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JOSEPH McCARTHY

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September 1, 1953

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Dear [REDACTED]

I appreciate very much the interest which prompted your letter of August 27, 1953.

In connection with your request, I am enclosing a copy of an article that appeared in "The Evening Star" on August 26, 1953, which contains the remarks you desire.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

Enclosure - copy of clipping.

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FARMINGTON, CONN.

August 27-1953

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
FBI JOSEPH R. MCCARTHY
Washington - D.C.

My dear Mr. Hoover: 77-1

Over the radio recently I heard about a speech you made in San Diego in which you made several references and remarks about Senator McCarthy of Wisconsin.

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Very sincerely yours -

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 Farmington, Conn.

August 27-1953

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover


FBI

Washington - D.C.--

My dear Mr- Hoover:

Over the radio recently I heard about a speech you made in San Diego in which you made several references to and remarks about Senator McCarthy of Wisconsin. I have never been able to find any mention of or transcript of this speech in newspapers that I have seen - Is it possible that you send me a copy or tell me where I may obtain a copy?

Very sincerely yours --

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Larchmont, New York

Dear [Redacted]

I wish to acknowledge your letter of September 1, 1953.

The statement carried in the press setting forth my comments pertaining to Senator McCarthy was given orally to a reporter, and the statement speaks for itself.

Very truly yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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Clipping from The Evening Star of 8-26-53.
cc - New York, with copy of incoming.

cc - [Redacted] - rewrite ur letter 9-4-53, [Redacted]

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NOTE: Files reflect that [Redacted] who is the [Redacted] New York, has on several occasions since 1940, sent in miscellaneous information concerning the travel of individuals whom he believed to be connected with Communism. (65-41526-1 and 100-27048-62)

In January, 1953, he sent to Mr. Clegg a booklet on transportation put out by the A.A.A. which he thought might interest the Bureau. (94-1-24711)

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Larchmont, New York

September 1, 1953

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Mr. Belmont	✓
Mr. Clegg	✓
Mr. Glavin	✓
Mr. Harbo	✓
Mr. Rosen	✓
Mr. Tracy	✓
Mr. Garty	✓
Mr. Mohr	✓
Mr. Winterrowd	✓
Tele. Room	✓
Mr. Holloman	✓
Miss Gandy	✓

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:

I would greatly appreciate it if you would send me a copy of your speech or statement from which the New York Times reported:

"he regarded the Wisconsin Senator as 'earnest and honest'"

I would also appreciate it if you would tell me the names of the Communists unknown to the various government agencies that Senator McCarthy and his investigators have uncovered.

Very truly yours,

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Forest Hills
Flushing, New York

Dear [Redacted]

Thank you very much for your postal card
of September 8, 1953.

I sincerely appreciate your kind comments
and do hope that the efforts of all of us in the
FBI will always merit your approval.

Sincerely yours,
J. Edgar Hoover

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My dear Mr. Hoover

I know I am a little late, but I wish to commend you on the statement you made in support of Senator Mc Carthy who is working so hard to rid our country of subversives and traitors. It is a pity that more outstanding men do not have the courage to speak out in support of what is right as you have.

Sincerely,
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Forest Hills, NY

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Sept 8

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Sincerely

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Mr. Gurnea	
Mr. Hendon	
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Mr. Winterrowd	
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Dear Mr. Hoover,

I just represent one of the public, some of us a little too important to in a town where we do not locally own a single paper though we are as big our reputation with being critical of our present newspaper ability to bl and the immunity from criticism of our State Department. I thank you, as man, for your words in regard to Senator ^{Joseph} McCarthy, as we of the public are not at this time able to have the truth, too often, and hardly know what to think under such circumstances. Your Department is the one great American institution, set up to really probe ticklish situations, and we are as an American public, I believe, profoundly grateful to you.

A citizen who has taken the trouble to say what he feels millions feel.

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[REDACTED] Company
Post Office Box 151
Wheeling, West Virginia

Dear [REDACTED]

Thanks very much for your kind letter of September 2, 1953, with enclosures.

It certainly was most thoughtful of you to write me in this regard. I deeply appreciate your generous remarks, and your expression of confidence is highly gratifying.

Sincerely yours,
J. Edgar Hoover

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cc - Pittsburgh, with copy of [REDACTED]
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NOTE: Bufile 62-94270-19 reflects cordial correspondence with [REDACTED] on one occasion in 1951 when he submitted his views on the Kefauver Committee. Files reflect nothing derogatory concerning him.

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September 2, 1953

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- Mr. Belmont
- Mr. Clegg
- Mr. Glavin
- Mr. Harbo
- Mr. Rosen
- Mr. Tracy
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P.O. Box 151

J. Edgar Hoover
49-36 - 30th Place
Washington, D. C.

Good morning to you:

While I am aware that you and those associated with you in the Bureau of Investigation do not seek publicity, rather the opposite - yet we noted what to us appeared to be honest praise of Senator McCarthy in your interview while on the West Coast. It is evident that your conclusion is correct and that McCarthy "is not going to be pushed around."

It is alright for Mrs. Roosevelt to say that investigations should be carried on by the F.B.I. - and we in a sense agree with her - but when the reports are given no attention or small attention by the "higher ups", there is nothing for the representatives of the people to do but to bring the question out into the open.

Along this line former President Truman writes me today that "some very much garbled information has been broadcast." It is not in mind, to attempt to stir up the animals too much, but I think the American people have been fed up on too much "cover up."

Yours truly,

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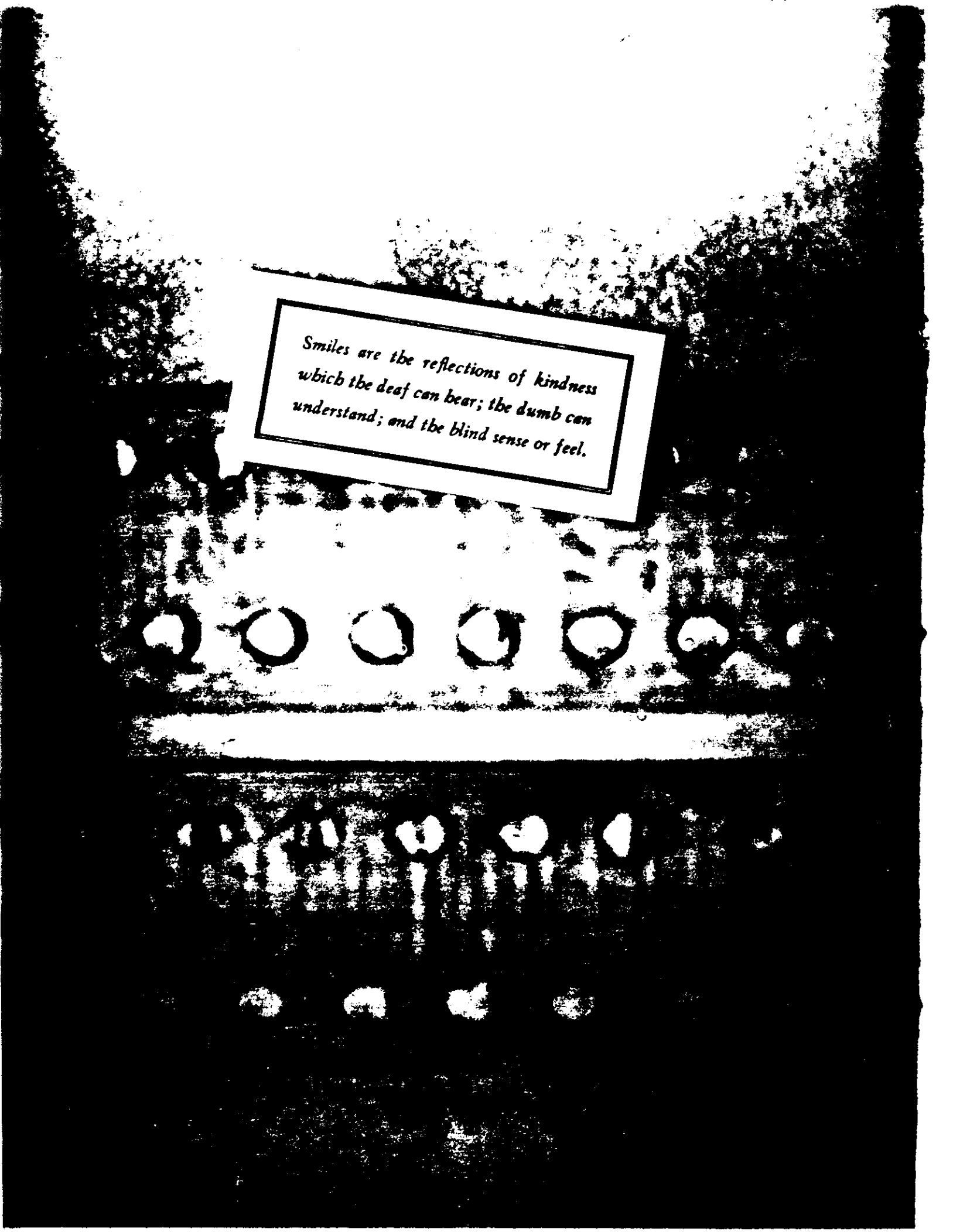
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Always With a Smile

Always With a Smile

A high-contrast, black and white photograph of a smiling face. The face is characterized by a wide, open-mouthed smile and a row of circular teeth. The image is heavily stylized, with deep blacks and bright whites, giving it a graphic, almost stencil-like appearance. A rectangular sign is positioned in the upper left quadrant of the face, containing a quote. The background is dark and textured, suggesting a forest or a similar outdoor setting.

*Smiles are the reflections of kindness
which the deaf can hear; the dumb can
understand; and the blind sense or feel.*

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Contract Carrier Conference of
Ohio Trucking Association
10 Hartman Building
Columbus 15, Ohio

Dear [REDACTED]

I have received your note of September 3, 1953, together with the enclosed copy of your service bulletin, and it was most thoughtful of you to bring your publication to my attention.

As you surmised, we are not in the least bit discouraged by the recent criticisms which have been directed towards us by several governors. Our position, with respect to investigations of alleged Civil Rights violations, is well defined. We must discharge our obligations to the best of our abilities, as set forth by law. We shall continue to do so until the laws are changed.

It is my sincere hope that our efforts will continue to merit your approval and confidence.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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CONTRACT CARRIER CONFERENCE
OF OHIO TRUCKING ASSOCIATION

510 HARTMAN BUILDING
COLUMBUS 15, OHIO
MAIN 2361

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

My dear Mr. Hoover:

I thought you might be interested in receiving a copy of the enclosed current bulletin of Contract Carrier Conference of Ohio Trucking Association which contains a statement which you made relative to Senator McCarthy.

Having some idea of the various attacks made on your work in the past I feel sure that you will not be discouraged by the recent attacks made by Governors Dewey of New York, Fine of Pennsylvania and, I believe, one other whose name I do not now recall.

Very sincerely yours,

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The Contract Carrier

OFFICIAL
SERVICE BULLETIN No.

CONTRACT CARRIER CONFERENCE
OHIO TRUCKING ASSOCIATION

810 HARTMAN BUILDING
COLUMBUS 18, OHIO

36-53 September 3, 1953

TODAY'S QUOTABLE QUOTE

"He (U. S. Senator Joseph McCarthy of Wisconsin) is earnest. He is honest. He is sincere. Whenever you attack subversives of any kind you are going to be the victim of the most extremely vicious criticism that can be made. But sometimes a knock is a boost. When certain elements cease their attack on me, I'll know I'm slipping."

-J. EDGAR HOOVER, DIRECTOR
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

REPORT OF SUB-COMMITTEE ON INTERNAL SECURITY JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

The report of the Sub-committee on Internal Security just recently released was signed by all members of such sub-committee, both Republicans and Democrats. It deals thoroughly with the penetration of communists into high governmental positions. The statement has been made that it is more absorbing reading than any spy story or "who-done-it" ever published.

Anyone interested in obtaining a copy of such report can do so by writing to Senate Internal Security Sub Committee, Senate Office Building, Washington, D. C., and requesting a copy.

"ENCLOSURE - "WHO...ME?"

Through the courtesy and cooperation of The Travelers Insurance Company, we are enclosing herewith a pamphlet entitled "Who...Me?" -- The Travelers 1953 book of street and highway accident data.

We believe that an examination of the information contained in the enclosed pamphlet will reveal much interesting information, especially to persons who are interested in highway safety.

NEW PRODUCTS

WEIGHT SAVING TRUCK

A new cab-over-engine heavy-duty truck known as the "Spacemaker" is being manufactured by Freightliner Corporation.

A pancake engine installed under the frame and behind the cab makes it

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possible to use a 24-foot body instead of the 22-foot bodies used on most cab-over-engine models.

The new truck tows a 28-foot trailer, thus providing a total of 52 feet of loading space although the combination is only 60 feet overall.

Space saving equipment which permits the transportation of larger pay loads is of increasing importance to Ohio motor carriers because of the enactment of the axle-weight law.

Additional information can be obtained from Freightliner Corp., 409 South West 13th Avenue, Portland 5, Oregon.

INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION NEW ORDER

EX PARTE NO. MC - 40

"QUALIFICATIONS AND MAXIMUM HOURS OF SERVICE OF EMPLOYEES OF MOTOR CARRIERS AND SAFETY OF OPERATION AND EQUIPMENT"

The Interstate Commerce Commission on August 5, 1953, amended certain provisions upon petitions of certain trucking associations, as follows:

"It is ordered, That sections 193.25, 193.42, and 193.77 be, and they are hereby, amended as follows:

1. §193.25 (e) (4) - Delete subparagraph (4) and substitute the following:

(4) The stop lamp or lamps and directional signals on the rear of any motor vehicle shall be red or amber;
2. §193.42 (c) - Delete paragraph (c) and substitute the following:

(c) Trucks and truck tractors having three or more axles need not have brakes on the front wheels, except when such vehicles are equipped with at least two steerable axles the wheels of one such axle need not be equipped with brakes.
3. §193.77 - Following the word "Requirements" in the opening statement, change the colon to a comma and add:

except that with respect to wood charcoal heaters these requirements shall be effective on September 1, 1953:
4. §193.77 (b) (5) - Delete subparagraph (5) and substitute the following:

(5) Solid fuel heaters except wood charcoal. Any stove or other heater employing solid fuel except wood charcoal.

5. §193.77 (c) (1) - Add the following sentence to the end of subparagraph (1):

Wood charcoal heaters shall be enclosed within a metal barrel, drum, or similar protective enclosure which enclosure shall be provided with a securely fastened cover.

6. §193.77 (c) (3) - Add the following sentence to the end of subparagraph (3):

Wood charcoal heaters shall be secured within the enclosure required by subparagraph (c) (1) of this section and the enclosure shall be securely fastened to the motor vehicle.

7. §193.77 (c) (9) - Delete the proviso which ends the first sentence after the heading of subparagraph (9) and substitute the following in lieu thereof:

Provided, however, That this requirement shall not apply to heaters used solely to heat the cargo space of motor vehicles where such motor vehicles or heaters are equipped with means specifically designed and maintained so that the carbon monoxide concentration will never exceed 0.2 percent in the cargo space.

8. §193.77 (c) (13) - Delete subparagraph (13) and substitute the following:

(13) "Tell-Tale" indicators. Heaters subject to subparagraph (c) (14) of this section and not provided with automatic controls shall be provided with "tell-tale" means to indicate to the driver that the heater is properly functioning. This requirement shall not apply to heaters used solely for the cargo space in semi-trailers or full trailers.

9. §193.77 (c) (14) - Delete the last sentence of subparagraph (14) and substitute the following:

This requirement shall not apply to wood charcoal heaters or to heaters used solely to heat the contents of cargo tank motor vehicles, but wood charcoal heaters must be provided with a controlled method of regulating the flow of combustion air.

10. §193.77 (c) (15) - In the first sentence, delete "Every combustion-type heater the date of manufacture of which is subsequent to December 31, 1952," and in

lieu thereof substitute the following:

Every combustion-type heater, except wood charcoal heaters, the date of manufacture of which is subsequent to December 31, 1952 and every wood charcoal heater, the date of manufacture of which is subsequent to September 1, 1953,

It is further ordered, That except to the extent relief is being granted by the amendments set forth above, that the above-described petitions be, and they are hereby, denied;

And it is further ordered, That this order shall be effective on the date hereof, and shall continue in effect until further order of the Commission.

INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION

APPLICATIONS FOR NEW CONTRACT CARRIER PERMITS
INVOLVING OHIO TERRITORY

TORRE SAMUELSON, Brazil, Ind., MC 114227: Sewer pipe, flue lining, wall coping, fire brick, fire clay, clay conduits and drain tile, building and construction tile, glazed building tile, hollow tile and face brick over irregular routes, from Brazil, Ind. and points within 1 mile thereof, including the plant of Natco Corp., to points and places in Illinois, Wisconsin, Michigan, Ohio, Kentucky and Tennessee, within 300 miles of Brazil, Indiana, and return with no transportation for compensation.

MICH. CENTRAL BROKERAGE CO., Lansing, Mich., MC 17495 Sub 25 TA: Acid, in bulk, in tank trucks, over irregular routes from Trenton, Michigan to Columbus, Ohio.

ST. LOUIS FREIGHT LINES, ST. LOUIS, MICH. MC 105572 Sub 12TA: Building, roofing and insulating materials, over irregular routes from National City, Michigan to points and places in Ohio

P. E. KRAMME, INC., Monroeville, N. J. MC 564C Sub 6 TA: Liquid chocolate, over irregular routes, from Lititz, Pa. to Elizabeth, N. J., Newark, N. J. and Bloomfield, N. J.

Sub 7: Liquid chocolate and chocolate coating, liquid chocolate liquor, liquid cocoa butter, and liquid vegetable oil coating, in bulk, in tank vehicles, over irregular routes from Boston, Mass., New York, N. Y. Newark and Jersey City, N. J. Mount Joy, Elizabethtown, Philadelphia and Hershey, Pa., to Chicago, Ill., Cleveland, Columbus and Cincinnati, Ohio and St. Louis, Mo.

WHITTAKER TRUCKING CO., Toledo, Ohio, MC 2787 Sub 6: Sand and stone in bulk, in dump truck equipment, and dump trailer equipment, over irregular routes between points and places in that part of Michigan on and south of US Highway 12 on the one hand, and, on the other, points and places in Ohio, on and north of US Highway 36, to Marysville, Ohio, thence on and west of Ohio Highway 4 to Sandusky, Ohio

H. A. HARLESS, INC., MADISON, W. VA. MC 114299: Household goods and effects, over regular and irregular routes from Madison, W. Va. to communities and villages in Ohio, Kentucky, Michigan, Virginia and Tennessee.

15th ANNUAL
OHIO STATE SAFETY CONFERENCE

As previously announced in one of our bulletins the 15th Annual Ohio State Safety Conference will be held TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 16 and 17, 1953, at HOTEL CARTER, CLEVELAND, OHIO.

The program, which is divided into 49 section meetings, covers practically every phase of safety.

The meetings which should be of interest to contract carriers, showing their dates, times, places and programs are as follows:

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15th, 9:45 A. M. - HOTEL CARTER, EL RANCHO ROOM

SECTION 5 - TRAFFIC ENGINEERING

PROGRAM

1. "Progress of Ohio Turnpikes". Russell S. Dectz, Traffic Engineer, Ohio Turnpike Commission.
2. "New and Proposed Uniform Traffic Control Devices". Harry E. Neal, Chief Engineer, Division of Traffic & Safety, Ohio Department of Highways.
3. "New and Proposed Changes in Uniform Traffic Act." Harold G. Eckhardt, Assistant Chief Engineer, Division of Traffic & Safety, Ohio Department of Highways.
4. "School Crossing Protection." An open forum discussion led by Anthony J. Carrothers, Traffic Engineer, City of Dayton.
5. "Trucking and Traffic." An open forum discussion led by George W. Howie, Traffic Engineer, City of Cincinnati.
6. Election of Sectional Officers for 1954.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15th, 9:45 A. M. - HOTEL CARTER, SPANISH ROOM

SECTION 8 - PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION

PROGRAM

1. "What Prevents Standardization of Safety Design in Modern Transit Equipment?" A. S. McEvoy, Assistant General Sales Manager, Truck & Coach Division, General Motors Corporation.
2. "Medical Aspects of Accident Prevention." Dr. Harold Brandaleone, Medical Director, Third Avenue Transit Corporation, New York City, N. Y.

3. "Safety in Traffic." Donald C. Hyde, General Manager, Cleveland Transit System.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15th - LUNCHEON - 12:15 P. M. HOTEL CARTER, RAINBOW ROOM

PRESENTING: Dr. Tennyson Guyer "Ohio's Ambassador of Good Will", Findlay, Ohio in "INNS ON THE ROAD TO HAPPINESS"

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15th - 2:15 P. M. HOTEL CARTER, ENGLISH ROOM

SECTION 15. PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION

PROGRAM

1. Panel Discussion on subject matter covered in Morning Session.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15th - 2:15 P. M. HOTEL CARTER, PETITE CAFE (Main Lobby)

SECTION 17. SAFETY PLANS FOR SMALL BUSINESS

PROGRAM

1. "You Are Paying For All Accidents - Why?". H. G. Hays, General Manager Ohio State Safety Council.

2. "Assistance Available-Why Don't You Take It?" R. T. Spencer, Acting Supervisor, Division of Safety & Hygiene, Industrial Commission of Ohio.

3. "Opportunity Unlimited." S. R. Christophersen, President, Smaller Business of America, Inc.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15th - 2:15 P. M., HOTEL CARTER, SPANISH ROOM

SECTION 19. DRIVER EDUCATION

1. "Ohio's Driver Education Program". Paul E. Landis, Supervisor, Health, Physical Education and Safety, State of Ohio.

2. "Automobile Clubs' Contributions to Driver Education.". Charles Vibberts, Director of Safety Activities, Ohio State Automobile Association.

3. "Devices to Facilitate Behind the Wheel Instruction." Phillip H. Kaufmann, Instructor, Driver Education.

4. "What Students Should be Taught in the Classroom". Miss Josephine Kyle, Instructor, Driver Education.

5. Panel Discussion.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15th - 2:15 P. M., HOTEL CARTER, EMBASSY ROOM

SECTION 20. COMMERCIAL MOTOR CARRIERS, HIGHWAY SAFETY

PROGRAM

1. Panel Discussion: Topic - "Safety". Panel Moderator: Bernard S. Goldfarb, Executive Secretary, Cleveland Draymen's Employers Association.

Panel Members: William Hubbard, District Supervisor, Bureau of Motor Carriers, Interstate Commerce Commission.

William H. Long, Vice President, Bakery Drivers Union, Local No. 52, I. B. T. C. W. H. A.

Richard Boose, Safety Director, Norwalk Truck Lines.

2. Discussion Period.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15th - 7:30 P. M. HOTEL CARTER, GRAND BALLROOM
SAFETY ON THE SCREEN, Sponsored by The Cleveland Film Council, Mrs. Margaret D. Saylor, President. The best available films will be shown on: Home, Fire, Traffic, Child and Occupational Safety.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 16th - 9:45 A. M. HOTEL CARTER, AVIATION ROOM

SECTION 26. TRAFFIC ACCIDENT RECORDS & THEIR USES.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 16th - 7:30 P. M. HOTEL CARTER, RAINBOW ROOM

**** SAFETY RALLY FOR INDUSTRIAL EMPLOYEES AND THEIR FAMILIES ****

Presiding: Frank O'Malley, Personnel Director, Ferro Machine & Foundry, Inc.

PROGRAM

Nick-o-Time Awards, sponsored by the Ohio State Safety Council and the Bulova Watch Company, will be presented to several persons from northeastern Ohio, who have saved human life by some heroic act.

Safety Address: Carl C. Byers, Superintendent, Parma Public Schools. Mr. Byers will speak on the subject: "Steady Driving By Jerks."

Presenting: Paul Benson, The Laff Auctioneer. One of America's outstanding audience participation shows. This is a combination of "People Are Funny" and "Truth or Consequences." Benson has been called "An Atom Bomb of Fun and Hilarity." Don't miss this wonderful attraction.

Door Prizes.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 16th - 9:45 A. M. HOTEL CARTER, NAUTILUS ROOM

SECTION 27. SAFETY LEGISLATION

PROGRAM

1. "Resume of Legislation in 1953." (Speaker to be announced.)
2. "The Need For Motor Vehicle Inspection." (Speaker to be announced.)
3. "Improvements in the Drivers License Law." (Speaker to be announced.)
4. "Operation of The Financial Responsibility Law." (Speaker to be announced.)
5. Discussion Period.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 16th - 12:15 P. M. HOTEL CARTER, RAINBOW ROOM
LUNCHEON

Presiding Harold H. Gorman, Attorney, Krueger, Gorman & Davis, President
Greater Cleveland Safety Council

Presenting: Spencer D. Irwin, Associate Editor and Foreign Affairs
Columnist, Cleveland Plain Dealer in "THE WORLD AT THE MOMENT".

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 17th - 12:15 P. M. HOTEL CARTER, RAINBOW ROOM
LUNCHEON

Presiding J. C. Hiestand, Vice President and Secretary, Ohio Farmers
Insurance Company, Chairman, Executive Committee, Ohio State Safety
Council.

Presenting: Raymond Boals, Findlay, Ohio, Radio Artist-Lecturer-Educator-
Newspaper Columnist in "BUILDING PEACE THROUGH UNDERSTANDING".

Our Conference is a cooperating organization for the 15th ANNUAL OHIO
STATE SAFETY CONFERENCE and our General Counsel is a member of its general
Committee on Arrangements.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

APPLICATIONS TO AMEND CONTRACT CARRIER PERMITS
BY CHANGING SHIPPERS

P. 339 - An application to change shippers filed by R. E. Dieckbrader, Cincinnati,
Ohio by adding: Early and Daniel Company, Cincinnati, Ohio, and removing
National Molasses Company. Also requested temporary authority.

ORDERS OF THE COMMISSION INVOLVING APPLICATIONS TO AMEND
CONTRACT CARRIER PERMITS

P. 1666 - A transferred and amended permit issued to James H. Troyer, dba Troyer
Trucking Service, Canton, Ohio, to haul for the following shippers: The Leisy
Brewing Company, Cleveland, Ohio; Stark Brick Co. East Canton, Ohio; Ten Color
Stone Co. Inc. Sherrodsville, Ohio.

P. 2258 - An order and amended permit issued to Kenneth Frazier dba Frazier Lines,
Fredericktown, Ohio, changing shippers as follows: add Marion Milling Company,
Marion, Ohio. Remove Standard Milling Company, Chicago, Illinois.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO
CALENDAR FOR WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 7, 1953

SEPTEMBER 8th - 10 A. M. Case No. 23,649. Forest Ripley, dba Pike Trucking
Company, RD #1, South Charleston, Ohio, application for new irregular certificate
as follows: "The transportation of general commodities from and to points and
places in Pike County, Ohio.

SEPTEMBER 8th - 10 A. M. Case No. 3655. William J. Kosma, Columbus, Ohio,
application for a new permit transporting oxygen, etc., in cylinders, from Columbus
to Mansfield and Marion, and will return empty cylinders. In addition, carrier
will transport carbon dioxide products, in liquid or dry form, from Barberton to
Columbus, for the National Cylinder Gas Company, Chicago, Illinois.

SEPTEMBER 8th - 1:30 P. M. Case No. 3860. Hi-Way Motor Freight, Inc. 1324 Second Street, S. W. Canton, Ohio, application to transfer permit No. 811 to Oyler Bros., Inc., 1324 Second Street, N. W. Canton, Ohio.

SEPTEMBER 8th - 1:30 P. M. Case No. 405. Price Motor Freight, Inc. 715 Mahoning Ave., Youngstown, Ohio, application to amend permit No. 193 by adding as a shipper, the Sharon Steel Corporation, Sharon, Pennsylvania, transporting brick and other clay products from points and places in Ohio to our plants in Mahoning County, Ohio.

SEPTEMBER 8th - 1:30 P. M. Case No. 24,009. Stanley S. Robbins, 2560 Claybourne Road, Blendon Township, Franklin County, Ohio, application for a new irregular certificate, as follows: The applicant will operate on call of the public over the highways to and from Franklin County, Ohio. The only equipment to be used will be a 1947 Cab chassis truck to haul house trailers to 2560 Claybourne Road for repair and from camp to camp as requested by customers.

SEPTEMBER 9th - 10 A. M. Case No. 23,829. Earl H. Geshwilt dba Tandem Trucking Company, 5514 Theota Ave. Parma, Ohio, application for new irregular certificate as follows: Applicant herein desires to operate on call of the public over irregular routes to and from any and all points in the following counties of Ohio: Cuyahoga, Medina, Lorain, Lake, Geauga, Portage, Summit, Coshocton. Said application to cover only the hauling of those materials usually and regularly carried in dump trucks, primarily coal and building materials.

SEPTEMBER 9th - 10 A. M. Case No. 24,195. Creig Freight Lines, Inc. 550 East South Street, Akron, Ohio, application to transfer irregular certificate No. 1514 and Regular certificate No. 3239 to M & M Trucking Company, Akron, Ohio.

SEPTEMBER 9th - 10 A. M. Case No. 24,144. Robert Noble, P. O. Box 31, Berlin Center, Ohio, application to transfer irregular certificate No. 7016 to Walter Guy, P. O. Box 416, Canfield, Ohio.

SEPTEMBER 9th - 1:30 P. M. Case No. 24,026. Lester Arnold, New Athens, Ohio, application to amend irregular certificate No. 7958, as follows: That part of the authority be changed to read "Also from and to New Athens, Harrison County, Ohio, and all points within a distance of ten (10) miles of the village limits thereof." Amendment if granted to be subject to all restrictions now in said certificate.

SEPTEMBER 9th - 1:30 P. M. Case No. 3733. Eugene R. Lightel, 121 N. 11th St. Dover, Ohio, application to amend permit No. 3275 by adding as a shipper Bernard Smigel dba Smigel Coal, New Philadelphia, Ohio, transporting coal.

SEPTEMBER 10th - 10 A. M. Case No. 3862. The P. S. Truesdell Company, Columbus, Ohio, application for a new permit transporting corn syrup from distribution plant in Columbus, Ohio to points and places in Ohio, for the A. E. Staley Manufacturing Company, Decatur, Illinois.

SEPTEMBER 10th - 1:30 P. M. Case No. 3861. Roscoe G. Marks, RFD #1, Massillon, Ohio, application to transfer permit No. 2188 to M & W Transportation Company, Massillon, Ohio.

SEPTEMBER 10th - 1:30 P. M. Case No. 24,201. D. R. South dba Snider's Express, Bethel, Ohio, application to transfer irregular certificate No. 1806 to John Holderfield dba Snider's Express, Bethel, Ohio.

SEPTEMBER 10th - 1:30 P. M. Case No. 3471. Robert Smith dba Robert Smith Truck Service, P. O. Box 23, Steubenville, Ohio, application to amend permit No. 3033, by adding as a shipper, I. C. Happ Association dba Triangle Mines, Inc. Marietta, Ohio, Handling coal for the shipper.

SEPTEMBER 10th - 1:30 P. M. Case No. 23,983. City Motorcycle Delivery, Inc. 1969 East 55th Street, Cleveland, Ohio, application for new irregular certificate, as follows: The transportation of property over irregular routes from and to any point in Cuyahoga County, Ohio, providing 24 hour, 7 days per week, emergency expediting service, using straight stake trucks with maximum load of 5,000 pounds; property need not be crated or packaged; Further, restricted against transportation of household goods; against furnishing dump truck or tank truck services; against transporting any property which by reason of its size or weight requires special permission from the State Highway Department.

SEPTEMBER 11th - 10 A. M. Case No. 2926. T. A. Brennan dba Brennan Transportation Service, 4130 Bradley Road, Cleveland, Ohio, application to amend permit No. 33 by removing as a shipper the Appalachian Hardwood Lumber Company, and Allied Bowling Pin Service, Inc., of Cleveland, Ohio, and also adding The Harshaw Chemical Company, Cleveland, Ohio, transporting chemical products and all other merchandise sold, manufactured or purchased by shipper, between all points within Cuyahoga County.

SEPTEMBER 11th - 1:30 P. M., Case No. 3721. William E. Caswell, RFD #2, Uhrichsville, Ohio, application to amend permit No. 2647 by adding the following shippers: Robinson & Sons Sewer Pipe Co. Cleveland, Ohio, and Universal Sewer Pipe Corp. Cleveland, Ohio, transporting products from factories at Uhrichsville, Goshen, (New Philadelphia) and Diamond, Ohio to points and places in Ohio.

SEPTEMBER 11th - 1:30 P. M. Case No. 3865. James Spring, Robert Spring, Lawrence Spring, dba Spring Brothers, P. O. Box 177, New Philadelphia, Ohio, application for a new permit transporting sand, gravel, slag, all bituminous mixes, lumber, limestone and all other types of material, wherever designated by said employer, at rates as set forth in Exhibit A for the Edgar Spring, Inc. New Philadelphia, Ohio.

ENCLOSURE

The enclosure heretofore referred to will be enclosed with a later bulletin.

CONTRACT CARRIER CONFERENCE OF
OHIO TRUCKING ASSOCIATION

CHARLES DOMFORD, CHAIRMAN
PAUL M. GILLMOR, VICE CHAIRMAN
LEROY CRAUN, SECRETARY

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September 10, 1953

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Dear [Redacted]

I want to let you know of my deep appreciation for the thoughtfulness which prompted your letter of September 1, 1953.

Your generous remarks are highly gratifying, and I am truly pleased with your good wishes.

Sincerely yours,
J. Edgar Hoover

cc - Cincinnati, with copy of info [Redacted]

NOTE: No street address available in directories. No data in Bufiles could be identified with [Redacted]

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Nelsonville, Ohio
September 1, 1953

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Dear Mr. Hoover,

Thanks for your statement about
McCarthy. The country certainly got a break when
we got you as head of the F. B. I.

Good luck and may God bless you,

Sincerely,

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New York 13, New York

Dear [Redacted]

I have received the newspaper clipping which you sent me under postmark of September 12, 1953, and I want to thank you for making your views in this regard available to me.

Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
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More McCarthyism

To the N. Y. Herald Tribune
 Now that, finally, we have the Jenner report on Communist activities in high and low departments of our government, let's hope the powers that be will realize the great importance of more of that "McCarthyism" so many of them have been denying. JACOB SELIGER
 Cedarhurst, L. I., Aug. 28, 1953.

New York Herald Tribune
 September 3, 1953

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Yakima, Washington

Dear [Redacted]

I have received your kind letter of September 2, 1953, with enclosure, and I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your generous expression of confidence.

You certainly were most thoughtful to write me in this regard. Enclosed is a copy of a newspaper report of my recent interview with the press concerning Senator McCarthy. I believe this report speaks for itself and will answer your inquiry concerning that matter.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

Enclosure

cc - Seattle (with copy of inclosure).

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September 2, 1953

Federal Bureau of Investigation
 Washington, D.C.

Dear Sirs:

The enclosed editorial quotes columnist Ray Tucker as quoting J. Edgar Hoover's appraisal of Senator Joseph McCarthy.

There is as you are aware a wide divergence of opinion relative to the senators personal qualities and objectives; the news accounts that have come to my attention in which Mr. Hoover expressed an opinion regarding Mr. McCarthy did not correspond either in context or inference to this evaluation.

As, personally, I hold Mr. Hoover in very high regard and consider his opinions and judgement of great value to us of lesser opportunities for observation, I would appreciate a statement from your office as to the accuracy of the (quoted statement and opinion) quotation.

Sincerely

[Redacted signature block]
 Yakima, Wash.

Joseph E. McCarthy

(Handwritten initials)

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The Yakima Daily Republic

Founded in 1903 by W. W. ROBERTSON, 1868 - 1938

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 1953

TED ROBERTSON, *Publisher*

The Revaluation

Ray Tucker hits the nail right on the head in his column today when he says that J. Edgar Hoover's praise of Sen. Joe McCarthy as "earnest, honest, sincere" is helping the American people to readjust their sights about what some have pleased to call McCarthyism.

The director of the FBI is a national hero. More than that, he is one of the smartest political psychologists at the Capital. He would not have survived for so long in such a sensitive post if it were not for his uncanny talent for scenting favorable and unfavorable winds of official and public opinion, and behaving accordingly.

He always has approved McCarthy's activities, as so much of his magazine writing indicates. Mr. Tucker has told

us that several years before the Bentley and Chambers revelations about Communists in government, Hoover's agents told Tucker that they had "the goods" on the principal figures of the various conspiracies for many years. But every report forwarded to the several attorney generals by the FBI director was pigeonholed. Naturally, he must have resented this as an individual and as a good detective. It has been boiling within him and now he can come out in the open with his feelings.

When J. Edgar Hoover issues a good opinion of McCarthy, the people may take notice. How many there are who would give much for a report of "earnest, honest, sincere," from the FBI chief!

September 14, 1953

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Honorable David McK. Ferguson
Post Office Box 192
Cambridge, Ohio

DAVID MCK. FERGUSON

My dear Senator:

Thank you for your letter of September 9, 1953, with enclosure.

I sincerely appreciate your kind remarks and expression of confidence. My associates and I trust that our efforts will always merit your approval and support.

Sincerely yours,
J. Edgar Hoover

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cc - Cincinnati, with copy ^{being} coming.

ATTENTION SAC: Enclosure was a carbon copy of a letter by correspondent to Senator McCarthy commending him on his work.

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Columbus

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DAVID MCK FERGUSON
17TH, 18TH, 19TH, AND
28TH DISTRICT
P. O. BOX 192
CAMBRIDGE

COMMITTEES:
HIGHWAYS, PUBLIC WORKS AND UTILITIES,
CHAIRMAN
FINANCE
FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS, COMMERCE
AND LABOR

Sept. 9, 1953.

Mr. Edgar Hoover, Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

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Mr. Tolson	✓
Mr. E. A. Tamm	✓
Mr. Clegg	✓
Mr. Glavin	✓
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Mr. Nichols	✓
Mr. Rosen	✓
Mr. Tracy	✓
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Miss Gandy	✓

Esteemed Sir:-

Just a line to express my gratitude to you for the fine public statement regarding the work of Senator Joseph McCarthy. It is in keeping with what one comes to expect of you whom I have followed thru the years with great confidence and, if anything, greater admiration. I have felt that without you and the vital organization which you have so ably directed thru the years the nation probably would have been enveloped with these subversives that, to me, are far more dangerous to the security and peace of America than any of these far off conjured up enemies, the threat of which is constantly being dragged before us for a lousy set that "ought to have been drowned when they were little". What a tragic plight they have brought upon America?

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I am enclosing a copy of a letter I recently wrote to Senator McCarthy, every word of which goes for you too.

May God bless and keep both of you.

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Faithfully & gratefully yours,

David McK. Ferguson

David McK. Ferguson

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The Honorable Joseph R. McCarthy
U. S. Senator from Wisconsin
Senate Office Bldg;
Washington, D.C.

Dear Senator McCarthy:-

This should have been written long ago but like millions of other careless and neglectful Americans who secretly harbor deep admiration and approve your courageous crusade to rid America of its most dangerous enemy, I am guilty of not performing my patriotic duty in expressing my moral support. Nevertheless that does not diminish my very deep appreciation for the great work you are doing, nor my defense of you whenever the occasion presents itself. And I want to assure you that I will continue to do so.

I am ashamed of the cowardly and timid support given you by those in the top echelon of our government (and Party) that should be fighting shoulder to shoulder at every turn. But then when I think back and reflect upon what happened to our great party and reconstruct the "strange interlude" of events which to me is the very antithesis of what the unparalleled American Way means to me, (I know in my heart that a lot of things are going to have to still be changed) I can understand the peculiar situation you and those who believe as you do are up against. I am afraid that America will not be purged of its sins until we have a real Renaissance and a new Reformation.

But under no circumstances let these pygmies detract you from your avowed purpose. Be assured that there is a great silent, inarticulate (and a good many not so inarticulate) force that secretly cheers your every new thrust...and sincerely prays for your continued good health, the 'Spirit of '76' tenacity and the courage to carry on for the kind of America you and I love. In the most pitiful lament I ever read anytime, anywhere, Surgeon Baldo at Valley Forge pondered: "What Fate Brings US OUT HERE?" You have the answer in your heart because you have caught the vision of what real Americanism stands for: FROM RULERS... ruled by only one recognized superior-God.

May God bless and keep you.

DMCKP:r

Sincerely yours,

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Detroit 2, Michigan

Dear [Redacted]

Inasmuch as your letter of September 18, 1953, has been received in the absence of Mr. Hoover from the city, I am taking the liberty of acknowledging it.

Your observations will be brought to Mr. Hoover's attention upon his return.

Sincerely yours,

Helen W. Gandy
Secretary

~~cc - Detroit, with copy of incoming~~

NOTE: Concerning [Redacted] files reflect only that by letter of April 24, 1943, he extended a cordial invitation for the Director to address a group of students. By letter of April 30, 1943, the Director declined. (94-1-7664-17)

In view of the critical tone of [Redacted] letter, an "in absence" reply is deemed appropriate.

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Mr. Nease	
Miss Gandy	

J. Edgar Hoover

SEPTEMBER 18, 1953

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MR. J. EDGAR HOOVER
WASHINGTON, D. C.

DEAR MR. HOOVER:

IN PORTION OF A NEWSCAST RECENTLY HEARD BY THE WRITER, THE MESSAGE INDICATED THAT YOU WERE THE TRAVELING COMPANION OF SENATOR JOSEPH McCARTHY, WHOM YOU CLAIMED AS A FRIEND, AND IN A SUBSEQUENT INTERVIEW YOU SAID SOMETHING TO THE EFFECT THAT THE SENATOR WAS DOING MUCH GOOD AND THAT HE WAS THE KIND OF PERSON THAT WOULD NOT BE PUSHED AROUND. THIS IS THE GENERAL IMPRESSION DISCLOSED BY THE NEWSCASTER.

NATURALLY, I HAVE NO WAY OF DETERMINING WHETHER OR NOT THIS REPORT IS ACCURATE AND I SHOULD, THEREFORE, LIKE TO ADDRESS A FEW REMARKS TO YOU.

THE AVERAGE CITIZEN WHO HAS NO DIRECT CONTACT WITH A PUBLIC OFFICIAL GATHERS IMPRESSIONS FROM BITS OF NEWS IN THE NEWSPAPERS AND ELSEWHERE. TO THIS POINT I HAVE HAD THE GREATEST AMOUNT OF ADMIRATION FOR YOU, FEELING THAT YOU WERE DOING YOUR JOB WELL AND INDEPENDENT OF IMPROPER INFLUENCES. IT IS DIFFICULT, HOWEVER, TO RECONCILE REMARKS SUCH AS APPEAR ABOVE IN BEHALF OF SENATOR McCARTHY. WE ALL ARE INTERESTED IN STAMPING OUT THOSE WHO WOULD DESTROY OUR FREEDOM OR PRESENT FORM OF GOVERNMENT, BUT I AM SURE THAT YOU WILL AGREE THAT THIS MUST BE DONE WITHOUT HURTING INNOCENT PEOPLE AND, PERHAPS, DESTROYING OURSELVES IN THE PROCESS.

THOSE WHO CANNOT SEE THROUGH SENATOR McCARTHY ARE INDEED NAIVE, BUT IT DOESN'T END THERE AND WE AS A NATION ARE BEING MADE TO SUFFER. IF SENATOR McCARTHY'S PROGRAM HAS YOUR SUPPORT I THINK IT IS A SHOCKING STATE OF AFFAIRS.

YOURS VERY TRULY,
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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Nichols *pph*

DATE: September 22, 1953

FROM : M. A. Jones

SUBJECT: [REDACTED] *mass*
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The Bureau is in receipt of a letter dated September 19, 1953, from captioned individual. He takes the Director to task for the Director's statement to the press concerning Senator McCarthy. His tone is very caustic and derogatory.

The only information in Bufiles identifiable with him is that he was investigated in 1945, as a conscientious objector. He was a student in a ministerial school at that time. (25-64139)

In view of the above, it is not deemed advisable to acknowledge his letter.

RECOMMENDATION:

That no acknowledgement be sent to [REDACTED]

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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 Mr. Ladd
 Mr. Nichols
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 Mr. Jones
 Mr. Mohr
 Mr. Winterrowd
 Tele. Room
 Mr. Holloman
 Mr. Sizoo
 Miss Holmes
 Miss Gandy

September 19, 1953

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

From press reports I conclude that you feel that a senator, however criminal his fiscal record, is above the law, if his name is McCarthy. The bright myth of an incorruptible FBI fades.

Sincerely yours,

[Redacted signature]

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[Redacted]

New York, New York

Dear [Redacted]

It was indeed a pleasure to receive your kind telegram of November 25, 1953.

Thank you very much for this generous expression of confidence. You may be sure that my associates and I deeply appreciate your friendly support.

Sincerely yours,
J. Edgar Hoover

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J EDGAR HOOVER

DIRECTOR F B I

INDIVIDUAL UNIT OF AMERICAN INDIVIDUALISM AND AS A PERSON WHO HAS ALWAYS VALUED CONSTITUTIONAL INTERPRETATION OF INDIVIDUALISM RATHER THAN GROUP PRIVILEGE I SHOULD LIKE TO CONGRATULATE YOU MOST SINCERELY FOR YOUR COOPERATION WITH SENATOR JOSEPH R. MCCARTHY. IT IS YOUR THOUGHT OF AMERICA FOR WHICH WE HAVE THE GREATEST NEED. I AM EXPRESSING THE THOUGHTS OF MANY FRIENDS WHO FEEL AS I DO. WISH YOU MORE AND GREATER SUCCESSES AND MORE POWER IN THE FUTURE. IN CLOSING UTMOST CONGRATULATIONS FROM PLAIN EXAMPLE OF AMERICANA. WILL HELP YOU IN YOUR RESOURCES WILL SEE MCCARTHY THROUGH TO THE END SINCERELY

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cc: Mr. Nichols

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Tolson

FROM : L. B. Nichols

SUBJECT:

Joseph R. [redacted] came in to see me on December 22, 1954. He rambled somewhat; however, the following items would be of interest:

[redacted] paid a law firm [redacted] in Washington ten thousand dollars. This, however, was a bluff and was a means of interesting [redacted] in handling the [redacted] case against [redacted]. [redacted] paid a fee of twenty-five thousand dollars for handling the anti-trust case against [redacted]. [redacted] stated that [redacted] money mad and has really been raking in the money. As an illustration, [redacted] stated that he got two thousand dollars merely for going down with [redacted] when [redacted] appeared before the House Committee on Un-American Activities.

[redacted] and various other individuals associated with Drew Pearson promoted Jack Anderson as Pearson's successor, and Fred Humphrey as manager, although [redacted] states that they will wake up some day and find that [redacted] owns the whole outfit.

Jack Anderson is presently working on another book on Senator McCarthy. [redacted] stated they have a very novel means of raising money. Contributions are being sought for an anti-McCarthy campaign. Contributions go to the Unitarian Association in Boston as a tax-exempt foundation, and the contributions are then earmarked by the donor for specific projects. Anderson is hoping to get a grant of money to carry on investigation for his new book on McCarthy as a part of the anti-McCarthy campaign.

[redacted] is doing a lot of work in Washington for [redacted]. He is now with [redacted]. [redacted] formerly was with the Democratic National Committee. [redacted] told [redacted] that [redacted] is now teaming up with [redacted] and [redacted] and [redacted] is arranging for [redacted] to make a series of speaking engagements throughout the State of Nevada before various Kiwanis Clubs and the like. [redacted] is also going to have his oil drilling rig in Oklahoma moved out to Nevada and start drilling on land [redacted]. [redacted] company is known as [redacted].

[redacted] also has a client who is seeking to build a new motel in Las Vegas, who claimed he was going to put some \$500,000 in this motel.

cc: Mr. Ladd
Mr. Rosen
FEB 15 1954

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to [redacted]

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Memorandum to Mr. Tolson from L. B. Nichols

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] stated that [REDACTED] has a deep hatred on for Senator [REDACTED] and also [REDACTED] stated there is some grievance which [REDACTED] has against the Bureau, that the people in the Bureau will be very pleasant to him on a face-to-face basis but they knife him in the back. I hold [REDACTED] knowing full well anything I said would go right back to [REDACTED] that one of our greatest disappointments has been the manner in which [REDACTED] of the Bureau down; that, after all, the Director had groomed [REDACTED] for years, had given him breaks and thought well of [REDACTED] personally, and apparently some place along the line, [REDACTED] had completely forgotten his Bureau training; that he sought to trade on the Bureau and that he did not do it on an up-and-up basis.

[REDACTED]

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What kind of Investigation Was It?

THE U. S. Department of Justice has admitted that in its investigations of charges referred to it by the Senate Elections subcommittee concerning the financial affairs of Sen. McCarthy it did not interrogate Ben. McCarthy.

One wonders what kind of an investigation this could have been, for there was much in the evidence submitted by the subcommittee which couldn't be cleared up properly without explanations from the Senator. For example, the speculation his brother carried on in the markets on money supplied by the Senator.

Here again is an example of how the Senator lives a charmed life in such matters. He was invited six times to appear before the subcommittee and give testimony to clear up some of the unexplained details of the charges. He ignored the invitations and the subcommittee failed to call him in under the power of subpoena, which it had.

What kind of investigations are these when the investigators are afraid to question the man they are investigating?

What kind of an investigation did the Department of Justice conduct when McCarthy could say after Atty. Gen. Brownell had announced that he had been cleared that "I didn't even know they were working on it."

According to the Department of Justice the FBI did some of the investigating in the case. While the inquiry was still going on, the head of the FBI, J. Edgar Hoover, issued a public statement declaring that the man being investigated was "honest." What of the propriety of Mr. Hoover issuing this statement at the time his agency was investigating McCarthy?

Is this the kind of investigations Atty. Gen. Brownell will conduct to his much ballyhooed "clean up government?"

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 Madison, Wisconsin
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Mr. Tolson	✓
Mr. Ladd	✓
Mr. Nichols	✓
Mr. Belmont	✓
Mr. Clegg	✓
Mr. Glavin	✓
Mr. Harbo	✓
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Mr. Tracy	✓
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Mr. Gurnea	✓
Mr. Hendon	✓
Mr. Pennington	✓
Mr. Quinn	✓
Mr. Nease	✓
Mr. Mohr	✓
Mr. Winterrowd	✓
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Mr. Holloman	✓
Miss Gandy	✓

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*Some of these days
 engine is going to bite
 himself & he will be
 there a lot face to them*

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SUBJECT: HERMAN MILTON GREENSPUN
(Las Vegas, Nevada)
INFORMATION CONCERNING
(WFO 62-)

(Washington, D. C.)
INFORMATION CONCERNING
(WFO 62-)

Joseph R. McCARTHY

Mr. Tolson	
Mr. E. A. Tamm	
Mr. Clegg	
Mr. Glavin	
Mr. Ladd	
Mr. Nichols	
Mr. Rosen	
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[redacted] called at the Washington Field Office. He stated he currently resides at [redacted] Washington, D. C., telephone [redacted] where he occupies a room in the home of [redacted] shortly before Christmas, 1953, [redacted] known as a co-worker during 1950 at the [redacted]

About three weeks ago, [redacted] visited [redacted] at which time he related to [redacted] that he had recently returned from Las Vegas, Nevada, [redacted] when he described as the owner of a newspaper in Las Vegas, (believed identical with HERMAN MILTON GREENSPUN, Editor and Publisher of the Las Vegas Sun, Las Vegas, Nevada). [redacted] stated on this occasion that GREENSPUN was "after" Senator McCARTHY and Senator McCARRAN and that the Director was "next on the list." [redacted] advised [redacted] that he had returned to Washington, D. C. in order to obtain some material for GREENSPUN concerning Senator McCARRAN.

[redacted] related that on this occasion [redacted] said that he had been working for a [redacted] whom he, [redacted] described as having desk space in the office of an attorney by the name of [redacted] further described [redacted] as an attorney who had recently been the subject of a Tax Fraud investigation, who allegedly

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Memorandum to DIRECTOR, FBI

RE: HERMAN MILTON GREENSPUN
(Las Vegas, Nevada)
INFORMATION CONCERNING
(WFO 62-)

RE: [REDACTED]
(Washington, D. C.)
INFORMATION CONCERNING
(WFO 62-)

turned over fees to the National Democratic Party. [REDACTED] intimated by im-
meade that he obtained information for [REDACTED], who thereafter transmitted it
to GREENSPUN. [REDACTED] said that [REDACTED] did not elaborate concerning the
proposed attack on the Director by GREENSPUN. [REDACTED] did not mention the
manner in which the attack would be made, however, [REDACTED] received the im-
pression that [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] would "work it up" provided that GREENSPUN
furnished the funds.

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On the occasion of the conversation between [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]
the latter stated that he had recently examined a file at the Internal
Revenue Department concerning a tax evasion matter that had appeared in the
newspapers. [REDACTED] stated that the newspapers indicated the issue had been
settled for one million dollars, but a review of the file indicated that it
had been settled for considerably less. [REDACTED] said he inquired if the
file was available to the public and [REDACTED] replied in the affirmative. He
later intimated to [REDACTED] that occasionally information was picked up by
newspapermen when it was left lying around. It is [REDACTED] impression that
[REDACTED] surreptitiously obtained the file. [REDACTED] said [REDACTED] commented
that [REDACTED] had arranged for an interview with Senator WILLIAM E. JEWETT on
behalf of [REDACTED] when the latter was under deportation proceedings.
According to [REDACTED], a reservation at a Union Station Plaza Hotel was made
for [REDACTED] and MIKA HAYWORTH by [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

The current Washington, D. C. telephone directory reflects the
listing for a [REDACTED] Attorney, with offices in the Investment
Building. There are listings for [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] Attor-
neys, with offices at [REDACTED] Street, N. W.

[REDACTED] is well known to the Bureau as a former "log ear"
for [REDACTED] and an ex-employee for the Office of Price Administration.

Memorandum to DIRECTOR, FBI

RE: **WILLIAM MELTON GARDNER**
(Las Vegas, Nevada)
INFORMATION CONCERNING
(WFO 62-)

RE: [REDACTED]
(Washington, D. C.)
INFORMATION CONCERNING
(WFO 62-)

[REDACTED] stated that [REDACTED] is being sued for divorce by his wife and in his opinion is an opportunist who would do anything for money.

[REDACTED] stated further that he wishes the Bureau to know that he is not a friend of [REDACTED] and that following the discussion described above, he informed [REDACTED] that he believed him to be dishonest and desired to have no further contact with him. [REDACTED] said that he is a great admirer of the Director and that he would be willing to assist the Bureau in any way it desires. He said that he had intended to bring this information to the Bureau's attention earlier but had refrained from doing so, with the hope that he might obtain some additional information from [REDACTED].

[REDACTED] advised that he would immediately bring to the attention of the Bureau any information concerning [REDACTED] which comes to his attention and which he believes to be of interest. He said that he would not vouch for the veracity of [REDACTED] and that he made no effort to evaluate the information which he has furnished.

It will be recalled that the Bureau, by letter dated January 15, 1954, authorized this office to have two mature agents interview [REDACTED] in connection with the case entitled "UNKNOWN SUBJECT, [REDACTED]". This office contemplates conducting the interview in accordance with Bureau instructions.

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February 2, 1954

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Honorable Joseph R. McCarthy
United States Senate
Washington, D. C.

Dear Joe:

With further reference to your letter of January 13th and my reply of January 14th regarding the Hank Greenspun column which appeared in the Las Vegas Sun of January 8, 1954, as I advised you, I referred the matter to the Criminal Division of the Department for a ruling.

I am now in receipt of an opinion of Mr. Warren Olney III, Assistant Attorney General in charge of the Criminal Division, that the article does not constitute a violation of a Federal statute. Mr. Olney concluded, "It is difficult to interpret this article so as to read a threat to murder or advice to murder into it. It seems to be more in the nature of prophecy."

With best wishes and kind regards,

Sincerely,

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cc - Mr. Ladd

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Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation

January 20, 1954.

Warren Olney III
Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division

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HANK OBERKAMPF

SI-017-46

Reference is made to your memorandum of January 14, 1954, with which you enclosed a copy of an article from the Las Vegas Sun under the byline of this subject. This was referred to you by Senator McCarthy, and you now request advice as to whether the contents of this column constitute a violation of Federal law.

It is difficult to interpret this article so as to read a threat to murder or advice to murder into it. It seems to be more in the nature of prophecy.

However, threats generally are not covered by Federal criminal statutes, and punishment therefor is within the jurisdiction of the States. Threats to injure the person of another, and transmitted in interstate commerce, are covered by 18 U.S.C. 875. The mailing of a threatening communication is an offense under 18 U.S.C. 876, and when mailed from a foreign country it becomes an offense under 18 U.S.C. 877.

We do not believe this article will come within any of these Federal statutes.

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February 2, 1954

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[Redacted]
New York 1, New York

Dear [Redacted]

I am taking the liberty of acknowledging your letter of January 24, 1954, inasmuch as it has been received in the absence of Mr. Hoover from the city.

Your communication will be brought to Mr. Hoover's attention upon his return.

Sincerely yours,

Helen W. Gandy
Secretary

NOTE: [Redacted] has written the Bureau on at least two previous occasions (46-18358-78 and 62-0-55113). Both were on controversial matters and one was not acknowledged. The other was acknowledged with a very brief note merely stating that it had been received. Although present letter is complimentary of the Director, it is a very strong attack on Senator McCarthy and an in-absence reply is therefore deemed advisable.

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New York 1, N. Y.

Jan. 24-54.

To Edgar Hoover:
c/o F. B. I.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

It is with an earnest desire and anxiety that I write to you.

I hope you will bear with me and see why I write to you.- tho I have written you many times before- and lauding your great leadership during the War-

Today- with the United Nations-earnestly deadlocked with the East and so called Iron-Countries - it is most important that America stay free- and remain the land of the free- and the home of the brave-

No man in America is more experienced- more capable than you sir- and your great Federal Bureau of Investigation- to guard our heritage- our freedom- our Bill of Rights- and our constitution- including the Fifth-Amendment.

So I would very much like to ask you sir-why you have given up your leadership and allowed Sen. MacCarthy to take over your job- and it seems to me the Presidents job and the Congress-as well- This man-Mr.-Hoover is a very ignorant and dangerous man- already- he is thinking of becoming another Dictator-another Hitler-already- a few people have taken their lives- at his inquisitions- and and stupid name-calling hearings- It is more than the fate of a few Americans or so-called security risks- it is the fate of our own whole country- that is in danger-and-before long- Mr. Hoover- if Mc. Carthy & Velde-and Sen. Jenner-who called Gen. Marshall- a traitor and a Communist-you don't curb these sinister Nazi-gang-you will witness the first concentration of Political and Economic objections in the first Concentration Camp.- in the Nazi-manner- in the U.S.A.

I write this to you Mr. Hoover- because- I have watched your great and wonderful work for many a year and because I love this country with all its beautiful traditions and history.

Our Bill of Rights-is a Charter like the "Magna" from Heaven, our Constitution as sacred as the Heavenly Mary-

I wouldn't like to see all these beautiful Rights lost and in jeopardy- and that is what is happening to-day in America.

"Can't you, Mr. Hoover- guard and protect the security of the United States as you have so successfully done in the past?

Can't you throw that bum Mc. Carthy-out and you take over.

All this man has done is nothing- and has tended to confuse the America people-that they are bewildered and there is great danger from within our country-more so than from any foreign nation-

I hope and pray that you will read my letter with interest

Sincerely yours

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TO : Mr. Tolson *Viper*

DATE: Feb. 4, 1954

FROM : L. B. Nichols

SUBJECT:

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- Miss Gandy

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McCarthy

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██████████ advised me that Hank Greenspan of the Las Vegas Sun in a recent column charged that Albert Levitt had testified before the Internal Security Committee that Senator McCarthy was a Communist; that the record was destroyed and that Levitt's file had disappeared. ██████████ stated that Levitt had never testified before the committee; that on August 10, 1951, he had written the committee stating he wanted to testify that McCarthy was a Communist; that Senator McCarran had replied the committee would listen to reliable testimony or subversive activities whenever presented but they needed to know more about the nature of his information. In September, 1951, Levitt showed up in Washington wanting to testify. The Senator sent a staff member over to interview Levitt and when the staff member got to the hotel, Levitt had checked out and left town. Levitt is a former Judge of the Virgin Islands, was a former Special Assistant to the Attorney General under a previous Republican administration and comes from Connecticut. ██████████ stated that the correspondence file on Levitt could not be located.

cc: Mr. Ladd
Mr. Belmont

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TO : Director, FBI

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DATE: 3-2-54

FROM : SAC, Memphis

SUBJECT: SENATOR JOSEPH McCARTHY
INFORMATION CONCERNING

Handwritten initials and a routing slip with names like 'Miss Gandy' and 'Mr. Tolson'.

On March 2, 1954, an individual who identified herself as [redacted] Memphis, Tenn., telephonically communicated with ASAC CLIFTON O. WALTER of the Memphis Office, complaining about Senator McCARTHY. She stated that Senator McCARTHY has a 16 year old daughter, [redacted] who resides with her mother, [redacted] in Lowry City, Missouri, and that [redacted] is having to give up school due to the financial condition of her mother, who is supposed to operate a cafe in Lowry City. [redacted] stated that she has written Senator McCARTHY, requesting that he furnish his daughter sufficient funds on which to live and on which to attend school, but that she has not received a reply from the senator. [redacted] claims to be a cousin of [redacted]. [redacted] talked in a irrational manner and seemed to be most upset that Senator McCARTHY is permitted to "ride around in a Cadillac" and not take care of his daughter.

[redacted] was informed that the problem presented by her is not one coming within the investigative jurisdiction of the FBI.

The Memphis Telephone Directory lists a [redacted]

The above is being furnished for the information of the Bureau.

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TO : Mr. Tolson

DATE: March 11, 1954

FROM : L. B. Nichols

SUBJECT:

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[redacted] of the New York Times called and referred to an AP item in the New York Times dated August 24, 1953, quoting the Director from La Jolla, California, on Senator McCarthy as being an earnest and honest individual. [redacted] stated that he was merely inquiring as to whether there were any press inquiries received at the Bureau at that time and whether the story was confirmed or denied. I stated that I frankly couldn't recall, but there would have been no occasion for the Bureau to have made any statement whatsoever since the Director was out of town and since he was interviewed by the press on the West Coast.

He then asked if this was a press conference. I told him that I was not there; that from my understanding this had occurred shortly after the Internal Security Subcommittee report on Communism in the Government, and that questions had been directed to the Director on this and other matters. He wondered if there was any transcript. I told him that I did not know. He stated that he was merely curious and was inquiring not for publication.

cc - Mr. Boardman
cc - Mr. Belmont

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Very properly handled.

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Indianapolis, Indiana

Dear [Redacted]

I have received your letter of March 12, 1954. For your information, the comments which I expressed concerning Senator Joseph R. McCarthy were in answer to questions by a newspaper reporter while I was in La Jolla, California, last August. Inclosed is a Photostat of an article appearing in "The Evening Star," Washington, D. C., on August 26, 1953, reporting the results of this interview.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

[Handwritten signature]

Photostat of article appearing in "The Evening Star," Washington, D. C., on August 26, 1953.

NOTE: Bufiles have no record of [Redacted]

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Indianapolis, Indiana

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Federal Bureau of Investigation
U. S. Department of Justice Bldg.
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

I recently read a quotation attributed to you in the publication "The Sword of The Lord" edited by John R. Rice. Editorial offices are at 214 W. Wesley Street, Wheaton, Illinois.

This is the quote:

"I've come to know Senator McCarthy well, officially and personally. I view him as a friend and I believe he so views me. Certainly, he is a controversial man. He is earnest and he is honest. He has enemies. Whenever you attack subversives of any kind, Communists, Fascists, even Ku Klux Klan, you are going to be the victim of the most extremely vicious criticism that can be made. I know. But sometimes a knock is a boost."

I have two questions. One, is the quotation correct? Two, is the quotation taken out of context?

I appreciate your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

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Santa Fe, New Mexico

Dear [REDACTED]

I have received your letter of March 16, 1954, and want to thank you for your kind comments concerning Mr. D. A. Bryce, Special Agent in Charge of our Albuquerque Office. I know that he will be happy to learn that you liked the talk which he gave recently at your church.

In answer to your inquiry, I am enclosing a photostat of an article which appeared in "The Evening Star," Washington, D. C., on August 26, 1953, which accurately reports the comments which I made concerning Senator Joseph R. McCarthy.

Sincerely yours,
J. Edgar Hoover

Enclosure

photostat copy of an article in "The Evening Star" cc - Albuquerque, with copy of incoming.

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NOTE: [REDACTED] was investigated by the Bureau in 1948 when he made application for a position with the State Department. That investigation uncovered no derogatory information concerning him. The comments which he mentions in his letter concerning the Director's remarks about Senator McCarthy are correct; however, it is noted that in his interview the Director also stated that he was not passing on the techniques of Senator McCarthy's committee. It is, therefore, deemed advisable to send [REDACTED] a copy of the article report of the Director's interview.

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March 16, 1954.

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director,
Federal Bureau of Investigation,
Washington, D. C.

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Dear Mr. Hoover:

In the January 1954 issue of a magazine called The Progressive, in the letters-to-the-editor section, there is a letter which reads in part as follows:

"Hoover has made a public declaration of his friendship with McCarthy. In an interview for the San Diego Evening Tribune Aug. 22, 1953, Mr. Hoover had the following things to say about him:

"McCarthy is a former Marine. He was an amateur boxer. He's Irish. Combine those, and you're going to have a vicious individual, who is not going to be pushed around. I never knew Sen. McCarthy until he came to the Senate. I've come to know him well, officially and personally. I view him as a friend and believe he so views me. Certainly he is a controversial man. He is earnest and he is honest. Whenever you attack subversives of any kind, Communists, Fascists, even the Ku Klux Klan, you are going to be the victim of the most extremely vicious criticism that can be made."

I should appreciate being advised whether this is a correct quotation from the San Diego Evening Tribune and, if so, whether the newspaper quoted you correctly; if incorrectly, then in what particulars.

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An FBI man, Mr. Brice of El Paso, had an excellent talk at my church last week. He expressed the view that the FBI would keep its proper place as long as you were head of it. That has been my hope and belief. Communist men can disagree honestly about Senator McCarthy, but I believe the citizen may properly inquire whether the head of so important an agency has been correctly quoted as to his attitude.

Yours sincerely,

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Philadelphia 7, Pennsylvania

NY [Redacted]

I have received your letter postmarked March 18, 1954, and its contents have been noted.

Please feel free to communicate with me any time you acquire information you believe to be of interest to this Bureau.

Sincerely yours,
J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover
Director

NOTE: Correspondent previously has communicated with the Bureau and has received cordial acknowledgments.

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Correspondent, in his communication, accuses Senator Joseph R. McCarthy of being a dangerous subversive. He quotes editorials, columnists and Government officials to support this charge. His reply has been deliberately phrased to be noncommittal in view of the controversial issue involved.

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March 16, 1954.

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T. J. [unclear]

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

I hereby report, as in my opinion one of the most dangerous sub-
versives in this country, Senator Joseph R. McCarthy.

It is well known that the Communist technique is to create in non-Communist countries fear, suspicion and national hatreds. Moderator Dan Smoot two years ago broadcast over "Facts Forum", as a warning to America, the following words he identified as having been uttered by Lenin, "We will win the Western World for Communism without shedding a drop of a single Russian soldier's blood. How? ... We will create fear, suspicion. We will work inside by creating national hatreds, religious antagonisms. We will pit father against son, wife against husband. We will inaugurate campaigns to hate Jews and hate Catholics and hate Negroes ... We will frighten them. We will create political chicanery. We will confuse international diplomacy. We will do these things."

Joseph C. Harsch in the March 6, 1954 edition of The Christian Science Monitor pointed out that the "Kremlin Reaps Spoils of McCarthy-Army Tiff." He added that "The Kremlin this week was getting all the benefits ... An incidental bonus was the erosion of American public confidence in the loyalty of its armed forces."

The Christian Science Monitor, in its March 2 edition, pointed out that our unchecked senator is a matter of grave concern to the foreign diplomats interested in NATO. They remind us that the Atlantic Alliance is founded on a central core of defense of common principles, of personal freedom and justice, and that the Allies of the United States are gravely concerned if those principles are challenged with apparent impunity in our country. One diplomat is quoted as stating that this procedure "undermines the foundations of American leadership in the free world."

Melvin E. Whiteleather, headed his column of March 7 "Can the U. S. be Trusted? That is What Our Friends Are Asking." He also states NATO was based on an assumption that the same basic democratic ideals operated on both sides of the Atlantic and that now foreign countries are concluding that their assumption was wrong. RECORDED-21 94-3714-117

Elmer Davis in his book "But We Were Born Free" shows how even our freedom to think has been and is being assailed. He reports also the deliberate efforts made to intimidate his sponsors and keep him off the air. The same kind of story has been revealed repeatedly by Drew Pearson.

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover

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Elmer Davis points out, regarding McCarthy, "One of his great assets is that his supporters have the true making of the fanatic - they are not interested in facts. The endless exposures of McCarthy's endless untruths do not affect them."

The Philadelphia Evening Bulletin in an editorial on March 2 referred to "Senator McCarthy's charges and methods, which are disrupting national unity and making effective administration of Federal affairs almost impossible. The Wisconsin Senator is more responsible than any other man in public life for spreading fear and suspicion among people who are as sincerely opposed to Communism as he himself professes to be."

Senator Flanders on March 9 on the Senate floor stated that McCarthy "is doing his best to shatter the Republican party" and that his search for internal subversion is diverting the nation's attention from external troubles to an "extent dangerous to our future as a nation." This statement was later approved by President Eisenhower.

Vice-President Nixon on March 13 spoke of the harm being done by McCarthy and declared that unfair inquisition methods help to destroy "our freedoms".

Jack Anderson and Ronald W. May, in chapter 26 of their book, "McCarthy", state that McCarthy in 1949 demanded the right to "sit in" when a 3-man Senate Committee investigated the "Malmedy Massacre" trials, and virtually took charge of the investigation and denounced his fellow senators as attempting "to whitewash the American military"; that, for weeks, he kept up a continuous stream of denunciations on and off the floor of the Senate, which were echoed by the Communist press in Germany and caused such a bitter reaction in that country against America that the sentences of the Nazi murderers had to be commuted; that the so-called evidence which McCarthy produced was received by him from Rudolf Aschenauer, of Frankfurt, Germany, a member of the Communist spy ring; that the fictitious evidence produced by this Communist was given the ring of truth by McCarthy and then handed to the German press as authenticated by an American senator, thus inflaming the German people and damaging the American position in that country; that, in the opinion of Anderson and May, McCarthy thus damaged his country and its reputation abroad to win the pro-German Wisconsin votes; that Walter Harnischfeger, a pro-german Milwaukee pre-fab manufacturer, who made numerous trips to Germany and criticized the war-crime trials, was frequently quoted by McCarthy in the Congressional Record; and that the young lawyer, who assisted McCarthy in the Malmedy investigation, was in fact an employee of the Harnischfeger Corporation.

Jack Anderson and Ronald W. May, in their book, "McCarthy", further point out how McCarthy organizes boycotts and issues threats against publications that publish facts about him; that there are 11 parallels on foreign policy between McCarthy's voting record and the Red party line; that in the opinion of FBI counterspy Philbrick, "The hard-

r. J. Edgar Hoover

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bitten Communist elite 'just love' Senator McCarthy's name calling." I am confident his view of the matter is correct.

The Alsop brothers, in their column of March 5, and Jack Anderson and Ronald W. May, in their book, "McCarthy", both state that McCarthy owed his election to the United States Senate to Communist support. Furthermore, they point out that, instead of repudiating such support, McCarthy replied airily, "Well, Communists vote, don't they?" It is therefore at least conceivable that the Senator, in supporting Communist objectives while publicly berating them, is paying off his election obligation. However, it seems more probable that we are dealing with a man who craves publicity and power and doesn't care what happens to his country in his drive to obtain them. In any event the Senator, in my opinion, has done and is doing more harm to America than all the Communists so far brought to light. That is why I have reported him.

Sincerely yours,



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March 25, 1954

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Indianapolis 19, Indiana

Dear [REDACTED]

Your letter of March 17, 1954, together with its enclosure, has been received, and the interest which prompted your making your observations available to me is appreciated.

I very much hope that the work of the FBI and my administration of its activities will continue to be deserving of your confidence.

Sincerely yours,
J. Edgar Hoover

NOTE: Correspondent is not identifiable in Bufiles. She enclosed a carbon copy of a letter she had directed to Bishop Sheen. She seems to think that Senator McCarthy is doing a good job and expresses confidence in the Director's work.

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Indianapolis 19, Ind,
March 17th 1954,

Head Of The FBI, J.E. Hoover,
Washington D,C,

I am enclosing a letter copy to Bishop for you to read, The American people are much concerned about Senator McCarthy for fear they will find ~~ways~~ ways to get rid of him just like they did General MACARTHUR, It seems like today instead of helping the committees to clean the undesirable, they turn on the ones that dare to try to a good job,

I still believe the Truman White issue should be cleared, I dont believe any man is above approach just because he sit in the Presidents chair, all the more reason he should give the same respect to the chair that the President believes he should have from the people, If it is a comfort to you in these trying daya the American people are with you 100 %

Sincerely

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Ps .I believe J. Hoover could be given power to puni he finds the evidence rat
than file it so if the President or State Dept might u. it,
I have faith in J, Hoover and the committees investigating communism, I dont believe
the innocent have anything to fear from them ,Any real American ~~neighborhood~~ should
not hesitate to say they are not a communist,
I would appreciate a answer after spendin [REDACTED] b7c
time to watch and listen to you,
I wrote you a couple times before
but no answer, Indianapolis 19, Ind.
March 17th 1954

Bishop Fulton J, Sheen
CBS TV, New York, N.Y.

First I am a admirer of your talks on TV, in f
fact I havnt mised oneso ~~the~~ far, I also bought your book , I am
reading it along with Paul Harvey's latest book, I believe you might
enjoy Mr Harvey's book in case you have not read it,
I also have McCarthy's books, Eisenhowers, Churchill, General Mac ARTHURS
Senator Tafts, Dullas, Vanderbergs, US confidential, and one about Malenkove
the last one I bought out of curocity,
My favorite newsmen are , Fulton Lewis, Geo E. Sakolsky, Gilbert Forbes,
Robert Hurley, I listen to Drew Pearson, and Murrow because I like to
hear what both party's have to say, Frank Edwards,
The reason I list the things I want you to know I try to keep up on
issues important to good government and what is good for the USA,

About your talk last nite, I hope you realize that even if the heads
of Government used Philadelphia cream cheese to bait the traps to
catch communist and coddlers of communist, the Left wing element would
try to destroy them also, It is not just McCarthy or his methods they
object to ,They want to continue allowing the communist to drift in
high government jobs in the same dignified manner as the last 20 yrs,
Of course I dont like to believe you was comparing McCarthy to
smeling cheese?? I admire him very much for standing up against left
wingers of both party's along with alanted Newsmen and papers,
Look at the way some schools act about McCarthy,

I cant understand people turning on the ones that try to help to
make our country a better place to live in , and protect the communist.

BUT i want to assure you the people of the USA are not confused we
have aclear picture of what we want. IT is the Heads of Government
that are confused,I think the people are determined if the Admisteration
fails to keep their campaign promises to the American people we will
start a new party for 1956 the American party,with out Dewey , Truma.
Eisenhower, Nixon, , The people thought after the lowest type campaign
in history that Nixon would clean the reds out single handed, after
their talk of Trumans usless war, Mess, communist , BUT once elected
Truman is a good patriot, right about sending troups to Korea ,
We might just aswell face it they either lied to the people about
Truman, and went into office on false pretenses,

Do you wonder that the thinking people have lost faith in both
The President and Vice,

You also spoke about people kicking about so much money being spent on
churches rather than for human beings, I happent ot be one of the many
that feels that way,I am enclosing some clippings for you to read
which will help to bear me out,I believe all Ministers should make a
point to spend more time with our young in schools if necessary,

I cant speak about your church or schools ~~XXXX~~ I do believe the
Catholic's have fewer divorces, they try to keep their family's together. b7c
I AM CURIOUS TO KNOW HOW THEY COMPARE WITH CRL E ETC. COULD YOU HELP
SINCERELY [REDACTED]

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St. Louis 11, Missouri

Dear [Redacted]

Your letter, with enclosures, postmarked March 9, 1954, has been received, and I appreciate your interest in writing to the FBI.

It is not possible for me, however, as a matter of policy, to express an opinion concerning the matter about which you inquired.

Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

NOTE: Bufiles contain no record of the correspondent. The self-addressed, stamped envelope which was enclosed by the correspondent is being utilized in reply.

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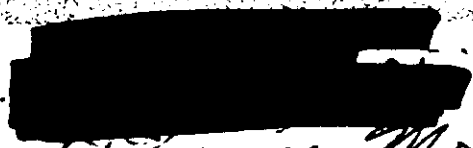
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Mr. Edgar Hoover
Director of the F. B. I.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

I am enclosing 2
clippings which I hope
you will find of interest.
The little poem is a "Pig"
However the other clipping
is not so funny.

I know that you probably
never express an opinion
about any one, public or
private, that does not
come directly under your

province
However as a true
American, I think you
might profit by going
over the statements set
this below from N. J.
ack [redacted] 3/16/54

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2. and ask yourself if
these statements are
true or false.


Has Joe McCarthy ever
uncovered and convicted

One real forswore
Communist?

frankly I don't know,
but I believe you
should.

I am really worried about
this fellow McCarthy.
Would you be so kind as
to use the enclosed
envelope and ~~write~~ tell me
honestly what you think
about what he is doing.

Sincerely



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'Is Senator McCarthy a Communist?'

The Mirror
of
Public Opinion

New Jersey newspaper asks that question upon basis of Wisconsin Senator's own techniques; if anyone serving purposes of Communist party is a Communist, as McCarthy says, then what about various ways in which he is serving ends of Communism?

James Kearney Jr. in the Trenton (N.J.) Sunday Times-Advertiser

Senator McCarthy has been asking a lot of people if they were or are Communists. He declares that if they are serving the purposes of the Communist party, he believes they are Communists.

Let's take a look at Senator McCarthy's record of accomplishment:

Repeated charges that there are 208 or 37 or 31 Communists in the State Department, and repeated allegations of Communist influence in American foreign policy have undermined the people who work in our embassies abroad. They are afraid to submit any report unless it shows the Communists are under attack, regardless of what the true facts abroad may be, although it has not been proven yet that there is a single Communist in the State Department.

Isn't it one of the purposes of the Communist party to undermine the American foreign service?

Senator McCarthy's series of charges against all departments of American Government have convinced public opinion in Western Europe that there is little if any freedom left in the United States.

Isn't it one of the goals of the Communists to undermine America's standing among our allies in Europe?

Senator McCarthy has spread doubts through American public life.

Isn't this one of the purposes of the Communist party?

Some of the most devastating and persistent attacks on the Communist party have come from individuals who were Communists back in the mid-

thirties, but who have broken with the party, like James Wechsler, editor of The New York Post. Senator McCarthy has attacked Mr. Wechsler and spread doubts of his loyalty.

Isn't one of the hopes of the Communist party the ruination of the reputations of those who are the severest critics of Communism?

Senator McCarthy has "held in contempt," as he phrases it, a general who refused to testify for Senator McCarthy because of orders from his superiors. This general was abused by Senator McCarthy for obeying his orders.

Isn't one of the great goals of the Communist party the undermining of the American Army?

Senator McCarthy, for all of his charges, has yet to uncover a Communist in a high or important place.

Isn't it a desire of the Communists to spread confusion without endangering the really important members of the Communist party?

By sidetracking the FBI and using FBI undercover agents for much of his testimony, Senator McCarthy has undermined the effectiveness of the FBI in keeping a close watch on the Communist party.

Isn't it one of the real hopes of the Communist party to undo the former high standing and effectiveness of the FBI?

In the face of these accomplishments, Senator McCarthy has been doing the work of the Communist party.

Isn't it proper now to ask: Is Senator McCarthy really a Communist?

Mr. Glavin _____
Mr. Harbo _____
Mr. Rosen _____
Mr. Tamm _____
Mr. Tracy _____
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Mr. Holloman _____
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Mr. Tolson _____
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After Barbara Fritchie

William F. Polk in the Greensboro Daily News.

Secretary Stevens poked his head out of a Pentagon window and,

"Shoot if you must this old gray head, But spare your country's flag," he said.

A look of gladness, a flush of blame Over the face of McCarthy came.

The ignobler nature within him stirred To life at that gentleman's deed and word.

"Who misses a hair on your gray head Dies like a dog. Come on!" he said.

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Goose Bay, Labrador, Canada

Dear [REDACTED]

Your letter of April 25, 1954, has been received.

Should you desire to correspond with Senator Joseph McCarthy, it is suggested that you address him in care of the United States Senate, Washington, D. C.

Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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NOTE: Correspondent desired the address of Senator McCarthy.

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- See Me
- For your info
- Note & return
- For appropriate action

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L. B. Nichols
Room 5640, Ext. 6914

5/27/54

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
FBI
Washington, D.C.

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Would you be good enough to
tell me what you think
Senator McCarthy.

Sincerely

[Redacted signature]

Newark, N.J.

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
F B I
Washington, D. C.

Would you be good enough to tell me what you think
of Senator McCarthy.

Sincerely

/s/

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Newark, 7, N. J.

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4,000 Hear Buckley, Defend McCarthy

A strong defense of Sen. McCarthy (R.-Wis.) was made last night by William J. Buckley Jr. before an overflow meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of the New York Republican County Committee at the National Republican Club, 54 W. 40th st.

The crowd, estimated at 4,000, spread into 10 chartered buses parked outside and into Bryant Park, where the overflow audience sat on benches to listen through loudspeakers.

Buckley's speech grew out of an invitation originally issued by the Women's National Republican Club, 3 W. 51st st., to the young writer, asking him to speak on his recent book, "McCarthy and His Enemies."

SPEECH ONCE CANCELLED

This speech was cancelled and Mrs. Preston Davie, who was to be guest of honor, and Raymond Moley, another scheduled speaker, refused to attend. The club said the cancellation was due to the current Senate hearings on the McCarthy-Army controversy.

Mrs. Davie arranged last night's meeting.

Speaking of McCarthy's ene-

mies, Buckley, who also wrote "God and Man At Yale"; said:

"Far from suffering a reign of terror it is my contention we are living in an age when particularly 'the' towards speak up.

"Men who have never had the spirit to face up to their mothers-in-law are suddenly aware they can earn the badge by denouncing Senator McCarthy—and what is more, their heroism is sure to be immortalized in the New York Times."

Buckley chided "some Republicans without capacity for

independent judgment" who have fallen into criticism of McCarthy and said this was just what the Democratic opposition wanted.

"If McCarthy didn't exist the Democrats would have invented him," he said.

Mrs. Davie emphasized the danger of communism and its "fringe activities." She said the technique of Communists found quick effectiveness with parlor pinks and the "venerable egg-heads who infect plush clubs and organizations."

Photostatic copies of articles in New York Journal American

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Snub to Buckley Assailed:

GOP Women Draw Blast

A Queens Republican organization today criticized the decision of the Women's National Republican Club in cancelling a speaking invitation to William F. Buckley Jr., supporter of Sen. McCarthy (R.-Wis.).

The Queens County Young Republicans Association declared the action by the club's board of directors was "motivated by political cowardice."

An association spokesman Kieran O'Doherty announced: "The general opinion of our membership is that this was

another attempt by a minority of self-styled liberal Republicans to intimidate and silence the great majority of Republicans who generally approve of Sen. McCarthy."

INVITATION VOTED.

Meeting at its headquarters, 86-15 Lefferts blvd., Richmond Hill, Queens, the association last night voted unanimously to invite Buckley to speak at its next general meeting.

"The association took notice," the spokesman said, "that Buckley was apparently

rejected because of the book, "McCarthy and His Enemies," which he co-authored. A number of members agreed the book was a thoroughly objective appraisal of McCarthy. It was suggested it be required reading for thinking Republicans.

"We are certain Queens County Republicans strongly favor McCarthy."

Buckley was to have addressed club members on April 26 in their headquarters at 3 W. 51st st. When it was called off, Mrs.

Preston Davie, chairman of the women's auxiliary of the New York Republican Committee, and writer Raymond Moley, refused to attend a club luncheon on Monday.

Mrs. Davie invited Buckley to address her group at 8 p. m. on April 26 in the GOP County headquarters, 54 W. 40th st.

Casting in Pennsylvania

HARRISBURG, Pa., April 15 (AP).—Fishermen were greeted by comparatively mild weather when they lined up arm to arm at favorite streams for the opening of the 3½-month Pennsylvania trout season early today.

For your entertainment, comics galore every day in the N. Y. Journal-American.

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JACKSON COUNTY
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J. Edgar Hoover, Director

FBI
Washington 25, D.C. JACOB P. WILSON

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Dear Mr. Hoover:

In today's paper, Senator H. Alexander Smith is quoted as saying that he deplors Sen. McClellan's method of investigating Communist infiltration that he has discussed the subject with you, & that you are "critical as I am of the way the Senator from Wisconsin does things."

From personal experience I have found it to be true that those who approve the aims, but deplore the methods of Senator McClellan are either anti-Communist or completely ignorant of the Senator's methods. Further, the Communist movement in this country is still in its infancy.

On further questioning they can hardly suggest any more effective methods & take refuge in generalities such as "judicial process" (& the truth is we

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more practical - but in detail
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finding out whether there is or is not
a more effective method, as well as
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knowledge) to bother someone else's
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whether this is what you think that
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I should not have felt it proper to
write & ask you your opinion of
Prof. McCarty's methods & their effect
inversely, if you had not been
publicly quoted under these conditions
I feel that an American may write
you, quite properly, & ask for an
expression of the facts.
Sincerely,

August 1st 1954

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Pennsylvania

J. Edgar Hoover, Director
F. B. I.
Washington #25, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

In today's paper, Senator H. Alexander Smith is quoted as saying that he deplores Sen. McCarthy's "methods" of investigating Communist infiltration, that he has discussed the subject with you, & that you are, "critical as I am of the way the Senator from Wisconsin does things."

From personal experience I have found it to be true that those who approve the aims, but "deplore the methods", of Senator McCarthy are either anti- anti-Communist, or completely ignorant, not only of Senator McCarthy's "methods," but also of the Communist menace in this country.

On further questioning they can never suggest any more effective methods, and take refuge in generalities such as "judicial process" (& the Senate is not a judicial body), more gentlemanly - or more statesmanlike - but no detailed method that would work, & work better. As I am sincerely interested in finding out whether there is or is not a more effective method, as well as whether you are again being misquoted (as has happened before to my knowledge) to bolster someone else's statements, I am writing to ask you whether this is what you think & have said.

I should not have felt it proper to write, & ask you your opinion of Sen. McCarthy's methods & their effectiveness, if you had not been publicly quoted - under those conditions I feel that any American may write you, quite properly, & ask for an expression of the facts.

Sincerely,

/s/

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August 1st 1954

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OFFICE OF DIRECTOR, FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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- Mr. Holloman _____
- Miss Gandy _____

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- For Your Recommendation _____ ()
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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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7-11-54

RE: SENATOR JOSEPH MC CARTHY (R-Wis)

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At 3:45 pm 8-23-54, [redacted] KFMB (Radio and Channel 8 TV), 1405 Fifth Avenue, San Diego, called to advise he had received a request from CBS, New York City, to determine whether or not a news reel "shot" might be obtained of Senator JOSEPH MC CARTHY talking informally with you.

[redacted] stated that it had been announced Senator MC CARTHY was staying at Hotel Del Charro and would be here during the coming week and, though it was unknown where you were staying, it was logical to assume that during the week, either at Del Mar or in your respective travels around the city, the two of you would probably meet again as you did last year.

[redacted] stated he would appreciate it very much if this message could be relayed to you and your desires ascertained.

[redacted] can be reached at BELmont 2-2114, Extension 29.

Following my conversation with [redacted] it was noted from the "Evening Tribune" in a front page story that you had announced you had no plans for a conference with the Senator. Undoubtedly [redacted] was not in receipt of the paper before calling.

Inasmuch as you were away from the cottage and I could not relate this to you telephonically, I am having the same delivered by instant communication.

I will await your instructions on anything you would care for me to do in following through on this request.

I told him no.

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Information pertained only to a third party. Your name is listed in the title only.

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San Marino, California

Dear [Redacted]

Your letter dated September 27, 1954, has been received.

In reply to your inquiry, I am enclosing a copy of a newspaper clipping reflecting my interview with an Associated Press representative on August 26, 1959. This is the statement to which you referred.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover
Director

Enclosure

NOTE: One [Redacted] of Washington, D. C., was a [Redacted] and when he died in October, 1953, we sent a sympathy letter to his widow at a Washington address. (94-5-41034). No other data in Bufile [Redacted] could be identified with correspondent, and it is not known definitely whether correspondent is identical with the widow mentioned above.

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September 27, 1954

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
 Federal Bureau of Investigation
 Department of Justice
 Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

In a recent conversation which I heard, you were quoted as saying that Senator Joseph McCarthy was a "real patriot."

I would very much like to know if you did make such a statement, and, if so, on what date. If this statement was a part of a public speech, I would appreciate your telling me where I might get a copy of it.

This is a purely personal inquiry.

Thank you very much for your attention.

Sincerely,

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San Marino, California

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December 8, 1954

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PERSONAL

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

Re: Senator Homer E. Ferguson

Dear Mr. Hoover:

On Thursday, December 2, 1954, the Acting Director of the Investigations Division of my office, Mr. Robert L. Shortley, received an official request from Senator Ferguson's office to appear before a special Senate subcommittee to provide testimony in connection with a mail cover which had been placed several years ago on Senator Joseph E. McCarthy and his immediate staff. During 1952, Mr. Shortley had served in the capacity of a staff member of the United States Senate Subcommittee on Privileges and Elections, which subcommittee had been charged to make an investigation and issue a report on the background of Senator McCarthy.

During the course of his testimony on the afternoon of December 2, 1954, Senator Ferguson had asked Mr. Shortley to provide the subcommittee with his investigative background. The Senator was advised that the witness had served as a Special Agent of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, with the United States Senate and with the Foreign Operations Administration. The Senator thereupon requested the witness to provide information as to whether he had ever placed a mail cover prior to the time he was employed in the Senate. Since his only investigative background prior to his Senate employment was with the FBI, Mr. Shortley advised that he did not feel free to give testimony concerning his activities while employed as a Special Agent with the Bureau.

The Senator pursued the point one step further, stating that he was not interested in what Bureau policy was, but only wanted to know what the witness had done in regard to the placing of mail covers. The Senator was again advised that the witness, before he gave any further testimony along those lines, respectfully requested permission to discuss the matter with pertinent FBI officials. At this point, Senator Ferguson discontinued this line of questioning.

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover

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This matter is being brought to your attention for your personal information.

With best wishes.

Sincerely yours,

T. E. Naughten
Assistant Director

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Tolson

DATE: March 9, 1955

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FROM : L. B. Nichols

SUBJECT: HEARINGS OF HUMPHREY COMMITTEE
(Subcommittee on Reorganization of the
Committee on Government Operations)
ATTEMPT TO ESTABLISH OUTSIDE SECURITY COMMISSION

[redacted] contacted DeLoach in my office on 3-8-55, in connection with hearings of the above-captioned Subcommittee. Several private individuals have been invited to testify before the group, under oath, on 3-14 & 15-55. The individuals included [redacted]

[redacted] indicated in confidence that Senator McCarthy had called for him that particular morning and told him that he planned, as a member of the full Committee on Government Operations, to casually stroll into the Subcommittee hearing room when the named individuals were testifying on 3-14 or 15-55, and assert his rights to question these individuals concerning security matters. According to [redacted], Senator McCarthy has instructed him to contact the FBI relative to ascertaining if blind memoranda could be procured on the mentioned individuals so that he, Senator McCarthy, would be in a position to know the complete background of these individuals and could therefore possibly embarrass them while on the stand under oath. [redacted] stated that both he and Senator McCarthy thought that this would be an excellent way to throw a monkey wrench into the works of the Subcommittee of the Committee on Government Operations and that very frankly they thought it would be a good way in which to put Hutchins and one or two others in their proper places. He added that this might be a good way to protect the FBI, inasmuch as the mentioned individuals would undoubtedly attempt to slander the Bureau.

[redacted] was advised that although we appreciated Senator McCarthy's interest in protecting the FBI, at the same time our hands were tied with respect to furnishing information and that it would be impossible to cooperate with him in this regard. [redacted] stated that he might desire to check the House Committee on Un-American Activities and that possibly he might want to check with [redacted] of the American Legion. [redacted] stated this was a good idea and he would do this.

cc - Mr. Boardman
cc - Mr. Belmont
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Memo for Mr. Tolson from L. B. Nichols

RE: HEARINGS OF HUMPHREY COMMITTEE
ATTEMPT TO ESTABLISH OUTSIDE SECURITY COMMISSION

[REDACTED] called DeLoach on 3-9-55, and stated that his staff in Indianapolis was preparing blind memoranda for [REDACTED] and Senator McCarthy in connection with the above matter.

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ACTION:

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Office Memorandum

• UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Tolson *V. [unclear]*

DATE: May 10, 1955

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- Parsons
- Rosen
- Tamm
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- Winterrowd
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FROM : L. B. Nichols *[initials]*

SUBJECT: **[REDACTED]**
INFORMATION CONCERNING **[REDACTED]**

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[REDACTED] dropped by my office on May 10, 1955, and spoke to DeLoach. Senator Joseph R. McCarthy has received a letter from the captioned individual who currently resides in Los Angeles, California. **[REDACTED]** wants the Senator to assist him in a personal matter. **[REDACTED]** wanted to know if we could furnish any guidance of a public source nature as to how the request from **[REDACTED]** should be handled.

After checking, **[REDACTED]** was advised that we, of course, could not furnish him any information from the files; however, for his own guidance, he might desire to initiate a check at the University of California in Los Angeles regarding organizations of which **[REDACTED]** was a member in 1948 while attending college. **[REDACTED]** indicated this would be done.

Files reflect that **[REDACTED]** was a member of the American Youth for Democracy and the Four Freedoms Club in 1948 while attending college in Los Angeles.

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- Mr. Sizoo ✓
- Mr. Winterrowd ✓
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- Miss Gandy

MR. TOLSON:

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~~Senator McCarthy's Office~~, called DeLoach, 7/26/55, and mentioned the current inquiry into the background of Secretary of the Air Force Harold Talbott. [redacted] stated that Senator McCarthy's Office has received reliable information reflecting that Senator Stuart Symington is back of the inquiry on Talbott. Talbott has allegedly been rather ruthless and stubborn in his handling of the old-line Generals and Admirals in the Pentagon. They have resented this deeply and have leaked considerable information to Symington which has caused the above inquiry. [redacted] stated that a big stick would really be raised if the press ever got wind of the fact that Talbott was formerly Chairman of the Board of the Durbin-Bond Company, of Little Rock, Arkansas. This company, since Talbott's secretaryship in the Air Force, has received numerous contracts, particularly concerning the purchase of oil. Talbott allegedly has steered the Air Force arrangement of such contracts.

Senator McClellan, Chairman of the Senate Permanent Committee on Investigations is an old-line member of the law firm in Little Rock, Arkansas, who handles all business deals for the Durbin-Bond Company. As a result, it is alleged that McClellan has tried to be "soft" on Talbott in the hopes that the connections with the Durbin-Bond Company will escape the public. [redacted] states that Senator McCarthy thinks that he will not give Senator Symington the benefit of the above information although it is entirely possible that Symington is already on the trail of this latest bit of information.

Respectfully,

L. B. Nichols

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THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

August 3, 1955

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DIRECTOR, FBI

HONORABLE HAROLD E. TALBOTT
SECRETARY OF THE AIR FORCE

A source of unknown reliability has stated that if the Senate Permanent Committee on Investigations ever learned that Secretary Talbott was formerly Chairman of the Board of the Durbin-Bond Company, Little Rock, Arkansas, a real scandal would result; that since Secretary Talbott has been Secretary of the Air Force this company has received numerous contracts, particularly concerning the purchase of oil and Secretary Talbott is alleged to have steered the Air Force arrangements of such contracts. It was further stated that Senator McClellan, the Chairman of the Senate Permanent Committee on Investigations, was a member of the law firm in Little Rock, Arkansas, which handles business dealings for the Durbin-Bond Company for which reason it was asserted by our source of information that Senator McClellan had not vigorously pursued the Talbott matter in the hopes that the connections with the Durbin-Bond Company would escape public attention.

The Bureau, of course, has not investigated this matter and has no way of knowing whether there is any basis in fact for this assertion. However, it is felt that this is a matter that should be called to your attention.

cc - Mr. William P. Rogers
Deputy Attorney General

cc - Mr. Boardman
Mr. Rosen

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TO : Mr. Tolson

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FROM : L. B. Nichols

SUBJECT: SENATOR JOSEPH R. McCARTHY
INFORMATION CONCERNING

[redacted] of Senator McCarthy's Office, dropped by my office on 9/26/55, and spoke with DeLoach. [redacted] stated he had recently discussed long distance with Senator McCarthy the possibility of the Senator jumping into the limelight again over matters concerning loyalty of Government employees. [redacted] explained he told the Senator he would immediately prepare a summary of possible cases which the Senator could use in order to stir up things. [redacted] then wanted to know if we could prepare a series of blind memorandums for the purpose of passing on to him any information concerning loyalty cases which Senator McCarthy might expose. He stated that he was particularly interested in the National Labor Relations Board, the Bureau of the Budget, and the United States Information Agency.

DeLoach told [redacted] that although we appreciated his interest in coming to us, he knew full well that we could be of no assistance to him in this regard. He then stated that he personally had numerous sources in Government agencies and thought he could get enough information from such sources to carry on the campaign which he anticipated.

ACTION:

This matter will be followed closely to find out exactly what [redacted] has in mind. It is believed that at the present time he is going off "on his own hook" and it is probable that Senator McCarthy knows very little concerning the above.

cc - Mr. Belmont

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : The Director

DATE: 1-13-56

FROM : J. P. Mohr

SUBJECT: The Congressional Record

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A207,
A209-A214 Senator McCarthy, (R) Wisconsin, extended his remarks to include several addresses he delivered and several letters and press releases regarding the Communist conspiracy. The references to the FBI were set forth in a memorandum prepared earlier this date.

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In the original of a memorandum captioned and dated as above, the Congressional Record for *January 11, 1956* was reviewed and pertinent items were marked for the Director's attention. This form has been prepared in order that portions of a copy of the original memorandum may be clipped, mounted, and placed in appropriate Bureau case or subject matter files.

April 17, 1956

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

Honorable Joseph R. McCarthy
United States Senate
Washington, D. C.

My dear Senator:

Your communication dated April 9, 1956, with the enclosed copy of a letter addressed to you by [redacted] Teutopolis, Illinois, has been received and I fully appreciate the motives which prompted your communication.

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While I would like to be of assistance in connection with [redacted] inquiry, I can only inform him that information contained in the files of the FBI is maintained as confidential in accordance with a regulation promulgated by the Attorney General. I am sure [redacted] will understand my position as well as the necessity for this regulation and no inference will be drawn because of my inability to be of assistance that we do or do not have in our files the information he desires.

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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As of possible assistance to you and for your confidential information, a review of the March 11, 1956, issue of the "New York Times Book Review" disclosed that the advertisement referred to by [redacted] possibly pertains to one which appeared on page 37 of that issue. The advertisement states, "Soviet Publications. Imported from USSR - novels, books, periodicals in English. Also scientific, philosophic, and political publications in the Russian language. Send for free catalogs. Visit our spacious new bookshops on the 9th floor. Imported Publications & Products, Dept. LC, 4 West 16 St., N. Y. 11."

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**Letter to Honorable Joseph R. McCarthy
United States Senate
Washington, D. C.**

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Inasmuch as the contents of [REDACTED] b7
letter appear to be of interest to the Post Office Department and the Bureau of Customs, I have taken the liberty of forwarding copies of his letter to these agencies.

Sincerely yours,

SAC, New York:

Senator McCarthy's communication which is a printed memorandum requests a report as a basis for an answer to the inquiry he received. It contains the notation, "(Also referred to Internal Revenue)."

Letter to Honorable Joseph R. McCarthy
United States Senate
Washington, D. C.

The letter directed to him by [REDACTED] states that the March 11 issue of the "New York Times Book Review" contained an advertisement concerning Soviet periodicals. The letter states that books and periodicals printed in Russia are sent to the United States and mailed from New York to subscribers. It inquires whether money is sent to Russia and requests any information that could be obtained. b7c

Bureau files contain no information identifiable with [REDACTED] b7c

NOTE ON YELLOW:

[REDACTED] b7c
Although letters addressed to Senator McCarthy are addressed in some instances as "Dear Joe," this letter is being addressed "My dear Senator" inasmuch as it does not pertain to personal matters and his inquiry sent on printed form.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : The Director

DATE: 4-19-56

FROM : J. P. Mohr

SUBJECT: The Congressional Record

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Senator McCarthy, (R) Wisconsin, pointed out that he had been requested by the Justice Department to testify in the case citing Wendell H. Furry for contempt of Congress. He stated, "While I would be very glad to testify if the case were going to be heard by an unbiased judge, I am advising the Justice Department that I will not testify unless Judge Aldrich withdraws from the case." Mr. McCarthy went on to state, "It will be impossible to get a conviction because the case is to be heard by Judge Bailey Aldrich, a demonstrably incompetent and irresponsible judge, whose past conduct proves that he will not rule fairly and objectively in a Communist case." Senator McCarthy also pointed out that if the Senate asked him to testify he would do so.

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OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR

In the original of a memorandum captioned and dated as above, the Congressional Record for [redacted] was reviewed and pertinent items were marked for the Director's attention. This form has been prepared in order that portions of a copy of the original memorandum may be clipped, mounted, and placed in appropriate Bureau case or subject matter files.

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Tolson

DATE: 5-19-56

FROM : L. B. Nichols

SUBJECT:

Tolson	_____
Nichols	_____
Boardman	_____
Belmont	_____
Mohr	_____
Parsons	_____
Rosen	_____
Tamm	_____
Nease	_____
Winterrowd	_____
Tele. Room	_____
Holloman	_____
Gandy	_____

Senators Eastland and Jenner made a press statement on May 18 justifying the 1953-54 investigation at Fort Monmouth by Senator Joseph McCarthy based upon testimony developed in the Senate Internal Security Subcommittee during the last couple of days. I am confidentially advised that this is the start of a program designed to rehabilitate McCarthy.

cc - Mr. Boardman
cc - Mr. Belmont
cc - Mr. Rosen

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~~Administrative~~

~~16 MAY 31 1956~~

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re: broadcast
filed in [redacted]
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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Tolson ✓

DATE: June 13, 1956

FROM : L. B. Nichols

SUBJECT:

Tolson _____
 Nichols _____
 Boardman _____
 Belmont _____
 Mason _____
 Mohr _____
 Parsons _____
 Rosen ✓
 Tamm _____
 Nease _____
 Winterrowd _____
 Tele. Room _____
 Holloman _____
 Gandy _____

[redacted] called me to advise that Senator McCarthy had asked him to check for the purpose of determining whether there was any sort of security or loyalty program that applied to the employees of the Supreme Court, such as the research assistants, secretaries and the like.

I told [redacted] that the Federal Employee Security Program did not apply to the Judiciary; that if an individual Justice were to ask for a name check of a law clerk, we naturally would cooperate but that I knew of no program which the Judiciary had.

[redacted] thought that this might be a very lucrative field for some Congressional committee to make an exploration of.

cc: Mr. Boardman
 Mr. Rosen
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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Tolson ✓

DATE: July 23, 1956

FROM : L. B. Nichols *[Handwritten signature]*

SUBJECT: *[Redacted]*

- Tolson _____
- Nichols _____
- Boardman
- Belmont
- Mason _____
- Mohr _____
- Parsons _____
- Rosen _____
- Tamm _____
- Nease _____
- Winterrowd _____
- Tele. Room _____
- Holloman _____
- Gandy _____

[Redacted] told me that Senator McCarthy is getting ready to come out with another book which would cover the period of 1935 to 1941 and would highlight the impact of communists and their activities around the world. *[Redacted]* is doing the basic writing. Senator McCarthy is working on it and *[Redacted]* is working on the research *[Redacted]*

cc - Mr. Boardman ✓
 cc - Mr. Belmont ✓

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APPLETON, WISCONSIN
TELEPHONE 3-2987

Mr. Tolson	
Mr. Nichols	
Mr. Boardman	
Mr. Belmont	
Mr. Mason	
Mr. Mohr	
Mr. Parsons	
Mr. Rosen	
Mr. Tamm	
Mr. Nease	
Mr. Winterrowd	
Tele. Room	
Mr. Holloman	
Miss Gandy	

September 25, 1956

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
United States Department of Justice
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Joseph C. McCarthy

Thank you for your personal letter of September 19th, as to the visit that Senator McCarthy inquired about regarding myself.

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I will be looking forward to seeing you sometime in a future visit to Washington.

Thank you very much.

Sincerely yours,

[Redacted Signature]

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November 2, 1956

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Honorable Joseph R. McCarthy
United States Senate
Washington, D. C.

Dear Joe:

I received your letter dated October 30, 1956, and the enclosed communication which was forwarded to you by an unknown individual.

A copy of the enclosure has been prepared for our records and the original is being returned to you herewith.

CONFIDENTIAL

Please convey to Jeannie my appreciation for her joining you in your thoughtful remarks.

With best wishes to you both,

Sincerely,

J. Edgar Hoover

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FBI

Enclosure consists of anonymous, incoherent letter obviously prepared by emotionally disturbed individual, has an anti-Catholic tenor and requires no further action.

[Redacted]

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SENT FROM D. O.
TIME 9:10 PM
DATE 11-2-56
BY [Signature]

- Tolson
- Nichols
- Boardman
- Belmont
- Mohr
- Parsons
- Rosen
- Tamm
- Trotter
- Nease
- Winterrowd
- Tele. Room
- Holloman
- Gandy

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 MORRIS COTTON, N. H.
 GEORGE H. BENDER, OHIO
 THOS. E. MARTIN, IOWA

WALTER L. REYNOLDS, CHIEF CLERK

United States Senate

COMMITTEE ON
 GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS

October 30, 1956

Mr. Tolson	✓
Mr. Nichols	✓
Mr. Boardman	✓
Mr. Belmont	✓
Mr. Mohr	✓
Mr. Parsons	✓
Mr. Rosen	✓
Mr. Tamm	✓
Mr. Winter	✓
Mr. Nease	✓
Tele. Room	✓
Mr. Holloman	✓
Miss Gandy	✓

Handwritten initials



b7c

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

Dear Edgar:

The enclosed letter directed to you was sent to me with the request that I forward it on to you. I know nothing whatsoever about the sender nor the contents of the letter. In fact, the note asking that it be sent on to you was not even signed.

Jean joins me in sending our best wishes for good luck and good health. We look forward to seeing you on our return to Washington.

Sincerely yours,

Joe McCarthy
 JOE McCARTHY

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Friday Oct 19, 1956

P. S. Sir keep the breach of faith about me, as you have stated it in the papers.

Dear Sir:

Mr. Eisenhower, I urge you Sir, - you must speak to the Nation on behalf of my request - I ask it in the "Name of Jesus" ----- all clergy all Religions all (city) -- of the Holy Infalible Government in Rome - must not vote!!!! ----- if they do - they will be choosing themsleves a leader - just asthe Jews did.) - the people have no right to appoint a ruler for themselves.) only the duly authorized one by Jesus Christ has the right to appoint a ruler over the people.) This "Government" organized by Jesus Christ - "established in Rome by St Peter;" St Peters Choir is the authority of Government.

Letter No - 7

Feb 18, 1956

Weather R. or D. get elected, - you are dealing with the policy of Politics, - Evil' don't ever forget it or think other wise at - no time' I don't vote; Voting is a set up by the lier-worker by the Enemy the deceiver himself. - no signing peace treaty -itafake. - no production of weapns, Stop. - no war - no arms - no production. - no rearming other countries. - no self defense. - no war defense bases.

D. & R. parties - unite, - into one party. All free nations unite into one. UN Party, in righteousness and justice. and come to the aid of peoples in the power of this evil force of every nation where they are. Not By Force; War; -- But By Love! Do not keep Red China Out of the UN this keeps them in Evil hands. (Marys handmaid

•
/ Jesus / Mary / Joseph

Mary and I are not interest~~ed~~ what They' do.)

But-what-we-must-do. Mary is not interested in how They') are doing and what They') are going to do. Mary and I are anxious that We' do) whatsoever "He" has told Us'.

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OFFICE OF DIRECTOR
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

- Mr. Tolson _____
- Mr. Nichols _____
- Mr. Boardman _____
- Mr. Belmont _____
- Mr. Mohr _____
- Mr. Parsons _____
- Mr. Rosen _____
- Mr. Tamm _____
- Mr. Trotter _____
- Mr. Jones _____
- Mr. Nease _____
- Tele. Room _____
- Mr. Holloman _____
- Miss Holmes _____
- Miss Gandy _____

Date January 11 19 57 Time 8:55PM

Person identifying himself as "Senator Joseph McCarthy" tele thru operator

Albuquerque, New Mexico

Phone No. Albuquerque 8-2121

REMARKS

When advised of the Director's absence from the office, the caller declined to speak with an assistant and stated he would attempt to contact the Director tomorrow morning.

The writer was able to overhear certain parts of the caller's conversation with the Albuquerque operator and is of the opinion that the caller was not Senator McCarthy. The caller's speech indicated a lack of formal education and he spoke with a definite accent peculiar to the southwest. When the writer specifically asked the caller if he was Senator Joseph McCarthy of Wisconsin, he became evasive, stated he would attempt to contact Mr. Hoover tomorrow morning and terminated the call. The writer then asked the operator for the telephone number used in placing the call and was advised it was 8-2121. The writer was very courteous in dealing with the caller and the services of an assistant were offered several times.

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Upon the completion of the call, the Albuquerque operator advised the writer that she was very doubtful if the calling party was Senator McCarthy. No

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comment was made to the operator by the writer.

Miss Gandy and Mr. Holloman were immediately advised of the call.

ADDENDUM:

At 10:00AM on January 12, 1957, a pretext telephone call to the office of Senator Joseph McCarthy revealed that Senator McCarthy was presently in Washington.

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1-Mr. Boardman

1-Mr. Rosen

1-Tele Room

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : MR. L. V. BOARDMAN *1/2/57*

DATE: 2/27/57

FROM : A. ROSEN *AR*

SUBJECT:

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Nease	<input type="checkbox"/>
Boardman	<input type="checkbox"/>
Belmont	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mohr	<input type="checkbox"/>
Parsons	<input type="checkbox"/>
Rosen	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Tamm	<input type="checkbox"/>
Trotter	<input type="checkbox"/>
Nease	<input type="checkbox"/>
Tele. Room	<input type="checkbox"/>
Holloman	<input type="checkbox"/>
Gandy	<input type="checkbox"/>

In talking with [redacted] of Senator Green's office (D-R. I.) this morning, he told me that the Senator was most appreciative of the reports which we had furnished to him on persons working for the Committee. He said the Senator was writing a letter to the Director concerning this matter expressing his appreciation.

He said yesterday he understood Jack Anderson apparently was up on the Hill on a hot story concerning Senator McCarthy (R-Wis.). Apparently Anderson has picked up information that Senator McCarthy had lost about \$70,000 on a mining stock in Canada; that McCarthy had actually put a lot of money into the stock and instead of going up the bottom dropped out. [redacted] said although the stock was not identified he thought it might be the Greenbay Mining Company. [redacted] said this is a Canadian stock and he understood it had been pretty widely peddled.

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Indianapolis, 19, Ind.
May 3rd 1957

Asst Sherman Adams,
Secretary Humphrey
Attorney General Brownell
Director of FBI Hoover.

I want express my grief of the passing of our
Great American Senator Joe McCarthy.

The President lack of expressing the country's loss of the passing
of the Senator only shows what a little man now lives in our
White House.

We all realize the countrys loss is the Presidents gain?

I predict Senator McCarthy like the late Senator Taft will plague
their foes more after death than in real life.

In these modern days one neglects taking time to study a mans real
worth untill after death.

Looks like the Republican Party died with Taft
I wonder if Mr American will also die with MCCarthy?

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In place of these two we now have Mr RepublicanISM ?

Sincerely

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The Tampa/lor
Tampa, Florida.

3, 1957
a, Florida.

Attention...

Gentlemen:

Every time I play back my "taped" record, of Multon Lewis, Jr. radio eulogy of that fighting Irishman, Senator Joseph R. McCarthy, that I recorded May 2, 1957...it will remind me of the sinister groups who ganged-up on "The smear and destroy McCarthy at all costs association"

I'll also be reminded that your particular newspaper dripped venom as you ran all those "Hate McCarthy" cartoons and editorials and columnists organized smears. Our people for too many years were taught to hate the wrong people. Its reported (but not by the AP Dispatches) that Christ had a way of hating the people who did wrong. He even "drove the money changers from the Temple". He is hated TODAY by people because he, like Sen. McCarthy, made the mistake of publicly expressing himself and had guts enough to be on the side of those who were right. But that was before Corporations, Ford Foundations, Wall Street, Radio, Television, Magazines, Newspapers and Commentators and Columnists; Egler and Multon Lewis, Jr. excluded. Some time ago one could expect a new born baby's first word recorded...a big loud, "I hate McCarthy and his methods". As he grew older, if you asked him what he thought of McCarthy he'd probably answer, Oh! he's a fine fellow, but....

The methods used to crucify good people in olden times was swift. Compared to organized hate methods Americans use today, their methods were gentle. Today they don't tear the heart out of you or stone you or hang you on a cross. They do far worse. They make you lose all interest in living, make you wish you were never born, make you wonder if after all it is damn foolishness to be honestly patriotic and love America or honor the memory of those who died for us all. Lindbergh became a "Copperhead" rather Charles E. Coughlin's "rabble-rouser", Dick Richards, President of Radio Stations WJX, WGAI, KAPC... a "corpse", Lt. Gen. George E. Stratmeyer a confused and disillusioned head of the Strategic Air Command. Christ, don't ever come back to this earth again...the newspapers and commentators and the brain-trust in Washington, D.C. will make you wish you were never born.

Reverend Wifield, Los Angeles, California minister, (Bless his brave heart) at the grave of Dick Richards, said approximately as follows: "I consider Dick was murdered by those who published newspapers, operated radio stations and others who knew what was being done to Dick but dared not come forward and prevent the silencing and eventual death of one who finally gave his all. For what? Yes, that is a sensible question...when you are alert and aware of Un-American enemies poisoning our minds and confusing so many of our people. We even run across people who hate J. Edgar Hoover, of all people. In America, of all places."

In closing, this [redacted] write letter, feeling as bitter as I certainly do (and not afraid or ashamed) I want to say its too bad we do not have as American a Senator as Senator Vandenberg or [redacted] who humbly and publicly apologized for his part in the "Smear McCarthy Campaign." I forgive anyone who honestly is sorry...but to forget, "That is the question"

Sincerely & Respectfully,

61 MAY 13 1957

Tampa 2, Florida.

MAY 6 1957

[Redacted signature block with handwritten notes: "My - Mr. [redacted] necessary no actual"]

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Cozaddale, Ohio

EX-108

Dear [REDACTED]

Your letter dated May 4, 1957, has been received.

While I appreciate the interest which prompted you to write, I must point out that the investigation you suggested would not be within the jurisdiction of the FBI.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover
Director

NOTE: Several brief references to correspondent in Bufiles mention the fact that he was a radio broadcaster, but the files show nothing derogatory and no correspondence with him.

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MAY 9 1957
MAILED 31

- _____ Tolson
- _____ Nichols
- _____ Boardman
- _____ Belmont
- _____ Mohr
- _____ Parsons
- _____ Rosen
- _____ Tamm
- _____ Winterrowd
- _____ Nease
- _____ Tele. Room
- _____ Holloman
- _____ Gandy

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[REDACTED]
R. R. 1, COZADDALE, OHIO

May 4, 1957

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Mr. Tolson	✓
Mr. Nichols	✓
Mr. Boardman	✓
Mr. Belmont	✓
Mr. Mohr	✓
Mr. DeLoach	✓
Mr. Casper	✓
Mr. Callahan	✓
Mr. Conrad	✓
Mr. Felt	✓
Mr. Gale	✓
Mr. Rosen	✓
Mr. Sullivan	✓
Mr. Tavel	✓
Mr. Trotter	✓
Mr. Nease	✓
Tele. Room	✓
Mr. Holloman	✓
Miss Gandy	✓

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

b7c

[REDACTED]

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Acute hepatitis - such as killed Senator Joseph McCarthy - could have been induced by anyone having access to the Senator's living quarters or working quarters within a period of ten days to two weeks before his death. And this death could be murder.

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Please take the trouble to read the account of death through toxic hepatitis in the February 1956 issue of the A. M. A. Archives of Industrial Health published by the American Medical Association - page 212 and page 213 - titled A Carbon Tetrachloride Fatality.

The account relates death following the use of one pint of tetrachloride to clean a hotel room rug. The same effect could have been obtained by use in a room occupied by McCarthy or any other of the many chlorinated hydrocarbons now in commercial use as insecticides etc. - such as chlordane or lindane. If the occupant of the room is even a moderate user of alcohol the toxicity is increased.

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An hour by hour check on where the Senator spent his time prior to becoming ill - and who had access to the room - study or office - might reveal that his death was not from natural causes.

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[REDACTED]
R. R. 1, COZADDALE, OHIO

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I believe your toxicologists would be able to narrow the check on the Senator's schedule by estimating how long he would have had to remain in a room so treated with the chlorinated hydrocarbon to be so mortally affected.

I have been a news director for radio stations in Cincinnati for 19 years - and a foe of Communism for longer than that.

I knew Joe McCarthy as a courageous and great American as well as a friend.

I have the temerity to make my suggestion directly to you sir, because I firmly believe that where the Communists are concerned it is a mistake to take anything for granted.

Respectfully,
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

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copy- to Ray Kiermas

Administrative Assistant to Senator McCarthy

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Nichols

DATE: May 9, 1957

FROM : M. A. Jones

SUBJECT:

[REDACTED]

ROCHESTER, NEW YORK

- Tolson _____
- Nichols _____
- Boardman _____
- Belmont _____
- Mohr _____
- Parsons _____
- Rosen _____
- Tamm _____
- Trotter _____
- Nease _____
- Tele. Room _____
- Holloman _____

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b7c [REDACTED]

For your information, the attached telegram dated May 3, 1957, has been received from captioned individual indicating that he desires a Bureau investigation of the death of the late Senator Joseph McCarthy for any evidence of foul play.

Bufile 67-448888 reflects that one [REDACTED] of [REDACTED] New York, applied for the position of Special Agent in the Bureau in 1950. This [REDACTED] file reflects that numerous relatives live in Rochester, New York, and there is a great possibility he is identical with current writer. He was not given favorable consideration because of the unsavory reputation of two of his brothers, of his own lack of interest and application to prior jobs and education, ~~in the case~~ of his irresponsibility in general. *and because*

RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that this wire not be acknowledged in view of its subject matter and the fact that any acknowledgment might be misconstrued by the person as described above.

Enclosure

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
COMMUNICATIONS SECTION

MAY 3 1957

WESTERN UNION

Mr. Tolson	
Mr. Nichols	
Mr. Boardman	
Mr. Belmont	
Mr. Mohr	
Mr. Parsons	
Mr. Rosen	
Mr. Tamm	
Mr. Trotter	
Mr. Nease	
Tele. Room	
Mr. Holloman	
Miss Gandy	

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ROCHESTER NY MAY 3 1005AME

J EDGAR HOOVER

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

I WOULD APPRECIATE IF YOU WOULD INVESTIGATE AND RULE OUT ANY
POSSIBILITY OF FOUL PLAY IN THE DEATH OF JOE MCCARTHY IF YOU
HAVE ANY COMMENT ON THE MATTER PLEASE WIRE ME

[REDACTED] ROCHESTER NY

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Clifton, New Jersey

Dear [REDACTED]

Your letter dated May 6, 1957, has been received, and I appreciate the thought which prompted you to communicate with me.

Thank you for bringing your observations to my attention.

Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

NOTE: On 12/18/38 one [REDACTED] Clifton, New Jersey, wrote concerning the work of the FBI and an in-absence reply was sent to her on 12/29/38. No identifiable info in Bufiles.

OTHER

JOSEPH P. MCCARTHY

[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

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- Olson _____
- Nichols _____
- Boardman _____
- Belmont _____
- Mohr _____
- Parsons _____
- Rosen _____
- Tamm _____
- Winterrowd _____
- Tele. Room _____
- Holloman _____
- Gandy _____

MAILED 6
MAY 10 1957
COMM - FBI

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May 6, 1957

The United States Federal Bureau of Investigation,
Washington, D. C., J. Edgar Hoover,

Dear Sir -

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Now that the good Senator Joseph ^{MAY 6 1957} McCarthy, the much maligned one, is layed away, much to the gratification of some, I think it is time that you and your men

do a little investigating of his, so called, enemies. Of course you realize and know that foreign intrigue is rampant in our country especially in Washington where they can accomplish their wicked scheming at the roots. Not, too, many years ago the same incident took place with one of our other beloved Senators, a great loss.

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MAY 6 1957

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It has come to a pretty sad state of affairs when 'lethal' assassins operate and a revolver doesn't have to be used.

I think, and I'm not assuming to be a self appointed investigating committee of one that an autopsy and query is in order and I would like to see it.

Sincerely,

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[REDACTED]
Clifton, N.J.

P.S.

You may investigate me if you think I have overstepped rules in writing this letter to you.

[REDACTED]

May 28, 1957

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Minneapolis 17, Minnesota

EX-127

Dear [redacted]

Thank you for your letter of May 17, 1957, with which you forwarded a copy of the letter dated May 12, 1957, from your brother to Fulton Lewis, Jr.

I sincerely appreciate the interest which prompted you to write; however, I would like to point out that the FBI does not have the responsibility of physically protecting the lives of Congressmen or other public officials.

It was most thoughtful of you to bring this information to my attention.

Sincerely yours,
J. Edgar Hoover

NOTE: Bufiles reflect no information regarding [redacted] which would preclude sending this letter.

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Mr. [redacted]
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Mr. [redacted]
Mr. [redacted]
Tele. Room
Mr. Holloman
Miss Gandy

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Minneapolis, 17, Minn.
May 17, 1957

J. Edgar Hoover
Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation

Dear Sir,

Having reason to suspect that you had a very high personal regard for the late Freedom Fighter and great patriot, Senator Joseph McCarthy, and knowing that your Bureau has the responsibility of protecting the lives of our Congressmen and other public officials, I am taking the liberty of forwarding to you, without his knowledge, a copy of a letter written on May 12, 1957 by my brother, [redacted]

[redacted] New York, N.Y. suggesting the possibility that Senator McCarthy may have been the victim of a bizarre Soviet murder plot.

In sending a copy of his letter addressed to Fulton Lewis, Jr. to me, my brother stated: "The data I have in this letter, though amazing and dramatized a bit is factual. Possibly I should send the letter to some one more appropriate than Fulton Lewis, but I could think of no one that would be more apt to investigate it..." I am furnishing you with a copy of this letter, for your information and any action deemed appropriate, without clearing it with my brother, because I feel that time might be of the essence in a matter such as this. I shall of course tell him of this reference.

I hope you do not consider me presumptuous in sending you this information, however, I feel there is a possibility that there is more to this than meets the eye, and I too had a high regard for Senator McCarthy.

Respectfully submitted,

[redacted signature]

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12 May 1957

Fulton Lewis, Jr.
News Commentator
Washington, D.C.

Dear Fulton:

Could Senator McCarthy have been murdered? As you know, McCarthy died of Acute Hepatitis. But you may not know that acute hepatitis occurs when one of the most diabolical types of murder possible is committed. This means of murder has supposedly been used in some "international intrigue" murders. Such murders are almost impossible to detect. It could be suspected in the case of a controversial figure like McCarthy who dies of acute hepatitis, especially if the "disease" is not due to a virus or bacteria. News reports quote doctors as saying that McCarthy's acute hepatitis was not due to virus or bacteria.

It is not commonly known that acute hepatitis of the liver results from poison. The most frequent poisons causing it are arsenic and the common carbon tetrachloride. Arsenic can be detected easily in the body and is not nearly as suitable for murder or crippling as carbon tet. Yet carbon tet is not even considered to be a poison and is present in many homes with its dangers virtually unknown. It has been estimated by experts that a single gallon of carbon tet would kill everyone on the Queen Mary if its fumes were dispersed throughout the ship. Its effect on the liver is immediate and crippling. If death does not result, the liver heals in a year or two but the general health is damaged for years.

The supposed manner of committing the murder would be to pour a small vial of carbon tet under the hotel room door or through the crack in the window, after the victim has retired. Carbon tet vaporizes rapidly. The victim sleeps with the fumes. Should he awake (or be awake) he would probably not suspect anything since the smell is similar to common kerosene, cleaning fluids, and to many factory smells. One suffering from sinus trouble or loss of smell would, of course, notice nothing unusual. Within a short while the victim's liver has received either a crippling or killing dose. The victim would usually live for days or even weeks. In cases of lesser damage, the victim may not die, but his health would be ruined for years. Brain damage and depression, as well as general debility result. Damage short of death is supposedly preferred by the victim's enemies in many cases. The victim is no longer a threat.

Carbon tet is available in most hardware stores and in numerous other stores. It is common in cleaning fluids and is used in some dry cleaning establishments, etc.

A murder by carbon tet is virtually undetectable and crippling is even less detectable. There is no evidence. The murderer need not even enter the room. The victim dies of what is a common ailment which may be brought on by a host of causes and there is no difference in the symptoms. The carbon tet is virtually undetectable in the body after a few days.

I have heard reports that doctors and governments are afraid that this diabolical and virtually undetectable method of murder will become known to the general public. This is a factor for you to seriously consider before you broadcast any information regarding it. The public has never been made fully aware of the terrible dangers of this common household substance. If you are not now aware, I am sure you will be amazed at what a study of the subject will reveal.

I am sure you will double check my statements before taking any action. I am not saying McCarthy was murdered. It is an interesting possibility however. Did he not return from a trip shortly before his death? A man in a hotel is a ready victim but one alone in his own home is not safe from the possibility. It could happen to you or me, or to anyone. McCarthy may have received an earlier crippling dose.

Regards,

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Erie, Pennsylvania

Dear [redacted]

In Mr. Hoover's absence from Washington, I am acknowledging your letter to him of May 20, 1957. I know that he will appreciate the interest prompting your writing and would want me to thank you for your kind message and prayers.

In response to your inquiry, I must inform you that Mr. Hoover has not made a statement such as you described for release to newspapers.

Sincerely yours,

Helen W. Gandy
Secretary

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May 20, 1957

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover,
Director, F. B. I.
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover,



I don't know whether you have read the commentary written by our former police officer, Edward J Allen, now Chief of Police of Santa Ana, Calif. on the greatest American of our century, Senator Joseph Mc Carthy - if not, I shall be most happy to type this moving tribute and send it to you. In this article, Mr. Allen states that your appraisal of Senator Mc Carthy was not printed in our newspapers - and I would be most grateful to be given this opportunity of reading an "honest man's" tribute to another "honest man." Mr. Allen contributes generously to our diocesan Catholic (weekly) newspaper, the Lake Shore Visitor Register, wherein this beautiful, yet frightening, masterpiece was printed.


I would love a copy of your tribute, Mr. Hoover and in closing my thanks for the wonderful work you are doing so unstintingly for our nation. We are most grateful.

I will remember you in my prayers.

Sincerely

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Erie, Pa.

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May 20, 1957

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover,
Director, F. B. I.
Washington, D. C.

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Dear Mr. Hoover, Joseph McCarthy

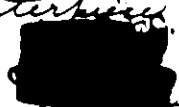
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you are doing so unselfishly for
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I will remember you in
my prayers.

Sincerely,

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Eric, Pa.

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June 11, 1957

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[Redacted]

Appleton, Wisconsin

Dear [Redacted]

Your letter dated June 3, 1957, has been received.

Thank you very much for making your observations available to me; however, from a jurisdictional standpoint, the death of the late Senator McCarthy is not a matter which we could investigate. Nevertheless, I did appreciate your writing and will, of course, hold your letter in confidence.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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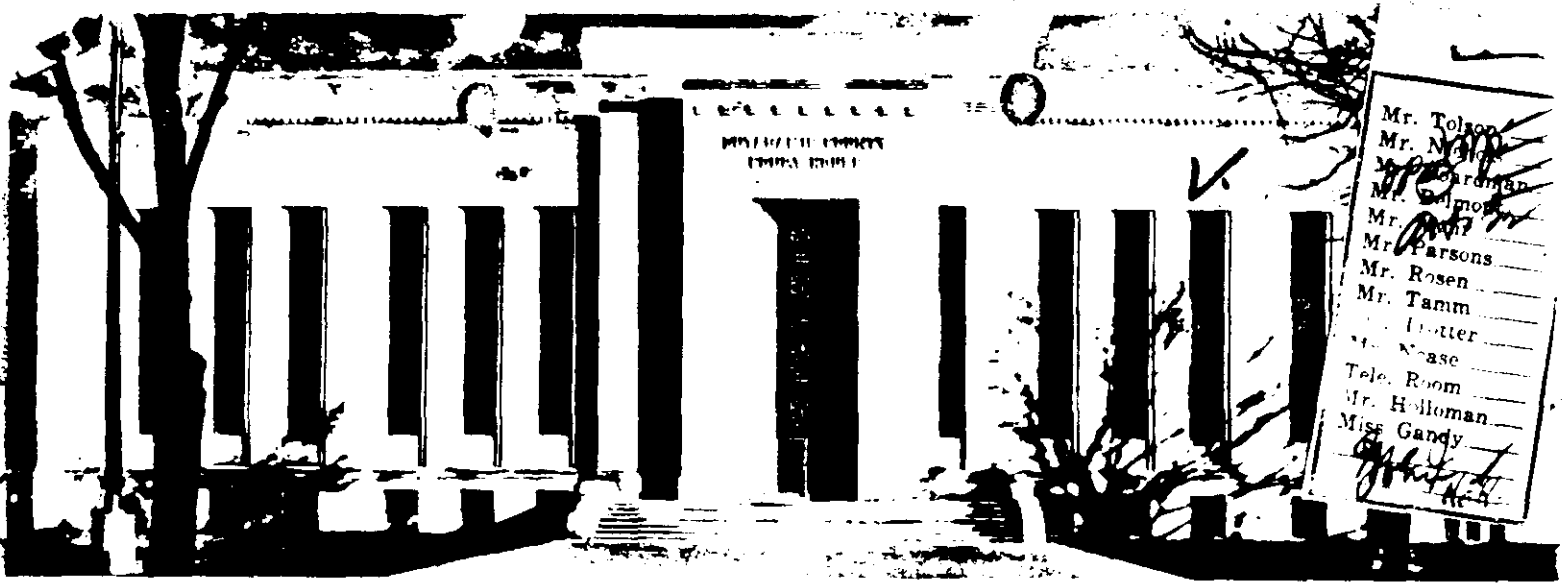
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OUTAGAMIE COUNTY * APPLETON, WISCONSIN

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June 3, 1957

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Office of the Director
United States Department of Justice
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

This letter is directed to you personally in view of discussions which have arisen concerning the facts surrounding the death of Senator Joseph Mc Carthy, and I feel that I should direct personally to you the very fact that discussions are in existence in that foul play may have caused his death.

As District Attorney of this county, I have no authority to take any action in this case because death took place in another jurisdiction. I have not made any investigation into this case, therefore I can only relate to you what information has been brought to my attention. I have had the opportunity to view a copy of the death certificate of Joseph R. Mc Carthy which states that the cause of death was "hepatitis, acute, causes unknown", and I also received a telephone call from a Doctor stating that there are two kinds of hepatitis, one being the infectious type and one being the poisonous type.

I ask that this letter be held confidential from Mrs. Mc Carthy and the family, and that it be held confidential by you to your department. RECORDED-79 94 31709-41

I know that Senator Mc Carthy and you are friends. You may have received information such as written herein, but I feel that due to the fact that the Senator was such a national figure, the information should be at your discretion.

Sincerely yours,

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Mrs. Joe McCarthy aka,

- Mr. B. [redacted]
- Mr. M. [redacted]
- Mr. P. [redacted]
- Mr. P. [redacted]
- Mr. T. [redacted]
- Mr. [redacted]
- Mr. N. [redacted]
- Tele. Room [redacted]
- Mr. [redacted]
- Miss G. [redacted]

Dear Edgar:

I want you and your associates to know how much I appreciate your in sending flowers in memory of Joe. Please accept my deep appreciation for your thoughtfulness.

Joe gave his life, as Father Grill said at St. Mary's, "principally because he exhausted himself physically for love of his fellow beings." This is so very true that I, as his wife -- having known this for a long, long time -- never thought before that anyone else would understand.

When Joe came home to Appleton, the heart and soul of this country was standing along the roadside on the 30 mile drive from Green Bay. It was all of that that made Joe and all of that to which he dedicated his life. It was the reason for his sacrifice of personal comfort, the reason for his courage to withstand being alone at times.

I cannot help but feel, however, that his sacrifice of personal comfort, his aloneness at times -- along with that of many unknown and unheralded men -- will have been for nought unless we see the purpose of the immense drive that was his. Knowing Joe as I do, I know he would be impatient with the thought that we simply mourn his passing or praise his life. God had purpose in both of these. The battle Joe fought so fearlessly and with such insight is not over. It will only end, as Joe so often said, with victory or death for our civilization.

Joe once said in answer to the question: "What can I do to help?" -- Look to your schools, search behind the printed word, give purpose to and demand a contract from the men you send to man the watchtowers in Washington. If everyone of Joe's friends took that suggestion to heart, I would then know God's purpose had been done.

May I add an afterthought I know Joe would share. That is, never underestimate your power as a citizen. When Joe walked into his first open clash with the wrecking crew of our nation, he had in his mind -- and this he has written -- the "thought of those real people who are the heart and soul and soil of America; thoughts of the young people in my office, toiling night and day ... thoughts of the many young men, friends of mine, who went to their death in the Pacific for what they thought was a better world -- those thoughts convinced me that this fight I had to win."

Perhaps now a few more will stop to think that a man with the intellect and the courage, the drive and the honesty, a man such as Joe -- with his love for life -- could not have spent all that without reason. Perhaps a few more will search their minds and step with decision to the side of right.

With sincere personal regards,

16 JUL 1957

Jean

Joe McCarthy

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NO ACK Required

June 12, 1957

This is a 60 m letter signed Personality

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ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA

14 July 1957

Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington 25, D C

Joseph P. McCarthy

Sirs:

In cleaning out some old correspondence,
I came across this piece of screwball mail, and
it occurs to me that maybe you try to keep up with
such activities.

Very truly yours,

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Jewish Communist King
and Zionist Kull Senator,
McCarthy, revenge for
Gen. Zwicker.

Same way they will
kill Gen. Patten in Germany.

in Long in 1935. Senator
Taft, in Hospital Council
that job.

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ELKRIDGE 27, MARYLAND

20 July, 1957.

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Mr. Mohr	✓
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Mr. Rosen	✓
Mr. Tamm	✓
Mr. Trotter	✓
Mr. Nease	✓
Tele. Room	✓
Mr. Holloman	✓
Miss Gandy	✓

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover,
Director,
Federal Bureau of Investigation,
Washington 25, D.C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

The enclosure came to me from my brother [REDACTED] of New York City, who informed me that it was handed to him at his office, [REDACTED] St., by [REDACTED] recently, during an unsolicited visit made by the latter.

If this is a genuine photostatic copy of the death certificate of the late Senator Joseph R. McCarthy, and if the facts are as stated in the statement following and signed by [REDACTED] there are tremendously important implications involved.

As I am devoid of means of evaluating this information, and of the power to take whatever action may be necessary in the premises, I am taking the liberty of forwarding it to you for whatever action may seem appropriate.

If it does not fall within the purview of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, it is requested that it be placed in the proper hands by your office, or, if more convenient, that you advise me where to go with it myself.

With many thanks in advance for these courtesies, please believe me,

Yours sincerely,
[REDACTED]

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Elkridge 27, Maryland

Dear [REDACTED]

Your letter of July 20, 1957, with enclosure, has been received, and I appreciate the thought which prompted you to communicate with me.

Although I would like to be of service, the matter you mentioned has been previously called to my attention, and it has been necessary for me to advise that the allegations contained in the material forwarded do not constitute a violation of Federal law within this Bureau's jurisdiction. I also regret that I am unable to furnish the identity of another agency which might be of help to you; consequently, I am returning your enclosure.

Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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Enclosure

NOTE: Bufile 100-74493 reveals that correspondent has been in touch with the Bureau on a number of occasions and has been dealt with circumspectly due to allegedly pro-fascist and anti-semitic sentiments. His brother who is mentioned in incoming is reportedly the same type of individual, although regarded by family as mentally unbalanced.

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It is noted that the Bureau has received a variety of communications questioning the death of the late Senator McCarthy.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. Tolson

DATE: August 13, 1957

FROM : L. B. Nichols

SUBJECT: [REDACTED] b7c
SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

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Mrs. Jeannie McCarthy called to advise she has now heard from the County Judge in Wisconsin with further reference to the assertions of [REDACTED] that she is the daughter of Joe McCarthy. The Judge has received a letter from the Chief of Police in San Francisco. The letter asserts that [REDACTED] is mentally unbalanced, had been in a psychiatric ward, is part Negro, and the Chief now doubts there will be any further trouble from her. Jeannie thought we might like to know this. I thanked her.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : The Director

DATE: 1 2 1 1

FROM : J. P. Mohr

SUBJECT: The Congressional Record

Page A7044, Congressman Jackson, (R) California, extended his remarks to include an editorial from the Ontario-Upland (California) Daily Report of May 3, 1957, entitled "A Last Salute." The editorial comments on work of former Senator McCarthy. It is stated in the editorial "What spelled out Joseph McCarthy's importance as a major figure in this era's history was what the leaders of world communism thought of him. They feared him as they now fear only one living man, Director J. Edgar Hoover of the FBI."

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OFFICE OF DIRECTOR
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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- Miss Holmes _____
- Miss Gandy _____

10:14AM January 17, 1958

MRS. JEAN McCARTHY, wife of the late U. S. Senator Joseph McCarthy (R-Wisconsin) telephoned for the Director. When advised that the Director had left for New York City, Mrs. McCarthy consented to speak with Mr. Nease.

She is presently speaking with Mr. Nease.

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FORMER SENATE OFFICE STAFF AND FRIENDS OF
SENATOR JOSEPH R. McCARTHY

Anniversary
Solemn Requiem Mass
St. Matthew's Cathedral
Washington, D. C.

May 3, 1958
9 o'clock

Senator Joseph R. McCarthy
November 14, 1908 - May 2, 1957

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

GOVERNMENT

TO : The Director

DATE: 5-8-59

FROM : J. P. Mohr

SUBJECT: The Congressional Record

Pages 6854-6855, Senator Goldwater, (R) Arizona, extended his remarks to include a letter written to the daughter of the late Senator McCarthy by Reverend John E. Coogan, S. J., of the University of Detroit, and published in the Wanderer, St. Paul, Minnesota. The letter makes reference to McCarthy's warnings concerning Communists in Government. It is stated "The word had gone to the White House, even from J. Edgar Hoover, Director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation. But nothing was done." Reverend Coogan quoted some of the tributes to Mr. McCarthy. The following was included "The Protestant Director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, J. Edgar Hoover, added his own tribute: 'Sorrow over the passing of a friend is heightened when such a man has a mission and is called home from his earthly pursuits. Such a man was the late Senator Joseph R. McCarthy. His patriotism, his courage, and his passion for the American way cannot be doubted. It was inevitable that he should become the center of controversy because of his mission and the zeal with which he pursued it.'

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In the original of a memorandum captioned and dated as above, the Congressional Record for 5-7-59 was reviewed and pertinent items were marked for the Director's attention. This form has been prepared in order that portions of a copy of the original memorandum may be clipped, mounted, and placed in appropriate Bureau case or subject matter files.

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[Redacted]

Pittsburgh 12, Pennsylvania

Dear [Redacted]

Your letter dated July 13, 1960, has been received, and your kind comments concerning the work being done by the FBI are appreciated. I want to thank you also for your best wishes.

In response to your inquiry, I am enclosing a copy of a clipping from the "Washington Star" of August 26, 1953; which you may find of interest.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover
John Edgar Hoover
Director

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NOTE: The Photostat being forwarded reflects commendatory statements concerning Senator McCarthy by the Director at La Jolla, California, in 1953 interview. Above handling has been given in response to similar requests for the Director's personal opinion of Senator McCarthy. (94-37708-115)

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TRUE COPY

July 13, 1960

Hon. J. Edgar Hoover
Director, Federal
Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

I have just read a statement by you which appeared in the July 1960 issue of The National Program Letter in which you state the dangers of International Communism to the free World (What is left of it) and the apparent failure of some of our people and authorities to take the Communist threat seriously. I agree with your conclusions wholeheartedly.

I have been a great admirer of the late Senator Joseph McCarthy and I have wondered many times whether you as Director of the FBI. felt that Senator McCarthy helped or hindered your work against Communism.

Granted that his methods were not always, shall we say, the best approach, nevertheless I believe he meant well for our country and was a very patriotic citizen.

I don't know whether in your sensitive position you would care to comment or whether you feel you should. Either way I'll understand.

Thank you for the tremendous job you have done for our country.

With every good wish for your continued good health, and success,

I am,

Sincerely

/s/

Pittsburgh 12, Penna.

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D.C.

Personal

July 13, 1960

Hon J. Edgar Hoover
Director, Federal
Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D.C.

Joseph R.
O'Malley

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Thank you for the tremendous job you have done for our country.

With every good wish for your continued health and success,
I am,

Sincerely,

[Redacted Signature]

Pittsburgh, 15, Penna.

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CORRESPONDENCE
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November 8, 1960

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94-37708-151

Mrs. Joseph R. McCarthy
3032 24th Street, N. E.
Washington, D. C.

Dear Jean: J. MC CARTHY

Clyde has advised me of your recent letter to him and I am pleased to know that you think so highly of my article "One Nation's Response to Communism."

In accordance with your request, I am taking pleasure in sending a copy of this article, together with other material on the subject of communism, to Sister Joan Marie at Ladycliff Academy, which I hope will be of assistance to her in the preparation of her doctoral dissertation.

With best wishes and kind personal regards,

Sincerely,

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Mr. Rosen	
Mr. Sullivan	
Mr. Tavel	
Mr. Trotter	
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Miss Gandy	

Dear Clyde:

I recently received a copy of Mr. Hoover's article "One Nation's Response to Communism" dated September, 1960.

It was such an excellent explanation of the overall meaning of the Communist movement that I do not want to give my copy up. Therefore, I was wondering if you could have a copy sent to a Nun who is doing her doctoral dissertation on this subject. I know it would be most helpful to her.

The name and address is:



Lake Mohegan, New York.

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My very best to you and Edgar. And my thanks for taking care of the above.

Sincerely yours,


Joseph

Mrs. Joseph R. McCarthy
3032-24 Street, N. E.
Washington, D. C.

Joseph

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October 19, 1960

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94-37708-157

[Redacted]

San Francisco 4, California

Dear [Redacted]

Your letter dated September 22, 1961, has been received.

Although I would like to be of service, no specific suggestions come to mind regarding your inquiry. I regret I am unable to furnish the information requested.

Enclosed is some literature about communism you may care to read.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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Enclosures (5)

- Director's Statement Re Internal Security, 4-17-61
- Communist Illusion and Democratic Reality
- LEB Intro, 3-60, Analysis of 17th Natl Conv of CP, USA
- What You Can Do To Fight Communism
- The Communist Party Line: Speech, 10-1-60

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September 22, 1961

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Director of F.B.I.
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Hoover,

Would you be good enough to suggest a book or two concerning the late Senator Joseph McCarthy which in your judgment may be regarded as a realistic evaluation of the man and his effort to combat Communism.

Your suggestion would be very much appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

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March 21, 1962

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Esmond 17, Rhode Island

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Dear [Redacted]

Your letter dated March 17th has been received and I wish to thank you for your kind remarks.

In response to your request, I must inform you that the FBI does not have the information you requested available for general distribution. May I point out that the late Senator Joseph McCarthy was once the Chairman of the Senate Committee on Government Operations. You may desire to direct correspondence to that Committee located in Room 3304, New Senate Office Building, Washington 25, D. C. Further, you may wish to direct additional correspondence to the House Committee on Un-American Activities, Room 225, Old House Office Building, Washington 25, D. C.

I regret that I am unable to be of more assistance at this time.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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 DEPARTMENT OF RHODE ISLAND
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 PROVIDENCE 3, R. I.

March 17, 1962

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
 Federal Bureau of Investigation
 Washington D.C.

Dear Sir;

Will you please send me any material you may have covering the hearings, investigations, ect. of the late Senator Jpseph McCarthy.

This is going to be used to compile a term paper by a Senior in High School.

It was her own idea to do this, and I feel an effort of this kind deserves all the co-operation possible.

I would appreciate a list of reference books or pamphlets bearing on this subject. Also the hearings conducted by the Un-American Activities Committee.

Thanking you for any help you can give me, and with continued admiration of your splendid exemplification of sound Americanism, I am,

Very truly yours,

[Redacted signature]

Department of Rhode Island
 American Legion Auxiliary

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May 28, 1963

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Richmond, Virginia

McCarthy's diary

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Dear [Redacted]

Your letter postmarked May 23rd has been received. This Bureau does not have for dissemination data from the investigations made by the late Senator Joseph McCarthy and his staff. I am, however, enclosing some material I hope you will find of interest.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover
Director

Enclosures (4)

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Communist Illusion and Democratic Reality
An Analysis of the 17th National Convention of the Communist Party, USA
The Communist Party Line
The Current Communist Threat

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Dear Sirs,

I was wondering if you had any information on the McCarthy Investigation, and if so, would you send me all possible data on it? I know McCarthy was a Senator and his investigation caused many communists to be taken from high places in the goverment. Any imformation you can send me I would appreciate very much.

Sincerely Yours,

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Sincerely yours,

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August 10, 1966

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EX 170
[Redacted]
Posen/ Illinois 60469

Dear [Redacted]

Your letter of August 5th has been received.

In response to your request, information in our files must be maintained as confidential pursuant to regulations of the Department of Justice. I am sure you will understand the reason for this policy. I hope you will not infer from my inability to be of help either that we do or do not have information in our files of the type you seek.

Sincerely yours,
J. Edgar Hoover

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August 5, 1966

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
F. B. I.
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

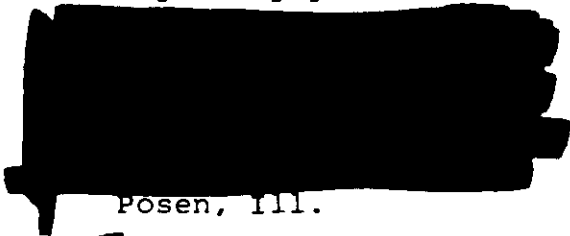
I was wondering if you would forward me any information and documents that you may have regarding Senator McCarthy of Wisconsin.

In the course of conversation in my place of business, I was told that the former Senator was a Communist while serving in Security under General MacArthur.

I find this hard to believe therefore would appreciate receiving any available documents that you might have.

Thanking you in advance, I remain,

Very truly yours,



Posen, Ill.

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November 22, 1967

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[Redacted]

Hayward, California 94548

Dear [Redacted]

Your letter of November 14th has been received, and I want to thank you for your support of my work.

With respect to your inquiry regarding Senator Joseph McCarthy, I do not want to pass an opinion on his specific committee; however, I certainly feel he was a very earnest man. As to his methods, that was a matter within the responsibility of the United States Senate and it would not be proper for me to make any comments. Insofar as Congressional committees are concerned, I have always felt they make a valuable contribution in the public disclosure of forces that menace America. They also serve to pinpoint many problems facing our country and outline the need for new legislation.

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I trust the above will be of help to you.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

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Hayward, Calif. 94546

Nov. 14, 1967

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
 Federal Bureau of Investigation
 9th St. & Pennsylvania Ave., N.W.
 Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Hoover,

I am writing a term paper on Senator Joseph McCarthy for my U. S. history class in high school. Since you are such a great anti-Communist and because you come in contact with so many government officials, you must know much about the late senator and his famous investigations. I would greatly appreciate your sending me information and personal impressions about him.

I would like to add that I am behind you all the way in your fight against our nation's enemies.

Thank you very much for your time and help.

Sincerely,

[Redacted Signature]

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July 10, 1968

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EX-105

[Redacted]
Kutztown State College
Kutztown, Pennsylvania 19530

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Dear [Redacted]

Mr. Hoover read your letter of July 4th and asked me to thank you for the interest which prompted you to write him. While he would like to be of help to you, it is not possible for him to do so.

Sincerely yours,

Helen Gandy

Helen W. Gandy
Secretary

1 - Philadelphia - Enclosure

NOTE: There is no record of correspondent in Bufiles. In view of the nature of her inquiry and the controversial figure in whom she is interested, it is felt an in-absence reply is appropriate.

Re: [Redacted]

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Kutztown State College
Kutztown, Pennsylvania
July 4, 1968

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

I am working on a paper on Senator Joseph R. McCarthy for my course in historiography, and I believe you may be able to provide me with some information. Specifically, I am trying to determine whether he was sincerely interested in seeking out Communists or whether he was merely doing it to get himself publicity.

Since I feel you are the most objective source to which I could go, I hope it is possible for you to answer the following questions:

1. What do you think Senator McCarthy's motive was for seeking out Communists?
2. What reasons can you give for believing he had that motive?
3. Did his investigations have any concrete results in regard to exposing Communists?

If you do answer these questions, I request your permission to use whatever information you give me in my paper under your name. Also, if you could get the information to me by July 19 or sooner I would be very grateful.

Thank you for your consideration.

Very truly yours,

Miss Kandy reply 7-10-68

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*Kutztown State College
Kutztown, Pennsylvania*

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Gettysburg State College
Gettysburg, Pennsylvania
July 4, 1968 19530

Mr J. Edgar Hoover
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

W. F. C.
C. J. ...

Dear Sir: Joseph R. McCarthy

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could get the information to me by July 19 or sooner
I would be very grateful.

Thank you for your consideration.

Very truly yours,

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September 25, 1969

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[Redacted]

Westmont, Illinois 60559

Dear [Redacted]

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Although I would like to be of help in connection with your request of September 20th, the FBI has no material for distribution on the subject you have chosen for your research paper. I am enclosing some literature on the general subject of communism which I hope will be of assistance.

Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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Enclosures (2)
A Statement on Communism
Director's testimony 4/17/69 re Communist, Racial and Extremist Groups

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September 20, 1969

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
United States Department of Justice
Washington, D.C.


Dear Mr. Hoover:

I am writing a research paper on the work done by the late Senator Joseph McCarthy in the 1950's to combat the communist threat to the United States. I would much appreciate receiving any literature on this subject which might be available through the Federal Bureau of Investigation, particularly bibliographies or other references which might be appropriate.

Because I have been given a relatively short time to write my paper, I would appreciate hearing from you at your earliest convenience.

Thank you in advance, for whatever help you may be able to give me.

Sincerely,



Westmont, Illinois 60599

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February 11, 1971

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[Redacted]

Mount Sinai, New York 11766

Dear [Redacted]

Your letter of February 4, 1971, has been received, and I appreciate your interest in writing.

While I would like to be of help, it is not possible for me to be of assistance in connection with your request inasmuch as our files must be maintained as confidential pursuant to regulations of the Department of Justice.

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Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

1 - New York - Enclosure

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NOTE: [Redacted] and [Redacted] are not identifiable in Bufiles. No identifiable data could be located on them by the New York Office. Long Island being omitted from address.

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February 4, 1971

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Mt. Sinai, Long Island
New York 11766

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Mr. J. Edgar Hoover: Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:

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An associate of mine, [REDACTED] and myself are about to undertake the journalistic investigation of the late Senator Joseph McCarthy for the purpose of bringing to the American public an unbiased, factual, account of his term in office and what lead up to the historical "McCarthy Hearings." We do not believe that this has yet to be done satisfactorily and without prejudice. It is our intention to do a biography of this man and bring into account everything we can possibly unearth which had a bearing on the McCarthy Hearings. It is not our intention to moralize, one way or the other, in this volume, but rather to bring forth the indisputable facts as they exist, and existed, for the purpose of a comprehensive text on this man.

On behalf of both [REDACTED] and myself, we would appreciate the Federal Bureau of Investigations' assistance with this project. It is our understanding that The Bureau did assist Senator McCarthy at this time. Whether even this is correct presently we are uncertain. With your help, Sir, we hope to separate the fact from fiction and allow the truth to stand on its own.

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Any assistance that you might render will not only be appreciated by us but those who may eventually read this text. Twenty years is a very long time for "hear-say" information to gather the momentum to inbed itself in history. We hope to correct its course.

Thank you very much for your attention. If you should have any questions about this that we might answer we will do so by return mail. Thank you very much.

Respectfully

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