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Office Memorandum • United States Government

MR. TOLSON

FROM : L. B. - NICHOLS

SUBJECT:

ATLI INFORMATION CONTAILED

DATE:

For record purposes, the Attorney General called me during the last week in August and inquired as to whether the Director could be reached by phone. I told him that I doubted it. Intelia of E.

The Attorney General then stated that Senator Tydings desired to talk to the Director regarding the letter the Attorney General sent to the Senator reporting the Bureau's investigation of the contents of State Department files which Senator McCarth charged had been raped.

I told him that I was certain the Director was in a travel status but at the earliest opportunity I would pass the word on. To

The Attorney General then suggested he have Tydings call me.

I told the Attorney General I knew the Director would personally resent the fact that apparently Tydings was questioning the Attorney General's word and that I thought it amazing when the head of the Department, who was the spokesman for the Department as far as the Senator was concerned, had to have his word verified and that obviously the Director's position would be the same as the Attorney General's position.

The AG said that he was certain that this was not the problem and that Tydings did not mean any offense. He stated that he thought he would call Tydings and tell him that the Director was out of town and his return was indefinite.

By reference from the Director's Office, I talked to Tydings on September 5. The Senator wanted to talk to the Director sometime today and did not give any indication as to what he wanted to talk about.

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Sevierville, Tennessee June 29, 1950 Mr. D. M. Ladd Federal Bureau of Investigation Washington, D. C. Dear Mr. Ladd: Just after the last war I worked for a short time under that had taken over the Office of War Information. I was Assistant Secretary of State, that they go ahead and hire employees and then screen them later in order to save time, because if really wanted them they would be hired . regardless of what their investigation showed. Later on we received a letter asking if said be didn't know how to answer that because he believed that he was. I was the only person present when these statements were made. I am a former employee of yours. My maiden name was Sincerely yours ite in the Liter Dep

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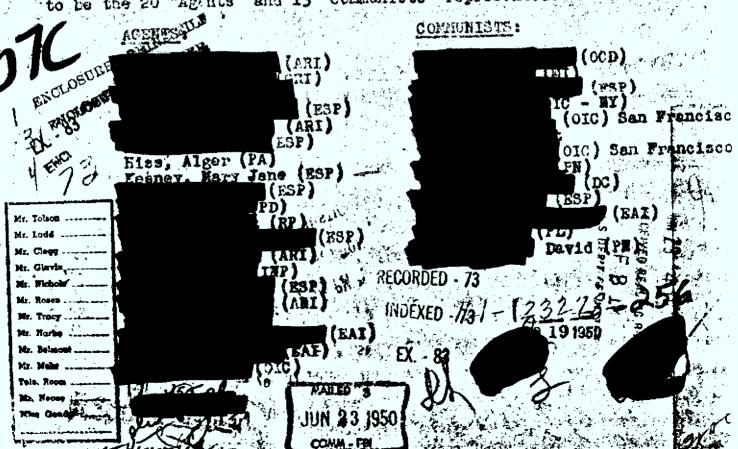
ALLEGED COMMUNISTS IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT ALLEGATIONS BY SENATOR JOSEPH R. MCCARTRY LOYALTY OF GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES

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Senate stated in substance that three or four years ago the FBI supplied the State Department with charts and diagrams purportedly supplied the State Department with charts and diagrams purportedly showing pro-Soviet Individuals in the State Department. It has been determined through liaison channels that the material used by Senator McCarthy emanated from the State Department in a property pregred by Mr. Samuel Klaus dated August 3, 1946, for report pregred by Mr. Samuel Klaus dated August 3, 1946, for Joseph Femuch, former Deputy to the Assistant Secretary for Administration. On page 29 of the report propered by Klaus there appeared a reference to a chart purporting to show a number of appeared a reference to a chart purporting to show a number of appeared a reference to a chart purporting to show a number of appeared a reference to a chart purporting to show a number of appeared as of May 15, 1947 with a numerical tabulation as follows:

Agents 20 Communists 13

In connection with this matter the Bureau was furnished through Lisison changels with the following list of names purported to be the 20 "Agents" and 13 "communists" represented:



In the report prepared by Samuel Klaus there is a section entitled "Case Studies" in which information is set forth regarding the following individuals. You will note that the names William Chatken and Clarence Welson have been set out above.

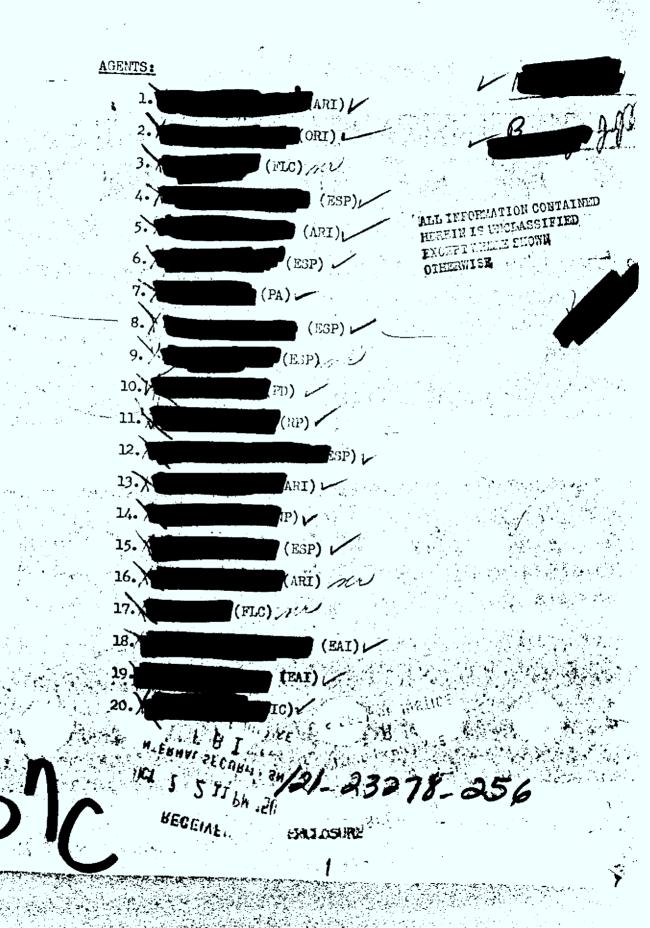
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You will immediately recognize that some of the individuals named above are not presently employed with the U. S. Government, such as Alger Hiss, Mary Jane Keeney and Hovever, the Bureau is furnishing you with the complete list of names and desires that you take the following action. In each case where the files of your office indicates the person is not presently employed no further action need be taken. In each case where the files of your office does not indicate the present employment of the individual, the records of the State Department and the Civil Service Commission should be checked to determine if the individual is presently employed with the U. S. Government. When it is determined that an individual is presently employed with the federal government, sufficient information should be furnished the Bureau so an adequate check can be made of the indices of the Bureau.

Upon completion of this survey, the Bureau should be furnished with a complete summary of the action taken by your office regarding each individual which summary should be included in one communication captioned as above.

Bureau deadline July 13, 1950.





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McCarthy Has New Census of State Dept. Reds

Sen. Joseph R. McCarthy (R., Wis.) gave the Senate today a photostat of a page of a "secret" report stating that in May, 1947, the FBI found 124 Communist agents, sympathizers and suspects in the State Department. Only 18 were discharged in the following two months, he report said.

Sen, McCarthy told the Senate three persons listed by the FBI as "agents" still are in the State Department and that their names are available to the Senate or its Communist investigating sub-committee, (Earlier story on Page 6.)

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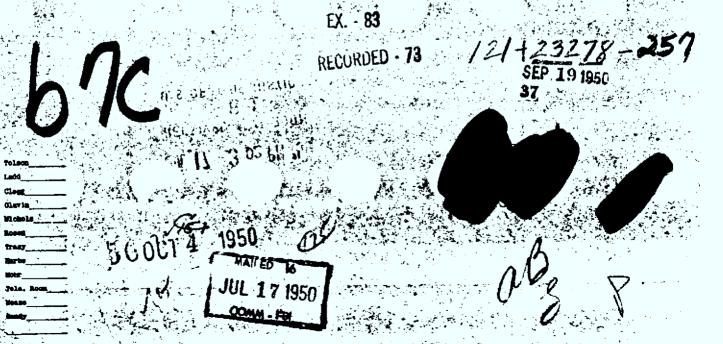
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SPECIAL MESSENGER

ALLEGED COMMUNISTS IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT
Allegations by Senator Joseph R. Legarthy
LOYALTY OF GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES

Rebulet June 23, 1950 furnishing a list of names of individuals at one time employed by the Department of State and setting forth the necessary action to be taken. Buded July 13, 1950 and your reply not received to date. Advise status and when reply will reach Bureau.



DIRECTOR ALLEGED COMMUNISTS IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT, ALLEGATIONS BY SENATOR JOSEPH R MCCARTHY, LCE. REBUIET JULY SEVENTEEN, LAST. REPLY WILL BE DICTATED THURSDAY, JULY TWENTY, NEXT AND WILL BE SUBMITTED TO THE BUREAU AS SOON AS TRANSCRIBED. HOTTEL

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TO . LR. V. P. K.

DATE: August 3, 1950

FROM :

c. W. Gates

SUBJECT:

ALLEGED COLLUNISTS IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT CALLEGATIONS BY SENATOR JOSEPH R. MC CARTHY LOYALTY OF GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES

Reference is made to memorandum from Mr. Stanley to Mr. Belmont dated July 28, 1950, recommending that Liaison determine from the Army whether or not is still employed by the Army in Tokyo.

This request was made of Lieutenant Colone U on August 1, 1950. Colonel stated it would be necessary for G-2 to make inquiry of the Far East Command in Tokyo for the desired information.

ACTION:

This matter will be followed with G-2 and results obtained.

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Office Mer. UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT MR. V. P. KEAT DATE: September 8, 1950 FROM . C. W. CHIES SUBJECT: ALLEGED COMMUNISTS IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT CALLEGATIONS BY SENATOR JOSEPH R. McCARTHY LOYALTY OF GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES Reference is made to memorandum from Mr. Stanley to Mr. Belmont dated July 28, 1950, asking Liaison to determine from the Army whether or not is presently employed by the Army in Tokyo. of G-2 has now is currently employed as an Agricultural the National Resources Section. GHO. For informed that Economist, GS-12, in the National Resources Section, GHQ, Par East Command, APO 500. ACTION: It is recommended that this memorandum be furnished to the Loyalty Section. no firethe action. CW Banke in composites in the correct changes Conversion () Type.... Date Rec'd __ File 🖸 Form 79 prepared () Initials ... Closing P1 () file # no star & Tohe Processed wider 0.2808 RECORDED - 123 121-23228-160 SEP 19 1950 INDEXED - 123

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DATE: August 31, 1950 Mn. A. H. Belmont FROM C. H. Stanley Clear Glavie wichol INFORMATION FURNISHED BY SENATOR SUBJECT: JOSEFH MCCARTHY__ PURPOSE: To point out that the Loyalty Section is taking no action owner, regarding the attached material furnished by Senator McCarthy and torecommend that it be reviewed by the Accounting, Fraud, Selective Service and Civil Section of the Investigative Division BACKGFOUND: The Washington Field Office has furnished the Bureau with photostatic copies of the following documents received from Senator McCarthy, (1) Letter dated 4-26-50 from together with copies of a letter he forwarded to President Truman on dated 1-23-50, 1-5-50, (2) A letter to him from and (3) A biographical summary concerning a Chinese national by the name of points out In his letter to Senator McCarthy that a Chinese employee of the State Department in Hong Kong, China, has acquired tremendous wealth during the past six months. This from a scheme worked by State resulted, according to Department employees in Hong Kong of gaining unlawful entry for Chinese nationals into the United States for \$10,000 or \$20,000. also alleged that a Taipeh, has been everything but helpful to the Wationalist Government of China and has made statements to the effect that the Communist Government would be better for the Chinese people. ! There is no disloyal information in the files of the Bureau that can be identified as pertaining to RECOMMENDATION: Due to the non-specific nature of the allegations regarding it recommended that no further action be taken by the loyalty Section. It is suggested that this memorandum be forwarded to the Accounting, Fraud, Selective Service and Civil Section of the

Investigative Division for any action necessary regarding possible wiplation of the passport and visa RECORDED - 3

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TO : ER. HICHOLS

DATE: 8-11-50

FROM:

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SUBJECT: XUPORT OF TYDING'S SUB-COMMITTEE OF

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The Bureau is in possession of 27 volumes of the verbatim testimony of this committee. After due consideration by the supervisors handling the above matter, they have requested that this verbatim testimony be indexed thoroughly.

The Accords Section is receiving, from time to time, summary means randa of the pertinent portions of the testimony which are being indexed into the appropriate case file.

requesting that the report of The Sub-Journttee of the Conmittee on Foreign Relations be cut up and the pertinent portions pertaining to the special individual should be placed in the case file on the individual. This matter is being brought to your attention in order that you may be aware of the fact that we are receiving the same information in various forms, and unless advised to the contrary the verbatim testimony will be indexed completely; the summary memoranda will be indexed into the appropriate case files; and the Sub-Consistee Report will be cut up and the main portions thereof placed in the appropriate case files.

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