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SUBJECT Rudolph Nureyev
FILE NUMBER 65-68720



Federal Bureau of Investigation

FD-36 (Rev. 12-13-56) Date: 79/8/万 Transmit the following in . (Type in plain text or code) AIRMAIL AIRTEL Via -(Priority or Method of Mailing) Miss Gandy HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED EXCEPT WHERE SHOWN OTHERWISE TO FBI LABORATORY SAN FRANCISCO (105-15785) FROM: FOLPA # 369518 ESPIONAGE - X CLASSIFIED BY SP & ALM EH 00 SF DECLASSIFY ON: 25X\_1, 6 1-21-99 4-23-97, Per OGA Hyatt House Hotel, 808 North Main Street, Salinas, California, has made available handprinted note which she found hidden in the back of a heavy plaster wall plaque in Room 110 of the hotel on 3-18-64. The note contains the following message handprinted on Hyatt House Hotel stationery: (U) ."Nureyev -"I made contact with the agent at M.L.S. and he agreed that we should wait before we attempt to 3689Q01427. (u) "I hope you find the note as you requested I put it here on 7-19. I really don't approve of your hiding place, it (3-Bureau (Enc. 6) (AM - REGISTERED) 2-Los Angeles (Enc. 1) (AM - REGISTERED) 2-Las Vegas (Enc. 1) (AM - REGISTERED) 5 APR 14 1964 2-New York (Enc. 1) (AM - REGISTERED) 2-Washington Field (Enc. 1) (AM - REGISTERED) 4-San Francisco (2 - 105-15785) (2 - 105 - 14151)- 1964 approved: Special Agent in Charge



It is believed possible that the abbreviation M.L.S. refers to Monterey Language School which is a general term used frequently to refer to the Defense Language Institute - West Coast Branch (DLI), which was formerly known as the U.S. Army Language School at Monterey, California. This installation is located approximately 20 miles from the Hyatt House Hotel in Salinas, California. It is known that the Communist bloc intelligence agencies have in the past expressed an interest in the activities at the school.

explained that the Hyatt House chain 170 took over operation of the hotel, formerly known as the Wonder Lodge, in June, 1963 and the date referred to in the message as July 19 would have to refer to the year 1963 as Hyatt House stationery was used. She also pointed out that the period 7-19-63 through 7-21-63 is their most active business period as a nationally known rodeo which is held in Salinas every year took place during that eriod in 1963. Most of the rooms during the period are rented to persons in the area to attend the Room 110 is part of a two room suite and has an adjoining door with Room 108. This can be rented as single units or as a two room suite. These particular rooms, however, are located in a section of the hotel which is infrequently rented as it is near the highway and located in the building most distant from the hotel office.(U)

The hotel rooms are decorated with heavy hollow plaster plaques which were being repainted during March, 1964. When removed one of the plaques in Room 110 to be repainted, the above described note was found. (4)

made available all registration cards for persons who occupied Rooms 108 or 110 during the month of July, 1963 as follows: (u)





regustered into Rooms 108-110 and remained until was accompanied by One outgoing phone call was ade from this unit on and there is no information in the hotel records as to the identity of the person being called. His automobile license number was not recorded in the hotel files. (4). an employee of was registered in Room 100 He did not make any outgoing phone calls from his room during that At that time he was observed to be riving He made no outgoing phone calls during this visit from his room but was observed in the lobby of the hotel making several phone calls from a pay booth. /u #

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IlO on and checked out on occupation in the records was shown as There is no indication as

has no recollection that anyone by the name of NUREYEV was ever a guest at the hotel. (u)

There were only two other occations during the month of July, 1963 when either of these rooms were occupied and neither appears pertinent to this investigation. (U)



was questioned as to who might have had access to the room in addition to persons registered as guests and she suggested that anyone in the following 67C categories might easily gain access to the room: (W)

- (1) Any present or past maid, bellboy, or other employee of the hotel. (U)
- (2) Many keys to the rooms have inadvertently or intentionally been kept by guests and it is highly possible that a previous guest failed to turn in the room key and still has such a key in his possession. Also the hotel has run short on room keys on occasion and allowed guests to use pass keys without specifically being told that they had in their possession a pass key. It would be common knowledge for any guest or employee to realize that the building in question was almost never rented and, therefore, make it possible for a person with a key to go in and out of the room with very little fear of being seen. (4)

The San Francisco Office has conducted investigation regarding the activities of



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During the spring and summer of 1963

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During the period he was in Pebble Beach.

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Pebble Beach, California, furnished the following information on a confidential basis: (U)

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Pebble Beach Post Office with an airmail special

Pebble Beach Post Office with an airmail special delivery letter addressed to RUDOLF NUREYEV, care of the Royal Ballet, Shrine Auditorium, Los Angeles, California.

During the period he was in Pebble Beach, the above described letter was the only piece of correspondence ever known to have been received by Sacramento, California. (U)

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No information has been developed during the to indicate the reason for his contact with NUREYEV.

**(**\$)

RUDOLPH NUREYEV is a well known male Russian ballet dancer who defected and has received considerable publicity in the American press regarding his dancing with the Royal Ballet Troop which visited the United States on several occasions. He was the subject of an article which appeared on page 45 of the June 14, 1963 issue of Time magazine. (M)

By communication dated July 8, 1963, the Los Angeles Office advised that RUDOLF NUREYEV had last danced with the Royal Ballet at the Hollywood Bowl, Los Angeles, California, on 7-5-63 and was scheduled to depart separately from other members of the troop for New York. (W)

Enclosed herewith for the Bureau are the following documents: (U)

(1) Handprinted note on Hyatt House stationery
addressed to "NUREYEV". (u)

(2) Two hotel registration cards for

It is to be noted that the auto
license number on the registration card dated

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(4) Hotel registration card for dated

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(5) Photostatic copy of a handprinted application on stationery, which was filled out during the early part of

This is the only handprinting sample available for at Monterey, California. (U)

The Los Angeles, Las Vegas, New York and Washington Field Offices are being furnished one photostatic copy each of the handprinted note left at the Hyatt House Hotel. (U)

It is requested that the FBI Laboratory make the following examination concerning the enclosed letter. There is no objection to having this document chemically treated or processed in any way. (u)

- (1) Compare the handprinting on the note with any variable specimens of suspects or subjects in espionage investigations.
- (2) Determine if possible the approximate date when the note was printed. (U)
- (3) Determine if there is any secret writing used on this paper. (u)
- (4) Determine if the paper on which the note was written contains any indented impressions. ( $\omega$ )
- (5) Compare the handprinting on the note with the handprinting on the registration cards of and (4)
- (6) Furnish any observations as to the type of number code used on the note and if any similar codes have been used in connection with previous examinations. (4)

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#### LOS ANGELES DIVISION

#### At Los Angeles, California

Will conduct investigation at the Shrine Auditorium

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or booking agency which handled the Royal Ballet visit to Los Angeles in June, 1963 in an effort to establish the itinerary of RUDOLF NUREYEV after he completed that engagement. It is of particular interest to know if NUREYEV departed from Los Angeles en route to San Francisco by auto in July, 1963 as the Hyatt House Hotel is located on Highway 101 and might be a logical stop between the two cities. ( $\mathcal{U}$ )

Will attempt to identify the hotel where NUREYEV stayed during his visit to the Los Angeles area and obtain any outgoing telephone calls made from his room between 6-29-63 and the date he left the Los Angeles area. (U)

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after obtain handprinting samples of who stayed at the Hyatt House Hotel and forward these to the FBI Laboratory for comparison with the note submitted by San Francisco. (U)

#### NEW YORK AND WASHINGTON FIELD DIVISIONS

Will contact any logical sources who might have knowledge of circumstances surrounding NUREYEV's defection and interview them for observations as to the possibility that he may be involved in espionage activity.

#### SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

#### At Sacramento, California

Will conduct investigation to obtain additional handprinting samples of and forward same to the FBI Laboratory for comparison with the documents submitted in this case. (U)





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Will conduct investigation to ascertain if

during the summer of 1964.

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## FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION WASHINGTON, D. C.

FBI, San Francisco (105-15785)

Date:

April 27, 1964

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Q1 One-page hand printed letter on "HYATT HOUSE HOTELS" letterhead stationery beginning "Nureyev - I made contact with..." and ending "...it is rather conspicuous."(U)

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The Hyatt House Hotel registration card bearing hand printed name and address

K3 Wonderlodge of Salinas registration card No. handwritten name and address

bearing

K4 Wonderlodge of Salinas registration card No. hand printed and handwritten name and address

bearing

Kc5 Photocopy of hand printing of

application bearing

Result of examination:

The known specimens, K1 through Kc5, are not adequate for comparison with the questioned hand printing on Q1. (u)

No indented writing was found on Q1. (4)

Specimen Q1 was tested for migration patterns in an effort to determine the approximate date the note was hand printed with negative results. The age of this writing does not appear to be determinable by this means. ( $\langle l \rangle$ )

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No secret writing was found on specimen Q1.

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Specimens Q1 and K1 through K4 are returned to San Francisco. Specimens Kc5 and photographs of Q1 and K1 through K4 are retained.

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To: FBI, San Francisco (105-15785)

Date:

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John Edgar Hoover, Director

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San Francisco

Examination requested:

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Document - Secret Writing - Cryptanalysis

Remarks:

A number of hand printing characteristics were noted in the note Q1 which appear also in the hand printing on specimen Kc5, submitted as that of

Specimen Q1 was searched in the National Security File without effecting an identification. A copy is being added to this file.

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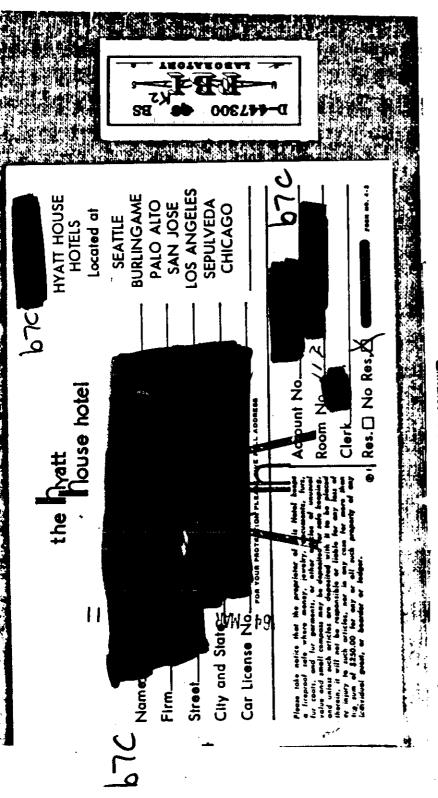
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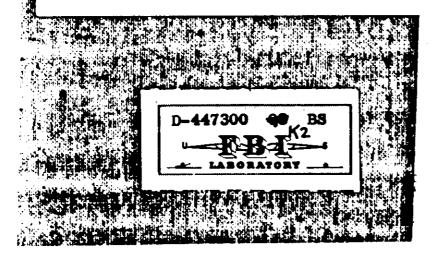
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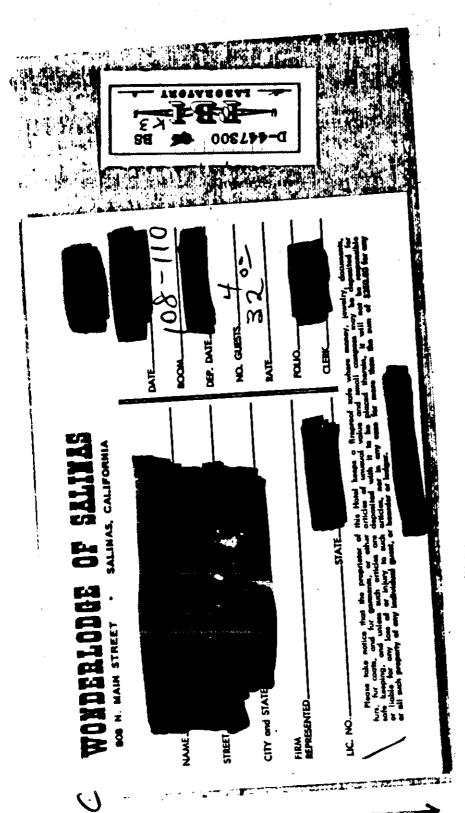


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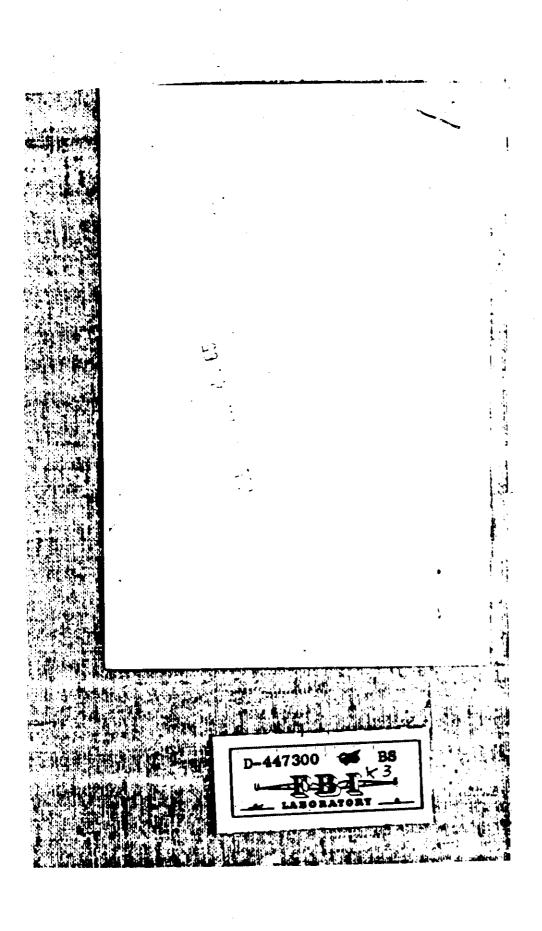
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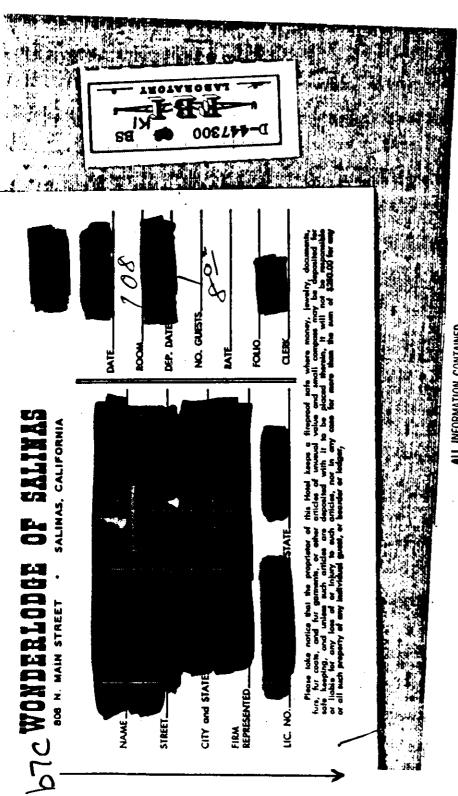




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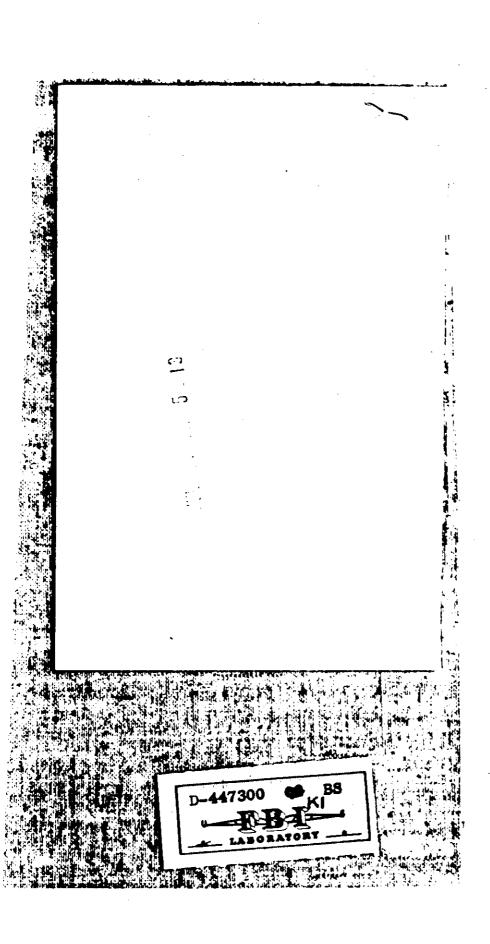
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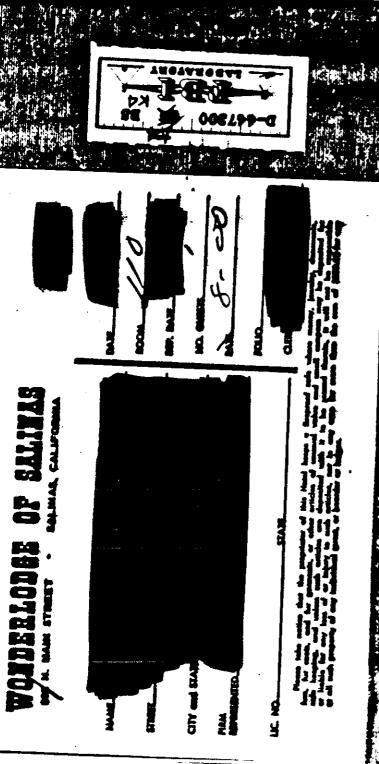
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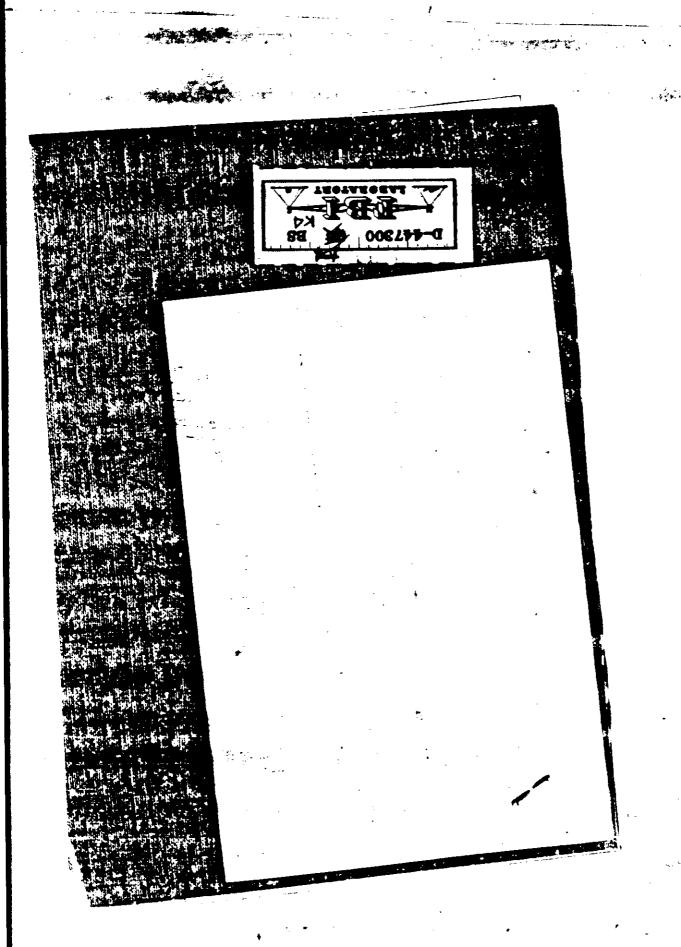
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"I hope you find the note as you requested. I put it here on 7-19. He really don't approve of your hiding place, it is rather conspicuous." (U)

It is possible that the initials M. L. S. refer to the Monterey Language School which is a general term used frequently to refer to the Defense Language Institute - West Coast Branch, Monterey, California, Formerly known as the U. S. Army Language School. This installation is located approximately 20 miles from the Hyatt House Hotel. (U)

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### CONTINUANCE OF NOTE:

There is no record of anyone named Nureyev residing at the hotel. We are checking with those who did rent the hotel room during the pertinent period. It is noted that Rudolf Nureyev, is a former Russian ballet dancer who defected to the West on 6-16-61 in Paris, France, and who danced with the Royal Ballet on 7-5-63 in Los Angeles. He did not accompany the troupe when it left for New York but went by himself, route and method of travel not known. Los Angeles is checking this cut to determine if he possibly went by way of Salinas.

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On had learned that NUREYEV left Los Angeles 7/6/63 before the other members of the troupe and proceeded to New York City to appear on a television show did not know the route or the mode of travel taken by NUREYEV.

was of the opinion that other members of this ballet troupe stayed at the Ambassador Hotel

Hotel (conceal as is an established source), on 4/27/64 advised SA records do not reflect the NUREYEV stayed at hotel in June of July, 1963. (4)

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Inquiries are being made
by the San Francisco Office. However, undoubtedly

could furnish additional information concerning

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furnish detailed information concerning NUREYEV, stinerary
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Sources advise telephone toll charges in June and July, 1963, are unavailable. (U)

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DIRECTOR, FBI (65-6872c)

DATE:

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FROM

SAC, NEW YORK (105-66950) (RUC)

subject:

NUREYEV

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(OO:SAN FRANCISCO)

Re San Francisco airtel to Bureau, 4/8/64.

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on 4/27/64, SAS contacted

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Informant was asked if he is familiar with the name RUDOLPH NUREYEV and whether he could furnish any information concerning this indiv\_dual. It is noted that NUREYEV is a Soviet who was formerly associated with the Kirov Ballet, Leningrad, prior to his defection to the West, at Paris, France, on 6/6/63.

Informant immediately recognized the name of NUREYEV as that of a Soviet defector. He also remembered that NUREYEV was a ballet dancer. He said that somewhere he heard NUREYEV had written a book but informant said he has never seen this book and has not read it. He said that, to his knowledge, no one in the Soviet colony in NY has ever spoken of NUREYEV in his presence. Informant said he could furnish no information relating to NUREYEV's defection, nor does he have any information reflecting that NUREYEV has, in any way, been connected with espionage activity.

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Informant said it is his recollection that NUREYEV "escaped" from the Soviet Union in 1961. He said NUREYEV was not a particularly famous dancer in the Soviet Union.

Information copies are being furnished Las Vegas since that office still has active investigation in this matter.

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DIRECTOR, FBI (65-68720) ATTN: FBÍ LABORATORY

DATE: May 27, 1964

FROM

SAC, LAS VEGAS (65-50)(RUC)

SUBJECT:

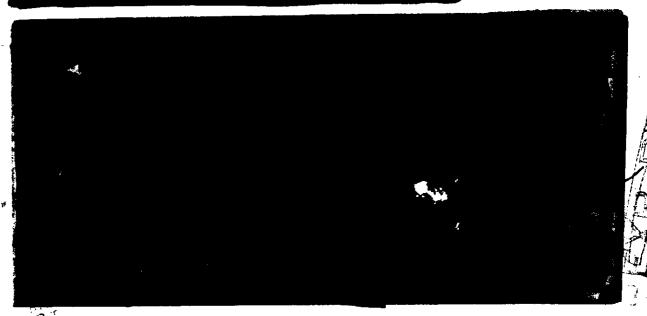
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RE San Francisco airtel, 4/8/64.

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(00: San Francisco)

Examination requested by: FBI, Las Vegas (65-50 5/27/

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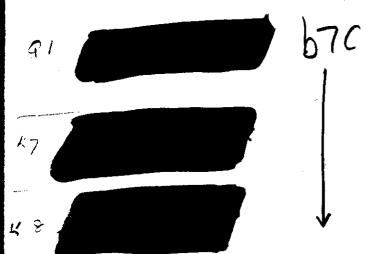
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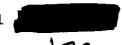
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To:

FBI, Las Vegas (65-50)

Date:

June 19, 1964

Re:

(FNU) NUREYEV ESPIONAGE - X

(00: SAN FRANCISCO)

Examination requested by:

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To: FBI, Las Vegas (65-50)

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#### FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

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San Francisco, California August 4, 1964

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On June 28, 1963, advised that had posted a registered letter to Rudolf Nureyev, b7c/D Royal Ballet, Shrine Auditorium. Los Angeles.California. In mailing the letter

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Rudolf Nureyev has been publicly identified as a Soviet ballet artist who defected from the Leningrad Ballet in Paris in 1961.

On July 8, 1963 advised that the British back Royal Ballet was at that time en route to London after appearances in Los Angeles. Rudolf Nureyev last danced with the ballet on July 5, 1963, at the Hollywood Bowl and was to depart separately after his performance for London via New York.

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In April, 1964, Hyatt House Hotel, 808 North Main Street, Salinas, California, made available a handprinted note which found hidden in the back of a plaster of Paris wall plaque in Room 110 of that hotel on March 18, 1964. The note contained the following message handprinted on Hyatt House Hotel stationery:

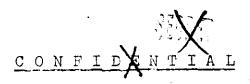
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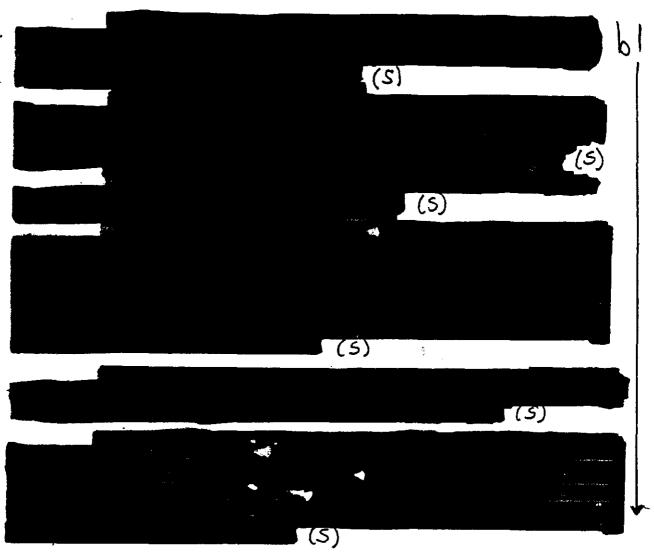
"I hope you find the note as you requested I put it here on 7-19. I really don't approve of your hiding place, it is rather conspicuous."

It is noted that the Defense Language Institute, West Coast Branch, formerly known as the U. S. Army Language School, and commonly referred to as the Monterey Language School, is located in Monterey, California, approximately 20 miles from the Hyatt House Hotel in Salinas. And no recollection that anyone by the name of Nureyev was ever a guest at the hotel, and a search of registration cards provided no pertinent information.



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was interviewed at his residence, California. At the outset he was queried concerning his knowledge of RUDOLF NUREYEV, a ballet dancer who defected from the Kirov (Leningrad) Ballet in Paris, France.



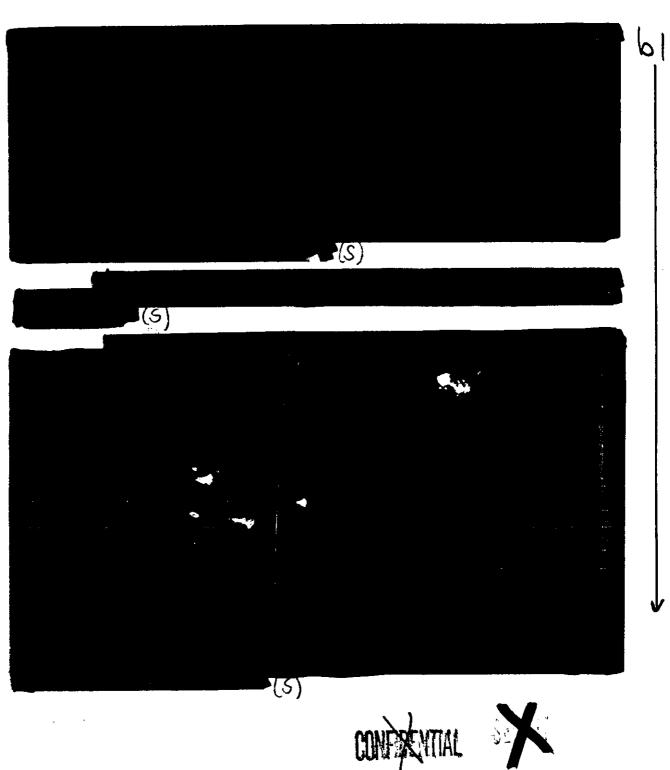
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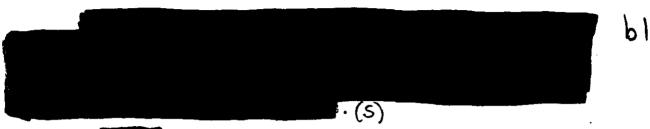


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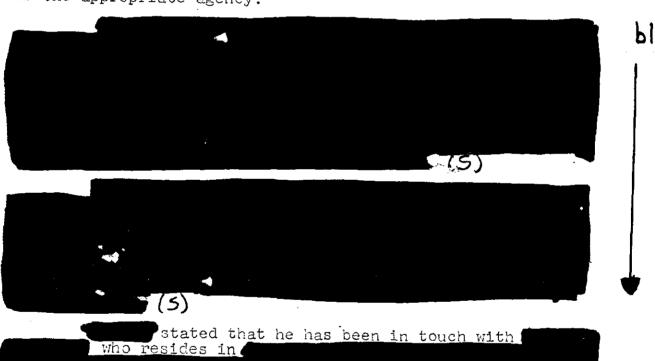


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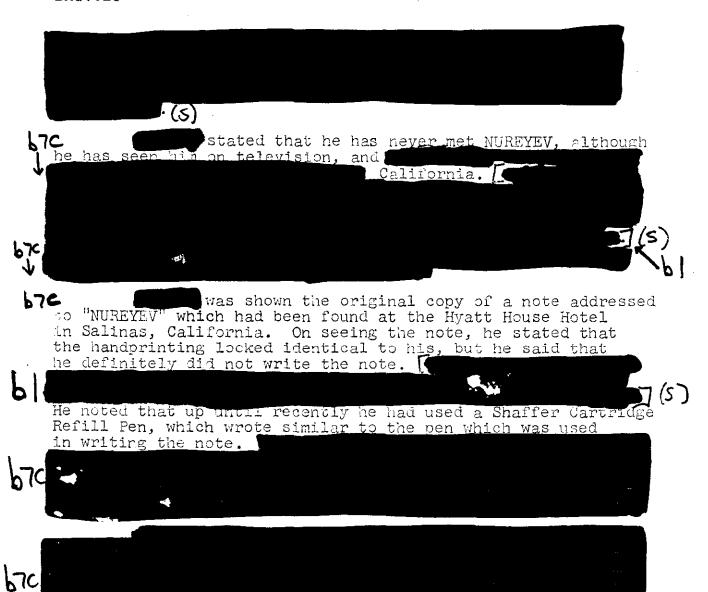
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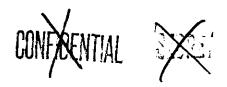
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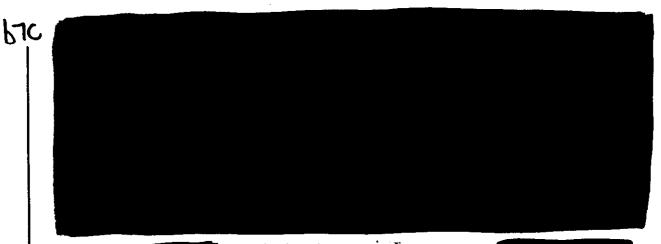
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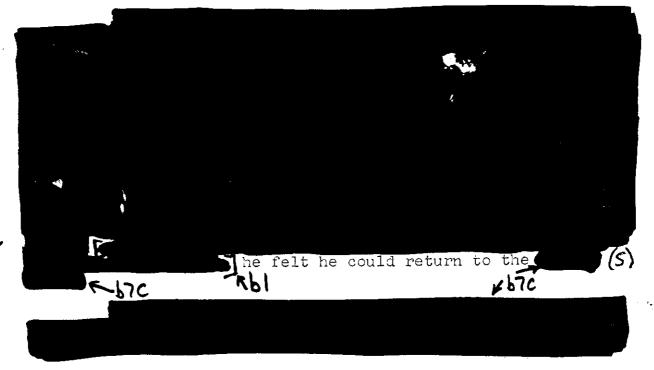




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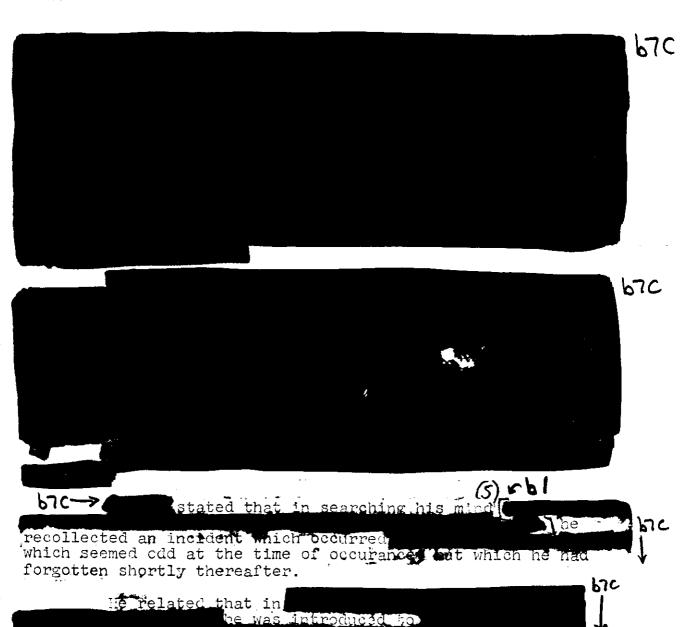
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He leafed through his address book, but could not locate the name or

In conclusion strongly asserted

"NUREYEV", and that he would be glad to be of whatever assistance possible to the United States Government.

He stated that he is very fond of the Russian people but heartily disapproves of their system of government. He stated he would be receptive to further contact by representatives of the United States Government.



telephonically contacted from Sacramento, California, and that in searching his mind concerning persons whom he has met in the United States, he remembers being introduced to a young man at the

after his

This young man was a

could not

recall his name.

He also had been introdu<u>ced to a</u> who are natives of the

He stated he has but is not well acquainted with these people.

He also stated he has decided against going to the giving up completely his plans for marriage.

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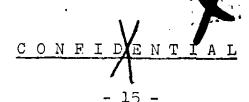
Interviewing Agents noted that was residing with another male in an apartment which had a strong odor of cheap toilet water. His manner appeared effiminate. When given an opportunity to indicate that he was or was not a homosexual, evaded the issue. It was also noted that there was only one bed in the apartment shared by two males.

In June, 1964, the FBI Laboratory Edvised the following after making comparisons between handprinting furnished by and the note obtained from the Hyatt House Hotel, Salinas, California:

Variations noted indicate that the note may not have been written by A definite conclusion was not reached in this regard, however, because of handprinting characteristics which are present in both the note and in known handprinting.

A letter dated 1964, received from at the San Francisco Office of the FBI indicated that would be leaving the San Francisco area 1964, and would arrive in 1964, and arrive at and depart from on that date. He would arrive at 1964, and was uncertain as to where he would be staying. He said he would register at shortly after his arrival. He plans to depart for 1964, where he plans to stay with the stated he will depart from

1964, for where he has hotel reservations at the





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## UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

San Francisco, California August 5, 1964

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Letterhead memorandum dated and coptioned as above at San Francisco.

All sources (except any listed below) whose identities are concealed in referenced communication have furnished reliable information in the past.

DIRECTOR, FBI (105-118433)

9/29/64

SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (105-14151)(C)

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Enclosed herewith for the Bureau are eight (8) copies of a letterhead memorandum dated and captioned as above at San Francisco. One copy of coverletter and letterhead memorandum is being designated for Bufile concerning FNU NUREYEV, Espionage - X.

currently resides at and is employed as an

She was

very cooperative during interview.

San Francisco contemplates no further action in this matter.

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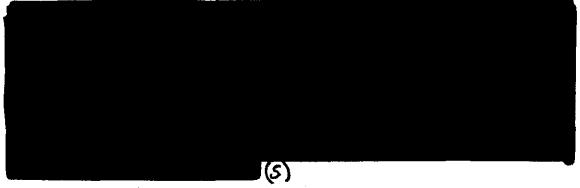
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was interviewed



thought that might be a homosexual. She said he did not appear to her to be effeminate but may be considered by some people to be unusual because of his attraction for music, art and other cultural activities.

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## ${\it 1} emorandum$

DIRECTOR, FBI (65-68720)

FROM

SAC, SAN FRANCISCO (105-15785)(年)(P)

SUBJECT:

(FNU) UNUREYEV ESPIONAGE - X

(OO: SAN FRANCISCO)

REQUEST OF BUREAU:

The Bureau is requested to furnish San Francisco with lany derogatory data contained in Bureau files regarding and regarding

### BACKGROUND OF CASE:

It is noted that a handprinted note addressed to "NUREYEV" was discovered hidden in a wall plaque in Room 110 of the Hyatt House Hotel, Salinas, California, 3/18/64. note appeared to be of possible espionage significance and contained therein was a reference to the note being placed at that location "on 7-19."

> Hotel records reveal that occupied Rooms 108 and 110 from

a room which is part of a Room 108 on the night suite of two rooms, connected to Room 170 with an adjoining

occupied Room IIO on the night of were only two other occasions during 7/63 when either of the rooms were occupied and neither appeared pertinent to this investigation and the management

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of the Laboratory has advised that handprinting specimens were not identical with the handprinting on the note.

Set forth hereafter is information regarding

Records of the Credit Bureau California, as reviewed on 6/9/64 by SA revealed that was employed by

address at that time was and he had previously resided

of that bank contained no data regarding

Inquiry by

revealed that had obtained

from the bank

had resided at the

Bank records reveal that

had moved to the

Records of California Department of Motor Vehicles.
California, revealed on 5/27/64 that a

These records revealed that of that address, was issued license date not shown. He was born and was

number described as

by IC

Records of the San Francisco PD as reviewed on 5/8/64 revealed no data identifiable with



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A telephone call to the by SA on 6/8/64, at which time the caller's name was neither requested nor given, revealed that was out of the office at that time but would probably call the office within an hour.

Indices of the <u>San Francisco</u> Division contained no record identifiable with

The rollowing investigation concerning was conducted by SA

Department of Motor Vehicle records revealed that operators license was issued on 8/17/61 to San Francisco, born and described as records revealed no vehicle registration for was in file during the period

for California, residence at California,

This registration indicates occupation as "his height as ", birth place as and expressed intention to "It was ascertained that had previously registered on at indicating identifical information to the current registration.

The records of the California, searched by on \$5/11/64, contained no record identifiable with

Records of the Credit Bureau of California, reviewed on 4/11/64, contained a credit record for dating back to





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This record reflects that prior to that time was employed

Previous employments

were indicated

He formerly resided at

He left the vicinity of

Credit records reflect employment as

The employment was indicated as current as of 2/24/62.

Credit records reflect that

<u>maintains</u>

Records of the PD searched by on 5/12/6 contained no record identifiable with

who wrote the note found in the hotel, was interviewed by Special Agents on 6/10/64.

to "NUREYEV", and he stated that the handprinting looked identical to his but he said that he definitely did not write the note.

an apparent homosexual, then related information regarding

and his contacts with Soviets, including RUDOLF NUREYEV, defected ballet dancer.

In 6/64, the FBI Laboratory compared the note found at the hotel with handprinting furnished by and the Laboratory reported that variations noted indicated that the note may not have been written by

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### RECOMMENDATIONS:

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In view of the possibility that was the author of the mote and in the absence of logical leads in this matter, it is believed advisable that instant investigation be closed in the absence of significant information regarding or in Bureau files.



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Re San Francisco letter to the Director, 9/1/64.

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The Bureau has advised that records of the Bureau contained no data identifiable with individuals who had occupied space at the Hyatt House Hotel, Salinas, California, prior to the period that the note was discovered hidden in the wall plaque of room 110 of the hotel.

In the absence of significant information in Bureau files concerning instant matter is being closed.

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