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This record reflects that JULES M. HOFFMAN was born May 14, 1917 at Jersey City, New Jersey to HERMAN HARVEY HOFFMAN and BERTHA RUTH SIEGEL. HOFFMAN's place of residence at that time was reflected as 921 Queens-Anne Road, Teaneck, New Jersey and his occupation was reflected as a dentist in the air corps.

This record reflects that LILO THURNAUER was born August 5, 1923 at Nuremberg, Germany to MARTIN THURNAUER and LENI FRANK. This marriage was the first for both JULES HOFFMAN and LILO THURNAUER.

Witnesses to this marriage were DAVID GREEN of 659 9 Avenue, Brooklyn, New York and ABRAHAM M. BLOCK, 345 West 86 Street, New York City.

It is to be noted that the possibility exists that the writer of instant letter was STEFFI THURNAUER-WEISS, rather than the illegible signature of "HETTI."

By teletype dated August 21, 1950 Albany was requested to attempt to obtain handwriting specimens of STEFFI WEISS from the records of Cornell University so that they could be compared by the FBI Laboratory with the handwriting on instant letter.

Newark Confidential Informant T-2, another government source which conducts personnel and security investigations, advises that [REDACTED] Teaneck, New Jersey was discharged from the U. S. Army on February 3, 1946 and that during the period of his service in the U. S. Army he was the subject of an investigation by Newark T-2 for pro-Communist sympathies.

According to Newark T-2, [REDACTED] He entered the armed forces on August 27, 1942 as a First Lieutenant. [REDACTED] was educated at John Hopkins University and College of Dentistry, New York University.

Newark T-2 continued that as a medical student, [REDACTED] had a tendency to agitate other students in matters of school curricula and the training being regarded in this connection as a self-appointed leader and spokesman for the student body. During this time he attended and seemed greatly interested in classes conducted by a Professor MITCHELL, an ardent Socialist. [REDACTED] was described as a type who is easily influenced and who might very well become a "stooge" in a Communistic line of action.

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Newark T-2 further continued that at the Amarillo, Texas Air Field, [REDACTED] was a constant source of worry to his superiors because of lack of initiative and agitation among fellow officer personnel. According to Newark T-2, [REDACTED] made no secret of his respect for the principles of Communism. He antagonized officer personnel on frequent occasions with his highly provocative theories in Communism. Fellow officers, according to Newark T-2, expressed their opinion that [REDACTED] be restrained from discussing his views on Communism in the office of the flight surgeon. ✓ b6 b7c

RE: ALLEN THEODORE MANZAVINOS

As previously stated in reference report of the writer, the name of ALLEN THEODORE MANZAVINOS was found in an addressbook belonging to ALFRED SARANT. The records of Western Electric, Kearny, New Jersey reflect that ALLEN MANZAVINOS was born March 25, 1914, but the place of his birth was not reflected in company records. MANZAVINOS was originally employed as an engineer by Western Electric at Kearny, New Jersey on June 29, 1942.

According to this record, MANZAVINOS resigned on September 21, 1943 from the Kearny works of the Western Electric Company. According to his record at the company, MANZAVINOS was considered [REDACTED] b7c b7d

Mr. PARKIN advised that MANZAVINOS' personnel record was destroyed on December 31, 1948 and that there was no other background information regarding MANZAVINO in company records.

RE: EDITH SYLVIA WINTER

As previously stated in reference report of the writer, EDITH SYLVIA WINTER was identified in an address book belonging to ALFRED SARANT. The records of Western Electric at Kearny reflect that EDITH WINTER was born September 12, 1923 in Weehawken, New Jersey. She was originally employed as an assistant engineer, Bayonne, New Jersey plant, Western Electric Company September 22, 1942. This record reflects that WINTER resigned March 2, 1943. According to [REDACTED] b7c b7d

Mr. PARKINS stated that WINTER's personnel record was destroyed December 31, 1948 and stated there was no further background information concerning WINTER contained in company records.

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It is to be noted that additional background information concerning EDITH WINTER is set forth on Pages 19, 20 and 21 of reference report of the writer.

RE: JACK ROSENBAUM

It is to be noted that set forth on pages 25, 26 and 27 of reference report of the writer, during the course of an interview with SARANT regarding photographic equipment, he stated he bought an enlarger for \$25 from one [REDACTED]. He identified [REDACTED] as a friend of one [REDACTED] who had been an employee of the Army Signal Corps, Fort Monmouth, New Jersey through 1941 and 1942, the period SARANT was employed at Army Signal Corps, Fort Monmouth, New Jersey.

As previously set forth in reference report of the writer, it was determined that records of the Army Signal Corps, Fort Monmouth failed to reflect any [REDACTED] had ever been employed by the Army Signal Corps at Fort Monmouth.

In a further attempt to identify the [REDACTED] referred to above, SA REGINALD C. VINCENT contacted Newark Confidential Informant T-3, of known reliability, who advised that a search of visitors records at the Army Signal Corps, Fort Monmouth for the years 1943 to 1945 reflected that one [REDACTED] who was an employee of the Espey Manufacturing Company, 528 East 72 Street, New York City, made numerous visits to the Army Signal Corps at Fort Monmouth, New Jersey. These visitors' records reflected that [REDACTED] visited employees of the Army Signal Corps who were identified only as STODDLE, RISNER, JONES and ROSMOVSKY.

Further attempts are being made to attempt to identify the employees of the Army Signal Corps, whom [REDACTED] visited at the Army Signal Corps, Fort Monmouth, New Jersey.

Photographs of JOEL BARR, VIVIAN GLASSMAN, MORTON SOBELL, HELEN SOBELL, BETTY SANDERS, LOUISE ROSS SARANT, DAVID and RUTH GREENGLASS, MICHAEL and ANNE SIDOROVICH, MAX and HELEN ELITCHER, JULIUS and ETHEL ROSENBERG and WILLIAM PERL were exhibited to Mr. and Mrs. JOSEPH YOGMAN, Mr. and Mrs. LOUIS POSNAK, and they were unable to identify these photographs as any persons they had ever seen or knew anything about.

PAUL ZWEIER, who is referred to in the body of this report as a co-worker of SARANT at Western Electric, Bayonne in 1943 advised that JOEL BARR was a very close friend of SARANT at Western Electric in Bayonne and it was his opinion that his comments concerning SARANT's character, reputation and loyalty to the United States would also describe JOEL BARR.

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LEADS

ALBANY OFFICE

At Ithaca, New York:

Will obtain handwriting specimens of STEPHANIE THUNAUER WEISS who was formerly a student at Cornell University.

Will forward these specimens to FBI Laboratory for comparison against the handwriting which appears on a letter dated 7/7/48 which bears the return address, 601 Winthrop Road, West Englewood, New Jersey.

BOSTON OFFICE

At Cambridge, Massachusetts:

Will interview GILBERT GOODMAN at the Graduate House, MIT. It is to be noted that GOODMAN was a co-worker of the subject at the Bayonne, New Jersey plant of Western Electric in 1942 and 1943.

Will interview GOODMAN to ascertain his knowledge of SARANT and will bear in mind that GOODMAN might possibly be implicated in instant investigation.

CHARLOTTE OFFICE

At Winston-Salem, North Carolina:

Will interview J. RUDOLPH SCHAEFFER, who is presently an employee of Western Electric at Winston-Salem concerning his knowledge of SARANT. It is noted that SCHAEFFER was SARANT's supervisor in the 42 Street, New York City plant of Western Electric in 1944 and 1945.

Will interview NICHOLAS C. STAVROU, who is presently reported to be employed as an engineer by Western Electric at Winston-Salem. STAVROU was reported to have been a co-worker of SARANT at the Western Electric Company in Bayonne, New Jersey and New York City from 1942 or thereabouts until about 1945.

Will interview STAVROU with a view of developing pertinent information concerning his knowledge of SARANT.



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CLEVELAND OFFICE

Copies of this report are being furnished to Cleveland for information purposes.

LOS ANGELES OFFICE

Copies of this report are being furnished to Los Angeles for information purposes.

LOUISVILLE OFFICE

At Louisville, Kentucky:

Will attempt to locate and interview LOUIS LAWRENCE ANDERSON, who was formerly a co-worker and supervisor of SARANT at Western Electric, New York City

ANDERSON's present place of residence is not known to Newark; however, it is to be noted that ANDERSON was born June 19, 1918 at Louisville, Kentucky; graduated University of Louisville in 1940 where he received a BE Degree.

Will ascertain from ANDERSON all pertinent information regarding his knowledge of SARANT and will bear in mind that ANDERSON may possibly be implicated in instant investigation.

NEW YORK OFFICE

Will interview the following named persons who were reported to be co-workers of SARANT at Western Electric in Bayonne, New Jersey and New York City:

SHIRLEY ADLER, 4124 29 Street, Long Island City, New York, co-worker of SARANT at Bayonne 1942-1943

JACK CULICOVER, 64 West 192 Street, NYC, co-worker of SARANT, NYC 1944-1945 --It was ascertained from CULICOVER his knowledge of SARANT's interest and knowledge of photography and related matters and his knowledge of the possible identity of the person presently identified by SARANT as one GOLDBERG, who allegedly sold SARANT a Bee Bee camera about 1945.

MAURICE RUBIN, 473 Brooklyn Avenue, Brooklyn, New York, co-worker of SARANT at Bayonne and NYC 1943-1945.

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At New York City:

Will ascertain if the JACK ROSENBAUM, an employee of Espey Manufacturing Company, 528 East 72 Street, was the JACK ROSENBAUM who sold ALFRED SARANT, an enlarger at Fort Monmouth.

At Port Chester, New York:

Will ascertain from GLADDEN BISHOP HOUGH, Jr., 85 Wesley Avenue, if he was in fact the GOLDBERG referred to by SARANT as the seller of a Bee Bee camera to SARANT.

Will interview HOUGH to determine from him his knowledge of SARANT and SARANT's activities.

SAN FRANCISCO OFFICE

Copies of this report are being furnished to San Francisco for information.

WASHINGTON FIELD OFFICE

Copies of this report are being furnished to Washington Field for information.

NEWARK OFFICE

At Fort Monmouth, New Jersey:

At U. S. Army Signal Corps will attempt to identify the employees of the U. S. Army Signal Corps between 1943 and 1945 who were identified as STODDLER, RISNER, JONES and ROSMOVSKY and who were visited there between 1943 and 1945 by one JACK ROSENBAUM, an employee of Espey Manufacturing Company, 528 East 72 Street, NYC.

At Murray Hill, New Jersey:

Will interview at Bell Telephone Laboratory J. G. NORODAHN and HERBERT B. FISCHER, who were SARANT's supervisors at Bell, New York City in 1945 and 1946.

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At Red Bank, New Jersey:

Will recontact Mrs. ELEANOR PALLETTI SVENSON, telephone operator, Video Products Corporation, 42 West Street to ascertain from her if she can ascertain the present place of residence and employment for HARVEY SACHS, who was formerly employed by this corporation.

At Westwood, New Jersey:

Will interview Mrs. JULIE HARRIS, 43 First Avenue, who formerly handled the rental of the property at 227 West 11 Street, NYC while her husband, JEROME A. HARRIS was in the armed services.

Will ascertain from Mrs. HARRIS if SARANT contacted her relative to the rental of premises at 227 West 11 Street, NYC where the Sarant Laboratory were subsequently located.

Will exhibit to Mrs. HARRIS available photographs of all suspects in the JULIUS ROSENBERG espionage apparatus and will especially exhibit photographs of subject and JOEL BARR to Mrs. HARRIS for possible identification.

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T-1 -- [REDACTED] U. S. Post Office, West  
Englewood, New Jersey

T-2 -- Summary report of Army Air Force dated 2/3/45, Amarillo,  
Texas, Western Technical Training Command, 1108 15 Street,  
Denver, Colorado concerning [REDACTED]

T-3 -- ANDREW J. REID, Civilian Intelligence Officer, Fort  
Monmouth, New Jersey

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REFERENCE: Report of SA JAMES H. HIGDON, JR. 8/18/50 at Newark  
Albany letter to Bureau 8/14/50  
New York letter to Newark 8/14/50  
New York teletypes to Newark 8/23, 29/50

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REPORT MADE AT <b>NEWARK</b>	DATE WHEN MADE <b>9/12/50</b>	PERIOD FOR WHICH MADE <b>8/10, 21, 22, 25, 28-31/50</b>	REPORT MADE BY <b>JAMES H. HIGDON, JR.</b>
TITLE <b>ALFRED EPAMINONDAS SARANT, Was.</b>			CHARACTER OF CASE <b>ESPIONAGE - R</b>

**SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:** Results of interviews with some of SARANT's supervisors and co-workers at Western Electric Co. and Bell Telephone Laboratories, Inc. set out. Two co-workers, Western Electric Co., advised SARANT was "liberal in his thinking" but they had no reason to question his loyalty to U.S. They considered his moral character to be questionable. One supervisor, Western Electric Co. advised he questioned SARANT's "personal integrity and his loyalty to Western Electric." He stated he had no reason to question SARANT's loyalty to this country. Records located which reflected ALFRED SARANT rented a one-room apartment on second floor, 98 West 34 Street, Bayonne, NJ from 1/1/43 to about 10/1/43. Former neighbors either did not know SARANT or considered SARANT to be of good character and reputation, and they had no reason to question his loyalty to this government.

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**DETAILS:**

**INTERVIEWS WITH ALFRED SARANT'S SUPERVISORS AND CO-WORKERS  
AT WESTERN ELECTRIC COMPANY**

Mr. DUANE R. BARNEY, Jacob Ford Village, Apartment 5-B, Building 10, 1 Washington Avenue, Morristown, New Jersey, was interviewed on August 28, 1950 by Special Agent TROY COLEMAN and the writer at the Military Electronics Division, Bell Telephone Laboratories, Inc., Whippany, New Jersey where he is presently employed as an electrical engineer.

Mr. BARNEY stated that he was originally employed by the Western Electric Company in September 1940. He stated that prior to April 1945 he was employed as an engineer in the West Side Jersey City, New Jersey plant of the Western Electric Company.

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REPORTING OFFICE <b>NEW YORK</b>	OFFICE OF ORIGIN <b>NEW YORK</b>	DATE <b>1/23/57</b>	INVESTIGATIVE PERIOD <b>11/15, 16, 21, 22, 23-30; 12/13, 26/56; 1/4, 6, 10/57</b>
TITLE OF CASE <b>MAXWELL FINESTONE, was</b>		REPORT MADE BY <b>WALTER P. GAVIN</b>	TYPED BY <b>jn</b>
		CHARACTER OF CASE <b>ESPIONAGE - R</b>	

SYNOPSIS:

Subscribers to telephone numbers called from Kerhonkson 3758, residence telephone at Chait's Farm, Accord, NY, identified. Mrs. CHARLES HOWARD, superintendent, 33-66 Decatur Avenue, Bronx, NY, advised subject stayed there for three or four days during November, 1956, and then returned to Chait's Farm, Accord, NY.

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Rpt. will be submitted 3/29*

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DETAILS:

BENEDICT GOLDSMITH  
DOROTHY GOLDSMITH

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On April 9, 1956, **SIDNEY DELANEY**, Manager of the New York Telephone Company, Ellenville, New York, made available to SA HAROLD V. CATES records which reflected toll call tickets on telephone number Kerhonkson

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3758, which is the residence telephone at Chait's Farm, a summer resort at Accord, New York, where MAXWELL FINESTONE has been residing with his family.

It was noted that on December 24, 1955, a collect call was made from New York City, FLU 9-9129 by DOROTHY GOLDSMITH.

On December 26, 1955, a collect call was made from New York City, FLU 9-9039 by DOROTHY GOLDSMITH.

On December 28, 1955, a collect call was made from New York City, OLI 2-1791 by Mrs. GOLDSMITH.

On December 28, 1955, a collect call was made from HUN 2-6534 by Mrs. GOLDSMITH.

Telephone calls were made to Potsdam, New York 4287 on December 5, 1955, December 14, 1955, and February 12, 1956.

Records furnished by ~~EDWARD J. BRADY~~ Agent, New York Telephone Company, to SA ROBERT D. WARDEN on August 24, 1956, reflected that the subscribers to the aforementioned telephone numbers were as follows:

FLU 9-9129	Flushing Hospital 44-14 Parsons Boulevard
FLU 9-9039	Flushing Hospital 44-14 Parsons Boulevard
OLI 2-1791	SAMUEL E. WAXMAN 182 East 210th Street Bronx
HUN 2-6534	SIDNEY EVANS 138 Baker Hill Road Great Neck

On July 3, 1956, ~~Sheriff HENRY J. ...~~ St. Lawrence County, Canton, New York, was contacted by SA KIRBY A.

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VOSEBURGH. ~~Shepherd DENNER~~ checked with the New York Telephone Company and ascertained that Potsdam 4287 was assigned to BENEDICT I. ~~GOLDSMITH~~, 4 Castle Drive, Potsdam, New York.

On July 3, 1956, ~~Chief of Police, FLOYD GILSON~~ Potsdam, New York, advised SA KIRBY A. VOSBURGH that GOLDSMITH was employed as a teacher at the New York State University Teachers College in Potsdam, New York.

ALEXANDER CHAIT advised SA LOUIS P. HURLEY on September 29, 1951, that his daughter DOROTHY was married to BENEDICT GOLDSMITH and lived at 634 West 161st Street, New York, New York.

On January 20, 1956, VINCENT MIKALANIS, Accord, New York, a neighbor of the CHAITS, advised SA HAROLD V. CATES that ALEXANDER CHAIT died about two weeks previously at the Flushing Hospital in Queens, New York. MIKALANIS stated he believed CHAIT died of cancer after a short illness.

The "Ellenville, New York Journal" dated January 12, 1956, contained an article reflecting that ALEXANDER CHAIT, 69, passed away Thursday evening (January 5, 1956) in New York, and that cremation services were held on Sunday morning (January 8, 1956) at Riverside Memorial Chapel of New York. The article reflected that CHAIT was survived by his wife SARA and two daughters, Mrs. BENEDICT GOLDSMITH of Potsdam, New York, and Mrs. MAXWELL FINESTONE of Accord, New York.

T-1, who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised in June, 1952, that the name of BENEDICT GOLDSMITH, 634 West 161st Street, New York City, appeared on a list of subscribers to the Civil Rights Congress bail fund. GOLDSMITH's subscription in the amount of \$100.00 was dated November 3, 1949.

The Civil Rights Congress has been cited by the Attorney General of the United States as an organization coming within the purview of Executive Order 10450.



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JOSEPH KOOPERMAN

The aforementioned toll call tickets on telephone number Kerhonkson 3758 included eleven calls to Ellenville, New York 404 between December 12, 1955 and February 29, 1956.

On April 9, 1956 ~~SIDNEY DELANEY~~, previously mentioned, advised that the subscriber to telephone number Ellenville 404 was Kooperman and Kooperman, Attorneys, Wayside Inn, Ellenville, New York. SA HAROLD V. CATES ascertained that this firm consists of JOSEPH KOOPERMAN and his wife.

T-2, who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised on January 13, 1944, that JOSEPH KOOPERMAN was definitely a Communist leader and had been very open in his Communistic activities for many years. T-2 stated there was no question, but that KOOPERMAN was the leader of the Communist Party (CP) in Sullivan County, New York.

T-3, who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised on September 3, 1953, that he knew JOSEPH KOOPERMAN at that time was a member of the CP.

The CP, USA has been designated by the Attorney General of the United States pursuant to Executive Order 10450.

DAVID LEVITZ

The toll call tickets on telephone number Kerhonkson 3758 included a call on February 15, 1956, to Ellenville 730W1.

On April 9, 1956 ~~SIDNEY DELANEY~~, previously mentioned, advised that the subscriber to telephone number Ellenville 730W1 was DAVID LEVITZ, Ulster Heights, Ellenville, New York.

No identifiable references concerning DAVID LEVITZ, Ulster Heights, Ellenville, New York, were located in the files of the New York Office.

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MORRIS LEVITZ

The toll call tickets on telephone number Kerhonkson 3758 included calls to Ellenville 971 on February 15, 1956 and February 16, 1956.

On April 9, 1956, [REDACTED] previously mentioned, advised that the subscriber to telephone number Ellenville 971 was MORRIS LEVITZ, 34 Church Street, Ellenville, New York. b7d

No references concerning MORRIS LEVITZ, 34 Church Street, Ellenville, New York, were located in the files of the New York Office.

NATHAN MAYER

The toll call tickets on telephone number Kerhonkson 3753 included a call on February 24, 1956, to NATHAN MAYER at New York City, SED 3-0757.

The records furnished by [REDACTED] New York Telephone Company, to SA ROBERT D. WARDEN on August 24, 1956, reflected that the subscriber to SED 3-0757 was NATHAN MAYER, 2411 Webb Avenue, Apartment 10-F, 10th floor, Bronx. b7d

T-4, [REDACTED] who has furnished reliable information in the past, reported on August 12, 1953, that NATHAN MAYER, 2411 Webb Avenue, Bronx, New York, associated with CP members and sympathizers in the early 1940's, but was not believed to have been a CP member himself. b7d

T-5, who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised on February 3, 1951, that ANNA BERENSON (Mrs. NATHAN MAYER) [REDACTED] T-5 sometime during 1937-1939 her membership in the CP. T-5 stated that T-5 [REDACTED] ANNA BERENSON [REDACTED] b7d

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On June 23, 1953, [REDACTED] whose relationship has not been established, [REDACTED] advised that ANNA BERENSON was a member of [REDACTED] the CP, during which time she was employed by the Congress of Industrial Organizations headquarters in Washington, D. C. b7d

ANNA BERENSON MAYER was interviewed on December 7, 1953, at her residence, 2411 Webb Avenue, Bronx, New York, by SAS JAMES D. DEWHIRST and ROBERT G. PARKER. Mrs. MAYER refused to allow the agents to enter her apartment stating that she wished to know why the Federal Bureau of Investigation wanted to interview her. Mrs. MAYER was advised that allegations of a subversive nature had come to the Bureau's attention and that this was the purpose of the interview. Mrs. MAYER stated that she was "shocked" that allegations of this nature had been made against her, but that she would refuse to answer any questions concerning these allegations until she had discussed this matter with her husband and obtained advice of counsel.

On December 9, 1953, Mrs. MAYER telephonically contacted SA ROBERT G. PARKER and advised that she had obtained advice of counsel and upon his advice, would make no further statements to the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

ROSSELL HOPE ROBBINS, also known as:  
Russell Hope Robbins [REDACTED]

The toll call tickets on telephone number Kerhonkson 3758 included a call on December 19, 1955, to Saugerties, New York COR1. b7c

On April 10, 1956, [REDACTED] of the New York Telephone Company, Kingston, New York, made available to SA HAROLD V. CATES listings which reflected that the subscriber to Saugerties COR1 was Dr. RUSSELL ROBBINS, East Park Road, Saugerties, New York.

[?] The records of G-2, First Army, Governors Island, New York, as made available during April, 1948.

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*Helen Robbins*

[redacted] reflected that [redacted] also known as [redacted] married [redacted] on June 7, 1939.

**CP MEMBER**

Mrs. ELLEN KEARNS, 8 West 13th Street, New York, New York, advised SA REUEL H. MEISSNER on September 14, 1953, that ROSSELL ROBBINS resided in Apartment 2RE, 8 West 13th Street, New York, New York, and also had a summer home at Saugerties, New York.

T-6, who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised on June 12, 1955, that as of that date, ROSSELL HOPE ROBBINS, also known as Russell Hope Robbins, resided at Saugerties, New York.

T-5 advised on June 29, 1956, that ROSSELL HOPE ROBBINS resided at Quarryville, New York, which had a Saugerties New York R.F.D. mailing address.

[redacted] New York, who was in a position to observe the activities of ROBBINS at [redacted] advised on December 15, 1950, that ROBBINS had expressed both Communist and pro-Russian sympathies [redacted]

The September 11, 1952 issue of the "New York Daily News" carried an article in which it was stated that seven out of ten New York school teachers subpoenaed by a subcommittee of the Internal Security Committee flatly refused on September 10, 1952, to say whether they were Communists or ever had been CP members. This article reflected that HELEN MINS ROBBINS was one of the three teachers who failed to answer the subpoena.

T-7, who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised on October 24, 1952, that HELEN ANN ROBBINS had been known to T-7 as a CP member, although T-7 advised T-7 had never seen the membership card of HELEN ANN ROBBINS.

T-8, who has furnished reliable information in the past, stated on November 5, 1952, that T-8 had been

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advised that HELEN ANN MINS ROBBINS and her sister, SOPHIE EVELYN MINS ~~FINGER~~, were CP members about 1939. T-8 stated that T-8 had been advised that HELEN ANN MINS ROBBINS was a CP member in the Teachers Union in New York City.

T-6, previously mentioned, advised on April 2, 1954, that "ROSS" and HELEN ROBBINS had formerly taught in the New York City school system, but had resigned rather than face an investigation of Communism in the New York City school system.

The April 25, 1955 issue of the "Kingston Daily Freeman," a Kingston, New York, newspaper, carried an article captioned "Katsbaan Man Gets Guggenheim Grant." It was stated in this article that Dr. ROSSELL HOPE ROBBINS of Katsbaan, Town of Saugerties, New York, was one of the 248 Americans who were awarded fellowship grants from the John Simon Guggenheim Memorial Foundation to assist them in carrying on their studies in many fields of cultural endeavor.

T-6, previously mentioned, advised on [REDACTED] that "ROSS" ROBBINS was [REDACTED]

According to T-6, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] CP and the "Daily Worker".

The Army Service Record of [REDACTED] Officers Serial Number [REDACTED] and Enlisted Serial Number [REDACTED] was reviewed during April, 1956, in the office of Mr. FRED M. COUGHLIN, Office of the General Council, Department of the Army, The Pentagon, Washington, D.C.

[REDACTED] Army Service Record reflected that he was [REDACTED]

A G-2 file regarding [REDACTED] was made available during April, 1956, in the Office of Mr. COUGHLIN. A review of this G-2 file reflected that [REDACTED]

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JULIUS SIPPEN

The toll call tickets on telephone number Kerhonkson-3758 included eight calls to Kingston, New York 3608M between December 5, 1955 and February 25, 1956.

On April 10, 1956, [REDACTED] of the New York Telephone Company, Kingston, New York, made available to SA HAROLD V. CATES listings which reflected that the subscriber to telephone Kingston 3608M was JULIUS SIPPEN, 33 Lucas Avenue, Kingston, New York. 1-5-6  
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T-3, previously mentioned, advised in December, 1952, that JULIUS SIPPEN was at that time a member of the CP in Kingston, New York. T-3 advised on December 30, 1952, that T-3 had been informed by DOROTHY WILSON, whom the informant described as being a CP member from Zena, New York, that Mrs. JULIUS SIPPEN, 33 Lucas Avenue, Kingston, New York, was at that time a CP member.

T-6, previously mentioned, advised in April, 1953, that JULIUS SIPPEN took over the leadership of the CP in Kingston, New York. T-6 stated that SIPPEN also headed the groups from Ellenville, New York, and Woodstock, New York.

MILTON WAITZMAN  
PEARL WAITZMAN

The toll call tickets on telephone number Kerhonkson 3758 included a call on December 12, 1955, to PEARL WAITZMAN, 35-53 12th Street, New York City EXE 2-0914.

Records furnished by [REDACTED] Agent, New York Telephone Company, to SA ROBERT D. WARDEN on August 24, 1956, reflected that the subscriber to EXE 2-0914 was MILTON WAITZMAN, 35-53 12th Street, 4th floor, Long Island City.

The records of the Board of Elections, Queens, New York, as reviewed by SE LEROY C. DAVIS on December 20, 1954, reflected that MILTON WAITZMAN registered as an

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affiliate of one of the two major political parties in 1954, from 35-53 12th Street, Queens, New York. MILTON WAITZMAN registered as an affiliate of the American Labor Party in 1953 and listed no preference for the years 1951 and 1952.

The records reflected that PEARL WAITZMAN, wife of MILTON WAITZMAN, registered no political preference in 1954, but listed a preference for the American Labor Party in 1951, 1952, and 1953.

It should be noted that it is not known whether the aforementioned telephone calls listed to Kerhonkson 3758, were made by the subject or other members of his family, which includes subject's wife and her mother, Mrs. ALEXANDER CHAIT. It is further noted that ALEXANDER CHAIT, father-in-law of the subject, died on January 5, 1956.

#### MISCELLANEOUS

Mrs. CHARLES HOWARD, superintendent, 33-66 Decatur Avenue, Bronx, New York, advised on December 13, 1956, that subject stayed there for three or four days during November, 1956, and then returned to Chait's Farm, Accord, New York.



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### AMERICAN LABOR PARTY

A confidential informant, who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised on September 9, 1954, that from the time of its inception in 1936, there existed within the American Labor Party (ALP) a struggle for power among three groups. These were the CP, the Socialist Party and the Social Democrats. By the early 1940's, the CP emerged as the controlling force within the ALP in the major industrial areas in New York State. Generally these were the areas around Albany, Buffalo, Jamestown, Rochester, Schenectady, Syracuse, Troy, and the Hudson River Valley, Columbia, Dutchess, Nassau and Westchester Counties, and New York City, with the exception of Brooklyn. In 1942, the CP was able to capture the ALP in Brooklyn. The informant knew this situation to continue up until at least 1949. The ALP never developed into an organization of any real consequence in the non-industrial areas of New York State.

Another informant, who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised on May 4, 1956, that the CP today, as in the past, through its members in key positions in the ALP, constitutes the force that controls it.

On October 7, 1956, PETER HAWLEY, New York State Chairman, ALP, announced the ALP State Committee unanimously approved a resolution dissolving the organization and ordering the liquidation of its assets.

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CHAIT'S FARM, ACCORD, NEW YORK

The records of the County Clerk's Office, Ulster County, Kingston, New York, reflect that ALEXANDER and SARAH CHAIT purchased CHAIT'S Farm at Accord, New York, May 10, 1923.

On [REDACTED] a confidential informant, who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised that on [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] CP and  
the "Daily Worker."

On January 20, 1956, VINCENT MIKALANIS, a neighbor of the CHAITS, advised that ANNETTE and MAX FINESTONE, daughter and son-in-law of the CHAITS, had been operating the farm during the winter months of 1955-1956. During April, 1956, MIKALANIS advised that MAX FINESTONE was planning to operate the farm during the summer of 1956.

Another confidential informant, who has furnished reliable information in the past, but whose background is questionable, advised [REDACTED] that an individual believed to be MAX FINESTONE was the individual described by JULIUS ROSENBERG to be the last person recruited in the espionage apparatus of ROSENBERG.

JULIUS ROSENBERG was convicted in United States District Court, Southern District of New York, on March 29, 1951, for conspiracy to commit espionage on behalf of the Soviet Union and legally executed at Sing Sing Prison, Ossining, New York, June 19, 1953.

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	Documentation of Mr. and Mrs. JULIUS SIPPEN			100-91713-72
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Informants used in the documentation of the ALP [REDACTED] b7d are [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]

Informants used in the documentation of Chait's Farm are [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] b7d

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Information concerning FRED E. SMITH, Trumansburg, NY 4364 has been reported in instant case (report of SA RICHARD G. PETERSON, 9/10/56, Albany, NY).

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2612 West Street  
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✓ SIDNEY J. BROZEN

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138 Baker Hill Road  
Great Neck

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1634 Fopham Avenue  
Bronx

✓ JEAN S. LEVINE  
837 Myrna Drive  
West Hempstead

MARTIN O'CONNOR  
19 Bushnell Avenue  
Monticello

✓ HERMAN W. PERLMUTTER  
257 Kingston Avenue  
Brooklyn

✓ THEO PESSAR, M.D.  
76-15 222nd Street  
Queens, Village

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Z. RABINOWITZ  
1704 Morris Avenue  
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376 Montgomery Street  
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HERBERT L. SOLOMON  
1704 Morris Avenue  
Bronx

IRVING J. SPITZ  
513 Charles Lane  
Levittown

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39-49 44th Street  
Sunnyside

SOL TEICHMAN  
181 Hawthorne Street  
New York City

SAMUEL E. WAXMAN  
182 East 210th Street  
Bronx

AL WEIGNER  
375 East 205th Street  
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✓ VICTOR WEISS  
1450 Townsend Avenue  
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## SYNOPSIS:

Subscribers to telephone numbers called from Kerhonkson 3758, residence telephone at Chait's Farm, Accord, NY, identified. Mrs. CHARLES HOWARD, superintendent, 33-66 Decatur Avenue, Bronx, NY, advised subject stayed there for three or four days during November, 1956, and then returned to Chait's Farm, Accord, NY.

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DETAILS:

BENEDICT GOLDSMITH  
DOROTHY GOLDSMITH

On April 9, 1956, [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] Manager of the New York Telephone Company, Ellenville, New York, made available to SA HAROLD V. CATES records which reflected toll call tickets on telephone number Kerhonkson

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Transmit the following Teletype message to: ST. LOUIS - URGENT.

WILLIAM PERL, WAS., ESPIONAGE - R. REURTEL FEBRUARY NINETEEN.

LAST. [REDACTED]

PLEASE RE-CHECK ARMY FOR CLARIFICATION OF ABOVE AND IF  
AVAILABLE, OBTAIN EXACT DATES EACH ASSIGNMENT. [REDACTED]

PLEASE ADVISE, IF AVAILABLE, EXACT DATES EACH ASSIGNMENT AT  
EACH CAMP. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] ADVISE IF THIS EXTENSION  
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The Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2, Headquarters First Army,  
requests information from your files or any sources available to you  
concerning the SUBJECT named and described below:

NAME: (Last, First, middle) SIDOROVICH, Anne

DESCRIPTION: Sex Color Ht Wt Eyes Hair

DATE AND PLACE OF BIRTH:

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SUMMARY OF INFORMATION

On 12 January 1954, the files of this office revealed the following information concerning the Committee to secure Justice for Morton Sobell in the Rosenberg Case (CSJMS):

1. Memorandum dated 3 December 1953 from Emily Alman to Committee Chairman concerning the campaign for an investigation of the Attorney General's conduct of the Rosenberg-Sobell case, outlining the following steps in the Committee campaign:

- A telegram-letter campaign to Senator William Langer of the House Judiciary Committee to support the investigation.
- Organization of delegations to congressmen and senators.
- Distribution of Bills of Particulars to the public.
- Enlistment of prominent persons' letters to Senator Langer.

Memorandum stated that Committee Chairmen could add to their list of names in the Amicus Brief campaign Dr. Linus Pauling, prominent scientist and Nobel prize winner and Dr. Leo Mayer of the Leo Mayer Orthopaedic Group. Memo also announced the action of the new title for the Committee.

2. On Friday 4 December a news release announced the filing of a brief with the Senate Judiciary Committee requesting the Senate committee to investigate the conduct of the U.S. Attorney General's office in the case of Ethel and Julius Rosenberg and Morton Sobell.

3. A letterhead of the CSJMS indicating the following officers of the committee:

- Joseph Brainin--Co-Chairman
- Daniel G. Marshall--Co-Chairman
- Emily Alman--Executive Secretary

4. A letter asking for contributions, the goal of which was "Six Hundred Pledges of Thirty Dollars for Thirty Years by January 17th"

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Reference is made to the case entitled "SIDNELL, ESPIONAGE-R", NY file 65-16382, Bureau file 65-61685, Newark file 100-34455.

The CIC furnished the names of 668 individuals, employees, former employees, and associates of employees at Fort Monmouth, New Jersey and the Federal Telecommunications Laboratory in Nutley, New Jersey, whom they considered suspect because of their associations with members of the Communist Party and known Soviet agents. A file review was conducted on these individuals and as a result, the Newark, New York and Bureau submitted blind memoranda concerning the results of their file reviews. The above individual was one of these considered suspect by the CIC.

The above mentioned memoranda and any additional correspondence resulting from this project are attached and are being incorporated in the individual's case file.

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Personnel, Security Division, Office of the Director, Intelligence

Subject: [REDACTED] and wife  
[REDACTED] and wife

1. According to reports from a government source, dated 30 March, 21 April and 2 May 1951, Michael [REDACTED] advised that [REDACTED] and the Young Communist League prior to graduation from high school and was a member until 1945. [REDACTED] was inducted in the Abraham Lincoln Brigade (ALB) in 1937 and fought for the Loyalists in Spain and that he held membership in the International Workers Order (IWO) (1-2) Board of Election records, New York City, for the year 1937, [REDACTED] elected ALB [REDACTED] registered under the American Labor Party (ALP) (1-2)

2. [REDACTED] also stated that [REDACTED] and his wife, Anne [REDACTED], were all associated with Julius and Ethel Rosenberg - later sentenced to death for their assistance concerning activities on 3 April 1951 by the United States District Court, Southern District of New York. David Greenglass, Soviet agent who confessed to his participation in the Rosenberg matter, advised that Rosenberg had indicated in January 1945, that Anne [REDACTED] would probably contact them (the Rosenbergs) in New York to act as courier and receive information from Greenglass on the atomic bomb which would in turn be transmitted to officials of the Soviet Union. (1-2)

3. [REDACTED] admitted that [REDACTED] and his wife were close friends of [REDACTED] suspected of espionage and wife. [REDACTED] stated that [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] during 1940 and 1941. (1-2)

4. [REDACTED] dated 16 November 1951, advised that Anne [REDACTED] was possibly involved in the espionage activities of Julius and Ethel Rosenberg, David Greenglass and Harry Gold, and that her brother, Michael [REDACTED], had been extremely active in the Communist Party, the American Slave Congress (ASC) and the IWO. (1-2) [REDACTED] advised that Anne [REDACTED] could not possibly confess her guilt since it would involve her whole family. (1-2)

5. [REDACTED] in [REDACTED] (cited by the Attorney General, April 1949), Special Committee on Un-American Activities, 1946; California Committee on Un-American Activities, 1946; Massachusetts House Committee on Un-American Activities, 1948; Pennsylvania Commonwealth Council, 1942).

6. International Workers Order (cited by the Attorney General, 1942, 1947, 1948; Special Committee on Un-American Activities, 1939, 1940).

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

May 22, 1952

RE: PAUL R. HAMUSIAK  
HUNGARIAN - INFORMATION CONCERNING

No investigation has been conducted by the Federal Bureau of Investigation relative to Paul R. Hamusiak; however, the following information is being submitted as of interest to you.

Paul R. Hamusiak is the brother of Anne Sidorovich, the wife of Michael Sidorovich. Michael Sidorovich in 1937 traveled to Spain to fight for the loyalists in the Spanish Civil War. Both Michael and Anne Sidorovich are close associates of Julius Rosenberg, who was convicted of espionage and sentenced to death on April 5, 1951. David and Ruth Greenglass have advised that in January 1945, they were introduced to Anne Sidorovich in Julius Rosenberg's apartment. Thereafter, Julius Rosenberg told the Greenglasses that Anne Sidorovich would go to Albuquerque, New Mexico, to obtain information from David Greenglass. For reasons unknown to David and Ruth Greenglass, this meeting never took place and Harry Gold was the person who contacted them in Albuquerque, New Mexico, to obtain atomic research information.

Michael Sidorovich is also reported to have been in contact with William Perl in Cleveland, Ohio, although both Sidorovich and Perl have denied knowing one another in sworn testimony. This is on account in the indictment presently outstanding against William Perl for perjury. Perl reportedly was an important member of the Julius Rosenberg espionage network.

Paul Hamusiak, born in 1924, was reliably reported to be a member of the International Workers Order 1546 in East Haven, Connecticut, as of December 1946. Michael Hamusiak, a brother of Paul R. Hamusiak, has been employed by the International Workers Order in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, and Michael Hamusiak has been reliably reported to be a member of the Communist Party. The International Workers Order has been declared by the Attorney General to be a Communist organization within the purview of Executive Order 9835.

RE: AFE 1-10-148, Paul R. O-1 JFE 3322001

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November 16, 1951

BIRTH NAME: **BARUSIAK**

Also known as Mrs. Paul Robert Barusiak

nee Paliczuk

Clerk-Typist - Appointee

Far East Command

CPS, CRC, PAC APO 520

San Francisco, California

The above captioned individual is a sister-in-law of Anna Barusiak Sidorovich, a subject in a pending espionage case. Information has been obtained that Anna Sidorovich is possibly involved in the espionage activities of Julius Rosenberg, David Greenglass and Harry Gold. Anna Sidorovich has advised that he has a brother named Paul who is in the United States Army. Paul's wife is the above-captioned individual. Michael Sidorovich admitted fighting for the loyalists in Spain as a member of the Abraham Lincoln Brigade and has also admitted membership in the ISD and the YCL. Anna Sidorovich's brother, Michael Barusiak, according to informants, has been extremely active in the Communist Party, the American Slav Congress and the ISD. An informant of unknown reliability has advised that Anna Sidorovich could not possibly confess her guilt since it would involve her whole family.

No disloyal acts or indication of association between the above-captioned individual and her husband with members of his family has been developed.

REFERENCE: BIRTH NAME: **BARUSIAK**, Paul P. Cpl. ASN 3137701

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Bureau File: 65-58805  
New York File: 65-15324  
Newark File: 65-4073  
Newark Control File: 100-34455-1162

Subject: HARRY GOLD, was.  
Never employed at Ft. Monmouth or FTL

RECOMMENDATION

No action will be taken since GOLD was tried and convicted for espionage and sentenced to prison for 30 years on 12/9/50 - New York Office of Origin in this case.

att # 11 for 65-15324-710

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October 2, 1953

BUREAU FILE REVIEW

HARRY GOLD

Note to Newark and New York:

Newark and New York summaries reflect pertinent characterization of Harry Gold and his associates, David Greenglass and Julius and Ethel Rosenberg; and no additional search of Bureau, New York or Newark files is necessary relative to this subject.

The Army has been furnished with pertinent information concerning the activities of Gold.

65-61685

cc - 65-57449

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Harry Gold, wa

This individual was born December 12, 1910 in Bern, Switzerland. There was no indication that he was ever employed at Fort Monmouth or Federal Telecommunication Laboratories.

Gold is a self-confessed Soviet espionage agent who turned over Atomic information to the Soviet Union. For this act, he was tried and convicted, and is presently serving a thirty year prison sentence in a federal penitentiary.

New York  
65-16382  
LHB:BAC

act # 13 / 65-15321-710

Bureau Control File 65-61685-  
New York Control File 65-16382-  
Newark Control File 100-34455-1162  
Bureau File 65-58805  
New York File 65-15324  
Newark File 65-4073

Subject: HARRY GOLD, was.  
DOB: 12/12/10; POB: Bern, Switzerland  
Naturalization: By Derivation  
Not presently or formerly employed at Ft. Monmouth or FTL.

DEROGATORY INFORMATION IN CIC FILES

1) On Subject

Subject was person who contacted DAVID and EUTH GREENGLASS in Albuquerque, New Mexico in 1945 to obtain Atomic Research information.

Subject named as being engaged in espionage activities with ETHEL and JULIUS ROSENBERG.

2) On Associates

ETHEL and JULIUS ROSENBERG - Convicted and sentenced to Death on 4/5/51 for their espionage activities.

DAVID GREENGLASS - Described as a self-confessed Soviet Agent in the ROSENBERG espionage network.

DEROGATORY INFORMATION IN NEWARK FILES

1) On Subject

Subject is a self-confessed courier of an espionage ring, which turned Atomic Research information over to representatives of the Government of Soviet Russia. He was tried and convicted for his activity, and sentenced to prison for 30 years on 12/9/50.

Inasmuch as the subject of this memo is the same as the subject in the case entitled "HARRY GOLD, was. ESPIONAGE-R" - New York Office of Origin - that office will prepare all derogatory information regarding subject and his associates.

All information in Newark files in possession of New York,

att #111 for 65-1504-710

#) On Associates

**JULIUS AND ETHEL ROSENBERG** - Subjects of separate blind names. Man and wife who were convicted on charges of conspiracy to commit espionage against the United States. They were sentenced to death on 4/5/51, and were executed on 6/19/53.

**DAVID GREENGLASS** - Subject of separate blind name. He is a self-confessed member of the ROSENBERG espionage ring. Admitted furnishing Atomic Research data to contact man, HARRY GOLD, in violation of espionage statutes. Later convicted and given prison sentence for his espionage activities.

INFORMATION DISSEMINATED TO ARMY AND NAVY

None known.

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INDICES SEARCH SLIP

TO CHIEF CLERK:

DATE

9-24

SUBJECT

HARRY GOLD

ALIASES

ADDRESS

DATE &amp; PLACE OF BIRTH

- ☐ Exact Spelling  
☒ All References  
☐ Subversive References  
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## FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

FORM NO. 1

THIS CASE ORIGINATED AT

NEW YORK

FILE NO. 65-1569

REPORT MADE AT ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI	DATE WHEN MADE 3-22-51	PERIOD FOR WHICH MADE 3-21-51	REPORT MADE BY EDWARD E. KACHELHOFFER MHA
TITLE VIVIAN GLASSMAN, was.			CHARACTER OF CASE ESPIONAGE - R

## SYNOPSIS OF FACTS:

Records AGO, CFRB, Dept. of Army, SMO, reflect GLADYS GLASSMAN employed by Transportation Corps, SFPOE, Oakland Branch, Oakland, Calif., 3-23-44 to 8-4-44. Employed by AF, Western Procurement District, Los Angeles, Calif., 9-7-44 to 1-11-46. In CSC forms denied membership in any organization advocating the overthrow of the government of the United States by force or violence or membership in any organizations. Parents born in Russia. Sister VIVIAN GLASSMAN. Born 4-15-17 New York, N. Y. Background and descriptive information set out.

RUC

## DETAILS: AT ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI:

A review of the personnel file, Civilian Personnel Records Branch, Adjutant General's Office, Department of the Army, St. Louis, for GLADYS GLASSMAN reflects that she was employed on March 23, 1944, as a clerk-steno with the Transportation Corps, Overseas Supply Division, San Francisco Port of Embarkation, Oakland Branch, Oakland, California. This employment was terminated on August 4, 1944, by resignation. On September 7, 1944, she was employed as a clerk-stenographer, Air Force Technical Service Command, Headquarters, Western Procurement District, Los Angeles, California.

Her employment was terminated on January 11, 1946, as a clerk by reason of resignation as personal affairs necessitated her presence in New York. GLASSMAN resigned by telegram dated January 6, 1946, from New York, N. Y. while away from her employment on leave.

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On September 7, 1944, she executed an Oath of Office and Personnel Affidavit in which she swore to support and defend the Constitution of the United States against all enemies, foreign and domestic and denied being a member of any organization advocating the overthrow of the government of the United States by force or violence. A similar affidavit was executed on March 23, 1944.

In Application for Federal Employment dated August 31, 1944, and March 23, 1944, GLADYS GLASSMAN indicated the answer "No" to the question, "Do you advocate or have you ever advocated, or are you now or have you ever been a member of any organization that advocates the overthrow of the Government of the United States by force or violence?"

In Personnel Security Questionnaire dated September 1, 1944, and March 23, 1944, the answer "None" is reflected under "Item 14, Membership in Organizations (List all organizations of which you are or have been a member since 1930)".

The following background and descriptive information is contained in the record:

Born	4-15-17 New York, N. Y.
Height	5' 2"
Weight	114 lbs.
Hair	Brown.
Eyes	Brown.
Addresses	343 East 8th Street, New York, N. Y. (1946) (1940-44) 100-9th Street, Oakland, California (1944) 719 East 7th Street, New York, N. Y. (1935-40) 151 North Serra Avenue, Los Angeles, Calif. (1944) 219 East 7th Street, New York, N. Y. (1934-39) 2269 Ewing Street, Los Angeles, Calif. (1946)
Employments	Freitag Manufacturing Company, Incorporated, 1333 Broadway, New York, N. Y.
Relatives	Father, SAMUEL GLASSMAN, deceased; born in Russia. Mother, SADIE GLASSMAN, 343 East 8th Street, New York, N. Y. Born in Russia. Brother, MILTON GLASSMAN, address unknown, West 16th St., New York, N. Y. Sister, HORTENSE SKOLNICK, 93-40 Queens Blvd., Forrest Hills, N. Y. Sister, VIVIAN GLASSMAN, 343 East 8th St, New York, N.Y. Sister, ELEANOR GLASSMAN, Smith College, North Hampton, Massachusetts. Brother-in-law, JACK SKOLNICK, 93-40 Queens Boulevard, Forrest Hills, N.Y. - employed Social Security Board 1944.

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ADMINISTRATIVE PAGE

A Summary of Informant (LAIB 091.41 Com Name) dated 5-12-45 and prepared by Headquarters, Southern District, 9th Service Command, Intelligence Branch, 216 Rowan Building, 458 South Spring Street, Los Angeles, California, on GLADYS GLASSMAN is as follows:

"GLADYS GLASSMAN is employed by the Western District, Air-Technical Service Command, Los Angeles, California.

"GLADYS GLASSMAN has been a supervisor for a club of the American Youth for Democracy in Los Angeles.

"She is a contact of [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] and a contact of [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] recently located  
a room in which GLADYS GLASSMAN might live.

"As of 15 February 1945, GLADYS GLASSMAN was residing at 2269 Ewing Street, Los Angeles, the residence of HELEN LUEB and her husband, LEO CHARLES LUEB, both of whom are active members of the Echo Park Communist Political Association Club."

It is noted that referenced letter requests the Los Angeles Division to ascertain if GLADYS GLASSMAN, 151 North Serrano, Los Angeles, California, is identical with subject's sister, GLADYS GLASSMAN. In an Application for Federal Employment dated August 31, 1944, and prepared by GLADYS GLASSMAN, subject's sister, her current address is reflected as 151 North Serrano Avenue, Los Angeles, California. A Personnel Security Questionnaire dated September 1, 1944, reflects a [REDACTED] as a reference at the same address. An Application for Federal Employment dated March 23, 1944, reflects the address for reference [REDACTED]

Additional references listed in the record are as follows:  
[REDACTED]

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LOS ANGELES DIVISION

AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA, will check files of the Intelligence Branch 9th Service Command, 216 Rowan Building, 458 South Spring Street, for information re subject's sister, GLADYS GLASSMAN, file LAIB 091.41 Com Name.

Will check the following names in the office indices:

HELEN LUEB, 2269 Ewing Street, Los Angeles, California.  
LEO CHARLES LUEB, 2269 Ewing Street, Los Angeles, California.  
VIMINA MAISE, 1011 Rosemont Avenue, Los Angeles, California.  
CATHERINE HALUSIC, 151 North Serrano Avenue, Los Angeles, Calif.  
ANDREW HALUSIC, 731½ Stepney Place, Inglewood, California.

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NEW YORK DIVISION

In view of the extensive investigation being conducted in instant case and related espionage cases, no specific leads are being set out in this report for the New York Division.

REFERENCE: New York letter dated 3-10-51 to the Bureau.

## FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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THIS CASE ORIGINATED AT

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FILE NO.

65-156

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SUMMARY OF FILE REFERENCES

MAIN FILE NO: 65-15385

DATE: October 29, 1952

SUBJECT: VIVIAN GLASSMAN, was;

SEARCHED AS: VIVIAN GLASSMAN  
VIVIAN PATAKI  
MRS. ERNEST JOSEPH PATAKI  
"VIVIE"  
VIVIAN GLASSMEN  
MRS. S. GOLDBERG

FOUND AS: VIVIAN GLASSMAN  
MRS. S. GOLDBERG

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This summary includes material obtained from a review of all references identified with the subject. All references which are identical or probably identical have been included. Possible identical references, that is, those references where there is insufficient data to reject or include the reference have been included.

Reviewer

H. Cantwell

Supervisor

T. J. MC ANDREWS *for*

Approved

*479*  
65-15385-145

The following references appearing in the New York indices on VIVIAN GLASSMAN, were found to be identical, writeups have been submitted and the index cards should be handled accordingly.

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65-14873-143p1  
65-14873-338p20  
65-15280-137p19  
65-15324-560  
65-15336-396p8  
65-15348-249  
65-15348-320p5  
65-15348-457p143  
65-15348-509p5  
65-15348-731pp26, 27  
65-15348-819  
65-15348-848  
65-15348-1308  
65-15348-1406pp11, 12  
65-15348-1439p38  
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65-15348-1555p2  
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-554p2

-594p5

-606p3

-610p5

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-851p51  
-914p2  
-984p3  
-1004p2  
100-60758-22p13  
100-85800-3841p4  
100-88394-6  
100-93558-181p5  
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100-95068-416p2  
100-95696-2p2

The following references on VIVIAN GLASSMAN contained information already appearing in the case file. Writeups have not been submitted, however index cards may be destroyed.

VIVIAN GLASSMAN

121-9250-11  
65-15479-3pp9,13  
65-15336-267p1  
65-15348-236pp1,2  
-248pp12,3,4  
-269pp2,5  
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65-15403-53pp5,7,25

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Note: the references appearing in 65-15387, case file on WILLIAM PERL appear in GLASSMAN's file per SA JOHN J. HARRINGTON, M. W. CORCORAN.

The following references contained information not pertinent  
to VIVIAN GLASSMAN.

105-3857-1p1

65-15348-373

-902p1

65-15360-42p2

100-37158-267p2

-489p3

The following reference contained information insufficient with  
case file.

MRS. S. GOLDBERG

100-31551-6972p3

Original and photostatic copy of mimeographed undated news release issued by Social Service Employees Union, UOPWA (furnished by anonymous source). Mentioned therein was following:

.....Contract violations have soared, grievances are widespread, and the workers are overwhelmed with over work and assembly line techniques, SY PERLMUTTER and VIVIAN GLASSMAN, Chapter Co-Chairman declared.....

100-1449-1A322

On 9/22/48, NYO received an anonymous communication enclosing material which relates to Local 19, UOPWA and to the Chapter of Local 19 at United Service for New Americans, Inc. 15 Park Row, NYC.

Following information appears in "Welfare" for May, 1948.

Local 19 (Social Service Employees Union) is located at 30 E. 29th Street, New York 16. As the issue went to press the annual elections of Local 19 were taking place.

Under Members-at-Large of Executive Board (20 to be elected) was VIVIAN GLASSMAN.

NY memo SA J. W. DOOLEY 12/29/48

RE: COMMUNIST INFILTRATION OF UOPWA-CIO

IS - C -

100-4449-954

Following appeared in "Career" 6/15/49. "Got a Problem? See the Membership Service Department."

In the article it was stated that VIVIAN GLASSMAN (a social service worker) represented Miss Union member at hearing of Referee Division of Unemployment Insurance Board.

100-4449 "Career" 6/15/49.

Included on list of 110 names of persons who sent communications to Federal Judge Harold E. Medina, SDNY, U.S. Court House, Foley Square, NYC protesting the trial of Communist Party members in New York was VIVIAN GLASSMAN.....Local 19, VOPWA.

These communications were made available to SA GEORGE J. SULLIVAN by MISS E. GORMAN, Secretary to Judge Medina.

NY memo SA GEORGE J. SULLIVAN 9/16/49  
RE: COMMUNIST PARTY, USA  
MISCELLANEOUS LISTS  
IS - C  
100-85800-3841p1

There appeared on front page of "Career" February, 1950, photo of VIVIAN GLASSMAN and 26 other men. Underneath photo following caption appears. Here's the spirit that won victory for 800 refugee aid workers of Local 19 in their seven month struggle for a new agreement with strong job protection at United Service and New York Association for New Americans. Chapter Co-chairman VIVIAN GLASSMAN and SEYMOUR PERLMUTTER read the story of their achievement over Organizer MILTON WALKER's shoulder.

100-4449-1A243 Career February, 1950.

On 2/17/50

[REDACTED]

states that the Hotel Marseille is a nest of communism, and that most of the employees are "pink or red." Complainant also furnished a list of names - persons whom he stated are in positions of leadership in the Union and believed by him to be Communists. Included was VIVIAN GLASSMAN, Union Chairman..... preaches the values of the CP to other employees and is believed to be a party leader. Described by [REDACTED] as 5'3", 120 lbs., 35 years of age, brunette, slight build, light complexion, works at 15 Park Row. (b)(7)(D)

Complaint Form 2/17/50

RE: LOCAL 18 UPWA

SOCIAL SERVICE EMPLOYEES UNION

SECURITY MATTER - C

100-1149-1186



On 4/27/50 (anonymous source by mail) furnished SA J. DOOLEY  
leaflet entitled To All UOPWA Members For Participation in Mid-Century  
May Day 1886-1950.

We the undersigned, acting as individual members of UOPWA call  
upon our fellow members to march with us on May 1st, 1950.....

(Included was) VIVIAN GLASSMAN Chapter Chairman - USNA Local 19.

100-4419-1A310

On 4/27/50 (anonymous source by mail) furnished SA J. DOOLEY  
SSEP Local 19, Official Ballot. Under Members-at-Large of Executive Board,  
(following appeared).

<u>Name</u>	<u>Full Time Position</u>	<u>Where Employed</u>	<u>History of Union Act.</u>
VIVIAN GLASSMAN	Caseworker	United Service for New Americans	Present member Local 19 Exec. Board; Active Leader Local 19 past 5 years; volunteer organizer for Local; Chairman USNA Chapter

100-4449-1A307

On 5/2/50 (anonymous source by mail) furnished SA J. DOOLEY, Local 19 News. Under caption Local 19 News 12th Anniversary Convention Supplement, following (in part) appeared.

During the discussion which followed the report, VIVIAN GLASSMAN, chairman of the USNA section of the New Americans Chapter presented a briefcase and pen and pencil set to Organizer Milton Walker, in behalf of the Workers at the two DP agencies for his leadership and guidance throughout the long negotiations.....

100-4449-1A311

On 5/6/50 NYO received an envelope postmarked 5/5/50, return address Suite 1418, 15 Park Row, New York 7, New York, containing material dealing with Local 19 elections. No note enclosed and person sending the material not known. Suite 1418 is the office of United Service for New Americans.

Included was a leaflet titled "It's Your Union - It's Your Vote. Use Your Vote and Strengthen Your Union."

We the Executive Committee of Jewish Child Care Association Chapter endorse wholeheartedly the Local 19 Nominating Committee's slate as follows:

(among those listed) VIVIAN GLASSMAN.

NY memo SA JOHN W. DOOLEY 5/11/50

RE: COMMUNIST INFILTRATION OF UNITED OFFICE  
AND PROFESSIONAL WORKERS OF AMERICA

IS - C

100-4449-1236

On 5/13-19/50 SA REGINALD C. VINCENT (Newark) obtained from a trash cover 2 mimeograph sheets entitled "Convention Committees". Under Officers Report Committee the name VIVIAN GLASSMAN, Local 19, appeared.

100-4449-1A348

A. J. REID, Security and Intelligence Division, U.S. Signal Corps, Fort Monmouth, N.J. advised that results of any investigation or any information re VIVIAN GLASSMAN would be located at G2, Governors Island, N.Y. REID advised the only thing he remembered about GLASSMAN is that she was not cleared for classified work because of her Communist sympathy...

Newark teletype to Washington and NY 6/25/50  
RE: JULIUS ROSENBERG  
ESPIONAGE - R  
65-15348-249

..... Examination of Sarant's bank account has disclosed deposits of several post office money orders in amounts of \$45 and \$45.50. Inquiry at Ithaca post office developed following. Money order 162213 for \$45.50 issued at village station, NYC, was deposited to his account on 1/31/47. Money order 988487 for \$35, issued on August 8, 1949 at Church Street station, NYC, was deposited to account on August 11, 1949 and remitter was VIVIAN GLASSMAN, 131 E. 7th Street..... Mr. and Mrs. Sarant not questioned regarding GLASSMAN as remitter of above money order. However, they have stated regarding BARR, that GLASSMAN was BARR's girlfriend.....

Albany tel. to Dir. NY, Cleveland 7/22/51  
RE: ALFRED SARANT  
ESPIONAGE - R  
65-15360-32a



.....The TUSKYS, superintendents of 113 Ave. A and 131 E. 7th Street, advised that a MISS GLASSMAN replaced the ROSENBERGS at 131 E. 7th St. and that she currently resides at this address. RUTH GREENGLASS advised agents of NYC on July 17 last that JOEL BARR had a girlfriend in approximately 1944 to 1945 by the name of VIVIAN \_\_\_\_\_ who she recalled was employed as a social worker/and one time had been employed by the MAU and subsequently for the Jewish philanthropies. RUTH GREENGLASS advised further that around 1945 she believes that VIVIAN resided on the northwest corner of Fifth St. and Ave. C, NYC. She described VIVIAN as approximately 35 years of age, 5'1" to 5'2" 120 to 125 pounds, dark eyes, black hair which was worn short and feather bob, believed to have been born in NYC, rimless glasses, and spoke very rapidly.....

Re Newark tel. to NY dated 2/24/44 entitled VIVIAN GLASSMAN; SM-C wherein information has been received that the Intelligence Files for the U.S. Signal Corps installations at Monmouth County, NJ, located at the Steinbach Bldg. Long Branch, NJ, contained a report made by O'HANLONS Report, a NY agency for the Army. This report reflected that VIVIAN GLASSMAN was an active Communist and had many times expressed sympathy with Communist principles and could not be trusted with papers or documents of any value. In addition it reflected that she normally resided at 343 E. 8th Street, NYC and resided at 388 Broadway, Long Branch, NJ, at the time of her employment by the Signal Corps, born January 30, 1919, NYC of Russian extraction, daughter of SAMUEL GLASSMAN, deceased, and SADIE HOROWITZ, attended Washington Irving High School, Hunter College, B.A. degree, and did Graduate work at CCNY, all NYC. Prior to her Government employment she had been employed as a credit clerk at Belmonts and H.L. GROSS and Bros. by the NYC Dept. of Welfare, Depart. of Labor and by Brooklyn College, all NYC. It was noted that VIVIAN GLASSMAN was not cleared for classified work for the Intelligence Officer at Ft. Monmouth.

\_\_\_\_\_ advised agent NYO on 2/17/50 that VIVIAN GLASSMAN was the chairman of local 19 of the UPWA which had been recently ousted from the CIO because of Communist affiliations. He stated that VIVIAN GLASSMAN preaches the values of the CP to other employees and is believed to be a party leader..... VIVIAN GLASSMAN was addressor of communications on two occasions in 1949 protesting to Judge Medina the trial of the twelve communist party leaders. It is apparently from above information pertaining to VIVIAN GLASSMAN that she is identical with a girl friend of JOEL BARR by the name of VIVIAN \_\_\_\_\_.

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CC NY tel. to Bureau, WFO, Albany, Cleveland, Newark  
7/22/50

RE: JULIUS ROSENBERG

ESPIONAGE - R

65-15360-36pp1,2,3,4

Albany office furnished NYO six enlargements made from a group photograph obtained by agents of Albany office from ALFRED SARANT.

SARANT identifies the people in the foreground from left to right as: JOEL BARR - right partial profile  
Woman, probably VIVIAN GLASSMAN - back to camera, carrying large knapsack, and others.

Albany let. to NY 7/23/50  
RE: ALFRED SARANT (SOV.IE)  
ESPIONAGE - R  
65-15360-65

.....On 26th instant PERL volunteered he had been contacted by VIVIAN GLASSMAN in person on 23 instant. She advised in writing in his presence she was told to instruct an aeronautical engineer and friend to leave U.S. and to furnish them funds. He then stated he knew VIVIAN to be former girlfriend of BARR's and he stated he had stayed at her sister ELEANOR's home on East 8th Street, NYC, during the week of April 7-14, having never before known ELEANOR GLASSMAN, having casually picked her up on night of April 7th and being amazed at coincidence of relationship of ELEANOR and VIVIAN.....

Cleveland tel. to NY, Albany, and WFO 7/27/50

RE: JULIUS ROSENBERG

ESPIONAGE - R

65-15348-320p5

.....SARANT advised that VIVIAN GLASSMAN has not contacted him  
nor has he contacted her since he moved to Ithaca, NY, in 1946 and that he  
only knew her as a girlfriend of JOEL BARR,.....

NY te. to Bureau, WFO, Albany, Cleveland 8/3/50

RE: ALFRED SARANT, was;

ESPIONAGE - R

65-15360-134p3

SARANT advised, after talking to his wife, that he could now recall one occasion when they received a money order from VIVIAN GLASSMAN. He could not explain why he should have received the money order from her. He was sure that the only ones that ever paid the rent were JOEL BARR, WILLIAM PERL, and VIVIAN GLASSMAN.

VIVIAN GLASSMAN, wa; "Vivie"

Following obtained from ALFRED SARANT concerning VIVIAN GLASSMAN on July 20, 1950.

On evening of July 19, 1950, and morning of July 20, 1950, a search of subject SARANT's home at Cayuga Heights Road, Ithaca, NY, was conducted by authority of a Waiver of Search signed by SARANT on July 19, 1950.

A box of pictures of canoe trips was located at the home of SARANT by SA JOHN D. MAHONEY. Some of these photos were of a woman the subject and JOEL BARR. The subject stated these were taken on a canoe trip in the Fulton chain of lakes in New York State in 1944. He stated that the woman's name was VIVIAN but claimed he did not know her last name and that she was a friend of JOEL BARR. He denied knowing anything about her background despite the fact that she was on the canoe trip with them for 2 weeks.

On July 21, 1950, ALFRED SARANT furnished following information re VIVIAN GLASSMAN. In discussing the canoe trips with SARANT on this date he stated that she was on the second canoe trip with him and JOEL BARR in 1944 and that she was also on the canoe trip with BARR, subject's wife and himself in 1945. He again stated that he did not know her last name or anything about her. He stated that his wife, LOUISE, might know her name, as she was on the 1945 canoe trip with them. He recalled that VIVIAN attended the musicales at his apt. at 65 Morton Street, NYC. He said he could not recall how often or any of the details.

He was shown photos of GLASSMAN that were obtained from SARANT's home on July 20, 1950, and he identified her, but continued to state that he did not know her last name.

On July 22, 1950, SARANT volunteered the information that after discussing the receipt of rent payments for the 65 Morton Street apartment in NYC, with his wife, that he now recollected that he did receive a money order from VIVIAN GLASSMAN for the apt. He stated that his wife recalled that VIVIAN's last name was GLASSMAN, but he denied knowing anything else concerning her.

A Bates List Finder was located in the home of subject by SA PAUL R. BIBLER in a search conducted on the evening of July 19, 1950 and the morning of July 20, 1950 by authority of a Waiver of Search signed by the subject on July 19, 1950. In this Bates list Finder was the name GLASSMAN, 343 E. 8th Street, NY 9, AL-48658, office DI 80540. Subject on

July 22, 1950, stated this individual was identical with VIVIAN GLASSMAN.

On July 24, 1950, subject stated that the only persons who forwarded money to him for payment of the rent at 65 Morton Street apartment, NYC, after he left there were JOEL BARR, WILLIAM PERL and VIVIAN GLASSMAN. He stated that he could have received the lump sum cash payment for 5 or 6 months from any of these three persons.

Concerning his meeting GLASSMAN, the subject stated on July 25, 1950 that she was on the second canoe trip in 1944 and that BARR must have known her several months prior to the canoe trip and that he must have met her about the time of the canoe trip. He was uncertain.

SARANT stated that he had a vague recollection of BARR telling about meeting her at some summer resort. He denied that he knew where she worked but stated he vaguely remembered her being a student and studying for social work. He stated he recalled she accompanied them on a lot of hiking trips. To the best of his knowledge she was not a member of the Communist Party and never knew of her working at the U.S. Signal Corps. He recalled that she lived on the east side of NYC downtown and believed it was on East 8th Street. It was pointed out to him that her address was listed in the Bates List Finder as 343 E. 8th Street. He believed that this was her address. He stated that as far as he could recall he was at her home only once and that GLASSMAN's mother and a sister or two lived with her. He could not remember anything about the apartment or what floor it was on. In regard to his visit to GLASSMAN's apartment he was quite sure he was single at the time and as he recalled her family was there. SARANT as he recalled went there to see VIVIAN GLASSMAN because he was upset about a girl named GLADYS MEYER, whom he thought he was in love with and who at that time was giving him the "cold shoulder." (This would probably have been sometime between October 1, 1943, which is the date he moved to 65 Morton Street, NYC and July 6, 1945, the date he was married). He could not explain why he should have gone to see VIVIAN GLASSMAN about this. He never knew of GLASSMAN living on East 7th Street or at 112 E. 7th St. NYC or at any other address.

HE stated that he never knew that JOEL BARR was married to GLASSMAN or that they lived together. He never knew of GLASSMAN having a Leica camera.

He stated that GLASSMAN never came to Ithaca, New York, to see either him or his wife. He was not sure that he had not seen GLASSMAN in NYC since he had moved to Ithaca, NY.



SARANT stated that he was in NYC in November, 1946, to attend a concert given by BETTY SANDERS at Times Hall on East 43rd Street, NYC. He stated he went to the concert above and that he might have seen GLASSMAN at that time.

MRS. SARANT advised that she believed it quite possible that JOEL BARR and WILLIAM PERL were acquainted and that she is quite certain that JOEL BARR and VIVIAN GLASSMAN are well acquainted, since they were intimate friends prior to 1945 and saw each other to some extent after 1945.

MRS. SARANT advised that she had not visited the apartment at 65 Morton Street since 9/13/46. She stated she was unable to explain why VIVIAN GLASSMAN would have paid one month's rent on the apartment since it was her recollection that VIVIAN GLASSMAN lived with her mother in NYC. She stated that if this apt. was used for any illegal purpose after 9/13/46, it was without her knowledge and her husband's knowledge.

MRS. SARANT readily identified a photo of VIVIAN GLASSMAN and stated that this individual had once been JOEL BARR's "girlfriend" and had accompanied BARR and the SARANTS on a canoe trip in 1945. She stated that even though she had seen VIVIAN GLASSMAN quite often she did not consider her to be a particularly close friend and that she had not seen her since she left NY in 1946. She advised that GLASSMAN visited Ithaca on only one occasion to best of her knowledge and this was in the fall of 1945 at the conclusion of the canoe trip. She advised it was her recollection that JOEL BARR and VIVIAN GLASSMAN "broke up" sometime in 1946. She stated she believed VIVIAN GLASSMAN resided with her mother, but that she did not know her address in N.Y. She stated she had reason to believe that VIVIAN GLASSMAN was acquainted with JOEL BARR. MRS. SARANT said that VIVIAN GLASSMAN was a social worker but that she did not know by whom she was employed.

During course of interview of SARANT on July 19, 1950 he executed a waiver of search authorizing agents JOHN D. MAHONEY and PETER F. MAXSON to conduct a search of his home at Cayuga Heights Road, RD #1, Ithaca, NY. Subject signed second waiver of search dated July 19, 1950, authorizing SAs NICHOLAS DUNBAR and PAUL R. BJOLTER to participate in the search of his premises. Search was continued at 9:00 PM and was completed at 2:05 AM July 20, 1950.

During course of search, ten miscellaneous photos found including one of JOEL BARR and VIVIAN GLASSMAN and one of VIVIAN GLASSMAN.

A Bates List Finder containing names and telephone numbers. Included in this was following:



Name, Address and /or  
Telephone #

Comments of Subject

Comments of MRS. SARANT

GLASSMAN  
343 E. 8th St. .  
NY 9  
AL 4-8654  
office DI 2-0540

Identical with VIVIAN  
GLASSMAN who was close  
personal friend of  
JOEL BARR and who went  
on canoe trip with  
subject and BARR in  
1943, and who went on  
canoe trip with subj  
and his wife and BARR  
in 1944.

Identified this as VIVIAN  
GLASSMAN, girlfriend of  
JOEL BARR.

Subject furnished 1 candy box of miscellaneous photos  
of canoe trips and hikes. Among photos in this pack, was one of VIVIAN  
GLASSMAN.

Albany report 8/7/50 SA PETER F. MAXSON  
RE: ALFRED EPAMINONDAS SARANT, was;  
ESPIONAGE - R  
65-15360-206pp19,40,41,42,52,53,54,  
55,56,57,100,109,127

RUTH GREENGLASS advised that VIVIAN GLASSMAN was a friend of JOEL BARR. Investigation continuing to determine if said apartment at 131 E. 7th Street is identical with apartment used by ROSENBERG for espionage activities.

NY report 8/7/50 SA JOHN A. HARRINGTON  
RE: JULIUS ROSENBERG  
ESPIONAGE - R  
65-15348-457p143

MICHAEL SIDOROVICH was interviewed on July 24, 1950 by SAS JOHN A. HARRINGTON, LEO H. FRUTKIN and JOHN B. O'DONOGHUE. He was reinterviewed by SAS DAVID A. WIBLE and JOHN B. O'DONOGHUE on 8/2/50.

SIDOROVICH had denied knowing, among others, VIVIAN GLASSMAN.

Cleveland report 8/7/50 SA JOHN B. O'DONOGHUE  
RE: MICHAEL ALEXANDER SIDOROVICH, was;  
ANNE HANUSIAK SIDOROVICH, was;  
ESPIONAGE - R  
65-15380-75

A letter from the Newark Office to the New York Office dated February 24, 1944, concerning VIVIAN GLASSMAN gave the following information which was obtained from the Intelligence files of the U. S. Army Signal Corps Installations in Monmouth County, New Jersey.

From March 8, 1943 to September 1, 1943, the above individual was employed as a Junior Professional Assistant at the U.S. Army Signal Corps, General Development Laboratory, Fort Monmouth, New Jersey. While so employed, she was one of the leading figures in the Communist-dominated Monmouth County Chapter of the United Federal Workers of America, CIO, being Secretary of this organization. The Intelligence files also gave the following background information:

Her normal address is 343 East 8th Street, NYC. She resided at 388 Broadway, Long Branch, New Jersey, at the time of her employment by the Signal Corps. She was born in NYC on 1/30/19, of Russian-Jewish extraction, the daughter of SAMUEL GLASSMAN deceased, and SADIE HOROWITZ. She resided at 343 East 8th Street, NYC. She has a brother, MILTON GLASSMAN, address unknown, and three sisters, HORTENSE SKOENICK, 162 East 7th Street, NYC, GLADYS GLASSMAN and ELEANOR GLASSMAN, both residing at 343 E. 8th Street, New York City. She attended the Washington Irving High School, New York City, Hunter College, B.A. Degree, and did graduate work at CCNY. She has been employed at Belmont's New York City, as a credit clerk; at H. L. GROSS and Brothers, New York City, as a credit clerk; and by the New York City Department of Welfare and the Department of Labor and by Brooklyn College as a clerk. Her references were given as DAVID LANGER, 1023 St. John's Avenue, Bronx, a lawyer, MISS W. FORSYTH, 9110 Harvard Street, Claremont, California, retired and MISS ELLIOTT, 147 Avenue B, New York City, a receptionist.

Newark report 8/9/50 SA DONALD G. HARRIS  
RE: JULIUS ROSENBERG  
ESPIONAGE - R  
65-15348-509p5

ANNE SIDOROVICH reinterviewed by SAS JOHN B. O'DONOGHUE and DAVID A. WIBLE on 8/7/50.

During course of interview she was shown photos of individuals whom she failed to identify nor could she recall their names.

Among this group was VIVIAN GLASSMAN.

Cleveland report 8/9/50 SA JOHN B. O'DONOGHUE

RE: CHANGED

MICHAEL ALEANDER SIDOROVICH, was;

ANNE HANUSIAK SIDOROVICH, was;

ESPIONAGE - R

65-15380-94p8

On 8/11/50 MAX ELITCHER was interviewed at NYO by SA VINCENT J. CAHILL. ELITCHER was shown four different photos of VIVIAN GLASSMAN, but stated that he did not know this individual and had never met her.....

NY memo SA VINCENT J. CAHILL 8/14/50  
RE: MAX ELITCHER; HELENE ELITCHER  
ESPIONAGE - R  
65-14873-143pl

MRS. BURDICK was interviewed at her home on July 31, 1950 by SA EUGENE C. JONES and SA JAMES H. HIGDON.

MRS. BURDICK stated that she and her husband, ROLAND E. BURDICK resided in apartment 6-H, 65 Morton Street, NYC, from sometime in either September or October, 1941 until February 1946 when they moved to 12-01 12th Street, Fair Lawn, New Jersey.

Photos of persons who are suspects in the JULIUS ROSENBERG Espionage Apparatus were shown to MARY BURDICK and she identified having seen at the SARANT apartment on Morton Street only BETTY SANDERS and JOEL BARR latter known only to her as "JOEL."

Included among the photos was one of VIVIAN GLASSMAN. She denied ever seeing persons in the group and she also denied ever having heard their names mentioned by anyone or having heard anything about any of these persons.

~~Newark report SA JAMES H. HIGDON, JR. 8/18/50~~

RE: ALFRED SARANT, was;  
ESPIONAGE - R  
100-37158-172ph



Available mail cover returns on among others... VIVIAN GLASSMAN..  
checked relative to "Leu" letter with negative results .

NY tel. to Bureau 8/19/50  
RE: MORTON SOBELL, was; fugitive  
ESPIONAGE - R  
100-37158-174

8/28/50.

WILLIAM DANZIGER and wife interviewed separately and simultaneously

GLASSMAN.

Claimed he had never seen or heard of (among others) VIVIAN

NY let. to Bureau, WFO, New Haven 8/28/50

RE: WILLIAM DANZIGER

ESPIONAGE - R

65-15396-56

.....WALDO McNUTT interviewed by Newark agents 9/1/50.....Did not  
recognize pictures of suspects in ROSENBERG case such as PERL, SARANT.....  
VIVIAN GLASSMAN.....

Newark tel. to Dir, NY, Cleveland 9/1/50  
RE: MICHAEL SIDOROVICH, et al, WAS:  
ESPIONAGE - R  
65-15380-147p1

National Convention of UOPWA held Atlantic City, N.J. 5/15-19/50.  
Informants report atmosphere at Convention was "strictly left wing."

Newark T-3 (trash cover maintained on convention room at the Hotel Pres. Atlantic City, N.J. during the period May 13-19, 1950 by SA REGINALD C. VINCENT) secured a roster of the various convention committee together with the local represented by each member of the committee. Under New York following appeared:

VIVIAN GLASSMAN

Officers Report Committee

Local #19

Newark report 9/8/50 SA PAUL R. ALKER  
RE: COMMUNIST INFILTRATION OF THE UNITED  
OFFICE AND PROFESSIONAL WORKERS OF  
AMERICA  
IS - C  
100-4449-1288p17

INFORMATION CONCERNING VIVIAN GLASSMAN

MRS. RUTH GREENGLASS advised SAs MARTIN F. CAREY and JAMES P. LEE on July 25, 1950 that she was of the opinion that the last name of a girl named VIVIAN, who had been the girlfriend of JOEL BARR, was GLASSMAN.

On August 3, 1950 VIVIAN GLASSMAN, 131 E. 7th Street, NYC, advised that she met JULIUS ROSENBERG and his wife while canvassing the Knickerbocker Village apartment project for the American Labor Party in 1945. She advised that she became friendly with MRS. ROSENBERG and visited the ROSENBERGS socially thereafter. She denied that she had ever done any work for Julius ROSENBERG or that he had ever asked her to do any work. VIVIAN GLASSMAN advised that ROSENBERG had been in her apartment at 131 E. 7th Street on several occasions when he had taken her home from Knickerbocker Village late at night, but denied that the apartment was ever used by ROSENBERG for photographic work or that he ever had the use of the apartment for any purpose. She advised that she was never introduced to anyone by the ROSENBERGS and has not talked to MRS. ROSENBERG since the arrest of JULIUS ROSENBERG.

VIVIAN GLASSMAN admitted making a trip to Cleveland at her own expense and contacting WILLIAM PERL in THAT City. She advised that about 8:00 p.m. on Friday, July 21, 1950, a man knocked on her apartment door while she was telephoning a friend, ERNEST PATAKI, 217 East 19th Street, NYC. She advised that in a reply to her request for identity before she opened the door, the man stated he was a friend. She stated that she told PATAKI a man was at her door who only stated he was a friend and she asked PATAKI if it would be safe to admit him. She stated PATAKI advised her to leave the receiver off the hook and find out who was at the door. She advised that she admitted the individual at the door and stated that his identity was unknown to her. She stated this man asked her if she knew JOHN AND when she said she did not, he then made reference to JOEL BARR and she replied BARR was her former fiance. She advised the stranger stated by way of identification that at one time he was going to help JOEL BARR go to Europe. She stated she felt she could trust him as long as he was a friend of BARR's. She advised that the man then asked her if she would go to Cleveland to visit her friend, an aeronautical engineer, who was interested in her sister. GLASSMAN stated she believed he was referring to her sister ELEANOR, who is very fond of WILLIAM PERL and that PERL was the only aeronautical engineer she knew in Cleveland.

GLASSMAN stated she was instructed by this man to tell PERL to go to Mexico and that he then handed her a roll of money and stated,

"Here is \$2,000" and he then departed. GLASSMAN insisted that no city in Mexico was mentioned nor was she furnished with any additional instructions to convey to PERL. GLASSMAN further advised she obtained the impression from this stranger without his so stating that PERL would know what to do when she told him about the visit.

She advised that she placed the money, without counting it, in a billfold consisting of two black pieces of cardboard with elastic bands around it, and put this package into her purse, and that she made airplane reservations that night on United Airlines in the name of MRS. S. GOLDBERG, on a plane leaving LaGuardia Field at about 12:30 p.m. EST, for a non-stop flight to Cleveland. She advised that she did not know PERL's address in Cleveland so that on the following morning she went to her sister ELEANOR's apartment and secured his address from a letter he had sent, and she then proceeded to LaGuardia Airport and departed for Cleveland. She advised that her sister was not at home when she arrived at her apartment and that she let herself in with a duplicate key.

She stated that upon her arrival in Cleveland she obtained a room at the Regent Hotel in the name of S. GOLDBERG and on Sunday, July 23, 1950 at about noon, she called on WILLIAM PERL at his present address, after having gone to the address she obtained from her sister's letter and being informed by the landlady that PERL had moved. GLASSMAN stated PERL seemed surprised to see her and that when she informed him of the stranger's visit and had written on a pad of paper provided by PERL that the stranger had told her to tell him to go to Mexico and had given her money for him, PERL told her she must be crazy to get mixed up in any such deal. She advised that PERL stated he knew nothing about the stranger or any reason why anyone should want him to go to Mexico and told her to return to New York and wash her hands of the whole thing. She advised that she returned to New York City by plane that evening with the \$2,000 and that she carried this money until the evening of Thursday, July 27, 1950, at which time the stranger again appeared at her apartment and asked her if she had gone to Cleveland. She stated she told him what PERL had told her and that she returned the \$2,000 and asked the stranger not to come back, at which time he departed.

NY report 9/8/50 SA JAMES P. LEE

RE: CHANGED

JULIUS ROSENBERG; ETHEL ROSENBERG, was;  
ESPIONAGE - R

65-15348-731pp26,27

ALICE KATZ, a former Fort Monmouth employee mentioned in the SARANT investigation, and ALFRED SARANT, himself, were members of the same Monmouth County Chapter of the UNITED FEDERAL WORKERS OF AMERICA. In addition, VIVIAN GLASSMAN, mentioned prominently in the case of WILLIAM PERL served as secretary of the same chapter.

Newark let. to Dir. cc NY 9/8/50  
RE: MORTON SOBELL  
ESPIONAGE - R  
100-37158-340p3



MRS. STANLEY ROBERT RICH (wife of STANLEY ROBERT RICH) interviewed at her home at 24 Cassilis Street, West Hartford, Conn. on morning of 8/28/50.

During interview she advised that among others, she did not know VIVIAN GLASSMAN.

Subject RICH was shown photos of individuals who are suspected of involvement in the JULIUS ROSENBERG espionage ring with indicated results.

VIVIAN GLASSMAN: Unidentified.

Names of group of individuals were also mentioned to subject STANLEY ROBERT RICH, and he stated that names of all persons given were not recognized by him. Included in this group was VIVIAN GLASSMAN.

New Haven report 9/18/50 SA EDWARD R. WHALEN

RE: STANLEY ROBERT RICH  
ESPIONAGE - R  
65-15395-66pp22,23

By letter dated August 22, 1950, the San Antonio Office submitted a letter to the FBI Laboratory addressed to MR. N. WALTER, 1534 Caradova, Mexico. This letter was postmarked New York, New York, August 9, 1950, and was signed "Sincerely Yours, LEW".

The Laboratory was requested to compare the typing specimens on above letter with typing specimens submitted in cases entitled, (among the ROSENBERG RING) VIVIAN GLASMAN included.

NY report 9/21/50 SA RFX I. SHRODER  
RE: MORTON SOBELL, was;  
ESPIONAGE - R  
100-37150-150p34

MRS. LIBBIE HILBERMAN, wife of DAVID HILBERMAN, was interviewed at her home, 164-11 71st Avenue, Flushing, New York, by SA ROBERT L. STEVENSON and EDGAR C. FOREST on September 19, 1950.

MR. DAVID HILBERMAN was interviewed on the same date by the same agents at his place of business, Tempo, Incorporated, 24 West 45th Street, NYC. (It is noted that the building directory for this address lists the names POMERANCE, SCHWARTZ and HILBERMAN under their list for Tempo, Inco. and it was also noted that this company was formerly known as the Zac - David Corporation)

Photographs of a group of individuals were exhibited to both MR. and MRS. HILBERMAN with negative results.

Included in the group was VIVIAN GLASSMAN.

NY memo SA EDGAR C. FOREST 9/25/50

RE: MORTON SOBELL, WAS;

ESPIONAGE - R

100-37158-501p4

MR. IVAN MACINN, Attorney, 505 5th Ave., NYC, was interviewed by SA CHESTER J. GUSTOWSKI on 9/25/50 and advised he did not know JULIUS ROSENBERG after a picture was displayed to him.

Among other photos shown to him with negative results was one of VIVIAN GLASSMAN.

NY memo SA CHESTER J. GUSTOWSKI 9/27/50  
RE: JULIUS ROSENBERG  
ESPIONAGE - R  
65-15348-819

MRS. JOSEPH WILKER, nee Bessie R. Brooks, 5506 South Bishop Street, Chicago, was interviewed on September 27, 1950 by SA MC QUEEN and ROBERT L. TAGG.

Along with others, a photo of VIVIAN GLASSMAN was displayed to her and she was positive she had never seen her.

Chicago report 9/28/50 SA ROBERT L. TAGG  
RE: MORTON SOBELL, wa;  
ESPIONAGE - R  
100-37158-554p2

On 10/2/50 THOMAS L. BLACK was shown photos of VIVIAN GLASSMAN along with others, with negative results.

Phila let. to Dir. cc NY 10/5/50

RE: JULIUS ROSENBERG

ESPIONAGE - R

65-15348-848

JULIUS DONOSO, a resident of El Paso, Texas and employed by the American Smelting and Refining Company, since 1939, was a metallurgist. He stated he graduated from City College, New York, in June, 1938 at which time he received a degree in Electrical Engineering. He alleges he attended the night school at the college and worked during the day time and had a very few acquaintances among the engineering students.

DONOSO was exhibited the photographs of following individuals and he advised that their faces looked vaguely familiar to him; however he could not recall any circumstances surrounding this partial identification:

WILLIAM MUTTERPERL  
VIVIAN GLASSMAN  
JULIUS ROSENBERG  
LOUISE SARANT

El Paso report 10/5/50 SA JAMES W.  
SHEPARD

RE: MORTON SOBELL, was;  
ESPIONAGE - R  
100-37158-594p5



During the search authorized by SARANT, the investigating Agents located a small address book which contained the entry "GERTA GOLDNER, 85 Barrow Street, 6S, WA 5-2132."

MRS. ALFRED SARANT commented on this entry by stating that GERTA GOLDNER was an old girlfriend of her husband that this address is near 65 Morton Street, New York City.

On the evening of August 31, 1950 SA HERMAN C. LITTLEJOHN and SA ROBERT F. ROYAL interviewed GERTA GOLDNER, at her home, 85 Barrow Street.

MISS GOLDNER identified a photograph of JOEL BARR and stated that she had met BARR through SARANT. She recalled that BARR was very interested in music and that he had done some elementary composing and played the flute. She recalled that BARR had a girlfriend by the name of VIVIAN. She identified a photograph of VIVIAN GLASSMAN as the girlfriend of JOEL BARR. She stated that BARR was very interested in photography; that he had a Leica camera. She stated that BARR had advised her that he was an electrical engineer and was employed by Western Electric.

Concerning VIVIAN GLASSMAN, she stated that she first met her at SARANT's apartment. She recalled that VIVIAN and JOEL BARR had some disagreement in 1946 and that they stopped dating one another. She recalls also that GLASSMAN was employed as a social worker at some unknown place in the NYC area.

ALFRED SARANT has advised that when he left the apartment, 6-I, 65 Morton Street, NYC, in approximately September, 1946, he turned it over to JOEL BARR and he believes that VIVIAN GLASSMAN, BARR's girlfriend, had sent the first few rental payments to him in the form of money orders.

Among the business cards which were found at JULIUS ROSENBERG's apartment, 10 Monroe Street, New York City, by agents on the night of his arrest, July 17, 1950, was one for "MAGNETIC DEVICES CORPORATION, 7614 Woodside Avenue, Elmhurst, New York, telephone Newton 9-(remainder of number obliterated.) S.L. JAVNA."

It is to be noted that the wife of STEVE JAVNA is subject of a pending case in the Newark Office, entitled "CARLA SMALL, was; ESPIONAGE-R". Investigation pertaining to this case has reflected that the JAVNAS formerly resided in the apartment at 131 East 7th Street, which VIVIAN GLASSMAN currently resides in.

In an interview, STEVE JAVNA has advised that VIVIAN GLASSMAN and JULIUS ROSENBERG dropped into his apartment at 131 East 7th Street, NYC in the Fall of 1946 and at that time, JAVNA recognized ROSENBERG as a former classmate of his at the College of the City of New York.

During the course of an interview with SARANT on July 19, 1950 by Bureau Agents, he executed a waiver authorizing Bureau Agents to conduct a search of his home at Cayaga Heights Road, R.D. #1, Ithaca, New York.

Among the things located was a small address book containing a number of names, addresses and telephone numbers of individuals residing in the NY area.

Found in the address book was:

GLASSMAN  
343 East 8th Street  
New York 9  
AL 4-8654  
Office: DI 2-0540

~~ALFRED SARANT~~ has advised that this is VIVIAN GLASSMAN, who was a close personal friend of JOEL BARR and who went on a canoe trip with SARANT and BARR in 1943. He stated that VIVIAN GLASSMAN went on a canoe trip with BARR and he and his wife in 1944.

MRS. ALFRED SARANT advised that this entry refers to VIVIAN GLASSMAN, a girlfriend of JOEL BARR.

Current Manhattan Telephone Directory reflects that ELEANOR GLASSMAN resides at 343 East 8th Street, New York City, and her telephone number is listed as Algonquin 4-8658.

It is to be noted that ELEANOR GLASSMAN is the sister of VIVIAN GLASSMAN, who currently resides at 131 East 7th Street, New York City, and has telephone number Oregon 3-6378. It should further be noted that VIVIAN GLASSMAN formerly resided at 343 East 8th Street, NYC.

Confidential Informant T-1 (Confidential Source [redacted] contacted by SE WILLIAM STAPLETON on July 12, 25, 26, August 3, 4, 7, 11, 23, 1950; by SA F.X. O'DONNELL on August 18, 1950; by SE W. R. SWEENEY on September 15, 1950; and by ROBERT F. ROYAL through switchboard, NYO on September 15, 16, 17, 23, 1950) advised that Dickens 2-0540 is the telephone listing for the Jewish Board of Guardians, 353 Stone Avenue, Brooklyn, New York. b7d

It is further noted that VIVIAN GLASSMAN has advised that she was formerly employed by the Jewish Board of Guardians in Brooklyn, New York.

NY report 10/6/50 SA ROBERT F. ROYAL  
RE: ALFRED EPAMINONDAS SARANT, was;  
ESPIONAGE - R

49 65-15360-435pp38,39,45,82,117,118

MELVIN RICHARD BERNSTEIN, who resides with parents, at 26 Stowe Ave., Milford, Conn. stated he attended City College of New York for 4½ years receiving his degree in Engineering in February, 1938.

Names of individuals involved in JULIUS ROSENBERG ring which were mentioned to BERNSTEIN and pictures of these individuals were also displayed to BERNSTEIN but he failed to recall any of them.

Included in the group was VIVIAN GLASSMAN.

New Haven report 10/6/50 SA JAMES T. HAVERTY  
RE: MORTON SOBELL  
ESPIONAGE - R  
100-37158-806pj

BERNARD GARFINKEL, who resides at 801 Hopkinson Ave., Brooklyn, NY was interviewed at the office of his attorney MICHAEL WOLLIN, 215 Montague Street, Brooklyn, NY by SAS JOHN A. HARRINGTON and ROBERT F. ROYAL on 10/5/50.

GARFINKEL identified a photo of VIVIAN GLASSMAN as a former girlfriend of JOEL BARR's by the name of VIVIAN. The name of GLASSMAN was suggested for her last name and he stated that that was correct.

GARFINKEL was unable to furnish any additional information pertaining to VIVIAN GLASSMAN other than he possibly met her through JOEL BARR and she may have attended some musicales.

NY memo SA ROBERT F. ROYAL 10/11/50

RE: MORTON SOBELL

ESPIONAGE - R

100-37158-640p5

In accordance with request of MRS. RUTH B. SHIPLEY, Chief, Passport Division, Department of State, Washington, D.C., SAC WFO furnished date and place of birth of group of individuals. Included in the group was GLASSMAN, VIVIAN, was; "Vivie", Vivian Glassmen, MRS. S. GOLDBERG, January 30, 1919, New York, New York.

Washington Field let to MRS. RUTH B. SHIPLEY,  
cc NY 10/18/50  
RE: HARRY GOLD  
ESPIONAGE - R  
65-15324-560

BENTON GIBBS, a negro, was interviewed at his cottage at a farm outside of Fish Eddy, New York.

He stated that he was employed at the Regal Corporation and the Ted Lee Corporation in New York City from approximately January, 1943 until October or November, 1945. These two corporations were owned by a man named HENDRICK. According to GIBBS, ABRAHAM BROTHMAN was employed there as the Chief Engineer.

Photographs of individuals who are believed to be associated with the JULIUS ROSENBERG espionage ring were displayed to GIBBS negatively. Included in the group was VIVIAN GLASSMAN.

Albany report 10/19/50 SA JOHN D. MAHONEY

RE: ABRAHAM BROTHMAN, was;

MIRIAM MOSKOWITZ, was;

ESPIONAGE - R

100-95068-416p2

SA JOHN A. HARRINGTON reinterviewed DAVID GREENGLASS (no date) and he identified a photo of VIVIAN GLASSMAN and said that he first met her when he came back from the Army in March, 1946, and that he had met VIVIAN GLASSMAN at the apartment of JULIUS ROSENBERG at 10 Monroe Street, NYC. GREENGLASS advised that upon that occasion there were present in the apartment, JOEL BARR, JULIUS and ETHEL ROSENBERG, MILTON MANES, RUTH GREENGLASS as well as VIVIAN GLASSMAN and himself. He said that in all he saw VIVIAN about 4 times and knew that she was a girlfriend of JOEL BARR.

DAVID GREENGLASS said that one time his brother, BERNARD, told him that he had seen VIVIAN GLASSMAN with JOEL BARR at the shop of the Pitt Machine Products Co. Inc.

NY report 10/30/50 SA JOHN W. LEWIS

RE: DAVID GREENGLASS, was;

ESPIONAGE - R

65-15336-396p8



MR. & MRS. JOSEPH DARION, apt. GD-6, 10 Monroe Street, were interviewed by JAMES T. O'BRIEN and ROBERT S. PLANTZ. JOSEPH DARION was interviewed on 10/23/50 and his wife HELEN on 10/26/50.

DARION was shown the photos and names of persons who have figured in the ROSENBERG-GLASSMAN-SOBELL investigation, and in each instance was quite definite that neither the name nor the photo was familiar to him with the exception of photo of JULIUS ROSENBERG, which he said seemed somewhat familiar but he could not say in what connection.

HELEN stated that at the United Service for New Americans she was employed as a Board secretary. At the United Service for New Americans she became acquainted with VIVIAN GLASSMAN who was also employed in the executive offices of the organization. She stated that she knew little about VIVIAN GLASSMAN, but stated that VIVIAN GLASSMAN appears to be a person of good character.

NY memo SA ROBERT S. PLANTZ 10/30/50  
RE: STANLEY ROBERT RICH  
ESPIONAGE - R  
100-88394-6

BEVERLY GOODMAN LAWSKY, daughter of ANNA GOODMAN ALLEN, 1534 11th Street, Santa Monica, California, advised SA ANATOLE N. OSSIPOFF and THOMAS E. BRYANT on September 29, 1950, and that in 1936 she was a member of the Young Communist League in Washington, D.C. and in 1937 she went to NYC where she married ALFRED STATLER and became a member of the CP in Greenwich Village.

At the time of interview with LAWSKY, photographs of individuals were displayed to her with negative results. Included in the group was VIVIAN GLASSMAN.

MR. STANLEY ANTELL, 4139C Hillcrest Drive, Los Angeles, advised on October 10, 1950, that he did not know subject, SOBELL, and did not recognize his photograph. ANTELL viewed photographs of a group of various individuals in ROSENBERG RING, and stated he could not identify any of the individuals pictured. Names of these individuals were furnished ANTELL, who stated that while some sounded vaguely familiar he could not recall the individuals and thus could furnish no information regarding their activities. Included in the group was VIVIAN GLASSMAN.

MR. LEONARD FREINKEL, 117 S. Arnaz Drive, Beverly Hills, California stated on October 16, 1950, that he attended the City College of NY from September 1933 to January 1938, and began working at the Patent Office in Washington, D.C. in December 1938.

FREINKEL was unable to identify group of individuals of ROSENBERG RING either by name or from their photographs.

Included in the group was VIVIAN GLASSMAN.

Los Angeles report 10/31/50 SA THOMAS E. BRYANT  
RE: MORTON SOBELL, was;  
ESPIONAGE - R  
100-37158-802pp4,6,8

ELAYNE GOLDSTEIN, 169 Scenic Road, Springfield, Delaware County, Pa., was interviewed on September 29, 1950. by SA MAHLON J. PRICE and ROBERT G. JENSEN.

She advised that she had lived at 2225 N Street, NW, Washington, D.C., from some time in 1942-until-some time in 1944. She advised that she was employed by the National Federation for Constitutional Liberties while she was in Washington.

The National Federation for Constitutional Liberties has been listed as a Communist organization coming within the purview of Executive Order 9835, by the Attorney General of the United States.

ELAYNE GOLDSTEIN was also asked September 29, for supplemental information concerning along with others VIVIAN GLASSMAN. She stated she did not know any of the individuals, and was not able to recognize any of them from photos shown. She again qualified her remarks about these people by saying it was possible that she may have met some of them, but she was unable to recall if this were so.

Philadelphia report 11/10/50 SA ROBERT G. JENSEN  
RE: MORTON SOBELL, was;  
ESPIONAGE - R  
100-37158-845p6

During the course of interviews with the former students classmates of ROSENBERG and SOBELL at CCNY, photographs of all suspects were displayed to these graduates and they were interrogated as to their knowledge of these individuals in addition to SOBELL and ROSENBERG.

Included in the group was VIVIAN GLASSMAN and no information was obtained during these interviews.

NY report SA REX I. SHRODER 11/13/50  
RE: MORTON SOBELL, was;  
ESPIONAGE - R  
100-37158-851p51

NATHAN SUSSMAN was interviewed November 29, 1950, at his place of employment, Fairchild Aviation Corporation, Farmingdale, Long Island, New York, by SA REX I. SHRODER and BERT S. TAYLOR.

SUSSMAN identified a photograph of JOEL BARR as a former fellow employee at Western Electric. He stated he has not seen BARR since their mutual employment at Western Electric. He said he did not recall but one visit to BARR's home and he recalled that at that time BARR lived in upper Manhattan about 90th Street. He stated that this visit, to the best of his recollection, occurred in early 1943. He stated that the occasion of this visit was a party but he recalled no one who was present. He subsequently added that ALFRED SARANT was the only individual of the approximately twenty persons who were at this party that he recalled. He then stated that VIVIAN GLASSMAN was at this party. It is pointed out that the identification of GLASSMAN as an individual at this party was made from an examination of GLASSMAN's photograph.

NY memo SA BERT S. TAYLOR 12/6/50  
RE: NATHAN SUSSMAN  
ESPIONAGE - R  
100-37158-911p2  
65-15349-34 p2

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] who is being considered at the present time as a potential  
CNDI, advised PERRIN C. BYARS and SA CHARLES L. SMITH that DORIS WALDRON  
employed in a clerical capacity at United Service for New Americans.

[REDACTED] advised that WALDRON is very active in Local 19, UOPWA,  
and is very outspoken in favor of Communism. [REDACTED] also advised that WALDRON  
is closely acquainted with persons, all of whom are prominent in Local 19,  
and "very sympathetic to the cause of Communism." b7d

Included among the group was VIVIAN GLASSMAN, address unknown.

NY memo SA PERRIN C. BYARS 12/21/50

RE: DORIS WALDRON

SECURITY MATTER - C

100-95696-2p2

[REDACTED]  
advised SA PERRIN C. BYARS and CHARLES L. SMITH that DORIS WALDRON (subject of SECURITY MATTER - C case NYO) very active in Local 19, UOPWA and is very outspoken in favor of Communism. [REDACTED] advised that WALDRON is closely acquainted with persons, all of whom are prominent in Local 19, and "very sympathetic to the cause of Communism." Included was VIVIAN GLASSMAN (address unknown). b7d

NY memo 12/21/50 SA PERRIN C. BYARS

RE: DORIS WALDRON

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100-93558-1B1p5

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MRS. SIDNEY BARKSKY, nee ALICE KATZ, who resides at 1475 Metchell Avenue, Bronx, New York, telephone number Tivoli 2-2251, was interviewed on November 2, 1950 by SA ROBERT F. ROYAL.

She said she knew VIVIAN GLASSMAN as the "girlfriend" of BARR's. VIVIAN GLASSMAN, according to MRS. BARKSKY, had reactivated her interest in photography through her friendship with JOEL BARR; however, it was her impression that VIVIAN GLASSMAN had been exposed to photography while a student at Hunter College. She stated that she doesn't believe that VIVIAN GLASSMAN, at that time, had any photographic equipment, other than what was available to JOEL BARR. She stated that she could not be definite as to what type of equipment he had.

MRS. BARKSKY stated that VIVIAN GLASSMAN, who she still maintains social contact with, had taken her to the apartment of one of SARANT's former girl friends by the name of GLADYS MEYER sometime in 1944. She indicated that GLADYS MEYER lived on Waverly Place, in NYC, with her sister, whose name she believes to have been ARLINE.

LEON ROSENBAUM, 20-45 21st Street, Astoria, Long Island, New York, was contacted by SA ROBERT F. ROYAL on November 9, 1950.

ROSENBAUM stated that he was only slightly acquainted with SARANT, and that he did not know JOEL BARR. He indicated that he had met VIVIAN GLASSMAN through MRS. BARKSKY.

MRS. SIDNEY BARKSKY, nee ALICE KATZ, mentioned previously in this report, identified photographs of GLADYS MEYER as having lived in approximately 1944 at 118 Washington Place, New York City, with a sister named ARLINE. She recalls having visited her at that address with VIVIAN GLASSMAN.

MRS. BARKSKY stated that she had formerly resided at 320 Ocean Avenue, Long Branch, New Jersey with VIVIAN GLASSMAN, ELEANOR GLASSMAN, ESTHER LUTTAN, who is now married to an individual by the name of BALSAM, VIVIAN FRUCHTBAUM, who is now married to a man named CARLIN, JUDY GROLLMAN, GLADYS SEIGAL, MILDRED BLOCK, who is now married to a man named CLINTON and ELAINE GOLD, who is now married to a man by the name of ADLER. MRS. BARKSKY stated that everyone who lived at their house knew ALFRED SARANT.

NY report 12/26/50 SA ROBERT F. ROYAL  
RE: ALFRED EPAMINONDAS SARANT, was;  
ESPIONAGE - R  
65-15360-565pp16,17,18,78,115

VICTOR K. D. ROSS, was; (father-in-law of ALFRED EPAMINONDAS SARANT) advised that he met JOEL BARR when he came to Ithaca with ALFRED and LOUISE SARANT and an unknown woman while these four individuals were on a canoe trip. ROSS stated that at this time, his wife MINA was in a hospital at SAYRE, Pennsylvania and that this party of four had stayed in his cottage on the West Shore of Lake Cayuga for a few days. He stated that he had never seen this unknown woman before or after this incident. It will be noted that MRS. ALFRED SARANT (LOUISE SARANT) has advised that in 1945 she went on a canoe trip with JOEL BARR, VIVIAN GLASSMAN and ALFRED SARANT and that on the conclusion of this canoe trip, the four of them visited for a few days in Ithaca, New York.

Albany report 12/28/50 SA PETER F. MAXSON

RE: VICTOR K. D. ROSS, was; -----

ESPIONAGE - R

100-60758-22p13

On November 29, 1950, GERTRUDE SUSSMAN, wife of NATHAN SUSSMAN, was interviewed at her home, 56-55 205th Street, Bayside, Long Island, by SAS JAMES T. O'BRIEN and CHARLES P. SILVERTHORN.

She specifically denied knowing along with others, VIVIAN GLASSMAN.

NY memo SA CHARLES P. SILVERTHORN 1/10/51  
RE: MORTON SOBELL, was;  
ESPIONAGE - R  
100-37158-984p3

On 1/17/51, MRS. SIDNEY POWELL, 56-27 194th Street, Queens, NYC, was interviewed by SA JAMES T. O'BRIEN and SA JAMES E. FREANEY. She verified the fact that she was SARAH SILVERMAN before marriage, that she had been employed by the Civil Service Commission at Washington, D.C. about 1939.

She viewed the picture and was given the names of group of individuals without eliciting recognition. Included in the group was VIVIAN GLASSMAN.

NY memo SA JAMES T. O'BRIEN 1/23/51  
RE: MORTON SOBELL, was;  
ESPIONAGE - R  
100-37158-1004p2

On November 16, 1950 FREDERICK NEWTON ESHER was interviewed at the New York Office by SA ALFRED BURLINSON and SA VINCENT J. CAHILL. On November 20, 1950 he was again interviewed at the NYO by SA VINCENT J. CAHILL.

During the course of interviews with ESHER on November 16, and 20, 1950, photographs of individuals were shown to him but he was unable to identify any one of the photographs exhibited to him.

Included in the group was a photo of VIVIAN GLASSMAN

NY report 2/3/51 SA VINCENT J. CAHILL  
RE: FREDERICK NEWTON ESHER, was;  
ESPIONAGE - R  
65-15280-137p19

Concerning statement on page 2 of this letter that ROSENBERG is concerned with the information given the government by a woman allegedly on intimate terms with his wife, it is believed that ROSENBERG refers to VIVIAN GLASSMAN who has been interviewed by agents of the NYO and has appeared before the Grand Jury, SDNY where according to Chief Assistant United States Attorney MYLES J. LANE, she claimed her constitutional privilege.

It is to be noted that NYO does not have a photo of VIVIAN GLASSMAN and ETHEL ROSENBERG together, but this office is in possession of a group photo which includes VIVIAN GLASSMAN, JOEL BARR, LOUISE and ALFRED SARANT.

VIVIAN GLASSMAN in her initial interview by NY Agents in describing the circumstances surrounding her trip to Cleveland, Ohio, has advised that an unknown man had come to her apartment and given her the \$2000 to deliver to the engineer in Cleveland and that on her return to NY this man again came to her apartment and she returned money to him.

NY let. to Dir. 2/20/51  
RE: JULIUS ROSENBERG, ET AL  
(JEROME EUGENE TARTAKOW - INF)  
ESPIONAGE - R  
65-15348-1209p4

On 1/31/51, MRS. RUTH ALSCHER (MAX ELITCHER's sister-in-law) of 1145 Madison Avenue, NYC in response to a subpoena which had been served on her, testified before the Grand Jury of Southern District of New York.

On that day she was interviewed by agents of this office and along with other photos, one of VIVIAN GLASSMAN was shown to her, which she failed to identify.

NY report SA VINCENT J. CAHILL 2/27/51  
RE: MAX ELITCHER; HELENE ELITCHER  
ESPIONAGE - R  
65-14873-338p20



EVELYN COX, negro maid, interviewed by agents and AUSAS on 3/2/52. MRS. COX said she started working for ROSENBERGS in Fall of 1944 and continued her employment through 1945, and again worked for them for a short time in spring of 1947.....She stated that the only person that she had ever heard ETHEL speak of was a girlfriend, VIVIAN, last name unknown. She stated VIVIAN would mind little MICHAEL while JULIUS and ETHEL went out of an evening.....

NYtel to Bureau 3/3/51  
RE: JULIUS ROSENBERG ET AL  
ESPIONAGE - R  
65-15348-1308

On September 8, 1950, RUTH GREENGLASS also advised that during the September, 1945 furlough of her husband, DAVID GREENGLASS, she visited the ROSENBERG apartment at 10 Monroe Street, New York City, and that VIVIAN GLASSMAN was present. She was unable to recall much concerning the circumstances of the visit, but she did recall that her husband, DAVID, drove VIVIAN GLASSMAN home in her, RUTH's, father's car. She also stated that on one occasion JULIUS ROSENBERG told her that he was going to see VIVIAN in connection with a change in the political situation. She recalled that this was probably in 1945.

RUTH GREENGLASS also stated that she again met VIVIAN GLASSMAN in the ROSENBERG apartment in the Fall of 1946 or the early part of 1947. She stated that she believed VIVIAN GLASSMAN was giving ETHEL ROSENBERG advice concerning the raising of the ROSENBERG child, MICHAEL. She recalled that ETHEL ROSENBERG told her that VIVIAN GLASSMAN was a social worker and had worked for the National Maritime Union or some other organization.....

RUTH GREENGLASS also stated that one night during the Christmas holidays in 1947 she was in the ROSENBERG apartment and that VIVIAN GLASSMAN and JOEL BARR were also there. She recalled that GLASSMAN brought clothes, including ski pants and heavy clothing for ETHEL ROSENBERG, who was going on a vacation with her husband, JULIUS. She also recalled that about two years ago she and her husband had little funds and JULIUS and ETHEL ROSENBERG also had very little money and that JOEL BARR and VIVIAN GLASSMAN came to the ROSENBERG apartment and brought the whole dinner for everybody.

RUTH GREENGLASS stated that no one had ever said that VIVIAN GLASSMAN was a Communist, and that she, RUTH, did not know if GLASSMAN was. She stated, however, that her impression was that she was a Communist because of her close association with ETHEL and JULIUS ROSENBERG and JOEL BARR.

DAVID GREENGLASS advised on September 8, 1950 that he met VIVIAN GLASSMAN at the apartment of JULIUS ROSENBERG when he came back from the Army in March of 1946. He stated that in all he saw GLASSMAN about four times and knew her to be a friend of JOEL BARR.

NY report 3/11/51 SA JAMES P. LEE  
RE: JULIUS ROSENBERG, ET AL  
ESPIONAGE - R  
65-15348-1406pp11,12

With regard to the woman on intimate terms with ROSENBERG's wife who made a trip to a Western city, it is to be noted VIVIAN GLASSMAN, made a trip to Cleveland, Ohio, and attempted to deliver \$2,000 to WILLIAM PERL to defray his expenses to Mexico. It is also noted that the NY office does not have a photograph of GLASSMAN and ETHEL ROSENBERG together, but that GLASSMAN appears in a group photograph with JOEL BARR, ALFRED SARANT and his wife.

NY report 3/16/51 SA WILLIAM F. NORTON, JR.  
RE: JULIUS ROSENBERG;  
ETHEL ROSENBERG, was;  
MORTON SOBELL, was;  
ESPIONAGE - R  
65-15348-1439p38

.....JULIUS ROSENBERG testified MORTON SOBELL and his wife visited  
ROSENBERG's home about Christmas 1947 or 1948. Other people were present  
but the only one ROSENBERG could remember was VIVIAN GLASSMAN.....

NY tel. 3/22/51 Bureau  
RE: TRIAL SUMMARY, JULIUS ROSENBERG  
ESPIONAGE - R  
65-15348-1499p5

JEROME TARTAKOW on March 22, 1951, confidentially advised SA ARMAND A. CAMMAROTA of following with reference to the ROSENBERG trial.....ROSENBERG stated that contact with VIVIAN GLASSMAN asking her to take two thousand dollars to PERL in Cleveland was made directly by Russian Agents. VIVIAN GLASSMAN is a trusted courier of the Russians. WILLIAM PERL is also a Russian agent and had been set up to furnish info with reference to aerodynamics should he have been successful in obtaining a position with the AEC.....

NY tel. to Bureau 3/23/51

RE: JULIUS ROSENBERG  
ESPIONAGE - R  
65-15348-1555p2

.....(Trial Summary, Morning Session, March 26, 1951). Rosenberg knows VIVIAN GLASSMAN and was introduced by JOEL BARR to her many years ago at a place he no longer remembers. He believed it might have occurred at a Union Headquarters. He has seen VIVIAN GLASSMAN off and on since 1939. He is unable to state how many times a year he saw her. She was JOEL BARR's sweetheart. BARR sometimes brought her to ROSENBERG's home and at other times ROSENBERG saw her at musicales. JOEL BARR left the country about the end of 1947 or the beginning of 48. Since then he has seen VIVIAN GLASSMAN at his own home or at his shop, but never at gatherings. In 1950, ROSENBERG saw VIVIAN a number of times. He saw her for the last time a couple of months before his arrest. VIVIAN GLASSMAN is a social worker and ROSENBERG discussed his problem child with her. As a result of this discussion, treatment of MICHAEL was undertaken at the Jewish Board of Guardians. ROSENBERG denied giving VIVIAN any money or sending her on a trip to Cleveland. He testified that he never heard of this trip and of the money before it was mentioned in the courtroom. He specifically denied giving VIVIAN \$2000 to take to Cleveland. He admitted he may have read of VIVIAN GLASSMAN in a case in the newspaper a few weeks ago. He testified that he did not read, however, that he gave her any money.....

NY tel. to Bureau 3/26/51  
RE: JULIUS ROSENBERG  
ESPIONAGE - R  
65-15348-1533

MRS. REBECCA BARR, 241 West 97th Street, the aged mother of JOKI BARR, was interviewed by SAS DOUGLAS P. WHITE and FREDERICK C. BAUCKHAM on 8/3/50.

On 1/26/51 ARTHUR BARR advised SAS BAUCKHAM and ROBERT F. ROYAL that he and his wife, ROSE BARR, had dinner with VIVIAN GLASSMAN on an undisclosed date (later determined to be Aug. 4, 1950) at which time they discussed the interview of MRS. REBECCA BARR. It would appear that information resulting from the BARRS' contact with VIVIAN GLASSMAN was forwarded to JULIUS ROSENBERG possibly through his attorney, thus accounting for part of the information furnished to our informant.

MRS. SARANT has recently been interviewed by agents of the Albany office concerning her association with EDWARD LINDEMANN.....She stated that to her knowledge, LINDEMANN never met VIVIAN GLASSMAN.....

NY report 4/5/51 SA ROBERT F. ROYAL  
RE: [REDACTED]

ESPIONAGE - R  
65-15479-7pp3,5

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On January 26, 1951, ARTHUR BARR advised SA FRIDERICK C. BAUCKHAM and ROBERT F. ROYAL that he and his wife, ROSE BARR had dinner with VIVIAN GLASSMAN on an undisclosed date during the intervening period between the interview of his mother and his initial contact by Bureau Agents, at which time they discussed the interview of MRS. REBECCA BARR.

SAS BAUCKHAM and RICHARD T. HRADSKY have since re-interviewed ARTHUR BARR and have interviewed ROSE BARR pertaining to the dinner with VIVIAN GLASSMAN. The date of this dinner has been established as August 4, 1950.

On February 27, 1951, THOMAS F. DONOVAN, who resides in apartment 6I, 65 Morton Street, New York City, telephone number WA 4-1277, was interviewed by SA ROBERT F. ROYAL at the apartment of his sister, MRS. FRANK GARLAND, who resides at 85 Christopher Street, New York City.

DONOVAN related that on January 28, 1950, the day on which his mother was buried in NYC, he and his two sisters and possibly a brother-in-law accompanied by FLOYD ELWYN, JR., the building superintendent, went to Apartment 6I at approximately 5 p.m.

He stated that when this group of four or five visited Apartment 6I, they were admitted by an unknown man. DONOVAN recalled seeing a young woman sitting on a bed in the bedroom. The description of this unknown man and unknown woman will be set forth as a joint description furnished by DONOVAN and his sister, MRS. FRANK GARLAND, later in this report. DONOVAN after viewing numerous photographs, advised that the photograph of VIVIAN GLASSMAN generally resembles that of the unknown woman. However, he stated that he could not make a positive identification based on a photograph.

MRS. FRANK GARLAND, nee Ann Donovan, who resides at 85 Christopher Street, NYC, advised SA ROYAL on February 27, 1951, that she is the sister of THOMAS F. DONOVAN, current tenant in Apt. 6I, 65 Morton Street, NYC. She stated that on or about January 25, 1950, information was received from her sister, MRS. THOMAS MC GILL, nee Mary Donovan, 85 Harrow Street, New York City, to the effect that apartment 6I, 65 Morton Street, would be available to rent on or about February 1, 1950.

On January 28, 1950, MRS. GARLAND indicated that at approximately 4:30 to 5:00 p.m. she, her sister MRS. THOMAS MC GILL, and possibly MRS. MC GILL's husband, and her brother, THOMAS F. DONOVAN, accompanied FLOYD ELWYN, JR. building superintendent at 65 Morton Street, to apartment 6I for examination of this apartment prior to renting.

MRS. GARLAND recalled that they were admitted to this apartment by a man who may be described as follows:

Height	5'8"
Weight	135-150
Build	slim
Hair	dark, crew cut

Age  
Clothes

35

wearing khaki colored pants, basque shirt

MRS. GARLAND continued to advise that FLOYD ELWYN, JR. advised this man that he had some people who desired to see the apartment and they were subsequently admitted. She noted that during their examination of the apartment this man was observed to be shying away from them and she observed him looking out the window with his back to them. She recalled that there was a young woman sitting in the bedroom on the bed. She described this young woman as follows:

Height  
Weight  
Age  
Hair

5'2" approximately  
115  
30 to 35  
dark (?)

MRS. THOMAS F. DONOVAN concurred with his sister on this description. After viewing numerous photographs, most resembling the woman she had observed sitting on the bed, she picked VIVIAN GLASSMAN as that woman. She recalled that this apartment was sparsely furnished and the only furnishings that she definitely recalled were a bed, which did not have a headboard or a footboard (Hollywood bed) and a card table which was located in the living room. She stated that after they had hurriedly examined this apartment, they left this man and woman in the apartment.

On 2/27/51, MRS. THOMAS A. MC GILL, nee Mary Donovan, 85 Barrow Street, NYC, was interviewed by SA ROYAL. She advised that on January 28, 1950, her husband, her sister MRS. FRANK GARLAND, her brother, THOMAS F. DONOVAN, the building superintendent FLOYD ELWYN, JR., and herself went to apartment 6I, 65 Morton Street, NYC, at approximately 6:00 to 6:30 a.m. in the evening.

MRS. MC GILL advised that in the bedroom of the apartment they found a woman sitting on the bed. She described this woman as follows:

Height  
Weight  
Build  
Complexion  
Hair  
Age  
Clothes

5'3"  
115  
thin  
dark  
dark  
late 20's  
Wearing slacks and a T-shirt.

Various photographs were exhibited to MRS. MC GILL and she stated that the man most resembled WELDON BRUCE DAYTON and the woman most resembled the photograph of VIVIAN GLASSMAN.

MR. THOMAS A. MC GILL was subsequently interviewed

by SA ROYAL on 2/27/51. He related substantially the same story. MR. MC GILL stated, as did his wife, that the photograph of WELDON BRUCE DAYTON MOST nearly resembled that of the man and the photograph of VIVIAN GLASSMAN most resembled the girl. He stated that the photograph of BETTY SANDERS also somewhat resembled that of the girl.

On March 17, 1951, NATHAN SUSSMAN who resides at 56-55 205th Street, Bayside, Long Island, New York, was interviewed at the NYO by SA BERT S. TAYLOR and ROBERT F. ROYAL concerning his knowledge of ALFRED SARANT.

SUSSMAN also related an instance in which SARANT, BARR, GLADYS MEYER, VIVIAN GLASSMAN and he and his wife participated. He said that GLADYS MEYER prior to December, 1943, was dating SARANT and he believes that VIVIAN GLASSMAN was then dating JOEL BARR. He related that although MEYER was dating SARANT, she was in love with BARR and in order to "purge" herself of SARANT she "slept" with some unknown man at the very same resort in the Peekskill Mountain region where SUSSMAN and his wife were spending their honeymoon in December, 1943.

SARANT heard about this and "blew his top." In an attempt to effect a reconciliation between MEYER and SARANT, VIVIAN GLASSMAN entered into this as a consulting psychologist. The reason for VIVIAN GLASSMAN's participation in this was that she desired to assist in a reconciliation between GLADYS MEYER and ALFRED SARANT and her sole interest was saving JOEL BARR for herself.

On March 20, 1951, MRS. NATHAN SUSSMAN was reinterviewed by SA BERT S. TAYLOR and ROBERT F. ROYAL at her residence, 56-55 205th Street, Bayside, Long Island, New York.

MRS. SUSSMAN recalled that ALFRED SARANT came to their apartment in the Sunnyside Section of Long Island, New York, in early 1944 and related his difficulties with GLADYS MEYER to them.

Subsequent to SARANT's visit to their Sunnyside residence, MRS. SUSSMAN stated that she and her husband met JOEL BARR, ALFRED SARANT and VIVIAN GLASSMAN somewhere in the Greenwich Village area of New York City in possibly January, 1944. She stated that the reason for this meeting was for them to discuss the GLADYS MEYER problem and that it had been contemplated that ALFRED SARANT would approach GLADYS MEYER for a reconciliation.

On January 13, 1951, EDWARD OTTO LINDEMANN, apartment BD5, 32 Monroe Street, New York City, was interviewed in the presence of his wife, LOUISE SEROT, by SA JAMES P. LEE and SA ROBERT F. ROYAL.

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Photographs of ALFRED or LOUISE SARANT were exhibited to LINDEMANN. He denied ever having known these individuals. He specifically denied that LOUISE SARANT had ever resided at his apartment at 60 or 58 Morton Street, NYC; it is recalled that the address, "PUSS ROSS, 60 Morton Street, WA5-3686" appeared in SARANT's small address book. MRS. SARANT has advised that she rented a room in an apartment leased by LINDEMANN at 60 Morton Street, NYC, for approximately six months in early part of 1945. MRS. SARANT advised that LINDEMANN, whom she knew as slim, was also acquainted with her husband, ALFRED SARANT, but to her knowledge he never met JOEL BARR, VIVIAN GLASSMAN.....

NY report 4/14/51 SA ROBERT F. ROYAL

RE: CHANGED

ALFRED EPAMINONDAS SARANT, was;

LOUISE ROSS SARANT

ESPIONAGE - R

65-15360-666pp5,6,7,10,11,12,21,22,27,

LOUIS F. BUDENZ interviewed 4/18/51 re group of individuals.  
Results of interview placed in case files of these individuals. Included in the  
group was VIVIAN GLASSMAN (photo shown).

NY memo SA WM. J. MC CARTHY blocked stamped 4/19/51  
RE: LOUIS F. BUDENZ  
CONFIDENTIAL INFORMANT  
66-6709-370

Page 35 of report of SA ROBERT F. ROYAL indicates that ALICE KATZ BARSKY furnished as a reference to the Farrant Optical Co. Inc. the name VIVIAN CARLIN, 315 W. 21st Street.

It is noted that VIVIAN GLASSMAN furnished to Columbia University as a reference, (probably in June, 1943) the name MRS. B. CARLIN, 315 W. 21st Street. Although it is realized BARSKY and GLASSMAN are acquainted, it is pointed out that in the investigation of JOSEPH WITOUT ECKHART (Bufile 100-363606) that ELIZABETH BENTLEY has advised one BEATRICE CARLIN introduced her to ECKHART. It is not known if these people are identical. Information furnished for consideration NY office.

Cleveland let. to Dir. cc NY 4/19/51

RE: ALFRED EPAMINONDAS SARANT, was;

LOUISE SARANT

ESPIONAGE - R

65-15360-674

On April 30, 1951, DANIEL DAVID ROSARD was interviewed at his residence 6244 Washington Ave. by SA RALPH J. T. CARTER, JR. and ROBERT G. JENSEN. ROSARD said he was previously known as DANIEL DAVID ROSENBERG. At time of his naturalization in December, 1948, the U.S. District Court Philadelphia granted him right to use name ROSARD.

PHOTO of VIVIAN GLASSMAN shown to ROSARD with no identification being effected.

Philadelphia report 5/9/51 SA ROBERT G. JENSEN

RE: JOEL BARR

ESPIONAGE - R

65-15392-206p3



By letter 12/21/50 to NY, copies of certain southern and western border offices, Bureau advised that the Criminal Division of Department had requested INS to place a lookout notice against 33 named persons "suspected of being involved in Soviet espionage or closely associated with persons known to have been engaged in espionage activities."

Included was VIVIAN GLASSMAN.

Born 1/30/19, NYC, residence 131 E. 7th Street, NYC, Social Service worker (presently unemployed). Associate of JULIUS and ETHEL ROSENBERG and WILLIAM PERL and former paramour of JOEL BARR, suspected Soviet agent who has been in Europe since January, 1948.

Bureau let. to Albany, cc NY 5/25/51  
RE: JULIUS ROSENBERG, ET AL  
ESPIONAGE - R  
65-15348-1743

MAX FINESTONE testified before Federal Grand Jury, Southern District of New York on both April 16 and April 17, 1951.

He refused to testify on grounds that it would tend to incriminate him in knowing following. (a list of individuals set out) Included on this list was VIVIAN GLASSMAN.

From previous investigation prior to FINESTONE's appearance before the Federal Grand information obtained from a review of the Grand Jury Minutes and subsequent investigation indicating contact with VIVIAN GLASSMAN and his residency at apartment 6I, 65 Morton Street, NYC as of 11/30/49.

NY let. to Dir. 5/26/51

RE: ALFRED E. SARANT, was;

ESPIONAGE - R

65-15360-707p4

MAXWELL FINESTONE contacted VIVIAN GLASSMAN during late evening hours of 4/5/51 at her residence.

Complaint form ROBERT F. ROYAL block stamped 5/26/51

RE: MAXWELL FINESTONE, wa;

Top Flor Rear

173 West End Ave.

ESPIONAGE - R

ISA, 1950

65-15735-14p1

..... [REDACTED] advises that man, believed to be identical with MAX FINESTONE, was last individual ROSENBERG recruited into Soviet Espionage, that this man drove ROSENBERG to Syracuse to see SARANT and pick up Espionage material, and ROSENBERG believes it was this man whom Russians sent to see VIVIAN GLASSMAN.....

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Bureau tel. to NY 6/22/51  
RE: MAXWELL FINESTONE  
ESPIONAGE - R  
65-15735-14p1

WALDO and ROSE MC NUTT were unable to identify by name  
a photo of VIVIAN GLASSMAN displayed to them along with others..

NY report 7/10/51 SA WILLIAM F. NORTON, JR.  
RE: JULIUS ROSENBERG, ET AL  
ESPIONAGE - R  
65-15348-1724p9

On 7/2/51, AUSA JOHN M. FOLEY, SDNY, advised SA JOHN A. HARRINGTON and ROBERT F. ROYAL, that in his opinion, based on information furnished to him that date by DAVID GREENGLASS, information previously furnished to him in interviews with GARY PICKARD and on information which he had reviewed in reports pertaining to the various individuals involved in a circumstantial manner, that ALFRED SARANT's apt. 6I, 65 Morton Street, NYC, was used by JULIUS ROSENBERG, JOEL BARR, WILLIAM PERL, MAXWELL FINESTONE and others for the furtherance of an espionage conspiracy.

MR. FOLEY was also of the opinion that ALFRED and LOUISE SARANT's participation in the pay of rent to the 65 St. Realty Co. of NYC and VIVIAN GLASSMAN's payment of rent to ALFRED SARANT for potential use of this apt. tended to show their conspiracy in this matter.

NY report 8/7/51 SA ROBERT F. ROYAL  
RE: MAXWELL FINESTONE, was;  
ESPIONAGE - R  
65-15735-33p67

JOHN DAVID LYLE interviewed 8/20/51 at Los Angeles office.

VIVIAN GLASSMAN - LYLE stated the photos of GLASSMAN looked familiar and the name also sounded familiar but he could not recall meeting GLASSMAN. However he stated it was possible she could have attended one of the gatherings at FINESTONE's apt.

Los Angeles report SA THOMAS E. BRYANT  
8/29/51

RE: ALFRED E. SARANT, was;  
LOUISE ROSS SARANT, was;  
ESPIONAGE - R  
65-15360-779



JOHN DAVID LYLE was interviewed on 8/20/51 at Los Angeles Office.

VIVIAN GLASSMAN \* LYLE stated the photo of GLASSMAN looked familiar but he could not recall meeting GLASSMAN. He stated it was possible she may have attended one of the gatherings at FINESTONE apt.

Los Angeles report 8/31/51 SA THOMAS E. BRYANT  
RE: MAXWELL FINESTONE, was;  
ESPIONAGE - R  
65-15735-50p5

DONALD BENNETT who is employed as a fireman by the City of Ithaca, and who was also employed by ALFRED SARANT, as a painter, was recontacted. BENNETT advised that SARANT was a good man to work for and that he never suspected him of any subversive activity. He was questioned concerning any contacts of SARANT and was displayed photos of JULIUS ROSENBERG, WILLIAM PERL, JOEL BARR and VIVIAN GLASSMAN. BENNETT stated that none of these persons are familiar to him and that he does not associate these photos with any of SARANT's contacts.

Albany report SA PETER F. MAXSON 9/11/51

RE: ALFRED EPAMINONDAS SARANT, was;

LOUISE ROSS SARANT, was;

ESPIONAGE - R

65-15360-784

MISS MELISANDE "NONNY" CONGDON, was interviewed by SA ROBERT F. ROYAL on July 25 and September 20, 1951.

During the course of the interview, a photo of VIVIAN GLASSMAN was exhibited to MISS CONGDON and she stated that although she was not familiar, she recalls that a MAX FINESTONE had spoken of "VIVIE."

On 9/13/51, MR. GEORGE M. STONE, brother of MAXWELL FINESTONE was interviewed by SA HERMAN C. LITTLEJOHN and ROBERT F. ROYAL.

On October 3, 1951, STONE was recontacted by SA ROYAL. He stated that he had nothing new to add to information that he previously furnished. He stated that he had had further discussions with his brother on this matter and MAX told him "I don't see any reason why you should pursue this matter any further." STONE stated that he talked to MAX pertaining to his knowledge of VIVIAN GLASSMAN, MICHAEL SIDOROVICH and WELDON BRUCE DAYTON. He stated that MAX would not comment on any of these individuals.

NY report SA ROBERT F. ROYAL 10/15/51

RE: CHANGED

MAXWELL FINESTONE, was;

ESPIONAGE - R

INTERNAL SECURITY ACT OF 1950

65-15735-79pp25,41

The following reference consisted of NY let. to Dir. 10/27/51  
enclosing 6 copies of inserts for a group of individuals.

Included was VIVIAN GLASSMAN.

100-5114-98

cc NY.

The following appeared in Bureau letter to Philadelphia,

As you are aware, a thorough investigation is being conducted concerning MAXWELL FINESTONE on the basis of information received through New York Security Informant [redacted] of unknown reliability. According to this informant, FINESTONE was reported to have been one of the last persons recruited by JULIUS ROSENBERG in connection with the operations of his espionage network and was believed to have been the person who instructed VIVIAN GLASSMAN to contact WILLIAM PERL and to furnish PERL with money and directions to leave the country.....

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Bureau let. to Philadelphia, cc NY 11/20/51

RE: MAXWELL FINESTONE, was;

ESPIONAGE - R

65-15735-103

ARTHUR S. BANKS, 5153 Sherrier Place, N.W., Washington, D.C. telephone OR 4966, who is employed by the Armed Forces Security Agency, was interviewed by SA MACE H. SCOVELL and SA HOWARD FLETCHER, JR. in WFO on October 24 and November 6, 1951.

BANKS was exhibited photos of individuals and he advised that none of the photographs were familiar to him.

Included in the group, was photo of VIVIAN GLASSMAN.

Washington, D.C. report SA HOWARD FLETCHER, JR.  
12/4/51

RE: ALFRED EPAMINONDAS SARANT, was; et al  
ESPIONAGE - R  
65-15360-832p7

MR. and MRS. NORMAN POIRIER, 638 S. New Hampshire, Los Angeles, were interviewed at the Los Angeles Office on November 21, 1951 by SA CHARLES J. NAGLE, JR. and SA THOMAS E. BRYANT. POIRIER said he is presently employed as a publicity agent for the musical production, "My L.A.", which is being produced in Los Angeles.

Photos of individuals were displayed to MR. and MRS. POIRIER with negative results.

Included among the group was a photo of VIVIAN GLASSMAN.

Los Angeles report 12/7/51 SA THOMAS  
E. BRYANT

RE: ALFRED EPAMINONDAS SARANT, was;  
ESPIONAGE - R

65-15360-849p44

65-15360-11584

On 11/30/51 MRS. DONALD HAUSDORF was interviewed in presence of her husband in their apartment at 730 Eddy Street, San Francisco, California.

She advised that she never met nor does she know anything about (among others) VIVIAN GLASSMAN.

San Francisco report 12/14/51 SA PAUL C. FULLER

RE: MAXWELL FINESTONE, was;  
ESPIONAGE - R  
ISA, 1950  
65-15735-120p2



MRS. JAMES M. SHERWOOD, the former MARION HARRIET PORTER, 4218 Baltimore Avenue, Telephone Number EV 6-3736, was interviewed on 1/3, 4, 1952 by SA ROBERT G. JENSEN and MAURICE C. CARROLL.

SHERWOOD was repeatedly questioned during the two interviews relative to her knowledge of a group of persons, but she stated that she knew none of them and nothing about them.

Included in the group was VIVIAN GLASSMAN.

Philadelphia report 1/17/52  
SA MAURICE C. CARROLL  
RE: MAXWELL FINESTONE, was;  
ESPIONAGE - R  
65-15735-133p20

ROBERT T. JONES and wife, DORIS, in separate interviews advised they were close friends and fellow employees of PERL at NACA, Langley Field, Virginia.

JONES advised that he was not acquainted with any of the following individuals:

Included in the group was VIVIAN GLASSMAN.

Photographs of the individuals were exhibited to JONES and he advised he was not familiar with any of the photos other than to say he recognized the photographs of the ROSENBERGS as he had seen them in the newspaper, and thought the one of VIVIAN GLASSMAN looked familiar. He stated he had no idea who VIVIAN GLASSMAN is or why her photo looked familiar. He stated he had no idea who VIVIAN GLASSMAN is or why her photograph looked familiar.

MRS. JONES denied knowing any of group of individuals. Included was VIVIAN GLASSMAN.

San Francisco report SA FRANK P. POLLNER 3/26/52

RE: [REDACTED] TS

ENCLOSURE - R

[REDACTED] TS  
65-15478-142pp5,9

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ALFRED SARANT was interviewed by SAS JOHN D. MAHONEY and PETER F. MAXSON on July 19, through 22, 24 and 25, 1950, at Ithaca, New York.

GLASSMAN

343 East 8th Street

NY 9

AL 4-8654

Office: DI 20540

ALFRED SARANT identified this individual as being identical with VIVIAN GLASSMAN, whom he described as a close personal friend of JOEL BARR and who went on a canoe trip with BARR and himself in 1943, and also went on a canoe trip with SARANT, his wife, and BARR in 1944. LOUISE SARANT identified this individual as being a girlfriend of JOEL BARR.

LOUISE SARANT was reinterviewed by SA PETER F. MAXSON in March, 1951, and she advised that she never saw nor heard of JULIUS ROSENBERG visiting SARANT LABORATORIES and that she does not recall VIVIAN GLASSMAN being connected with the laboratory in any way. She added, however, that it would have been quite possible for GLASSMAN to have visited the laboratory when she was still going with JOEL BARR.

LOUISE SARANT interviewed again by SAS PETER G. ROTH and PAUL R. BIBLER, in July, 1950, in connection with the 65 Morton Street apartment.

Confidential Informant T-33 (WALTER CARPENTER, Money Order Clerk, Ithaca Post Office, contacted by SA PETER F. MAXSON) of known reliability, advised that ALFRED SARANT was the recipient of several money orders through the Ithaca New York Post Office. Among the money order stubs located by Confidential Informant T-33 was: b7c

<u>Date of Issue</u>	<u>Amt.</u>	<u>Money Order Number</u>	<u>Remitter</u>	<u>Issuing Station</u>
8/8/49	\$45.00	988487	VIVIAN GLASSMAN	Church, N. Y. C.

The FBI Laboratory has advised, from a review of copies of the original money order applications for the above, that WILLIAM PERL prepared all applications for money orders remitted by him, and that VIVIAN GLASSMAN prepared the application for the money order remitted by her.

GERTA GOLDNER, apartment 6S, 85 Barrow Street, New York City, was interviewed on August 31, 1950, by SAS HERMAN LITTLEJOHN and ROBERT F. ROYAL. She stated that during the period from 1944 to 1945, she was acquainted with ALFRED SARANT and that she had visited his apartment at 65 Morton Street on approximately four or five occasions. She identified a photo of JOEL BARR.

as an individual she had met through SARANT and further identified a photo of VIVIAN GLASSMAN as a girlfriend of JOEL BARR. She stated that BARR was very interested in photography and that he had a Leica camera.

#### VIVIAN GLASSMAN

During the course of the search of the SARANT residence, a box of photos was located. Some of these photos were of VIVIAN GLASSMAN and JOEL BARR. ALFRED SARANT was interviewed by SA JOHN D. MAHONEY and PETER F. MAXSON concerning these photos and he advised that the pictures were taken on a canoe trip in the Fulton chain of lakes in New York State in 1944. SARANT advised that he knew the girl in the photograph only as VIVIAN, claiming that he did not know her last name and identifying her as a friend of JOEL BARR. He denied knowing anything about her background, despite the fact that she was on a canoe trip with him for two weeks.

Also located among SARANT's effects were photos of the canoe trip which he stated were taken in 1945. These photos were pictures of VIVIAN GLASSMAN, ALFRED SARANT, LOUISE SARANT and JOEL BARR. ALFRED SARANT continued to deny that he knew VIVIAN's last name or anything concerning her background. He did recall that VIVIAN had attended the musicales held in his apartment at 65 Morton Street during his residency there.

Bates List Finder address book located during the permissive search of the SARANT residence, contained the following entry: "GLASSMAN, 343 East 8th Street, NY 9. AL 4-8654, Office DI 2-540." ALFRED SARANT, when questioned concerning this entry, identified this individual as VIVIAN GLASSMAN.

ALFRED SARANT was again questioned concerning his knowledge of VIVIAN GLASSMAN. He stated that undoubtedly JOEL BARR must have known her for several months prior to their canoe trip in summer of 1944, and that undoubtedly he, SARANT, must have met her about the time of this canoe trip. He, however, was uncertain of the date of his first meeting with her. SARANT stated that he had a vague recollection of JOEL BARR telling about meeting GLASSMAN at some summer resort, but he could not recall the facts of this meeting. He denied that he knew GLASSMAN's place of employment, but thought he vaguely remembered her being a student and studying for social work. He also recalled that GLASSMAN had accompanied BARR and himself on several hiking trips. SARANT stated that to the best of his knowledge, GLASSMAN was not a member of the Communist Party, and he stated that he never knew of her working for United States Signal Corps at Fort Monmouth, New Jersey. He stated he remembered that she resided on the East Side of New York City downtown and believed that it was on East 8th Street.

ALFRED SARANT stated that he was at GLASSMAN's home only once and recalled that GLASSMAN's mother and a sister or two lived with her. He stated that as he recalled, he visited VIVIAN GLASSMAN at her apartment because he was upset about a girl named GLADYS MEYER, who at that time was giving

him the "cold shoulder." SARANT could not explain why he went to see GLASSMAN about this matter.

LOUISE SARANT, when interviewed by SAS PAUL R. BIBLER and PETER G. ROTH readily identified a photo of VIVIAN GLASSMAN and stated that she had once been JOEL BARR's girlfriend, and had accompanied BARR and the SARANTS on a canoe trip in 1945. MRS. SARANT stated that even though she had seen GLASSMAN quite often, she did not consider her to be a particularly close friend, and that she had not seen her since she left NY in 1946.

MRS. SARANT continued that GLASSMAN had visited Ithaca, New York, on only one occasion to the best of her knowledge, and that this was in the fall of 1945 at the conclusion of the aforementioned canoe trip. MRS. SARANT stated that it was her recollection that JOEL BARR and VIVIAN GLASSMAN "broke up" some time in 1946. She stated that GLASSMAN resided with her mother, but that she did not know her address in NYC. She also stated that she had no reason to believe that VIVIAN GLASSMAN was acquainted with JULIUS ROSENBERG. The only other thing that MRS. SARANT could recall concerning GLASSMAN was that she was a social worker.

On July 26, 1950, WILLIAM PERL, then residing at 666 East 103rd Street, Cleveland, Ohio, was interviewed by SAS JOHN A. HARRINGTON, JOHN B. O'DONOGHUE and LEO H. FRUTKIN. At the time of this interview, PERL furnished an unsigned statement which is quoted in part as follows: "On Sunday, July 23, 1950, at approximately noon, I was in the alcove of my apartment on the second floor of 666 East 103rd Street, Cleveland, when a girl appeared at the entrance to my apartment. She identified herself and I recognised her as VIVIAN GLASSMAN of New York City.

Albany report SA PETER F. MAXSON 3/26/52

RE: LOUISE ROSS SARANT,

ESPIONAGE - R

65-15360-932pp16,39,45 to 48, 66, 81to88,94

WILLIAM DANZIGER was initially interviewed August 28, 1950, by SA JAMES T. O'BRIEN and CHARLES P. SILVERTHORN at New York Office. DANZIGER was shown pictures and given names of persons and in each case stated that he had never seen or heard of ANN and MIKE SIDOROVICH, VIVIAN GLASSMAN, LOUISE and ALFRED SARANT, DAVID and RUTH GREENGLASS, ETHEL ROSENBERG.

NY report 6/20/52 SA CHARLES P. SILVERTHORN  
RE: WILLIAM DANZIGER  
ESPIONAGE - R  
INTERNAL SECURITY ACT OF 1950  
65-15396-252p24

A complete list of tenants of the Park Crescent Hotel was obtained during Spring of 1945 and checked against the ALTO indices.

Included among the tenants then, was a MRS. S. GOLDBERG.

NY memo J. GARTH GRAY 4/21/45  
RE: ALTO CASE  
100-31551-6972p3

File 100-26603-1A276p3 has been missing since 4/14/52 per exhibits.

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65-15360-741p1 charged to inspector at time of completion of correlation memo.

65-15380-267p7 not mentioned in this serial.

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