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2:18PM NITEL 4/28/76 HNU

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-449698)

FROM: SAC, WFO (100-47992)

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RE BUTEL APRIL 27, 1976, CONCERNING (X) [redacted] (X).

BY LETTER DATED MAY 23, 1969, WFO SUBMITTED FOR BUREAU APPROVAL AN ANONYMOUN LETTER DATED MAY 29, 1969, AT WASHINGTON, D. C. THIS LETTER WAS ADDRESSED TO [redacted] EX-112 D.C. SCHOOL SYSTEM, 415 12TH STREET, N.W., WASHINGTON, D.C., AND WAS FROM "A CONCERNED CITIZEN".

REC-59 100-449698-5553

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THIS LETTER STATED THAT WEEKLY MEETINGS OF THE YOUNG SOCIALIST ALLIANCE (YSA) WERE HELD IN [redacted] APARTMENT, AND THAT SHE WAS APPARENTLY LIVING WITH A MALE YSA MEMBER.

THE LETTER WAS APPROVED BY BULET DATED JUNE 3, 1969, AND WAS SUBSEQUENTLY MAILED. IT IS NOTED THAT [redacted] CONTINUED TO BE EMPLOYED AS A [redacted] IN THE FALL OF 1969.

END.

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DIRECTOR, FBI

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SAC, WFO

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Security Informant
[redacted]

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Bufile 100-449698
WFOfile 100-47757

DATE declassification 7/25/77

Enclosed for the Bureau are three enclosures consisting of one (1) copy of the "Liberator" newsletter, one (1) copy of an application for membership to the Committee for an Academic Environment, and one (1) copy of a proposed magazine article prepared by captioned source.

The following information concerning the current activities of [redacted] was obtained from the source on October 7, 1970. Because of the counter-intelligence possibilities inherent in this material is submitted under dual caption.

[redacted]

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6/23/70

AIRTEL

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, WFO

NEW UNIVERSITY CONFERENCE (NUC) -P-
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Buffile 100-448698
WFOfile 100-47757

Re Buairtel to WFO, captioned "New University Conference (NUC), IS - Miscellaneous" and dated 6/5/70; and CG airtels to Bureau captioned similarly and dated 5/20/70 and 5/23/70.

As the Bureau is aware, [redacted] traveled from Washington, D.C. (WFO) to Ann Arbor, Michigan, to attend the 1970 New University Conference (NUC) Convention held 6/11-16/70 on the University of Michigan (U of M) campus.

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During the evening of 6/15/70, the source was able to obtain a small box that he observed on the literature table of Mary Markley Hall. This box contained approximately nine hundred, 3" x 5" cards that the source described as the entire list of all dues-paying NUC members. The cards contain name, address, and in most cases, the date dues were last paid (and on some, the amount of this payment). Further, many of the cards reflect the educational institution with which the individual is affiliated.

It should be emphasized that no one observed the source remove the box.

WFO is presently preparing an LHM incorporating the day to day events of the conference and the information that was found on the cards the source obtained. The LHM will show Los Angeles as its place of origin to further protect the source's identity, UACB.

The availability of this NUC membership, with financial records, offers several good possibilities for counter-intelligence programs. The decision as to whether counter-intelligence actions will be engaged in with this information will be left to the Bureau and Office of Origin.

3/31/70

AIRTEL

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-446761)

FROM: SAC, WFO (100-46183)

STUDENT MOBILIZATION COMMITTEE
TO END THE WAR IN VIETNAM (SMC)
IS - SWP

ReBulet to WFO 3/26/70.

Enclosed for the Bureau are four copies of a proposed counterintelligence letter to be directed to SMC campus chapters throughout the U. S.

WFO is retaining an original copy of the letter which, if approved, is suitable for reproduction by the mechanical section. An appropriate number of plain white envelopes and stamps will be purchased by WFO with funds under SAC authority. It is anticipated that 100-150 copies of the letter will be mailed.

[redacted] on 3/31/70 advised that the SMC mailing list is quite voluminous with individuals and organizations intermixed. A separate index card box is maintained in the SMC safe and is not readily accessible. WFO feels that the difficulty in obtaining this list could jeopardize the source and therefore is not warranted. WFO will instead review the SMC file for all SMC campus chapters mentioned in communications.

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Envelopes to be sent will be hand addressed and every precaution will be taken to avoid any future embarrassment to the Bureau.

For the information of the Bureau, [redacted] reported on 3/31/70 that [redacted] has led a group of dissident students into a new regional office and that this organization will temporarily be called Students Against the System (SAS). At the YSA (WDC) meeting on 3/29/70, [redacted] stated that [redacted] is continuing his attempt to disrupt YSA control of the SMC. He cautioned YSA members to be alert for [redacted] next move.

In view of the above, prompt dissemination of the proposed letter would be of greatest impact on the current disruption within the SMC.

SMC
Student Mobilization Committee to End the War in Vietnam
National Office: 1029 Vermont Ave., N.W., Washington D.C. 20005, Tel. (202) 737-0072

April, 1970

AN OPEN LETTER TO SMC MEMBERS ON CAMPUS

In the next few weeks, the destiny of the SMC as the leading student organization in the U. S. will be decided! The student affiliates of the SMC in Washington, D. C. are at this moment breaking their ties with the YSA dominated national office. To long have the students been the unwitting pawns of both the liberal establishment and groups like the Young Socialist Alliance. Only by a complete break from the YSA's domination of our national office can we hope to properly direct the student power of the SMC against injustices in society and on campus rather than lending our implicit support to the formation of a socialist society in the U. S.

Those of you who attended our national conference in Cleveland last February are fully aware of the YSA domination mentioned. We would be remiss if we forgot that [redacted] (a YSA member who never finished college) was forced upon us as the leader of the country's largest student organization. Who can forget the typically democratic vote (by YSA standards) which consisted of: "All in favor of [redacted]" and "All opposed to [redacted]". Why were we so naive as to be railroaded by a close knit group of socialists who have no real effect on the current movemtnt in America? The reason is that they organized for the conference and were in leadership positions in which they could control the elections. It is not that the student community is made up of poor losers, but rather that we have trouble sleeping with the realization that we are being used.

How else are we being used? Here are some examples:

1) SMC national office staff are almost entirely non-students, college dropouts and YSA members. The YSA defends this by saying that the job requires "a level of maturity and experience" not common to college students "devoting their primary energies to learning about themselves and the world about them". (Sounds like parents, pigs, the entire establishment system, don't it!)

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2) Our contributions to the national office are spent on such miscellaneous items as YSA salaries, equipment and supplies (which are available to the YSA but not the Washington Regional SMC).

3) College money was used to send [redacted] of the YSA and SMC on a worldwide 'vacation" to strengthen YSA ties with socialist groups around the world (really relevant to our aims?).

4) The caste system allows student labor at the national office but not student participation.

Hoe do we propose to end the YSA domination? First, we are determined to retain the SMC as a leading voice in student and national affairs. It is our organization and was not created by the YSA. Second, we are calling for new regional elections to insure that students constitute a 90% majority of the SMC leadership (we will not be exclusive and will allow non-students into membership but must limit their leadership participation in order to insure that the SMC remains a student organization) Until plans for such new elections are formulated we request that all student contributions be fully utilized on the local level. This will have a twofold effect; it will strengthen SMC influence on local campuses and in local areas and at the same time will show the YSA that the students mean business. Money (or the lack of it) really talks, even to a socialist!

The change must be made! Change will be difficult but if we can't change and control our own organization, how can we ever hope to change society, much less control it?

We want to hear your suggestions, agreement, disagreement or apathy. There is work to be done and time is important. Write to [redacted]. Each campus SMC is requested to furnish the name of its leader and number of members, so that apportionment for the elections can be made before final exams.

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TO DIRECTOR (100-449698)

NEW YORK (100-163303)

FROM WASHINGTON FIELD OFFICE (100-46183) 3P

COINTELPRO - NEW LEFT (STUDENT MOBILIZATION COMMITTEE TO END THE WAR IN VIETMAN) (SMC).

REBUAIRTEL FEBRUARY TEN, LAST, REGARDING COUNTERINTELLIGENCE OPERATIONS AGAINST SMC.

WFO SUGGESTS ANONYMOUS LETTERS BE ADDRESSED TO CONSERVATIVE, PRO DASH CATHOLIC ORGANIZATIONS SUCH AS KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS, DAUGHTERS OF ISABELLA, CATHOLIC ALUMNI CLUB, CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS OF AMERICA, CATHOLIC WAR VETERANS OF UNITED STATES, QUOTE THE CATHOLIC STANDARD END QUOTE NEWSPAPER, CATHOLIC INFORMATION CENTER AND CATHOLIC YOUTH ORGANIZATION.

THESE LETTERS COULD BE PREPARED ON COMMERCIALLY PURCHASED PAPER TO PROTECT BUREAU AS THE SOURCE, AND REFER TO LEAFLETS BEING DISTRIBUTED AND NEWSPAPER ARTICLES AS THE SOURCE OF INFORMATION.

END PAGE ONE

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17 MAR 2 1971

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Mr. Brennan C.D.
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Not forwarded to WFO because advised telephonically 2/10/71

THESE LETTERS WOULD EXPRESS INDIGNATION THAT A CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY THAT IS DEPENDENT ON THE GOODWILL OF CATHOLICS THROUGHOUT THE UNITED STATES FOR FINANCIAL SUPPORT COULD PERMIT THE USE OF STUDENT SPACE BY A TROTSKYITE, ANTI-ESTABLISHMENT GROUP TO PLAN A MASSIVE ANTI-WAR ACTION THAT COULD RESULT IN VIOLENCE, PROPERTY DAMAGE AND INJURIES IN OUR NATION'S CAPITOL. SHOULD SUCH VIOLENCE DEVELOP NEWS STORIES RECALLING THAT THE PLANNING SESSIONS WERE HELD AT CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY (CU) WOULD RESULT IN PUBLICITY REFLECTING UNFAVORABLY ON BOTH THE SCHOOL AND THE CHURCH.

THESE LETTERS COULD CALL FOR THE FLOODING OF CU WITH TELEPHONE CALLS, LETTERS AND TELEGRAMS CALLING FOR CANCELLATION OF THE CONFERENCE, AND COULD CALL FOR AN ACTUAL DEMONSTRATION ON CAMPUS TO EXPRESS OPOSITION.

WFO FURNISHED PUBLIC SOURCE INFROMATION TO SAN ANTIONIO

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BY AIRTEL DATED FEBRUARY THREE, LAST.

WFO WILL TAKE NO COUNTERINTELLIGENCE ACTION WITHOUT PRIOR BUREAU AUTHORITY.

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Date: 2/3/71

Transmit the following in _____ (Type in plaintext or code)

Via AIRTEL _____ (Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-449698)

FROM: SAC, WFO (100-47757) (P)

COINTELPRO - NEW LEFT
(STUDENT MOBILIZATION COMMITTEE
TO END THE WAR IN VIETNAM)

Re San Antonio airtel, 1/26/71, requesting public source material relative to SMC sponsored "Student Peace Conference" at Catholic University (CU), Washington, D.C., 2/19-21/71.

January 29, 1971, issue of "The Militant," the Socialist Workers Party official newspaper, on page one reflects an article regarding the SMC conference which would be held at CU on 2/19-21/71.

Attached to San Antonio's copies of this communication are Xerox copies of a leaflet which has been widely distributed concerning this matter.

For the information of San Antonio, WFO has determined that [redacted] and [redacted] are opposed to the use of CU facilities for the SMC conference and are disturbed that the use of CU facilities were granted to the SMC without their knowledge or consent by [redacted] CU.

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(1-100-446761) (SMC)
1-New York (Info) (RM)
3-San Antonio (Enc. 3) (RM)
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Director, FBI (100-449698) 53-49

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Reurlet 1/29/71 captioned as above.

This suggestion appears to have merit. Bureau feels that you should submit specific details as to how source can be operated to fit into the basic plan.

You should approach the overall plan with a view to completely obviating any possibility of embarrassment to the Bureau.

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NOTE:

APPROPRIATE AGENCIES AND [illegible] HAVE BEEN NOTIFIED
DATE 7-23-77

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-449698) DATE: 12/15/70

FROM : SAC, WFO (100-47757) (P)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - NEW LEFT

ReBulet, 5/10/68.

PENDING COUNTER INTELLIGENCE ACTION

WFO has recently developed a close liaison with several WDC realty companies which has provided good coverage of commune type dwellings in the WDC area. This relationship has also provided WFO with two Bureau approved sources one of which was converted from a PSI to [redacted] Prob. The other source remains a CS. Another advantage this program has provided is the breaking up of certain communes when it was agreeable to the best interests of the realty company and the Bureau. Efforts to maintain this liaison and to expand it are continuing.

WFO has also developed a close confidential relationship with one of the administrators of the District of Columbia Welfare Office. This liaison was developed when it was learned that several of WFO's subjects are receiving welfare funds and food stamps. This source has provided valuable background and current whereabouts information on WFO subjects. This source has also been used on occasion to have subjects removed from the welfare roles when information concerning the person's lack of qualifications was confidentially provided to the welfare office. Care had been exercised that the Bureau would not appear to be the source of this information, and in no case was any material provided which could be used to embarrass the Bureau.

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EX 105

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Buy U.S. Savings Bonds Regularly on the Payroll Savings Plan

In an attempt to play upon the seemingly inherent paranoia of the new left community WFO Agents have pursued a program of intensive physical surveillance and interviews of persons with knowledge of new left activity. This program has enhanced the fear that many of the new left people have in those around them, and this fear has manifested itself in dissension and mistrust. This program has also provided benefits in that certain activities of WFO subjects have become more familiar to the case Agent handling that subject.

WFO has also increased its informant coverage in the new left field through an organized program of contacting returning servicemen and more mature college students. This program has produced tangible benefits by providing WFO with informant coverage in new and broader areas.

TANGIBLE RESULTS OF COUNTER INTELLIGENCE ACTION

As has already been indicated in the previous section, tangible benefits in the various programs undertaken by WFO have been evident through the closing of several of the communes in the area, the increased informant coverage, and the removal of WFO subjects from the District of Columbia welfare roles. The fact that no major new left group has made WDC its main base of operation has hampered the creation of a concerted action against any organization, but WFO will remain alert to any possibilities in this respect.

POTENTIAL COUNTER INTELLIGENCE ACTION

WFO has as a confidential source an experienced and able photographer who has in the past provided photographic coverage in many important areas. WFO is currently considering an idea whereby this person would be established in a free lance business making a documentary of the new left movement. Such a project would have many potential aspects which could be exploited as counter-intelligence measures against the New Left. The second purpose of this program would

be to make the source better known and more accepted in the movement which could increase the source's value greatly. WFO intends to develop and present a plan for approval of this program within the coming period.

[redacted]

SAC, WFO (100-47757) 9/15/70

REC-122 Director, FBI (100-449693) -53-114

ST-121 COINTELPRO - NEW LEFT

ReWFOlet, 8/27/70, which advised you were considering a program whereby a letter would be prepared incorporating status of New Left activities on a college campus and that such letters would be mailed to prominent alumni of universities in the Washington, D. C., area. You further indicated the letter would be designed to arouse prominent alumni against the permissive attitude displayed by the administration of the universities.

It is encouraging to see imaginative thought given to captioned program by personnel of your office; however, in this instance it is possible that if it ever became public knowledge that the Bureau was connected with such a letter as you propose that cries might erupt that the Bureau was infringing upon academic freedom and endeavoring to form political opinion. Therefore, you are not authorized to continue to investigate the feasibility of the program outlined in relet.

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NOTE:

While plan proposed by WFO appears to have merit in bringing pressure to bear on permissive university administrative officials, authority to continue with it is being denied for reasons indicated.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-449698) DATE: 8/27/70

FROM SAC, WFO (100-47757)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
(NEW LEFT)

On 8/3/70 WFO instituted a program whereby four to six Buagents regularly worked evening shifts in areas heavily traveled by the New Left community. The purpose of this work was the identification, and initial contact of potential security informants. At this time the full effects of these contacts have not yet been determined, however these Agents have made contact with six to ten individuals who may be able to be developed into sources who are in a position to help the Bureau in the New Left area. This program was not adopted as a substitute for similar individual action on the part of Buagents assigned to the New Left field, but has been and will continue to be operated in addition to the regular informant program. All WFO Agents assigned to the New Left area realize the importance of the informant coverage, and it was felt that the intensification of development as offered by this program could serve to provide the additional coverage which will be needed during the coming months.

In an effort to develop counter intelligence programs suitable for the New Left field, WFO has considered the possibility of obtaining, through established sources, mailing lists of prominent alumni of the universities in WDC. After these lists have been secured it has been suggested that a letter be prepared setting forth the current status of New Left activities on that campus as well as an indication of the potential problems anticipated this coming year. The letter would be produced without any identification of the sender, and would be designed to arouse prominent alumni against the permissive attitude displayed by the administration of the universities. Great care would be taken to insure protection of the Bureau as the sender of any such letter.

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A plan of this nature could be easily adopted nation-wide, and could have great impact if used at universities where violence has already occurred. Each office would have to tailor the letter to the particular university in its area. Emphasis would have to be placed on the violence which has already taken place, and on the rapid deterioration of the situation on many campuses. Those who receive the letter would be urged to take whatever action they deem appropriate, such as writing to the university administration or Board of Regents, to stem the growth of this problem on the campus of their alma mater.

WFO feels that this program might bring to bear the power of prominent alumi against the violence which destroys the prestige and academic standing of the universities and force the administration of each school to take a stand against those who are seriously harming the educational system of that institution.

Bureau permission is requested to continue to investigate the feasibility of a program such as that outlined. No activity along these lines will be engaged in without prior Bureau approval.

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FBI

Date: 7/17/70

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AIRTEL

Via _____ (Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-449698)

FROM: SAC, WFO (100-47757) (P)

COINTELPRO - NEW LEFT

ReBulet 5/10/68.

Enclosed for the Bureau are two copies of an article appearing in the 7/14-24/70 issue of the "Quicksilver Times", an underground type newspaper distributed in the WDC area.

On 7/6/70 the Weathermen SDS fugitives were reassigned from a Criminal - Fugitive squad in WFO to the Security - New Left squad. Upon receiving these cases an intensive interview program in the New Left community was instituted by security squad Buagents.

This program has produced tangible results in the disruption of the day to day activities in the New Left communes, and is also being utilized as a vehicle for the development of informants in this area. Evidence of this disruption can be seen by the fact the "Quicksilver Times" felt it was necessary to devote space to counsel New Left individuals with respect to their legal rights during contacts with the FBI.

The tone of the article indicates that WFO contacts have aroused a great deal of anxiety in the New Left community, and WFO will aggressively continue this program.

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In view of the tangible results produced by WFO in this area, the Bureau may deem it advisable to recommend similar activity to other divisions with New Left communities.

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-449698) DATE: 6/26/70

FROM : SAC, WFO (100-47757)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO-NEW LEFT

Re Bulet 5/10/68.

POTENTIAL COUNTER INTELLIGENCE ACTION

WFO is continuing attempts to develop plans to utilize sources to promote political differences in New Left organizations, and also to turn Black Militant groups away from any alliance with the New Left groups.

Plans are also under development to continue to produce either a regular newsletter or leaflets for distribution on local college campuses. Inasmuch as these areas are presently quiet due to the summer recess, all such activity will be held in abeyance until the new school year begins and the tone of New Left activity is evident.

PENDING COUNTERINTELLIGENCE ACTION

WFO was recently responsible for tremendously aiding this program in other field divisions, when a WFO source was able, without detection, to obtain the mailing list of all dues paying National University Conference members. This material will provide a rich source of Counterintelligence Action.

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WFO is continuing to maintain contact with local university administrators in an attempt to convince them of the potential danger New Left radicals pose to their institutions. In connection with this phase of the program, some of the Bureau's public source material, such as the Director's public messages, have been utilized to the fullest extent.

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TANGIBLE RESULTS

On 5/7/70 intensive surveillances by Bureau agents on 1932 17th St., N.W., WDC, the former headquarters for the Voice from the Mother Country, an underground type newspaper, alleged to have Weathermen affiliations, produced evidence sufficient enough to obtain a search warrant. The surveillance caused the occupants of this area to become unnerved and led to their attempt to flee the premises with several weapons. Two of these individuals were arrested and after being faced with possible jail sentences, they proclaimed themselves to be out of the revolutionary movement. Those remaining in the premises moved from this building during the week of 6/14/70.

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-449698)

DATE: 12/4/69

FROM : SAC, WFO (100-47757)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - NEW LEFT

ReBulet, 5/10/68.

Potential Counterintelligence Action

Potential for counterintelligence activities lies in the political differences which are prevalent in the groups which make up the New Left and in black-white separatism.

Through the use of sources and propaganda media, these differences can be accentuated and the breach which presently exists be widened.

Pending Counterintelligence Action

WFO will maintain contact with its sources in anti-communist moderate organizations and will furnish public source information to them concerning New Left organizations and their members which can be utilized in producing anti-New Left propaganda and activities.

WFO has produced a newsletter which is being distributed on a university campus. This paper is designed to stimulate conservative students into taking a greater interest in campus activities and engaging in nonviolent counter New Left activities.

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This paper can be utilized to expose the evils of the New Left and to act as an anti-New Left outlet for the silent majority.

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Tangible Results

WFO through sources has distributed "The Rational Observer," a WFO publication, on the American University campus.

As a result of this publication, sources advised that students on that campus became aware of the nature of SMC and its affiliation with the YSA and partially as a result of this, refused to participate in an SMC planned demonstration on that campus.

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SAC, WFO

11/10/69

EX-116

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Bufile: 62-111181
WFOfile: 100-49753

Reurairtel dated 10/30/69 captioned as above.

In view of the Veterans Day Freedom Rally scheduled to be held on Tuesday, November 11, which is supported by veterans organizations, no action is being taken on your suggestion to have the major veterans organizations hold a joint press conference condemning the activity scheduled for 11/12-16/69.

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NOTE:

WFO suggested the Bureau have major veterans organizations hold a joint press conference to condemn the antiwar activities scheduled for this week. In an effect, this is being accomplished through the veterans organizations supporting the Veterans Day Freedom Rally as noted above.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, WFO

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In regard to the forthcoming demonstrations against the war in Vietnam to be held in WDC, November 14-16, it is suggested that the Bureau give consideration to the possibility of having major Veterans organizations hold a joint press conference for the purpose of condemning the demonstrations as being inspired and directed by organizations and/or individuals whose purpose and aims are not in the best interest of the United States. It is also suggested that if the Veterans organizations agree to the press conference that information to substantiate the charges be made available to them from public source material.

WFO is of the opinion that the tactic will help allay any air of legitimacy which could be lent to the demonstrations thus decreasing the degree of participation by those who have a legitimate but naive interest in this issue.

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Director, FBI (100-449698) -53-42

COINTELPRO - NEW LEFT
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Reurlets 10/9/69 and 10/24/69.

Authority is granted to print and distribute copies of "The Rational Observer" as submitted by your letter of 10/9/69.

In preparing and distributing this material you should take all steps necessary to assure that the Bureau cannot be identified as the source of the pamphlet.

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NOTE:

WFO has prepared a pamphlet entitled "The Rational Observer" (copy attached) which is described as an alternative American university newspaper. This pamphlet purported to be from a small group of students who take exception to the developments on the American campus and who are taking an opportunity to point out some of the inconsistencies and obvious dangers posed by the New Left on the campus. WFO intends to prepare this so that it cannot be traced to the Bureau and have it distributed on the campus through the use of a "cut-out." The pamphlet will bear an address which is a confidential mail box of the Washington Field Office which cannot be traced to the Bureau. Through this box it is hoped that WFO will be able to guage the attitude of the students to the publication and from which they may receive correspondence from potential sources who may be in agreement with the aims and purposes of the publication.

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-449698)

DATE: 10/24/69

FROM : SAC, WFO (100-47757)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - NEW LEFT

ReWFOlet, 10/9/69.

In order to afford the readers of the proposed news letter mentioned in re WFO letter the opportunity to respond to the news letter and in order for WFO to gauge the attitude of those who read it and since those who respond may constitute a potential font for sources, WFO would like to include in the news letter the post office box [redacted]

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-449698)

FROM: SAC, WFO (100-47757)

COINTELPRO - NEW LEFT

ReDElet, captioned as above, dated 8/28/69, and WFO airtel dated 9/24/69, captioned, "COINTELPRO BLACK NATIONALIST-HATE GROUPS; RACIAL MATTERS (BLACK UNITED FRONT)".

In view of recent developments, WFO feels that Detroit's suggestion should not be put into effect at this time.

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(1-157-1292)(COINTELPRO BLACK NATIONALIST)
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Memorandum

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-449698)

DATE: 10/9/69

FROM: SAC, WFO (100-47757)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - New LEFT
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Re Bureau letter, 10/1/69.

Enclosed is a Xerox copy of the "Rational Observer."

WFO requests permission to print and distribute the Rational Observer.

For the sake of security, WFO will have it printed by the Bureau on unwatermarked paper.

The distribution of the paper will be handled by a source using a "cut-out" to avoid any affiliation with the FBI.

WFO would like to print this paper at least once a month or whenever circumstances dictate the necessity for extra issues, i.e., the forthcoming demonstrations on October 15 and November 14 and 15.

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Socialism, be it right or left, suffocates Freedom. It stymies man's efforts to develop himself to his fullest.

DON'T BE EQUALIZED.

THE RATIONAL OBSERVER

AN ALTERNATIVE AMERICAN UNIVERSITY CAMPUS NEWSPAPER

Issue #2

WHAT IS THE RATIONAL OBSERVER?

It is an attempt by a small group of students, who love democracy, to preserve democracy and who believe that evil exposed is evil eliminated.

It is unfortunate we cannot identify ourselves for we take classes with some who do not believe in freedom and grade accordingly.

The purposes and aims of this paper are not to stifle dissent but to expose charlatans of the right, left and middle, whether they be in government, industry, clergy, labor or the academic world; to expose those who capitalize on legitimate dissent for their own selfish purposes or concede to pressure groups the rights of the orderly.

WILLIAM H. LEONHART

Bill -- Thanks for your criticism, but we think most of it was inundated in your tidal wave of intellectual egotism.

MAO TSE-TUNG

The SDS and PLP revolutionaries take great pride in quoting their hero, Mao Tse-tung. We also will quote him: "The only way to settle questions of an ideological nature or controversial issue among the people is by the democratic method, the method of discussion, of criticism, or persuasion and education, and not by the method of coercion or repression."

"On the Correct Handling of Contradictions Among the People (February 27, 1957) First Pocket Ed., pp.56, p.11

WILL THE REAL MAO

PLEASE STAND UP!!

The Greatest Contradiction

"We are advocates of the abolition of war, we do not want war; but war can only be abolished through war, and in order to get rid of the gun it is necessary to take up the gun."

Quotations from Chairman Mao "Problems of War and Strategy" (November 6, 1938) Selected Works, Vol. II, p.225

ENCLOSURE

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PLP ORGANIZER

Congratulations to the AU Administration! They've done it again!

First [redacted] and now [redacted] Tom has been hired to teach at AU although he spends most of his time attempting to organize a PLP-SDS chapter at American University.

What Next AU?

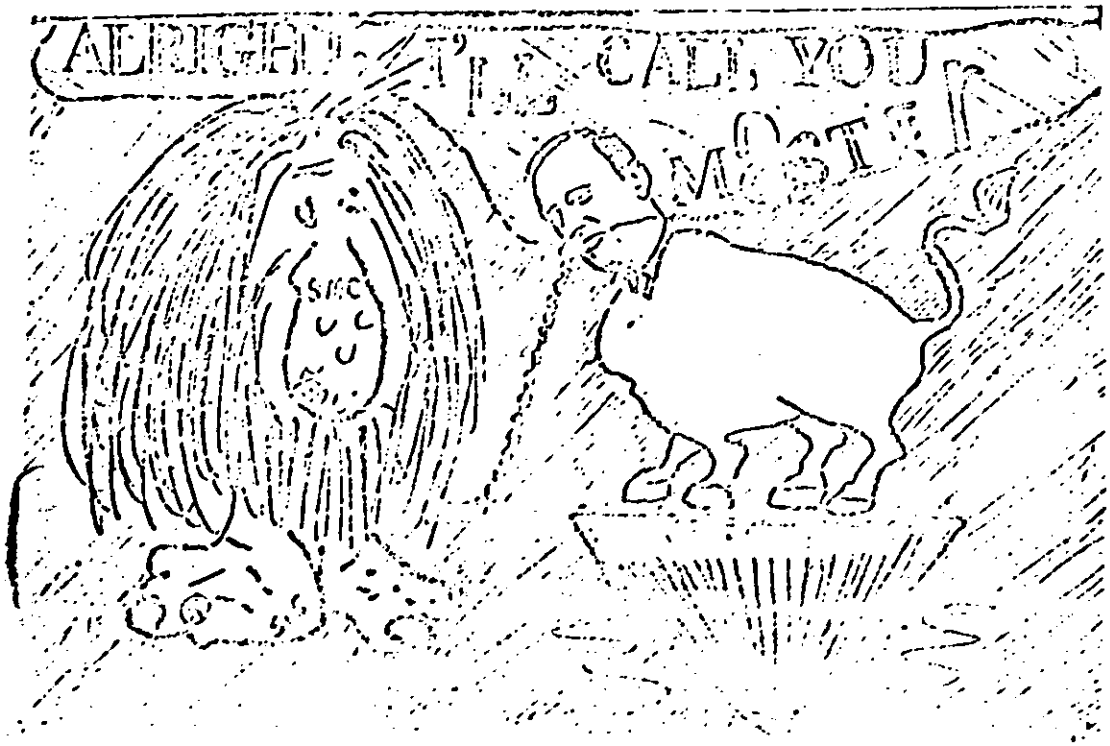
LIBERTY RELINQUISHED
TO GOVERNMENT IS
LIBERTY LOST

DRUGS

If you must freak out on society don't turn on with drugs. Drugs offer only temporary relief. They are not the deus ex machina you seek. Turn to your rabbi, minister, priest, and yes, your parents, for help in solving your hang-ups.

President Williams: Don't turn your back on drug abuse at American University. It may come back to haunt you.

What's Wrong With Competition? Nothing. Only those who lack confidence in themselves fear it and flock together like sheep under a shepherd of cowardice.



"The New Right" Trades Foresight for Hindsight

A recent issue of "The New Right," a publication of the National Youth Alliance, gave voice to Minutemen propaganda that attributed the relative racial calm during 1968 to a "communist plot." According to this sort of hairy-handed conservative thought process, communist and Black Power leaders decided that it was not going to be possible to provoke a full scale race war during 1968 and went fishing. This shrewd maneuver left the scene open to the "hippies and unorganized rabble" to make a "token demonstration"! (It seems the Chicago demonstrations during the Democratic Convention did not measure up to Minutemen expectations.)

Elsewhere, "The New Right" quotes Robert DePugh, National Leader of the Minutemen now in federal custody and charged with conspiracy to recruit money from banks. DePugh is attributed with saying that if the government were fighting communism as hard as they are fighting the Minutemen there would be no fighting in the streets. No mention was made of possible fighting in the hills.

Also contained in this issue was an interesting, objective appraisal of the District Attorney Jim Garrison probe. It is unfortunate that also set out was material from the scruffy Statecraft, a publication devoted more to sophomorish blandishments of hate rather than efforts to separate the trees of bigots from the forest of conservatives.

A real contribution was offered by the National Youth Alliance of Birmingham-Bloomfield NYA which will furnish free information concerning dangerous drugs.

However, if you insist on beating your head against the "Wall," the Patriotic Party and Mr. DePugh of Independence, Missouri, will send you for $5 a one hour talk-tape entitled, "Campaign Promices vs. National Survival."

VIETNAM WAR

Many people from the entire political spectrum are against the war in Vietnam. Don't hesitate to question the motives of the SDS, the SMC-YSA and MOBE. Use your God-given intelligence. Remember, you will be faced with joining society upon completion of your academic training. Don't do anything in haste today which could cause you embarrassment tomorrow.

DO YOU SUFFER FROM ACEDIA?

The cure for this illness is a few ounces of intelligence generously mixed with ambition and perserverance.

Show me a person afraid to fail and I will show you a failure.

What To Do About Evil

If you recognize evil and want it eliminated, call or write President Williams, your rabbi, minister or priest, the Bureau of Narcotics, the FBI or the Metropolitan Police Department. Without your assistance they are helpless.

SDS Peaceful Demonstration in Chicago, October 8-11, 1969

The SDS has been publishing much information about bringing the war home. It looks like they have taken the first step. Our reporters have learned the SDS in Washington, D.C. went to Chicago loaded down with steel helmets, baseball bats, lengths of chain and the will to use them.

THE "EAGLE" FLYS HIGH FOR THE NEW LEFT

Last week one of our reporters happened by chance to obtain a copy of the "Underground Press Directory," published by "Counterpoint, Box 396, Stevens Point, Wisconsin, 54468." It is interesting to note that our very own campus newspaper "The Eagle" had suddenly rated the notorious and unbecoming title as a member of the "Underground Press."

All of us, as students of American University, pay for the "Eagle" (not altogether voluntarily), through our student activities fees. It seems to us that campus newspapers which are funded by <u>all</u> the students are not meant to be political in nature but rather to report campus news. We can all voluntarily buy "The Evening Star," "The Free Press," or whatever other presentation of the news we desire. Yet, those of us who may find disagreement with the editorializing of "The Eagle" <u>must</u> pay for it.

We don't care whether campus newspapers are in support of the "left" or the "right." The fact remains that it is an organ of the student body and therefore should reflect the interests of <u>all</u> the students. Those who wish to buy "underground" newspapers

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"EAGLE"

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can simply buy "Quicksilver Times" or "The Free Press" which are both distributed regularly on campus.

Last year an injunction was filed against the "Eagle," Perhaps, those who are interested enough can repeat this necessary step to force an objective investigation of the facts.

WHAT IS THE SMC?

The SMC is a YSA controlled organization. The YSA is the youth group of the Socialist Workers Party, a Trotskyite organization. The Trotskyites are Marxist revolutionaries who believe in the overthrow through the use of force and violence of the United States Government.

This is being published for the information of those students who are genuinely concerned about the war in Vietnam and who have aligned themselves with an organization whose motives concerning the war in Vietnam are far from being desirable.

FLAG BURNING AT AU

Does the student body of AU know that an American flag was burned on the campus of American University? Do you condone this sort of action?

Make your sentiments known to the Administration and the "Eagle."

SAC, WFO (100-47757)

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Director, FBI (100-449698) 53-39

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10/1/69

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COINTELPRO - NEW LEFT
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ReWFOlet dated 9/19/69.

Prior to authorizing the publication and distribution of the newsletter mentioned in relet it is desired that you furnish a copy of the proposed publication for Bureau approval. At that time you should furnish details regarding where this will be published, how often it will be printed, and how it will be distributed.

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NOTE:

By relet WFO requested permission to publish and distribute a newsletter entitled "Rational Observer." Prior to authorizing its publication, more detail is needed.

DELETED COPY SENT TO, WFO, FOR PERTINENT INFORMATION. DATED JUL 1975 IN 100-15 (SOC. RACIAL ISSUES).

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-449698)

DATE: 9/19/69

FROM : SAC, WFO (100-47757)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - NEW LEFT

ReWFOlet, 7/28/69, in which WFO suggested holding in abeyance the publication of the "Chevara News" since the Students For A Democratic Society (SDS) had been relatively ineffective and to avoid any possibility of stimulating interest in New Left philosophy.

Since the beginning of the new school term, New Left activity on the campuses has begun and efforts by groups, such as the SMC, YSA, SDS, to recruit new members is evident.

In view of this, WFO is requesting Bureau permission to publish and distribute a newsletter conforming in essence with that previously described to the Bureau and maintaining relatively the same format; however, WFO would like to change the name from the Chevara News to the "Rational Observer".

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-449698)

DATE: 9/9/69

FROM: SAC, WFO (100-47757) (P)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - NEW LEFT

POTENTIAL COUNTERINTELLIGENCE ACTION

Utilizing sources WFO contemplates the publication and distribution of anti-New Left literature attacking the New Left from the left as well as from the liberal and conservative positions.

Sources within the administrations of local universities, through public source information, will be kept up-to-date on the policies of prominent New Left organizations so they can make informed judgments to forestall and quell potential disruptive activities. Sources within the movement will attempt to capitalize on the political differences prevalent within the movement today.

Efforts also will be made to further the rive in the black-white movements.

PENDING COUNTERINTELLIGENCE ACTION

During a recent meeting of the National Mobilization Committee to End the War in Vietnam (NMC), the Black United Front (BUF) demanded a sum of money from the NMC for allowing the NMC to hold a demonstration in WDC on 11/14/69 - 11/15/69. BUF warned that if the money was not forthcoming, they would prevent the NMC from demonstrating.

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WFO has suggested that through sources "the blackmail payment" be encouraged and if it comes about that friendly sources in the news media publish the facts causing a wider rift between the Black and New Left movements.

In addition, WFO has suggested that black groups throughout the nation, through sources, be made aware of the BUF demands on the NMC.

TANGIBLE RESULTS

Since the end of the last semester the SDS Chapters, at American University and Georgetown University were disbanded and although there is a chapter at George Washington University, it was relatively inaffective during the summer months.

The regional office of the SDS has completely changed and the new members thereof are weak individuals who have little or no control over the remaining SDS chapters.

The breaking up of the regional office and the chapters at American University and Georgetown University was the result of dissension caused by WFO sources.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO :DIRECTOR, FBI (100-449698)

DATE: 8/12/69

FROM :SAC, WFO (100-47757)

SUBJECT:COINTELPRO - NEW LEFT

Re Bulet 8/5/69.

Re Bulet suggests the feasibility of informing [redacted] officials of the background of [redacted]

It is to be noted, [redacted] although considering employment at one time at the [redacted], did not apply for same; and is not now working at the college.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-449698)

DATE: 8/4/69

FROM : SAC, WFO (100-47757)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO-NEW LEFT

Re Bureau let, 5/10/68.

POTENTIAL COUNTERINTELLIGENCE ACTION

WFO contemplates the utilization of sources to capitalize on the political differences which are now prevalent, particularly in the SDS, and other New Left organizations.

Sources will be encouraged to undertake leadership roles in the various factions and stimulate dissension among them.

If necessary, WFO will establish a leafleting program designed at stimulating conservative students on the campus to take action against the radical students.

The program will include leaflets attacking the SDS from the Left and leaflets relating the New Left movement to the Nazi movement.

Propaganda efforts will also be made to maintain the "separativeness" of the blacks and the whites and to stimulate political attacks by the blacks against the "lilly white" New Left groups.

PENDING COUNTERINTELLIGENCE ACTION

WFO has pending the publication of a New Left news letter designed to subtly highlight inconsistencies in political philosophies of the New Left movement, particularly the SDS.

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INTERC.

WFO is holding the publication of this news letter in abeyance since activities on the part of the SDS in WDC have fallen off drastically.

WFO has been maintaining its contacts with its sources in the administration of the various universities and is attempting to convince through the sources the administration of these universities of the danger of being permissive relative to radical revolutionary groups on the campuses.

TANGIBLE RESULTS

The SDS Washington area regional office and the SDS chapters at American University and Georgetown University have been broken up. The chapter at George Washington University, although holding meetings on occasion, have not engaged in the usual protest activities.

This was accomplished by causing dissension among the SDS in the WDC area, utilizing sources well versed in the political differences of the New Left.

No counterintelligence action will be taken by WFO without specific Bureau authorization.

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SAC, WFO (100-47757) 8-5-69

Director, FBI (100-449698)

COINTELPRO - NEW LEFT

Washington, D.C.

Re Bulet 6-12-69 and the report of SA [redacted] entitled [redacted] SM - SDS" dated 7-14-69.

Referenced report pointed out that [redacted] has been actively promoting the Students for a Democratic Society (SDS) and the anti-draft movement in the Washington area. In addition, he has made attempts to evade serving on active duty with the Army. This report also states that [redacted] has made plans to teach at the [redacted] during the coming year.

From the above it would appear that [redacted] can be expected to foment trouble on the campus if he is successful in acquiring a position at the college.

If you have not already done so, you should consider means whereby [redacted] officials may be made aware of the background of [redacted] and the damage that may accrue to the college over his presence on the campus.

Take no steps in this regard without first receiving Bureau approval.

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NOTE:

During the last academic year [redacted] was a scene of considerable discussion over black study programs with the result that it is possible fertile grounds for an agitator to work. [redacted] is just such an agitator. We may be able to prevent a campus disorder by warning [redacted] officials regarding Mulloy.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-449698)

DATE: 7/23/69

FROM : SAC, WFO (100-47757)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - NEW LEFT

ReBulet, 3/11/69, authorizing the production and distribution of a leaflet captioned the "Chevara News".

The primary purpose for the publication and distribution of the "Chevara News" was to cause dissention among the members of the American University (AU) Students For A Democratic Society (SDS) by including therein contradictory "New Left" articles and articles attacking the SDS from the "Left".

Since the AU SDS has been rendered relatively ineffective through other means and to avoid any possibility of stimulating interest in New Left philosophy, WFO will not publish and distribute the "Chevara News".

If at some time in the future it becomes necessary to utilize this technique, WFO will re-submit a request to do so.

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SAC, WFO (100-47757) 6-12-69

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Director, FBI (100-449698) - 53-33

COINTELPRO - NEW LEFT

Reurairtel 6-6-69.

A review of [redacted] file at the Bureau indicates that the Assistant Chief of Staff for Intelligence, U. S. Army has been alerted to his activities in the Students for a Democratic Society. As you know, in cases of this nature the military services have specific procedural steps to follow to preclude an individual from active service or to activate him as the situation may warrant. No recommendation, therefore, is being made to the Army as to what action should be taken in the case of [redacted]

In order that the Army will have all available information pertaining to [redacted] you should prepare a letterhead memorandum under his caption setting forth all unreported information and including the statement received from [redacted] respecting [redacted] statement concerning teaching at Federal City College this fall.

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NOTE:

By reairtel WFO pointed out that [redacted] who was [redacted] of the American University SDS last year and now is currently on the Security Index, has received commission following completion of [redacted]. He had subsequently received an extended delay from call to active duty in order to attend the American University. WFO reported that an informant had stated that [redacted] intends to teach school this fall at Federal City College and feels that he has precluded being called to active duty as a result of writing a letter to Army in which he praised Che Guevara, Fidel Castro, and Cuba. WFO suggested this information be brought to the attention of Army so that [redacted] could be called to active duty and thereby frustrate his attempt to avoid military service. Since Army will have all information available on [redacted] we should make no recommendations in this regard.

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Date: 6/6/69

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Via AIRTEL _____ (Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-449698)

FROM: SAC, WFO (100-47757) (P)

COINTELPRO - NEW LEFT

ReWFOlet to Bureau, dated 4/18/69 (no copy to LA), and WFO Summary Report of S[redacted], dated 3/6/69.

Above referenced are regarding:

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(SCfile 100-1593)
(WFOfile 100-48493)

For the information of Los Angeles and Sacramento, subject is presently on the Security Index - Priority III.

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(1- 100-452946) [redacted]
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(1- 100-48493) [redacted]

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Special Agent in Charge

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On 2/17/69, the Bureau received a copy of a letter allegedly signed by the subject, addressed to the Chief, Reserve Forces Division, Department of the Army, from Bureau liaison with the Office of the Assistant Chief of Staff for Intelligence, Department of the Army, The Pentagon, Washington, D.C. (WDC). This letter stated as follows:

[redacted]

On 3/10/69, the 116th MI Group, was requested by WFO to determine if subject does hold a Reserve Commission with the U.S. Army. On 4/17/69, [redacted], 116th MI Group advised that his office telephonically contacted the Delayed Officer Section, Reserve Components Personnel Center, Fort Benjamin Harrison, Indiana, re subject's current military status, revealing that [redacted], Second Lieutenant, Transportation Corps, [redacted] took Reserve Officers Training Corps (ROTC) training while attending college at [redacted] He also attended ROTC summer camp at Fort Lewis, Washington.

He accepted his commission on [redacted], and on [redacted] he was placed on an extended delay from call to active duty to permit [redacted] to engage in [redacted]. This delay was effective until [redacted] There was a notation that his military records had been flagged in accordance with Army Regulation 600-31, and that this flagging action is still pending.

For the information of the Bureau, andofficer receiving this communication, [redacted] advised SA [redacted] on 5/29/69, that [redacted] indicated to the source on [redacted] that [redacted] indicated to the source on [redacted] that he was planing to begin teaching at [redacted]

It is apparent from this statement that [redacted] feels that he has successfully circumvented his commitments to the Army, and is confident in making non-military plans for his future.

This situation presents several courses of punitive action that could conceivably be taken against [redacted], these ranging from the Army ordering [redacted] to be called up for Active Duty with an AWOL or FUDE status-consequence should he fail to report; through no action taken at all by subject's Local Draft Board or the Army.

It is the opinion of WFO, that it would be inimical to the better interests of the United States should [redacted] be able to successfully avoid his military commitments and be in a position to present his radical "Anti-establishment" views, and draft evasion exploits to Students at [redacted] next year.

The Bureau is requested to consider this matter, and determine if it would prove useful to establish liaison with the Army, or Selective Service at the Seat of Government, or at local levels, and relate the Bureau's interests in this matter and background information concerning [redacted] such that high level consideration can be afforded vigorous positive action against [redacted]

LEADS:

INDIANAPOLIS

AT FORT BENJAMIN HARRISON, INDIANA. Will expedite leads set forth in re WFO let.

LOS ANGELES

AT CLAREMONT, CALIFORNIA. Will determine if subject is registered with the Draft Board in The Claremont, California, area, determining his LDB number and draft status.

SACRAMENTO

AT SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA. Will conduct the same investigation requested above for Los Angeles.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-449698)

DATE: 4/25/69

FROM : SAC, WFO (100-47757)

[redacted]

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - NEW LEFT

Enclosed are two copies for the Bureau and one for New York of two memos of the Mid-Hudson Industrial Association relating to SDS work-ins for the Summer of 1969.

They are being furnished for information.

These memos were furnished by [redacted] who obtained them from [redacted] a business executive in the New Paltz, New York area and a member of the above association.

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35 MARKET STREET ○ POUGHKEEPSIE, NEW YORK ○ 914-452-9020

March 20, 1969

MEMO TO MEMBERS

FROM: [redacted]

The attached memo describes documents originated by the militant left-wing Students for a Democratic Society (SDS), copies of which have been obtained by your Association from a highly reliable source within the past few days. As you will see, SDS this year plans to use the traditional summer hiring of young people to invade industrial plants, offices, banks, stores, etc. for the purpose of disrupting operations and conducting propaganda campaigns among employees.

I believe the memo deserves your close attention.

The documents we have were prepared by and for the "New York Regional SDS Work-In", involving SDS chapters on campuses in Greater New York and in New Jersey. Some of these students may well fan out into our area for summer employment.

More important, however, is the fact that there are numerous SDS activists on Mid-Hudson campuses --- e.g., New Paltz State College and Vassar. They too are probably involved, since it seems clear that the "Work-In" is a national SDS project.

Because SDS is urging students to concentrate on seeking jobs with employers of about 400 or more, I am enclosing full copies of the documents along with the attached memo only to MHIA member companies of that size.

However, I will send full copies of the SDS documents immediately to any other member who asks for them --- and any member company planning to hire young people this summer is strongly urged to ask for them. It cannot safely be assumed that "Work-In" activities in our area will be limited to larger employers.

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ENCLOSURE

THE MID-HUDSON INDUSTRIAL ASSOCIATION
35 MARKET STREET o POUGHKEEPSIE NEW YORK o 914-452-9020

MEMO TO MEMBERS

FROM: [redacted]

SUBJ: THE NEXT STUDENT BATTLEGROUND: YOUR PLANT - - - THE TIME: THIS SUMMER

Using the traditional summer hiring of young people as a vehicle, the militant left-wing Students for a Democratic Society (SDS), responsible for most of the violence and anarchy on the nation's campuses, are planning to invade industrial plants and other business organizations this summer for the purpose of disrupting operations and conducting intense propaganda campaigns among employees.

Two SDS documents, copies of which have been obtained by THE MID-HUDSON INDUSTRIAL ASSOCIATION through highly reliable channels, lay out the strategy for the "Work-In" --- its purposes, and the means by which they will be accomplished.

I. A POSTER designed to recruit "Work-In" participants explains the project's aims. The poster can be summarized as follows:

> Campus demonstrations against the Viet Nam war and the draft are growing but are having little effect because students are isolated from other Americans. To succeed in disrupting the American "war machine", students must form alliances, especially with workers in industrial plants, stores, banks, offices, etc. The SDS "Work-In" will be a concerted drive to place students in summer jobs in industry and business for the purpose of making direct contact with workers, selling them on "immediate U. S. withdrawal from Viet Nam", fighting "white racism" among them, and explaining to them that "there are students who support their struggles".

The poster lists co-ordinators for the "work-In" on various college campuses in Greater New York-New Jersey area, and gives the address of New York headquarters as 50 East 11 Street, NYC.

II. A "WORK-IN ORGANIZER'S MANUAL", according to its own cover page, is "intended to help work-in organizers in selecting and getting jobs. It also contains some pointers on approaches to the political issues that we will be raising and encountering at work".

The Manual is divided into 4 major parts:

1. HOW TO RESEARCH THE JOB SITUATION IN YOUR AREA - SDS refers potential Work-Iners to their local DIRECTORY OF MANUFACTURERS and to the Yellow Pages of the telephone book.

2.) WHAT JOBS TO LOOK FOR - SDS puts the emphasis here on unskilled jobs in plants employing 400 or more. In unskilled jobs, the opportunity for contact with large numbers of fellow workers is greater; plants of 400 or more are preferred because the audience is greater, workers are more likely to have a sense of organization and lend themselves to mass movements, more hiring for unskilled jobs is likely. White students should attempt to get into plants where the employment is primarily white; Blacks should attempt to work with others of their race.

3.) HOW TO GET A JOB -

(this part is MUST reading for employment managers)

SDS tells a Work-Iner in most cases NOT to admit he's a student; it may prevent his employment. Rather, he should say he's worked since graduating from high school and should have "a place or person who will say you worked there for the past 1-4 years". He should also indicate that the imaginary previous job involved heavy manual labor, showing he's not afraid to work.

This section gives the SDS job applicant many more suggestions on getting by the employment office than can be detailed in this memo --- e.g., how to deal with draft status problems, aptitude tests, physical defects, loyalty oaths, dress and behavior during the personnel interview.

4.) WHAT TO EXPECT ON THE JOB - SDS provides its members with a real primer on political agitation in this section. A few examples:

--- Don't be shocked by the racist remarks of white workers, by pro-war talk, etc; if the workers understood racism, the war, the capitalist class, middle class morality, we'd be on the way "home" already.

--- You're there with a purpose --- to bring out the relationship of Viet Nam and the other imperialist wars to their (the workers') immediate demands, the fact that they and their sons die in the war, that it is a war for the rich --- the CLASS perspective.

--- The boss is threatening the workers' job. They must be told that as long as workers are divided by race, craft, union, sex, it's easier for the boss to sit on them.

--- Pick out a few workers who might be more advanced than the rest; talk with them about students offering them assistance in any struggles coming up in the future, on picket lines, demonstrations, etc.

We need not belabor for readers of this memo the importance of taking every precaution to keep SDS agitators out of their employ. But the following point should be made:

Employees in industry and business are, almost unanimously, loyal Americans who will quickly recognize the real source of the SDS propaganda line and will strongly resent being approached by it. If they are approached by it while at work, the result, at best, will be a loss of respect for the employer --- whose personnel processes allowed it to happen. At worst, the ramifications may lead to violence in and around the plant of a kind quite familiar to Columbia University and San Francisco State College.

SAC, WFO (100-47757) 4/30/69

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COINTELPRO - NEW LEFT

Reurairtel 4/18/69.

Authority to distribute copies of the "Evening Star" article submitted as an enclosure to reairtel is denied.

It is felt that the use of established sources to distribute material of this nature on local campuses could conceivably become a source of embarrassment to the Bureau and that the possible benefits to be expected would not justify the risks taken.

Your suggestions under this program are appreciated and you should continue your efforts to neutralize the New Left on local campuses.

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NOTE:

By airtel WFO submitted a review of New Leftist philosopher, Dr. Herbert Marcuse's book, " An Essay on Liberation." The review is highly critical and points out that Marcuse attempts by his philosophy to weaken the moral fibers and undermine faith in accepted values. WFO suggested that the article be copied, stamped to indicate that it is being distributed by the SDS and then distributed on local campuses by utilizing established sources. It is not felt that the benefits that could accrue from this would justify the use of established sources to distribute them.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-449698)

FROM: SAC, WFO (100-47757)

COINTELPRO - NEW LEFT

Attached for the Bureau is one copy of an article which appeared in the "Evening Star" on 3/31/69.

WFO would like to reproduce this article and have it distributed on local campuses. The distribution can be done without embarrassment to the Bureau by utilizing established sources.

WFO has affixed the title of the SDS to the article for the purpose of drawing readership from both radical and rational elements on the campus; to tie in the SDS with the MARCUSE philosophy and to stimulate thinking on the part of the readership.

In view of the potential spring demonstrations on the local campuses, the Bureau is requested to expeditiously notify WFO of its opinion concerning the distribution of this article.

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Approved: _____ Special Agent in Charge

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A BOOK FOR TODAY

Essays by a New Left 'Thinker'

By REED J. IRVINE

AN ESSAY ON LIBERATION. By Herbert Marcuse. Beacon Press. 91 pages. $3.95.

Herbert Marcuse is an aging professor of philosophy who is best known as one of the "deep thinkers" of the New Left. His writing is sufficiently turgid to be incomprehensible to the average undergraduate. This may account for his reputation for profundity. San Diego State College recently renewed Marcuse's contract despite the fact that he is beyond retirement age on the ground that he is indispensable. If anyone is interested in knowing what manner of intellectual meat is being served up on many college campuses today he should read this little essay by Marcuse. Anyone doing so will come away with a better understanding of why our college campuses are in such turmoil.

The key ingredient in Marcuse's philosophy is hatred of the liberal democracies and their economic systems based on free enterprise. He hates these societies for the perverse reason that they have been so successful in improving the standard of living of the masses. In doing so they have made a fool of one of Marcuse's heroes, Karl Marx. Marx, of course, predicted that the capitalist system would produce increasing misery for the workers and that this would eventually cause its collapse. Marcuse recognizes that the workers have done so well under the free enterprise system that they want no part of any Marxian revolution. He says this would be "against the will and against the interests of the great majority of the people."

But Marcuse is what Eric Hoffer has aptly called "a soul engineer who sees it as his sacred duty to operate on mankind with an ax." What does it matter if the majority is satisfied with the existing political and economic system?

According to Marcuse, "the general will is always wrong." If the masses cannot be relied upon to destroy the social order, then the intellectuals who know what is best for mankind will have to find others to help them accomplish this.

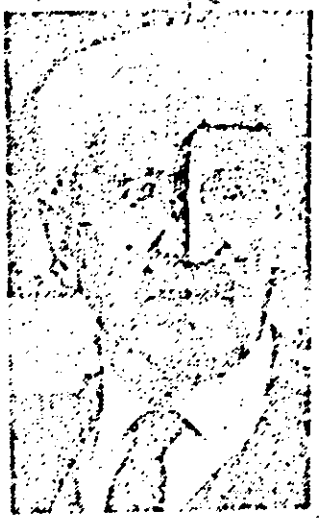
He sees the students and the Negroes as the best source of help in this ambitious task. In order to get people to want to destroy liberal institutions that have produced general affluence it will be necessary to induce them to reject traditional values. You must try to create a group of people who will reject conventional morality, who will "break with the familiar, the routine ways of seeing, hearing, feeling, understanding things."

Whether this is to be helped along by encouraging the use of drugs Marcuse does not say, but it is clear that he looks hopeful to those children of the middle class who have demonstrated their break with conventional values by experimenting with sex, drugs and riots. The urban Negroes, on the other hand, are to be radicalized by the more traditional Marxian emphasis on their economic plight.

The goal of this great upheaval is the creation of "a society in which the abolition of poverty and toil terminates in a universe where the sensuous, the playful, the calm and the beautiful become forms of existence." Being neither an economist nor an engineer, Marcuse does not explain how he will simultaneously eliminate both poverty and work, but he assures us that science has advanced to the point where this can be done. It is only the selfishness of the vested interests that stands in the way.

He does reveal that this will involve the elimination of private property and the institution of economic central planning. He does not mention the fact that those countries that have taken that route have greatly diminished human freedom without eliminating either poverty or toil.

One can find some good advice in this essay. Marcuse tells us that a precondition of his revolution is a weakening of the economic stability and social cohesion of our system. He in effect warns us that the student demand for structural reform of the universities is only an excuse to revolutionize the curriculum and make it easier to radicalize the students. He stresses the important role that "moral fiber" plays in the functioning of any society, and he observes that a successful society must require general acceptance of its operative values. This is the point of the Marcusian attack: to weaken the moral fiber and undermine faith in accepted values. He is confident that this will enable his unpopular revolution to succeed. We have been warned, but will we listen?



HERBERT MARCUSE

STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY

VENCEREMOS

SAC, WFO (100-47992) 4/11/69

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Director, FBI (100-452984)

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Rerep of SA [redacted] dated at WFO, 3/7/69.

Rerep states that the subject, who is a member of the Young Socialist Alliance (YSA), is employed as an [redacted] in Washington, D. C.

In view of this situation, you are to consider available steps that can be taken of a counterintelligence nature to have the subject separated from her employment as a [redacted]. In this regard and consistent with the security of your informants and your investigation, you should consider sending an anonymous letter to the subject's parents notifying them of her membership in the YSA.

You should also advise the Bureau as to whether an established and reliable source is available at the [redacted] to whom you could furnish this information in the strictest confidence. Take no steps in this regard until Bureau approval is obtained.

Promptly submit your recommendations as to the above.

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NOTE: Referenced report sets forth that subject is a [redacted] in Washington, D. C., is a member of the YSA, and has attended educational and regional conferences of that organization. Her father is reportedly a [redacted] and could be expected to be in opposition to the tenets of YSA. In any event, we should seek methods designed to separate her from the educational system.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-449698)

DATE: 2/26/69

FROM : SAC, WFO (100-47757) -P-

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - NEW LEFT

Re WFO letter to Bureau, dated 1/6/69, concerning [redacted]

Per Bureau instructions, the letter referred to in referenced WFO letter was sent to subject's father on 1/27/69. The following WF source who is well acquainted with subject was contacted regarding any differences that may have arisen between subject and his father; none were reported. The source was [redacted] whose identity is known to the Bureau; contacted by SA [redacted] on 2/24/69.

WFO is preparing a summary report re subject, including recommendation for inclusion of same on the Security Index.

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Director, FBI ~~(100-449398)~~

COINTELPRO - NEW LEFT

Reurlet 2-19-69.

Authority is granted to distribute the leaflet as suggested in relet using the name "Chevara News" and the post office box as recommended.

The production and subsequent distribution of the leaflet at American University must be done in such a manner as to protect the identity of the Bureau as the source.

You should also instruct your informant to be particularly alert to the reaction of SDS to the appearance of the leaflet at AU. Promptly notify the Bureau of any reactions noted.

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WHERE DO YOU STAND AU SDS?

..ution is not a dinner party, or ..ing an essay, or painting a picture, or ..ing embroidery; it cannot be so refined, so ..isurely and gentle, so temperate, kind, ..urteous, restrained and magnanimous. A ..volution is an insurrection, an act of ..olence by which one class overthrows ..other."

Mao Tse-tung
(Quotations from Chairman Mao ..-tung. Foreign Language Press, ..ing, 1966, pp. 11-12)

..oday SDS is a mass radical and anti-..perialist student movement. The critique we ..e developing of American corporate capitalism ..s brought us to advocate the necessity of an ..tivist and revolutionary politics for the ..w Left."

SDS: An Introduction
Washington Regional Office p. 4

..ince its inception the major effort of the SDS ..s been to build a radical movement in this ..untry. A handful of people started building an ..vironment that had little more than the memory of ..v.. radical force. Conditions in America and the ..rd ..ork of radicals over the last eight years have ..ven rise to a large student-based movement. The ..allenge at this juncture in movement history is ..change the emphasis from building a radical move-..nt to using the radical movement in the work of ..king a revolution."

Tom Bell, Bernardine Dohrn, Steve Halliwell
Program Proposals, SDS National Convention
East Lansing, Michigan, June 10-15, 1968

During an AU SDS chapter meeting the question of whether demonstrations and confrontations are good was raised. The struggle of the movement which plays a revoluntionary role must always be linked closely with such actions. But we must be careful in determining their use. Our tactics must be in accordance with the situation.

If the question was whether a demonstration and a possible confrontation with the police was a good tactic for Election Day (the situation), such a question was a very valid one. But if the question was whether confrontations should be used as a tool . . . those who raised it don't know what a "revolution" is all about.

Webster's New World Dictionary of the American Language, College Edition, defines revolution as "overthrow of a government, form of government, or social system, with another taking its place."

PROPOSAL: Let's take a stand.

If you feel that meaningful change cannot be accomplished under our present system, then we have no alternative but to call for revolution. If you feel that you cannot work within the establishment, let's call for revolution. If you feel you have been rejected by the establishment, let's call for revolution. If you feel the establishment is evil, you must call for revolution.

VENCEREMOS!

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-449698)

DATE: 2/19/69

FROM : SAC, WFO (100-47757)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - NEW LEFT

Re WFO letter, 1/30/69.

Re WFO letter enclosed a proposed leaflet captioned "Where Do You Stand AU SDS?" which leaflet might possibly be distributed on the American University campus.

With Bureau permission, WFO would like to include on the leaflet the organizational name "Chevara News," and the post office box number 3587, Georgetown Station, zip code 20007, to which interested individuals may write for additional issues of leaflets and/or news letters produced by this bogus organization.

For the information of the Bureau, this box number is a confidential box number utilized by WFO and is in the name of a [redacted]

The name Chevara is a combination of the names Che Guevara, the Cuban revolutionary hero and hero of the New Left.

WFO indices contain no information identifiable with Chevara News.

Bureau criticism and suggestions concerning the additions and the publication of this leaflet would be appreciated by WFO.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-449698)

DATE: 2/12/69

FROM : SAC, WFO (100-47757)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - NEW LEFT

The following is submitted for the information of the Bureau and concerns the futile endeavors of representatives of the National Mobilization Committee (NMC) to obtain space at the Federal City College (FCC), Washington, D. C., for rallies during the days immediately preceding the Inauguration of President RICHARD M. NIXON.

It will be recalled that considerable publicity appeared in the local press to the effect that the FCC would be used as a base for meetings of various groups supporting protests scheduled for Saturday and Sunday preceding the inauguration on 1/20/69. Thereafter, various student groups at FCC made it known that, as negroes, they did not desire that black-student activity be associated with the militant actions of the NMC and it was announced that the FCC would not be available to the NMC.

The New York Office supplied information to WFO that a special emissary of the NMC was being dispatched to Washington to prevail upon FCC groups to change their stand. This information was received by WFO on 1/7/69 and was made available to an established and reliable source. [redacted] FCC. Without any encouragement or suggestions, [redacted] immediately said he would see to it that the NMC would be unsuccessful in such endeavors.

As was evident in future moves of the NMC, the FCC was not involved and the various dissident groups had to seek other locations for meetings.

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COINTELPRO - NEW LEFT

Reurlet 1/30/69.

Authority to prepare and anonymously disseminate the enclosure forwarded with relet is denied.

Since the throw away is being submitted anonymously it is not felt that sufficient benefit would accrue to the Bureau to warrant such a mailing.

You should reconsider the preparation of this throw away in approximately 90 days at which time you may wish to request authority to issue it using a pseudonym and a box number in the District through which replies may be received.

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-449698)

DATE: 1/30/69

FROM : SAC, WFO (100-47757)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - NEW LEFT

Re Bureau let 12/6/68.

Enclosed are two copies of a revised leaflet captioned, "Where Do You Stand AU SDS?" This leaflet, if approved by the Bureau for dissemination, will be placed in strategic locations on the AU campus by established sources.

Bureau authority is requested to reproduce this pamphlet and distribute it on AU campus.

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-449698)

DATE: 1/23/69

FROM : SAC, WFO (100-47757)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - NEW LEFT

ReBulet 11/5/68 and WFOrep of SA [redacted] captioned [redacted] SM-SDS, 10/25/68.

ReBulet requested to know where [redacted] parents are residing, whether or not [redacted] uses drugs in fact and [redacted] residence, prior to considering the submission of a letter to his parents as outlined in WFOlet of 10/15/68.

San Francisco is currently OO after having confirmed [redacted] residence in their territory.

[redacted] parents [redacted]

Information about [redacted] smoking marijuana is located on page 5 of reWFOrep.

Since SF is OO in this case, WFO will concede to SF's discretion the resubmission of the request made in WFOlet of 10/15/68.

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2- Bureau
2- San Francisco (RA)
(1- 100-61350) [redacted]
2- WFO
(1- 100-47702) [redacted]

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-449698)

FROM: SAC, WFO (100-47757)

COINTELPRO - NEW LEFT

During the Presidential Inauguration activities here in WDC, WFO ascertained that the National Mobilization Committee to End the War in Vietnam (NMC) was utilizing walkie-talkies to coordinate their movements and activities. A source furnished WFO the call letters and the frequencies which were being utilized by the marshals appointed by the NMC. These frequencies were on the "citizen" band which can be utilized by the public in general. It became apparent to WFO that some immediate action was necessary to counteract the very effective use of this equipment by the NMC in obtaining information about police and military movements.

WFO realizing the importance to the NMC of obtaining knowledge concerning police and military contingent movements, engaged in a "disinformation" program also utilizing the "citizen" band. This was done by identifying with the NMC network as a unit within that network and by countermanding NMC orders to the marshals and by supplying the marshals with misinformation.

In addition to being able to disrupt the planning of the NMC, WFO was obtaining information from the NMC about their plans and locations of contingents of the organization.

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(4) - Bureau
(1-100-DEMPIC)
2 - WFO
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C. C. Bishop

Approved: _____ Sent _____ M Per _____
Special Agent in Charge

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A source of WFO who was a marshal and part of the NMC communication network advised WFO that the NMC communications broke down and did not operate the way they had it planned. The source stated that very confusing orders were issued and then countermanded, that NMC groups were dispatched to areas that had no relevance to the Inauguration activities.

The Bureau may wish to suggest to other field offices this technique in the event other offices encounter demonstrations in which the demonstrators use radios operated on the "citizen" band for communication.

1/10/69

airtel

[redacted]

To: SAC, WFO (100-47757)

From: Director, FBI (100-449698) SEC-134

COINTELPRO - NEW LEFT 100-449698-53-22

Reurairtel 1/9/69.

Authority is granted to reproduce copies of the housing form distributed by the Washington Mobilization Committee (WMC), fill them out with fictitious names and addresses, and return them to the WMC.

Make certain that these cannot be traced to the Bureau. Advise the Bureau of any positive results obtained through this action.

BAW:jes
(4)

NOTE:

The NMC is sponsoring demonstrations at Washington, D. C., during the Presidential inaugural ceremonies. Its affiliate, the WMC, is distributing a housing form to obtain housing for the demonstrators. WFO proposes that it reproduce this form, fill them in with fictitious names and addresses, and return them to the WMC. This same program was carried out at Chicago, Illinois, during the Democratic National Convention demonstrations and resulted in some confusion among the demonstrators as many of them made useless trips to locate nonexistent addresses.

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Via AIRTEL _____
(Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-449698)

FROM: SAC, WFO (100-47757)

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ReCGairtel dated 12/20/68, captioned as above.

Enclosed for the Bureau is a copy of a Housing Form distributed by the Washington Mobilization Committee To End The War In Vietnam (WMC) in Washington, D.C. (WDC), and furnished to WFO by [redacted]

ReCGairtel indicated that during the Democratic National Convention (DNC), the National Mobilization Committee To End The War In Vietnam (NMC) distributed approximately 25,000 copies of a similar form.

The Bureau authorized Chicago to reproduce a copy of this form to be returned to the NMC filled out with fictitious names and addresses. 217 such forms were returned to the NMC.

As a result of this, numerous demonstrators made useless trips to locate nonexistent addresses, some of whom became incensed with RENNIE DAVIS, Project Coordinator of NMC.

Bureau authorization is requested by WFO to exercise a similar operation here in WDC.

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(3) - Bureau (Enc. 1)
1 - Chicago (100-45316) (Info)
2 - WFO
(1 - 100-48765) (DEMPIC)

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INAUGURATION WEEKEND

Name: Mr.
Mrs.
Miss _____

Address: _____ (zip code) _____

Phone: (home) _____ (office) _____

HOUSING:

I have bed space for 1,2,3,more ___ (circle) men, women, either (circle) on January 17, 18, 19 (circle).

I have floor space for 1,2,3,more ___ (circle) men, women, either (circle) on January 17, 18, 19 (circle).

Please give simple directions for taking the bus from the downtown Federal area:

_____

_____

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Friends or neighbors that we could contact for housing or support:

NAME: ADDRESS: PHONE:

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STAFF: If you can volunteer to work, list times available and specify any skills:

_____

CONTRIBUTIONS: Financial support is needed to make this a successful action. Please enclose whatever you can afford.

Enclosed is my contribution of $_____.

More information:

_____ Please put me on your permament mailing list.

_____ I plan to participate in the demonstration, January 19.

RETURN AS SOON AS POSSIBLE TO:

WASHINGTON MOBILIZATION COMMITTEE
3 Thomas Circle
Washington, D.C.

PHONE: 347-6633

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Director, FBI (~~100-449698~~) 6 89 [redacted]

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COINTELPRO - NEW LEFT

Rcurlet 1/6/69.

Authority is granted to anonymously mail the letter enclosed with relet to [redacted] the father of [redacted]

Assure that all necessary steps are taken to protect the Bureau as the source of this letter. Advise of any results obtained.

RHH:jes
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NOTE:

By relet, WFO advised that [redacted] is an organizer of SDS at Georgetown University. WFO proposed an anonymous letter be sent to his father purportedly from a friend concerned over his activities in SDS. WFO reported that [redacted] and would possibly take effective action to curtail his son's activities within SDS. The proposed letter points out that [redacted] has been active in a leadership capacity within SDS at Georgetown University and expresses concern over the results this will have on [redacted] future. This has merit.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-449698)

DATE: 1/6/69

FROM : SAC, WFO (100-47757) (P)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - NEW LEFT

Enclosed for the Bureau are the original and one copy of a letter, which has been composed by WFO with a view toward sending it to the father of [redacted], aka [redacted], a graduate of Notre Dame University and a former postgraduate student at Georgetown University, Washington, D.C., has been one of the organizers behind the recently formed Georgetown University chapter of the Students For A Democratic Society (SDS), and he continues to be active in SDS at the University. [redacted] also maintains contact with Washington, D.C. Regional SDS Headquarters, 1779 Lanier Place, N.W., Washington, D.C., and actually resides there on a part-time basis.

[redacted]

The purpose of this letter is to arouse parental concern over the activities of the subject and hopefully to militate against any success on the part of the subject in SDS organizing and activity. The subject is reliably reported to

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(1 - 100-47674)

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be selling [redacted] in connection with his father's business, and it can readily be inferred that any income he might receive is funneled into the SDS coffers. This letter might serve to put a quick end to this source of income and thereby hinder SDS activities.

If approved by the Bureau, the suggested letter will be mailed from Washington, D.C., to subject's father in York, Pennsylvania.

Washington, D.C.

Dear [redacted]

I have been meaning to write to you for some time now, but have delayed doing so until now in the hope that the situation would improve. Regretably, this has not occurred, and on the contrary, the situation has worsened considerably. The matter involves your son, [redacted] and his activities in Washington, D.C., in connection with a group called Students for a Democratic Society, and with other radical anti-war and anti-democratic groups.

Most likely you are aware of the fact [redacted] has been an organizer and leader of the Students for a Democratic Society at Georgetown University and has now "graduated" to become a leader on the regional level for the Students for a Democratic Society. He, in company with three or four other former university students, are living in a community house at 1779 Lanier Place, N.W., Washington, D.C., and [redacted] manages to be actively present at any and every wild type of demonstration going on in Washington. He tries to stir up people and to attack the Government, the war and just about any other issue that his organization can seize upon.

It is of some concern to me that [redacted] is making a mess out of what started out to be a promising future. I am sure you will realize the sad consequences of a person bringing himself to the attention of the authorities as being a radical demonstrator and active leader of the Students for a Democratic Society. I have tried to point out to [redacted] the ridiculous and dangerous situation in which he is involving himself, but unfortunately I have met with little or no success. As his father, perhaps you could speak with him and try to straighten him out before he mosses himself up completely. I hope and pray you will be successful in so doing.

A Concerned Friend

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-449698) DATE: 12/19/68

FROM : SAC, WFO (100-47757)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - NEW LEFT

ReNYlet, 11/7/68.

[redacted] Youth Division, Metropolitan Police Department advised [redacted] on 12/17/68, that [redacted] was arrested on the Capitol grounds on 10/3/68, during a demonstration and was charged with "disorderly conduct" and at the time of arrest was wearing a hat with a hatband which certained the obscene expression, "F--k the Draft." She was held over for trial on 10/4/68, in Juvenile Court.

It is to be noted the records of Juvenile Court are not available for review.

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(2) Bureau
2- New York (100-163303) (RM)
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, WFO

STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY
IS - SDS; SUBVERSIVE
(HQFile 100-449699)
(WFOFile 100-44140)

COINTELPRO - NEW LEFT
(HQFile 100-449698)
(WFOFile 100-47757)

STUDENT AGITATION AT AMERICAN UNIVERSITY
IS - MISCELLANEOUS
(WFOFile 100-47754)

Enclosed are ten copies for the Bureau and one for Maryland of an LHM captioned "STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY", dated as above.

The LHM is classified "Confidential" to protect the identity of sources of continuing value utilized therein.

The first source is [redacted] the second source is [redacted] and the third source is WFO [redacted] of information [redacted], American University [redacted]

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The Bureau may wish to furnish the information in the LHM to friendly contacts in the news media in view of the fact the SDS did not identify terrill with this conference.

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WASHINGTON FIELD

AT WASHINGTON, D. C. Will follow and report on this conference if it takes place.

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to File No.

[redacted]

Washington, D.C. 20535
December 5, 1968

STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY (SDS)

A Characterization of the SDS is located in the appendix of this communication.

All sources utilized in this communication have furnished reliable information in the past.

Attached is a copy of a leaflet calling for a student conference at American University (AU) on December 14, 1968. The leaflet appeared at George C. Marshall High School in Fairfax, Virginia during the school week November 25-29, 1968.

The telephone number, 332-1307, contained in this leaflet is the number one should call for further information concerning the conference.

The telephone number 332-1307 is publicly known as the number for the Regional Office of SDS.

A confidential source advised on December 5, 1968 this leaflet appears to be the product of [redacted] of the Regional Office of the SDS, whose function it is to organize high school students. These leaflets are not being distributed on college campuses in the area.

On December 5, 1968 a second source advised there is no information available at AU to indicate the conference mentioned in the leaflet will be held.

[redacted]

[redacted]

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100-449617

[redacted]

STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY

On December 5, 1968 a third source advised to date no information has come to the sources attention about the conference. The source pointed out that the use of the Kay Spiritual Life Center is strictly in the hands of [redacted] AU.

The second source advised on May 18, 1968 the [redacted] is an SDS sympathizer.

[redacted]

[redacted]

APPENDIX

STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY

The Students for a Democratic Society (SDS), as it is known today, came into being at a founding convention held at Port Huron, Michigan, in June, 1962. The SDS is an association of young people on the left and has a current program of protesting the draft, promoting a campaign for youth to develop a conscientious objector status, denouncing United States intervention in the war in Vietnam and to "radically transform" the university community, and provide for its complete control by students. Gus Hall, General Secretary, Communist Party, USA, when interviewed by a representative of United Press International in San Francisco, California, on May 14, 1965, described the SDS as a part of the "responsible left" which the Party has "going for us." At the June, 1965, SDS National Convention, an anti-communist proviso was removed from the SDS constitution. In the October 7, 1966, issue of "New Left Notes," the official publication of SDS, an SDS spokesman stated that there are some communists in SDS and they are welcome. The national headquarters of this organization as of April 18, 1967, was located in Room 206, 1608 West Madison Street, Chicago, Illinois.

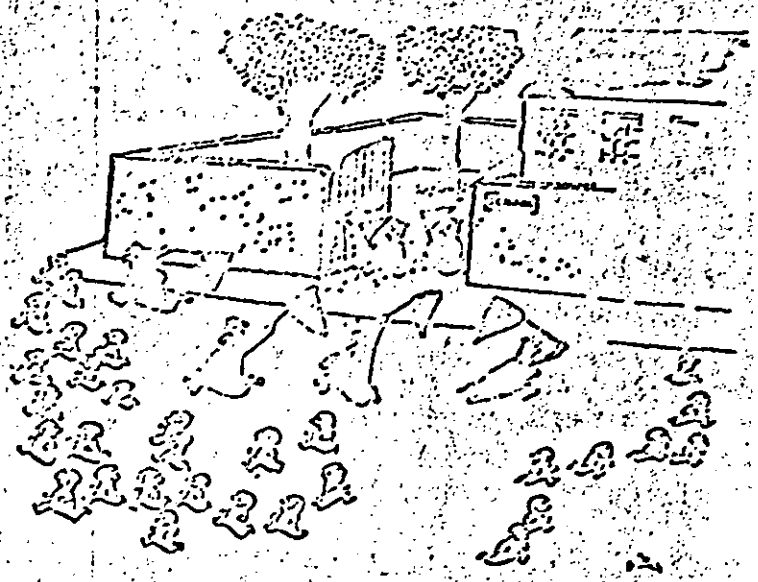
This document contains neither recommendations nor conclusions of the FBI. It is the property of the FBI and is loaned to your agency; it and its contents are not to be distributed outside your agency.

[redacted]

STUDENT CONFERENCE

MEET WITH WASHINGTON AREA

HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS



WORKSHOPS ON Education

National Issues

High School Organizing

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PARTY - DISCUSSION - DINNER - SPEAKERS

December 14

AT AMERICAN UNIVERSITY - THE KAY SPIRITUAL LIFE CENTER

Registration: 10-11 A.M. Cost one dollar

For further information call 332-1387

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Director, FBI (100-449698)

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COINTELPRO - NEW LEFT

Reurlet 11/25/68.

Prior to authorizing the production and distribution of the leaflet submitted with relet the following comments are noted.

[redacted]

Relet states that this leaflet, if approved, will be distributed on the American University campus. No information is set out as to the exact method of distribution. You are to advise as to the way you intend to distribute this proposed leaflet at that institution. Prior to making any distribution, resubmit your proposal taking into consideration the above comments.

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-449698) DATE: 11/25/68

FROM : SAC, WFO (100-47757)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - NEW LEFT

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Enclosed for the Bureau are two copies of a proposed leaflet to be distributed at American University (AU).

[redacted]

The source is well versed in the philosophy of the new left, particularly the CHE GUEVARA, MAO Tse-tung and CHOU En-lai theories of revolution.

The source contends, based on experience and knowledge of these philosophies, that the "theory of confrontation" utilized by the new left can in itself be a vehicle to discourage and destroy SDS chapters on campuses.

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2 - WFO
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WHERE DO YOU STAND AU SDS?

"A revolution is not a dinner party, or writing an essay, or painting a picture, or doing embroidery; it cannot be so refined, so leisurely and gentle, so temperate, kind, courteous, restrained and magnanimous. A revolution is an insurrection, an act of violence by which one class overthrows another."

Mao Tse-tung
(Quotations from Chairman Mao Tse-tung. Foreign Language Press, Peking, 1966, pp. 11-12)

"Today SDS is a mass radical and anti-imperialist student movement. The critique we are developing of American corporate capitalism has brought us to advocate the necessity of an activist and revolutionary politics for the New Left."

SDS: An Introduction
Washington Regional Office p. 4

"Since its inception the major effort of the SDS has been to build a radical movement in this country. A handful of people started building in a [illegible] that had little more than the memory of a vital radical force. Conditions in America and the hard work of radicals over the last eight years have given rise to a large student-based movement. The challenge at this juncture in movement history is to change the emphasis from building a radical movement to using the radical movement in the work of making a revolution."

Tom Bell, Bernardine Dohrn, Steve Halliwell
Program Proposals, SDS National Convention
East Lansing, Michigan, June 10-15, 1968

During an AU SDS chapter meeting the question of whether demonstrations and confrontations are good was raised. The struggle of the movement which plays a revolutionary role must always be linked closely with such actions. But we must be careful in determining their use. Our tactics must be in accordance with the situation.

If the question was whether a demonstration and a possible confrontation with the police was a good tactic for Election Day (the situation), such a question was a very valid one. But if the question was whether confrontations should be used as a tool . . . those who raised it don't know what a "revolution" is all about.

PROPOSAL: We should encourage individuals in the chapter to read New Left Notes, The Port of Huron Statement, S.D.S.: An Introduction, and to go to the National Conventions so that they find where we are at.

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-449698)

DATE: 11/13/68

FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (100-47757) (P)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - NEW LEFT

Rebulet, 10/11/68.

New York is referred to our airtel with LHM under caption "DEMONSTRATIONS STARTING SEPTEMBER 29, 1968, PROTESTING THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON UN-AMERICAN ACTIVITIES (HCUA) HEARINGS IN WASHINGTON, D. C. ON THE CHICAGO DISTURBANCES", dated 10/14/68. This LHM provides details on [redacted] arrest and disposition.

On 11/12/68, [redacted], Capitol Hill Police, WDC, advised SA [redacted] that the hat in question was described as follows: it was a cone shaped party hat with a small gold visor. Its main decoration was an inverted horseshoe with the words "F--- the draft" printed inside. The hat also contained the words "Resistance", "Anarchy", "HYHSU - Andrew Jackson", apparently referring to the New York High School Union and a high school, and "YIPPIE - students for peace".

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-449698)

DATE: 10/17/68

FROM : SAC, WFO (100-47757)

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SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - NEW LEFT

ReBulet, 9/6/68, LA let, 9/9/68, and NY let, 9/16/68.

WFO appreciates the comments, observations and suggestions made by the Bureau and contributing offices relative to the publication of a New Left pamphlet.

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1 - New York (100-163303) (RM)
1 - San Francisco (100-60963) (RM)
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SAC, WFO (100-44757) 10/16/68

Director, FBI (100-449698)

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COINTELPRO - NEW LEFT

Your review of this Program along with your analysis of the New Left has been carefully reviewed by the Bureau. Your analysis is excellent and shows that you have devoted a great deal of thought to problems created by the New Left, particularly, the problem of student agitation.

Your suggestion that anonymous mailing of literature and letters to the parents of SDS recruits and members be made has merit. In this connection, you should furnish the Bureau a proposed letter that can be sent to the parents of SDS members and recruits.

You should also formulate specific counterintelligence actions aimed at the New Left, particularly, SDS in colleges in the Washington, D. C., area. Bear in mind that ridicule can be a potent weapon against these groups and individuals.

You are reminded that no counterintelligence action is to be taken without Bureau approval.

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NOTE:

WFO has submitted an analysis of the New Left and has made some general suggestions for counterintelligence action. The suggestion set out above appears to have merit and WFO is being instructed to furnish a proposed letter that can be sent to parents of SDS members. This could result in the parents' forcing the individual concerned to withdraw from SDS.

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Director, FBI ~~(100-449698)~~ 511 [redacted]
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COINTELPRO - NEW LEFT

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Reurlet 10/15/68.

Relet suggests an anonymous letter be sent from San Francisco to the parents of [redacted] stating that [redacted] is using "pot and LSD." Though it is not stated, it is presumed [redacted] parents live in the Washington area. Neither relet nor Bufiles contain any information concerning his activities since leaving the Washington, D.C., area. Though [redacted] was President of the American University Chapter of Students For A Democratic Society (SDS) in [redacted] while attending that school, no information relating to his activities since that time has been received.

It is noted that Bufiles continue to indicate WFO as the office of origin. Since [redacted] apparently no longer resides in Washington, WFO and San Francisco should promptly resolve the matter of his residence so that FD-128 may be submitted in accordance with Section 87D of the Manual of Instructions.

Since Bufiles do not indicate any such information, WFO should also advise as to whether there is any substance to the fact that [redacted] is using drugs.

In view of the foregoing, your request concerning the submission of an anonymous letter is being denied at this time. Once the above questions are resolved, an appropriate request may be resubmitted.

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2 - San Francisco (100-60968)

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NOTE:

By relet WFO suggested that an anonymous letter be sent to [redacted] parents. This letter would indicate that [redacted] who is currently living in the Berkeley, California, area, is using drugs. WFO suggested that this letter might serve to restrict his activities since his parents would object to this behavior.

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-449698)

DATE: 10/15/68

FROM : SAC, WFO (100-47757) (P)

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SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - NEW LEFT

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WFO has composed the following letter to be sent to the parents of [redacted] of the American University Chapter of the SDS and who may now be residing in Berkeley, California.

The purpose of the letter is to arouse parental concern and hopefully interference in the activities of [redacted]. It is to be noted that [redacted] formerly an SDS member at American University and a paramour of [redacted] is also working in Berkeley, California.

If the sending of the letter is approved, by the bureau, San Francisco will be requested to mail same from the Berkeley area.

Dear Mr. and Mrs. [redacted]

I have a revulsion for what I am about to do, but I feel a greater good will be served; that is, the salvation of [redacted]

It is with great remorse that I inform you he is using pot and LSD and my heart cries out to him.

4 - Bureau
(1 - 100-449976) [redacted]
(1 - 100-449978)
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He is destroying his life and our chance for happiness. He is basically a good person with grand ideals, and heaven knows the world needs more idealists, but the answer to our problems is not in drugs. I beseech and implore you to reach out to him with parental love and offer him the assistance he so desperately needs.

Someone who cares,

It is to be noted that it was WFO's intention to attempt to simulate [redacted] handwriting, but samples of her handwriting were not readily obtainable.

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Date: 10/1/68

Transmit the following in _____ (Type in plaintext or code)

Via AIRTEL _____ (Priority)

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-449698)

FROM: SAC, WFO (100-47757) (P)

COINTELPRO - NEW LEFT

Information has been received by WFO there is to be a rally "sponsored by representatives from various Movement groups in WDC" at Lisner Auditorium, George Washington University, 21st and "H" Streets, N.W., at 7:30 p.m., 10/1/68, featuring DAVE DELLINGER and RENNIE DAVIS of the National Mobilization Committee to End the War in Vietnam and TOM HAYDEN and BERNADINE DOHRN of the SDS.

Arrangements for Lisner Auditorium were made by [redacted] a student at George Washington and a SDS member, in the name of the United Christian Fellowship (UCF), a campus organization, through [redacted] a graduate student and [redacted] at George Washington.

WFO indices contain no information identifiable with [redacted]

On 3/15/60 [redacted] (reliable) furnished a current mailing list of the midweek edition of "The Worker", an east coast communist newspaper in which was listed ~~for~~ UCF 2131 G Street, N.W., WDC.

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The Bureau may desire to furnish the information relative to the obtaining of the reservations at Lisner Auditorium to a friendly newspaper for the purpose of exposing the true purpose for its use.

Furnished by Crime Records per discussion with Lenhoff 10/1/68 CDB

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1 - Mr. C.D. Brennan

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To: SAC, WFO

From: Director, FBI (100-449698)

COINTELPRO - NEW LEFT

As you know, indications are that New Left agitators at American University in Washington, D. C., have made that school a major target for disruptive activities during the current school year. As a result, you should insure that we have adequate coverage of the activities to enable us to take appropriate action, not only in regard to disseminating information to all appropriate agencies and interested officials, but also to enable us to formulate specific programs aimed at neutralizing the planned disruptive activities of these agitators.

It is desired that we formulate a comprehensive Counterintelligence Program and, in this regard, you should immediately submit to the Bureau your observations and specific recommendations as to how we can best achieve this goal. It should include your recommendations as to how most effective action can be taken through establishing and maintaining liaison with appropriate security officers at American University; with the Metropolitan Police Department and other local law enforcement groups with specific interest of a related nature; and observations as to utilization of all logical news media sources.

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Reurlet 9/11/68.

Relet suggests that in view of recent discussions within the Washington, D C., chapter of SDS regarding establishment of SDS chapters in local high schools, information relating to the aims of SDS be made available to local high school principals.

It is felt that the above suggestion could create a source of possible embarrassment to the Bureau. Over the years the Bureau has not developed confidential sources at the high school level. As a result, there are no established sources at these institutions through which this material could be safely funneled. In addition, the attitudes of many high school principals toward the SDS are not known.

It would seem that with all the information appearing in the press concerning SDS, local principals would have been sufficiently stimulated to acquaint themselves with the nature of this group.

If, however, you obtain specific information that SDS will attempt to organize at a particular school, you may consider collecting public source material on the New Left and SDS which can be sent anonymously to the principal of that school. Prior to doing this, however, you should obtain Bureau authority.

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By relet, WFO advised that the SDS Chapter in Washington, D C., had discussed working in the D.C. area in high schools to build up chapters of that organization. WFO suggested disseminating public source material on the New Left to local high school principals.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-449698)

DATE: 9/11/68

FROM : SAC, WFO (100-47757)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - NEW LEFT

The Bureau is aware that Students for a Democratic Society is planning to organize new SDS Chapters at local high schools.

More specifically, at a general meeting of the Washington, D.C. SDS Chapter, held August 7, 1968, at 1779 Tanier Place, N.W., Washington, D.C., it was discussed that [redacted] and [redacted] were going to be working in the D.C. area this year as organizers to build new SDS chapters in high schools.

In view of the above it is suggested that WFO disseminate to local high school principals, pertinent information relating to the aims of the New Left which has been made available by the Director for public dissemination.

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3 - WFO
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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-434516) DATE: 9/12/68

FROM : SAC, WFO (100-38658) (C)

SUBJECT: YOUNG AMERICANS FOR FREEDOM
INFORMATION CONCERNING - MISC.

During the course of another investigation [redacted] of the Young Americans for Freedom (YAF) 1221 Massachusetts Ave., N.W., Washington, D. C., confidentially advised SAs [redacted] and [redacted] on 9/10/68 that the YAF is deeply concerned about the New Left Movement in the United States and have developed programs and sources to counteract the movement. One of the programs was the establishment of a SDS Chapter in New York City by the YAF headed by [redacted]

[redacted] described [redacted] as an extremely intelligent young man who is thoroughly acquainted with New Left political philosophy and tactics and is highly regarded by the YAF. [redacted] stated that [redacted] could possibly be of assistance to the FBI in identifying SDS members and furnishing information about SDS activities.

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(1 - 100-449698) (COINTELPRO - NEW LEFT)

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[redacted] stated the YAF has seven regional directors, directors for each state within each region, and college directors on most campuses within the states. He stated the state directors are well informed about activities on campuses within their jurisdiction. [redacted] advised that the names of the state directors could be furnished if so desired.

WFO indices contain no information identifiable with [redacted]

This information is being furnished the Bureau, New York, and Chicago for information. However, in view of the threatened SDS demonstrations on campuses this coming school year, consideration might be given to contacting the YAF representatives to explain the FBI's jurisdiction in criminal and security matters and accepting information they may have in their possession concerning any planned disruptive activities by extremists.

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FBI

Date: 9/4/68

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Via TELETYPE URGENT
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Mr. Gale
Mr. Rosen
Mr. Sullivan
Mr. Tavel
Mr. Trotter
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Miss Gandy

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, WFO

COINTELPRO - NEW LEFT.

REBUTEL SEPTEMBER THREE LAST.

[redacted] WHO ATTENDED DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL CONVENTION WITH MEMBERS OF WASHINGTON AREA MOBILIZATION COMMITTEE TO END THE WAR IN VIETNAM WAS TO CONTACT WFO THIS DATE; HOWEVER, CONTACT WITH HIM WAS UNSUCCESSFUL. IT IS BELIEVED CONTACT WILL BE MADE SEPTEMBER FIVE NEXT AT WHICH TIME WFO WILL REPLY TO REBUTEL SETTING FORTH RESULTS OF CONTACT WITH [redacted] AS WELL AS OTHER SOURCES.

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Reurlet 8/29/68.

The printing of a pamphlet on a regular basis as outlined in relet could be of great value to the Bureau, particularly, in its investigation of the New Left and should be the ultimate goal in your proposal. It is felt, however, that the publication as outlined in relet is too ambitious an undertaking for the informant at the outset. You should consider initiating the publication as a one-page mimeograph or multilith flier which would be more within the realm of the informant's ability and financial capacity. In this way, he could use his first few editions to solicit funds and comments from the New Left. Once established, he could then consider the more ambitious program as outlined in relet.

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Bear in mind that the source should do nothing that would jeopardize his security or anything that would result in possible embarrassment to the Bureau. To initiate a publication on the scale you suggest might invite suspicion as to the source of the informant's finances. If, on the other hand, it is initially published "on a shoestring" and with obvious amateurish touches, it would then be a more creditable operation which could thereafter develop into a more sophisticated undertaking. Using this limited operation at the outset, the source could broaden his base of operation beyond the New Left by developing additional contacts. Here again, if it is well received, it will be a compelling reason for expansion.

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In order to protect the source, it is also deemed advisable for him to shoulder a majority of the work in publishing the flier from the outset.

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You should discuss the above with [redacted] and submit your comments. Take no action to initiate this publication until receiving specific Bureau authority.

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1 - New York (100-163303)
1 - Los Angeles (100-71737)
1 - San Francisco (100-60968)

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Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-449698)

DATE: 8/29/68

FROM : SAC, WFO (100-47757)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - NEW LEFT

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ReBulet 7/26/68 captioned as above and WFOlet 7/15/68 captioned "STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY; IS - SDS; SEDITION."

Enclosed for Chicago, New York, Los Angeles and San Francisco is a copy of reBulet and for San Francisco a copy of reWFOlet.

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The following are some observations made by WFO concerning the institution of a New Left publication. They are not all inclusive nor rigid.

The Publication of a Monthly Newsletter Entitled

[redacted]

PURPOSE AND AIMS

The purpose of this newsletter is to uncover domestic and foreign interests both legal and illegal concerned with the New Left and engaged in activities inimical to the best interest of the United States.

Its aim is to cause disruption among the New Left with the ultimate goal of frustrating their efforts to destroy democracy and neutralizing them.

PHYSICAL MAKEUP

The newsletter in its inception will consist of approximately four pages 8½ by 11 produced by an offset process done by a commercial house.

The first page would include a masthead with the name "The Workshop" and its motto "Revolution is the Religion of the Masses with The Workshop for its Bible."

The masthead could possibly be designed as in attachment A or include symbols similar to those that appear in attachments B and C.

The masthead and the symbols utilized should imply the struggle of the races, the persecution of minorities, capitalism, imperialism, poverty, racism, unity of the minorities, anti-war sentiment and salvation in "CHE" GUEVARA and MAO Tse-tung.

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Attachment A, in WFO's opinion, depicts those issues capitalized upon by the New Left.

LITERARY CONTRIBUTIONS

Articles included in the newsletter could generally follow the MAO-GUEVARA line emphasising the main issues of the New Left, i.e. racism, Vietnam war, Sino-Soviet rift, the draft, poverty, economic and physical imperialism, police brutality, freedom without license, legality of pot, anarchy, the destruction of the "establishment" and intellectualism.

The articles could be written by the Bureau, the source, members of the New Left or a combination of all or any interested. For example, literary assistance could be requested of the Institute for Policy Studies, a think factory for the New Left in the Washington, D. C., area.

WFO's thought was to have members of the "grass roots" of organizations having diverse political philosophies within the New Left submit articles on the same subject in an attempt to cause greater dissention among them.

Articles deriding leaders in the New Left for attempting to mold the "grass roots" in their image and to create a new "establishment" could be included. These would be in keeping with the anarchist approach, especially by the students in the SDS.

FINANCES

The cost for the publication using the offset process for a page 8½ by 11 would be approximately $4 per hundred per page up to one hundred, $4.90 per page up to 200, $7.50 per page up to 500 and would become progressively less expensive.

A bulk mailing permit could be obtained from the U. S. Post Office which would cost approximately 3.6 cents per piece weighing approximately 2.6 ounces with a minimum number of 200 pieces. The possibility exists that the publication could qualify as a non-profit organization in which case the rates would even be lower.

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The source is not wealthy in his own rights and therefore could not appear to finance this operation for any length of time on his own.

Consideration has been given to requesting donations in the publication in addition to requesting financial assistance from New Left organizations such as The Institute for Policy Studies.

DISTRIBUTION

[redacted]

The Bureau and field offices could furnish WFO with the names and addresses of those organizations, publications and individuals they feel should be recipients of the publication.

REQUEST OF THE BUREAU:

The Bureau is requested to further consider the publication of a monthly newsletter following the aforementioned pattern. WFO would welcome any suggestions and assistance concerning the development of this media which the Bureau could furnish.

LEADS:

Recipient offices are also requested to furnish suggestions to WFO for the development of this technique as set forth in reBulet.

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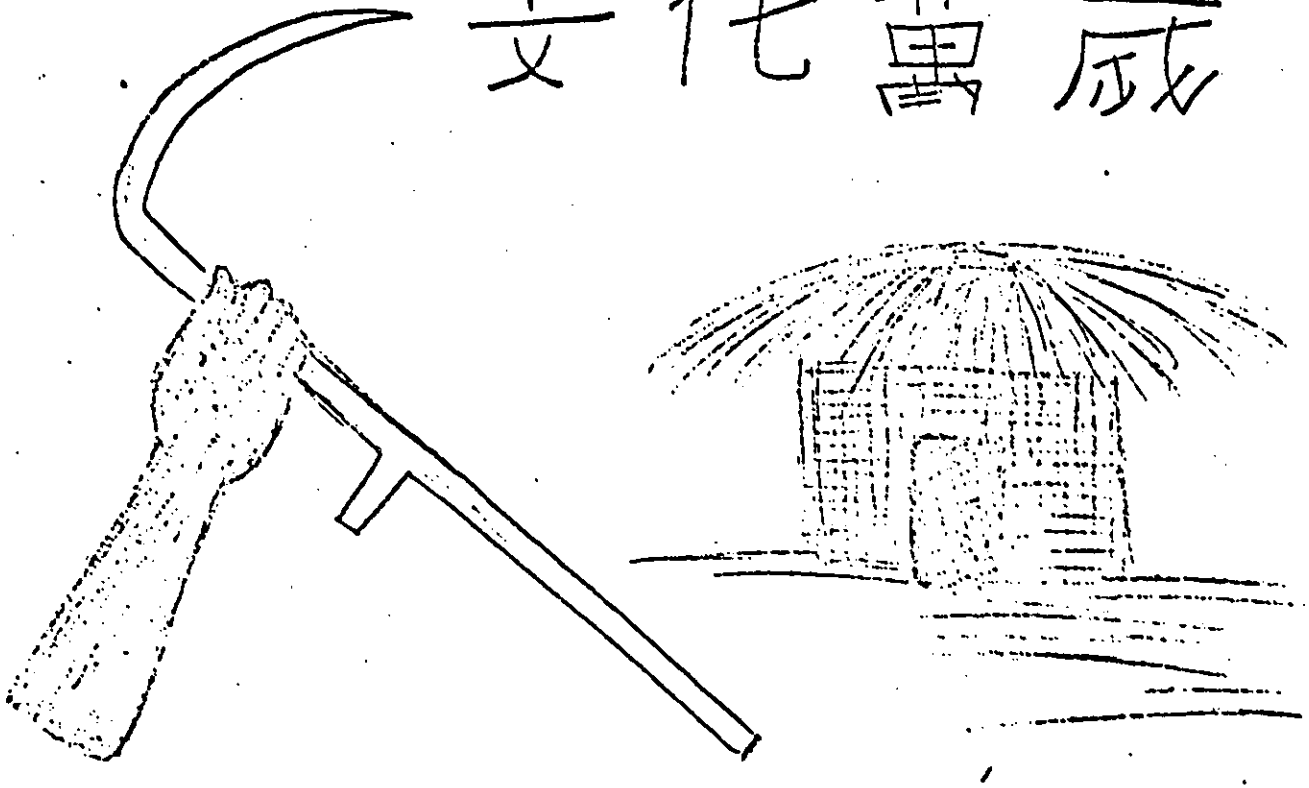

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-449698) DATE: 8/13/68

FROM : SAC, WFO (100-47757)

SUBJECT: COINTELPRO - New Left

It is suggested that the following action be taken against [redacted], a prominent figure associated with New Left causes:

Per Jackson letter dated 7/26/68, captioned [redacted] was tried and found guilty in Mississippi state court on 2/18/63, on the charge of contributing to the delinquency of a minor--sodomy; a misdemeanor. [redacted] was not present, however, his lawyer was present. A warrant for [redacted] arrest was issued on 6/24/63, and is still outstanding. Mississippi authorities state they do not extradite on a misdemeanor charge.

[redacted] is a lawyer who has been publicly associated with numerous civil rights, anti-war, anti-draft, and New Left causes, and has provided legal advice to some of them. [redacted] was disbarred in Mississippi as a result of the misdemeanor charge. Information from a source which can only be used for lead purposes and is classified "Top Secret," indicates [redacted] with others, was interested in ascertaining from Hanoi, the reaction of the North Vietnamese to the peace discussions in Paris. [redacted]

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No action recommended at this time. WFO telephonically advised to submit no date request and to discontinue [redacted]

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[redacted], according to information from reliable sources, is currently in New Mexico with an individual who may be [redacted] leader of a group of Mexican-Americans who claim U.S. Government property as their own. Also according to sources, [redacted] plans to be in New York within 7 - 14 days, and will contact members of the Cuban delegation to the U.N. re travel of SDS members to Cuba. It is rumored that [redacted] will travel with them to Cuba in September, 1968.

This office suggests that in view of the objectives of the program, the following suggestions be considered:

(1) Maintain contact with Mississippi authorities to ascertain whether they may in future agree to extradite [redacted] on the sodomy charge. If so, Federal fugitive process could be obtained and [redacted] could be returned to Mississippi to serve his sentence.

(2) Inform Mississippi authorities of the nature of [redacted] present public activities in the D.C. area.

(3) Confidentially advise D.C. Bar Association of the Mississippi charges on the pretext of inquiry into his status with D.C. Bar, with a view that they may take some type of action in connection with the Mississippi case.

(4) Plant a letter to the editor in one of the college newspapers where [redacted] may be active, exposing the Mississippi charges and commenting on his morals.

[redacted]

DIRECTOR, FBI

8/12/68

SAC, WFO [redacted]

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INFORMATION CONCERNING

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On 8/6/68, [redacted] telephonically contacted WFO and furnished the following biographic data:

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[redacted] advised he installs and maintains [redacted] He advised that although the installation of the above equipment is not exclusively done on campuses about 98% of it is. He also advised the installation of some of this equipment necessitates knowledge and the utilization of telephone equipment.

He stated most of his work is done on East Coast campuses and that he will be working at American University campus for the month of August after which he will return to his home in [redacted]

[redacted] advised he is perturbed by some of the activities of extremist students and volunteered he would like to be of some assistance to the FBI in exercising its jurisdictional responsibilities.

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[redacted] was informed of the FBI's responsibilities in the security and criminal fields and was cautioned that it was not the FBI's policy nor responsibility to concern itself with the internal affairs of educational institutions, however, it would accept information which would be of interest to the FBI.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 7/30/68
ATTENTION: INTERNAL SECURITY SECTION

FROM : SAC, WFO (100-47757)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
INTERNAL SECURITY
DESCRIPTION OF THE NEW LEFT

Re Bulet, 5/23/68.

Enclosed is a copy of the "Washington Free Press", Volume 2, #34, July 16 - July 30.

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Director, FBI (100-449098)

COINTELPRO - NEW LEFT

Counterintelligence Program - Internal Security

ReWFOlet 7/15/68 captioned "SDS, IS - SDS; Disruption of the New Left Sedition."

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The Bureau feels that this suggestion has considerable merit and should be further explored.

You should discuss the possible development of such a publication with the informant to determine whether he would be willing to assume such a responsibility. You should also thoroughly review the informant's background in order to evaluate his future potential and capabilities in this regard. [redacted] 100-449098-53-7

Prior to taking any steps other than those set forth above, you should submit your proposals for this project completely outlining the source's past history in the New Left movement and your suggestions for the future development of the publication. [redacted] REC-79 245

Submit copies of the above to the New York, Chicago, Los Angeles, and San Francisco Offices with instructions that these offices review your suggestion and comment as to the feasibility of establishing such a publication.

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For your information, [redacted] a Security Index (SI) subject, also attended the same SDS Convention. At a workshop on sabotage and explosives [redacted] stated

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that he was organizing an "information center" to collect information on the topic of sabotage and explosives and to disseminate it to interested New Left forces. [redacted] is a subject of the San Francisco Office.

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DIRECTOR, FBI [redacted] 7/25/68

SAC, WFO [redacted] (P*)

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ReBulet 7/1/68 and NY let 6/26/68.

Source could possibly be utilized in the penetration of New Left Organizations in the Washington, D.C. area.

WFO placing case in P* status.

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AT NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA New Orleans is requested to ascertain from the source upon his return, where he can be contacted in Washington, D.C.

3 Bureau
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1- New York [redacted] (RM)
1- New Orleans [redacted] (RM)
1- Kansas City [redacted] (RM)
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-439048)

DATE: JUL 15 1968

FROM : SAC, WFO (100-44140) (P)

SUBJECT: STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY
IS - SDS; SEDITION

Enclosed are twelve copies for Bureau, three for AL, three for CG, six for DE, three for HN, two for LA, three for MP, three for NH, three for NY, three for OM, three for SA, and three for SE of LHM dated and captioned as above.

The LHM is classified "Confidential" to protect the identity of a source of continuing value.

The source is [redacted]

The original forms mentioned in the LHM are located in the Sub A of [redacted]

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In addition, it is suggested that the list could be a basis for the formation of a publication which could be used for our purposes to develop a mailing list of militant individuals in the New Left who are presumably interested in revolution.

In addition, this medium could be used to publish disinformation for the purpose of capitalizing upon any existing differences among the various groups of the New Left.

It can further be utilized to emphasize the true nature of organizations such as the SDS which then could be disseminated to idealistic organizations and individuals who have a legitimate concern about such things as poverty, the Vietnam war, and prejudice and who may be susceptable to recruitment by organizations of the New Left.

[redacted] may be identical with the [redacted] who attended a WEB Du Bois Clubs of America meeting held in Detroit on 12/18-19/65 as reported in DEairtel dated 3/17/66, DEfile 100-30957.

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APPENDIX

STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 7/3/68

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FROM : SAC, WFO (100-47757)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
IS-DISRUPTION OF THE NEW LEFT

ReBulet 5/28/68, captioned as above.

Enclosed are 16 copies of an LHM captioned "NEW LEFT ACTIVITY-AMERICAN UNIVERSITY".

The LHM is classified "Confidential" to protect the identities of the sources of continuing value.

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[redacted] has successfully penetrated the SDS at AU and an attempt is being made to elevate him to the regional level.

As the Bureau knows, the SDS local chapters and regional organizations are amorphous and membership varies depending upon the student's whims and the issues at hand. According to [redacted] and [redacted], no membership records are maintained for the SDS Chapter of the AU.

WFO contemplates the use of its present sources to develop new ones and in addition, is reviewing discharges of local GIs for potential sources. WFO also combs local news media and University publications for possible sources.

Since students have, in some instances, legitimate complaints, and, in some, imaginary complaints, WFO contemplates that there will be additional demonstrations and rallies on AU campus during the forthcoming year. However, based on the past performances of the students and the administration of the school, WFO does not contemplate that there will be violence involved in these demonstrations and rallies but will remain alert for any indication of same and will handle appropriately.

Separate communications will be submitted to the Bureau under the above caption concerning other major colleges and/or universities in the Washington area.

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20535

In Reply, Please Refer to File No.

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A source advised in December, 1967, there exists on the American University (AU) campus, a small chapter of the Students for a Democratic Society (SDS), consisting of eight or ten members.

A characterization on SDS appears in the appendix of this communication.

A second source advised in April, 1968, the leaders of the group are [redacted]

[redacted] is a Senior in the School of [redacted] He was born on [redacted] According to the 1967-68 AU Student Directory, he resides at [redacted], and has as a permanent address [redacted]

During a demonstration sponsored by the National Mobilization Committee to End the War in Vietnam (NMC), October 21-22, 1967, in Washington, D.C. (WDC), [redacted] was among a group arrested in the vicinity of the Pentagon for "failure to move on and crossing police lines". He was fined $25 and given a 15 day suspended sentence and placed on six months probation.

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In October, 1967, 62 AU students and professors walked out on Ambassador Henry Cabot Lodge as he received an honorary degree from AU at the 75th Anniversary Convocation. Lodge was being honored for his services to his country. The dissenters objected to the United States policy in Vietnam. Among them was [redacted], identified as SDS [redacted] at AU, who stated it is a student's right to dissent on any issue he sees fit regardless of his ties with the University.

In September, 1967, [redacted] sold the Washington Free Press on AU campus after it had been barred by the Student Publication Board.

The Washington Free Press is a WDC hippie-type newspaper espousing complete freedom.

[redacted] is a Senior in the [redacted] with a major in [redacted] She was born [redacted] in [redacted] Her WDC address is [redacted] and her permanent address is [redacted]

[redacted] was also arrested during the aforementioned NMC demonstration and was fined $10 and given a five day suspended sentence.

An article appeared in the January 12, 1968, edition of The Eagle, captioned "AU Students Protest Draft Today". This article in essence, reported that 50 AU students and faculty members would protest the indictment of Dr. Benjamin Spock and four other leaders of a peace movement at a demonstration at the Department of Justice. A steering committee was formed for this purpose, including [redacted] and [redacted]

[redacted] is a part time student in the [redacted], and according to the AU Student Directory, 1967-68, he resides at [redacted] and has permanent address of [redacted], and was born in [redacted] on

[redacted]

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[redacted] is a Junior and was born on [redacted], in [redacted]. According to the AU Student Directory, 1967-68, his residence in WDC is [redacted] and his permanent address is [redacted]

A third source in May, 1968, advised the students who participated in SDS lead activities are:

[redacted]

D.C. Members of students for a Democratic Society

The second source advised in April, 1968, the faculty who have participated in SDS lead activities are:

American University

D.C. [redacted] and [redacted]

Both of the above participated in a "teach-in" on April 26, 1968, as part of AU's participation in the International Student Strike for Peace which was part of a "Demonstration against the Vietnam War and the Draft". In addition to the above, the source stated that [redacted] during the 1966-67 year was [redacted] however, his contract was not renewed. According to the source, [redacted] is a self-admitted former communist who still follows the Marxist line.

[redacted]

The [redacted], a [redacted] at AU, according to this source, generally supports the radical students.

American University

D.C. [redacted]

A fourth source advised in November, 1967, that both [redacted] and [redacted] are affiliated with the Free University at AU which was described as being part of or affiliated with the SDS Chapter at AU.

Summary of Campus
Disruptive Activities

The following summary was derived from information furnished by the second and third sources mentioned in this communication.

In October, 1967, 62 students and professors walked out of the Metropolitan Methodist Church during the 75th Anniversary Convocation at the time an honorary degree was to be conferred on Ambassador Henry Cabot Lodge.

The group responsible for the walkout identified themselves as the AU Committee to End the War in Vietnam. They objected to Lodge since he represented the United States Administration and its policies in Vietnam. Among those who participated were [redacted] and [redacted] There was no violence involved.

On April 5, 1968, a demonstration was held on the AU campus subsequent to the death of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Leaflets were distributed calling for a boycott of classes and condoning the looting and burning of stores by Negroes in WDC. In part the leaflet stated, "the Black people were only taking back from ghetto stores a faction of what this country has stolen from them". Two of the individuals distributing the leaflets were [redacted] and [redacted] Students were also asked to sign a petition requesting the cancellation of classes and classes were, in fact, cancelled at 12:00 noon that day.

At 12:30 p.m., speeches were made by various individuals calling for a student strike, espousing social revolution and opposition to the War in Vietnam. One of the speakers was [redacted]. Among the approximately 300 individuals in the audience were [redacted].

 [redacted]

The demonstration was orderly and disbanded without incident.

On April 26, 1968, approximately 200 students' participated in a "teach-in" on the AU campus as part of AU's participation in the International Student Strike for Peace. Two of the participants in the teach-in were [redacted]

Posters appeared on the campus calling for a boycott of classes. The teach-in and the boycott were a "demonstration against the Vietnam War and the Draft". The demonstration disbanded without incident.

On May 2, 1968, about 75 to 100 Negro and white students, the preponderance of which were hippies, gathered at the Hughes-McDowell Lounge on the AU campus for the purpose of evaluating the student's position in relation to that of the University. Eight committies were established based on a plan utilized at Columbia University in New York City, which plan was introduced by [redacted]

One of the committies was to study research projects undertaken by the University under the auspices of the United States Government.

The committies on a whole consisted of sincere students, however, the aforementioned committee consisted of [redacted]

Consideration had been given to taking over the University during this meeting but was abandoned due to the overwhelming presence of conservative students. The meeting disbanded without incident.

On May 15, 1968, a meeting was held in the residence of [redacted] for the purpose of devising tactics to be used by the students against the University. Among those present at this meeting were [redacted]

[redacted]

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A letter was composed and was sent to the Dean of Men, the Dean of Women and the Dean of Students, which in essence demanded personal privacy for the students, access to their own personnel files, and control of the information contained therein, abolishment of all curfew regulations, abolishment of all mandatory University housing and a voice in all policies regarding academic action and faculty assignment and dismissal. The group decided they would give the Deans until 5:00 p.m., the following day to accede to all the demands or they would sit in.

On May 16, 1968, a group of about 400 gathered outside of Mary Graydon Center. [redacted], told the audience that the Deans failed to appear and that action must be taken. [redacted] suggested a "sit-in" but could not gather support and abandoned the idea. However, a few students did enter the Mary Graydon Center and sat outside the Dean's Office for a short period. Lacking support they left a short time later without incident.

A second meeting took place in which [redacted] announced they would meet with the Deans on May 17, 1968, to discuss the demands. [redacted] stated it would be necessary for the group to take militant action and confront the Deans with the demands. Also present at this second meeting was [redacted] of the SDS. [redacted] is not a student at AU and during this meeting remained at [redacted] side.

On May 17, 1968, a rally was held at the Woods Brown Outdoor Theater at AU with about 700 individuals in attendance including representatives of the faculty.

The purpose of the rally was to have a dialogue between the administration and the students to consider students' complaints and demands.

Twelve demands were presented to the Administration. Copy of demands is attached hereto.

[redacted]

At the outset of [illegible] presentation, we would like [illegible] be clear that the actio[illegible] of the past few days re[illegible]ing the arrests of students. [illegible] than being our prim[illegible] issue, it [illegible] the straw that broke the camel's [illegible]. The oppression of students on this campus unfortunately led to reach the point of unrest before enough students became concerned with the university administration's dictatorial control of our environment. We have no one to blame but ourselves. However, no matter the reason, we have reached the point where students must show their strength in order to make this university the institution of learning it was created to be. We have prepared a list of reasonable demands, which the administration cannot refuse to a[illegible] upon, if it is true to the American University, the students of the American University, the faculty of the American University, and the American University as an American university. We therefore present our demands, accompanied by explanatory statements.

DEMAND (1): Safeguard of personal privacy.

STATEMENT: A room in the dormitory is private, open only to those invited by the inhabitants, other than legally authorized representatives of the law, operating under due process.

DEMAND (2): Access to our own personal files and control over the release of the information contained therein.

STATEMENT: We feel that any information gathered by any administrator of this university should not be released to any officials outside of the university community, without the consent of the student.

DEMAND (3): A voice in all policies regarding all academic action, faculty assign[illegible]t and dismissal.
We feel that this demand is self-explanatory.

DEMAND (4): Immediate cessation of curfew regulations.

STATEMENT: It is our belief that there should be a binding referendum held for [illegible]n residents, concerning the immediate cessation of all curfew limitati[illegible] in the women's dormitories.

DEMAND (5):
Abolition of all mandatory university housing.
STATEMENT:
If a student were treated as a mature adult in the dormitory system, he would have less incentive to move off campus.

DEMAND (6):
We demand that all Greek organizations be allowed to run open houses at their discretion, and that those fraternity and sorority facilities within the campus environment be allowed to operate independent of university housing regulations and contract obligations.
STATEMENT:
We feel that the Greek system, as an integral part of the University Community, should be granted the right to control its own environment.

DEMAND (7):
A budget published in full by the university with total explanation of sources and expenditures.
STATEMENT:
We demand to have the budget in full, consisting of:
A. Source and amount of all funds.
B. Explanation of all expenditures.
C. An explanation or justification of classified sources of revenue.

DEMAND (8):
An elected student ombudsman.
STATEMENT:
We suggest that a separate, elected office of student ombudsman be created, involving one man and a staff, to act as a liason between the student body and the administration, having no connection with the student governing body.

DEMAND (9):
A system of annual binding referenda. We feel that this demand is self-explanatory.

DEMAND (10):
Total severance between this university and the state. We feel that this demand is self-explanatory.

DEMAND (11):
A complete rundown of university personnel involved in government-related activities:
A. Purpose of activity
B. Finances of activity
C. Who has access to published works by these people, where are these works, and how is the university benefitting by them?
STATEMENT:
We feel that all American University personnel involved in government-financed research should make public the value and findings of their research.

DEMAND (12):
A student elected resident advisor system.
STATEMENT:
We believe that students, being governed by the resident advisors, should have an active voice in their selection.

[redacted]

This rally concluded without incident at 6:00 p.m. A splinter group of about 100 led by [redacted] and [redacted] then called for a meeting in front of Kay Spiritual Life Center, on AU campus to discuss and establish tactics for the students' demands.

This meeting ended at 7:30 p.m., without incident and anything being accomplished by the group.

On May 20, 1968, leaflets were posted throughout the AU campus reporting that a student-faculty meeting would take place at 5:00 p.m., calling for a student briefing and rally at 4:45 p.m., and this leaflet was signed by [redacted]. At 4:45 p.m., the students had gathered and simultaneously Federal Narcotics Agents arrested a student for violation of narcotics law. The automobile in which the agents had the student was surrounded by other students from this gathering, however, it was permitted to leave the campus without incident a short while later. [redacted] then announced that all students could attend the student-faculty 5:00 p.m. meeting. However, at

5:15 p.m., [redacted] announced only certain representatives of the student body could attend the meeting and the remaining students should wait outside Gray Hall where the meeting would be held.

At approximately 6:30 p.m., the meeting was adjourned an[redacted] and [redacted] emerged and announced to the audience of about 300 that two demands were met and "we will get the rest tomorrow" and requested the students to return.

The two demands conceded at this time were:

Authorities desiring to check student's records must have expressed consent of the student in question and no searches of student's rooms will be conducted without consent.

On May 21, 1968, at about 1:00 p.m., a group of approximately 200 gathered outside of Gray Hall. Proceedings of the meeting taking place inside were being broadcasted to the students. At about 2:30 p.m., [redacted] left the meeting and told the gathering that he was fed up with the diluted resolutions they were receiving from the meeting. At approximately 5:15 p.m., the meeting adjourned without incident and another meeting was scheduled for the following day at 4:00 to 6:00 p.m. [redacted] subsequent to the adjournment suggested a "camp-in" and the idea was received well.

At 11:30 p.m., [redacted] spoke to approximately 100 students who had gathered for the camp-in telling them not to tire of efforts to have their demands met.

At approximately twelve midnight about 100 students had gathered for the camp-in. Among the group wa[redacted]

On May 22, 1968, the students were still camped in the vicinity of Gray Hall. [redacted] it was learned, made a statement to the effect that the group would not sleep in the cold tonight, that if the Administration did not accede to the student's demands they were going into Gray Hall.

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At 12:30 a.m., [redacted] addressed the group stating he was a member of the SDS for two years, that he was glad he was a member and that he was part of the movement of young people with good ideas. He then introduced [redacted] who addressed the group stating she was not a student at AU but was concerned about student problems. She stated the students were following the right course, that this was part of a world-wide movement. That "they" are trying to create something new, good and their own. She also stated she had been at Columbia University during the recent demonstration and similar circumstances existed there which prompted the students to act. A country-style record was played over the PA system, the lyrics in part said "The Government is on the side of Chiang Kai Shek but we like Mao." It was learned that [redacted] was responsible for the appearance of [redacted] on the campus. At 4:45 p.m., [redacted] made an announcement that he was going to converse with the Administration and also asked how many students were going to continue the camp-in. There were approximately 60 students present when he made the announcement and all voted for continuance. An announcement was made that $50 was raised for the servies of [redacted], however, more money was needed. A collection was made and approximately $100 was obtained for [redacted] [redacted] also announced that a non-violent approach to attain their ends was necessary, however, the Administration must be made to feel the pressure of the student body. Among the 60 students were [redacted] The group was orderly.

[redacted] has been publicly identified as an [redacted] for the Student Non-Violent Coordinating Committee in WDC.

A characterization of SNCC appears in the appendix of this communication.

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At approximately 4:15 p.m., students were granted permission to sit inside Gray Hall in order to avoid the rain. A debate was going on between the faculty and the student representatives concerning the demands previously issued to the administration. At approximately 7:30 p.m., it was announced that 11 of the 12 demands were met by the Administration. The one demand that was not met was demand number nine, which refers to a system of annual binding referenda. At 8:00 p.m., [redacted], who was disappointed because of the restraint on the part of the students made a statement to them in which he said "[redacted], the SDS chick in town told me I am the leader and should speak out. But no more. I've had it". [redacted] was highly irritated because the student referenda demand was not met and he left. Various other individuals called for restraint and the crowd finally dispersed at approximately 8:30 p.m. However, [redacted] and not a member of the SDS and approximately 10 individuals attempted to remain inside Gray Hall but when threatened by University officials with administrative action they departed. In addition, a group of approximately 50 conservatives began to gather outside of Gray Hall to demonstrate against the agitators calling for an end to all demonstrations. At approximately 9:00 p.m., all students had dispersed without incident.

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STUDENT NONVIOLENT COORDINATING COMMITTEE

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A source has advised that in May, 1966, Stokely Carmichael was elected National Chairman by the Central Committee. In May, 1967, Carmichael was replaced as Chairman by H. Rap Brown, with Carmichael assuming the position of Recruiter and Organizer for the SNCC. In August, 1967, at the invitation of Fidel Castro, Carmichael participated in the Organization of Latin American Solidarity Conference which was held in Havana, Cuba. Subsequent thereto, Carmichael traveled to Hanoi and other sections of North Vietnam. He returned to the United States in December, 1967, at which time his passport was picked up because of travel to unauthorized countries.

A source advised that when Carmichael was elected Chairman of SNCC, the organization embarked on a program of eliminating Caucasians from its ranks. With the election of H. Rap Brown as Chairman in 1967, it embarked on a world-wide struggle for human rights and to take a firm stand against violations of these rights by the American Government and to strengthen its programs of opposition to the draft and to the United States involvement in Vietnam.

Literature distributed in February, 1968, identifies SNCC as an organization in the revolutionary vanguard. It advocates that to be successful it is necessary to develop a revolutionary ideology and revolutionary program.

On August 13, 1967, while addressing a group in the Watts area of Los Angeles, California, H. Rap Brown said "You better shape up America, or we'll burn you down." Later in February, 1968, in a publicized note Brown wrote, "America, if it takes my death to organize my people to revolt against you and to organize your jails to revolt against you and to organize your children, your God, your poor, your country, and to organize mankind to rejoice in your destruction and ruin, then here's my life."

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Washington, D.C. 20535

July 3, 1968

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Title NEW LEFT ACTIVITY-AMERICAN UNIVERSITY

Character INTERNAL SECURITY-DISRUPTION OF THE NEW LEFT

Reference Memorandum dated and captioned as above.

All sources (except any listed below) whose identities are concealed in referenced communication have furnished reliable information in the past.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 7/2/68

FROM : SAC, WFO (100-47757)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
INTERNAL SECURITY
DISRUPTION OF THE NEW LEFT

Re Bureau letter dated 5/28/68, captioned as above.

Enclosed for the Bureau are 15 copies of a LHM captioned "New Left Activity -- George Washington University, Washington, D. C."

WFO source of information (Confidential Source) is [redacted] Washington, D.C. (cover by request).

[redacted] advised that in view of the increasing trend toward student protest and agitation through out the country, it is his opinion that future protests of campus regulations by radical students can be expected at GWU also. He stated that at this time he could not foresee a potential for violence on campus this coming school year.

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[redacted] advised that GWU administration has established a firm policy concerning student protests. He explained that students will be allowed to demonstrate or protest providing they are orderly and do not disrupt or interfere with the orderly process of daily activity on the university campus.

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[redacted] stated that any acts by students inimicable to the orderly running of the university, will be dealt with forcefully, and that the Metropolitan Police Department will be called upon for assistance when necessary.

As the Bureau is aware, the Students for a Democratic Society (SDS) local chapters and regional organizations are amorphous, and membership varies depending upon the student's whims and the issues at hand.

WFO has also been in contact with [redacted] has been alerted to the Bureau's interest in New Left activities at GWU and has assured his cooperation in this matter. He has been unable to furnish any information to date in addition to that set forth from [redacted].

[redacted] has successfully penetrated the SDS at American University and an attempt is being made to elevate him to the SDS regional level. It is expected that this informant will also be of assistance in connection with SDS activities and identification of individual SDS members at GWU.

WFO proposes to develop additional sources through present WFO sources, through GWU and local publications, and through a program of reviewing locally discharged GIs. Every effort will be made to increase the coverage and penetration of the New Left at GWU to insure that the Bureau is in a position to receive advance information of any planned disruptive activities.

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In Reply, Please Refer to File No.

Washington, D. C. 20535
July 2, 1968

NEW LEFT ACTIVITY
GEORGE WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY
WASHINGTON, D. C.

A Confidential Source, who is in a position to furnish reliable information concerning the activities at George Washington University (GWU), Washington, D. C., advised on July 2, 1968 that at present there is no chartered Students for a Democratic Society (SDS) or New Left organization at that university.

This source stated there are some students at GWU he considers to have radical leanings, who belong to no structured group and have no organizational affiliations. He estimated that there are possibly five to ten students at GWU suspected of being members of SDS, but emphasized that there is no available membership list, and that he is unable to identify GWU students actually in the New Left.

The source advised that in the past year there have been several student protests on GWU campus, but explained that these were not violent, not disruptive, and the presence of outside influence was not in evidence.

The source explained that during the past year, small groups of GWU students staged a protest on November 17, 1967 against recruitment on campus by the United States Defense Intelligence Agency, and on November 20 and 21, 1967 protested against recruitment on campus by the United States Marine Corps. On April 26, 1968, in conjunction with a nationwide student strike effort, a small group of GWU students boycotted classes that Friday and held a teach-in on campus. At the teach-in, according to the source, several students and professors aired their views on civil rights and the war in Vietnam.

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Memorandum

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 6/28/68

FROM: SAC, WFO (100-47757) (P)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
INTERNAL SECURITY
DISRUPTION OF THE NEW LEFT

ReBulet 5/28/68.

On 6/17/68, [redacted] advised there are no SDS chapters at Catholic University nor any other groups affiliated with the New Left.

He stated he would remain alert for any such groups or individuals affiliated with such organizations and will promptly notify WFO if they appear on campus. [redacted] stated the University will take a firm position against them if they attempt to establish themselves on the campus.

Information concerning other major campuses in the WDC area are being submitted by separate communications.

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INTERNAL SECURITY
DISRUPTION OF THE NEW LEFT

ReBulet dated 5/28/68.

Enclosed for the Bureau are fifteen copies of an LHM dated and captioned "New Left Activity, Georgetown University, Washington, D.C., Security Matter - SDS."

The source in the LHM is [redacted] location of information [redacted], who advised [redacted] The Georgetown University officials cited in the LHM are all established sources. They have provided excellent coverage and cooperation.

Due to the fact that activity, such as it is, has only recently developed at Georgetown University (GU), source coverage is now being developed as rapidly as possible, and several possibilities are being explored. It should be borne in mind that those most likely to have access to New Left Activity are now away from the area for the summer; however, every effort is being made to expand coverage.

Active investigations are not being conducted on [redacted] as no information has been obtained indicating SDS membership, which would be an indicator warranting initiation of investigation. No active security investigation is being conducted on [redacted] a GU professor.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
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July 3, 1968

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NEW LEFT ACTIVITY,
GEORGETOWN UNIVERSITY,
WASHINGTON, D.C.
SECURITY MATTER - STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY

Two "activist" groups are known to have been in existence at Georgetown University. [redacted], advised on April 23, 1968, that a group known as the "Student Power Party" had been formed about February, 1968. According to a pamphlet which was handed out at that time, they claimed a membership of between five and fifty members. They described their goals as unification of the student government structure, student-faculty control of the university, educational reform and renovation and complete student control of extracurricular life. [redacted] stated that this group was now defunct for lack of support. On May 27, 1968, [redacted] advised that any "activist" activity revolved around "GUCAP - Georgetown University Community Action Program." He described GUCAP as an amorphous group engaged in numerous legitimate programs; however, it is the "focal point" of campus agitators. Since it is not, per se, an "activist" group, any disruptive activities have been engaged in by individuals, not by the group.

[redacted] Washington, D.C. (WDC), has been mentioned by [redacted] as in the forefront of GUCAP and Student Power Party activities. [redacted] advised [redacted] graduated in June, 1968. [redacted] mentioned [redacted] and [redacted], both Georgetown University (GU) students, as participants in previous "activist" demonstrations.

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WASHINGTON, D.C.

[redacted] at GU, according to [redacted], has been an active opponent of the Vietnam war by his speech at campus gatherings.

The only demonstration held at GU during the past academic year took place on May 23, 1968, when a group of about twenty students "sat-in" at one of the administration buildings to demand that the university provide classroom space for the "Poor People's University" to be held in conjunction with the Poor People's Campaign in WDC. According to [redacted] GU, the administration refused to discuss the matter with them, they were ordered to leave before 6:00 p.m., and did leave without disorder. No identifiable group was involved.

A source, who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised on June 5, 1968, that a disruptive activity was to be engaged in by [redacted] at the GU commencement, June 9, 1968, in behalf of the "Poor People's Campaign;" however, for unknown reasons, it did not materialize.

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Reference Memorandum dated and captioned as above.

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FROM : SAC, WFO (100-47757) (P)

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
INTERNAL SECURITY
DISRUPTION OF THE NEW LEFT

ReBulet, 5/23/68.

1) False Allegations of Police Brutality

Demonstrations on campuses in the Washington Area have been very limited. In no instance where demonstrations had occurred were police called in.

WFO, however, will remain alert for an incident of undue provocation or violence used against police and false allegation of police brutality.

2) Immorality

No specific incidents of immoral activity have been reported to date, although sources stated members of the SDS have the general reputation of being immoral and are suspected of using narcotics and drugs.

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Another source in the neighborhood of 1779 Lanier Place, N.W., stated that members of "Hippies" are constantly seen to enter and leave the above address at all hours of night and day.

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3) Action by College Administrators

At Georgetown University (GU), WDC, on 5/23/68, a group of about 20 students staged a "sit-in" at one of the administration buildings to demand that the University provide classroom space for the "Poor People's University" to be held in conjunction with the Poor People's Campaign in WDC. According to [redacted], GU, the administration refused to discuss the matter with them, and they were ordered to leave before 6:00 p.m. or face arrest by the Metropolitan Police Department. The demonstrators dispersed quietly by 6:00 p.m. Persons demonstrating were not known to be associated with outside groups.

A source at Catholic University (CU) advised there have been no major incidents recently at CU and attributed this to the school's policy of taking a strong stand in this regard, including the use of municipal police, if necessary.

WFO will remain constantly alert for opportunities and indications to develop counterintelligence regarding the New Left and will be particularly alert for specific incidents which can be exploited for the disruption of the New Left.

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COINTELPRO - New Left

SUBJECT: COUNTERINTELLIGENCE PROGRAM
INTERNAL SECURITY
DISRUPTION OF THE NEW LEFT

ReBulet to SAC, Albany and all offices dated 5/10/68, captioned as above.

ReBulet instructed all offices to submit a detailed analysis of potential counterintelligence action against New Left organizations and Key Activists within their respective territories. Specific recommendations should be included for any logical immediate counterintelligence action.

In the WFO territory, [redacted] aka [redacted] is considered a Key Activist, inasmuch as she is the [redacted] of the Students for a Democratic Society (SDS), she has held national office and positions of leadership for several years in SDS, attends regional and national SDS meetings, is active in support of draft resistors, speaks on regional college campuses against U.S. policy in Vietnam and recently encouraged students at [redacted] who were confronting administration officials with student demands.

[redacted] at 1779 Lanier Place, N.W., which is also the regional headquarters of SDS in WDC.

At #3 Thomas Circle, N.W., WDC, there is housed the Washington, D.C. At Large Chapter of SDS, "The Washington Free Press", The Resistance, The Liberation News Service, and The Washington Committee to End the War in Vietnam.

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WFO has several informants under development, who have already furnished invaluable information concerning participation of SDS members in the student agitation at American University in May, 1968. WFO was in a position to furnish proposed action of the SDS leaders to the Bureau, Secret Service, Military Intelligence and the Metropolitan Police Department.

[redacted]

WFO will give consideration to the use of all logical investigative techniques against [redacted] SDS members, and SDS offices. Request for Bureau authority will be made in those instances requiring such authority.

The following are some suggested actions to disrupt the New Left:

Consideration will be given to furnishing information obtained from sources concerning SDS plans for action against colleges to administration officials of those colleges, as well as to the local police authorities in order that advanced preparations can be made by both for counteraction relative to SDS demands and actions.

There are no personal differences or existing animosities between SDS members in this area that are known to WFO informants. When information of this kind is developed, WFO informants will be encouraged to take advantage of this in an effort to disrupt and alienate SDS members from each other and from their groups.

At the time of future SDS action on local college campuses, consideration should be given to the printing and distribution of a counter-type handbill, from a non-attributable source, which would tend to explain the true picture and expose the SDS and New Left participation in the matter.

It is suggested that the draft status of male activists be determined in an effort to learn if these individuals practice what they preach about the war. Such information might be useful in exposing certain individuals.

Information received concerning New Left members' use of narcotics or breaking any law, should be immediately furnished to Federal and local authorities for arrest, prosecution, and resultant publicity. This would expose individual members and tend to disrupt their group.

WFO will furnish the Bureau all information obtained concerning the devious maneuvers and duplicity of individuals in the New Left for consideration of exposing them to public scrutiny through the cooperation of Bureau news media sources.