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August 16, 1940

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New York, New York

Dear [REDACTED]

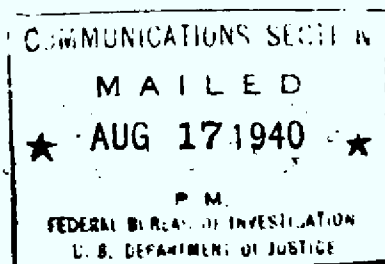
I wish to acknowledge receipt of your letter dated August 9, 1940, and to express appreciation for the interest you have displayed.

You may be assured that the content of your communication has been noted and will receive appropriate attention.

Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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Mr. Nease _____
Miss Gandy _____



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Brookdale
Aug 8.46

Bureau of Investigation
San Francisco

I think under the Circumstances
I ought to write this letter to you
some years ago before Colonel Lindenberg
went across the western Ocean. I have been
talking to too men near the Greyhound Bus
Building in Santa Cruz - I heard Mr
Lindenberg say - I will do it - I do not
think he was referring to his trip across the
Ocean, but to something else. Now please make
some allowance that I may be mistaken.
But personally I believe I am telling
the truth, and there is something wrong
some where

Very Truly

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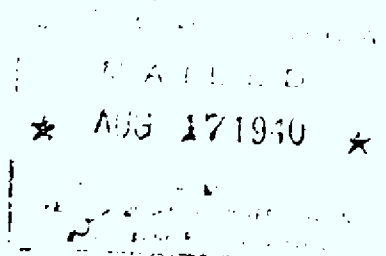
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Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director



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don't want wrong to
 Country and also England
 to leave her alone in her
 struggle. prove to the German
 people we care for what is
 right and decent. Let
 America while live free
 just a true American
 first Hitler and Russia

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 map before they put
 us off the British
 before it is late
 since they are in England long
 enough to find out
 their treachery. & then let it be known they were

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 FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
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 DIVISION OF INVESTIGATION
 The White House
 showed that Lindbergh
 be allowed to calm he is
 only a double crosser trying
 to make peace for Germany
 of which he is one of the men
 among he is one of the biggest
 lies and yet he get away
 it after making his money
 and here he was not
 as American enough to
 let him here his escape was for
 that is a big laugh

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and I don't mean on the
you don't hear the Germans
telling what they are doing
all the time in the country
does every thing is broadcasted
why would they not know
what we are doing a few
spys to help why not jump
in and help the British to
put Hitler & all he stands
for off the map. even if we
have to send men over
they would soon be done for
if they knew Hitler had the
country ready to go to their
aid. They are all alone, we are

he. And more than that I think
if he slept) would how often
he goes to see his baby that
was expected to be killed that
is another thing if he is in
same home they can dye
his hair and in time he will
be found some where if they
don't get him right he knows
what he was doing who is he
to tell this country what to do
let him go and let Hitler
tell him off what we are doing
he is a double crosser it will
be found out some day
make this an announcement

[REDACTED]
New York, N. Y.

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August 9, 1940

The Hon. Franklin D. Roosevelt
President of the United States
The White House
Washington, D. C.

Honorable Sir:

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

I refer to the telegram addressed to your honorable self during the month of June with regard to the activity of Charles A. Lindbergh. This telegram suggested that the activities of Charles A. Lindbergh were of a highly suspicious nature and, under present conditions, the legitimate object of investigation by duly constituted official bodies.

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Time was when treason wore a black coat. Nowadays, it is a fashionable imported tweed worn by flag-waving scoundrels spreading a doctrine of flabby immorality and cowardice.

I urge upon you, Sir, that the Fifth Column in the United States will be found much less in the Turnverns of Yorkville, the sweat box - back rooms and one room apartments of communists, than in the mahogany paneled offices of those whose vanity endows them with the belief that their ideas are greater than the aspirations of the American people or the law of the land; and who find inspiration in the foul doctrines emanating from Berlin.

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Respectfully yours,

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[REDACTED]
New York, N. Y.

August 8, 1940

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The Hon. Franklin D. Roosevelt
President of the United States
The White House
Washington, D. C.

Honorable Sir:

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Respectfully yours,
[REDACTED]

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
COMMUNICATIONS SECTION

AUG 13 1940

WESTERN UNION

Mr. Tolson
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Mr. Foxworth
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Mr. Nichols
Mr. Hendon
Mr. Rosen
Mr. Tracy
Miss Gandy

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TO EDGAR HOOVER

DEPT OF JUSTICE

ANYONE HOLDING IRON CROSS FROM GERMANY WHEN THEY ARE AT
WAR SHOULD NOT BE PERMITTED TO MAKE PUBLIC ADDRESSES IN
THIS COUNTRY

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11:37AM

cc:

Mr. Clegg
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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
1 AUG 13 1940
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
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*Read
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Waska, Okla
August 5, 1940

Hon. Attorney Gen. Jackson
Washington, D. C.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
AUG 9 1940
DIVISION OF INVESTIGATION
CRIM. DIV. - RUFF

Dear Sir:

The people back here feel that the
rat who calls himself Charles A. Lindbergh has
gone far enough. If he so favors and admires
the dictators why not deport him to those
beloved countries. He deserted this country
and gave up his rights here, even took a
pledge to Hitler. Let him go back and
fulfill that pledge.

We don't think the government is
giving sound thinking Americans ample
protection by allowing such Communist
propaganda as Lindbergh speaks to be
broadcast or spoken to gatherings.

1 ENCL. PM

We feel that if he was investigated
he would be found to be a 5th columnist and
perhaps one of the world's highest paid spies.
If you can't see after this give this to Martin
of Texas. Shut him up or put him behind bars
and stop his unAmericanism. We need a
before it's too late.

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P. J.

Since the question of sending supplies to Belgium and the other conquered countries has come up we don't think it advisable to send aid where it will fall into the hands of the Germans or help penetrate the blockade. We should cooperate with England. Our ambassador who has just returned seems to slam our soldiers when he says the Germans acted better than our soldiers. Let him pack and tell Hitler to feed them, they didn't want to fight and gave in to him. 2
65-11479-364 his place to feed the conquered peoples. 21
need to give all our help to England.

NEW: MAL
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August 26, 1940

[REDACTED]
Mewoka, Oklahoma

Dear [REDACTED]

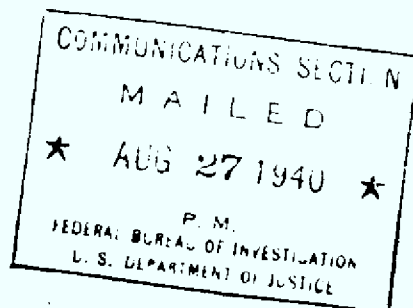
By reference from the Attorney General, I wish to acknowledge the receipt of the letter dated August 5, 1940, signed by you and several of your associates.

I want to thank you and your friends for the interest you have displayed in writing in this regard and to assure you that your letter is being made a matter of official record.

Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

Mr. Tolson _____
Mr. Clegg _____
Mr. Foxworth _____
Mr. Ladd _____
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Mr. E. A. Tamm _____
Mr. Egan _____
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RECEIVED August 8, 1940

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OFFICE OF THE
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AUG 15 1940
ATTORNEY GENERAL

Robert H. Jackson, Attorney General
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir -

Until recently I have been a hero worshipper,
as far as Lindberg was concerned, but I now feel he is a
menace, as far as the American safety is concerned.

While I realize that in a democracy we must
have freedom of speech, as well as freedom of the press,
it would seem as though there might be some way to
control the public speaking of such a person. It is not
representative of American views and is certainly used
to wrong ends by the Nazis.

Thanking you for whatever you may be able
to do, I am

Sincerely yours,
[REDACTED]

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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
DIVISION OF RECORDS
AUG 15 1940
CRIM. DIV. - NEW YORK

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RECORDED 65-11449-37

August 27, 1940

[REDACTED]
Great Neck, Long Island
New York

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Dear [REDACTED]

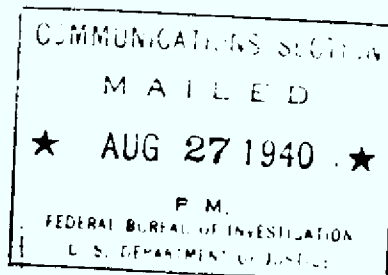
By reference from the Attorney General
I wish to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated
August 9, 1940.

Your courtesy and interest in writing in
this regard are sincerely appreciated and I want you
to know that your letter is being made a matter of
official record in this Bureau.

Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

Mr. Tolson _____
Mr. Clegg _____
Mr. Egan _____
Mr. Ladd _____
Mr. Nichols _____
Mr. Rosen _____
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Miss Gandy _____



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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

JUN 22 1940

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Dear Sir:

I am writing this letter because I know you are right and am asking if from your department. What I am asking is that your department show a warrant on Charles Lindbergh and that he be indicted during the war period, he caused all 5th column activities and undermining the people of the United States against government preparing for war. I am recalling Lindbergh took the oath of faith to Hitler and the German army by receiving the cross from Hitler of faith and that faith and

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GERMAN GROUP TO BUY STATION

CHICAGO. (AP) The German-American National Alliance, Inc., announced today its intention of raising funds to purchase or lease a radio broadcasting station.

The action followed a decision by radio station WHIP at Hammond, Ind., to terminate broadcasting of the German hour program which has been sponsored by the alliance.

Dr. George F. Courter, president of the broadcasting corporation, explained that any broadcast that "engenders social conflicts or kindles hatred cannot be construed as serving the public interest." Alliance directors adopted a resolution to "supplement otherwise the already available channels of communication between the organization and its members and supporters

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August 30, 1940

[REDACTED]
Elkhart, Indiana

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Dear [REDACTED]

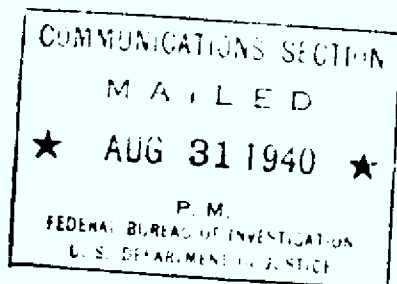
I wish to acknowledge receipt of your letter postmarked August 20, 1940, together with the newspaper clipping enclosed therewith.

Your courtesy and interest in transmitting this information are appreciated and I want you to know that the content of your communication is being made a part of the official record.

Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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Fawcett _____
Glavin _____
Ladd _____
Nichols _____
Rosen _____
Tracy _____
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MEMORANDUM FOR SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE

Detroit, Michigan
August 10, 1940

On August 8, 1940, Mr. L. Jerome Dufahaut, Commercial Manager of Essex Broadcasters, Inc., the firm operating Radio Station CKLW, Windsor, Ontario, Canada and Detroit, Michigan, with offices in the Union Guardian Building, Detroit, called at the Detroit Office and surrendered a postcard postmarked Detroit, Mich., August 8, 1940, addressed to W. T. Grant Dept. Store, 5870 Grand River Ave., Detroit, Michigan and whose message, in substance, was that the sender, [REDACTED] Detroit, was surprised that the Grant Company advertised over a station which would not let "Us Americans" hear Col. Lindbergh's speech of the Sunday just past.

Mr. Dufahaut advised that Col. Lindbergh spoke from Chicago, Ill., Sunday, August 4, 1940, over the network of the Mutual Broadcasting System, of which CKLW is an associated or member station, but that CKLW had elected to strike the speech or keep it off the air, due to the fact that part of its operations area is in Canada and that it was anticipated Lindbergh's speech would not be to the liking of Canadians. In addition to this postcard, he stated, his station had been in receipt of about fifty telephone calls from persons in Detroit, complaining about keeping Lindbergh's speech off the air and, since they were all earmarked with a sprinkling of mass-effort, he wished to bring it to the Bureau's attention, particularly since it had been his information that Lindbergh's speech in Chicago was attended largely by persons whose enthusiasm had been aroused by German sponsors. He could not or would not enlarge on how he had obtained this information, or upon the degree of authenticity to attach to it, but suggested that station WHIP, of Hammond, Indiana, might have some information on the subject.

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B. F. Perkins,
Special Agent

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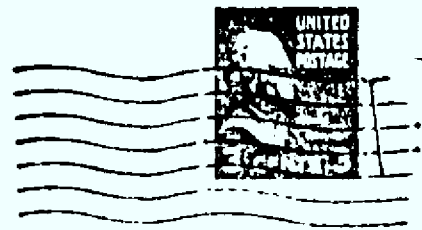
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AUSTIN, TEXAS

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Honorable J. Edgar Hoover
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington
D. C.

65-11449-39

SEP 19 1940

Palo Alto, California, 1940

Gentlemen:

We all realize that this year of 1940 opens for us a hitherto unprecedented expanse of PROGRESSIVE GROUPS to concentrate their efforts and to gain truly beneficent results of their natural power which lies in their will to advance.

The committee that is herein communicating with you wishes to develop in this letter have reason to believe you are interested in—namely: A certain few principles and procedure of government; and the suggestion of a certain person to be a candidate for president on an independent ticket.

There are probably about ten million voters in this nation who have been preparing, in their minds, to bring about a more sane economic and political system. This being so, why do we not have it? Consider this to be the general reason: That it appears that each person who has been holding up a bit of something, saying, "Look, I've got the truth!"; and he is enamored with it, really has something that in its fundamentals is a bit of truth (it always is); and he is further convinced that it is he that is holding it up. He is so enamored that he exaggeratively proclaims he has the truth. Consequently, the exaggerated bits of truth, offered by nearly all persons and groups, classed as "truths," of course, they do not. All our disagreements and strifes exist because different groups are offering bits of truth in the place of the whole truth. Fragmentary, disconnected and scattered truths. Truth will not stand for that.

WE MUST COMBINE, IN THE SERVICE OF THE NATURAL, THE WHOLE TRUTH THAT MUST BE, THAT WILL BE, MANIFESTED AND ESTABLISHED ECONOMIC AND POLITICAL INSTITUTIONS.

WE MUST CONCENTRATE WITH ALL OUR MINDS, WITH ALL OUR HEARTS, WITH ALL OUR STRENGTH, THE FUNDAMENTAL STREAM OF LIFE—WITHIN US, AND WITH ALL OUR ACTS, AND ATTAIN THAT TRUTH THAT APPLIES TO ALL, THAT BENEFITS ALL, THAT IS THE ORDERLY PROCEDURE OF LIFE TO ALL.

What is the key thought to that truth and that solution? It is this: ONLY THAT WHICH BENEFITS ALL MEN CAN SOLVE OUR PROBLEM. We must draft ourselves into a wholesome solution.

IN THE NAME OF THAT FULL AND FULLY APPLICABLE TRUTH, WE STOP TALKING ABOUT, WRITING ABOUT, WORKING FOR, ATTEMPT TO APPLY, AND FIGHT FOR THOSE PRINCIPLES OF ECONOMIC AND POLITICAL LIFE THAT ARE VITAL. WE REFUSE HENCEFORTH TO BE DISTRACTED AND SENT OFF ON TEMPORARY OR OPPORTUNISTIC ISSUES AND ARGUMENTS.

We submit to you now the next egg of that body of permanent principles, namely: To establish constitutional money for our nation—the right of congress to coin money and regulate it and that we must have an honest money system that is honest especially because it really satisfies, the individualist, that is, the person who champions the right to individual enterprise; it really and honestly serves, satisfies, the majority, who are entitled to be secure to live without being exploited of the natural means to do so; and furthermore, it must serve, satisfy, that we must have a governmental system that can really enforce and maintain an honest money system.

AS THINGS STAND, CAPITALISM HAS A BIT OF TRUTH; COMMUNISM HAS A BIT OF TRUTH; AND TOTALITARIANISM HAS A BIT OF TRUTH. EACH SYSTEM HAS A PART OF THE WHOLE TRUTH. SO THEY CLASH. WE PROGRESSIVE SEEKERS MUST FIND THE TRIPLE PIECES OF TRUTH REALLY FIT TOGETHER. Working on the money system that will lead to the practical way in which they are one. When we find what capitalism really have; and use that find as a co-ordinated whole, then we are beginning to see the solution and we can be satisfied that none shall exploit the others—neither the few the many, nor the many the few.

In the name of that full and applicable solution, we now make a further suggestion: draft, in this year of 1940, one of our outstanding citizens on an independent ticket for president. We believe we have in mind a person who is singularly qualified for this position on such a ticket as we consider. We believe that this person would with all his heart answer a call to lead into a realization of the solution for every man. We believe he is watching and waiting for the time, conditions and men are ripe to be revolutionized—WITHOUT FORCE—into a system that springs us out of all our present floundering and futilities. Who is this person?

He is Col. Chas. A. Lindbergh. Let us draft Col. Lindbergh in the service of vital, to unify the right thinking people of this nation on a platform of economic broadness and moral uplift.

Col. Lindbergh has, in recent broadcasts, repeatedly urged us to organize in our communities, to unify ALL ADVANCING GROUPS, let us solidify our efforts into one tremendous demand: money, economic freedom, SOLUTION FOR ALL.

Our motto is: SOLUTION FOR ALL!

THIS MOVEMENT TO JOIN MEN TO PERMANENT FUNDAMENTAL PRINCIPLES, regardless of what is done or accomplished now. Send copies of this letter, and of all progressive individuals and groups that you can contact. And get this movement all over the press, the forum and the floor of congress. Write us what you are doing.

CIVILIZATION MUST NO LONGER BE A RACKET!

In the Name of the Whole Solution,

Sincerely Yours,

Lindbergh for President Club No.
P. O. Box 343, Palo Alto, Calif.

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IF YOU WANT . . .

. . . TO HELP FIND AND ESTABLISH THE SOLUTION FOR ALL; CONSIDERATION AND REALIZATION OF ENDURING PRINCIPLES; CONSTITUTIONAL MONEY THAT IS FLEXIBLE AND IS NOT A COMMODITY THAT CAN BE CORNERED; AND A CIVILIZATION THAT IS NOT A RACKET—THEN JOIN THIS MOVEMENT.

DRAFT COL. CHARLES A. LINDBERGH FOR PRESIDENT, ON AN INDEPENDENT TICKET, AS A CHANNEL OF EXPRESSION FOR THE AMERICAN PEOPLE.

Send 5 copies of this card to 5 of your friends. Send 1 copy to Col. Charles A. Lindbergh, Wash., D. C. for tabulation.

Get behind this movement; form local "Lindbergh" clubs.

LINDBERGH FOR PRESIDENT CLUB No. 1
P. O. Box 343, Palo Alto, Calif.

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65-11449-30

September 12, 1940

[REDACTED]
Austin, Texas

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Dear [REDACTED]

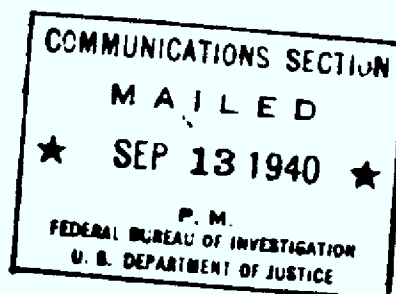
I wish to acknowledge receipt of the several pieces of literature which you so kindly forwarded to me on September 8, 1940.

You may be assured that this information has been carefully noted and will receive appropriate consideration.

Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

Mr. Tolson _____
Mr. E. A. Tamm _____
Mr. Clegg _____
Mr. Glavin _____
Mr. Ladd _____
Mr. Nichols _____
Mr. Rosen _____
Mr. Tracy _____
Mr. Carson _____
Mr. Coffey _____
Mr. Hendon _____
Mr. Jones _____
Mr. Quinn _____
Mr. Nease _____
Miss Gandy _____



DATE	TIME	TO	FROM

Person should check date of service
transmitted as a telegram or
ordinary message.

AMERICAN UNION Louisville Ky

R. S. WHITE
PRESIDENT

NEWCOMB CARLTON
CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD

J. G. WILLEVER
FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT

Question whether acceptation
 of Charles C. Lindbergh
 was wise

Send the following message, subject to the terms on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to

To Honorable Franklin Delano Roosevelt 64673 9/9/40
 Street and No. President of the United States
 Place Washington, DC

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What is Lindbergh's real mission in this country?
 This traitor and spy belongs in a concentration
 Camp instead of being permitted to make
 utterances against our security. In 1938 I
 charged him with being a traitor and a worse
 one than Benedict Arnold. If the Germans don't
 already have our bomb sight, they will have it.
 Lindbergh sees anything of it. Perhaps his medal
 from Hitler may have some connection. I
 recommend giving our bomb sight to the English P.A.
 immediately.

Sender's address for reference: 11th Columbia
 Sender's telephone number: [REDACTED]

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Federal Bureau of Investigation
United States Department of Justice

RET:ETS

New York, N.Y.
October 7, 1940

Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith is an original letter addressed to
Special Agent R.E. TROW of this office, from [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] New York City, regarding some alleged in-
formation she has in her possession relative to the activities
of Colonel CHARLES LINDBERGH. To date, no contact has been
had with [REDACTED] and this letter is being forwarded to the
Bureau for whatever action is deemed advisable. b7c

A copy of this letter is being retained in the New
York files.

Very truly yours,

B.E. Sackett
B.E. SACKETT, *ms*
Special Agent in Charge

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[REDACTED]
NEW YORK, N. Y.

LEXINGTON 2-3478

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August 18, 1940

Dear Mr. Trow;

With regard to the general disapproval of Lindbergh-- I have a very odd relationship to his entire history, dating from the week before he flew the Atlantic.

I tried, during the famous case associated with his name, to bring some facts into public view, but was not successful. However, I worked with ex-Governor Hoffman on the matter some of which cautiously appeared in Liberty afterward- and am in possession of some astounding matters gathered from many during and after the Hauptmann trial.

Much of this I tried to bring to the attention of the FBI during that trial but was not successful, either.

If, in the life which I know to be very full of hard work, you can spare an hour to hear some of this, with the view to passing it on if you choose-- I will gladly await your convenience, suiting my time to yours. The facts of this case, believe me, are quite otherwise than they have ever appeared and I believe if the truth can be pulled out, that ~~that~~ it will ~~not~~ forever discredit Lindbergh and stop his influence in this country and disclose him for what he is-- but will rival the famous Dreyfuss case in France,- a case along with the Lindbergh case which both so far surpass fiction as to make the maddest writer a mere dealer in soda-pop.

I am-- I do believe you know it-- a very conservative person, knowing far more of the seamy sides of life than most women and from long association with police, welfare workers and prison officials, not inclined to be too easily excited.

Sincerely yours,

[REDACTED]
B7C

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Oct 15 - 1940 -

Honorable
Edgar Hoover;
Dear Sir.

Is there no law or

influence strong enough in the
U.S.A. that can work to stop
Lindbergh from spreading his
pernicious propaganda over the Radi
+ through the U.S.A. + the Americas.
Here today in Mexico I read in the
English section of "Exelsior" - one
of the leading daily newspapers of
Mexico City, his speech printed
in full.

— He (Lindbergh) asserted that the
future of America hangs not upon
the outcome of the war in Europe
but upon the results of next
months election.

"Our vote next month can let
bring on or avoid a
war for our country"
"No one doubts" he said "that our

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defences are weak, that our debts are great, that dissatisfaction is rising strong among us."


- "We question that the men who were unable to foresee these conditions in time to avoid them ——— under their leadership we have alienated the most powerful military nations of both Europe & Asia"

Germany, Italy, Japan. —

"These are the nations Lindbergh must mean."

If this speech, from which I have quoted a few of the high lights, is one to inspire a country to stand together in its hour of need, then Col Lindbergh is a patriot and I humbly beg his pardon for likening him to the patriots of France.

However, as an American I would like to be sure —

Sincerely — 
Home town B7C
Monterey, California. U.S.A.

JOHN EDGAR HOOVER
DIRECTOR

Federal Bureau of Investigation
United States Department of Justice
Washington, D. C.

November 4, 1940

[REDACTED]
Monterey, California

Dear [REDACTED]

I want to thank you for your courtesy
in making available to me your thoughts as expressed
in your letter of October 15, 1940.

I wish to take this opportunity to let you
know that the content of your communication has been
made a matter of official record.

Sincerely yours,

J. E. Hoover
John Edgar Hoover
Director

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Lindbergh's present assurance of
how fantastic invasion is against the U.S.
and his steady plugging of keeping
the U.S. out of the war until Germany
takes England, proves Lindbergh is
still under probable threat or with
time has really fallen under
Nazi influence, such as usual
cases of white people in the United
States who fall under queer influence and commit
"homicide".

your letter

The letter is purely de-
struction work and I have no
concrete proof of anything except
of what I have read in the papers.
Please ^{do not} hold my name
from any action, if any,
you may deem advisable.

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Jimmy City, N.Y.
Oct. 21, 1940

Att: J. E. Hoover

Federal Bureau of Investigation
United States Dept. of Justice

Washington
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Dear Sir:

Col. Chas. Lindbergh's action and
behavior especially recently, has often
made me consider that his case
is far deeper than any one suspects.

Hauptmann died for a kid-
napping case with grim probably
secret Nazi activity since on
his lips. Being a Col. in the
U.S. Air Force probably Lindbergh
has been an unfortunate victim
singled out by a potent Nazi
fifth column unit, which has
been working slowly to lay the
groundwork for future action. The

pressure and enough left for the U.S.
and took up citizenship in the U.S.
Here he began to reassure that
this country didn't have to fear
Germany as the planes he inspected
and saw in Germany were worth-
less and unworkable crates. Lindbergh
received a Nazi medal for
this inspection and his assurance
of the worthlessness of the planes
proved to be 1000% incorrect. France's
fall was speeded up by planes
and mechanized units, and at
the slaughter of British Tommies
at Dunkerque by planes, so
impressed were the dazed British
soldiers that each of them came
back with grim words of: "only
if we had planes and thousands

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work and effectiveness of the fifth
column has been demonstrated through-
out the various nations of Europe whose
foundations were undermined.

With Hauptmann's death, a
troubled conscience, and threats of
secret reprisals Lindbergh left
the U.S., gave up his citizenship,
and probably sought refuge in
England. There probably he
found himself in a hopeless and
secret mesh as England also
had an instant 5th column.
Lindbergh resigned to his fate
and traveled into Germany
and became an honorary member
of the fifth column.
Under orders and probably

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Jersey City, New Jersey

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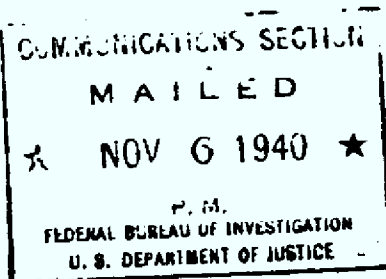
Dear [REDACTED]

I want to take this opportunity to thank you for making available to me your views as expressed in your letter of October 21, 1940, and you may be assured that they have been carefully noted and made a matter of official record.

Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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OCTOBER TWENTY-SIXTH
1940.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
United States Department of Justice.
Washington, D.C.

Attention of J. Edgar Hoover. :

Dear Sir :-

We are enclosing another piece of literature,
with the envelope in which we received it.

From " SOLUTION FOR ALL CLUB No. 1."
Palo Alto, Cal.

While we do not want to send you on a "Witch
Hunt ", and we do not have any proof that this Club or its
members are subversive, yet it listens to us as another
way that has been adopted by the Nazis, to reach the
American people, and to bring chaos among them.

You will know whether my assumption has any
basis in fact, and if so, what to do about it.

Yours very truly,

B7C [REDACTED]

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Rev. H. H. [unclear]

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SOLUTION FOR ALL CLUB No. 1

P. O. BOX 343
PALO ALTO, CALIFORNIA

Circular Letter No. 2

October, 1940

Gentlemen:

Last month you received a letter from the Lindbergh For President Club No. 1, of the above address. This October letter comes from the same organization, from the same address, and from the identically same committee membership—only the name of the organization has been changed. It is now the SOLUTION FOR ALL CLUB No. 1. During the course of this letter you will learn the reasons for this change of name without change in objectives.

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Yours very truly,
Signed.

This is our answer:

Dear Sir:

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A very brief account of the brief history, to date, of this Club will show you how this temporary incongruity came about. The executive committee was from the beginning composed of men who are without question sincerely and selflessly and sympathetically devoted to bring consolation and order into all aspects of human existence. In carrying out their work as a committee they began by doing the usual thing in the usual way, namely to make the usual expressions on the usual earnest kind of issues, and on the newly arriving temporary issue and then to "HAIL SOMEBODY" who they thought could lead the American Nation into the better way. They presented specialized and limited issues and put their hope in personality. They were sure their objectives were right; yet they felt insufficient in the execution of their work. Consequently they made known the existence of the Club to a certain element of persons, and invited their co-operation. Some literature had already been prepared and allowed to trickle out, and its results noted. The new element differed very kindly with the old aims and objectives. They knew things would have to be conceived and carried on differently; and they knew things would be done differently. Yet they used no argument nor pressure to bring about this change. They allowed things to develop step by step from the old idea to the new idea. Demonstration and experience logically produced the change; and the first circular letter of the Club went through to bring about the climax in demonstrating the course to be taken.

The result is conclusive. All the members of the committee, without one dissenting voice from both the original and the more recent element, are heartily agreed that we are now really beginning to state to you our consistent position, our consistent objective, and our consistent program. Accordingly, worthy friend, we, the executive Committee of the Solution for All Club conceive that this Club has only one SPONSOR, and that the NAME of this SPONSOR is PRINCIPLE. It is that SUPREME PRACTICAL LAW that governs action in all life. Out of this Law issue all right principles and all right programs. We of this Club undertook to be guided by, and to guide by, to express and to apply, that which we shall sense to be the SUPREME PRACTICAL FACT of the UNIVERSE, in all things, great and small, and, of course, particularly in human life, and still more particularly, as far as our present expression as the Solution for All Club goes, in our economic and political life. Only ESSENCE is practical; and that which is practical is compounded of ESSENCE.

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We shall not only humbly, yet also proudly and exultingly submit ourselves to that PRACTICAL PRINCIPLE. We shall be able to express this PRINCIPLE in the simple terms of our economic and political life and institutions. We shall be able to permit this PRINCIPLE to work in our economic and political life and institutions. That which is fundamentally sound is the most practical. Any idea that is not practical is worthless. Ideas that are most fundamentally sound have the most practical value.

We hereby denounce and turn our backs to the floundering and futility, hate and envy, we have engaged in formerly. In this Proclamation of PRINCIPLE, the PRIME MOTIVE POWER, as our SPONSOR, we decisively depart from all current aims and methods of the usual attempts to bring about economic and political order. It is because of this departure, and only because of this departure, that we shall be able to say something sympathetic, consoling and constructive to restore our bodies, minds, souls and our society. Should we try to do it otherwise, we would only find ourselves fallen into the weary round of earnest beatings in the air or of insincere presumption and pretense of knowing.

Do you still wish to know who are the sponsors of this organization? Then seek to know this PRINCIPLE, PRACTICAL ESSENCE. Until we understand and use the ESSENCE of the PRACTICAL, we do not know the SPONSOR of this work—even though we be told the names of ourselves who are the servants of SPONSOR NUMBER ONE. When we, the members of all the Solution for All Clubs, have become conclusively confident that the so-called sponsors humbly and gladly subordinate themselves to SPONSORING PRINCIPLE; when we, all the members of all the Clubs, have become conclusively confident that we do all subordinate ourselves to that PRINCIPLE, and are conclusively confident that we are ready, willing and able to apply this PRINCIPLE, or to permit this PRINCIPLE to apply ITSELF, then the names of the sponsors will be revealed.

We now apologize to PRINCIPLE, and to Col. Charles A. Lindbergh, and to the American People, if we have appeared to exalt the person of Col. Lindbergh above PRINCIPLE. All men who are, and shall be connected with this movement shall be capable of doing so only in so far as they have identified themselves with MOVING SUBSTANCE and POWER. We believe that Col. Lindbergh is capable, and will become capable of throwing himself with others into ESSENTIAL ACTION in our social living and being. Col. Lindbergh has placed himself before the public. He remains there. We of these Clubs continue to see him there. We recommend to you the article entitled "Lindbergh Today" in Scribner's Commentator for August. This article appeared entirely independently of this Club. It is, of course, impossible in 1940 to put anybody into the presidency on any but the usual run of issues. Our concrete objectives will reveal themselves step by step as we approach 1944, and before.

Be patient! We have an economic and political system concretely prepared. We are not presenting a system now. Since it is for a short time from now, it is not for today. Therefore, today we must know what we know or can know now, and do what we must do and can do now. As we do in the successive nows what we must do, we shall find that each thing done is already a part of that which is the culminating plan that has been presented. More and more we shall see it arising out of the natural, logical, steps we accomplish.

Trusting, dear friend of the Club, that we have for this particular now fully carried out our obligation to the country to make ourselves known, and assuring you that we wish to lay bare before you the very SUBSTANCE, ENERGY and NAME of the ACTION of ESSENCE within us, we remain,

Sincerely yours,
Executive Committee,
SOLUTION FOR ALL CLUB No. 1.

In accordance with our practice of noting the vital truth in all ideas, practices and programs, we recommend, for careful study, the articles, in the Commonwealth magazine for September, on the Finished Product Single Tax, and on the Ad Valorem Property Tax and what it is doing in our system. These articles appear independently of our Club. We urge you at least to keep these subjects in mind in order in the future to see their essentially close relation within the inclusive objective order we shall present.

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Begin at once to get a number of our letters already issued, and to distribute them; and you will find in the next letter how you have thereby already established a Club. If you have not received our August-September letter, do not fail to send for it. It contains many full statements on the fundamental attitude of this organization—on how to see the truth in capitalism, the truth in communism, and the truth in totalitarianism and how to make them one whole truth. If you have not circulated last month's letter, then send it out with this one. Send at least ten of each letter. Take it upon yourselves to send them to those progressive individual groups you wish to organize, or that you think will organize themselves.

The price of these letters is one cent (1c) each for one hundred or more, one and a half cent (1½c) for ten (10) to ninety nine (99), and three cents (3c) each for any number less than ten (10).

Act now and everywhere in doing the fullest and broadest and soundest things that can be done. Interest all people, the press, radio, forum, and congress.

Sincerely yours,
Chairman of the Committee,
SOLUTION FOR ALL CLUB No.

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November 8, 1940

[REDACTED]
Battle Creek, Michigan

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Dear [REDACTED]

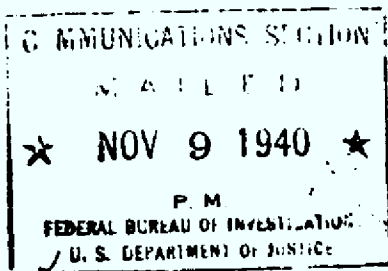
I wish to acknowledge receipt of your letter dated October 26, 1940, with which you forwarded an enclosure received by you through the mails.

May I express my appreciation for your thoughtfulness in making this information available to me and assure you that the content of your communication has been carefully noted and is being made a matter of official record.

Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

Mr. Tolson _____
Mr. Clegg _____
Mr. E. A. Tamm _____
Mr. Foxworth _____
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FLINT, MICHIGAN

Oct 25 1940.

F.B.I.

Washington D.C.

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GWS
cc: Mr. Detroit

Dear Sirs: I recently made
the acquaintance of a young man

 St. Flint B7C

Mich. His parents are hence Can-
adians and live north of Moose
Factory Canada. The young man
is a mechanic and an aviator.

He has flown several days
with Col. Lindbergh (north of
moose Factory). He states that he
is convinced that Lindbergh is
Pro German in every respect.
He says Lindbergh talked all the time
about Hitler and Germany, and was
in accord with what Germany is doing.
Respectfully

Answer unnecessary.

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November 13, 1940

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JWS:BC
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[REDACTED]
Flint, Michigan

Dear [REDACTED]

I wish to acknowledge receipt of your letter dated October 25, 1940, and to express my appreciation for your thoughtfulness in making this information available to me.

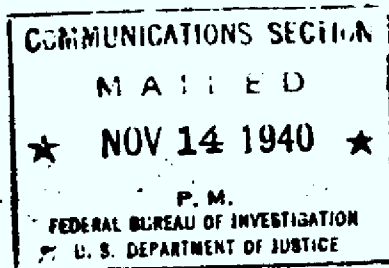
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cc Detroit - copies of incoming attached

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[REDACTED] BX
GEORGETOWN, SOUTH CAROLINA

October 29, 1940.

In Re: Solution for All Club No. 1.

Hon. J. Edgar Hoover,
Federal Bureau of Investigation,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:-

I enclose for your file circulars with envelopes received by me, to which I have made no reply. It may be that these circulars are harmless, but the authors have concealed their identity. The language, however, appears to be a composite of that employed by Fritz Wiedeman, Father Divine and Jehovah's Witnesses.

Of course, I know that your Department should not be troubled with trivial matters, but, if you can let me know the identity of the person or persons distributing this literature, I will appreciate it in my capacity as a citizen, and also as a member of the National Law and Order Committee of the American Legion and as Legion Judge Advocate for the State of South Carolina.

With thanks for your courtesy and attention,

I am

Yours very truly,
[REDACTED]

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SOLUTION FOR ALL CLUB No. 1

P. O. BOX 343
PALO ALTO, CALIFORNIA

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In accordance with our practice of noting the vital truth in all ideas, practices and programs, we recommend, for careful study, the articles, in the *Commonwealth* magazine for September, on the **Finished Products Single Tax**, and on the **Ad Valorem Property Tax** and what it is doing in our system. These articles arose independently of our **Club**. We urge you at least to keep these subjects in mind in order in the future to note their essentially close relation within the inclusive objective order we shall present.

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Begin at once to get a number of our letters already issued, and to distribute them; and you will find in the next letter how you have thereby already established a **Club**. If you have not received our August-September letter, do not fail to send for it. It contains many full statements on the fundamental attitude of this organization—on how to see the truth in capitalism, the truth in communism, and the truth in totalitarianism; how to make them the whole truth. If you have not circulated last month's letter, then send it out with this one. Send at least to each letter. Take it upon yourselves to send them to those progressive individuals and groups you wish to organize, or that you think will organize themselves.

The price of these letters is one cent (1c) each for one hundred or more, one and a half cent (1½c) each for ten (10) to ninety nine (99), and three cents (3c) each for any number less than ten (10).

Act now and everywhere in doing the fullest and broadest and soundest things that can be done now. Interest all people, the press, radio, forum, and congress.

Sincerely yours,
Chairman of the Committee,
SOLUTION FOR ALL CLUB No. 1

JWS:MAL
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November 15, 1940

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[REDACTED]
Georgetown, South Carolina

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Dear [REDACTED]

I wish to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated October 29, 1940, together with its enclosures.

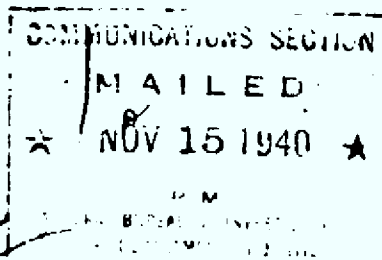
May I express my sincere appreciation for your thoughtfulness in making this information available to me. You may be assured the content of your letter has been carefully noted and will receive appropriate consideration.

With respect to your request relative to the identity of the persons distributing the literature mentioned in your communication, please be advised that due to a long established departmental policy the information contained in the files of this Bureau is kept strictly confidential and is released only upon authorization by the Attorney General.

Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

Tolson _____
Clegg _____
E. A. Tamm _____
Fawcett _____
Glavin _____
Ladd _____
Nichols _____
Rosen _____
Tracy _____
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Tele. Rm. _____
Mr. Holloman _____



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Federal Bureau of Investigation,
Washington, D.C.

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Belmont, Mass.
1/27/41.

Gentlemen:

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Charles Lindbergh

This is just one of I presume many opinions that you have received suggesting that you watch rather closely this German-American, Lingbergh. There are thousands of unknown aviation mechanics that are just as clever if not more so than he but due to the fact that he once made a solo flight to Paris for money not in the interests of aviation, also received from the mad giving German government a medal of sorts has elevated from obscurity to a consultant on world affairs this individual who is wholly UNAMERICAN, if he were a true American he would never have the audacity to possess or utter his decidedly pro-German views. It is well that the majority of Real Americans take his mouthings lightly, and it is to be hoped that the American Government curbs the activities of this individual who is constantly making himself undesirable and detested. It requires no courage for a man such as he to voice his opinions. If he has any intelligence at all he should realize from past events and the individuals responsible for them in Europe, that the matter of an "negotiated peace" does not rest with or concern the United States Government. It was with great relief that the papers stated that President Roosevelt had not bothered to read this individual's mouthings.

Yours truly,

ack P.T.W. 2/1/41

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February 11, 1941

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[REDACTED]

Belmont, Massachusetts

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Dear [REDACTED]

I wish to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated January 27, 1941, and to express my appreciation for your interest in writing in this regard.

You may be assured that the content of your communication has been carefully noted, and will receive appropriate consideration.

Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

Mr. Tolson
Mr. E. A. Tamm
Mr. Clegg
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Mr. Rosen
Mr. Tracy
Mr. Carson
Mr. Egan
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Mr. Hendon
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Mr. Quinn
Mr. Nease
Miss Gandy

COMMUNICATIONS SECTION
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P. M.
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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Indianapolis, Indiana
January 17/1941

FEB 5 1941

President of the United States,
Franklin D. Roosevelt

CHARLES LINDBERGH

Dear Sir

Charles Lindbergh is
Nazi, Number One, of this country
and he should be the first person
sent out of this country.
Everybody knows without saying
any thinking that the fall of this

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Smith
2/1/41

Incidentally Kennedy, Wheeler, Taft
and others who are trying to
keep themselves in the limelight
are of absolutely no help.

But the Navy would obviously
menace this country.

Lindbergh should be
muzzled without a doubt.

Still hoping you can carry
on your foreign policy giving
England all the aid possible
and as soon as possible.

Very sincerely

BR



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[REDACTED]
Ringgold, Texas
January 26, 1941 *BZ*

Department of Justice
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

Gentlemen:

Had you considered the probability of Col. Charles A. Lindbergh being a Nazi agent? We would of course accept your information to be conclusive one way or the other, but the consensus of opinion of all the American people with whom we have talked is that he is.

Sincerely,

BZ
[REDACTED]

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ack 2/24/41 [unclear]

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February 20, 1941

[REDACTED]
Ringgold, Texas

Dear [REDACTED]

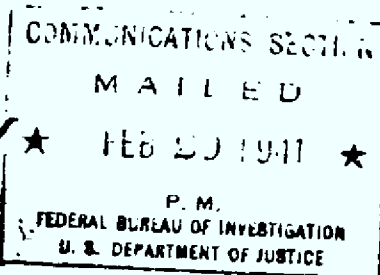
I wish to acknowledge the receipt of the letter dated January 26, 1941, signed by you and [REDACTED] and to express my appreciation for your interest in writing in this regard.

I regret to advise that I am unable to comply with your request, inasmuch as the information contained in the files of this Bureau is kept strictly confidential.

Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

Mr. Tolson _____
Mr. Clegg _____
Mr. E. A. Tamm _____
Mr. Foxworth _____
Mr. Nathan _____
Mr. Ladd _____
Mr. Egan _____
Mr. Glavin _____
Mr. Nichols _____
Mr. Rosen _____
Mr. Tracy _____
Miss Gandy _____



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1024 1940

Lang. West. Va.
Feb 12, 1940.

Mr. Franklin D. Roosevelt,
Washington D.C.

My Dear President: ^{James A. Olinberg}

When Lindbergh flew to Paris,
I admired him, when his baby was kidnapped.
I mourned with him, but do you think
any American should admire him after the
statements he had made? He should have stayed
in Europe.

I am a real American and would
like to have a job as a secret service
agent and help destroy unamerican activities,
which will destroy democracy if Americans in
class of foreigners are not given a chance
to help.

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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

I am thirty seven years old married,
one child, and a Democrat.
Is anything the Government could offer me
in this time of need that would support
my family, and at the same time be of
service to my country which I love. I am

Very sincerely yours

ack
2/27/40
Gwy

B7C

February 27, 1941

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[REDACTED]
Gary, West Virginia

Dear [REDACTED]

I have for acknowledgement your letter dated February 12, 1941, addressed to the President and received at this Bureau by reference from the White House. Your courtesy and interest in corresponding with the Federal Government are indeed appreciated.

I have noted with interest your kind offer of assistance during these critical times. For your information the FBI is desirous of obtaining any data indicating a violation of our espionage, sabotage and related statutes.

I am forwarding copies of your letter to Mr. L. K. Cook, Special Agent in Charge of our Huntington Field Division, 700 West Virginia Building, Huntington, West Virginia. Should you receive any information relating to these matters I hope you will feel free to communicate directly with Mr. Cook.

Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

Mr. Tolson _____
Mr. E. A. Tamm _____
Mr. Clegg _____
Mr. Glavin _____
Mr. Ladd _____
Mr. Nichols _____
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Mr. Quinn Tamm _____
Mr. Nease _____
Miss Gandy _____



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Liberty and a State Governor F. J. Mutual Interest in Defo

Lindbergh View Of U. S. Mission Wins Acclaim

Landon, Amos Pinchot and
62 Others Indorse Call to
'Build Strength at Home'

Amos R. E. Pinchot, lawyer, of 101 Park Avenue, issued a statement yesterday at his office announcing that Alfred M. Landon, Republican candidate in 1936, and sixty-two other widely known Americans were indorsing a paragraph taken from Col. Charles A. Lindbergh's article in last week's issue of "Collier's" magazine as "a call to the American people and a clear definition of America's highest duty in the present international crisis."

The paragraph, which Mr. Pinchot called "an inspiring statement," follows:

"If we desire unity and strength among our people, we must turn our eyes back from these everlasting wars of Europe—back to our own country, to the clear horizon of a great American future. Let us learn from the errors made by the democracies abroad and not repeat them. Let us give thanks to the generations of Americans before us who won and maintained the independence of our nation against far greater dangers than we face today. Let us dedicate ourselves to guarding that independence that we may pass it on to the future in even greater security than we received from it in the past. It is by building our own strength and character at home—not by crusading abroad—that we can contribute most to civilization throughout the world."

Besides Mr. Pinchot and Mr. Landon the following, according to the announcement, indorsed Col. Lindbergh's statement:

LILLIAN GISH, actress.
FRANK O. LOWDEN, Governor of Illinois.

WILBUR E. HANDMAKER, Bishop of Methodist Church, Denver.
SILAS H. STRAWN, former President of United States Chamber of Commerce.

THE REV. SAMUEL K. WILSON, S. J., president of Loyola University.

FRANK LLOYD WRIGHT, architect.

GEORGE N. PECK, former chief of Agriculture-Adjustment Administration.

BOAKE CARTER, radio commentator.

ALICE ROOSEVELT LONGWORTH.

ROBERT REPLEY, author.

SAMUEL HOPKINS ADAMS, author.

MRS. BENNETT C. CLARK, wife of United States Senator from Missouri.

EDWARD PRICE BELL, author.

DR. GEORGE H. WHIFFLE, dean of School of Medicine, University of Rochester, Nobel Prize Winner, 1934.

WILLIAM L. HUTCHINSON, first vice-president, American Federation of Labor.

JOHN T. FLYNN, economist.

IGOR SIKORSKY, of Vough-Sikorsky Co., Connecticut.

DR. A. J. CARLSON, professor emeritus, University of Chicago.

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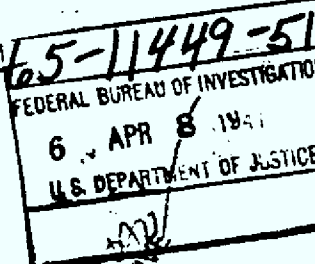
ALAN VALENTINE, president of University of Rochester.

DR. HARRY ELMER BARNES, author.

MRS. BETH MILLIKEN, New York City.

C. O. VANVICK, president of Globe-Union, Milwaukee.

DR. FRED ADAIR, chief of staff.



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 author.
 MRS. BENNETT CLARK, wife
 of United States Senator from
 Missouri.
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 author.
 MRS. BETH MILLIKEN, New York
 City.
 C. O. VANVIG, president of GLOBE-
 Union, Milwaukee.
 DR. FRED ADAIR, chief of staff,
 Chicago Lying-In Hospital.
 LOUIS ALLIS, president of Louis
 Allis Co., Milwaukee.
 THOMAS A. DINES, president of
 United States National Bank,
 Denver.
 ARTHUR J. MAY, professor of his-
 tory, University of Rochester.
 MRS. BURTON K. WHEELER,
 wife of United States Senator
 from Montana.
 GERTRUDE L. HANNA, chairman
 Ohio Chapter Pro-America Re-
 publican Women's Organization.
 HENRY C. TAYLOR, director of
 Farm Foundation.
 CLAY JUDSON, lawyer, Chicago.
 DUNCAN K. HODGES, retired Army
 officer, Illinois.
 GEN. ROBERT E. WOOD, chairman
 Sears-Roebuck & Co.
 JAMES S. SOPER, president Soper
 Lumber Co.
 DR. J. FREMONT BATEMAN, head
 of Columbus State Hospital, Ohio.
 KATHRYN LEWIS, labor executive
 and daughter of John L. Lewis.
 HARRIET VITUM, head resident
 Northwestern University Settle-
 ment.
 JAMES Q. NEWTON, Denver.
 J. H. MARSHUTZ, attorney, Mil-
 waukee.
 MRS. GRAMAM B. BLAINE, New
 York.
 CLAYTON RAND, editor of "Dixie
 Guide," Mississippi.
 GEN. THOMAS S. HAMMOND, pres-
 ident of Whiting Corp., Harvey, Ill.
 HERBERT W. BRIGGS, professor of
 government, Cornell University.
 JESSAMINE HOAGLAND, advertis-
 ing executive, Chicago.
 MRS. WILLIAM SHIPPEN DAVIS,
 New York.
 C. L. COUGHLIN, president of
 Briggs-Stratton Co., Milwaukee.
 J. C. HORMEL, president of George
 A. Hormel Co., Minnesota.
 WILLIAM H. REONERY, attorney,
 Chicago.
 SAMUEL B. PETTINGILL, ex-Con-
 gressman.
 JOHN P. SINCLAIR, Financial Re-
 search, Los Angeles.
 J. SANFORD OTIS, banker, Chicago.
 TALTON T. FRANCIS, Francis Bros.
 & Co., St. Louis.
 CLAIRE WILLIAMS, editor "Sat-
 urday Spectator," Terre Haute.
 CLARENCE MANTON, professor of
 constitutional law, Notre Dame
 University.
 JANET AYER FAIRBANK, novelist.
 CHARLES H. MORSE, manufac-
 turer, Chicago.
 PROF. PAUL C. BARTHOLOMEW,
 acting head of department of poli-
 tics, Notre Dame.
 EDWARD L. RYERSON, iron and
 steel manufacturer, Illinois.
 ARCH T. HOLLENBECH, editor,
 Missouri.

Houses Made of Pipes

One of the strangest suburbs in
 the world is outside Port Augusta,
 Australia. It is Pipestown and the
 houses are composed entirely of
 pipes, six feet or more in diameter,
 once part of a plan to carry water
 to remote districts.

✓
Harry Hopkins transmits to the Attorney General
an anonymous letter addressed to Mr. Hopkins,
postmarked Cincinnati, Ohio, April 7, 1941,
signed, "An American - ex secretary attached at
the staff". The letter discusses the recent
article in Colliers by Col. Lindbergh.

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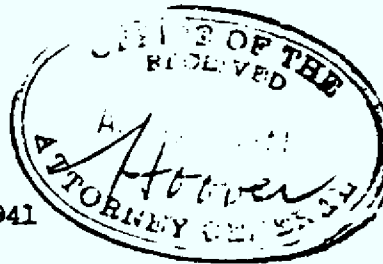
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SFPS LAB. POLICE

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

April 13, 1941



Dear Bob:

Here is an anonymous letter you might
be able to run down from a Nazi in
Cincinnati.

HARRY L. HOPKINS

Mr. Tolson	✓
Mr. E. A. Tamm	✓
Mr. Clegg	✓
Mr. Glavin	✓
Mr. Ladd	✓
Mr. Nichols	✓
Mr. Rosen	✓
Mr. Quinn Tamm	✓
Mr. Hendon	✓
Mr. Tracy	✓
Miss Gandy	✓

The Honorable
Robert Jackson,
Attorney General,
Department of Justice,
Washington, D. C.

65- 11449-52

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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Laboratory Work Sheet

Recorded 4-22-41 2:30 P.M.

Re: Anonymous letter addressed to
Harry Hopkins, postmarked
4/7/41 at Cincinnati, Ohio.

Lab. # 46495
File # 65-11449-52
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Examination requested by: Atty Gen'l. (Ans. by Memo making ref. to let. to Atty.
Gen'l. from H. Hopkins, submitted to Bu. by Atty Gen'l.)

Date of reference communication: Hopkin's let. of 4/13/41 Date blocked: 4/19/41 by
(rec'd. in Bu. 4/14/41)

Examination requested: Document-Fingerprint

Result of examination:

Examination by: Feehan
Knowles

Specimens submitted for examination

- Q1 One envelope postmarked # "Cincinnati, Ohio Apr 7 1941 7 - PM", addressed to "Mr Harry L. Hopkins, The White House, Washington DC".
- Q2 First sheet of accompanying typewritten letter beginning "Colonel Charles A Lindbergh in Collier....".
- Q3 Second sheet of above letter beginning "No, our expert on the vital....".
- Q4 Third sheet of above letter beginning "making the prediction that....".
- Q5 Fourth sheet of above letter beginning "cold, shrewd, unscrupulous....".
- Q6 Fifth sheet of above letter beginning "if you don't believe it....".
- Q7 Sixth sheet of above letter beginning "Perhaps you will....".
- Q8 Seventh sheet of above letter beginning "from this date....".
- Q9 Eighth sheet of above letter beginning "And if you have any....". (This sheet typed on both sides.)

Q 1, 2, 4, 5, 7, 8 to be typed 4-20-41.
LATENT!

Material examined. Three latent prints on Q-1, one on Q-2, one on Q-4, one on Q-5, one on Q-6, one on Q-7, one on Q-8. No searches conducted.

Combined with Lab Report

For America
He is also an
innocent sneak

Please don't believe
anything he tells you.

I always said
I would rule the
world. He has known
I hear of his remarks
His Enemy.
Thanks & mine.

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APR 25 11:00 AM '41

FILES DIVISION
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Don't wait for
any of his friends

ANONYMOUS COMMUNICATION
ENVELOPE ATTACHED

Hell. Sir;
Please forgive my
pencil writing; but
when I was employed
for Lindy Mason
a night's
discrepancy
that were un-
always sided in
with the Salmon people.

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Always said he could get away with this on account of money.

He is a typical Nazi & also was giving out information & receiving mail

His wife came pleaded from Germany as many a time with him. He is an agent for his own country.

as far as 1924. Looking for work in S. I. N. Y. But honest

Please look this up before its to late. He will know who I am.

I hate him, he is a big bluff. He thinks

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U.S. DEPT. OF JUSTICE

Clouis, N. Mex.

April 19, 1941.

President F. D. Roosevelt.

Washington, D. C.

My dear President:

Is there not
something you can do to
stop such speeches as this?
You must know ^{Chas. A. Q.} Lindbergh
is a very dangerous character
in this Country. I firmly
believe he is Hitler's right
hand man; for he is doing
every thing in his power to
discourage and scare the people
over here, in their efforts to

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does the Allies, he should
immediately be put to
death, as a spy.

I do hope you can
and will put a stop to
his talks in this country.

The enclosed is only
a part of his speech - the
rest does not seem to
have been printed - it
wasn't in my paper -
probably too Nazi to print.

I wish you every
good luck in your endeavors.

Very sincerely,
[Redacted Signature]

B7C

help the Allied Countries.

It seems to me, a spy,
such as he surely must be,
should be put behind bars,
or something done with
him, for the duration of the
war.

The United States, England,
and all the other Allied
Countries need all the en-
couragement they can get -
not some one to try and
turn them yellow; as the
Lindbergh has and is trying
his very best to do.

If he were in Germany
and talked about them like he

Lindbergh Thinks England and France Were Whipped Before War Started

CHICAGO, April 18 (AP) — Col. Charles A. Lindbergh believes that England and France were vanquished before they began to fight and that Britain cannot win even with all the resources of the United States.

His opinion that a Nazi victory was an accomplished fact was expressed last night in an address delivered at a rally sponsored by the America-First committee.

Making an appeal for unity among those groups which oppose U. S. intervention in the war, Lindbergh asserted that a minority has led the nation toward war "through misinformation and confusion of the issues involved."

"War is not inevitable for this country," he said. "The claim that our participation is inevitable is simply propaganda by those who want to get us in."

"We must face the fact that England is in a desperate position," he continued. "Up to date she has lost every major campaign in which she has participated. Her shipping losses are of the utmost seriousness, and her cities have been devastated by bombs. x x x"

"Personally, I believe it will be a tragedy to the world—a tragedy even to Germany—if the British empire collapses. But I must tell you frankly that I believe this

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PJW:MES

May 9, 1941

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[REDACTED]
Clovis, New Mexico

Dear [REDACTED]

I wish to acknowledge receipt of your letter dated April 19, 1941, and to express my appreciation to you for your interest in writing in this regard.

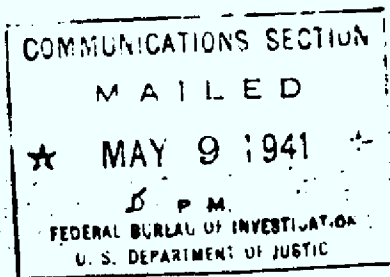
You may be assured that the contents of your communication have been made a matter of official record.

In the event you obtain any additional information which you believe may be of interest to this Bureau, do not hesitate in submitting it to Mr. D. A. Bryce, Special Agent in Charge, Federal Bureau of Investigation, United States Department of Justice, 202 U. S. Court House Building, El Paso, Texas.

Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

Tolson _____
E. A. Tamm _____
Clegg _____
Glavin _____
Ladd _____
Nichols _____
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Tracy _____
Harbo _____
Mohr _____
Tele. Rm. _____
Mr. Nease _____



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[Handwritten: 8/20]

It is true, had Lindbergh
cannot see this letter, but
he would know its contents,
but I am speaking for real
and true Americans when
I say "God Bless America."

I sincerely hope that
my opinion is regarded with
some consideration.

Respectfully yours,

B7C

Newark

New Jersey

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MAY 11 1941

To whom it may concern:

Dear Sirs:

X84, I read an article in our
daily newspaper, "The Newark
Star Ledger." It is called, "The
Feminine Hour." In it, it urges
us all to write to our
superiors, concerning the
attitude of your Nazi Lind-
bergh. As a girl of twenty
years of age who hopes to
marry soon, I want to take
advantage of it if I can
if Hitler can't. I will
all I will have to do
is how to make my
mark next to his name.
Even that will be denied.

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May 10, 1941

[REDACTED]
Newark, New Jersey

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Dear [REDACTED]

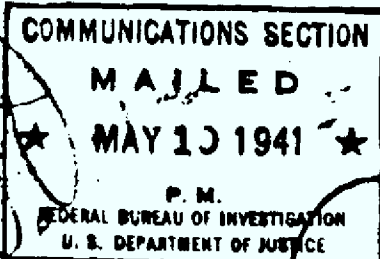
I wish to acknowledge your letter received at this Bureau on April 29, 1941. You may be assured that the contents of your communication have been made a matter of official record.

In the event you obtain any additional information which you believe may be of interest to this Bureau, kindly transmit the same to Mr. E. E. Conroy, Special Agent in Charge, Federal Bureau of Investigation, United States Department of Justice, 1836 Raymond-Commerce Building, Newark, New Jersey.

Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

- Mr. Tolson _____
- Mr. E. A. Tamm _____
- Mr. Clegg _____
- Mr. Glavin _____
- Mr. Ladd _____
- Mr. Nichols _____
- Mr. Rosen _____
- Mr. Tracy _____
- Mr. Carson _____
- Mr. Coffey _____
- Mr. Hendon _____
- Mr. Mumford _____
- Mr. Quinn Tamm _____
- Miss Gandy _____



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President Franklin D. Roosevelt
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. President

Your stab in a back comments of Col. Chas G. Lindbergh were most dastardly, because he is exerting every ounce of his true American spirit to keep us out of war, to prevent the unholy slaughter of our youth. His heart and soul are here in America and not in Europe, Asia or Africa. His efforts are for America as are Mr Churchill's for Great Britain. The comments from friends and others support Mr Lindbergh by an overwhelming majority. The real copper heads are your cabinet members, whose prime purpose is to destroy our Democracy.

We still beg of you not to involve us in this foreign slaughter for if we are led into it against our wishes, it shall be named the President's war.

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Detroit, Michigan

April 25, 1941

Hon. Franklin D. Roosevelt
The White House
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir,

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Your Talk and the smear you gave to one of the finest, most level-headed and one of the best American Citizen that ever lived, has just revealed, what a terrible mistake the People of the United States have made.

You mentioned, that he was compared to the people in our revolutionary times, who said, we should not fight England for our Freedom. I want you to know those people were called Tories or traitors to the American Cause. They wanted to help Britain just as you want to help Britain today instead of America and the American People.

My people came from England in the 16th Century, they left England, because they did not like that government. My people fought to free America from Britain. They fought Britain, when Britain burned our Capitol at Washington, my father and family fought through the Civil War of which was caused by Britain financing the South and promoting southern states to secede from our government and set up a government of their own, splitting our country as they have Europe, so they could control and rob. President Lincoln, His House and Senate were forced to compromise by putting our banking system in private hands.

You mentioned and compared Col. Lindbergh to Clement L. Vallandigham, leader of the Copperheads in our Civil War days. Vallandigham was the leader of the Copperheads financed with the money and propaganda from Britain and for no good to the American People. Do you not feel him or related to this man?

This last World War was fought for Democracy, and to unite the small countries of Europe to make a United Europe, the same as our United States. That was what we were promised if we would help whip the Kaiser. After we "WON" the war, they cut it up into more pieces, why? so Britain and her monopolies could better control and rob them. Clemenceau said after getting up from signing the Treaty of

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Versailles (this will be good for six more wars). 64668

I am sure if Lindbergh was President of the United States, elected by the people of the United States, he would adhere to their needs and demands and not give all their resources away to some other country to kill and murder the people of other countries. We the people are sure he would use all his efforts to safeguard the people of America from aggression by any other country and would not put himself in the war monger class, or put Britain and American Monopolies, and War Mongers ahead of the American People. We are sure, that he would not be a slave to that class. We the People are sure that he would not continually run the government on Emergencies.

You say, that it is the Dictators against Democracy. We the People of America and even other nations wish it was, if it was, Democracy would surely win, but the definition that Britain, World Monopolies, War Mongers, and yourself give the word Democracy would make Daniel Webster turn over in his grave.

We the People of America demand that you as a servant of the people stop giving away our resources in its various forms to warring nations.

We the people of America demand that you adhere to our interest, build up our home defense also work to the betterment of our economics of which are bad. The course that you are following if carried on will mean chaos for this country and people. The people are rapidly awaking to this fact.

What assurances have we the American People, that Britain with her Monopolies who owns most of South America now, will not line her armies with Hitler and turn on us, and the world after we have given them everything we have? They have done such a thing recently, it was when they gave Hitler finances to build up a war machine to handle Russia, but instead they handled Britain.

The War Mongers, the Monopolists care not about any nation or people their in. The world is their nation as long as they control it.

"AMERICA FIRST"



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President Franklin D. Roosevelt.

Washington, D. C.

My Dear Mr. President:
Yours truly,
CHAS. LINDBERG

CHAS. LINDBERGH
Your criticism of Mr. Charles Lindbergh is seemingly q. of not
seriously mis-directed, especially, coming from our "Chief
Executive"

Dr. Lindsey has brought out many strong & provoking arguments in his expressions regarding the International ~~inferno~~ now raging, and truthfully I have never read of his expressed views being intelligently refuted. To be sure he has been labeled from time to time, but in each instance he has furthered his cause by a lack of intelligent criticism on the part of his opponents.

Surely Mr. President, you will eventually detect the
falsity of Mr. Luther's views, and thereby rise above that
intellectual bankruptcy that is so consistently characteristic
of his critic.

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B7C [redacted] and myself are praying that the
 Almighty may inspire in you, our National Leader, the
 necessary wisdom to avoid our participation in the project.
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Yours very truly

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St. Louis, Mo.

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Dear Mr President -

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 Listened to Senator Wheeler, a real american, too

He is Wonderful and so is Col. Lindbergh - War
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 You say Americans are dumb, that they
 do not realize ^(you) we must give all to

Great Britain - (I could make a correction
 and say - the word dumb is incorrect -)

Stupid is generally acknowledged as correct,
 but Americans who are for America only
 are neither dumb, or stupid. At the same time
 as Stimson, Knox & McPherson may think they are

If your Secretary or assistants would count
 the letters sent to Senators and Representatives &

then they would know there are millions
 making plenty of utterance against entering

and men to Europe (or patrols, or your choice)

Mothers and Fathers will show their opposition to your war not their war

We had nothing to do about the League
 bill - it was your doing - as we see it

In October you promised to keep out of war & no Congress
 and american will hold you to it -

one more - the bible says. Whom the Lord will
 destroy they first make mad - Enough said

B7C Respectfully

Pres. F.D. Roosevelt,
White House.

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RE -- CHAS. R. LINDBERGH, ~~EX~~ COLONEL

Honorable Sir:

It was I who referred The Chicago Times to an article in the Saturday Evening Post, about two months ago, in which Lindbergh excused himself about the medal. This article sounded to me as if he had it published. It stated that he was no longer with the government. I thought it terrible that you should be blamed for his recent-resignation. This, I felt, was to turn many people against you.

In this article Lindbergh extolled Ford(a ~~DICTATOR-LIKE~~ methods. I believe he is working under Ford.

This article said that he "was on his own" when visiting the various air-fields in this country.

Ford, as you know, publishes a very anti-semitic paper. I have also seen it hinted in an article that he is contributing heavily to organizations spreading this kind of literature.

Sometime ago, I heard Walter Winchell state over the radio that one of the head men in Ford's plant is a Nazi. "This", he said, "is for the interest of anyone concerned."

Who knows but that, if there have been leaks in our designs, that they may be the ones who are guilty. I believe that Lindbergh should not be allowed on the fields and no secret models of any sort should be entrusted to the Ford plants until further check-up by the proper persons. This, of course, is merely a suggestion and a surmise. With all Ford's money, if he were so inclined, he could take advantage of all the strikes and PAY people to strike. I think the secret service should make a check-up.

By the way, where did he hide that ten million dollars in gold at the time the government called it in? Did he ever return it to this country? If, by any chance he might NOT BE a loyal citizen, why is he allowed to have so much money? Why not get together with Canada who threatened long ago to take over his factories unless he produced needed armaments for the government?

As I stated in a previous letter, I am not in a position financially to give all my time but I want to do everything I can to help.

Very truly yours,

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May 9, 1941

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Chicago, Illinois

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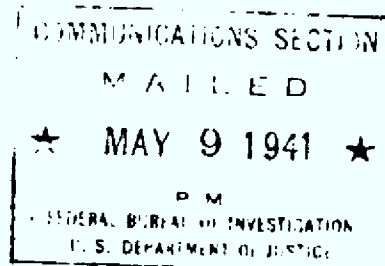
I have for acknowledgment your letter dated April 29, 1941, addressed to the President, which was received at the Federal Bureau of Investigation by reference from the White House. Your courtesy and interest in corresponding with the Federal Government are indeed appreciated.

You may be assured that your comments pertaining to the internal security of the United States have been made a matter of record at this Bureau.

Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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NEW YORK, N. Y.

W. M. McGuire
Secretary to the President

May 1, 1941

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Mr. Stephen Early,
The White House,
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Early;

I am merely one more American citizen who admires the courage and wisdom of our President, and at this moment I am especially interested in the swift rebuke which he gave the man Lindbergh.

I have had the doubtful pleasure of knowing a great deal about this stupid egomaniac, and that for many years, and I have also tried for years to get the F.B.I. to return to the case of what was supposed to be a kidnap affair, with the purpose of clearing up a great deal which is concerned with the father of the alleged child.

I am known to ex-Governor Hoffman, knew the dead detective alleged to have taken a strange part in the affair, for which he was most unjustly jailed, and I believe that if much which I know were to be investigated there would be able means of putting Lindbergh not only into the worse possible light before the public, but to put him where he belongs, which is prison.

He is a very dangerous man, because so many people regard him as almost a god, not understanding that he is merely an expert mechanic. The impudence of a man of his limited intelligence daring to speak "for the American people" is causing a great deal of indignation. Unfortunately, we have not found a spokesman for that indignation.

Will you not send an intelligent F.B.I. man to see me? You will find me in Who's Who, World Encyclopedia of Eminent Persons, and so on; been in practice in New York for thirty years. Not-- I hope-- a fanatic or crackpot. Really believe that I know a way to forever shut the babbling and irresponsible mouth of the man Lindbergh.

I am, sir, yours most sincerely

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New York, New York

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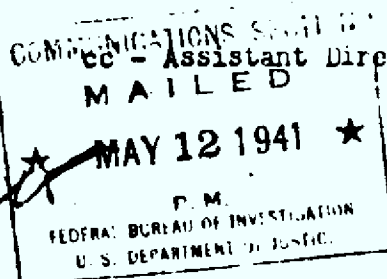
Your letter dated May 1, 1941, addressed to Mr. Stephen Early, White House, Washington, D. C., has been transmitted to me for attention. I wish to express my appreciation for your interest in writing in this regard.

Copies of your communication have been forwarded to Mr. B. E. Sackett, Special Agent in Charge of the New York City Office of this Bureau, who will have an Agent of that office call on you pursuant to the request set forth in your communication.

In the event you obtain any additional information which you believe may be of interest to this Bureau, kindly transmit the same to Mr. B. E. Sackett, Special Agent in Charge, Federal Bureau of Investigation, United States Department of Justice, 607 U. S. Court House, Foley Square, New York, New York.

Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director



Federal Bureau of Investigation
United States Department of Justice
Washington, D. C.

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May 8, 1941

MEMORANDUM FOR MR. LADD

Re: Anonymous letter addressed to
Harry Hopkins, postmarked
4/7/41 at Cincinnati, Ohio.

By letter dated April 13, 1941 Mr. Harry L. Hopkins submitted to the Attorney General an anonymous letter which was addressed to him and postmarked Cincinnati, Ohio. This letter was submitted by the Attorney General to the Bureau for appropriate examination in the Technical Laboratory. The evidence was received in the Laboratory on April 19, 1941 for document examination. The original evidence submitted is listed on the attached sheet.

Specimen Q1 is a white bond envelope bearing one cancelled 3 cent Thomas Jefferson postage stamp. The address on Q1 has been written on a typewriter. Q1 measures 9.50 inches in length by 4.28 inches in width by 0.0043 inches in thickness, weighs 5.770 grams and contains no watermark.

Specimen Q2 is a white sheet of onion skin paper bearing a message that has been written on a typewriter. Specimen Q2 measures 10.98 inches in length by 8.50 inches in width by 0.0020 inches in thickness, weighs 1.830 grams and contains no watermark.

Specimens Q3 through Q9 are white sheets of onion skin paper and all bear a message that has been written on a typewriter. The physical characteristics are similar in all respects to those of specimen Q2.

The specimens were also examined for latent fingerprints and nine such impressions, suitable for comparison purposes only, were developed.

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The Anonymous Letter File was searched with the possibility of locating letters in other cases that might have been written by the writer of specimens Q1 through Q9, but a combination of characteristics

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appearing in the current specimens were not found in any of the letters in this file. A photographic copy of the typewriting appearing on specimens Q1 through Q9 will be added to this file and in the event of any future identification you will be so advised.

It was concluded that specimens Q1 through Q9 were written on a typewriter that was equipped with Underwood Pica type, spaced ten letters per inch. No conclusion could be reached as to whether specimen Q1 was written on the typewriter which was used to write specimens Q2 through Q9 due to the fact that specimens Q2 through Q9 are carbon copies and therefore any defects in the type have been eliminated in these particular specimens.

The original evidence submitted is being retained in the files of the laboratory.

Photographic copies of specimens Q1 through Q9 are attached hereto.

Respectfully,


E. P. Coffey

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- Q1 One envelope postmarked "Cincinnati, Ohio Apr 7, 1941 7 - PM", addressed to "Mr. Harry L. Hopkins, The White House, Washington DC".
- Q2 First sheet of accompanying typewritten letter beginning "Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh in Collier...".
- Q3 Second sheet of above letter beginning "No, our expert on the vital....".
- Q4 Third sheet of above letter beginning "making the prediction that.....".
- Q5 Fourth sheet of above letter beginning "cold, shrewd, unscrupulous.....".
- Q6 Fifth sheet of above letter beginning "if you don't believe it.....".
- Q7 Sixth sheet of above letter beginning "Perhaps you will.....".
- Q8 Seventh sheet of above letter beginning "from this date.....".
- Q9 Eighth sheet of above letter beginning "And if you have any.....". (This sheet typed on both sides).

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March 21
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Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh in Collier of March 20th wrote, using the words of Collier's editor "a powerful statement of the isolationists' position" ---In a blatant bloody stripe Mr the Editor informs its readers that he does not agree with "Mr Lindbergh" why not Colonel Lindbergh, but just Mr. that is part of the effort to strip him of expert qualification - but the next six months will tell which was right, either Colonel Lindbergh or the blood thirsty editors wanting to lead our Country on the road to ruin. This article should be read by every sensible and true American because if read in good faith not a single statement can be challenged particularly this last paragraph:

Quotation:Demand a practical plan from those who preach of defending democracy throughout the world. Ask them to explain how we are to invade successfully the continent of Europe - how we are to impose our ideology on the peoples of Germany, Russia, Italy and Japan combined against us. Insist on an answer that is clear - couched in terms of soldiers killed and years of war. Stop them from telling you what should be done and make them demonstrate to you what we have the ability to do. Ask them to define our war aims; our plan of defense and of attack. And if someone says that such questions must be left to "experts," ask them: To what experts? to the same experts who, for the last twenty years, led France to defeat and England to ruin? To the same experts who have created the greatest national debt in American history, and still left us a nation unprepared in the midst of a world at war? To the same experts who failed either to maintain peace or to prepare for war? (end of quotation)

Now it is my privilege to present "expert Number One" in National defense number one department the United States Navy:

Mr Knox secretary of the Navy made not so long ago the public admission at a press conference that he is not at all a "expert" in Navy matters, also that he has not been selected for this job on this qualification, may I ask then "What for?"

He is not a democrat but in fact the Republican vice-presidential candidate of 1936.

May be he has been selected for the job for his far reaching seeing in the future? Let's see some facts: In 1936 while the presidential campaign was in progress somewhere in the state of Pennsylvania he predicted that re-election of Mr Roosevelt will mean the jeopardy of the people's savings and life insurance policies in the state of Pennsylvania. At this time the Governor of such state threatened him of prosecution for unwarranted attack on the financial institutions of the state the Governor was Mr Earl now champion Champagne bottle thrower in Sofia, Bulgaria's night club, but also ambassador of the United States in this above country, by the way may I ask if it is part of the business of an American Ambassador to pay \$ 10.00 for the playing of Tipperary in a Bulgaria night club, if so I don't see why the German representative at Washington should not pay \$ 10.00 to the orchestra of the Mayflower for the playing of the German anthem?

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So, our expert on the vital number one job of national defense has just one qualification, he is the owner of the Chicago Daily News the mouthpiece of Britain and advocate to give our money, arms and blood for the sole profit of the British.

We are told that in this world is a group of gangsters wanting to dominate the whole world, well from what I see in the pictures on one hand impressive large conference room with dignified full dressed military and diplomats signing pacts to preserve peace and taking at heart the full and sole interest of their own country respectively, also it's not use to repeat again the statement that Britain, France, and the United States possess the three quart of the globe surface and at the same ratio or over the greater part of its wealth. On the other hand I see the Honorable Mr Jesse Jones with both feet on his desk uttering the insult to the American people that England is a "good risk" the joke must be really good because in the next picture I see "expert" Ink splitting one's side with laughing, the diplomatic successes of champagne bottle thrower are really amazing, tuberculous Harry I Hopkins is green with rage to the display of German flag on the interned German ship in Port Everglades. I wonder where are the gangsters using the British invention the concentration camp (Boers' war) in New Mexico for interned innocent people their only crime is to be citizen of Germany and to have been on the S.S. Columbus as member of the crew, the U.S. Tascaloosa acting as spy for the British gave the tip and whereabouts of the peaceful vessel unarmed, the U.S. then neutral had no business to call a British warship in the 300 miles limit and to seize the vessel which was scuttled by its crew.

What hypothesis to delay the Bremen in the port of New York for the only purpose to help its seizure by the British Pirates.

Every move of the present administration has been wrapped in deceit, hypocrisy and the tramping of every international law not to mention the simplest common decency, why drive our country in the war by such infamous schemes, yes you will see back the "garden hose" from the good neighbor but under another form the one of the cat-at-nine-tails.

The summary of the World War number 2 is as follow :

Under the pressure of the Jews which had put around the neck of Mr Roosevelt their Gold medal sometime around 1939, the word was invented "Stop Hitler"

June 1939 the King calls at the White House, previously England had been conciliatory with Germany, but after the visit where assurance was given by President Roosevelt under his sole authority that he (Roosevelt will back England to the limit).

Few weeks later, Mr Roosevelt keeps his promise of full support by asking the repeal of the arms embargo.

Congress adjourn without wanting to alter same.

At Warm Springs Ga. Mr Roosevelt says "I will come back in the fall...if we have not the war" everybody since has been amazed by this accurate prediction, when really it is like to a man

making the prediction that within a few minutes he will receive a telegram - and well the prediction is absolutely correct ... he sent the telegram to himself sometime before. The Mr Roosevelt prediction was that in secret understanding with England the later was to give a blank check to Poland, England was to back Poland. The United States or rather Mr Roosevelt was to back England, and Mr Bullitt was to promise to the French full support, not to the beginning, but that France and England start the war and The U.S. will finish it. Yes war was inevitable, our country had no business to prevent Germany to take back Danzig belonging to her 600 years before a white man was in Germany.

Premier of France at the beginning of the war Edward Daladier has made deposition under oath at Riom, that every word of every statement as contained in the third German White Paper (papers seized in Poland) are the truth, the denial at the time of publication was just a matter of policy, when Daladier denied the authenticity of such papers it was by telephone before he even saw such documents this is the statement made by Daladier at Riom before the prosecuting board of inquiry. Denials of Bullitt are plain outrageous lies.

In October of 1939, Mr Roosevelt asked and obtained the repeal of the arms embargo, the measure passed because of the support of Mr Taft and an handful of senators. SHOULD THE DESTRUCTION OF THE NEUTRALITY OF THE UNITED STATES did not happen what should be the situation now March 1941 - Just this Germany would have had Danzig, the corridor, and perhaps Poland, but there would not have been a single house destroyed in France, Paris should be free, and not a single pane of glass broken in London. Because if the repeal of the arms embargo would have not passed not a barrel of oil, not a single plane would have left the U.S. and England and France would have made peace with Germany one month later (November 1939).

Either Peace with Chancellor Hitler was possible because it was no reason why he should not have respected his obligations, if he wanted war he had no reason to offer Peace. If he wanted to deceive all right England, France and United States should have stayed on the look out and if war was inevitable what war best? opening of the conflict as it happened or war in 1941 or 1942 when England France and the United States should have had time to prepare?

What a beautiful scheme Mr Roosevelt had planned, just look: The British Navy and the French Maginot line were to starve Germany, Germany was destroyed for ever. Mr Roosevelt had not to pay for the blank check given June 1939 to King George, a beautiful map of Poland was in the White House study with nice colored pins, in the drawer of the presidential desk was an nice fireplace chat concluding with the utmost modesty "we had it planned this way" ...

But, my ... my... this mighty Hitler and his German Nation did not want to die of starvation as planned by George, Roosevelt, Cohen, Corcoran, Morgenthau, etc. Rather to die in the streets of Germany by starvation they will fight the aggressors, and blockaders, and now the blockaders are blockaded like of yellow rats in their hole, they are licked, but licked as sure as tomorrow sunrise, and now England that has never fought any major battle herself, but always has always had other people did it for her is blackmailing Mr Roosevelt ...

cold, shrewd, unscrupulous, Winston Churchill, has Mr Roosevelt at his mercy. You, Mr Roosevelt, you gave to King George June 1939 a blank check, you and the then British Premier (misleading the Luc) Chamberlain did not expect you should have to pay the price of this blank check, now I, Churchill have filled the blank space-read it and comply: All your money, all your resources, arms, planes food, and a sea of American blood of our beautiful American Youth, innocent of the crooked policies with one hand on the bible, and every word uttered a lie, lie deceit, hypocrisy ... I, Winston Churchill present to you the check, so England, we can make promissory note of 5 or 6 billions of dollars and default, we can make promise to Poland, Finland France, Holland, Belgium, Turkey, Greece and default, but you must honor the check or else

Else what else just this from London a quiet evening I, Mr Churchill, will make a nice little speech, oh, very short but to the point here is the feature: Mr Roosevelt promised to the King full active support, loan, money, arms and American boys when and if necessary - Mr Kennedy has provoked our uncensored rising attitude toward Germany, Mr Bullitt has promised to the French the same, to be short, I, Mr Churchill broadcast to the world to night purely and simply the Third German White Paper implicating Kennedy, Bullitt etc are just the plain truth, Mr Roosevelt cannot back out. What the American people think of this secret Roosevelt policy?

Under of the orders of the British the most infamous, unwarranted and illegal act under any domestic statute or international law was committed by the administration by the seizure of foreign ships, and so much such measure is undesirable that the administration refuse to publish the legitimate protest of the injured Governments, not even the brain trust "13 pages Corcoran, Cohen, Jackson of 'old destroyers fans' are stumped and cannot draft a reply even moderately logical for the at least American consumption.

But our country is in state of war right now, the patience and understanding of the German Government is remarkable, the German Government knows very well that the American people not bought by the British money, has no quarrel with the Axis - Germany has never repudiated debts at the United States, Germany has never insulted or harmed any American National, Germany ask nothing from the U.S. does not even protest for the open provocations, insults coming from this administration, but orders are orders, Churchill is blackmailing Roosevelt and want open warfare, and Roosevelt want at least one flimsy excuse "we have been attacked" so he is reasoning if I give the boldest possible provocation for war, I will have the reason to shout I am attacked.

The next move now if the seizure, or rather the hold up of foreign ships is not sufficient is to duplicate the Athenia, with the British previous experience for the job and with the administration blessing one must expect any time a new Athenia Lusitania - with the difference that if really Germany sunk the former, it is obvious to any intelligent person that the Athenia was sunk by the British on direct order of Churchill at this time in Chamberlain's cabinet.

If you don't believe it how do you explain that since the Atlantic no American ships have been inconvenienced or molested in any way.

Did you ever stop to think a minute why not try to get Chancellor Hitler out of the way by just bribing him with say ten million dollars in gold delivered to him personally and secretly just for dropping out of the way? It cannot be done Hitler will not betray his country and the German people - Tell how about some people in Washington and American publishers? Will they accept some good money in return of just pushing our country in the war at the instigation and for the sole profit of Britain? Read again this paragraph, pose the question to any acquaintance of yours. Stand up before your mirror and aloud repeat this sentence and ask yourself are they any men in Washington, or in Time, Life, Fortune, March of Time, Collier's, Liberty Magazine the later caught red handed with deliberate lies its had recently to spend one full page (\$10,000 worth space) to ignominiously retract its British lies or face libel action, did you think those men will not or have not plunged our beautiful country into a bath of American blood

You are responsible for the coming war, you Mr Taft, when you refused to oppose the lifting of the arms embargo in October 1939 in your files you have or must have six or eight letters from me with full name, signature and qualification telling you almost word for word what you and one handful of short sighted politicians were driving American people from the cash on the barrel - to ere it - loan - ships - American boys ... and now every bomb destroying one house or building in London cause the American tax payer to pay the cost of said building because England must log and borrow what she need in this country but right now every time a house is destroyed in London the owner receive large part cash - every time a boat is sunk will be paid by our country because either England says the true she has not more money, so we must pay for everything or else she is lying.

The answer is obvious we will have to pay and pay and pay for years for generations, Hitler is making clear clearance for the profit of England, London will be rebuilt at new at American expense and do you see after war the nice sight seeing trip in reconstructed London, and we will have our sights to show too, the Tobacco Road and Craper of Death.

If Hitler win and HE WILL BE AS FREE AS TO ENJOY SUMMER, what the use of this squandering of billions, and the slaughter of American Youth?

IF A MI ACLE HAD INS and England win? God help us against its future arrogance, its competition in the world market by fair or foul play, and in place of Good Bless America we will hear the 1941 version of "thyloak"

What a price to fight and save democracy! That is democracy, Democracy according to Washington is represented by the King of England, Greece who HAD A DICTATOR ABOUT 20 YEARS BEFORE YOU EVER HEARD OF HITLER OR MACHOLINI!!! June: Latvia a kingdom? and various small crowned heads refuged in New York where they are liaison officials between London and Washington.

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Perhaps you will say --- oh just a "crank"

All right I have been called that before not once but six or seven times , do you care to hear in what occasion , well here are :

I was called a crank when in the summer of 1929 I predicted with all my acquaintances the coming of the stock market crash well I did not loose one cent .

I was called a crank when I predicted the closing of every bank in the United States in 1933 , what I know is that I did not loose , because I took my money out exactly 21 days before .

I don't know whether or not the recipient of my letter called me in the French version of "crank" but here a copy some part of a yellow copic sheet dated December 1939 the 20th. I wrote to the French Premier the then Edward Daladier , here I must frankly state that my predictions are not quite accurate but anyway good enough to have been heeded I quote

make peace now you have everything to gain nothing to loose you are going to make the heavy fighting for England at the first serious reverse the British will withdraw and you will hold and the bag and the bill , complete humiliation and defeat in everything this word may imply Germany will attack before January 15 of next year (1940) ... by way of Holland and Belgium , they are small countries they will be more than a liability than an allied , and probably will not fight but will just protest for the form (against the invasion) France will be crushed at the Maginot line back door, like a bank having vault door of steel at the front but a common wooden kitchen door at the back..... end of quotation

want more ?

Here I cannot find my copy right now but will quote from memory :

Sometimes in April or May 1940 ... I wrote to the then Premier of France Paul Reynaud make peace now without delay and you save Paris from destruction or at least encirclement , I wrote last year to your predecessor Mr Daladier (here above as already quoted) ... you are swimming against a stiff fixist current you will be drowned let go the nearest bank remember Marshall Foch was not born yet when the word "Perfidie Albion" was coined and understood in any language all around the world your greatest enemy is not Germany , but again England ... before July 1st (1940) Bordeaux will be occupied by Germans, and Italy will enter in the war and will occupy Marseilles you will then return to Versailles under the dictate of Hitler and the tables will be just turned around ... (end of quotation)

October 1939 I supplied Father Coughlin with a lot of references for details of some of his speeches. Remember - first cash - second credit - loan - ships - men overseas - fixist.

Call me a crank now , shout it so loud that you will attract witnesses for what I am going to predict next ... but about that later , keep this letter where you can find it six months hence and check it up with terrible events of the period April 1941 at

from this date on .

Fellow Americans if you think that the life of your son, brother or husband is worth one penny, I beg you to spend it on one post card, write only 4 words "I DON'T WANT WAR" sign your name and address, send it to your congressman or senator, go to the small trouble to do that right now, this minute, before you forget, did you before spend some of your time or a penny for a more worth while goal that to keep America out of war? Forward your post card has to fight against the Time, Life, Merch of Time Fortune, Collier, Liberty and recently Newsweek. each have a circulation of more than 500,000 readers, but your post card can save America if million of them pile up on the desk of the Warburgs they will be panicky because they are yellow rats, proof not calculated are each step planned toward the abyss. If possible copy at least part of this message and send it to somebody else with request that himself it does some.

Don't be a cattle driven at the slaughter house for England.

Fellow Americans England is telling you that if she is defeated we are next... what a lie... as you know France is beaten and entirely defeated nothing prevented Hitler to take over the whole country in fact at the time of armistice he had whole of France in his hands, but voluntarily he evacuated 2/3 of France territory, within the limit of the evacuated territories are next after Paris the France's two largest cities: Lyons and Marseilles - may I ask you why Hitler do not take first the whole France before attempting to take over New York, Chicago or Denver.

But here is the propaganda machine if England does not tell you 'you are next' if Washington does not scare you at death you will refuse to be stampeded in the war for nothing but to save the King of England - even if you are not subject to be drawn in active conflict you will have to pay and pay and pay, not may be not perhaps but as sure as next month you will have to pay \$10.00 for the landlord and \$ 50.00 for food.

How much you will have to pay well not to mention previous wartime burden of debt occurred while the last depression (the next one will make look the first one like a picnic) is about 5 billions already allocated and 7 billions for England - total 12 billions divided between 100 million of Americans, well that make around one thousand dollar per head, if you have wife and one child you will find the tax bill in your letter-box for \$ 3,000.00 how do you like it I don't know but the British like it. And that is a little beginning because the fight did not start -- yet. Now, perhaps you think you are smart enough to say or - let George pay it... yeah, did you listen to George tells the same story - so if you believe nobody will have to pay the small deposit of one thousand by head, that means you think that money is taken from thin air, in this case you must stampede your congressman not with penny post card but with telegram requesting that such appropriation is duplicated so like to England receiving your 7 or 12 billion, just wait \$ for the postman delivering to you one thousand dollar check per head in the family.

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An American ex secretary attached at the staff

Brooklyn N.Y.
April 30/41

Mr. F. H. Roosevelt

"Dear President."

I, born here, my father
born here, both in Philadelphia
Pa., am seriously following
all that is going on in the
land across the sea, which
is beyond words.

But to me I think here
in "our land" with strikes
and other things of which I
read in the paper and hear
over the radio. ~~we~~ are just
as persons.

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Now look at this map
can you see any resemblance
to Hitler's march and the
route laid out by Tudor
on his 1937 trip? I hope I am
wrong.

Good Health to you

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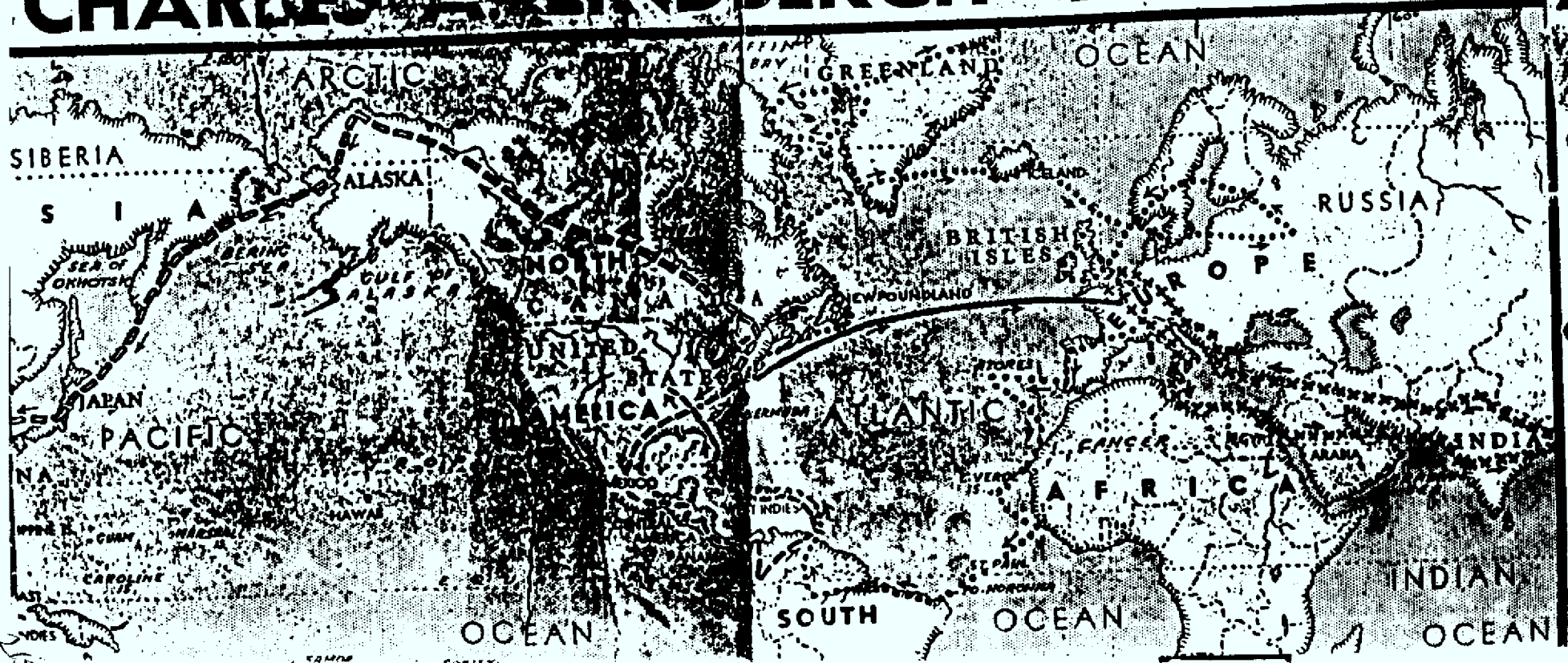
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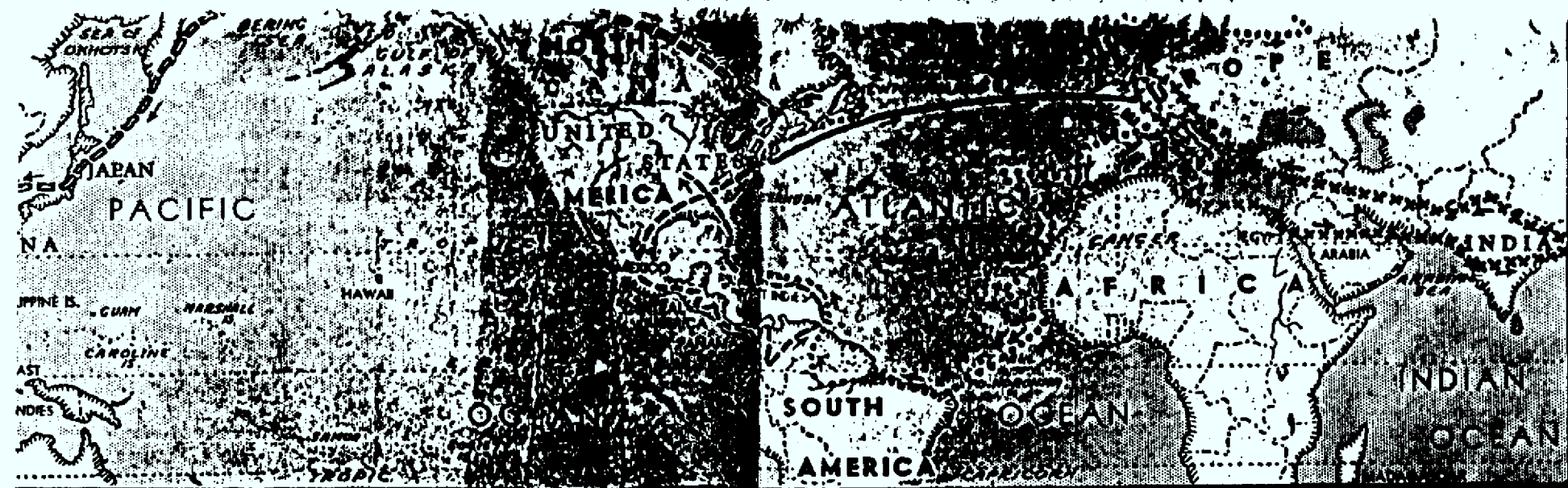
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CHARLES A. LINDBERGH—AVIATOR





(NEWS map by Staff Art.)

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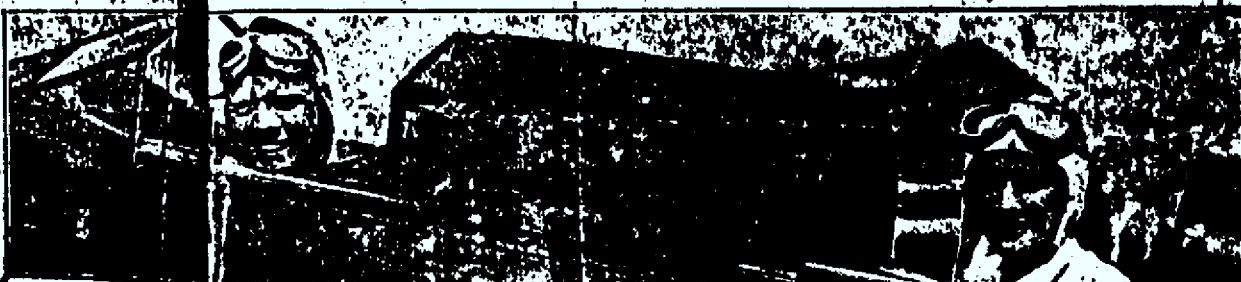
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THE SUN NEVER SETS on the lands flown over by Charles A. Lindbergh—aviator. From his world-startling hop to Paris in 1927, Lindbergh has practically lived in the air, making aerial surveys, good-will tours, and quiet plain flights. This map shows five of his longer flights, which took him almost around the world. (See key at left.) On two of these aerial tours, he was accompanied by his wife, who flew with him from England to Egypt and from Maine to China. These five major flights, of course, make up only a small fraction of the Lindbergh flying time. Countless shorter flights criss-crossed the United States, Central and South America and Europe. Visits to Moscow and Berlin brought inspection of the Nazi and Soviet air forces—which convinced Lindbergh that the Red air arm was highly overrated, and the German air arm highly underrated. (See Editorial on opposite page.)



Charles and Anne Lindbergh as they took off in Maine on survey flight to the Orient in 1931.

May 2, 1941

M E M O R A N D U M

Re: COL. CHARLES LINDBERGH *RT/K*

The following information was received at the Bureau from an unknown outside source.

It is reported that Col. Charles A. Lindbergh is a candidate for the Fuehrership of the United States and that Fifth Columnists are rallying under his name. It is said that the Christian Fronters in the East, the Silver Shirts in the West, the Ku Klux Klan down South and other so-called storm-troop bands are indicating that Lindbergh is their man.

The latest issue of the Wichita, Kansas, newspaper, "Publicity", alleged mouthpiece of Dr. Brinkley, (Edward James Smythe, Gerald B. Winrod and other so-called United States Fascists sets out:

"Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh, by his courageous stand against 1776 may prove to be 'this nation's man on a white horse.' Just the individual to ride roughshod into the nation's capitol in 1944. He would become another Honest Abe - the long looked for Lincoln of this day and age - an emancipator of the Jewocratic slaves of the 20th century.

"What this nation needs and needs badly, is another Honest Abe Lincoln in the White House - it was President Lincoln who emancipated the negro race from slavery in 1863. Now millions of white slaves to Jewocracy are crying aloud for another EMANCIPATOR to lift them out of the heluva fix they are in. Are their pleadings to be in vain?"

It was further said that to date, Col. Lindbergh has not objected to such use of his name.

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Los Angeles, California
May 14, 1941

Edgar J. Hoover
Department of Justice
Washington, D.C.

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Dear Mr. Hoover,

While I have my doubts as to whether this letter will ever reach your hands, I cannot resist the temptation to write. Being as light-headed as the next college student, I have got to put in my two cents, and as long as this is still America, that's exactly what I'm doing.

Lindberg raised a very big furor over whether or not he was in sympathy with the Nazi government. I don't think so, but I do think they have some hold over him, and that hold his son. This is what I'm blebbing about: His son was suddenly kidnapped, out of a clear sky, without even a warning, by a German. What was supposedly the boy's skeleton was found and identified. Hauptmann took the rap.

I claim that the Germans kidnapped the boy, took him to Germany, and substituted the skeleton of another boy in his place. Crazy, isn't it? But you can't stop crackpots like me from theorizing. My reasons? 1. The kidnapping was done by a German, who made a very feeble defense.

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2. I claim it is impossible for the skeleton to be in such a short length of time.

3. Lindberg is of German extraction.

4. Ordinarily, he would not go to such great pains to make such a fuss about the strength of the German military weapon and the puniness of ours.

There you are, mad theory and all. When this ends up in the wastebasket, I'll at least have had my say.

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Sincerely yours [redacted]

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Los Angeles, California

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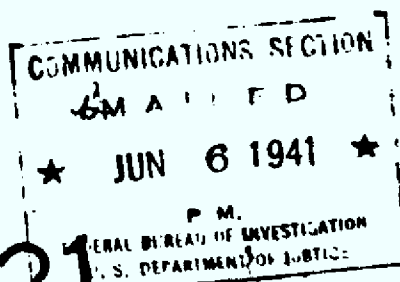
I wish to acknowledge receipt of your letter dated May 14, 1941.

Your courtesy and interest in bringing this information to my attention are indeed appreciated, and you may be assured your letter will receive appropriate consideration.

Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

Mr. Tolson _____
Mr. E. A. Tamm _____
Mr. Clegg _____
Mr. Foxworth _____
Mr. Glavin _____
Mr. Ladd _____
Mr. Nichols _____
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[Handwritten signatures and initials]

Federal Bureau of Investigation
United States Department of Justice
4058 United States Court House
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

June 10, 1941.

Director,
Federal Bureau of Investigation,
Washington, D. C.

RE: CHARLES A. LINDBERGH
INTERNAL SECURITY - G

Dear Sir:

On the evening of May 29, 1941, Colonel CHARLES A. LINDBERGH, United States Senator DAVID I. WALSH and novelist KATHLEEN NORRIS were the principal speakers at a meeting of the America First Committee at the Arena in Philadelphia, Pa.

Transmitted herewith is a clipping from the Evening Bulletin, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, dated May 30, 1941, concerning this meeting and a leaflet which was passed out at the meeting.

The meeting was attended by Special Agents R. J. UNTEREINER, N. S. HARZENSTEIN, W. B. CALDWELL, and G. P. POPP of this office. Although the meeting was scheduled to begin at 8:30 p.m., the Arena was filled to capacity at 7:00 p.m., and by 8:30 p.m., there were about five thousand people listening to a loud speaker in an adjoining lot and in the streets.

The speakers made quite a point of the fact that the national radio companies had refused the facilities of their broadcasting systems for a nation-wide broadcast of the meeting and stated that everything possible was being done to prevent the America First Committee from presenting their views to the American people.

The Agents observed no disorders or fights, and the meeting was orderly, though enthusiastic.

The crowd cheered the talks given by LINDBERGH, Senator WALSH and KATHLEEN NORRIS, and each time the President's name was mentioned a loud boo went up from the crowd.

The Agents who attended the meeting were

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enter the Arena proper, but circulated in the crowd without revealing their identities to anyone.

There appeared to be just as many people outside of the Arena as there were inside, and it was the general opinion that the America First Committee was gaining in strength and that undoubtedly there were more people present for the America First Meeting than there were for the LaGuardia protest meeting the night before.

Very truly yours,

J. F. Sears
J. F. SEARS,
Special Agent in Charge.

Enclosures
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AMERICA FIRST COMMITTEE
Charles A. Lindbergh
May 29, 1941.

Evening Post, Philadel., Pa.

Lindbergh Demands U. S. be told where it is Led

Arena Throng Hears him say President's Suggestion
on Hemisphere Defense would Cause War
that might Last for Generations

Philadelphia foes of intervention jammed the Arena and its adjoining parking lots last night to hear and wildly applaud the militant demands of Charles A. Lindbergh that the United States keep out of Europe's war.

It was a crowd—estimated by police at more than 8,000 inside the sports center and half that many outside—that booted every mention of or reference to President Roosevelt either by Lindbergh or the other featured speakers, U. S. Senator David I. Walsh (D-Mass.) and Kathleen Norris, novelist.

The crowd gave unmistakably complete endorsement of the isolationist principles of the America First Committee, under whose auspices the rally was held, and also lustily booed every reference to England.

It was a crowd preponderantly middle aged and with women outnumbering men two to one. For every man wearing a hat and coat, there was one bareheaded and shirt-sleeved; for every modishly dressed woman there were two whose dress bespoke modest circumstances.

Points of Address

Wildest of the demonstrations were those when Lindbergh:

1. Demanded that "our national leaders tell us where they are leading us . . . and what their intentions are about this war."

2. Termed the philosophy of the interventionists "a philosophy of failure."

3. Charged that if the President's suggestion of Western Hemisphere defense is followed "we will start a war between the hemispheres that may last for generations."

4. Declared that the security of this country lies in the strength and character of our own people and not in fighting foreign wars.

5. Asserted that the America First Committee, with the support of the people, "will keep this country out of war and create a leadership for our Nation that places America first."

The course of the leadership he advocated, Lindbergh said, is toward success and not failure.

Impregnable Defense Sought

"The America First Committee stands for an impregnable defense, a fully informed, free and self-reliant nation and a destiny for America that is independent of these everlasting wars in Europe," he declared.

"We believe in the right of free speech. Every citizen has the right to state his honest opinion. Speech and thought are not yet suppressed in this country."

"We believe in the right of the vote, that every citizen should have the right and the opportunity to vote

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LINDBERGH DEMANDS U.S. BE TOLD WHERE IT IS BEING LED

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on the policy of his government; especially on a policy which involves his laying down his life in war.

"We do not feel that our citizens were given this opportunity at the last election. The issue of peace and war was not honestly presented to us at that time. And now, in the hour of decision, we stand for the right of a free people to guide the course of war or peace.

Methods of Interventionists

"It would be interesting to trace the personal records of the interventionists through the years preceding this war.

"I would like to know, for instance, what they were doing while Germany was recruiting, and while the Hagfried Line was being built. I would like to know where they were when I was advocating a stronger air force for America and England. In those days, when there was still time to have prevented this war, the people who shout so loudly now were hard to find.

Signs That Are the Same

"But, as I have said, reality has never seriously affected the interventionists of any country. The usual effect signs of declaring war on Hitler, they said, would be enough to bring victory. Tanks and airplanes and fortifications were industrial matters. They used the same arguments, the same tactics, the same propaganda in Europe in 1939 that they are using in America today. The interventionists had their way. Unfortunately, moral effect is not enough against steel and guns. Thousands of brave men died, and Poland fell—half to Germany and half to Russia.

"After that, there was still the possibility of a negotiated peace in Europe, but not so far as the interventionists were concerned. And by that time, our interventionists in America were shouting as loudly for the war to continue as were their brethren in Europe.

"France would never be secure with a negotiated peace, they said, and the very mention of peace showed that Germany was weakening. They were certain she could be blockaded into submission by the British and French fleets. Victory would be assured and war could be

Lindbergh Offers 'New Leadership' for 'Better World'



Charles A. Lindbergh speaks to crowd of over 9,000 at the Arena

always the demand for more assistance from America.

"I tell you it is time for our people to ask where we are going, to consider where our course will end. We are not children to be coddled into unpleasant situations. We are not the blind followers of a totalitarian regime. We are the citizens of a free country, a country governed by the people and for the people. We demand the truth from our leaders. We demand that they tell us where they are leading us. We demand that they stop all this vagueness and confusion, and tell us as free men should be told, what their intentions are about this war. We demand a philosophy and a policy that will lead to strength and justice; not to weakness and defeat.

Never mind realities, the moral effect will make up for our lack of preparation. Their prophecies have been false, their policies have failed, and their promises have been worthless.

"If you stand with us, we ask you to join our committee. With your help, we will keep this country out of war. With your help, we will create a leadership for our Nation that places America first.

"I am glad to be able to tell you that our strength is rising. Our membership is increasing by many thousands each day. Men and women in every section of this Nation are holding meetings such as we have held in Philadelphia tonight. In every State of the Union, we are organizing against war. But the

America First Committee, presided at the rally and introduced the speakers.

FBI Agents in Crowd

While the police detail of 276 uniformed men was the same as assigned to the Convention Hall gathering.

A squad of 25 Federal Bureau of Investigation agents circulated through the Arena crowd during the four-hour meeting.

A detail of detectives accompanied Lindbergh and his party to the meeting from their hotel and back and

stood close by while he was on the platform.

Also on the platform were more than 125 other men and women, including Mrs. Lindbergh, who smiled with a smile when invited to address the rally. Others were Mrs. Drew Thomas Murphy, assistant chairman of the Philadelphia chapter; Charles W. Wills, treasurer; former Congressman Michael J. Keenan; former Director of United States Navy, the Rev. Thomas J. Bligh, S. J., assistant pastor of the Church of the Good Shepherd; the Rev. Thomas J. Bligh, pastor of St. Thomas's Church, and the Rev. John J. Bligh, pastor of St. Peter's Church.

sibility of a negotiated peace in Europe, but as far as the interventionists were concerned. And by that time the interventionists in America were shouting as loudly for the war to continue as were their brethren in Europe.

"France would never be secure with a negotiated peace, they said, and the very mention of peace showed that Germany was weakening. They were certain she could be blockaded into submission by the British and French fleets. Victory would be assured and war could be kept from our shores, they told us. If we in America would only revise our Neutrality Act, and sell arms for cash to Europe. So the blockade was tightened, and the winter slowly passed. Meanwhile, Russia invaded Finland and the sinking of British shipping began."

In sarcastic vein, he reviewed at considerable length the course of the war since then, carrying out the idea that "interventionists" in Europe had insisted upon carrying it on. He dwelt upon the British defeat in Norway and the retreat from that country, the defeat in France and the British retreat from that country, and the situation.

Negotiated Peace

"At that time, many of us who did not want to see England defeated advocated a negotiated peace in Europe. We realized how futile it was to carry on a war for which no nation but Germany had prepared. We knew that it would only send the best men of Europe to die by the hundreds of thousands, and that with each month that passed England would be in a worse position to negotiate than she was before."

"But the interventionists were still in control. Their personal reputations were at stake. Germany had over-extended herself, they shouted: famine and disease would spread through Europe and the conquered peoples would revolt. Russia would turn against Germany; the British navy would win in the end. But of course it would now be necessary for America to take a more active part in the war—we must send destroyers from our Navy; guns and planes from our Army and our air force."

"They attempted to stampede our people through hysteria and fear. If England fell our turn would be next, they cried. Our Nation of 130,000,000 people would be invaded like Luxembourg, Holland and Belgium. Our cities would be destroyed by non-existent fleets of trans-Atlantic bombers. German parachute troops would descend on the streets of New York. Our own President spoke of an air invasion from the Arctic wastes of Greenland, and of bombing planes over our cities of the middle west—bombing planes with speeds far exceeding any yet attained, even as the drawing boards of our greatest engineers."

Churchill Is Quoted

"During the winter of 1940 and 1941, the interventionists again told us that England was winning. It was Churchill himself who said that the British navy had the submarine menace well in hand, and that the Royal Air Force had already won the battle of the air. The interventionists points to the Italian reverses in Albania, Libya, and Abyssinia as proof that Germany was losing the war. But it was necessary for us in America to give still more assistance, they said. We must supply all the arms they needed. We must make our country into 'an arsenal for democracy' so that we could save the British Empire from defeat. We might even have to transfer part of our Navy to England, they told us, and possibly convey ships across the sea. But with our assistance, in sufficient quantity, they assured us, there could be no doubt that England would win the war. To think otherwise, they said, was defeatism."

"Then came the Yugoslavian episode. The interventionists hailed it with enthusiasm. It was the turning point of the war, they claimed. They told the people of Yugoslavia to fight, and they promised that the resources of America and England would carry them to victory. The Yugoslavians believed, and fought and died. Then came the Slavs of Greece, and now it is Czechs. Although the same story—our effort after another since the war began. And

into war situations. We are not the followers of a totalitarian regime. We are a free country, governed by the people and for the people. We demand the truth from our leaders. We demand that they tell us where they are leading us. We demand that they stop all this vagueness and confusion, and tell us, as free men should be told, what their intentions are about this war. We demand a philosophy and a policy that will lead to strength and success, not to confusion and failure as in the past."

Philosophy of Failure

"The philosophy of the interventionists is a philosophy of failure. Nothing shows that more clearly than a study of their record in this war. They cannot point to the achievement of a single important success, either in America or Europe."

"And what are they doing today? Our own President says that the safety of America lies in controlling the Cape Verde Islands off the coast of Africa. From 1900

"If we take the attitude that we must control the islands of the Eastern Hemisphere, Europe has just as much reason to demand control of the islands of the Western Hemisphere. If we say that our frontiers lie on the Rhine, they can say that theirs lie on the Mississippi."

"Mr. Roosevelt claims that Hitler desires to dominate the world. But it is Mr. Roosevelt himself who advocates world domination when he says that it is our business to control the wars of Europe and Asia, and that we in America must dominate islands lying off the African coast."

"I have always been in favor of controlling the islands of our own hemisphere. It is less than two years ago that Administration supporters called me an imperialist for advocating such a policy. But islands lying off the coast of Africa do not belong to this hemisphere, and if we try to control them, we will throw the world into complete chaos by our attempt."

"The interventionists have forgotten their promises that all the steps they asked us to take were to be short of war. They now say that the only way for us to defend America is to cross the Atlantic Ocean and fight Europe; to cross the Pacific Ocean and fight Japan; to fight possibly Russia, Italy, France and Spain as well. They say that the only way we can defend democracy is by adopting the policies of a totalitarian state ourselves."

"They tell us it is undemocratic for us to question the type of leadership that has taken to defend every nation in the world that followed it. They shout to us, as they shouted at England and France, they say:

"If you stand with us, we will help you. If you stand against us, we will help our enemies. We will keep this country out of war. With your help, we will create a leadership for our Nation that places America first."

"I am glad to be able to tell you that our strength is rising. Our membership is increasing by many thousands each day. Men and women in every section of this Nation are holding meetings such as we have held in Philadelphia tonight in every State of the Union, we are organizing against war. But the crisis is here. We need your assistance and we need it now. We ask you to help us organize. We ask you to write to your representatives in Washington, to tell them you are opposed to entering the war. This is a time for action, and it is only by action that we can succeed."

Although he spoke almost three minutes over the half hour time allotted him on Station WPTZ, attention of that Station and Lindbergh kept on the air until he had finished."

Mrs. Norris, who presided at the meeting, said the American First meeting had gained more than 25,000 members and that the American First was not a party to the war.

Words of Reassurance

"The only thing that we have in Europe," he said, "are the ruins on every horizon, marking the graves of our boys that did not come back from another war."

Senator Walsh, chairman of the Senate Naval Affairs Committee, the last speaker, accused interventionists of urging upon America an implied or expressed alliance with Britain and the surrender of this Nation's peace."

"England and France," he said, "declared war on Germany without Germany being guilty of one provocative act against them. There has been no overt act of hostility manifested by either Germany, Italy or Japan against the United States."

"Eighty per cent. of Americans want peace, not war. If you are of native stock and against war you are a defeatist. If you are pro-British, foreign-born and for war, you are a patriot."

"Most of those who want war are too old to fight or have no children that will do the fighting."

Isaac Penhypecker, chairman of the Philadelphia branch of the

TOO MUCH AMERICA!

England's *News Chronicle* Printed in 1927.

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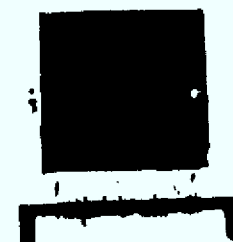
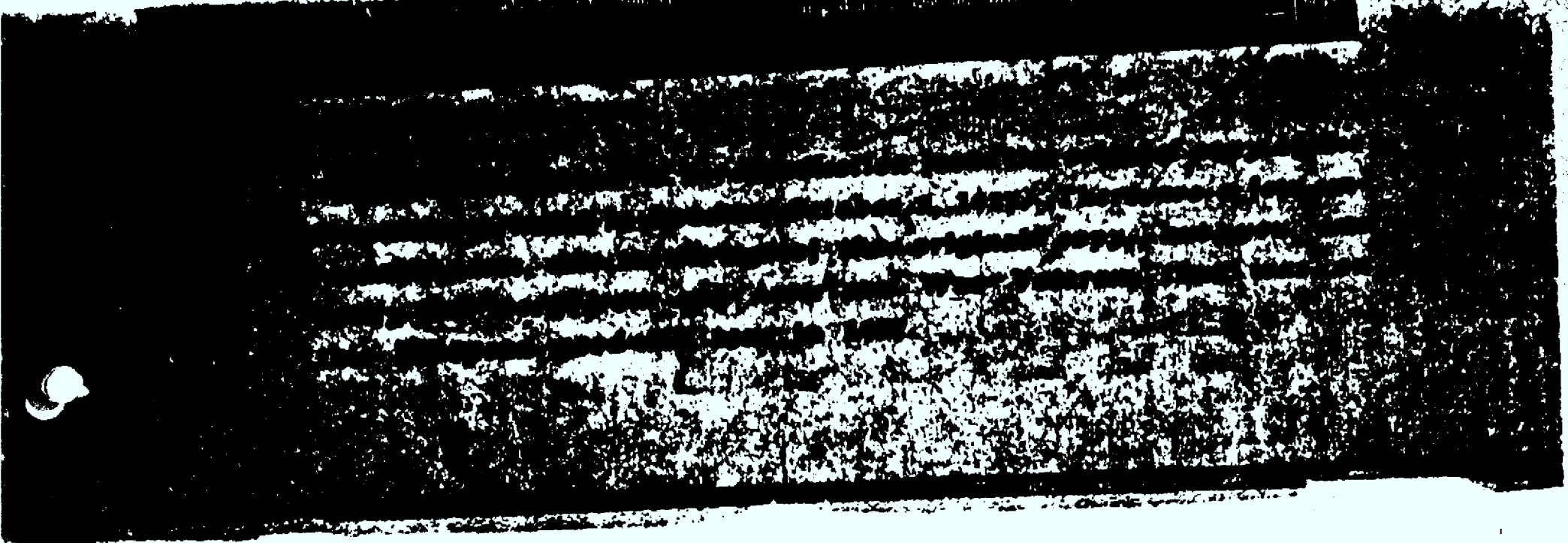
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Santa Maria, Calif;
May 29 - 1941.

Federal Bureau of Investigation
Dept. of Justice
Washington, D. C.

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Gentlemen;-
mk I am inclosing some clippings from
the current issue of Liberty Magazine.

This sudden reappearance of Jafar
on the scene brings back to me and
no doubt many more Americans all of the
unsolved mysteries of the Lindbergh kidnap
case i. e.; Who was Jafar? - Why wouldn't
Hauptmann talk? Did Lindbergh contact the
kidnappers? What caused the suicide of the
maid in the Lindbergh home? - Was the
body found really that of the Lindbergh baby?

A body was identified by its clothing as
a man was convicted on circumstantial
evidence with holes in it, and hanged. And we were
all left guessing.

The questions arises, Was Lindbergh a
victim of the Gestapo? and 2. He still a victim
of the Gestapo?

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I have been reading and thinking
with growing conviction that the devil
is hiding behind the American
guise of - mysticism and prophecy.

Hitler, with all of his belief in
and his love for numerology and symbolism
were looking for a prophetic leader for his
victorious air forces who would be more
than Lindbergh? The Lone Eagle - The First Man
to fly the Atlantic - The American Hero.

Symbolism has always played a large
part in German affairs and so has prophecy.

in any way with their prophetic dates he is a marked man.

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"I am watching with ever increasing alarm the tendency of, supposedly hard, headed people to swing into line behind the Voice of Prophecy. Of course all of this back to Biblicism movement may be merely the result of fear - again it may.

If certain people can get America worked up to a religious fever pitch and then spring Lindbergh on them as "The Sacrificial Lamb of God" destined to lead the "winged Angels of Mercy" or some such symbol - Look Out!

Religion is America's weak point. We have more sects (Christian sects) in America than anywhere in the world. If anyone wished to disrupt American life what better way than to turn to religious disunity? Religion is a weak spot or otherwise hard headed and hotheaded people - the most vulnerable spot.

Maybe these are fantastic ideas but we are living in a fantastic age and dealing with a bunch of religious fanatics - The only way to trip them is to have to think their thoughts after them or maybe ahead of them. Maybe Lindbergh needs help.

Sincerely

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rejoicing in Berlin following each one of the former colonel's appeals to his countrymen. Johannes Steel, WMCA commentator, is authority for the statement that this "recurring last verse of a five-stanza number" is a "current Nazi night-club favorite":

Heil Lindbergh, Führer of America,
Who will destroy plutocratic democracy,
The Jews, and Freemasonry
In the United States.

Personally I dismiss this sort of thing as part of the "hysterical chatter" incident to all war, just as I dismiss on the same grounds the reaction of London theater audiences who rise to their collective feet and "raucously cheer" when the comic sings:

Then there's Colonel Lindbergh
Who made a pretty speech.
He's somewhere in America.
We're glad he's out of reach.

We cannot dismiss so casually, however, the fact discovered by a

FREDERICK L. COLLINS

Impartial observer explores the
... of our erstwhile No. 1 hero

tain this detached attitude in view of the tendency of certain types of organizations which contrive to turn his meetings into something which "resemble those that Hitler organized in Germany during his rise to power." For example, these reports of his New York meeting, announced
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WHY LINDBERGH ACTS

as being held under the auspices of the America First Committee:

"The hall was packed with members of the Christian Front, the Christian Mobilizers, American Patriots, Crusaders for Americanism, Social Justice clubs, Committee for the Preservation of America, German-American Bund and various other Fifth Column organizations. Outside the hall thousands of persons milled about. Inside, the speakers were frequently interrupted by Jew-baiting cries from the audience."

"Young boys and bespectacled elderly women sold copies of Father Coughlin's Social Justice (outside the hall) and did a good business. . . . (All the stops of sympathy were pulled when John F. (Jafie) Condon, the go-between in the Lindbergh kidnapping case, got up from a second-row seat, mounted the stage and shook hands with Col. Lindbergh. . . . In a moment Col. Lindbergh was engulfed. He was rescued by detectives of the Alien Squad, a group of policemen assigned exclusively to the task of ferreting out un-American activities."

Demonstrations for which Lindbergh has been in no way responsible have also complicated the situation for those of us who wish to think straight. For example, this sort of headline is hard to take:

KLAN AND BUND CHEER LINDBERGH
AS THEY KISS UNDER FIERY CROSS—
THEY UNITE FOR FIRST TIME AT JERSEY
RALLY—ENDORSE FIFTH COLUMN WORK,
etc.

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[REDACTED]
Santa Maria, California

Dear [REDACTED] *B7C*

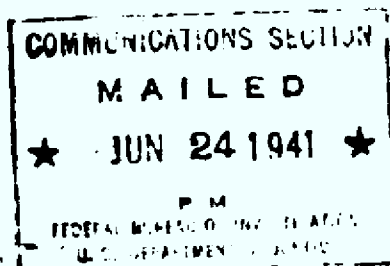
I wish to acknowledge receipt of your letter dated May 29, 1941, with its enclosure.

Your courtesy and interest in bringing this information to my attention are indeed appreciated, and you may be assured your letter will receive appropriate consideration.

Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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Tele. Rm. _____
Mr. Nease _____
Miss Gandy _____



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THIS SIDE OF CARD IS FOR ADDRESS

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D.C.

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Mr. T. T. T. T.

Clasburg, Okla
May 2nd 1941

Who is threatening the Lindberghs' son? Is it the same crowd that murdered his son? They want someone indicted for abducting free speech and violating the Bill of Rights, by denying him the Academy of Music. They are traitors and should be tried for treason. It is an outrage against the American people. Clean out the "British" aggressors.

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Clarksburg, West Virginia

Dear [REDACTED] B7C

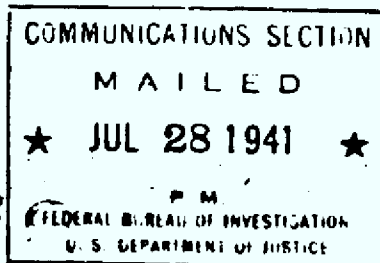
I wish to acknowledge receipt of your communication dated May 28, 1941.

Your courtesy and interest in communicating with me are indeed appreciated, and you may be assured your letter will receive appropriate consideration.

Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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Mr. E. A. Tamm _____
Mr. Clegg _____
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Mr. Ladd _____
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Mr. Rosen _____
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[REDACTED]
Hammond, Louisiana

Dear [REDACTED]

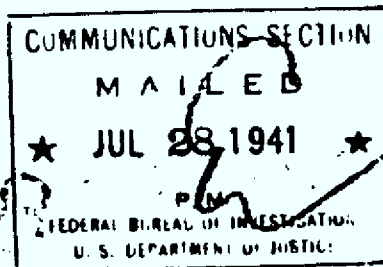
I wish to acknowledge receipt of your letter dated May 30, 1941.

Your courtesy and interest in communicating with me are indeed appreciated, and you may be assured your letter will receive appropriate consideration.

Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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MARKET STREET AT FORTY-SIXTH
NORTH WEST CORNER
PHILADELPHIA

Dear Sir,

The enclosed
letter was mailed to
me and I am forwarding
to you, for what it may
be worth.

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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Sincerely,
[Signature]

Helene V. Sherman
Woodbury Heights
N.J.

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[Handwritten initials]

June 17, 1941

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Helena Stevenson

The Answer to your letter to the
Inquirer Sat June 14. You are a very
crude man to say that Lindbergh has
your hangwire, I dont think you are a fit
person to utter the fine name of Lindbergh
from your foul mouth. This noble man is
trying to save the Blood and Flesh of our
Select American Boys. You are so thick
you cannot see 3 in ahead of you. I do not
want to explain any situation to you, because
you have murder, in your heart and mind.
What has Lindbergh done to this fine Lady?
It is people like you that make war.

I know you have no boys in the army.
You want the boys to risk their good lives
for you, as you are not worth anything.
Dont call yourself American, Dont ever mention
the name Lindbergh at any time or even think
of it you are not fit for such a name
or you to judge.

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I am An American does not want the the
blood of our boys spilled or their flesh torn to bits

Gone Haywire

To the Editor of The Inquirer:

The article by Margaret Wynne Park strikes just the right points regarding the Roosevelt - Lindbergh situation. We know Roosevelt is 100 percent for the Americas, but as for Lindbergh a question arises as to just what his leanings are. He has had so much trouble and sadness his outlook on life is no doubt soured and his views distorted. In short, his Americanism has gone haywire.

HELENA V. STEVENSON

Woodbury Heights, N. J., June 11.

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June 27, 1941

Miss Helena V. Stevenson
Woodbury Heights, New Jersey

Dear Miss Stevenson:

I wish to acknowledge receipt of your letter dated June 17, 1941, with its enclosures.

Your courtesy and interest in bringing this information to my attention are indeed appreciated, and you may be assured your letter will receive appropriate consideration.

Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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**Federal Bureau of Investigation
United States Department of Justice**

Butte, Montana
June 3, 1941

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Mr. Ladd	
Mr. Nichols	
Mr. Rosen	
Mr. Tracy	
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Mr. Jones	
Mr. Quinn	
Mr. Nease	
Miss Gandy	

Mr. John Edgar Hoover
Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
United States Department of Justice
Washington, D. C.

PERSONAL

Dear Mr. Hoover:

I received some information the other day regarding CHARLES A. LINDBERGH in which I thought you would be interested.

As I understand it, LINDBERGH was given some lessons in flying by one JOE LYNCH of Butte, Montana. They went on a barnstorming tour of the country and were stranded in Billings, Montana. While in Billings, LINDBERGH lived in the home of a prostitute for a considerable time and associated with the prostitute's pimp. There is a photograph in existence showing LINDBERGH with this woman and her pimp.

During his stay in Billings he tried to marry two different girls who were employed in a laundry. For part of the time he lived in a boarding house, and the register containing his name is still in existence. This boarding house was operated by an old lady, and LINDBERGH left Billings owing her a little over \$38.00 for room and board, which debt he still owes.

I was reliably informed that LINDBERGH should have been prosecuted on two different charges of bootlegging whiskey from Canada to Billings, Montana, by airplane. These charges, of course, are now outlawed by the Statute of Limitations, but I believe that it is still possible to obtain proof of the fact that he did bootleg this whiskey.

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It is, to say the least, coincidental that LINDBERGH on his tour of the United States after his return from his flight to Europe, did not stop at Billings. JOE LYNCH, who is supposed to be a friend of LINDBERGH'S, called to see him somewhere while on his tour and was refused admission.

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I rather suspect that this data is being gathered by Assistant United States Attorney ROY F. ALLAN of Billings, who


Mr. John Edgar Hoover

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June 3, 1941

will furnish it, properly supported by affidavits, etc., to WALTER
—INCHILL. I do not know this, however.

Sincerely yours



W. G. BANISTER
Special Agent in Charge

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New York City

ANONYMOUS COMMUNICATION
KEEP ENVELOPE ATTACHED

June 6, 1941

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Dear Sirs:

The country believes the time
has come when Colonel Lindbergh's
implications of 'new leadership'
and its support by subversive
elements is looked into. The people
consider him not capable of the
role he has taken upon himself
and therefore doubly dangerous.
American citizen

Coffeyville
Kansas,
May, 30-41.

To the honorable, President of our U.S.A.

I denounce Lindburgh.

This U.S.A. should stop this propoganda he is putting out.

To live in a land of the free and a home of the brave, is a wonderful heiratage, Nothing greater this side of heaven,

But a freedom of speach, in a land, does not include treason rights.

A house divided against it's self nan not stand, so it be with a Nation

I was born a republican rocked in a Republican cradle, and expect

to honor my Father, and Mother, by holding on to the title just as I

will my family name. To be a Republican by Name does not mean that as

a party one must believe in all that is advocated by the leaders of the

party. I believe that every Loyal Liberty, Loving person that has the

threecolors Embelmatic of our Nations Flag, The blue, the red, the white,

coursing his veins, at this time Sould rise up and denounce the Lindburg

propoganda, and brand it as treason against our President.

If ever he needs our support is in a time of perial and that is now,

Stand by him in speach, Stand by him in deeds, the enemy a head is

enough oposition with out giving time and energy to a 2/4 private citize

that had more nerve than brainto be considered in any way at this time
He is just a spoiled Boy.

All over our Land to day float the flag of our country. The blue denotes Loyalty, The red denotes liberty. The white denotes
and the galaxy of stars emblematic of union.

Oh, thy flag of my country float on, Float on in thy beauty and Glory.
And may no breeze ever fan the that is poisend with streamer breathe

Float on in thy beauty and Glory. untill every heart shall feel the thr
of patriotism and every voice sing my country tis of the land of liberty

of the I sing, P.S. this is a man 73 years old
Typewriter, and Adding Mechanic, serving the people the best I can

and stand ready to do your Bidding, [REDACTED]

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M. J. [REDACTED]

Federal Bureau of Investigation
United States Department of Justice

Dallas, Texas

June 27, 1941

Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

On May 26, 1941, MARVIN E. RUTHERFORD of Abilene, Texas, furnished this Office with information hereinafter set forth.

RUTHERFORD is a chemical engineer, an ex-service man of Company 348 of San Antonio, Texas. It should be stated, in a preliminary way, that RUTHERFORD claims patents on various technical developments. He has patented in 1941 a muffler for an airplane under the name of aero-silencer through KIMMEL-CROWELL, patent lawyers, Legal Building, Washington, D. C. Other patents include a front springs support for an automobile (1923), a non-corrosive battery terminal (1925), a radiator shield and fender brace (1924), a (disco-hydraulic) brake (1936), a commercial plow (1934). RUTHERFORD also claims the invention of, although not the patent for, the front end drive utilized by the now defunct Cord Automobile Company of England, the gear driven airplane propeller, and the bullet-proof or non-inflammable airplane gasoline tank. Some of the patented items have gone into actual production.

RUTHERFORD alleges that on April 22, 1939, he deposited in registered mail, a copy of the registration receipt being in his possession, the original plans for an aviation gasoline tank similar to the ones in use in the present conflict since the latter part of 1940. The sealing and mailing of the envelope were witnessed by PEARCE ROGERS and JACK BLAKE of Abilene, Texas. No return receipt was requested. The envelope was addressed "Colonel CHARLES A. LINDBERGH, c/o HENRY ARNOLD, Commander-in-Chief of the Air Corps, Washington, D. C.". At that time LINDBERGH was chairman of the New Device Committee. RUTHERFORD has in his possession photostats of the plans sent at that time. There were just two photostatic copies of the plans made, and RUTHERFORD has both of them. They were photostated by the Blueprint Company, Pine Street, Abilene, Texas.

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June 27, 1941

RUTHERFORD thereupon left for California to experiment on the above mentioned airplane muffler in the Lockheed Laboratory at Burbank. While in California RUTHERFORD found in a copy of the May, 1941, Los Angeles Examiner, a daily newspaper, an article written by HENRY ARNOLD, Commander-in-Chief of the United States Air Corps. The article described an airplane gasoline tank found on a German plane shot down in England. It was said to be a bullet-proof self-sealing gas tank. These tanks, RUTHERFORD states, have been in American production during the last 90 days only. ARNOLD stated in the article that at that time, May 3, 1940, the United States did not have a self-sealing gas tank. According to RUTHERFORD, subsequent to that time, all United States military planes have been fitted with tanks of this type.

RUTHERFORD has not received an acknowledgment of the plans he forwarded to Colonel LINDBERGH. He believes that because the design of the tank mentioned in the article of HENRY ARNOLD'S corresponds with that of the plans forwarded to LINDBERGH that the latter may have given the plans to a foreign government. He does not believe that this is a mere coincidence of the development of these tanks simultaneously in Germany and the United States. Up to the time of Major ARNOLD'S article the United States, he says, did not have such a tank. He said that he had not patented his self-sealing gasoline tank because this would expose the principle of its design to anyone who would consult the records of the patent office and as a patriotic citizen he wanted the benefit to inure to the United States Government.

RUTHERFORD declares that various attempts have been made by unknown individuals to "shake down" his premises to obtain information relating to his military inventions. However, these would have been unsuccessful as to the tank because the plans were kept at another place. He said that his mailing of the letter to LINDBERGH had been occasioned by just such a "shake down" and the fear that some foreign agent would obtain the plans. No one in collaboration with RUTHERFORD knew of the principle of this development.

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RUTHERFORD states that he communicated with the Honorable FRANK KNOX, Secretary of the Navy, eight months ago in regard to this matter. He received a reply that after investigation there was no evidence that plans for such a tank had been forwarded to his Department by CHARLES A. LINDBERGH. RUTHERFORD has a copy of both of these letters. RUTHERFORD further advised that the situation was communicated to ED WISHCAMPER of the Abilene Reporter. WISHCAMPER contacted a representative of the DIES' COMMITTEE, name unknown, but nothing of this Committee's investigation is known.

RUTHERFORD gave as references as to his engineering ability:

Captain SIVERD, Chief Engineer
Battleship Mississippi
Business address: 710 North Main
Los Angeles, California

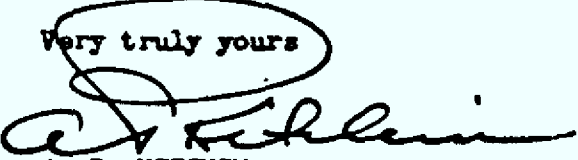
E. E. TROYEKK
216 Morris Building
Abilene, Texas

DALLAS SCARBER
Attorney-at-law
Abilene, Texas

RUTHERFORD declined to give his home address but advised that he could be contacted through Mr. ROGERS of the ROGERS Grocery Company, Abilene, Texas.

Further investigation in this matter by the Dallas Field Division will await Bureau instructions.

Very truly yours


A. P. KITCHIN
Special Agent in Charge

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE ASSISTANT TO THE ATTORNEY GENERAL
MR. MATTHEW F. McGUIRE

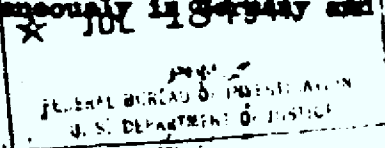
On May 26, 1941, Mr. Marvin E. Rutherford of Abilene, Texas, who described himself as an ex-service man of Company 348, San Antonio, Texas, a chemical engineer and inventor, called at the Dallas, Texas, Field Division of this Bureau and advised that among his other inventions he had perfected the bullet-proof or non-inflammable airplane gasoline tank.

In this connection, Rutherford claimed that on April 22, 1939, he sent the original plans for a bullet-proof, non-inflammable airplane gasoline tank similar to the ones in use in the present European conflict since the latter part of 1940, to Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh, c/o Henry Arnold, Commander-in-Chief of the Air Corps, Washington, D. C. These plans were reportedly sent to Lindbergh because he was Chairman of the New Device Committee. Rutherford states that he presently has in his possession photostats of the plans mailed to Mr. Lindbergh on April 22, 1939, and further alleges that these documents were sent by registered mail, the copy of the registration receipt being now in his possession. Rutherford also contends that the sealing and mailing of the envelope containing these documents were witnessed by Messrs. Pearce Rogers and Jack Blake of Abilene, Texas.

Subsequently while residing at Burbank, California, Rutherford read an article in the May 3, 1940, issue of the Los Angeles Examiner, written by Henry Arnold, Commander-in-Chief of the United States Air Corps, describing a bullet-proof self-sealing gas tank found on a German airplane shot down in England. According to Rutherford, the article written by Mr. Arnold stated that at that time the United States did not have a self-sealing gas tank. However, Rutherford reported that tanks of this nature had been in American production approximately ninety days prior to his visit to the Dallas Office of this Bureau and at the present time all United States military planes are being fitted with tanks of this type.

Continuing, Mr. Rutherford stated that he has never received an acknowledgment of the plans he forwarded to Mr. Lindbergh. Rutherford expressed the opinion that Lindbergh may have transmitted his plans to a foreign government. He stated that the development of these tanks simultaneously in Germany and the United States is something more than

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Miss Gandy _____



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Memo for Mr. Matthew P. McGuire - 2 -

July 15, 1941

a mere coincidence. It is noted that Mr. Rutherford advised he had not patented his invention because this would expose the principles of its design to those who cared to consult the records of the Patent Office and further, being a patriotic citizen, he wanted the benefit of his work to inure to the United States Government.

Rutherford also asserted that various attempts have been made by unknown individuals to "shake down" his premises to obtain information relating to his military inventions. It was because of this and the resultant fear that some foreign agent would obtain his plans that he forwarded them to Mr. Lindbergh.

Mr. Rutherford recounted that he communicated with the Honorable Frank Knox, Secretary of the Navy, about nine months ago in regard to this matter and received a reply that after investigation there was no evidence of the receipt of the plans for such a gasoline tank by the Navy Department from Mr. Lindbergh.

For your information, Rutherford claims to be the owner of several patents in the technical field.

In view of the allegations made by Mr. Rutherford, it would be appreciated if you could advise this Bureau what action, if any, should be taken in this matter.

Very truly yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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1 JUN 27 1941

Washington

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Dear Mr. Hoover:

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Would it be possible to reproduce something of the enclosed picture so that copies could be placed in every post office in the U.S.A.?

Wishing you all luck in your battle against this subversive scene.

I am, very truly

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WEYGAND

Lindbergh Shows His Hand!

Doing a spot of saluting on the Nazi model when he attended an isolationist rally in New York is—recognise him?—Charles Lindbergh, one-time war flyer.

He's playing Hitler's game very nicely over in the U.S.A. with his hysterical "No War" campaign. And this picture, received last night, puts him finally on the spot.

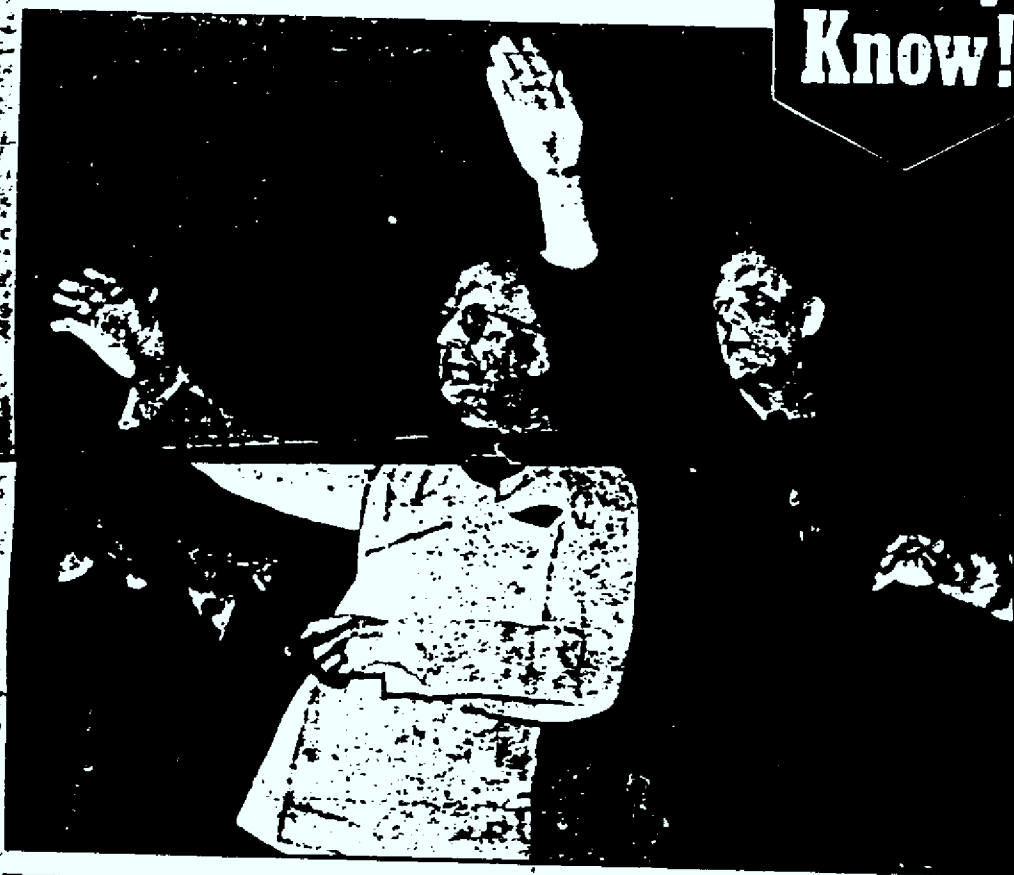
For months Lindbergh has been trying to tell America—and so—that he is just as little interested in Germany's chances in the war as ours. His case is that the war is nothing to do with the United States, who can't lose anything whoever wins, if they sit back and do nothing.

Now we know exactly where Lindbergh stands today. With his buddies, Senator Wheeler and the Rev. A. Coughlin, he's training to be an American Quelling if he ever gets the chance!

That is what he has been saying, and thousands of Americans have believed him.

But now see what he is doing in this photograph. He's giving the Nazi salute—and looks glad to be doing it!

Now
We
Really
Know!



It MUST Not Happen Again! See

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July 24, 1941

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New York, New York

BTK

Dear [REDACTED]

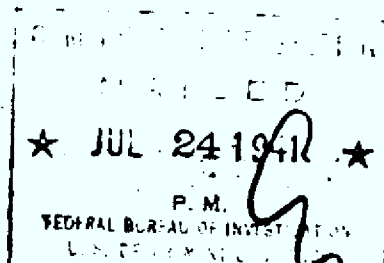
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Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover
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