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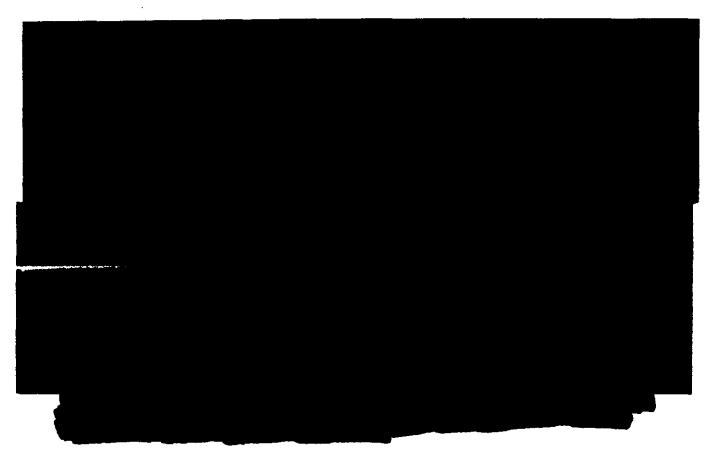
"Excuse me for taking the liberty to write you about my private matters but you are the person who can help me in this difficult situation.

The trouble is that the State Department gives no exit permit for my spouse Mrs. Gittel Hudel N.D., who is working and living in the Willard Parker Hospital, New York 9, N.Y. My spouse presented her application in March 1944 and until now has received no direct answer, in spite of intervention of the Ambassadors of Checoslovakia and Costa Rica; only a lawyer who asked the State Department for a resolution in this matter has received the notice that a new application can be presented on the beginning of the present year.

*I will inform you about myself; I am 45 years old, a Polish citizen, a Jew, of Polish nationality; doctor in mathematics, actuary and economist; From 1918 to 1930 I studied and worked as actuary in Prague, Checoslovakia; from 1930 to 1938 I lived and worked as actuary in Warsaw and moved in 1938 to Prague. After Munich I left Checoslovakia for Bolivia. In Bolivia I worked 42 years as Director of the Social Security Department of the Ministry of Labor; simultaneously I was technical advisor of the Ministry of Finances. In April 1943 I received the immigration permit to the U.S.A. My wife moved in August to New York and I had decided to do it some months later, after finishing my work in Bolivia. In the meantime, during the parliamentary discussion about the well known Catavi massacre, I was accused and jailed as communist, but quickly released by order of the High Court, which sentenced in thabeas corpus. Immedistely I was reinstituted, by order of the president General Penaranga, in my job in the Ministry of Labor, where I worked until my move to Costa Rica in March 1944. In the meantime the State Department cancelled my immigration permit and the International Labor Office arranged my actual job in Costa Rica. Here I am working as technical adviser and actuary of the Social Security Board, as technical adviser of the Financial Commission of the Congress and as professor of the University. In October last I presented to the State Department an application for transit visa to Montreal in order to participate in the 2nd International Conference of Actuaries, organized by the International Labor Office In spite of the intervention of the Costarican Ambassador, the

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- "Social Security Board and the International Labor Office and in spite of the fact that I have received the visa of Canada, the State Department has not yet answered my application, after four months.
- "The result of this is that I have not seen my wife for more than one and a half year. I am sure that the State Department has no intention of destroying my home and my family life; but nevertheless this is what is happening. I greatly miss my believed wife.
- "I beg your help and your assistance in this desperate situation of mine. I thank you in advance and remain."



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a charter member of the B-C Branch of the AASeW, was in dire financial straits and that he, was at a loss to understand why the Branch had not provided him with assistance. He did not pursue the topic when pointed out that so long as was under indictment, the Branch ought to avoid any action which might prove embarrassing.

then took the floor to severely criticize the AASCW for not having taken some action to rid American universities of Nazi scientists brought to this country by the War Department for research work. She described these Fazi scientists as enemies of the United States who were depriving skilled American scientists of a means of livelihood. She did not feel that any scientific contribution they might make to this country justified their presence. The informant noted that two such Nazi scientists who are doing work at the Boston University had been brought to the Optical Laboratory, one and In view of their presence, and in order not to meeting by a cut down the discussion on this personally embarrass them, point.

Letter published by the B-C Branch for February, 1947. This News Letter urged AAScW members to send telegrams to their respective Congressmen and Senators urging confirmation of DAVID LILIENTHAL as Chairman of the Atomic Energy Commission. Favorable reference was made, and at length, to an article appearing in the February 3 issue of the NEW REFUBLIC magatine by Mr. HENRY WALLACE. WALLACE, according to the News Letter, condemned unnecessary amount of control being placed on scientific research by various Government agencies. Members were also urged to hear Mrs. ELEANOR ROOSEVELT in a Boston appearance on February 21, 1947. The bulletin further announced that as a result of its earlier filed protest, Mr. I. F. STONE, Washington editor of PM, had delived into the Aberdeen Proving Ground case and had exposed the War Department and its Fascist tendencies. The readers were referred to the article for further elucidation.

contacted and (also identified as a 1945 registered Communist Party professional Branch member) in order to obtain from them the necessary dues payments to recetablish them in membership in the B-C Branch of the AASCW.

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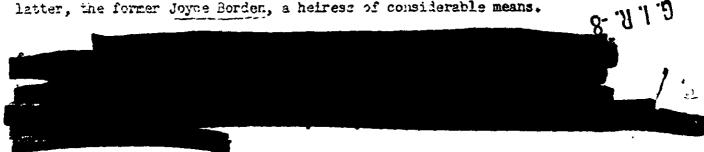
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through Mr. Toison, the following is set

Zlatko and Joyce Balchovic are, of course, husband and wife, the former being a naturalized cititen who came to this country as a concert wholings, but attained his most notable success by his marriage to the latter, the former Joyce Borden, a heiress of considerable means.



The Palokovics are extremely close to Louis Adamic who, as you know, is a wall known Yugoslav - American author who has sponsored the cause of Tito in this country and other causes of Communist taint. With Adamic Zlatko Balokovic was instrumental in forming in 1943 too United Committee for Court Slavic Americans and at the present time he is its President with Adamic being Honorary President. This group, as shown by the Pureau's investigation of it, works closely, and is in almost constant contact with individuals identified with the Yugoslavian Embassy or official Yugoslavian missions in the United States.

in connection with the Bureau's inquiry into the activities of the United Committee of South Slavic Americans. It has been apparent for some time that the United Committee operates as a propaganda and publicity agent for the present Tugoslavian Government, and in this regard investigative reports and other material have been regularly made available to the Criminal Division.

The Criminal Division has vouchsafed the opinion that the United Committee's activities have been in violation of the Registration Act and on one occasion the activities of this group have been described by an individual-in the Criminal Division as perhaps one of the most flagrant violations of the Registration Act to come to light.

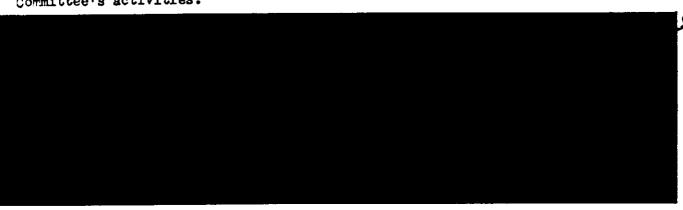
During the Roosevelt regime the Balokovica and Louis Adamic, as well as others identified with the Tito cause, had considerable entre into influential circles in Washington and Zlatko Palokovic was personally introduced to former Attorney General Biddle by Eleanor Roosevelt. The Committee has, of

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course, on a number of occasions in the past been requested by the Department to appropriately register, but has consistently refused to do so.

At the present time, the Bureau has been told the only thing holding back institution of steps looking toward prosecution of the United Committee is a doubt as to just what "off the record" arrangements might have been made by the Balokovics and former Attorney General Biddle.

At the present time the Department is attempting to ascertain exactly what understanding, if any, might have existed between the former Attorney General and the Committee in order that it might proceed with prosecutive action without fear of having the Committee use as a defense an agreement entered into with Biddle whereby the Department sanctioned or rationalized the Committee's activities.



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Mrs. Franklin D. Rossevelt The White House Vashington, D. C.

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My Sear Mrs. Roosevelt: by Don Whitehead. See

I have recently learned through Bolicitor General Prancie Siddle that some concern has been expressed reparding the fact that the Bureau has been conducting an investigation of Kre. Edith B. Helm. I wanted to advise you that the dureau initiated an investigation of Fre. Helm as a result of a specific written request dated October 29, 1940 by Mr. Sidney Cherwood, Assistant Secretary of the Advisory Commission to the Council of National Defense. Mrs. Helm's name was included in a list of persons who were described as "per annum employees of the Advisory Commission to the Council of Matienal Defense." Mr. Sherwood, in line with established procedure, has over a period of time requested investigations of several hundred employees of the Advisory Conmission to the Council of National Defense and no indication was given us as so the identity of Edith B. Helm or the fact that she was acting in a secretarial capacity for you.

In view of the fact that some question apparently has been raised as to why the Bureau was conducting this investigation, I wanted to inform you fully of the facts in the matter. Of course had we known at the time the investigation was requested that Krs. Felm was assigned to White House duties the incurry would not have been initiated. I want to assure you that I regret the incident may have caused you any annoyance or concern.

Sincerely yours,

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MEMORANDUM FOR MR. ROSEN

Re: Investigations being conducted of the Fersonnal of The Advisory Commission to the Council of Estional Defense.

With reference to my memorandum of this same date reflecting an interview had with Kr. Natthew F. NcGuire, Assistant to the Attorney General, upon the authority of Mr. L. R. Fennington, I wish to record the additional information as hereinafter set forth.

Mr. McGuire advised he deemed it preferable to have all

requests in the future emenating from The Advisory Commission to the Council of National Defense clear through the office of the Attorney General in order that that office might be advised at all times concerning the names of the individuals upon whom investigations are being requested of the Bureau. He explained that this aituation was brought to a head through a recent request made by Kr. Sidney Sherwood at The Advisory Commission to the Bureau for an investigation of Kiss Edith Helm who is a personal secretary to Krs. Roosevelt, the wife of the President. He explained as a result of the Bureau's investigation Miss Helm had apparently learned that inquiries were being made concerning her and Mr. McOuire indicated although he did not state as much, that this had been brought to the Department's attention by the President. He explained that he was going to contact Mr. Sidney Sherwood immediately and arrange for all these requests to clear through his office in the future in order that no kickback might be made upon the Bureau as a result of investigations being conducted of individuals whom the Department might feel should not be investigated in view of their positions and surrounding circumstances. He explained it was best to have any kickback fall upon the Department and for this reason, as well as those previously mentioned, he advised in the future _these requests would be handled in this manner. He stated that he would advise the Bureau concerning the results of his conversation with Mr. Sherwood and would indicate the manner in which these requests would be handled in the future.

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Mr. McOuire was asked by the writer whether in those cases referred to the Bureau by the Department for investigation he would desire copies of the reports furnished the Department. However, he stated that this was not his desire and he did not wish to have a record of these investigations in the Department, his only purpose in this procedure being a means by which he might be advised of the names of those individuals upon whom investigations are being requested by The Advisory Commission in order that a situation similar to that which arose relative to Miss Edith Holm would not occur in the future.

Respectfully.

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Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt The White House Washington, D. C.

My dear Mrs. loosevelts

Elik B. I have just received your note of January 20th relatipe to the investigation of Mrs. Helm. I note your statement that the explanation contained in my letter of January 24th that the investigation of Mrs. Helm was a mistake, indicated inefficiency upon the part of the person the ordered it. I thoroughly share your view about this. I did want to make certain, however, that you understood that the investigation was not ordered by the Federal Bureau of Investigation, but was ordered by the Assistant Secretary of the Advisory Commission to the Council of Estional Defense.

In regard to the statement that inquiries have been nade about Lize/Thompson of her apartment house as to when she comes and rees and other information, I made inmediate inquiry and find that no investigation of any character has been or is being conducted by this Surecu of Miss Thompson.

I want to essure you that there has been no one more appreciative of the necessity for avoiding any attitude or indulging in any notivities which might be construed as improper or un-american as thode in the conduct of investigations than I. I think it is so important that those of us who are charged with the conduct of Covernmental investigations see that they ary carried forth in a proper namer - fairly, impartially, and without any aspect that may eaver of these procedures type idal of certain foreign Governments and so repugnant to our Afterican raye. To accomplish this, we have enceavored to isot not only personnel of very high standing and sthice, ... to also train and instruct that personnel in the proper and week The manoe of their duties and in the necessity for carrying

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them out in a truly inerican way. Obviously, no devernmental agency can expect to merit the support and confidence of the public unless it conducts itself in a manner that is both legal and attical.

In connection with the necessary expansion of Governmental agencies incident to the National Energency, the policy had been established of sending to the Federal Bureau of Investigation the names of persons working for these Governmental agencies, in order that inquiry might be made as to their background, integrity and loyalty. I want to point out that this work was not sought by the Tederal Bureau of Investigation, but was assigned to it. I want further to point out that the names which are sent to the Tederal Bureau of Investigation upon which investigations are ordered by the interested Governmental agencies, are selected by these agencies and that this Eureau has no part in the selecting of these names upon which investigations are ordered. In the case of Mrs. Helm, I understand now that her mane was on the pay roll of the Advisory Counterion to the Council of National Defense, along with many others, and the list, which was prepared in the Advisory Counterion to the Counail of National Defense, was taken from the pay roll of that Commission. This Bureau had nething whatesever to do with the preparation of the list or the placing thereen of Mrs. Helm's name. The investigation of all of these names, including Free Helm, was predicated upon the letter from the Advisory Countssion to the Council of Fational Defense.

I want again to assure you that I deeply regret the resentment which this incident has caused you, and particularly the impression which I feer you have gained as to the position of this Bureau in this matter. I have tried in this letter to clarify exactly what the position of this Euresu has been and what its function was, and I am hopeful that this may correct the impression which you may have.

sincerely yours,

THE WHITE HOUSE

January 26, 1941

Mr. Agra Mr. Cl. Sa. Mr. Platinis Mr. Lendon

Mr. Clogg Mr. E. A. Tamm Mr. Perworth Mr. Nathan

My dear Mr. Hoover:

I am very much surprised by your letter about the investigation of Mrs. Helm. I am also surprised to learn that some one has been making inquiries about Miss Thompson at her apartment house as to when she comes and goes, how much company she has,

This type of investigation seem # STRANGURFAU OF INVESTIGATION smack too much of the Gestapo methods.

The explanation that the investigation of ANICE Mrs. Helm is a mistake, seems to me to show inefficiency on the part of the person who ordered it. I am not blaming the young man who conducted this investigation because he was merely carrying out orders. However, anyone who cared to avoid such a mistake would only have had to look at the questionaire which Mrs. Helm filled out last summer to realize that she has been attached to the White House ever since we have been here, and incidentally that her father and husband had been Admirals in the Navy.

I can not help resenting deeply the action in these two cases and if you have done this type of investigating of other people, I do not wonder that we are beginning to get an extremely jittery population.

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Very sincerely yours, Roosevelt

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Reds Squatters Among Liberals, F. D. R. Jr. Says

NEWARK, N. J. —(INS)— Franklin D. Boosevelt Jr., declared yesterday that all American Communists should be forced to stand up and be

counted as such.

The son of the late president, addressing a group organizing a New Jersey chap-ter of Americans for Demo-eratic Action, said he does not layer outlawing of the Communist party, or its suppression,

All Communists, however, he said, should be stripped of their "liberal" disguises.

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He described Communisi party members as "mere squatters of the American liberal traditions" and said "we must remove them."

Roosevelt also said that Americans must not be confused and misled by those who say that attacks on American Communists are attacks on Soviet Russia, but must confine themselves to these facts:

"The government of the Russian people is their business: "The preservation of American freedom and Democracy by exposing and eliminating all proletarianism movements

here is our business." Roosevelt said:

"The Communists for the moment have adopted the protective coloration of liberalism, but at heart believe in a dictatorship which they call the 'dictatorship of the proletariat.""

He also made a strong plea for "a foreign policy that will offer a democratic alternative to proletarianism to the awakened people of the world."

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Mr. Colgob Hooney Jeder of Breven Chartents Washington Dene to July October 5, 1945

Commodore James L. Vardaman, Jr. Haval Aide to the President The White House Washington, D. C.

SPECIAL MISSIN

Dear Commodore Vardamans

ouse Security Su In accordance with your request a discreet inquiry was made of eartain employees of the White House to determine whether these employees are divulging confidential information to unsuthorised persons. This group ineladed ushers, doormen, butlers, housekeepers, gardeners, telephone operators, chauffours, employees of the Social Correspondence Section, Social Entertainment Section, Telegraph, Gode, and Travel Section, the President's valet, his masseur, and the secretary to Mrs. Truman. A total of eighty-one employees were checked and spot surveillances were conducted on one or more of the enployees of each of the above categories. With the exceptions noted hereinafter, the information developed was not unfavorable, and no instances of such employees divulging official information to unauthorised persons were discovered.

You will observe in some instances arrest records are recorded with the amalification that sufficient information is not available to positively identify the person arrested with the White House employee or member of his family. Due to the discreet nature of this inquiry it was not possible to directly interrogate the employee involved, or others who might definitely identify the person arrested with the White House employee under investigation

A summary of the information which may be considered as being unfavorable follows:

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FRAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In the case of standard Reports, Freud Against the Covernment, an investigation was conducted relative to the forgery of Bureau of Standards reports in which were involved.

Standards for tests certain specimens for building materials which perfected. The Bureau of Standards submitted an unfavorable report on these tests, dated May 18, 1935, and the object of the investigation was to determine if a favorable report dated May 24, 1935, had been fabricated by The investigation disclosed that alained to have influence in the White Bouse through the staff of Mrs. Eleanog Roccevalte.

The facts in this case were discussed with the United States Attorney for the District of Columbia who was of the opinion that the evidence was insufficient to definitely connect with the compilation of fracture lent reports for the Bureau of Standards, and, accordingly, the case was closed.

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This employee House by the late President and Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt from Hyde Park, New York

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The above investigation developed information from a confidential said that he had no difficulty in obtaining a loss from the Government, because he had a had no difficulty in obtaining a loss from the Government, because he had a had no difficulty in obtaining a loss from the Government, because he had a had no difficulty in obtaining a loss from the was employed as a housekeeper in the loss would write to the saying that when he made an application for a loss he would write to the loss would inform Mrs. Hoosevelt of the request, and that in most instances the loss would be granted impediately.

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CONFIDENTIAL

Director Federal Bureau of Investigation Washington, D. J.

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Attached hereto are two copies of a report dated April 14, 1942 of confidential informant contains information consuming a lumcheon given in honor of Mrs. Franklin ! Moosevoli and Malana Maxim devinoff which lausched a nationwide campaign for six million dellars for Russian 'ar Rollof, Inc.

Enclosed also is a printed list of the individuals who were in abtendance at this luncheon which the informant furnished with his report.

Copies of the informant's report are being placed in the file for use in connection with the investigation of the cantioned case.

Very truly yours,

P. S. FORWORTH, Assistant Director MADNED ORICHEST REFINITY

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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF JUBBLE

Attended luncheon in honor of Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt and Mms. Maxim Litvinoff at the Waldorf Astoria Ectel. 49th St. and Park Avenue. There were three thousand people present. Admission was three dollars per person. At this luncheon there was inaugurated a nation-wide compaign for wix million dollars for Russian War Helief.

The luncheon started with the playing of the Internationals and the Star Spanngled Barmer. The audience joined in singing both. The Crairwoman was Hrs Gilderoleeve, dean of Barmerd College. The first speaker to be introduced was Archibald Faleish director of the office of Facts and Figures. He said that there are Fascists in this country who would rather see this country lose the war than give aid to the Soviet Union. There are those he said who would hold back snipping the arms to the Soviet Union because they think these arms would be used for the Bolshevization of the world. This is not so he said as you cannot force upon the people a form of government that they do not want as the people will choose the form of government they desire.

The next speaker was line. Litvinoff who after being introduced said to the pleasure of everyone listening. "I was a British subject. I am a Soviet citizen". Her speech was about the gallant red army and the good work being done by the Russian War Relief. 100-27126-73

If launching the campaign for six million collers. Apparamounced several donations of one hundred dollars, five hundred dollars believe the day and under dollars. In hundred dollars believe the thousand five hundred dollars believe. Those famous.

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Mrs. Roosevelt was the last speaker introduced and received a standing ovation. Her speech was brief as she told the audience that this was a busy day for her as it was her moving day and she was moving into new quarters. She said that this is a people's war when the people of the democracies all over the world should stand together for there is a better outlook for the people in the fature.

The flowers and wases for this occasion was donated by wholesale florists through the contact made by Alpx Cuttman. The picked these flowers and vases up from several wholesalers and delivered them to the hotel. The decorated the speaker's dias and placed flowers in vases on each table. I helped the fingel place the cards designating where the honored guests would be seated on the dias. With this report I submit a list of names of the people who attended this luncheon.

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OFFICE OF THE DEAN

March 18, 1947

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

Your letter of Lerch 6, 1947, relating to American Youth for Lemograpy, was deeply appreciated. I have deferred an acknowledgment of the letter until today in the telief that you might be interested in the report of our Committee. A copy of such report, which was delivered to President Stearns lest Saturday afternoon, is enclosed. The report contained lest Saturday afternoon, is enclosed. The report contained no recommendation as to the attitude which the University should adopt with respect to the organization. President Steerns decided, however, to ber AYD from the campus not, I think, because it is communistic, but because it is not in its. underlying purpose the democratic and liberal institution which it purports to be.

Sincerely yours,

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Your Committee also examined files of the Daily Worker and the New York Times from the date of the organization of AYD to the present time, and read numerous reports of congressional committees and of others engaged in investigating so-called un-American activities. In addition, your Committee sent letters of inquiry to the following persons and organizations:

National Headquarters, AYD, National Association of Fanusacturers, National Chamber of Commerce, Naval Intelligence Service, Army Intelligence Service, Federal Bureau of Investigation, The New Republic, The Nation, Christian Science Fonitor, PV, Columbia University, Prooklyn College, Queens College, University of Utah, Fichigan State College, University of Fichigan, University of Chicago, University of Wisconsin, New York University, University of Washington at Seattle, Life, Fleanor Recorded and University of California.

In each of these letters the addressee was informed of the appointment of the Committee and its purposes, and the desire of the Committee to make a complete and impartial investigation. The addressee in each case was invited to send to the Committee information concerning the origin, motivations, and purposes of AYD. As of the date of this report, the Committee has received replies from all of the letters except those sent to the National Association of l'anufacturers, Naval Intelligence, Army Intelligence, The New Republic, Christian Science Lonitor, University of California, and Eleanor Roosevelt. The letter to l'rs. Roosevelt was sent only a few days ago. She has hardly had time to respond. In view, however, of your request for a prompt report, we have decided not to wait for this and other possible replies.

From the hearings, our own investigations, and the replies to our letters we have accumulated a considerable amount of material regarding AYD. Some of the information is confidential, and some has been returned to its source, but much of the material will be kept in our files where it will be available if evidence confirmatory of our findings is needed. Certain other evidence has also been micro-filmed and is available in the files of the University Library.

Turning now to your specific questions, our answer to your first question is that the Colorado Tom Paine Chapter of AYD is a student organization controlled by regularly enrolled students in the University. In giving this answer, we feel that a distinction must be made between the word "controlled" and the word "influenced". By the terms of Article IV of the Constitution of the national organization, each club selects its own name, elects its own officers, and is authorized to draw its by-laws in conformity with the National Constitution of AYD. There is nothing in the National Constitution of AYD militating against democratic operation of the local clubs, which are authorized to conduct such activities as may be decided by the majority

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Nederal Bureau of Investigation United States Department of Justice Hew York, ?, New York

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Dear Sir:

OBVICTORY

Reference is made to New York letter to the Bureau dated January 27, 1944, in the above entitled matter; more particularly reference to JOSZPHINE TRUSLOW ADAMS.

A discreet inquiry at the Dioptric Instrument Corporation, 47 West 56th Street, New York City, revealed that JOSEPHINE THUSLOW ADAMS was employed there and that she resided at 55 West 10th Street, New York City. Her former residence was 431 Riverside Drive, New York City.

It was also learned that JOSEPHINE ADAMS had taken one week leave of absence from her employment either the last week in January of 1944 or the first week in February, 1944, for the purpose of making a trip to Washington, D.C. The inquiry further revealed that her fellow employees were under the impression that the purpose of the trip was to visit Mrs. MLEANOR MOSEVELT at the White House. Her fellow employees further revealed that the had made numerous references concerning her association with Mrs. ROOSEVELT, and had made the statement that she was going to induce Mrs. ROCSEVELT to make an inspection trip through the Dioptric company's RECORDED & INDEXED plant.

In connection with the address 431 Hiverside Drive, the Daily Worker of October 7, 1943, contained an article that the women's division, headed by JOSEPHINE THUSLOW ADAMS and ANNA L. HOPEF was and ANNA L. sponsoring a dinner for BENJAMIN DAVIS, candidate for the Hew York City

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Council, at the home of Miss ADAMS, 435 Riverside Drive, on October 15, 1943. Apparently the address 435 Riverside Drive in this article was a typographical error.

This information is furnished in connection with the above entitled case for the purpose of identifying JOSEPHINE THUSLOW ADAMS, who has been in communication with CONSUELO-LAMB, Administratrix of Puebles Hispanos, the publication of the Nationalist Party.

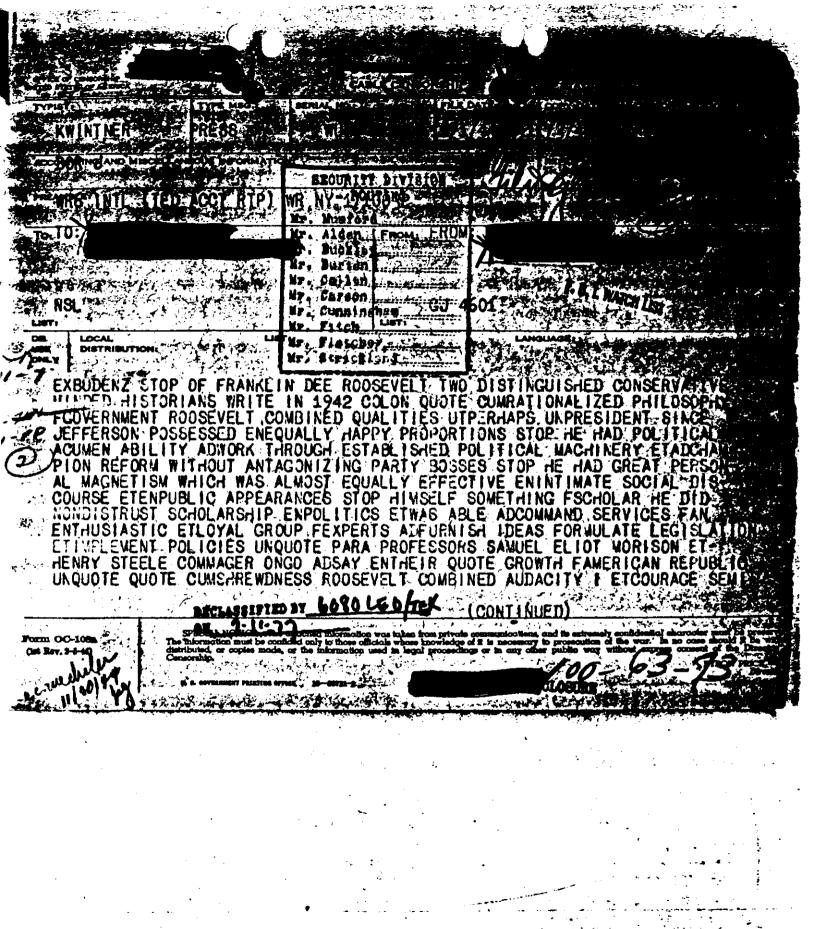
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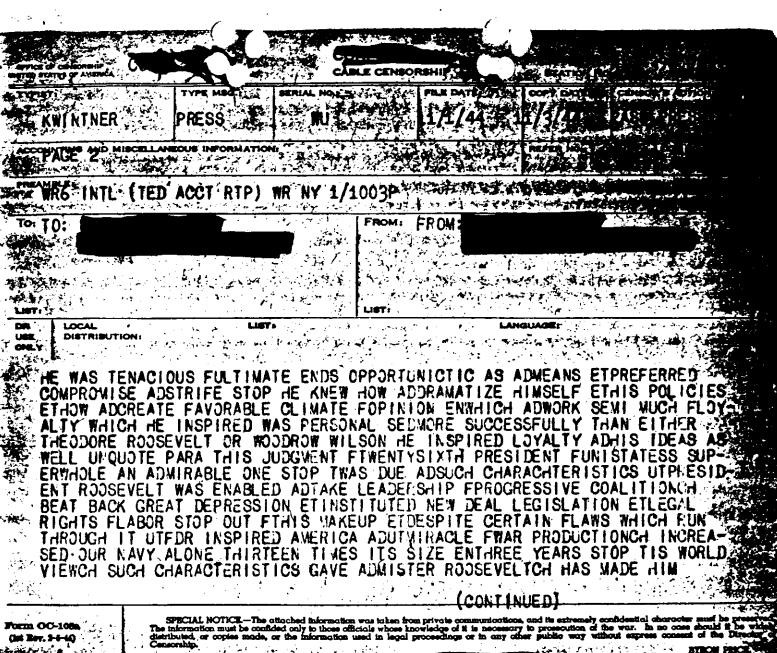
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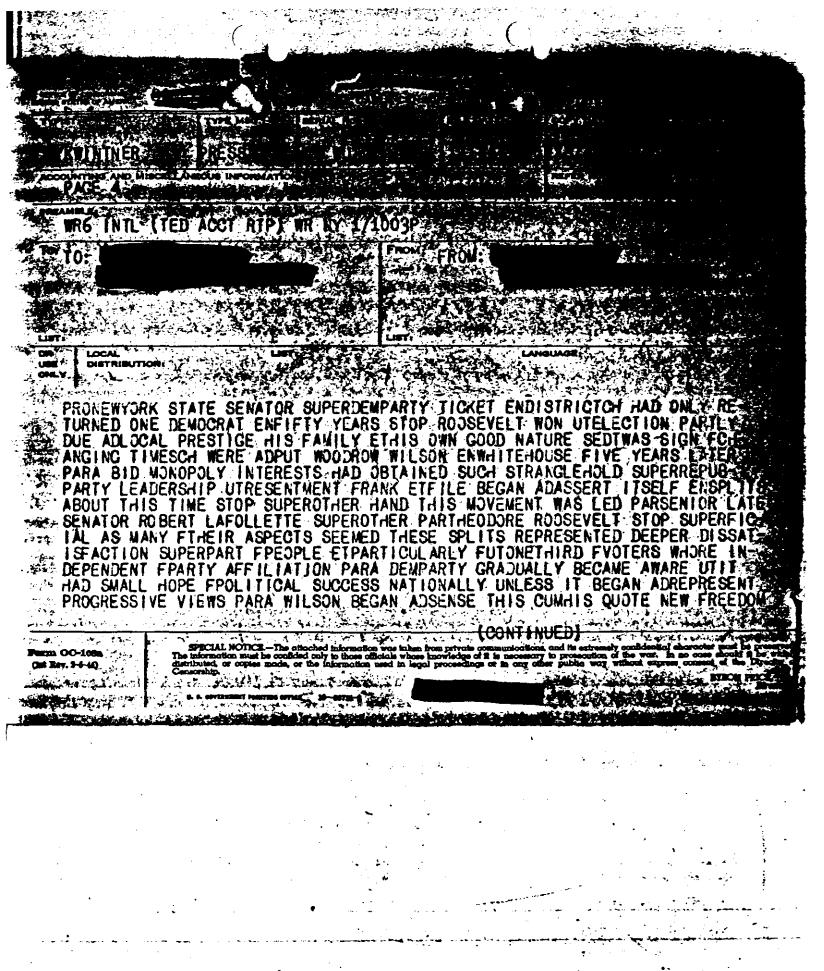




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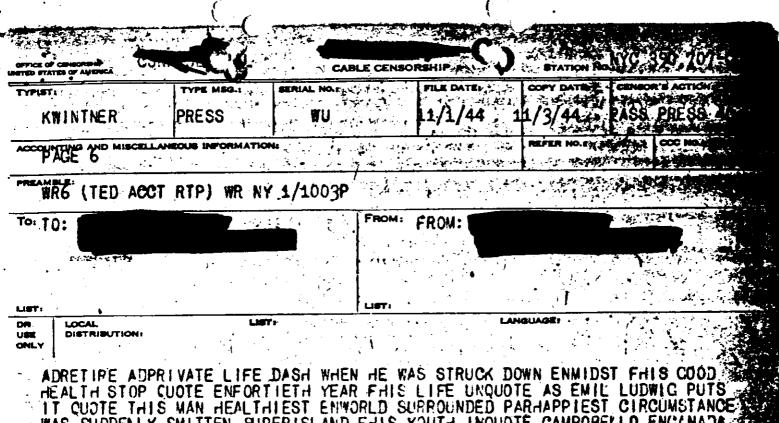
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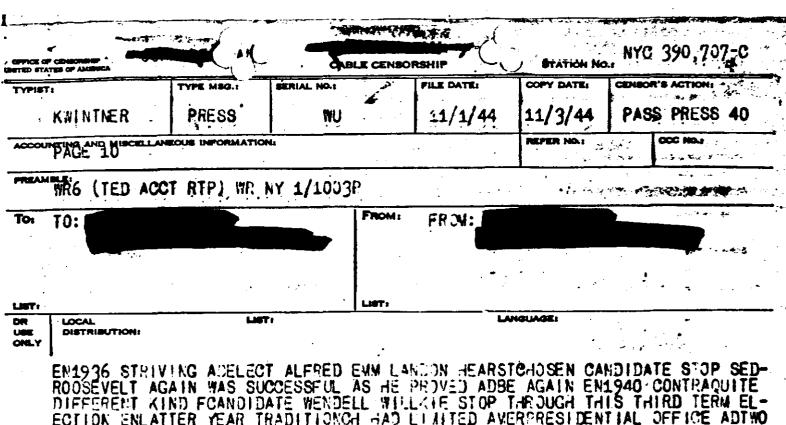
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of the Communist Party and the Young communist League spoke at meetings. The NYCVU has advocated the abolition of the woll tax, non-discriminatory housing, ending of segregation in the armed forces, the freedom of India, and the ending of Jim Crow Practices in Detroit. Two hundred and fifty per-

sons representing the Young Communist League, the International Morkers Order, the Mational Magro Congress, the Metropolitan Detroit fouth Council, the UAM-CIO, the Mational Associa-

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that the win the War Hally sponsored by the Young Negro Democrats had a strong Communistic influence and had received endorsements from Senator CHAMLES C.

DICCS, MRS. ROSA GRACG, WILLIAM LA SHEMMILL, Negro, and HORACE WHITE, Negro.

Endorsements had been received for this meeting from UCPWA-UIC Local 663 and from the NAACP branches. Bureau Informant further stated that it was the scheme of the sponsors of this affair to cover up the Communistic background of the meeting by the use of several non-Communist sponsors.

"The Michigan Chronicle" carried an item on August 8, 1942, which described the tremendous interest shown in the Win the War Mally. According to the newspaper, vice - President HENRY WALLACE sent his personal endorsement to the rally. An endorsement had also been received from Mrs. ELEANOR ROOSEVELT which stated as follows:

"I am very much interested to hear of your Win the War Hally on August 9, 1942. Our first major objective is to work, fight, and sacrifice for a United Nations victory... After the victory is won we must all work for a lasting peace based on the respect for the dignity of man the world over and justice for all.

very sincerely yours,

/s/ ELEANOR HOOSEVELT"

According to Bureau Confidential Informant the win the war rally at belle Isle was held on August 9, 1942 at 4:30 p.m. but only sixty persons were present, 95% of whom were colored. The poor attendance was attributed to threatening weather. The following were identified by the informant as being in attendance:

MR. MATHETS, CHRISTOPHER ALSTON, GLOSTER CURRENT, EDDIE TOLAN, MIL COOPER (Negro) CHARLES E. DIGGS, PAUL WYKOFF, ROSA GRAGG, LOUISE JOHNSON (Negross) LIEUTENANT CEORGE MURPHY, Director of the Youth Activities Division of the Wayne County Council of Defense, Congressman of BRIEN, 13th District, HARDER and BRIDGET POULSON, GENEVA BEST (Negross Joung Negro Democrats) and GLORIA HORGAN (Sojourner Truth citizens Committee).

The meeting was adjourned to meet two weeks later. Lieutenant EURPHY, according to the informant, endorsed the rally and Congressman O'FRIEN and that he also favored the freedom of India. Although FAUL WYKOFF was the chairman, 'EDDIE TOLAN assumed the platform in the last moment and summarized the results of the meeting.

Bureau Confidential Informant reported that a strong Communist influence was expected in this rally. According to the informant, the real reason for calling the meeting was to give voice to their demands to open the second front which would relieve pressure on the med Army. Nationally known figures, such as Michigan's Covernor MURRAY D. VAN MACCONER, Senator PRENTISS M. BROWN, war manpower Commissioner PAUL MCNUTT, and others had been invited as speakers.

The August 15, 1942, issue of the "Michigan Chronicle" carried an item advertising the postponement of the rally due to inclement weather. It was announced in the August 29 issue of this paper that the program which was originally scheduled for Belle Isle would be held at the Ebenezer Church at 4:00 p.m. on Sunday, August 30. The rally had received a great deal of publicity by reason of the endorsement by ELEANOR ROOSEVELT and vice-President WALLACE and a write-up which appeared in "Life" magazine.

According to Confidential whose identity is known to the Eureau, approximately thirty-five persons attended the rally on August 30, 1942. One of the speakers, Professor S. R. WILLIAMS, spoke on Negro history and challenged the Negro youth to rise up. LEONARD TROUT!'AN, of the National Youth Administration, said that militant persons here at home have been called "Reds, Communists, Madicals, etc." but still the struggle must go on. During his speech TADUTMAN said that he hoped there were some FBI men in the crowd to hear him make this statement. He urged all persons in attendance to buy bonds and support the organizations and movements which were fighting for Negro rights.

According to Confidential Informant, whose identity is known to the Bureau, TOLAN has been formulating another organization. He was forming this organization for the purpose of integrating Negro women into war industries in the Detroit area. TOLAN plans to have a large meeting in October to emphasize this movement.

II ORGANIZATION AND FINANCE

According to Confidential Informant the NICVD does not have a constitution nor is it chartered as a chapter of any known organization. No membership fees or dues have been assessed against any member. The organization is financed solely by contributions from the contributions of th

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New Haven, Connecticut March 24, 1943

Director, FBI

Re: OMMUNIST PARTY, U.S.A.,
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The activities in the Russian War Relief in New Haven are being carried on by active members of the Communist Party.

invited to attend a meeting in New Haven on at which time MRS. ELEANOR-ROOSEVELT was to meet with the End Discrimination Conference at the Y.W.C.A.

Chairman of the delegation meeting with Mrs. Roosevelt.

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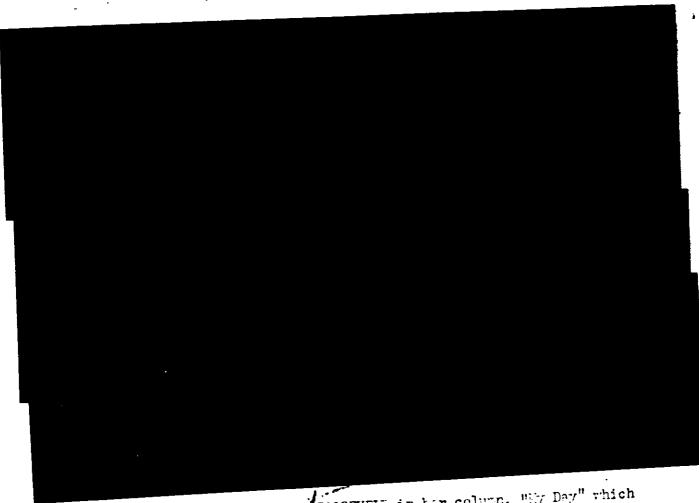
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According to Mrs. EDERHOW ROOSEVELT in her column, "My Day" which appeared in the april 5, 1945 issue of the New York Telegram, FEDERSEN is now visiting groups of young people in this country wish the gide of the AMERICAN YOUTH FOR A FREE MORLE.

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Director Federal Bureau of Investigation Washington, D.C.

Re:

Dear Sir:

Confidential Informant advised that

(phonetic) of the stating that and asked whether there were

the informant advised later that contacted at which time told that would contact and have her try to get ELEANOR MOOSEVELT to speak at the dinner. Stated that had accepted, but that could not be there. He stated they may use as master of ceremonies.

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He also

stated that they had a telegram from ELEANOR (believed to be ELEANOR ROUSE-VEIT) last night, declining the invitation to speak because of a previous engagement.



Very truly yours,

r. E. FUXACICH,
Assistant Director