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155	5-29-50	HQ TI PH	1	1	
156	5-31-50	HQ memo Tolson	1	1	
157	5-31-50	HQ TI NY	1	1	
158	5-31-50	Belmont memo Ladd	1	1	
158	5-31-50	HQ memo Tolson	1	1	
159	5-31-50	HQ TI NY	1	1	b1
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167	5-27-50	NY TT HQ	1	1	
168	5-26-50	Belmont memo Ladd	1	1	
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178	5-24-50	PH TT HQ	1	1	Ref. 117
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180	5-22-50	Belmont memo Ladd	3	3	b1
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FOOCASE, ESP DASH R. RE NH TEL FIVE TWENTYFIVE INSTANT. RECORDS STATE MEDICAL BOARD REFLECT HERBERT WYATT, M.D. BORN HERBERT KWIATKOWSKI AT RIXDORF, BELIEVED TO BE IN GERMANY, ON FEB. SEVENTEENTH NINETEEN TEN. RECEIVED M.D. UNIVERSITY OF BERLIN, NINETEEN THIRTYSIX AND FROM THIRTYSIX TO FORTYSIX WAS A RESIDENT OF LONDON, ENGLAND RECEIVING PH.D. UNIVERSITY OF LONDON, NINETEEN FORTY. FROM FORTYONE TO FORTYSIX WAS ATTACHED TO NATIONAL RESEARCH COUNCIL OF BRITISH GOVERNMENT AND REPORTEDLY WORKED IN UNDERCOVER CAPACITY FOR BRITISH IN EUROPE DURING WORLD WAR TWO. ARRIVED U.S. TWELVE TWELVE FORTYSIX AND SECURED FIRST PAPERS U.S. COURT, BROOKLYN, NY NINETEEN FORTYSEVEN, CERTIFICATE NO. THREE FOUR EIGHT FOUR SIX SEVEN. FROM JULY FORTYSEVEN TO MAY FORTYEIGHT DR. WYATT WAS ATTACHED TO WHITE PLAINS HOSPITAL, WHITE PLAINS, NY AND IN FORTYEIGHT ALSO ATTACHED TO MERIDEN HOSPITAL, MERIDEN, CONN. WAS LICENSED TO PRACTISE AFTER PASSING MEDICAL EXAM BY CONNECTICUT IN JULY FORTYEIGHT. HAS ATTEMPTED TO SECURE POSITION WITH CARDIOLOGY DEPT., YALE UNIVERSITY BUT WAS NOT SUCCESSFUL. GAVE AS REFERENCES TO STATE MEDICAL BOARD ALLEN RYAN M.D. OF MERIDEN, CONN., AND PROFESSORS WILLIAM T. SALTER AND JOHN FULTON BOTH OF YALE MEDICAL SCHOOL AND PROMINENT PHYSICIANS IN NEW HAVEN. NO FURTHER INVESTIGATION AWAITING CONFIRMATION NY OFFICE DR. HARRY GOLD WELL KNOWN CARDIOLOGIST NOT IDENTICAL WITH SUBJECT HARRY GOLD IN FOOCASE.

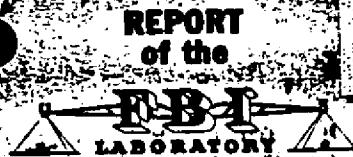
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To: SAC, New York

There follows the report of the FBI Laboratory on the examination of evidence received on May 26, 1950, from the Chicago Office under the caption ABRAHAM BROTHMAN, wa., ESPIONAGE - R, and from the Albuquerque Office under the caption FOOCASH, ESPIONAGE - R.

Re: **HARRY GOLD
ESPIONAGE - R**

J. Edgar Hoover
John Edgar Hoover, Director

YOUR FILE NO. 100-55818
FBI FILE NO. 65-57449
LAB. NO. D-117116 and D-117115 BS

Examination requested by: SAC's, Chicago and Albuquerque

Reference: Letters dated May 23, and May 24, 1950, respectively

Examination requested: Document

Specimens:

D-117116, submitted by the Chicago Office with a letter dated May 25, 1950, under the caption ABRAHAM BROTHMAN, wa., ESPIONAGE - R.

A photographic copy of a guest registration card of the Palmer House, 17678, dated September 16, 1945, in the name of HARRY GOLD, 6823 Kindred St., Philadelphia, Pa.

A photographic copy of a guest registration card of the Palmer House, #0953, dated February 15, 1946, in the name of HARRY GOLD, 2297 Bryn Mawr Ave., Philadelphia, Pa.

Also Submitted: One photographic copy each of the following items:

A guest personal history card of the Palmer House, Chicago, Ill., in the name of HARRY GOLD, 6823 Kindred St., Phila., Pa., and 2297 Bryn Mawr Ave.

A guest registration card of the Palmer House, #0954, in the name of JACK COHEN.

A guest registration card of the Palmer House, #0955, in the name of L. R. WILDERMAN.

A statement, #1-953, of the Palmer House, Chicago, dated February 28, 1946, in the name of HARRY GOLD.

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A statement, #T-7678, of the Palmer House, Chicago, dated September 17, 1945, in the name of HARRY GOLD.

D-11/115, submitted by the Albuquerque Office with a letter dated May 24, 1950, under the caption FOCCASE, ESPIONAGE - R.

Q2 A guest registration card, #78783, of the Hilton Hotel, Albuquerque, New Mexico, dated September 19, 1945, in the name of HARRY GOLD, 5032 Boudinot, Philadelphia 24.

Results of Examination:

It was concluded that the name HARRY GOLD and addresses on Q2 and Qa3 were written by HARRY GOLD, K2.

It was also concluded that the handprinting and handwriting comprising the name and address on Qa4 were not prepared by HARRY GOLD, K2.

Specimen K2, containing the known handwriting and handprinting of HARRY GOLD, was received from the Philadelphia Office with a letter dated May 20, 1950, under the caption ABRAHAM BROTHMAN
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(S) The evidence is retained. 61

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HARRY GOLD, WAS, ESPIONAGE R. FOLLOWING HEARING BEFORE FEDERAL JUDGE JAMES P. MC GRANERY, GOLD ORIGINALLY PLACED IN MOYAMENSING CO. PRISON BY USM. THEREAFTER MOVED BY PRISON AUTHORITIES TO HOLMESBURG CO. PRISON BECAUSE OF CROWDED CONDITIONS AT MOYAMENSING. GOLD NOT INTERVIEWED MAY TWENTYFOUR. ON MORNING OF MAY TWENTYFIVE DR. FREDERICK BALDI, SUPT., COUNTY PRISON, ADVISED HE HAD SPOKEN WITH GOLD AND AT GOLD-S REQUEST, HAD MADE ARRANGEMENTS WITH USM TO HAVE GOLD RECEIVE FATHER AND BROTHER AS VISITORS. LATER DETERMINED DATE OF VISIT SET FOR AFTERNOON OF MAY TWENTYSIX. GOLD ALSO ASKED TO SEE FBI AGENTS AGAIN. HE WAS INTERVIEWED IN SUPERINTENDENT-S OFFICE, COUNTY PRISON, HOLMESBURG. WAS INTERVIEWED BY AGENTS T. SCOTT MILLER AND RICHARD E. BRENNAN ON AFTERNOON OF MAY TWENTYFIVE. HE EXPRESSED COOPERATIVE ATTITUDE, STATING AMONG OTHER THINGS PORTIONS OF INFO FURNISHED PRIOR TO CONFESSION WERE FALSE. INTERVIEW CONTINUING WITH GOLD TODAY. HE HAS

FURNISHED ADDITIONAL IDENTIFYING DATA RE CONTACTS DESCRIPTIVE DATA

WAS SENT BY TEL THIS MORNING TO INTERESTED OFFICES. FURTHER

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AFTERNOON. INVESTIGATION PHILA. PROCEEDING FOR PURPOSES OF

DEVELOPING COMPLETE BACKGROUND, ASSOCIATES, ETC. AND

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POSSIBLE CORROBORATION OF GOLD-S TRIPS IN ESPIONAGE MATTERS.

INTERVIEW WITH GOLD WILL CONTINUE THROUGH THIS EVENING IF

ARRANGEMENTS CAN BE MADE WITH PRISON OFFICIALS. ARRANGEMENTS

MADE WITH USM TO BRING GOLD TO PHILA. OFFICE TOMORROW MORNING FOR

CONTINUED INTERROGATION. IN PREVIOUS DISCUSSION WITH AGENTS AND

DR. BALDI, GOLD HAS INDICATED NO DECISION MADE AS TO ATTORNEY.

HOWEVER DR. BALDI ADVISED THIS AM THAT WILLIAM A ~~X~~ GRAY, PROMINENT LOCAL

CRIMINAL ATTORNEY, CONTACTED HIM TODAY INDICATING HE MAY ENTER

CASE BUT NOT YET RETAINED. GRAY ALSO STATED THAT IF HE ENTERS

"FOR THE MONEY" HE WOULD DO SO TO HELP FBI AND NOT TO FIGHT FBI.

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HARRY GOLD, WAS., ETAL, ESP - R. RE PHILA TEL MAY TWENTY SIX. EMPLO-
MENT RECORDS RCA VICTOR, CAMDEN, N. J. CONTAIN FOLLOWING INFO RE SAM

XGOLD, SUBJECT-S FATHER. BORN JANUARY FIRST EIGHTEEN EIGHTY ONE AT
RUFF, RUSSIA. PARENTS HENRY AND ANNA BOTH BORN RUSSIA. NATURALIZED
NINETEEN TWENTY TWO AT PHILADELPHIA, PA., UNDER CERTIFICATE ONE FIVE
NINE ONE TWO SEVEN ONE, VOLUME ONE NINE THREE, PETITION FOUR EIGHT
ZERO ONE SIX. WIFE-S NAME CELIA AND TWO SONS, HENRY AND JOSEPH. EM-
PLOYED RCA DECEMBER TWENTY FOUR, NINETEEN SIXTEEN TO JANUARY THIRTY
ONE, NINETEEN FORTY SIX WITH PERIODIC SHORT TERM LAYOFFS. EMPLOYED
AS HEAD SANDER IN CABINET DEPT. PRIOR TO FORTY TWO AND AS STOCK HAND-
LER TO FORTY SIX. AVERAGE SALARY FORTY TO FIFTY DOLLARS PER WEEK
AT TIME OF RETIREMENT. SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER ONE SIX ZERO DASH ZERO
FIVE DASH FOUR TWO SEVEN SIX. PRESENTLY RECEIVING PENSION OF TWENTY
FIVE DOLLARS NINETY SIX CENTS FROM RCA. HOLDS TRAVELERS INSURANCE
CO. GROUP POLICY G ONE ZERO THREE IN AMOUNT OF TWENTY FIVE HUNDRED
DOLLARS WITH BENEFICIARIES AS SONS HENRY AND JOSEPH, EACH TO RECEIVE
HALF. FORMERLY EMPLOYED MARCH TO SEPTEMBER NINETEEN TWENTY NINE BY
GEORGE WEISS, GIRARD AND BERKS STS., PHILA. AND JANUARY TO APRIL NINE
TEEN THIRTY BY PHILCO RADIO CORP., E AND ONTARIO STS., PHILA. LATTER
EMPLOYMENT DURING LAYOFFS AT RCA. FORMER RESIDENCES, ALL IN PHILA-
DELPHIA, LISTED AS TWO SIX TWO THREE SOUTH PHILIP ST., TWO SIX FOUR
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NINE SOUTH PHILIP ST., TWO SIX THREE ONE SOUTH PHILIP ST., FIVE ZERO
THREE TWO NORTH BOUDINOT ST., AND TWO FIVE FOUR TWO SOUTH SECOND ST.
RCA RECORDS SHOW NO ACCESS BY SAM GOLD TO CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION
AT RCA. RECEIVED EXCELLENT AND VERY GOOD RATINGS. NOTHING DEROGATORY
IN RECORDS RE WORK, CONDUCT, ATTITUDE, CHARACTER, OR LOYALTY.

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CORR PLS P 2 LAST WORD SHOURLD BE " LOYALTY"

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HARRY GOLD- ESPIONAGE- R. BUREAU INSTRUCTS THAT ALL AUXILIARY OFFICES
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Mr. Van Loon

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HARRY GOLD, WAS, ESPIONAGE, R. EMIL JULIUS KLAUS FUCHS INTERVIEWED ON MAY TWENTYTHIRD NINETEENFIFTY BY BUREAU REPRESENTATIVES AND ADVISED THAT AT THE FIRST MEETING IN NEW YORK HE GAVE HIS CORRECT NAME. HIS AMERICAN CONTACT GAVE NO NAME BUT EXPRESSED PLEASURE AT BEING CHOSEN FOR SUCH AN IMPORTANT ASSIGNMENT. HIS CONTACT WARNED HIM TO MAKE SURE THAT HE WAS NOT FOLLOWED. BUREAU REPRESENTATIVES ADVISED BY CABLE DATED MAY TWENTYFOUR NINETEENFIFTY THAT FUCHS CONFIRMS CONTACT NAMED RAYMOND. HE STATED TENNIS BALL INSTEAD OF HAND BALL USED IN IDENTIFICATION. FURTHER, THAT HE WENT TO RESTAURANT DURING ONE CONTACT, POSSIBLY THE FIRST. HE DOES NOT REMEMBER THE GREEN BOOK. HE BELIEVES POSSIBLY ONE MEETING IN QUEENS/^{AS}SOUNDS FAMILIAR. HE FURTHER STATED THAT IF HE MENTIONED MEXICO INSTEAD OF NEW MEXICO IT WAS NOT INTENTIONAL. HE HAS NO RECOLLECTION OF ANYBODY WHO MIGHT BE JOHN. FURTHER, THAT HE HAD ONLY ONE ESPIONAGE CONTACT IN THE UNITED STATES. HE DOES NOT RECALL MENTIONING GEORGIA OR ALABAMA BUT KNEW PLANT TO BE IN THE SOUTH. DOES NOT RECALL MONEY BEING OFFERED TO HIM. HE CONSIDERED RAYMOND AS A LAST NAME AND BELIEVES GAVE SOME OTHER FIRST NAME TO SISTER. HE STATED THAT STREET NAME EASTERN PARKWAY, BROOKLYN, SOUNDS FAMILIAR TO HIM. HE DOES NOT RECALL SPECIFIC CINEMA NEARBY ALTHOUGH LARGE PUBLIC COPIES DESTROYED TYPE BUILDINGS WERE IN VICINITY. ON MAY TWENTYFOUR LAST FUCHS POSITIVELY IDENTIFIED THE STILL PHOTOGRAPHS OF GOLD AND AFTER VIEWING MOVING PICTURES OF GOLD SAID QUOTE THAT IS HIM, MY AMERICAN CONTACT. UNQUOTE. FUCHS STATED

THAT HE DOES NOT BELIEVE HE MENTIONED GEORGIA OR ALABAMA. HE STATED IT IS

UNLIKELY THAT HE PASSED WRITTEN INFORMATION AT ONLY TWO MEETINGS IN NEW YORK CITY.

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HE BELIEVES HE PASSED INFORMATION AT ALL BUT FEW SINCE GOLD COULD NOT UNDERSTAND ORAL TECHNICAL DISCUSSIONS. FUCHS GAVE NO INFORMATION TO IDENTIFY JOHN BUT MENTIONED WENDELL FURRY CALLED AT HIS SISTER'S HOME WHILE FUCHS WAS THERE IN FEBRUARY OF NINETEENFORTYFIVE. KONSTANTIN LAFAZANOS AND SISTER'S COOK ONLY OTHER PERSONS REMEMBERED THERE. BY CABLE DATED MAY TWENTYFIVE, NINETEENFIFTY BUREAU REPRESENTATIVES IN LONDON ADVISED THAT FUCHS IS DEFINITE ABOUT FIRST MEETING WITH GOLD ON HENRY STREET, LOWER EAST SIDE, MANHATTAN. HE STATED HE COULD HAVE GONE TO A RESTAURANT, THAT HE DID SO ON ONE OCCASION ^{AT WHICH} MEETING UNKNOWN. THAT THE FIRST MEETING COULD HAVE BEEN IN MARCH OR APRIL BUT HE IS ALMOST CERTAIN THAT HE WAS LIVING AT BARBIZON PLAZA HOTEL AT THE TIME AND, THEREFORE, IS ALMOST CERTAIN THAT IT WAS BEFORE FEBRUARY ONE. HE IS UNABLE TO REMEMBER ANY SPECIFIC DATES OR EVEN MONTHS FOR SUBSEQUENT MEETINGS IN NEW YORK. HE HAS NO RECOLLECTION OF PLAYGROUND AT ANY OF THE MEETINGS ALTHOUGH BLOCK OF FLATS NEAR ONE MEETING AND BELIEVES IT WAS THE FIRST MEETING. HE STATED SINCE NO MATERIAL WAS DELIVERED AT THE FIRST MEETING HE BELIEVES THAT ARRANGEMENTS WERE MADE FOR EARLY SECOND MEETING FOR PURPOSE OF PASSING INFORMATION. HE STATES VERY LIKELY NO OCCASION FOR A MEETING AFTER THE FIRST ONE UNLESS THERE WERE PLANS TO DELIVER INFORMATION. THERE COULD BE ONE OR TWO MEETINGS WITHOUT INFORMATION BEING PASSED BUT HE IS DOUBTFUL. HE BELIEVES THAT ONE MEETING WAS HELD IN THE BRONX IN FRONT OF A MOVIE. FORDHAM UNIVERSITY STRIKES A FAMILIAR CHORD OF RECOLLECTION. HE STATED THAT IT WAS NOT LIKELY THAT HE WOULD SPEND ONE HOUR WITH GOLD WHOSE INFERIOR ATTITUDE AND LIMITED BACKGROUND AND EDUCATION CONCERNING ATOMIC ENERGY WOULD NOT HAVE PROVIDED OCCASION FOR ANY SUCH LENGTHY VISIT. HE BELIEVES ONE MEETING WAS HELD SOMEWHERE IN QUEENS

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AT QUITE A DISTANCE. HE STATES THAT ONLY LIKELY MEETING AFTER THE FIRST AT WHICH NO INFORMATION PASSED FROM FUCHS TO GOLD WOULD BE TOWARDS END OF NEW YORK STAY FOR PURPOSE OF ARRANGING SUBSEQUENT SANTA FE CONTACT. HE AFFIRMS THAT NO INFORMATION WAS PASSED AT HIS SISTER KRISTEL'S RESIDENCE BUT ARRANGEMENTS MADE FOR THEIR MEETING SHORTLY THEREAFTER IN BOSTON. THE ABOVE FOR YOUR ASSISTANCE IN THE INTERROGATION OF GOLD.

HOOVER

NOTE: The above information came from the following cables from London:

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HARRY GOLD

FOOCASE, ESP - R. REURTEL MAY TWO FIVE INST. PHOTOS OF **MAZURIN**

AVAILABLE NYO, AND WILL BE FORWARDED PHILADELPHIA.

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DIRECTOR AND SAC.....U R G E N T

RE HARRY GOLD, WAS, ESP. R. RE DENVER TEL MAY TWENTYSIX. DENVER
OFFICE SHOULD INTERVIEW NAN SERPICO FOR ALL INFORMATION IN HER
POSSESSION AS TO THE ACTIVITIES OF HARRY GOLD, UACB. ALL INFO MUST
BE SUBMITTED BY DENVER OFFICE IN REPORT NY ORIGIN.

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TO : MR. LADD

DATE: May 29, 1950

FROM : A. H. BELMONT

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At 3:15 pm, May 29, 1950, SAC Cornelius called from Philadelphia to advise that Harry Gold has asked the Special Agents interviewing him to make arrangements with the Warden of the prison to let him call Judge McGranery for the purpose of having the Judge appoint an attorney for him. Gold said that the reason he wanted an attorney was to make his father feel better and that he had not changed his position which was that he wanted to make a clean breast of things to the Agents. I advised Mr. Cornelius that Gold should make his request direct to the Warden, as it did not appear desirable for Agents to be entering the picture at all, in so far as an attorney is concerned.

I advised Mr. Cornelius that if he were talking to Judge McGranery, there was no objection to telling Judge McGranery that Gold had indicated to the Agents interviewing him that he was going to attempt to call the Judge to have him appoint an attorney.

At 4:30 pm, Mr. Cornelius called back to advise that Judge McGranery had called him to state that he had received a call from Harry Gold, requesting that an attorney be appointed for him by the court. Gold told Judge McGranery that he would like to have Attorney Gray represent him. You will recall that William A. Gray was considering handling the Gold case, as set forth in my memorandum of May 26, 1950, but decided that he would not take it. Judge McGranery advised that he has set Wednesday afternoon for Gold to come to his chambers, at which time he will appoint an attorney; that he will consult with Attorney Gray and unless Gray has some definite objection, he will appoint Gray to represent Gold. Mr. Cornelius advised that Judge McGranery suggested that two Agents accompany Gold from the prison to the Judge's chambers on Wednesday afternoon for security reasons.

I told Mr. Cornelius that it did not appear desirable for Agents to accompany Gold; that that was what prison guards or U. S. deputy marshals are for. I suggested that Cornelius call Judge McGranery and suggest to him that it might be better for this to be handled by prison guards or the U. S. marshal, inasmuch as the attendance of Agents on Gold during such a trip might be open to misinterpretation that we were putting pressure of some kind on Gold. I also suggested that Mr. Cornelius bring up the fact that as the Judge is aware, we had been interviewing Gold, and request his opinion as to whether Gold's request to the Judge for an attorney changed the picture at all in so far as continuing interview with him by Agents was concerned. I told Mr. Cornelius I thought this was necessary because Gold had spoken directly to the Judge.

Mr. Cornelius called me back to advise that the Judge agreed with us that Agents should not accompany Gold from the penitentiary to his chambers. Relative to continuing the interview with Gold, the Judge was of the opinion that now that Gold has requested the Judge to appoint an attorney, it would be better to hold off any further interviews with him until after his appearance in the Judge's chambers Wednesday afternoon. *The wishes of the Judge are being followed.*

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RE HARRY GOLD, WAS.; ESPIONAGE DASH R. RE PHILADELPHIA TEL MAY TWENTY THREE LAST. ACCORDING TO GOLD HE WAS UNABLE TO CONTACT FUCHS ON THE SEVENTH MEETING AND THEREFORE CONTACTED JOHN AND JOHN FURNISHED FUCHS' ADDRESS ON SEVENTY SEVENTH STREET POSSIBLY NEAR BROADWAY. ACCORDING TO GOLD HE WENT TO THE SEVENTY SEVENTH STREET ADDRESS AND NOTICED NAME DR. KLAUS FUCHS ON A MAILBOX. GOLD MADE INQUIRY AT THIS ADDRESS AND WAS INFORMED THAT FUCHS HAD LEFT. THE PHILADELPHIA OFFICE IS REQUESTED TO OBTAIN FROM GOLD DETAILS CONCERNING HIS INQUIRY OF FUCHS AT THE SEVENTY SEVENTH STREET ADDRESS. IN-QUIRIES SUCH AS THE FOLLOWING SHOULD BE MADE: DID JOHN FURNISH GOLD WITH ANY OTHER INSTRUCTIONS AT THE TIME THAT JOHN FURNISHED THE SEVENTY SEVENTH STREET ADDRESS AND WAS THE CONVERSATION SUCH THAT IT INDICATED THAT JOHN WAS POSITIVE THAT FUCHS RESIDED AT THE ADDRESS? WHAT PROCEDURE WAS FOLLOWED BY GOLD IN MAKING HIS INQUIRIES AFTER OBSERVING DR. KLAUS FUCHS' NAME ON THE MAILBOX? DID HE RING FOR THE MANAGER OR SUPERINTENDENT OF THE BUILDING AND DID HE SPEAK TO A MALE OR FEMALE OR WERE HIS INQUIRIES MADE BY ENTERING THE APARTMENT HOUSE AND KNOCKING ON THE DOORS OF THE VARIOUS APARTMENTS? ON WHAT FLOOR OF THE APARTMENT BUILDING DID HE MAKE HIS INQUIRIES? HOW MANY PEOPLE DID HE CONTACT IN THE APARTMENT? CAN HE RECALL APPROXIMATELY IN WHAT APARTMENT THE PERSON OR PERSONS RESIDED. IS HE ABLE TO RECALL FROM MEMORY A LAYOUT OF THE FLOOR OR FLOORS OF THE APARTMENT BUILDING? DID HE MAKE ANY OTHER INQUIRIES IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD BEFORE OR AFTER LEARNING THAT FUCHS HAD LEFT

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THE APARTMENT HOUSE? NY ON RECEIPT OF GOLD'S ANSWERS REVIEW PREVIOUS INVESTIGATION AT FUCH'S ADDRESS ONE TWENTY EIGHT W SEVENTY SEVENTY STREET, NYC AND SET OUT ALL LEADS TO LOCATE PERSON OR PERSONS CONTACTED BY GOLD TO SEE IF INCIDENT CAN BE RECALLED OR GOLD'S PHOTO RECOGNIZED. ALSO DEVELOP ALL NECESSARY EVIDENCE OF FUCH'S RESIDENCE THERE. EXPEDITE AND SUTEL.

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Transmit the following message to:

May 31, 1950 URGENT

SAC, DENVER

HARRY GOLD, WAS., ET AL, ESPIONAGE - R. RE PHILADELPHIA TEL TWENTY EIGHTH INSTANT. NO RECORD OF NAN SERPICO IN BUREAU FILES. DENVER AUTHORIZED TO INTERVIEW SERPICO IMMEDIATELY FOR ALL INFORMATION IN HER POSSESSION REGARDING GOLD. SUBMIT RESULTS OF INTERVIEW IN REPORT FORM AS WELL AS TELETYPE SUMMARY OF PERTINENT INFORMATION.

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HARRY GOLD, WAS., ETAL, ESPIONAGE - R. PERSONAL NOTEBOOK OF GOLD
REFLECTS A MISS NAME SERMIO, CARE OF MR. LOUIS LYDAN, FIVE TWO NINE
HUMBOLDT ST., DENVER, COLORADO. SIGNIFICANCE OF THESE NAMES NOT
KNOWN AT PRESENT. DENVER REQUESTED TO FURNISH IDENTIFYING DATA RE
BOTH INDIVIDUALS. BUREAU HAS INSTRUCTED THIS MATTER RECEIVE IMMEDIATE
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HARRY GOLD WAS, ETAL, ESP R. RE BUREAU PHONE CALL MAY TWENTYSEVENTH REQUESTING NY TO SUBMIT QUESTIONS TO BE ASKED FUCHS. FOLLOWING QUESTIONS AND LINES OF INQUIRY SUGGESTED.

OBTAIN DETAILED INFO FROM FUCHS RE HIS EMPLOYMENT ON AE WORK IN NY AND LOS ALAMOS BETWEEN DEC., FORTYTHREE AND JUNE FORTYSIX, INCLUDING NAMES OF HIS SUPERIORS AND ASSOCIATES. IN PARTICULAR OBTAIN FROM HIM THE TITLES AND DATES OF ALL SCIENTIFIC REPORTS WRITTEN BY HIM AND WHERE THESE REPORTS MIGHT NOW BE LOCATED. REINTERROGATE FUCHS RE HIS PRESENT RECOLLECTION OF ALL MEETS WITH GOLD. IN PARTICULAR, OBTAIN FUCHS VERSION OF MANNER OF MEETING, DATES AND ANY OTHER ATTENDANT CIRCUMSTANCES WHICH HE NOW RECALLS. QUESTION FUCHS IN DETAIL RE HIS RECOLLECTION OF THE NATURE OF INFO PASSED TO GOLD, BOTH WRITTEN AND ORAL. IN PARTICULAR, OBTAIN TITLES OF ANY DOCUMENTS WRITTEN BY FUCHS OR BY ANYONE ELSE. OBTAIN PARTICULARS OF ARRANGEMENTS GOLD MAY HAVE MADE WITH FUCHS FOR SUBSEQUENT ESPIONAGE CONTACT OF FUCHS UPON FUCHS RETURN TO ENGLAND. OBTAIN ALL MATERIAL LEADING UP TO FUCHS ORIGINAL RECRUITMENT AND HIS HANDLING BY ESPIONAGE SUPERIORS PRIOR TO HIS MEETS WITH GOLD. IDENTIFY ALL INDIVIDUALS INVOLVED IN HIS, FUCHS, ESPIONAGE PARELLEL. OBTAIN ALL FACTS REGARDING FUCHS MOVEMENTS IN THE US INCLUDING ALL RESIDENCES, AND

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IDENTITIES OF ALL ASSOCIATES, PROFESSIONAL AND SOCIAL, AND HIS RECOLLECTION OF ALL TRIPS TAKEN WHILE IN US, THE DESTINATIONS AND PURPOSES OF EACH TRIP AND THE PERSONS WITH WHOM HE MADE SUCH TRIPS, OR WHOM HE CONTACTED IN THE COURSE OF SUCH TRIPS. ASCERTAIN FROM FUCHS WHEN HE FIRST NOTIFIED HIS SISTER, MRS. ~~X~~ HEINEMAN, OF HIS ASSIGNMENT TO LOS ALAMOS. ASCERTAIN WHETHER HE NOTIFIED HER PRIOR TO HIS DEPARTURE FROM NY IN AUG., FORTYFOUR, WHILE ENROUTE OR AFTER ARRIVING AT LOS ALAMOS. GENERALLY EXPLORE POSSIBILITY OF IMPLICATION OF MRS. HEINEMAN IN FUCHS ESPIONAGE ACTIVITIES. SUGGESTED POSSIBLE SOURCE FOR LINE OF QUESTIONING CONTAINED IN REPORT OF SA JR MURPHY, MAY TENTH LAST NY IN FUCHS CASE, PAGES SEVENTEEN THROUGH TWENTYTHREE. DETERMINE FROM FUCHS WHETHER HE WAS EVER CONTACTED IN ANY MANNER OR PLACE IN THE US BY ANY PERSON OTHER THAN GOLD FOR THE PURPOSE OF SETTING UP FUTURE MEETS WITH GOLD, FUCHS REGULAR US CONTACT. OBTAIN DESCRIPTION OF THE MEETING, AND THE PERSON CONTACTING FUCHS, DATES AND PLACES. EXPLORE THE POSSIBILITY THAT THE PURPOSE OF FUCHS SO CALLED PLEASURE TRIP TO MEXICO CITY IN NOV. AND EARLY DEC., FORTYFIVE WITH MR. AND MRS. ~~X~~ PEIERLS AND MRS. EDWARD ~~X~~ TELLER MAY HAVE BEEN CAMOUFLAGE FOR FUCHS MAKING A CONTACT WITH RUSSIAN EMBASSY, MEXICO CITY FOR CP FUNCTIONARY, MEXICO CITY RE FUCHS FUTURE ESPIONAGE ACTIVITIES, POSSIBLY TO INFORM SOMEONE OF FUCHS THEN CURRENT PLANS TO RETURN TO ENGLAND. SAME LINE OF QUESTIONING RE FUCHS MONTREAL TRIPS MAY THIRTY,

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FORTYFOUR FROM NY NOV. FORTYFIVE FROM LOS ALAMOS, AND JUNE FORTYSIX FROM BOSTON, WHILE ENROUTE TO ENGLAND. OBTAIN THE NAMES OF ALL OF FUCHS SUPERIORS IN THE BRITISH DIFFUSION MISSION, NY AND AT LOS ALAMOS DURING THE TIME FUCHS WAS IN THE US. OBTAIN DETAILS RE FUCHS TRIP TO US BETWEEN NOV. ELEVENTH AND THIRTIETH, FORTYSEVEN. OBTAIN PURPOSE OF TRIP, PLACES WHERE FUCHS STAYED, IDENTITY OF PERSONS WITH WHOM HE STAYED. IDENTITY OF PERSONS CONTACTED BY HIM IN THE COURSE OF THIS TRIP. OBTAIN DETAILS OF FUCHS TRIPS TO SCHNECTADY, NY, ITHACA, NY, AND ROCHESTER, NY DURING FORTYSIX, AND/OR NINETEEN FORTYSEVEN, NOTING THAT HE IS NOW KNOWN TO HAVE CONTACTED HANS BETHE AT GE, SCHNECTADY, ROBERT FEYNMAN AT ITHACA, NY AND ROBERT MARSHAK AT ROCHESTER, NY. NOTED THAT FUCHS VISITED GE, SCHNECTADY NOV. EIGHTEEN AND NINETEEN, FORTYSEVEN, AND JUNE, FORTYSIX. OBTAIN FROM HIM THE REASON AS STATED BY MRS. HEINEMAN WHY HE TOOK MRS. HEINEMAN FROM BOSTON TO SCHNECTADY ON ONE SCHNECTADY TRIP AND WHY, AS SHE SAYS, FUCHS LEFT HER IN THE RR STATION FOR SEVERAL HOURS. OBTAIN FROM FUCHS THE DETAILS OF HIS VISIT IN FORTYSEVEN WITH KARL P. COHEN, NY ATOMIC SCIENTIST. IN PARTICULAR, OBTAIN FROM FUCHS THE ADDRESS AT WHICH HE WAS STAYING IN NY, THE IDENTITY OF THE PEOPLE OCCUPYING THE RESIDENCE OR APT., AND HOW HE, FUCHS, CAME TO STAY THERE. QUESTION HIM RE THE SO CALLED HAT INCIDENT INVOLVING COHEN, NOTING THAT COHEN SAYS THAT AFTER EATING

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WITH FUCHS IN A NY RESTAURANT, FUCHS LATER CALLED HIM AND TOLD HIM THAT HE HAD LEFT HIS HAT IN THE RESTAURANT AND ASKED THAT COHEN OBTAIN THE HAT AND RETURN IT TO ITS OWNER IN AN APT. HOUSE ON W. ONE HUNDRED ELEVENTH ST., NY. OBTAIN FROM FUCHS HIS EXPLANATION FOR NOT OBTAINING THE HAT HIMSELF AND RETURNING IT SINCE HE HAD BORROWED IT, AND WHETHER THERE WAS ANY ULTERIOR PURPOSE IN HAVING COHEN PERFORM THIS TASK. SUGGESTED FURTHER THAT CONSIDERATION BE GIVEN TO DETERMINING AT THIS TIME THE AVAILABILITY OF FUCHS AS A POSSIBLE WITNESS AGAINST GOLD.

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cc: Mr. Belmont

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HARRY GOLD, WAS, ESPIONAGE DASH R. REBUTEL THIS DATE. WITH REFERENCE
TO LAFAZANOS, THE FOLLOWING IS NOTED. LAFAZANOS IN RECENT WEEKS HAS
CONTACTED SHADY HILL SCHOOL WHEREIN HEINEMAN CHILDREN ARE STUDENTS, THE
HOUSEKEEPER, MRS. MILLER, AND ASSERTED TO EACH THAT HE WAS THE
FATHER OF THE HEINEMAN CHILDREN AND WISHED TO BE REGARDED AS SUCH WITH
REFERENCE TO THEIR CARE AND EDUCATION. IN ADDITION, AS BUREAU HAS
PREVIOUSLY BEEN ADVISED, ON EASTER WEEKEND, HE ATTEMPTED TO ENTER THE
WESTBORO STATE HOSPITAL FOR THE MENTALLY ILL IN COMPANY WITH A GROUP OF
PATIENTS AND IN A SURREPTITIOUS FASHION AFTER HE HAD BEEN DENIED ADMIT-
TANCE TO THE HOSPITAL BY ITS DIRECTOR. HE HAS ALSO CAUSED NOISY SCENES
IN CAMBRIDGE IN CONTACTING HEINEMAN. CAMBRIDGE PD HOLDS A WARRANT FOR
HIS ARREST FOR DISTURBING THE PEACE, AND FURTHER HOLDS LETTERS ADDRESSED
BY LAFAZANOS TO THE SHADY HILL SCHOOL WHICH POLICE INTEND TO USE AS BASIS
FOR HAVING HIM COMMITTED FOR MENTAL OBSERVATION. BUREAU HAS EARLIER
BEEN ADVISED THAT HE WAS CLASSIFIED [REDACTED] b7c

REFERENCE IN EARLIER BOSTON TELETYPE TO QUOTE BUREAU
INTERESTS UNQUOTE IS UNDERSTANDING OF BOSTON DIVISION FOLLOWING
HEINEMANS TRIP TO PHILADELPHIA, THAT BUREAU DESIRED TO AVOID PUBLICITY
WITH REFERENCE TO POTENTIAL WITNESSES. FOREGOING INSTABILITY ON PART

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OF LAFAZANOS, WHO IS NOW ANXIOUS TO OBTAIN CUSTODY OF HEINEMAN CHILDREN, LENDS ITSELF TO POSSIBILITY THAT HE MAY CONTACT PRESS. IN VIEW OF FIRST SENTENCE REFERENCE TELETYPE, PHOTOGRAPHS OF GOLD WILL BE EXHIBITED TO LAFAZANOS ON EVENING MAY TWENTYNINE UACB DURING INTERIM. SUGGEST IF POSSIBLE, ADDITIONAL DETAILS RE FUCH-S ASSOCIATION WITH WENDELL FURRY AND ISRAEL HALPERIN BE OBTAINED IF POSSIBLE.

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cc: Mr. Marchese

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HARRY GOLD, WAS, ESP - R. REBUTEL MAY TWENTY SIX DIRECTING PREPARATION OF PROSECUTIVE SUMMARY RE GOLD BEGIN IMMEDIATELY AND INSTRUCTING THAT THIS INVESTIGATION BE CARRIED IN UNSUB [REDACTED] (15) FILE WITH APPROPRIATE CHANGE IN TITLE TO REFLECT GOLD-S NAME AND ALIASES ONLY. AS PREVIOUSLY RECOMMENDED ORALLY, NY FEELS IT IS IMPOSSIBLE WITHOUT ANY INVESTIGATIVE REPORTS TO SUBMIT PROSECUTIVE SUMMARY. WE RECOMMEND AND ARE PREPARING IMMEDIATELY INVESTIGATIVE REPORT ON THE PART OF THIS OFFICE AND THE OTHER OFFICES HAVING INVESTIGATION IN THIS CASE. AS SOON AS THE INVESTIGATIVE REPORTS ARE RECEIVED HERE WHICH CONTAIN THE NECESSARY INFO FOR PROSECUTIVE SUMMARY, SUCH A SUMMARY REPORT WILL BE PREPARED. THIS OFFICE ALSO STRONGLY RECOMMENDS THAT, IN THE NYO, A SEPARATE CASE FILE FROM THE UNSUB [REDACTED] (15) FILE BE OPENED REFLECTING IN THE TITLE GOLD-S NAME AND ALIASES ONLY. SINCE THIS OFFICE IS THE OFFICE OF PROSECUTION, IF AT ANY TIME IN THE FUTURE, FOR SOME UNFORESEEN REASON, A COURT, FOR INSTANCE, WOULD DEMAND THE PRODUCTION OF REPORTS IN THE GOLD FILE, WE WOULD THEN HAVE IN THE GOLD FILE ONLY THOSE SERIALS CARRYING ABOVE CAPTION OR CONSIDERED GERMAINE TO PRESENT INVESTIGATION. THE

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MATERIAL THUS FAR OBTAINED, WHICH DOES NOT PERTAIN IN ANY WAY TO GOLD,
WOULD THUS BE KEPT OUT OF THE GOLD FILE. THIS CONSIDERATION IS NOT
FACED BY OTHER OFFICES WHICH WILL NOT BE PROSECUTIVE OFFICES.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : MR. LADD

FROM : A. H. BELMONT

DATE: May 26, 1950

SUBJECT:

HARRY GOLD, was.
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On the afternoon of May 26, 1950, ASAC Whelan called, referring to our teletype of May 25, 1950, instructing that a prosecutive summary report be prepared immediately. Mr. Whelan pointed out that a report has been dictated on developments in this case to date and that he understands that Philadelphia is also preparing a report. He pointed out that there are numerous leads outstanding, the results of which should be included in any prosecutive summary and, therefore, he was of the opinion that the prosecutive summary should not be submitted immediately.

I advised Mr. Whelan that our purpose in sending the teletype was to be sure that a prosecutive summary is submitted as soon as possible; that meanwhile the regular investigative reports should be submitted promptly and as soon as investigation reached the point where a prosecutive summary is possible, it should be submitted. I advised that this should be kept in mind at the present time in order that there would be no delay in submitting a prosecutive summary as soon as possible.

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TO : Director, FBI Att'n: FBI LABORATORY

DATE: May 26, 1950

FROM : SAC, Chicago

SUBJECT: HARRY GOLD, was., ET AL
ESPIONAGE - RAIR MAIL
SPECIAL DELIVERY

Re Philadelphia teletype 5/25/50 and remylet to the Bureau captioned "ABRAHAM BROTHMAN, wa., ESPIONAGE - R" dated 5/25/50.

As pointed out in referenced Chicago letter, Mr. LINN PERRY, Accounting Department, Palmer House Hotel, Chicago, made available registration cards for HARRY GOLD, 6823 Kindred Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania dated September 15, 1945, together with registration card signed by HARRY GOLD of 2297 Bryn Mawr Avenue, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania dated February 15, 1946. Referenced letter transmitted photographic copies of both these registration cards, together with the registration card issued by JACK CORCHIN, 5825 Warrington Avenue, Philadelphia, and I. H. WILDERMAN, 6610 N. 12th Street, Philadelphia, the latter two individuals having occupied a suite of rooms with the HARRY GOLD of 2297 Bryn Mawr, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania during February 1946.

Referenced Philadelphia teletype points out that on May 20, under title of "ABRAHAM BROTHMAN, ESPIONAGE - R", the Philadelphia Office submitted known handwriting specimens of subject GOLD. In view of the fact that referenced Chicago letter requested the Laboratory to conduct comparison examinations of the registration cards signed by HARRY GOLD of 6823 Kindred Street and HARRY GOLD of 2297 Bryn Mawr Avenue, both of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, the Philadelphia Office is requested, if feasible, to obtain known handwriting specimens of HARRY GOLD, 2297 Bryn Mawr Avenue for submission to the Laboratory.

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WASHINGTON FROM NEW YORK 19 27 11-14 AM

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HARRY GOLD, WAS., ESP. R. REURTEL MAY TWENTYSIXTH LAST. FOR MINNEAPOLIS INFO, SUBJECT GOLD WAS ARRESTED ON MAY TWENTYTHIRD LAST IN PHILA., PA. CHARGED WITH CONSPIRACY TO VIOLATE THE ESPIONAGE STATUTE. MINNEAPOLIS FILES WILL INDICATE ROLF WOLLAN WAS ASSOCIATED WITH ABRAHAM BROTHMAN FOR WHOM THE SUBJECT WAS EMPLOYED. THEREFORE, IT IS REQUESTED THAT WOLLAN BE INTERVIEWED AS TO HIS KNOWLEDGE CONCERNING THE SUBJECTS ACTIVITIES. EXPEDITE AND SUREP UNDER ABOVE CAPTION. NY ORIGIN.

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MINNEAPOLIS ADVISED.

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TO : Director, FBI

FROM : SAC, Guy Hottel, Washington Field

SUBJECT: HARRY GOLD, WAS.
Espionage - R

DATE: May 27, 1950

REMYTEL 5/27/50.

The photograph of MIKHAIL GRIGORIEVICH MITROPANOV, suspect for
*JOHN, has been enclosed herewith for the Philadelphia Office
to display to HARRY GOLD.

cc New York
Philadelphia (encl 1) SD

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DIRECTOR AND SACS PHILADELPHIA AND NEW YORK CITY

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HARRY GOLD, ESP, R. RESUTEL TO BUREAU MAY TWENTYFIFTH LAST RE
GOLDS ALLEGED PRESENCE AT ROCKET LAUNCHING IN WHITE SANDS PROVING
GROUND, NM, LAST SEPTEMBER. IF INVESTIGATION WHITE SANDS DESIRED AT
THIS TIME AND IF GOLD CAN BE INTERVIEWED, SUGGEST PH INTERROGATE HIM
TO DETERMINE ALL CONTACTS AT WHITE SANDS, HOW HE ARRANGED TO WITNESS
LAUNCHING, MODE OF TRAVEL, HOTELS USED, AND DISPOSITION OF ANY
INFORMATION HE OBTAINED THERE. ABOVE DATA NEEDED TO CONSERVE TIME
AND RESTRICT SCOPE OF INVESTIGATION HERE. PENDING ABOVE REQUEST AND
FURTHER INSTRUCTIONS, THIS OFFICE WILL DEFER ANY INVESTIGATION AT
WHITE SANDS.

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SACS, NEW YORK
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HARRY GOLD, WAS, KSPI RAGE - R RE NEW YORK CASE ENTITLED ANATOLI
ANTONOVICH YAKOVLEV, WAS, INTERNAL SECURITY - R, NEW YORK FILE NUMBER
ONE HUNDRED DASH EIGHT ONE NAUGHT NAUGHT TWO. YOU ARE REQUESTED TO
IMMEDIATELY REVIEW YAKOVLEV'S FILE AND ALL REFERENCES FOR INFORMATION
THAT MIGHT HAVE A BEARING ON THE HARRY GOLD CASE. IF, AS A RESULT OF THE
REVIEW, INVESTIGATION IS UNDERTAKEN ON YAKOVLEV'S CONTACTS, SEPARATE CASE
FILES SHOULD BE OPENED AND THE BUREAU ADVISED.

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SACs NEW YORK
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HARRY GOLD, ESPIONAGE - R. BUREAU DESIRES NEW YORK ORIGIN, PHILADELPHIA
AND ALL AUXILIARY OFFICES TO SUBMIT INVESTIGATIVE REPORTS IMMEDIATELY.
ADDITIONAL INVESTIGATIVE REPORTS SHOULD BE SUBMITTED BY AUXILIARY OFFICES AS
QUICKLY AS PRACTICAL AS ADDITIONAL LEADS ARE COVERED. NEW YORK WILL SUBMIT
PROSECUTIVE SUMMARY AS SOON AS PRESENT INVESTIGATION TO CORROBORATE GOLD'S
ACTIVITIES IS COMPLETE. ALL INVESTIGATIVE REPORTS WILL BE FURNISHED TO
DEPARTMENT AND SHOULD BE PREPARED FOR DISSEMINATION WITH INFORMANTS PROPERLY
PROTECTED WHERE NECESSARY. NEW YORK ADVISE OTHER AUXILIARY OFFICES.

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SAC, PHILADELPHIA

HARRY GOLD, WAS, RHP E. REURTEL MAY, TWENTY-SEVEN. CONCLUDED HARRY GOLD, WHOSE KNOWN HANDWRITING AND HANDPRINTING WAS SUBMITTED BY PHILADELPHIA WITH LETTER DATED MAY TWENTY, NINETEEN FIFTY, WROTE NAME AND ADDRESS ON REGISTRATION CARD OF HILTON HOTEL, NUMBER SEVEN EIGHT SEVEN EIGHT THREE, ALBUQUERQUE, NEW MEXICO, DATED SEPTEMBER NINETEEN, NINETEEN FORTY-FIVE AND ON CARD OF PALMER HOUSE, NUMBER SEVEN SIX SEVEN EIGHT, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS, BEARING ADDRESS SIX EIGHT TWO THREE KINDRED ST., PHILADELPHIA, PA., DATED SEPTEMBER SIXTEEN, NINETEEN FORTY-FIVE. GOLD DID NOT WRITE REGISTRATION CARD OF PALMER HOUSE, NUMBER ZERO NINE FIVE THREE, DATED FEBRUARY FIFTEEN, NINETEEN FORTY-FIVE, BEARING ADDRESS TWO TWO NINE SEVEN BRYN MAUR AVE, PHILADELPHIA, PA.

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Director, FBI

Re: T. SCOTT MILLER and RICHARD E. BRENNAN
SPECIAL AGENTS

Dear Sir:

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I would like to call to the Bureau's attention what I believe to be the outstanding work done on the FOOCASE by SAs T. Scott Miller and Richard E. Brennan.

As the Bureau is aware, the New York Office and several other offices started conducting simultaneous interviews of ABRAHAM BROTHMAN and several of his associates, including HARRY GOLD, on the morning of May 15, 1950. These interviews ultimately resulted in the confession of HARRY GOLD.

SAs T. Scott Miller and Richard E. Brennan were dispatched from the New York Office to Philadelphia to conduct the interviews with HARRY GOLD. The intelligent, imaginative, resourceful, and vigorous manner in which they carried out this assignment, I feel, is the basic reason for the confession which resulted. As we are aware in the Bureau, a confession frequently depends upon the manner in which the interviewing agents handle themselves with the particular subject and it is felt that such was the case in this instance. From every consideration, therefore, it would seem to me that both agents Miller and Brennan could be highly commended for the excellent job that they performed. It is recommended that they be considered for meritorious increases in salary in recognition of their work.

It is realized that other agents performed important parts of this investigation. However, there is still much to be done in the case and when it is completed, I believe the importance of the work of other men may be better evaluated and, of course, at that time, this office will advise the Bureau of its recommendations in that regard.

Very truly yours,

EDWARD SCHEIDT, SAC

CC: Personnel File SA T. Scott Miller

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HARRY GOLD, ESP. - R. REURTEL MAY TWENTYEIGHT. HANDWRITING AND HANDPRINTING OF HARRY GOLD SEARCHED THROUGH NATIONAL SECURITY FILE WITHOUT EFFECTING IDENTIFICATION.

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MEMORANDUM FOR MR. TOLSON
MR. LADD
MR. NICHOLS

While discussing another matter with Mr. Peyton Ford he advised me that he had just read on the ticker that Harry Gold had just appeared before Judge James P. McGranery and advised that he wanted a lawyer but he wants to continue to cooperate with the FBI and that he is going to plead guilty but not to the charge of meaning to hurt the United States. Mr. Ford said he did not know the name of the lawyer named by Judge McGranery. I told Mr. Ford that I had told Judge McGranery in my conversation yesterday that the Bureau was interested in knowing that Gold had a good lawyer who would thoroughly protect his rights. I told Mr. Ford that I was interested in moving as rapidly on this case as possible. Mr. Ford said that an indictment should be obtained as soon as possible, and I agreed with this.

Mr. Ford asked what I thought about Keough handling this matter by himself. I told Mr. Ford that I did not know him but my impression was that he was a rather good, sound lawyer and as long as Gold had a reasonably good lawyer, I believed that Keough could handle the case. Mr. Ford said he believed he would let him handle it for now.

Very truly yours,

J. Edgar Hoover
John Edgar Hoover
Director

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cc Mr. Nease

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HARRY GOLD, WAS., ESPIONAGE - R RESURTEL FIVE TWENTY-SIX, FIFTY.
AUTHORIZATION GRANTED TO OPEN SEPARATE CASE FILE ON GOLD'S NAME AND
ALIASES ONLY AND ON PROCEDURE OF HANDLING AS OUTLINED.

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TO : MR. LADD

FROM : A. H. BELMONT

SUBJECT: HARRY GOLD, was.,
ESPIONAGE - R.

DATE: May 31, 1950

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At 12:10 pm on May 31, Mr. Peyton Ford called. He advised that he had been talking to Judge McGranery concerning the request of Harry Gold for an attorney and he wondered whether Gold had requested any specific attorney. I advised him that Gold had made his request direct to Judge McGranery, and as we understood it, had asked Judge McGranery to appoint an attorney for him and had expressed his preference to Judge McGranery for William Gray, a Philadelphia attorney. Mr. Ford was advised that this information was given to us by Judge McGranery; that, of course, any arrangements between Gold and Judge McGranery were made direct and not through the FBI as an intermediary.

Mr. Ford advised that Judge McGranery had told him that there was something in the press in Philadelphia to the effect that Gray had stated that if he were to go into the case, he would only do so if he were permitted to cooperate with the FBI. Mr. Ford had a thought that in view of such a public statement by Gray, it might give Gold a chance at a later date, if he turned sour, to complain that he was not properly represented. I advised Mr. Ford that the matter of an attorney to represent Gold was entirely up to Judge McGranery and the Department; that the Bureau is not entering the picture in any way.

I further advised Mr. Ford that when Judge McGranery informed us that Harry Gold had called him relative to an attorney, we had brought up the question as to whether we should continue to interview Gold in view of his request for an attorney and that Judge McGranery had expressed the opinion that we should hold off on further interviews until the hearing before McGranery on May 31. Mr. Ford was advised that we had immediately ceased interviewing Gold in accordance with the opinion of Judge McGranery. Mr. Ford advised that he saw no reason why we should not continue to interview Gold, if he requests such interviews, but that he did not believe we should seek out interviews with Gold; that if he requests them, we should continue. I advised Mr. Ford that undoubtedly this issue would be settled this afternoon when Gold appeared before Judge McGranery.

RECOMMENDATION:

This does not change the picture in so far as we are concerned. We have purposely kept out of any arrangements between Gold and Judge McGranery for an attorney and will continue to do so. We will continue to withhold further interview of Gold pending the hearing before Judge McGranery this afternoon. In the event there is any question as to the propriety of further interviews after the hearing today, the Department will again be put on notice in writing as to what our action will be.

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MEMORANDUM FOR MR. TOLSON
MR. LADD
MR. BELMONT
MR. NICHOLS

Yesterday in telephonic conversation with Judge McGranery of Philadelphia he stated that Harry Gold, who has been charged with espionage, was to appear before him on the afternoon of May 31 to have an attorney designated to represent him. Judge McGranery informed me that Ford and McInerney had been favorably inclined to the appointment of Gray but that he, Judge McGranery, was inclined to the appointment of another man who at one time had been President of the Bar Association and who was a very reputable lawyer. I told Judge McGranery that in so far as the FBI was concerned we did not desire to inject ourselves in any way into the appointment of an attorney for Gold; that all we were desirous of having done was the designation of a competent attorney by the court who could properly represent the defendant. I told Judge McGranery that pending the appointment of such an attorney we would refrain from any further interviews with Gold and if after he, the Judge, appointed Gold's attorney, that attorney felt that Gold should further cooperate with the Government by submitting to interviews by the FBI we would be glad to resume interviews, but if Gold's attorney advised him against any further interviews with representatives of the FBI that would be entirely satisfactory to us.

I told Judge McGranery that Gold had been up to this time most cooperative and that we were entirely willing at any time to make a statement to this effect in court to either him or to whomever may ultimately become the trial judge.

Judge McGranery confidentially informed me that he gathered from talking with Ford and McInerney that they were planning to have this case tried at New Mexico rather than in Brooklyn. I told Judge McGranery that this was indeed a surprise to me; that in so far as I know no such intimation had been given to the Bureau and that we were assuming the case would be tried in Brooklyn, the Eastern Judicial District of New York. I think it would be well to immediately check with

Tolson our SAC at Albuquerque to find out exactly how capable the United States Attorney
Ladd is in that district because it is significant to me that if the Department is considering
Clegg having Gold indicted in New Mexico that it has not seen fit as yet to discuss the
Glavin matter with the FBI. I do not want to lose this case through inept prosecutive
Nichols handling.
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Very truly yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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SACS, NEW YORK
PHILADELPHIA

URGENT

HARRY GOLD, WAS., ESPIONAGE - R RE NEW YORK TEL FIVE TWENTY-SIX FIFTY
TO BUREAU AND PHILADELPHIA. AGENTS HANDLING INTERVIEW WITH GOLD FURNISH
OPINION CONCERNING DESIRABILITY OF SHOWING APPROXIMATELY [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] b1
[REDACTED] TAKING INTO CONSIDERATION IDENTIFICATIONS ALREADY
MADE. IT IS FURTHER REQUESTED YOU DETERMINE FROM GOLD WHERE HE OBTAINED
THE NAME OF JEROME OR J. KAPLUN AND PHONE NUMBER WHICH HE LEFT WITH
THE REIDEMANN'S FOR FUCHS TO CALL. ALSO WHETHER GOLD KNEW KAPLUN OR
ANY SUCH PERSON.

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NOTE: While there is some possibility that in displaying the photos
to Gold our investigative technique will be revealed, it is not believed
that this should prevent us from showing the photos if the agents
interviewing Gold should believe that it should be done in order to
identify further contacts of Gold.

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*We should
 be prompt in
 recognition &
 commendation
 of any outstanding
 work in the Gold
 case.*

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 Note and Return _____ ()
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*man - Mr. Ladd
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*Letter T. Ladd
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Dictated by Phil over phone

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HARRY GOLD, WAS., ETAL, ESPR. NYO HAS APPROX [REDACTED]

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UNKNOWN PERSONS INCLUDED. BUREAU REQUESTED TO ADVISE IF IT DESIRES
THIS MATERIAL SENT TO PHILA OFFICE AT THIS TIME FOR GOLD TO SEE IF HE
RECOGNIZES ANY OF HIS CONTACTS FROM THIS GROUP.

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HARRY GOLD, WAS., ESPIONAGE - R. RE PHILADELPHIA TEL MAY TWENTYNINTH, NINE TWENTYSIX P.M., AND REBUTEL TWENTYNINTH INSTANT NINE FOUR P.M.

IT IS PROBABLE THAT THE JANITOR AT THE WEST SEVENTYSEVENTH STREET ADDRESS, NY, OF FUCHS WHO WAS CONTACTED BY GOLD IN NINETEEN FORTYFOUR IS MR. STADTLER, NOW DECEASED. STADTLER, TOGETHER WITH HIS WIFE, MRS. FRIEDA STADTLER, OPERATED ROOMING HOUSE AT ONE TWO EIGHT WEST SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET BETWEEN THE YEARS FORTYONE TO FORTYSEVEN. NOTED THAT MRS. STADTLER IN PREVIOUS INTERVIEW HAS STATED THAT SHE AND HER HUSBAND FURNISHED ALL JANITOR AND CLEANING SERVICE AT THE ADDRESS. MRS. STADTLER WILL BE REINTERVIEWED MAY THIRTYFIRST AND SHOWN PHOTOS OF GOLD. OTHER TENANTS OF WEST SEVENTYSEVENTH STREET ADDRESS LISTED ON PAGES NINETEEN THROUGH TWENTYTWO OF REPORT OF SA JOHN R. MURPHY, JR., MAY NINTH, FIFTY, IN FOOCASE WILL BE REINTERVIEWED RE GOLD UPON RECEIPT OF GOLD-S ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS LISTED IN REFERENCE BUTEL.

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UNSUB ~~WATSON~~, HARRY GOLD, INFORMANT, ESPIONAGE R. RE NY LET TO BUREAU
TWENTYNINTH INSTANT TRANSMITTING MOVIE FILM TO PHILADELPHIA. SUGGEST-
ED THAT PHILADELPHIA RETURN FILM TO NY IMMEDIATELY UPON GOLD-S
VIEWING IT IN ORDER THAT ADDITIONAL COPIES OF FILM CAN BE PREPARED
AND SENT TO BUREAU FOR POSSIBLE TRANSMITTAL TO ENGLAND FOR VIEWING
BY FUCHS.

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cc Mr. Belmont

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : MR. HENNRICH

FROM : MR. BELMONT

SUBJECT: HARRY GOLD, WAS.
ESPIONAGE - R

DATE: May 29, 1950

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Reference is made to the teletype dated May 28, 1950, at 8:50 PM from Boston concerning the showing of the photograph of Harry Gold to Lafazanov by the Boston Office. It is noted that Boston raises several questions as to whether Lafazanov should again be interviewed.

On the afternoon of May 29th, I called the Boston Office and in the absence of Mr. Soucy and Mr. McCabe, I spoke to Special Agent Robert Tonis. I pointed out to him that Boston Agents have interviewed Lafazanov in the past and in view of the importance of this case, the Bureau feels that it is necessary to show the photograph of Gold to Lafazanov for identification purposes.

I advised him that the interview should be conducted with common sense and in such a manner that the issues raised in the Boston teletype would be avoided. I advised him that we expected the Agents to conduct the interview in such a manner that the Bureau would not be embarrassed.

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HARRY GOLD, WAS. ESP - R. PHILADELPHIA REQUESTED TO SECURE ANY INFO
FROM GOLD RELATIVE TO BANK ACCOUNTS IN NYC.

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CONF WASHINGTON 28 AND PHILADELPHIA 4 FROM NEW YORK 29
DIRECTOR AND SAC URGENT

HARRY GOLD, WAS., ESP-R. REVIEW NY FILES REFLECT FOLLOWING FORMER
EMPLOYEES OF A. BROTHMAN AND ASSOCIATES, NYC, FORTYFIVE TO FORTYEIGHT,
HAVE BEEN OR ARE CP MEMBERS, SYMPATHIZERS OR MEMBERS CP FRONTS...
HIRSCH RABINOVITCH, PHILIP LEVINE, SOL FANSHEL, ERNEST E. MAIR, ROBERT
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ONE NEXT CONCERNING THEIR KNOWLEDGE RE GOLD UACB.

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THIS CASE ORIGINATED AT NEW YORK CITY

AT FILE NO. 65-1353

REPORT MADE AT ATLANTA	DATE WHEN MADE 5-27-50	PERIOD FOR WHICH MADE 5/15, 16, 26/50	REPORT MADE BY GEORGE P. DILLARD PFB
TITLE HARRY GOLD, was, et al			CHARACTER OF CASE ESPIONAGE - R
<p>SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:</p> <p>GERHARD NORVAL WOLLAN advised subject employed by A. BROTHMAN & ASSOCIATES, New York City. When first employed, commuted from home in Philadelphia, Pa. Later employed full time and returned to Philadelphia on weekends. Subject is Chemist with some chemical engineering experience. WOLLAN knew very little concerning subject's background other than that he came from Philadelphia, was married, possibly to a second wife, and had two small children. Subject replaced WOLLAN as Laboratory Superintendent of A. BROTHMAN & ASSOCIATES. Subject, according to WOLLAN, has friendly feeling toward Soviet Union.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED DATE <u>11/12/86</u> BY <u>3042 PWT/elm</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">RUC</p> <p>DETAILS:</p> <p>This is a joint report of SA LESTER G. DAVIS and the writer.</p> <p>GERHARD NORVAL WOLLAN was interviewed at Dahlonega, Georgia, where he is presently employed as an Associate Professor in the Mathematics Department, North Georgia College, at which time he furnished the following information: EXCLUDED RECORDING</p> <p>COPIES DESTROYED R 47 DEC 9 1960</p> <p>WOLLAN advised that he was a partner in A. BROTHMAN & ASSOCIATES, a partnership of consulting chemical engineers, New York City, from August 1944 to</p>			
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August 1946. When questioned as to whether he knew an individual by the name of FRANK KEPLER, WOLLAN stated that an individual by this name was connected with A. BROTHMAN & ASSOCIATES, and came to the firm after relations between BROTHMAN and WOLLAN were strained. WOLLAN believed this was about the spring of 1946. He recalled that KEPLER was BROTHMAN's right hand man and replaced WOLLAN to a large extent in the A. BROTHMAN & ASSOCIATES Laboratory. KEPLER became the General Over-all Supervisor in the Laboratory. WOLLAN had not known KEPLER before and recalled that BROTHMAN obtained the services of KEPLER who came from Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and commuted from that city while employed by A. BROTHMAN & ASSOCIATES. WOLLAN knew very little concerning KEPLER's background, but believes KEPLER's family was in Philadelphia. He was a chemist or chemical engineer and was employed in this connection.

Upon being shown a photograph of HARRY GOLD, which was exhibited to him in such a manner that the name appearing on the photograph could not be seen, WOLLAN readily identified GOLD as the person he knew as FRANK KEPLER.

Later during the interview, WOLLAN was asked if he knew an individual by the name of HARRY GOLD, to which he quickly replied that he did and that it was GOLD's photograph he had previously identified during the course of the interview, referring, of course, to the photograph he had identified as being FRANK KEPLER. Then WOLLAN became slightly frustrated when he apparently realized that the name of GOLD had not previously been mentioned during the course of the interview. He then stated that FRANK KEPLER and HARRY GOLD were the same, recalling that GOLD used both names while employed by A. BROTHMAN & ASSOCIATES. At this point of the interview, WOLLAN did not explain why GOLD used two names. WOLLAN believed that GOLD was married to a second wife by whom he had two small children.

GOLD, according to WOLLAN, was a chemist with some apparent chemical engineering experience but was not a physicist.

When first employed, GOLD worked only a day or two at a time commuting from Philadelphia, inasmuch as he apparently had other

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employment. GOLD first worked in the offices of A. BROTHMAN & ASSOCIATES on 32nd Street, but would come to the Laboratory and make sketches of his own and conduct various tests, allegedly at the specific request of BROTHMAN. WOLLAN did not know the nature of these tests and stated that although at that time he, WOLLAN, was the Laboratory Superintendent, GOLD did not disclose to him the nature of the tests or drawings. WOLLAN volunteered the statement "I was not involved with the work which GOLD was doing" but would not elaborate on this further. When questioned more specifically concerning this statement, WOLLAN remarked that GOLD never conferred with him on any work which he was doing even though it was done in the Laboratory where WOLLAN was Superintendent.

According to WOLLAN, GOLD was employed by BROTHMAN in the late winter of 1945-46 or early spring of 1946, and after being there a few months was employed fulltime, returning to his home in Philadelphia on weekends. GOLD and BROTHMAN became very closely associated together, and WOLLAN gathered the impression from general conversation that BROTHMAN and GOLD had known each other for a considerable length of time prior to GOLD's being employed by BROTHMAN.

WOLLAN recalled that GOLD assisted BROTHMAN in obtaining a contract with the Palestine Potash Company. This contract was for specifications for manufacturing plants to produce DDT. The firm actually drew up specifications for two plants for the Palestine Potash Company and in addition to that ran tests in the A. BROTHMAN & ASSOCIATES Laboratory in connection with "gun cotton" and "TNT". These tests were conducted in the hopes of obtaining a contract from the Palestine Potash Company to design plants to produce these items. WOLLAN did not know whether a contract was ever obtained from the Palestine Potash Company for plants to produce gun cotton and TNT.

WOLLAN left the firm of A. BROTHMAN & ASSOCIATES in August 1946 and at the time he left, GOLD had come to the Laboratory and more or less replaced WOLLAN as Laboratory Superintendent. It was WOLLAN's belief that GOLD was given the position of Laboratory Superintendent when he, WOLLAN, left.

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WOLLAN was questioned in detail concerning any knowledge of GOLD's background and of any business trips made by GOLD while employed by A. BROTHMAN & ASSOCIATES. WOLLAN advised that he knew very little of GOLD's background other than that he was a chemist, came from Philadelphia, and was apparently married to his second wife by whom he had two small children. WOLLAN stated he did not become closely acquainted with GOLD inasmuch as he felt that GOLD was apparently replacing him, WOLLAN, in the confidence of ABRAHAM BROTHMAN and was apparently, on BROTHMAN's instructions, assuming duties which normally would have been WOLLAN's responsibility.

WOLLAN volunteered that GOLD had a friendly feeling toward the Soviet Union. WOLLAN stated, however, he could recall no specific incident which occurred to indicate GOLD's friendly feeling toward the Soviet Union.

WOLLAN furnished the following description of HARRY GOLD:

Name	HARRY GOLD, alias FRANK KEPPLER
Residence	Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
Race	White
Sex	Male
Height	5'8"
Weight	175
Age	40
Build	Chunky
Marital status	Married, possibly to second wife. Two children by second wife.
Hair	Dark, receding forehead
Eyes	Brown
Characteristics	Round face
Occupation	Chemist with some chemical engineering experience.

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PHILADELPHIA DIVISION

AT PHILADELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA

Will interview HARRY GOLD concerning his association with GERHARD NORVAL WOLLAN, bearing in mind that WOLLAN stated GOLD replaced him as Laboratory Superintendent of A. BROTHMAN & ASSOCIATES.

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HARRY GOLD, WAS, ETAL, ESP-R. BY SPECIAL DELIVERY TODAY PHOTOGRAPHS
ARE BEING FORWARDED TO PHILADELPHIA OF ANTOLI A. YAKOVLEV AND LAN
KADOMIAN /BUFILE ONE HUNDRED DASH THREE FOUR FIVE ONE ZERO ONE/.
ADOMIAN-S PHOTO SHOULD BE DISPLAYED TO GOLD IN VIEW OF HIS CONNECTION
WITH YAKOVLEV. RE PHILA FILE ONE HUNDRED DASH ONE EIGHT EIGHT EIGHT
ON WALTER CARL NEUNSON WHO ADMITTED CONTACTS WITH YAKOVLEV IN NINE-
TEEN FORTY FOUR. PHILA SHOULD REVIEW NEUNSON-S FILE FOR FURTHER
LEADS AS SUSPECTS IN CAPTIONED CASE AND EXHIBIT PHOTOS OF KNOWN
RUSSIAN CONTACTS OF NEUNSON TO GOLD AS WELL AS PHOTO OF NEUNSON.
PARTICULAR REFERENCE IS MADE TO STEPAN NYKOLAEVICH CHOUDENKO, AN
ASSOCIATE OF YAKOVLEV AND A CONTACT OF NEUNSON-S. CHOUDENKO WAS A
CONSULATE CLERK WHOSE PHOTO IS IN MY ALBUMS IN PHILADELPHIA. CHOUD-
ENKO WAS BORN NINETEEN EIGHT, IS FIVE FEET SIX INCHES TALL, WEIGHS
ONE HUNDRED FORTY FIVE LBS., HAS RUDDY COMPLEXION, BROWN EYES AND
HAIR, BALD IN BACK, MAY BE IDENTICAL WITH UNKNOWN SAM. YAKOVLEV BORN
MAY THIRTY FIRST, NINETEEN ELEVEN, USSR, FIVE FEET TEN INCHES TALL,
ONE HUNDRED SIXTY LBS., MEDIUM BUILD, DARK HAIR, WHICH FELL OVER
FOREHEAD. ENTERED US AT SAN PEDRO, CALIF. FEB. FOURTH, FORTY ONE AND
ASSUMED DUTIES AS VICE CONSUL, NY CONSULATE, FEB. EIGHT, FORTY ONE.
DEPARTED US DEC. TWENTY SEVENTH, FORTY ONE WITH WIFE, ANASTACIA
AND TWO CHILDREN. NO CHILDREN NOTED WITH YAKOVLEV ARRIVAL.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : MR. LADD

DATE: May 26, 1950

FROM : A. H. BELMONT

SUBJECT: HARRY GOLD, was.,
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Based on information furnished by Mr. John McGuire, I called ASAC Whelan, of the New York Office, on the afternoon of May 26, to advise him that David Sentner, of the Hearst newspapers, had contacted the Bureau today to state that information had been received from New York to the effect that Abraham Brothman was the go-between between Elizabeth Bentley and Harry Gold; that the Bureau had made no comment to Mr. Sentner concerning this allegation. Mr. Sentner pointed out that in the event it would embarrass the Bureau, from the standpoint of any action we have pending against Brothman, to publish this story, he would hold up the story. However, he was advised that the Bureau did not wish to comment one way or another on it. Mr. Sentner indicated that from the records of the appearance of Elizabeth Bentley before a Congressional Committee, it had been learned that she had named Brothman as one of her contacts while engaged in espionage. The Hearst papers took it upon themselves to conduct investigation into the background of Brothman and came up with the fact that Harry Gold had worked for Brothman. Therefore, they have come to the conclusion that Brothman was the intermediary between Bentley and Gold.

Mr. Whelan was advised that we were informing the New York Office of this probable publicity concerning Brothman, inasmuch as Brothman is still under interview by New York Agents and, therefore, should be prepared for possible publicity.

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FROM : L. B. NICHOLS *LM*

SUBJECT:

DATE: May 26, 1950

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K David Sentner of the Hearst Newspapers phoned stating that his New York office had discovered in the Number 3 report of the Judiciary Committee before whom Elizabeth Bentley testified that she has submitted a list to the Committee which had Abraham Brothman listed as one of her contacts.

Sentner stated that the New York Hearst Office had found out on its own that Gold one time worked for Brothman. Sentner wanted advice as to whether the item should be used or not because if an arrest were imminent they did not want to do anything to embarrass the Bureau. He was advised that we could not help them; that this was a matter they would have to use their own best judgement on.

ALPHE GOLD

Sentner stated they were not worried so much about a possible libel angle although that was a consideration, as they were about fouling up any activities on the part of the Bureau. He obviously was fishing. I told him that was something they would have to decide upon themselves.

Mr. Belmont was telephonically advised of this conversation and a copy of this memorandum is being routed to him for his information.

cc - Mr. Ladd
Mr. Belmont

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I called SAC Cornelius at Philadelphia at 6:00 P.M. I referred to the Philadelphia teletype today indicating that unsub John had spoken of his daughter, Vickie. I pointed out that Vladimir Pravdin, concerning whom investigation was made in the Gregory Case, had a daughter named Victoria who was referred to as Vickie. I instructed that a photograph of Pravdin be exhibited to Gold to see if he can identify Pravdin as unsub John.

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8-52 PM

DIRECTOR URGENT

HARRY GOLD, ESPIONAGE - R. DAVID C. EVANS, GRADUATE ASSISTANT, PHYSICS
DEPT, UNIVERSITY OF UTAH, SALT LAKE CITY, CONTACTED THIS OFFICE TODAY
AND ADVISED THAT FROM NEWSPAPER PHOTOGRAPHS OF SUBJECT HE RECOGNIZES
SUBJECT AS MAN WHO WAS AT WHITE SANDS PROVING GROUNDS, NEW MEXICO, SEPT.
FIFTEEN OR SIXTEEN LAST TO WITNESS LAUNCHING OF A ROCKET. THIS INDIVIDUAL
DESCRIBED, AGE THIRTY TO THIRTYFIVE, FIVE FEET NINE TO TEN, ONE HUNDRED
EIGHTY TO TWO HUNDRED POUNDS, DARK EYES, HAIR AND COMPLEXION, INTRODUCED
HIMSELF TO MR. EVANS AS QUOTE MR. GOLD UNQUOTE AND SAID HE WAS CHEMIST
FROM SOMEWHERE IN EASTERN U. S. HE WAS DRIVING JEEP BELONGING TO WHITE
SANDS BASE. HE WAS WITH EVANS AND TWO ARMY PHOTOGRAPHERS, NAMES UNKNOWN,
FOR SIX TO EIGHT HOURS WHILE WAITING FOR ROCKET TO BE LAUNCHED. GOLD
TOLD EVANS HE HAD READ BOOK WRITTEN BY HENRY EYRING, UNIVERSITY OF UTAH.
EVANS CANNOT RECALL ANY OTHER DETAILS OF CONVERSATION. EVANS HAS SIDE
VIEW PHOTO OF GOLD, NOT SHOWING GOLD-S FACE, TAKEN AT WHITE SANDS. EVANS
WILL RETAIN THIS PHOTO. EVANS ADVISES MAY BE ABLE TO FIND AMONG PERSONAL
PAPERS NAME OF ONE OF ABOVE PHOTOGRAPHERS AND IF LOCATES NAME WILL ADVISE
THIS OFFICE. EVANS WILL BE CONTACTED RE THIS INFORMATION AND BUREAU
ADVISED. EVANS ADVISES NOT SEEN GOLD BEFORE OR SINCE ABOVE INCIDENT AND
IS ALL INFO HE HAS CONCERNING GOLD. NO FURTHER INQUIRY BEING MADE BY
THIS OFFICE. CC THIS TEL FORWARDED PHILADELPHIA AND ALBUQUERQUE AMSD.

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DIRECTOR AND SACS, NEW YORK AND PHILADELPHIA

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HARRY GOLD, WAS, ET AL, ESP - R. RE NYTEL MAY TWENTYFIFTH INST.
XAVIER UNIVERSITY RECORDS REFLECT TRANSCRIPTS FROM UNIVERSITY OF
PENNSYLVANIA FOR ATTENDANCE NINETEEN THIRTY TO NINETEEN THIRTYTWO
AND FROM DREXEL INSTITUTE, PHILADELPHIA, FOR ATTENDANCE NINETEEN
THIRTYTHREE TO NINETEEN THIRTYSIX. NO EVIDENCE OF SUBJECT-S
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cc Mr Belmont

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: May 25, 1950

FROM : SAC, Chicago

SUBJECT: ABRAHAM BROTHMAN, wa. **HARRY GOLD**
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Re Philadelphia teletype to the Director and SACs Washington Field, New York and Chicago, dated May 29, 1950 and Chicago teletype to the Director and SACs Philadelphia, Washington Field and New York, dated May 25, 1950.

Mr. LIN PERRY, Accounting Department, Palmer House Hotel, Chicago, Illinois, caused the records of that hotel to be searched under the name of HARRY GOLD, 6823 Kindred Street, Philadelphia, Pa., was. FRANK and HARRY RAYMOND, MARTIN, KAPLAN, KESSLER and KEPPLER. A guest personal history card prepared under the name of HARRY GOLD, 6823 Kindred Street, Philadelphia, Pa. and 2297 Bryn Maur Avenue, Philadelphia, Pa., a representative of Terry and Leibert reflected that HARRY GOLD had arrived at the Palmer House Hotel on September 16, 1945, occupied Room 1643, which room had a daily rate of \$4.95 and departed from the Palmer House Hotel on September 17, 1945. In addition the card reflected that HARRY GOLD arrived at the Palmer House Hotel on February 15, 1946, occupied a suite of rooms, numbered 1029 West, 1030 West and 1031 West, which rooms had a daily rate of \$22.00 and were occupied by three individuals. GOLD departed from the Palmer House on February 18, 1946.

A further search of the records of the Palmer House Hotel produced Palmer House registration card number 7678, dated September 16, 1945, signed by HARRY GOLD, 6823 Kindred Street, Philadelphia, Pa., representing Terry and Leibert. The card reflected that GOLD occupied Room 1643, which room had a daily rate of \$4.95.

In addition the search developed Palmer House registration card number 0953 dated February 15, 1946, signed by HARRY GOLD, 2297 Bryn Maur Avenue, Philadelphia, Pa. This card reflected that GOLD occupied a suite of rooms, 1029 West, 1030 West and 1031 West, which rooms held a daily charge of \$22.00.

In addition Palmer House Hotel registration card 0954 prepared by JACK CORCHIN, 5825 Warrington Avenue, Philadelphia, Pa., representing Max Corchin Company, dated February 15, 1946 reflected that JACK CORCHIN also occupied a suite of rooms, numbered 1029 West, 1030 West and 1031 West, which rooms had a daily rate of \$22.00 per day.

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cc: FBI Laboratory (Enc.)
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The search further reflected Palmer House Hotel registration card 0955, dated February 15, 1946 prepared by I. H. WILDERMAN, 6610 North 12th Street, Philadelphia, Pa. and reflected that WILDERMAN occupied a suite of rooms, numbered 1029 West, 1930 West and 1031 West.

Mr. PERRY stated that the sequence of numbers reflected that GOLD, CORCHIN and WILDERMAN had occupied the suite of rooms at the same time and had registered at the same time. Mr. PERRY also made available guest folio number T-7678, prepared for HARRY GOLD, Room 1643, residence 6823 Kindred Street, Philadelphia, Pa., a representative of Terry and Leibert. This folio reflected that the following charges were made against GOLD:

September 16, 1945, room charge of \$4.95; for Room 1643;
September 17, 1945, room charge of \$4.95 for Room 1643;
Cash credit of \$9.90.

Mr. PERRY also made available guest folio number J 953, prepared for HARRY GOLD, 2297 Bryn Maur Avenue, Philadelphia, Pa., who occupied rooms 1029, 1030 and 1931 from February 15 to February 18, 1946. This folio reflected the following charges:

Restaurant charge of \$11.78 on February 15, 1946, charged to room 1030;
Room rent February 15, 1946 \$22.00;
February 16, 1946 room rent, \$22.00;
February 16, 1946, phone charge \$.80;
February 17, 1946, room rent, \$22.00;
February 18, 1946, a total bill of \$78.58, which was paid.

There being transmitted herewith as an enclosure to the F.B.I. Laboratory and New York one photo of each of the following:

guest personal history card prepared for HARRY GOLD, 6823 Kindred St., Philadelphia, Pa. and 2297 Bryn Maur Avenue, a representative of Terry and Leibert;
Palmer House registration card number 7678, prepared by HARRY GOLD, 6823 Kindred, Philadelphia, Pa.;
Palmer House registration card number 0953, prepared for HARRY GOLD, 2297 Bryn Maur, Philadelphia, Pa.;
Palmer House registration card number 0954, prepared for JACK CONCHIN, 5825 Warrington, Philadelphia, Pa.;
Palmer House registration card number 0955, prepared for I.H. WILDERMAN, 6610 N. 12th St., Philadelphia, Pa.;
Palmer House guest folio number J 953, prepared for HARRY GOLD, 2297 Bryn Maur, Philadelphia, Pa.;
Palmer House guest folio T 7678, prepared for HARRY GOLD, 6823 Kindred St., Philadelphia, Pa.

The F.B.I. Laboratory will conduct comparison examinations to determine if HARRY GOLD, 6823 Kindred Street is identical with HARRY GOLD, 2297 Bryn Maur Avenue, Philadelphia, Pa. Should additional samples of the handwriting specimens be necessary for this examination, the laboratory's attention is directed to the fact that New York is office of origin in this case. RUC.

May 24, 1950

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VIA LIAISON WAB/DVN
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Mr. James S. Lay, Jr.
Executive Secretary
National Security Council
Executive Office Building
Washington, D. C.

My dear Mr. Lay:

O You will no doubt be interested in information concerning Harry Gold who has been identified as the individual who received atomic information from Dr. Emil Julius Klaus Fuchs in the United States for transmittal to the Soviet Union.

Harry Gold was born December 12, 1910, in Switzerland. In 1914, he came to the United States with his parents, Sam and Celia Golodnitsky, both of whom were born in Russia. At the time of their naturalization as United States citizens, their name was changed to Gold. Harry Gold claims citizenship by derivation through his parents. His mother is deceased. Harry Gold resides with his father and his brother, Joseph Gold, at 6823 Kindred Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Shortly after arriving in the United States, the Gold family moved to Philadelphia where, in 1929, Harry Gold became employed by the Pennsylvania Sugar Company in their laboratories. He continued his employment with this company until about February, 1946, at which time he became employed with A. Brothman Associates, Consulting Engineers, New York City. He left this firm in June, 1948. He presently is employed at the Philadelphia General Hospital and is a Civil Service employee of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. At the hospital he is engaged in the laboratory doing research in connection with serious cardiac cases.

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R 47 DEC 9 1960 Gold received his education attending night school at the Drexel Institute, the University of Pennsylvania, and Columbia University. In 1938, he obtained leave of absence from the Pennsylvania Sugar Company to attend Xavier University, Cincinnati, Ohio, where he received a Bachelor of Science Degree summa cum laude in 1940.

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Gold first came to the attention of this Bureau in connection with the activities of Abraham Brothman, concerning whom Elizabeth T. Bentley furnished information. In a signed statement dated November 30, 1945, Bentley advised that in about May, 1940, she was introduced to Brothman, whose photograph she identified, by Jacob Golos, her Soviet espionage superior. She stated that Golos told her that Brothman would furnish her with certain blueprints. Following that she met with Brothman about ten times in the Summer of 1940 until the Fall of that year, and obtained blueprints from him for Golos. She said that in the Fall of 1940, Golos claimed to have become disgusted with Brothman and told her he was turning Brothman over to someone else.

As a result of this information, an investigation of Brothman was conducted, which resulted in an interview of Brothman on May 29, 1947. At first Brothman denied recognizing the name or photograph of Golos. Upon being shown a photograph of Bentley, which he identified as a person whom he knew as "Helen," he then admitted that he did recognize the photograph of Golos.

Brothman related that some time in 1938 or 1939 Golos had come to his office at 114 East 32nd Street, New York City, and advised Brothman that he had contacts with the Russian Government, by reason of which he was in a position to obtain contracts from that government for Brothman if Brothman would turn over to him blueprints of certain products on which Brothman was working at the time. Brothman advised that the blueprints in question were his own property. He said Golos visited his office on several occasions thereafter until Golos introduced him to "Helen." Golos advised that "Helen" would thereafter obtain the blueprints. "Helen" visited Brothman's office over a dozen times during 1938, 1939, and 1940. Some time in 1940, she stopped coming and another individual named Harry Gold appeared at Brothman's office and said that he represented Golos. Thereafter Gold visited Brothman's office on a number of occasions during 1940 and 1941, and obtained blueprints from Brothman. He said the last time Gold picked up the blueprints, according to the best of his recollection, was late in 1941 or early 1942. He was emphatic in stating that Gold was the last individual to pick up any blueprints or material for Golos. He stated that Harry Gold was, at the time of the interview, namely May 29, 1947, employed by him as a chemist in his laboratory at Elmhurst, Long Island. A signed statement to this effect was obtained from Brothman.

Upon receiving the information about Gold from Brothman, Gold was interviewed the same day at A. Brothman Associates Laboratory, 8503 - 57th Avenue, Elmhurst, Long Island. Gold related in substance that he had met Jacob Golos in October, 1940, at a meeting of the American Chemical Society at the Franklin Institute, Philadelphia. At this time, Golos propositioned

Gold, saying that he had connections with individuals in a foreign country, not naming the country, and also had connections with Abraham Brothman in New York who was turning over certain blueprints. Golos told Gold that he required the services of a chemist to go to New York City, obtain the blueprints from Brothman, and then evaluate them on a chemical basis. Gold stated that about two weeks after this, in November, 1940, he contacted Brothman in New York City and introduced himself as a representative of Golos. For the next six months he made visits to New York City on the average of every three weeks to obtain blueprints from Brothman. He said that during this period he received four or five telephone calls from Golos, who always stated that they would have to get together very soon, but that actually this never happened. He said the last telephone call from Golos was in May, 1941, after which time he had no further word from Golos. He denied that he ever had seen Golos except on the occasion when he met him in October, 1940. Gold claimed that after his second or third trip to New York City, Brothman became friendly and exhibited an interest in Gold's career as a chemist. He said that ever since that time, Brothman had been interested in having Gold join Brothman's organization, but that it was not until February, 1946, that he could see his way clear to accept such employment, which he did at that time. Gold denied any financial agreement with Golos, and claimed he never received a cent from Golos. He insisted that he stood the expenses for the trips to New York City on the first two occasions, after which Brothman became friendly and furnished him a five-dollar bill to cover expenses. A signed statement to this effect was obtained from Gold.

On July 22 and 31, 1947, Abraham Brothman and Harry Gold, respectively, were called before the Federal Grand Jury, Southern District of New York. Both testified in substance before this Grand Jury to that which they had furnished on interview. The investigation of the Grand Jury concerning the charges of Elizabeth T. Bentley culminated in the finding of a "no bill."

After extensive and intensive investigation which developed information indicating that Harry Gold was very probably the United States contact of Emil Julius Klaus Fuchs, he was interviewed at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and on May 22, 1950, he furnished a signed statement admitting espionage activity. He admitted that he began the procurement of industrial information for the Soviet Union in the Fall of 1936, and continued this activity until 1943, except for the period from 1938 to 1940 while he attended Xavier University in Cincinnati, Ohio.

Gold advised that very early in 1944, his then superior made arrangements for him to meet Dr. Klaus Fuchs in New York City. This first meeting occurred on a Saturday afternoon in February or March, 1944, on the East Side of Manhattan, from where they took a cab uptown to a restaurant.

around Third Avenue in the 50's, possibly Manny Wolf's Restaurant. Following the dinner they walked about and completed arrangements for further meetings. Gold recalled the arrangements for actual recognition to be that he was to carry a pair of gloves in one hand, plus a green-covered book, while Fuchs was to carry a handball. He introduced himself as "Raymond" and Fuchs introduced himself as Klaus Fuchs. He said that Fuchs never used the name "Raymond" because he knew it was fictitious.

At this first meeting no written information was passed, but Fuchs revealed that he was with the British Mission working with the Manhattan Engineer Project. He told Gold that the British Mission was working on the separation of isotopes, and Gold believes there was at least implied the eventual utilization of the energy produced by nuclear fission in the form of a weapon. Following this, Gold had about four meetings with Fuchs in the Bronx, Brooklyn, Manhattan, and Queens. During at least two of these meetings, Fuchs furnished written information to Gold, who thereafter delivered it to his superior "John." He said that he had taken a brief glance at the material on one occasion and found it to consist of a number of folded sheets of paper containing mathematical equations which seemed to concern mathematical derivations.

Gold further advised that he lost contact with Fuchs when Fuchs failed to keep a meeting in August, 1944. He stated that "John" obtained the information whereby he was once more enabled to contact Fuchs. "John" gave Gold the address of Mrs. Heineman in Cambridge, Massachusetts, the sister of Fuchs. As a result of this, he met Fuchs at the Heineman residence shortly after Christmas Day, 1944, or early in 1945. At that time, Fuchs told him that he was at Los Alamos, New Mexico, a short distance from Santa Fe. Fuchs also gave him written information at the time and the two made an arrangement to meet in June of that year in Santa Fe. Gold stated that on this occasion he had been given a sum of approximately fifteen hundred dollars to offer Fuchs in a very diplomatic manner so as not to offend him. He said that Fuchs "turned it down cold." Gold returned to New York with the money and information which he delivered to "John."

Gold has further advised that he met Fuchs in Santa Fe, New Mexico, in June, 1945, and again in September, 1945. On both of these occasions Fuchs furnished him with written information. He said that during the September, 1945, meeting Fuchs told him that he had been present at the initial large-scale trial of nuclear fission at Alamogordo, New Mexico. He also stated that Fuchs told him at the time that he probably would return to England soon, but that by paying a call to Fuchs' sister he could ascertain just when. Gold said he made one or two attempts to see Fuchs again at the home of his sister, but was not successful. After the possible

second attempt, which was either in late January or early February, 1946, Gold missed a scheduled appointment with his superior, "John," and has not seen or heard from him since.

In connection with the current interview of Fuchs in London by representatives of this bureau, still and movie photographs of Gold were surreptitiously obtained for display to Fuchs. Previously, Fuchs and Robert and Kristel Heineman had failed to recognize a photograph of Gold. On May 20, 1950, Fuchs was shown the new still photographs of Gold and he did not identify them, though he stated he could not reject them.

On May 22, 1950, Fuchs viewed three repeat showings of the moving pictures of Gold, after which he stated that Gold was very likely his contact in the United States. It is most interesting to note that this information was received by cable at 11:08 A.M., while Gold had first admitted his espionage activity to the interviewing agents in Philadelphia at approximately 10:45 A. M. the same day.

On May 23, 1950, a complaint was filed before a United States Commissioner for the Eastern District of New York, Brooklyn, New York, charging Harry Gold and "John" Doe with conspiracy to commit espionage on behalf of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics in violation of Section 32, Title 50, United States Code. A warrant was issued and Gold was thereupon taken before United States District Judge James P. McGranery at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, for arraignment. Judge McGranery gave Gold the complaint to read and he admitted that he was the Harry Gold named in the complaint. A preliminary hearing was set for June 12, 1950, and bail was set at one hundred thousand dollars, in default of which Gold was remanded to the custody of the United States Marshal.

Further information of interest to you will be furnished as it develops.

With assurance of my highest regards,

Sincerely yours,

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
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HARRY GOLD

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ABRAHAM BROTHMAN, ESPIONAGE R. RE TELEPHONE INSTRUCTIONS RECEIVED
FROM BUREAU ON INST. DATE REQUESTING DAILY SUMMARY TEL. *HARRY GOLD*
WAS INTERVIEWED BY SAS T. SCOTT MILLER, JR. AND RICHARD E. BRENNAN.

GOLD DURING THIS INTERVIEW FURNISHED THE FOLLOWING. THE FIRST MEETING
IN WHICH INFO WAS RECEIVED BY GOLD WAS IN WHAT HE BELIEVED EARLY MAY,
FORTY FOUR. GOLD SAID HE RECEIVED INFO FROM FUCHS ON AN EXCEEDINGLY
DARK STREET IN NYC IN WHICH BORO HE DOES NOT KNOW. IT WAS A SIMILAR
TYPE OF PACKAGE THAT HE SUBSEQUENTLY RECEIVED FROM FUCHS. IT WAS
JUST A FOLDED UP PIECE OF PAPER WITH NO BINDING OR ANYTHING ELSE.
GOLD RECALLS NO CONVERSATION. HE FEELS THE NEXT MEETING WAS ARRANGED
AND WAS USUALLY ARRANGED AT CONVENIENCE OF FUCHS. GOLD SAID EVERY
TIME HE MET FUCHS HE WOULD HAVE TWO OR MORE MEETINGS WITH JOHN.

GOLD ADVISED TO BEST OF HIS RECOLLECTION HE PASSED THE PACKAGE TO JOHN
ABOUT FIFTEEN MINUTES LATER. *5th NY meet* THE NEXT TIME HE MET FUCHS PROBABLY IN
LATE JULY, FORTY FOUR, HE BELIEVES HE MET FUCHS IN QUEENS, L. I. NOT
TOO FAR OUT, NOT AS FAR OUT AS JACKSON HEIGHTS. GOLD TRAVELED THERE BY
SUBWAY. FUCHS GAVE HIM ANOTHE PACKAGE THIS TIME. GOLD SAID HE
THOUGHT THIS WAS THE TIME HE OPENED THE PACKAGE AND LOOKED AT IT. HE
SAW MATHEMATICAL EQUATIONS. ON SAME DAY ABOUT HALF HOUR LATER, FARTHER
OUT IN QUEENS, HE GAVE PACKAGE TO JOHN. MEETING WITH JOHN WAS SHORT AND
QUICK. THE SIXTH MEETING, FUCHS DID NOT SHOW UP. THE SEVENTH AND

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ALTERNATE MEETING FOR SIXTH MEETING PLANNED FOR LATE JULY OR EARLY AUGUST, FORTY FOUR IN CENTRAL PARK. FUCHS DID NOT SHOW UP. GOLD STATES HE BELIEVES HE SAW JOHN ABOUT TWO OR THREE WEEKS LATER. GOLD SAID THERE WAS A DISCUSSION AS TO WHAT TO DO. JOHN FURNISHED FUCHS ADDRESS ON SEVENTY SEVENTH STREET, POSSIBLY NEAR BROADWAY. GOLD HAD MET WITH JOHN IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD OF WASHINGTON SQUARE. ^{So. 8137} GOLD WENT TO ADDRESS FURNISHED BY JOHN AND NOTICED NAME, DR. KLAUS FUCHS, ON MAILBOX. GOLD MADE INQUIRY AT THIS ADDRESS, WAS INFORMED THAT FUCHS HAD LEFT. GOLD RECONTACTED JOHN ON SAME DAY AT MEETING PLACE PRE-ARRANGED ABOVE COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY. GOLD INFORMED JOHN OF NEGATIVE RESULTS. GOLD WAS THEN TOLD TO SIT TIGHT. SUBSEQUENT MEETING ARRANGED. AT THIS MEETING WITH JOHN, GOLD WAS FURNISHED WITH ADDRESS OF MRS. HEINEMAN. GOLD STATES TO BEST OF HIS RECOLLECTION THIS ADDRESS IN CAMBRIDGE, MASS. ON A LAKEVIEW ST. OR A NAME SIMILAR TO THAT. GOLD STATES HE FELT UNEASY OVER THIS ASSIGNMENT AS THE HEINEMANS WERE TOTAL STRANGERS. GOLD ADVISED THAT JOHN TOLD HIM TO GET OUT FAST IF ROBERT HEINEMAN WAS THERE. GOLD WAS TOLD TO ACT NATURALLY WITH MRS. HEINEMAN. GOLD ADVISED THE HEINEMANS WERE NOT AT HOME ON THIS INITIAL TRIP. THIS INITIAL TRIP WAS MADE ON A SUNDAY. THE INFO WAS RELAYED TO JOHN A FEW DAYS OR A WEEK LATER. IN LATE OCT. OR EARLY NOV. GOLD WENT TO CAMBRIDGE AGAIN. GOLD SAID HE PRESENTED HIMSELF AS A FRIEND OF DR. FUCHS AND WONDERED WHERE KLAUS COULD BE LOCATED. MRS. HEINEMAN ADVISED FUCHS HAD BEEN TRANSFERRED TO THE SOUTHWEST BUT WAS EXPECTED AT HER HOME AT CHRISTMAS. GOLD STATES HE WAS AT THE HEINEMAN

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HOME VERY BRIEFLY ON THIS VISIT. AT THIS TIME HE LEFT A NOTE FOR FUCHS. GOLD STATES HE LATER TOLD JOHN OF WHAT HAD HAPPENED. DURING XMAS WEEK GOLD WENT TO CAMBRIDGE AND MET FUCHS AT HEINEMAN-S RESIDENCE. FUCHS TOLD GOLD WHERE HE WORKED AT THIS TIME. A DEFINITE DATE FOR A MEETING AT SANTA FE WAS ARRANGED. GOLD ALSO OFFERED FIFTEEN HUNDRED DOLLARS TO FUCHS AT THIS TIME. THIS SUM WAS REJECTED. GOLD SAID THE ENTIRE MEETING WAS HELD IN FUCHS ROOM. GOLD SAID MRS. HEINEMAN WAS THERE FOR A MINUTE OR TWO BUT FUCHS SUGGESTED SHE LEAVE. THIS MEETING BETWEEN GOLD AND FUCHS LASTED FOR ABOUT TWENTY MINUTES. A SIX MONTH DELAY OCCURRED BEFORE GOLD MET FUCHS AGAIN. GOLD SAID THIS DELAY WAS CAUSED BY HIS INABILITY TO GET AWAY FROM WORK. FUCHS WAS ALSO TIED UP. DURING THE PERIOD FROM JAN. FORTY FIVE UNTIL GOLD-S TRIP TO SANTA FE IN JUNE, FORTY FIVE, HE SAW JOHN PERHAPS ONLY ONCE. HE MET JOHN IN A BAR ON THIRD AVE. SOMEWHERE IN THE FORTIES, NYC. THIS MEETING OCCURRED A FEW DAYS BEFORE GOLD WENT TO SANTA FE. GOLD STATES THE PURPOSE OF HIS MEETING WITH JOHN WAS FIRST TO MAKE SURE GOLD WOULD GO AND SECOND, TO MAKE ARRANGEMENTS TO MEET JOHN ON RETURN. GOLD IS NOT CERTAIN OF THE PLACE AT WHICH HE MET JOHN. HE SAID IT MAY HAVE BEEN IN BROOKLYN ON METROPOLITAN AVE. GOLD SAID HE BELIEVES JOHN TOOK THE MATERIAL AND ARRANGED A MEETING LATER THAT NIGHT IN BROOKLYN. ^{E. DIST} GOLD CAN NOT RECALL WHETHER THIS SECOND MEETING WAS ON A CORNER OR AT A ^BAR. GOLD SAID JOHN USUALLY TRIED TO PICK A PLACE WHERE AT LEAST ONE OF THEM HAD BEEN BEFORE. GOLD STATED JOHN DID NOT PICK TOUGH NEIGHBORHOODS FOR MEETINGS NOR DID HE PICK EXTREMES, THAT IS, SLUM AREAS OR HIGHLY RESTRICTED AREAS. GOLD STATES THE MEETINGS WITH JOHN WERE IN PLACES THAT WERE NOT BADLY CROWDED NOR WERE THEY TOO DESERTED. IN CONNECTION WITH THE

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NEXT MEETING WITH FUCHS AT SANTA FE, IN SEPT. OF FORTY FIVE, GOLD STATES HE DOES NOT RECALL A PRELIMINARY MEETING WITH JOHN. GOLD SAID FUCHS WAS DELAYED ABOUT FIVE MINUTES LATE AT THIS MEETING IN SANTA FE. GOLD SAID THIS WAS VERY UNUSUAL FOR FUCHS. GOLD ADVISED THAT ON HIS RETURN TRIP TO PHILA. HE STOPPED AT THE PALMER HOUSE IN CHICAGO. GOLD SAID HE REGISTERED THERE BUT DOES NOT RECALL THE NAME HE USED. GOLD SAID HE BELIEVES HE BROUGHT THE MATERIAL HE RECEIVED FROM FUCHS DIRECTLY TO PHILA AND KEPT IT IN HIS POSSESSION FOR A COUPLE OF DAYS BEFORE MEETING WITH JOHN OUT BEYOND JACKSON HEIGHTS IN NYC. GOLD TURNED THE MATERIAL OVER TO JOHN. GOLD ADVISED NO DEFINITE ARRANGEMENTS WERE MADE WITH FUCHS AT SANTA FE FOR AN ADDITIONAL MEETING. FUCHS TOLD GOLD HE BELIEVED HE WOULD RETURN TO ENGLAND SHORTLY. GOLD SAID FUCHS TOLD HIM HE COULD INQUIRE OF FUCHS SISTER, MRS. HEINEMAN RE HIS LOCATION. GOLD SAID HE HAD A SUBSEQUENT MEETING WITH JOHN NEAR ST. GEORGE HOTEL IN
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BROOKLYN. THIS WAS SOME TIME BEFORE THE FIRST OF THE YEAR. GOLD SAID JOHN WAS VERY APPREHENSIVE AND TOLD GOLD THEY HAD TO BE VERY CAREFUL. GOLD SAID JOHN MADE A COUPLE OF ADDITIONAL APPOINTMENTS WITH HIM, ONE IN JAMAICA AND THE OTHER AT THE EARLE THEATER, NYC. GOLD SAID ABOUT THE ONLY PLACE HE AND JOHN NEVER MET IN NYC WAS IN RICHMOND. ON INST. DATE THE FOLLOWING PHOTOGRAPHIC ALBUMS WERE SHOWN TO SUBJECT GOLD. NY FILE NO. ONE HUNDRED DASH THREE ONE FIVE FIVE ONE DASH ONE A DASH TWO SEVEN SIX FIVE. PICTURES FROM ABRAM ABRAMOVITCH THRU WILLIAM FRANK ZABAROUSKY WERE SHOWN TO GOLD WITH NO POSITIVE IDENT MADE. ONE

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INDIVIDUAL THEREIN, ERICH LAPINS LAUCINS SOMEWHAT RESEMBLES THE CONTACT THAT GOLD MADE IN BUFFALO. GOLD COUL^D NOT EFFECT POSITIVE IDENT.

NY FILE SIXTY FIVE DASH ONE FOUR SIX NAUGHT THREE, GREGORY ALBUM FROM THEODORE BAUMGOLD THRU P. BERNARD NORTMAN SHOWN TO GOLD WITH NO IDENT. OF THESE PEOPLE BEING HIS CONTACTS.

FILE OF WASHINGTON SUBJECTS AND CONTACTS, GREGORY CASE, NY FILE SIXTY FIVE DASH ONE FOUR SIX NAUGHT THREE, ALSO EXHIBITED TO GOLD. HE KNEW ONLY JACOB^X GOLOS IN THIS GROUP.

NY FILE SIXTY FIVE DASH ONE FOUR SIX NAUGHT FOUR, GREGORY CASE, ALBUM OF POSSIBLE CONTACTS AND SUSPECTS SHOWN TO GOLD. NO IDENT. MADE.

NY FILE ONE HUNDRED DASH FOUR SEVEN THREE ONE FIVE DASH ONE C ONE TWO TWO, COMRAP CASE. ALBUM REVIEWED BY GOLD. PAVEL PETROVICH MIKHAILOV RESEMBLES INDIVIDUAL INFO WAS TURNED OVER TO IN BUFFALO, ROCHESTER OR SYRACUSE. VITALI^X PAVLOV RESEMBLES AN INDIVIDUAL WHOM HE TURNED INFO OVER TO IN BUFFALO. NO OTHER POSSIBLE IDENT EFFECTED IN THIS FILE FROM TRAVIS LAFFERTY THRU VASSILI M. ZUBULIN.

NY FILE ONE HUNDRED DASH FOUR SEVEN THREE ONE FIVE DASH ONE C DASH ONE TWO TWO, COMRAP CASE FROM ARTHUR ADAMS THRU HARRY KWEIT REVIEWED BY GOLD. RALPH^X BOWMAN APPEARING THEREIN BEARS GENERAL RESEMBLANCE TO JOHN. GOLD SAYS HE DOES NOT BELIEVE HE IS JOHN HOWEVER.

NY FILE ONE HUNDRED DASH EIGHT NAUGHT FOUR ONE NAUGHT, CORBY CASE. PHOTO ALBUM FROM ERIC GEORGE ADAMS THRU EMMA WOIKIN REVIEWED BY GOLD. NO IDENT MADE.

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NY FILE ONE HUNDRED DASH TWENTY FOUR DASH ONE A DASH THIRTY SEVEN, SODAC CASE. PHOTO ALBUM REVIEWED FROM ALEXANDRA E. ALIKHACHKINA THRU ANASTASSIA G. TROFIMOVA REVIEWED BY GOLD. HE SAYS SEMEN^{*}SEMENTOV MAY BE IDENTICAL WITH SAM. NO OTHER IDENT MADE. *ISU*

NY FILE ONE HUNDRED EIGHT NAUGHT NAUGHT NAUGHT FIVE, REISS CASE. PHOTOS FROM ROLAND J. C. ABBIATE THRU JOSEPH TSURIN SHOWN TO GOLD. GOLD STATES JOSEPH TSURIN REMINDS HIM OF MAN HE MET IN THIRTY EIGHT. GOLD DOES NOT RECALL NAME OR CIRCUMSTANCES BUT BELIEVES THIS WAS EARLY IN HIS ESPIONAGE ACTIVITIES. *ISU*

DURING AFTERNOON OF MAY TWENTY THREE, FIFTY, JOSEPH^{*}GOLD, SUBJECT-S BROTHER MADE TWO VISITS TO THE PHILA OFFICE TO SEE SUBJECT. IN BETWEEN VISITS JOS. GOLD CONTACTED M. E. DOUGHERTY, A CLOSE FRIEND OF HARRY GOLD FOR SOME TWENTY YEARS DURATION. DOUGHERTY SUGGESTED AN ATTORNEY THAT THE GOLD FAMILY COULD CONSULT. AT THE PRESENT TIME, THE ATTY HAS NOT BEEN CONTACTED BY JOS. GOLD. DURING THE EVENING OF MAY TWENTY THREE, FIFTY, JOS. GOLD AND SUBJECT-S FATHER, VISITED SUBJECT. DURING THIS MEETING, GOLD INFORMED HIS FATHER HE WAS IN TROUBLE. HARRY GOLD TOLD HIS FATHER THAT IT WAS TROUBLE IN CONNECTION WITH SOME COMMUNIST ACTIVITIES.

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SA BRENT GORDON OF BOSTON DEPARTED PHILA OFFICE THIS AFTERNOON IN COMPANY WITH ATTY JAMES MAHON AND HIS CLIENT ROBERT HEINEMAN. AGENT GORDON ADVISED THAT MAHON NOW SAYS THAT HEINEMAN COULD NOT IDENTIFY GOLD EVEN IF HE SAW HIM AGAIN. GORDON ALSO ADVISED MAHON SAID IF ANOTHER INTERVIEW IS INSISTED UPON , HE WOULD PERMIT HIS CLIENT TO SEE GOLD AGAIN BUT MAHON WANTS TO BE PRESENT AT THE INTERVIEW OR WANTS TO BE ADVISED WHAT THE BUREAU EXPECTS TO GAIN FROM THIS INTERVIEW. THIS OFFICE OF THE OPINION NOTHING WOULD BE GAINED BY A FURTHER INTERVIEW BETWEEN HEINEMAN AND GOLD IN VIEW OF DEMANDS OF THE ATTY.

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Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
May 22, 1950

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"I, Harry Gold, of 6823 Kindred Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania,
make the following voluntary statement to Richard E. Brennan and
T. Scott Miller, Jr., who have identified themselves to me as Special
Agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, United States Department
of Justice. No threats or promises have been made me and I realize that
any statement I make may be used against me in a court of law. I have
been advised that I may secure the services of an attorney.

"In the summer of 1936 I made several inquiries concerning the
Communist Party of the United States. At this time I was employed as a
chemist by the Pennsylvania Sugar Company of 1037 North Delaware Avenue,
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

"In the fall of 1936 I was visited at my home by a man who
identified himself as Paul Smith. He said that he understood that I was
a chemist and he thought that possibly I might be interested in aiding in
the procurement of industrial information for the Soviet Union. This began
a period of industrial espionage on my part which lasted until 1943. My
association with Smith was of relatively short duration during which time
I furnished him with some data concerning processes that were being worked
on in the laboratory of the Pennsylvania Sugar Company and subsidiaries.
This data was as complete and factual as I could make it.

"Smith whose name was obviously false was followed in succession
by two men, one of whom identified themselves as Fred, who had a pronounced
Russian accent.

"In the early summer of 1938, the possibilities of Pennsylvania
Sugar Company had pretty well petered out and I was several times pressed
to try and obtain other sources of information. By this I mean people who
could furnish us with technical data. However, in my circle of friends
there were none who were even the remotest likely candidate and so I did
nothing. This led to a break of over two years during which time I attended
a college in Cincinnati. I graduated in 1940.

"On my return to Philadelphia I was again contacted by the people with
whom I had worked before. I was called on the phone in July, 1940 and I went
downtown to see this man who turned out to be Jacob Golob.

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"He again pressed me to continue the work which I had done previously and I agreed, however, it was pretty sporadic in nature and with the exception of the one contact that he gave me, Abraham Brothman, nothing much came of it. I was supposed to get information of a technical nature from Brothman but very little came of that, simply because he was extremely unreliable in getting material together. He gave me some data on mixing equipment which was practically all his design and it seems to me that practically everything he gave me at any time was his own invention or design. Brothman kept pressing me on several occasions and wanted to know about the possibility of his doing consulting work for the Soviet Union on an open basis as a private individual and they acting as representatives of their government to this company and whenever I mentioned it to the people with whom I was in touch, they discounted the idea and wouldn't listen to it at all.

"I never told Brothman of my association with the Soviet Union but I think that he suspected it because of the way that I operated—I introduced myself by another name.

"I knew Golos for a very brief time and he was followed very shortly by a man called Sam about the end of 1940. It was with Sam that my association continued uninterruptedly as a contact. I used to meet Sam almost always in New York, sometimes very rarely he would come to Philadelphia but usually it was in New York, usually on a street corner that we met. Normally we went for a walk. Sometimes but rarely we had something to eat. Sam did not have a Russian accent but I had an idea he was a Russian.

"Shortly after I met Sam he told me that there was not much purpose to continuing this work in general and that the best thing I could do would be to forget about it and this state continued from late 1940 until the fall of 1941 after Russia was attacked by Germany. Then Sam called me up. I met him and he told me that we had to begin an intensive campaign for obtaining information for the Soviet Union. This happened about a couple of months after Russia was attacked by Germany. At that time I made a half dozen trips to upper New York State, namely, Syracuse, Rochester and Buffalo. I was to transmit information—I acted as a go-between.

"What I did on each of these occasions was to obtain information from someone that I did not know but who was, I am pretty sure, an American, a native, and I gave it over to Sam, or sometimes not to Sam but to someone who I didn't know by name or anything. I just got it and either I received material whose nature I did not know except that they were very bulky packets and in a matter of hours or sometimes even minutes I turned it over to a third person, sometimes Sam. There was one man that I saw twice in Rochester.

"One man that I saw twice in Buffalo, and there were two others that I saw once, and I got the definite impression in each case that they were native Americans. Sometimes I traveled with the information from one city to the adjacent one, that is, say, from Rochester to Buffalo before turning it over.

"In very early 1944, I was told by Sam that I was to undertake an extremely important effort. This was to be work of so critical a nature that I was to think twice and three times before I ever spoke a word concerning it to anyone or before I made a move (at this point are inserted in Gold's handwriting the words "that is" and his initials "HG") before I spoke to anyone concerned in it. He didn't elaborate on what the nature of the work actually was but he gave me the details of an arrangement whereby I met Dr. Klaus Fuchs. This meeting took place on the East Side of New York on a Saturday. As I recall, the arrangements for actual recognition included the fact that I was to carry a pair of gloves in one hand plus a green covered book and Dr. Fuchs was to carry a handball in one hand. I cannot recall whether Sam gave me Dr. Fuchs' name. He may have. In any event we met in, I believe, late February or early March of 1944. I introduced myself to him as Raymond. He never used the name. He knew it was a phoney. He introduced himself to me as Klaus Fuchs. We went for a brief walk and then took a cab uptown to a restaurant around Third Avenue in the 50's, where we had dinner but we didn't speak much there. Afterwards we went for a walk during which we completed arrangements for further meetings. Among these arrangements were:

- "1. We were to be extremely careful and never meet in a restaurant again.
- "2. We were only to meet for as brief a period as was necessary to complete whatever we had to do.
- "3. Each meeting included complete arrangements for further meetings and provisions were made for alternate dates and places but we were never to meet in the same place twice.

"He told me during the first and second meetings that he was with the British Mission working with the Manhattan Engineer Project. He also explained to me the manpower set-up of the British group as he knew it. He told me that they were working on the separation of isotopes, and it seems to me that there was at least employed (at this point the word "employed" is crossed out and written above it in long-hand with the initials "HG" is the word "implied") the eventual utilization of the energy produced by nuclear fission in the form of a weapon. One thing he told me on many occasions was that they worked in extremely tight compartments and that one group did not know what the other group was doing. This I can verify by the fact that he told me that he thought that there was a possibility

of a large-scale installation for isotope separation projected for future development somewhere, he thought down in Georgia or Alabama. This, of course, later turned out to be Oak Ridge.

"The second meeting with Fuchs consisted of an amplification of our arrangements for meeting and a description by Fuchs of the physical and personnel setup of the ~~Manhattan~~ Manhattan Engineer Project. This meeting was in New York.

"During these first two meetings neither Dr. Fuchs nor I made any direct reference to his supplying me with information, but it was more or less mutually understood that he was to supply me with information from the work he was doing.

"The second meeting took place with Fuchs a few weeks following the first one somewhere in upper Manhattan. Successive meetings took place in a number of widely separated localities, including the Bronx, Brooklyn, Manhattan and Queens. There were, in all, until the Summer of 1944 a total of in the neighborhood of five meetings, on at least two of which occasions I obtained from Dr. Fuchs information. This consisted of a number of folded sheets of paper containing (during one brief glance that I took on one occasion) mathematical equations which seemed to concern mathematical derivations. This data I turned over to I believe, Sam's successor, John.

"I would like to add that Sam was succeeded by a man named ~~John~~ shortly after I met Dr. Fuchs. I do not believe that he ever turned any information over to Sam.

"On the occasions when I turned over information which I had obtained from Dr. Fuchs the time interval involved was very short by which I mean a half hour at the most.

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"The exact dates that the information was given to me in New York by Dr. Fuchs I cannot accurately say except that they were probably between April and June or July of 1944. In August of 1944 Dr. Fuchs failed to show up for his scheduled meeting. This was to be in the vicinity of a movie theater near the Eastern Parkway in Brooklyn. He did not show up for the alternate appointment and I had no means of telling where he had gone though he had mentioned that he was due to leave for another location. The only information he had was that he thought it was somewhere in Mexico not New Mexico. John then obtained the information whereby he was once more enabled to get in touch with Dr. Fuchs. He gave me the address of a Mrs. Heinemann in Cambridge, Massachusetts, who is I believe Dr. Fuchs' sister. I went to see her in September of 1944. The family was away on vacation. I did see her the second time that I went to Cambridge which was in the Fall of 1944. I told her that I was a friend of Dr. Fuchs; that I had met him in New York; that I happened to be passing through Boston on business and I just wondered if she knew where Klaus was. I used here the same name that I had used on meeting Klaus which was Raymond. She told me that Klaus was due about Christmas time, was very fond of Mrs. Heinemann's children and he had written her that he would be coming home about that time. She did not say where he was except that it was somewhere out West. So I left an envelope containing a name and telephone number in Manhattan. This name I think may have contained a first name "Jerome" or at least a name with a "J" and was somewhat similar to ~~Kaplun~~ (phonetic). This is not the name. About all that I can say about it is that it evokes a familiar sound -- a familiar memory chord.

"Early in 1945, John got in touch with me and said that we had heard from Dr. Fuchs. I went up to Cambridge and saw Klaus there. He told me that he was working at a place called Los Alamos in New Mexico, he said some distance from Santa Fe. He also gave me written information at that time and we made an arrangement to meet in June of that year in Santa Fe. This meeting took place in the home of Mrs. Heinemann in Cambridge, Massachusetts, but she was not present at the time of our conversation. The whole meeting was of very brief duration. Before I met Dr. Fuchs on this occasion I was given a sum of approximately \$1500 as I recall to offer to Dr. Fuchs should he need it. I was told to be very diplomatic about this matter so as not to offend him. He turned it down cold. He turned down cold even my tentative offer so that when I returned to New York I gave the money back to John, along with the information,

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which Fuchs had given me at this time.

"During my vacation in June of 1945, I went to Santa Fe, via Albuquerque and met Dr. Fuchs there. He gave me another set of data and we agreed to meet again in late September of the same year in Santa Fe. I took this information back with me to New York and gave it to John. Our conversation there was extremely brief and even there, as when he worked in New York, he was dubious about the possibilities for any real and immediate utilization of atomic energy in the form of a weapon. I do not exactly recall the circumstances under which I turned this information over to John in New York. I traveled to Albuquerque on this first meeting via train to Chicago then by train to Albuquerque, and finally by bus to Santa Fe. My meeting with Dr. Fuchs was on Saturday afternoon. Then I returned from Santa Fe to Albuquerque by bus on the same day. As I recall, I slept in the hallway of a rooming house where those who were unable to obtain hotel accommodations were bedded. I returned the following day from Albuquerque to Chicago and then via Chicago by plane to either New York or Washington and then by train to Philadelphia. This jumbled up method of travel was necessitated by the traveling conditions at that time.

"Here I would like to make the following statement: All of the expenses involved in any of the work that I did were paid for by me entirely out of my own funds. Immediately upon my return to New York, I turned over the information which Fuchs had given me to John. The next meeting with Dr. Fuchs took place in late September, 1945. I again met him in Santa Fe, this time on the outskirts. He had a car, a rather dilapidated affair, which he had borrowed, and we conducted all of our conversation in it. He gave me some information again. Also, he told me he had been present at the initial large-scale trial of nuclear fission at Alamogordo in New Mexico, and also described to me the tremendous wonderment that had descended upon even those who had the most intimate knowledge of the potentialities of the weapon—most especially on the occasion of the dropping of the bomb on Hiroshima. It is my best understanding that he was actually present with the group or certainly near the group that set off the trial bomb at Alamogordo.

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"Dr. Fuchs told me also at that time that he would probably return to England soon but that by paying a call to his sister, I could ascertain just when. This statement may not be completely accurate in this sense since it also seems to me that he gave a definite time, about Christmas week of 1945 when he expected to again be in Cambridge.

"In early evening I returned by bus to Albuquerque and got an early morning plane from Albuquerque to Kansas City. There, I had to transfer to a train which took me to Chicago and I went from Chicago by way of New York Central to New York. From New York I went to Philadelphia and not more than several days later turned over the information that Dr. Fuchs had given me to John in New York City. To the best of my recollection, it was out beyond Jackson Heights somewhere in Queens where I turned this information over to John.

"Here again, I would like to repeat what I previously said, that this jumbled up method of travel was necessitated by the lack of facilities at that time and heavy travel at that time and was not intended as a means of throwing anyone off my trail.

"This was the last time that I saw Dr. Fuchs or obtained information from him.

"I made either one or two attempts to see Dr. Fuchs again at the home of his sister. This effort was not successful in that he was still in New Mexico. After the possible second attempt which was in either late January or early February, 1946, my scheduled appointment to report to John did not take place. This was to be at the Earle Theater in the Bronx, New York. I never saw or heard from John again.

"In summary, to the best of my recollection, Dr. Fuchs gave me information on five occasions. Two times, in New York in the Spring and Summer of 1944, once in Cambridge in very early 1945, probably January and twice in Santa Fe, the first time in June, the second time in late September, both 1945. On each occasion I subsequently turned this information over to John. It is possible although he doubted it, that Sam received from me the first information which he had obtained from Dr. Fuchs.

"During my association with Dr. Fuchs, Sam and John, I fully realized that the information which Dr. Fuchs was supplying me and which I turned over to Sam or John was for the benefit of the Soviet Union. I also surmised that the information concerned the operation of isotopes and the

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subsequent nuclear fission to release tremendous amounts of energy even in the form of a weapon.

I began the work of industrial spying for the Soviet Union in 1936 with the full realization of what I was doing. I thought that I would be helping a nation whose final aims I approved, along the road to industrial strength. Particularly was I taken with the idea that whatever I did would go to help make living conditions far more advanced along the road as we know them here in the United States. To amplify, I felt that the industrial setup of a nation which had only very recently begun to get any kind of a basic industry go, was so far inferior to what existed in other countries that anything that I could do would be helpful.

Sometimes I was struck by doubt twofold in nature:

Number one - especially early in my association from 1936 to 1938 it seemed that the information I was turning over was exceedingly non-utilitarian but I was always assured that it was well received.

Second, the one fear that troubled me during the entire time from 1936 on was the possibility that in the event of exposure, my family, which had no idea, not even the very slightest, of the work I was engaging in, would be completely and horribly disgraced.

This affair grew, and as I imagine is the case with dealings of such a nature, I got so involved that even had I wanted to, it would have been extremely difficult to get out. However, I would like to qualify this last statement by saying, while on several occasions I did desire to once and for all stop doing this work, that I never once actually suggested it to any of the people with whom I worked. The longest break in all this time was the two-year period when I went to school in Cincinnati, 1938 to 1940.

My reaction to the work that I did with Dr. Fuchs was twofold in nature. On the one hand I felt that as an ally I was only helping the Soviet Union obtain information that I thought it was entitled to. I was troubled even by this but I persistently put any thoughts out of my mind and as I have previously said, I was in so deep that I was, to a certain extent bewildered and didn't know what to do. Actually the realization that I was turning over information to another power concerning a weapon was so frightening that the only thing I could do was to shove it away as far back in my mind as I could and simply not to think on the matter at all.

To amplify somewhat, what I did experience during the period when I actually had to plan to meet Dr. Fuchs or to transmit what he gave me to

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John, was to simply block out of my mind as well as I could any thought whatever on the subject. I hope, as many people do, that atomic energy would never again be employed as a weapon. I would like to state that so far I succeeded in keeping this whole matter from my thought, that some of the fears I have just stated are more or less recent in the sense that I only recently gave them complete formulation.

I would like now to make as absolute a statement as possible concerning the following:

Neither my mother, father, nor brother ever had the slightest inkling that I was ever engaged in any work of such a nature, either industrial espionage or the latter affair with Dr. Fuchs. This represented a considerable strain to keep concealed from them over so long a period but I did succeed by one means or another and even as of this minute they have not the vaguest idea what went on. The same applied to any people that I have known, and been intimate with, and have worked side by side with, and have been close friends with, over the period of the last fourteen years. This particularly applies to people with whom I worked either in industrial laboratories or more recently, in medical research.

The one possible exception to the above is my former employer and acquaintance, Abraham Brothman, and while I surmised that he suspected that I had given industrial processes to the Soviet Union, still he had not the slightest idea of my work with Dr. Fuchs.

I read the above typewritten statement consisting of five pages and have initialed each page and all corrections thereon inasmuch as all my statements are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

/s/ Harry Gold, 5-22-50

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QUOTE THE ATTORNEY GENERAL J. HOWARD MCGRATH, AND J. EDGAR HOOVER, DIRECTOR OF THE FBI, ANNOUNCED THE ARREST OF HARRY GOLD, THIRTY-NINE, BY FBI AGENTS IN PHILADELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA, TODAY ON CHARGES OF ESPIONAGE.

J. EDGAR HOOVER, DIRECTOR, FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION, IN DISCUSSING THE BACKGROUND OF THE CASE STATED THAT DR. EMIL JULIUS KLAUS FUCHS TURNED OVER SECRETS OF THE ATOMIC BOMB TO HARRY GOLD IN THE UNITED STATES. DR. FUCHS WAS ARRESTED IN ENGLAND ON FEBRUARY TWO, NINETEEN FIFTY, AND CONFESSED TO TURNING OVER HIGHLY RESTRICTED DATA ON THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE ATOMIC BOMB FOR THE USE OF THE SOVIET UNION TO AN UNIDENTIFIED CONTACT IN THE UNITED STATES. FUCHS WAS FIRST IDENTIFIED BY THE FBI AND FULL DETAILS WERE FURNISHED TO BRITISH SECURITY AUTHORITIES TO WHOM FUCHS MADE A FULL CONFESSION.

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HARRY GOLD HAS ADMITTED HIS CONTACTS WITH DR. FUCHS AND HAS GIVEN A DETAILED ACCOUNT OF HIS ACTIVITIES. GOLD WAS USED OVER A PERIOD OF TIME BY THE SOVIET INTELLIGENCE SERVICE AS AN INTERMEDIARY TO MAKE IMPORTANT CONTACTS.

EARLY IN NINETEEN FORTY-FOUR, GOLD FIRST MET DR. FUCHS ON THE EAST SIDE OF NEW YORK. OTHER MEETINGS WERE HELD IN BROOKLYN, THE BRONX, MANHATTAN, AND QUEENS.

GOLD LATER MET FUCHS IN CAMBRIDGE, MASSACHUSETTS, AT WHICH TIME HE RECEIVED BOTH WRITTEN AND ORAL INFORMATION WHICH FUCHS PROVIDED AS A RESULT OF HIS WORK AT LOS ALAMOS, NEW MEXICO.

IN NINETEEN FORTY-FIVE, GOLD AGAIN MET FUCHS IN SANTA FE AND FUCHS TURNED OVER INFORMATION TO GOLD.

THE LAST MEETING GOLD HAD WITH FUCHS OCCURRED IN SEPTEMBER, NINETEEN FORTY-FIVE.

AS AN EXPLANATION FOR HIS ACTIVITIES, GOLD HAS ADVISED FBI AGENTS THAT "I THOUGHT THAT I WOULD BE HELPING A NATION WHOSE FINAL AIMS I APPROVED, ALONG THE ROAD TO INDUSTRIAL STRENGTH. PARTICULARLY WAS I TAKEN WITH THE IDEA THAT WHATEVER I DID WOULD GO TO HELP MAKE LIVING CONDITIONS FAR MORE ADVANCED ALONG THE ROAD AS WE KNOW THEM HERE IN THE UNITED STATES." GOLD ALSO STATED THAT HE "FELT THAT AS AN ALLY I WAS ONLY HELPING THE SOVIET UNION OBTAIN CERTAIN INFORMATION THAT I THOUGHT IT WAS ENTITLED TO."

GOLD WILL BE ARRAIGNED AT PHILADELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA, TODAY, BASED UPON A COMPLAINT FILED BEFORE THE U. S. COMMISSIONER FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK CHARGING VIOLATION OF SECTION THIRTY-FOUR TITLE FIFTY U. S. CODE.

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BACKGROUND

HARRY GOLD

HARRY GOLD WAS BORN ON DECEMBER TWELVE, NINETEEN TEN IN SWITZERLAND. HIS PARENTS WERE BOTH BORN IN RUSSIA. HE CAME TO THE UNITED STATES IN NINETEEN FOURTEEN WITH HIS PARENTS AND CLAIMS DERIVATIVE CITIZENSHIP IN THE UNITED STATES AS A RESULT OF THE NATURALIZATION OF HIS PARENTS AT WHICH TIME THE FAMILY NAME OF GOLODNITSKY WAS CHANGED TO GOLD.

GOLD ATTENDED NIGHT SCHOOL AT THE DREXEL INSTITUTE IN PHILADELPHIA, THE UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA AND COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY WHILE EMPLOYED IN A LABORATORY IN PHILADELPHIA. FROM NINETEEN THIRTY-EIGHT TO NINETEEN FORTY HE ATTENDED XAVIER UNIVERSITY, CINCINNATI, OHIO WHERE HE RECEIVED A BACHELOR OF SCIENCE DEGREE SUMMA CUM LAUDE IN JUNE NINETEEN FORTY.

GOLD WAS ASSOCIATED WITH A NEW YORK LABORATORY FROM NINETEEN FORTY-SIX TO NINETEEN FORTY-EIGHT AND PRIOR TO THAT SPENT CONSIDERABLE TIME IN NEW YORK CITY.

AT THE TIME OF HIS ARREST GOLD WAS ENGAGED IN CHEMICAL RESEARCH IN CONNECTION WITH SERIOUS CARDIAC CASES IN A PHILADELPHIA HOSPITAL.

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BUDENZ VIEWED PICTURE OF HARRY GOLD ON MAY TWENTYTWO

HE RECOGNIZED GOLD AS SOMEONE HE HAD SEEN BEFORE. HE COULD NOT, HOWEVER, RECALL THE TIME OR PLACE OR CIRCUMSTANCES. HE WAS ASKED IF IT COULD HAVE BEEN AT THE DAILY WORKER, AT THE MIDWEST DAILY RECORD, AT SOME BRANCH MEETING, IN CHICAGO, IN PHILADELPHIA, AT A NATIONAL CONVENTION, AT PARTY HEADQUARTERS, IN CONNECTION WITH HIS, BUDENZ ESPIONAGE WORK WITH RICHARDS, ROBERTS, MICHAELS AND JACOB GOLOS.

BUDENZ AT FIRST FELT THAT HE MAY HAVE MET GOLD AT AN ENLARGED NATIONAL COMMITTEE MEETING AND HE FELT FAIRLY CERTAIN THAT HE HAD NOT MET HIM THROUGH JACOB GOLOS. ON MAY TWENTYTHREE HE CALLED SA WILLIAM J.

MC CARTHY, JR. OF THIS OFFICE AND ADVISED THAT HE NOW FEELS THAT HE SAW HARRY GOLD IN THE OFFICE OF JACOB GOLOS ONCE OR TWICE. HE CANNOT PLACE THE TIME, BUT FEELS IT WAS EITHER DURING NINETEEN THIRTYEIGHT DASH THIRTYNINE WHEN HE, BUDENZ, WAS AT THE MIDWEST DAILY RECORD AND WAS WORKING WITH THE SOVIET SECRET POLICE OR DURING NINETEEN

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BUDENZ STATED THAT HE WAS NOT INTRODUCED TO GOLD. BUDENZ BELIEVES THAT GOLD WAS PROBABLY IN AN ADJOINING ROOM TO THE ONE WHERE BUDENZ

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AND GOLOS CONFERRED AND BUDENZ COULD SEE GOLD. BUDENZ WAS OF THE OPINION THAT GOLOS OFFICE CONSISTED OF TWO OR THREE ROOMS. BUDENZ ADDED THAT GOLOS OFFICE WAS LOCATED ABOVE THE GROUND FLOOR OF THE FLATIRON BUILDING, NINE FOUR NINE BROADWAY. THE OFFICE WAS THAT OF WORLD TOURISTS. BUDENZ STATED THAT HE COULD NOT RECALL WHO WAS PRESENT WHEN HE TALKED WITH GOLOS AND SAW GOLD. HE BELIEVED THAT THERE WERE OTHER PEOPLE IN THE OFFICE, SINCE GOLOS HAD A COUPLE OF WOMEN, WHOSE NAMES HE CANNOT RECALL, WORKING FOR HIM. BUDENZ STATED HE SAW MANY PEOPLE IN GOLOS OFFICE AND WAS NEVER INTRODUCED TO ANYONE EXCEPT ROBERTS, WHO WAS CONNECTED WITH THE SOVIET SECRET POLICE AND WAS BUDENZ PRINCIPAL. THIS INTRODUCTION TOOK PLACE AROUND NINETEEN THIRTY-EIGHT AND ONLY ROBERTS, GOLOS AND BUDENZ WERE PRESENT IN THE OFFICE. BUDENZ STILL FEELS THAT HE MAY HAVE SEEN GOLD AT AN ENLARGED NATIONAL COMMITTEE MEETING, BUT HE CANNOT PLACE THE DATE, TIME OR CIRCUMSTANCES. SINCE HARRY GOLD HAS STATED THAT HE FIRST MET JACOB GOLOS IN NINETEEN FORTY, THIS WOULD PRECLUDE BUDENZ HAVING SEEN GOLD PRIOR TO THAT TIME, IF WHAT GOLD SAYS IS TRUE. IT IS ALSO FELT THAT GOLD DOES NOT HAVE SUCH AN UNCOMMON FACE, AND THAT HE COULD BE READILY RECOGNIZED, AND IT MAY BE THAT BUDENZ IS MISTAKING GOLD FOR SOMEONE ELSE.

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TO : MR. D. M. LADD

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Continuing the activity in instant case relative to Harry Gold, SAC Cornelius called from Philadelphia at 8:40 P.M. on May 22 to request that we return some of the photographs of Gold to him inasmuch as all photographs had been sent to the Bureau.

Arrangements have been made to send some of the photographs back.

At 9:10 P.M. Mr. Cornelius advised that the brother of Harry Gold, Joseph, was in the office talking to subject Gold. The two interviewing Agents and an Agent from the Philadelphia Office were in with them. After hearing part of the story, Joseph remarked to his brother, Harry, that the Navy could not possibly keep him in his job now so Joseph would be bound to lose his job. There was a brief discussion about an attorney but neither brother seemed to want one, rather the question was left in the air.

At 11:30 P.M. Mr. Cornelius advised that Joseph Gold had called his father and told him that the FBI wanted to talk to Harry regarding the Brothman Laboratory and that his father should not worry. There was further discussion between the two brothers regarding an attorney. SAC Cornelius and the Agents conducting the interview advised the brothers that they could make no recommendations, that the matter of an attorney was entirely up to them. Harry Gold stated he wanted to make a clean breast of this matter and did not want an attorney to tell him to keep quiet; that the only reason he would want an attorney was to protect his brother and father as they had no part in this matter. Joseph Gold advised he would not contact anyone tonight and requested permission to come back at 2:00 P.M., May 23, to again see Harry Gold. He was advised that he should feel free to come back.

SAC Cornelius advised that Robert Heineman viewed Harry Gold through a two-way mirror and stated that Gold was of the same build and general appearance as the unknown chemist but he could not say whether he was the same individual. Heineman was very nervous. Heineman was taken into the room and he spoke to Gold. Gold said he recognized Heineman. However, Heineman refused to state that he recognized Gold. Heineman is staying in Philadelphia overnight with his attorney and will probably return to Boston on May 23. He is highly nervous and probably will be useless as a witness.

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I requested Mr. Cornelius to furnish us with the background as to various addresses used by Gold on the morning of the 23rd in order that we could eliminate the numerous Gold names in the Bureau files. It is noted that we have several hundred references that we have not been able to identify or eliminate.

Mr. Cornelius was asked to have the Agents interviewing Gold tie him down as to the specific dates, times and places where he received and passed on material. The purpose of this is to enable us to see where the best case can be built up against Gold and we need specific details to determine this, and for the various counts in the possible indictment. I told Mr. Cornelius that an analysis was being made of this question and we would like to have the details on the morning of May 23.

As of midnight Gold was being taken to his hotel at the Benjamin Franklin where a suite has been reserved. Four Agents are staying with him, two of whom will stay awake all night while the two Agents who have conducted the interview will sleep.

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For your information the New York Office under Bureau instructions took all photographs of [REDACTED] car to Philadelphia last night in order that photographs might be displayed to Gold for identification of his superiors.

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SAC Cornelius called Albany and Buffalo last night to get such additional photographs as they might have of subjects, particularly those working in plants and with whom Gold might have dealt as he was active, according to his statement, in the vicinity of Syracuse and Buffalo.

A cable was sent to London furnishing the pertinent parts of Gold's confession to assist in the interview with Fuchs and to clear up any discrepancies between the stories of Fuchs and Gold.

The additional motion picture film and still photographs taken by Philadelphia with Gold's permission are being forwarded through the pilot of an American Overseas Airlines at 3:00 P.M. on the afternoon of May 23, and the plane will be met by Mr. Cimperman at 9:45 A.M. on May 24. This is an excellent film.

HCUA, Army, Navy and State Department files are being checked for any reference to Gold, as are Manhattan Engineering District records.

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On the night of May 22, the New York Office was instructed to carry the ball on interviews with all former espionage agents active during the period of Gold's activities. This would include persons such as ~~Feldman~~ and ~~Sabatini~~. New York was instructed to set out leads for immediate interviews with these people and to include everyone who might be of assistance to us.

This case is being followed very closely.

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Director, FBI

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Enclosed herewith is a preliminary summary of evidence implicating Harry Gold as the recipient of information concerning the Atomic Energy Program of the United States from Dr. Emil Julius Klaus Fuchs for transmission to the Soviet Union. Investigation is presently under way to obtain corroborative evidence. A complete prosecutive summary report will be prepared and furnished to you on receipt. *u*

It is desired to call your attention to the fact that the information set out in the preliminary summary of evidence as being furnished by Fuchs to Dr. Michael W. Perrin, British atomic scientist, is classified Top Secret. *u*

Your attention is also called to the fact that the removal hearing in this matter is scheduled for June 12, 1950. You may want to consider action by the Grand Jury before that time. *u*

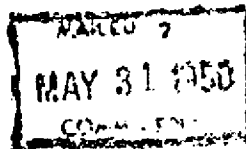
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PRELIMINARY SUMMARY OF EVIDENCE INVOLVING
HARRY GOLD, "JOHN" DOE, AND "SAM" DOE IN
ESPIONAGE ACTIVITIES IN THE UNITED STATES

I. STATEMENT OF THE OFFENSE

Harry Gold admitted in a signed statement given to FBI agents at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania on the morning of May 22, 1950, that he had conspired with Dr. Klaus Fuchs, convicted British atomic scientist, an individual known to him as "Sam", and an individual known to him as "John" to obtain information from Dr. Klaus Fuchs concerning atomic energy development in the United States and to transmit the information to "Sam" or "John", knowing that the information would be used to the advantage of a foreign nation, namely the USSR, and knowing that the information concerning nuclear fission could be utilized in the form of a weapon. *u*

Gold admitted being active in this conspiracy from early 1944 to September, 1945, and receiving information from Fuchs and passing it to "Sam" or "John" on approximately five occasions during this period. *u*

Gold admitted having engaged in industrial espionage on behalf of the USSR from the fall of 1936 to 1945, except for the period from 1938 to 1940 while he attended college in Cincinnati, Ohio. Gold admitted obtaining industrial information from Abraham Brothman and other persons unnamed and passing it on to his Soviet espionage contact "Sam" or to other unnamed Soviet espionage contacts. *u*

(There is attached hereto a copy of the confession of Harry Gold, dated May 22, 1950, at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.) *u*

Federal Statutes Which Are Applicable To The Above Set Out Offense Are:

(Since the violations occurred prior to September 1, 1949, they will be considered under the old statute and section numbers, U. S. Code)

Title 50, Section 32 (a), U. S. Code
(Now Title 18, Section 794, U. S. Code)

"Whoever, with intent or reason to believe that it is to be used to the injury of the United States or to the advantage of a foreign nation, communicates, delivers, or transmits, *u*

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"or attempts to, or aids or induces another to, communicate, deliver, or transmit, to any foreign government, or to any faction or party or military or naval force within a foreign country, whether recognized or unrecognized by the United States, or to any representative, officer, agent, employee, subject, or citizen thereof, either directly or indirectly, any document, writing, code book, signal book, sketch, photograph, photographic negative, blueprint, plan, map, model, note, instrument, appliance, or information relating to the national defense, shall be punished by imprisonment for not more than twenty years: PROVIDED, That whoever shall violate the provisions of this subsection in time of war shall be punished by death or by imprisonment for not more than thirty years." *u*

Title 50, Section 34, U. S. Code
(Now Title 18, Section 794 and Section 2382)

"If two or more persons conspire to violate the provisions of sections 32 or 33 of this title, and one or more of such persons does any act to effect the object of the conspiracy, each of the parties to such conspiracy shall be punished as in said sections provided in the case of the doing of the act the accomplishment of which is the object of such conspiracy. Except as above provided conspiracies to commit offenses under this chapter shall be punished as provided by section 8C of Title 18." *u*

Title 18, Section 551
(Now Title 18, Section 3)

"Whoever, except as otherwise expressly provided by law, being an accessory after the fact to the commission of any offense defined in any law of the United States, shall be imprisoned not exceeding one-half the longest term of imprisonment, or fined not exceeding one-half the largest fine prescribed for the punishment of the principal, or both, if the principal is punishable by both fine and imprisonment; or if the principal is punishable by death, then an accessory shall be imprisoned not more than ten years." *u*

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II. STATUTE OF LIMITATIONS

Title 18, Section 581 (a), U. S. Code
(Now Title 18, Section 3281)

"An indictment for any offense punishable by death may be found at any time without regard to any statute of limitations." *u*

(Since Title 50, Section 32 provides for the death penalty it appears that the Statute of Limitations would not have run.) *u*

III. PROSECUTIVE ACTION ALREADY TAKEN

A complaint was filed by an Agent of the FBI, May 23, 1950, before a United States Commissioner for the Eastern District of New York, at Brooklyn, New York, charging Harry Gold and "John" Doe with conspiracy to commit espionage on behalf of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics in violation of Title 50, Section 32 (a), United States Code. A warrant was issued and Gold was taken before United States District Judge James P. McGranery at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, on the same date, for arraignment. Judge McGranery allowed Gold to read the complaint and he admitted that he was the Harry Gold named in the complaint. Bail was set at \$100,000 and the preliminary hearing was set for June 12, 1950. Gold was not able to meet the bond and was, therefore, remanded to the custody of the United States Marshal. *u*

IV. WITNESSES

1. Appropriate Official, United States Immigration and Naturalization Service, Washington, D. C.

Will testify that Dr. Klaus Fuchs arrived in the United States, December 3, 1943, at Norfolk, Virginia, aboard the H.M.T. Andes, a British naval transport. These records will show that Fuchs was born December 29, 1911, at Kusselsheim, Germany, that he was a British citizen, naturalized on July 30, 1942. This witness can testify that Fuchs left the United States in the latter part of June, 1946, and that Fuchs returned to the United States, November 11, 1947, being readmitted at New York City, and that he departed from the United States again on November 30, 1947. *u*

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2. Appropriate Official, War Department

Will testify that Dr. Klaus Fuchs was associated with the Manhattan Engineering District, United States War Department, during his stay in the United States, and that Fuchs was brought to this country to engage in atomic energy work, and that during his stay here he was so engaged. *u*

3. Appropriate Official, United States Atomic Energy Commission

Can testify that Fuchs had access to top secret information regarding the use of atomic energy of all various atomic processes including the use of nuclear fission, and that the information available to Fuchs could be utilized in the making and the exploding of an atomic bomb. This official can testify that Fuchs was employed by the Atomic Energy Commission at Los Alamos, New Mexico, in the Theoretical Physics Division of the laboratory and resided in Room 17, Dormitory 7-102, and that Fuchs arrived at Los Alamos, August 14, 1944, and departed permanently therefrom, June 16, 1946. *u*

This official can further testify that according to the Atomic Energy Commission records at Los Alamos, New Mexico, Fuchs left Los Alamos, February 11, 1945, on a trip and returned on February 25, 1945. The records reflect that Fuchs could be reached during this trip c/o Mrs. Heineman, 114 Lake View Avenue, Cambridge, Massachusetts, February 13 to February 22, 1945. The records further reflect that on his return to Los Alamos, February 25, 1945, Fuchs stated that there had been no deviation from his previous itinerary. *u*

4. Dr. Emil Julius Klaus Fuchs

Dr. Fuchs, who was convicted of violation of the British Official Secrets Act in London, England, March 1, 1950, in that he had furnished information concerning atomic energy to Soviet agents, is presently confined to prison at Wormwood Scrubbs, England. Fuchs has identified Harry Gold as the person in the United States to whom he furnished atomic secrets in 1944 and 1945. *u*

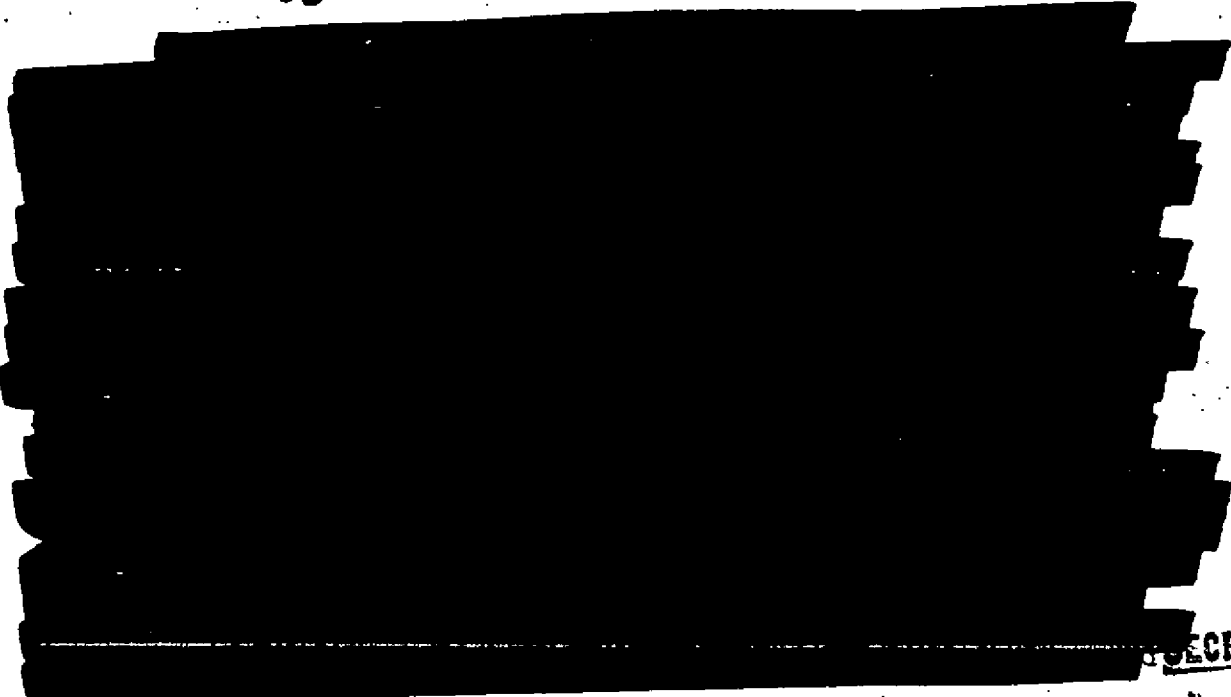
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Fuchs has advised that his first meeting with Gold in the United States was probably about Christmas of 1943, which was one month after his arrival in the United States. This meeting occurred on Henry Street near Market Street on the lower East Side of Manhattan, New York City; that at the first meeting with Gold, Fuchs carried a tennis ball to aid in the identification at this meeting. Gold did not give a name for himself, however, Fuchs told Gold his correct name. According to Fuchs, Gold expressed pleasure in being

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chosen for such an important assignment. Atomic energy and the atomic bomb were mentioned by one of them, probably Fuchs. On this occasion they walked together for about twenty minutes. *u*

With reference to the New York City meetings, other than the first one, Fuchs has been unable to specifically fix them in their chronological order. Fuchs has stated that there were a total of five meetings in New York City, though possibly one or two more. He recalled that meetings occurred on the street at the Queens Borough Bridge which they walked under on First Avenue during the contact. Fuchs recalled another meeting on the street near the entrance to the subway station, "Museum Stop," Independent Subway Line, Central Park West, New York City. Fuchs recalled another meeting which occurred in the Bronx near a theatre, possibly on the Grand Concourse near 159th or 161st Street. He recalled another meeting having been arranged for Brooklyn, possibly near Boro Hall, shortly prior to the time that he left for Los Alamos, but the contact did not show up. Fuchs stated that at some meeting of which he is not sure, he explained to Gold the work of the British Mission assigned to the Manhattan Engineering District in New York, also, the physical and personnel set up concerned with gaseous diffusion and in the Kellogg Company. *u*



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Boston - Cambridge

Massachusetts, Meetings

Fuchs has advised that in 1944, he gave the address of his sister, Kristel Heinsman, to his American contact who was to call at the Heinsman residence to find out when Fuchs would be coming there. He admitted that he met the contact at the Heinsman residence in February, 1945, at which time they discussed questions orally, though not in the presence of Kristel Heinsman. Fuchs maintains that he gave no written information to Gold at his sister's residence. At this meeting Gold and Fuchs made an appointment for another meeting a day or two later on a street in Boston near the river and probably near North Station. With the aid of a map, Fuchs placed this meeting as arranged to take place on Portland Street, below the North Station, Boston, Massachusetts. Fuchs claims that in the interim between the meeting in the Heinsman residence and the appointment to meet in Boston a day or two later, he wrote answers to the questions received orally at the Heinsman home and subsequently kept the second meeting in Boston, at which time he delivered the answers to Gold. Fuchs recalls that he gave Gold about six handwritten pages, including mostly what was known to him concerning explosions; also facts concerning the type of high explosive for compression was considered but not finally decided upon; also the differences between multiple high detonation, on which problem Fuchs was subsequently working. Fuchs states that this report was written in language that a physicist would understand and that he feels sure would not be understood by Gold. Fuchs believes that at either this meeting or the next one he furnished to Gold the dimensions of high explosive. u

Fuchs has advised Mr. Michael E. Perrin, referred to above, that in February, 1945, in Boston, Massachusetts, he wrote a report covering several pages summarizing the whole problem of making an atomic bomb as he then saw it. This report included a statement

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of the special difficulties that would have to be overcome in making a plutonium bomb. Fuchs reported the highly spontaneous fission rate of plutonium and the deduction that a plutonium bomb would have to be detonated by using the emlosion method rather than the relatively simple gun method which could be used with U-235. He also reported that the critical mass for plutonium was less than that for U-235 and that about 5 to 15 kilograms would be necessary for a bomb. At this time the issue was not clear as to whether uniform compression of the core could be better obtained with a highly explosive lens system, or with multiple detonation over the surface of a uniform sphere of high explosives. He reported the current ideas as to the need for an initiator, though these, at the time, were very vague, and it was thought that a constant neutron source might be sufficient. Finally, when he wrote his report in February, 1945, he referred only to the hollow plutonium core for the atomic bomb as he did not then know anything about the possibility of a solid core. U

Santa Fe, New Mexico

First Meeting

Fuchs stated that he met his Soviet contact in Santa Fe, New Mexico in June, 1945. He stated that the meeting was held on a quiet street along the river and subsequently identified the locality as being on the North bank of the Santa Fe River on Alameda Street between Castillo and Delgado Streets. Fuchs picked up Gold in his car, after which they drove across the river, turned down a lane, and stopped at a gate in a deserted spot. Fuchs advised that on this occasion he brought his contact up to date on all information he possessed. He said that at that time he knew about the test explosion scheduled in July, and that he discussed the detonation plans by emlosion. U

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about 50 curies of plutonium. Full details were given of the tamper, the aluminum shell, and of the highly explosive lens system. Fuchs told Gold that the two explosives to be used in the system were "barotol" and "Composition B," though he, himself, did not know the real meaning of this in terms of U. S. Technology. Gold was told that the "Trinity" test was supposed to produce an explosion equivalent to about 10 kilo tons of T-T, and was given details of the date and approximate indication of the site. During the Santa Fe meetings he gave some information on the delta phase of plutonium and probably made some reference to the use of gallium as an alloying constituent. *u*

Fuchs advised that in the June, 1945, meeting at Santa Fe he gave more information to Gold as to the size of the bomb and additional information concerning ignition, including IB calculations, method of calculation and results of the efficiency of calculating such estimates ranging from small percentages to 50 per cent, although, such later Hiroshima tests were about 3 per cent and Nagasaki was about 17 per cent. Fuchs also disclosed that the bomb was intended for use against Japan. *u*

Fuchs advised that his final meeting with his Soviet contact in the United States occurred in Santa Fe, New Mexico some time in the Fall of 1945. He said that at this time he picked up the contact in his own car on a country road outside of town, after which they drove to a lonely road and talked. He identified the place of this meeting as being between Eastington Avenue, just below Kearney Street, from which point they proceeded to Bishop's Lodge Road. He stated that he turned over to the contact information in the form of handwritten or typewritten notes. *u*

During the latter period at Los Alamos, or perhaps some time after his return to the United Kingdom he, Fuchs, had given his contact some general information about the possibility of developing a "mixed" bomb. He particularly emphasized the advantage of this for the United States because they already have both plutonium production pile and isotope separation plants and could make use of both materials. *u*

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5. T. Scott Miller, Jr.

Special Agents, FBI, New York City

6. Richard E. Brennan,

The above-mentioned agents interviewed Harry Gold on the following dates:

May 15, 1950 - This interview was discontinued when it was necessary for Gold to return to the hospital where his job required constant attention. Accordingly, for his convenience, arrangements were made to continue the interview on the evening of May 19, 1950. The interview of Harry Gold was resumed May 19, 1950, at the Philadelphia Office from 6:20 P.M. to 1:15 A.M., May 20, 1950. The interview was resumed May 20 at 6:05 P.M., but was limited inasmuch as Gold was fatigued. On May 21, 1950, Gold was reinterviewed from 3:30 P.M. until 7:20 P.M. On the morning of May 22, 1950, the interview of Gold was resumed and at 10:15 A.M., Gold stated that he had received information from Dr. Fuchs and executed a nine page signed statement with a tenth page added as an addendum, which is attached to this memorandum. *u*

From the interviews conducted and the statement obtained, Special Agents Miller and Brennan can testify to the following information admitted to them by Gold: (For the sake of clarity, the meetings of Gold and Fuchs will be set out according to the locality in which they occurred.) *u*

New York City

First Meeting

Harry Gold advised that his first meeting with Fuchs occurred in New York City on a Saturday afternoon in February or March, 1944. They met on the east side of Manhattan, near a playground, from where they took a cab uptown to a restaurant on 3rd Avenue in the 50's, possibly Manny Wolf's Restaurant. Following the dinner they walked about and completed arrangements for further meetings. No written information was passed at this time, but Fuchs revealed that he was with the British Mission, working with the Manhattan Engineer Project, and told Gold that the British Mission was working on the separation of isotopes. *u*

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Gold believes there was at least implied the eventual utilization of the energy produced by nuclear fission in the form of a weapon. Gold stated there was not a direct reference made by either Fuchs or himself about Fuchs furnishing information to Gold, though this was more or less mutually understood. u

Second Meeting

Gold advised that his second meeting with Fuchs in New York City took place in March or April, 1944, approximately three weeks after the first meeting. According to Gold's recollection it took place in upper Manhattan on the east side and not in the Bronx. Gold stated that the second meeting with Fuchs consisted of amplification of their arrangements for meeting and an oral description by Fuchs of the physical and personnel setup of the Manhattan Engineer Project. No written information was passed at this time and there was still no direct reference made by either of them concerning the supplying of information by Fuchs. u

Third Meeting

Gold advised that the third meeting which occurred in May, 1944, was in New York City though he could not recall in which borough it was held. He said he was given information by Fuchs on this occasion while they were going down a very dark street. This information was in the form of folded sheets of paper containing mathematical equations which seemed to concern mathematical derivations. Gold passed the package of folded papers to "John" about fifteen minutes later at a place within walking distance. He said these meetings with Fuchs and "John" were very short. u

Fourth Meeting

Gold stated that the fourth meeting took place in late June or early July, 1944, in the Bronx, not too far from Fordham University. He stated he met Fuchs near a movie theater on the street and they walked with each other from 3/4ths of an hour to an hour. Gold stated that nothing written was passed on this occasion. u

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Fifth Meeting

Gold stated that the fifth meeting occurred in late July, 1944, at which time he met Fuchs in Queens, Long Island, not far out, not as far as Jackson Heights. He went there by subway. On this occasion Fuchs gave him another package, which Gold believes he opened and saw that it contained what appeared to be mathematical equations. About an hour later Gold gave this package to "John", farther out in Queens. These meetings with Fuchs and "John" were very brief. *u*

Gold advised that there was a meeting scheduled for August, 1944, but Fuchs did not show up. Since Fuchs did not show up for this meeting, Gold believes that he saw "John" about two or three weeks later and had a discussion as to what he should do about contacting Fuchs. "John" furnished Fuchs' address on 77th Street, possibly near Broadway. This meeting with "John" occurred in the neighborhood of Washington Square, Greenwich Village, Manhattan, Island, New York. Gold stated that he went to the address furnished by "John" and noticed the name "Dr. Klaus Fuchs" on the mail box. Gold made inquiry at this address and was informed that Fuchs had left. Gold recontacted "John" on the same day at a meeting place, previously arranged, above Columbia University. Gold stated that he informed "John" of the negative results of his attempted contact with Fuchs and was advised by "John" to "sit tight." *u*

Gold stated that a subsequent meeting was arranged with "John" and Gold was furnished with the address of Mrs. Heineman, Cambridge, Massachusetts, on Lakeview Street or a name similar to that. Gold stated that he felt uneasy over this assignment as the Heinemans were total strangers. Gold stated that "John" told him to get out fast if Robert Heineman was there, but that he was to act naturally with Mrs. Heineman. *u*

Boston - Cambridge, Massachusetts

Gold stated that as a result of instructions from "John", he went to Cambridge in late October or early November, 1944, and presented himself to Mrs. Heineman as a friend of Dr. Fuchs and inquired as to where Klaus could be located. Gold stated that Mrs. Heineman told him that Fuchs had been transferred to the southwest but was expected at her home at Christmas. At this time he left a note for Fuchs and he later told "John" of what had happened. During Christmas week, 1944, probably shortly after Christmas Day, Gold *u*

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returned to Cambridge, Massachusetts and met Fuchs in Fuchs' room in the home of Mrs. Heineman. This meeting between Gold and Fuchs lasted about twenty minutes. Mrs. Heineman was there for a minute or two, according to Gold, but Fuchs suggested that she leave. On this occasion Fuchs told Gold that he was working at Los Alamos, New Mexico, a short distance from Santa Fe. Gold stated that Fuchs gave him written information at this time and that he offered Fuchs approximately \$1500, which Fuchs refused. At this time Gold made a date to see Fuchs at Santa Fe, New Mexico in June, 1945. Gold stated that he immediately returned to New York where he saw "John" on the same day and delivered the information. He could not recall where he met "John" on this occasion. u

Santa Fe, New Mexico

First Meeting

Harry Gold advised that during his vacation in June, 1945, he went to Santa Fe, New Mexico, via Albuquerque, and met Mr. Fuchs. At Santa Fe Fuchs gave Gold another set of data. Gold and Fuchs agreed to meet again in late September of the same year in Santa Fe. Gold returned to New York City with this information and believes he gave the material to "John" in the vicinity of Metropolitan Avenue, far out in Brooklyn. Gold said that he believes "John" took the material and arranged a meeting later that night in Brooklyn. Gold could not recall whether this second meeting was on a corner or at a bar. Gold stated that before he went on this trip to Santa Fe in June, 1945, he met "John" in a bar on 3rd Avenue, somewhere in the 40's, New York City. This meeting occurred a few days before Gold went to Santa Fe. Gold stated that the purpose of this meeting with "John" was, first: to make sure that Gold would go, and second: to make arrangements to meet "John" on Gold's return from Santa Fe. u

Second Meeting

Gold advised that he again met with Fuchs in Santa Fe, New Mexico in September, 1945, at which time Fuchs furnished him with further information. Gold advised that on the occasion of this meeting with Fuchs, Fuchs had a car which he had borrowed and all conversation was carried on in this car. Gold stated that Fuchs told him that he, Fuchs, had been present at the initial large-scale trial of nuclear fission at Alamogordo, New Mexico. Gold believed that Fuchs was actually present with the group or u

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certainly near the group that set off the trial bomb at Alamogordo. Gold stated that he returned from Santa Fe, New Mexico via Chicago, where he stopped at the Palmer House Hotel and registered. Gold stated that he believes he brought the material he received from Fuchs directly to Philadelphia and kept it in his possession for a couple of days before meeting with "John" out beyond Jackson Heights in New York City. Gold turned the material over to "John." Gold stated that no definite arrangements were made with Fuchs at Santa Fe for an additional meeting, and that Fuchs told him that he believed he would return to England shortly. According to Gold, Fuchs stated that he could inquire of Fuchs' sister, Mrs. Heineman, regarding his location. *u*

Gold stated that he had a subsequent meeting with "John" near the St. George Hotel in Brooklyn, New York sometime before the first of the year, 1946. Gold said that "John" was very apprehensive and told Gold that they had to be very careful. Gold stated that "John" made a couple of additional appointments with him, one in Jamaica and the other at the Earle Theater, New York City. *u*

7. Kristel Fuchs Heineman, aka., Mrs. Robert Block Heineman, sister of Dr. Klaus Fuchs, 94 Lakeview Avenue, Cambridge, Massachusetts

According to medical authorities in Cambridge, Massachusetts, Kristel Fuchs Heineman, as of May 25, 1950, was undergoing "shock treatments" and was completely hallucinated. She has also been recently confined as a mental patient in the Westboro Hospital, Westboro, Massachusetts. *u*

On February 2, 1950, Kristel Heineman was interviewed at the Westboro State Hospital, after Agents obtained the permission of the authorities, at which time she admitted that approximately two or three weeks before her brother visited her on February 12, 1945, she was looking out the window at 144 Lakeview Avenue, Cambridge, Massachusetts, and noticed a man walking down the street whom she did not know and was, therefore, surprised when he came to her door and rang the bell. The time was just before noon and she had fixed the date as somewhere between January 20, 1945 and the first day of February, 1945. When she answered the door, the unidentified individual asked her if she were Mrs. Heineman, the sister of Klaus Fuchs. She responded in the affirmative and he introduced himself by name, *u*

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which she does not remember, and he stated he was a chemist who had worked with Fuchs and was anxious to see him. At this time Kristel Heineman's children came home from school for lunch and she invited the man to join them. During the course of the meal the unknown man learned the dates which Fuchs would be visiting her in Cambridge. Mrs. Heineman was under the impression that this man had worked with Fuchs at Los Alamos, but she could form no basis for this recollection. u

Mrs. Heineman stated that on the second day that Fuchs was in Cambridge the same man rang her doorbell. She recalled that the approximate date would be February 14 or 15, 1945. This call was late in the afternoon, Mrs. Heineman basing this on the fact that her children were home from school. The unknown man presented Mrs. Heineman with a then popular work of light fiction, "Mrs. Palmer's Honey." He also brought candy for Mrs. Heineman's children. She stated that prior to the man's arrival she had informed Fuchs of the previous visit of the man, at which time Fuchs appeared to be somewhat annoyed, but did not comment beyond saying, "Oh, it is all right." u

On this second visit of the man he talked to Fuchs for a period of fifteen or twenty minutes in the Heinemans' living room. Mrs. Heineman was present for at least a part of the conversation, but stated that she did not hear any of it. She recalled that she was surprised at the short duration of the visit in view of the fact that it was her belief that the man had travelled a considerable distance to see Fuchs. Mrs. Heineman recalled that a few weeks or months later, possibly April, 1945, the man rang her doorbell for a third time. The man again asked for Fuchs and again stayed for lunch. During this visit the man requested information concerning the next visit of Fuchs to the Heineman home. She responded that she did not know when Fuchs would again visit her. (It is noted that Mrs. Heineman has not specifically identified Gold as the person who visited her; however, she cannot be approached now because of her present condition.) u

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8. Robert Block Heineman
94 Lakeview Avenue
Cambridge, Massachusetts

Robert Heineman has stated that he met the unidentified man who called at the Heineman home on one occasion. He placed this as during the last few days of February or first ten days of March, 1945. Heineman came home from classes at Harvard for lunch and the unidentified man was already in his home. He was introduced to Robert Heineman as a friend of Klaus Fuchs, and as a chemist who worked with Fuchs. For lack of any other information, the two men discussed the weather and the man made reference to the exceedingly heavy snowfall in Buffalo, New York. Robert Heineman was of the impression that the man had arrived by train in Boston from some point outside the city and he believed from his recollection concerning snow in Buffalo that the individual's train had passed through that city. Heineman also had the recollection that sometime during the course of the conversation the City of Philadelphia was mentioned. Heineman stated that the man did not stay long at his home, and he does not recall that anyone else was present except Mrs. Heineman and the three Heineman children. Heineman described this individual as in his late 30's, 5'8" tall, 170 to 175 pounds, stocky, not fat, dark, thin, receding hairline, complexion dark, full face, occupation chemist, wore glasses, married and two children. *u*

Robert Block Heineman and Harry Gold were brought together face to face in the Philadelphia Office of the FBI on the evening of May 22, 1950, at which time Harry Gold recognized Heineman as the individual at whose home he visited in Cambridge, Massachusetts. Robert Heineman could not or would not identify Harry Gold. *u*

9. Konstantin Lafazanos
91 Willie Street
Lowell, Massachusetts

Konstantin Lafazanos, alleged paramour of Kristel Heineman, is reportedly mentally unbalanced. During World War II he was classified 4-F by reason of a medical statement that he was then a psychoneurotic. His reliability as a witness would, therefore, be questionable. *u*

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Konstantin Lafazanov has advised that he can recall a scientist visiting the Heineman home one day at noon approximately February, 1945, and prior to Fuchs' arrival. Lafazanov stated that he had gone to the Heineman home to take care of their children and recalls that a man arrived about 11:00 A.M. looking for Fuchs and stayed for lunch. Lafazanov stated that this individual was not very tall, under 5' 8" and possibly 5' 9", of stocky build, weight about 200 pounds and having a rather round face and giving a Polish or Slavic appearance. Lafazanov had few recollections concerning this person, but it is his impression that the visitor discussed the value of vitamins, and Lafazanov concluded that the scientist was a bacteriologist connected in some way with a New York wholesale grocery manufacturing company. *u*

10. Appropriate Official
Hilton Hotel
Albuquerque, New Mexico

A registration card at the Hilton Hotel reflects that on September 19, 1945, Room #521 was rented to Harry Gold. This card shows the home address of Harry Gold as 5032 Boudinot Avenue, Philadelphia 24, Pennsylvania. On this card is listed the firm name of A. B. A. Laboratories, New York City. *u*

(This card has been forwarded to the FBI Laboratory and will be compared against the known handwriting of subject Harry Gold) *u*

11. Appropriate Official
Palmer House Hotel
Chicago, Illinois

Palmer House registration card #7678 reflects that Harry Gold registered at the Palmer House Hotel September 16, 1945 to September 17, 1945. This card shows Gold's address as 6823 Kindred Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania and that he represented Terry and Leibert. (The FBI Laboratory has identified the handwriting on this card as being identical with that of Harry Gold, subject of this case). *u*

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12. FBI Document Examiner
Federal Bureau of Investigation
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FBI document examiner can testify that the handwriting appearing on aforementioned Palmer House registration card #7678, and Hilton Hotel registration card dated September 19, 1945 at Albuquerque, New Mexico, is identical with the known handwriting of Harry Gold, subject of this case. u

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V. POSSIBLE VENUE

A review of the meetings and activities between Harry Gold and Klaus Fuchs and between Harry Gold and "John" establishes venues in the following judicial districts on the basis of the facts indicated below: (u)

United States District Court, Southern District of New York,
Manhattan, New York

1. First meeting between Gold and Fuchs in February or March, 1944 on East Side of Manhattan. Only oral information furnished. (u)
2. Meeting between Gold and Fuchs in March or April 1944 in upper Manhattan on East Side. Only oral information furnished. (u)
3. Meeting between Gold and Fuchs in June or July 1944 in the Bronx not too far from Fordham University. No written information passed. (u)
4. Meeting between Gold and "John" in neighborhood of Washington Square after Gold lost contact with Fuchs in late July or early August 1944. (u)
5. Visit by Gold to address of Dr. Klaus Fuchs on 77th Street, New York City, in effort to re-establish contact with Fuchs. (u)
6. Meeting between Gold and "John" above Columbia University on same day about August 1944 that inquiry was made at 77th Street address. (u)
7. Meeting between Gold and "John" in June 1945 in a bar on Third Avenue, somewhere in the forties, New York City, for purpose of determining whether Gold did go to Santa Fe, New Mexico to see Fuchs. (u)

United States District Court, Eastern District of New York,
Brooklyn, New York

1. Meeting between Gold and Fuchs in late July 1944 in Queens, Long Island, not as far out as Jackson Heights. Written information was passed. (u)

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2. Meeting between Gold and "John" farther out in Queens about an hour after above meeting with Fuchs for purpose of delivering information received from Fuchs to "John." (u)

3. Meeting between Gold and "John" in June 1945 in the vicinity of Metropolitan Avenue, far out in Brooklyn for the purpose of delivering information received from Fuchs at Santa Fe, New Mexico to "John." (u)

4. Meeting between Gold and "John" in Brooklyn the night of the same day that the last mentioned meeting occurred. (u)

5. Meeting between Gold and "John" on Long Island out beyond Jackson Heights in September 1945 at which Gold turned over to "John" the information he had received from Fuchs in Santa Fe, New Mexico that same month. (u)

6. Meeting between Gold and "John" near St. George Hotel in Brooklyn in early 1946 after making one or two unsuccessful attempts to recontact Fuchs through Kristel Heineman, after the September 1945 meeting with Fuchs in Santa Fe, New Mexico. (u)

United States District Court, District of Massachusetts,
Boston, Massachusetts

1. Meeting between Gold and Fuchs shortly after Christmas 1944 or early 1945 at the home of Kristel Heineman, Cambridge. Gold stated that written information was passed to him at this meeting but Fuchs stated that he was merely given oral questions at the Heineman residence, the answers to which he furnished in writing a day or two later in a meeting on Portland Street below the North Station, Boston, Massachusetts. (u)

United States District Court, District of New Mexico,
Santa Fe, New Mexico

1. Meeting between Harry Gold and Klaus Fuchs in June 1945 at or in the vicinity of Santa Fe, New Mexico. Written information was passed. (u)

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2. Meeting between Harrold and Fuchs in September 1945 at or in the vicinity of Santa Fe, New Mexico. Written information was passed at this meeting. *u*

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