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JULIUS and ETHEL ROSEBERG and MARTIN SOBEL were convicted of conspiracy to commit espionage on behalf of the Soviet Union. The ROSEBERGS were executed at Sing Sing Prison, Ossining, New York, on June 19, 1953.

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T-2 reported that on July 11, 1942, the subject admitted to membership in the Teachers (high school) Union.

#### Teachers Union

"The Teachers Union is purely a Communist front group and is not a labor union in any sense of the word. It was organized to promote the ideology and goal of Communism in the United States."

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T-2 provided information that in January 1942, the subject listed one WALTER HIRSH, 100 Lefferts Avenue, Brooklyn, New York, a teacher, as a personal Jeference he had known for tell years. Informant reported that WALTER HIRSH in 1942 was a member of the Teachers Union.

the direction of Doctor & B. BRODE at Los Alemos, New Mexico, Trom about August 1944 until April 1946.

Doctor EMIL KLAUS FUCHS was at Los Alamos,

Hew Mexico, between 1944 and 1946. He is presently incarcerated
in England, serving a fourteen-year term for betraying
Atomic secrets to Russia.

BERNICE H. BRODE, nee BIDWELL, was employed at the Soviet Embassy at Mashington, D. C. on an hourly basis as a tutor in English and her students consisted of four persons in the Maval Attache's Office. Also that MRS. BRODE'S employer had known of the fact that MRS. BRODE'S husband was a scientist, and that when she left Washington, D. C., she was destined to work at the Los Alamos, New Mexico, Scientific Laboratory, which was then associated with the Mambattan Engineering District.

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MY 105-1197 Almfarment continues 1(5) FRANCE It should be noted here that EMIL JULIUS WCHS, self-confessed and convicted Soviet agent in England, furnished information to the effect that for the purpose of an alternate espionage contact, he had been supplied with the name of Mr. SUKHONLIN of 2 Rue Adolphe Bartholdi, Paris, France. This occurred after FUCHS had returned to the United Kingdom from the United States. In above respect, it is to be noted that Confidential Informant T-2, of known reliability, advised in 1950 that 吃

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Assistant Chief of Staff Semeral Staff, WA Department of the Army Washington 36, D.C.

Reference is made to previous correspondence from sonoarning Dr. Engelbert BRODA, Vienness scientist.

I. The attrohod letter was prepared by the Technical Intelligence Section of this office for transmittal through normal goutine shannels, Morever, inarmed as Dr. BRODA has been the subject of WADACHE Type reports in the past, it was decided to forward this report through this channel.

The attached report was propared for the most wart by Mrs. BROCK, Department of Army sivilian employee who has just recently feturated to the United States with her husband. Mrs. BROCK and Clayd BARBED worked together in the same section and were believed to be quite eless friends until shortly before EARBER departed this theater. In retent conversations between MARDY and BARBER, BARBER made a few disparaging generals concerning Mrs. BROCK and it is assumed that any friendship between the two has been broken off.

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FRODA is an idealistic Communist the was associated with the Soviet espionage acrise prior to 1858 when he fled to England and there ecutioned his activity for Soviet Intelligence. Following the war, he returned to Vienna and succeeded in obtaining his position at the University of Vienna where, for the benefit of the Soviets, ERODA has organized an information network with tentacles which reach into every department of the Chemistry Institute." (Evaluation G-5)

2. In June 1950, source I stated that it was his belief that MADE

Pis the key man in the transmission of secret atomic data from the United States, Gameda and Great Britain to the Soviets. The channels of transmission are, in general, from the United States, Gameda and Great Britain the material is taken to Dublin, from Dublin to Paris, from Faris to Vienna, then to the Soviets,

Professor JANOSI who teaches at the University of Dublia, Freland is a very important link in the chain which forwards Western atomic secrets to the Soviets. EANOSSY's main line of research is commic rediction. He is considered a good nuclear physicist. JANOSSY is a rebid Communist.

Alaborating on the subject of Communist scientists, this source declared that

"Communists scientists throughout the world work hand in hand ead exchange data and information constantly, even receiving information from colleagues behind the Iron Curtain." Source believes that "Professor FEATHER (fru) a close friend of BRODA at the Cavencish Laboratories was also a Communist. BRODA and FEATHER are still good friends" and source believes "that they continue to exchange scientific date whenever possible."

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- (d) In reply to a direct question concerning a possible connection between BRODA and Dr. Klaus TRUE, this source stated that he believed that BROWN had not and knew FUGES through his friend Dr. Fierra in Angland. Hopever, source was not positive concerning this assertion.
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فت . The Sevicts are supporting these estivities with large contributions of money. A short time ago, the Soviets gave BRODA 80,000 schillings for a sumposition on the extent of atomic research in Austria. At that time, the Seviets reportedly asked BRODA to travel to Mossow where he would work with Soviet scientists.

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Information concerning data obtained from the mail cover on the subject's mail during December 1951 is set out in this communication so that the Bureau, if felt desirable.

Concerning ROGER W. BEHNKE, Exeter, New Hampshire, and VERNON DUKE, Burbank, California, the Boston and Los Angeles Offices are requested to search the indices of their respective offices and furnish any identifiable information concerning these individuals to the New York Office.

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Further, EMIL JULIUS KLAUS WUCHS advised in 1948 he was given the

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Confidential Informant T-10, another government agoncy which conducts personnel and security investigations, advised in 1945 that SOUKHOMLINE was allogedly an agent of the Soviet Government, that he was active in behalf of the Soviet ideals, and that he relayed his reports and confidential information from Paris to Moscow where it was quite helpful to the Soviets. SOUKHOMLINE remained in Paris until 1941 when he went to the United States,

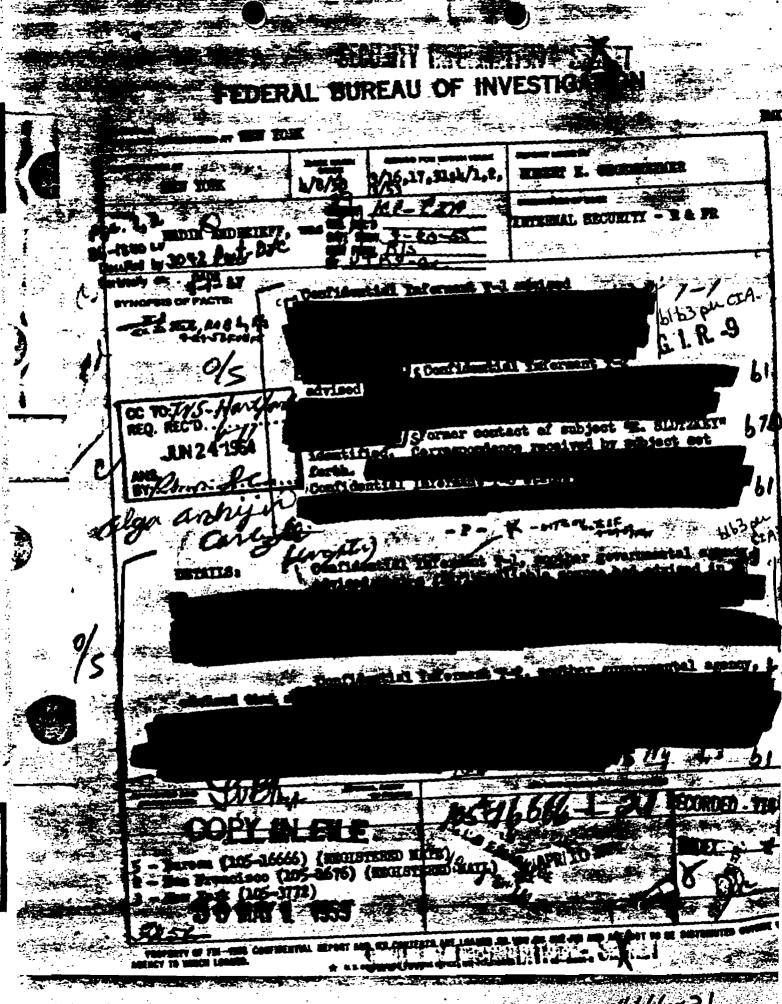
EMIL JULIUS KLAUSAFUCHS, self-confessed and convicted Soviet Agent in England, when interviewed in London, England in May and June, 1950 by Assistant Director HUGH H. CLEGG and S. ROBERT J. LAMPHERE, advised as follows:

In July, 1946 he returned to England from the United States. In 1948, from an unrecalled espionage contact, it was suggested to him that he contact an individual by the name of SUKHONLIN at 2 Rue Adolphe Bartholdi in Paris, France, relative to Espionage activities. FUCHS was told that this individual would be able to place him in contact with someone who would be able more fully to understand scientific terms. FUCHS said that he never established contact with SUKHONLIN in view of the restrictions placed on sterling for use in foreign travel at that time.

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ninà fubinstein SECURITY MATTER - (100-450)

The Security Officer of the American Embassy, London, England, has recently made security checks on Subject MINA RUBINSTEIN, who has applied for employment with the Department of State in the capacity of interpreter. She is described as being a naturalized American citizen who was born on July 2, 1908, in Berlin, Germany. Since November, 1947, she has been employed in the United States and Mexico as an interpreter and from August, 1950 to September, 1951, she was employed in Europe in a similar capacity. She was interviewed by the Security Division of the Department of State in New York City on June 23, 1952. However, the results of this interrogation are not known to the Security Officer of the Embassy in London.

In connection with the security check made by the Security Officer in London, information was obtained from

The above is being furnished the Bureau for its information. It is suggested that further details be obtained from the Department of State.

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On January 12, 1949, two Soviet flyers, ANATOLY PORFIREVICE BARSOV and PIOTR AFANASNIEVIC PIRGOV, who deserted from the Red Army in 1948, arrived in the United

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on September 20, 1948, T-34, who has fum lahed reliable information in the past, reported that one B. DAVIDSON, 40 Abbey Gardens, St. Johns Woods, London NW, England, was on a distribution list for publications of JURGEN KUCZYNSKI.

In connection with JURGEN EUCZYNSKI, the following is being furnished:

During the course of interviews in May and June of 1950 by Assistant Director HUGH H. CLEGG, and SA ROBERT J. LAMPHERE of EMIL JULIUS KLAUS FUCHS who was convicted in London, England for furnishing the Soviet Union with atomic energy information, FUCHS stated that during the period he was in England from September, 1933 until sometime in 1941, he was aware that an Underground Section of the German CP was operating in England. FUCHS stated he was considered a member of this section of the German CP and that he was aware that JURGEN KUCZYNSKI was regarded as the head there during this period.

In May, 1941, when he accepted employment as a scientist of atomic energy research, he decided to furnish information regarding this research to the Soviet Union and in order to carry out this plan in the latter part of 1941, he made contact with KUCZYNSKI. FUCHS stated that he had previously been in contact with KUCZYNSKI and knew of his contacts in refugee circles abroad with German Communists.

At the time of the contact with KUCZYNSKI, FUCHS advised him of his desire to furnish information to the Soviet Union and KUCZYNSKI subsequently arranged a clandestine contact with an individual known to FUCHS at the time by the name of ALEXANDER.

FUCHS has since identified ALEXANDER as SIMON DAVIDOVITOR KREMER who, in 1942, was the secretary of the Military Attache staff of the Soviet Embassy.

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·N	Originator requested investigation to esta Secret information. Reference (a) and enclos as advocates of Marxism, who had experienced a one year residence in the USSR; alluded to Attache, Boviet Embassy, Stockholm, Sweden, a Poland in 1956-1961. Reference (b) requested SUBJECT's former professional associated a sworn statement, enclosure (1), identificated a sworn statement, enclosure (1), identificated during a conversation and argument betwee Colorado, while attending a meeting of the Amarconsidered SUBJECT unsuitable for acceptance interviewed 26 August 1966, disclaiming SUBJECT's pro-Communist leanings; however from what she considered a reliable source, a suitable for access to Secret information. Such that the test is letters, written by SUBJECT to form a cent six letters, written by SUBJECT to form interim 1957 to 1961, which are forwarded as pondence, SUBJECT alludes to a Russian friend Poland; his professional and social contact we parative statements in alluding to social, so the United States and Russia.  NISO-New Orleans files contain no information of the United States and Russia.	sures thereto, identi- bitter disappointment SUBJECT's association and his professional dinterview of ciates, 1954-1957, in Louisiana, interview tifying SUBJECT with een SUBJECT and merican Association of the stated that based she mer associates at Housenclosures (2) through i "Mikhail"; professionth Klaus TUCHS in Statestific and politic	ty SUBJECT and his wife t with Communism during n with Mikhail K. SHADRIN visits to Russia and and Houston, Texas. wed 26 August 1966, exc- pro-Communist statement in 1961, in Denver, if Petroleum Geologists. ation. tual information concern on hearsay information, ould not consider SUBJECT d to subwit a sworn state eleased to the reporting ston, Texas, during the gh (7). In this corres- onal trips to Russia and weden, and makes com-

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statement because of the hearsay nature of her information.

volunteered, however, that she had a number of letters which SUBJECT had written to her and to others in the Shell Oil Co. Office in Houston, during the interim 1957-60; further volunteering to release the letters to reporting agent, pointing out that in some of the letters, SUBJECT draws comparisons between conditions in Russia, Sweden and the United States, and in addition, partially identifies one of his Russian acquaintances. It should be further noted that in cannabalizing the stamps from the letters, the postmarks in most instances have been obliterated; that likewise SUBJECT had not included the year in the date on the letter proper; however, Informant, who released the letters, advised they were all forwarded between approximately 1957 and 1960. These letters are forwarded as enclosure (2) through (7). What appears to be the most pertinent parts of these letters are appropriately identified on the originals and generally allude to the following matters of interest:

- a. On pages 14 through 17, of enclosure (2), SUBJECT alludes to the integration problems in Little Rock, Arkansas; the Supreme Court decision as the first big step in the eventual liberation of the American Negro; describes the Swedish response to the problem; further alludes to the news media in Sweden, presenting only one aspect of the overall problem to the Swedish people (page 14); refers to the extremism of a then current CHAPLIN movie in critical terms (page 15); attempts to analyze the American response to the first Russian Sputnik, comparing it to the "rather philosophical views of the Swedish people", (page 16); and downgrades Jane MANSFIELD as inferior American representation in Sweden (pages 16 and 17). The remainder of enclosure (2) appears to contain casual reference to professional activities and general living conditions in Stockholm, Sweden.
- b. In enclosure (3) SUBJECT refers to his Russian friend, "Mike" or "MIKHAIL" and "MIKHAIL'S" wife. (MIKHAIL appears to be identical with Mikhail Konstantinovich SHADRIN, identified in enclosure (1) of reference (a).)
- c. In enclosure (4) SUBJECT refers to a possible trip to Russia of a professional nature and to involve the exchange of micropaleontology material, provided finances are evailable.
- d. In enclosure (5), dated 17 September 1958, SUBJECT alludes to the excellent quality of a course in Russian language, which he was taking at the Russian Institute in Stockholm, Sweden. (Enclosure (1) of reference (a) contains comments concerning SUBJECT's fluent capabilities in writing and speaking Russian.)
- e. In enclosure (6), SUBJECT describes the rough tattics of the Canadians during Canadian/Swedish hockey games in Stockholm, Sweden, and by contrast refers to the Russian players as "paragons of virtue", who reaped tremendous propaganda successes with their conduct. SUBJECT further indicates that "any thinking individual knows the difference and the relative value of a small sports tourney in terms of world politics, but unfortunately its the little man on the street that is most affected by these things and seizes upon just such things and remembers them in the long run".
- f. In enclosure (7), SUBJECT identifies two acquaintances and friends as "Lars" and "Mikhail", referring to "Mikhail" as Russian Cultural Affairs Attache, Stockholm,

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Sweden, and their discussions centering around politics, economics and philosophy.

SUBJECT also refers to professional contact with Dr. Klaus FUCHS and indicates that

FUCHS lived with him (SUBJECT) during a visit by FUCHS to Sweden from Germany.

#### NISO-NEW ORLEANS FILE INFORMATION

6. Files of MISO-New Orleans, Louisiana contain no information pertinent to thic investigation not reported.

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7. MISRA-Lubbock, Texas is requested to interview SUBJECT's reference, Professor G. W. MURRAY, formerly with Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, currently reported to be President Elect of Texas Tech, Lubbock, Texas.

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The information contained in the Naval Intelligence reports which were submitted as a result of recent investigation by that agency, as well as the letters which were furnished to Naval Intelligence by in Houston, Texas, which was correspondence between the subject and herself as well as other individuals, have been reviewed in detail.

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The letters which were furnished by mentioned the fact that the subject had met MIKHAIL K. SHADRIN Cultural Officer of the Soviet Embassy in Sweden, and details concerning their meeting. In addition, these letters contain references to trips to the Soviet Union to conduct scientific surveys and the fact that he had met a Klaus Fuchs, who was friend of a Dr. WILSON of Shell Oil Company in Texas.

However, it is felt that the Bureau has resolved this situation by noting that the correspondence concerning KLAUS FUCHS occurred on 8/2/58 at a time while FUCHS was still in an English prison.

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The ONI reports contained interviews in which certain individuals do not recommend the individual for a position of trust in the Government for such reasons as they considered him too much of an intellectual, a non-conformist, that they did not like his wife, he was found sleeping on a job, he used office photostat equipment for personal use, personal dislike, etc. One individual did advise in a signed statement that he would not recommend the subject as the result of an argument that they had in 1961, at which time the subject allegedly made statements concerning the Berlin Wall being constructed to keep the criminals from coming from the West sector of Berlin into the East sector, and stated that people who did escape from East Berlin were only the lazy, useless ones, and that the whole economy in the United States was based on a war economy, etc.

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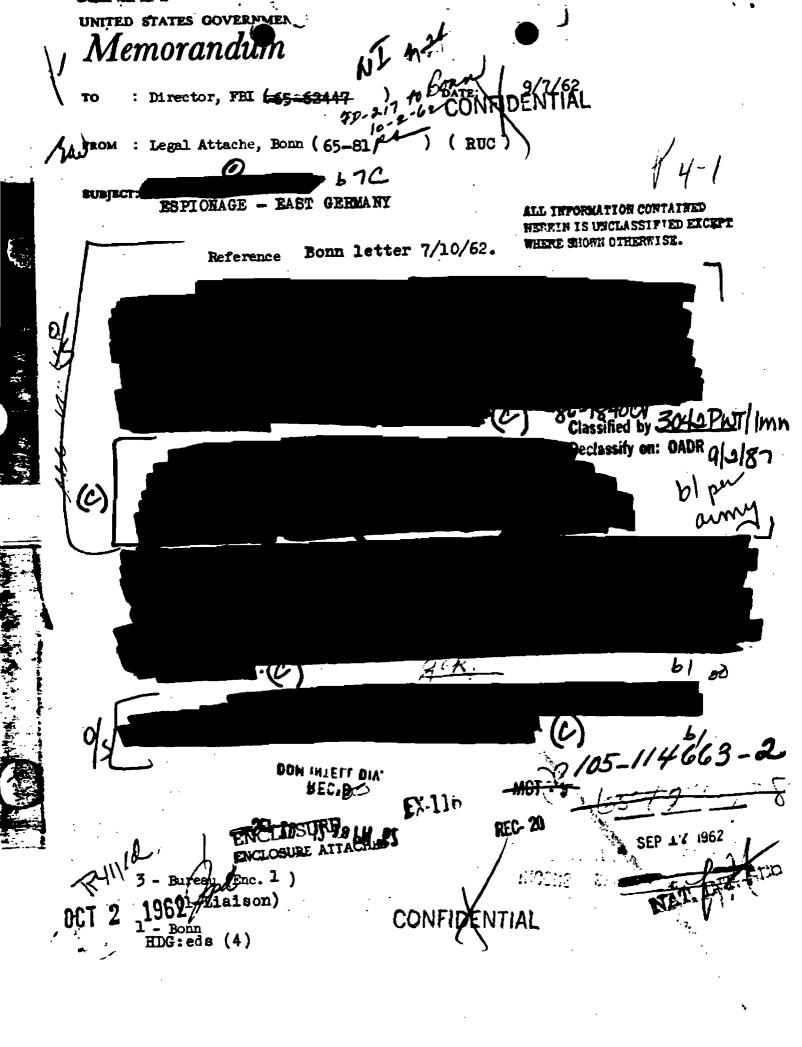
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Liaison Agent Fitzgerald on 1/12/67 that it had no objection
to this approach and should desire to know the origin
of the information regarding Fuchs, the Bureau was authorized
to advise him that this information had been received from
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omic energy comm Washington 23. June 30, 1965 William O. Crega Federal Bureau of Investigation Forwarded herewith for your information is a report prepared by the Division of Intelligence, USAEC which summarizes the information obtained during the debriefing of East German nuclear physicist. Reinz Berwich. Charles H. Reichardt Director of Intelligence Encl:~ Barwich Rpt (Secret) 15 JUL 45 1965 "ENCL BEHIND FILE" Then asparated from enclosures, Landle this document DOCUMENT TRANSMITTED HEREWITH CONTAINS CLASSIFIED (laserl proper classification)

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#### VIII. CLASSIFIED AND UNCLASSIFIED US INFORMATION AIDS SOVIET PROGRAM

There were several areas where both classified and unclassified information obtained from the US assisted the Soviet program.

American barrier.

Barwich thinks it might have been the basis for Thiessen's development, assuming Thiessen was also shown the barrier. This occurred probably in 1947—Barwich did not see the pièce of barrier.

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- c) Barwich did not hear of Klaus Fuchs until about 1950 when the story broke in the newspapers.
- d) The Soviets became aware that corrosion would be a great problem through a small American brochure entitled "Will Russia".
- e) An U.S. article in <u>Chemical Engineering</u> published around 1946 suggested answers that were later used to solve corrosion and plant control problems.

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did not recall the exact cost of this pressure vessel development, but it was catastrophic in magnitude, and generated many political arguments pro and con which delayed its construction. Consequently, the plant slipped from the first proposed 1964 completion date until 1957 when the station was expected to become operational. The testing on the model vessel had not yet been conducted but was to be started in the near future.

During the third day, A. I. Leypunskiy presented the Soviet paper on fast reactors, reporting on the BR-5, its fuel elements, and the high degree of burnout that has been achieved working with oxide and ceramic materials. Barwich asked Leypunskiy during the discussions whether or not the Soviets were going to utilize a two-zone fast reactor - Leypunskiy replied that this was planned for the future and that the fast reactor currently was too complicated to even consider a two-zone core. Klaus Fuchs, then the Deputy Director of Rosendorf, presented the idea of using a fast reactor fueled with a slurry of uranium and liquid sodium or potassium. In Fuch's proposal the fuel would spiral inward toward the center of the reactor permitting a continuous flow of fuel, and when the fuel reached the center of the reactor it would have a burnout of about 60 percent. The prime problem with this reactor was calculating the flux distribution which would be dependent upon the production of plutonium. The production of plutonium was dependent upon the speed at which the slurry moved through the reactor, the power density and the length of path. The Fuch's reactor was to be based upon uranium powder that was in a tear drop shape formed by a plasma arc. This uranium powder was then mixed with liquid sodium or

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centered sround the formation of fission was bubbles which would create would in the slurry and change the power density of the reactor. The formation and removal of poisonous fission products was wise of considerable concern. Consequently, the main advantage of a clurry type reactor, that is the utilization of natural uranium to complete burnout without processing, was not really attained.

The results of the April conference were that before atomic power could be developed in the satellite countries, the USSR must know what proposals would be acceptable to the satellites so that the USSR would be able to determine how much uranium would have to be directed toward these programs. It was quite evident that the USSR was against nuclear power capability being developed by the SEV and that the PWR reactors would be continued until 1980.

On the basis of this, East Germany prepared an overall long term
plan for the production of nuclear power. It was first determined that
East Germany would need 2,000 megawatts electrical of nuclear power by 1980
and 20,000 megawatts electrical by 1990. The first section of Rheinsberg
was to produce 70 megawatts electrical, and a second unit was proposed to
produce twice that or 150 to 200 megawatts electrical, and to obviate
spending any funds on its development, the Germans wanted to buy the pressure
wessel directly from the West. Finally it was proposed that two nuclear power
stations, each containing two 500 megawatts electrical reactors would be
constructed. All of these reactors were to utilize 24 percent enriched fuel.

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### FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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Chicago T-1 advised

It is recalled that Klaus Fuchs, an English Physicist, was convicted for violation of the Official Secrets Act in England and sentenced to 14 years in prison for involvement with espionage activities. Klaus Fuchs was released from prison in June, 1959, and left for East Germany where he reportedly is engaged in conducting nuclear research.

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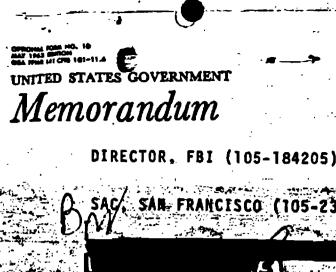
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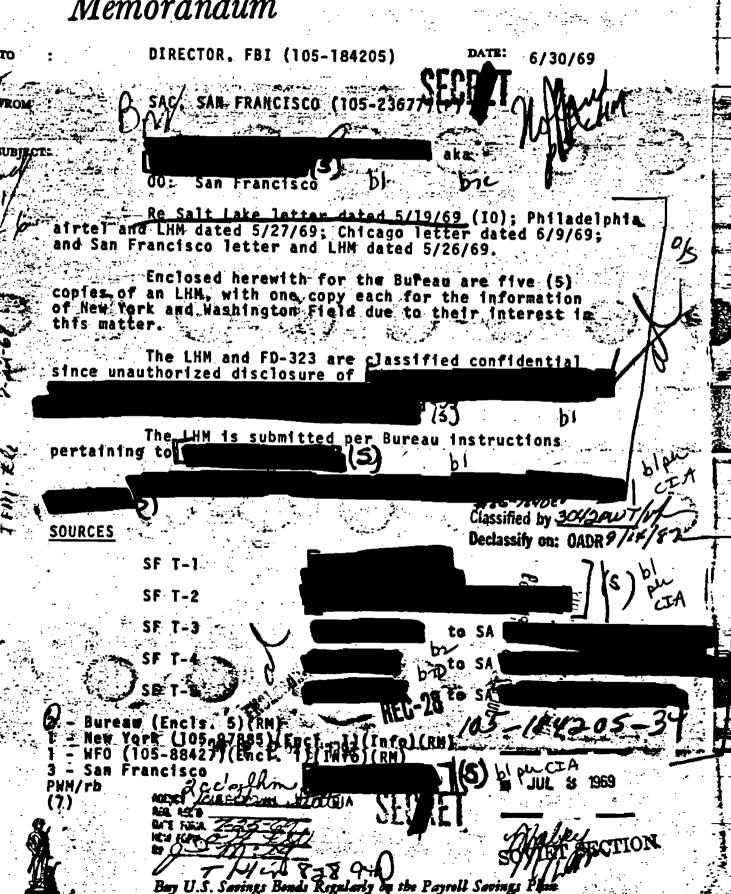
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Honorable J. Edgar Hoover, Mirector Federal Bureau of Investigation United States Bepartment of Justice Mahington 25, D. C.

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A TOMIC ENERGY "Q" INVESTIGATION

Dear Sir:

ari Force info declar per letter atte 4-1882 for 9-29-89

Reference is made to the investigation of subject individual which has been conducted by your Agency under File No. 116-2713, captioned ATOMIC EMERCY ACT - EMPLOYEE and SECURITY WATTER - C.

After consideration of this case in implementation of Executive Order 18450, the Air Force Central Security Board concluded that additional information, as indicated below, will be necessary before a deciaion can be made: 'e | | c / -

The Report of Special Agent Joe R. Craig, dated 1 September licates that the bas a sister. has a sister, 1950, indicates that employed at the U.S. Hungarian Legation from 2/ September 1948 until 23 June 1950. Information is requested as to her present whereabouts and activities.

b. The Report of Special Agent Joe R. Craig, dated 1 September 1950, indicates that was frequently and extensively absent from George Washington University, Washington, D. C., on lecture tours and scientific conferences. If practicable, the Board would appreciate information as to the exact dates on which was absent from George Washington University and the specific purposes for which such absences occured, as well as any activities in which he may have engaged \( \). during such period of absences, with a view toward determining whether or not such absences may have coincided with the schedules of the Workers' School in New York, New York, which listed one an instructor.

c. The Board desires information as to whether registered with the Selective Service System; and if so, where and when, and if the residence addresses furnished by him to his Local Board correspond to the addresses reported in the attached file. ...

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B/L to FHI, subject:

ATOMIC ENERGY "Q" INVESTIGATION

1j. The Board would appreciate being advised as to whether or not there is any background information that would indicate whether or not there was my ill-will between Confidential Informant Los Angeles T-1 concerning the statement of (Report of Special Agent Cilber G. Robinson, dated 18 August 1950).

ik. The Report of Special Agent Robert B. Herrington, dated 31 January 1949, indicates that in Hungary in 1936. Records of the Immigration and Naturalisation

Service indicate that \_\_\_\_\_ arrived in New York, New York, on 24 September 1935 and apparently remained in this country until 1948. The Board desires to know if this apparent discrepancy may be reconciled.

11. The Board would appreciate advice as to whether or not there is any information emanating from Dr. Roil Julius Claus Fuchs concerning (Report of Special Agent the relationship between him and Mark J. Lawless, dated 20 September 1950). Information would also be appreciated concerning the association of Irs. Fuchs and others in London during presence there.

It would be appreciated if the additional investigation, specified above, would be conducted by your Agency and that its development be afforded early attention.

Sincerely.

L. WELCH

Acting Asst Chief, Counter Intel Div Office of Special Investigations The Inspector General

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DIRE TR. FBI (116-9669) DATE: 11/7/55 SAC, NEW YORK (116-1729) 00474 MARSHAK - OR - 16736 - WY ROBERT E AEAE (REFER ESPIONAGE) Remylet, 9/20/55. On 10/3,17,18/55, ALVIN F. RYAM, Assistant Chief, Personnel Clearance Branch, Security Division, US Atomic Energy Commission (AEC); New York City, made available the subject's security file to SA JOHN J. DANARY. The file reflected that the subject received a formal hearing before a Personnel Security Hearing Board of the AEC on 5/19/55 and 6/3/55. The hearing board was composed of EVERETT M. SCHERER, Chairman, and Dr. ELEAZER BROMBERG and LAWRENCE BURMAN, members. A Mr. JACOB GITELMAN, Esquire, 39 State Asreet, Rochester 4, New York, appeared as attorney for ROBERT HARSHAK. The following summary of the hearing was prepared from the transcript by SA DANAHY: Rabbi PHILIP S. BERNSTEIN, 117 Gibbs Street, Rochester, New York, testified that he was an ordained rabbi assigned to Temple B'rith Kodesh in Rochester and was a former president of the Central Conference of American Rabbis: that he directed the Jewish Chaplains Program for the armed forces in World War II, and that he was later an advisor on Jewish affairs to US Army commanders in Europe in 1946-1947; that he is now vice president of the American-Jewish Congress. " He testified that he knew the subject and the latter's wife, RUTH; that he had known her since she was a child when she was a member of the congregation and has taught Sunday school; that Mr. and Mrs. MARSHAK met at a young people's affair at the temple, and that he has known MARSHAK since this occasion in 1942; further that MARSHAK joined the temple in 1947 and that he believes that he knows him very well. RECORDED - 81 116-9669-85 RM INDEXED - 81 1 - Buffalo (116-311) (Info) EXM 18 TO NOV 10 1955 JJD:kid

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On cross-examination, he testified that at Los Alamos there were many persons who were as close, or closer, to KLAUS FUCHS as MARSHAK. He named a Mr. and Mrs. PEIERLS, who had come from England and had known FUCHS for many years, and Mr. and Mrs. DEUTSCH, and a Doctor TELLER, "of H-bomb fame," as being in this category. He stated there was nothing unusual about MARSHAK'S relationship with EUCHS, nor did it exceed that of the others.

He stated that he did not believe that MARSHAK'S letters to BRUNO PONTECOREO went beyond the limits of an ordinary offer to induce PONTECOREO to join the faculty of the University of Rochester since PONTECOREO'S services were in great demand at that time.

He testified that he believed that Dr. RDWARD U. CONDON, formerly of the United States Bureau of Standards, had been falsely accused.

He testified that he was a member of the Federation of American Scientists, but that he was not a member, nor did he attend meetings, of the Independent Citizens Committee of Arts, Sciences and Professions (ICCASP).

He stated that he did not recall discussing the ROSENBERG case with MARSHAK, but did recall a discussion with Dr. ROSSI, the purpose of which was to discuss ways of seeking clemency or a retrial; further that he found out that MARSHAK had sent a telegram to the President of the United States urging clemency several months after the fact; that MARSHAK had mentioned that one of the causes of his clearance trouble might be this telegram.

He testified that he recalled DAVID HAWKINS as a soldier assigned to the Los Alamos Technical Detail and that he knows that HAWKINS has since admitted CP memberahap prior to his Los Alamos assignment. He stated that he believed HAWKINS to be an extremely nice young man.

AEC; that he went to Admiral GINGRICH, then security officer of the AEC, that the latter brought out some information which he read; that he suggested to Edmiral GINGRICH that he call other people who knew MARSHAK at Los Alamos, that the Admiral did this and decided it was all right to issue the passport.

Concerning the situation at Los Alamos, he stated that although two Communist spies were found to be operating there, he did not feel that there was a Communist clique spying there.

He recalled that MARSHAK took with him to Europe a report of President TRUMAN'S commission to study civil rights and that it was useful in counter-acting Communist propagands.

He stated that he believed that MARSHAK has always opposed efforts of "fellow travelers" such as MELBA PHILLIPS, from influencing policies of the FAS. He recommended security clearance and stated that he believed MARSHAK was opposed to Communism.

RUTH GUT MARSHAK, wife of the subject, testified she resided at 1592 Highland Avenue, Rochester, New York. She testified that she had been active in religious groups, that she parried the subject on April 18, 1943; that she met BRUNC PONTECORYO at a Sunday Afternoon tea party in Montreal. She testified that her name and that of her husband probably appeared in PONTECORYO'S address book because she had the habit of sending Christmas cards to acquaintances.

She stated that she met FUCHS at Los Alamos, that he was very shy and polite, and that she never heard him discuss politics; that she saw him once at a later date in Rochester when he was on his way to Chicago. She and her husband had a hurried dinner with him and then drove him to the train. She stated that their talk was purely social and denied that she recalled seeing FUCHS with Dr. BETHE and MARSHAK in Schenectady as previously testified by BETHE.

Concerning BEATRICE MARSHAK, the subject's sister, she stated she has not seen much of her since she is married and resides in California.

Concerning RUTH MARSHAK, a sister of the subject, she stated that she is single and unhappy with emotional problems.

She stated that prior to the receipt of her husband's letter from the AEC on 4/19/55, she never knew that any of these relatives were associated with various subversive organizations and that she never knew HARRY and ROSE MARSHAK had registered with the ALP.

She stated that her husband saw his mother and father after receipt of the charges and that his father told him that he had belonged to organizations because of benefits, medical care and free cemetery rights derived thereby; that RUTH had registered with the ALP because of social activities, but that she does not recall her husband indicating why his parents had registered ALP. She stated that she believed that her father-in-law had signed a CP petition not fully realizing that it was a Communist document.

She stated that her husband has expressed himself as an anti-Communist and although he believed the ROSENBERGS guilty, he did not believe the death sentence was correct and had accordingly sent a telegram to the president.

She testified she does not believe that her husband was close to PONTECORNO other than academically; that when her husband visited New York ity on business he stayed at a hotel and dashed up to the Bronx only to have dinner with his family; that she seldom traveled with him on these occasions, and that she sees her in-laws about once a year; that she last saw them on 3/4/55 prior to the birth of her last child, and that prior to that she saw

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them in August, 1954, when she and her husband returned from Europe; that her in-laws visit in Rochester about once a year and spend a week or so of their vacation there.

She stated that she was shocked at the disclosures concerning KLAUS FUCHS and had no suspicions of him prior thereto.

Concerning BERNARD PETERS, she stated that she knew him and his wife and that they had visited in each other's homes. She stated that he is a friend of her hasband since they are both physicists and that social intercourse resulted as a result of scientific association; that otherwise PETERS is not in her circle of social acquaintances.

J. EDWARD HOFFMEISTER, Quaker Road, Scottsville, New York, testified that he is a geologist, dean of the College of Arts and Sciences, and chairman of the geology department of the University of Rochester.

He stated that he has known MARSHAK since 1939 and recommended the latter for the La Roy E. Snyder Award of the Junior Chamber of Commerce of Rochester in 1951 for contributions to the community, although MARSHAK did not receive the award; that he never heard MARSHAK say anything indicating that he was a Communist or had sympathy for them. He believed him loyal and recommended him for clearance.

On 6/3/55, ROBERT MARSHAK testified.

Concerning his background, he testified he was a graduate of James Monroe High School, Bronx, New York, where he was valedictorian and the recipient of three gold medals; that he won a four year scholarship to Columbia University where he received his AB in 1936, and was voted Phi Beta Kappa; that he did one year graduate work at Columbia University then continued graduate work at Cornell where he received his Ph.D in 1939; that while at Columbia he belonged to no polical organizations, was book review and modern dance editor of the college paper; that he was editor of the Columbia literary magazine and president of the

philosophy and physics clubs; that in 1939 he became an instructor in physics at the University of Rochester and in 1942 worked on the HIT radar project with Dr. BETHE while continuing to teach at the University of Hochester. In 1943 he worked at the Montreal Laboratory in nuclear research.

He stated that there was no one at los Alamos who sounded to him like a Communist or Communist sympathizer.

FUCHS at Los Alamos where he also met DAVID HAWKINS, ROBERT R. DAVIS and FRANK OPPENHEIMER, who have since been disclosed as Communists, but that he did not know that they were Communists while he was at Los Alamos.

He stated that he and HAWKINS were the closest to being friends since they lived in the same apartment house, but that his wife had an argument with DAVIS and thereafter theydid not speak.

Concerning the American-Soviet Science Society and his failure to list it in his PSQs of 4/10/47 and 4/17/53, he acknowledged that he had received a letter from EDWARD U. CONDON concerning this organisation, but stated he understood the purpose was to learn more of what Russian science was doing. He stated he believed he received a letter and a bulletin in April of 1946 and joined this organization in October 1946. He emphasized that there was no "Condon Case" in 1946 and stated that the bulletin and the letter had no political content, nor was there any indication of affiliation of this society with the National Council of American-Soviet Friendship(NCASF).

He stated that when he filed his PSQ on 4/10/47 he did not consider himself a member merely by his previous letter to CONDON indicating a desire to receive the bulletins, and while he did not mention this organization, he did not intend to exclude it deliberately.

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He exhibited a letter of 12/27/46, signed by HANNAH E. SILBERSTEIN, and a Photostat of his letter of reply indicating that the meeting of the ICCASP would be held on 1/6/47. He stated that he did not chair the meeting as the letter unequivocably shows that he merely answered questions concerning the international control of atomic energy; that he had spoken to many other organizations, such as the American Legion, Chamber of Commerce, church groups, etc. on this topic. He believed that this meeting was held in Gennet House, a Unitarian church hall.

Concerning the allegation that at a meeting of the Physical Society at New York City he attempted to influence delegates and others to sign a petition protesting the ROSENBERG death penalty, he categorically denied same. He recalled a discussion at a Rochester conference preceding this meeting in which someone indicated concern over the situation and a discussion ensued in which he and others discouraged any formal action.

He admitted he sent a telegram to President EISENHOWER urging clemency for the ROSENBERGS because he felt there was a strong European reaction to the impending execution, and commutation would be an excellent propaganda move in the cold war. He stated his wife opposed his action and that he gave his title in the telegram merely for identification purposes.

Concerning KLAUS FUCHS, he stated he was never very interested in the latter, but his wife and other wives at Los Alamos looked out for FUCHS because he was a bachelor. He stated he never had an occasion to discuss scientific matters with FUCHS because they worked in different groups; that he last saw FUCHS in 1948 when the latter came to Rochester by bus from Ithaca while enroute to Chicago; that he and his wife and FUCHS had dinner in Rochester.

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He stated he believed FUCHS contacted his wife then because he was close to Rochester and she had been nice to him at Los Alamos; also, his wife had sent sweets to FUCHS in England after the war; that it is quite possible that he saw FUCHS in Schenectady with Dr. BETHE, although he has no distinct recollection; that he is certain that he did not have dinner or discuss the scientific matters referred to by Professor BETHE in the latter's testimony; although it is possible that BETHE brought FUCHS back to the MARSHAK house after dinner.

Concerning the allegation that he was a close associate of Dr. BERNARD PETERS and that he rallied to his defense while the latter was under investigation by the HCUA, he stated that he first met PETERS in September, 1946, when the latter was at the University of Rochester; that he was not close socially to him, but he saw a great deal of him scientifically at the University of Rochester; that he first learned PETERS was under investigation in the summer of 1948 when PETERS was searched by the French police enroute to the Bristol Conference and his credentials as a naval technician were removed from him; that he had offered the invitation to PETERS to go to Bristol because he himself had been in Europe in 1947; that his sole activity concerning PETERS, other than confirming that he had offered the invitation to PETERS, was to agree with a press release of March 1950 of President VALENTINE of the University of Rochester; that he performed no special act for PETERS, and that the latter got a passport to go to India: that he was in India in the summer of 1953 and he saw PETERS at the Tata Institute, where MARSHAK lectured.

He stated that he had a carbon copy of a letter from PETERS to DEAN ACHESON, former Secretary of State, dated 2/18/50, denying that he had ever been a CP member; that it had been given to MARSHAK by PETERS for MARSHAK'S information since he was the chairman designate of the physics department of the University of Rochester at that time.

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He testified that the University of Rochester has several government contracts and that he is in there of theoretical and experimental research programs in nuclear and meson physics under the AEC; that he is the security monitor for the university and has had a continued elearance from the AEC. He stated that he is loyal, has never discussed classified matters with unauthorized persons, is not a Communist nor sympathetic to Communism, and has never belonged to any organizations known by him to be sympathetic to Communism.

He stated he gave information to the Central Intelligence Agency on his return from Europe in 1947 and also following his 1953 trip to Japan, India and Europe; that none of his university contacts are classified, but that he holds a Q clearance as a security monitor, since if anything is developed in an experiment which in the opinion of the security monitor may have military application, he holds it back from publication and notifies the AEC.

He testified that he did not know if his father was active in attempting to secure clemency for the ROSENBERGS, that he had asked his father if he has signed the petition and his father had said he did not.

He stated that his aunt, ELLA MARSHAK, is eccentric and well on in years; that she holds a menial job and has a reputation in the family of espousing causes. He recalled as a child hearing vaguely that his aunt and a friend had been active in the revolution in Russia to overthrow the czar.

He stated that all of his family are now citizens.

He stated he has no idea that his uncle, DAVID MARSHAK, or the latter's wife, EDITH, were engaged in as detailed activities as attributed to them; that he last saw DAVID MARSHAK in 1954 on his return from Europe; that he had

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

Attention: Mr. G. C. Callan

Subject:

JOSEPH LEHNER, AEC #CR-18295; Applicant

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Reference is made to the investigation concerning the abovenamed individual which was completed by the Bureau on April 20, 1950.

On January 18, 1950, the Carbide and Carbon Chemicals Division of the Union Carbide and Carbon Corporation, Oak Ridge, requested that Subject be cleared for classified work to be performed at the K-25 Plant, Oak Ridge, as a consultant on hydrodynamic stability of diffusion plants. This position will require access to restricted data and exclusion areas.

The reports of investigation in this case reflect that Joseph Lehner of 678-10th Street, Brooklyn, New York, was reported to have been a possible member, contributor, or contact of the Revolutionary Workers League in 1944, which organization has been designated by the Attorney General as coming within the purview of Executive Order 9855; that Subject was registered as an affiliate of the Socialist Party from 1953 to 1985; and that in 1948, when making application for an apartment, Subject listed as a reference a Dr. Eugenie Ingeman, who was reported to be a known contact of Jessica Smith, Editor of "Soviet Russia Today". It is noted that Subject listed as a reference on his Personnel Security Questionnaire executed on January 14, 1950, a Dr. Hans adsmacher, who was reportedly on the mailing list of the Philadelphia Chapter of the American Council for a Democratic Gresce, an organization designated by the Attorney General as being subversive. It was also noted that on a Personnel Security Questionnaire executed by Subject for clearance when employed by Hydrocarbon Research, Inc., he reflected membership in the United Federal Workers of America in 1937-1938

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the Union and paid his dues for two years. He realized that the Union was controlled by radical elements, having recognized the Communist tactics employed in forming Committees for pay increases, unemployment, resolutions against war, resolutions for minority groups, etc. He stated that he took no active part in the Union and upon leaving the WPA in 1938 promptly forgot the Union. He stated that he lived at 5450 Wayne Avenue and 616 South 51st Street, Philadelphia, during his employment as a statistician with the WFA, and that three of his closest associates during this period were Irving Siegel, an economist presently living at 5407 9th Street, N. W., Washington, D. C; Clement Winston, an economist presently employed by the US Department of Commerce; and Miss Vivian Spencer, working with the Census Bureau in Washington, D. C.

Regarding his association with Dr. Eugenia Ingerman, Subject stated that he first met Ingerman through her son, Francis Low, when they were employed by the Kellex Corporation. Then in 1945 he went to her as a patient and saw her both as a patient and as a friend of the family until he left New York in 1949. He reviewed his association with the Lows in detail, remembering social occasions when Ingerman had other friends present, but did not recall that politics had ever been discussed in a serious vein, and he felt reasonably sure that all the Lows were above any disloyal act. It is to be noted that the interviewer did not suggest to Subject that the Lows were disloyal, but when asked of the association, Subject defended them, indicating that it was abourd that his association with either Francis Low or Dr. Ingerman was being questioned.

Regarding his association with Hans A. Rademacher, Subject felt that Rademacher had been a tremendous influence on him, taking him "under his wing" in 1938 at the University of Pennsylvania and helping him to date in his field. Subject repeated the story of Rademacher's ouster from Germany in 1934, and blamed the ouster on Rademacher's pacifist views. He advised that Rademacher was well read on political affairs and that they frequently discuss conditions in Europe, especially Germany. Subject stated that Rademacher is not pro-Communist, and that he is active in fighting all "isms." Subject stated that he is presently working with Rademacher in the same office and his observations had been from a day to day basis.

During the interview, Subject volunteered that he had worked with Klaus Fuchs while Fuchs was at Kellex in 1944. He stated that he had attended technical meetings with Fuchs and had lunch with him on occasions. He offered few details as to this association, but did remark that Fuchs had not indicated any tendencies

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that would lead him (Subject) to believe that Fuchs was disloyal.

In view of the above, and to assist us in evaluating Subject's eligibility for security clearance, it is requested that additional investigation be conducted by the Bureau in this case concerning -Subject's association with Klaus Fuchs; his participation in the activities of the United Federal Workers of America Union in 1937-1938; and his activities at the New York University during 1934-1935.

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Your further assistance in this matter will be greatly appreciated.

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Sincerely yours,

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Acting Director of Security

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION CASE ORIGINATED AT BURKAU 5/16,19;6/23, 24; ROBERT J. OCLESBY, Jr. cmr 1 6 1954 WEST YORK ERIC RANDOLPH HILLARD JETTE ARAE 8F-19622 Education verified at Columbia University. hood investigation conducted in Scaradale, Croton-on-Hudson, and MY, MY. Meighbors recommended employee as to loyalty, character and associates. Employee advised in Polygraph examination at Oak Ridge, Tenn., that he had known H. U. CONE and KLAUS FUCHS while at Columbia University. Credit check reflects record for employee at White Plains, MY and MYC. We criminal or BSSI record located at MYC and no criminal record located at Croton-on-Hudson or Scaradale, MY. eleve ou Dol AGENCY ICC Ginnes -ruc-REQ. REC'D 12-REP'T FORW.\_ REFERENCE: Bulet to Albuquerque 4/30/54. Details: EDUCATION Columbia University Moringside Heights How York, How York records of the able by to SA ROBERT E. HALL. NDEXED - 5 Bureau (116-13802) New York (116-4270) EX - 113 -5 . AUG 4 1954

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He also advised that he knew KLAUS/FUCHS casually and had given him classified information at staff meetings. AV

T-1 of known reliability, furnished the following information concerning M. U. CCHEN:

Dismissed from College of the City of New York in 1942 for Communist activities. Before Rapp-Coudert Committee denied party affiliation. In 1941 and 1942 served as teacher at the School for Damocracy.

The School for Democracy was cited by the Special Committee on Un-American Activities, Report of March 29, 1944, pages 89 and 168 as a school established in New York City by Communist teachers ousted from the public school system of New York City. Merged with the Workers School into the Jefferson School of Social Science, which has been designated by the Attorney General of the United States pursuant to Executive Order 10450.

Doctor KLAUS RMIL JULIUS FUCES was convicted of transmitting Atomic secrets of the United States and Britain to the Soviet Union, and received a fourteen year sentence for violation of the British Official Secrets Act on March 1, 1950.

columbia University in 1941 and that he does not know what the brelationship of JETTE and M. U. COHEN might have been.

He advised that he does not know or recognize by name an M. U. COHEN who might have been an associate of JETTE.

also advised that of his own knowledge he does not know whether JETTE may have known FUCHS. He suggested that JETTE was at Los Alamos, New Mexico where most of the scientists there know FUCHS.

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The files of the Security Office at Los Alamos, New Mexico which were shocked in connection with a previous investigation in 1950, contained information that EMIL JULIUS KLAUS FUCHS was employed at Los Alamos from inguet 1k, 19kh to June 15, 19k6. FUCHS has admitted Soviet espionage activities while at Los Alamos and was convicted for violation of the British Official Secrete Act and sentenced to a fourteen year term in prison in England which he is presently serving.

In February, 1950, in commection with another investigation, 7-3, of known reliability, advised that about Thanksgiving Time, 1947, there had been a party at her home at Chicago, Illinois and that EMIL JULIUS KIAUS FUCHS, ANTHOMY TURKEVICH and others were present.

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T-1 is WILLIAM RULEY, Intelligence Officer, Security Division, Los Alamos Project, in 1947.

T-2 is SHEET HEMBURGER, JR., former Chief, Santa Fe area Security W Office, ABC, who furnished the data quoted by letter dated 3/31/47.

T-3 is Mrs. AUGUSTA H.TELLER, Division T2, Los Alamos Scientific Laboratory, who furnished information on 2/21/50.

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Records of Washington T-1, another Government agency, contains information furnished by a representative of T-1 in Rome Italy, on October 23, 1950, relative to an alleged flight by Professor BRUNO PONTECORYO to the Soviet Union. PONTECORYO was identified thoroin as a former student of ENRICO FERM, noted Italian Physicist, naturalised English citizen and a reputed friend of EMMIE KLAUS FUCHS. PONTECORYO was known to have left Clampo Airport, Rome, Italy, for Stockholm, Sweden on September 1, 1950, and it is rumored that he had proceeded on to Moscow via Helsinki; that PONTECORYO is reportedly a cousin of EMELIC SEHENI, Prosident of the Partisans of Peace movement, and a number of the Communist Party controlled committee.

It is pointed out that EMILE KLAUS FUCHS is a self-admitted Soviet espionage agent presently serving a 14-year settence in England for Soviet espionage activities.

It is to be pointed out that Madame CURIE is the wife of FRENERIC JOLION-CURIE, who was, until recently, the Chairman of the French Atomic Energy Commission, and who was later removed from said position because of his open and admitted affiliation with the Communist Party.

Ro JUILIANA PARET, Mister of Subject

The records of the State Department, Yashington, D. C., indicate on January 18, 1944, that JUILIANA TARET filed an exit permit application with the State Department and indicated she resided at She was born and

resided in Now York, since September 1,40. She indicated she desired to return to Italy with her husband, DUCCIO, and their three children because of her desire as an Italian citizen of anti-Fascist convictions, to assist in every possible way in the presention of the war against Germany.

On Jamuary 15, 1944, DUCCIO TABLE filed an exit permit application with the State Department indicating he was born and had been in the U.S. A. since 1941, as a censor and translator

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> Reference Bureau letter dated January 12, 1955, captioned SECURITY RISK PROGRAM, ARA - E; (REFER ESPICHAGE).

On July 18, 1955, the security file of STRIN was reviewed at the Security Division, Senta Fe Operations Office, Atomic Energy Commission, Sandia Base, Albuquerque, New Mezico.

The file of the captioned subject reflects that he is employed as a staff member in the Theoretical Physics Division, University of California, Los Alamos, New Mexico, a prime contractor to the Atomic Energy Commission.

The derogatory information in this case pertains to the association of subject's sister with one LILA V. FIELD, daughter of FREDERICK VANDERBILT FIELD at New York Dity and that the subject at one time worked with KIAUS-FUCHS at Los Alamos, New Mexico. The questionable areas of significance involved in connection with degree of association of the subject and his sister and the subject's association with KLAUS FUCES, the element of influence, past and present, that exists in this association with the subject's sister.

On October 6, 1952, an informal interview was afforded the subject by the Atomic Energy Commission at Los Alamos, How Mexico at which time subject stated he knew no Communist Party members or Communist Party organizations and did not believe his mother or sister knew of any.

The results of the informal interview were that the subject had qualified the areas in question in the minds of the Informal Board members at Los Alamos, New Mexico and this board required that the subject be given an active "Q" Clearance on an "invite" basis.

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ALIEN stated that SAMUEL ALIAN KLINE had visited Billings Hospital on April 4, 1950, and asked him for medical data concerning his case, which ALIEN had gathered at Los Alsmos in May 1946, involving a radiation accident which concerned eight people, including KLINE. Dr. ALIEN informed him that he would have to obtain approval for release of the information, and KLINE seemed to understand.

From KLINE's attitude, it appeared that KLINE wanted to test Dr. ALIEN's possible desirability as a legal witness since KLINE quizzed Dr. AllEN at some length on the doctor's prognosis of this case. Dr. ALIEN told KLINE that from all indications, it is excellent although adding that the ultimate outcome of a radiation case is always uncertain. KLINE commented that Dr. ALLEN had better watch out or he might be called as a witness. KLINE stated that he had just completed law school, and that the Government had offered him a settlement of one-third of \$10,000.00, but that he was dissatisfied and desirous of suing. He stated that he had been out of work for three and one-half years and should get \$30,000,00 or \$40,000,00.

In the course of this April 4 conversation, KLINE made a statement which, as nearly as can be quoted by ALIEN, is:

"After all, the AEC boys are going to figure that here's a fellow that has all the information, and that we have another FUCHS case on our hands and may pay off."

KLINE also said he knew FUCHS at Los Alamos and when ALLEN asked if he knew FUCHS personally, KLINE said no. When Dr. ALIEN asked if KLINE would have suspected FUCHS. KLINE said no. that one could never engage FUCHS in a political discussion. This last response raised a query in Dr. ALLEN's mind as to whether KLINE had more association with FUCHS than he had at first indicated, although Dr. AUEN further conjectures that KLINE's remarks concerning FUCHS may have been made in a spirit of bragging and as leverage to assist in settlement of his claim. At that time. Dr. ALIEN reprimanded KLINE for his remarks concerning another FUCHS case", saying that KLINE knew that he didn't mean it. KLINE replied that that is right, but that the AEC doesn't know it.

Dr. AILEN reported that KLINE has been married about two and a half years, has one child about a year and a half old, all released

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and appears to have recovered from his radiation injuries although he is a hypochondriac and continually worried about his case, despite the fact that ALIEN has advised him to go to work and forget it. According to his conversation, he had a great deal of "hot" Los Alamos information. In view of his worrying tendencies and his dissatisfaction with the Government offer of settlement, he has developed traits of hostility and of a persecution complex and is becoming unstable. As a result, he would possibly be either more gullible than the average person or unpredictable under stress.

Dr. ALLEN stated that KLINE, except as may be indicated by the foregoing, has never given any indication of possibly being disaffected or a security threat, and has never even given a hint as to his political beliefs.

advised that he did not know KIADSIFUCHS when he was at Los Alamos during the early days of the project. He stated that from what he has heard of FUCHS since that time, he knows that FUCHS was connected with the theoretical work being done, whereas KLINE was engaged in experimental work. He stated that to his knowledge, FUCHS did not have any official contact with KLDE or any of the members of his group. He stated that FUCHS would have been older and a more menior scientist than KLINE, who was little more than a technician and very young when he was at Los Alamos. Young stated that he could not say whether or not KLDE knew FUCHS when he was at Los Alamos, but that he had never heard KLINE mention having any associates among the members of the British Mission at Los Alemos. He added KLINE had very few, if any, close friends while at Los Alamos, and that he believed that he knew him better than anyone presently at Los Alamos. He advised that he could suggest no one who might have known the applicant well enough at Los Alemos to say whether he was an associate of FUCHS on a social basis. 

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KLAUS FUCHS has admitted having been engaged in espionage for the Russian Government during the period that he was at Los Alasos from 1944 to 1946 and is presently serving a fourteen year sentence in England.



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UNKNOWN SUBJECT; Reported Leak of Atomic Information by Australian Scientists in 1945

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ATOMIC ENERGY ACT

SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

Check of MED files has identified no additional Australian Scientists visiting U. S. in MED Program during 1943, 1944, and 1945, other than those previously identified in OLIPHANT Group. All identifiable members of OLIPHANT Group listed. Information contained in BURHOP's AEC file previously furnished. BURHOP's prime activity in U.S., reportedly in Alpha II Unit (Electromagnetic processes) improvements and BURHOP believed to have had access to all information needed in work at Oak Ridge and Radlab. Investigation continuing to identify BURHOP's work papers of interest to AEC Program. W. W. B. SKINNER, a top. member of the OLIPHANT Group, born in England, visited; the United States November, 1947, on British request for unclassified visits to AEC sites; was accompanied by EMIL KLAUS FUCHS on Argonne Laboratory visital 7 Records of T-5, another governmental agency, reflect OLIPHANT, Director of Physical Research, University of Canberra, Australia, since February, 1950, is among invitees to the Chicago, University Physical Conference to be held during September, 1951; that OLIPHANT was reportedly delegate to Paris meeting of World Federation of Scientific Workers in 1947. Further inquiries newspapers and informants fail to verify OLIPHANT's participation in Institute on World Control of Atomic Energy at Washington, D. duping July, 1947.

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that he was still a part-time consultant on the British Atomic Program and that he had received an American visa October 1, 1947, to permit a six-weeks visit to the United States and Canada in connection with the Atomic Energy Program.

Such information noted that SKINNER has resided in Great Britian throughout his lifetime except for periods 1932 - 1933 when he resided at Buckingham Place, Cambridge, Massachusetts, and 1944 - 1945, when he was at Berkeley, California.

In connection with his wife, ERNA SKINNER, it was indicated that she was a British subject, born Czernowitz, Austria, May 2, 1907.

In connection with the above-mentioned United States visa obtained by SKINNER October 1, 1937, it is noted that records of T-7 another government agency previously identified, contained correspondence from the British Government during 1947 requesting permission for SKINNER to make unclassified visits to atomic energy sites at Argonne Laboratory, Brookhaven Laboratory, New York, Bell Laboratories, and at Schnectady, New York; that the British further requested that EMIL KLAUS FUCHS be permitted to accompany SKINNER in his visit to the Argonne Laboratory, Chicago. Records of T-7 further indicate that SKINNER made a visit to the Argonne Laboratory at Chicago, November 28, 1947, at which time he was accompanied by FUCHS.

It is noted that previous investigation in connection with EMIL KLAUS FUCHS, a self-admitted Soviet espionage agent, determined that he was in the United States November 11 through 30, 1947, during which time he visited the Argonne Laboratory as well as other Atomic Energy Commission sites.

It is noted that during May, 1950, FUCHS, in an interview with T-9 and T-10 of known reliability, gave an account of his activities during the above visit to the United States, recalling that after arrival in New York City, he remained in the city about two days and resided in a hotel near lilth Street. He stated that he recalled that Mrs. H. W. B. ISKINNER was residing at that time in an apartment on lilth Street.

Washington T-3, a representative of another governmental agency, who has wide accommendation agency, who has wide accommendation agency.

both of whom are regarded as reliable, were unable to furnish any information concerning BURHOP, OLIPHANT and other members of the OLIPHANT Group.

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#### INFCRMANTS

- CLEMENT A. PALAZZCIO, Violation Section, Security Division, DOE Atomic Energy Commission .
- T-2 SA RAY WANNALL. Information attributed to him is set forth in the report of SA E. HYATT MCSSBURG, Weshington, D. C., July 24, 1946, in the matter entitled, "National Committee on Atomic Information - Federation of American Scientists," IS - C." DOC
- BROLE REAMISH, Intelligence Division, AEC
- Security Division, Department of State release on State Office of Naval Research
- Records of Security Division, AEC
- CIA
- T-9 and T-10 are used to protect the identity of Assistant Director HUGH H. CLEGG and SA ROBERT LAMPHERE who interviewed FUCHS during May, 1950, in England, results of which interview are set forth in the report of SA JUSEPH C. WALSH, New York City, on October 10, 1950, in the FOO Case.

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#### THE WASHINGTON FIELD OFFICE

#### At Washington, D. C.

Will, through, the Security Division, AEC, obtain specific information identifying work papers and activities of BURHOP of interest to AEC and in connection with his association with the MED Program at Berkeley, California.

Will, through informents and other sources, make additional efforts to determine local Washington and other addresses of EURHOP and other principal suspects in instant matter during their visits to the United States.

Will, through INS and Visa Division, Dept. of State, attempt to locate educational travel data concerning OLIPHANT's visit to the United States during July, 1946.

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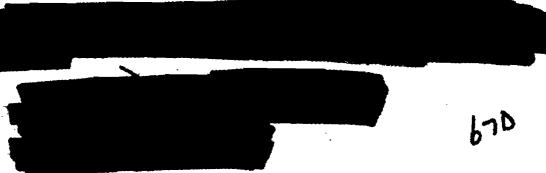
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a notation appeared in this file stating that, in view of the fact that Dr. SFINMER is openly cognisant of the existence and location of Site Y which has been visited by other members of the British group, this is not considered serious and the case is closed.

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The records of San Francisco T-4, another Government agency, contain a communication dated October 22, 1947, which stuted, among other things: "During recent conference of Atomic Scientists association at Oxford, Dr. H. W. B. SKINNER, Assistant Director of Barwell, atomic Research Station, showed certain pictures of the station in the form of slides. It is now reported that United Fingdom authorities, acting through the Ministry of Supply, have taken steps to prevent the pictures being shown again."

San Francisco W-5, another Government agency, made a September 12, 1949, press release indicating that Canadian, United Fingdom and United States representatives will hold meetings to review the uniform declassification guides in light of recent technical developments in order to maintain maximum security with respect to atomic energy date. One of the United Vingdom representatives listed was Dr. H. V. B. SKINNER.

The "Daily Express", London, England, for March 3, 1950, carried the following article:

The men who got nessest to making a friend of atomspy KLLUS EMIL JULIUS TRUES-49-year-old Dr. HERBERT MAKEFIELD BAHKS SKINNER, ex-rader boffin, and secondin-command at the Barwell, Berks, atom station—has temporarily taken over the work FUCHS left halffinished when he was arrested. His salary remains at 1,800 pounds a year—the pay FUCHS got.



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The following individuals arrived in the United States on indicated dates in 1944. The first five were to report to Berkeley which was to be their normal station and MARSHAIL was to report to Los Alamos.

Dr. O. BUNEMAN - March 17, 1944

Dr. R. R. NIMO - March 25, 1944

Mr. H. J. MCRRIS - April 4, 1944

Mr. D. F. STANIEY - April 4, 1944

Dr. T. E. ALLIBONE - April 6, 1944

Mr. D. G. MARSHAIL - April 6, 1944

He W. FERRIN arrived at Washington on May 12, 1944

G. I. TAYLOR arrived at New York City on May 11, 1944 and was expected to spend a month at Los Alance.

The above described file entitled, "RRITISH MISSION," does not appear to reflect the names or complete data relative to all members of the "British Mission" who were at Los Alamos at various times, but from the numerous files examined the following names and miscellaneous data was obtained relative to such individuals.

- l. SIR JAMES CHADWICK, head of British Mission in the U.S. during most of World War II. Resided at Los Alanos for a period of time and later in Washington but rade numerous trips to Los Alanos.
- 2. ROUDOLPH ERNEST PETERIS, born in Gerrany June 5, 1907. Was at Los Alamos March 8, 1944 to January 10, 1946. Was in charge of the detail of the British Mission ar Los Alamos part of that time.
- 3. JAMES BAKER; NICHOLAS BAKER, at Los Alamos May 14 to May 21, 1945.
- h. EGON METSCHER, born May 23, 1901 at Zurcih, Switzerland. / At Los Alanos March 5, 19th to November 2, 19th.
- 5. BCRIS-BAVISSON arrived at Los Alamos October 22, 1945 and left on transfer to Montreal November 22, 1945 for health reasons.

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- 6. ANTHONY P. MENCH was at Los Alamos August 1 to August 27, 1946.
- 7. Offo RCBERT FRISCH, born October 1, 1904 at Vienna, Austria. At Los Alamos May 11, 1944 to February 28, 1946. Was consultant on delayed neutron measurements at Trinity Test.
- 8. KIATE FUCHS was at Los Alamos 1944 to September, 1946. Presently incarcerated in England.
- 9. JAMES HUGHES, aka. J. HUGHES was at Los Alamos on undetermined dates. Recently admitted membership in Communist Party prior to time he came to Los Alamos.
- 10. D. J. LITTIER at Los Alanos in sunner of 1945 as consultant on air blast and pressure gauges at Trimity Test.
- 11. L. Den TEET was at Los Alanos in 1945 in position of "carth shock consultant," although at about same time was attached to the Siesnograph Station, Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts.
- 12. WILLIAM GREGORY MARIEY was at Los Alamos on undetermined dates.
- 13. DONAID GEORGE MARSHALL, born September 1, 1922 at Birmingham, England, was at Los Alamos May 11, 1944 to November, 1945.
- 14. PHILIP BURTON KOON, born May 17, 1907 at London, England, was at Los Alamos in 1944-1945 and was in charge of Garma Ray sontincle at the Trinity Test.
- 15. WILLIAM GEORGE FENNY, born June 24, 1909 at Gibraltor was at Los Alanos for undetermined period of time in 1945 and was a air blast and earth shock consultant at the Trinity Test.
- 16. CECRGE PIACZEK, born September 26, 1905 at Bruenn, Austria, arrived at New York City as monbor of the British Mission on November 13, 1942, but had previously arrived in the U.S. on February 2, 1939 and had filed declaration of intention for U.S. Citizenship on October 23, 1939 at Ithaca, N.Y. He was at Los

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# Office Me orandum - uniter taxes government

DIRECTOR, FBI (119-805) Nov. 3. 1953 BAC. NEW HAVEN (117-27) UNKNOWN SUBJECT: REPORTED LEAK ATOMIC INFORMATION BY AUSTRALI SCIENTIST IN 1945 AEA CLASSIFIED BY: 30-R PWTCL Origina New York DECLASSIFY ONL **EQAD** Reference is made to New York letter to Director dated 10/21/534 wherein it was stated that General LESLIE GROVES, former head of the MED project, stated that the names of all the British scientists who had come to the United States from Great Britain or Australia could be obtained through his MED files in Washington.D.C./K On 10/29/53 General LESLIE GROVES furnished a list of names of the individuals who were attached to the British Mission who worked on the MED project during the time that he was head of this project. The following is the list of names as furnished by General GROVES. It is to be noted that Symbol Y-12, as well as K-25, appear after some of the names. General GROVES stated that Y-12 refers to Electromagnetic Plant and K-25 refers to was Diffusion Project. According to General GROVES, this is a second confidential list which he was furnishing for the convenience of the Bureau and should not be divulged to outside sources. It is CONFIDENTIAL eritish mission Arrival Date Installation where Departure in U.S 5/44 12/43 AKERS New York D. ALLEN 8/44 10/45 Berkeley H. S. ARMS 11/45 Calil Kny Berkeley Oak Ridge Y-**4/44** N\_BAKER (Bohr) 12/43 New York Oak Ridge TE H.D BAKER (Bohr) 12/43 Los Alamos N.Mey 7/44 BARTER TENN Oak Ridge (F-12,K-25, per DOE FD0/11s 2 - Washington Field (11) - Washington Field (117-120) - New York (117-156) RECORDED - 5 2 - San Francisco (117-89) INDEXED DERegistared Mail

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Office Memorandum • United STATES GOVERNMENT DATE: 1/26/50 Director, F.B.I. : SAC, Baltimore SUBJECT: JAMES VERNON LEWIS Headquarters Second Army, Fort George G. Meade by the encl letter forwarded a Personal History Statement and the results of their investigation to this office. This material is being enclosed herewith. It is to be noted that the investigation reflects employee's wife commented to a reighbor that her husband was an associate and friend of KLAUS FOCHS. Meles per army The above is being forwarded to the Bureau in order that it might decide concerning the advisability of opening a Loyalty investigation. It is to be noted that this office will not have any background information concerning JAMES VERNON LEWIS inasmuch as the only copy of this material is being forwarded to the Bureau herewith. It is desired that the Bureau return this material regardless of whether a case is opened on the above-captioned individual. la ENDer JFF:by ENCINET DE DESINE PLA 22907-RECORDED -#81840 ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED DATE 9:16-87 BY 3042 POUT CUE

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Mr. N. W. McFarlin Special Agent in Charge Federal Bureau of Investigation 800 Court Square Building, P. O. Box 2015 Baltimore 2, Maryland

SUBJECT: James Vernor LEVIS

Dear Mr. McFarlin:

James Vernon LEWIS is an employee of the Department of the Army at Aberdeen Proving Ground, U. S. Army, Maryland, who is to handle Secret information.

SUBJECT is a subscriber to the magazine "In Fact" and an associate and friend of Klaus Fuchs. LEMIS was one of the ringleaders in the preparation of the 1946 petition which protested the discharge of five Communists from Aberdeen Proving Ground. SUBJECT is a member of the American Civil Liberties Union and American Youth Hostels.

Request that complaint type investigation be conducted under the provisions of the Delimitation Agreement in view of the fact that credible information of a subversive nature has been developed.

Inclosed is Personal History Statement and Agent Report re LEWIS dated 13 March 1950.

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re LEVIS

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Sincerely you

FREDERICK R. PITTS

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With respect to further developing the reported association between Dr. JAMES VERNON LEWIS and Dr. KLAUS FUCHS, a self-admitted Soviet agent.

conversed with employee concerning
employee s work at the Radiation Laboratory in California, which was just
prior to LEWIS! coming to Aberdeen Proving Ground.

inquired of LEWIS as to his knowledge of
MIKE coming and other persons, whose names have appeared recently in the
press and particularly that of Dr. FUCHS.

LEWIS stated he did not know any of these individuals
and devoted very little time to this topic.

Dr. LEWIS said that he had never visited the Los Alamos Laboratory in New Mexico, and that he had no acquaintances there. Dr. LEWIS also said that he certainly never met Dr. FUCHS at the Radiation Laboratory in California, and so far as Dr. LEWIS knows, Dr. FUCHS never visited there.

in a frank manner, and so no time accempted to conceal his past activities in any manner.

offered the suggestion that perhaps Mrs. LEWIS, the employee's wife, in attempting to build up the prestige of her husband to made the statement, which was furnished by investigators in March, 1950.

has a very high regard for Dr. LEWIS as a scientist, and the consider him somewhat egocentric, confident that his loyalty is with the U. S. form of Government.

During the interviews with other associates and fellow employees of Dr. LZWIS inquiry was also made concerning any possible association between LEWIS and Dr. FUCHS. However, no person interviewed had any information concerning any relationship between these two individuals.

The files of ZI Intelligence, Second Army, Fort George G. Meade, Maryland, contained a copy of an undated letter, postmarked Aberdeen,

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Maryland, March 19, 1948, addressed to the House Committee on Un-American Activities, which protested the action of the Committee in connection with its handling of the case involving Dr. EDWAPD UHLER CONDON. The employee's name appeared, together with the names of approximately 48 other employees at Aberdeen Proving Ground on said letter,

The check of the records of the was made by Special Employee JAMES

The Bureau's attention is called to the dates sprearing in the portion of this report, captioned "Basis for Investigation," wherein it was stated that the letter of protest signed by a number of employees at Aberdeen was dated June 12, 1946. In a portion of this report, captioned "Results of Investigation," attention is called to the fact that T-1 advised the Baltimore Office of the final discharge of the five employees at Aberdeen Proving Ground on June 26, 1946. It is to be noted that prior to the final discharge of these individuals, the srmy had rehired them before final disposition had been taken in their case.

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Reference is made to copy of a report made by CIC Agent, which was attached to Bureau letter, dated June 6, 1950, requesting the full field investigation regarding this employee.

By teletype, dated July 3, the Detroit Office was requested to locate and interview is the property of the Detroit Office was requested to locate and interview is the Detroit Office was requested to locate and interview is the Detroit Office was requested to locate and interview is the Detroit Office was requested to locate and interview is the Detroit Office was requested to locate and interview is the Detroit Office was requested to locate and interview is the Detroit Office was requested to locate and interview is the Detroit Office was requested to locate and interview is the Detroit Office was requested to locate and interview is the Detroit Office was requested to locate and interview is the Detroit Office was requested to locate and interview is the Detroit Office was requested to locate and interview is the Detroit Office was requested to locate and interview is the Detroit Office was requested to locate and interview is the Detroit Office was requested to locate and interview is the Detroit Office was requested to locate and locate

# Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO

Mr. A. H. Belmort

DATE: December 2, 1950

From

C. H. Stenley WW

SUBJECT:

HERBERT MARTIE MEYER

Metallurgist - Applicant

Signal Corps Center

Fort Monmouth

Department of the Army Fort Monmouth, New Jersey

LOYALTY OF GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES

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PURPOSE:

To advise a PI has been completed concerning the captioned individual, upon whom a call was received from the office of Congrassman Peter W. Rodino (D. of H. J.), and in view of no disloyal complaints regarding the applicant personally, to recommend his Loyalty Form be returned stamped "HD."

BACKGROUND:

A PI was initiated regarding Meyer on the basis of information appearing in Bufiles disclosing information was received from the State Department on 5-11-50 indicating Dr. Herbert Meyer, 600 High St., Newark, N. J. had corresponded with Dr. Edward Michael Gorson, assuring Dr. Corson that he was "standing behind him." A New York Times newspaper article dated 5-5-50 stated Dr. Corson had his passport taken up by the State Department when he contemplated sailing to France to lecture at the Prench Academy of Science. Dr. Corson was reported in the article to believe his passport was taken up because he had publicly expressed faith in Dr. Klaus Ruchs, who was convicted in London, England, of giving atoms information to the Russians.

On Saturday 11-24-50, the Newark Office discontinued the inquiry when it was ascertained Meyer had been appointed to the above position on 10-13-50, and was terminated 11-13-50, because "immediate loyalty clearance could not be obtained for this employee." On 11-27-50, a call was received from Mr. Bendit of Congressman Rodino's Office requesting the expeditious handling of this matter. The Newark Office was advised to complete the inquiry.

The applicant's loyalty form reflects he came to the U. S. in May 1943 from France where his last employment was with the French Army in 1940. He has lived in Hewark, H. J., since 1944 and became a U. S. citisen on 5-9-49.

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Mr. A. H. Belm DATE: December 21, 1950 H. Stanley, SUBJECT: MARIA VON NIDA Nee Solger 7707th ECIC Department of the Army Berlin, Germany LOYALTY OF GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED WARIA OSOLGER HTREIR IS LETCHASSIFIED EXCEPT PURPOSE To determine whether the Department of the Army desires an investigation of the captioned individual, who is employed by that agency in Germany, and who is alleged to have been a secretary for Klaus Fuchs, although this allegation has not been substantiated. BACKGROUND: Through liaison channels the Department of the Army has made available for the Bureau's information and any action deemed necessary, photostatic contents of three reports dated June 9, 1950, July 21, 1950, and July 25, 1950, prepared by CIC concerning Von Nida, an employee of the 7707th ECIC in Germany. She reported to be employed in the motor pool. The employee was born on October 1909, in Berlin Germany, and resides at 123 Hohemarkstrasse, Oberursel/Toughts. According to the reports made available Von Nida associated with a laborer, also employed at the 7707th ECIC, who is a registered Communist, but when confronted with the matter she ceased to have contact with him. During the investigation a source of CIC contacted Mrs. Hans Ulrich Priepke at Bad Aibling, whose husband had been in contact with the employee. She stated that Mrs. Von Mida had worked as some sort of secretary for Puchs, the atomic scientist, until Germans were no longer permitted to do that kind of work. Mrs. Priepke reportedly claimed that Mrs. Von Nida is of English origin and has relatives in England who are wealthy and have a great deal of influence. The reports indicate that Hans Wirich Priepke, a former Captain in the German Army, has in the past been employed by the Department of the Army and may presently be so employed, although his exact employment status is not clear. The reports reflect he has been alleged to be pro-Soviet. Bureau files contain no additional information which can be identified with Maria Von Mida, and in response to a request dated October 31, 1950, confidential informant Fuchs, himself, who has been questioned 121-25676 8-1840CV PWT MWRDED E318 /21-25
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has no recollection of having at any ting employed her as a secretary.

During a preliminary inquiry conducted no additional information was found concerning Von Nida in the files of G-2, and the Washington Field Office was advised that no personnel records are maintained in the United States of German Nationals who are employed by the Department of the Army in Germany.

STATUS:

A pending preliminary inquiry.

#### RECORMENDATION:

1. It is recommended that this memorandum be referred to the Liaison Section, and that appropriate officials of the Department of the Army be advised that

nas no recollection of having at any time employed her as a secretary.

It should be determined whether the Department of the Army desires an investigation of the employee under the provisions of Executive Order 9835, it being noted that she is employed by that agency and that such investigation, with the exception of a check of the records of government agencies, would be conducted by the Department of the Army overseas. If the Department of the Army does not desire an investigation, they should be informed that the Bureau is taking no further action in this matter under the loyalty program.

- 2. It is also recommended that the attention of the Department of the Army be called to the information in reports furnished by that agency reflecting that an unidentified laborer, also employed by the 7707th ECIC, is a registered Communist, and that Hans Ulrich Priepke, who has been reported to be pro-Soviet, may be employed by the Army in Germany. They should be advised that no action regarding these individuals is being taken by the Bureau under Executive Order 9835 unless such individuals are definitely identified as to employment and background, and unless the Department of the Army advises that investigations of them are desired.
- 3. It is recommended that this memorandum be brought to the attention of the appropriate supervisor in the Espionage Section for approval of the above action. The Loyalty Section should be advised of the desires of the Department of the Army in this matter.

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LOYALTY OF GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES

Rebulet to MFO dated April 7, 1952.

Various personnel files for the appointes were reviewed at the Personnel Office, Salary Stabilisation Board, Economic Stabilisation Agency, and the following information was noted. The second second

The appointee was appointed a Clerk Stenographer, GS-4, Office of Salary Stabilisation, Office of the Chief Counsel, Washington, D. C., on January 21, 1952, and she is presently so employed. There was no information in this file reflecting on her loyalty.

On an application for Federal employment, dated January 4, 1951, she advised she attended Saginaw, Michigan, High School for four years: that she attended Bay City Junior College, Bay City, Michigan, from 1938 to 1940, receiving an A.A. Degree in June, 1940; that she also attended the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, from 1944 to 1946, receiving a B.A. Degree in March; 1946. She further indicated she took Mechanical Drawing at Arthur Hill Trade School, Saginaw, Michigan.

The appointee furnished the following references: MR. L. W. ASHWELL, Assistant Chief, Mon-scheduled Division, Civil Aeronautics Administration, Seattle, Washington; MR. L. J. FORSEY, Chief, Airmon's Branch, CAA, Washington, D. C.; Professor K. C. MacMURRAY, Angell Hall, University of Michigan.

The appointer's file reflecting employment by the Army Map Service indicated she was appointed a Clerk Typist, OS-2, Technical Services Division, Map Research Branch, Air Force Production Section, AMS, on April 12, 1950. On January 30, 1951, she resigned this position to return to school

The appointee's personnel file further reflected that she was appointed a Stenographer, CS-3, Wage and Hour and Public Contracts Division, Business Management Branch, Stenographic and Reporting Section, Labor

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