dakota to have a nasal operation. He secured a position with Bendix Aviation Corporation, South Bend, Indiana, in September of 1943, but was drafted into the United States Army in October of 1943 where he served until April of 1946. After several business ventures in South Dakota and Maryland, he rejoined NACA in September of 1948 in Cleveland where he was employed until March 15, 1951, when he resigned to take an engineering position with the Cadillac Tank Plant, Cleveland Airport, Cleveland, Ohio.

During his employment with NACA in Cleveland, COXE advised he had no contact with PERL, although he recognized him as the person who had lived in the same home with him in Hampton, Virginia. He has never had occasion to talk to PERL and doubts very seriously if PERL recalls him. He noted that he did not associate the name PERL with the subject since he had known him as MUTTERPERL, and due to the poor likeness portrayed in newspaper articles concerning PERL's arrest on March 14, 1951, he did not realize that the person arrested was his fellow roomer at Hampton, Virginia.

COXE was unable to identify photographs of MORTON SOBELL and stated he did not recognize SOBELL as ever having visited PERL at Hampton.

COXE recalled that when he first moved into the Melrose Avenue address, PERL owned an old car which he described as a "relic" and which he believed to be either a Cadillac or LaSalle. While they were residing together, however, PERL bought a new Studebaker Champion which was probably a 1941 model, but may have been a 1940 Studebaker.

Mrs. IDA SCULL, Clerk, Auto Title Bureau, County of Cuyahoga, West Third and Lakeside, furnished the following information:

Title No. 181590354 dated March 17, 1944 reflects that PERL owned a 1941 Studebaker, Motor No. 153004. The title had been transferred from Virginia Title 1860303 dated May 3, 1941 and reflected that PERL had previously resided at 197 Melrose Avenue, Hampton, Virginia. The Virginia title was issued to WILLIAM MUTTERPERL and also indicated that said automobile had been purchased from the Stutz Motor Company of New York City.

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On March 23, 1945, instant title was issued on said car and given number 180027477-D. However, this title was deferred and on March 29, 1945, subject was issued Title No. 181689068.

RESIDENCE, 2744 MAYFIELD ROAD
CLEVELAND, OHIO

As is noted heretofore, in this report, T-1 advised that bank statements of the Cleveland Trust Company for the months of November and December, 1944 and January, 1945, indicated the subject had received said statements at 2744 or 3744 Mayfield Road.

Investigation reveals 3744 Mayfield Road to be a vacant lot.

HARRY ROGIN, real estate operator, 2744 Mayfield Road, advised he is the owner of a twelve suite apartment building at this address. After lengthy consideration and study of photographs, ROGIN advised he recalled a MUTTERPERL whom he believed to be identical with a photograph of PERL as having resided in his apartment sometime during the war.

ROGIN was not sure whether PERL had remained in his apartment for more than a few days, but stated he may have resided there a month or two. He was quite doubtful, however, that PERL did stay there for more than a week. ROGIN recalled that PERL was accompanied by a woman who was an artist, and that they impressed him favorably upon first meeting. However, when they moved in, they had little or no furniture and were very careless and "dirty" in maintaining the apartment. He recalled that PERL brought in a great number of boxes, contained among which were several boxes of electrical apparatus and wires. ROGIN could not be specific but felt that PERL stated that the electrical apparatus and various machinery, which he was unable to describe, was used by him in connection with his work at NACA. He recalled that PERL on occasion was known by him to be "fooling around", probably with the wires and electrical apparatus, as early as 2 AM to 3 AM in the morning.

ROGIN is quite certain he did not accept any rent from them, since he did not desire that they remain as tenants, and he is not certain as to what time of year they resided in his apartment, although he stated it may have been Spring. He also advised that he maintains no records but would make a search of his personal belongings for any documentary evidence reflecting PERL's residence at 2744 Mayfield Road. ROGIN was unable to identify a photograph of HENRIETTA SAVIDGE PERL.

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It will be recalled that PERL, during interviews with agents of the Cleveland Division, maintained that while he was on leave from August 28 through September 2, 1944, he spent his time preparing the apartment at 1516 East 120th Street, Cleveland, Ohio, in anticipation of the arrival of his then common-law wife, HETTI SAVIDGE PERL. At no time during interviews did PERL mention residing on Mayfield Road, although he was specifically questioned concerning all residences.

Divorce Docket No. 617230, Court of Common Pleas, County of Cuyahoga, Cleveland, Ohio, filed August 16, 1950, reflects WILLIAM PERL of 663 East 103rd Street, Cleveland, Ohio, sought to be divorced from HENRIETTA BOYD SAVIDGE of 104 East 38th Street, New York. Petitioner stated he had been married to SAVIDGE on September 1, 1944 at New York City and there were no children of this marriage. Service was by publication and the petition was dismissed without prejudice on October 31, 1950.

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LILLIAN FRICKER advised that during the period she knew PERL, he did not appear to be proud of his family and she blamed this on the fact that he had been poor in his younger life and was somewhat ashamed of his background. She advised she knew none of PERL's friends or associates in either Cleveland or New York and did not recognize any of the photographs of the ROSENBERG ring which were displayed to her.

She recalled that Dr. HSU, SHEN TSIEN was also employed as a consultant under Dr. VON KARMAN on a contract for SVERDRUP and PARCEL, Consulting Engineers of St. Louis, Missouri. However, she felt that TSIEN and PERL had never met and that TSIEN's part of the consulting job done for SVERDRUP and PARCEL was limited to a few hours discussion with Dr. VON KARMAN.

FRICKER advised she has not been in contact with PERL since June of 1950 and did not realize he was under FBI investigation.

Re ELEANORE WILKINS:

On December 7, 1950, ROBERT BELL, former FBI agent and presently Security Officer, National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics, stated he had heard that ELEANORE WILKINS had been a close associate of WILLIAM PERL.

Mr. JACK BROWN, Personnel Manager, Lewis Flight Propulsion Laboratory, NACA, Cleveland, furnished the following background information regarding WILKINS:

Birth date:	August 23, 1918
Birth place:	Kansas City, Missouri
Sister:	BOBETTE A. WILKINS, Maple Springs, New York. However, BOBETTE WILKINS is presently residing with her sister, ELEANORE, at 1615 Mars Avenue, Lakewood, Ohio.
Former address:	1518 Ansel Road, Cleveland, Ohio
Education:	Webster Grove, Missouri, High School. Washington University, St. Louis, BA Degree in English 1936 - 1940. Carnegie Library School, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, 1941 - 1942, BS in Library Science.

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Employment:

Carnegie Library, Pittsburgh, 1942-1944.
War Department, USAAF, Eglin Field; Florida, March, 1944 to February, 1946.
Carnegie Library, Pittsburgh, February, 1946 to June, 1946.
June, 1946 to December, 1946; travelled - no employment.
Cleveland Public Library, Cleveland, Ohio, January, 1947 to August, 1947.
NACA, Cleveland, August, 1947 to present. Classified as Librarian GS-7, Salary \$3950. Last efficiency rating "Excellent."

References:

HAZEL KING, American Gas Association, 420 Lexington Avenue, New York City. Met while at Eglin Field, Florida.
MARTHA BARNES, Instructor of WILKINS at Carnegie Library.
FRANCIS KELLEY, 4400 Forbes Street, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, Head of Library School.

On December 16, 1950, IVA BALDWIN, Assistant Manager, Evangeline Residence, 1518 Ansel Road, Cleveland, Ohio, advised that ELEANORE E. WILKINS resided at the Evangeline Residence from January 26, 1947 to November 17, 1948. She was employed as of January 22, 1947 by the Business Information Bureau of Cleveland Public Library. Her parents resided at Library, Pennsylvania. Her father, O. L. WILKINS, died early in 1948, after which ELEANORE WILKINS endeavored to locate a home for her sister and mother. ELEANORE WILKINS subsequently resided at 1615 Mars Avenue, Lakewood, Ohio. Her former roommate and associate was one KATHLEEN BOLDT, residence c/o W. S. LEAPER, Landerwood Drive, RD No. 4, Chagrin Falls, Ohio, employed Millcraft Paper Company, 1927 East 19th Street, Cleveland. References EDITH CASE and ROSE BORNELLER, both employees of the Cleveland Public Library. Miss BALDWIN stated that due to the illness of the father of ELEANORE WILKINS, Miss WILKINS frequently visited her home in Library, Pennsylvania.

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WALTER ORR, Information Officer, NACA, Cleveland, residence apartment houses on the northwest corner, 30th and Euclid Avenue, advised that he had been informed by JOSEPHINE CASE, his secretary, that WILLIAM PERL and ELEANORE WILKINS were frequently seen at lunch together at NACA.

ETHEL V. LYONS, Chief Librarian, NACA, residence 375 $\frac{1}{2}$ Riverdale, Rocky River, Ohio, residence telephone LA 1-0585, advised that she had first met ELEANORE WILKINS, Assistant Librarian, NACA, at the Cleveland Public Library in 1947 and associated closely with WILKINS since August, 1947, when WILKINS obtained her present position at NACA. Miss LYONS stated she believed that WILKINS had obtained her position at NACA through one PHYLLIS SNYDER, formerly Chief Librarian, NACA. PHYLLIS SNYDER, upon leaving NACA, went to Columbia University to obtain a library degree and then accepted a position as a County Librarian in Fresno, California. PHYLLIS SNYDER is presently believed to be employed by the State of North Carolina as a librarian, possibly in public relations work. Miss LYONS stated that WILKINS was a conservative, intellectual, and a restless person who was not too happy, and that WILKINS desired to attend Columbia University to obtain an advanced degree in Library Science.

Miss LYONS stated that the sister and mother of ELEANORE WILKINS came to Cleveland for a short time in the fall of 1947 or 1948 and then moved to a cottage near Chautauqua Lake, New York, and that WILKINS's sister had worked during that time at Jamestown, New York. The mother and sister of WILKINS then returned to Cleveland about November 1950. WILKINS resided at 1615 Mars Avenue, Lakewood, with one JEAN SMITH SINETSKY who was formerly a library assistant at NACA until October, 1950. JEAN SMITH SINETSKY, according to Miss LYONS, is presently employed in New York City by the Public Library and is seeking a position with the Kellex Company, an AEC facility in New York.

Miss LYONS stated that she had observed PERL and WILKINS together many times in the NACA library and that WILKINS was very attentive to PERL and would "beat the ears off any girl who wanted to wait on him." Miss LYONS stated she had no information regarding the association of PERL and WILKINS outside of the NACA Library.

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Miss LYONS stated that WILKINS had been considering attending Columbia University and seeking a job in the New York area and that WILKINS was interested in obtaining a U. S. Fulbright Scholarship for study in a foreign school. Miss LYONS stated that WILKINS has not been "cleared" and does not have access to "secret" material or "classified AEC" material but does have access to "confidential" and "restricted" material.

Miss LYONS commented that WILLIAM PERL was like a "pack rat" in accumulating documents from the NACA library and that some of the material apparently had not been charged out and that they had some difficulty in having it returned.

Miss LYONS furnished the names of the following library assistants presently employed at NACA:

Mrs. ELEANOR SCADDING;
Mrs. EVELYN DALZELL;
Miss MARGARET MIHAK;
Miss JOANNE FOLK;
Miss BARBARA BACON;
Mrs. MARGARET NEIDENGARD.

Miss KATHLEEN BOLDT, employed at Millcraft Paper Company, 1927 East 19th Street, Cleveland, Ohio, was interviewed on December 19, 1950. She stated that she had been a roommate of ELEANORE WILKINS for more than a year at the Evangeline Residence beginning January, 1947, and that WILKINS had been a close friend of one Miss CROOKSTON who had formerly worked with WILKINS at the Cleveland Public Library. Miss CROOKSTON is presently employed by Meldrum & Fewsmith, Carnegie Hall Building, Cleveland, Ohio.

Miss BOLDT stated that WILKINS "dated" PERL occasionally and admired PERL very much. She stated that WILKINS was very close about her personal affairs but that she used to speak about PERL in connection with her work at the NACA Library and stated that she always endeavored to find the material that PERL desired in the NACA Library. Miss BOLDT stated that WILKINS on her recent trip to New York found that she could not afford the Library Science course that she wanted to take at Columbia University but that since her return to Cleveland has received "some sort of offer." WILKINS is also considering attending Western Reserve University in Cleveland. WILKINS reportedly attended a number of "lectures" while in New York. Miss BOLDT stated that WILKINS, during the first year she had known her,

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visited her mother and sister in Library, Pennsylvania, but that her mother and sister were now residing with WILKINS on Mars Avenue in Lakewood, Ohio.

On January 3, 1951, Miss BOLDT advised that on Christmas Eve, 1950, WILKINS had informed her that she had seen PERL on her recent trip to New York and that PERL had informed her that he had recently re-married his former wife.

The Cleveland indices contained no information regarding ELEANORE E. WILKINS, PHYLLIS SNYDER or JEAN SMITH SINETSKY.

The following descriptive data regarding ELEANORE E. WILKINS was obtained from the records of NACA and the Evangeline Residence:

Birth date: August 23, 1918
Birth place: Kansas City, Missouri
Race: White
Sex: Female
Previous Residences: 1518 Ansel Road, August, 1947
The Evangeline, 1588 Ansel Road,
January 26, 1947 to November 17, 1948
Height: 5 feet 10 inches
Weight: 130 lbs.
Hair: Dark brown
Characteristics: Low forehead; rimless glasses;
fracture of right ankle at age 15;
slight limp
Religion: Presbyterian
Occupation: Librarian
Relatives: Sister: BOBETTE A. WILKINS, Maple
Springs, New York, phone Bemus Point
3006;
Father: O. L. WILKINS, Library,
Pennsylvania; died early 1948.
Education: Webster Grove, Missouri, High School.
1936 - 1940 Washington University,
St. Louis, BA English.
1941-1942 Carnegie Library School,
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, BS
Library Science.

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Employments:

1942-1944 Carnegie Library, Pittsburgh
3/44-2/46, War Department, Air Force,
Eglin Field, Florida
2/46-6/46 Carnegie Library
6/46-12/46 "Travelled"
1/47-8/47 Cleveland Public Library,
Business Information Bureau,
began 1/22/47

References:

8/47 to present, NACA, Librarian.
HAZEL KING, American Gas Association,
420 Lexington Avenue, New York;
Excellent while at Eglin Field,
Florida

MARTHA BARNES, Instructor at Carnegie
Library

FRANCIS KELLEY, 4400 Forbes Street,
Pittsburgh, Head of Library School

KATHLEEN BOLDT, c/o W. S. LEAPER,
Landerwood Drive, Route 4, Chagrin
Falls, Ohio, employed Millcraft
Paper Company, 1927 East 19th St.

EDITH CASE, Cleveland Public Library

ROSE VORMELLER, Cleveland Public
Library.

During the interview of WILKINS, she furnished the following personal background information and data concerning her association with WILLIAM PERL. The information concerning PERL set forth hereinafter will duplicate to some extent information set forth in the Details of this report; however, it is being included to maintain the continuity of the interview:

Background Data:

Born:

August 23, 1918, Kansas City, Mo.

Parents:

OTTO LEVI WILKINS (deceased)

ELEANORE KENNEDY WILKINS, resides
1617 Mars Avenue, Lakewood, Ohio

Sister:

BOBETTE A. WILKINS HERBERT,
1617 Mars Avenue, Lakewood, Ohio

Education:

Elementary School, Indianapolis,
Indiana; Junior High School, Louis-
ville, Kentucky; High School, Webster
Grove, Missouri; College, Washington
University, St. Louis, Missouri -
Bachelor of Science, 1940;

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Employment:

Employed at NYA and attended NYA Business School, Kirkwood, Missouri in 1941; Carnegie Library Institute, graduated June of 1942. Carnegie Library, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, June, 1942 to March, 1944; United States Air Force, Eglin Field, Florida through January, 1946; Reemployed by Carnegie Library, February, 1946 to May, 1946; January, 1947 through August, 1947, Business Information Bureau, Cleveland Public Library; August, 1947 to date, NACA, Cleveland.

After leaving Eglin Field, Florida, WILKINS returned to the Carnegie Library at Pittsburgh for a short time and during the summer of 1946, she vacationed at Van Buren Point on Lake Erie with her mother. Toward the end of September, WILKINS travelled to the west coast and was in San Diego during the annual meeting of the California Library Association held at San Diego in the fall of 1946. She then visited her sister, BOBETTE A. HERBERT, who was then residing in San Francisco, and returned to Cleveland in December of 1946.

WILKINS first met PERL about September of 1948 and occasionally had a dinner date or a theater engagement with him. WILKINS emphasized that her social contacts with PERL were irregular and of a limited nature.

WILKINS recalled that PERL's interest in the NACA library, when she first met him, centered on theories of turbulence and during his last year at NACA, he concerned himself with the study of solids. Generally, PERL wanted a greater bulk of information than the other scientists and requested photostatic copies of magazine articles quite regularly. Although WILKINS had access to "confidential data, PERL usually sought unclassified material. WILKINS advised that she has no access to "secret" or "top secret" material and access to such material is limited to the Chief Librarian, ETHEL B. LYON, ELEANOR SCADDING, and EVELYN DALZELL. (It is here noted that 116 investigations of the latter three revealed nothing derogatory.) At no time did PERL exhibit any evidence of being other than loyal to the United States. WILKINS does not recall ever discussing politics with PERL nor does she recall any expression of interest toward his family or college associates.

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PERL had no close associates at NACA, according to WILKINS, but probably was better known to MILTON KLEIN and FABIO GOLDSCHMIED than to any others.

WILKINS advised she visited New York during November of 1950 and called PERL on one occasion; however, he advised he had married and she did not recontact him. They met unexpectedly on one occasion and separated after a few moments conversation. Her only contact with him since he left the employ of NACA in September of 1950.

[REDACTED] Cleveland Police Department, advised the writer on March 20, 1951 that he was involved in an automobile accident with the subject at Rocky River Drive and Brookpark Road on [REDACTED] [REDACTED] advised that PERL had pulled away from the curb, striking his [REDACTED] car and PERL readily admitted the accident to be his fault. Since he agreed to pay for damages to [REDACTED] car, no accident report was made. [REDACTED] recalls another man and woman may have been in the car with PERL, but he was unable to describe them and did not identify any photographs of the individuals involved in this investigation.

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The information concerning the XP-81 was secured from the April, 1948 issue of the "Aeronautical Engineering Review", a copy of which was furnished by the San Diego Division, and from material furnished by CARLTON KEMPER, Lewis Flight Propulsion Laboratory, NACA.

It will be recalled that WILLIAM PERL has denied any knowledge of a Vultee built jet fighter.

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KEMPER recalled that after receiving this memorandum, he sent it directly to the Altitude Wind Tunnel and most probably to AL W. YOUNG, who is now in charge of one branch of the Altitude Wind Tunnel. He recalled that complete arrangements were made for the power plant of the XP-81 but no actual work was done.

AL W. YOUNG was interviewed and advised he vaguely recalled the preparations for testing the power plant of the XP-81, but stated that in 1944, the Altitude Wind Tunnel was headed by ABE SILVERSTEIN and all documents which came to YOUNG would have to clear through SILVERSTEIN. He stated he had no knowledge of PERL's being involved in the preliminary work on the XP-81, but advised that

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PERL was very close to SILVERSTEIN and could easily have had knowledge of it. He stated he was positive PERL worked on the preliminary plans for testing the XP-92, another Vultee aircraft, and recalled that all data were cleared through SILVERSTEIN for that plane also. U

It is to be noted that PERL has denied any knowledge of any Vultee aircraft. U

YOUNG also stated that the XP-81 project was assigned to G. MERRITT PRESTON, who is now in the Flight Plans Room 201, Flight Research Section, NACA, Cleveland. U

ETHEL V. LYON, Chief Librarian, NACA, personally made a thorough search of the NACA Library in the presence of the writer and was unable to find a copy of HARTMAN's memorandum, referred to above. She did, however, locate several memoranda pertaining to the XP-81, among them a letter written by HARTMAN. However, all of this material was dated 1945 and later. U

ABE SILVERSTEIN, Chief Engineer, Lewis Flight Propulsion Laboratory, NACA, advised the writer he recalled some early testing of the TG-100 turboprop engine, which was used in the XP-81. However, the work was terminated, since the engine was not believed to be practical. SILVERSTEIN, who has been closely associated with PERL, advised PERL did not work on any of the experiments concerning the XP-81 and that any information he had concerning this craft would have been second-hand. U

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WILLIAM PERL has admitted being involved in the testing and experiments of the XP-59 and it is noted that AL W. YOUNG stated he recalls a meeting at NACA which he believes concerned either the XP-81 or XP-92, which involved a Consolidated Vultee official and an Army Liaison Officer. YOUNG is quite certain PERL attended this meeting.

NUCLEAR ENERGY PROPELLED AIRCRAFT

DAVID GREENGLASS has recalled that in 1948, JULIUS ROSENBERG told him that the mathematics had been worked out for production of an atomic airplane engine. GREENGLASS gained the impression that ROSENBERG was at that time in possession of these mathematics.

Dr. EDWARD R. SHARP, Director, Lewis Flight Propulsion Laboratory, NACA, and CARLTON KEMPER, Executive Engineer, Lewis Flight Propulsion Laboratory, NACA, furnished the following information concerning the nuclear energy propelled aircraft projects:

Theoretical compilations began in 1945 and the first actual development utilizing nuclear energy as a propellant, began at Massachusetts Institute of Technology under the name "Project Lexington." Any competent physicist could advance mathematical theories for such an engine. However, experiments had resolved but a few theories by 1948 and until very recently, the atomic propelled aircraft was considered "no good."

The principal drawback to production of such a craft lay in the excessive weight caused by the shielding surrounding the source of nuclear energy. This problem has only recently been conquered and the recent publicity given indicates to all physicists that they have conquered the problem of shielding.

WILLIAM PERL had no direct access to information concerning the research being done on the project, although it was planned that he would engage in such work up until the Bureau's inquiry of 1950. PERL's duties involved the theoretical analysis of compressible flows at supersonic speed. PERL's superior, ABE SILVERSTEIN, had been and now is aware of all developments concerning the project.

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Work at the Cleveland Laboratory began as the result of a directive from Washington headquarters of NACA, and the following persons have been directly connected with it since its inception:

ADDISON M. ROTHROCK ✓
CARLTON C. KEMPER ✓
BEN PINKEL ✓
JOHN H. COLLINS JR. ✓
JESSE HALL ✓
SIDNEY L. SIMON ✓
ROBERT F. SELDEN ✓
EUGENE J. MANGANIELLO ✓
LEROY V. HUMBIE ✓
ALFRED R. BOBROWSKY ✓

All of those mentioned are still employed at NACA, Cleveland, with the exception of ROTHROCK and BOBROWSKY. ROTHROCK is now employed by NACA at its Washington headquarters while BOBROWSKY is employed at Willow Run, Michigan. All were investigated under the Atomic Energy program and with the exception of BOBROWSKY, no derogatory information was developed.

BOBROWSKY performed the analytical work on the shielding and also engaged in material studies for the project. His report on the method of computation for the shielding was distributed after being reduced to report form. For further information on BOBROWSKY, your attention is directed to Cleveland letter captioned "WILLIAM PERL, ESPIONAGE - R" dated December 29, 1950.

No one was actually in charge of the group studying on this project. However, ADDISON ROTHROCK handled liaison between Cleveland and Washington and as such, probably had a greater knowledge of the project than anyone else.

Informants stressed that possession of the mathematical compilations would not indicate they were received from anyone at NACA since any competent physicist could advance such compilations accurately. Information concerning the line of research regarding the shielding would be of value since it could avert unnecessary research and experimentation.

That PERL had knowledge of this project is evidenced by his official visit to Oak Ridge National Laboratory during December of

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1949 and is supported by the following information furnished by Knoxville letter dated February 16, 1951:

"Mr. LARRY P. RIORDAN, Superintendent, Security Division, Oak Ridge National Laboratory, advised that his records reflect that Dr. PERL and Dr. MEAMS (Dr. JAMES LAWRENCE MEAMS) visited Dr. ALVIN WEINBERG on December 9, 1949 with the purpose of the visit as 'unclassified side of pile into chemical extraction area' (unclassified area). Mr. RIORDAN stated the chemical extraction area is one of the more highly secret projects being conducted at the Oak Ridge National Laboratory and deals with shielding of aircraft powered with atomic energy."

W. G. GIBBONS, NACA, Cleveland, has advised that PERL spent only a day or so at Oak Ridge since his AEC clearance did not come through; however, MEAMS remained and is still employed at Oak Ridge on a loan basis from NACA.

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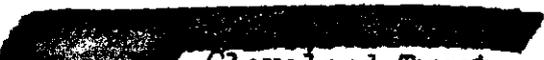
Copies of this report are being furnished to those offices which now have or may have leads in this investigation. No leads are being set forth in this report since all are being set forth by teletype or letter.

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and Euclid Avenue,
Cleveland, Ohio. (By request)

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Reference: Report of SA JOHN B. O'DONOGHUE, 1/5/51 at Cleveland.
Report of SA MAURICE W. CORCORAN, 2/6/51 at New York.
Summary report of SA RICHARD A. MINIHAN, 3/10/51, New York.

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607 U.S. Court House
Foley Square
New York 7, New York

March 29, 1951

The National City Bank of New York
55 Wall Street
New York 5, New York

Gentlemen:

Attention of [REDACTED]

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In connection with an official investigation being conducted by this office, it is requested that you make available to Special Agent Edward J. Cahill all records relative to the following account:

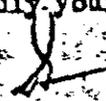
Joseph P. Blum

It is requested that your depositor not be notified of this inquiry.

The information furnished by you will not be disclosed to any unauthorized persons without the use of a subpoena duces tecum directed to your bank.

Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,


EDWARD SCHEIDT
Special Agent in Charge

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Memo: Wm. Peol.

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On 3/30/51, [redacted] Nat. City Bank 111 St. + Broadway advised that today a \$1,000.- ch. was charged against Wm Peol a/c at that bank. He said check was dated 3/29/51, was for \$1,000.- payable to Alfred A. Albert. Albert endorsed same + deposited it at Manufacturers Trust Co. NYC on 3/29/51. # 20899 appeared on back of check.

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[redacted] Manufacturers Trust Co. 45 Beaver St was contacted + advised Alfred A. Albert maintains a special checking a/c at the main office of Manufacturers Trust Co. and he is connected with firm of Selig, Wise, Esbitt + Kohn, 80 Broad St NYC WH 3-0266 a/c opened 7/11/50. Wife's name Dorothy H. Perrais a/c was with Merchants Nat. Bank, Boston. Low balance. Last statement mailed 3/5/51.

[Handwritten signature]

E. J. Cahill S a/a

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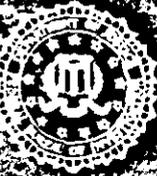
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The National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics is an independent government agency engaged in basic research in aeronautics. Many of its projects have immediate military implications and have been classified as "Secret." Its headquarters are located at 1724 F Street, Northwest, Washington 25, D. C. It maintains three major laboratories located as follows:

Langley Aeronautical Laboratory,
Langley Field, Virginia.

Levis Flight Propulsion Laboratory,
Cleveland Municipal Airport
Cleveland 11, Ohio.

James Aeronautical Laboratory,
Moffett Field,
Moffett, California.

Each of these laboratories has been designated as a Vital Facility by the Secretary of Defense. These laboratories and the Headquarters of the agency grant classified contracts. In addition to the main laboratories, the NACA maintains two other facilities located as follows:

High Speed Flight Research Station,
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Muroc, California.

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In the last two locations, actual tests are made.

Results of the basic research conducted by NACA in aeronautics are made available to the armed forces and to the general aircraft industry.

The Norfolk, Cleveland, San Francisco, Los Angeles and Washington Field Offices which cover the NACA offices listed above should add these items to the Facility Subdivider Guide Cards in the Confidential Plant Informant Index. Where cards have already been prepared on these facilities, notations indicating the interest of NACA should be made on the guide cards.

The listed Divisions should immediately establish liaison with the security officer and head of the facility to advise them of the Bureau's jurisdiction and to insure prompt receipt by the Bureau of information affecting these facilities. Confidential plant informants should be immediately developed in facilities which are not located on military reservations. The Washington Field Office need not develop plant informants at NACA headquarters inasmuch as close liaison has already been established by the Seat of Government.

Under separate cover the interested Divisions will be furnished lists of the classified contracts of NACA. Upon receipt, these contracts should be handled in the same manner that lists of classified contracts of the armed forces are handled. A 66 file should be opened on each facility for the development of confidential plant informants. Each facility holding a NACA classified contract should be incorporated into the Facility Subdivider Guide Cards in the Confidential Plant Informant Index.

When submitting reports containing information relating to espionage, sabotage or subversive activities affecting the work of NACA, its facilities or holders of its classified contracts, the interest of NACA should be reflected in the first paragraph of the administrative section of each report. The attention of the Bureau should also be called to the interest of NACA in reports relating to security information affecting NACA employees, members of NACA committees and subcommittees and persons in the aeronautical manufacturing or engineering fields who have contacts with NACA or receive NACA research reports. NACA desires such information particularly where the information might indicate or tend to indicate the need for special precautionary measures or the removal of these persons from access to classified information.

The Field must be alert at all times to call to the attention of the Bureau information of interest to the NACA so that this agency may be promptly furnished the pertinent data. No dissemination of information to NACA should be made by Bureau offices inasmuch as dissemination of such information will be made by the Bureau at the Seat of Government.

Very truly yours,

John Edgar Hoover

Director

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ASAC LETTER

New York 7, New York
April 6, 1951

MEMO: (Att: SA MAURICE W. CORCORAN)

RE: WILLIAM PERL
aka: William Mutterperl
AEMA

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This information is being brought to the attention of SA MAURICE W. CORCORAN for whatever action he may deem appropriate.

PATRICK E. THORPE, SA

cc: 65-15387

PET: JDS
116-37097

JDS

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FBI - NEW YORK
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New York, New York

April 7th, 1951

Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

RE: WILLIAM PERL, wa
ESPIONAGE - R
PER JURY
(Bufile 65-59312) b7e

Dear Sir:

It is requested that a [redacted] be placed in the files of the Identification Division against the record of the following individual:

Name WILLIAM PERL
Aliases (for additional space use reverse side)
WILLIAM MUTTERPERL
FBI Number 665203 A (or) Local Registry number
F. P. C.

The above individual is subject of a
SECURITY INDEX CASE

In the event any information concerning this individual is received in the Identification Division notify

New York Division

The above individual may be described as follows (not necessary if FBI number is furnished):

- 1-Age:
 - 2-Date of birth:
 - 3-Place of birth:
 - 4-Height:
 - 5-Weight:
 - 6-Build:
 - 7-Eyes:
 - 8-Hair:
 - 9-Complexion:
 - 10-Race:
 - 11-Sex:
 - 12-Nationality
 - 13-Occupation:
 - 14-Marital status:
 - 15-Residence:
- Scars, marks and peculiarities
- Is identification record desired? Yes No
- Subject is not identical with FBI number

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED
EXCEPT WHERE SHOWN
OTHERWISE.

Approximate date fingerprints forwarded to Federal Bureau of Investigation:

Very truly yours,

EDWARD SCHMIDT
Special Agent in Charge

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William Paul was
Espionage - R

See NO 70170R
Serial 396

William Lotocki, manager of Lotock Cameras, Chrysler Building, 42nd St. and Lexington Ave., was contacted by the writer on 3-17-51.

Mr. Lotocki identified the photograph of William Paul taken at the time of his arrest as the person who had been a customer at his store. He stated that Paul had always worn glasses on the occasions when he visited the store.

Note - Lotock inquiring revealed Lotocki was taken in identity of Paul.

He advised that Paul had been a customer at the store for several years and that during this period Paul or his wife had brought in a good many rolls of 35 mm. film for development and printing. He stated that on some occasions he would bring in 2 or 3 rolls at a time and that sometimes the charges for the work amounted to 10 or 12 dollars. He further advised that Paul and his wife had become so well known to him that he generally did not give him a receipt for the film but simply took the film from him and would turn it over to him when he returned upon of the work.

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Lotocki stated that so far as he could recall the films brought in by Perl consisted chiefly of photographs of people standing in front of buildings. He stated he recalled no photographs of documents or similar material. He also advised that from the quality of the photographs he believed that they were taken with a rather good camera, possibly a Contax or a Leica. The last film Perl, ^{or his wife} brought into the store was about 5 weeks ago.

Lotocki stated that approximately 10 days ago Perl had made inquiries indicating he wanted to purchase a 16 mm. sound movie projector. One of those which Perl seemed to be interested in was a Bell & Howell projector selling for \$449. They had also discussed an Ampso projector selling for \$375. Lotocki formed the opinion that price was no object with Perl but that he was more interested in a portable machine and portability was the chief consideration.

Lotocki also stated that Perl had discussed the possible purchase by him of a Bell and Howell Automator 16 mm movie camera. The price of this camera with a one inch lens is \$304.95.

In addition Perl had discussed the purchase of a 2 inch lens at \$92 and a 6 inch telephoto lens at \$202.

While discussing the purchase of this equipment Paul asked whether or not he could get it without the excise tax inasmuch as the equipment was to be taken or shipped out of the country. Lotocki stated Paul seemed to be quite serious about this and not merely trying to get Lotocki to sell him the equipment without the excise tax to save his money. Lotocki stated he told Paul he would find out about the matter of the excise tax and let Paul know, whereupon Paul gave him a phone number, ^{extension} to call. Lotocki later called this number and was told by some man that Paul could be reached at Columbia University. Lotocki stated that he had discarded the address which Paul told him to call but believes it to have been the Shelburne Hotel. He has no recollection of the extension or the name of the man to whom he talked.

In addition to the above Lotocki advised that the store had received, by mail, films for processing from a Mrs Paul N. Petroff, 15 Featherbed Lane, Bronx, N.Y. He stated that when she sent in the film Mrs. Petroff had advised that the store had been recommended by Mrs. Paul for the quality of the work.

Lotocki stated that he would be on the

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lookout for any films which Perlor his wife
or Petroff's would send or bring into the store
in the future and would immediately advise
this office should they be received.

Edward Coffine, Peerless Camera Stores Inc., 132d
St., was contacted in an effort to ascertain whether
or not Perlor might have made ^{concerning} inquiries, or had
purchased the equipment mentioned at the Peerless
Stores. The results of this inquiry were negative.

Letter O. Gallagher
Special Agent

607 U.S. Court House
Foley Square
New York 7, New York

65-15387

April 13, 1951

Honorable Albert Goldman

Postmaster
U.S. Post Office
33rd Street & 8th Ave.
New York 1, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

In connection with an investigation being conducted by this Bureau, it is requested that a cover be placed on all mail, including special delivery and registered mail, of the following for a period of thirty days:

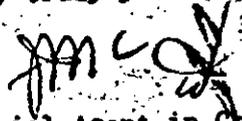
MR. and or Mrs. William Perl
wa. Mutterperl
104 East 38th Street
New York City, 16, N.Y.

return cards

tracings

Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,


Special Agent in Charge
EDWARD SCHEIDT

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607 U.S. Court House
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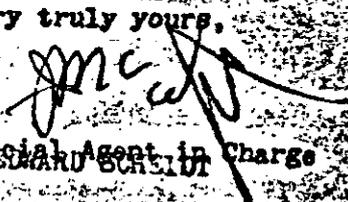
All mail addressed to Mutterperl
or Perl
at 936 Tiffany Street
Bronx, New York

return cards

tracings

Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,


Special Agent in Charge
EDWARD SCHMITT

MWC:JM *JM*

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SAC, CLEVELAND

April 20, 1951

SAC, KNOXVILLE

WILLIAM PERL, wa.
ESPIONAGE - R
(Cleveland file #65-2730)

Enclosed herewith is one copy of report of Special Agent HENRY A. QUINN, JR., Knoxville, dated March 21, 1951, for your assistance in conducting the requested investigation at Cleveland.

WWS/wsv
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cc - New York (65-15387)

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New York, New York
April 24th, 1951

MEMO

RE: WILLIAM PERL, wa.
ESPIONAGE - R
PERJURY

The writer's father, STANLEY GRABOWSKI, Sr., is employed as manager at the Pechter's Baking Co., bakery located on 173rd Street off Park Avenue, Bronx, N.Y.

On 4/13/51, writer's father advised that PERL'S father, ABRAHAM MUTTERPERL, is employed on his shift 5 days per week and has been so employed for the past few months.

After subject's arrest and the setting of \$20,000 bond, MUTTERPERL had asked for time off in order to raise the bond. MUTTERPERL indicated that he had \$14,000 and that the remaining \$6,000 might be raised by other members of the family. It was the writer's father's impression that MUTTERPERL had money in the Drydock Savings Bank. Above for information.

STANLEY J. GRABOWSKI, JR., SA

SJG:TCM
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F. B. I.
APR 24 1951
N. Y. C.
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FILE

*my dad
E. J. Cahill
corrected*

FILE DESCRIPTION

NEW YORK FILE

SUBJECT WILLIAM PERL

FILE NO. 65-15387

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File No: 65-15387Re: WILLIAM PEARLDate: 1/78

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496	4/23/51	LA REPORT TO HQ	7	-	See NY 65-15348
497	4/25/51	KX REPORT TO HQ	2	-	See HQ 65-59312
498	4/25/51	SAVINGS BANK, ^{DEY DOCK} TNY LETTER TO SA NY	1	1	
498a	4/27/51	SA MEMO TO FILE	1	-	See NY 65-14873
499	3/30/51	OTHER Gov't. Agency LETTER TO HQ	15	-	Referred to Gov't Agency
500	4/27/51	HQ LETTER TO CU	4	-	see HQ 65-59312
501	4/26/51	TNY TELETYPE TO HQ, PH captioned: Vivian Glassman	2	-	see HQ 65-59334
502	4/28/51	HQ LETTER TO NY	1	-	see HQ 65-59312
503	4/28/51	HQ LETTER TO CV	2	-	see HQ 65-59312
504	4/30/51	NY TELETYPE TO WFO	1	1	
505	4/30/51	TNY TELETYPE TO HQ captioned: Julius Rosenberg	4	-	see HQ 65-58226
506	5/1/51	SA MEMO TO FILE	2	2	

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507	5/1/51	SA REND TO FILE	1	1	
508	4/28/51	NIA LETTER TO NY	1	-	see HQ 65-59312
508a	4/30/51	NIA LETTER TO NY	1	-	see HQ 65-59312
509	5/1/51	NY REPORT CAPTIONED: MAX ELITCHER	38	-	see HQ 01-2115
510	4/30/51	NIA LETTER TO NY	1	-	see HQ 65-59312
511	4/14/51	WFO TELETYPE TO NY	1	1	
512	5/2/51	NY TELETYPE TO NIA	1	-	see HQ 65-59312
513	5/2/51	NY LETTER TO NIA RE: Theodor Von Karmier	1	-	see HQ 65-59312
514	4/23/51	OTHER GOV'T. Agency LETTER TO NIA	3	-	Referred to Gov't Agency
515	5/2/51	NIA LETTER TO CU	1	-	see HQ 65-59312
516	5/3/51	HQ TELETYPE TO NY	1	-	see HQ 65-59312
517	5/2/51	CU LETTER TO NIA	1	-	see HQ 65-59312

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Re: WILLIAM PERL

Date: 1/78
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518	5/4/51	NY TELETYPE TO HQ CAPTIONED: Julius Rosenberg	6	-	see 65-15348
519	5/4/51	WFO TELETYPE to NY AND HQ	2	-	see 65-59312
520	5/3/51	HQ to CV LETTER	2	-	see 65-59312
521	5/25/51	SERIAL 521 IDENTICAL WITH SERIAL 516	1	1	
522	5/7/51	COMPLAINT FORM REGARDING PERL	1	1	
523	5/5/51	HQ TELETYPE TO CV	1	-	see HQ 65-59312
524	5/7/51	NY TELETYPE TO CV (TYPED COPY)	1	1	
525	5/5/51	SL REPORT TO HQ	3	-	see 65-59312
526	5/8/51	NY SAC LETTER TO HQ	1	-	see 65-59312
527	5/8/51	NY TELETYPE TO LA (TYPED COPY)	1	1	
528	5/9/51	CV TELETYPE TO NY	1	1	
529	5/9/51	NY TELETYPE TO CV (TYPED COPY)	2	2	

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530	5/9/51	NY LETTER TO HQ	3	-	see 65-59312
531	5/10/51	CU TELETYPE TO NY & NY	1	+	see 65-59312
532	5/10/51	CU TELETYPE TO HQ & NY, WFO, BU	2	-	see 65-59312
533	5/11/51	SA MEMO TO FILE	1	-	see NY 100-37158
534	5/11/51	WFO TELETYPE TO NY HQ	1	-	see HQ 65-59312
535	5/11/51	IDENTIFICATION REPORT	4	-	see 65-59312
536	5/9/51	NA LETTER TO NY	1	-	see 65-59312
537	5/12/51	WFO TELETYPE TO NY & HQ	1	+	see 65-59312
538	5/12/51	NY TELETYPE TO HQ, (TYPED COPY)	2	-	see 65-59312
539	5/8/51	SF LETTER TO HQ	2	-	see 65-59312
540	5/11/51	NA LETTER TO NY	1	-	see 65-59312
541	5/12/51	LA LETTER TO HQ	2	-	see 65-59312

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542	5/15/51	NY TELETYPE TO WFO & HQ (TYPED COPY)	1	-	see 65-59312
543	5/15/51	NY TELETYPE TO HQ (TYPED COPY)	1	-	see 65-59312
544	5/15/51	NY TELETYPE TO HQ & AL (TYPED COPY)	3	-	see 65-59312
545	5/15/51	NY SAC TO NY POSTMASTER LETTER	1	1	
545A	5/15/51	NY SAC LETTER TO NY POSTMASTER	1	1	
546	5/16/51	INOTELTYPE TO CV	1	-	see 65-59312
547	5/16/51	SA MEMO TO FILE	1	1	
548	5/17/51	NY TELETYPE TO HQ & CV	1	-	see 65-59312
549	5/18/51	CG TELETYPE TO HQ & NY	1	-	see 65-59312
549a	5/18/51	NY TELETYPE TO HQ	3	-	see 65-15349
550	5/19/51	AL TELETYPE TO HQ & NY	2	-	see 65-59312
551	5/19/51	SA MEMO TO FILE CAPTIONED: Max & Helene Elitcher	1	-	see 65-4893

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552	5/17/51	CU REPORT TO NA	16	-	see HQ 65-59312
553	5/17/51	CU LETTER TO NA	2	-	see HQ 65-59312
554	5/18/51	NA LETTER TO NY	1	-	see HQ 65-59312
555	5/18/51	NY POSTMASTER LETTER TO US SAC	1	-	Referred to Gov't Agency
556	5/18/51	NY POSTMASTER LETTER TO SAC NY	1	-	Referred to Gov't Agency
557	5/19/51	NA LETTER TO CU	1	-	see HQ 65-59312
558	5/19/51	NA LETTER TO CU	2	-	see HQ 65-59312
559	5/19/51	WFO LETTER TO NA	1	-	see HQ 65-59312
560	5/19/51	CU LETTER TO NA	1	-	see HQ 65-59312
561	5/21/51	WFO LETTER TO NA	1	-	see HQ 65-59312
562	5/22/51	NY TELETYPE TO NA & UK captioned: Alfred Sarant	3	-	see HQ 65-59242
563	5/22/51	NY TELETYPE TO NA & SW captioned: Alfred Sarant	5	-	see HQ 65-59242

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564	5/19/51	BU LETTER TO NA	1	-	see 65-59312
565	5/22/51	WFO REPORT TO NA	10	-	see 65-15348
566	5/22/51	BU REPORT TO NA	4	-	see 65-59312
567	5/22/51	NA LETTER TO CU	1	-	see 65-59312
568	5/22/51	NA LETTER TO NY	1	-	see 65-59312
569	5/23/51	NY TELETYPE TO NA captioned: Julius Rosenberg	8	-	see 65-15348
570	5/23/51	NY TELETYPE TO CU captioned: Julius Rosenberg	2	-	see NY 65-15348
571	5/22/51	NA LETTER TO WFO	2	-	see 65-59312
572	5/24/51	OUTSIDE AGENCY REPORT	4	-	referred to Gov't Agency
573	5/24/51	OUTSIDE AGENCY REPORT	2	-	" " "
574	5/16/51	OUTSIDE AGENCY REPORT	2	-	" " "
575	5/22/51	NA LETTER TO WFO	2	-	see 65-59312

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576	5/25/51	NY TELETYPE TO NY CAPTIONED: Julius Rosenberg	4	-	See 65-58236
577	5/25/51	AL TELETYPE TO NY	1	1	
578	5/26/51	NYA TELETYPE TO KX CAPTIONED: Julius Rosenberg	1	-	See HQ 65-58236
579	5/26/51	NY TELETYPE TO NYA & CV CAPTIONED: Julius Rosenberg	1	-	See HQ 65-58236
580	5/29/51	NY LETTER TO NYA	2	-	See HQ 65-59312
580A	5/29/51	NY LETTER TO NYA	1	+	See HQ 65-59312
581A	5/29/51	SA MEMO TO FILE	3	3	
581	5/29/51	NY REPORT TO NYA	86	-	See HQ 65-59312
582	5/29/51	AL REPORT TO NYA	5	-	See HQ 65-59312
583	5/27/51	CI REPORT TO NYA	4	-	See HQ 65-59312
584	5/28/51	NYA LAB REPORT TO NYA	2	-	See HQ 65-59312
585	5/31/51	SA MEMO TO FILE	1	1	

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586	5/28/51	DE REPORT TO NA	4	-	See HQ 65-59312
587	5/31/51	NY TELETYPE TO WFO (TYPED COPY)	1	1	
588	5/31/51	NA LETTER TO NY	8	-	See HQ 65-59312
589	6/1/51	NY TELETYPE TO NA, AL, SAC re: Alfred Sarant	2	-	See HQ 65-59242
590	5/29/51	WFO LETTER TO NA	1	-	See HQ 65-59312
591	6/6/51	BA LETTER TO NA	1	-	See HQ 65-59312
592	5/31/51	BA LETTER TO NA	4	-	See HQ 65-59312
593	6/2/51	NY TELETYPE TO NA, OS (TYPED COPY)	1	*	See HQ 65-59312
594	6/4/51	WFO LETTER TO NA	1	*	See HQ 65-59312
595	6/5/51	NY LETTER TO NA	1	-	See HQ - 65-59312
596	6/4/51	CV SAC LETTER TO NA	9	-	See HQ 65-59312
597	6/6/51	SA memo TO FILE	2	-	See NY 65-15360

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598	6/6/51	NYA LETTER TO NY	1	-	See HQ 65-59312
599	6/6/51	NYA LETTER TO CV	1	-	See HQ 65-59312
600	6/6/51	NYA LETTER TO NY	1	-	See HQ 65-59312
601	6/7/51	NY TELETYPE TO LA (STAMPED COPY)	1	1	
601A	5/29/51	KX TELETYPE TO NYA	1	-	See HQ 65-59312 <i>58236-1100</i>
601B	6/7/51	NYA TELETYPE TO KX	2	-	See HQ 65-59312 <i>58236-1096</i>
602	6/5/51	CV LETTER TO NYA	1	-	See HQ 65-59312
602A	6/8/51	NYA LETTER TO NY CAPTIONED: Julius Rosenberg	2	-	See HQ 65-58236
603	6/9/51	NY LETTER TO NYA	1	-	See HQ 65-59312
603A	6/9/51	SA SAC TO NY LETTER TELEPHONE CO.	1	1	
604	6/7/51	BS LETTER TO NYA	1	-	See HQ 65-59312
605	6/9/51	NYA LETTER TO CV	1	-	See HQ 65-59312

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606	6/9/51	NHQ LETTER TO NY re: Julius Rosenberg	4	-	See HQ 65-58236
607	6/11/51	SA MEMO TO FILE	1	1	
608	6/12/51	NY TELETYPE TO UF	1	1	
609	6/12/51	NY TELETYPE TO NA, AL, BS re: Alfred SACANT	3	-	See HQ 65-59242
610	6/13/51	SAC NY LETTER TO NY POSTMASTER	1	1	
611	6/13/51	SAC NY LETTER TO NY POSTMASTER	1	1	
612	6/13/51	NY LETTER TO HQ	6	-	See HQ 65-59312
613	6/13/51	NY TELETYPE TO NA, CU, UF	1	*	See HQ 65-59312
614	6/13/51	HQ LETTER TO BA	1	-	See HQ 65-59312
615	6/14/51	HQ LETTER TO WFO	1	-	See HQ 65-59312
616	6/14/51	HQ LETTER TO CI	2	-	See HQ 65-59312
617	6/14/51	HQ CU, NY TELETYPE TO UF	2	-	See HQ 65-59312

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617A	6/4/51	NY TELETYPE TO HQ, AL & BS re: ALFRED SACANT	1	-	See HQ 65-59242
617B	6/15/51	NY TELETYPE TO HQ, CU, UF (TIPTED COPY)	1	-	See HQ 65-59312
618	6/14/51	HA LETTER TO UK	3	-	See HQ 65-59312
619	6/14/51	HA LETTER TO DE	1	-	See HQ-65-59312
620	6/15/51	NY POSTMASTER LETTER TO NY SAC	1	-	Referred to Gov't Agency
620a	6/15/51	NY POSTMASTER LETTER TO SAC NY	1	-	Referred to Gov't Agency
620b	6/15/51	HA LETTER TO PG re: Julius Rosenberg	4	-	see HQ 65-58236
621	6/18/51	NY LETTER TO HA	1	-	See HQ 65-59312
622	6/18/51	HA LETTER TO NY	1	-	See HQ 65-59312
623	6/19/51	HA LETTER TO NY	3	-	See HQ 65-59312
624	6/21/51	NY TELETYPE TO HA re: Julius Rosenberg	4	-	see HQ 65-58236
625	6/21/51	LA TELETYPE TO NY	3	3	

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CORPORATED 1848

IRY DUCK SAVINGS BANK

341 & 343 BOWERY

NEW YORK 3, N.Y.

PLAZA 3-0600

[REDACTED] b7d

April 25, 1951

Mr. Edward J. Cahill
Special Agent F. B. I.
U. S. Court House
Foley Square, N. Y.

Re: Account No. 1010103 (closed)
Abraham Mutterperl in trust for
Sarah Mutterperl, Wife

Dear Sir:

In accordance with my promise,
I enclose herewith photostatic copy of
our bonds-for-safekeeping record to-
gether with the ledger card for the
above captioned account.

Very truly yours.

[REDACTED] b7d

[REDACTED] enc.

[REDACTED] b7d

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

NEW YORK, N.Y.
APRIL 30, 1951

Transmit the following Teletype message to:

WASHINGTON FIELD....URGENT

WILLIAM PERL, ESP-R, PERJURY. RENVTEL APRIL TWO LAST AND WFO REPORT
APRIL TWENTY. SUBEL WHEN INFO RE WILLIAM PERL PAYROLL CHECKS MAY BE
EXPECTED BY THIS OFFICE. EXPEDITE.

SCHEIDT

WJ

Mr. Tolson	
Mr. Boardman	
Mr. Belmont	
Mr. Ladd	
Mr. Nichols	
Mr. Rosen	
Mr. Tracy	
Mr. Harbo	
Mr. Mohr	
Mr. Winterrowd	
Tele. Room	
Mr. Holloman	
Miss Gandy	

EJC:IL

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Approved: *[Signature]*
Special Agent in Charge

Sent *stop* M Per *[Signature]*

65-15387-504

5-1-51

Memo.

Re: William Perl, wa.
Espionage R.
Resisting.

On 4-30-51 SA Arnold E. Larson contacted Prof. Harold Wolf, School of Electrical Engineering, College of the City of New York, who made available to him one bound copy of subject's Master's Thesis written in the Spring of 1939 for his Master of Electrical Engineering degree. It is entitled "Electromagnetic Theory and Some Applications".

SA Arnold gave Prof. Wolf a signed receipt upon acceptance of this thesis and advised him same would be returned. Prof. Wolf stated that it was agreeable for this Office to retain the book as long as needed & requested that it be returned to him personally. The book should be obtained by the agent who returns the thesis at the completion

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of instant case.

At the request of WASH Foley, S.Dry,
the above thesis was allowed to him for possible
use at the forthcoming trial of subject. Delivery
was made 5-1-51 by undersigned.

JWB

Returned
5-2-51
JWB

Placed in 1B 70

William Perl, w.a.
Espionage - R,
Benjamy
65-15387

On 5-1-51 Mr. S. Stearns of the Church
St. Station of the Post office at 90 Church St., N.Y.C.
advised that P.O. Box 724 is assigned
to National City Bank, 55 Wall St.,
N.Y.C.

B⁰ 9.100
Les N. Friedman
Special Agent

M. CB advised b7d

this infoth is used by all branches.
Perl has checking a/c at 111st Branch.

65-15387-507

F. B. I.	
MAY 1 1951	
N. Y. C.	
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MR. WINE
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 MR. YERGEN
 MR. ZANDER

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NEW YORK 18 FROM WASH FIELD

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CAC URGENT

WILLIAM PERL, ESP DASH R, PERJURY. REWYTEL APRIL THIRTY LAST. GAO ADVISES CHECKS WILL BE AVAILABLE WFO ABOUT MAY FIVE. AFTER PHOTOSTATING COPIES WILL BE FURNISHED NY.

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United States Department of Justice

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COMPLAINT FORM

William Peil, WA
Subject's Name and Aliases

Irving Feldman
Name of Complainant
25-09-42nd Road
Address of Complainant
Long Island City

Address of Subject
Spionage R- Pasquy
Character of Case

Telephone Number of Complainant
April 27, 1951
Date and Time Complaint Received

DESCRIPTION OF SUBJECT:

FACTS OF COMPLAINT: Feldman, owner, Melan Plumbing Co, 25-09
42nd Road L.I. City advised that Joseph P. Blum has
been employed by him for 3 years; that he has imp-
ortant secret contracts & does not desire to that any
settlement befall his business due to employment
of Blum who advised him that he Blum will
testify in the Peil case. He was advised that no
information of this type could be afforded him
alt. that a record of his call & the reason therefor
would be made!

ACTION RECOMMENDED BY AGENT:

Index as indicated + file 65-15387

*No action
Blum + work
voluntarily brought
in letters of the FBI
which may be used
in Peil case
with Blum as
witness*

F. B. I.
MAY 7 1951
N. Y. C.
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A. M. Garber
Special Agent

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

New York, New York

May 7, 1951

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Transmit the following Teletype message to: CLEVELAND, URGENT
WILLIAM PERL, WA. ESP R, PERJURY. RENVTEL APRIL SEVEN LAST
AND CLEVELAND LET APRIL TWELVE LAST. SUTEL WHEN INFORMATION
REQUESTED IN RENVTEL CONCERNING DEPOSITS AND WITHDRAWALS TO
SUBJECTS ACCOUNTS WILL BE AVAILABLE TO THIS OFFICE.

W

SCHEIDT

.....	MR. SCHEIDT
.....	MR. WHELAN
.....	MR. FARGETT
.....	MR. COLLIER
.....	MR. GILLESPIE
.....	MR. GRANVILLE
.....	MR. REAGAN
.....	MR. LADD
.....	MR. INGLETSBY
.....	MR. MORRIS
.....	INVEST SUPERVISOR
.....	MR. TOLSON
.....	MR. CLEGG
.....	MR. WATSON
.....	MR. WOOD
.....	CHIEF CLERK
.....	PROPERTY CLERK
.....	TRAINING UNIT

EJC:KDD (6)
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Am

Approved: *ES*
me Special Agent in Charge

Sent *7-36 P* M

Per *EM*

65-15387-524

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

New York 7, New York

May 8, 1951

Transmit the following Teletype message to: LOS ANGELES - URGENT

Pertury
 WILLIAM FERI, WA; ESPIONAGE - R, ~~SURVEILLANCE~~ RE REPORT SA THOMAS
 E. BRYANT AT LOS ANGELES, SEPTEMBER TWELFTH, NINETEEN FIFTY.
 COMPLETE TRANSCRIPT OF ALL ACTIVITY IN FERI'S SAVINGS ACCOUNT
 AT SECURITY FIRST NATIONAL BANK, PASADENA, CALIFORNIA, IS
 DESIRED. IF AVAILABLE, EXAMINE DEPOSIT TICKETS FOR PERTINENT
 DATA AND FURNISH DETAILS OF CASHIER'S CHECK DATED JUNE TWENTY-
 FOURTH, NINETEEN FORTY-SIX, MENTIONED IN REFERENCED REPORT.
 SUTEL AS NEW YORK PRESENTLY PREPARING SUMMARY OF SUBJECT'S
 FINANCES.

SCHLIDT

gm

EJC:MIC (#C)
65-15387

[Handwritten signature]

Approved: _____
Special Agent in Charge

Sent 3:58 P M Per Q11

65-15387-527 *at*

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

MR. SCHEIDT
MR. WHELAN
MR. HARGRETT
MR. COLE
MR. GIBSON
MR. LADD
MR. NICHOLS
MR. ROSEN
MR. TRACY
MR. WATSON
MR. WEAVER
MR. WOOD
TELE. ROOM
MR. HOLLOMAN
MISS GANDY

New York, N.Y.
May 9, 1951

Transmit the following Teletype message to: CLEVELAND..... URGENT
WILLIAM PERL, wa. ESP. R. PERJURY. REURTEL MAY NINE INSTANT
AND CURTEL MAY SEVEN LAST. RE URLEIS APRIL TWELVE AND TWENTY
LAST AND CURTEL APRIL SEVEN. *NY tel April Seven* REQUESTED COMPLETE TRANSCRIPT
OF SUBJECT'S ACCOUNT AT UNITED BRANCH, CENTRAL NATIONAL BANK.
TRANSCRIPT OF THIS ACCOUNT *Received* AT NYC AS ENCLOSURE TO
URLET APRIL TWELVE LAST. CURTEL APRIL SEVEN ALSO REQUESTED
EXAMINATION ON SELECTIVE BASIS OF PHOTOGRAPHIC RECORD OF ABOVE
ACCOUNT SHOWING ITEMS DRAWN, IF SAME AVAILABLE. CLEVELAND
REQUESTED SUTEL RE THIS. CURTEL APRIL SEVEN ALSO REQUESTED
WHETHER DEPOSIT TICKETS AND PHOTOGRAPHS OF ITEMS DRAWN ON
SUBJECT'S COMMERCIAL ACCOUNT AND SAVINGS ACCOUNT AT CLEVELAND
TRUST, SET FORTH IN CLEVELAND REP MARCH TWENTYSEVEN LAST, ARE
AVAILABLE AND IF SO, THAT SAME BE REVIEWED ON SELECTIVE BASIS.
ADVISE IF DEPOSIT TICKETS AND PHOTOGRAPHS OF ITEMS DRAWN ARE
AND IF Reviewed AVAILABLE. CLEVELAND REP MARCH TWENTYSEVEN LAST, PAGE SIX,
LISTS DEBIT MEMO MARCH TEN, NINETEEN FORTYFIVE AND CURTEL APRIL
SEVEN REQUESTED DETAILS RE THIS ITEM. URLET APRIL TWELVE STATED
ATTEMPTS TO LOCATE DEBIT MEMO AS WELL AS DEPOSIT SLIPS WERE BEING
MADE AND THAT PERTINENT INFO WOULD BE FURNISHED WHEN AVAILABLE.
ADVISE STATUS RE DEBIT MEMO AND DEPOSIT SLIPS. URLET APRIL TWENTY
ENCLOSED PHOTOSTATIC COPY OF SUBJECT'S ACCOUNT AT WEST ONE ONE SEVEN

Low

EJC:amc (#6)
65-15387
Approved: _____

Special Agent in Charge

Sent *5:45 PM* M Per *[Signature]*

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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Transmit the following Teletype message to:

STREET FRANCH, CENTRAL NATIONAL BANK. LAST ITEM SHOWN IS
BALANCE OF SEVEN SIX THREE DOLLARS SEVEN EIGHT CENTS, AS OF
FEBRUARY TWENTYSEVEN, NINETEEN FIFTY. CLEVELAND REP AUGUST
SEVEN, NINETEEN FIFTY REFLECTS ON PAGE SEVENTEEN THAT BALANCE
OF SUBJECT'S ACCOUNT WAS ONE THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED TWENTY FIVE
DOLLARS SEVEN ONE CENTS AS OF JULY FOURTEEN, NINETEEN FIFTY.
CLEVELAND REQUESTED TO SUPPLY TRANSCRIPT FOR PERIOD AFTER
FEBRUARY TWENTYSEVEN, NINETEEN FIFTY TO DATE ~~this~~ ACCOUNT CLOSED.

SCHEIDT

Approved: _____
Special Agent in Charge

Sent _____ M Per _____

607 U. S. Court House
Foley Square
New York 7, N. Y.

65-15387

May 15, 1951

Honorable Albert Goldman
Postmaster
U. S. Post Office
33rd St & 2th Ave.
New York 1, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

In connection with an investigation being conducted by this Bureau, it is requested that a cover be placed on all mail, including special delivery and registered mail, of the following for a period of thirty days:

ALL MAIL ADDRESSED TO MATTER PERL
OR PERL
at 936 Tiffany St.,
Bronx, New York

return cards

tracings

Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,

E. Scheidt
Edward Scheidt,
Special Agent in Charge

137C:hm

65-15387-545

607 U. S. Court House
Foley Square
New York 7, N. Y.

65-14911

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May 15, 1951

Honorable Albert Goldman
Postmaster.

U. S. Post Office
33rd St & 8th Ave.
New York 1, N. Y.

Dear Sir:

In connection with an investigation being conducted by this Bureau, it is requested that a cover be placed on all mail, including special delivery and registered mail, of the following for a period of thirty days:

MR & MRS. WILLIAM PERL
wa: Mutterperl
104 East 38th St.
New York City 6, N. Y.

return cards

tracings

Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,


Edward Schmidt
Special Agent in Charge

ENC:hm

65-15387-545A

5/16/51

Memo:

Re: WILLIAM PERL, wa
ESP-R, PERJURY

On 5/16/51, MR. WILLIAM HABER,
the Assistant P.O. ^{Inspector} Office, Rm 4112, USPO,
33rd + 8th Avenue, NYC telephonically
advised that a thorough check
of the available records of the
Tompkins Square sta. failed to reflect
any records of mail having been
delivered to WILLIAM PERL, wa
in the area covered by this P.O. Sta.
during the past 2 year period.

Robert F. Royal Jr

65-15387-547

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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	MR. GIBSON

FBI ALBANY 5-25-51 6-10 PM
 SAC, NEW YORK CITY URGENT

WILLIAM PERL, WA., ESPIONAGE DASH R, PERJURY. RE MY TEL MAY NINETEEN
 LAST. EXHAUSTIVE SEARCH CONDUCTED BY DEAN OF ITHACA, LOCAL MOVING
 COMPANY, REFLECTING NO RECORD OF SHIPMENT OF FURNITURE FROM SIX FIVE
 MORTON ST., TO ITHACA. THREE SHIPMENTS TO SARANT OF FURNITURE AND
 HOUSHOLD GOODS FROM NYC MADE ON NOV. SEVEN, NINETEEN FORTYSEVEN-JULY
 TWELVE, NINETEEN FORTYEIGHT- AND MAY NINETEEN, NINETEEN FORTYNINE, BILLS
 BEING PAID BY MRS. LOUIS BRANDT. PICK UP FOR FIRST SHIPMENT MADE
 FROM BRANDT RESIDENCE, ONE TWO THREE NAUGHT PARK AVE. OTHER TWO SHIP-
 MENTS MADE UNDER CONTRACT WITH WEEKS STORAGE COMPANY, ROCKVILLE CENTER,
 L. I. AND SHIPPING POINT REFLECTED ONLY AS NYC. SUGGEST CONTACTING
 THIS COMPANY FOR DETAILS AS TO PICK UP. REPORT FOLLOWS.

END
 OK FBI NYC REOT

SHINE
 65-15387-577

May 29, 1951

Memo:

Re: WILLIAM PERL, wa.
Espionage R
Perjury

Rerep SA MAURICE W. CORCORAN dated May 29,
1951 at New York.

In preparation of this report the attached
references have been reviewed and pertinent information
incorporated therein.

MAURICE W. CORCORAN
SA

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Memo:

Re: William Perle wa
Espionage R
Perjury

Reference report of SA Maklon F
Coiler 4-73-51, Detroit. (Serial 445)

On May 29, 1951 SA John A. Harrington
exhibited a photo of Alfred Randolph Bobrowsky
to David Greenglass at City Prison, New
York City. Greenglass advised he had never
heard of Bobrowsky and failed to identify
his photograph.

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MW Conoran
SA

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

NEW YORK, NEW YORK
MAY 31, 1951

Transmit the following Teletype message to: WASHINGTON FIELD URGENT

WILLIAM PERL, WA., ESPIONAGE - R, PERJURY. REURLET TO BUREAU, MAY NINETEEN,
FIFTY ONE. SUTEL DATE WHEN PHOTOSTATS OF SUBJECT'S SALARY CHECK WILL
BE AVAILABLE TO THIS OFFICE.

SCHEIDT

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EJC:JP (#6)
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Approved: *[Signature]*
Special Agent in Charge

Sent *8:15* M Per *[Signature]*

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

NEW YORK
JUNE 7, 1951

Transmit the following Teletype message to: LOS ANGELES . . . URGENT

WILLIAM PERL, WA; ESPIONAGE R; PERJURY. REURLET MAY TWELFTH,
FIFTYONE. REFERENCED LETTER LISTS ADDITIONAL DEPOSITS TO
COMMERCIAL ACCOUNT OF SUBJECT AT SECURITY FIRST NATIONAL
BANK, PASADENA, CAL. IN VIEW OF THIS, SUTEL AMOUNTS OF
OTHER WITHDRAWALS MADE FROM ACCOUNT. IF PHOTOS ARE AVAILABLE,
OF CHECKS DRAWN, EXAMINE AND FURNISH DETAILS.

SCHREIBT

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Approved: *[Signature]*
Special Agent in Charge

Sent *5:57* M Per *[Signature]*

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Federal Bureau of Investigation
United States Department of Justice



607 United States Court House
Foley Square
New York 7, New York

~~PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL~~

June 9th, 1951

Mr. Edward L. Braune, Agent
New York Telephone Company
140 West Street
New York 7, New York

Dear Mr. BRAUNE:

In connection with an official investigation being conducted by this Office it is requested that information be furnished concerning toll calls charged to OR - 7-4818 during the months of February, March, and April, 1951. This number is reported to be listed to

Your cooperation in this matter will be greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,

Edward Scheidt
EDWARD SCHEIDT
Special Agent in Charge

WRS:TCM *TCM*

at
65-15387-603a

New York, New York

June 11, 1951

MEMO:

Re: WILLIAM PERL
ESPIONAGE-R

NATHAN SUSSMAN was interviewed by writer on 6/6/51 re WILLIAM PERL.

SUSSMAN stated he definitely recalls WILLIAM PERL, as MUTTERPERL, as a member of the Steinmetz Club, YCL at City College during the time they were in school there. SUSSMAN stated that he himself was a member of the "Main Club" at CCNY, but that he would have worked with the Steinmetz Club, and PERL was a member of the latter club.

In this connection, SUSSMAN stated that Steinmetz Club was organized in 1936 or 1937, and its membership was composed of Engineering students. Thus, the Steinmetz Club was the Engineering Club of the YCL.

SUSSMAN further advised that he is unable to recall any specific instance of action in YCL by PERL, or any incident which would connect PERL with this club. STANLEY RICH was also in the Steinmetz Club of YCL at CCNY.

Concerning the Karl Marx House, SUSSMAN stated that this was a three-story brownstone house located 3, 4, or 5 blocks north of CCNY, and, he believes, east of Convent Avenue. He stated the college acquired it in about 1935, it was rented, and was utilized by the students as a meeting place. He stated the college no longer has the Karl Marx House. He stated he imagined the college let the place go because of the rent.

SUSSMAN stated he does not recall MILTON KLEIN. Neither did he recall anyone at CCNY with whom PERL was particularly close. In this connection, SUSSMAN stated that if he could see pictures in the year book, he could pick out the YCL members, and could probably recall someone who was associated with PERL.

Recontact SUSSMAN for purpose of displaying year book pictures to him.

cc: 65-15399 (Sussman)

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BERT TAYLOR, USA

FBI NORFOLK

6-12-51

12-01 PM

SAC NEW YORK

U R G E N T

WILLIAM PERL, WA., ESPIONAGE DASH R, PERJURY. RECORDS MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK, HAMPTON, VA., REFLECT SUBJECT AS WILLIAM MUTTER PERL OPENED CHECKING ACCOUNT AT INSTANT BANK ON MAY SIXTEEN, NINETEEN THIRTY NINE, DATE OF CLOSING OUT UNKNOWN BUT FORWARDING ADDRESS LISTED AS BEREA, OHIO. PARTIAL RECORDS OF CHECKING ACCOUNT AVAILABLE AT BANK SHOWING STATEMENTS FROM JANUARY, NINETEEN FORTY ONE THROUGH MARCH NINETEEN FORTY THREE. ONLY UNUSUAL ACTIVITY NOTED WAS DEPOSIT FOR FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS IN MARCH, NINETEEN FORTY ONE. ALL AVAILABLE RECORDAK FILM WILL BE RUN OFF TOMORROW MORNING TO ASCERTAIN CHECKING ACTIVITY OF SUBJECT.

WYLY

ACK AND HOLD PLS

OK FBI NYC JEM

RECD AT 1-05 PM

- MR. TOLSON
- MR. BOARDMAN
- MR. BELMONT
- MR. CLEGG
- MR. GLAVIN
- MR. HARBO
- MR. LADD
- MR. NICHOLS
- MR. ROSEN
- MR. TRACY
- MR. WATSON
- MR. WHELAN
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U. S. Court House
607 Foley Square
New York 7, N. Y.

65-15387

June 13, 1951

Honorable Albert Goldman
Postmaster
U. S. Post Office
33rd St. & 8th Ave.
New York 1, N. Y.

Dear Sir:

In connection with an investigation being conducted by this Bureau, it is requested that a cover be placed on all mail, including special delivery and registered mail, of the following for a period of thirty days:

ALL MAIL ADDRESSED TO MATTER PERL OR PERL
936 Tiffany St.
Bronx, New York

return cards

tracings

Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,

[Handwritten Signature]
Special Agent in Charge

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Dear Sir:

In connection with an investigation being conducted by this Bureau, it is requested that a cover be ^{retained} placed on all mail, including special delivery and registered mail, of the following for a period of thirty days:

MR. & MRS. WILLIAM PERL
wa: MUTTERPERL
104 East 38th St.
New York City 6, N. Y.

return cards

tracings

Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,

Special Agent in Charge

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MAY 21, 1946	\$1.67
MAY 23, 1946	\$13.91
JUNE 1, 1946	\$1.00
JUNE 15, 1946	\$1.33
JUNE 15, 1946	\$7.59
JUNE 27, 1946	\$45.00
JUNE 27, 1946	\$5.12
JULY 5, 1946	\$1.54
JULY 6, 1946	\$1.50
JULY 6, 1946	\$45.00
JULY 12, 1946	\$6.54
AUGUST 9, 1946	\$5.96
AUGUST 19, 1946	\$1.02
SEPTEMBER 6, 1946	\$3.39
SEPTEMBER 7, 1946	\$15.00
SEPTEMBER 11, 1946	\$45.00
SEPTEMBER 11, 1946	\$33.00
SEPTEMBER 12, 1946	\$6.90
SEPTEMBER 27, 1946	\$5.00
OCTOBER 18, 1946	\$6.19
OCTOBER 18, 1946	\$2.92
NOVEMBER 12, 1946	\$45.00

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NOVEMBER 13, 1946	\$1.85
NOVEMBER 18, 1946	\$5.16
DECEMBER 13, 1946	\$4.41
JANUARY 18, 1947	\$4.29
JANUARY 23, 1947	\$1,000.00
FEBRUARY 17, 1947	\$1,078.22

THE BANK ADVISES THAT THE CHECKS WERE NOT PHOTOCOPIED,
AND THEY HAVE BEEN GIVEN TO THE CUSTOMER. RUC.

HOOD

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LOSA, R 6 NYC DEC AT 939 PM

Office Memorandum MENT

TO : SAC, New York

DATE: 6/21/51

FROM : 7 SAC, Norfolk

SUBJECT: WILLIAM PERL, wa.
ESPIONAGE - R; PERJURY
NY 65-15387

Re NY letter to Bureau 6/5/51; Norfolk teletype to NY 6/12/51; NY teletype to Norfolk 6/13/51; Norfolk teletype to Bureau, Cleveland, and NY 6/14/51.

Enclosed herewith are photostats of ledger stubs located at the Merchants National Bank, Hampton, Va., pertaining to account of WILLIAM MUFFIERPERL. It is noted that these ledger stubs run from 1/41 to 1/19/44, at which time subject closed out his account.

The checks issued by subject on his account from the latter part of 1/41 or early 2/41 through 1/19/44 had been run through the Recordak machine showing the face of the check only. All the checks written by subject as reflected from Recordak film, totalling some 340 rolls of film, have been screened by this office, and descriptive data on each check, including amount, date of check, number of Recordak roll, date check was entered on account of subject, and name of person to whom check was payable, have been noted on the enclosed work sheets which total 17 pages.

NY is requested to scrutinize the ledger stubs and the checks described on the work sheets with the object of ascertaining which of the checks should be photographed. Ample time should be afforded the Norfolk Office to obtain instant film, since it is not desirable to have too many of the rolls of film out of the bank at one time.

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Enc.

REGISTERED MAIL*see exhibit
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SUBJECT William Peel

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Serial	Date	Description (Type of communication, to, from)	No. of Pages		Exemptions used or, to whom referred (Identify statute if (b)(3) cited)
			Actual	Released	
630	6-21-51	NY LETTER TO HQ, AL	3	0	NK File 65-15348
631	6-27-51	NY REPORT TO HQ	7	7	
632	6-23-51	SE REPORT TO HQ	5	0	Bur File 65-59312
633	6-27-51	WFO TELETYPE TO HQ, CV	1	0	Ref. to another Bur Agency
634	6-19-51	1 pg Routing Slip LEGAT LETTER TO HQ	3	0	Bur File 65-59312
635	7-3-51	NY LETTER TO NF	4	4	
636	7-2-51	CI REPORT TO HQ	13	0	Bur File 65-59312
637	7-2-51	CI LETTER TO HQ	2	0	Bur File 65-59312
638	7-6-51	SF LETTER TO HQ	3	0	Bur File 65-59312
639	7-10-51	NY MEMO TO FILE	2	2	
640	7-10-51	HQ TELETYPE TO CV	1	0	Bur File 65-59312
641	7-9-51	CI LETTER TO HQ	5	0	Bur File 65-59312

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642	7-11-51	NY LETTER TO HQ, AL	8	0	Bur File 65-58236
643	7-11-51	BA LETTER TO HQ	1	0	Bur File 65-59312
644	7-11-51	DE REPORT TO HQ	5	0	Bur File 65-59312
645	7-11-51	DE LETTER TO HQ	1	0	Bur File 65-59312
646	7-12-51	CV LETTER TO HQ	1	0	Bur File 65-59312
647	7-13-51	NY LETTER TO HQ	1	0	Bur File 65-59312
648	7-13-51	NY LETTER TO POSTMASTER	1	1	
649	7-13-51	NY LETTER TO POSTMASTER	1	1	
650	7-19-51	HQ LETTER TO NY CAPTIONED MICHAEL SIDOROVICH	1	0	Bur File 65-59312
651	7-19-51	HQ LETTER TO CV	1	0	N.Y. File 65-15380
652	7-23-51	NY MEMO TO FILE	3	3	
653	7-20-51	NY LETTER TO HQ	1	0	Bur File 65-59312

File No: 65-15987Re: WILLIAM PERLDate: 11/78
(month/year)

Serial	Date	Description (Type of communication, to, from)	No. of Pages		Exemptions used or, to whom referred (Identify statute if (b)(3) cited)
			Actual	Released	
654	7-13-51	SD REPORT TO HQ	3	0	Bur File 65-59312
655	7-17-51	Another Gov Agency letter To NK	1	0	Referred To Another Gov Agency
656	7-17-51	Another Gov Agency letter To NK	1	0	Referred To Another Gov Agency
657	7-20-51	CV LETTER TO HQ	1	0	Bur File 65-59312
658	7-20-51	CV LETTER TO HQ	15	0	Bur File 65-59312
659	7-24-51	NY LETTER TO HQ	5	0	Bur File 65-59312
660	7-23-51	HQ LETTER TO CV	1	0	Bur File 65-59312
661	7-26-51	KX LETTER TO HQ	1	0	Bur File 65-59312
662	7-30-51	NK REPORT TO HQ	2	0	Bur File 65-59312
663	8-2-51	NY TELETYPE TO NF (TYPED)	1	1	
664	8-2-51	NY TELETYPE TO NF	1	1	
665	8-2-51	CAPTIONED JULIUS ROSENBERG NY LETTER TO HQ	10	0	Bur File 65-58236

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(month/year)

Serial	Date	Description (Type of communication, to, from)	No. of Pages		Exemptions used or, to whom referred (Identify statute if (b)(3) cited)
			Actual	Released	
666	8-2-51	WFO LETTER TO HQ	1	0	Bur File 65-59312
667	8-2-51	WFO REPORT TO NY	4	0	Bur File 65-59312
668	8-6-51	HQ LETTER TO LEGAT CAPTIONED MICHAEL SIDORVICH	1	0	Bur File 65-59312
669	8-6-51	CV REPORT TO HQ	12	0	Bur File 65-59294
670	8-7-51	NY REPORT TO HQ	7	0	Bur File 65-59312
671	8-9-51	HQ TELETYPE TO NY (TYPED)	2	2	
672	8-10-51	HQ TELETYPE TO NY (TRANSMIT)	2	0	Bur File 65-59312
672D	8-9-50	NY LETTER TO HQ (PHOTOCOPY)	3	3	
672A	8-7-50	CAPTIONED - SARANT SE REPORT TO HQ (PHOTO COPY)	8	0	Bur File 65-59242
673	8-13-51	NY LETTER TO POSTMASTER	1	1	
674	8-13-51	NY LETTER TO POSTMASTER	1	1	
675	8-14-51	Another Gen Agency Letter to N.Y.	1	0	Referred To Another Gen Agency

*J. M. / J. P.*File No: 65-15387Re: WILLIAM PERL

Date:

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676	8-15-51	CAPTIONED ELITCHER NY LETTER TO HQ - WFO	1	0	Bur File 101-2115
677	9-14-51	Another Gov Agency Letter To NY	1	0	Retained To Another Gov Agency
678	8-15-51	NH REPORT TO HQ	2	0	Bur File 65-59312
679	8-17-51	HQ LETTER TO WFO	2	0	Bur File 65-59312
680	8-21-51	HQ LETTER TO NY	5	0	Bur File 65-59312
681	8-24-51	SA MEMO TO SAC NY	1	1	
682	8-23-51	NF REPORT TO HQ	3	0	Bur File 65-59312
683	8-30-51	HQ LETTER TO NY	5	0	Bur File 65-59312
684	8-31-51	NY MEMO TO FILE	1	1	
685	8-31-51	NY TELETYPE TO HQ (TYPED)	1	0	Bur File 65-59312
686	9-4-51	HQ TELETYPE TO NY	1	1	
687	9-5-51	WFO LETTER TO HQ	1	0	Bur File 65-59312

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			Actual	Released	
688	9-5-51	HQ LETTER TO NY	1	0	Bur File 65-59312
689	ND	OUTSIDE AGENCY REPORT (Cover letter to 689)	8	0	Bur File 65-59312
690	9-6-51	KX LETTER TO HQ	1	0	Bur File 65-59312
691	9-10-51	NY REPORT TO HQ	125	0	Bur File 65-59312
692	9-10-51	NY LETTER TO HQ	4	0	Bur File 65-59312
693	9-10-51	SL REPORT TO HQ	3	0	Bur File 65-59312
694	9-13-51	NY LETTER TO POSTMASTER	1	1	
695	9-13-51	NY LETTER TO POSTMASTER	1	1	
696	9-15-51	HQ LETTER TO NY	3	0	Bur File 65-59312
697	9-4-51	LECAT LETTER TO HQ	1	0	Bur File 65-59312
698	9-15-51	HQ LETTER TO NY	1	0	Bur File 65-59312
699	9-17-51	Another Gov Agency Letter To NY	1	0	Returned To Another Gov Agency

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per letter 6-65

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Form No. 1
THIS CASE ORIGINATED AT

BUREAU

NY FILE NO. 121-11368 MEN

REPORT MADE AT NEW YORK	DATE WHEN MADE 6/27/51	PERIOD FOR WHICH MADE 6/6, 8, 20, 21, 22/51	REPORT MADE BY JOHN G. SLATER
TITLE ELEANORE ELIZABETH WILKINS, Librarian Flight Propulsion Research Laboratory National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics, Cleveland, Ohio			CHARACTER OF CASE LOYALTY OF GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES

SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

Mrs. BENJAMIN SENITZKY, former roommate of employee, stated Miss WILKINS dated WILLIAM PERL during 1948-50 in Cleveland, Ohio, but that neither WILKINS nor PERL ever indicated disloyalty. She stated employee resided in NYC for about 1 month in fall of 1950, and that employee saw PERL on one occasion during this time. PERL indicted 3/13/51 for perjury. Employee's residence at 123 W. 13th St., NYC from 11/5/50 to 12/10/50 verified and investigated. No disloyal information developed. CI NYC T-1 through T-6 do not know employee. No record at NYCPD or Credit Bureau.

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REFERENCE:

Bureau letter to Cleveland, 5/10/51.
Cleveland teletype to New York, 6/5/51.

APPROVED AND FORWARDED: <i>[Signature]</i>	SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE	DO NOT WRITE IN THESE SPACES
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ELEANORE ELIZABETH WILKINS
Librarian
Flight Propulsion Research Laboratory
National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics
Cleveland, Ohio
LOYALTY OF GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES

June 27, 1951
New York, New York

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION

Acquaintance:

110 3-8982 Home Phone

Mrs. BENJAMIN SENITZKY (the former WILMA JEANNE SMITH), Library Assistant, The Kallex Corporation, 120 Wall Street, New York, New York, who resides in apartment 9-D, 202 Riverside Drive, New York, New York, advised that she was employed with ELEANORE WILKINS as a librarian for the National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics (NACA) in Cleveland, Ohio, from August, 1948 to September of 1950. Mrs. SENITZKY explained that from October, 1948 to September, 1950, she shared an apartment at 1615-1617 Mars Avenue, Lakewood, Ohio, with the employee, and, that Mrs. ELEANORE K. WILKINS (the employee's mother) lived with them for five or six months during this period of time.

In September of 1950, Mrs. SENITZKY said, she married BENJAMIN SENITZKY and moved to New York City where her husband is currently attending Columbia University Graduate School of Physics. Approximately in November, 1950, Mrs. SENITZKY stated, the employee also came to New York City, where she resided at the Salvation Army's women's residence on West 13th Street, for the purpose of attending Columbia University. She said, however, that after being in New York City for about one month, Miss WILKINS was unable to secure a suitable part-time job and she, Miss WILKINS, returned to Ohio. Mrs. SENITZKY added that she visited Miss WILKINS at her New York City residence on one or two occasions.

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While she worked for the National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics, Mrs. SENITZKY advised, she became casually acquainted with a Mr. WILLIAM PERL, another employee of the National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics, who infrequently visited the library in connection with his work. She explained that the librarians were instructed that Mr. PERL, as well as others, was not to receive documents which were of a classified nature because he was not "cleared" to see such material. Mrs. SENITZKY asserted that Miss WILKINS, who was infatuated with Mr. PERL, (PERL, however, did not appear to feel the same way toward the employee) invariably waited on him when he came to the library for reference material, and they occasionally went out together socially.

Over a period of eight or nine months during the year 1950, Mrs. SENITZKY explained, Mr. PERL visited Miss WILKINS at 1615-1617 Mars Avenue five or six times and that she, Mrs. SENITZKY, spent the evening in their company on three or four occasions. Mrs. SENITZKY said, however, that shortly after she came to New York City, Miss WILKINS wrote to her and said that Mr. PERL had recently married and that she, Miss WILKINS, wanted nothing more to do with PERL.

Shortly after Miss WILKINS came to New York City, Mrs. SENITZKY asserted, she and the employee were on the Columbia University campus to visit Mr. SENITZKY when they happened to meet Mr. PERL. After the usual exchange of greetings, Mrs. SENITZKY said, Mr. PERL left, whereupon Miss WILKINS remarked that she had previously seen Mr. PERL on one occasion in New York City. Mrs. SENITZKY added that the employee did not further explain any particulars concerning her meeting with PERL.

Mrs. SENITZKY asserted that neither Miss WILKINS nor Mr. PERL had ever indicated that they were members of or in sympathy with any "Communist organization". To the best of her knowledge, Mrs. SENITZKY added, the employee and the members of her family are loyal and patriotic American citizens.

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Mrs. SENITZKY said that she was very much surprised and shocked when she read in the New York City newspapers that WILLIAM PERL was recently indicted for perjury by a Federal Grand Jury in New York City. She declined to furnish a signed statement or to appear before a Loyalty Hearing Board.

The files of the New York Office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation contain no pertinent information concerning Mr. and Mrs. SENITZKY.

It is to be noted that on March 13, 1951, WILLIAM PERL was indicted by a Federal Grand Jury, Southern District of New York, charging him with perjury in four counts in violation of Section 1621, Title 18, United States Code, in that he denied acquaintance with: 1. MORTON SOBELL, 2. HELENE ELITCHER, 3. JULIUS ROSENBERG, and 4. ANNE and MICHAEL SIDOROVICH. PERL was arrested at his home, 104 East 38th Street, New York, New York, on March 14, 1951, and arraigned before the Honorable HENRY W. GODDARD, United States District Judge, Southern District of New York, at which time PERL entered a plea of not guilty. On March 19, 1951, he was released on bail pending trial.

MORTON SOBELL and JULIUS ROSENBERG were indicted on January 13, 1951, by a Federal Grand Jury in the Southern District of New York for conspiracy to commit espionage on behalf of Soviet Russia. On March 29, 1951, they were convicted by a petit jury in the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York. On April 5, 1951, SOBELL was sentenced to thirty years imprisonment, and ROSENBERG received the death penalty.

On September 7, 1950, Mrs. HELENE ELITCHER was interviewed at her home, 164-18 72nd Avenue, Flushing, New York, at which time she stated that she had been a member of the Communist Party from approximately the end of 1943 to September or October of 1948.

The Communist Party has been declared by the Attorney General to be within the purview of Executive Order 9835.

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Concerning ANNE and MICHAEL SIDOROVICH it is to be noted that MICHAEL SIDOROVICH in 1950 advised representatives of the Federal Bureau of Investigation that he joined the Young Communist League prior to his graduation from Stuyvesant High School at New York City, and that in 1937 he enlisted in the Abraham Lincoln Brigade.

The Young Communist League and the Abraham Lincoln Brigade have been declared by the Attorney General to be within the purview of Executive Order 9835.

Residence:

John and Mary R. Markle
Memorial Home
123 West 13th Street
New York, New York

Miss ANNE MERO, Cashier, advised that the Memorial Home is a girls residence operated by the Salvation Army, housing approximately three hundred women on a transient basis. She stated that the records of her office reflect that ELEANORE E. WILKINS occupied room 1505 from November 5, 1950 to December 10, 1950, and that the employee's home address was 1617 Mars Avenue, Lakewood, Ohio. The record contains no information concerning her loyalty. Miss MERO said that she recalls Miss WILKINS as a quiet young woman who never indicated that she was other than loyal to the United States.

Miss CLAIRE SIMMONS, Clerk-telephone operator, advised that she recalls the employee as a former resident. To the best of her knowledge, she said, Miss WILKINS was a loyal citizen.

Miss GLORIA HORNING, telephone operator, stated that she remembers Miss WILKINS as a former resident for a short period of time during 1950. To the best of her recollection, Miss HORNING said, Miss WILKINS never indicated that she was other than a loyal American citizen.

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Miscellaneous:

Confidential Informants New York City T-1, T-2, T-3, T-4, T-5 and T-6, of known reliability, who are familiar with general Communist Party activities in the New York City area, advised that they do not know the employee,

The files of the Bureau of Special Services and Investigation and the Bureau of Criminal Identification, both of which are sections of the New York City Police Department, contain no information concerning Miss WILKINS.

The files of the Credit Bureau of Greater New York reflect no record of the employee.

ADMINISTRATIVE PAGE

The Confidential Informants referred to in the report of SA JOHN G. SLATER dated June 27, 1951, at New York, are identified as follows:

New York City T-1 [redacted] contacted by SA EDWARD W. BUCKLEY.

" T-2 [redacted]

" T-3 [redacted] contacted by SA JOHN W. DOOLEY.

" T-4 [redacted]

" T-5 [redacted]

" T-6 [redacted]

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SA AUGUST J. MICEK checked the records of the New York City Police Department.

SA GORDON LUND checked Credit Records.

SA MAURICE W. CORCORAN conducted the investigation at 3 West 13th Street, New York, New York.

One copy of this report is designated for the Cleveland Office inasmuch as Miss WILKINS is currently employed in Cleveland, Ohio.

JUL 8 1951

SAC, Norfolk

SAC, New York

WILLIAM PERL, wa.
ESPIONAGE - R
PERJURY
(Norfolk file 65-514)

Re Norfolk letter, 6/21/51.

The New York Office has examined the work sheets submitted in connection with the account of WILLIAM PERL at the Merchants National Bank, Hampton, Virginia. It is believed, after examining these work sheets, that photographs will not be needed of all checks drawn by PERL on his account at this bank. However, the Norfolk Office is requested to obtain photographs of the following items:

Check No.	Payee	Amount	Date of Check	Recordak Roll No.	Date of Entry
10	Russian War Relief	\$ 25.00	12/3/42	200	12/10/42
	THELMA DARDE, Williamson City	25.23	12/1/42	208	1/4/43
	Mr. F. D. CUMMING.	43.00	2/2/43	218	
✓	Mutual Under-Writers	14.94	4/ 6/43	236	4/ 8/43
✓	GUSTAVE BISCHOF	3.00	6/4/43	255	6/16/43
	Mutual Under-Writers	16.34	6/11/43	257	6/21/43
✓	PHILLIP KRUMH or KUHN	10.00	7/19/43	276	8/24/43
	Barnes and Noble, Inc.	7.00	9/3/43	282	9/14/43

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Requested

Check No.	Payee	Amount	Date of Check	Recordak Roll No.	Date of Entry
	L.M.A.L. Credit Union	\$112.50	9/10/43	284	9/22/43

Norfolk is requested to identify this organization and determine if subject had an account. If so, the extent of his activity.

✓	FRANK H. ROBERT, Treasurer	35.37	10/20/43	292	10/21/43
	FRANK E. CUMMING	86.00	11/2/43	297	11/6/43
	JOHN P. REEDER	26.00	12/18/43	310	12/21/43
	JACK N. NIELSON	43.00	9/7/42	175	9/12/42
✓	Linguathone Institute	53.50	6/30/42	155	7/2/42
✓	PHILIP KRAHN	5.00	6/17/42	153	6/26/42
✓	National Re- search Council	14.10	6/7/42	151	6/18/42
✓	GUSTAVE BISCHOP, Treasurer	2.00	5/18/42	147	6/5/42
	MILTON H. KLEIN	205.00	4/17/42	134	4/24/42
✓	Mr. F. H. JAYNES	16.00	4/1/42	129	4/9/42
	N.A.C.A	6.75	4/7/42	129	4/7/42
	MILTON M. KLEIN	44.00	3/8/42	124	3/19/42

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Check No.	Payee	Amount	Date of Check	Recordak Roll No.	Date of Entry
✓	Mrs. F. H. (P) JOYNES	\$ 25.00	2/24/42	120	3/6/42
	Benson- Phillips Company	14.40	2/1/42	111	2/4/42
	Stuart Gardens	22.50	2/1/42	111	2/3/42
✓	Mrs. W. L. Hugdins, Treasurer	1.00	12/4/41	96	12/6/41
	THELMA D. WILLIAMSON, Treasurer	6.59	11/27/41	94	12/1/41
	N.A.C.A. (A)	4.10	10/16/41	82	10/17/41
	C. J. LINDSTROM Manufacturing Company	10.50	9/5/41	71	9/11/41
✓	JOEL BARR	25.00	9/2/41	71	9/10/41
	Mrs. H. S. CURTIS	15.00	9/2/41	70	9/5/41
	DORIS L. COHAN	7.00	7/4/41	58	7/23/41
	SAMUEL KATZOFF	195.47	4/18/41	36	5/2/41

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Check No.	Payee	Amount	Date of Check	Recordak Roll No.	Date of Entry
✓	PHILLIP ⁽³⁾ KROHN	\$ 5.00	3/22/41	27	4/1/41
	Musical Art Society of Hampton Institute	3.00	3/6/41	21	3/10/41

*Done
3/22/41
3/22/41*

The Norfolk Office is requested to furnish details concerning deposits to PERL'S account. It is requested that, regarding the deposit tickets, Norfolk Office examine these on a selective basis with a view to tracing monies which the subject may have received from sources other than his employer.

*Done
3/22/41*

Regarding the signature card for this account, it was noted that PERL'S address was listed as 14 River Road, which was scratched out and the address 240 N. N. Avenue inserted. Also on this card, the name Berea, Ohio, was shown. Norfolk is requested to advise if the two addresses listed apply to residences in Norfolk or possibly in Berea, Ohio.

*Done
3/22/41*

Norfolk is requested to search the Indices and, where possible, identify and submit background information concerning the above individuals.

*Done
3/22/41*

Also, Norfolk is requested to attempt to determine the purpose for which the payments were made to N.A.C.A.

It is not necessary to interview the various individuals to determine this information.

7-10-51

Memo

Re: William Pearl wa
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Perjury

A review of recent mail covers on subject reveals the following of possible future interest:

- 1) David Sawidge, brother of Henrietta Pearl, sent her a letter on 6-16-51 which reflected the return address 1709 La Loma, Berkeley, Calif.
- 2) D. Whitaker ⁷⁻³⁻⁵¹ forwarded a letter to Mrs. Wm Pearl which reflected the return address c/o Hotel Prince Albert, Aspen, Colo. D. Whitaker is undoubtedly identical to Doris Whitaker who was a witness at subject's marriage to Henrietta Sawidge in October 1950 at N.Y.
- 3) A letter was forwarded to Mrs Pearl on 7-3-51 from Rodenwald, N. Greenbush, N.Y. W. Nyack, N.Y.

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4) Also on 7-3-51 D. Whitaker forwarded a letter to Mrs. Reel with the return address c/o Aspen Institute of Music, Aspen, Colo. This sender is likewise believed identical to Doris Whitaker, mentioned above.

The above mail cover on subject's home address 104 E. 38 St. NYC is being continued.

For information

MW Cosman

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U. S. COURT HOUSE
607 FOLEY SQUARE
NEW YORK 7, N. Y.

July 13, 1951

Honorable Albert Goldman
Postmaster
U. S. Post Office
33rd St. & 8th Ave.
New York 1, N. Y.

Dear Sir:

In connection with an investigation being conducted by this Bureau, it is requested that a cover be placed on all mail, including special delivery and registered mail, of the following for a period of thirty days:

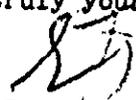
ALL MAIL ADDRESSED TO MUTTERPERL OR PEKL
936 TIFFANY STREET
BRONX, NEW YORK

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Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,


Edward Scheidt,
Special Agent in Charge

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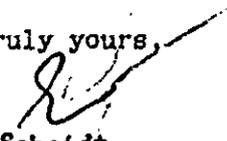
MR. & MRS. WILLIAM PERL
wa: MUTTERPERL
104 EAST 38th STREET
NEW YORK 6, N. Y.

return cards

tracings

Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,


Edward Scheidt,
Special Agent in Charge

MFC:hmr

65-15387-649

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI
 FROM : SAC, NEW YORK
 SUBJECT: WILLIAM PERL,
 ESPIONAGE - R

DATE: July 23, 1951.

MEMO

RE WILLIAM PERL
ESPIONAGE - R

Re memo SA BERT S. TAYLOR, dated 6/11/51, in captioned matter.

NATHAN SUSSMAN was interviewed on 6/18/51, by SA CHARLES P. SILVERTHORN, and the writer, at which time SUSSMAN examined photographs of the engineering graduating classes of the College of the City of New York for the years 1938 and 1939.

SUSSMAN stated that an individual by the name of MAURICE DISTEL was one individual who might possibly know PERL during his attendance at CCNY. SUSSMAN stated that so far as he knew, DISTEL had not been a member of the YCL at CCNY. He stated that he does not know the present whereabouts or employment of DISTEL, but recalled that in 1942 he, (SUSSMAN) was taking what he referred to as "defense courses" at Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute, and he believes that DISTEL had attended one of these classes.

Another individual whom SUSSMAN believes might remember PERL was SAM LEVINE, and he stated that he believes LEVINE was a member of the YCL at CCNY. He could furnish no current information concerning LEVINE.

One BEN ZUCKERMAN is also an individual whom he stated might recall PERL. This individual was not known to SUSSMAN to have belonged to the YCL at CCNY.

It is pointed out that these three individuals were all members of the engineering class at CCNY in 1938.

Reference is also made to Pittsburgh letter to the Bureau, copies to New York, dated 6/1/51, entitled: "JULIUS ROSENBERG, ETHEL ROSENBERG, was, Et Al, ESPIONAGE - R," reflecting the results of an interview with MILTON MANES. Further reference is made to the first full paragraph in this letter on page 4, concerning a separate sub-group of the YCL at CCNY, known as the "engineering group." This paragraph was read to SUSSMAN, and he stated that this is his understanding of the matter, and stated that in all likelihood the "engineering group" referred to by MANES, is undoubtedly the Steinmetz Club of the YCL at CCNY. SUSSMAN added that it is possible

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that the Steinmetz Club at one time probably became a separate organization parallel with what he has previously referred to as the "main group," and controlled by YCL headquarters at that time located in Harlem.

SUSSMAN also stated that it is his recollection that this sub-group membership was probably closer to 20 than the 10 or 12 members as recalled by MANES.

On page 5 and 6 of the above-referred to letter, appear the names of various individuals as recalled by MANES. SUSSMAN was asked about these individuals, and furnished the following information:

MARK PAGE, aka,
MARK POGARSKY -

SUSSMAN stated that he recalls that POGARSKY left school prior to his graduation, but that while in attendance at CCNY, he had been a member of the main group of the YCL.

NAT SHOIKET

SUSSMAN has previously furnished information concerning this individual, and he is the Subject of NY file 100-99991. It is noted, however, that MANES recalls SHOIKET as a chemical engineer major at CCNY, but SUSSMAN states he was a mechanical engineer graduate. He stated that SHOIKET was an honor student, and graduated with very high honors.

IRVING WEINGARTEN -

SUSSMAN could recall no information concerning this individual.

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SUSSMAN stated that he believes this individual's first name was EDWARD, and that for a time he too was a member of the YCL at CCNY. He stated that this individual finished school either in late 1936, or early 1937, and he can recall no additional information concerning him.

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HERMAN

SUSSMAN states that he is not positive, but believes that he recalls an IRVING HERMAN, who was a member of the YCL. He could recall nothing further.

(MORRIS) SAVITSKY

SUSSMAN has previously furnished information concerning this individual, and he is the Subject of a case file in the New York Office.

IRVING GUSS -

SUSSMAN stated that he believes there were two individuals by the name of GUSS, but he could recall no information concerning them.

Bert S. Taylor

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

NEW YORK, NEW YORK
AUGUST 2, 1951

Transmit the following Teletype message to:

NORFOLK URGENT

WILLIAM PERL, WA.; ESPIONAGE - R; PERJURY. RENVLET JULY THREE LAST.
SUTEL DATE WHEN RESULTS OF REQUESTED INVESTIGATION MAY BE EXPECTED
AT THIS OFFICE. EXPEDITE.

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Special Agent in Charge

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SAC NYC

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WILLIAM PERL, WA., ESPIONAGE - R., PERJURY. REURTEL TODAY. INVESTIGATIVE RESULTS SHOULD REACH YOUR OFFICE NO LATER THAN TUESDAY, AUG. SEVEN.

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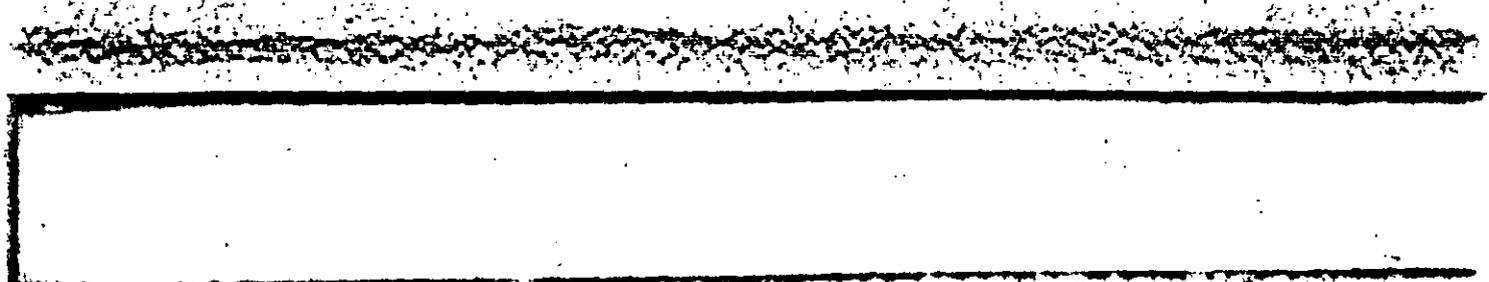
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Transmit the following Teletype message to: NORFOLK, --- URGENT

WILLIAM PERL, WA; PERJURY; ESP DASH R. RE NORFOLK REP
 AUGUST SEVEN LAST, NYLET TO NORFOLK JULY THREE LAST.
 REFNYLET REQ DETAILS CONCERNING DEPOSITS TO PERL'S ACCT.
 SUTEL IF DEPOSIT TICKETS FOR THIS ACCT ARE AVAILABLE. OF
 PARTICULAR INTEREST IS THE DETAILS CONCERNING THE FOUR
 HUNDRED AND SEVENTY DOLLAR DEPOSIT OF MAR TWO EIGHT FORTY-ONE;
 TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY DOLLAR DEPOSIT OF FEB ONE SIX FORTY-TWO;
 NINETY DOLLAR DEPOSIT OF FEB ONE SEVEN FORTY-TWO. ALSO
 NOTED NORFOLK TEL JUNE ONE TWO LAST STATED SUB OPENED ACCT
 AT MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK ON MAY ONE SIX THIRTY-NINE, WHILE
 REF REFLECTS DETAILS OF ACCT FROM JANUARY FORTY-ONE TO
 DATE OF CLOSING. SUTEL IF LEDGER SHEETS, DEPOSIT SLIPS
 AND SO FORTH ARE AVAILABLE FOR PERIOD MAY ONE SIX THIRTY-NINE
 TO JAN FORTY-ONE. IF THESE RECS AVAILABLE EXAMINATION IS
 DESIRED FOR THIS PERIOD. REFNYLET REQ NORFOLK DETERMINE
 IF SUBJ HAD AN ACCOUNT WITH THE LNAL CREDIT UNION AND IF
 SO THE EXTENT OF ACTIVITY IN THIS ACCT. SUTEL DETAILS.
 LAST ENTRY ON AGENT'S WORKPAPERS PREVIOUSLY FORWARDED TO
 THIS OFFICE SHOWS A CHECK CHARGED TO PERL'S ACCT ON DEC
 TWO TWO FORTY-THREE. PHOTOSTAT OF LEDGER SHEET SHOWS THAT ON

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Special Agent in Charge

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JAN ONE NAUGHT FORTY-FOUR A FORTY DOLLAR CHARGE AGAINST ACCT.
SUTEL DETAILS OF THIS ITEM, INASMUCH AS THIS IS LAST CHECK
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CORRESPONDENCE FILE MAY HAVE DETAILS RE CLOSING OF ACCT
PARTICULARLY IN RESPECT TO ANY FORWARDING ADDRESS OF SUBJ
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Director, FBI
SAC, New York

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August 2, 1950
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Professor POLYMER KUSCH
Executive Office, Physics Department
Papin Laboratory, Columbia University
119th Street and Broadway, N. Y. City
INFORMATION CONCERNING

Reference is made to Bureau teletype dated August 2, 1950, 9:41 P.M. which authorized the interview of the above captioned individual in the case entitled "WILLIAM FREL, was; ESPIONAGE - R."

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It is noted that FREL advised the Cleveland Office of his intention to visit Professor KUSCH and on July 31, 1950, a physical surveillance reflected that FREL did enter the Papin Laboratory. It was not believed discreet for the surveilling agents to enter the laboratory, and therefore it could not be definitely ascertained that FREL had actually visited Professor KUSCH.

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SAs Edward G. Morgan, Jr., of this office, interviewed Professor KUSCH on August 3, 1950, and reported the following information:

As soon as SA Morgan stated that he would like to inquire about WILLIAM FREL and before the nature of the investigation was revealed, Professor KUSCH stated that FREL is one of the finest men he has ever known. He stated that FREL is a "great intellect, refined and of excellent character." He added that as evidence of his opinion of FREL, the subject had been hired on the staff of the Physics Department at Columbia University effective July 1, 1950. KUSCH said that FREL will begin his teaching duties in September and remarked that the subject was resigning a \$8,000.00 position to teach for approximately \$5,600.00 annually. Professor KUSCH remarked that FREL had come to see him "about three weeks ago" and that he knew that the FBI was investigating him. KUSCH said that FREL told him that the reason for the investigation was his old associations and KUSCH remarked, "That's the trouble. You can't judge a man by his associates. If you checked my associates during the Depression you would find that they were as bad as FREL'S." He said that the University only judges a prospective instructor on three points: his intellect, his educational qualifications and his culture and refinement. KUSCH then added that his loyalty has nothing to do with teaching physics. He said that of course he and the interviewing agent were engaged in different businesses and, while he wouldn't

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say that the agent's was a "bad business," he wouldn't be mixed up in it for anything.

KUSCH next said that "of course PERL is a liberal. I'm a liberal, too. All great educators are liberal. They have to be."

SA Morgan asked KUSCH if the latter knew of anyone else in the laboratory whom PERL visited when he was last there. KUSCH replied that PERL, having known many people in the department while he was a student, might have seen someone else but that he (KUSCH) was not aware of it.

He said that the only reason for the subject's visit to him was to advise him that he was being investigated by the FBI and to offer to resign if such an investigation would discredit Columbia University. KUSCH said he told PERL that the fact that he was being investigated by the FBI made no difference to him and he felt certain that it would not affect his teaching ability.

SA Morgan told KUSCH that he realized that he was very busy and that time undoubtedly passed very quickly to a man in his position but that the exact date of PERL's latest visit to him was an important point. SA Morgan then asked if it could have been the previous Monday when PERL visited him. At this point Professor KUSCH leaped from his chair, crossed to a window and began shaking visibly. KUSCH said, "It could have been last Monday, a week ago Monday or two weeks ago Monday. What possible difference can it make? I consider that question to be impertinent and feel that an explanation is due me for this delving into Mr. PERL's personal affairs."

SA Morgan explained that he certainly did not intend to offend Professor KUSCH and further explained the exact reason for his question as follows: PERL was recently interviewed by agents of the Cleveland office and advised then that he intended to be in New York City from approximately July 29th to August 1st, 1950. At that time he had stated that he intended to visit Professor KUSCH and indicated that this visit was to be on Monday, July 31, 1950. The reason for the question asked Professor KUSCH was to determine if PERL had visited him on the day stated and also to determine if PERL had made another recent trip to New York City. (It is noted that KUSCH had earlier stated that PERL had come to see him "about three weeks ago," whereas actually it was only three days prior to this interview that PERL was in New York City and was observed entering the Pepin Laboratory.)

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KUSCH then said, practically shouting, "I'm unsympathetic to this line of questioning and object strongly to it. I don't know whether I am being investigated or not and don't give a damn. It's bad enough when the FBI asks about a man's loyalty, character and qualifications, but to ask where he was on a certain day is going too far."

SA Morgan advised KUSCH that he was not under investigation and again explained the Bureau's interest in PERL'S activities. KUSCH said he did not care to answer any further questions from SA Morgan, "or any other FBI agent." It was obvious that KUSCH was unreasonable, irrational and unreliable in his remarks concerning PERL, and any further attempts to placate him would be futile and accordingly, the interview was terminated.

In analyzing KUSCH'S reaction to this interview, it appears he has sponsored or approved PERL'S appointment to the Columbia faculty and any divergence now from his original position might tend to discredit KUSCH'S judgment in the eyes of Columbia University officials.

No further action is being taken by this office, however a caution card has been placed against Professor KUSCH'S name in the Source of Information file in the New York Office.

The above is being furnished for the information of the Bureau.

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U. S. COURT HOUSE
607 FOLKY SQUARE
NEW YORK 7, N. Y.

65-15387

August 13, 1951

Honorable Albert Goldman

Postmaster
U. S. Post Office
33rd St. & 8th Ave.
New York 1, N. Y.

Dear Sir:

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ALL MAIL ADDRESSED TO MUTTERPERL OR PERL
936 Tiffany St.
Bronx, New York

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Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,


Special Agent in Charge

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U. S. COURT HOUSE
607 FOLEY SQUARE
NEW YORK 7, N. Y.

65-15387

August 13, 1951

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Postmaster Office
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New York 1, N. Y.

Dear Sir:

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wa: MUTTERPERL
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New York 6, N. Y.

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Very truly yours,


Special Agent in Charge

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TO : SAC (ATT. SA Maurice W. Corcoran)

FROM : S.A. Mulhrow B. Mills see 11

SUBJECT: William Perl aka William Mutterperl
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DATE: 8-24-51

On August 22, 1951 I interviewed one Milton M. Klein
860 Fox Street, Bronx NY. as requested by the Cleveland Office by teletype
dated August 15, 1951 in connection with a security investigation of one
Francis Harry Pitt who worked in Cleveland, Ohio with Klein & Perl at the
National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics. File number 116-67394

Klein, who is an admittedly long time friend of William Perl,
remarked during the course of the interview that he was interviewed
at length by agents of the Cleveland Office concerning the association
between William Perl and Julius Rosenberg.

Klein said that in his opinion he does not believe Perl is
guilty of espionage activities.

Klein was very cooperative and stated that he would be glad to
help the F.B.I. in any way possible.

He stated, however, that if William Perl is tried for perjury he, Klein,
would probably appear as a character witness for the defense. He advised
that he has been asked by the Perl's attorney to appear as a character witness.

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Memo.

Re: William Perl, was
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Perjury

Review of recent mail covering subject's residence 104 E 38 St, NYC, reflects that on 8-20-51 he received mail containing the following return address:

Samuel Perl

Bu American Express

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It is noted Samuel Perl is subject's brother.

In re. Bullt & Legat Paris dated 8-6-51

a teletype has been sent this date to the Bureau reflecting the above address.

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WILLIAM PERL-- ESP-R, PERJURY

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PERL NOW RESIDING VIENNA, AUSTRIA.

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POLLY SQUARE
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September 13, 1951

Honorable Albert Goldman
Postmaster
U. S. Post Office
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New York 1, N. Y.

Dear Sir:

In connection with an investigation being conducted by this Bureau, it is requested that a cover be placed on all mail, including special delivery and registered mail, of the following for a period of thirty days:

MR & MRS. WILLIAM PERL
wa: MUTTERPERL
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Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,


EDWARD SCHMITT,
Special Agent in Charge

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607 U. S. COURT HOUSE
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NEW YORK 7, NEW YORK

September 13, 1951

Honorable Albert Goldman

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U. S. Post Office
33rd St. & 8th Ave.
New York 1, N. Y.

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[Handwritten Signature]
EDWARD SHERIDAN,
Special Agent in Charge

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703	9-24-51	Teletype from NY to HQ + WFO	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
704	9-26-51	Teletype from HQ to NY	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
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706	9-26-51	Teletype from WFO to NY + HQ	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
707	6-6-51	Enclosure to 708	11	-	See Bufile 65-59312
708	6-14-51	Letter from Dir HQ to ^{Local} London ^{Attache}	5	-	See Bufile 65-59312
709	9-28-51	Teletype to HQ from NY	2	-	See Bufile 65-59312
710	9-29-51	Teletype to HQ + WFO from NY	2	-	See Bufile 65-59312
711	9-29-51	Letter to Dir HQ from NY	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
712	9-29-51	Teletype from CB to NY + HQ	3	-	See Bufile 65-59312

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715	10-2-51	NY Letter to Dir HQ	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
716	10-2-51	NY Teletype to HQ + CG NY	4	-	See Bufile 65-59312
717	10-2-51	NY Letter to Dir HQ	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
718	10-2-51	NY Letter to Dir HQ	2	-	See Bufile 65-59312
719	10-3-51	concern NS Weldon Bruce Dayton NY Letter to Dir HQ	16	-	See NY File 65-15360
720	10-1-51	HQ letter to legal Attache Paris	9	-	See Bufile 65-59312
721	10-4-51	WFO Teletype to HQ + NY	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
722	10-4-51	NY Letter to HQ	2	-	See Bufile 65-59312
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725	10-5-51	COB Teletype to HQ NY + CU	2	-	See Bufile 65-59312
726	10-3-51	HQ letter to legal ^{Paris} Attache	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
727	10-4-51	WFO Letter to HQ	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
728	10-4-51	COB letter to HQ	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
729	10-5-51	DE Report to HQ	2	-	See Bufile 65-59312
730	10-6-51	NE Letter to HQ	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
731	10-3-51	HQ teletype to NY	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
732	10-8-51	NY Letter HQ	7	-	See Bufile 65-59312
733	9-25-51	Enclosure to 734	17	-	See Bufile 65-59312
734	10-8-51	HQ Letter to NY	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
735	10-6-51	with attached leave records CU Report to HQ	7/2	-	See Bufile 65-59312
736	10-6-51	CU Letter to HQ	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312

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Serial	Date	Description (Type of communication, to, from)	No. of Pages		Exemptions used or, to whom referred (Identify statute if (b)(3) cited)
			Actual	Released	
737	10-11-51	NY letter to WFO	1	-	See NY file 65-14873
738	9-10-51	letter from Carl London to HQ	19	-	See Bufile 65-59312
739	10-8-51	(about third party, HQ letter to WFO	2	2	
740	10-12-51	NY letter to Postmaster NY	1	1	
741	10-12-51	NY letter to Postmaster	1	7	See Bufile
741A	10-11-51	letter to NY from third party	1	1	
742	10-12-51	HQ letter to NY	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
743	10-15-51	HQ letter NY	2	-	See Bufile 65-59312
744	10-15-51	letter to HQ from Postmaster NY	1	-	Referred to another Agency
745	10-15-51	letter to HQ from Postmaster NY	1	-	Referred to another Agency
746	10-16-51	NY letter to HQ	4	-	See Bufile 65-59312
747	10-19-51	NY letter to HQ	6	-	See Bufile 65-59312

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Serial	Date	Description (Type of communication, to, from)	No. of Pages		Exemptions used or, to whom referred (Identify statute if (b)(3) cited)
			Actual	Released	
748	10-20-51	NY Memo to file	3	3	
749	10-18-51	CG letter to HQ	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
750	10-22-51	(Plykarp Kusch) NY letter to HQ	1	1	
751	10-23-51	HQ letter to NY	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
752	10-24-51	HQ letter to NY	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
753	10-24-51	HQ letter CV	3	-	See Bufile 65-59312
754	10-3-51	Report to HQ ^{From Legat Paris}	4	-	See Bufile 65-59312
755	10-26-51	HQ letter to SAC NY	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
756	10-26-51	CV letter to HQ Dir	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
757	10-27-51	CV letter to HQ Dir	2	-	See Bufile 65-59312
758	10-27-51	NY Memo to file	2	2	
759	10-27-51	NY Memo to file	3	3	

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Serial	Date	Description (Type of communication, to, from)	No. of Pages		Exemptions used or, to whom referred (Identify statute if (b)(3) cited)
			Actual	Released	
760	10-27-51	NY Memo to file	2	2	
761	10-27-51	NY Memo to file	2	2	
762	10-25-51	AL letter to HQ <i>Re: Weldon G. Suep Dayton</i>	2	-	See NY file 65-15360
763	11-4-51	Enclosure to 764	2	-	See Bufile 65-59312
764	10-27-51	HQ letter to NY	2	-	See Bufile 65-59312
765	10-30-51	CA letter to HQ	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
766	10-30-51	HQ letter to AL <i>Capt. Julius Rosenberg</i>	2	-	See Bufile 65-58236
767	10-31-51	NY letter to HQ	2	-	See Bufile 65-59312
768	10-3-51	NY letter to HQ	2	-	See Bufile 65-59312
769	11-1-51	HQ teletype to NY	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
770	11-2-51	NY teletype to HQ	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
771	11-2-51	NY letter to HQ	4	-	See Bufile 65-59312
772	1-5-51	NY letter to HQ	7	-	See NY file 65-15380

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Serial	Date	Description (Type of communication, to, from)	No. of Pages		Exemptions used or, to whom referred (Identify statute if (b)(3) cited)
			Actual	Released	
773	11-5-51	NY Memotele ^{Capt. Sidney Shames}	5	5	
774	11-6-51	HQ letter to CV	1	-	See Bufile 65-59302
775	11-8-51	NY letter to HQ	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
776	11-7-51	CV letter to HQ	4	-	See Bufile 65-59312
777	11-8-51	AL letter to HQ	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
778	11-8-51	RH letter to NY	1	1	
779	11-9-51	CV letter to HQ ^{Capt. Weldon Bruce Payton}	1	1	
780	11-13-51	NY letter to Postmaster	1	1	
781	11-13-51	NY letter to Postmaster	1	1	
782	11-14-51	NY teletype to HQ	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
783	11-14-51	NY Postmaster letters ^{to} SAC NY	1	-	Referred to another agency
784	11-14-51	NY Postmaster letters ^{SAC} to NY	1	-	Referred to another agency

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Serial	Date	Description (Type of communication, to, from)	No. of Pages		Exemptions used or, to whom referred (Identify statute if (b)(3) cited)
			Actual	Released	
785	11-14-51	CU letter to HQ	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
786	11-16-51	WFO letter to Dir HQ	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
787	11-19-51	enclaves to 788	4	-	See Bufile 65-59312
788	11-16-51	HQ letter to NY	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
789	11-16-51	WFO letter to NY	1	-	referred to another agency
790	11-20-51	HQ letter to NY	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
791	11-5-51	letter to HQ from ^{Legal} NY ^{Chicago} NY	3	-	See Bufile 65-59312
792	11-21-51	HQ letter to NY	3	-	See Bufile 65-59312
793	11-28-51	WF Report to HQ	3	-	See Bufile 65-59312
794	11-29-51	NY letter to another agency	2	-	See NY File 65-15347
795	11-29-51	^{HQ} Lab rept to CU	3	-	See Bufile 65-59312
796	11-29-51	WFO Report to HQ	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312

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797	11-30-51	WFO letter to HQ	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
798	11-30-51	HQ letter to NY	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
799	11-30-51	HQ letter to CU	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
799A	11-30-51	HQ letter to NY	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
800	11-30-51	HQ letter to NY	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
801	11-30-51	HQ letter to NY	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
802	12-3-51	RH letter to NY	1	1	
803	11-28-51	LHM enclosure to 804	7	-	See Bufile 65-59312
804	12-5-51	HQ letter to NY	2	-	See Bufile 65-59312
805	12-6-51	SA Memo to file	3	3	
806	12-10-51	WFO teletype to NY	1	1	
807	12-10-51	CT letter to HQ	3	-	See Bufile 65-59312

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Serial	Date	Description (Type of communication, to, from)	No. of Pages		Exemptions used or, to whom referred (Identify statute if (b)(3) cited)
			Actual	Released	
809	12-11-51	SA Memo to file	3	3	
809	12-12-51	NY letter to Postmaster	1	1	
810	12-11-51	NY letter to Dir. HQ	2	-	See Bufile 65-59312
811	2-11-51	WFO letter to NY	1	1	
812	11-28-51	Enclosure to 813	2	-	See Bufile 65-59312
813	12-12-51	HQ letter to NY	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
814	12-13-51	NY letter to ^{Post} Master	1	1	
815	12-13-51	NY letter to ^{Post} Master	1	1	
816	12-13-51	NY letter to HQ	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
817	12-12-51	WFO letter to HQ Dir.	2	-	See Bufile 65-59312
818	2-12-51	LA letter to HQ Dir.	4	-	See Bufile 65-59312
819	12-12-51	WFO letter to Dir. HQ	2	-	See Bufile 65-59312

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Serial	Date	Description (Type of communication, to, from)	No. of Pages		Exemptions used or, to whom referred (Identify statute if (b)(3) cited)
			Actual	Released	
820	12-17-51	POSTMASTER LETTER TO NY	1	-	Referred to another agency
821	12-17-51	POSTMASTER LETTER TO NY	1	-	Referred to another agency
822	12-14-51	NK REPORT TO HQ	3	-	See Bufile 65-59312
823	12-21-51	NY TELETYPE TO HQ	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
824	12-21-51	HQ TELETYPE TO NY	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
825	12-14-51	LA LETTER TO NY	1	1	
826	12-28-51	WFO LETTER TO HQ	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
827		SKIPPED IN SERIALIZING	7	7	Sheet explaining numbers
828		SKIPPED IN SERIALIZING	-	-	(827+828 Skipped in serializing)
829	12-28-51	WFO REPORT TO HQ	25	-	See Bufile 65-59312
829A	1-4-52	NY LETTER TO HQ (LAB)	3	-	See Bufile 65-59312
830	1-4-52	HQ TELETYPE TO NY	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312

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830A	1.5.52	NY TELETYPE TO HQ	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
831	1.5.52	Enclosure to 832	14	-	F2/282 617 See Bufile 65-59312
832	1.4.52	HQ LETTER TO NY	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312
833	1.4.52	HQ LETTER TO CI	1	1	Process See Bufile 65-59312
834	1.4.52	HQ LETTER TO WFO	1	-	F2/282 See Bufile 65-59312
835	12.10.51	LHM - Enc to 836	8	-	See Bufile 65-59312
836	1.7.52	HQ LETTER TO NY	1	-	See Bufile 65-59312

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October 8, 1951

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Director, FBI

MAJOR GENERAL VICTOR NICOLAEVICH KUVINOV
ESPIONAGE - R

ReBulet dated 9-22-51 with carbon copies to
New York.

[REDACTED]

There are attached hereto copies of a memorandum,
dated 9-10-51, for your office and the New York Office from the
Bureau's Legal Attache, London, entitled "William Parl, aka.,
William Mattered, Espionage - R, Perjury"

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cc - New York (Attachment)

APPROPRIATE AGENCIES
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For your information Major General Robert L. Walsh was the first commander of the field in the Ukraine during World War II. He is presently in the Office of the Secretary of Defense, Room 20963, Pentagon Building, Extension 53607. According to information received, Major General Walsh remained at the base and was joined by Brigadier General Alfred A. Kessler, who is now located in Room 48289, Pentagon Building, Extension 54900.

In connection with the Italian bases, according to OSI, there were several. OSI advised that Major General Walsh and Brigadier General Kessler would be able to furnish information as to the persons in charge of the Italian bases during the pertinent period.



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607 U.S. Court House
Foley Square
New York 7, New York

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October 12, 1951

Honorable Albert Goldman
Postmaster

U.S. Post Office
33rd St. & 8th Ave.
New York 1, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

In connection with an investigation being conducted by this Bureau, it is requested that a cover be placed on all mail, including special delivery and registered mail, of the following for a period of thirty days:

ALL MAIL ADDRESSED TO MUTTERPERL OR PERL
936 TIFFANY STREET
BRONX, NEW YORK

return cards

tracings

Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,

EDWARD SCHEIDT
Special Agent in Charge

MTC:JH

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607 U.S. Court House
Foley Square
New York 7, New York

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October 12, 1951

Honorable Albert Goldman
Postmaster
U.S. Post Office
33rd St. & 3th Ave.
New York 1, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

In connection with an investigation being conducted by this Bureau, it is requested that a cover be placed on all mail, including special delivery and registered mail, of the following for a period of thirty days:

MR. & MRS. WILLIAM PERL
wa: Mutterperl
104 W. 38th Street
New York 18, N.Y.

return cards

tracings

Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,

W. J. [Signature]
EDWARD SCHMIDT
Special Agent in Charge

WTC:JM

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October 11th, 1951

Special Agent Edward J. Cahill, F.B.I.
U. S. Court House
Foley Square, New York

Dear Mr. Cahill:

Pursuant to your request, we attach hereto photostats
of deposit tickets on installment savings accounts 809 and
830.

We regret a one days delay in sending you these items,
but due to the holiday on Wednesday, we weren't able to have
the photostats made.

Very truly yours,



CJF:md
Enclosures

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New York, New York
October 20, 1951

MEMO:

RE: WILLIAM PERL, wa.
ESPIONAGE - R

On October 15, 1951, the employment record of SIDNEY J. SHAMES was examined at the Fairchild Camera and Instrument Company, 88-06 Van Wyck Boulevard, Queens. This employment application was dated October 26, 1946 and reflected that SIDNEY J. SHAMES, Social Security Number 117-10-4841 of 1568 Macombs Road, Bronx, New York, was applying for a position with this firm as a Project Engineer.

He advised he was a United States citizen, single and had been born August 21, 1917. Regarding his military service, he advised that he was a member of the ACER. The relative to be notified in case of accident was MAX SHAMES, telephone LU 7-2306.

His previous employments were listed as:

1- Stratos Corporation, Babylon, Long Island.

He was employed here as a Project Engineer from January 1946 to October 1946 at a salary of \$105.00. He left this firm as he desired to return to the Engine Control Field.

2- National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics,
Cleveland Air Port.

He was employed by NACA as an Engineer from August 1941 to January 1946 at a salary of \$85.00 per week. He left NACA as he desired to enter industry.

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3- Penn State College, State College of Pennsylvania.

He was employed here as an instructor from January 1941 to July 1941 at a salary of \$40.00 and he left when his graduate work was completed.

4- G. G. Sharp, 80 Church Street, New York City.

SHAMES was employed here as a draftsman from February 1940 to September 1940. He left this employment in order to return to college.

On October 28, 1946, SHAMES was hired by the Fairchild Camera and Instrument Corporation and was assigned to the Electro Mechanical Device Laboratory. His employment file contained a letter dated November 7, 1946 from NACA, Cleveland, Ohio, in which they advised SHAMES had entered on duty at the Langley Field Laboratory, Hampton, Virginia, on August 26, 1941 as a Mechanical Engineer. On January 20, 1943 he was transferred to their Cleveland facility.

SHAMES resigned from NACA on January 11, 1946 to do development engineering with prospects of a better income.

By letter dated October 28, 1946, the Stratos Corporation, Babylon, advised Fairchild that SHAMES was employed by them from January 16, 1946 until October 25, 1946 when he left to accept another position.

SHAMES attended CCNY from September 1935 to February 1940 when he was graduated with a degree of Bachelor of Mechanical Engineering. His scholarship record at CCNY was good and nothing was known against his character, according to the Fairchild record.

SHAMES was laid off by Fairchild on July 2, 1948 due to a lack of work.

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The above information was made available to the
writer by LAURENCE FITTON, Assistant to the Personnel Manager.

EDWARD J. CAHILL, SA(A)

Director, FBI (116-273829)

SAC, New York

October 22, 1951

POLYKARP KUSCH - NY - 15796
AEAA

Reference is made to Bureau letters to Minneapolis, 9/6/51 and 9/15/51 and to the report of SA VERNON G. SMITH, at NY, five copies of which are submitted herewith.

The following information is furnished for the completion of the Bureau files concerning the applicant and is not being included in the Details of referenced report since it is not deemed advisable to do so.

During the interview with Mrs. CAROL SCHNEIDER, Professor KUSCH'S secretary, she volunteered the following information:

She advised SA SMITH that she had not been at work on August 3, 1950 when Professor KUSCH was interviewed by SA EDWARD C. MORGAN, JR. of the New York Office. She related, however, that Dr. KUSCH told her a day or so later about his interview with SA MORGAN and expressed the feeling that he had been wrong at that time. According to Mrs. SCHNEIDER, Dr. KUSCH said SA MORGAN had contacted him on the "world's worst day," stating that he had been up the entire previous night with illness in his family and at the time of the interview had a terrible headache. He also said he was sorry SA MORGAN had come on a day when he was that way because he had not been very cooperative.

Mrs. SCHNEIDER said Dr. KUSCH also felt bad about the situation because he thought that he had probably prejudiced the case of WILLIAM PERL. Mrs. SCHNEIDER also said that Dr. KUSCH commented he regretted his action and that he only wished the whole matter could be erased. She stated she believed that if Dr. KUSCH were interviewed again concerning the same matter it would be a different story and that he would prove most cooperative. Mrs. SCHNEIDER expressed the wish that there might be need by Agents of this Bureau for such a recontact with Dr. KUSCH concerning WILLIAM PERL.

It is to be noted that Mrs. SCHNEIDER is a mature person who appears to be very sincere, straightforward, and honest and has been extremely cooperative with Bureau Agents in the past. It is believed that considerable weight can be placed in her appraisal of this matter.

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Prof. Polykarp Kusch

New York, New York
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MEMO:

RE: WILLIAM PERL, wa.;
ESPIONAGE - R;
PERJURY

Rerep SA EDWARD J. CAHILL, New York, 9/10/51.

In an effort to determine if WILLIAM MUTTERPERL had personally deposited money to his account in the South Brooklyn Savings and Loan Association, 44 Willoughby Street, Brooklyn, New York, on 8/1/44, the deposit slip for these deposits were examined. It is noted that on 8/1/44, two five-dollar deposits were made to the Account Nos 809 and 830 in this institution. From an examination of the deposit ticket, it is noted that \$5 was deposited in each account; however, it is not possible to determine if WILLIAM MUTTERPERL had appeared in person or had mailed the deposit ticket to the bank together with his money.

[REDACTED] advised the writer that it was possible that PERL mailed this money to the bank; however, since the correspondent books have been destroyed, this could not be verified.

From cursory examination of the signature appearing on the deposit ticket, it appears that this signature is that of the subject.

JOSEPH P. BLUM, brother-in-law of the subject, has previously advised that he made deposit to this account for the subject.

It is noted that on 2/29/44, two deposits of \$5 each were made to the subject's account at the same bank. Also, a \$5 deposit was made to Account No. 722 in the name of JOSEPH P. BLUM at the same bank. The deposit ticket for the subject's

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account reflects the following notation:

\$255, from which is subtracted \$15 leaving a balance of \$240.45, which appears to be the balance of the check which was returned to the customer.

[REDACTED] ^{b7D} South Brooklyn Savings and Loan Association, made available for photostating, the following deposit tickets:

Account No. 722

J.P. BLUM

Date

Deposit

6/30/44

\$5.00

6/1/44

5.00

2/29/44

5.00

Account No. 809

WILLIAM MUTTERPERL

Date

Deposit

8/1/44

\$5.00

6/30/44

5.00

6/1/44

5.00

4/28/44

5.00

3/31/44

5.00

2/29/44

5.00

Account No. 830

WILLIAM MUTTERPERL

Date

Deposit

8/1/44

\$5.00

6/30/44

5.00

6/1/44

5.00

4/28/44

5.00

3/31/44

5.00

2/29/44

5.00

The above information which was obtained on the usual confidential basis should not be made public except following the issuance of a subpoena.

EDWARD J. CAHILL, SA, A

New York, New York
 OCT 27 1951

MEMO:

RE: WILLIAM PERL, wa.:
 ESPIONAGE - R;
 PERJURY

Rebulet 9/29/51

On 10/9/51, Miss ANNA ENNIS, Paymaster, Columbia University was contacted for information concerning WILLIAM PERL'S employment at Columbia University. The following is a record of all salary payments made to the subject. In addition, the writer examined the salary checks paid to PERL and the results of this examination are reflected in the following schedule:

<u>Date of Payment (1947)</u>	<u>Endorsements on Checks - Date</u>	<u>Net Payment</u>	<u>Check No.</u>
Aug. 13	Cornell Coop. Society 1st Nat'l Bank #50-262 Ithaca, N.Y.	\$ 98.40	300588
Aug. 31	Corn Exchange Bank Sheridan Sq. N.Y.C. 9/8/47	98.40	102725
Sept. -	West Side Savings Bk. 10/21/47 N.Y.C.	98.40	103716
Oct. 31	West Side Savings Bk. 11/13/47 N.Y.C.	98.40	105209
Nov. 30	West Side Savings Bk. 12/9/47 N.Y.C.	98.40	106925
Dec. 31	Corn Exchange Bk. Sheridan Sq. N.Y.C. 1/23/48	98.40	108760
		<u>590.40</u>	

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(Jan 31 West Side Savings Bk.
2/13/48

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 105-13389-759
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<u>Date of Payment</u>	<u>Endorsements on Checks - Date</u>	<u>Net Payment</u>	<u>Check No.</u>
(1948)			
Feb. 29	West Side Savings Bk. 3/8/48 <i>n.y.c.</i>	\$ 98.40	111968
March 31	West Side Savings Bk. 4/7/48 <i>n.y.c.</i>	98.40	114071
April 30	West Side Savings Bk. 5/5/48 <i>n.y.c.</i>	98.40	115868
May 31	Central Nat'l Bk. Cleveland, Ohio 6/14/48	100.00	117674
June 30	Central Nat'l Bk. Cleveland, Ohio 7/15/48	100.00 <u>593.60</u>	119335
(1950)			
July 31	Central Nat'l Bk. 8/16/50 <i>Cleveland Ohio</i>	271.80	173181
Aug. 31	Central Nat'l Bk. 9/5/50 <i>Cleveland Ohio</i>	271.80	175320
Sept. 30	Nat'l City Bk. <i>n.y.c.</i> 1/8/29 - 9/29/50	271.80	176267
Oct. 31	Irving Savings Bk. <i>n.y.c.</i> 11/3/50 - 19122	266.80	179728
Nov. 30	Irving Savings Bk. <i>n.y.c.</i> 12/1/50 - 19122	258.80	182187
Dec. 30	Irving Savings Bk. <i>n.y.c.</i> 1/4/51 - 19122	262.00 <u>1603.00</u>	184783

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<u>Date of Payment</u>	<u>Endorsements on Checks - Date</u>	<u>Net Payment</u>	<u>Check No.</u>
(1951)			
Jan. 31	Irving Savings Bk. <i>nyc</i> 2/2/51 - 19122	\$262.00	187258
Feb. 28	Nat'l City Bk. <i>nyc</i> 3/2/51	262.00	189622
March 31	Nat'l City Bk. <i>nyc</i> 4/18/51 cashed	262.00	191986

According to the records of Columbia University,
PERL was on a leave of absence from 4/1/51 to 6/30/51 without
pay.

EDWARD J. CAHILL, SA, A

New York, New York.
OCT 27 1951

MEMO:

RE: WILLIAM PERL, wa.;
ESPIONAGE - R;
PERJURY

The records of the US Court, Southern District of New York were reviewed on 10/17/51 for information concerning the Petitions For Naturalization filed by ABRAHAM and SARAH MUTTERPERL.

SARAH MUTTERPERL, according to Petition For Naturalization No. 416978, took an Oath of Allegiance and attained her US citizenship on 12/11/42. At this time her address was shown to be 936 Tiffany Street, Bronx, New York; 58 years of age, having been born 8/2/84 in Erka, Russia. She was married to ABRAHAM MUTTERPERL August 1909 in Meseritz, Russia. Her children were listed as follow:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Date of Birth</u>	<u>Place of Birth</u>	<u>Residence</u>
ANNA Mut	9/23/10	Meseritz, Russia	NYC
SADIE	12/14/13	NYC	NYC
BESSIE	2/26/16	NYC	NYC
WILLIAM	10/1/18	NYC	Va.
SAMUEL	12/13/22	NYC	Phila., Pa.

SARAH MUTTERPERL advised she had immigrated to the US from Rotterdam, Holand and had entered the port of New York under the name of SURE MUTERPERIL on 9/7/11 on the "SS CAMPANELIA". The witnesses to her Petition For Naturalization were ANNA BLUM, 79-23 Oceania Street, Bayside, Long Island; ABRAHAM MUTTERPERL, 936 Tiffany Street, Bronx, New York.

The records of the US Court, Southern District of New York, reflect that Declaration of Intention was filed 6/23/20, for ABRAHAM MUTTERPERL, No. 45198. He listed his occupation as a baker, born Shedletz, Russia on 4/18/81. His residence at the

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time that the declaration was filed as 290 East 104th Street. He immigrated to the US from Liverpool, England on the "SS TEUTONIC", arriving in New York, 8/25/09. The records also contained a Certificate of Arrival dated 12/27/22 under the statement "no record of his arrival could be found." The reason was shown to be "unable to locate record."

ABRAHAM MUTTERPERL was admitted to the US citizenship on 4/16/23. According to the records, ABRAHAM MUTTERPERL obtained a duplicate of his application, date unknown; however, any information concerning the duplicate, No. 51784, could be obtained from Central Office of INS.

EDWARD J. CAHILL, SA, A

New York, New York

SEPT 27 1951

MEMO:

RE: WILLIAM PERL, wa.;
ESPIONAGE - R;
PERJURY

Rebulet 7/27/51

On 10/17/51, Miss KATHERINE MC KENNA, Supervisor, Accounting Department, Linguaphone Institute, 30 Rockefeller Plaza, was contacted for information concerning the \$53.50 check drawn by WILLIAM PERL on his account in the Merchants National Bank, Hampton, Va., which check was payable to the Linguaphone Institute. According to records produced by Miss MC KENNA, WILLIAM MUTTERPERL, by letter dated 6/30/42 from Post Office Box 366, Hampton, Va., advised the institute as follows:

"Dear Sirs:

"I wish to get your conversational course in Russian as well as a duplicate set of text books, for which is enclosed \$53.50. Please inform me if the price of the separate set of books is other than \$3.50.

"The main application to which I shall put the Russian language is mathematical and scientific translation. I should appreciate any special instructions or information you may have on the subject.

"/s/ WILLIAM MUTTERPERL"

Linguaphone invoice #24403, dated 7/3/42 reflects that one Russian Conversational course, costing \$50 was shipped to WILLIAM MUTTERPERL, Post Office Box 366, Hampton, Va. Invoice #24952

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dated 8/24/42 reflects that one set of Russian text books costing \$3.50 was shipped to WILLIAM MUTTERPERL, Hampton, Va. According to Miss MC KENNA, invoice #26110, dated 11/21/42 reflects that one set of Russian text books was shipped to MUTTERPERL, Hampton, Va. According to Miss MC KENNA, this was a duplicate order which appeared to be a mistake on the part of the institute.

It is noted that the WILLIAM MUTTERPERL file in the institute also contained a form letter dated 8/3/42 addressed to Mr. H. R. PASS, 2101 Kecoughton Street, Hampton, Va. This letter was the usual form letter used by the institute to follow up previous correspondence with students and stated to the effect that the institute had not heard from PASS and inquired if he was still studying their course. At the bottom of the letter PASS inserted a note which was received by the institute on 8/24/42, In this note to the institute PASS advised "WILLIAM MUTTERPERL and I have taken up your course in Russian, incidentally, we are still waiting for the text on grammar and vocabulary."

EDWARD J. CAHILL, SA, A

New York, New York
November 5, 1951

MEMO:

Re: ^{Shames} ~~SIDNEY SHAMES~~
ESPIONAGE - R

On 10/8/51 SIDNEY and HAROLD SHAMES^M, Melard Manufacturing Company, 37-25 32nd Street, LIC, were interviewed for any information they might possibly have concerning WILLIAM PERL. They furnished SAS LOUIS H. WOIWODE (A) and EDWARD J. CAHILL (A) the following information concerning PERL'S associates and activities:

SIDNEY SHAMES^M stated he attended City College of New York from 1935 to 1940, when he was graduated with a degree in Mechanical Engineering. In 1940 and 1941 he attended and received his Master's degree from Pennsylvania State College, State College Pennsylvania. Some time during August 1941 SIDNEY secured employment as a Mechanical Engineer with the National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics, Langley Field, Virginia.

While working at Langley Field, SIDNEY said he met WILLIAM PERL, and their acquaintanceship developed to the point that PERL would occasionally visit the SHAMES' apartment at 2103 Kecoughtaw Road, Hampton, Virginia.

During the entire interview both SIDNEY and HAROLD SHAMES^M would point out to the interviewing Agents that PERL was not very sociable and kept to himself a good deal of the time. Referring to the occasional visits paid by PERL to the SHAMES' apartment, SIDNEY stated that during these visits they would play various musical records and engage in general conversation. Also, from time to time PERL would play touch football with SHAMES and other workers from NACA.

SIDNEY SHAMES^M was questioned concerning visits he made to PERL'S lodgings. He stated that on rare occasions he had visited PERL'S room, but stated that PERL generally had

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quarters which were not suitable for entertaining guests. SIDNEY went on to state that PERL was very studious and pointed out that PERL was graduated with a degree in Electrical Engineering from City College; however, through home study, he was able to earn a degree in Aeronautical Engineering. PERL, because of these studies and interest in his work, generally stayed to himself and his social contacts were limited.

^M
SIDNEY SHAKES was transferred in January 1943 to the NACA Laboratory at Cleveland, Ohio. While in Cleveland, SIDNEY resided at the Lake Shore Country Club, Lake Shore Boulevard, Cleveland, Ohio. Approximately a year later, PERL was transferred from Norfolk to NACA facility at Cleveland, Ohio. PERL held the position of Section Head.

SIDNEY stated that while in Cleveland he saw little of PERL outside of working hours. However, SIDNEY occasionally played handball with PERL. He recalled that shortly after PERL was married in 1944 to HENRIETTA SAVIDGE, he had attended a small housewarming party at PERL'S apartment. He believes the other guests may have been fellow workers from NACA.

^M
SIDNEY SHAKES resigned from NACA, Cleveland, in January 1946 to seek private employment in NYC. In January 1946 SIDNEY obtained employment as a Mechanical Engineer with the Stratos Corporation, Babylon, LI, and in October 1946 he left Stratos to accept a position with the Fairchild Camera and Instrument Corporation, LIC, NY, as a Project Engineer. SIDNEY SHAKES recalled that some time in late 1946 PERL returned to NYC from California, where PERL had been studying at the California Institute of Technology, Pasadena.

After PERL'S return to NYC, he was in contact with SIDNEY SHAKES, who could not advise interviewing Agents how this contact came about. SIDNEY estimated that he had had dinner with PERL about four or five times during the last eighteen months. During this period they dined at Dennis' Restaurant, Broadway and 88th Street, and at an Italian restaurant in the vicinity of Broadway and 120th Street.

SIDNEY said prior to going to dinner he would meet PERL at Puppin Laboratory, Columbia University, and from there

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they would leave for the restaurant. However, he recalled that on one occasion he drove his car to Greenwich Village, where PERL was at that time residing.

^M
SIDNEY SHANES described this apartment as being located several stories above the ground, with no elevator service. SIDNEY recalled the apartment building was on the right hand side of the street when he faced towards the Hudson River. SIDNEY guessed probably it may have been a red brick building. Later SIDNEY was asked if the apartment could have been located at 65 Morton Street, and he said the address sounded familiar. SIDNEY described this apartment as being sparsely furnished and recalled some of the furniture consisted of a bridge table, easy chair, bed, and many books.

^M
When SIDNEY SHANES arrived at this apartment it was early in the evening. PERL was alone and working at the bridge table. SIDNEY believes that the work consisted of studies in connection with his attendance at Columbia University. PERL advised SIDNEY that "the fellow who had the apartment had gone to Cornell and he (PERL) had to pay him the rent." SIDNEY stated that PERL had made this arrangement because if the original tenant had notified the landlord, the landlord could rent the apartment to someone else at a much higher rate. SIDNEY advised that PERL took the apartment in order to have more time and quiet to devote to his studies.

SIDNEY stated that after PERL had left for Cleveland to resume working at NACA, HENRIETTA SAVIDGE moved into the apartment at 65 Morton Street. When questioned concerning the source of this information, SIDNEY stated he had probably received the information from HERBIE PASS, a friend of the PERLS. As to how he received this information, PASS may have written a letter to SIDNEY, or PASS may have been in NYC around 1948, which was the time when PASS left for CLEVELAND. SIDNEY advised that HERBIE PASS had worked with PERL and himself at NACA, Norfolk, Virginia.

^M
Concerning the associates of PERL, SIDNEY SHANES advised that he was friendly with HERBIE PASS, now working for the Navy in California, MILTON KLEIN, co-worker at Langley Field, Virginia, and SAM KATZOFF, co-worker at Langley Field, Virginia.

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^M HAROLD SHANES, brother of ^M SIDNEY SHANES, was present during the above interview, and he advised that in 1944 he had graduated from C.C.N.Y. with a degree in Mechanical Engineering. In 1944 he secured a position as a Mechanical Engineer at NACA, Cleveland, Ohio.

He stated PERL was a Section Head at Cleveland and he was merely one of the engineers, and he claimed he had little to do with PERL outside of regular office hours. HAROLD stated that his brother, SIDNEY, was on closer terms with PERL since they had known one another at Langley Field, Virginia, and had played handball together in Cleveland.

^M HAROLD SHANES stated that after PERL returned to NACA, Cleveland, in June 1948, they would occasionally lunch together. However, HAROLD stated PERL was the type who had neither many social engagements nor friends. He named HERMAN EPSTEIN, Professor at the University of Pittsburgh, as being very friendly with PERL. He pointed out that he would occasionally be at lunch with PERL and EPSTEIN, and because of his limited knowledge of electronics, a good deal of the conversation was not familiar to him. He would generally leave EPSTEIN and PERL together because of this lack of knowledge on his part. HAROLD recalled attending several parties at the Co-op House, Cornell Road, Cleveland, Ohio, when PERL was present.

Concerning the \$500 which was loaned to the Melgard Manufacturing Company by PERL in June of 1949, SIDNEY SHANES advised that in early 1949 the Melgard Manufacturing Company, of which he is President, needed working capital. SIDNEY SHANES advised he had decided to contact various friends to obtain their assistance. He contacted HERBIE PASS and WILLIAM PERL and as a result they both loaned him \$500 each for the business. He said the Melgard Manufacturing Company has been repaying these loans from time to time. To obtain the dates of repayment, SIDNEY SHANES advised that it would be necessary for his accountant to locate this information in the books; however, if agents desired this information, he would obtain it for them.

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He advised that shortly before WILLIAM PERL'S arrest, PERL had telephonically contacted him and advised he was in need of the money, and that as a consequence SIDNEY had forwarded final payment on the loan to PERL. Shortly after PERL'S arrest in March 1951, SIDNEY SHANES talked to PERL on the telephone, at which time PERL'S arrest was discovered. PERL advised SIDNEY that it was all a mistake.

^M
SIDNEY SHANES stated a short time later he again contacted the PERL residence and talked to HENRIETTA PERL and during the conversation offered financial assistance. SIDNEY stated he did this because PERL had helped him when he needed money and he felt sure that PERL needed financial assistance at that time. As a result, HAROLD SHANES drew a \$500 check on his account at the Bank of Berea, Berea, Ohio, payable to HENRIETTA PERL. HAROLD advised interviewing Agents that he did not have the check available but would make same available if the Agents desired it at a later date.

^M
Both of the SHANES advised it was a shock when they heard of PERL'S arrest, and they feel sure that he will be able to explain or straighten the matter at the time of his trial. They stated that they always considered him to be a loyal and patriotic American.

^M
Both HAROLD and SIDNEY SHANES advised that they had never recalled seeing PERL with any photographic equipment in any of his apartments, nor had they seen anything which would lead them to believe that he was engaged in any espionage activities.

EDWARD J. CAHILL, SA(A)

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO: SAC, NEW YORK

FROM: SAC, RICHMOND (65-1695)

SUBJECT: WILLIAM PERL, aka
ESPIONAGE - R
PERJURY

DATE: 11-8-51

REGISTERED MAIL

Re Cincinnati teletype to Richmond dated 10-12-51 and Cleveland teletype to Cincinnati dated 10-4-51.

Selective service files of the subject were located at the Selective Service State Headquarters, 1308 East Franklin, Richmond, Va. [redacted] Chief of Records Section, Selective Service Headquarters, produced the files. Certified photostatic copies of the subject's entire file were made and are enclosed herewith. *b7D*

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ENCLOSURE: To New York - photostatic copies of subject's entire selective service file.
To Cleveland - photostatic copies of subject's entire selective service file.

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607 U.S. Court House
Foley Square,
New York 7, New York

November 13, 1951

Hon. Albert Goldman
Postmaster
U.S. Post Office
33rd St. and 8th Avenue
New York 1, New York

Dear Sir:

In connection with an investigation being conducted by this Bureau, it is requested that a cover be placed on all mail, including special delivery and registered mail, of the following for a period of thirty days:

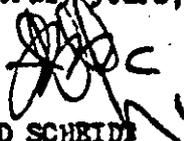
All Mail addressed to MUTTERPERL OR PERL
936 Tiffany Street, Bronx, New York

return cards

tracings

Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,


EDWARD SCHEIDT
Special Agent in Charge

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607 U.S. Court House
Foley Square,
New York 7, New York

November 13, 1951

Hon. Albert Goldman
Postmaster
U.S. Post Office
33rd St. and 8th Avenue
New York 1, New York

Dear Sir:

In connection with an investigation being conducted by this Bureau, it is requested that a cover be placed on all mail, including special delivery and registered mail, of the following for a period of thirty days:

Mr and Mrs William Perl
wa: Mitterperl
104 E. 38th Street
New York City

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tracings

Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,


EDWARD SCHEIDT
Special Agent in Charge

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, NEW YORK

FROM : SAC, RICHMOND (65-1695)

SUBJECT: WILLIAM PERL, aka
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DATE: 12/3/51

Reylet dated 11/8/51.

In view of the fact that investigation of this case in the Richmond office is completed, this case is being RUC'd.

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cc: Cleveland

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Wm. Perl.

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Hotel

 Gotham 5 Ave + 55 St, N.Y.C. made available the following info concerning Dr. Theodore + Josephine Von Karmahs stay at this hotel. This info was secured from hotel's credit file

Date of inquiry 12/6/51. 670

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QMB

Dr. Theodore Van Kerman
 Col So. Mornings ave
 Pasadena, Calif.

Arrival	Departure	Room	Remarks
3/28/45	4/3/45	516-17	joins Dr. Josephine
1/10/46	1/20/46	1620	" " "
2/17/46	2/20/46	716	
7/24/48	7/28/48	1412	
6/26/48	6/27/48	1815	
11/6/48	11/12/48	1414-15	
11/20/48	12/11/48	2107-8	joins Dr. Josephine
4/14/49	4/17/49	2101	
10/05/49	-	615	"
11/12/49	11/27/49	2107	
4/4/50	4/5/50	1926	
4/14/50	4/18/50		
8/18/50	8/19/50		
10/16/50	-		did not arrive
1/28/51	2/2/51		
2/16/51	2/17/51		
3/21/51	3/23/51		
6/8/51	6/19/51		
9/21/51	9/22/51		

Josephine Von Karm

Arrival	Departure	Room	Remarks
12/26/44	-	717	
3/25/45	4/3/45	516-17	Dr. Theodore joins
5/20/45	5/22/45	614	
1/10/46	1/21/46	1620	Dr. Theodore joins
1/29/46	1/30/46	1715	
2/17/46	2/20/46	717	
1/26/47	-	2107	
7/15/46	7/24/46	615	
6/26/47	7/2/47	2107-08	
4/3/48	4/5/48	1412	
4/8/48	4/10/48	518	
11/21/48	12/11/48	2107-8	Dr. Theodore joins
4/14/49	4/17/49	2107-8	" " "
10/25/49	10/27/49	614	
11/12/49	11/27/49	1617-18	Dr. Theodore joins

EJ Cahill, SA

- MR. [unclear]
- MR. [unclear]
- MR. GRAN [unclear]
- MR. HAMILTON
- MR. LEVITS
- MR. McLENNAN
- MR. MARCHESAUD
- MR. McANDREW
- NIGHT SUPERVISOR
- MR. BAGAN
- MR. SULLIVAN
- MR. WALSH
- MR. WOHL
- CHIEF CLERK
- PROPERTY CLERK
- TRAINING [unclear]

NEW YORK 89 FROM WASH FIELD 10 9-32 PM

SAC DEFERRED

WILLIAM PERL, AKA. ESPIONAGE R, PERJURY. RE WFO LETTER TO BUREAU DATED NOVEMBER TWENTY NINE LAST. MAJOR MAIER HAS LOCATED LIST OF MATERIAL REMOVED FROM DR. VON KARMAN-S OFFICE AT COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY AND BURNED. NEW YORK TO IGNORE LEAD TO SECURE COPY OF SUCH LIST FROM N. Y. AIR FORCE PROCUREMENT OFFICE.

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Wm. Perl.
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12-11-51

Re W 70 let to Bureau 11/29/51.

S. J. Burnson, Provost Marshal, Headquarters, Eastern Air Procurement Dist, ^{Air Materiel Command} was contacted for info. concerning the list of material showing items removed from ^{the above} Von Karman's office at Col. V. + burned. ^{on 6/12/51.} Burnson advised his superior, is Col Knowledge Inspection General in charge.

Through Burnson it was determined that Wm. Dwyer Security Officer was the person who assisted ^{Major} Maier + Von Karman when the material was sorted + burned.

According to Dwyer sometime about June 12, 1951 his supervisor Joseph C. Longdon dispatched him to Col V to meet Maier who had arrived from Wash. Dwyer met Maier + Von Karman at the latter's office in Curpin Lab at about 11:45 AM. They spent next hour + 1/2 sorting material. Most of material to be destroyed, was selected by Von Karman. At the end of the time 6:00 p.m.

See Serial 806. Not necessary to report

and later burned in the boiler. Dwyer stated Prof Kagan was in the office some of time and he appear very friendly with Von Karman.

Most of documents in Von Karman's were weekly reports from Air Materiel Command, Dayton, Ohio dated 1947.

Dwyer stated Von Karman was person who authorized destruction of the documents. He recalled that one sheet, probably a letter, which was secret was taken by Maier in his own brief case. The remaining material was packed in a large wooden box for shipment the next day to Wash. After burning the material Kagan, Maier, Von Karman + Dwyer took lunch at the "Prof Club". After lunch Von Karman left for downtown + Maier + Dwyer returned to pack.

Concerning material destroyed Dwyer said Maier prepared a handwritten (pen) list on a sheet of paper about $8\frac{1}{2}$ " by 11". This paper carried (he estimated) about 20-25 documents. Dwyer witnessed the paper which was retained by Maier. Only one copy was prepared.

Kagan handled arrangements for burning.

The Mr. Lazard referred to in AF let is probably
Thomas Lazard, Property and Supply Clerk, in the
Material Command Office & he was the person
handling the return of safe from Von Karmen's
office.

E. J. Cahill

Dates: 12/6 + 10. 1951.

Put back
in Cahill's

607 U.S. Court House
Foley Square
New York 7, New York

65-15387

December 12, 1951

Honorable Joseph A. Doyle
Postmaster

U.S. Post Office
Flushing, New York

Dear Sir:

In connection with an investigation being conducted by this Bureau, it is requested that a cover be placed on all mail, including special delivery and registered mail, of the following for a period of thirty days:

All mail addressed to residence of
JOSEPH P. BLUM
79-23 209th Street
Flushing, L.I.

- return cards
- tracings

Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,


Special Agent in Charge
EDWARD SCHEIDT

EC:JM

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, NEW YORK (65-15387)

DATE: December 11, 1951

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FROM : SAC, WFO (65-5543)

SUBJECT: WILLIAM PERL, aka.,
ESPIONAGE - R
PERJURY

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Reurlet dated October 11, 1951.

Enclosed are six photographs and two negatives of SAMUEL BENJAMIN PERL which were secured from the Passport Division, Department of State.

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ENCLOSURE

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607 U.S. Court House
Foley Square
New York 7, New York

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December 13, 1951

PHENIX: Albert Goldman

U.S. Post Office
33rd St. & 8th ave.
New York 1, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

In connection with an investigation being conducted by this Bureau, it is requested that a cover be placed on all mail, including special delivery and registered mail, the following for a period of thirty days:

ALL MAIL ADDRESSED TO MUTTERPERL or PERL
936 Tiffany Street
Bronx, 59, New York

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Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,


EDWARD SCHEIDT
Special Agent in Charge

607 U.S. Court House
Foley Square
New York 7, New York

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December 13, 1951

Honorable Albert Goldman
Postmaster

U.S. Post Office
33rd St. & 8th Ave.
New York 1, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

In connection with an investigation being conducted by this Bureau, it is requested that a cover be provided on all mail, including special delivery and registered mail, of the following for a period of thirty days:

Mr. and Mrs. William Perl
wa: Mutterperl
104 E. 38th Street
New York 16, N.Y.

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Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,


EDWARD SCHEIDT
Special Agent in Charge

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

DATE: December 14, 1951

TO : SAC, New York (65-15387)
FROM : SAC, Los Angeles (65-5075)
SUBJECT: WILLIAM PERL, aka
ESPIONAGE - R
PERJURY

Re Los Angeles letter dated December 12, 1951.

Enclosed herewith are two photostatic copies of 31 pieces of personal correspondence (numbered 1 to 31) between WILLIAM PERL and Dr. THEODORE VON KARMAN during the period of July 13, 1947 and November 4, 1949. The original file of this correspondence is currently in the custody of Mrs. MARIE RODDENBERRY, personal secretary of Dr. VON KARMAN at his residence 1501 South Marengo Avenue, Pasadena, California.

This material is not being evaluated or reported by this office and is being furnished to you for informational purposes.

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cc - 105-873 (Dr. VON KARMAN)

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SAC, Cincinnati (65-1743)

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January 4, 1952

Director, FBI (65-59312)

WILLIAM PERL, aka
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PERJURY

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MR. SCHEIDT
MR. WHELAN
MR. HARGETT
MR. CALLESPIE
MR. GRANVILLE
MR. HAMILTON
MR. LEVVIS
MR. MESSAULT
MR. ANDREWS
NIGHT SUPERVISOR
MR. GAGAN
MR. SULLIVAN
MR. WALSH
MR. WILLIS
MR. WOHL
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Reurlet 12-10-51 setting forth the results of additional information made available to your office by Arthur W. Tifford who was recently interviewed in connection with the above-captioned subject.

It is desired that your office re-interview Tifford at an early date for the purpose of determining whether he has any information concerning YCL and Steinmetz Club activities on the CCNY campus during the period that he attended that school. It should be ascertained whether he may have attended any of the functions of these organizations and thus is in a position to recall the identity of other members of his class who formerly attended these meetings. Any information he might possess as to the YCL and Steinmetz Club activities on the part of Perl, Stanley Robert Rich, Julius Rosenberg and Morton Sobell should be exploited during this interrogation.

For your information a check has been made of Bufiles but no identifiable information of a derogatory nature was located therein concerning Tifford.

In view of Tifford's present position as an assistant professor of aeronautical engineering at Ohio State University in which capacity he is the instructor for several classes of Air Force and military personnel, the substance of Tifford's recent admissions to your office as reflected in referenced letter are being brought to the attention of G-2 and OSI.

✓ cc - New York

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, NEW YORK (65-15387)

FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES (65-5075)

SUBJECT: WILLIAM PERL, was.
ESPIONAGE - R; PERJURY

DATE: January 10, 1952

Reurlet dated November 2, 1951, page 4, Item 4, requesting that PASS be asked to make available for review any letters, diaries, or pictures he might have concerning PERL. Reurlet, also, of December 13, 1951, requesting that photographs of HERBERT RALPH PASS be obtained and furnished your Office.

During the course of the interview with PASS, at the Security Office of the Naval Air Missile Test Center, Point Mugu, California, as reflected in the report of Special Agent JOHN P. ANDREWS, dated January 10, 1952, at Los Angeles, in the above-captioned matter, PASS stated that he had no letters or diaries. He believed, however, that he may have some photographs taken while on one of the camping trips, but their whereabouts were currently unknown to him. They were probably among his personal effects moved to his mother's residence in Santa Monica, California, some forty miles away. Certain of his belongings had been stored there after he, himself, had changed his residence recently. He has resided only for the past two months at his current address of 6773 South Westward Beach Road, Malibu, California. Prior to that, for approximately a year, he had resided at a beach house at Solromar, California, where his mailing address was Post Office Box 22. Prior to that, he resided in a trailer camp, also in Solromar, California.

As a result of his lack of definite information as to the possible whereabouts of these pictures, PASS agreed to conduct an immediate search at his own current residence and at his mother's home at the earliest possible time. He volunteered to deliver these photographs when located to the Security Office of the Naval Air Missile Test Center, under whose cooperation and knowledge this interview was held, and would appropriately direct them to the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

Upon failure to receive any material from PASS through regular channels, Resident Agents being in regular, normal contact with the Security Office, PASS was recontacted on December 12, 1951 by an Agent of this Office. PASS explained that certain photographs had been located by him, and he claimed that the day following the interview he had put them in the Base mail, marked "Security Officer to Mr. NORMAN (a Resident Agent) for Mr. ANDREWS (one of the interviewing Agents)." He claimed that

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he didn't know what had since happened to the material. Subsequent inquiries at the Security Office of the Naval Air Missile Test Center reflected that no such envelope had ever been received by that office. Additional inquiries to Miss N. MC DANIELS, who handles all mail going out of the department in which PASS works, and EDWARD CERNI, who is in charge of all Base Mail Service, failed to locate it. CERNI added that he had never seen any such envelope and would have if it had not been properly addressed, or if the men handling the mail had any question as to where it should have been delivered. There appears to exist, therefore, a reasonable doubt that PASS did in fact forward these photographs to the Security Office in accordance with his previous agreement.

In the event the alleged photographs are subsequently located and furnished to the Los Angeles Office, they will be immediately forwarded to your Office.

Attached herewith are two photographs of HERBERT RALPH PASS, obtained from the Security Office of the Naval Air Missile Test Center, Point Mugu, California.

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

 NEW YORK, N.Y.
 JAN. 18, 1952

Transmit the following Teletype message to:

WASHINGTON FIELD...DEFERRED

WILLIAM PERL, ESP-R, PERJURY. REREP SA MACE H. SCOVELL, WFO, DEC.
 TWO EIGHT LAST. NY PRESENTLY PREPARING SUMMARY OF PERL'S FINANCES.
 SUTEL WHEN INFO FROM GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE MAY BE EXPECTED HERE.

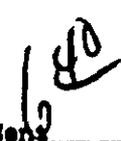
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Special Agent in Charge

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

NEW YORK, N.Y.

JAN. 22, 1952

Transmit the following Teletype message to: CLEVELAND.....URGENT

WILLIAM PERL, ESP-R, PERJURY. NY PRESENTLY PREPARING SUMMARY OF PERL'S FINANCES. WFO ADVISES THE RECORD OF ALL SALARIES AND DEDUCTIONS ARE MAINTAINED BY EMPLOYING AGENCY AND ARE NOT IN GAO, WDC. YOU ARE REQUESTED TO CONTACT NACA, CLEVELAND, AND OBTAIN COMPLETE LISTING OF ALL SALARY PAYMENTS AS WELL AS DEDUCTIONS FOR TAXES, BONDS, ETC., MADE TO PERL BY NACA. SUTEL IF AVAILABLE AND WHEN PHOTOSTATIC COPIES CAN BE DELIVERED TO NY.

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Special Agent in Charge

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WILLIAM PERL, ESPIONAGE DASH R, PERJURY. REURTEL EIGHTEENTH INSTANT.
GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE ADVISES THAT RECORDS OF DEDUCTIONS FOR U.
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Federal Bureau of Investigation
United States Department of Justice
607 United States Court House
Foley Square
New York 7, New York

~~PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL~~

January 25, 1952

Mr. Edward L. Braune, Agent
New York Telephone Company
140 West Street
New York 7, New York

Dear Mr. Braune:

In connection with an official investigation being conducted by this office it is requested that you furnish listings for the following telephone numbers:

Beekman 3-5147
Gramercy 7-4649

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Your cooperation in this matter will be greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,

EDWARD SCHEIDT
Special Agent in Charge

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MR. SCHEIDT
MR. WHELAN
MR. HENNING
MR. GILFILLIE
MR. GRANVILLE
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WILLIAM REEL, EST P, PERJURY. REURTEL TWENTY TWO INSTANT. DATA DESIRED AVAILABLE. PHOTOSTATIC COPIES WILL BE FURNISHED THIS WEEK.

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February 5, 1952

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WILLIAM PERL, wa.
ESPIONAGE - R
PERJURY

Reurlet 10/30/51 concerning U.S. Savings Bond purchases and redemptions in name of MAX SOLOMAN and Mrs. SARAH SKITZER.

It is requested that the Division of Loans and Currency, U.S. Treasury Department, be contacted to determine if these various bonds were redeemed on 6/11/45, rather than 7/11/45. Expedite.



AIR MAIL

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MR. BELMONT
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 MR. GRANVILLE
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WILLIAM PERL, AKA, ESP-R, PERJURY

IMMEDIATELY DISCUSS THIS CASE WITH USA LANE RE HIS PLANS AS TO DATE
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 UNAVAILABILITY WITNESSES AND WEAKENED TESTIMONY THROUGH DIMINISHED
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ON BASIS BUREAU-S ESPIONAGE INVESTIGATION. CITE RESULTS YOUR
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607 U.S. Court House
Foley Square
New York 7, New York

February 12, 1952

Honorable Albert Goldman
Postmaster

U.S. Post Office
33rd St. & 8th Ave.
New York 1, N.Y.
Dear Sir:

In connection with an investigation being conducted by this Bureau, it is requested that a cover be placed on all mail, including special delivery and registered mail, of the following for a period of thirty days:

ALL MAIL ADDRESSED TO MUTTERPERL
OR PERL
936 Tiffany Street
New York 59, N.Y.

return cards

tracings

Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,

EDWARD SCHEIDT 

Special Agent in Charge

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607 U.S. Court House
Foley Square
New York 7, New York

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February 12, 1952

Honorable Albert Goldman
Postmaster

U.S. Post Office
83rd St. & 8th Ave.
New York 1, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

In connection with an investigation being conducted by this Bureau, it is requested that a cover be placed on all mail, including special delivery and registered mail, of the following for a period of thirty days:

MR. and MRS. WILLIAM FERL
wa: Mutterperl
104 E. 38th Street
N.Y. 16, N.Y.

return cards

tracings

Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,

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EDWARD SCHEIDT *ESK*

Special Agent in Charge

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607 U.S. Court House
Foley Square
New York 7, New York

February 14, 1962

Honorable Joseph A. Doyle
Postmaster

U.S. Post Office
Flushing, New York

Dear Sir:

In connection with an investigation being conducted by this Bureau, it is requested that a cover be placed on all mail, including special delivery and registered ^{renewed} mail, of the following for a period of thirty days:

All mail addressed to residence of
JOSEPH P. BLUM
79-23 209th Street
Flushing, Long Island

return cards

tracings

Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,

EDWARD SCHEIDT

Special Agent in Charge

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607 U.S. Court House
Foley Square
New York 7, New York

February 14, 1952

Honorable Albert Goldman
Postmaster

U.S. Post Office
33rd St. & 8th Ave.
New York 7, New York

Dear Sir:

In connection with an investigation being conducted by this Bureau, it is requested that a cover be placed on all mail, including special delivery and registered mail, of the following for a period of thirty days:

ALL MAIL ADDRESSED TO NUTTERPERL
OR FERL
936 Tiffany Street
New York 59, N.Y.

return cards

tracings

Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

~~Very~~ Truly yours,

EDWARD SCHMIDT

Special Agent in Charge

ENC:JM

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607 U.S. Court House
Foley Square
New York 7, New York

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February 14, 1962

Honorable Albert Goldman
Postmaster

U.S. Post Office
33rd Street & 8th Ave.
New York 1, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

In connection with an investigation being conducted by this Bureau, it is requested that a cover be placed on all mail, including special delivery and registered mail, of the following for a period of thirty days:

MR. AND MRS. WILLIAM PERL
wa: Mutterperl
104 E. 38th Street
N.Y. 18, N.Y.

return cards

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Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,

EDWARD SCHEINT

Special Agent in Charge

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, New York (65-15387)
FROM : SAC, Cleveland (65-2730)
SUBJECT: WILLIAM PERL, aka.
ESPIONAGE - R
PERJURY

DATE: February 15, 1952

AIR MAIL - SPECIAL DELIVERY

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Enclosed please find photostatic copies of subject's payroll records for the years 1939 through 1950.

JBO'D:CGP

Encs: (REGISTERED MAIL - RRR)

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Cleveland

E. J. Cahill

William Pearl

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On 2/28/52 the writer contacted W. Haber, Inspector
Office, General Post Office, 7 Ave 33 St for info he might
have concerning any postal boxes for subject or Henrietta
Savidge. However Haber was unable to locate
any box rentals in either name, nor any info
any General Delivery concerning Pearl or Savidge.

S. A. Edward J. Cahill

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607 U.S. Court House
Foley Square
New York 7, New York

March 5, 1952

Hon. Nyles J. Lane
U.S. Attorney
Southern District of New York
New York, N.Y.

RE: WILLIAM PERL
ESP-R
PERJURY

Dear Mr. Lane:

Attached is one copy of the report of Special Agent John B. O'Donoghue dated May 17, 1951 at Cleveland, Ohio, in the case entitled "William Perl, aka, Espionage-R, Perjury."

Your attention is invited to the fact that certain portions of the attached report concern atomic energy information and are classified "restricted data" as defined by the Atomic Energy Act of 1946. This classification should be borne in mind in your use of information contained therein.

Very truly yours,


EDWARD SCHEIDT
Special Agent in Charge

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

NEW YORK, N.Y.
MAR. 5, 1952

Transmit the following Teletype message to: BUREAU.....URGENT

ATT. FBI LAB. WILLIAM PERL, ESP-R, PERJURY. REWFOLET MAR. THREE WHICH ADVISED THAT MAJOR MARK P. MAIER, SCIENTIFIC ADVISORY BOARD, OFFICE OF CHIEF OF STAFF, PENTAGON, DOES NOT DESIRE RETURN OF ANY OF MATERIAL RECD FROM HIM FOR LABORATORY EXAMINATION WITH THE EXCEPTION OF A TEXTBOOK ENTITLED "JET PROPULSION." RELET ALSO SUGGESTED THE BALANCE OF MATERIAL SUBMITTED MAY BE DESTROYED AT LABORATORY. IT IS REQUESTED THIS MATERIAL NOT BE DESTROYED AT THIS TIME BUT IT BE RETAINED AT THE LABORATORY UNTIL INVESTIGATION IN INSTANT CASE COMPLETED.

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cc - WFO (65-5513) (REGISTERED MAIL)

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Approved: *[Signature]*
Special Agent in Charge

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607 U.S. Court House
Foley Square
New York 7, New York

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March 13, 1952

Honorable Albert Goldman

Postmaster Office
U.S. Post Office
33rd St. & 8th Ave.
New York 1, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

In connection with an investigation ^{renewed} being conducted
by this Bureau, it is requested that a cover be placed on all
mail, including special delivery and registered mail, of the
following for a period of ^{thirty} ~~thirty~~ days:

MR. and MRS. WILLIAM PERL
wa: Mutterperl
104 E. 39th Street
New York 16, NY

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return cards

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Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,

EDWARD SCHEIDT
Special Agent in Charge

MC:JM

65-15387-911

607 U.S. Court House
Foley Square
New York 7, New York

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March 13, 1952

Honorable Joseph A. Doyle
Postmaster
U.S. Post Office
Flushing, New York

Dear Sir:

In connection with an investigation ~~being~~^{conducted} by this Bureau, it is requested that a cover be placed on all mail, including special delivery and registered mail, of the following for a period ~~of three days~~^{of three days} to residence of
Joseph A. Blum
79-23 209th Street
Flushing, New York

x

return cards

tracings

Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,

EDWARD SCHEIDT

Special Agent in Charge

FKS:JM

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M. W. Corcoran
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VERIFICATION OF INFORMATION ON SECURITY INDEX CARD

MEMORANDUM

RE: WILLIAM PEHL
Espionage - R.
Perjury

This Office File 65-15387
Bufile 065-059312

The following is the most recent residence address, place of employment and employment address of the above subject as contained on the subject's security index card.

Residence: 104 E 38th St, NY, NY

Employment: Unemployed

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Address:

Remarks: Photo attached

Man Pct 15 (Espionage)

It is requested that the residence address of the subject, place of employment and address of employment be verified and the proper notation be made below:

Residence: *Same*

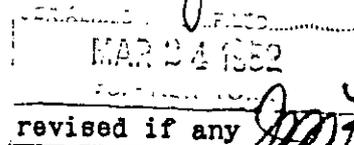
Employment: *Same*

Address:

Verified by: *M. W. Corcoran*

Method of Verification: *Current investigation - Major Case*

Date: *1-11-52*



The security index card on this subject should be revised if any changes are noted above.

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REPORT MADE AT PARIS, FRANCE	DATE WHEN MADE 3/10/52	PERIOD FOR WHICH MADE 1/28, 2/6, 7, 8 3/3, 4, 5/52	REPORT MADE BY HOWARD P. WINTER
TITLE 			CHARACTER OF CASE ESPIONAGE - R

SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

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Dr. THEODORE VON KARLAN denied knowledge of JB-2 project at Republic Aviation Company. He denied acquaintance with ANDEKI SCHVCHENKO. He was hospitalized in New York City from May to September 1944 and spent September and October 1944 at Lake George, N.Y. He became associated with USAF in November 1944. Interview failed to definitely identify or eliminate VON KARLAN as either one of unknown subjects.

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Dr. THEODORE VON KARMAN furnished the following information in Paris, France, on March 5, 1952.

VON KARMAN said that from 1939 to May 1944 he was Director of a jet propulsion laboratory in Pasadena, California.

In May 1944 he arrived in New York City, where he entered a private hospital located in the vicinity of 64th Street. At this hospital he underwent a serious abdominal operation. Subsequently, he lived in a small hotel located on Madison Avenue near 70th Street in order to be near the hospital, at which he received treatment as an out-patient for an extended period. He could not recall the name of the hospital or the exact address. He recalls that the hotel was named the Westwood, or some similar name. He said that he stayed in New York City for about three months and then, in September 1944, he went to Lake George, New York, for further recuperation.

VON KARMAN stated that while he was at Lake George in October 1944, he received a telephonic invitation from General AENOLD of the USAF to come to Washington. He accepted this invitation and arrived in Washington in early November 1944, where he assumed the position of Director of the Scientific Advisory Board to the Chief of Staff of the U. S. Air Force. He remained in Washington until May of 1945, when he visited France, Germany and Russia on an official mission in connection with his official duties. This trip lasted until July 1945, when he returned to Washington and remained there until February 1946.

VON KARMAN denied that he had any knowledge of the JB-2 jet propelled guided missile. He denied that he had participated in any manner in the planning or research connected with this project, and that he had any material available to him in 1944 relative to this bomb. VON KARMAN also denied any knowledge that Republic Aviation Corporation had ever engaged in work on the JB-2 bomb or any similar device.

VON KARMAN denied any present recollection of acquaintance with or knowledge of ANDREI SCHRECHERKO, Soviet Government Purchasing Commission Representative in the Aircraft Industry in the United States during 1944 and 1945. He said that he cannot now recall ever having heard of such an individual.

In connection with the pretext basis of the interview with him, VON KARMAN advised that he had no knowledge of an acquaintance between SCHISVCHENKO and WILLIAM PERL, and that he never had any conversations with PERL concerning SCHISVCHENKO.

VON KARMAN denied knowledge of any acquaintance WILLIAM PERL may have had with individuals at the Republic Aviation Company, Farmingdale, Long Island.

VON KARMAN said that at various meetings of technicians in the aviation industry in the United States he had become casually acquainted with one ~~XXXXXXXX~~ Technical Director at Republic Aviation Company, and with one ~~XXXXXXXX~~, who was formerly connected with Republic in some technical capacity. He said that these acquaintances, however, were casual ones, had never involved any technical discussions of any sort, and that both dated from about 1935. He indicated that he had no contact with these individuals in 1944.

VON KARMAN said that the only American version of the German V-1 robot bomb concerning which he had ever even heard was the one which was under development by the Northrop Aviation Corporation in California in 1945 and 1946. He denied, however, that he had any connection with this project or any technical knowledge concerning it.

In connection with the pretext nature of the interview, VON KARMAN said that WILLIAM PERL had been recommended to him as an assistant at Columbia by Professor RABI, who was at that time (1946) Director of Columbia's Institute of Physics. VON KARMAN said that when PERL was recommended to him by RABI, he readily accepted PERL, because PERL's name, at least, was already known to him. VON KARMAN said that while he cannot now remember having previously met PERL, he may have previously met him in connection with the latter's employment by NACA, either at the NACA laboratories in Cleveland or at Langley Field.

VON KARMAN said that during the period of his association with PERL, the two conferred at Columbia about two or three times a week for periods of from one to two hours for each conference. PERL was preparing a thesis on "transonic flow." PERL prepared lecture notes for VON KARMAN, which were later published. He likewise conducted research for VON KARMAN.

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During the interview VON KARMAN appeared to be somewhat ill at ease and seemed rather reluctant to furnish information. At the termination of the interview, which lasted less than an hour, he volunteered the opinion that instant investigation relative to PERL is "on the wrong track", implying that it was a waste of his time and of the agent's time. In this connection he was courteously informed that the purpose of the inquiry was to exhaust any and all possible avenues of information in order that all facts relevant to the case of PERL might be known.

It may be of interest to the Bureau to know that during his present stay in Paris, Dr. VON KARMAN has as his assistant Mr. RICHARD E. MILLS, one of the Assistant U. S. Air Attaches. MILLS has advised that he was assigned by the General Staff of the U. S. Air Force to assist VON KARMAN, who is teaching a course in aerothermodynamics at the Sorbonne. VON KARMAN lectures on Tuesday of each week from 4:45 P.M. to 6:00 P.M. It appears also that he may be engaged in official work of some type for the U. S. Air Force. During recent efforts to arrange an interview with him, MILLS indicated that he was in Germany temporarily, but would be back in Paris on a specified date.

REFERENCE: Bulet to Paris 1/21/52.

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Re: WILLIAM PERL

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847	1-9-52	LA LETTER TO HQ	3	0	SEE HQ 65-59312

File No: 65-15387Re: WILLIAM PELL

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849	1-14-52	LETTER FROM ANOTHER GOVERNMENT AGENCY	1	0	REFERRAL TO ANOTHER GOVERNMENT AGENCY
850	1-10-52	LA REPORT TO HQ	8	0	SEE HQ 65-59312
851	1-10-52	LA REPORT TO NY	2	2	
852	1-17-52	HQ LETTER TO NY	1	0	SEE HQ 65-59312
853	1-18-52	NY TELETYPE TO WFO	1	1	
854	1-18-52	HQ LETTER TO CV	1	0	SEE HQ 65-59312
855	1-22-52	NY TELETYPE TO CV	1	1	
856	1-22-52	WFO TELETYPE TO NY	1	1	
857	1-24-52	CV LETTER TO HQ	1	0	SEE HQ 65-59312
858	1-22-52	HQ LETTER TO NY	1	0	SEE HQ 65-59312
859	1-23-52	HQ LAD REPORT	1	0	SEE HQ 65-59312

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860	1-23-52	NY LETTER TO NY TELEPHONE COMPANY	1	1	
861	1-29-52	NY TELETYPE TO HQ	1	1	
862	1-29-52	NY LETTER TO HQ	7	0	SEE HQ 65-59312
863	1-29-52	ENCL TO 864	1	0	SEE HQ 65-59312
864	1-29-52	BUREAU LETTER TO NY	1	0	SEE HQ 65-59312
865	1-29-52	DN LETTER TO HQ	1	0	SEE HQ 65-59312
866	1-30-52	CV LETTER TO HQ	1	0	SEE HQ 65-59312
867	2-4-52	HQ LETTER TO NY	2	0	SEE HQ 65-59312
868	2-11-52	NY LETTER TO CG	1	1	
869	2-5-52	CV LETTER TO HQ	2	0	SEE HQ 65-59312
870	2-6-52	HQ LETTER TO NED	1	0	SEE HQ 65-59312
871	2-7-52	CG LETTER TO HQ	1	0	SEE HQ 65-59312

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872	2-12-52	HO LETTER TO NY	1	1	
873	2-12-52	NY LETTER TO POSTAL AUTHORITIES	1	1	
874	2-12-52	NY LETTER TO POSTAL AUTHORITIES	1	1	
875	2-12-52	NY LETTER TO HO	4	0	SEE HQ 65-59312
876	2-13-52	NY TELETYPE TO HO	2	2	SEE HQ 65-59312
877	2-11-52	HO LETTER TO EX LETTER FROM ANOTHER GOVERNMENT AGENCY	1	0	SEE HQ 65-59312 REFERRAL TO ANOTHER GOVERNMENT AGENCY
878	2-13-52	LETTER FROM ANOTHER GOVERNMENT AGENCY	1	0	REFERRAL TO ANOTHER GOVERNMENT AGENCY
879	2-13-52	LETTER FROM ANOTHER GOVERNMENT AGENCY	1	0	REFERRAL TO ANOTHER GOVERNMENT AGENCY
880	2-14-52	NY LETTER TO POSTAL AUTHORITIES	1	1	
881	2-14-52	NY LETTER TO POSTAL AUTHORITIES	1	1	
882	2-14-52	NY LETTER TO POSTAL AUTHORITIES	1	1	
883	2-14-52	NEGATIVE OF HQ TELETYPE TO NY	1	0	SEE HQ 65-58236

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884	2-11-52	WFO LETTER TO HQ	4	0	SEE HQ 65-59312
884A	2-13-52	WFO LETTER TO HQ	1	0	SEE HQ 65-59312
885	2-15-52	CV LETTER TO NY	1	1	
886	2-15-52	HQ LETTER TO KC	1	0	SEE HQ 65-59312
887	2-18-52	LETTER FROM ANOTHER GOVERNMENT AGENCY	1	0	REFERRAL TO ANOTHER GOVERNMENT AGENCY
888	2-18-52	LETTER FROM ANOTHER GOVERNMENT AGENCY	1	0	REFERRAL TO ANOTHER GOVERNMENT AGENCY
889	2-19-52	HQ LETTER TO SF	3	0	SEE HQ 65-59312
890	2-20-52	KC LETTER TO HQ	1	0	SEE HQ 65-59312
891	2-21-52	WFO LETTER TO HQ	1	0	SEE HQ 65-59312
892	2-21-52	HQ LETTER TO NY	1	0	SEE HQ 65-59312
893	2-25-52	INTERNAL MEMO	1	0	SEE HQ 65-15348
894	2-25-52	HQ LETTER TO NY	5	0	SEE HQ 65-59312

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895	2-26-52	NY TELETYPE TO HQ	1	0	SEE NY - 65-15348
896	2-26-52	HQ LETTER TO WFO	1	0	SEE HQ 65-59312
897	2-28-52	KE LETTER TO HQ	1	0	SEE HQ 65-59312
898	2-28-52	NY TELETYPE TO HQ	1	0	SEE NY 65-15348
899	2-28-52	NY LETTER TO HQ	3	0	SEE HQ 65-59312
900	3-3-52	AGENT'S NOTES	1	1	
901	2-28-52	KX LETTER TO HQ	1	0	SEE HQ - 65-59312
902	3-3-52	WFO LETTER TO HQ	1	0	SEE HQ 65-59312
903	3-5-52	NY LETTER TO U.S. ATTORNEY MYLES LANE	1	1	
904	3-5-52	NY LETTER TO HQ	1	0	SEE HQ 65-59312
905	3-5-52	NY TELETYPE TO HQ	1	1	
906	3-3-52	CV REPORT TO HQ	11	0	SEE HQ 65-59312

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907	2-6-52	HO LETTER TO NY	1	0	SEE HQ 65-59312
908	3-6-52	KE LETTER TO HQ	1	0	SEE HQ 65-59312
909	3-11-52	BS LETTER TO HQ	1	0	SEE HQ 65-59312
910	3-7-52	GE LETTER TO HQ	7	0	SEE HQ 65-59312
911	3-13-52	NY LETTER TO ANOTHER GOVERNMENT AGENCY	1	1	
912	3-13-52	NY LETTER TO ANOTHER GOVERNMENT AGENCY	1	1	
913	3-13-52	NY LETTER TO ANOTHER GOVERNMENT AGENCY	1	1	
914	3-13-52	WFO LETTER TO HQ	2	0	SEE HQ 65-59312
915	3-13-52	HQ LETTER TO LEGAT LONDON	4	0	SEE HQ 65-59312
915A	3-14-52	LETTER FROM ANOTHER GOVERNMENT AGENCY	1	0	REFERRAL TO ANOTHER GOVERNMENT AGENCY
915B	3-14-52	LETTER FROM ANOTHER GOVERNMENT AGENCY	1	0	DETTO
915C	3-15-52	NY LETTER TO HQ	1	0	DETTO

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916	3-17-52	CE LETTER TO NY	1	0	SEE HQ 65-19312
917	3-19-52	HR LETTER TO WFO	2	0	SEE HQ 65-19312
918	3-17-52	HR LETTER TO NY	1	0	SEE HQ 65-19312
919	3-22-52	HQ LETTER TO LEGAT, LONDON	2	0	4/20/87 SEE HQ 65-59312-682
919A	3-24-52	FD 154 LETTER FROM ANOTHER GOVERNMENT AGENCY	1	1	4/20/87 Being Processed SEE HQ 65-19312
920	3-6-52	HQ LETTER TO LEGAT, LONDON	2	0	4/20/87 REFERRAL TO ANOTHER GOVERNMENT AGENCY
920A	3-25-52	PAGES LEGAT REPORT TO HQ	4	4	SEE HQ 65-59312-671
920C	3-28-52	HR LETTER TO NY	1	1	
921	3-29-52	NY REPORT TO HQ	84	0	SEE HQ 65-59312
922	3-29-52	NY LETTER TO HQ	1	0	SEE HQ 65-59312
923	3-26-52	SF REPORT TO HQ	11	0	SEE HQ 65-59312

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Transmit the following Teletype message to:

OF ABOVE INTERVIEW STAND ON RECORD AS IT IS NOT FAIR TO THIS OFFICE, THE UNIVERSITY, NOR TO HIMSELF OR WILLIAM PERL. STATED THAT IN FUTURE HE WOULD WELCOME INQUIRIES BY THIS OFFICE ON ANY SUBJ. INTERVIEW WAS CONDUCTED ON VERY FRIENDLY AND COOPERATIVE BASIS. DETAILS OF SAME WILL BE SUBMITTED BY LET AT WHICH TIME RECOMMENDATION WILL BE MADE FOR REMOVAL OF CAUTION CARD RE FUTURE CONTACTS WITH POLYKARP KUSCH.

SCHEIDT

Approved: _____
Special Agent in Charge

Sent _____ M Per _____

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New York, N. Y.
1/7/52

Memo:

Re: MAX ELITCHER
HELENE ELITCHER
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On 12/28/51, MAX ELITCHER was contacted by the writer and was shown photographs of JAMES WEINSTEIN, MILTON KLEIN, MAX FINESTONE, and SAMUEL B. PERL.

He did not know any of these individuals either by name or photograph with the exception of SAM PERL.

ELITCHER met SAM PERL once in the summer of 1944. He could not identify the photograph of PERL. However, the photograph of SAM PERL was taken in 1949.

VINCENT J. CAHILL, SA

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January 11, 1952

Honorable Albert Goldman

Postmaster
Post Office
33rd St. & 8th Ave.
New York 1, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

In connection with an investigation being conducted by this Bureau, it is requested that a cover be ~~removed~~ ^{placed} on all mail, including special delivery and registered mail, of the following for a period of thirty days:

ALL MAIL ADDRESSED TO MUTTERPERL
OR PERL
936 Tiffany Street
New York 59, N.Y.

^X return cards

tracings

Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,
EDWARD SCHEIDT

Special Agent in Charge

WRC:JM

607 U.S. Court House
Foley Square
New York 7, New York

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January 11, 1952

Honorable Albert Goldman

Upstate Office
33rd St. & 8th Ave.
New York 1, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

In connection with an investigation, ^{being} conducted by this Bureau, it is requested that a cover ^{be placed} on all mail, including special delivery and registered mail, of the following for a period of thirty days:

MR. and MRS. WILLIAM PERL
wa: Mutterperl
104 E. 38th Street
N.Y. 16, N.Y.

return cards

tracings

Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,
EDWARD SCHEIDT

Special Agent in Charge

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607 U.S. Court House
Foley Square
New York 7, New York

January 14, 1955

Honorable Joseph A. Doyle
Postmaster

U.S. Post Office
Flushing, New York

Dear Sir:

In connection with an investigation being conducted by this Bureau, it is requested that a cover be placed on all mail, including special delivery and registered mail, of the following for a period of thirty days:

All mail addressed to residence of
JOSEPH P. BLUM
79-23 209th Street
Flushing, Long Island

return cards

tracings

Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,



EDWARD SCHEIDT
Special Agent in Charge

EC:JM

65-15387-845

SAC, New York

March 28, 1952

Director, FBI (65-59549)

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There is being transmitted herewith for your information two copies of a report which was submitted by SA Howard P. Winter dated March 10, 1952, at Paris, France. You will note that this report contains the results of an interview had with Dr. Theodore Von Karman in connection with this matter.

The New York Office is requested to extract from this report such pertinent information pertaining to William Perl and appropriately set forth this information in a future report submitted in the Perl case.

A copy of referenced report is similarly being furnished to the Los Angeles Office for information only.

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925	3/3/52	NY TELETYPE TO HQ	4	0	SEE NY FILE #65-15348
926	3/3/52	CLEVELAND LETTER TO HQ	4	0	see Bufile 65-59312
927	4/1/52	HQ LETTER TO NY	1	0	see Bufile 65-59312
928	4/1/52	HQ LETTER TO CLEVELAND	1	0	see Bufile 65-59312
929		SKIPPED IN SERIALIZING	1	1	
930	4/8/52	NY TELETYPE TO HQ	3	0	SEE NY FILE #65-15348
931	4/8/52	Cleveland letter to HQ	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
932	4/10/52	SAC LETTER TO POSTMASTER NY	1	1	
933	4/10/52	SAC, LETTER TO POSTMASTER NY	1	1	
934	4/10/52	SAC LETTER TO POSTMASTER NY	1	1	
935	4/15/52	NY MEMO TO FILE	3	0	see NY File 65-15360
935A	4/14/52	NY Gov't Agency LETTER TO SAC, NY	1	0	Refer to other Gov't Agency

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935B	4/14/52	NY Gov't Agency LETTER TO SAC, NY	1	0	Refer to other Gov't Agency
936	4/15/52	HQ LETTER TO SAC, NY	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
937	4/11/52	FROM LOS ANGELES TO HQ	12	0	Bufile 65-59312
938	4/16/52	FROM ST. LOUIS TO HQ	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
939	4/3/52	FROM LEGAL ATTACHE, LONDON TO HQ	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
940	4/23/52	HQ LETTER TO NY	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
941	4/28/52	WFO LETTER TO HQ	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
942	4/30/52	HQ LETTER TO LOS ANGELES	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
943	5/3/52	NY LETTER TO HQ	4	0	SEE NY FILE # 15380
944	5/8/52	SAC LETTER TO NY POSTMASTER	1	1	
945	5/9/52	SAC LETTER TO NY POSTMASTER	1	1	
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948	5/7/52	LOS ANGELES LETTER TO HQ	4	0	Bufile 65-59312
949	5/12/52	LOS ANGELES LETTER TO HQ	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
950	5/13/52	NY Gov't Agency TO SAC, NY	1	0	Refer to other Gov't Agency
951	5/13/52	NY GOV'T Agency TO SAC, NY	1	0	Refer to other Gov't Agency
952	5/22/52	TELETYPE FROM HQ TO NY	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
953	5/23/52	NY TELETYPE TO HQ TYPE COPY	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
954	5/23/52	WFO LETTER TO HQ	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
955	5/26/52	HQ LETTER TO LOS ANGELES	4	0	Bufile 65-59312
956	5/28/52	NY TELETYPE TO HQ TYPE COPY	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
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959	6/2/52	HQ LETTER TO NY	5	0	Bufile 65-59312
960	6/5/52	NY TELETYPE TO HQ TYPE COPY	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
961	6/7/52	SAC LETTER TO NY POSTMASTER	1	1	
962	6/9/52	NY TELETYPE TO HQ TYPE COPY	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
963	6/9/52	NY LETTER TO HQ	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
964	6/6/52	HQ LETTER TO CLEVELAND	3	0	Bufile 65-59312
965	6/10/52	SAC LETTER TO POSTMASTER, NY	1	1	
966	6/11/52	NY MEMO TO FILE	1	1	
966A	6/11/52	CARD FROM NY Gov't Agency	1	0	Refer to other Gov't Agency
967	6/12/52	NY SAC LETTER TO POSTMASTER NY	1	1	
968	6/12/52	CI LETTER TO HQ	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
968A	6/13/52	NY Gov't Agency LETTER TO SAC	1	0	Refer to other Gov't Agency

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968B	6/13/52	HQ LETTER TO CLEVELAND CAPTIONED UNSUB	3	0	Refer to Another Gov't Agency
969	6/12/52	LEGAT (LONDON) FROM HQ, LETTER	3	0	Refer to Another Gov't Agency
969A	4/11/52	NY Gov't Agency TO SAC, NY	1	0	Butfile 65-59312-714
970	6/23/52	HQ LETTER TO LOS ANGELES	1	0	Refer to other Gov't Agency
971	6/20/52	PH report to HQ	1	0	Butfile 65-59312
972	6/25/52	PH LETTER TO HQ	4	0	Butfile 65-59312
973	6/25/52	LOS ANGELES LETTER TO HQ	1	0	Butfile 65-59312
974	6/30/52	NY TELETYPE TO HQ TYPE COPY	3	3	Butfile 65-59312
975	7/3/52	NY LETTER TO NY POSTMASTER CAPTIONED JOSEPH P. BLUM	1	0	Butfile 65-59312
975A	7/2/52	FROM CLEVELAND TO HQ CAPTIONED UNSUB	1	1	
976	7/3/52	FROM CLEVELAND TO HQ	2	0	Refer to Another Gov't Agency
977	7/9/52	SAC NY TO NY POSTMASTER LETTER	4	0	Butfile 65-59312
			1	1	

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978	7/11/52	SAC, NY LETTER TO NY POSTMASTER	1	1	
979	7/11/52	NY Gov't Agency TO SAC, NY	1	0	Refer to other Gov't Agency
980	7/10/52	WFO LETTER TO HQ	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
981	7/14/52	NY Gov't Agency TO SAC, NY	1	0	Refer to other Gov't Agency
982	7/14/52	HQ LETTER TO Los Angeles	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
983	7/16/52	NY LETTER TO HQ	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
984	7/18/52	CE LETTER TO HQ	8	0	Bufile 65-59312
985	8/1/52	SAC LETTER TO NY POSTMASTER	1	1	
985A	8/6/52	SAC LETTER TO NY POSTMASTER	1	1	
986	8/7/52	NY Gov't Agency LETTER TO SAC, NY	1	0	Refer to other Gov't Agency
986A	8/8/52	SAC LETTER TO POSTMASTER NY	1	1	
987	8/11/52	NY Gov't Agency LETTER TO SAC, NY	1	0	Refer to other Gov't Agency

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988	8/13/52	NY REPORT TO HQ	170	0	Bufile 65-59312
989	8/14/52	NY MEMO TO FILE	3	3	
990	8/13/52	KNOXVILLE LETTER TO HQ	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
991	8/25/52	NY LETTER TO HQ	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
992	9/2/52	SAC LETTER TO NY, POSTMASTER	1	1	
993	7/22/52	LEGAT, LONDON TO HQ	4	0	Bufile 65-59312
994	9/5/52	SAC LET TO NY POSTMASTER	1	1	
995	9/2/52	LOS ANGELES LET TO HQ	1	0	Bufile 65-59312
996	9/2/52	LA REPORT TO HQ	8	0	Bufile 65-59312
997	9/9/52	Gov't Agency LET TO SAC, NY	1	0	Refer to other Gov't Agency
997A	9/9/52	Gov't Agency LET TO SAC, NY	1	0	Refer to other Gov't Agency
998	9/10/52	SAC LET TO POSTMASTER	1	1	

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607 U.S. Court House
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New York 7, New York

65-15387

April 10, 1952

Honorable Albert Goldman
Postmaster

U.S. Post Office
33rd St. & 8th Ave.
New York 1, N.Y.
Dear Sir:

In connection with an investigation being conducted by this Bureau, it is requested that a cover be placed on all mail, including special delivery and registered ~~mail~~, of the following for a period of thirty days:

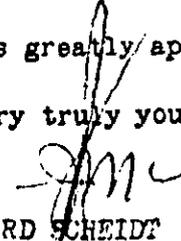
MR. AND MRS. WILLIAM PERL
wa: Mitterperl
104 E. 38th Street
New York 16, N.Y.

return cards

tracings

Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,


EDWARD SCHEIDT

Special Agent in Charge

HC:JM

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607 U. S. Court House
Foley Square
New York 7, New York

65-15387

April 10, 1952

Postmaster Joseph A. Doyle

U.S. Post Office
Flushing, New York

Dear Sir:

In connection with an investigation being conducted by this Bureau, it is requested that a cover be placed on all mail, including special delivery and registered ^{renewed} mail, of the following for a period of thirty days:

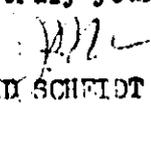
All mail addressed to residence of
Joseph P. Blum
79-23 209th Street
Flushing, Long Island

return cards

tracings

Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,


EDWARD SCHEIDT

Special Agent in Charge

H.C:JU

65-15387-933

607 U.S. Court House
Foley Square
New York 7, New York

65-15387

April 10, 1952

Honorable Albert Goldman
Postmaster

U.S. Post Office
33rd St. & 8th Ave.
New York 1, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

In connection with an investigation being conducted by this Bureau, it is requested that a cover be placed on all mail, including special delivery and registered mail, of the following for a period of thirty days:

ALL MAIL ADDRESSED TO MUTTERPERL
OR PERL
936 Tiffeny Street
New York 59, N.Y.

return cards

tracings

Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,

E. Scheidt
EDWARD SCHEIDT

Special Agent in Charge

M-C:JM

65-15387-934

Private

607 U.S. Court House
Foley Square
New York 7, New York

65-15387

May 8, 1952

Postmaster

U.S. Post Office
Flushing, L. I.

Dear Sir:

In connection with an investigation being conducted by this Bureau, it is requested that a cover be placed on all mail, including special delivery and registered mail, of the following for a period of thirty days:

ALL mail addressed to residence of
JOSEPH P. BLUM
79-23 - 209th Street
Flushing, L.I.

return cards

tracings

Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,

ES
EDWARD SCHEIDT

Special Agent in Charge

ENC: JM

65-15387-944

607 U.S. Court House
Foley Square
New York 7, New York

65-15387

May 9, 1952

~~Mr. George Bragalini~~
Honorable George Bragalini

U.S. Post Office
33rd St. & 8th Ave.
New York 1, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

In connection with an investigation being conducted by this Bureau, it is requested that a cover be placed on all mail, including special delivery and registered mail, of the following for a period of thirty days:

ALL MAIL ADDRESSED TO MUTTERPERL
OR PERL
936 Tiffany Street
New York 59, N.Y.

return cards

tracings

Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,

EDWARD SCHEIDT

Special Agent in Charge

ENC: JM

65-15387-945

65-15387

607 U.S. Court House
Foley Square
New York 7, New York

May 9, 1952

Honorable George Bragalini
Postmaster

U.S. Post Office
33rd St. & 8th Ave.
New York 1, N.Y.
Dear Sir:

In connection with an investigation being conducted by this Bureau, it is requested that a cover be placed on all mail, including special delivery and registered ~~XXXX~~ ^{registered} mail, of the following for a period of thirty days:

MR. AND MRS. WILLIAM PERL
wa: Mutterperl
104 E. 38th Street
New York 16, N.Y.

return cards

tracings

Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,

EDWARD SCHEIDT

Special Agent in Charge

MWC:JV

Melt

65-15387-946

607 U.S. Court House
Foley Square
New York 7, New York

65-15387

June 7, 1952

Postmaster

U.S. Post Office
Flushing, Long Island

Dear Sir:

In connection with an investigation being conducted by this Bureau, it is requested that a cover ~~be placed~~ be placed on all mail, including special delivery and registered ~~mail~~, of the following for a period of thirty days:

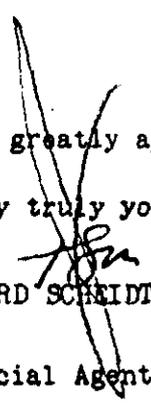
All mail addressed to residence of
JOSEPH P. BLUM
79-23 - 209th Street
Flushing, Long Island

return cards

tracings

Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,


EDWARD SCHEIDT

Special Agent in Charge

HWC:JH

65-15387-961

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607 U.S. Court House
Foley Square
New York 7, New York

June 10, 1952

Honorable George Bragalini

Postmaster

U.S. Post Office
33rd St. & 8th Ave.
New York 1, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

In connection with an investigation being conducted by this Bureau, it is requested that a cover be placed on all mail, including special delivery and registered mail, of the following for a period of thirty days:

ALL MAIL ADDRESSED TO MUTTERPERL
OR PERL
936 Tiffany Street
New York 59, N.Y.

return cards

tracings

Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,

ES
EDWARD SCHEIDT

Special Agent in Charge

MTC:JK

65-15387-965

Memo.

6/11/52

William Pearl
Esp-R.

[REDACTED] Corn Exchange Bank Trust
Co. - 5184257: Inf advised checking a/c of
Henrietta Savidge was closed on 4/28/52 with a
withdrawal of 1202.⁵⁰ which consisted of a check
drawn to Cash & presented to teller. Savidge advised
she was opening a saving a/c but failed to
advise name of bank. Credit file failed to
reflect any inquiry from other banks re Savidge.
Withdrawal consisted of 11 - \$100 bills and various
other small bills. (b)(7)(D)

[REDACTED] Nat City Bank 111 St & Broadway
advised balance in Pearl's
a/c consisted of \$417.77. Activity limited to
\$1¹² (b). Inf advised he was continued to observe a/c & will
advise of any pertinent items as drawn. (b)(7)(D)

C. J. Cahill

65-15387-966

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607 U.S. Court House
Foley Square
New York 7, New York

June 12, 1952

Honorable George Bragalini
Postmaster
U.S. Post Office
33rd St. & 8th Ave.
New York 1, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

In connection with an investigation being conducted by this Bureau, it is requested that a cover be ~~placed~~^{honored} on all mail, including special delivery and registered mail, of the following for a period of thirty days:

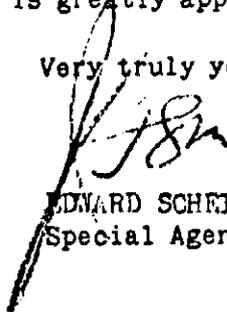
MR. AND MRS. WILLIAM PERL
wa: Mutterperl
104 E. 38th Street
New York 16, N.Y.

return cards

tracings

Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,


EDWARD SCHRIDT
Special Agent in Charge

MWC:JM

65-15387-967

DIRECTOR, FBI (65-59341)

6/25/52

SAC, LOS ANGELES (65-5112)

UNKNOWN SUBJECT;
Unknown Consultant at Aswan Dam,
Egypt, 1946 - 1949
ESPIONAGE - R

Rereport of SA JOHN A. HARRINGTON, New York, 6/5/52.

Mrs. MARIE RODDENBERRY, personal secretary to Dr. THEODORE VON KARMAN, 1501 South Marengo Avenue, Pasadena, California, advised on 6/23/52 that she has no personal knowledge of the exact relationship between VON KARMAN and WILLIAM PERL in connection with the Aswan Dam Project in 1947 since she, herself, was then a Government employee attached to the Scientific Advisory Board of the USAF in Washington, D.C. As such, she therefore had no personal detailed information of VON KARMAN's activity while in his NYC office.

It has been her understanding, however, that PERL had originally been assigned as VON KARMAN's assistant by Columbia University. As to the specific Aswan Dam Project, correspondence which has since come to her attention indicates that PERL worked as a technical assistant to VON KARMAN but apparently was paid directly by the firms concerned.

As to the check in the amount of \$700.58 referred to in rereport charged to VON KARMAN's Chase National Bank account on 7/7/47 (being identical with a deposit of WILLIAM PERL's account on 7/3/47) Mrs. RODDENBERRY had no personal knowledge or information. An examination of available canceled checks for the pertinent period in 1947, however, failed to reflect this particular item. It was also noted, however, that bank statements from the Chase National Bank were also missing for the period between 5/29/47 and 3/3/48. On the latter date it was observed the statement had been mailed to VON KARMAN at the Hotel California in Paris, France. Mrs. RODDENBERRY recalled that about July 1, 1947 VON KARMAN had gone to Europe where he remained for a number of months. As to the present whereabouts of these missing checks and statements Mrs. RODDENBERRY was unable to offer any assistance.

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She explained, and it was self-evident, at the VON KARMAN residence that very large quantities of correspondence, papers, scientific data, etc. have accumulated at the VON KARMAN residence in recent years, a great portion of which has not yet been sorted or arranged in any logical order. Since her own recent assumption of duties, it has been physically impossible for her to arrange all this material in order. It is, therefore, quite possible, she continued, that the check in question may be among these papers. It was self-apparent that a further search for this specific check at this time is impossible.

Mrs. RODDENBERRY speculated that during VON KARMAN's absence in Europe in 1947, ANDREW G. HALEY, Attorney, Washington, D.C., held a power of attorney on VON KARMAN's behalf and undoubtedly signed checks for various items. She felt that he may well have received the Chase National Bank checks and statements in question. She suggested that he be recontacted in this regard, a lead for which has already been set out in rereport. It is recalled further that HALEY, upon interview by the Washington Field Office recently in the WILLIAM PERL matter (Bufile 65-59312) as reflected in Washington Field letter dated 12/28/51, has already indicated that he issued only six checks under his power of attorney, none of which was payable to PERL.

As to the general matter of payments made to PERL by VON KARMAN, you have already been advised by Los Angeles letter, 5/28/52 in the above-captioned matter that an examination of all available checks has failed to reflect any such payments.

With regard to the matter of available financial records which VON KARMAN may have maintained, Mrs. RODDENBERRY explained that VON KARMAN's financial records appeared to have consisted only of his cancelled checks. No other records have come to her attention. She added that even the check stubs are not available in all cases and those which are available are not always completely filled out.

In connection with the possibility that VON KARMAN may have ever paid PERL directly though indications thus far appear to have been to the contrary, the following paragraph referring to office financial affairs from a letter to VON KARMAN

LA 65-5112

from his former secretary LILLIAN FRICKER, dated 10/3/47, is being set out. Attention is called to the last sentence.

*3) As for Bill (referring to WILLIAM PERL): About the middle of the summer he changed his mind about the arrangements made earlier for his salary so that he has now been forwarding time sheets for work done on the wind tunnel directly to S and P (Sverdrup Parcel) after having them approved by Professor GILMUD and has been paid by them. You had arranged before you left for him to bill Chemical Construction directly. He did, and he says there is nothing else that is still due him from you. You had cleared it up with a check through July 1."

ROG.

65-15387

607 U.S. Court House
Foley Square
New York 7, New York

July 3, 1952

Postmaster
U.S. Post Office
Flushing, Long Island

Dear Sir:

In connection with an investigation being conducted by this Bureau, it is requested that a cover be prepared on all mail, including special delivery and registered mail, of the following for a period of thirty days:

All mail addressed to residence of
Joseph P. Elum
79-23 - 209th Street
Flushing, Long Island

return cards

tracings

Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,

[Handwritten Signature]
EDWARD SCHEIDT
Special Agent in Charge

HWC:JM

65-15387-975

65-15387

607 U.S. Court House
Foley Square
New York 7, New York

July 9, 1952

Honorable George Bragalini
Postmaster

U.S. Post Office
33rd St. @ 8th Ave.
New York 1, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

In connection with an investigation being conducted by this Bureau, it is requested that a cover be ~~removed~~ ^{placed} on all mail, including special delivery and registered mail, of the following for a period of thirty days:

ALL MAIL ADDRESSED TO MUTTER PERL
OR PERL
936 Tiffeny Street
New York 59, N.Y.

return cards

tracings

Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,

[Signature]
EDWARD SCHEIDT
Special Agent in Charge

MWC:JM

15-15387-999

65-15387

607 U.S. Court House
Foley Square
New York 7, New York

July 11, 1952

Honorable George Bragalini

Postmaster
U.S. Post Office
33rd St. & 8th Ave.
New York 1, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

In connection with an investigation being conducted by this Bureau, it is requested that a cover be ^{renewed} ~~placed~~ on all mail, including special delivery and registered mail, of the following for a period of thirty days:

MR. AND MRS. WILLIAM PERL
wa: Mutterperl
104 E. 38th Street
New York 16, New York

return cards

tracings

Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,

EDWARD SCHEIDT
Special Agent in Charge

MS:JM

65-15387-978

290 Broadway
New York 7, New York

65-15387

August 1, 1952

Postmaster

U.S. Post Office
Flushing, New York

Dear Sir:

In connection with an investigation being conducted by this Bureau, it is requested that a cover be placed on all mail, including special delivery and registered mail, of the following for a period of thirty days:

All mail addressed to residence of
Joseph P. Blum
79-23 - 209th Street
Flushing, Long Island

return cards

tracings

Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,


EDWARD SCHMIDT
Special Agent in Charge

ENC:JEM

65-15387-985

290 Broadway
New York 7, New York

65-15387

August 6, 1952

Honorable George Bragalini
Postmaster

U.S. Post Office
33rd Street & 8th Ave.
New York, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

In connection with an investigation being conducted by this Bureau, it is requested that a cover be placed on all mail, including special delivery and registered mail, of the following for a period of thirty days:

ALL MAIL ADDRESSED TO MUTTERPERL
OR PERL
936 Tiffany Street
New York 59, N.Y.

return cards

tracings

Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,


EDWARD SCHMIDT
Special Agent in Charge

HCC:JM

65-15387-985A

65-15387

290 Broadway
New York 7, New York

August 8, 1952

Honorable George Brazzini
Postmaster

U.S. Post Office
33rd St. & 8th Ave.
New York 1, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

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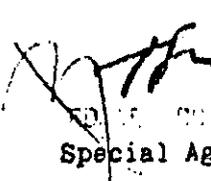
MR. AND MRS. WILLIAM FERL
was: Mutterperl
104 E. 38th Street
N.Y. 16, N.Y.

return cards

tracings

Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,


Special Agent in Charge

WJC:JM

65-15387-986A

New York, New York

August 14, 1952

Memo:

Re: WILLIAM PERL, wa.
Espionage R
Perjury

RErep SA MAURICE W. CORCORAN dated August 13, 1952.

During the preparation of the above report the following references were reviewed and all pertinent information incorporated therein. See attached.

MAURICE W. CORCORAN
Special Agent

MWC

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N. Y. C.	
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290 Broadway
New York 7, New York

65-15387

September 2, 1952

Postmaster
U.S. Post Office
Flushing, New York

Re: All mail addressed to residence of
JOSEPH P. BLUM
79-23 209th Street
Flushing, Long Island

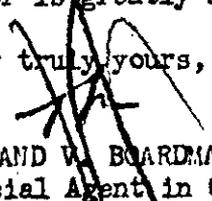
Dear Sir:

In connection with an investigation being conducted by this Bureau, it is requested that you furnish this office with the following information on all mail, including special delivery and registered mail, received by the above individual for a period of thirty days:

1. The name of addressee if different from above.
2. Name and return address of sender.
3. All postmark data including date, time, and place mailed from.
4. All information on return cards.

Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,


LELAND W. BOARDMAN
Special Agent in Charge

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65-15387-992

65-15387

290 Broadway
New York 7, New York

September 5, 1952

Honorable George Bragalini

Postmaster

U.S. Post Office
33rd St. & 8th Ave.
New York 1, N.Y.

Re: All Mail Addressed to Mutterperl
Or Perl
936 Tiffany Street
New York 59, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

In connection with an investigation being conducted by this Bureau, it is requested that you furnish this office with the following information on all mail, including special delivery and registered mail, received by the above individual for a period of thirty days:

1. The name of addressee if different from above.
2. Name and return address of sender.
3. All postmark data including date, time, and place mailed from.
4. All information on return cards.

Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,

LELAND V. BOARDMAN
Special Agent in Charge

MWC:JM

65-15387-894

65-15387

290 Broadway
New York 7, New York

September 10, 1952

Honorable George Brugalini
Postmaster
U.S. Post Office
33rd St. & 8th Ave.
New York 1, N.Y.

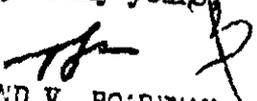
Re: MR. AND MRS. WILLIAM PERL
wa Mutterperl
104 E. 38th Street
New York 16, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

In connection with an investigation being conducted by this Bureau, it is requested that you furnish this office with the following information on all mail, including special delivery and registered mail, received by the above individual for a period of thirty days:

1. The name of addressee if different from above.
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4. All information on return cards.

Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,

LELAND V. BOARDMAN
Special Agent in Charge

MRC:JB

65-15387-998

Sept. 16, 1952

Memo

Re William Pearl, wa
Espionage R #65-15387
Perjury

According to a mail cover placed on the address of subject's parents at 936 Tiffany St., Bronx, N.Y., Sarah Mitterpeel received a letter from Sadie Rens 343 W 71 St, N.Y.C. Sadie Rens is subject's sister - nee Sadie Mitterpeel who formerly resided at 202 W 69 St., N.Y.C. The 71 St address is apparently a change of address for Sadie Rens.

MW Conoran
SA.

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Re: WILLIAM PERL

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1019	11/21/52	SA MEMO TO FILE	2	2	
1020	11/24/52	SA MEMO TO FILE	1	1	
1021	12/1/52	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU	4	-	captioned J. Rosenberg SEE BUFILE 65-58236
1022	12/1/52	LETTER FROM CV TO BUREAU	1	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312 captioned J. Rosenberg
1023	12/2/52	AIRTEL FROM NY TO BUREAU	5	-	SEE BUFILE 65-58236 captioned J. ROSENBERG
1024	12/2/52	AIRTEL FROM NY TO BUREAU	2	-	SEE BUFILE 65-58236
1025	12/9/52	LETTER FROM BUREAU TO NY	1	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1026	12/17/52	LETTER FROM NY TO BUREAU	2	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312

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1027	12/19/52	NY SA MEMO TO FILE	2	2	
1028	12/31/52	LETTER FROM CV TO BUREAU	1	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1029	1/20/53	AIRTEL FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1030	1/30/53	NY REPORT TO BUREAU	60	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1031	1/30/53	LETTER FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1031A	2/6/53	LETTER FROM NF TO BUREAU	1	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1032	2/12/53	TRANSLATION FROM RUSSIA (ENCLOSURE TO 1032A)	2	0	FBI/28 ⁰ 15 Being Processed SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1032A	2/12/53	LETTER FROM BUREAU TO NY	1	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1033	2/20/53	AIRTEL FROM NY TO BUREAU	2	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1034	NOT DATED	NY SA MEMO TO FILE	4	4	
1035	2/26/53	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	-	FBI/28 ⁰ 15 SEE BUFILE 65-59312-761
1036	2/27/53	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312

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1037	2/2/53	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1038	2/3/53	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1039	2/4/53	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1040	2/5/53	TELETYPE FROM NY TO CV	1	1	
1041	2/6/53	TELETYPE FROM CV TO NY	1	-	Refer To Another Gov't Agency
1042	2/6/53	LETTER FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1043	2/10/53	TELETYPE FROM NY TO CV	1	1	
1044	2/11/53	TELETYPE FROM CV TO NY	1	-	Refer To Another Gov't Agency Captioned Max Malone Eltcher
1044A	2/18/53	SA MEMO TO SAC NY	1	-	SEE NY 65-4487-35
1045	2/26/53	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU	2	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1045A	2/26/53	FD 154 SECURITY INFO FROM	1	1	
1046	2/27/53	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312

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1047	3/31/53	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1048	4/8/53	LETTER FROM CV TO BUREAU	1	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1049	4/28/53	TELETYPE FROM BUREAU TO CV	1	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1050	4/28/53	TELETYPE FROM CV TO BUREAU & NY	2	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1051	4/28/53	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU & CV	5	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1052	4/28/53	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU & CV	1	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1053	4/28/53	NY SA MEMO TO FELE	1	1	
1054	4/28/53	LETTER FROM CV TO NY	3	3	
1055	4/29/53	LETTER FROM CV TO BUREAU	1	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1056	4/29/53	LETTER FROM CV TO BUREAU	2	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1057	4/29/53	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU & CV	2	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1058	5/1/53	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312

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1059	5/4/53	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1060	5/4/53	SA MEMO TO SAC, NY	1	1	
1061	5/6/53	NY SA MEMO TO FILE	5	5	
1062	5/8/53	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU & AL	2	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1063	5/9/53	LETTER FROM AL TO BUREAU	1	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1064	5/11/53	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU, AL & CV	3	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1065	5/12/53	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU & CV	1	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1066	5/12/53	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU & SU	1	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1067	5/12/53	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU & SL	1	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1068	5/12/53	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU & WFO	2	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1069	5/12/53	LETTER FROM CV TO BUREAU	1	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1070	5/12/53	NY SA MEMO TO FILE	1	1	

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1071	5/12/53	SAC MEMO TO ASAC NY	1	1	/
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1072	5/13/53	LETTER FROM CV TO BUREAU	1	-	/ SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1073	5/13/53	LETTER FROM CG TO BUREAU	1	-	/ SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1074	5/13/53	LETTER FROM SU TO NY	1	1	/
1075	5/13/53	TELETYPE FROM WFO TO NY + HQ	1	-	/ SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1076	5/13/53	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU (LA TYPED COPY)	1	-	/ SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1076	5/13/53	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU (TRANSMITTAL COPY)	1	-	/ SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1077	5/13/53	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU + DE	1	-	/ SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1078	5/13/53	TELETYPE FROM SL TO BUREAU, WFO, NY	1	-	/ SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1079	5/14/53	AIRTEL FROM BUREAU TO NY	1	-	/ SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1080	5/14/53	TELETYPE FROM LA TO BUREAU + NY	1	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312

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1082	5/14/53	TELETYPE FROM DE TO NY	1	1	
1083	5/14/53	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU & CV	2	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1084	5/14/53	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1085	5/14/53	ISA MEMO TO SA NY LETTER FROM WFO	1	1	
1086	5/14/53	TO BUREAU	4	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1087		SERIAL MISSING TELETYPE FROM NY			
1088	5/15/53	TO BUREAU & CV	1	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1089	5/15/53	TELETYPE FROM PH TO BUREAU & NY	1	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1090	5/15/53	TELETYPE FROM BUREAU TO NY	1	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1091	5/15/53	ISA MEMO TO SAC NY LETTER FROM WFO	1	1	
1092	5/15/53	TO BUREAU	1	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312

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1092B	5/15/53	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU & PH	1	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1092C	5/15/53	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU & AL	1	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1092D	5/15/53	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU	2	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1092E	5/15/53	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU & CV	1	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1093	5/16/53	LETTER FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1094	5/16/53	TELETYPE FROM SL TO BUREAU & NY	1	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1095	5/16/53	TELETYPE FROM BUREAU TO NY	1	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1096	5/16/53	TELETYPE FROM CV TO BUREAU & NY	1	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1097	5/16/53	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1098	5/16/53	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU & KC	2	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1099	5/16/53	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU & CV	4	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312

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1102	5/18/53	TELETYPE FROM DE TO NY	1	1	
1103	5/18/53	TELETYPE FROM BUREAU TO NY	1	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1104	5/18/53	TELETYPE FROM KC TO BUREAU NY	1	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1105	5/18/53	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1106	5/18/53	NY REPORT TO BUREAU	58	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1107	5/18/53	LETTER FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1108	5/18/53	SA MEMO TO SAC NY	1	1	
1109	5/18/53	SA MEMO TO SAC NY	1	1	
1109A	5/18/53	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU	2	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
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1109D	5/19/53	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU	6	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312
1109E	5/20/53	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU	6	-	SEE BUFILE 65-59312

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VERIFICATION OF INFORMATION ON SECURITY INDEX CARD

MEMORANDUM

RE: WILLIAM PERL wa

*Exp-R
Perjury*

This Office File 65-15387
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The following is the most recent residence address, place of employment and employment address of the above subject as contained on the subject's security index card.

Residence: 104 E. 38th St., NY, NY

Employment: Unemployed

Address:

Remarks: Mann #15 (ESP) photo

It is requested that the residence address of the subject, place of employment and address of employment be verified and the proper notation be made below:

Residence: *104 East 38 St NYC*

Employment: *Unemployed*

Address:

Verified by: *AW Cowan*

Method of Verification: *Surveillance - Major Case*

Date: *10-18-52*

The security index card on this subject should be revised if any changes are noted above.

*YOK
RD*

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WTM

290 Broadway
New York 7, New York

65-15387

October 24, 1952

Honorable George Bragalini
Postmaster
General Post Office
33rd Street and Eighth Avenue
New York 1, New York

Re: Mr. and Mrs. WILLIAM PERL, with alias
MUTTERPERL or SAVIDGE
104 East 38th Street,
New York 16, New York

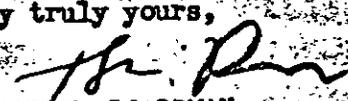
Dear Sir:

In connection with an investigation being conducted by this Bureau, it is requested that you furnish this office with the following information on all mail, including special delivery and registered mail, received by the above individual for a period of thirty days:

1. The name of addressee if different from above.
2. Name and return address of sender.
3. All postmark data including date, time, and place mailed from.
4. All information on return cards.

Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,


IRELAND V. BOARDMAN
Special Agent in Charge

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290 Broadway
New York 7, New York

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October 24, 1952

Honorable George Bragalini
Postmaster
General Post Office
33rd Street and Eighth Avenue
New York 1, New York

Re: PERL or MUTTERPERL (All Mail)
936 Tiffany Street
New York 59, New York

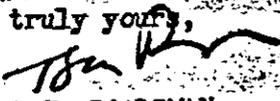
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THIS CASE ORIGINATED AT

PITTSBURGH

FILE NO.

REPORT MADE AT PITTSBURGH	DATE WHEN MADE 10/28/52	PERIOD FOR WHICH MADE 10/21, 22/52	REPORT MADE BY JOHN M. PAGE
TITLE HERMAN THEODORE EPSTEIN			CHARACTER OF CASE SECURITY MATTER - C

SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

No derogatory information developed concerning Mr. and Mrs. **KARL G. KESSLER**, Bethesda, Md. During 1950 information received that **HERMAN T. EPSTEIN**, then associated with the University of Pittsburgh, had on one occasion stated that in the event of war with Russia he would not support the United States. Individuals acquainted with subject at the University of Michigan could furnish no specific information concerning subversive activities on the part of **EPSTEIN**. One former instructor, however, stated that while at University of Michigan **EPSTEIN** was sympathetic to and active in the American Youth for Democracy or the American Youth Congress.



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Details:

It has been previously reported that the subject during the month of May, 1951, was in contact with Mrs. **K. J. KESSLER**, 5927 Anniston Road, Bethesda, Maryland. Investigation has disclosed that **KARL G. KESSLER**, a physicist employed by the U. S. Bureau of Standards, and his wife, **ELTTY**, reside at 5927 Anniston Road, Bethesda, Maryland. Background information concerning these individuals has been reported.

It is noted that the Washington Field Office has developed no information of a derogatory nature concerning the **KESSLERS**.

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It has been previously reported that during the month of May, 1951, the subject was in contact with Mrs. R. W. PIDD, 2001 Anderson Avenue, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

The Detroit Office has advised that Mrs. R. W. PIDD, aka. Mrs. Ann Pidd, presently resides at 2801 Brockman Street, Ann Arbor, Michigan, and is the wife of ROBERT WALLACE PIDD, Assistant Professor at the University of Michigan. Further, Mrs. PIDD is employed at the Willow Run Airport, Willow Run, Michigan. The Detroit Office is in possession of no information of a derogatory nature concerning the PIDDs.

It is noted that during the fall of 1950 T-1, of unknown reliability but who was acquainted with the subject during the period EPSTEIN was employed by the National Advisory Committee on Aeronautics at Cleveland, Ohio, was interviewed in connection with another matter. During the interview, T-1 stated that on one occasion he had heard HERMAN T. EPSTEIN, who was then associated with the University of Pittsburgh, state that in the event of a war with Russia he, EPSTEIN, would not support the United States. T-1 furnished no further information with reference to EPSTEIN.

The Detroit Office has advised that ARNOLD MARTIN KUETHE, Professor, University of Michigan, formerly Acting Chairman, Department of Aeronautics, during the time of the subject's attendance at the University of Michigan, advised that he did not associate with EPSTEIN socially but that he was employed with him for a period of approximately six months on a project at the University of Michigan which was classified as confidential. KUETHE recalled that it was a project concerning the examination of documents from Germany and stated that EPSTEIN worked on this project to help finance his attendance at the University. KUETHE related that EPSTEIN was not very easy to know and, to the Professor's knowledge, did not have many friends

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Professor KUETHE advised that he has had no contact with EPSTEIN since the subject left the University in 1946, and KUETHE could recall no conversations in which he and the subject had engaged which in any way concerned political matters. Professor KUETHE stated that he could not honestly state whether or not the subject was affiliated with or sympathetic with the Communist Party or any related organizations.

The Communist Party has been cited by the Attorney General of the United States under Executive Order No. 9835 as an organization which seeks to alter the form of Government of the United States by unconstitutional means.

Dr. HORACE RICHARD CRANE, Professor of Physics, University of Michigan, has advised that he was EPSTEIN's counselor while the subject was attending the University. His association with EPSTEIN, however, was strictly that of a teacher-student and he knew little concerning EPSTEIN outside of the classroom. Dr. CRANE could furnish no information concerning EPSTEIN's associates and was in possession of no information which would in any way reflect upon the loyalty of EPSTEIN.

It is noted that both Professor KUETHE and Dr. CRANE suggested that Professor ROBLEY WILLIAMS, presently at the University of California, Berkeley, California, might be in a position to furnish information concerning the subject.

Dr. EMERSON WARD CONLON, Chairman of the Aeronautical Engineering Department, University of Michigan, who was in charge of the classified project on which EPSTEIN and Professor KUETHE were employed, advised that he had no recollection whatsoever concerning the subject and could furnish no information concerning EPSTEIN.

The Detroit Office advised that no further information concerning EPSTEIN was available.

The San Francisco Office has advised that on October 1, 1952, Professor ROBLEY C. WILLIAMS, Virus Institute, University of California, Berkeley, California, advised that he was associated with the subject on a student-teacher relationship at the University of Michigan and also that the subject was under his immediate supervision at the time EPSTEIN wrote a thesis at the University.

Professor WILLIAMS stated that he knew of no specific acts of subversive activity concerning the subject [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] Professor WILLIAMS stated that he had had numerous political discussions with EPSTEIN and it was WILLIAMS's opinion that the subject followed the thinking of the Communist theories. Professor WILLIAMS advised that he has had no recent contact with the subject and was not aware of EPSTEIN's present attitude toward Communist matters. b7c

In conclusion, Professor WILLIAMS advised that EPSTEIN had been greatly influenced by the teaching of two men, one RESHEVSKY who is a mathematician in the Biophysics Department at the University of Chicago, and one ORLANDOWSKI, an engineer who is presently at the University of Michigan or the University of Chicago. Professor WILLIAMS stated that these two individuals influenced the thinking of EPSTEIN to the point that the subject was sympathetic with and active in the American Youth for Democracy or the American Youth Congress at the University of Michigan in 1946.

It is noted that the American Youth for Democracy and the American Youth Congress have been cited by the Attorney General of the United States under Executive Order No. 9835 as Communist organizations.

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Copies of this report are being furnished the New York Office since the subject is a known former associate of WILLIAM PERL, who is presently under indictment in New York on a charge of perjury.

INFORMANT

T-1

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who furnished information to SA JOHN B. O'DONOGHUE, on an unspecified date, as set forth in the report of SA JOHN B. O'DONOGHUE at Cleveland dated January 5, 1951, in the case entitled "WILLIAM PERL, was., ESPIONAGE-R."

REFERENCE:

Report of SA RICHARD D. COTLER, Pittsburgh, 4-5-52.
Washington Field letter to Bureau, 4-22-52.
Detroit letter to Bureau, 6-13-52.
San Francisco letter to Bureau, 10-3-52.

NEW YORK, N.Y.
NOV. 20, 1952

CLEVELAND

WILLIAM PERL, WA, ESP-R, PERJURY. REURREP NOV. TEN LAST. PAGE FOUR,
PARAGRAPHS ONE AND THREE REFER TO "SUBJECT" AS SECRETARY OF OHIO JOINT
ANTI FASCIST REFUGEE COMMITTEE AND MEMBER OF C.P. APPEARS THIS INFO
REFERS TO MELLIE SHAFFER HIRSHFIELD. CHECK AND SUBMIT REVISED PAGE.

BOARDMAN

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11-21-52

Memo:

Re: WILLIAM PERL
ESP-R, PBJORY

At 11PM on 11-19-52, WILLIAM PERL

was observed to meet an unknown white man in the vicinity of the information counter of the Penna P.R. Station. The unknown man may be described as follows:

Am to take
for name (Hybr)

Name: Unknown
+ address
Color: White
Age: 30 to 35
Height: 5'9"

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Features: regular
 Hair: dk. brown long crew cut
 Eyebrows: bushy
 Clothing: heavy gray overcoat, light brown
 muffled, no hat
 and was carrying a
 British tan briefcase

Robert F. Royal #6
 A. Herman G. Lettich #6

Addendum - 5-22-53

This individual identified by
 RF Royal as Dr Vernon Hughes when
 he appeared on the stand as a character
 witness for Paul during trial

Memorandum for file

November 24, 1952

Re: Willhelm PERL
Espionage - R

The surveillance of the subject on 11/21/52 (date shift) reflected that at 8:51 pm he departed from the Pupin Physics Laboratory, Columbia University, with an unknown man and that they had something to eat together at a Chock Full of Nuts restaurant in the neighborhood. They then returned to the entrance of the Pupin Laboratory and parted. The "unknown man" then entered the Laboratory. He is described as follows:

Race - white

Age - 35-40

Height - 5'9" to 5'10"

Weight - 150-160 lbs.

Hair - dark streaked with grey

Complexion - sallow

Glasses - none

Build - lean sliver

Dress - no top coat and no hat. Dark grey trousers and what appeared to be a green ^{corduroy} ~~country~~ suit coat.

Walter C. Roettinger

Blaise J. Jovanovic

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William Perl

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12-1-52

Through [redacted] National City
Bank of N.Y.C. Broadway + 111 ST NYC it
has been determined that on 11/3/52 Perl
deposited to his a/c \$1250.- consisting of \$250.-
Cash and a \$1000. ^{check} Examination of deposit
ticket reflects the check was drawn on
National City Bank's, Lenox Hill Branch
167 E 72 ST. The maker was not identified.

However [redacted]

[redacted] N.C.B., 17 E 42 ST advised that [redacted] b7D
3 \$1000. checks were returned to the Lenox
Hill branch on following business day
Further that the \$1000.- ^{check} deposited by b7D
Perl was one of the three however [redacted]
could not furnish any additional data.

etc. [redacted] b7D

N.C.B. Lenox Hill branch traced the
3 \$1000.- checks + determined they were
charged to the following a/c's: 65-15387-7027

1. Mrs. Gisela Abraham

710 Park Ave N.Y.C.

2. James J. O'Neill or

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Mrs Margaret H. O'Neil (ND)

1195 Third Ave, NYC

3)

Bert Pagano (ND)

206 E 65 ST, NYC

[redacted] has also advised that Perl has drawn
following chs on his a/c. b7D

11/5 \$1250.- Payee Frederick J. Waters

Chapel Corn Ex Paints Trust Co

Columbus Ave 881 St

11/21 \$100.- Ralph Heyman - deposited

" " Mfg Trust Co - Pelham Parkway
Branch

11/22 \$20.- American Physical Society

11/20 \$3.- American Institute of Physics

Period 12/17-18/52.

EJ Cahill

FILE # 65-15387

SUBJECT WILLIAM PERL

SERIAL 1032 DATE 2-12-53

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is exempt from disclosure, in its entirety, under (b)(1) as it has been classified pursuant to Executive Order 11652 as it contains information which would disclose an intelligence source. This serial bears the Classification Officers number 

Memo:

Re: William Perl, wa
Espionage R
Perjury

A review of New York file number 100-42391
entitled "Communist Infiltration of American Associa-
tion of Scientific Workers, Internal Security C,
reveals in Norfolk report 5-1-43 a listing of
the membership of the AASW chapter at the
National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics, Langley
Field, Va. prior to May 1943, which list
reveals William Mutterpool and Arthur Kantrowitz
as Secretaries.

The officers of the chapter are listed in
this report as follows:

- President - Robert F. Jones
- Secy. Treas. Doris L. Cohen
- Secretaries: Arthur Kantrowitz
William Mutterpool

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The following members are listed.

Tobias Rabinowitz

John R. Erwin

Herbert S. Ribner

Albert Sherman

Lee Lovch

Sidney M. Harmon

E. E. Greenberg

Harry Greenberg

Ralph B. Miller

The above info was furnished to the Norfolk Office by a Confidential Informant designated as "K1" and not otherwise described. Norfolk letter dated 2-6-53 entitled "William Peck, wa E. J. Kagan" (NY 65-15387-1031A) identifies K1 as [REDACTED] 37D

[REDACTED] Headquarters Army Air Base, Langley Field, Va. The info was apparently set forth in a weekly bulletin published by the NACA on 11-30-42, which indicated that during 11-42 this chapter of AASW was formed. The above report further relates background info concerning the parent organization of AASW & its original founding in 1938. Additional information concerning the parent

organization, its purposes and programs as set forth.

This bulletin announced that all members of the NACA staff were eligible for membership in the AASW chapter and invited all to join.

The Informant [redacted] also gave info #10

re a meeting of the local chapter held 2-8-43 in the NACA building at Langley Blvd. He said

it was conducted in a disorderly fashion and it was impossible to obtain details of the meeting clearly. However, it was determined, the expression of ideas were mainly dealt with in 3 parts:

a) discussion of race riots and the risks involved.

b) discussion re setting up a fund to employ a good attorney to defend persons accused of violating the Jim Crow laws.

c) discussion regarding enlarging and publicizing the organization.

According to informant, the colored people employed at NACA do menial labor as cooking, janitoring, etc. No members of the AASW were colored.

The above report sets forth background

info re the various Press and members of
the N.A.S.W., above mentioned, as reflected in the
personal files of N.A.P.A.
For info

M.W. Corcoran

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

NEW YORK
MARCH 10, 1953

Transmit the following Teletype message to: CLEVELAND.....URGENT.

WILLIAM PERL, ESPIONAGE R. USA DESIRES CURRENT EMPLOYMENT AND
RESIDENT ADDRESSES OF ELEANORE WILKINS AND NACA LIBRARIAN
MENTIONED IN CLEVELAND REPORT, MARCH THREE FIFTY TWO. SUTEL.

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(Circular stamp with initials)

Approved: *L. B. ...*
Special Agent in Charge

Sent 2:50 A M Per *[Signature]*
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VERIFICATION OF INFORMATION ON SECURITY INDEX CARD

Conover

MEMORANDUM

MAR 26 1953

RE: WILLIAM PERL wa

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This Office File 65-15387
Bufile 65-59312

The following is the most recent residence address, place of employment and employment address of the above subject as contained on the subject's security index card.

Residence: 104 E. 38th St., NYC

Employment: Unemployed

Address:

Remarks: Man #15 (ESP)

photo

It is requested that the residence address of the subject, place of employment and address of employment be verified and the proper notation be made below:

Residence: *Same*

Employment: *Same*

Address:

Verified by: *MW Conover*

Method of Verification: *Syst check - pending case*

Date: *4-8-53*

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The security index card on this subject should be revised if changes are noted above.

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Memo

Re William Peri, wa. 4/28/53.
Es P. R. - Perjury
(Peri's Doctor's Dissertation)

This Book was charged out by the writer from the PHYSICS READING ROOM, Columbia University, 116th St + Broadway, NYC on 4/28/53 with the permission of the Executive Officer of the Physics Department, Professor Charles S. TOWNES and with the understanding that it was to be delivered to the U.S. Attorney's Office, SDNY, as they had requested. It was also charged out with the understanding that it be returned within 3 weeks (May 19, 1953) or further arrangements be made with Professor Townes if it is needed for a longer time at the end of the 3 week period.

The writer is being held personally responsible for its safe and undamaged return. Your cooperation will be appreciated.

SA ROBERT E. HAWK
Sec 11, 302, NYC

Returned
Receipt attached
6-4-53
See 18 Exhibits
(see 4/10/53)
L. J. [unclear]

F. I. [unclear]
N. Y. C.
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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC New York (65-15387)

DATE: April 28, 1953

FROM : SAC Cleveland (65-2730)

SUBJECT: WILLIAM FERL, wa.
ESPIONAGE - R
PERJURY

AIR MAIL - SPECIAL DELIVERY

Bourtal 4/28/53.

There is being forwarded under separate cover, one film pack consisting of twelve exposures and one 35 mm. roll with fifteen exposures of scenes of Albertly Avenue, Parma, Ohio as requested in referenced teletype. These exposed films are to be processed and printed at New York.

Listed below are exposure and location data covering fifteen exposures. The film pack contains the first twelve listed. The 35 mm. roll covers all fifteen. It will be noted that the first twelve items apply to both films. Also included is a sketch of the area showing locations numbered one thru fifteen from which the respective scenes were taken.

Photo #1. 1/100 F. 11 Speed Graphic and Leica cameras, taken from sidewalk across the street (Albertly Avenue) from the PFLEGER residence, looking down the PFLEGER driveway.

Photo #2. Same exposure data. Exposure taken from the sidewalk across Albertly Avenue, looking toward the BEIER, PFLEGER and APEL residences. It is noted that these residences face the southerly direction and picture taken from the spot southwest of the house.

Photo #3. Same exposure data. Taken from driveway of the BEIER residence at a position where the BEIER front walk joins the BEIER driveway, looking toward curb-line of Albertly Avenue in front of the PFLEGER residence.

Photo #4. Same exposure data. Taken from same position as Photo #3 looking toward the front of PFLEGER and APEL residences.

Photo #5. Same exposure data. Taken from position 21 feet north of the northwest corner (rear of the house) of the BEIER residence, looking toward curb-line in the front of the PFLEGER residence.

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DAW:smk
REGISTERED MAIL

CC Package AMSD RM

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56 Neg #1
Leica - first picture

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Leica Neg #43

56 Neg #3

Leica Neg #44

56 Neg #4

Leica Neg #1

56 Neg #5

Leica Neg #2

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Photo #6. Same exposure data. Taken from position 25 feet north SG Neg #6 of the rear of the PFLEGER residence, looking down the PFLEGER driveway. Leica Neg #3

Photo #7. Same exposure data. Taken from a position 10 feet to SG Neg #7 the southeast of position #6, looking down the PFLEGER driveway. Leica Neg #4

Photo #8. Same exposure data. Taken from the PFLEGER garage, SG Neg #8 looking down the PFLEGER driveway. Leica Neg #5

Photo #9. Same exposure data. Picture taken from PFLEGER driveway SG Neg #9 at a spot even with the front of the PFLEGER house, looking toward the PFLEGER backyard and points from where items #6 and #7 were taken. Leica Neg #6

Photo #10. Same exposure data. Picture taken from curb-line of the SG Neg #10 street (Albertly Avenue) directly in front of PFLEGER home, looking toward Leica Neg #7 PFLEGER driveway and southwest corner of the APEL home.

Photo #11. Same exposure data. Picture taken from same position SG Neg #11 as #10, looking toward BEIER house, showing BEIER backyard and driveway. Leica Neg #8

Photo #12. Same exposure data. Taken from across Albertly Avenue SG Neg #12 on the sidewalk opposite the APEL home, looking toward the PFLEGER driveway. Leica Neg #9

Photo #13. 1/100 F. 9, Leica camera. Taken from sidewalk on north side of Albertly Avenue to the west of BEIER residence, looking toward the residence of BEIER, PFLEGER and APEL. Leica Neg #10

Photo #14. 1/100 F. 9. Leica camera. Taken from sidewalk in front of PFLEGER home, 4 feet east of the BEIER driveway. Leica Neg #11

Photo #15. 1/100 F. 9. Taken from curb strip on the north side of Albertly, east of the APEL residence, looking toward the three houses. Leica Neg #12

In addition to the above, there is being attached to this letter, certified copy of journal entry of the Probate Court, Cuyahoga County, Ohio in re WILLIAM MUTTERPERL, Docket 378, No. 358930; a photostatic copy of petition for change of name filed in Probate Court, Cuyahoga County, Ohio, Docket 378, #358930, in re WILLIAM MUTTERPERL; and a photostatic copy of the notice of change of name re WILLIAM MUTTERPERL as published in the "Daily Legal News", a daily newspaper of general circulation printed in the City of Cleveland, County of Cuyahoga, Ohio, for a period of one time on the Second Day of December, 1944.

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10/15/57
Also attached is a photostatic copy of the certificate of title of a motor vehicle for the Commonwealth of Virginia, Division of Motor Vehicles, Title #1860303, as pertains to the Studebaker sedan owned by WILLIAM MUTTERPERL; a photostatic copy of an application for certificate of title to a motor vehicle State of Ohio, County of Cuyahoga, relating to the 1941 Studebaker two-door club sedan owned by WILLIAM MUTTERPERL; a photostatic copy of certificate of title, County of Cuyahoga, State of Ohio, title #180027477D for WILLIAM MUTTERPERL; a photostatic copy of a certificate of title, State of Ohio #181590354, County of Cuyahoga, Ohio, relating to WILLIAM MUTTERPERL; a photostatic copy of application for certificate of title executed by HAROLD E. FRIEDMAN indicating purchase of a 1941 Studebaker two-door club sedan, previous owner WILLIAM PERL; and a photostatic copy of certificate of title, State of Ohio #181787389 showing HAROLD E. FRIEDMAN as owner of a 1941 Studebaker two-door club sedan, previous owner WILLIAM MUTTERPERL.

The original signed statements and the original photo of WILLIAM PERL endorsed for identification by PFLEGER on August 24, 1950 will be sent in a later communication.

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, New York

FROM : THOMAS J. MC ANDREWS, SA

SUBJECT: WILLIAM PERL
ESPIONAGE - R
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DATE: 5/4/53

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At 2:30 p.m., 5/4/53 I told Inspector HENNRICH that the PERL case had been assigned for trial before Judge RYAN. The case will go on following the conclusion of the PUFF case which began before Judge SYLVESTER RYAN on 5/4/53.

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Memo.

Re. William Perl wa.
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Perjury

In view of the forthcoming trial of instant perjury case the following exhibits have been removed from the exhibit files and are being delivered this date to Chief Asst. USA Lloyd E. MacMahon and Asst. Robert Martin, SDNY, for their review in the preparation for trial and for possible use at trial. Green exhibit sheets have been noted accordingly.

- ✓ 65-15387-1B/2 - Orig. Blum letters
- ✓ 21 - Color photos - Von Kamen etc
- ✓ 23 - Black & white photos - Von Kamen etc
- ✓ 32 - Sobell - 96 - US Navy Form - dated 1944
- ✓ 33 - 1944 income tax return - Perl
- ✓ 34 - 1945 " " " "

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- 65-1387-18V39- Original K1 - Rollback letter 2-22-47
- ✓ 45 - Photostat of Paul letter 4-8-45
- ✓ 48B-T - NACA material results of search
- ✓ 59 - Sobell G E. Comm 1-26-42 (copy)
- ✓ 60 - Sobell Ben R. Ord. Pass. History Statement 5-20-41 (copy)
- ✓ 61 - Paul E. E. 271 notes
- ✓ 69 - Porton & Paul report file
- ✓ 70 - CNY Masters Thesis - Paul
- ✓ 72 - 1948 income tax return - Paul (copy)
- ✓ 73 - 1949 " "
- ✓ 74 - Orig K 12 - "Rollbacks - Special Project" 8-12-48
- ✓ 75 - Orig K 13 Paul letter 4-12-48
- ✓ 76 - Copies of Paul NAOA payroll checks.
- ✓ 93 - NACA book.
- ✓ 104 - Longue phone conversations (copy)
- ✓ 105 - " " " "
- ✓ 106 - 1947 income tax return - Paul (copy)
- ✓ 111 - Copy of Paul SS file
- ✓ 115 - Photos of Sam Paul
- ✓ 119 - Paul NAOA payroll check sheet (copy)
- ✓ 126 - Paul CNY transcript (copy)
- ✓ 127 - Blatcher " " " "
- ✓ 128 - Sobell " " " "
- ✓ 129 - Rosenberg " " " "

Obtained by USA same
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- 65-15387-13/152 - Pflieger admits photo Karl
- ✓ 153 - Orig. statement Beer
- ✓ 154 " " " " Price
- ✓ 155 " " " " April
- ✓ 156 " " " " Kestner
- ✓ 158 Title papers for 1941 Studelaker
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- ✓ 163 Price - Brooks can transfer
- ✓ 164 Pflieger - Sedrovich
- ✓ 165 Rüscher - Paul
- ✓ 166 Jury panel check.

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65-15348-13/549 - EBNY photos 1935, 1936, 1937, 1940.

- 100-37158-13/137 - " " " " 1937-1938
- ✓ 161 Misc. G. E. file re Schell
- ✓ 172 TBu Ord file re Schell
- ✓ 174 G. E. Personnel file re Schell

AXSA Robert Martin stated he would
maintain same in a security locked cabinet pending
sluicing trial.

— M. W. Loren

May 12, 1953

Memo

Re: William Perl wa
Esp. R. Parjany

Re my teletype April 29th last which states
AUSA S. Berg advised Jury Panel for instant
case would be same as for Puff case scheduled
for May 4. It is recalled that instant
trial was scheduled originally for May 4 but on
that date postponed to May 18.

On May 12, 1953 at 3³⁰ pm AUSA Robert Martin
advised writer he had just learned from Jury
Select that a new panel would be necessary for
May 18. He was advised his request should
be made to the Dept. who should clear same
and advise the Bureau in Washington.

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TO : ASAC WILLIAM M. WHELAN
FROM : SAC LELAND V. BOARDMAN
SUBJECT: WILLIAM PERL;
ESP. R.

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AUSA Lloyd MacMahon, SDNY, telephoned at 4:10 P. M., 5/12/53, and advised he had just been conversing with Mr. William Foley of the Department, who had authorized the FBI to conduct a Jury Panel investigation in ther PERL case. Have we received word from the Bureau on this as yet? If not, you may desire to immediately confirm and thereafter institute the check.

ADDENDUM: The above matter has been called to the attention of the Bureau and permission has been received to make the Jury Panel check. In addition, special permission has been received for the New York Office to incorporate the results of the Jury Panel check in a memorandum for filing in the Bulky Exhibits in this case. It will not be necessary to submit a report to the Bureau.

WILLIAM M. WHELAN, ASAC

*J. C. H. Adams advised
J. Enson
confer with [unclear]*

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TO : SAC NEW YORK CITY

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FROM : SAC SALT LAKE CITY

SUBJECT: WILLIAM PERL, was
ESPIONAGE
PERJURY
OO* NYC

DATE: May 13, 1953

Reurtel dated May 12, 1953.

Enclosed herewith forwarded by AMSD Registered Mail RRR will be found a certificate executed by H.K. BROWN, Washoe County Clerk, Reno, Nevada to the effect that the files of the Washoe County Clerk contain no reference to a divorce action involving WILLIAM PERL, WILLIAM MUTTERPERL or HENRIETTA BOYD SAVIDGE PERL.

To expedite receipt of the enclosed it is being forwarded directly from the Resident Agency at Reno, Nevada the certificate having been obtained by SA CARROL T. NEVIN.

CTN
(encl) AMSD RRRR

*Enclosure delivered to
Miss A. S. Day 5-14-53
Returned to placed
in 100 special*

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FBI DETROIT 5-14-53 7-37PM SEST NW

SAC, NEW YORK URGENT

WILLIAM PERL, WA. ESP. DASH R, PERJURY. REURTEL MAY THIRTEEN LAST.
 ASST. REGISTRAR EDWARD A. GROSBECK YESTERDAY ADVISED THAT SUBPOENA
 WAS BEING MAILED REQUIRING PRODUCTION OF RECORDS IDENTIFIED IN RETEL.
 HE DESIGNATED ROBERT L. GARFIELD, ASST. TO REGISTRAR, U. OF M., ANN
 ARBOR, MICH. TO APPEAR AT NEW YORK CITY WITH THE DESIRED RECORDS AT
 NINE A.M. MAY NINETEEN NEXTM RUC.

MCINTIRE

END ACK

LAST LINE READS --- MAY NINETEEN NEXT. RUC. ---

END ACK

OK FBI NYC JGMH

Just
Dir of NY
to
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New York, N.Y.
May 14, 1953

To: SA MAURICE CORCORAN

From: SA H. M. ALLISON

Subject: WILLIAM PEARL *Perl*
ESPIONAGE *R*
Perjury

At about 2:00 PM this date I received a telephone call, presumably intended for a complaint agent from a Father WILLIAM J. GORDON, 123 Nassau Avenue, Malverne, L. I., telephone LYnbrook 9-8961.

He said that he understood that an agent was supposed to come out and see him today in order to obtain certain information which he has relating to instant case, that no agent had come, and that he could not wait around much longer.

I tried to ascertain from him the source of his belief that an agent was to interview him, and he said that he had been in touch with a FRANK CROSBY, of Washington, D. C., who, according to Fr. GORDON, is an assistant to John Edgar Hoover.

The above information was reported immediately to SA CORCORAN, who said he would get in touch with Fr. GORDON by phone.

*contacted by
phone - advised
to special to Agt.
tentative arrangement
made for PM 5-15-53
5-16-53
advised O.K.
of a Harrington + RA under
contacting*

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, New York

DATE: 5/15/53

FROM : Thomas J. McAndrews, Supervisor, #6 (65-15387)

SUBJECT: WILLIAM PERL
PERJURY

At 11 am, 5/15/53, Inspector Hennrich at the Bureau telephonically advised ASAC Whelan that the Bureau had no objections to the interview of Reverend WILLIAM J. GORDON concerning the captioned subject.

Father GORDON will be interviewed on the afternoon of 5/15/53.

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FBI, DETROIT 5-18-53 2-30 PM EST

SAC, NEW YORK.....URGENT

WILLIAM PERL. ESPIONAGE DASH R DASH PURJURY. RE DETROIT TEL MAY FOURTEEN
 LAST. EDWARD G. GROESBECK, ASSISTANT REGISTRAR, UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN,
 ADVISES HE WILL APPEAR BEFORE US DISTRICT COURT, NEW YORK CITY, ON MAY
 NINETEEN NEXT INSTEAD OF ROBERT L. GARFIELD AS PREVIOUSLY ASSIGNED. RUC.

MC INTIRE

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TO : SAC, New York

FROM : SA THOMAS J. MC ANDREWS (65-15387)

SUBJECT: WILLIAM PERL
ESPIONAGE - R

DATE: 5/18/53

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SAC
ASST. DIR.
ADM. ASST.
INSP.
LAB.
LEGAL COUNSEL
RECORDS & COMM.
TRAINING
IDENT.

At 1:30 p.m., 5/18/53, I telephonically contacted SAC J. A. ROBY of Kansas City to request if Kansas City had been able to obtain any information on the civilian personnel file of MORTON SOBELL with the Bureau of Ordnance, Department of Navy, Washington, D.C.

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Mr. ROBY advised that Kansas City had just sent a teletype out advising that these records were located in St. Louis and that Mr. HORN POSTEL of the Government's Services Administration had contacted St. Louis telephonically and arranged to have these records transmitted to Mr. EUGENE P. BRANNAN, Regional Counsel, GSA, Room 1220, 250 Hudson Street, New York City.

I gave this information to SA MAURICE W. CORCORAN who will handle it with the United States Attorney.

Immediately thereafter I telephonically contacted Inspector HENNRICH at the Bureau and advised that a jury had been picked on the morning of 5/18/53 in this matter and that the Government was opening its case at 2 p.m. today with its opening statement.

I then contacted Mr. DINGLE in the Documents Section of the Laboratory and requested that the Lab man coming to NY to testify bring with him photographic copies of money order applications mentioned in NY tel of 5/11/53, particularly those identified in the following manner:

- 734126 dated June 30, 1948
- 193721 dated July 24, 1948.

DINGLE advised that these money order photographs were available and would be brought to New York.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, New York
FROM : SA THOMAS J. MC ANDREWS (65-15387)
SUBJECT: WILLIAM PERL
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DATE: 5/18/53

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SA BIRKBY of the Philadelphia Office telephonically contacted the writer at 2:30 p.m. 5/18/53.

BIRKBY desired to know whether it would be permissible to tell the authorities at the Naval Records Center, Mechanicsburg, Pa., that they were not necessary as witnesses in the captioned trial inasmuch as Philadelphia had previously advised that the records formerly located at Mechanicsburg were now in St. Louis.

I told them that they could so advise the Naval authorities.

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1110	5-20-53	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU & CV.	1	0	See Bufile 65-59312
1111	5-20-53	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU	5	0	See Bufile 65-59312
1112	5-21-53	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU	7	0	Bufile 65-59312
1113	5-21-53	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU	4	0	See Bufile 65-59312
1114	5-22-53	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU	4	0	BUFILE 65-59312
1115	5-22-53	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU and CV	1	0	BUFILE 65-59312
1116	5-25-53	LETTER FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	0	See Bufile 65-59312
1117	5-26-53	LETTER FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	0	See Bufile 65-59312
1118	5-26-53	AIRTEL FROM BUREAU TO NY	1	0	See Bufile 65-59312
1118A	5-26-53	AIRTEL FROM WFO TO BUREAU and NY	2	0	RE: J. ROSENBERG Bufile 65-58236
1119	5-27-53	BUREAU TELETYPE TO NY and WFO	1	0	See Bufile 65-59312
1120	5-27-53	NY TELETYPE TO BUREAU	3	0	See Bufile 65-59312

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1121	5-29-53	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU	3	0	See Bufile 65-59312	
1122	5-29-53	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	0	}	
1123	6-1-53	LETTER FROM WFO TO BUREAU	1	0		
1124	6-3-53	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	0		
1125	6-4-53	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU	2	0		862
1126	6-5-53	MEMO FROM SA TO SAC NY	1	1		
1127	6-5-53	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU and C.V.	2	0	See Bufile 65-59312 ⁸⁶³	
1128	6-8-53	LETTER FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	0	}	
1129	6-8-53	LETTER FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	0		
1130	6-8-53	LETTER FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	0		853
1130A	6-10-53	SA MEMO TO FILE	1	1		
1131	6-16-53	w/ 1 COPY IDENTIFICATION RECORD	3/3	3/3	See Bufile 65-59312	

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1132	6-11-53	LETTER FROM DTE BUREAU TO AUSA	1	0	See Bufile 65-59312
1133	6-11-53	LETTER FROM BUREAU TO AUSA	1	0	}
1134	6-16-53	LETTER FROM AUSA TO BUREAU	1	0	
1135	6-16-53	LETTER FROM BUREAU TO AUSA	1	0	
1136	6-18-53	REPORT FROM NY TO BUREAU	19	0	re Third Party NY FILE 65-15360
1137	6-8-53	LETTER FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	0	see Bufile 65-59312
1138	8- ⁴ 53	LETTER FROM WFO. TO CV.	1	1	
1138A	8-7-53	AIRTEL FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	0	see Bufile 65-59312
1139	8-7-53	LETTER FROM CV. TO WFO	1	1	
1140	8-7-53	LETTER FROM CV. TO BUREAU	1	0	See Bufile 65-59312
1141	8-14-53	AIRTEL FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	0	see Bufile 65-59312
1142	6-5-53	SA MEMO TO FILE	1	1	

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1143	8-24-62	REPORT FROM NY TO BUREAU	7	0	FD/382 10/5 See Bufile 65-59312-871
1144	8-24-53	REPORT FROM NY TO BUREAU	9	0	}
1145	8-24-53	LETTER FROM NY TO BUREAU	2	0	
1146	8-27-53	IDENTIFICATION RECORD LETTER FROM NY	3	3	
1147	8-28-53	TO LA	1	1	}
1148	9-10-53	LETTER FROM SAC NY TO 3RD PARTY OUTSIDE FBI	1	1	
1149	9-11-53	LETTER FROM BUREAU TO NY	1	0	See Bufile 65-59312
1150	7-29-53	LETTER FROM DL TO NY w/ 1 COPY	1	1	I
1151	9-22-53	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU and IP	1	0	FD/382 10/5 See Bufile 65-59312-878
1152	9-23-53	TELETYPE FROM FP TO BUREAU and NY	1	0	}
1153	9-23-53	TELETYPE FROM IP TO BUREAU and NY	1	0	
1154	9-23-53	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU and IP	1	0	}

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1155	9-25-53	TELETYPE FROM IP TO BUREAU and NY	1	0	See Bufile 65-59312
1156	9-28-53	TELETYPE FROM BUREAU TO IP	1	0	}
1157	10-8-53	LETTER FROM IP TO BUREAU	1	0	
1158	10-9-53	SECURITY INDEX FORM	1	1	
1159	10-14-53	LETTER FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	0	see Bufile 65-59312
1160	10-14-53	LETTER FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	0	}
1161	10-12-53	AIRTEL FROM WFO TO BUREAU and NY	1	0	
1162	10-19-53	NY MEMO TO FILE	5	5	PROCESS. ADMIN.
1163	10-8-53	BUREAU FILE REVIEW	1	0	see Bufile 65-59312
1164	10-19-53	NY MEMO TO FILE	3	3	being processed
1165	10-16-53	MEMO FROM SA TO SAC NY	2	2	
1166	10-19-53	NY MEMO TO FILE	1	1	

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1167	10-19-53	LETTER FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	0	See Bufile 65-59312
1168	10-19-53	AIRTEL FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	0	}
1169	10-22-53	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	0	
1170	10-28-53	AIRTEL FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	0	
1171	10-14-53	LETTER FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	0	
1172	10-14-53	LETTER FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	0	
1173	10-28-53	LETTER FROM BUREAU TO NY	1	0	
1174	11-6-53	LETTER FROM CG TO NY	1	1	
1175	11-10-53	LETTER FROM IP TO BUREAU	1	0	See Bufile 65-59312
1176	11-17-53	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU	2	0	}
1177	11-19-53	LETTER FROM NY TO BUREAU	2	0	
1178	11-27-53	LETTER FROM NY TO BUREAU	2	0	

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			Actual	Released	
1179	12-5-53	AIRTEL FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	0	see Bufile 65-59312
1180	1-8-54	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	0	}
1181	1-8-54	LETTER FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	0	
1182	1-14-54	LETTER FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	0	
1183	1-14-54	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	0	
1184	1-15-54	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	0	
1185	1-19-54	AIRTEL FROM NY TO WFO	1	1	
1186	1-19-54	LETTER FROM WFO TO NY	1	1	
1187	2-1-54	AIRTEL FROM LA TO NY	1	1	
1188	2-3-54	LETTER FROM NY TO 3RD PARTY OUTSIDE BUREAU	1	1	
1189	2-3-54	LETTER FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	0	see Bufile 65-59312
1190	2-3-54	LETTER FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	0	}

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1191	2-3-54	LETTER FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	0	See Bufile 65-59312
1192	2-3-54	LETTER FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	0	{ }
1193	2-11-54	LETTER FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	0	{ }
1194	2-11-54	S.A. MEMO TO SAC NY	1	1	
1195	2-11-54	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU	2	0	See Bufile 65-59312
1196	2-18-54	LETTER FROM BUREAU TO NY	1	0	{ }
1197	3-3-54	LETTER FROM BUREAU TO NY	1	0	{ }
1198	3-18-54	LETTER FROM NY TO BUREAU	2	0	{ }
1199	3-18-54	LETTER FROM NY TO WFO	1	1	
1200	3-18-54	REPORT FROM NY TO BUREAU	4	0	See Bufile 65-59312
1201	3-19-54	VERIFICATION OF INFO ON SI CARD	1	1	
1202	3-24-54	S.A. MEMO TO SAC NY	1	1	

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1203	4-25-54	TELETYPE FROM NY TO BUREAU and IP	1	0	see Bufile 65-59312
1204	3-26-54	LETTER FROM BUREAU TO NY	1	0	}
1205	4-6-54	LETTER FROM IP TO BUREAU and NY	1	0	
1206	4-14-54	SA MEMO TO SAC NY	1	0	
1207	4-27-54	SA MEMO TO SAC NY	1	1	
1208	4-29-54	LETTER FROM IP TO BUREAU	1	0	see Bufile 65-59312
1209	4-21-54	SA MEMO TO SAC NY	1	1	
1210	5-12-54	LETTER FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	0	see Bufile 65-59312
1211	5-26-54	LETTER FROM IP TO BUREAU	1	0	}
1212	5-27-54	REPORT FROM NY TO BUREAU	4	0	
1213	7-15-54	REPORT FROM IP TO BUREAU	3	0	
1213	7-15-54	REPORT FROM IP TO BUREAU of 10/5/54	3	0	

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1214	7-28-54	LETTER FROM BUREAU TO NY	1	0	See Bufile 65-59312
1215	7-28-54	REPORT FROM NY TO BUREAU	6	0	}
1216	7-28-54	LETTER FROM NY TO BUREAU	2	0	
1217	8-3-54	LETTER FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	0	
1218	8-12-54	LETTER FROM BUREAU TO NY	1	0	
1219	8-13-54	LETTER FROM BUREAU TO NY	2	0	
1219A	9-13-54	LETTER FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	0	
1220	8-23-54	LETTER FROM I.P. TO BUREAU	1	0	
1221	8-12-54	SA MEMO TO SAC NY	1	1	
1222	10-5-54	AIRTEL FROM NY TO BUREAU	2	0	See Bufile 65-59312
1223	10-6-54	SA MEMO TO SAC NY captioned	1	0	See NY file 65-15348 Julius Rosenberg
1224	10-8-54	REPORT FROM NY TO BUREAU	11	0	See Bufile 65-59312

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1225	10-26-54	AIRTEL FROM IP TO BUREAU and NY	1	0	see Bufile 65-59312
1226	10-19-54	AIRTEL FROM IP TO BUREAU	1	0	S
1227	10-22-54	LETTER FROM BUREAU TO NY	1	0	
1228	10-28-54	AIRTEL FROM NY TO BUREAU and IP	2	0	
1229	10-29-54	AIRTEL FROM BUREAU TO IP and NY	1	0	
1230	11-9-54	AIRTEL FROM IP TO BUREAU and NY	1	0	
1231	11-12-54	AIRTEL FROM IP TO BUREAU and NY	1	0	
1232	11-16-54	AIRTEL FROM IP TO BUREAU and NY	1	0	
1233	11-26-54	AIRTEL FROM IP TO BUREAU and NY	1	0	
1234	10-21-53	VERIFICATION OF INFO ON SECURITY INDEX CARD	1	1	
1235	12-10-53	LETTER FROM BUREAU TO NY	1	0	
1236	12-13-54	REPORT FROM NY TO BUREAU	4	0	S S

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1237	12-13-54	LETTER FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	0	See Bufile 65-59312
1238	12-17-54	REPORT FROM IP TO BUREAU	3	0	Fo/leg 10/15
1239	12-21-54	LETTER FROM BUREAU TO NY	1	0	Fo/leg 10/15
1239	1-4-55	LETTER FROM IP TO BUREAU	1	0	
1240	12-23-54	LETTER FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	0	
1241	12-28-54	LETTER FROM BUREAU TO IP	1	0	
1242	9-22-54	LETTER FROM BUREAU TO NY	1	1	10/88 15 being processed
1243	12-23-54	LETTER FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	0	Fo/leg 10/15
1244	3-3-55	REPORT FROM NY TO BUREAU	4	0	
1245	3-3-55	LETTER FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	0	
1246	3-10-55	LETTER FROM BUREAU TO NY	1	0	
1247	3-11-55	LETTER FROM NATIONAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE FOR AERONAUTICS TO BUREAU	6	0	Fo/leg 10/15

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1247	3-31-55	LETTER FROM BUREAU TO SF	1	0	See Bufile 65-59312
1248	4-19-55	LETTER FROM NY TO SF	1	1	
1249	5-11-55	REPORT FROM SF TO BUREAU	12	0	See Bufile 65-59312 ⁹³⁷
1250	5-25-55	LETTER FROM NATIONAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE FOR AERONAUTICS TO BUREAU	6	0	Referable
1251	7-28-55	LETTER FROM BUREAU TO NY	1	0	}
1252	9-29-55	LETTER FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	0	
1253	9-29-55	LETTER FROM NY TO BUREAU	2	0	
1254	11-4-55	SA MEMO TO SAC NY	1	1	
1255	10-28-55	AIRTEL FROM IP TO BUREAU and NY	1	0	
1256	11-1-55	AIRTEL FROM BUREAU TO IP	1	0	}
1257	11-21-55	LETTER FROM IP TO BUREAU	1	0	
1258	12-30-55	REPORT FROM NY TO BUREAU	5	0	

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1271	3-1-57	LETTER FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	0	See Bufile
1272	3-6-57	LETTER FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	0	S
1273	3-18-57	SA MEMO TO SAC, NY	1	1	
1274	3-18-57	LETTER FROM BUREAU TO NY	1	0	See Bufile
1275	3-1-57	LETTER FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	0	}
1276	2-20-57	LETTER FROM AAG TO BUREAU	1	0	
1277	4-25-57	REPORT FROM NY TO BUREAU	4	0	See
1278	4-25-57	LETTER FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	0	}
1279	4-25-57	LETTER FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	0	
1280	6-4-58	VERIFICATION OF INFO ON SECURITY INDEX CARD	1	1	
1281	4-18-57	LETTER FROM SI TO BUREAU	2	2	
1282	6-7-57	LETTER FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	0	See Bu

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1259	12-30-55	LETTER FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	0	See Bufile 65-59312
1260	1-4-56	VERIFICATION OF INFO ON SECURITY INDEX CARD	1	1	
1261	3-19-56	AIRTEL FROM IP TO NY	1	1	
1262	4-13-56	MEMO FROM NY TO NY CAPTIONED 3RD PARTY	11	11	
1263	7-5-56	VERIFICATION OF INFO ON SECURITY INDEX CARD	1	1	
1264	9-25-56	SA MEMO TO SAC, NY	1	1	
1265	10-3-56	LETTER FROM BUREAU TO IP	1	0	See Bufile 65-59312
1266	11-5-56	LETTER FROM NY TO BUREAU	1	0	}
1267	11-20-56	AIRTEL FROM IP TO BUREAU	1	0	
1268	12-17-56	AIRTEL FROM IP TO BUREAU	1	0	}
1269	12-13-56	VERIFICATION OF INFO ON SECURITY INDEX CARD	1	1	
1270	1-14-57	AIRTEL FROM IP TO BUREAU	1	0	See Bufile 65-59312

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, NEW YORK

DATE: 6/5/53

FROM : SA T. SCOTT MILLER

SUBJECT: WILLIAM PERL (65-15387)

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At 12:00 Noon instant date I telephonically advised Mr. Hennrich that Judge Ryan had imposed a sentence of five years on each of the two counts against WILLIAM PERL, such sentence to run concurrently.

I also told Mr. Hennrich Judge Ryan stated that although the jury had recommended clemency he could not accept this inasmuch as PERL'S explanations were stupid.

At 1:30 P.M. I telephonically advised Mr. Cleveland of the Bureau that the following events had transpired since PERL received his sentence.

The defense moved for an arrest of judgment which was denied.

PERL'S attorney filed an immediate notice of appeal on this.

The defense applied for PERL to be released on bail pending his appeal which was denied.

PERL'S attorney immediately went to the Circuit Court of Appeals on the bail issue only and moved before Justices Swan, Chase and Hand on the bail matter only and PERL was denied bail by the Circuit Court of Appeals.

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Re Memo SA Robert E. Hall 4-28-53

(Serial 1053 instead file) which concerns the
obtaining from Columbia University of Peck's Doctor's
Dissertation for review by the USA Office.

This is to record that same was made
available to the USA's Office and returned to
the DBO subsequent to Peck's trial.

On June 4, 1953, SA J. J. Daly returned
this book to Rosalee N. Saitta, Columbia Univer-
sity and obtained a receipt for same. This
receipt is being placed in the 1B serial of this
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W. B. Conroy

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CONTRIBUTOR OF FINGERPRINTS	NAME AND NUMBER	ARRESTED OR RECEIVED	CHARGE	DISPOSITION
USM NYC NY	William Perl #C-418-51	3-15-51	perjury Sec 1621-T 18 USC	pending (u)
Fed Detention Headquarters NYC NY	William Perl #61406	3-14-51	Perjury Grand Jury 1621/18USC	3-19-51 rel on bail on chg of perjury-GJ (u)
CS Comm Wash DC	William Mutterperl Residence: 14 River Rd. Hampton Va. Born: 10-1-18	FP 4-8-39 Langley Field Va.	Position: Jr. Elec. Engineer Nat. Adv. Comm. for Aeronautics Langley Field Va	(u)
Army	William Mutterperl #35928581	4-26-44 Cleveland Ohio	perjury	(u)
Fed Detention Headquarters NY NY	William Perl #61406-NY	5-22-53	perjury	(u)

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BFD NY NY	William Perl # --	3-14-51	FEDERAL (SECURITY)	(4)

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	William Perl, w.a. William Mutterperl (FBI #665 203 A) Refer two copies of record on all inquiries to BFD, New York NY, their file #65-15387, inf rec therefrom 4-9-51 Bu file #65-59312.			

CC: SAC, New York

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OSP Terre Haute Ind	William Perl #10325-TH	7-24-53	perjury	5 yrs (u)

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BU FILE: 65-59312
NY FILE: 65-15387
NK FILE: 65-4100, 116-11875
NK CONTROL FILE: 100-34455-764

SUBJECT: WILLIAM PERL

SUBJECT NEVER EMPLOYED AT PT. MONMOUTH (u)

ADDITIONAL DEROGATORY INFORMATION IN NEWARK FILES:

1) ON ASSOCIATES: (u)

JULIUS ROSENBERG

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GLASSMAN has associated with persons involved in the ROSENBERG espionage ring and has acted as a messenger on occasion. She has also admitted to Bureau agents as having been very friendly with the ROSENBERGS and having been affiliated with the American Labor Party. (u)

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HELEN SOBELL is the wife of MORTON SOBELL, convicted espionage agent involved in the ROSENBERG case. She was formerly married to CLARENCE DARROW GUREWITZ, who was reliably reported to be a member of the CP in Washington, D. C. (u)

It has also been reliably reported that HELEN SOBELL was a member of the CP in Washington, D. C. as of 2/1/44. (u)

MORTON SOBELL

MAX ELITCHER, a self-admitted CP member and associate of both JULIUS ROSENBERG and SOBELL, stated that he was recruited into the CP by SOBELL. ELITCHER advised that ROSENBERG had informed him that SOBELL had attempted to enlist him in espionage work by turning over information to SOBELL obtained by ELITCHER in the course of his employment with the Navy Dept. Bureau of Ordnance, Washington, D. C. ELITCHER stated that SOBELL requested him to furnish the names of possible recruits for purposes of engaging in espionage work. SOBELL was an associate of BERNICE LEVIN(E), Department of Labor, Washington, D. C. who was named by ELIZABETH BENTLEY, as an individual who had furnished information to Soviet espionage networks. Various classmates of SOBELL at CCNY identified him as a "liberal" and "leftwinger", while attending college. SOBELL fled to Mexico in June, 1950 after the arrest of HARRY GOLD, one of the participants in the ROSENBERG espionage apparatus in May, 1950. SOBELL was arrested at Laredo, Texas on 10/10/50. SOBELL, JULIUS ROSENBERG, ETHEL ROSENBERG, ANATOLI A. YAKOVLEV and DAVID GREENGLASS were charged with conspiracy to commit espionage. SOBELL was tried, convicted and sentenced to 30 years' imprisonment on 3/29/51. (u)

MICHAEL SIDOROVICH

DAVID GREENGLASS, self-admitted Soviet espionage agent, and his wife, RUTH GREENGLASS, have identified MICHAEL and ANNE SIDOROVICH as close friends of JULIUS ROSENBERG. Both the GREENGLASSES said that they were told by ROSENBERG that ANNE would contact them in New Mexico to get information from DAVID about the Atom bomb. (u)

PHILIP PARZEN

PHILIP PARZEN registered to vote for the ALP in 1945, 1946 and 1947. A supervisor of PARZEN stated that he considered PARZEN to have "questionable political beliefs" and further advised that PARZEN spoke openly about the fact that KLAUS FUCHS should not have been punished for giving away Atomic secrets. He is an associate of several of the persons involved in the ROSENBERG case and has been in the company of JULIUS ROSENBERG, himself on two occasions. (u)

RECOMMENDATION:

WILLIAM PERL was the subject of an Espionage-R investigation in the New York Office. No action for Newark. (u)

SAC, Cleveland (65-2730)

SAC, WFO (65-5513)

WILLIAM PERL, wa.
ESPIONAGE - R
PERJURY

Reurtel July 22, 1950, entitled "JULIUS ROSENBERG,
Espionage - R re WILLIAM PERL" in which you requested a stop
notice be placed at the Passport Office, State Department, on
PERL and to page 46 of the report of SA JOHN P. BUSCHER dated
September 21, 1950, at Washington, D. C., copies of both furnished
New York.

Advice is requested as to whether or not you still desire
that this stopbe maintained.

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SAC, WASHINGTON FIELD (65-5543)

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SAC, CLEVELAND (65-2730)

WILLIAM PERKINS, wa.
ESPIONAGE - R
PERJURY
O. O. New York

Re Washington Field Office letter, 8-4-53.

Inasmuch as New York Office is office of origin in above captioned matter it is being left to the discretion of that office as to whether or not the stop notice previously placed at the Passport Office, State Department by Washington Field Office, be maintained.
RUC

PLS:ARS

cc: New York (65-15387)

REGISTERED MAIL

65-15387-1139

[Handwritten initials and scribbles]

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WILLIAM PERL

June 5, 1953

William Arthur Perl

five years on counts one
and three, to run concurrently, acquitted
on counts two and four.

Male

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FBI, NYC

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO SAC, NEW YORK (65-15387)

DATE: August 28, 1953

FROM SAC, LOS ANGELES (65-5075)

SUBJECT WILLIAM PERL, wa.
ESPIONAGE - R;
PERJURY

Re Los Angeles teletype 5/14/53 and New York teletype dated 5/13/53.

[Redacted] California Institute of Technology, Pasadena, California, has requested the return of the subject's graduate file and related papers furnished the Assistant U. S. Attorney, New York, on 5/14/53, inasmuch as other requests are now being made for these papers in connection with the subject's rehabilitation. *47d*

It is requested that this material be returned as soon as possible.

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JPA:mk

*USA with
has decided to
return until appeal
is filed
R/S Reply sent to SA.*

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New York 7, New York

September 10, 1953

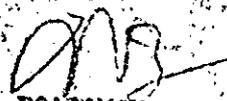
Mrs. Helen Hendrickson
123 Nassau Avenue
Malverne, New York

Dear Mrs. Hendrickson:

As per your telephone conversation with Special Agent John A. Harrington of this office this date, there is enclosed the billfold of the late Rev. William J. Gordon.

Also, in accordance with [REDACTED] the Communist Party membership card #26225 found in the billfold of Dr. Gordon was destroyed. b7c

Very truly yours,


LELAND V. BOARDMAN
Special Agent in Charge

Enclosure

REGISTERED MAIL

Note: Communist Party card destroyed by SA John A. Harrington. Mrs. Hendrickson advised that the Rev. William J. Gordon died of a heart attack in the latter part of July 1953 at the Hotel Edison, New York City, and was subsequently buried in Holy Cross Cemetery, New York City.

JAH:DM

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Office Memorandum

TO : SAC, New York

DATE: 7/29/53

FROM : SAC, Dallas (100-0)

REGISTERED MAIL

SUBJECT: Rev. WILLIAM J. GORDON
1733 Burnett Street
Brooklyn, New York
SM-C

List Reis. #12

On July 17, 1953, [redacted] Deputy Sheriff, Fort Worth, Texas, furnished the attached billfold to the Fort Worth Resident Agency. [redacted] had obtained this billfold from Mr. J. R. HOLT, who resides at 2820 Cedar Park in Richland Park, Fort Worth, Texas. [redacted] stated that Mr. HOLT is employed by the AMERICAN AIRLINES at the Fort Worth International Airport and in his capacity checks the planes after they arrive at this airport. On July 11, 1953, HOLT was inspecting plane #202, which had just completed trip #711 into Fort Worth, Texas. In examining this plane, HOLT found a billfold under one of the seats of this airplane. The identification card and drivers license from the State of New York reflect the name of Rev. WILLIAM J. GORDON, 1733 Burnett Street, Brooklyn, New York.

In this billfold there is a drivers license in this name, an insurance identification card and also numerous names and addresses. There is also in the billfold a 1948 membership card, #26225, of the Communist Party of the United States. This card has the Communist Party seal in the State of New York stamped on it and the name appears to be TOMMIE MOORE, although the last name is not very clear.

The following description of WILLIAM J. GORDON was obtained from his drivers license:

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Race	White
Sex	Male
Nationality	American
Born	1/1/15
Height	6'1"
Weight	180 lbs.
Hair	Black
Eyes	Blue

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The attached billfold with all the contents is being forwarded to your office for any action you deem necessary.

Enclosure: 1 billfold with contents

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SAC, New York

7/29/53

SAC, Dallas (100-0)

REGISTERED MAIL

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Brooklyn, New York
SM-3

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REGISTERED

~~SECURITY INFORMATION~~ ~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

VERIFICATION OF INFORMATION ON SECURITY INDEX CARD

MEMORANDUM

RE: WILLIAM PERL

This Office File 65-15387
Bufile 65259312

The following is the most recent residence address, place of employment and employment address of the above subject as contained on the subject's security index card.

Residence: Federal House of Detention
New York, New York

Employment: None

Address:

Remarks: Imprisoned Photo

It is requested that the residence address of the subject, place of employment and address of employment be verified and the proper notation be made below:

*Security card changed
see 10-14-53*

Residence: U.S. Penitentiary (5 year sentence for
Terre Haute, Ind. Pejuay, SOBY, 6-5-53)

Employment:

Address:

Verified by: *M. Bonoran #6*

Method of Verification: *Continuing investigation - pending case.*

Date: *10-9-53*

The security index card on this subject should be revised if any changes are noted above.

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 Bureau Files: 65-59112
 New York Files: 65-15387
 Newark Files: 116-11875, 65-1100

*See NY letter
 to Bureau
 10/1/53
 65-16382*

SUBJECT: WILLIAM PEARL
Aliases: William Mutterperl

*Note: From letter advised
 Bur. that Pearl, et al. was
 subject of extreme invest. &
 therefore no blind memo to
 be submitted by NY.*

DOB: 10/1/18
POB: New York, N.Y.
Married: Yes (Common Law)
Name of Spouse: HEERINTA BOED SAVIDGE from 1944 to 1946 (divorced)

*This action approved
 by Bu Airtel 10-16-53 to
 Newark, cc NYO, entitled
 "Semonell"
 MWB*

Never employed at Fort Monmouth.

RESIDENCES

- 834 Beek St., New York, N.Y. 1933-39
- 210 Newport News Ave., Hampton, Va. 1939
- 197 Melrose Ave., Hampton, Va. 1939-44
- 11703 Madison Ave., Cleveland, Ohio 1944
- 16308 Madison Ave., Cleveland, Ohio 3/44
- 1516 E. 120th St., Cleveland, Ohio 1945-46
- 375 S. Rafael Ave., Pasadena, Calif. 9/46
- 750 N. Madison St., Pasadena, Calif. 1946
- 65 Morton St., New York, N.Y. 1946-48
- 7221 209th St., Flushing, L.I., N.Y. 10/50
- 610 Cathedral Parkway, New York, N.Y. 10/50
- 104 S. 33rd St., New York, N.Y. 8/13/52
- 936 Tiffany St., Bronx, N.Y.
- 1404, 3200 Franklin Blvd., Cleveland, Ohio
- 16302 Larchwood, Cleveland, Ohio
- 666 E. 13rd St., Cleveland, Ohio
- 1257 Frockley Ave., Cleveland, Ohio

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DEPARTMENT INFORMATION IN CIC FILES

On Subject

Subject attended a party in 1944 in New York, N.Y., given by JULIUS ROSENBERG, at which MAX and HELENE FLITCHER, JOSE MAR and ALFRED SAMPANT were present. He signed an American Student Union petition that was also signed

by JULIUS ROSENBERG. He was listed as a reference by JOEL BARR. VIVIAN GLASSMAN, reportedly a messenger in the ROSENBERG espionage ring, went to Cleveland, Ohio, on 7/22/50, where she contacted FERL and offered him \$2,000 to flee to Mexico. Subject, MATSON and HELEN SOBELL, JOEL BARR and JULIUS ROSENBERG had dinner together in New York in 1946.

CIC files point out that subject was under indictment for perjury in SDNY in connection with testimony given to the Grand Jury concerning his association with the JULIUS ROSENBERG espionage matter.

One of the counts of perjury on which subject was indicted was the fact that he, in a sworn testimony, stated that he did not know one MICHAEL SIDORWICH. However, FERL was reported to have been in contact with SIDORWICH in Cleveland, Ohio.

DEROGATORY INFORMATION IN NY FILE FILES

1. On Subject

New York, as office of origin, will report pertinent derogatory information necessary in addition to the following:

WILLIAM MATTYERFERL is the subject of an AFA investigation in which no derogatory information was set out by Newark.

Subject has associated with members of the ROSENBERG espionage ring. He resided at the apartment of ALFRED SARANT, alleged to have been the apartment where JULIUS ROSENBERG did microfilm work and made Soviet espionage contacts. MAX BLITCHER stated that he, FERL, ROSENBERG, SOBELL, BARR and SARANT were in contact during the middle 1940's.

VIVIAN GLASSMAN admitted going to Cleveland, Ohio, immediately following the arrest of JULIUS ROSENBERG and offering subject \$2,000 to flee to Mexico.

Subject advised an informant of unknown reliability that he was active in the Young Communist League at CCMY with JOEL BARR, MAX BLITCHER, MATSON SOBELL and JULIUS ROSENBERG.

During 1938-40, FERL advised an informant of unknown reliability that he was dropping his Communist activities since he felt it would be harder to obtain employment if he were still active in Communist affairs.

Source of unknown reliability stated that he knew WILLIAM MATTYERFERL as being pro-Communist.

MARTIN SOBELL, convicted espionage agent, listed WILLIAM KOTT SPERL as a reference when he filed an application for employment at the General Electric Co., Schenectady, N.Y.

According to a source of unknown reliability, subject, during the week-end of 7/4/48, brought to JULIUS ROSENBERG'S home secret documents from Columbia University where PERL was doing aeronautical research. ROSENBERG sent out of town for an individual with a Leica camera, whom the informant believed to be MICHAEL SIDOROVICH. These three, plus a fourth individual, photographed for seventeen hours without interruption.

According to CIC files, PHILIP PARZEN gave subject as a reference in 1942.

Subject was tried on four counts of perjury in that he denied knowing MARTIN SOBELL, MELINE FLITCHER, JULIUS ROSENBERG and MICHAEL and ANNE SIDOROVICH. Subject was found guilty on counts involving SOBELL and ROSENBERG and sentenced to five years in prison, which he is presently serving at the Federal Penitentiary in Terre Haute, Ind.

2. On Associates

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It has also been reliably reported that HELEN SOBELL was a member of the CP in Washington, D.C., as of 2/1/50.

WALTER SOBELL

MAX ELITCHER, a self-admitted CP member and associate of both JULIUS ROSENBERG and SOBELL, stated that he was recruited into the CP by SOBELL. ELITCHER advised that ROSENBERG had informed him that SOBELL had attempted to enlist him in espionage work by turning over information to SOBELL obtained by ELITCHER in the course of his employment with the Navy Department, Bureau of Ordnance, Washington, D.C. ELITCHER stated that SOBELL requested him to furnish the names of possible recruits for purposes of engaging in espionage work. SOBELL was an associate of BERNICE LEVIN(S), Department of Labor, Washington, D.C., who was named by ELIZABETH BREITLEY, as an individual who had furnished information to Soviet espionage networks. Various classmates of SOBELL at CCNY identified him as a "liberal" and "leftwinger," while attending college. SOBELL fled to Mexico in June 1950 after the arrest of HENRY GALT, one of the participants in the ROSENBERG espionage apparatus in May 1950. SOBELL was arrested at Laredo, Texas, on 10/10/50. SOBELL, JULIUS ROSENBERG, ETHEL ROSENBERG, ANATOLI A. TAYLOR and DAVID GREENGLASS were charged with conspiracy to commit espionage. SOBELL was tried, convicted and sentenced to 30 years' imprisonment on 3/27/51.

MICHAEL and ANNE SIDOROVICH

DAVID GREENGLASS, self-admitted Soviet espionage agent, and his wife, RUTH GREENGLASS, have identified MICHAEL and ANNE SIDOROVICH as close friends of JULIUS ROSENBERG. Both the GREENGLASSES said that they were told by ROSENBERG that ANNE would contact them in New Mexico to get information from DAVID about the Atom bomb.

PHILIP PARZEN

PHILIP PARZEN registered to vote for the ALP in 1945, 1946 and 1947. A supervisor of PARZEN stated that he considered PARZEN to have "questionable political beliefs" and further advised that PARZEN spoke openly about the fact that KLAUS FUCHS should not have been punished for giving away Atomic secrets. He is an associate of several of the persons involved in the ROSENBERG espionage apparatus and has been in the company of JULIUS ROSENBERG, himself on two occasions.

Dissemination

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TO: SAC, New York

DATE:

FROM: THOMAS G. SPENCER, SA (65-10387)

OCT 16 1953

SUBJECT: SEMONTEL
ESPIONAGE - R
(NY 65-16382)

In connection with the Semontel Project, the Bureau has issued instructions that the Newark Office was to submit blind memos on all persons brought to their attention by CIC. In turn, these were forwarded to the NYO where blind memos were prepared setting forth all derogatory information on the individuals named in the Newark blind memos. Subsequently, these memoranda were sent to the Bureau where Bureau files were reviewed, and then transmitted to the Newark Office, which office in turn had the responsibility of recommending whether or not a case should be opened and the type of case that should be opened. At the present time, the Newark Office is forwarding these recommendations to the NYO.

In view of the fact that practically all of the cases opened to date have been in the Security Matter - C category, the writer on 10/13/53 telephonically communicated with Inspector HENNRICH to obtain a clarification as to what material should be reported in these SM-C cases. It was pointed out to Mr. HENNRICH that the file reviews conducted by the NYO and the Newark Office and the Bureau had turned up information on relatives and associates and other individuals that would normally not be reported in a regular SM - C report.

Mr. HENNRICH stated that in view of the current status of the Senator McCarthy probe into individuals formerly or presently employed at Fort Monmouth, the Bureau was going to follow very closely any cases opened as a result of the Semontel review. He stated that one Bureau supervisor would be responsible for reviewing and following all cases opened as a result of the Semontel Project. He requested that in writing reports on these individuals that all information obtained as a result of the file review should be reported and that these cases should be given a very high priority as he felt that the Bureau would probably within the next few days, issue instructions that all cases opened as a result of the Semontel review would have to be completed within a period of thirty days.

TGS:BAC

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Of the original five cases that were opened as a result of Newark's recommendations, this office was in possession of closed case files on these individuals. These have been reopened.

With each case file the agent to whom this case is assigned will receive (1) a copy of the New York blind memo incorporating a summary of the derogatory information in the CIC file as well as derogatory information obtained from the Newark office; (2) a copy of a blind memo prepared by the NYO setting forth all derogatory information found in the NY files that had not been previously reported in the Newark memo; (3) a blind memo from the Bureau; (4) all of the indices search slips that were utilized in checking names of the subject and his associates, relatives, and references. All of the above should be made a part of the reopened file.

Particular care should be taken to attribute derogatory information to the necessary T symbols when this information has been set forth in report form. The blind memo contains all of the informants who should be referred to as T symbols. Particular emphasis should be placed on having these reports completed as expeditiously as possible.

In the event that any question arises concerning the contents of the blind memos prepared in the Semontel investigation, inquiries should be made of SA LAWRENCE H. BRACKEN and the writer who are familiar with all of the ramifications of this project.

When any of these investigations originating out of a Newark recommendation in the Semontel investigation is completed, a brief memo should be directed to the Semontel file. It is not necessary that a copy of a report be designated for this file. If such copies are designated, they will be returned to the main case file.

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NAME: WILLIAM PEARL
CHARACTER: *esp - R*

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Reference is made to the case entitled, "SEMONTTEL; ESPIONAGE - R", New York file 65-16382, Bufile 65-61685, Newark file 100-34455.

As a result of the investigation conducted in the SEMONTTEL case, the Newark office, in accordance with Bureau instructions, has recommended that a case be opened on the above captioned individual.

There is attached, the Newark blind memorandum, the New York blind memorandum, the Bureau blind memorandum, and indices search slips which were correlated as a result of the SEMONTTEL project. In view of the fact that there is, at the present time, an inquiry being made by Senator JOSEPH MC CARTHY'S Committee into the activities at Fort Monmouth, New Jersey, this case should be afforded priority and expeditious attention.

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additional
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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, NEW YORK (65-15387)

DATE: November 6, 1953

FROM : SAC, CHICAGO (65-3451)

SUBJECT: WILLIAM PERL, wa.
ESPIONAGE - R
PERJURY

Re Chicago letter 5/13/53 which transmitted to the New York Office the original Personnel Security Questionnaire, executed by PERL in connection with his employment with the Atomic Energy Commission. It is requested that this questionnaire be returned to the Chicago Office at the earliest possible date so that it can be returned to the Atomic Energy Commission in the Chicago area.

WRP:MMS

REGISTERED MAIL

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AIR-TEL

FBI WASH. FIELD (65-5543)

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SAC, NEW YORK (65-15387) -- REGISTERED MAIL

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CONCERNING SUBJECT OBTAINED FROM CSC. PLEASE EXPEDITE.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, NEW YORK

DATE: January 19, 1954

FROM : SAC WFO (65-5543)

SUBJECT: WILLIAM PERL, wa
ESPIONAGE - R
(Your file 65-15387)

Please advise whether the stop notice placed on 7-24-50 with Passport Office, State Department against the name of WILLIAM PERL, wa. is to be continued.

HWB/mmd

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Transmit the following Teletype-message to:

FBI, LOS ANGELES

2/1/54

4:30 P.M.

SAC, NEW YORK CITY (65-15387)

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 TWENTY EIGHT, LAST. AUTHORITIES AT CALIF INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY,
 PASADENA, CALIF, AGAIN REQUEST IMMEDIATELY RETURN OF SUBJ'S
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AIR MAIL

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Approved: *JPM*
Special Agent in Charge

Sent _____ M Per _____

290 Broadway
New York 7, New York

February 3, 1954

[REDACTED] b7D
Department of Physics
Pupin Building
Columbia University
New York, N.Y.

RE: WILLIAM PERL, wa
ESP-R
PERJURY

Dear [REDACTED] b7D

There is being returned herewith for your files the original transcript of application for admission of William Perl, together with correspondence and records pertaining to his employment as an Assistant in the Physics Department and later as an Instructor.

It is recalled that the above material was forwarded to Mr. Robert Martin, Assistant United States Attorney, United States Court House, New York City, on May 19, 1953, at the request of Special Agent Maurice W. Corcoran of this office.

Your cooperation in making this material available is very much appreciated.

Very truly yours,

J

JAMES J. KELLY
Special Agent in Charge

65-15387

MWC:IM

*Received by SA [REDACTED] hand
Section 2-4-54
Robert E. Hall
J*

65-15387-1188 *ml*

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, New York

DATE: 2/11/54

FROM : SA THOMAS J. MC ANDREWS (65-15387)

SUBJECT: WILLIAM PERL, wa
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At 2:35 p.m., I telephonically contacted Assistant Director BELMONT at the Bureau and advised him that the Circuit Court of Appeals consisting of Judges MEDINA, FRANK and HINCKS, had unanimously confirmed the conviction of WILLIAM PERL.

Mr. BELMONT then suggested that it might be time to consider approaching PERL in line with our previous thoughts in this connection. I told Mr. BELMONT that New York would submit its recommendations in this regard.

TJM:HC

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SAC, New York (65-15387)

WILLIAM PERL, was.
ESPIONAGE - R; PERJURY

Airtel to NY, 1/19/54.

You are requested to continue the stop placed with the
Passport Office, State Department, against the name of WILLIAM
PERL.

JAH:CPB

65-15387-199

VERIFICATION OF INFORMATION ON SECURITY INDEX CARD

MEMORANDUM

RE: WILLIAM PERL wa

This Office File 65-15387
Bufile 65-59312

The following is the most recent place of employment, employment address, and residence address of the above subject as contained on the subject's security index card.

Employment: Unemployed

Address:

Residence: U. S. Penitentiary
Terre Haute, Indiana

Remarks: Man #15 (ESP)

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photo

It is requested that the place of employment, address of employment, and the residence address of the subject be verified and the proper notation be made below:

Employment:

Unemployed

Address:

Verified By:

Method of Verification:

Date:

Residence:

U.S. Penitentiary

Verified By:

Terre Haute, Indiana

Method of Verification:

John A. Harrington

Date:

3/19/54

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The security index card on this subject should be revised if any of the changes are noted above.

Security Index Verification

Assigned to: *J. Harrington*

3/18/54

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC

DATE: 3/24/54

FROM : SA Edward C. Smith (65-15387)

SUBJECT: William Perl was
Espionage - R

SA Arnold E. Larson advised that the present address of [redacted] is [redacted] #16 Cleveland, Ohio [redacted] was present at a party in April, 1945, at which the subject and employees of National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics, Cleveland Ohio were present. He has furnished information and signed statements in the past regarding Communist activities at this party. b7d 65-15387-120

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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO: SAC, NEW YORK

DATE: 4/27/54

FROM: EDWARD U. CRIM, SA (MCA)

SUBJECT: STOP NOTICES WITH THE U.S. BUREAU OF
CUSTOMS AND IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION
SERVICE

Re paragraph D, SAC Letter #54-18, dated April 6, 1954,
relating to procedure to be followed in placing stops with the above
Bureau and Service.

A review of each file on which a stop is outstanding
must be made. The agent to whom the case is assigned must review
the file and insure that the provisions of re SAC Letter are complied
with prior to May 1, 1954.

*Done
per serial 1844 of
65-15348 copy in this file
bullet 10/30/54*

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TO: SAC, NEW YORK

FROM: MARCELLUS R. MEYER, SA

SUBJECT: MUTTER, WILLIAM

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or
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A photograph of the above subject was exhibited to [redacted] on 1/11/54, at which time he advised he was unable to identify the same as an individual known to him. *b7d*

[redacted] He has furnished reliable information in the past. *b7d*

MBM:EEC

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TO: SAC, NY

FROM: ARTHUR E. NEUBAUER, SA (65-15387)

DATE: 8/12/54

SUBJECT: BULKY EXHIBIT REVIEW

WILLIAM PERL, was
ESPIONAGE - R; PERJURY

This is a pending case assigned to SA JOHN A. HARRINGTON. There are a total of 182 exhibits. SA HARRINGTON concurs in the following:

Retain all exhibits in 1B.

1 - NY 66-6649

*Exhibits noted
done 9/2/54
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done 9/1*

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MEMORANDUM

NAME: WILLIAM PERL

THIS OFFICE FILE: 65-15387

The following is the most recent place of employment, employment address, and residence address of the above subject as contained on the subject's security index card.

Employment: unemployed

Address:

Residence: U.S. Penitentiary, Terre Haute, Indiana

Remarks: Imprisoned (esp) esp SPP photo

It is requested that the place of employment, address of employment, and the residence address of the subject be verified and the proper notation be made below:

Employment: *Unemployed*

Address: *Imprisoned U.S. Penitentiary, Terre Haute, Indiana*

Verified By: *U.S. Penitentiary*

Method of Verification:

Date:

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Residence: *U.S. Penitentiary, Terre Haute, Indiana*

Verified By: *FBI Indianapolis*

Method of Verification: *Warden, U.S. Penitentiary*

Date: *Nov. 24, 1954*

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The Security Index Card on this subject should be revised if any changes are noted above.

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Assigned to: *[Signature]*
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J.R. Harrington
11-29-54

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC New York (65-15387)
 FROM : Director, FBI (65-59312)
 SUBJECT: WILLIAM PERL - *Imprisoned*

DATE: SEP 22

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Refer SAC Letter No. 54-48.

Post FBI number and fingerprint classification shown below to Security Index Card in your office.

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WILLIAM PERL, was
ESPIONAGE - R; PERJURY

ReBulet, 3/31/55.

Enclosed herewith are photos of JULIUS ROSENBERG and
individuals who were or suspected to be associated with him in
his espionage network.

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per Spectet 57-33
Serial 4917-57
view 10/20/57*

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO: SAC NY

DATE: 11/4/55

FROM: J. A. McAndrews (65-1227)

SUBJECT: William Perl, was.
Espionage - R

Above captioned case should be reopened
in connection with the summary
report program

Chief Clerk:
Reopen Case CCF # 6
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MEMORANDUM RE: *William Perl, wa*

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Office File ~~no~~ *65-15387*

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The following is the most recent place of employment, employment address, and residence address of the above subject as contained on the subject's Security Index Card.

Residence: *U.S. Penitentiary, Terre Haute, Indiana*

Employment: *Unemployed*

Address:

Key Facility (Yes) (No) Detcom (Yes) (No) Comsab (Yes) (No)
[Redacted] (Yes) (No) Photo (Yes) (No)

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It is requested that the place of employment, address of employment, residence address of the subject, as well as the accuracy of the priority tabbing, be verified and the proper notations be made below. The absence of a photograph and posting of a *[Redacted]* should be noted and efforts made to secure a photograph and determine the existence of a criminal record.

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Employment: *Sml*

Address:

Key Facility: (Yes) (No) Geographical Reference Number: *65-15387-1260*

Tab Detcom and Comsab: (Yes) (No)
Method of Verification: *File Review*

Employment Source: *1/4/55*

Date: *1/4/55*
Verified by: *M. J. Nicholas*

Residence: *Sml*

Method of Verification: *File Review*

Neighborhood Source: *1/4/55*

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Verified By: *M. J. Nicholas*

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FD 122 should be submitted to Bureau: (Yes) (No)

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Date: 3/19/56

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Transmit the following message via AIRTEL

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From SAC Indianapolis (65-2212)

To SAC New York (65-15387)

WILLIAM PERL
ESPIONAGE - R

Warden DON BYINGTON, United States Penitentiary, Terre Haute, Indiana, advised SA LEO E. FORD on 3/14/56 that the subject, an inmate of that institution sent parcel to Mrs. H. PERL, c/o MUTTERPERL, 936 Tiffany Street, Bronx 59, New York, on 3/14/56. Warden BYINGTON stated that the parcel contained the following items:

- (2) book, Theory of Atomic Collisions
- (1) book, Meson Physics
- (1) book, Electrolytic Solutions
- (1) book, Mathematical Theory of Relativity
- (1) book, Relativity Thermodynamics and Cosmology
- (1) book, Principles of Statistical Mechanics
- (1) 3 ring binder, Notes by Dyson
- (1) 3 ring binder, Notes by Marshak

The above is being furnished for informational purposes.

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Approved: *BY*
Special Agent in Charge

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United States Department of Justice
Federal Bureau of Investigation

New York, New York
April 13, 1956

Re: Milton M. Klein

On February 27, and March 3, 10, 13, and 31, 1953, Milton M. Klein was interviewed by Special Agents of the New York Office. The information secured from Klein in the course of these interviews is set forth below:

Personal Background Data

Klein stated that his full name was Milton M. Klein, but that the initial M. was not given to him at birth, but is an initial which he adopted to distinguish him from other people having the same first and second names. At the time of interview he was residing at 2690 Morris Avenue, Bronx, New York. He was then employed in the Physics Department of New York University as an instructor. Klein said that in this position he did not have access to any classified material and was not connected with any research work. He was married in the State of New Jersey in September, 1951 to Emilie Rachel Messen. He attended the College of the City of New York from September, 1934 through June, 1938, and upon graduation from college received a Bachelor of Engineering Degree.

Following his graduation from college, he worked for a period of time for the National Youth Administration in New York City. Thereafter, he secured a position with the Bureau of Census in Washington, D.C. Klein said he believed that it was in July, 1941 that he left the Bureau of Census and secured a position with the United States Army Air Corps, Chanute Field, Illinois, which is located near the town of Rantoul. While with the Air Corps Klein served as an instructor in aircraft hydraulic systems. His employment by the Air Corps continued until about February, 1942.

Property of FBI - This confidential report and its contents are loaned to you by the FBI and are not to be distributed outside of the agency to which loaned.

VINCENT J. CAHILL:par
(65-15914)
(NY 65-15387)

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Re: Milton M. Klein
April 23, 1956

His next position was that of a physicist with the United States Navy Department. During this time he was located at Norfolk, Virginia, and Baltimore, Maryland. On July 7, 1942, Klein secured employment with the National Advisory Committee on Aeronautics (NACA) at Langley Field, Virginia. In January, 1947 Klein said he left NACA and returned to New York City for the purpose of studying mathematics and physics. He pursued his studies until June, 1948 when he again secured employment with NACA, this time at Cleveland, Ohio. He continued in this employment until approximately the late summer of 1950 when he again returned to New York and secured employment at New York University.

Information Concerning William Perl

With respect to William Perl, also known as William Mutterperl, Klein furnished the following information:

He and Perl both attended high school together and later attended the College of the City of New York at the same time. He said he considered himself to be a fairly good friend of Perl. During this period they occasionally went out together socially. While in college both Klein and Perl were interested in athletics and had formed a group that used to play ball together. He recalled that others in this group were Philip Parzen and William Danziger, who were fellow classmates at the College of the City of New York. During this period, Klein said that he and Perl went out socially with other individuals from school and recalled some of them as Philip Posner, Philip Krohn, Milton Amgott, Max Feinsilver, Morris Watenberg, and another individual named Kofsky.

Klein recalled that while at the College of the City of New York, Perl had mentioned to him that he was active in the Young Communist League. Klein said this occurred in the 1937-1938 period. He recalled that while Perl never asked him to join the Young Communist League, Perl had pointed out to him that it was good to be active in a group like the Young Communist League. Perl told Klein that people like Joel Barr, Max Elitcher, and Morton Sobell were active in the Young Communist League, and stressed the fact that it was a good organization.

Re: Milton R. Klein

April 13, 1956

Klein said that he himself on occasion, during the period 1937-1938, attended two meetings of a group which he presumed was the Young Communist League. Klein recalled that both of these meetings were held in the East Bronx, New York, area in a hall which was located near Prospect and Westchester Avenues. He said the address of this hall might have been 809 Westchester Avenue. At the time of interview Klein said he had recently been in the area and had viewed the hall at 809 Westchester Avenue, and that the location had looked familiar to him. He did not recall any specific name for the hall, but said it was the type of place which could be hired for meetings.

Klein attended these meetings at the invitation of William Danziger. Danziger and Danziger's girl friend, Sylvia, who is now his wife, and William Perl, accompanied him to these meetings. Klein recalled that at both of these meetings, when they arrived at the meeting hall, they saw several other individuals there from their classes at the College of the City of New York. Included among these were Morton Sobell and Julius Rosenberg. Klein recalled that he and Perl went over and joined Rosenberg and Sobell, and the others who were present, and chatted with them. Klein said that Perl apparently knew Rosenberg and Sobell, because he recalled Perl greeting them in a friendly manner.

In addition to Rosenberg and Sobell, Klein recalled that Max Elitcher, Stanley Rich, Israel Kofsky, and another individual named (first name unknown) Cohen, who was a friend of Danziger, were also present.

During this same period, 1937-1938, Klein said he recalled riding on a subway train with a group of College of the City of New York students. Included in the group were Stanley Rich, Max Elitcher, Morton Sobell, Julius Rosenberg, Joel Barr, William Perl, Philip Parzen, and several other individuals whom he could not recall. He believed that Max Feinsilver was possibly in this group. Klein said he believed that they were traveling on that occasion to a rally in the downtown section of New York City, but he was not certain.

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In this connection he recalled that on several occasions the aforementioned group had attended rallies in Union Square, New York City. These rallies were held in support of Loyalist Spain. Klein said he could not recall any other particulars concerning these rallies other than the fact that he knew that Danziger, Sobell, Blitcher, Rosenberg, Rich, Parzen, and Perl had attended these rallies. Klein said he wished to state that he was not a regular member of the group that attended these affairs, but nevertheless, he was sure that he had on several occasions attended such rallies with the aforementioned individuals.

Klein recalled that during the years 1938 to 1940 he had occasion to see William Perl. At that time Perl was doing graduate work in electrical engineering at the College of the City of New York. Sometime during this period, Perl told Klein that he was dropping his Communist activities. Klein recalled Perl was doing so because he felt it would be harder for him to secure a job if he was known to be still active in Communist affairs. Klein said he believed he secured this information from Perl during lunch one day while both he and Perl were students at the College of the City of New York prior to their graduation.

Klein stated that in 1940 he was in Washington, D.C. working for the Bureau of Census. At that time he was rooming with Philip Parzen, mentioned above. During that period he recalled that William Perl made a trip from his place of employment at Langley Field, Virginia, to visit him and Parzen in Washington, D.C. Klein said he and Parzen knew in advance that Perl was coming to visit them, but said that Perl did not arrive at their address until about 11:00 p.m. although they had expected him much earlier. Klein recalled that Perl told them that he had been visiting with Max Blitcher and Morton Sobell before coming to see Klein and Parzen.

Klein recalled another occasion during this period of time when Perl had visited him in Washington, D.C. On this occasion he and Perl went for a ride in Perl's

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Studebaker. He could not recall any other details.

In 1942, after Klein started to work at Langley Field, Virginia, he said he had visited Perl. During one of his visits to see Perl he recalled discussing with Perl other people whom they both knew from the College of the City of New York. On this occasion Klein recalled that they had discussed Morton Sobell, and Perl told him at that time that Sobell had gone to study at the University of Michigan. Klein also recalled that he had previously received this same information from Philip Parzen.

Klein said he had commenced work with the NACA at Langley Field, Virginia, on July 7, 1942. He remained so employed until January, 1947. He did not recall ever having resided with Perl during this five year period, but said he had seen Perl at work quite often and on occasion they had visited together after working hours. Klein said that Perl had left Langley Field, Virginia, for Cleveland, Ohio, about January, 1944, and that he lost contact with Perl after that time. Klein said he may have written a letter or two to Perl, but thereafter had stopped writing since he believed that Perl had not acknowledged his letters.

While employed at NACA, Langley Field, Virginia, Klein said he resided at 76 Cavalier Road, Hampton, Virginia. Klein said he was not familiar with the American Association of Scientific Workers, but said that he believed he was a member of the Federation of Architects, Engineers, Chemists, and Technicians, while at Langley Field. He said that while he had some recollection of holding membership in this organization, he was not an active member. He indicated that he may have been a member of the American Association of Scientific Workers, but he was not sure, stating that he never was a good organization member.

After leaving NACA in January, 1947, Klein returned to New York City for additional studies at New York University and took courses in mathematics and physics. At the same time he attended one course at Columbia

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University where he happened to meet William Perl who was also studying at that time under Dr. Theodore Von Karman. Klein said he believed that Perl, at that time, was also working for Dr. Von Karman.

From January, 1947 until July, 1948, Klein said he had on a number of occasions been in contact with Perl. These contacts occurred at Columbia University and in Von Karman's offices which Klein said were located in downtown New York on Lexington Avenue. Klein stated that during this period he never visited Perl at the latter's home address, 936 Tiffany Street, Bronx, New York. He said he had never visited Perl at 65 Morton Street, New York City.

Klein said he knew at that time that Perl was living in an apartment downtown since Perl had told him so. Klein stated his visits to see Perl in Dr. Von Karman's offices during the aforementioned period were due to their mutual interests in the source of transonic flow. Klein said that Perl had certain ideas concerning various projects and they had discussed possibilities of developing these ideas. Klein said that during this same period of time they had never gone out on double dates and had never visited each other socially.

Klein stated that he returned to work at the NACA installation at Cleveland, Ohio, on July 19, 1948. He stated that Perl was instrumental in helping him secure a position there. Klein said that Perl wrote a letter to NACA in his behalf and Klein believed that this letter assisted him in receiving more consideration for a position although he stated that he had no doubt he would have gotten the position on his own merits.

Klein stated that by the time he arrived in Cleveland in July, 1948 Perl himself had already returned to NACA. Upon his arrival in Cleveland he lived with Perl at 3200 Franklin Boulevard for a period of several months. Thereafter, Klein moved to 16-610 Sedalia Avenue in the

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western part of Cleveland. Klein stated that Perl did not live with him at this address and accordingly, he and Perl did not see each other regularly. However, he said they had visited one another at work.

From the Sedalia Avenue address Klein moved to 14408 Cranton Avenue in Cleveland, and resided with a family named Goldschmid. Klein said that while living at this address Perl had visited him on several occasions. In turn, Klein had visited Perl at his residence.

In the summer of 1949, Klein resided at 2021 Cornell Road in Cleveland. While there Klein recalled that Perl occasionally came over to visit him. On occasion they went out on double dates. He recalled that Perl, at that time, had dated a girl named Bregman. Klein said his date was a friend of Miss Bregman.

In the summer of 1950, Perl secured the apartment of one Sidney Harmon with Klein's assistance. Klein stated that he had been friendly with Sidney Harmon and explained that Harmon, Perl, and himself were handball enthusiasts and had played handball together regularly during 1950.

Klein recalled that in the summer of 1948, Perl had the use of Professor Von Karman's car, but believed that Perl had returned the car to Von Karman's sister before September, 1948. In about September of that year Klein recalled that Perl was anxious to buy a second-hand Studebaker automobile. He said that Perl had been checking the newspaper advertisements for sales of Studebakers.

Klein recalled that on one occasion about this time he accompanied Perl to look at a couple of Studebakers which had been advertised for sale. Klein recalled that they looked at one Studebaker for which the owner wanted \$1,100. Perl, however, was unwilling to pay more than \$1,000. Klein said he suggested to Perl that they take a look at the other car that had been advertised. Thereafter, they contacted a Mr. Rhodes, who lived in the neighborhood

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of 110th Street on the east side of Cleveland. Klein said that Rhodes was interested in selling his 1941 Studebaker and recalled that Rhodes and Perl finally agreed upon a price which was in the neighborhood of \$850. Klein recalled that Perl paid for this car and that he and Perl drove off in it. Shortly after, however, something happened to the automobile since the accelerator did not work properly.

Klein recalled that he telephoned Mr. Rhodes who subsequently drove out in a station wagon to pick them up. Klein recalled that he, Perl, and Mr. Rhodes had a bite to eat and then separated. He recalled that he took a bus to his residence which was then the Young Men's Christian Association in Cleveland, while Perl took another bus to his residence in Lakewood, Ohio.

Information Concerning Sidney Harmon

Klein recalled that when Sidney Harmon entered the University of Michigan in June, 1950 Perl secured Harmon's apartment which was located at 666 East 103rd Street, Cleveland, Ohio. Klein said he had worked with Harmon at NACA, both at Langley Field, Virginia, and at Cleveland, Ohio. He said he had known Harmon reasonably well, but could not recall ever having resided with him.

About 1943 to 1944 Klein said he had been a member of the Federation of Architects, Engineers, Chemists, and Technicians at Langley Field, Virginia, and had paid membership dues to Sidney Harmon. Klein described Harmon as an extreme liberal who was always talking about certain things in the United States that were wrong, and what one should do to rectify them. Klein said Harmon had mentioned on occasion that certain things were better in the Soviet Union. Klein said he could not recall Sidney Harmon ever being active in the Federation of Architects, Engineers, Chemists, and Technicians at Cleveland, Ohio, during the period 1948 to 1950.

Klein recalled that about July, 1950, shortly after the news of the arrest of Julius Rosenberg appeared in the newspapers, Perl remarked to him that the Federal

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Bureau of Investigation had interviewed him. Klein said Perl made a few remarks which he could not recall and that he had not questioned Perl any further concerning this matter. Klein recalled, however, that Sidney Harmon said that the Federal Bureau of Investigation was interested in William Perl because of Julius Rosenberg, a former classmate at the College of the City of New York.

Klein said he had not questioned Perl for an explanation since it did not mean anything to him and he did not know if it meant anything to Perl. Klein stated that Perl was very quiet about many things and was not the type of individual who would allow himself to be pressed for additional details.

Information Concerning Joel Barr

Milton Klein advised that he had known Joel Barr casually and had met him occasionally when they were attending the College of the City of New York. Klein said that during the period 1938 to 1940 he was in contact with Perl, who was then doing graduate work in electrical engineering. It was during this time that Klein and Perl saw Joel Barr, and while he could not recall all of the times that they had met, they had been together in the lunchroom at the College of the City of New York.

He recalled during the same period of time one evening when he and Perl visited Barr at Barr's home. Klein said that Barr, at that time, was interested in amateur radio work and was a ham operator. He believed that Barr was then residing in Brooklyn, New York. Klein stated that his impression was that William Perl was very friendly with Joel Barr. Klein recalled that during the period 1947-1948, he had met Perl, who was then taking courses at Columbia University. In the course of one of their conversations Klein recalled that reference was made to the fact that Perl was renting an apartment from Joel Barr. Perl told Klein that the apartment was located in downtown New York, but did not furnish Klein the address.

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April 13, 1956

Information Concerning William Danziger

Klein stated that he was acquainted with William Danziger at the College of the City of New York and said that Danziger had on occasion gone out socially with Perl and himself. Klein recalled that when he first went to Washington, D.C., in 1940, he saw Danziger once or perhaps twice. At that time Danziger was married and was living with his wife at some address unknown to Klein.

Klein recalled, however, that he visited Danziger and his wife at their home in Washington, D.C. Klein stated that he never kept in touch with Danziger and said that at no time did Danziger ever attempt to recruit him into the Communist Party. Klein stated, however, that Danziger had at one time mentioned that he was a Communist. Klein also stated that he knew Danziger to be a Communist at the time Danziger was a student at City College.

Information Concerning Philip Parzen

Klein stated that William Perl had associated at the College of the City of New York with one Philip Parzen. At the time of interview Klein stated that Parzen was then employed for a company in New Jersey associated with the International Telephone and Telegraph Company, working in their research laboratories. Klein estimated that Parzen was a fairly good friend of Perl. He said that he had seen Parzen at Young Communist League meetings during their student days at the College of the City of New York, but added that Parzen had never mentioned to him that he was a Communist.

Information Concerning Julius Rosenberg

Klein recalled that in July, 1950 William Perl mentioned to him that he had been interviewed by the Federal Bureau of Investigation. Perl also mentioned to him that the Federal Bureau of Investigation was interested in Julius Rosenberg. Klein said, however, that Perl made no mention of the fact that this was the Julius Rosenberg who had been their classmate at the College of the City of New York.

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Klein also recalled that Perl had mentioned the name Joel Barr in connection with the same interview with the Federal Bureau of Investigation. He recalled Perl saying that the Federal Bureau of Investigation was interested in the fact that he, Perl, had occupied Joel Barr's apartment. Klein said that Perl furnished him no other details concerning his interview with the Federal Bureau of Investigation Agents.

As noted above, the aforementioned interviews with Milton M. Klein took place during February and March, 1953.

On May 19, 1953, Milton Klein was called to testify for the government as a witness in the perjury trial of William Perl in the United States District Court, Southern District of New York. In part Klein testified that he had known William Perl from 1932 until 1950 both socially and as a friend. He also testified that he knew Morton Sobell and Julius Rosenberg, and that he attended two Young Communist League meetings at which Rosenberg, Sobell, and Perl were present.

Klein also testified that in July, 1950, in Cleveland, Ohio, he had a conversation with Perl who told him that the Federal Bureau of Investigation was following him because he was involved with Julius Rosenberg. It is noted that William Perl was convicted of perjury on two counts on May 22, 1953, and was sentenced to five years on each count on June 5, 1953, the sentences to run concurrently.

In March, 1951 Julius and Ethel Rosenberg, and Morton Sobell were convicted in Federal District Court, Southern District of New York, of conspiracy to commit espionage. The Rosenbergs were subsequently executed in Sing Sing Prison in June, 1953. Morton Sobell is presently incarcerated in Alcatraz Penitentiary serving a thirty-year sentence.

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MEMORANDUM RE: *William Perl*

Office File *65-15387* was

The following is the most recent place of employment, employment address, and residence address of the above subject as contained on the subject's Security Index Card.

Residence: *U.S. Penitentiary, Terre Haute, Indiana*

Employment: *Unemployed*

Address: *[Redacted]*
Key Facility (Yes) (No) Detcom (Yes) (No) Comsab (Yes) (No)
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Employment: *same*

Address: *[Redacted]*

Key Facility: (Yes) (No) Geographical Reference Number: *[Redacted]*

Tab Detcom and Comsab: (Yes) (No) Chief Clerk: *[Redacted]*

Method of Verification: *File Review, 5-12-61* Close Case on this.

Employment Source: *[Redacted]*

Date: *7-18-56*

Verified By: *M. J. Nicholas*

Residence: *[Redacted]*

Method of Verification: *same*

Neighborhood Source: *File Review, 5-12-61*

Date: *7-18-56*

Verified By: *M. J. Nicholas*

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TO : SAC, N.Y.

DATE: 9/25/56

FROM : [Redacted]

SUBJECT: William Perl
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Case should be opened in connection with Annual Report Program, S I a, N.Y.O.

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Last Report - same

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MEMORANDUM RE: *William Tiel*
Office File *65-15387*

1-17-57

The following is the most recent place of employment, employment address, and residence address of the above subject as contained on the subject's Security Index Card.

Residence: *U.S. Penitentiary, Terre Haute, Indiana*
Employment: *Unemployed*
Address:

Key Facility (Yes) (No) Detcom (Yes) (No) Comsab (Yes) (No)
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Employment: *U.S. Penitentiary, Terre Haute, Indiana*
Address: *Unemployed*

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Tab-Detcom and Comsab: (Yes) (No)
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Employment Source: *rel ser 1268*
Date: *12-13-56*
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Residence: *same as above, U.S. Penitentiary, Terre Haute, Ind.*
Method of Verification: *to be released 2/9/57*

Neighborhood Source: *12-13/56*
Date: *12-13/56*
Verified By: *rel ser. 1268*

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, NEW YORK (105-8948)

DATE: 3/18/57

FROM : SA JOSEPH E. MAHONEY

SUBJECT: ACADEMIC PRESS INC.

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On 3/18/57, Mr. KURT JACOBY, President, Academic Press Inc., 111 5th Ave., NYC was interviewed by the writer and SA PETER J. MCCORMACK, Jr. and advised that he was considering hiring Mr. WILLIAM PERL ~~XXXXX~~ as a copy reader for Academic Press Inc.

Mr. JACOBY further advised that he has learned that MR. PERL is presently on parole after having served a sentence for perjury. This sentence arose out of the ~~DR.~~ ROSENBERG trial, and he has heard that PERL testified that he was not acquainted with ROSENBERG, however it was subsequently proven that they were acquaintances while in College.

MR. JACOBY stated that he wanted to advise the FBI of the fact that he was considering hiring PERL, because of the nature of PERL's background. JACOBY also stated that if PERL is hired he will be a free lance copy reader in matters dealing in physics. JACOBY added that it is very difficult for them to get copy readers (technical) inasmuch as the pay is quite low, however he believes that PERL is interested in this position, even though he has a PHD in Physics, because he probably is having difficulty ~~xx~~ obtaining employment because of his connection with the ROSENBERG case. JACOBY said that his firm does not handle any restricted or confidential government materials, so PERL in no way would have access to anything that would be detrimental to the best interests of the U.S.

Mr. JACOBY said that the recent issue of The American Physical Society gives PERL's address as Box # PMB 10325, Terre Haute, Indiana, however PERL gave the following as his present N.Y. address: 7 West 92nd. Street, NYC. Telephone # AC 2-7016.

cc: Wm. Perl (65-15387) ✓

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MEMORANDUM RE: WILLIAM PERL

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The following is the most recent place of employment, employment address, and residence address of the above subject as contained on the subject's Security Index Card.

Residence: Apt. 79, 7 West 92nd St., N.Y.C.

Employment: Wildman Co., Inc, Branch Office

Address: 583 Hudson Street, N.Y.C.

Key Facility Yes No Detcom Yes No
 Yes No Photo Yes No

It is requested that the place of employment, address of employment, residence address of the subject, as well as the accuracy of the priority tabbing, be verified and the proper notations be made below. The absence of a photograph and posting of [redacted] should be noted and efforts made to secure a photograph and determine the existence of a criminal record. b7E

A physical description based on personal observation of the subject appears in serial

Residence: VANCOUVER HOTEL, 314 WEST 94TH ST. N.Y., N.Y. Room 333

Method of Verification: FRED SIEMER, MGR, VANCOUVER HOTEL

Neighborhood Source: FRED SIEMER

Date: 6-4-57

Verified by SA: NORMAN E. BLISS

Employment: WALDMAN CO., INC. BRANCH OFFICE

Address: 583 HUDSON ST., N.Y.C.

Key Facility: Yes No Date Checked: Geographical Reference Number:

Tab Detcom: Yes No

Method of Verification: [redacted]
Employment Source: MARTIN WACHTEL, Personnel Office, WALDMAN CO., INC., 4001 29TH ST., N.Y.C., N.Y.

Date: 6-4-57

Verified by SA: NORMAN E. BLISS

FD-122 should be submitted to Bureau: Yes No

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INFORMATION CONCERNING
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(FNU) PEARL

Re SI letter to Bureau, dated 3/26/57, captioned
FREDERICK SEITZ, Internal Security - R.

FREDERICK SEITZ, Professor Physics, and Technical Director, Control System Laboratory, University of Illinois, Urbana, on 4/1/57, contacted the Urbana Resident Agency, of the Springfield Division and volunteered the following information stating that he desired to furnish it to the Bureau for whatever value it might have.

SEITZ advised that he is the co-editor of Professional Scientific books which are published by the Academic Press, publishing firm of New York City, which organization has been in business in this country since before World War II. SEITZ advised that prior to the 1930's, it was one of the two large technical publishing firms in Germany and known as the Akademische Verlag, located at Leipzig, Germany and owned by Jewish people. He stated that due to the rise to power of HITLER, this organization abandoned its operation in Germany during the period 1933 to 1938, and established itself in this country and is now conducting a large scale publishing business in specialized high level technical works. SEITZ advised that all the owners of the firm are presently citizens of the United States to his knowledge and that the only one he knows by name is one KURT JACOBY, who came to this country approximately in 1940. SEITZ advised that to his knowledge this publishing firm does not publish any classified publications nor do they anticipate entering into the publication of classified material.

SEITZ advised that in mid-March, while visiting the publishing firm in New York City, on March 13, 1957, for the purpose of discussing the preparation of another volume in the series being edited by him, members of the Academic Press requested his advice. SEITZ advised that these individuals advised him that they had been approached by an unidentified

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individuals in the New York City area, inquiring if they would employ as a technical manuscript reader one (FNU) PERL, who reportedly had served a prison term in connection with the ROSENBERG Espionage prosecutions. SEITZ advised that it was related to him that PERL had known the ROSENBERGS while he was a student in the New York City area, but in connection with the prosecution of the ROSENBERGS, had refused to testify. As a result of this refusal, PERL served a prison sentence and is presently on parole, in connection with this matter. SEITZ advised that PERL was described as being a physicist with considerable experience. He stated that it is difficult to obtain the service of a scientist with technical knowledge who is willing to do the routine work of reading manuscripts. SEITZ advised that the representatives of the Academic Press asked for his advice in view of the fact that he has been in the past connected with research on classified material and the fact that the Academic Press did not desire to become involved in anything that would interfere with their publishing business. SEITZ advised that it was stated to him that the manuscripts PERL would be assigned to were not to be of a classified nature and that in fact the Academic Press does not work on any classified publications. He stated that the representatives of the Academic Press did not identify the individual who approached them with the proposition that PERL would be available for such employment.

SEITZ stated that in principle, he advised the Academic Press that inasmuch as they were not working on classified matters, he could see no objection to their hiring PERL but he suggested that before taking any such action, they should contact PERL's parole board or parole officer.

SEITZ advised that no further information concerning this incident was given to him and that he desired to furnish it to the FBI, inasmuch as he did not know what significance if any, this incident might have.

Files of the SI Division contain no information concerning any person by the name PERL other than information concerning a WILLIAM MUTTER PERL, also known as WILLIAM PERL, who is possibly identical with the individual referred to by Professor SEITZ and who, according to the SI files, was involved in the espionage investigation concerning MORTON SOBELL.

The above information is furnished to the Bureau for its information in this case. No further action is being taken by the SI Division. CLOSED

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TO : SAC

DATE 9/13/57

FROM : SA JOHN M. DOWNEY

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SUBJECT: WILLIAM PEARL - Information Concerning

On 9/6/57 MR. L.I. WALDMAN, owner LI WALDMAN Inc 40-01 29th STREET, L. I. City, phone EX 2-5650 advised that several months ago Agent Blair (PH) questioned other employees about William Pearl of 7 W 92nd St, NYC who is employed as an Electrical Engineer for WALDMAN Inc.

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WALDMAN advised that he wished to discuss this matter with an Agent, as he was out of town the day Agent called on his firm. WALDMAN did not learn of Agent calling at this firm until recently. He said further he did not know why subject was being checked but had the feeling that it may have been related to internal security.

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Phoned Waldman 9/10/57
And made arrangements to see him 9/12/57 3:00 PM
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MEMORANDUM RE: William PERL

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The following is most recent place of employment, employment address, and residence address of the above subject as contained on the subject's Security Index Card.

Residence: Room 333 Vancouver Hotel, 314 West 94th St. N.Y.C.
Employment: Waldman Company, Incorporated, Branch Office
Address: 583 Hudson Street, N.Y.C.

Key Facility Yes No Detcom Yes No
 Yes No Photo Yes No

It is requested that the place of employment, address of employment, residence address of the subject, as well as the accuracy of the priority tabbing, be verified and the proper notations be made below. The absence of a photograph and posting of a [redacted] should be noted and efforts made to secure a photograph and determine the existence of a criminal record.

A physical description based on personal observation of the subject appears in serial [redacted]

Residence: VANCOUVER HOTEL 314 WEST 94TH ST, N.Y.C.
Method of Verification: FRED SIEMER, MGR., VANCOUVER HOTEL.
Neighborhood Source: " " " "
Date: 11/6/57
Verified by SA: NORMAN E. BLISS

Employment: WALDMAN CO, INC. Branch office - 583 Hudson St. N.Y.C.
Address: 583 Hudson St. N.Y.C.
Key Facility: Yes No Date Checked: _____ Geographical Reference Number: _____

Tab Detcom: Yes No
Method of Verification: _____
Employment Source: WALDMAN CO, INC. Branch office - 583 Hudson St. N.Y.C.
Date: 11/6/57
Verified by SA: _____

FD-122 should be submitted to Bureau: Yes No

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MEMORANDUM RE:

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The following is the most recent place of employment, employment address, and residence address of the above subject as contained on the subject's Security Index Card.

Residence: Apt. 73, 7 West 92nd St., N.Y., N.Y.
Employment: New York University Laboratory, Bldg. F, Goldwater Hosp., Welfare Island, N.Y.
Address: "F", Goldwater Hosp., Welfare Island, N.Y.

Key Facility Yes No
Detcom Yes No
Photo Yes No

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A physical description based on personal observation of the subject appears in serial [redacted]

Residence: Apt 73 7 West 92 St. DATE: [redacted]
Method of Verification: interview of supt. AT 7w 92 st
Neighborhood Source: OTTO ENGELMAN supt. 7 w 92 st.
Date: 4-3-58
Verified by SA: NORMAN E. BLISS
Employment: NYU LABORATORY, BLDG "F", Goldwater Hosp, Welfare Island, N.Y.
Address: [redacted]
Key Facility: Yes No Date Checked: Geographical Reference Number:

Tab Detcom: Yes No
Method of Verification:
Employment Source: DR. J. MURRAY STALE - Director -
Date: 3-8-58 NYU LAB, Welfare Island N.Y.
Verified by SA: NORMAN E. BLISS

FD-122 should be submitted to Bureau: Yes No

FILE STRIPPED BY MA ON 8-13-71

File Reviewed
 Subject Meets SI Criteria
 Does Not Meet SI Criteria
Agents Initials: h-b + B.
Date: 5-16-58

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SUBJECT WILLIAM PERL

FILE NO. 65-15387

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File No: 65-15387 Re: WILLIAM PERLDate: 1/78
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Serial	Date	Description (Type of communication, to, from)	No. of Pages		Exemptions used or, to whom referred (Identify statute if (b)(3) cited)
			Actual	Released	
1301	4/14/58	NY letter to HQ	1	-	HQ 65-59312
1302	4/17/58	NY letter to HQ	1	-	HQ 65-59312
1303	4/14/58	NY letter to HQ	1	-	HQ 65-59312
1304	4/28/58	BA letter to NY	1	1	
1305	5/22/58	NY Report to HQ	3	-	HQ 65-59312
1306	5/22/58	Informant reliability LHM	1	-	HQ 65-59312
1307	5/22/58	NY letter to HQ	3	-	HQ 65-59312
1308	8/15/58	FD-154 Security Index Form	1	1	
1309	1/29/59	Security Index Form FD-122	1	-	HQ 65-59312
1310	1/29/59	NY letter copy of above	1	-	HQ 65-59312
1311	2/18/59	FD 154 Security Index Form	1	1	
1312	9/19/59	FD-122 Security Index	1	-	HQ 65-59312

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1313	3/30/59	SA memo to SAC, NY	1	1	
1314	3/19/59	Copy of serial 1312	1	-	HQ 65-59312
1315	6/24/59	NY Report to HQ	6	-	HQ 65-59312
1316	8/3/59	FO154 Security Index Form	1	1	
1317	9/10/59	NY letter to WFO	1	1	
1318	8/25/59	SA memo to SAC	1	1	
1319	7/31/59	captioned Grigori A. Tokaev Legat, London letter to HQ	1	1	
1320	8/11/59	captioned Grigori Aleksandrovich Tokaev HQ letter to Legat London	1	1	
1321	12/10/59	FO154 Security Index Form	1	1	
1322	4/25/60	SA memo to SAC, NY	1	1	
1323	6/17/60	NY Report to HQ	5	-	HQ 65-59312
1324	7/15/60	FO154 Security Index Form	1	1	

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Serial	Date	Description (Type of communication, to, from)	No. of Pages		Exemptions used or, to whom referred (Identify statute if (b)(3) cited)
			Actual	Released	
1325	1/27/61	FD 154 Security Index Form	1	1	
1326	6/5/61	SA memo to SAC, NY	1	1	
1327	1/18/61	SA memo to SAC, NY	1	+	Referral
1328	7/20/61	NY letter to HQ	1	-	HQ 65-59312
1329	8/28/61	FD 154 Security Index Form	1	1	
1330	8/31/61	NY letter to HQ	2	-	HQ 65-59312
1331	10/5/61	NY Report to HQ	9	-	HQ 65-59312
1332	9/20/61	NH letter to HQ	3	-	HQ 65-59312
1333	11/15/61	NH letter to HQ	1	-	HQ 65-59312
1334	11/21/61	NY letter to HQ	1	-	HQ 65-59312
1335	12/14/61	FD-154 Security Index Form	1	1	
1336	2/21/62	NY letter to HQ	2	-	HQ 65-59312

File No: 65-15384Re: WILLIAM PERLDate: 1/78
(month/year)

Serial	Date	Description (Type of communication, to, from)	No. of Pages		Exemptions used or, to whom referred (Identify statute if (b)(3) cited)
			Actual	Released	
1337	2/26/62	NY letter to records source	2	2	
1338	3/26/62	FD-122 Sec Index Form	1	-	HQ 65-59312
1339	3/26/62	Copy of above	1	-	HQ 65-59312
1340	4/19/62	NY letter to HQ	2	-	HQ 65-59312
1341	6/1/62	WFO letter to HQ	2	-	HQ 65-59312
1342	6/4/62	SA memo to SAC, NY	14	-	Referral
1343	6/8/62	NY letter to BH	1	1	
1344	6/12/62	NY letter to HQ	4	-	HQ 65-59312
1345	7/16/62	FD-154 Security Index Form	1	1	
1346	7/12/62	SA memo to SAC, NY	2	2	
1346a		Insert to below let	1	1	
1347	1/20/62	MO letter to NY	1	1	

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(month/year)

Serial	Date	Description (Type of communication, to, from)	No. of Pages		Exemptions used or, to whom referred (Identify statute if (b)(3) cited)
			Actual	Released	
1348	7/27/62	BH letter to NY	1	1	
1349	5/5/64	NY LHM	2	-	HQ 65-59312
1349A	7/25/62	NY letter to HQ	1	-	HQ 65-59312
1350	8/8/62	NY letter to BH	1	1	
1351	8/17/62	SA memo to SAC, NY	1	1	
1352	10/31/62	NY Report to HQ	9	-	HQ 65-59312
1353	10/24/62	FD-154 Security Index Form	1	1	
1354	11/15/62	FD-122 Sec Index Form	1	-	HQ 65-59312
1355	11/15/62	Copy of above	1	-	HQ 65-59312
1356	5/3/63	FD-154 Security Index Form	1	1	
1357	10/30/63	FD-154 Security Index Form	1	1	
1358	12/9/63	SA memo to SAC, NY	1	1	

File No: 65-15389Re: WILLIAM PERLDate: 1/78
(month/year)

Serial	Date	Description (Type of communication, to, from)	No. of Pages		Exemptions used or, to whom referred (Identify statute if (b)(3) cited)
			Actual	Released	
1359	1/20/64	NY Report to HQ	6	-	HQ 65-59312
1360	4/22/64	SA memo to SAC, NY	1	1	
1361	6/1/64	SA memo to SAC, NY	1	1	
1362	8/4/64	FD-154 - Security Index Form	1	1	
1363	9/15/64	memo to ^{Bulky} Exhibits	1	1	
1364	1/7/65	FD-154 Security Index Form	1	1	
1365	1/15/65	SA memo to SAC, NY	1	1	
1366	2/18/65	NY Report to HQ	6	-	HQ 65-59312
1367	7/30/65	FD-154 Security Index Form	1	1	
1368	9/30/65	SA memo to SAC, NY	1	1	
1369	11/24/65	SA memo to SAC, NY	1	1	
1370	12/16/65	captioned "Igor Andreev" SA memo to SAC, NY	1	1	

File No: 65-15387

Re: WILLIAM PERL

Date: 1/78
(month/year)

Serial	Date	Description (Type of communication, to, from)	No. of Pages		Exemptions used or, to whom referred (Identify statute if (b)(3) cited)
			Actual	Released	
1371	12/14/65	captioned "Julius Rosenberg" NY letter to HQ	15	-	See BU file 65-58236
1372	12/20/65	SA memo to SAC, NY	1	1	
1373	2/3/66	SA memo to SAC, NY	1	1	
1374	3/3/66	NY letter to HQ	3	-	HQ 65-59312
1375	3/7/66	FD-154 Security Index Form	1	1	
1376	7/29/66	FD-154 Security Index Form	1	1	
1377	9/8/66	SA memo to SAC, NY	1	1	
1378	2/8/67	FD-154 Security Index Form	1	1	
1379	2/16/67	SA memo to SAC, NY	1	1	
1380	3/8/67	NY letter to HQ	2	-	HQ 65-59312
1381	8/9/67	FD-154 Security Index Form	1	1	
1382	9/25/67	Change of address	1	-	HQ 65-59312

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Bureau File Number **65-59312**

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Travel Summary

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TO: SAC, Baltimore

Date: 5-18-58

FROM: SAC, ~~NEW YORK~~ ^{Waco} ~~NEW YORK~~ ^{Baltimore} 4/28/58

Furnish data on items checked below to the NEW YORK Office.

File No. NY 65-15387

- A. Latest Employment.
- B. Background Data.
- C. Complete Employment From _____ year.

1. Type of Information	2. Available Information	3. Corrections & Additions
1. Account Number	090-32-7600	
2. Name	William Perl	
3. Date of Birth		
4. Place of Birth		
5. Father's Name		
6. Mother's Maiden Name		
7. Race		
8. Names & Addresses of most recent employer(s)	11-1823830 4/59 55-6144 P-498 J. J. Waldman & Co. Inc. Wm Leibfried Co. Joint Venture 40-01 29th St. P. O. 1, 70-4	
9. Address & Date on Form SS-5	65-15387-1304 b Blue	
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VERIFICATION OF INFORMATION ON SECURITY INDEX CARD

Yes, date 9/21/58

MEMORANDUM RE:

William T. ...

Office File

65-15387

The following is the most recent place of employment, employment address, and residence address of the above subject as contained on the subject's Security Index Card.

Residence: Apt 7B 7 West 93rd St. New York, N.Y.

Employment: New York University, Laboratory, 4 Bldg.

Address: Goldwater Hospital, Welfare Island, N.Y.

Key Facility [] Yes [x] No Detcom [] Yes [x] No Photo [x] Yes [] No

It is requested that the place of employment, address of employment, residence address of the subject, as well as the accuracy of the priority tabbing, be verified and the proper notations be made below. The absence of a photograph and posting of [redacted] should be noted and efforts made to secure a photograph and determine the existence of a criminal record.

A physical description based on personal observation of the subject appears in serial

Residence: 12 West 84th St., NYC - (Apt. is 3rd floor) Method of Verification: Interview of FRANK ROCCO, Supt., 12 West 84th St. Neighborhood Source: FRANK ROCCO (See Above) Date: 9/2/58 Verified by SA: Norman E. Bliss

Chief Clerk: Reopen Case 65 Origin New

8-15-58

Employment: NYU Laboratory, Building "F", Goldwater Hospital, Address: Welfare Island, N.Y. Key Facility: [] Yes [x] No Date Checked: Geographical Reference Number:

Tab Detcom: [] Yes [x] No Method of Verification:

Employment Source: Dr. J. MURRAY STODOLSKY, Director, NYU Lab., Welfare Island, N.Y. Date: 9/23/58 Verified by SA:

FD-122 should be submitted to Bureau: [x] Yes [] No

File Reviewed

[x] Subject Meets SI Criteria [] Does Not Meet SI Criteria

Agents Initials: N.E.B.

Date: 9-24-58

Chief Clerk: Close Case on this

9/24/58

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VERIFICATION OF INFORMATION ON SECURITY INDEX CARD

MEMORANDUM RE: WILLIAM PERL
Office File 65-15387

The following is the most recent place of employment, employment address, and residence address of the above subject as contained on the subject's Security Index Card.

Residence: 3 Floor Rear, 12 West 84 Street, New York, New York

Employment: New York University Laboratory, Building F
Address: Goldwater Hospital, Welfare Island, New York

Key Facility Yes No Detcom Yes No
 Yes No Photo Yes No

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It is requested that the place of employment, address of employment, residence address of the subject, as well as the accuracy of the priority tabbing, be verified and the proper notations be made below. The absence of a photograph and posting of a [redacted] should be noted and efforts made to secure a photograph and determine the existence of a criminal record.

A physical description based on personal observation of the subject appears in serial

Residence: 223 E 82 ST, New York, N.Y. (APT c-2) 2/18/59
Method of Verification: interview of supt. AT 202 [redacted] 12 W 94th ST.
Neighborhood Source: Frank Rocco - supt., 12 W 84th ST.
Date: 3-18-59
Verified by SA: Frederick C. BAUCKHAM.
Employment: New York University, LAB. Bldg. F, Goldwater
Address: Hospital, WELFARE Island, N.Y.
Key Facility: Yes No Date Checked: Geographical Reference Number:

Tab Detcom: Yes No
Method of Verification: [redacted] Goldwater Hospital - Welf. Island
Employment Source: 67E [redacted]
Date: 3-18-59
Verified by SA: Norman E. BLISS
FD-122 should be submitted to Bureau: Yes No
File Reviewed: _____
 Subject Meets SI Criteria
 Does Not Meet SI Criteria
Agents Initials: N.E.B.
Date: 3-18-59

Chief Clerk: 3/18/59
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Chief Clerk: Close Case on this 3/18/59
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TO : SAC, NEW YORK

DATE: 3/30/59

FROM : SA FRANCIS W. MANGLE (65-15387)

SUBJECT: William PERL aka

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~~SM - C~~

Subject on S.I. Last report dated 5/22/58.
Case should be reopened for submission of annual investigative re-
port.

4/1/59

Chief Clerk: 65-15387
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Origin New York

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MEMORANDUM RE: WILLIAM PERL, aka
65-15387
Office File

The following is the most recent place of employment, employment address, and residence address of the above subject as contained on the subject's Security Index Card.

Residence: 223 East 82nd Street, New York, New York

Employment: New York University Laboratory, Building F
Goldwater Hospital, Welfare Island, New York

Key Facility Yes No Detcom Yes No
 Yes No Photo Yes No

It is requested that the place of employment, address of employment, residence address of the subject, as well as the accuracy of the priority tabbing, be verified and the proper notations be made below. The absence of a photograph and posting of a [redacted] should be noted and efforts made to secure a photograph and determine the existence of a criminal record.

A physical description based on personal observation of the subject appears in serial

Residence: 223 E 82 ST N.Y.C.
Method of Verification: INTVIEW SUPT. PER ER
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Neighborhood Source:
Date: AUG. 3, 1959
Verified by SA: NORMAN E. BLISS

Employment: Goldwater Mem. Hosp. - Bld. F
Address: (N.Y.U. Laboratory)
Key Facility: Yes No Date Checked: Geographical Reference Number:

Tab Detcom: Yes No
Method of Verification: [redacted] 8/7/59

Employment Source: b7E
Date: 8/7/59
Verified by SA: NORMAN E. BLISS

FD-122 should be submitted to Bureau: Yes No

File Reviewed _____
 Subject Meets SI Criteria
 Does Not Meet SI Criteria

Agents Initials: N. E. B.
Date: 8/7/59

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DATE 8/7/59
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Chief Clerk: 65-15387-1316
Reopen Case
Origin: New York
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Chief Clerk: 8/10/59
Close Case on this

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SAC, WASHINGTON FIELD (65-5543)

9/10/59

SAC, NEW YORK (65-15387)

WILLIAM PERL aka
ESP-R; PERJURY

Re your routing slip, 8/31/59.

Subject should be maintained on passport stop list
by WFO.

He is a highly capable physicist and aeronautical
designer. His past connection with the Rosenberg group,
as well as his scientific training and experience, makes it
necessary that the FBI be alerted as to any plans by subject
to leave the country.

2-Washington Field (65-5543) (RM)
1-New York (65-15387)

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65-15387-1317

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Director, FBI (100-360455)

DATE: July 31, 1959

FROM : Legat, London (100-345)

SUBJECT: ENGINEER LIEUTENANT-COLONEL
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Legal Attache, London (100-345)

August 11, 1959

Director, FBI (100-360455)

ENGINEER LIEUTENANT-COLONEL
GRIGORI ALEKSANDROVICH TCKAEV
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VERIFICATION OF INFORMATION ON SECURITY INDEX CARD

MEMORANDUM RE: WILLIAM PERL

Office File 65-15387 *Exp-R*

The following is the most recent place of employment, employment address, and residence address of the above subject as contained on the subject's Security Index Card.

Residence: 223 East 82nd Street, New York, New York

Employment: New York University Laboratory, Building F. Goldwater Hospital,

Address: Welfare Island, New York

Key Facility *b7E* Yes No Detcom Yes No
 Yes No Photo Yes No

It is requested that the place of employment, address of employment, residence address of the subject, as well as the accuracy of the priority tabbing, be verified and the proper notations be made below. The absence of a photograph and posting of a [redacted] should be noted and efforts made to secure a photograph and determine the existence of a criminal record.

A physical description based on personal observation of the subject appears in serial [redacted]

Residence: 223 E 82 ST, N.Y., N.Y.

Method of Verification: Nbd investigation

Neighborhood Source: [redacted] *b7D*

Date: 1/13/60

Verified by SA: [redacted] *b7C*

Employment: (LAB *MAN*) Building F - (N.Y.U. Lab.) Goldwater Hospital, Welfare Island.

Address: Key Facility: Yes No Date Checked: Geographical Reference Number:

Tab Detcom: Yes No *b7E*

Method of Verification: [redacted] *b7E Goldwater*

Employment Source: [redacted]

Date: 1/14/60 Hospital

Verified by SA: [redacted] *b7C*

FD-122 should be submitted to Bureau: Yes No

File Reviewed

Subject Meets SI Criteria
 Does Not Meet SI Criteria

Agents Initials *n.e.B*

Date 1-14-60

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TO : SAC, NEW YORK

DATE: 4/25/60

FROM : SA [REDACTED] ^{b7c} (65-15387)

SUBJECT: WILLIAM PERL, aka

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subject on SI. Last report dated 6/24/59.
Annual investigative report should be prepared and submitted.

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VERIFICATION OF INFORMATION ON SECURITY INDEX CARD

MEMORANDUM RE: William Perl

Office File 65-15387

The following is the most recent place of employment, employment address, and residence address of the above subject as contained on the subject's Security Index Card.

Residence: 223 E. 82nd St., NY, NY

Employment: New York University Laborator, Building F

Address: Goldwater Hospital, Welfare Island, NY

NOTE
SI UNIT
DATE 8/25/60

Key Facility Yes No Detcom Yes No
 Yes No Photo Yes No

It is requested that the place of employment, address of employment, residence address of the subject, as well as the accuracy of the priority tabbing, be verified and the proper notations be made below. The absence of a photograph and posting of a [redacted] should be noted and efforts made to secure a photograph and determine the existence of a criminal record.

A physical description based on personal observation of the subject appears in serial

Residence: 223 E. 82nd St - NYC
Method of Verification: Neighbor hood source
Neighborhood Source: [redacted]
Date: 8/25/60
Verified by SA: b7C [redacted]

Employment: NYU LABORATORY, GOLDWATER Memorial Hosp.
Address: WELFARE ISLAND, NY
Key Facility: Yes No Date Checked: Geographical Reference Number: [redacted]

Tab Detcom: Yes No
Method of Verification: [redacted]
Employment Source: RESEARCH LAB, Goldwater Mem.
Date: 8/27/60
Verified by SA: [redacted] b7C

FD-122 should be submitted to Bureau: Yes No

File Reviewed 8/24/60

Subject Meets SI Criteria
 Does Not Meet SI Criteria

Agents Initials [redacted]

Date 8/25/60

OPEN (OR OPEN) CASE 65-15387
ORIGIN DATE 7/14/60
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VERIFICATION OF INFORMATION ON SECURITY INDEX CARD

MEMORANDUM RE:

WILLIAM PERL

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ESP-R

The following is the most recent place of employment, employment address, and residence address of the above subject as contained on the subject's Security Index Card.

Residence: 223 E 82 St. NY, NY

Employment: New York University, Laboratory Building F
Address: Goldwater Hospital, Welfare Island, NY

Key Facility Yes No Detcom Yes No
 Yes No Photo Yes No

It is requested that the place of employment, address of employment, residence address of the subject, as well as the accuracy of the priority tabbing, be verified and the proper notations be made below. The absence of a photograph and posting of a [redacted] should be noted and efforts made to secure a photograph and determine the existence of a criminal record.

A physical description based on personal observation of the subject appears in serial

Residence: Same
Method of Verification: personal call at residence
Neighborhood Source: super-agent did not identify
Date: 3-1-61
Verified by SA: [redacted] b7C

OPEN (OR REOPEN) CASE
ORIGIN N.Y. DATE 1-25-
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DATE 3/8/61

Employment: Same
Address: _____
Key Facility: Yes No Date Checked: _____
Geographical Reference Number: _____

Tab Detcom: Yes No
Method of Verification: _____

Employment Source: [redacted] b7E
Date: 2-28-61
Verified by SA: [redacted] b7C

FD-122 should be submitted to Bureau: Yes No

File Reviewed 3-1-61

Subject Meets SI Criteria
 Does Not Meet SI Criteria

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Date 3-6-61

Chief Clerk: 3/6/61
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TO : SAC, New York

DATE: 6/5/61

FROM : SA [REDACTED] b7C

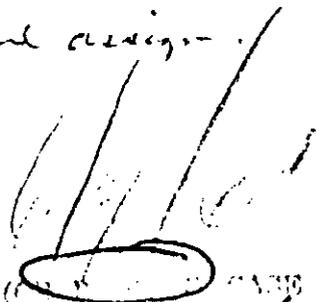
SUBJECT: WILLIAM PERL aka

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Subject on SI. Last report dated 6/17/60

Annual investigation report should also be prepared and submitted.

Reopen and assign.



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VERIFICATION OF INFORMATION ON SECURITY INDEX CARD

MEMORANDUM RE: WILLIAM PERL

Office File 100x 65-15387

The following is the most recent place of employment, employment address, and residence address of the above subject as contained on the subject's Security Index Card.

Residence: 223 E 82 St. NY, NY

Employment: NYU Laboratory, Building, F.

Address: Goddwater Hospital, Welfare Island, NY

Key Facility [] Yes [x] No Detcom [] Yes [x] No [x] Yes [] No Photo [x] Yes [] No

It is requested that the place of employment, address of employment, residence address of the subject, as well as the accuracy of the priority tabbing, be verified and the proper notations be made below. The absence of a photograph and posting of a [redacted] should be noted and efforts made to secure a photograph and determine the existence of a criminal record.

A physical description based on personal observation of the subject appears in serial

Residence: Same

Method of Verification: [redacted]

Neighborhood Source: [redacted] b7D

Date: 8/18/61

Verified by SA: [redacted] b7C

Employment: Same

Address: [redacted]

Key Facility: [] Yes [x] No Date Checked: Geographical Reference Number:

Tab Detcom: [] Yes [x] No

Method of Verification: [redacted] 8/24/61

Employment Source: Same [redacted] b7E

Date: [redacted]

Verified by SA: [redacted] b7C

FD-122 should be submitted to Bureau: [] Yes [x] No

File Reviewed: 8/30/61

[x] Subject Meets SI Criteria [] Does Not Meet SI Criteria

Agents Initials: [redacted]

Date: 8/30/61

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DATE 9/8/61

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VERIFICATION OF INFORMATION ON SECURITY INDEX CARD

MEMORANDUM RE: WILLIAM PERL

Office File 65-15387

The following is the most recent place of employment, employment address, and residence address of the above subject as contained on the subject's Security Index Card.

Residence: 223 E 82 St. NY, NY

Employment: New York University Laboratory, Building F
Address: Goldwater Hospital, Welfare Island, NY

Key Facility Yes No Detcom Yes No
 Yes No Photo Yes No

It is requested that the place of employment, address of employment, residence address of the subject, as well as the accuracy of the priority tabbing, be verified and the proper notations be made below. The absence of a photograph and posting of [redacted] should be noted and efforts made to secure a photograph and determine the existence of a criminal record.

A physical description based on personal observation of the subject appears in [redacted] NOTED

Residence: 48-10 45th St. Woodside 77, NY
Method of Verification: [redacted]

SI UNIT
DATE 1/30/62

Neighborhood Source: [redacted] b7D
Date: 1/16/62
Verified by SA: [redacted] b7C

Employment: Same

Address: [redacted]
Key Facility: Yes No Date Checked: _____ Geographical Reference Number: _____

Tab Detcom: Yes No
Method of Verification: [redacted]

Employment Source: [redacted] b7E
Date: 1/29/62
Verified by SA: [redacted] b7C

FD-122 should be submitted to Bureau: Yes No

File Reviewed 1/15/62
 Subject Meets SI Criteria
 Does Not Meet SI Criteria

Agents Initials [redacted]
Date 1/29/62

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

201 East 69th Street
New York 21, New York
February 26, 1962

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[Redacted]

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RECORDS FURNISHED
BY EDWARD BRAUNE TO
JAMES M. ANDERSON

Dear [Redacted]

Regarding an official investigation being conducted
by this office, it is requested that you furnish all background
information which your files might contain concerning:

Telephone Number: *EM*
EN 1-0953

DO 41-10-1958 or 1957.

Name and Address: *Edith Perl, 48-10 45th St., Woodside 77, NY*

5th fl - apt 5F

Additional Listing: *none*

1960 - FEBB CONST. CORP

Bills To: *same*

Connected: *priv 59*

Disconnected:

Type of Service: *Res*

Employment: *Goldwater Hospital*

nu 8-3500 ext 331

Occupation: *Lab. Tech.*

Bank:

none

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Very truly yours,

H. G. Foster

H. G. FOSTER *45-15287-1237*
Special Agent in Charge

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Mrs Edith Perl
formerly Mrs E.
Ferberstein (changed
name took place 1959)

lived at same add.
apt # 4H - 4th fl. prior
to that held tel #.
LE 5-8617 at
519 E 78th St
N.Y.C.

SAC, BIRMINGHAM

4/2/62

SAC, NEW YORK (65-15387) (P)

WILLIAM PERL aka
ESPIONAGE-R
(OO: NEW YORK)

Captioned subject, WILLIAM PERL, born 10/1/19, NYC, was divorced from HENRIETTA SAVIDGE PERL, born 3/3/18, Indianapolis, Indiana, on either 7/5/57, or 7/15/57. Information available indicates they were divorced ~~in~~ Alabama.

If feasible, Birmingham and Mobile are requested to check for divorce of subject in Alabama on 7/5/57, or 7/15/57.

- 2 - Birmingham (RM)
- 2 - Mobile (RM)
- ① - New York (65-15387)

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VERIFICATION OF INFORMATION ON SECURITY INDEX CARD

MEMORANDUM RE: WILLIAM PERL

Office File ~~10~~ 65-15387

The following is the most recent place of employment, employment address, and residence address of the above subject as contained on the subject's Security Index Card.

Residence: 48-10 45 St. Woodside, Queens, NY

Employment: NYU Laboratory, Building F
Address: Goldwater Hospital, Welfare Island, NY

Key Facility ^{b7E} Yes No Detcom Yes No
 Yes No Photo Yes No

It is requested that the place of employment, address of employment, residence address of the subject, as well as the accuracy of the priority tabbing, be verified and the proper notations be made below. The absence of a photograph and posting of [redacted] should be noted and efforts made to secure a photograph and determine the existence of a criminal record.

A physical description based on personal observation of the subject appears in serial

NOTED
SI UNIT
DATE 7/13/62

Residence: Same
Method of Verification: [redacted] b7D

Neighborhood Source:
Date: 7/12/62
Verified by SA: SA [redacted] b7C

Employment: Same
Address:
Key Facility: Yes No Date Checked: Geographical Reference Number:

Tab Detcom: Yes No
Method of Verification: [redacted] b7E

Employment Source: [redacted]
Date: 7/12/62
Verified by SA: [redacted] b7C

FD-122 should be submitted to Bureau: Yes No

File Reviewed 7/12/62

Subject Meets SI Criteria
 Does Not Meet SI Criteria

Agents Initials: [initials]

Date: 7/12/62

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC New York (65-15387)

DATE: 7/12/62

FROM : SA [REDACTED] b7C

SUBJECT: William Perl, aka
Esp R

On 7/12/62 a frisk was conducted at 48-10 45th St., Woodside, Queens to determine if subject still resides at above address. Subject was not observed leaving the building. A check of the building directory still ~~listed~~ listed him as living in apartment 57. [REDACTED] b7D

[REDACTED] was contacted and he advised the Perls still reside in apartment 57 but he believed they were on vacation as he had not seen them for a week or two days. In addition he had received their rent check by mail and he exhibits an envelope addressed to him from W. Perl postmarked July 6, 1962 at Flushing, NY

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Memorial Hospital and it was ascertained that
Dr. Wm. Peil continues to be employed there
and he could be reached in his lab,
extension 330. (MV-8-3500 is Hospital number.)
It was not ascertained if Dr. Peil was
at the hospital in person on 7/12/62.

MO 65-185 :mrh

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The following investigation was conducted at Montgomery, Alabama, by SA [REDACTED] on June 28, 1962: b7c

[REDACTED] Bureau of Vital Statistics, advised that a check of her records from 1953 through 1960 inclusive, does not reveal any record of divorce for subject in Alabama during this period. [REDACTED] advised she checked various combinations of the subject's last name and the search was still negative. She further advised that if the subject had obtained a divorce in Alabama, her department would have a record of such divorce since each individual county reports all divorces to her particular office.

[REDACTED] Office of the Register in Chancery, Montgomery County Courthouse, advised on June 28, 1962, that her files do not reveal any name identifiable with subject or his wife as having obtained a divorce in Montgomery County from 1953 through 1961.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, NEW YORK (65-15387)

DATE: 7/20/62

FROM : SAC, MOBILE (65-185)(RUC)

SUBJECT: WILLIAM PERL, aka.
ESPIONAGE - R
(OO: NY)

Reference is made to New York letter to Birmingham dated 6/8/62.

Enclosed herewith for New York are eight copies of an insert reflecting investigation at Montgomery, Alabama, wherein it is reported that no divorce record for subject was located.

- ② - New York (Enc. 8)(RM)
- 1 - Mobile
- JTB:nme
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7 copies duplicate of file

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*Memorandum**ACJ*

SAC, NEW YORK (65-15387)

DATE: 7/27/62

FROM : SAC, BIRMINGHAM (65-1296) (RUC)

SUBJECT: WILLIAM PERL, aka
ESPIONAGE-R
OO: NEW YORK

Reurlet to Birmingham dated 6/8/62.

The following persons advised no record of divorce of
subject or wife could be found on 7/26/62:[REDACTED] Chancery Court of Jefferson County,
Birmingham, Alabama[REDACTED] Circuit Court of Jefferson County,
Bessemer, Alabama*B7c*Inasmuch as subject may have obtained a divorce in any
county in Alabama, New York should advise if an extended search of
court records in all counties this division is desired.2-New York (RM)
1-Birmingham
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SAC, BIRMINGHAM (65-1296)

8/8/62

SAC, NEW YORK (65-15387) (C)

WILLIAM PERL, aka
ESP-R
(OO: New York)

Reurlet 7/27/62.

By letter dated 7/20/62, the Mobile Office advised that the records of the Bureau of Vital Statistics, Montgomery had been checked, with negative results, from 1953-1960. The further advised all divorce records for state of Alabama maintained in this department. No further investigation by Birmingham required.

- 2 - Birmingham (65-1296) (RM)
- 1 - New York (65-15387)

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DATE: 5/17/62

TO : SAC, New York (65-15387)

FROM : SA [REDACTED] b7C

SUBJECT: WILLIAM PERL, aka.
ESP-R

Subject is on SI and last report was submitted 10/15/61. An annual report will be due.

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b7C [REDACTED]

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VERIFICATION OF INFORMATION ON SECURITY INDEX CARD

MEMORANDUM RE: WILLIAM PERL aka

Office File 65-15387

b7C NOTE
SI UNIT
DATE 10/31

The following is the most recent place of employment, employment address, and residence address of the above subject as contained on the subject's Security Index Card.

Residence: 48-10 45th Street, Woodside, Queens, New York
Employment: New York University Laboratory
Address: Building F, Goldwater Hospital, Welfare Island, New York
Labor Union Affiliation:

Residence: 10/18/62 (Same)
Method of Verification: b7D
Neighborhood Source: 48-10 45th St.
Date: 10/18/62
Verified by SA: b7C
Occupation: Chemist
Employment: Same
Address: Same
Product Manufactured or Service Rendered:

Employment Source: b7E
Date: 10/22/62
Verified by SA: b7C
FD-122 should be submitted to Bureau: Yes

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VERIFICATION OF INFORMATION ON SECURITY INDEX CARD

MEMORANDUM RE: PERL, WILLIAM aka

Office File 65-15387

The following is the most recent place of employment, employment address, and residence address of the above subject as contained on the subject's Security Index Card.

Residence: 48-10 45th Street, Woodside, Queens, New York

Employment: Bio-Chemical Research Work, New York University

Address: Laboratory, Building F, Goldwater Hospital Welfare Island, New York

Labor Union Affiliation:

Key Facility Yes No

Detcom Yes No
Photo Yes No

NOTED
SI UNIT
DATE 6/21/63

It is requested that the place of employment, address of employment, residence address of the subject, as well as the accuracy of the priority tabbing, be verified and the proper notations be made below. The absence of a photograph and posting of a [redacted] should be noted and efforts made to secure a photograph and determine the existence of a criminal record.

A physical description based on personal observation of the subject appears in serial

Residence: Same

Method of Verification: [redacted]

Neighborhood Source: [redacted]

Date: 6/11/63

Verified by SA: [redacted]

Employment: Same

Address: Same

Labor Union Affiliation

Key Facility: Yes No Date Checked: Geographical Reference Number:

Tab Detcom: Yes No

Method of Verification: [redacted] Goldwater Hosp, MU-8-35W

Employment Source: [redacted]
Date: 6/16/63

Verified by SA: [redacted]

FD-122 should be submitted to Bureau: Yes No

File Reviewed 6/19/63

Subject Meets SI Criteria
 Does Not Meet SI Criteria

Agents Initials: PMC

Date: 6/19/63

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VERIFICATION OF INFORMATION ON SECURITY INDEX CARDS

MEMORANDUM RE: WILLIAM PERL

Office File 65-15387 *ESP-R*

The following is the most recent place of employment, employment address, and residence address of the above subject as contained on the subject's Security Index Card.

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Residence: 48-10 45th Street, Woodside, Queens, New York
Employment: *mv. 4-3500 x-450* Bio Chemical Research Work, New York University
Address: Laboratory, Building F, Goldwater Hospital Welfare Island, New York
Labor Union Affiliation: QUEENS#108

Defense Facility: Yes No

Key Facility: Yes No

Detcom Yes No

Photo Yes No

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It is requested that the place of employment, address of employment, residence address of the subject, as well as the accuracy of the priority tabbing, be verified and the proper notations be made below. The absence of a photograph and posting of a [redacted] should be noted and efforts made to secure a photograph and determine the existence of a criminal record.

A physical description based on personal observation of the subject appears in serial

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Residence: *Same*

Method of Verification: *31-34 47 St. 158 6345*

Neighborhood Source: [redacted] *b7D*

Date: [redacted]
Verified by SA: [redacted] *b7C*

Employment: *Same*

Address:
Labor Union Affiliation:

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Key Facility: Yes No Date Checked Geographical Reference Number

Defense Facility: Yes No

Tab Detcom: Yes No

Method of Verification: [redacted] *b7E*

Employment Source: [redacted] *my*

Date: *11-27-63* *11-27-63* *William Island Jobs*

Verified by SA: [redacted] *b7C*

FD-122 should be submitted to Bureau: Yes No

File Reviewed *11-27-63*

Subject Meets SI Criteria

Does Not Meet SI Criteria

Agent's Initials: *PM*

Date: *11-27-63*

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TO : SAC, NEW YORK (65-15387)

DATE: 12/9/63

FROM : SUP. [REDACTED] #331 b7c

SUBJECT: WILLIAM PERL aka
ESP-R

This case is being reopened in compliance with O-1 form, which has been returned to the Bureau advising that a report will be submitted 12/31/63.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT
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TO : SAC, NEW YORK

DATE: 4/22/64

FROM : SUP. [REDACTED] ^{b7C}
#33

SUBJECT : WILLIAM PELL
ESP-12

Bureau teletype dated 4/13/64 instructed that a letterhead memorandum be disseminated to Secret Service on all Security Index cases. Captioned subject is listed on the Security Index by virtue of previous Espionage or Internal Security-R connections. Accordingly, a letterhead memorandum must be prepared on this subject.

The Agent to whom this matter is assigned will review the instructions of Supervisor [REDACTED] ^{b7C} dated 4/20/64, which is available on the Section 33 Supervisor's desk, and will thereafter conduct such file review and investigation as may be necessary and rough draft an appropriate letterhead memorandum.

Since this entire project must be completed within 30 days, each Agent should complete his assignment within 10 working days of the date of this memorandum.

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Memorandum

TO : SAC, NY (65-15387)

DATE: 6/1/64

FROM : SA [REDACTED] b7C

SUBJECT: WILLIAM PERL
ESP-R

Rememo of SA [REDACTED] b7C
11/22/64.

File review and submission of LHM as instructed in referenced memo has been completed and no further action is necessary, therefore it is recommended that this case be placed in a closed status.

*Close on this
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VERIFICATION OF INFORMATION ON SECURITY INDEX CARDS

MEMORANDUM RE: WILLIAM PERL

Office File 65-15387

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Residence: 48-10 45th Street, Woodside, Queens, New York

Employment: Bio-Chemical Research Work, New York University

Address: Laboratory, Building F, Goldwater Hospital Welfare Island, New York

Labor Union Affiliation: QUEENS#108

Defense Facility: Yes No

Key Facility: Yes No

Detcom Yes No

Photo Yes No

It is requested that the place of employment, address of employment, residence address of the subject, as well as the accuracy of the priority tabbing, be verified and the proper notations be made below. The absence of a photograph and posting of a [redacted] should be noted and efforts made to secure a photograph and determine the existence of a criminal record.

A physical description based on personal observation of the subject appears in serial

Residence: Same (apt 5F)

Method of Verification:

Neighborhood Source: [redacted] b7D

Date: 8/10/64

Verified by SA: [redacted] b7C

Employment: Same

Address:

Labor Union Affiliation:

Date Checked Geographical Reference Number

Key Facility: Yes No

Defense Facility: Yes No

Tab Detcom: Yes No

Method of Verification: [redacted] b7E

Employment Source: Goldwater Hospital Mo 83500

Date: 8/10/64

Verified by SA: [redacted] b7C

D-122 should be submitted to Bureau: Yes No

Reviewed

Subject Meets SI Criteria as Not Meet SI Criteria

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT
MEMORANDUM

FROM ~~TO~~ : SUPERVISOR 331 DATE 9-15-64
To FROM : BULKY EXHIBITS SECTION (FILE 65-15317)
SUBJECT: EXHIBITS MAINTAINED IN RED ROPE
FOLDERS IN BULKY EXHIBIT VAULT

The Bulky Exhibit Section has instituted a project to have above captioned exhibits thoroughly reviewed for disposal or retention.

Attached are first and last sections of file referring to exhibits in question. The first section contains the green sheets listing the exhibits.

Each supervisor receiving a copy of this memorandum is requested to have the pertinent exhibits reviewed and fill in the spaces listed below. This memorandum is to be returned to the Bulky Exhibit Section by 9-22-64.

completed 10/28/64 H.T.C.

EXHIBITS TO BE DESTROYED: Exhibit 1813 folder sheet as it has already been destroyed Exhibit 1813 18100 1848 y Exhibit 1813
Extra copies of exhibits destroyed + noted on green sheets

EXHIBITS TO BE RETAINED: Remainder

REASON FOR RETENTION: Info intelligence + evidence

EMPLOYEE REVIEWING EXHIBIT [redacted] 67C

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VERIFICATION OF INFORMATION ON SECURITY INDEX CARDS

MEMORANDUM RE: PERL, WILLIAM

Office File 65-15387

The following is the most recent place of employment, employment address, and residence address of the above subject as contained on the subject's Security Index Card.

Residence: 48-10 45th Street, Woodside, Queens, New York

Employment: BIO-Chemical Research work, New York, University Laboratory, Building F, Goldwater Hospital Welfare

Address: Island, New York

Labor Union Affiliation:

Defense Facility: Yes No

Key Facility: Yes No

Yes No

Detcom Yes No

Photo Yes No

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It is requested that the place of employment, address of employment, residence address of the subject, as well as the accuracy of the priority tabbing, be verified and the proper notations be made below. The absence of a photograph and posting of a [redacted] should be noted and efforts made to secure a photograph and determine the existence of a criminal record.

A physical description based on personal observation of the subject appears in serial

Residence: Same

Method of Verification: [redacted]

Neighborhood Source: b7D [redacted]

Date: 2-8-65

Verified by SA: b7C [redacted]

Employment: Same

Address: Same

Labor Union Affiliation:

Key Facility: Yes No Date Checked _____

Defense Facility: Yes No _____

Tab Detcom: Yes No _____

Method of Verification: [redacted] b7E Goldwater Hosp.

Employment Source: [redacted] b7C

Date: 2/9/65

Verified by SA: [redacted] b7C

FD-122 should be submitted to Bureau: Yes No

A letterhead memorandum should be submitted to the Bureau and Secret Service Yes No

File Reviewed 2/9/65

Subject Meets SI Criteria

Does not Meet SI Criteria

Agent's Initials [redacted]

Date 2/9/65

Geographical Reference Number
65-15387-1364

Handwritten notes and stamps on the SI card, including 'b7C', 'OPM', and 'JSA'.

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ROM # 331

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, New York (65-15357) DATE: 1/15/65

FROM : SA [REDACTED] b7C

SUBJECT: WILLIAM PERL aka
Esp - R

Subject is on SI and an annual report is due.

Case is Pending and assigned to [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] b7C

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[REDACTED] b7C
[REDACTED]

65-15357-1365

VERIFICATION OF INFORMATION ON SECURITY INDEX CARDS

MEMORANDUM RE: WILLIAM PERL

Office File 65-15387

The following is the most recent place of employment, employment address, and residence address of the above subject as contained on the subject's Security Index Card.

Residence: 48-10 45th Street, Woodside, Queens, New York

Employment: Bio-Chemical Research Work, New York University Laboratory, Address: Building F, Goldwater Hospital, Welfare Island, New York

Labor Union Affiliation:

Defense Facility [] Yes [x] No Detcom [] Yes [x] No Key Facility [] Yes [x] No Photo [] No [x] Yes; photograph on Security Index card - most current or best likeness of subject

It is requested that the place of employment, address of employment, residence address of the subject, as well as the accuracy of the priority tabbing, be verified and the proper notations be made below. The absence of a photograph and posting of a [redacted] should be noted and efforts made to secure a photograph and determine the existence of a criminal record.

A physical description based on personal observation of the subject appears in serial

Residence: Same Method of Verification: [redacted] b7D

Neighborhood Source: Date: 9/22/65 Verified by SA: [redacted] b7C

Employment: Address: Same Labor Union Affiliation: Date Checked Geographical Reference Number 13387-1367

Key Facility: [] Yes [] No Defense Facility: [] Yes [] No Tab Detcom: [] Yes [] No Method of Verification: [redacted] b7D Employment Source: Date: 11/24/65 Verified by SA: [redacted] b7C

FD-122 should be submitted to Bureau: [] Yes [x] No A letterhead memorandum should be submitted to the Bureau and Secret Service [] Yes [x] No

File Reviewed 10/24/65 [x] Subject Meets SI Criteria [] Does not Meet SI Criteria Agent's Initials [Signature] Date 11/24/65

RECEIVED ST-1137 DATE 11-30-65 [redacted] b7C FROM [redacted] 331 [redacted] [Signature]

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC (65-15387)

DATE: 9/30/65

FROM : SA [REDACTED] b7C

SUBJECT: WILLIAM PERL aka
ESP-R

on 9/22/65 [REDACTED] b7D

[REDACTED] advised Mr + Mrs William Perl reside apt 5F, [REDACTED] and are quiet and seemed to be nice people. She knew [REDACTED] about them.

[REDACTED] b7C
on 9/29/65 [REDACTED] advised that a check of NYU records reflected the only possibility of record for subject employed by NYU was on Hans W. Perl, 105 Grand St, apt 3R, NYC, first arrest at NYU, Tel 924-6891 employed since 6/21/65, Soc Sec # 102 4173, according to info furnished by [REDACTED]

This apparently is not identical with subject who has been employed at the NYU Laboratory, Goldwater Hospital, Welfare Dept for quite a few years. Efforts will be made to verify subject's employment there the Dept of Hospitals as the possibility exist he could be on the Hospital payroll.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC (65-15387)

DATE: 11-24-65

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: WILLIAM PERL aka

ESP-R

b7D

On 10/15/65 [REDACTED] Div. of Coll. Central Office Dept of Hospitals, 137 Convent St, 6th fl, NYC advised that subject was not on the city pay roll, past present, for Dept of Hospitals.
On 11-24-65 [REDACTED]

b7D [REDACTED] Goldwater Hospital, Welfare Island, NYC, advised that her records indicated that Dr. William Perl was a research fellow in the NYU laboratory at Goldwater Hospital but it was indicated he was not hospital employee or on the hospital staff. She could locate no records for Perl.

b7D [REDACTED] [REDACTED] discreetly contacted telephonically [REDACTED] in Dr. Steele's off (Director) at NYU Lab who advised her that subject was an employee of Lab and was paid by NYU.
b7C [REDACTED] A recheck will be made at NYU for further determination on his employment by NYU. In addition, case is being rechecked pending, pending further developments related to the Julius Rosenberg case.

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TO : SAC (105-30712)

DATE: 12-16-65

FROM : SA [REDACTED] b7C

SUBJECT: ICOR ANDREEV
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC (65-15387)

DATE: 12-20-65

FROM : SA [REDACTED] #331 ^{b7C}

SUBJECT: WILLIAM PERL
ESP-R

Previous efforts to check subject's employment at the NYU Laboratory at Goldwater Hospital on Welfare Island, through Section 12, was unsuccessful. The only PERL employed by NYU according to [REDACTED] b7D

[REDACTED] 9/29/65, to IC [REDACTED] was HANS W. PERL, 105 Bank Street, New York, Apartment 3R, who has been a research assistant at NYU since 6/21/65, (Social Security Number 102-30-4173), and this is not identical with the subject. On 12/9/65, [REDACTED] b7C

[REDACTED] at NYU was telephonically contacted with respect to this problem and he advised he would make a discreet and appropriate check on PERL's employment. b7D

On 12/10/65, [REDACTED] telephonically advised that WILLIAM PERL was employed by NYU and was on the NYU payroll. He stated that on 2/1/58, he was employed as a research fellow in Biophysics at the NYU Laboratory at Goldwater Hospital on Welfare Island and as such, was then considered a member of the faculty. On 3/1/65, he was reclassified as a research scientist (which takes him off the faculty) at \$12,000 a year. b7D

[REDACTED] advised that he obtained the foregoing information through [REDACTED] who obtained it from personnel records. b7D

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC New York (65-15387)

DATE: 2-3-66

FROM : SA [REDACTED] # 3767C

SUBJECT: William Peil
Esp - R

The last annual report in this case was dated 2/12/65. Accordingly, another one is due and this case should be reopened.

OPEN FOR MONTHS CASE 2/3/66
ORIGIN [REDACTED] DATE 2/3/66
SUPV. [REDACTED] SECT 2/3/66

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b7C [REDACTED] GRO



VERIFICATION OF INFORMATION ON SECURITY INDEX CARDS

MEMORANDUM RE: WILLIAM PERL

Office File 65-15387

The following is the most recent place of employment, employment address, and residence address of the above subject as contained on the subject's Security Index Card.

Residence: 48-10 45th Street, Woodside, Queens, New York

Employment: Bio-Chemical Research Work, New York University

Address: Laboratory, Building F., Goldwater Hospital
Welfare Island, New York

Labor Union Affiliation:

Defense Facility Yes No Detcom Yes No
Key Facility Yes No Photo No Yes; photograph on Security Index card is most current or best likeness of subject.

It is requested that the place of employment, address of employment, residence address of the subject, as well as the accuracy of the priority tabbing, be verified and the proper notations be made below. The absence of a photograph and posting of a [redacted] should be noted and efforts made to secure a photograph and determine the existence of a criminal record.

A physical description based on personal observation of the subject appears in serial

DATE OF ANNUAL 3/3/66

Residence: 4810 45th St Queens, NY

Method of Verification:

Neighborhood Source: b7D

Date: 12/10/65 [redacted] (nyu)

Verified by SA: [redacted] b7C

Employment:

Address: New York University Laboratory
Goldwater Hospital, Welfare Island, NY.

Labor Union Affiliation:

NOTED
SI UNIT
DATE 3-14-66
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Date Checked Geographical Reference Number

Key Facility: Yes No

Defense Facility: Yes No

Tab Detcom: Yes No

Method of Verification:

Employment Source: [redacted] b7D

Date: 12/10/65

Verified by SA: [redacted] b7C

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FD-122 should be submitted to Bureau: Yes No

A letterhead memorandum should be submitted to the Bureau and Secret Service Yes No

File Reviewed 3/3/66

Subject Meets SI Criteria

Does not Meet SI Criteria

Agent's Initials [Signature]

Date 3/3/66

VERIFICATION OF INFORMATION ON SECURITY INDEX CARDS

MEMORANDUM RE: WILLIAM PERL

Office File 65-15387

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Residence: 48-10 45th Street, Woodside, Queens, New York

Employment: Bio-Chemical Research Work, NY University Laboratory

Address: Building F, Goldwater Hospital, Welfare Island, NY

Labor Union Affiliation:

Defense Facility [] Yes [X] No Detcom [] Yes [X] No
Key Facility [] Yes [X] No Photo [X] Yes [] No

It is requested that the place of employment, address of employment, residence address of the subject, as well as the accuracy of the priority tabbing, be verified and the proper notations be made below. The absence of a photograph and posting of a [redacted] should be noted and efforts made to secure a photograph and determine the existence of a criminal record.

A physical description based on personal observation of the subject appears in serial _____

DATE OF ANNUAL 3-3-66

Residence: Same

Method of Verification:

Neighborhood Source: [redacted]

Date: 9/7/66

Verified by SA: [redacted]

Employment:

Address: Same

Labor Union Affiliation:

Date Checked

Geographical Reference Number

Key Facility [] Yes [] No

Defense Facility: [] Yes [] No

Tab Detcom: [] Yes [] No

Method of Verification:

Employment Source: [redacted]

Date: [redacted] 9/8/66

Verified by SA: [redacted]

Photograph on SI card is most current or best likeness of subject: [] Yes [] No

FD-129 should be submitted to Bureau: [] Yes [X] No

A letterhead memorandum should be submitted to the Bureau and Secret Service: [] Yes [] No

File Reviewed 9/8/66

[X] Subject Meets SI Criteria

[] Does not Meet SI Criteria

Agent's Initials [initials]

Date 9/8/66

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[redacted] b7C

[redacted] b7C

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OPEN [redacted] 7/28/66
ORIGIN [redacted]
SUPV [redacted] SECT 331

assign to [redacted] b7C

65-15387-1376

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TO : SAC (65-15387)

DATE: 9/8/66

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

b7C

SUBJECT: William Terl
Esp-R

On 9/8/66 [REDACTED]

b7D

Queens, NY advised subject, wife and son, about 5 or 6 yrs old, continue to reside in apt 5F at this address. He said they were quiet tenants. Perls home recently for about 2 weeks or so and have assumed he was in vacation. He noted that Perls 3 year lease will be for one and had spoken to him about getting his apartment painted. He raised the question of just taking a 2 yr lease instead of three years.

On 9/8/66, a telephone call was made to Goldensale Home Welfare Island, without agent disclosing identity & it was determined subject is still employed there in the [REDACTED] by [REDACTED].

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VERIFICATION OF INFORMATION ON SECURITY INDEX CARDS

MEMORANDUM RE: PERL, WILLIAM
65-15387

Office File

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Residence: 48-10 45th Street, Woodside, Queens, New York

Employment: Bio-chemical research work, New York University
Laboratory, Building F, Goldwater Hospital, Welfare Island

Address: New York

Labor Union Affiliation:

Defense Facility Yes No
Key Facility Yes No
 Yes No
Detcom Yes No
Photo Yes No

It is requested that the place of employment, address of employment, residence address of the subject, as well as the accuracy of the priority tabbing, be verified and the proper notations be made below. The absence of a photograph and posting of a [redacted] should be noted and efforts made to secure a photograph and determine the existence of a criminal record.

A physical description based on personal observation of the subject appears in serial _____

DATE OF ANNUAL 3/3/66

Residence: Same

Method of Verification:

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Neighborhood Source:

[redacted]

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Date:

3/7/67

Verified by SA:

[redacted]

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Employment:

Same

Address:

Labor Union Affiliation:

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Date Checked
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Key Facility Yes No

Defense Facility: Yes No

Tab Detcom: Yes No

Method of Verification: b7E

Employment Source:

[redacted] Goldwater

Date:

Hospital, Welfare Island, NY

Verified by SA:

3/7/67

[redacted]

b7C

Photograph on SI card is most current or best: Yes No

FD-122 should be submitted to Bureau: Yes No

A letterhead memorandum should be submitted to the Bureau and Secret Service: Yes No

File Reviewed 3/7/67

Subject Meets SI Criteria

Does not Meet SI Criteria

Agent's Initials

[Handwritten initials]

Date

3/7/67

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC NY (65-15387)

DATE: 2-16-67

FROM : SA [REDACTED] b7C

SUBJECT: William Paul
Esp. R.

The subject is on the SI and the last Annual Report or letter in line thereof was dated 3/3/66 accordingly available on is due.

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b7C [REDACTED] *[Handwritten initials]*



VERIFICATION OF INFORMATION ON SECURITY INDEX CARDS

WILLIAM PERL

MEMORANDUM RE:

Office File

65-15387

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Residence: 48-10 45th Street, Woodside, Queens, N.Y.

Employment: Bio-Chemical Research Work, New York University Laboratory, Building F. Goldwater Hospital, Welfare Island, N.Y.

Address:

Labor Union Affiliation:

Defense Facility [] Yes [X] No Detcom [] Yes [X] No
Key Facility [] Yes [X] No Photo [X] Yes [] No
b7E [] Yes [] No

It is requested that the place of employment, address of employment, residence address of the subject, as well as the accuracy of the priority tabbing, be verified and the proper notations be made below. The absence of a photograph and posting of a [] should be noted and efforts made to secure a photograph and determine the existence of a criminal record.

A physical description based on personal observation of the subject appears in serial _____

Residence: DATE OF ANNUAL 3/8/67

Method of Verification: 5425 Valles Avenue Bronx, N.Y.

Neighborhood Source: [Redacted] b7D

Date: 9/21/67

Verified by SA: b7C [Redacted] Same

Employment:

Address:

Labor Union Affiliation:

NOTED SI UNIT DATE 9-25-67 [Signature]

Date Checked _____

Key Facility [] Yes [] No

Defense Facility [] Yes [] No

Tab Detcom: [] Yes [] No

Method of Verification: b7E [Redacted]

Employment Source: [Redacted]

Date: 9/18/67

Verified by SA: [Redacted]

Photograph on [] in most current or best likeness of subject: [X] Yes [] No

FD-124 should be submitted to Bureau: [X] Yes [] No

A letterhead memorandum should be submitted to the Bureau and Secret Service: [X] Yes [] No

File Reviewed 9/21/67

[X] Subject Meets SI Criteria

[] Does not Meet SI Criteria

Agent's Initials [Signature]

Date 9/21/67

Geographical Reference Number 65-15387-1381

SEARCHED INDEXED SERIALIZED FILED [] No [] Yes 331 [Signature]

See serial 1249 for memo disseminated to Secret Service

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC (65-15387)(C)

DATE: 9-21-67

FROM : SA [REDACTED] b7C

SUBJECT: WILLIAM PERL
ESP * R

On 9/7/67 [REDACTED] b7D advised that subject and his family had left unexpectedly in June last. [REDACTED] stated she believed they were living in [REDACTED] b7D Flushing but said the office did not know their address.

Telephone inquiry on 9/18/67 of Goldwater Hospital, Welfare Island, disclosed that subject was still employed in the NYU Lab there.

[REDACTED] conceal b7D advised 9/12/67 subject's forwarding address was 5425 Valles Ave Bronx.

[REDACTED] b7D 5425 Valles Ave., advised that WILLIAM PERL, his wife and son ANTHONY, age 5 or 6, had moved into the apt. bldg. at this address in about June '67 and they occupy apt. 2. b7D [REDACTED] said that he did not take PERL's application and therefore did not know anything about his background. He said they seemed to be quiet and reputable people. PERL has a light green Plymouth or Dodge sedan about three years old which he uses every day for work. PERL apparently was on vacation about 2 weeks ago and spent one week at home.

b7D [REDACTED] advised that MICHAEL RABINOWITZ, Imperial Plaza, 110, 8418 3rd Ave., Brooklyn, is the owner, and would have PERL's application there.

FD 122 being submitted. Closed.

Chief Clerk:
Class Case on this.
[Signature]

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[Signature]



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VERIFICATION OF INFORMATION ON SECURITY INDEX CARDS

MEMORANDUM RE: WILLIAM PERL

Office File 65--15387

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Residence: 5425 Valles Avenue, Bronx, New York

Employment: Bio-Chemical Research Work, NYU Laboratory

Address: Bldg F, Goldwater Hospital, Welfare Island, NY

Labor Union Affiliation:

Defense Facility Yes No Detcom Yes No
Key Facility Yes No Photo Yes No
[Redacted] Yes No

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It is requested that the place of employment, address of employment, residence address of the subject, as well as the accuracy of the priority labeling, be verified and the proper notations be made below. The absence of a photograph and posting of a [Redacted] should be noted and efforts made to secure a photograph and determine the existence of a criminal record.

A physical description based on personal observation of the subject appears in serial _____

Residence: 5425 Valles Avenue, Bronx, ny (same)
Method of Verification: Tel. DATE OF ANNUAL 4/14/68

Neighborhood Source: [Redacted] b7D
Date: 1/13/68
Verified by SA: [Redacted] b7C

Employment: Same
Address:
Labor Union Affiliation:

Key Facility Yes No Date Checked 7/6/68
Defense Facility: Yes No
Tab Detcom: Yes No
Method of Verification: [Redacted]
Employment Source: [Redacted] OPEN (OR [Redacted])
Date: 1/13/68 ORIGIN [Redacted] 2/27/68
Verified by SA: [Redacted] SUPV [Redacted] 3/31/68
Photograph on SI is most current or best likeness of subject: Yes No

Geographical Reference Number
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S/ [Redacted]

FD-127 should be submitted to Bureau: Yes No Assign [Redacted] b7C
A letterhead memorandum should be submitted to the Bureau and Secret Service: Yes No

File Reviewed 4/1/68

Subject Meets SI Criteria
 Does not Meet SI Criteria
Agent's Initials [Redacted]
Date 4/1/68

65-15387-1386

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC (65-15387)

DATE: 3-14-68

FROM : SA [REDACTED] b7C

SUBJECT: William Paul
Ego R

Subject is on the SI and the last annual report is
letter also been through was prepared 3/8/67 [REDACTED]
over his one is due

[REDACTED]

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b7C [REDACTED]



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MEMORANDUM RE: WILLIAM PERL

Office File 65-15387

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Employment: Bio-Chemical Research Work, NYU Laboratory

Address: Bldg F, Goldwater Hospital, Welfare Island, New York

Labor Union Affiliation:

Defense Facility Yes No Detcom Yes No
Key Facility Yes No Photo Yes No

It is requested that the place of employment, address of employment, residence address of the subject, as well as the accuracy of the priority tabbing, be verified and the proper notations be made below. The absence of a photograph and posting of [redacted] should be noted and efforts made to secure a photograph and determine the existence of a criminal record.

A physical description based on personal observation of the subject appears in serial

Residence: 5425 Valles Ave, Bronx NY - same

Method of Verification: [redacted] b7E

Neighborhood Source: [redacted]

Date: 10/22/68

Verified by SA: [redacted] b7C

Employment: same

Address: same

Labor Union Affiliation:

Date Checked Geographical Reference Number

Key Facility Yes No

Defense Facility Yes No

Tab Detcom: Yes No

Method of Verification: Tel call to Goldwater Hospital OPEN (OR FOR) DATE 9/5

Employment Source: ORIGIN NY DATE 7/5

Date: 10/22/68 SUPN [redacted] SECT 731

Verified by SA: [redacted] b7C

Photograph on SI card is most current or best likeness of subject: Yes No

FD-122 should be submitted to Bureau: Yes No

A letterhead memorandum should be submitted to the Bureau and Secret Service: Yes No

File Reviewed 10/22/68

Subject Meets SI Criteria

Does not Meet SI Criteria

Agent's Initials: [redacted]

Date: 10/22/68

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TO : SAC (45-15387)

DATE: 10-22-68

FROM :

SA [REDACTED] b7C

SUBJECT:

William Perl
ESP - R

b7E

on 10/22/68, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] who advised that [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] had already left (9¹⁵ AM) for the Laboratory.

A telephone call was made thereupon to Goldwater Hospital, N.Y.C. Laboratory (688-3500), Welfare Island, and the telephone operator, after trying to contact Dr. Perl for several minutes, advised Dr. Perl had apparently not yet arrived (extension 554).

Noted [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] same tel. as used by [REDACTED] b7D

previous [REDACTED]

Chief Clerk:
Close Case on this.

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[Signature]

TO: SAC,

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Date May 21, 1969

RE:

**WILLIAM PERL, aka
ESP-R**

For information
 Retention optional
 For appropriate action
 Surep, by _____

The enclosed is for your information. If used in a future report, conceal all sources, paraphrase contents.

Enclosed are corrected pages from report of SA _____ dated _____

Remarks: **Handle per Section 87D, Manual of Instructions.**

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July 25, 1969

Mr. John T. Minnich
Legal Attaché
American Embassy
Grosvenor Square
London W.1.

Re: William PERL

Dear Mr. Minnich,

[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

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SERIALIZED

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[REDACTED]

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65-15387-1395

Director, FBI

8/8/69

Legat, London (65-1352)(RUC)

WILLIAM PERL
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Re New York LHM dated 6/16/69.

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b7c [redacted] (info)

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Date August 26, 1969

RE:

**WILLIAM PERL
ESP-R**

- For information Retention optional For appropriate action Surep, by _____
- The enclosed is for your information. If used in a future report,
 conceal all sources, paraphrase contents.
- Enclosed are corrected pages from report of SA _____
 dated _____

Remarks:

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VERIFICATION OF INFORMATION ON SECURITY INDEX CARDS

MEMORANDUM RE: WILLIAM PERL

Office File 65-15387

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The following is the most recent place of employment, employment address, and residence address of the above subject as contained on the subject's Security Index Card.

Residence: 5425 Valles Avenue, Bronx, New York

Employment: Bio-Chemical Research Work, New York University Laboratory

Address: Bldg F, Goldwater Hospital, Welfare Island, New York

Labor Union Affiliation:

Defense Facility Yes No
Key Facility Yes No
Priority I II III
Photo Yes No

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It is requested that the place of employment, address of employment, residence address of the subject, as well as the accuracy of the priority tabbing, be verified and the proper notations be made below. The absence of a photograph and posting of a [redacted] should be noted and efforts made to secure a photograph and determine the existence of a criminal record.

A physical description based on personal observation of the subject appears in serial _____

Residence: 77 ORANGE RD, MONTCLAIR, N.J.

Method of Verification: NEWARK LET 6/3/70

Neighborhood Source: SEE NEWARK LET.

Date: [redacted]

Employment: NEW JERSEY COLLEGE OF MEDICINE DENTIST
Address: 100 BERGEN ST. NEWARK, NJ

Labor Union Affiliation: UNION C

Date Checked 2/20/70 Geographical Reference Number 65-15387-1398

Key Facility Yes No
Defense Facility: Yes No
Priority I II III

Method of Verification: NEWARK LET 6/3/70

Employment Source: [redacted]

Date: [redacted]
Verified by SA: [redacted]

Photograph on SI card is most current or best likeness of subject: Yes No

FD-122 should be submitted to Bureau: Yes No

A letterhead memorandum should be submitted to the Bureau and Secret Service: Yes No

File Reviewed
 Subject Meets SI Criteria
 Does not Meet SI Criteria
Agent's Initials [redacted]
Date 2/20/70

ORIGIN OF INFORMATION
ORIGIN [redacted]
SUPV [redacted]
CASE 65-15387
DATE 2/20/70
SECT 331

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC NY
65-15387 (P)

DATE: 6/24/70

FROM : SA [REDACTED]

b7c

SUBJECT: WILLIAM PERL
ESP - R

NEWARK HAS VERIFIED THAT SUBJECT WHO IS ON SI NOW WORKS AND LIVES IN N.J. CASE FILE WHICH CONSISTS OF 41 VOLUMES HAS TO BE REVIEWED TO DETERMINE WHAT SERIALS MUST BE SENT TO NEWARK.

Chief Clerk
Post _____

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(Date)

To: SAC, Albany

From: Director, FBI

MICHAEL MEEROPOL, et al.
 v. GRIFFIN B. BELL, et al.
 CIVIL ACTION NUMBER 75-1121

Reference Butel to all SACs dated 7/30/76
 and Buairtel to all SACs dated 8/6/76.

By referenced communications, a list of the subjects in the investigation and trial of Ethel and Julius Rosenberg was furnished each field office. Also furnished each field office was a list of the names on the Government's Witness List relating to the investigation and trial of Julius and Ethel Rosenberg. The list of subjects and individuals appearing on the Government's Witness List will therefore not be repeated in this communication.

For your information captioned FOIA suit has been in litigation for approximately two years. During the course of this litigation, on 8/1/75, the Court issued an Order that no documents maintained by the FBI be destroyed. Due to the file destruction moratorium then in effect, that Court Order was not brought to your attention in 1975. Due to the continuing litigation and current discussion regarding reinstitution of a file destruction program in the near future, you are hereby being advised of the Order of the Court in this matter. Accordingly, no files maintained in your office (origin or auxiliary office) relating to any of the main subjects or individuals appearing on the Government's Witness List should be destroyed. These files must

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be maintained until further notice.

To insure that no files are destroyed concerning this Court Order, you should immediately prepare a search slip on all of the names mentioned in all of the referenced communications (including all serial references) and place a copy of this communication as the top serial in each of the applicable files. A stamp should be placed on this serial to read "THIS FILE IS NOT TO BE DESTROYED UNLESS ADVISED BY THE BUREAU KEEP AS TOP SERIAL."