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SERVICE, John Stewart

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KENNY, Mary Jane

SHAPLEY, Dr. Harlow (Willis Harlow)

LATTIMORE, Owen J.

KENYON, Dorothy

HANSON, Haldore

SHUMAN, Dr. Frederick L.

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April 4, 1950

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~~62-91723-31~~
[REDACTED]
Wellesley 81, Massachusetts

Dear [REDACTED] SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE

Your letter dated March 28, 1950,
has been received and I am taking the liberty
of acknowledging it in the absence of Mr. Hoover
from Washington.

It has occurred to me that you might
like to have a copy of the Director's Statement
before the Subcommittee of the Senate Committee
on Foreign Relations on March 27, 1950, which
I am enclosing.

Sincerely yours,

Helen W. Gandy
Secretary

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WELLESLEY 81, MA, CHUSÉTTIS

March 28, 1950

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

Dear Sir: It seems absurd for me to make suggestions to the F.B.I., but they say every crack pot in the country is doing it, so I venture to ask, what has already perhaps been considered, if the history and affiliations of Chairman MacCarthy of the Un-American Activities Committee have been investigated? What he is accomplishing, - disturbances within our borders and weakening of our position abroad, - fits so neatly into the Russian pattern that one can but wonder. Certainly what he is doing might well be the ~~dream~~ ^{RECORDED} of any Russian spy. His apparent stupidity, ^{APR 13 1950} may be only assumed.

I make the suggestion for what it is worth,

(Handwritten signature)
Yours truly,
[REDACTED]

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Bureau files contain two letters from [REDACTED] of Pittsb[REDACTED]h, California, signed jointly. One requested an investigation by the FBI, which matter did not come within our jurisdiction; the other was enclosing a copy of their letter to the President entitled "Small Property Owner verses the O.P.A." Both were acknowledged. They were dated 1/10/50 and 6/3/49 respectively. 121-23278-81

Mr. Tolson	Miss Gandy
Mr. Ladd	Mr. McGuire
Mr. Clegg	Mr. Jones
Mr. Belmont	Central Hold
Mr. Harbo	Desk Room 7235
Mr. Glavin	Mail Room
Mr. Nichols	Foreign Service
Mr. Rosen	Desk
Mr. Tracy	Code Room 4642
ROOM	

ATTENTION [REDACTED]

TO [REDACTED]

DATED: April 10, 1950

RE: Letter over Miss Gandy's signature.

Attached "blue" envelope retyped since letter was written on black letterhead stationery.

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(Reading Room 5531)
Extension 348

April 10, 1950

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~~66-7225-207~~
[REDACTED]
Pittsburg, California

121-23278-81
Dear [REDACTED]

Your letter dated March 28, 1950, has been received and I am taking the liberty of acknowledging it in the absence of Mr. Hoover from Washington.

I am enclosing the complete text of Mr. Hoover's Statement before the Subcommittee of the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations on March 27, 1950.

I am sure that the Director's remarks will clarify any misconception that you may have with reference to the need for maintaining the files of the FBI inviolate.

Sincerely yours,

Helen W. Gandy
Secretary

Enclosure

NOTE: Bureau files contain two letters from [REDACTED] & [REDACTED] of Pittsburgh, California, signed jointly. One requested an investigation by the FBI, which matter did not come within our jurisdiction; the other was enclosing a copy of their letter to the President entitled "Small Property Owner verses the O.P.A. Letter dated June 9, 1949 was a bombastic plea to have the O.P.A. investigated. Correspondent described the O.P.A. as highly Communistic and acting in violation of the Constitution of the United States. Both letters were acknowledged. They were dated 1-10-50 and 6-3-49 respectively.

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March 28, 1950

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Hon. J. Edgar Hoover
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Department of Justice
Washington 25, D. C.

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Dear Mr. Hoover:

In regards to the probe into the State Department, for communistic minded persons and the charges made by the Hon. Senator McCarthy, we do not understand the decision handed down by you and the Attorney General McGrath. Certainly, we know that you, Mr. Hoover, have reasons, far beyond the statements given on the air. Surely, making the records of Government employees public is not Unamerican.

In this day and age, Mr. Hoover, every American is either fully aware or becoming aware, that the Nation is pock-marked with subversive activities. Thousands of people have sworn allegiance to the Communist Party. Millions of people have sworn allegiance to labor. These allegiance, Mr. Hoover, are believed by us to be Unamerican and we believe, that before many months have passed, that this Great Nation will have to suffer. The lust for power has become a vile and evil thing. The method of attack being the paycheck, which is an illusion. The people know that a great evil exists but the propaganda is so great that they have not yet been able to clear up their confused minds.

Do you think, Mr. Hoover, that by "white washing" the Republican Party and our very great American Men, such as: the Hon. Senator, McCarthy, Senator Taft, and Senator Bridges, will relieve this great overall confusion? Mr. Hoover, after viewing the charges made by Senator McCarthy, after listening to the answers, the radio commentators, and considering the President's views, I cannot help but believe, with all my heart, that Senator McCarthy is right. I also believe that it is Unamerican to keep the file of the FBI closed at this time. There can be no more half-way business now. Either we are Americans fighting for the American way of life, which is freedom all the way, or we are not Americans, fighting for power in a secretive, underhanded, subversive way designed to kill the American way of life.

If I were in the State Department, or in any Government Organization of importance, I would demand that my record be made public to the people. As an American citizen my record stands open to the world. I am proud of my passed record, of my honesty in dealing with my fellow men, I am proud of my deep concern regarding the confusion and the fear that is so prevalent today, among the people. I am proud of the American blood that is in my veins, but I am greatly perturbed about the decisions and the bickering that goes on in the Capitol of this Nation.

subversive

If there is anything in the files, against any of these men, I believe it should be made public, and the employees should be dismissed from their jobs immediately. No one in this Nation is indispensable unless, perhaps, it is you, Mr. Hoover, because you head the greatest department in our Nation, your job has been handled honorably and you yourself have become the bulwark of the people. I know that you know, how great the subversive element is, how strong they have become and how hard they are working for their cause. I only hope that the decision you have made in holding back these files will prove to be the right decision.

May God Bless You.

Respectfully yours,

Pittsburg, California

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[REDACTED]
Milwaukee 16, Wisconsin

Dear [REDACTED]

Your postal card dated March 20, 1950, has been received and I am pleased to enclose a copy of my statement before the Subcommittee of the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations on March 27, 1950.

My remarks on that occasion make clear my views with reference to the confidential nature of the FBI's files.

In connection with your conclusions that we must let subversion continue without prosecution I need refer only to the trial of the eleven communist leaders in New York last summer. The record proves that the FBI desires to maintain confidences so as to be able to develop valuable sources of information which have a direct bearing on the internal security of the nation.

For your information the FBI has nothing to do with the institution of prosecutive action; that is the responsibility of the Attorney General, his assistants in the Department of Justice, and the United States attorneys in the various sections of the country.

Sincerely,
John Edgar Hoover

Director

Enclosure: Director's statement of March 27, 1950.

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COMM - FBI

Mar. 28th, '50

Dear Mr. Hoover:

(H) While I have always maintained that you have been doing a marvelous job, I cannot comprehend the logic of your arguments in the present crisis in our State Dept. You state that you cannot show the records investigating the loyalty of persons in your dept. for obvious reasons. According to that reasoning, no matter what your agents discover, guilty persons cannot be punished, for the sources of information would be revealed making your force subject ~~information~~ to inferior work or a possible work fate in the future. Then ~~know~~ the obvious conclusion is that we must let subversive workers simply continue, without prosecution of the guilty ones, and let our government go under be default or decadence. I would appreciate a personal reply, for I am most concerned about the direction we are heading the past 10 years or so. Sincerely, ~~_____~~ Milwaukee 16, Wis. h

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From
New York 52, New York

121-232-78-83
Dear [REDACTED]

Your letter dated March 28, 1950, has been received and I want to thank you for furnishing me your observations with reference to the need for maintaining files of the FBI confidential.

You may be sure I appreciate your writing as you did and I am enclosing a copy of my statement before the Subcommittee of the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations on March 27, 1950.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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March 28, 1950

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

Dear Sir:

I want to convey to you some thoughts that come to me concerning the request that the F. B. I. should open its files to the Congress for investigation.

As I come in contact with many people I get often inquiries in connection with the loyalty checkups.

I would not mind to give information of a very definite character but often I may have only some distant "leads" or suspicions. They might be of no importance at all but they ^{also} might lead to important discoveries during further investigations.

I and many others like me will always hesitate possibly to give such unimportant information if there is any chance for it to become publicly known.

In other words, I consider the opening of the files will greatly impede the loyalty investigations.

Please remember that the public knows that all information given to a large group of people, even to a Congress committee, becomes publicly known.

I am writing this to you in the spirit of cooperation to improve the work that you are interested in.

Sincerely yours,

*Copy to Secretary Dean Acheson
and Senator McCarty.*

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Mr. Ferris
Foreign Service Desk
Mr. Callan

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D. M. Ladd - Rm. 5736
Telephone Ext. 555

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : THE DIRECTOR

DATE: March 29, 1950

FROM : D. M. Ladd

SUBJECT: PRODUCTION OF BUREAU LOYALTY FILES

Senate FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE

While talking to Peyton Ford on other matters on the evening of March 28, I made reference to the subpoena issued for the Attorney General by the Senate for the production of the Bureau's loyalty files. U

I told Mr. Ford that I hoped the Department would hold tight in its position of refusing to produce its files and not weaken at the last minute. He stated that the Department was going to hold tight; that he, Ford, was going to contact and coordinate with the Civil Service Commission and the State Department in order that they followed the position of the President; that he is going to try and get by with a letter saying that the matter has been referred to the White House; that if this does not work that he, Ford, may have to personally appear for the Attorney General and refuse to produce the records and be held in contempt in order that this test case may be taken to Court.

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*Copy given to Ford for production
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Mobile, Alabama

Dear

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Thank you so much for your telegram of March 29, 1950.

Your expression of approval is appreciated and I thought you might like to read my statement before the Subcommittee of the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations, March 27, 1950.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover
Director

Enclosure

Director's Statement before the Subcommittee of the Senate Committee of Foreign Relations March 27, 1950

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March 29, 1950

Mr. Tolson
Mr. Ladd
Mr. Clegg
Mr. Glavin
Mr. Nichols
Mr. Rosen
Mr. Tracy
Mr. Harbo
Mr. Belmont

Attention: Mr. Ladd

Re: Congressional Reaction Relative To The
Position of the FBI In The Present Controversy
Over The Charge of Communism In The State Dept.

Yesterday an acquaintance of mine, [redacted] a business man from Massachusetts stopped to see me enroute home from a vacation in Florida and asked me to have lunch with him. The luncheon took place at the Capitol and present were Congressmen Philip J. Philbin and Harold Donohue, both Democrats from Massachusetts. By chance Congress-woman Edith Nourse Rogers joined the group. As you know, she is a Republican from Massachusetts.

On being introduced to me by Congressman Philbin she immediately posed the question: "What is going on in the State Department?" and "What has the FBI to say to clear up the matter?" I replied that Mr. Hoover had spoken for the Bureau and I had nothing to add. She went on rapidly, somewhat loosely and incoherently to infer that what had been said was not wholly satisfying, hinting that possibly Communist activities in the State Department were not being brought out into the open as they deserved to be. She then turned quickly and said to me (I was sitting beside her on the right) "The FBI is doing a splendid job." I thanked her for this "gracious" comment and added that the Director's position in this and other matters was sound. Congressman Philbin briskly injected the statement at this point that "His position and conduct are always sound and commendable and he has the full support and confidence of the people." Congressman Donohue nodded his assent and said something about the need for keeping Communists out of the government service. This quick, spontaneous exchange of comments occupied only a minute or so following which I changed the subject and nothing further was said about it during the remainder of the luncheon.

After the luncheon was over Congressman Philbin, whom I know very well, called me aside and said: "I believe you may want to know that a number of Congressmen seem to be getting the impression that there may be some truth to the charges directed against the State Department but that the Administration is putting strong pressure on Mr. Hoover to 'white wash' the charges against the State Department and that the FBI is being forced to comply in this matter." Congressman Philbin (who incidentally has been an anti-New Deal Democrat) went on to say that he did not share this impression; that he realized that the FBI could not disclose its files and would not take political sides in the controversy."

This is for your information.

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Respectfully,
Wm. C. Sullivan
W. C. Sullivan

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EDGAR HOOVER, DIRECTOR FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
WASH DC-
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Mr. Quinn	
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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : MR. D. M. LADD

FROM : MR. A. H. BELMONT

SUBJECT: REMARKS OF SENATOR MCCARTHY
ON THE FLOOR OF THE SENATE
MARCH 30, 1950

DATE: March 30, 1950

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At 5:15 pm Special Agent [redacted] advised that he had confidentially obtained a copy of Senator McCarthy's manuscript from which he is speaking today. This was made available to you. At 6:00 pm SA [redacted] reported that at 5:00 McCarthy resumed the floor and immediately started reading into the record the writings of Lattimore. He then took considerable time identifying Frederick V. Fields, Service, Jaffe, Bisson, and others in the Amerasia case. He then elaborated on Fields' connection and said Fields has identified himself as the most important Communist in this country. He produced photostatic copies of two checks made by Fields to the Institute of Pacific Relations. One of these checks was in the amount of \$1,000.

McCarthy then went into a discussion on Dr. Jessup and said he thinks Jessup is a dupe, but a dupe and tool in the hands of Communists. Jessup has a propensity for joining organizations and all the organizations are subversive and many are Communist Party fronts. He said Jessup over night became an expert on Far Eastern Affairs and associated with the Institute of Pacific Relations personnel. He referred to a letter which Jessup wrote requesting that no investigation be conducted into the subversive nature of the Institute of Pacific Relations.

At 6:20 pm SA [redacted] advised that McCarthy is now tracing Acheson's foreign policy speeches and is pointing out that in his opinion Lattimore put the ideas in Acheson's mind which he has expressed in these speeches. He then referred to a secret State Department document dated March 17, 1950, which he advised was written by loyal State Department employees and pointed out that their ideas are not in conformity with that of Acheson's.

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ADDENDUM: Approximately 6:30 pm Senator McCarthy concluded his address to the Senate, during the last portion of which he had continued his criticisms of Acheson's use of Lattimore, Jessup, et al in the formation of American Foreign policy. He then concluded reading his written text and made remarks regarding his service in the Pacific as a marine and the fact that he had written letters to the wives of men who had lost their lives in the last World War. Other Senate business was thereafter taken up.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE PAREN ALLEGATIONS BY SENATOR JOSEPH MC CARTHY
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TWENTY NINE LAST INSTRUCTING THAT INVESTIGATION BE CONDUCTED TO
DETERMINE IF FOLLOWING PERSONS ARE PRESENTLY EMPLOYED BY THE
GOVERNMENT:

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[REDACTED] THIS IS TO

ADVISE THAT THE RECORDS OF THE MAIL AND FILES, OFFICE SERVICES
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FOR [REDACTED]

NOR [REDACTED] ALL OTHERS REFLECTED STATE DEPT.

EMPLOYMENT NOW TERMINATED AND FAILED TO DISCLOSE ANY SUBSEQUENT
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Special Agent in Charge

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Special Agent in Charge

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : MR. A. H. BELMONT *AB*

FROM : MR. L. L. LAUGHLIN *S*

SUBJECT: LIST OF 81 INDIVIDUALS IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT
NAMED BY SENATOR MCCARTHY

DATE: March 30, 1950

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On the evening of March 29, 1950, Mr. James M. McInerney, Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, called and asked if the Bureau had a list of the 81 State Department employees against whom Senator McCarthy had made charges of subversiveness. He said that a copy had been made available to him and if the Bureau wanted it, he would make it available so copies could be made.

I told Mr. McInerney that I did not know whether we had a list of these individuals. As a matter of fact, the Bureau does have such a list, having obtained it from the State Department on March 24, 1950.

After discussing this with Mr. Ladd, I called Mr. McInerney back and told him that we would appreciate it very much if we could obtain his list in order to make a copy for our files.

Mr. McInerney's secretary personally delivered this list to my office on the evening of March 29 and the attached copies were made. It is noted that in addition to the 81 alleged State Department employees, the list contains the following names also mentioned by Senator McCarthy in his speeches:

Service, John Stewart
 Duran, Gustave (Gustavo)
 Kennedy, Mary Jane
 Shapley, Dr. Harlow
 Lattimore, Owen J.
 Kenyon, Dorothy
 Hanson, Haldore
 Schuman, Dr. Frederick L.

The original list furnished by Mr. McInerney has been returned to him by hand, pursuant to his request.

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SENATOR McCARTHY, LIST OF 81

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LATTIMORE, Owen J.

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OFFICE OF DIRECTOR
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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Date April 30 1950 Time 8:05 PM

Mr. Peyton Ford called
thru secretary

Phone No. _____

Mr. Tolson ✓
Mr. Ladd ✓
Mr. Clegg ✓
Mr. Glavin ✓
Mr. Nichols ✓
Mr. Rosen ✓
Mr. Tracy ✓
Mr. Harbo ✓
Mr. Belmont ✓
Mr. Jones ✓
Mr. Mohr ✓
Tele. Room ✓
Mr. Nease ✓
Miss Holmes ✓
Miss Gandy ✓

REMARKS

When advised of the Director's and Mr. Tolson's absence Mr. Ford consented to speak to the Acting Director, after checking he was referred to Mr. Ladd.

Mr. Ladd Advises that Mr. Ford wanted to know if we had gone over the McCarthy material as yet. Mr. Ladd told him the material was being photostated at the present time and it has not been analyzed yet.

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We are not going
to release material
we receive from McCarthy
until analyzed. & until
run out. If we do it will
surely leak out & start
to the Hill & to columnists.

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March 30, 1950

Mr. Tolson

Washington, D. C.

SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE

Dear Sir:

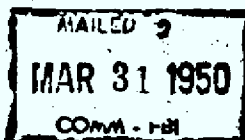
I wanted you to know that I appreciate very much the comments upon my position with regard to maintaining the confidential nature of FBI files which appear today in The Times-Herald editorial, "It's There, Find It."

As my statement before the Subcommittee of the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations made clear, I feel that the entire structure that the FBI has laboriously created for obtaining information vital to the internal security of our country would be endangered should this Bureau be required to disclose the data recorded in its files.

Sincerely yours,
J. Edgar Hoover

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[REDACTED]
Canon City, Colorado

Dear [REDACTED]

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Your letter dated March 30, 1950, has been received and I appreciate your writing to me concerning your views on the subject you mentioned.

It occurred to me that you might like to read the enclosed copy of my Statement of March 27, 1950, before the Subcommittee of the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations.

Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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Director's Statement of March 27, 1950.
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Mr. Edgar Hoover

Which do you think
would be best to protect our
Country, bringing to justice
a Red spy in our government
or putting a man on trial
who is not guilty, which
as you know the American
people would not condemn
but would understand
we can take that chance
better let the
those files ^{EX-51} for ^{APR 13 1950} now
there have been ¹⁵ just recently
some men convicted of
Red spying in our Govt -

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March 30, 1950

Toledo, Ohio

It was indeed thoughtful of you to write as you did on March 25th to furnish your views on the confidential nature of the files of the Federal Bureau of Investigation. It is very comforting to me to know that clear-thinking citizens are of the opinion the files of the Federal Bureau of Investigation should remain confidential in every sense.

I thought you might be interested in the attached duplicate of my comments as expressed before the Subcommittee of the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations on March 27, 1950.

Your comments concerning the Federal Bureau of Investigation and the motives which caused you to write are highly appreciated.

With best wishes and kind regards,

Sincerely yours,

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J. Edgar Hoover

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MEMORANDUM FOR MR. TOLSON
MR. LADD
MR. NICHOLS

Mr. Peyton Ford called me with reference to the meeting of the Subcommittee of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee held this morning in the Attorney General's Office, at which meeting Senator Tydings, McMahon, Green and Lodge were Present. I commented that I certainly could not agree with Senator Lodge's attitude about issuing a statement and Mr. Ford agreed and stated that he had gotten a final agreement that if there was one leak about the meeting or anything connected with it then a statement would be issued promptly. I commented I certainly felt the Attorney General was entitled to that consideration. Mr. Ford then read to me a rough draft of a proposed statement to be used in the event of a leak and asked for my opinion. The statement is as follows:

"Senator Millard D. Tydings and members of the Subcommittee investigation charges of subversive in the State Department met with the Attorney General J. Howard McGrath, Department of Justice, this morning on the invitation of the Attorney General for the purpose of giving to the Subcommittee such information as the Attorney General felt he could give to them consistent to the best interests of the United States. The Federal Bureau of Investigation, under the direction of J. Edgar Hoover, prepared for the Attorney General complete analysis of the FBI files with respect to the one name on which the Committee sought the cooperation of the Department. The Attorney General read this complete summation to the Committee and both he and Director Hoover gave to the Committee a very complete statement on the file in this particular case and also a statement with respect to making available to Congressional Committee FBI files. The Attorney General pointed out to the Committee that the contents of this file must be kept in complete confidence, and the fact that such a file was in existence was not to be construed as any reflection on the person involved as it is standard procedure to investigate all allegations made. Attending the conference, et cetera ***** The President of the United States is fully advised by the Attorney General in this matter."

I stated that I thought this statement was all right because I felt there was bound to be a leak someplace. I stated I wish a public hearing could have been

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held this afternoon because we could have gotten a statement up in time for my appearance there that could have nailed it then. As it is I stated that because of Senator Lodge's position in the matter it will have to go over under Monday which is likely to cause a lot of speculations and charges being made up and down the country as to what the mystery is all about.

I told Mr. Ford the thing that concerned me, and which I did not care to mention at the meeting this morning, was that Senator Hickenlooper was not present and I was wondering if the agreements were binding as far as he was concerned because I certainly did not feel that the summary which was read at the meeting should be made public at any hearing. Mr. Ford stated that Senator Hickenlooper was bound by them and that he, Ford, would see that the summary was not introduced. Mr. Ford stated that if any other questions were asked of me the Attorney General and he would object to them, and upon my query as to whether the Attorney General would be back from New York in time for the hearing, Mr. Ford replied that he would be back in time.

Very truly yours

John Edgar Hoover

Director

cc - Mr. Nease

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March 24, 1950

10:03 AM

MEMORANDUM FOR MR. TOLSON
MR. LADD
MR. NICHOLS

Peyton Ford called and said there was to be a meeting in the Attorney General's Office at 10:30 which was to be attended by Senators Tydings, McMahon, Green and Lodge and he wanted me to be present to answer two questions: namely "If this is a summary of your files - yes" and to ask for any views I have on the production of reports. Mr. Ford stated they were not going to discuss anything else. I told him I would be there.

Very truly yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

cc - Mr. Nease

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[REDACTED]
San Francisco 9, California

Dear [REDACTED]

Your letter dated March 30, 1950, has been received and I did want to thank you for your approval of the position I have taken with regard to the disclosure of information contained in FBI files.

It occurred to me that the enclosed copy of my statement before the Subcommittee of the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations on March 27, 1950, might be of interest to you.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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Dir. statement of March 27, 1950.

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[REDACTED]
San Francisco 9, Calif.
March 30, 1950

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

Dear Mr. Hoover:

I am sure millions of Americans are with me when I congratulate you for refusing to surrender FBI files to be used as political bait. As you say, many innocent people would suffer, because many reports have been unchecked. In addition, valuable sources of information would dry up. The percentage of convictions brought about by the efforts of your department is evidence that your agents are thorough in gathering testimony and that guilt is pretty well established before trials are begun.

We can maintain our freedom only by sifting the truth from the lies - and by eliminating half-truths and innuendo. During the depression days many people now in prominent places were, perhaps, associated with organizations which were later infiltrated by Communists. During the last war, Russia was an ally, so it is quite possible that there were organizations, thoroughly loyal, that had a friendly attitude towards Russia.

Because we live in a free country, we tolerate open debate, which is just as it should be. However, it is one thing to debate openly and another to smear without sufficient ground. There are many liberals in the country who are forward looking, but who would willingly lay down their lives in defense of our democracy against any foreign ideology, whether it be Communism or Fascism.

I will echo Voltaire - "I may disagree with what you say, but I will defend to the death your right to say it." I believe the late President Roosevelt said it once too. Free speech is the cornerstone of our form of government.

But sometimes it is carried beyond the limits of good taste, as in the present fracas. I hope that Senator McCarthy will not find a way to get into your files. In these days, loyalty checks are necessary and it would be a detriment to us all if your department were crippled in its operations. I believe that the accused should have a right to face their accusers and should also have a right to trial by jury, but that is outside your province.

Very truly yours,
[REDACTED]

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Tolson

FROM : L. B. Nichols

SUBJECT: *For record purposes, I advised both of*

DATE: March 31, 1950

Mr. Tolson
Mr. E. A. Tamm
Mr. Clegg
Mr. Glavin
Mr. Ladd
Mr. Nichols
Mr. Rosen
Mr. Tracy
Mr. Egan
Mr. Gurnea
Mr. Harbo
Mr. Pennington
Mr. Quinn Tamm
Mr. Nease
Miss Holmes
Miss Gandy

For record purposes, I advised both of the United Press and [redacted] of INS, in response to specific inquiries, that we had received the material from Senator McCarthy. In response to further question as to whether we had forwarded it to the Department, I advised them we had forwarded the material to the Department.

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cc: Mr. Ladd

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TO : THE DIRECTOR

FROM : D. M. Ladd *DL*

SUBJECT: SENATOR JOSEPH MCCARTHY

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Miss Gandy _____

I took a call from Peyton Ford at 8 p.m. last night, by reference from your office.

He asked me what McCarthy's material looked like. I asked him what material he was referring to. He stated [redacted] had furnished to the Bureau a mimeographed copy of McCarthy's speech. I told him I had not looked it over as yet, that it was down being photostated, and I could not, therefore, make any comment on it.

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TO : THE DIRECTOR

FROM : D. M. Ladd

SUBJECT: SENATOR JOSEPH MCCARTHY'S ALLEGATIONS

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██████████ called me from New York and stated he had talked to Peyton Ford yesterday, at which time Ford suggested that it might be necessary to have McCarthy go before a Grand Jury, but that he, Ford, thought it would look bad to do this at the present time. ██████████ states that apparently Ford is going to follow through on this at a later date.

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Miss Gandy _____ ()

See Me _____ ()
Note and Return _____ ()
For Your Recommendation ()
What are the facts? ()
Remarks:

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Tolson

FROM : L. B. Nichols

DATE: March 31, 1950

SUBJECT:

I am attaching hereto a photostat containing the changes that were made in the Director's testimony before the Subcommittee on Foreign Relations. I wanted to return this to the Chief of Staff of the Committee, Mr. Francis O. Wilcox; however, he was on the Senate floor all day yesterday. We promised to return the testimony at 6:00 last night. Accordingly, I had Mr. Wick return it and talk to Wilcox's assistant and ask that he have Wilcox call me.

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