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Department of State, [REDACTED] had been active in the  
organization of a new university in honor of Justice Louis *b7C*  
D. Brandeis, which was being sponsored by the Albert Einstein  
Foundation, Inc. of New York City. [REDACTED] was personally  
recommended by Professor Einstein to make a trip to England  
in 1946 on behalf of this work.

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New York report, 12-6-49

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15 The book "One World or None" was prepared by the  
16 Federation of American Scientists in the early part of 1946.  
17 This book contained articles by E. U. Condon, Albert Einstein  
18 and thirteen other individuals. The purpose of this book was  
19 to give an informed picture of all ramifications  
20 of the subject of atomic energy, and warned the public that  
21 world control of the atomic bomb was an essential of human  
22 survival and hence the responsibility of every citizen.  
23 (Source not cited)

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33 To Mr. Ladd from  
34 Mr. Strickland 6-2-46  
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12 By letter dated October 4, 1946, the Joint Committee  
13 on Atomic Energy, Congress of the United States, forwarded  
14 to the Bureau copies of "Essential Information on Atomic  
15 Energy". On page 42 of this report under the heading "Chrono-  
16 logical Table: Developments in Nuclear Physics and in the  
17 Atomic Bomb Project" the following appeared: "1905. Einstein  
18 (German) published his 'special theory of relativity' which  
19 includes the famous equation  $E = Mc^2$  for the equivalent of  
20 energy and mass."

22 On page 85 of this report under the heading "Bibli-  
23 graphy: Books and Articles on Scientific and Political Aspects  
24 of Atomic Energy" the following appeared:

26 "Masters, Dexter and K. Way, eds. One world or none.  
27 A report to the public on the full meaning of the atomic bomb.  
28 Prepared by 17 world authorities on the subject. New York,  
29 McGraw - Hill, 1946. 79 p."

31 Under the above, the contents were set out which  
32 included "The Way Out, by Albert Einstein."

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40 Correlator's Note: The first page of this report was missing.  
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In May, 1947 [REDACTED]  
Tuxedo Park, New York, furnished the Bureau a pamphlet entitled,  
"Yes, But" - Questions and Answers About a Federal World Govern-  
ment" published by the World Federalists, USA, Incorporated,  
World Government House, 31 East 74th Street, New York 21, New  
York.

A list of officers and members of the National  
Organization of the World Federalists, USA, set out in the above  
mentioned pamphlet, included Albert Einstein as a member of the  
Honorary Directors. The copyright date of the pamphlet was 1946.

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[redacted] advised that the Boston-Cambridge Branch of the American Association of Scientific Workers gave a private luncheon in honor of Madame Irene Joliot Curie at the Harvard Faculty Club on March 30, 1948. In an informal discussion that followed Madam Curie stated that in 1946 she had spent two days with Edward Condon at the Institute for Advanced Study at Princeton, while she and her husband were conferring with Dr. Albert Einstein.

12-3-48 Boston Report  
Re: "American Association  
of Scientific Workers  
Boston-Cambridge Branch;  
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the New York Office a letter in the stationery of the "Spanish Refugee Appeal" dated January 1, 1946 addressed to "Boris", President Chairman of the "Joint Anti-Fascist Refugee Committee" to "Dear Contributor".

According to the letterhead of the above-mentioned letter, Boris Einstein was at that time one of the "Joint Sponsor" of the "Spanish Refugee Appeal" of the "Joint Anti-Fascist Refugee Committee".

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12 "The Daily Worker" of January 12, 1946, carried an  
13 article entitled "Form Jewish Committee for Books for USSR".  
14 This article stated in part that Professor Einstein had  
15 announced the formation of a Jewish Committee for Books for  
16 Russia under the sponsorship of the Jewish Council for  
17 Russian Relief and the American Committee of Writers,  
18 Artists, and Scientists.  
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20 This article stated further that this committee  
21 according to the announcement by Professor Einstein, its  
22 honorary chairman, would participate in the national  
23 campaign of the Books for Russia Committee of the American  
24 Society for Russian Relief to ship one million books to the  
25 Soviet Union as replacements for those burned or destroyed  
26 by the Nazis.  
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12 In the January 20, 1946 issue of "The Worker"  
13 appeared a column captioned "Washington Notes" by Virginia  
14 Gardner. This article concerned Dr. Albert Einstein --  
15 the part he played in speeding up research on atomic energy  
16 and his recent testimony before the Anglo-American Committee  
17 of Inquiry on Palestine.

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12 This reference is a document from an unidentified  
13 source dated January 22, 1946, New York, New York, entitled  
14 "Jewish Committee for Books for Russia, 119 West 57th Street".  
15 The following is quoted from this document: "Chairman: Albert  
16 Einstein, Collecting Yiddish, English and Hebrew classics and  
17 references and scientific works in Hebrew.  
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that the Joint Anti-Fascist Refugee Committee had closed operations in the Madison, Wisconsin area and had had no conclave since January 23, 1946, at which time Paul Robeson, national sponsor of the Committee spoke in behalf of the refugees from Spain. Informant turned over to the Bureau literature which was distributed at the time of the last conclave which carried a complete list of the national sponsors of the Spanish Refugee Committee. This list was set out in this reference and included the name of Albert Einstein.

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Milwaukee report, 6-12-46  
Re: "Joint Anti-Fascist  
Refugee Committee, also known  
as Spanish Refugee Appeal of  
the Joint Anti-Fascist Refugee  
Committee; Internal Security-C"  
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15 In reference to instructions contained in Bureau  
16 Bulletin, No. 1, Series 1945, dated January 3, 1945, to the  
17 effect that Communist Charts should be revised as of February  
18 and August of each year, on January 24, 1946, the New York  
19 Office submitted a memorandum reflecting the revision of the  
20 charts on Communist Party front organizations maintained by  
21 the New York Field Division.

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23 Page 8 of the above-mentioned memorandum reflected  
24 Albert Einstein to be a member of the Board of Directors of the  
25 Independent Citizens Committee of the Arts, Sciences and Pro-  
26 fessions, Incorporated.

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28 Page 14 of the above-mentioned memorandum reflected  
29 Professor Albert Einstein to be a member of the Advisory Board  
30 of the Japanese-American Committee for Democracy.

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32 NY letter 1-24-46  
33 with enclosed memo  
34 Re: "Communist Party, USA -  
35 Charts; IS - C."  
36 100-326-34-39; p. 8, 14  
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13 Bulletin Number One, Series 1945, dated January 3, 1945, to  
14 the effect that Communist Charts, should be revised as of  
15 February and August each year, the New York Office submitted  
16 a memorandum reflecting the revision of the charts showing  
17 Communist infiltration of foreign language groups maintained  
18 by the New York Field Division. This chart reflected Albert  
19 Einstein as honorary president of the American Committee of  
20 Jewish Writers, Artists, and Scientists, Incorporated,  
21 located at 119 West 57th Street, New York City.  
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23 New York letter dated 1-34-46  
24 with enclosed chart  
25 Re: "Communist Party, USA-  
26 Charts; Internal Security-C"  
27 100-326-34-38 p. 8  
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11 A physical surveillance revealed that on January 25,  
12 1946, Wolfgang Kurt Hermann Panofsky was observed to visit  
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18 According to Source A, Panofsky's father was a member  
19 of the staff of the Institute of Advanced Study at Princeton  
20 University and a close friend of Albert Einstein. This Source  
21 also advised that Panofsky was working at the Radiation Labora-  
22 tory in Berkeley. o/k per Engrg

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27 Source A - Counter-Intelligence Corps .  
28 Manhattan Engineer District  
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30 6-3-46 San Francisco w/ cont  
31 Re: [REDACTED]

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12 By memorandum dated February 5, 1957, the  
13 Washington Field Office enclosed a copy of the Joint Anti-  
14 Fascist Refugee Committee's statement of the purpose of the  
15 delegation, which arrived in Washington, D. C. on January  
16 23, 1957. This statement set out a list of the national  
17 sponsors of the organization which included Albert Einstein.  
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19 Re: "Joint Anti-Fascist Refugees  
20 Committee; Internal Security-C."  
21 100-7061-1244, page 3  
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27 Correlator's note: The above mentioned delegation  
28 was for the purpose of visiting Congressmen regarding the  
29 House Committee on Un-American Activities subpoenaing of the  
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14 By letter dated December 5, 1949, the Denver  
15 Office, advised that on September 30, 1949, [REDACTED]  
16 [REDACTED] gave the books and  
17 records of "The Challenge", newspaper to Bureau Agents.  
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21 Among the correspondence was a letter received  
22 from Helen R. Bryan, Executive Secretary of the "Joint  
23 Anti-Fascist Refugee Committee", together with a 4 page  
24 list of possible contributors which Helen R. Bryan furnished  
25 to "The Challenge". The letter from Bryan was dated  
26 February 27, 1946, was on the stationery of the "Joint  
27 Anti-Fascist Refugee Committee", and was addressed to "Mr.  
28 Ed.Currie, Challenge, 1950 Curtis Street, Denver, Colorado."  
29 This list of names included that of Professor Albert Einstein  
30 Institute for Advance Study, Princeton, New Jersey.

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32 New York memorandum to  
33 Director, January 9, 1950.  
34 Re: "Joint Anti-Fascist  
35 Refugee Committee; Internal  
36 Security-C"  
37 100-7061-1952, pg. 4  
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New York Letter to Director,  
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Re: "Joint Anti-Fascist  
Refugee Committee; Internal  
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13 Volume 1, Page 12 of the March, 1946, issue of the  
14 "Bulletin of the Atomic Scientists" formerly known as "Bulletin  
15 of the Atomic Scientists of Chicago" contained an article  
16 entitled "'One World Or None' To Be Issued Soon".  
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18 According to the article, publication date for "One  
19 World or None" had been set for March 18 by Whittlesey House,  
20 a division of the McGraw Hill Book Company. The book was edited  
21 by Dexter Masters of the McGraw Hill Company, and Katharine Way  
22 of the Metallurgical Laboratory. Chapters of the book included  
23 "The Way Out" by Albert Einstein.  
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26 Chicago Letter  
27 5-28-46  
28 Re: "Cinrad"  
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The "Daily Worker" for March 11, 1946, reported that it was announced on March 10, 1946 that the American Birobidjan Committee and the Icor Association for Jewish Colonization in the Soviet Union had merged into one organization to be known temporarily as the American Birobidjan Committee. This announcement was made at the closing session of a two day conference of the two groups in the Assembly Hall of Hunter College, New York. Professor Albert Einstein was named as honorary president of the new organization. The delegates were told that the merger was effected because both the Committee and the Association were working to aid Jews living in Birobidjan, the Jewish autonomous region of the Soviet Republic.

August 5, 1947

New York report.

Re: "Icor Association for Information  
of the Economic Cultural and Social  
Life of the Jews the World Over,  
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Jewish Colonization in the Soviet Union,  
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12 By letter dated March 19, 1946, [REDACTED]  
13 of Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer Studios, Culver City, California,  
14 transmitted to the Los Angeles Office a number of communica-  
15 tions which were received from [REDACTED] By  
16 letter dated March 26, 1946, to the Bureau, the Los Angeles  
17 Office set out the contents of the above-referred to com-  
18 munications.

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20 Included in these communications was a letter  
21 postmarked Henderson, North Carolina, March 12, 1946, and  
22 addressed "Messrs. Samual Goldwyn and Louis B. Mayer, in  
23 care of MGM Studios, Incorporated, Culver City, California.  
24 (strictly personal)." The contents of this letter which  
25 was dated "March 10, 1946, Henderson, North Carolina" was  
26 set out in this reference. The following is quoted from  
27 the letter: "Albert Einstein is a pauper (\$): he's a friend  
28 of mine, too. This letter was signed 'Your Friend' [REDACTED]  
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31 The following is also quoted from the above-mentioned  
32 letter which was set out after the signature.

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34 "Lana Turner's mother is a Jewess: so what? Her  
35 father was Irish. Well, her mother tried to keep it a secret:  
36 the same old fault of the Jew, 'ashamed of being a Jew!' The  
37 Zionist Movement will never, never get anywhere as long as  
38 Jews are ashamed of being Jews. There is nothing in Albert  
39 Einstein or Charles P. Steinmetz, etc, etc, to be ashamed of  
40 (period)"

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42 Re: [REDACTED], et al b7C  
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48 Correlator's note: Serial 11 of this file reflected  
49 that [REDACTED] writer of above-mentioned letters was  
50 regarded by acquaintances and relatives as mentally deranged.

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13 The Washington Field Office informed by the  
14 Bureau of a memorandum dated February 27, 1946, and  
15 dated March 10, 1946, covering interviews with Dr. [REDACTED]  
16 [REDACTED] National Committee on Atomic Energy, 2201 C Street,  
17 N. W., Washington, D. C. These interviews are continued  
18 on February 21st and March 28th, 1946.

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19 During one of these interviews [REDACTED]  
20 stated that [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] were  
21 two of the scientists who were instrumental in the  
22 development of the atomic bomb. He stated that he had been  
23 told that the scientists were definitely leaning toward the  
24 Communist Party concerning the A-bomb. He further  
25 stated that [REDACTED] first approached him in the  
development of the bomb, probably in 1943 or 1944,  
26 to help him in his favor. He was given an opportunity  
27 to meet other members of the Communist Party  
28 and to discuss certain questions. He said that he did  
29 not sign any contract with the Communists.  
30 He believed that Einstein was actually a Communist, but  
31 that he was a young old man who was very easily influenced by  
32 a younger man to whom he placed a lot of trust.  
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34 Washington Field Office - 1946  
35 2-21-46, [REDACTED] telephone  
36 [REDACTED].  
37 To: "The Office of Security and  
38 Atomic Energy Commission, Washington,  
39 Security-S."  
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22 [REDACTED] to appear as  
23 a featured speaker at a function being sponsored by the  
24 "Joint Anti-Fascist Refugee Committee", at the Waldorf  
25 Astoria Hotel on March 18, 1946. [REDACTED]. Other  
26 individuals listed as sponsors for this meeting were in-  
27 cluded Einstein and four other individuals.  
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30 [REDACTED]  
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34 [REDACTED]  
35 Los Angeles report, March 7, 1946.  
36 Re: "Joint Anti-Fascist  
37 Refugee Committee, aka, Internal  
38 Security-C"  
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[REDACTED] advised that on March 25, 1946, he was invited to attend a dinner at the Mayflower Hotel as a guest of the Washington Representative of Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer. Others present included Robert Considine, who was writing a story for M.G.M. to be made into a movie captioned "The Beginning Cr The End". The dinner was being held so that Considine could obtain the scientists viewpoint on atomic energy. Edward Uhler Condon was present and related the entire background on atomic energy, commencing with the details of the occasion when Alex Sacks, New York economist brought Albert Einstein's letter to the attention of the late President Roosevelt.

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St. Louis Memorandum to the  
Director, March 27, 1947  
Re: [REDACTED]  
Atomic Energy Act Application

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15      The "Daily Worker" of March 27, 1946, carried an  
16      article entitled "Black Book of Nazi Crime Burns in Wards  
17      Tonight". This article stated in part that world famous  
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32      "Compiled as a unite project by the World Jewish  
33      Congress, the Soviet Jewish Anti-Nazi Committee, World  
34      Council of Palestine and the American Committee of Jewish Writers.  
35      Artists and writers, the Black Book is one of the damning  
36      indictments of modern day - a record of the heinous crimes of  
37      Nazism and still millions of Jews who were tortured and  
38      murdered are on the seal of the Gestapo."

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The "Daily Worker" of March 25, 1946, carried an advertisement by the "American Committee of Jewish Writers, Artists and Scientists" of a "Mass Rally" presentation of the "Black Book Jewish Case Against the Nazis" which was to be held in Madison Square Garden on March 27, 1946. According to this advertisement, Albert Einstein was honorary chairman and one of the principal speakers.

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[REDACTED] advised that the American Committee of Jewish Writers, Artists and Scientists was one of four sponsors of a ceremony on the previous night at Madison Square Garden entitled "Presentation of the Black Book - World Jewry's Indictment of the Nazis." Speakers included Mayor O'Dwyer, Rabbi Stephen S. Wise and others. A speech was read for Dr. Albert Einstein in which he stated that the German people could have prevented the Nazi atrocities if they had sincerely wished to.

New York Teletype to the  
Director, 3-2<sup>d</sup>-46  
Re: "American Committee of  
Jewish Writers, Artists and  
Scientists, Internal Security-C"  
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CORRELATOR'S NOTE: By letter dated April 4, 1946,  
the above information was forwarded to Mr. Frederick D. Lyon,  
Chief, Division of Foreign Activity, Correlation, State  
Department, Washington, D. C.

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[REDACTED] advised that the presentation of the "Black Book" was made at the mass meeting in Madison Square Garden on March 27, 1946. (Meeting of the American Committee of Jewish Artists, Writers and Scientists, Inc.) According to informant there were about 10 thousand persons present, and Rabbi Stephen S. Wise acted as chairman for the meeting.

Informant advised that Albert Einstein was to be the main speaker of the evening but sent his message by telephone from Princeton, New Jersey and it was read to the audience by Sam Jaffee. Einstein's message stated that the "Black Book" was intended as an indictment of a nation (Germany) which performed such bestiality against the people, and that the indictment of the Nazi criminals should serve as an example to the rest of the world what happens to a nation that ignores justice and humanity and leads to militarism. Einstein said that the protection of human beings was more important than the sovereignty of the state.

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[REDACTED] that the American Committee of Jewish Writers, Artists and Scientists, Inc., maintained its headquarters at 119 West 57th Street, New York, New York, telephone number Circle 7-3987 and that Albert Einstein was listed as Honorary Chairman of that organization.

New York report, 12-9-46  
Re: "American Committee of  
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[REDACTED] advised that telegrams had been sent to every Congressman urging that they vote against the attempt of the House Committee to cite the Executive Board of the Joint Anti-Fascist Refugee Committee; she advised that the signatures which had been secured thus far for the [REDACTED] telegrams included Albert Einstein and sixteen other individuals whom she named.

New York Letter to Director,  
5-8-46.

Re: "Joint Anti-Fascist  
Refugee Committee; Internal  
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During his Abwhr activities in Portugal from 1940 to 1945, Paul Fidremuc, although working as an independent agent for Abwhr HQ Berlin, maintained close contact with the Chief of KO Portugal Obst. Lt. Von Karsthoff, frequently assisting him in an advisory capacity. Fidremuc was interested in obtaining reliable intelligence from the United States to substantiate or to elaborate on the report of his agents in England and the Near East. Von Karsthoff obliged him by showing him or discussing with him the reports of his agent in the United States, whose name, as Fidremuc found out in the course of his discussions, was Kaul. *(X) m*

While interned in CIE 76 United States Zone of Germany in the Spring of 1946, Fidremuc made the acquaintance of a Dr. Kaul, a fellow internee, whom Fidremuc, from information learned in the course of conversation with him, suspected to be identical with the Abwhr agent Kaul. *(X) m*

During their conversations Dr. Kaul told Fidremuc and others that the Gestapo had furnished him with dollars to live for sometime in Costa Rica. He further stated that he had excellent connections with Professor Einstein and his laboratory. He had in his possession a letter signed by Professor Einstein and addressed to the American authorities responsible for his United States internment, recommending his release. *(X) m*

Source: MID Report dated December 7, 1946  
Letter from the Legal Attaché,  
London, England, dated February  
18, 1947, with enclosure  
Re: [REDACTED]

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12        The "Peoples Voice" of April 6, 1946, carried an  
13 article entitled, "Whites Indicted in Columbia\* to Hide Negro  
14 'Legal Lynch'". This article stated in part that responding  
15 to an appeal by the NAACP to lend their names and influence  
16 to the movement to free the Negro victims, a host of prominent  
17 citizens, many of them internationally famous, had stated  
18 their willingness to serve on a committee.  
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20        This article stated further, that heading the list,  
21 on the newly formed committee, was Albert Einstein, Harold  
22 Ickes, Sidney Hillman, Colonel Roy Evans Carlson, hero of  
23 Carlson's Marines Raiders, David O. Selznick, Hollywood  
24 Executive, Herbert Lehman, ex UNRRA Chief, Helen Hayes, and  
25 Hilda Simms, of the theater.  
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15 This reference consists of an undated memorandum  
16 with an attached note to Clyde Tolson, FBI, Washington,  
17 D. C., which states, "Dear Clyde. This may be of interest".  
18 At the bottom of the note appears the typewritten name John  
19 A. Clements.  
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21 This memorandum is captioned "Anna M. Rosenberg".  
22 This memorandum sets out brief summaries of the Communist  
23 character and significance of four organizations of which the  
24 name of Anna Rosenberg was publicly recorded as having been  
25 affiliated with.

26 Included in the summaries was a summary on the  
27 "National Citizens Political Action Committee". It was stated  
28 that Anna Rosenberg was Vice-Chairman of the National Citizens  
29 Political Action Committee for the organization's dinner affair  
30 of April 12, 1946.

31 This summary stated further that the more notorious  
32 pro-Communists who were also listed on the April 12, program  
33 of the NC-PAC included Albert Einstein and fifteen other in-  
34 dividuals.

35 The above-mentioned note was undated and the name  
36 John A. Clements was not further identified in this reference.

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22 [REDACTED] stated that [REDACTED] made various references  
23 to a World Government, and to Russia, and then showed him  
24 briefly various brochures and documents which he said were  
25 from the Air Transport Command Plans Division. [REDACTED] b7cD  
26 stated that [REDACTED] referred to the papers as being in connec-  
27 tion with "Operation Telescope", "Operation Microscope", and  
28 "Periscope". [REDACTED] stated that [REDACTED] mentioned innumerable  
29 names, as an example, she referred to Dr. Einstein, the scientist,  
30 on several occasions as Albert, and mentioned that he was  
31 interested in this project.

32 The details of the interview with [REDACTED] were b7cP  
33 set out in this reference. b7C

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35 Memorandum to Mr. D.M. Ladd  
36 from J.K. Mumford. 4-15-46  
37 Re: [REDACTED] Espionage-X"

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A luncheon meeting of Local 197 - State, County and Municipal Workers of America-CIO was held April 17, 1946. (Place not stated)  
Abraham Kotelchuck, known Communist, spoke at this meeting on the subject of atomic theory. During Kotelchuck's talk, he discussed, generally, the activities of Albert Einstein, explaining to the group of approximately 35 individuals what the atomic theory was comprised of. Kotelchuck pointed out several benefits which could be derived from the use of atomic energy.

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Re: "Communist Infiltration  
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16 The "Daily Worker" of April 18, 1946, carried  
17 an article entitled "Einstein Urges Jews Aid Soviet Relief."  
18 This article stated that Albert Einstein the previous week  
19 had urged American Jews to continue the shipment of relief  
20 supplies to the Soviet Union.

21 "Soviet Jews, together with all the Soviet people,  
22 now are engaged in the greatest reconstruction effort in the  
23 history of mankind," explained the world renowned Jewish  
24 physicist and mathematician. "They need our continued help,"  
25 Einstein declared in a letter to two thousand American Jewish  
26 organizations urging the participation in the fifth annual  
27 conference of the Jewish Council for Russian Relief. The  
28 article stated further that the conference was to be held on  
29 May 12, 1946, in the Hotel Astor, New York.  
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The "Newark Evening News" for April 29, 1946, contained an article entitled "Einstein, a Sponsor of Friendship Unity." The article stated that Professor Albert Einstein of Princeton University, and Louis Adamic, author, had agreed to become sponsors of the New Jersey regional office of the National Council of American-Soviet Friendship. According to the article, this was announced by Miss Reva Finkel, regional secretary. The article further stated that the National Council would inaugurate the opening of the regional office at 310 Washington Street, with a dinner at the Robert Treat Hotel on May 5. The dinner was to be proceeded by an all-day conference of organizations interested in the promotion of better relations between the United States and the Soviet Union.

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The following article appeared in the "Newark Sunday Call" on April 28, 1946:

"Soviet Journalists to Speak in Russo-American Fete Here."

"The visiting delegation of Russian writers — Illia Ehrenburg, Konstantia Simonov and Major General Kimball Galaktionov will be among the speakers at a dinner sponsored by the National Council for Soviet-American Friendship, May 5, in Robert Treat Hotel. The dinner will mark the opening of the New Jersey regional office at 310 Washington Street, Newark.

"The principal speaker will be Representative Charles R. Savage, Washington Democrat. Reverend W. Ellis Davies, pastor of the First Unitarian church of Orange will also talk. Richard M. Morford, national executive secretary, will be chairman. Reva Finkel is regional secretary, assigned to New Jersey.

"The Russian writers are in this country at the invitation of the American Society of Newspaper Editors.

"Preceding the dinner will be a conference of organizations to set up a concerted program for establishment of better relations between the United States and Russia. The conference will discuss formation of community groups, publicity and educational work.

"Some of these sponsors are Dr. A. W. Wolfson, Dr. Rita S. Finkler, Dr. Max Danzis, Dr. Eugene V. Parsonnet, Father K. Unterwinn, and Morris H. Cohn of Newark, Professor Albert Einstein, Dr. E.A. Love,...." (page 12)

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32 Soviet Friendship, Inc.  
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12 In May, 1946, The Students for Federal World  
13 Government sponsored a mass meeting of 5,000 students  
14 and adults, (city and state not given), at which time Dr.  
15 Albert Einstein, noted mathematician, spoke by radio from  
16 his home and said:

17 "It is no exaggeration to say the solution of the  
18 real problem (world peace) is linked solely to an agreement  
19 on a grand scale between this country and Russia.

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21 "There was no need to accent Fascist Argentina  
22 in the United Nations. There was no need to manufacture  
23 new atomic bombs without letup, nor was it necessary to  
24 delay proposed measures against France Spain."

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26 The Student for Federal World Government was  
27 an organization founded by a group of war veterans studying  
28 at Northwestern University, Evanston, Illinois.

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30 The above information is evaluated in this report  
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19 [REDACTED] suggested that [REDACTED] send a note to Einstein  
20 through Helen Ducas, his secretary.  
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27 New York report, 9-23-46  
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He stated that Dr. Albert Einstein was Honorary President.

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Boston and Chicago conferences of the Ambijan.

7-18-46 New York Report  
Re: "Comintern Apparatus;  
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15      The November 8, 1943, issue of the "Capital Times"  
16      in Madison, Wisconsin, daily newspaper, in an article stated  
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18      was established in Madison, Wisconsin, and its initial activities  
19      were to commemorate the celebration of Russia's 26th Anniversary  
20      as of August 9, 1943. Mr. and Mrs. Karl Paul Link were listed  
21      as two of several sponsors of this organization.  
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23      The May 11, 1946, issue of the "Wisconsin State  
24      Journal", a Madison, Wisconsin, daily newspaper, contained an  
25      article entitled "Who's Un-American" written by Elizabeth  
26      Feldman Link.

27      This article which was set out in detail in this  
28      reference, stated in part that under no plausible interpre-  
29      tation of the English language or American law, could the  
30      National Council of American-Soviet Friendship be regarded  
31      as engaging in "Un-American propaganda activities".  
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33      The article stated further that the national  
34      sponsors of the National Council of American-Soviet Friendship  
35      had included such individuals as Albert Einstein, Leopold  
36      Stokowski and other outstanding Americans.  
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38      Milwaukee rpt. 1-13-50

39      Re: [REDACTED]

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The "New York Times" newspaper on May 11, 1946, contained an article reflecting that Vasili Tsvaniev, acting Consul General, Soviet Consulate in New York City, spoke at a rally of the Jewish Council for Russian Relief held May 12, 1946 at the Hotel Astor. According to the article, Tsvaniev stated that mutual and continuing friendship between the United States and the Soviet Union was the strongest guarantee for lasting peace. He expressed his thanks for past and future aid for the rehabilitation of devastated areas of the Soviet Union and pointed out that medical supplies, tools, and clothing sent through Russian Relief served as personal messages of friendship from Americans to Russians. The newspaper article went on to state that the record of the Soviet Union against discrimination was praised by Rabbi Stephen Wise and messianic in spirit the aims of the Jewish Council were sent to the meeting by Major General J. F. New York, James Roosevelt, Sidney Hillman, and Professor Albert Einstein.

New York letter dated 5-14-66,  
with enclosed report  
Re: Kodac, New York City;  
Internal Security  
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15 [REDACTED] was interviewed on March 21, [REDACTED] b7c  
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17 garding his association with "The American Bureau of Piratidjan  
18 Committee".  
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20 In connection with this organization, [REDACTED] b7c  
21 made available a copy of correspondence between himself and b7d  
22 Albert Einstein dated May 7, 1946, and May 21, 1946, in which  
23 [REDACTED] declined to render assistance in organizing the above  
24 organization in Los Angeles.  
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26 In the letter dated May 7, 1946, to [REDACTED] b7c  
27 from Albert Einstein, 312 Mercer Street, Princeton, New Jersey, D  
28 Einstein stated that he was happy to be the honorary president  
29 of this organization.  
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31 The above-mentioned correspondence is set out in  
32 detail in this reference.  
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35 IA ref. F-1-57  
36 Re: [REDACTED]  
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12 furnished to the Bureau "A Report to the Executive Committee" dated July 7, 1946, which was a report of six months of National Committee on Atomic Information Activity, written by Daniel Melcher, Director.

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16 Under the heading "Finances" this report stated that as of June 30, the NCAI had check book balance totaling \$60,256.94; further that only five weeks earlier the NCAI had been several thousand dollars in the red, but the staff though unpaid for two pay periods, showed extraordinary confidence that things would work out, and kept on the job.

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22 The report stated further that the NCAI had Professor Einstein and his cohorts to thank for the success of the fund raising drive; further that he had early expressed interest in the work and had accepted membership on the Scientific Consultant's Panel; that when Mr. Einstein was approached by Mr. Cran and Melcher in May for further backing he didn't even wait to hear what they wanted. He said:

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36 "Don't explain to me. I know what it is. You need money. You should get it, too. I have read all your material and I don't think there is any other cause more important. What help you want I will gladly give."

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38 Under the heading "Activities to Date" this report stated that leading scientists in the field had lent their names in support by serving on the Scientific Consultant's Panel one of whom was Professor Einstein.

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48 On June 3, 1946, the NCAI issued a newsletter asking for greater support. Included in this letter was a copy of a telegram signed by Einstein on May 23, 1946, to several hundred prominent Americans asking them to give financial support to Scientific groups who were endeavoring to educate the citizens of this country to the significance of Atomic Energy. (Source not clearly indicated).

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50 b2 b7D advised on July 17 and 22, 1946, that the Executive Committee of the NCAI had decided the new Director should be appointed to replace Daniel Melcher and that the real reason for this decision was his alleged Communistic tendencies, particularly regarding publications. The informant stated Melcher made a secret visit to Dr. Albert Einstein accusing members of the NCAI of "red-baiting". He also prevailed on Mrs. Edward Hugh Condon, wife of the Director of the Bureau of Standards to write a letter to Dr. Einstein, following the same theory.

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12 Washington Field Office report  
13 July 30, 1947  
14 Re: "National Committee on Atomic  
15 Information (NCAI)  
16 Internal Security-C"  
17 100-344452-79 p. 56, 57, 142, 169  
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On May 24, 1946, [redacted] reported that 180,000 people attended a demonstration at Madison Square Garden, New York City, for the Jewish Blackbook Committee, (date of demonstration not given).

At this meeting a letter from Albert Einstein was read by Sam Jaffe, an actor. The letter stated that the "Blackbook" was the Jewish indictment against the Nazi cannibals, and that it should serve as a warning to the Jewish masses to be on guard against the repetition of such atrocities.

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4-26-48 New York report

Re: [redacted]

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A telegram was received by [REDACTED] Oakland, California, from Albert Einstein, soliciting a contribution from her for the Emergency Committee of Atomic Scientists, Princeton, New Jersey, (date not indicated).

It was reported that [REDACTED] was not acquainted with Albert Einstein and that [REDACTED] husband was dead, but during his lifetime he had no known contacts with any branch of science or with Einstein, and [REDACTED] was at a loss as to the source from which her name was obtained by Einstein or the association he represented.

The San Francisco Office was also informed by [REDACTED] of the Manhattan Engineer District, Berkeley, California, that a similar telegram from Albert Einstein solicited a contribution from [REDACTED] Berkeley, California, who advised [REDACTED] of the Radiation Laboratory, University of California, concerning the receipt of this request.

The San Francisco Office suggested that the Newark Office institute an investigation of the Emergency Committee of Atomic Scientists to determine whether that organization was Communist infiltrated and dominated, and whether Albert Einstein was actually the guiding force behind the organization or whether his name was being used as a respectable front by those who were actually running the organization.

Information contained in paragraphs one and two above including a copy of the telegram mentioned in paragraph one was furnished to [REDACTED] U.S. Engineers Office, Manhattan District, Washington Liaison Office, Post Office Box 2610, Washington, D.C. by Memorandum dated June 25, 1946.

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San Francisco letter, 5-27-46  
Re: "Emergency Committee of  
Atomic Scientists, Princeton, N.J.  
Internal Security-R"  
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12      The "Washington Post" of May 28, 1946, on page 16  
13 of the first section carried almost a full page ad for the  
14 broadcast "Operation Crossroads". This ad set out a list  
15 of those taking part in the broadcast one of whom was Dr.  
16 Albert Einstein.

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18      Identities of individuals participating in the  
19 program were set out in this reference. The following  
20 information concerning Dr. Einstein was set out:  
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37      Memorandum from D.M. Ladd  
38      to the Director, 5-28-46  
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...one last word: Are you in touch with the Emergency Committee of Atomic Critics? I just saw a copy of the telegram sent by Professor Einstein which prominent people were to contribute to a \$10,000,000 fund.

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Los Angeles 10-27-48  
Re: [REDACTED]

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This reference is a circular on the letterhead of the "Students for Federal World Government", 626½ Library Place, Evanston, Illinois, dated May 17, 1946. According to this circular the above organization was sponsoring a free "Memorial Eve Peace Rally" on May 29th at 8:00 p.m. in the Chicago Stadium at which time five world renowned men were to speak on the theme "Tomorrow's World Today". These speakers included Albert Einstein, one of the world's foremost scientists. The circular stated that due to ill health Dr. Einstein would broadcast his message from home to the Rally on a coast to coast radio hookup.

This circular also contained an appeal for financial aid for the rally and was signed by R. L. Whitehouse.

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10 [redacted] advised that in June, 1946, Dr. Harry Grundfest  
11 and the Citizens Committee of Arts, Sciences, and Professions  
12 were planning to hold a rally for Jean Frederick Joliot, French  
13 Delegate to the UN Atomic Energy Commission, and to obtain  
14 Professor Albert Einstein as a speaker for the occasion.

15 Above informant advised that Grundfest was Executive  
16 Secretary of the Association of Scientific Workers.

17 8-13-46 New York Report

18 Re: [redacted] as.:  
19 Internal Security - FBI

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15 At the State Board of Education, State of Connecticut,  
16 Hartford, Connecticut, [REDACTED], who was in charge b7C  
17 of the accreditation of preparatory schools for the State of  
18 Connecticut, advised that the Rumford School for Boys, Wash-  
19 ington, Connecticut, was originally established in 1930 and  
20 closed in 1942, because of World War II. b7D

21 [REDACTED]  
22 [REDACTED] contained a clipping from a Hartford, Connecticut, news-  
23 paper which was dated June 2, 1946.

24 This article stated in part that Rumford would again  
25 open in September, further that the Rumford School for Boys  
26 planned reopening next fall including "visiting faculty"  
27 of businessmen, statesmen, scientists, politicians, and a  
28 sports writer was announced on the previous day. The article  
29 stated further that among members of the visiting faculty  
30 were listed William B. Ziff, \*Albert Einstein, Edward Stetti-  
31 nius, Jr., former Secretary of State and United Nations dele-  
32 gate and others.  
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34 \*The records of the State Board New Haven rpt. 2-2R-19  
35 of Education reflected that Re: [REDACTED]  
36 the officers of the Rumford Plan, Inc. included William  
37 B. Ziff, Chicago, Ill., aka: Ziff-Davis Publishing  
38 President of Ziff Davis Co., Sk - C." b7C  
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This reference is a secret DDCI report dated January 12, 1948. This report states that an investigation was conducted by the Local Counter-Intelligence Corps in the case of one [REDACTED] then employed by the German radio station RIAS in the American sector, Berlin. b7C per Navy

This report stated that a report of investigation dated December 10, 1947, showed that [REDACTED] [REDACTED] to have been a resident of the City of [REDACTED] [REDACTED] she was employed on June 6, 1946 for her position [REDACTED] held as of January 12, 1948; further that [REDACTED] is position in [REDACTED] Professor Director of Princeton, New Jersey, USA.

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15      The New York Office received a copy of a letter  
16      on the stationery of the Spanish Refugee Appeal of the  
17      Joint Anti-Fascist Refugee Committee, 192 Lexington Avenue,  
18      New York, New York. (date of letter and source not indicated)  
19      The stationery listed the officers and sponsors of this  
20      organization. Included in the list of national sponsors  
21      was the name Albert Einstein.

22                    New York Report  
23                    June 18, 1946  
24                    Re: "Joint Anti-Fascist  
25                    Refugee Committee aka,  
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27                    100-7061-1255 pg 4  
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16 stated that the Chicago Jewish Council of the American Society  
17 for Russian Relief, Inc. was organizing a city-wide signature campaign  
18 for the Jewish Council Friendship Book to be conducted between June  
19 10 and June 30, 1946. The article stated that the Friendship Book  
20 of greetings and signatures would be taken to Russia by Louis Levine,  
21 National Chairman of the Jewish Council, as a permanent record  
22 of the Friendship of the American Jews for the people of Russia.  
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24 An article in the June 24, 1946, issue of "The Sentinel"  
25 stated that Albert Einstein was Honorary Chairman of the Friend-  
26 ship Book Signature Campaign.  
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28 7-20-4, Chicago report,  
29 Re: "American Society for Russian  
30 Relief, Inc.; Internal Security-C"  
31 100-37226-425, p. 6  
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As of July 11, 1946, the name of Albert Einstein appeared among the sponsors on the letterhead of the New Jersey Council of American-Soviet Friendship.

The name of Professor Albert Einstein also appeared among the sponsors of the National Council of American-Soviet Friendship, Incorporated located at 114 East 32nd Street, New York 16, New York, according to the letterhead of that organization.

Attachment to Memorandum from  
MID, Governors Island, New York to  
The Director of Intelligence,  
War Department, General Staff,  
Washington 25, D. C.

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12 By memorandum dated July 1, 1947 the Denver Office  
13 forwarded to the Bureau newspaper articles written by Dr.  
14 Walter Orr Roberts which appeared in the "Denver Post".  
15 Included in this material was an article captioned "Armies  
16 and Oceans Offer Little Security in Atomic Age--Roberts".  
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18 This article stated in part that Dr. Albert  
19 Einstein, one of the great scientists of our age tells us  
20 in effect that a state of emergency exists; further that in  
21 a recent message he said "a new type of thinking is essential  
22 if mankind is to survive and move to higher levels". The  
23 article stated further that Dr. Einstein had agreed to head  
24 up the "Emergency Committee of Atomic Scientists" to raise  
25 a fund of \$200,000 to sponsor a great national campaign for  
26 public education on the violent issues of atomic energy.  
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28 This article stated further that Dr. Einstein explained  
29 why he and the other scientists had acted to raise a large fund to  
30 meet the "present crisis;" further that he said "as scientists  
31 who work in the interests of our country at a time of national  
32 peril, and who presided at the birth of the atomic age, we have  
33 this overwhelming responsibility to mankind. As citizens, we  
34 saw that the people were wholly unaware of the supreme impli-  
35 cations of this new hour, mainly because of the necessities of  
36 military security. We are not men of action, the consideration  
37 of these factors forced us out of inaction."

38 Under the sub-heading "Speak Bravely, Says Einstein"  
39 this article stated further that Dr. Einstein had specifically  
40 appealed for financial aid; further that money could be sent  
41 directly to Dr. Albert Einstein, Emergency Committee of Atomic  
42 Scientists, Princeton, New Jersey. Further that gifts ranging  
43 from \$1 to \$10,000 had been sent in to Dr. Einstein; together  
44 with Dr. Einstein on the Emergency Committee for Leading  
45 Scientists of the Atomic Energy Field was Dr. Hans Bethe, Dr.  
46 Edward Condon, Dr. Leo Szilard and Dr. Harold Urey.  
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48 This article stated further that Dr. Einstein wrote  
49 "Science has brought forth this danger but the real problem is  
50 in the minds and hearts of men. We will not change the hearts  
51 of other men by mechanisms, but by changing our hearts and  
52 speaking bravely. When we are clear in our heart and mind-only  
53 then shall we find courage to surmount the fear which haunts the  
54 world."  
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56 Re: [REDACTED]  
57 b7c  
58 [REDACTED] Atomic  
59 Energy Act  
60 551 [REDACTED] "Denver Post" 7-14-46  
61 (25)  
62 AMH:vm

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The files of the Washington Field Office contained  
the following information regarding Dr. Albert Einstein,  
Princeton University. In 1940, he was listed as a member of  
the National Federation of Constitutional Liberties. In 1942,  
he was on the National Advisory Council of the Lawyer's Inter-  
national League for Peace and Freedom, and in 1943, he was a  
sponsor of the National Council of American-Soviet Friendship,  
Incorporated. In 1944, his name appeared as a member of the  
Advisory Board of the Japanese-American Committee for Democracy,  
and in the same year he was listed as a member of the United  
American Spanish Aid Committee. The name of Albert Einstein  
with the address 112 Morecs Street, Princeton, New Jersey, was  
found in the personal address book of [REDACTED] b7C  
subject in the case entitled [REDACTED].

Informant provided the Bureau with a prepared state-  
ment written by Michael Aptine concerning the Federation of  
American Scientists and the MAI with particular reference to  
Daniel Melcher's Communist sympathies. The following is taken  
from this statement:

"The most serious disagreement with Mr. Melcher and  
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15 occasion of the interview with Albert Einstein. On the night  
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17 learned that Mr. Melcher planned to accompany me to Princeton,  
18 and to stay through the interview with Einstein. I had learned  
19 also that he was to help me write my article. I was originally  
20 opposed to this, first on the grounds of technique as this is not the  
21 way in which the best interviews are written. On the trip  
22 he went with me but he did not seem to stay throughout the  
23 interview although he attempted to do so; neither did he  
24 assist me in writing the interview because I insistedly told  
25 him to leave. On the 13th late at night, about 1 A. M.,  
26 when I returned to the hotel with the first draft of the inter-  
27 view he remained and made several notes and attempted to argue  
28 with me about what should be in it. His points were without  
29 exception along Communistic lines, and they were mainly: (1)  
30 that we should get Einstein to be more sympathetic about driving  
31 up the security, and (2) we ought to take out the references  
32 to world government. (It should be noted that Communists  
33 are carrying on a bitter campaign against world government  
34 proponents.)

35 "Melcher's tactics are quite unsavory which further  
36 bolsters my suspicion of his sympathies. At Princeton he  
37 took a left to address to Dr. Einstein before Einstein had  
38 ever seen it because it contained proofs of a forthcoming  
39 magazine article critical of United States policy. The article  
40 by Cord Meyer, Jr., Mr. Melcher planned to reprint. (The files  
41 of the Washington Field Office failed to reflect any information  
42 concerning Cord Meyer, Jr.)

43 Informant advised as a result of a letter supposedly  
44 signed by members of the Board of the Federation of American  
45 Scientists regarding the work of Paul Melcher, a letter  
46 dated July 1, 1947, was sent by Ralph McCombs, Chairman of  
47 the National Committee on Atomic Information, to the Adminis-  
48 trative Committee of the Federation of American Scientists.  
49 This letter was set out in this reference. The following is  
50 quoted from this letter:

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15 "Many imprudent actions are amply detailed herein  
16 without consultation with any officers or members of the Com-  
17 mittee, Mr. Melcher had created difficult situations. For such  
18 incident is a visit on July 10, by Mr. Melcher to Dr. Einstein  
19 without consultation with any responsible officer of the Com-  
20 mittee or of the Federation at which time Mr. Melcher was  
21 reported to have upset Dr. Einstein with complaints of re-  
22 scription of the PWAJ. This visit might have had serious  
23 consequences if it had not been for the good fortune that  
24 Doctors Urey, Szilard and Hirschellum and I were at Princeton  
25 and saw Dr. Einstein the next day. I felt at that time, and  
26 Dr. Urey reluctantly agreed that the surreptitious action of  
27 Mr. Melcher was quite reason for our asking for his resignation."

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29 In files of the Washington Field Office is filed  
30 that [redacted] b7C

31 [redacted] the name of the  
32 office of Dr. Einstein of Princeton, New Jersey, and filed his in-  
33 tention to become a United States citizen February 1, 1937.  
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36 The following is also quoted from the above-mentioned  
37 to letter:

38 "...There is a further question as to whether or not  
39 Mr. Melcher may have given the Philadelphia scientist some  
40 commitment in his own account without authorization of the  
41 Executive Comittee since one of the Philadelphia scientists  
42 wrote a letter to Professor Einstein protesting that the PWAJ  
43 had gone back on its promise to contribute \$10,000 toward the  
44 film. No such promise was ever made unless it was made by  
45 Mr. Melcher wholly without authorization."

46 In an extremely confidential source, two mem-  
47 moanda dated July 6 and July 9, 1946, written by Janice Melcher  
48 to Dr. Ralph McMurphy, Chairman of the National Committee on  
49 Atomic Information, were obtained and set out in this reference.  
50 In the memorandum dated July 9, 1946, Melcher stated that he  
51 didn't know whether the Committee fully realized the results of  
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15 its order to suspend all activity for the following four weeks,  
16 but he set out a list of a few. Included in the list of results  
17 set out were the following:

18 "....Urey, Bethe, Szilard and Einstein may well be stim-  
19 tate to go forward with it as long as the status of their com-  
20 mittee remains in doubt. The next executive meeting of the  
21 NCAC will come too late.  
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23 "((C) We invite the risk of having Einstein with them  
24 from all cooperation with a committee that doesn't seem to know  
25 its own mind."

26 b2 b7D [REDACTED]

27 b7D [REDACTED]

28 b7D [REDACTED]

29 b2 b7D [REDACTED] The announcements in the Washington daily news-  
30 papers and [REDACTED] It was learned that the National  
31 Committee against Pollution and the several scientific  
32 organizations related to suspend an institute of the Uni-  
33 versity of Atomic Energy on July 15 and 16, 1946, in the De-  
34 partment of Interior Auditorium in Washington, D. C. Both of

these meetings were attended by a Bureau Agent. The sessions of the Institute were held on Monday, July 15, 1946, and the program for these meetings reflected a comment on the first page of the program by Albert Einstein:

"Our world faces a crisis as yet unperceived by those possessing the power to make great decisions for good or evil. The unleashed power of the atom has already everything save our modes of thinking and **we that** is in it for all unparalleled catastrophe. We scientists who released it in immense power have overwhelming responsibility in this world life and death struggle to harness the atom for the benefit of mankind and not for humanities destruction...I would...to let the people know that a new type of thinking is essential...mankind is to survive and rise toward higher levels."

The names of the individuals on the Scientific Panel of the program included Albert Einstein.

On July 16, 1946, Dr. Ralph McLeoda, Chairman, National Committee on Atomic Information, acted as chairman for the Institute's session. Dr. McLeoda stated, "Concerning revenue, the Committee receives voluntary contributions from certain of the sponsoring organizations. It receives a small portion of its income from the sale of its publication and it receives the majority of its revenue by way of voluntary contributions from interested individuals. Dr. Albert Einstein, the well known physicist, headed an emergency committee on atomic scientists which made an appeal to the public for revenue to sponsor the work of the National Committee. To date over \$70,000 have been produced through the efforts of this emergency committee."

WFO rpt. 11-17-46  
Re: "Emergency Committee on  
Atomic Information, et al.,  
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11        The Soviet press on July 20, 1946, carried a dis-  
12 patch reporting that a group of eminent scientists specializing  
13 in atomic energy, including Einstein and Urey, had appealed  
14 to the House to pass a bill removing atomic energy from military  
15 control so that "science and future may prosper in atmosphere  
16 of freedom".  
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19        Copy of State Department telegram  
20        7-20-46 at Moscow to the Sec. of  
21        State from Smith.  
22        100-190625-2402  
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A decoded copy of a radiogram from Buenos Aires dated July 23, 1946 advised that Dr. Enrique Gaviola, engineer, scientist and director of Cordova Astronomical Observatory had attacked the United States policy on Atom research, claiming the right of scientists who developed the Atom Bomb was infringed in that free international exchange of information was not being permitted. Gaviola reputedly worked with Einstein and suggested use of oil to diminish heat in operation of Cyclotrons, and was credited with vast knowledge of Atomic Energy.

Re: "Activity in Atomic Energy Field  
Foreign Economic Matter"  
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On [redacted] furnished a letterhead of the National Council of American-Soviet Friendship on which appeared a list of the members of the Board of Directors and sponsors of the NCASF. The name of Professor Albert Einstein appeared on the list of sponsors on this letterhead.

New York report dated 3-5-47  
Re: "National Council of  
American-Soviet Friendship;  
Internal Security - C  
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As of August, 1946, one of the most recent publications of the Americans United for World Government, Incorporated was a pamphlet entitled "Toward the Rule of Law -- The World Court -- United States Acceptance of Compulsory Jurisdiction" which was edited by Robert G. Wilson, an attorney who, according to a woman employee of the Washington Chapter of the Americans United for World Government, devoted considerable work to the preparation of the pamphlet. This pamphlet listed the individuals who endorsed the statement which urged acceptance of compulsory jurisdiction of the world court. This list contained the name of Albert Einstein, scientist.

Source of pamphlet  
not given  
Washington Field Office  
report dated 8-21-46  
Re: "Americans United  
for World Government  
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attempts [REDACTED] were made by the American-Jav O People to obtain or obtain for the impending convention being held in New York City. Requests [REDACTED] in the congre were to be sent to various pro leant and the [REDACTED] was alert fire in.

Info. from SAC NY to you 6-7-76  
re; "American-Jav O People"  
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In June, 1946 the Newark Field Division initiated an investigation to determine whether or not the Emergency Committee of Atomic Scientists was communistically infiltrated and dominated and whether or not Albert Einstein was the actual force behind the organization or whether his name was being used as a respectable front for other persons.

It was noted that the Emergency Committee of Atomic Scientists was incorporated on August 12, 1946, at Trenton, New Jersey.

Concerning the incorporation the following information was obtained from the "Newark Evening News" of August 12, 1946:

"Atomic experts Organize Group including Einstein, Dedicate Self to Research and to Public".

A group of aged scientists who have been working on atomic energy today formed the Emergency Committee of Atomic Scientists, Inc., by filing incorporation papers with the Secretary of State here. Among them is Albert Einstein of Princeton.

"The Committee is a non-profit group dedicated to research and furthering the use of atomic power for the best interest of the public in the United States. In the charter its officers and trustees are barred from receiving any salary or other pay, although the Committee is empowered to engage consulting and other services which it "deems requisite".

Principal office of this Committee is at 115 Mercer Street, Princeton, which also is given as Einstein's address.

#### OTHER POINTS

According to Einstein the trustees are R. F. Bacher and Hans A. Bethe of Cornell University; Edward T. Condon of the U. S. Bureau of Standards in Washington; F. R. Hildebrand, etc.

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13      The agent of the corporation was the Corporation Trust  
14      Company of 15 Exchange Place, Jersey City.  
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16      Concerning this corporation, a Bureau Agent interviewed [REDACTED] b7D  
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20      [REDACTED] advised that the Corporation Trust Company b7D  
21      was composed of a group of attorneys who acted as the advisors for  
22      groups wishing to become incorporated and that he was sure that the  
23      group of attorneys using the name of Corporation Trust Company was  
24      above reproach.  
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26      [REDACTED] b7D  
27      [REDACTED] stated that the Corporation Trust Company merely  
28      acted as the agents for Albert Einstein when the Emergency Committee  
29      of Atomic Scientists was a non-profit organization. The charter was  
30      signed on August 12, 1946 in Trenton, New Jersey and the papers were  
31      filed by the law firm which was acting as counsel for the Emergency  
32      Committee of Atomic Scientists. This law firm was the firm of Charter  
33      Ledyard and Milburn, 2 Wall Street, New York City.  
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35      Other information concerning Einstein in this reference is  
36      SI 100-345104-1.  
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38      Newark report dated 10-2-46  
39      Re: "Emergency Committee of  
40      Atomic Scientists (Princeton,  
41      New Jersey);  
42      Internal Security - R"  
43      100-345104-4  
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48      (24) (Washington Evening Star 8-13-46)

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11 In the fall of 1946, [REDACTED] of the  
12 Massachusetts Institute of Technology described [REDACTED]  
13 as a brilliant and extremely capable scientist and teacher,  
14 saying that at one time he worked for Einstein in Russia.  
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16 A search of the files in the Library of the Boston  
17 Herald Traveler, 20 Mason Street, Boston, revealed a clipping  
18 concerning [REDACTED]. In this article  
19 it was stated that [REDACTED] was collaborating with Professor  
20 Einstein on scientific and research matters.  
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22 [REDACTED]  
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36 11-12-46 Boston Report

37 Re: [REDACTED]

38 Security Matter - CII

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18 "The past seven months were nothing if not interesting  
19 ones. The NCAI; (National Committee of Atomic Information starting  
20 with no money and no pledges, grew to a \$10,000.00 a month operation.  
21 with funds (thanks to Einstein) for \$20,000.00 a month in hand."

22 Washington Field Office report,  
23 dated 10-17-46  
24 Re: "Nathan Gregory Silvermaster,  
25 was.; et al:  
26 Espionage - R"  
27 65-56402-1638X, p. 70  
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[REDACTED] available a copy of the "Akhilim Bialy" in  
September 1946, published by the American Birobidjan Committee, 141 Park  
Avenue, New York 17, New York. The bulletin contained a reprint of a  
telegram sent by the American Bureau of Birobidjan Committee to Solomon  
Mikhoes and Itzik Roffen, the Jewish Anti-Fascist Committee, Mr. Potkin  
per L. Moscow, re: concerning the death of resident Kolinin. This  
telegram was signed by Professor Albert Einstein, honorary president,  
and the vice president of the afore-mentioned organization.

February 4, 1947  
New York report  
Re: "American Bureau of Birobidjan  
Committee, "X";  
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12 In September, 1946, the "American Crusade To End  
13 Lynching" announced a series of nation-wide activities in  
14 support of the pilgrimage to Washington, D. C. on September  
15 23, 1946. When in Washington, the delegation planned to call  
16 on the White House and national figures to demand action by  
17 the administration. A parade was scheduled to be led by  
18 colored and white veterans who were to march to the Lincoln  
19 Memorial where a national religious ceremony would be held  
20 and persons who escaped lynch mobs were to be presented to  
21 the audience. Dr. Albert Einstein was scheduled to appear at  
22 this demonstration.

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24 The above information is evaluated in this  
25 report as having been received from a completely reliable  
26 source whose information was confirmed by other sources.

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Weekly Intelligence Summary  
for the period from September 6  
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Letter to the Bureau from  
Headquarters Military District  
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dated September 13, 1946.

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SI 100-346255-11

(39) (Unidentified source)

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SI 100-346255-18 p. 2

(11) (Daily Worker 9-8-46)

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15        Albert Einstein was one of the National Sponsors of the  
16        Committee for Foreign Correspondence (CFFC) according to an announce-  
17        ment of the Northern California Association of Scientists (NCAS).  
18        (Date of information not given.)

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20        At a press conference held by the CFFC in Berkeley, California,  
21        on June 17, 1946, it was decided that the purpose of this organization  
22        was to promote and exchange technical information between scientists  
23        in this country and scientists in foreign countries; to solicit their  
24        opinions as to methods of control of atomic energy, methods of estab-  
25        lishing a durable peace and a return to the pre-war, free exchange of  
26        information in the field of pure science.

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28              9-30-46 San Francisco Report  
29              Re: "The Committee For Foreign  
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12 It was reported in the Army "Weekly Intelligence  
13 Summary, # 81", covering the period from August 30 to Sept-  
14 ember 6, 1946, that Professor Albert Einstein was among a  
15 group of persons who had issued a call for an "American  
16 Crusade to End Lynching" to gather in the Nation's Capital  
17 on September 22 and 23 (1946).  
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19 It was also stated that "in view of some of the  
20 endorsers, this crusade had all the earmarks of another  
21 Communist attempt to instill racial friction."

22 The above information is evaluated in this report  
23 as having been received from a usually reliable source whose  
24 information was probably true.  
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27 Enclosure-Letter to the  
28 Bureau from Headquarters,  
29 Military District of Wash-  
30 ington, Washington, D. C.  
31 dated September 6, 1946.  
32 100-7660-4018 p. 2  
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34 SI 100-7660-3992  
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The "Daily Worker" of September 1<sup>st</sup>, 1945, carried an article entitled, "Anti-Lynch Crusade Gets Okay for Lincoln Memorial".

This article stated that the American Crusade to End Lynching announced on that day, that Secretary of Interior, J. A. Krug, had granted the group permission to hold a mass meeting September 23, at the Lincoln Memorial.

This article stated further, that Paul Robeson, Negro baritone, headed the list of sponsors which included, Dr. Albert Einstein, and nine other individuals.

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14      On September 14, 1946, issue of the "National American" reported that a one-hour C-Day "Crusade against Lynching" would be in Washington, D. C., this Saturday by  
15      on September 23. The announcement of this crusade was made by  
16      Paul Robeson. The article stated that in the afternoon of  
17      September 14, delegations would be sent from the various  
18      government officials in an attempt to obtain definite promises  
19      to stop lynching.  
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22      A pamphlet entitled, "American Crusade To End Lynching,"  
23      was published by the organization of the crusade, the head  
24      quarters at 1625 M Street N. W., Washington, D. C., and 11 West  
25      26th Street, New York. The pamphlet states:  
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27      "Nothing can be permitted to stand in the way of  
28      in a nation which has been accused of justly and equitably  
29      This right must rid itself of the curse of lynching.  
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31      We, the undersigned, as fully conscious of the  
32      lawless violence, call on the American people to join in  
33      Washington, D. C., the National Crusade To End Lynching.  
34      From all over the land, we will meet our friends, our  
35      responsible public leaders and other prominent men and  
36      active to end lynching. Among the signers of this pamphlet are  
37      Professor W. E. B. DuBois.  
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17      further that in 1940 he was the guest scholar at  
18      Columbia University, New York, conducting experiments in  
19      uranium; further that he was an associate of Dr. Albert Einstein  
20      of Princeton, New Jersey.  
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23      Philadelphia Letter 10-16-46  
24      Re: "National Committee on  
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15 of Detroit, Michigan, furnished a circular captioned "American  
16 Crusade to end lynching." It was a call to the American people  
17 to join the pilgrimage to Washington, D. C., on September 23,  
18 1948, for immediate action to end lynchings. It bore the  
19 signatures of individuals who it stated were "morally indignant  
20 over this lawless violence (lynchings)." The name of Albert  
21 Einstein appeared on this list of signers.  
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28 Re: "C.P. District Office,  
29 902 Lawyers Building,  
30 Detroit, Michigan, September  
31 20, 1946."  
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11 This reference is a letter dated September 1, 1963, on the letterhead  
12 of the Committee to Fight Racism Injustices and Discrimination, Inc., New York,  
13 and was received from [REDACTED] **62167D**

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15 This letter stated in part that October 1, 1963, would mark the 100th  
16 anniversary of the signing of the Emancipation Proclamation in Washington,  
17 D. C. It would be the goal of a National Crusade there to call for launching  
18 a 100-day campaign would be initiated.

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20 This letter stated further that the National Crusade was being called  
21 by such outstanding personalities as Albert Einstein, Sam Leiberman and others,  
22 which in itself signified the importance of eliminating Jim Crow in  
23 our Nation...

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12        The three point program set up for the American Crusade  
13 to End Lynching included: (1) to demand the apprehension and  
14 punishment of all lynchers; (2) to demand passage of a Federal  
15 anti-lynching law; and (3) to request the removal of Senator  
16 Theodore Bilbo. Dr. Albert Einstein had been selected to act  
17 as co-chairman with Paul Robeson of the Crusade, which was to  
18 hold a rally in Washington, D. C. on September 23, 1946. (Source  
19 and date not given)

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22        Bureau letter to the Assistant  
23 Chief of Staff, G-2, War Department,  
24 Washington, D. C., dated September  
25 16, 1946  
26 Re: "American Crusade to End  
27 Lynching"  
28 100-346255-7  
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31        Above information concerning the Crusade was furnished  
32 Major General Harry Vaughan, Military Aide to the President,  
33 White House, Washington, D. C., by Bureau letter dated September  
34 16, 1946.

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38        Above information was also furnished the Attorney  
39 General by Bureau memorandum dated September 16, 1946.

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Members of the Emergency Committee of Atomic Scientists were, A. Einstein, H.A. Bethe, T.R. Hogness, L. Sillard, H.C. Urey, and V. Weisskopf. Its office was located at 625 Madison Avenue, New York City. (Source not stated)

b2 b7D According to [redacted] memoranda sent to member associations from the Executive Committee of the Federation of American Scientists, Washington, D.C., concerning the activities of the Federation of American Scientists included the following statements:

"As usual we are out of money. The delegates who came recently to assist us will have to be repaid by their own groups until our situation is considerably improved. Sometime ago the NCAI initiated a fund-raising campaign through the Harold Oram Agency with the assistance of Einstein and other prominent scientists. They got off to a good start and clearly indicated that funds for the Federation could be raised from the same sources. The Administrative Committee voted to make a similar contract with Oram."

A press release sent out June 17, 1946 by the Federation of American Scientists stated that the formation of a Committee for Foreign Correspondence through which American Scientists were urged to write to other scientists throughout the world, was announced that day at the headquarters of the Federation of American Scientists. Basic purpose of the work of the Committee for Foreign Correspondence was to re-establish contacts between Americans and their acquaintances among foreign scientists.

This press release stated that among the internationally known scientists who were sponsors of the Committee, were Dr. J. R. Oppenheimer, former head of the Los Alamos Laboratory; Albert Einstein, of the Institute for Advance Study at Princeton, New Jersey; Dr. Harlow Shapley, head of the Harvard Observatory, and others.

Washington Field Office report  
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12 Executive Committee, Princeton University, with Executive Office  
13 located at 20 Nassau Street, Princeton, New Jersey, advised  
14 that the conference held September 23 through 25 inclusive,  
15 1946, was the conference on the Future of Nuclear Physics.  
16 [REDACTED] advised that over 100 of the world's renowned  
17 physicists received and accepted invitations to attend this  
18 conference at Princeton University.

19 b7D [REDACTED] also advised that Dr. Albert Einstein  
20 had been invited to the conference but did not attend inasmuch  
21 as he was out of town during the time of the conference.

22 Newark report, 3-5-47  
23 Re: "Federation of Atomic  
24 Scientists; Internal Security-R"  
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11 In October 1946, the Bureau received a booklet, entitled  
12 "Essential Information on Atomic Energy," which was compiled and pub-  
13 lished by the Senate Special Committee on Atomic Energy, U. S. Congress.  
14 Washington, D. C. In the bibliography of this booklet, the following  
15 writings of Albert Einstein were listed:  
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17 "Einstein, Albert and Leopold Infeld. The evolution of  
18 physics, the growth of ideas from early concepts to relativity  
19 and quanta. New York, Simon and Shuster, 1938 319 p.  
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21 "Infeld, Leopold. The world in modern science; matter and  
22 quanta; with an introduction by Albert Einstein. London, V.  
23 Gollancz, Ltd., 1934. 287 p.  
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25 "Einstein, Albert. The meaning of relativity. Princeton,  
26 N. J. Princeton Univ. Press, 1945, 135 p.  
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28 "Einstein, Albert. Einstein on the atomic bomb, as told  
29 to Raymond swing. Atlantic Monthly (Boston) November 1945, v.  
30 176:45-45  
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32 Mr. Einstein suggests that secret of the atom  
33 bomb be vested in a world government and that the United  
34 States, Great Britain and Russia proceed to form a  
35 government.  
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37 "Year one: atomic age. Survey graphic (New York) January  
38 1946, v. 37: 19-30. A symposium by Albert Einstein, Henry De-  
39 Wolf Smyth, J. M. L. Lawrence, Carl A. Zenz, T. J. Tibbets,  
40 Jr., Brien McMahon, Florence Jaffray Harriman and Raymond swing."  
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42 The above booklet carried as  
43 an enclosure to Letter to  
44 John K. Mumford, FBI,  
45 Washington, D. C. from  
46 Paul Stickler, dated  
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48 100-192645-2547 p. 62, 63, 71, 72, 73  
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The Emergency Committee of Atomic Scientists, Incorporated, was incorporated in Washington, D.C., on December 27, 1946, by the Association of Scientists for Atomic Education. It served the purpose of collecting funds by solicitation for the ASAE. It was also known as the Einstein Committee.

New York report. 9-16-48

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Report of Special Agent [REDACTED], dated  
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of Atomic Scientists (Princeton, New Jersey), Internal  
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New Jersey) was principal trustee and sponsor of that  
organization. This report also reflected that this organiza-  
tion was incorporated August 12, 1946, at Trenton, New Jersey,  
and the purpose of the Emergency Committee of Atomic  
Scientists was to advance the use of Atomic Energy in ways  
beneficial to mankind, to diffuse knowledge and information  
about Atomic Energy and to promote the general understanding  
of its consequences to society and to the people of the  
United States, in order that an informed citizenry might  
intelligently determine its policy and shape its action  
to serve its own and mankinds best interest.

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[REDACTED] stated in his application for Atomic Energy  
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Newark report, July 1, 1949.

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The "People's Voice" issue of October 5, 1946, page 17, contained an article by Arthur D. Kahn, captioned "Jewish Vet Speaks to Negroes." The article indicated that although Albert Einstein and Paul Robeson were co-chairmen of the American Crusade to End Lynching very few Jewish people appeared in Washington to assist at the mass meeting. He said that the Jews should have played a much larger part in the Crusade.

5-13-47 New York Report  
Re: "American Crusade to End  
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12 On October 15, 1946 Frederick Waltman published an  
13 article in the "New York World Telegram" regarding the National  
14 Council of American-Soviet Friendship which stated that in a  
15 statement "last Wednesday" the C.A.S.F. went to bat for the Ukrainian  
16 delegates to the American Slav Congress who had been re-  
17 quested by the Department of Justice to register as foreign  
18 agents.  
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20 The article stated that Rev. William Howard Heilish,  
21 Chairman of the Council declared that "by no stretch of the  
22 imagination can these Ukrainians warrant such classification"  
23 and that the next day the USSR ordered them back home. He refused  
24 registering.  
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26 Mr. Waltman further set out a list of the sponsors  
27 for the C.A.S.F. This list included the name of Albert Einstein.  
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29 New York letter 10-24-46 with  
30 enclosed newspaper clippings  
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32 American-Soviet Friendship, Inc.;  
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In the October 17, 1946 issue of the "Intelligence Review", published by the Intelligence Division, War Department, Washington, D. C., appeared an article entitled "Brazilian Government Recruits German Scientists." According to the article, the Brazilian Government had set up an office in Berlin, Germany to recruit German scientists for work in Brazil. The first scientist to be recruited under this program was Dr. Hans W. Zocher, a physical chemist, formerly a professor at the University of Prague, Czechoslovakia. Dr. Zocher had been recommended by prominent American scientists as one who "had remained loyal to Democratic principles" and also as being technically competent. Dr. Albert Einstein was among those who had recommended Dr. Zocher.

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[REDACTED] Newport Beach, California, advised on September 1<sup>st</sup>, 1946, that [REDACTED] claimed to be a scientist and a movie writer. He also claimed to be very friendly with Albert Einstein and stated that he expected Einstein to visit him on his boat at Newport Beach, California.

On October 31, 1946, [REDACTED] was interviewed by an agent of the San Diego Field Office. At that time [REDACTED] advised that he was working on experiments in connection with the third dimensional camera. He added that he had contact with Einstein's son-in-law whose name he could not think of, and that his son-in-law would come to help him continue the experiments. (It was noted that [REDACTED] who came to the United States from Russia, was reported to be a chronic and psychopathic liar.)

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Albert Einstein was listed as a sponsor of The Committee for Foreign Correspondence, Berkeley, California, which is affiliated with the Federation of American Scientists. As its name implies, its purpose was to exchange correspondence with scientists of foreign countries to solicit opinions as to methods of control of atomic energy. (Source and date not given.)

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12 The Pittsburgh chapter of the Americans United for  
13 World Government held a meeting on [REDACTED]  
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15 At the above meeting it was proposed to put on a  
16 large meeting in January at Carnegie Hall, Oakland. They  
17 proposed to get any of the following speakers:  
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19 Walter Houston - actor  
20 Albert Einstein - physics - Princeton, New Jersey  
21 Mrs. Raymond Clapper - writer - Washington, D.C.  
22 Stringfellow Barr - World Federalists - was with  
23 Federal Union, Incorporated.  
24 Emery Reves - author, The Atom of Peace  
25 Raymond Swing - radio commentator  
26 Pierre Van Passin - writer and now minister  
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28 It was recommended to get a speaker of national  
29 reputation as they desired the hall to be filled.  
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31 Unidentified typewritten  
32 memorandum dated November  
33 6, 1946, at Pittsburgh, Pa.  
34 Re: "Americans United for World  
35 Government Meeting".  
36 100-343001-26  
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38 By Bureau memorandum dated November 22, 1946, a  
39 photocstatic copy of the above memorandum was furnished the  
40 Pittsburgh office.  
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44 The reference indicated below contains page 1 of  
45 the above-mentioned unidentified memorandum.  
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15 An article which appeared in the "New York Times"  
16 newspaper on November 18, 1946, read as follows:  
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18 "Princeton, N. J., November 17, 1946.  
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20 "Article with photograph of group entitled 'The  
21 Emergency Committee of Atomic Scientists Meets' - The  
22 group in Princeton, N. J., met yesterday where they issued an  
23 appeal for public conscription of one million dollars to  
24 finance a nation-wide educational campaign on the social  
25 implications of atomic energy. Seated (left to right):  
26 Prof. Harold Urey, University of Chicago; Prof. Albert  
27 Einstein, Institute for Advanced Study, and Prof. Selig  
28 Hecht, Columbia University. Standing (left to right):  
29 Prof. Victor F. Weisskopf, Massachusetts Institute of  
30 Technology; Prof. Leo S. Szilard, University of Chicago;  
31 Prof. Hans A. Bethe, Cornell University; Prof. Trerific R.  
32 Horness, University of Chicago; and Prof. Philip Morrison,  
33 Massachusetts Institute of Technology."

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T-1 advised that Doctor Leo Szilard obtained a PhD in Physics at the University of Berlin, did research work at the University from 1923 to 1933, and worked in Berlin with Doctor Albert Einstein to develop several patents on a small cooling machine.

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T-1 advised that Szilard brought the possibilities of the DSM Project to the attention of President Roosevelt in 1939, through the assistance of Doctor Einstein and Doctor Alexander Sachs, and as a result of Szilard's activity the Project eventually began.

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The May 3, 1946, issue of the "Chicago Sun", contained photographs of Doctor Albert Einstein, Doctor Alexander Sachs and Doctor Leo Szilard which was captioned "Three Who Sold the Atom to America."

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An article in the August 12, 1946, issue of the "Chicago Daily Tribune", contained an associated press article dated August 12, at Trenton, New Jersey. The contents of this article were set out in this form:

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This article stated in part that a group of scientists, headed by Professor Albert Einstein, on Friday, filed papers with the State Secretary seeking to become Incorporated in New Jersey, as the Emergency Committee of Atomic Scientists, Inc. This article stated further that others listed with Einstein as trustees included Leo Szilard of the University of Chicago and six other individuals.

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An article in the "Chicago Daily News", of November 18, 1946, stated that Professor Albert Einstein in a nation-wide broadcast said "Our efforts have their origins in a feeling of the heavy responsibility which

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physicists have taken upon themselves by the creating of the Atomic Bomb." According to this article the appeal for funds signed by Einstein and eight other scientists including Szilard stated:

- "1. Atomic Bombs can now be made cheaply and in large number. They will become more destructive.
- "2. There is no military defense against the Atomic Bomb and none can be constructed.
- "3. Other nations can rediscover our secret processes by themselves.
- "4. Preparedness against Atomic Warfare is futile, and if attempted will ruin the structure of our social order.
- "5. If war breaks out, Atomic Bombs will be used and they will surely destroy our civilization.
- "6. There is no solution to this problem except International Control of Atomic Energy, and ultimately, the elimination of war."

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Chicago report, December 23,  
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11        The "New York Times" of November 18, 1946, described  
12        a meeting that had been held in Princeton, New Jersey, of the  
13        Emergency Committee of Atomic Scientists (date not stated).  
14        This group, headed by Dr. Albert Einstein, was opening a cam-  
15        paign for \$1,000,000 for the purpose of educating the public to  
16        the realization of the peril of atomic bombs and to the fact that  
17        the only solution was an international atomic authority and  
18        ultimately the elimination of war. Dr. Einstein was named as  
19        President of the committee. The campaign was launched formally  
20        with a press conference and radio appeals by Drs. Einstein and  
21        Urey and later a luncheon attended by invited guests from all  
22        sections of the country. The Committee was to maintain its main  
23        office at 90 Nassau Street, Princeton, New Jersey.  
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26                    NY report, 1-27-47  
27                    Re: "Cinrad, IS-R."  
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From an article in the New York "Herald Tribune" of December 8, 1946, by Science Editor, John J. O'Neill, it was ascertained that Dr. Harry Grundfest attended a luncheon under the auspices of the American-Russian Institute on November 30, 1946, in New York City. Grundfest apparently asked a rigged question of speaker, Professor Alexander A. Mikhailov of the Moscow University, in which the latter could give an answer of the type most likely to advance the reputation of Soviet scientists and the attitude of that government towards scientists. The question asked by Grundfest dealt with the question as to whether there was any truth to the story that the teaching and use of the relativity theory had been banned in Russia because of the Jewish origin of its founder, Dr. Albert Einstein.

2-4-47 New York Report  
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13 The Washington Field Office (Report No. 7-11) sent  
14 out a memorandum list of the 10 members of the Communist Party  
15 which was obtained from [REDACTED] 32,67D

16 [REDACTED] under the list is the name of the man  
17 Albert M. Wain, chairman. (Information concerning this  
18 member of the C.P. was set forth in the report of Special  
19 Agent [REDACTED] dated October 17, 1946 in the  
20 instant case.) b7C

21 Washington File - 10/17/46  
22 7-11-46.  
23 See "Additional Criminal  
24 Information Regarding  
25 The Communist Party, Inc.,  
26 The People's Party, Inc.,  
27 The Socialist Party,  
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On December 2, 1946, Special Agent [redacted] attended a rally at Madison Square Garden, New York City which meeting, [redacted] was held to climax a "Get Together with Russia Month" and was initiated by the National Council of American-Soviet Friendship on November 7, 1946.

According to an announcement made at the rally in Delegates from Iraq, Iceland, Panama, Honduras, Yugoslavia, Poland, Greece, Mexico, Venezuela, Uruguay, Brazil, Chile, Czechoslovakia, Luxembourg, Denmark, Canada, China, France, England, United States, Ukraine, Byelorussia, and USSR attended. Right Reverend Blair Larned, Bishop of the Convocation of Protestant Episcopal European Churches gave the invocation. William H. Melish, Chairman of the NCASF, presided at the rally.

Messages advocating cooperation between the United States and Russia were received from Philo, Huria, Claude Pepper, Henry A. Wallace, Albert Einstein and others.

New York report dated 12-2-47  
re: 'National Council of  
American-Soviet Friendship :  
Internal Security - C'  
100-146964-1301 p. 52  
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SI 100-146964-1091  
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12 [redacted] and [redacted] furnished the Bureau with literature  
13 distributed by the National Committee to Oust Bilbo, sponsored by  
14 the Civil Rights Congress, 205 East 42nd Street, New York, New York,  
15 during the period October, November and December, 1946.

16 Included in this material was a letter dated December 6,  
17 1946, signed by Quentin Reynolds and Vincent Sheehan on the  
18 stationery of the National Committee to Oust Bilbo which contained a  
19 partial list of the officers and members of this committee which was  
20 set out in this reference. The names of 55 members of this Committee  
21 were set out including that of Albert Einstein.  
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23 New York Report  
24 July 7, 1947  
25 Re: "Civil Rights Congress Internal  
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27 61-10149-517 Page 5  
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of the National Negro Youth Congress had been held [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] and [REDACTED] advised that the resolution against Lynchings,  
our item 10, concerned the abolition against Lynchings,  
violence and terror; further that a special resolution  
discussed by "American Crusade Against Lynching", which  
Louis Bellamy (organizational Secretary, National Negro  
Youth Congress) described as a special resolution. Louis  
Bellamy stated that SNYC would endeavor to stop  
lynching and proposed whereas [REDACTED] res.  
waves of lynching be met by organizing local units  
into an American Crusade against Lynching; to draft a bill  
of Federal Anti-Lynching legislation; to start the  
American Crusade against Lynching, was the result of the  
leadership of [REDACTED] Wilson and [REDACTED] [REDACTED].

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25 It was noted that Dr. Albert Einstein, the famous scientist, was in  
26 the lobby of the Princeton Inn when [REDACTED] arrived there on December 8, but [REDACTED] b7C,  
27 [REDACTED] advised that Einstein had no connections with the Conference of [REDACTED] D  
28 business economists. He said that Einstein and four other individuals had been  
29 in a private conference at the Inn on that date.

30 Newark report dated 2-14-46  
31 Re: "Nathan Gregory Silvermaster, was.  
32 et al.; Espionage - R"  
33 65-56402-627 p. 22  
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12 On December 12, 1946, a greetings and farewell  
13 meeting was sponsored by the American Committee for Yugoslav  
14 Relief, Inc. at Manhattan Center, 8th Avenue and 34th Street,  
15 New York City. The general theme of the meeting was a plea  
16 for understanding between the United States and Yugoslavia  
17 and the continuation of aid to the suffering in Yugoslavia  
18 and criticism of the State Department for using food for politi-  
19 cal purposes. At this meeting Johannes Steel (not identified)  
20 presented five plaques to Sava Kosanovich, the Yugoslav  
21 Ambassador, for orphans homes bearing the names of Wendell  
22 Wilkie, Mary McLeod Bethune, Albert Einstein, the late Senator  
23 George Norris and Dwight D. Eisenhower.  
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25 This information was obtained by two Special  
26 Agents of the New York Field Division who attended the above-  
27 mentioned meeting.  
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31 8-18-47 New York Report  
32 Re: "American Committee For  
33 Yugoslav Relief, Inc;  
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In the Army "Weekly Intelligence Summary # 95", covering the period from December 6 to 13, 1946, appeared an article concerning the Emergency Committee of Atomic Scientists. It stated that its leader and chief spokesman was Professor Albert Einstein, "who in the past has been used by various Communist Front organizations as a 'big name' 'innocent' sponsor."

The following is quoted from the article:

"In 1932 he was reported to have been a delegate to the World Congress Against War held in Amsterdam. This was the forerunner of the American League for Peace and Democracy. About this same time he was reported to have written an article for a Communistic propaganda magazine, 'Dismay'. In 1935 the Progressive Press stated Dr. Einstein had paid the tuition of a student to the Communistic Commonwealth College, Mena, Arkansas. In December 1937, he was reported to be a member of the Advisory Committee of the North American Committee to Aid Spanish Democracy. The 'Daily Worker' of one October 1938, listed Professor Albert Einstein as a member of the Friends of the Abraham Lincoln Brigade. On 31 December 1938 he was listed as a sponsor of a New Year's Ball held under the auspices of the Non-Sectarian Committee for Political Refugees, an organization affiliated with the International Labor Defense. In December 1939 he was associated with the German-American Relief Committee for Victims of Fascism, affiliated with the North American Committee to Aid Spanish Democracy. In June 1943, Dr. Einstein was connected with the National Council for Soviet American Friendship and at the same time belonged to the Chicago Society for American Soviet Relations, an affiliate of the former organization. In December 1943, he was active in the Reichstag Fire Trial Anniversary Committee in New York City which glorified the achievements of George Dimitroff, Head of the Comintern. In September 1946, Dr. Einstein was reported as connected with the American Committee for the Protection of the Foreign Born. All of these organizations and affairs are Communist controlled and Communist Front organizations."

The above information is evaluated in this report as having been received from a completely reliable source whose information was probably true.

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Bureau a letter dated December 7, 1947, addressed to the many people in the Madison, Wisconsin area, re anti-Nazi. Dorothy Taylor, acting chairman, and Dr. L. L. Johnson, honorary chairwoman of the Spanish Refugee Fund, of the Joint Anti-Fascist Refugee Committee, Milwaukee, author. This letter was set out in this reference.

This letter also set out the names of the principal sponsors of this organization, one of whom was Albert Einstein.

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W. T. Rankin, reporter,  
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well known names as Albert Einstein, Marlow Shaeley, Elliot Roosevelt, Mary McCloud Bethune and Marshall Field, were among those listed as proposed supporters of the meeting scheduled by the Conference of Progressives, all of whom had been active in Communist infiltrated organizations or pro-Russian functions.

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b7C [REDACTED] The files of the Baltimore office contained a report  
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Princeton, New Jersey, and that he listed Albert Einstein as one  
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In the "Narodni Kalendar"— 1947 (Narodni Glasnik Almanac) published by Narodni Glasnik, 1916 East Street, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania appears an article on page 51 entitled "USA and USSR" by Professor Albert Einstein. Content of the article was not translated.

This material was furnished for the Bureau's information with regard to Croatian general intelligence matters.

The above translation of page heading carried as an enclosure to memo from Pittsburgh Field Division to the Bureau dated June 6, 1947  
Re: "Narodni Glasnik (National Herald)  
Internal Security - C."  
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In the "Office and Professional News", announcement was made that beginning in January, 1947, the first issue of "Staff" and "Technical America", twenty-page magazines to be published by the United Office and Professional Workers of America, CIO for the social service and technical fields, were to appear. It was further disclosed that Talbot Hamlin, Dean of the Avery Library of Architecture at Columbia University, would serve as Contributing Editor to "Technical America", together with Albert Einstein and Walter Rautenstrauch, Professor Emeritus of Industrial Engineering at Columbia University.

New York report, 2-12-47  
Re: "Communist infiltration of  
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12 In the latter part of 1946 or in the first part  
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14 name to the American Jewish Council to Aid Russian Rehabilitation,  
15 Incorporated, with offices at 40 East 26th Street, New York  
16 City. This organization was regarded as the exclusive agency  
17 for the shipment of rehabilitation supplies embarked to the  
18 USSR by American Jewish agencies. The 1947 campaign for  
19 funds was carried on to help rehabilitate Jewish war orphans  
20 and to aid the Jewish Council in "strengthening the ties of  
21 friendship between the American people and the Soviet Union"  
22 through a campaign of rehabilitation. Professor Albert Ein-  
23 stein was one of the honorary presidents of this organization.  
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According to [REDACTED] Albert Einstein  
was among the individuals proposed to whom the Communists would  
look to support the new nation-wide Communist front organization.

11-26-46 Letter from SAC,  
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11 In the Weekly Intelligence Summary, covering the period from  
12 December 27, 1946 to January 3, 1947, appeared an article entitled  
13 "Council Against Intolerance Shows Its Influence." According to this  
14 article the Council Against Intolerance in America was selling seals  
15 to support its so-called activity against intolerance and bigotry.  
16 During the week of December 27, this Council sent a telegram to President  
17 Truman protesting against the granting of permanent residence and  
18 citizenship to German scientists now working for the United States Army.  
19 Included among the signers of the telegram is Albert Einstein.  
20 Albert Einstein had previously been shown to have a long record of  
21 pro-Communistic activity.

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23 The Council Against Intolerance in America, was an active  
24 sponsor in March 1943 of a rally of the Abraham Lincoln Brigade in  
25 New York City, which had been reported as a Communist organization.

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27 The above information is evaluated in this report as having  
28 been received from a completely reliable source whose information was  
29 confirmed by other sources.

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31 The above material was submitted on an  
32 enclosure to a letter from the War  
33 Department to the Bureau January 3, 1947  
34 100-7660-413C, p. 7  
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In the Army's "Weekly Intelligence Summary" report, No. 99, for the period of January 3-10, 1947, appeared an article entitled "Einstein Praises Communist Party in France." The article reported that Professor Albert Einstein during the week of January 3-10, 1947, declared himself strongly in favor of the Communist Party of France and its program. It also stated that Einstein had often been found among the ranks of "deluded liberals" who front for the Communists.

The article mentioned that a statement of Einstein's appeared in the French Communist newspaper "Ce Soir", published in Paris, in which Einstein criticized various activities of the U.S.

The above information is evaluated in this report as having been received from a usually reliable source whose information was probably true.

*Per our declaration  
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letter dated  
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The above summary was transmitted to the Bureau by a letter from Headquarters, Military District of Washington, Washington, D. C. dated January 10-1947.  
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meeting of  
the Provisional Board of Directors of the Association of  
Scientists for Atomic Education (ASAE) held in Washington,  
D. C. on January 11-12, 1947.

At this meeting E. E. Minett, representative of the  
Southern Council of the ASAE reported on the present state  
of the Association of Scientists for Atomic Education--National  
Committee of Atomic Information--Emergency Committee of Atomic  
Scientists relations, and mentioned that McDonald (not identified)  
had sent a request to Einstein for a three-way meeting, perhaps  
as early as February 23 (year not given), to work out their  
relationships more closely.

7-20-47 Washington Field  
Division Report  
Re: "Association of Scientists  
for Atomic Education;  
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16 A copy of a "Top Secret" memorandum from the USIA to the Director of Intelligence, War Department dated January 2, 1947, was made available to the Bureau on January 14, 1947, by the Military Intelligence Division. This memorandum was captioned "Kaul, Dr. Friedrich Karl".

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22 Also enclosed with the above memorandum was a War  
23 Department summary of information classified "Top Secret"  
24 dated January 17, 1947, which was made available to the Bureau  
25 and which set forth information obtained from the files of the Immigration and Naturalization Service.

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27 This summary stated that these files did not indicate that Kaul had been in contact with or that he was in any  
28 way related to either Professor Einstein, or personnel employed  
29 in the General Electric Dupont Research Laboratories.  
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A Summary of Intelligence furnished the Baltimore Field Division, by Headquarters, Second Army, Fort George G. Meade, Maryland, dated February 13, 1948, reported that in February, 1947, the United World Federalists (UWF) was formed by merging the World Federalists, Americans United for World Government, Student Federalists, World Republicans in Massachusetts, Committee for World Federation and World Citizens of Georgia. This meant a group of some 18,000 members with the goal of world federal government. It had the blessing of Dr. Albert Einstein, Communist adherent.

It was also reported in the Summary that the world government movement had grown ever since Clarence Strait (not identified) originated his "Union" outline in 1937, which was incorporated as the Federal Union in 1939 to attain world order. This same "idea" in 1942 became the business of Louis Dolivet, Communist agent in the Free World Association, which in 1945 was consolidated with the Americans United for World Government.

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12        The Emergency Committee of Atomic Scientists, Incorporated was formed in Princeton, New Jersey, with offices at 90  
13        Nassau Street, under the leadership of Dr. Albert Einstein, the  
14        noted physicist.

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16        The February 14, 1947 issue of the "Times Herald"  
17        carried an article under the caption "Scientists Seek Funds to  
18        Reveal Atom Secrets" which stated that on February 13, 1947 a  
19        campaign to raise one million dollars to finance efforts to  
20        divulge information concerning atomic energy, which the American  
21        Government was trying to keep secret as a safeguard against  
22        international trouble was launched by a group of scientists.  
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25        According to the article this group was headed by  
26        Albert Einstein, the noted physicist and included three  
27        University of Chicago Professors as trustees and called itself  
28        the Emergency Committee of Atomic Scientists, Inc.

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30        This article set out a list of the trustees of the  
31        Committee in addition to Einstein.

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33        Memorandum to the Atomic Energy  
34        Commission, Washington Personnel  
35        Clearance Office, Room 4253, New  
36        War Department Building,  
37        Washington, D.C. with attached  
38        newspaper clipping dated 2-14-47  
39        Re: "Emergency Committee of Atomic  
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15 This reference is a letter from the Department of  
16 State to the Director dated March 12, 1947, enclosing an  
17 undated report which was an account of the Congress of the  
18 League against Cruelties and Oppression in the Colonies which  
19 was held at Brussels between February 10 and 11, 1947. The  
20 following is quoted from this report:

21 "The 'Presidency of Honour' of this Congress was  
22 composed of: Professor Albert Einstein (Berlin); George  
23 Lansbury, M. P. (England); Madame Sun Yat Sen (Canton).

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25 This report stated that the League Against Cruelties  
26 and Oppression in the Colonies was an offspring of the  
27 Workers International Relief and hence of the Comintern which  
28 was the parent of the WIR.

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12      The Atomic Energy Commission advised by letter *OK to*  
13 dated April 11, 1947, that Dr. Bernstein had recently  
14 corresponded with Dr. Albert Einstein, requesting information  
15 concerning the application of beryllium as a possible source  
16 of atomic energy. Apparently Dr. Bernstein was prompted to  
17 this action after learning of an article that had appeared  
18 in the "Bulletin-de la Societe Chimique-de France" concerning  
19 a discovery by a Russian Scientist named G.J. Djounkovsky  
20 of a procedure for the isolation of beryllium from the ore  
21 by a much cheaper and better process as has been the case  
22 to the present." *release per Energy*

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24      By letter dated April 30, 1947, the above information  
25 was referred to the New York Office.

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27      Dr. Einstein referred Dr. Bernstein's inquiry to  
28 Dr. Wigner, an associate of Dr. Einstein. Bernstein then  
29 corresponded with Dr. Wigner and requested information as  
30 to whether the beryllium isolated by Dr. Djounkovsky's  
31 procedure, could be applied, in one way or another to the  
32 production of atomic bombs. The Atomic Energy Commission  
33 advised that certain phases of the metallurgy concerning  
34 the beryllium metal was considered restricted information  
35 by the Commission. Dr. Wigner's answer to Bernstein was  
36 evasive and noncommittal. Both Dr. Einstein and Dr. Wigner  
37 were at that time located at Princeton University.

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44      The above-mentioned correspondence is set out  
45 in detail in this reference.

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12            The New York "World Telegram" for February 2<sup>nd</sup>, 1947,  
13 contained an article concerning Gerhart Eisler and the Joint  
14 Anti-Fascist Refugee Committee. The writer of this article  
15 Frederick Weltman, a staff writer, stated that JAFRC had  
16 flourished on the backing of prominent Americans which had  
17 included Rita Hayworth, Albert Einstein, and others.

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21            The New York "Journal American" of April 8, 1947,  
22 contained an article by Howard Rushmore in which he mentioned  
23 that during the previous three years, prominent persons had  
24 sponsored the JAFRC including Rita Hayworth, Albert Einstein,  
25 and others. This article stated further that none of those  
26 persons endorsed the stand of the JAFRC Executive Board which re-  
27 fused to let the House Committee on Un-American Activities  
28 examine the books and records of the "Red Front" organization.

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32            New York report, 8-13-47  
33 Re: "Joint Anti-Fascist Refugee  
34 Committee aka: Internal Security-C"  
35 100-7061-1459  
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11      The "Times-Herald" for February 14, 1946, (a pencil  
12 notation indicated that this should be 1947) carried an article  
13 concerning the campaign of the Emergency Committee of Atomic  
14 Scientists to raise one million dollars to divulge information  
15 concerning atomic energy which the American Government was  
16 trying to keep secret as a safeguard against international  
17 trouble. According to the article, the headquarters of the  
18 organization was to be located at Princeton, New Jersey, and it  
19 also reflected that this Committee disseminated a form letter  
20 in which it solicited these funds.  
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23      In view of the Bureau's jurisdiction in the guarding  
24 of the atomic energy secrets, it was suggested that a member of  
25 the Atomic Energy Section personally discuss the program of the  
26 Emergency Committee of Atomic Scientists, Incorporated, with a  
27 member of the Atomic Energy Commission at which time it should  
28 be suggested that a member of the Commission who was acquainted  
29 with Einstein be directed to discuss this Committee with Einstein.  
30 It was further suggested that this individual ascertain from  
31 Einstein just how far his Committee intended to go in divulging  
32 information concerning atomic energy, in order that some opinion  
33 might be reached as to whether or not these activities by the  
34 Committee violated deeper provisions of the Atomic Energy Act.  
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36      Memorandum to Mr. D.L. Tadd  
37 from J.C. Strickland  
38 dated 3-4-47  
39 Re: "The Emergency Committee  
40 of Atomic Scientists, Inc."  
41 100-345104-5  
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Reference was made to a memorandum from Mr. J.C. Strickland to Mr. D.M. Ladd, dated March 4, 1947, in which it was recommended that information concerning the Emergency Committee of Atomic Scientists, Incorporated be furnished the Atomic Energy Commission and requesting that it be determined whether a member of the Atomic Energy Commission might interview Dr. Albert Einstein as to the true purposes of the organization.

On March 7, 1947, a letter directed to the Atomic Energy Commission was personally delivered to [REDACTED] AEC. [REDACTED] was given an offer of [REDACTED] to offer to interview Einstein by a member of the Atomic Energy Commission, however, no such offer was made. This could be explained by the facts obtained that the Manhattan Engineering District had never had any close contact with Einstein. Although nuclear research directed toward the discovery of the atomic bomb was based in part on Einstein's work, he did not contribute anything during the period of the development of the bomb. He was not a consultant to MED nor was he at the time a consultant to the AEC. No one in the AEC had any occasion to speak with Einstein in the regular course of their duties.

Memorandum to Mr. D.M. Ladd  
from Mr. V.P. Keay dated 3-12-47  
Re: "The Emergency Committee of  
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Los Angeles, California made available a printed letter bearing the letterhead "The Lutheran Research Society, Official Organ - The Eleventh Hour, Box 3381, Jefferson Station, Detroit 14, Michigan; dated June-July, 1947; addressed to "Dear Christian Friends"; and signed by Lawrence Reilly (Director).

This letter reviewed current news. One item reported that some American scientists put in a good word for the Soviet spies apprehended in the Canadian Gouzenko espionage investigation. It quoted a statement from the "Sessional Paper" of the Canadian Parliament, # 208, March 18, 1947. The statement included a list of scientists who took part in an organized campaign on Professor Israel Halperin's behalf. The name of Albert Einstein appeared on the list.

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The "Oregon Journal" of March 20, 1947, gave publicity to a speech being sponsored by the "Association of Portland Scientists", honoring Dr. Leo Szilard, trustee of the "Emergency Committee of Atomic Scientists" and director of Biophysics and Radio Biology, University of Chicago. This article further set forth that the "Emergency Committee of Atomic Scientists" headed by Dr. Albert Einstein was the parent organization for the "Association of Portland Scientists".

Reference was made to Dr. Leo Szilard in the "Congressional Record" entitled "Hearings before the Committee on Military Affairs, House of Representatives, 79th Congress, First Session on H. R. 4280" entitled "An Account for the Development and Control of Atomic Energy." The first civilian witness called before the Committee was Dr. Leo Szilard, on October 18, 1945. In this hearing Dr. Szilard stated in part that in October, 1939, he and Professor E. L. Wigner approached Professor Albert Einstein to obtain his help in order to convey to President Roosevelt the need for government activity in the field of atomic research; further that Dr. Alexander Sachs of New York with whom Szilard and Wigner consulted, took Dr. Einstein's letter to President Roosevelt which resulted in the beginning of a research for the development of the atom bomb.

Portland rpt. F-27-47  
Re: "Association of Portland  
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11 By letter dated March 27, 1947, Glenn H. Bethel of the  
12 Liason Office, Ottawa, Canada, forwarded to the Bureau copies of  
13 a list setting forth the names of individuals and organizations  
14 which made representations to the Canadian Government in connection  
15 with persons accused in the Canadian Espionage Case.

16 Particular attention was invited to page 2, section B,  
17 setting forth the names of persons in the United States who ~~Made~~  
18 representations in favor of Israel Halperin. This list of persons  
19 made representations in favor of Professor Israel Halperin after  
20 charges were made but before a decision was handed down. All  
21 were scientists and appeared to have taken part in an organized  
22 campaign on Professor Halperin's behalf. The name of Albert  
23 Einstein appeared on this list.

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25 Re: "Corby (letter) Halperin);  
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13        The Washington Field Division reported (date not  
14 stated) that it was in receipt of information from [REDACTED]  
15 that the Emergency Committee of Atomic Scientists, Incorporated  
16 sent letters to the Argentine, French and Soviet Embassies.  
17 These communications were signed by Albert Einstein, Chairman.  
18 It was reported that Einstein's communications indicated that  
19 through the release of atomic energy, our generation had brought  
20 into the world the most revolutionary force since prehistoric  
21 man's discovery of fire.

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22        He indicated that the scientists recognized the  
23 inescapable responsibility to carry to their fellow citizens  
24 the simple facts on atomic energy and its implications in  
25 society. It indicated that one of the basic principles of the  
26 organization was that their only hope for security with reference  
27 to the atomic bomb-atomic energy was to have an informed citizenry.  
28 The communication ended by indicating that the organization  
29 needed one million dollars for this task and consequently it was  
30 calling upon the recipient for donations.

31        The headquarters for the organization was listed  
32 at Room 28, 90 Nassau Street, Princeton, New Jersey.

33        The following individuals were listed as officers:  
34        ... Einstein, H. C. Urey, Hans A. Hogness, Philip M. Morse,  
35        Linus Pauling, Leo Szilard and V. F. Weisskopf.

36        Memorandum to Mr. J. C.  
37        Strickland from J. J. Casper  
38        Dated 3-27-47  
39        Re: "Emergency Committee of  
40        Atomic Scientists, Incorporated"  
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A decoded cable dated March 28, 1957, from the Political  
Attache, Mexico City, Mexico, advised [REDACTED] [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] had applied for transit visa to the United States; further  
that [REDACTED] gave as reference in the United States Helen Gutas,  
in case of Professor Albert Einstein, Princeton University.

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On March 31, 1947, [REDACTED] (Cambridge, Massachusetts), sent a letter to Mr. Coffey in which she indicated that [REDACTED] who lives in the apartment over her has been communicating in secret with Communistic fifth columnists.

[REDACTED] stated that [REDACTED] therefore seconded their suspicion. [REDACTED] stated further that, however, that Mr. Coffey had no definite or socialist leanings.

In a separate letter, dated April 10, 1947, [REDACTED] was informed that the contents of the letter from [REDACTED] noted and were being made a matter of record by the Bureau.

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In April 1947, a letter published by the Northern California Association of Scientists for Atomic Education (NCASAE) contained an article regarding the Committee for Foreign Correspondence. The article stated that the Emergency Committee of Atomic Scientists, headed by Professor Albert Einstein, made a grant of \$5,000 to the Committee for Foreign Correspondence which would enable it to carry on its work on a much larger scale.

The article further reported that during the past year the Committee had sent over 10,000 pamphlets on international control of atomic energy to scientists in sixty nations. Of these, more than a hundred letters and packages of literature had been sent to individual scientists and to scientific societies in the Soviet Union.

10-10-47 San Francisco Report  
Re: "The Committee for Foreign Correspondence, Association of Scientists for Atomic Education Committee for Foreign Correspondence; Internal Security - R"  
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12 On a circular letter dated April, 1947, bearing the  
13 heading "Committee for Foreign Correspondence, Association of  
14 Scientists for Atomic Education, Inc., Box 615, Berkeley,  
15 California," Albert Einstein, of the Institute for Advanced  
16 Study, Princeton, New Jersey, was listed as one of the national  
17 sponsors of the association.  
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19 The letter explained the purposes of the Federation  
20 of American Scientists and the above mentioned Committee. It  
21 also stated that they had received financial assistance from  
22 the Einstein Emergency Committee of Atomic Scientists to expand  
23 the Committee's activities.  
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25 Above letter bears the following  
26 notation "Received by [REDACTED]  
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In April, 1947, [REDACTED] made available to the New York Office a letterhead of the American Jewish Council to Aid Russian Rehabilitation, Incorporated, which set forth the current national officers. According to this letterhead, Professor Albert Einstein and Rabbi Stephen S. Wise were honorary presidents.

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Re: "American Jewish Council"  
to A.J.A. Russian Rehabilitation  
Inc. a/c, JS - C."  
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It was reported in Mr. Westbrook Pegler's column in the November 1, 1950 issue of the "New York Journal American" that Doctor Kathryn McHale was a participant in a national conference on the German problem held in New York, New York, in March of 1947. He further reported that many of the sponsors of this conference were members of the Society for the Prevention of World War III.

The "New York Times" in its issue of February 4, 1947, Page 10, contained the following relating to the National Conference on the German problem.

"Pointing out that 'twice within a generation, the American people have had to defend themselves against a predatory and ruthless Germany! Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt and Edgar Ansel Mowrer, newspaperman, invited 500 prominent Americans yesterday to attend a conference on the German problem at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel on March 6. The letters were sent on behalf of the newly formed committee of the National Conference on the German Problem, 515 Madison Avenue.

"The letters urged Americans to 're-examine the German problem and support the implementation of those principles which were originally established by the Allies to prevent the resurgence of a strong Germany'.

"Among other members of the sponsoring committee are Doctor Albert Einstein, Representative Helen Gahagan Douglas, Henry Morgenthau, Jr., ....."

In its issue of March 7, 1947, on Page 11, the "New York Times" reported as follows concerning the National Conference on the German Problem held at New York on March 6, 1947:

"A National conference on the problem of Germany, convoked by Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt and Edgar Ansel Mowrer, framed yesterday a program to implement the Yalta and Potsdam agreements. It will be sent to the American delegation at the Moscow Conference and to the United States Government.

"The conference met all day at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel, concluding with a dinner. Seventy-five persons, many of

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them publicists active in crystallizing sentiment on foreign policy, attended the morning and afternoon sessions.

"Among the 185 sponsors are Doctor Albert Einstein, Representative Helen Gahagan Douglas, Henry Morgenthau, Jr.,...."

"The 20 recommendations included proposals from the Morgenthau Plan for Germany and from the Financial Report of the Enemy Branch of the Foreign Economic Administration....."

b2,b7D [REDACTED] made available certain correspondence from the National Conference on the German Problem. The letterhead of the National Conference bore the names of forty-seven individuals named as sponsors, among which appeared the name of Albert Einstein, Scientist. (Page 9)

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New York Report, 12-28-50  
Re: [REDACTED] Special  
Inquiry, White House,  
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In a review of "Man Against Myth" written by Orville Prescott which appeared in the April 8, 1947 issue of the "New York Times" the following comment was noted:

"Man Against Myth" comes to us bearing advance blessings from Albert Einstein, John Dewey and Dorothy Parker."

Barrows Durham wrote "Man Against Myth."

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11 On April 11, 1947, Mr. Fred G. Cole, Research Director  
12 and David McCoy, Publicity Director for the "World Republic"  
13 dropped in at the Bureau to see Special Agent [REDACTED]. They pointed  
14 out that they wanted the FBI to have full information concerning  
15 their organization and claimed that from time to time they would  
16 send to the Director any publicity or other data which they  
17 thought would be of interest to the Bureau.  
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19 Cole and McCoy pointed out that they had had as speakers  
20 at their meetings such individuals as Professor Einstein and  
21 Senator Claude Pepper and others. Cole made available to Special  
22 Agent [REDACTED] a mimeographed statement of the beliefs of the  
23 organization as well as its bylaws which were filed with this  
24 reference.

25 Memorandum to Mr. Nichols from  
26 M. A. Jones, April 11, 1947  
27 Re: "World Republic"

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12 On April 14, 1947, the "Washington Star" contained an  
13 article entitled "Sinatra in Group Honored for Advancing  
14 Democracy." The article contained the names of individuals  
15 honored by the Council Against Intolerance for "Advancing the  
16 Cause of Democracy During 1946." Those cited received statuettes  
17 at a dinner sponsored by the organization in commemoration of  
18 the 20th anniversary of the birth of Thomas Jefferson. These  
19 individuals were chosen in a nation-wide poll conducted by the  
20 Council among five hundred newspaper editors and 1,500 civic  
21 organizations. The Council said similar awards would be made  
22 later that month to Dr. Albert Einstein and others.

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14 On April 22, 1947 the "Daily Worker" carried an  
15 article under the caption "Einstein Says Liberation of Colonies  
16 Urgent Need", which stated that Professor Albert Einstein the day  
17 before declared that "no reliable and lasting peace will be  
18 possible" without the political and economic emancipation of  
19 the "now subdued and exploited" African and colonial peoples.  
20 According to the article, Einstein termed it as "one of the  
21 most urgent needs in our times".  
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23 The article further stated that Einstein's statement  
24 was contained in a message of greetings to Dr. Max Yergan,  
25 Executive Director of the Council on African Affairs, which  
26 was to hold a rally the following Friday evening in the 71st  
27 Regiment Armory, 34th Street and Park Avenue.  
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29 According to the article, Professor Einstein told  
30 Dr. Yergan he found it "heartening" that the Council was  
31 laboring for African and colonial welfare and independence,  
32 and "trying to make the people conscious of the basic re-  
33 quirement".  
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recieved a letter from the Emergency Committee of Atomic Scientists, Room 28, 90 Nassau Street, Princeton, New Jersey, signed by Albert Einstein. The letter requested a contribution which would help create a fund of one million dollars to carry on the work of making Americans understand the simple facts of atomic energy and their implications for society.

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6-6-47 New York Report

Re: [REDACTED] was.;  
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15 An item which was translated from the July 25, 1960,  
16 issue of the German language newspaper "Austria", published  
17 in New York under the heading "Personal News" states that:  
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19 "...The new wave of anti-Semitism, which recently  
20 broke out in Russia and the countries behind the Iron Curtain  
21 has now affected two other faithful friends of Russia. As we  
22 learned today, the Rumanian Communist Foreign Minister and  
23 former Dictator of that country, Mrs. Ann Paunov, has fallen  
24 into disfavor. The same fate befell the physicist Professor  
25 Albert Einstein, who immigrated from Germany to the United States,  
26 whom "Pravda" in its April 20, 1957, issue describes as the  
27 'faithful friend' of Soviet Russia', and who recently participated  
28 in the 1st Communist 'Peace Congress' in Moscow and in the Waldorf  
29 Astoria Hotel in New York with his name. In spite of this, in  
30 the course of the present anti-Jewish attitude in Russia (as  
31 the scientific periodical 'Science' reports) the theories of  
32 Einstein are no longer being taught."

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34 File memo to Director  
35 7-27-40, enclosing above  
36 translation

37 Re: "Austria". IS - C.  
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as set out in the report of Special Agent [REDACTED] dated October 10, 1946, at Los Angeles, furnished information concerning newspaper articles reflecting the activities of Robert W. Kenny. According to informant, the Los Angeles "Herald Express" of November 30, 1947, carried an article datelined Moscow, April 30, which stated in part that Robert Walker Kenny in commenting on the mention of the "California Prosecutor, Kenny" by Pravda as an American friend of Russia, declared that "I am greatly honored to be in the company of Albert Einstein and others. I imagine Vishinsky is responsible for my inclusion. I saw him frequently at Lake Success and he remarked that we were both in the same position. Vishinsky is also a former prosecutor."

LA Summary report, 7-9-51

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The following is quoted verbatim from a photostatic copy of an excerpt of a radio broadcast made May 1, 1947, from Bulgaria:

"Many sincere friends of the Soviet Union in the United States are grouped in the organization called National Council of Soviet-American Friendship. The President of this association is the well-known Protestant priest, Melish. Many active collaborators of the periodical 'SOVIET RUSSIA TODAY' are men like the General Public Prosecutor in California, Kenny; the well-known radio commentator, Johannes Steel; the Professor of Philosophy, Perry; the former Ambassador to the Soviet Union and author of the book 'Mission to Moscow,' Joseph Davis; Albert Einstein; the well-known singer, Paul Robeson.

"In their utterances the American Friends of the Soviet Union are constantly pointing out the fact that to be a supporter of labor and democracy in your own country means to be a friend of the Soviet Union. 'The struggle for healthy relations with the Soviet Union,' writes Melish, 'is a struggle for healthy Americans, an American progressively and democratically developing.'

"Now, more than ever, it is necessary that these sound-thinking people should publicly express their views for close collaboration with the Soviet Union in order that peace may be stabilized," declared Albert Einstein.

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11        The "New York Times" of May 1, 1947, carried an  
12 article entitled "Pravda Calls Rice in U.S. Friends Soviet  
13 Blessing on Eve of May Day".  
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15        This article stated in part that counting the bles-  
16 sions of the Soviet Union on the eve of the May Day celebra-  
17 tion, an article in "Pravda," Communist Party newspaper, said  
18 that day that not the least of those was its growing number  
19 of "sincere friends" in the United States. "Pravda" stated  
20 further that identified as "sincere friends" were the Attorney  
21 General of California, Kenny, Johannes Steel, the famous radio  
22 commentator, Professor Ralph Perry, Joseph E. Davies, former  
23 ambassador to the Soviet Union, Albert Einstein and Paul Robe-  
24 son.  
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26        The article stated further that at Princeton, Doctor  
27 Albert Einstein said he had no comment to make on the "Pravda"  
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15 This reference is a letter dated May 6, 1947,  
16 addressed to the FBI, Washington, D. C., and signed [REDACTED]  
17 enclosing a letter dated May 1, 1947, [REDACTED] b7C D

18 [REDACTED]  
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21 In this letter, [REDACTED] asked [REDACTED] to read b7C D  
22 a brief note about "World Republic", a group of World War II  
23 veterans who were actively engaged in a vigorous educational  
24 peace program.  
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26 This letter stated that the World Republic was  
27 getting new members daily from all walks of life -- men and  
28 women who were convinced that a democratic federation of all  
29 nations could be formed successfully just as our thirteen  
30 colonies federated into the United States. The letter stated  
31 further that Dr. Albert Einstein and five other individuals  
32 were a few of the outstanding Americans who endorsed this  
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In a weekly intelligence summary covering the period April 25 to May 2, 1947, appeared an article entitled "Communist Press Highlights". According to this article, Tsvita was crowing about the "growing strength of Communism around the world". It listed as a special friend who had "warm sympathy toward the Soviet Union" Albert Einstein.

The above information is evaluated in this report as having been received from a usually reliable source whose information was probably true.

The above summary was submitted as an enclosure to a letter from the War Department to the Bureau dated May 2, 1947.  
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12 A list of the members of the national organization of  
13 the United World Federalists included the name of Albert Einstein.  
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15 The above list of names was contained in a memorandum  
16 dated May 3, 1947 regarding a meeting of the Pittsburgh Chapter  
17 of the United World Federalists held April 30, 1947 at the In-  
18 ternational Center of the YWCA, 405 South Dithridge Street,  
19 Pittsburgh, and was made available by an unknown outside source.  
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21 Memorandum to Pittsburgh  
22 dated May 26, 1947, with  
23 the enclosed memorandum which is  
24 above.  
25 To: "United World Federalists"  
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The "Daily Mirror" of May 5, 1947, carried an article entitled, "Stalin's Friends". This article stated in part, that Stalin had dared to list the Americans who love him and his way of life, for all Americans to know who the favorites of the Czar were.

This Article stated further, that among those praised by "Pravda" were, Albert Einstein, who was given refuge in this country from Nazi Germany, Joseph E. Davies, former Ambassador and author of the unbelievable propagandistic "Mission to Moscow", Elliot Roosevelt and others.

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15 On page 29 of "Newsweek" for May 12, 1947, appeared  
16 the photographs of eleven individuals. These photographs  
17 included those of Albert Einstein and Elliott Roosevelt. Under-  
18 neath the photographs appeared the following: "Pravda is grati-  
19 fied: Russia has so many warm friends in the United States".  
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21 On pages 29 and 30 appeared comments regarding favor-  
22 able remarks made of these individuals in "Pravda". Concerning  
23 Albert Einstein named in "Pravda" as an American friend, the  
24 following appeared: "affiliated with American Committee for  
25 Peace Through World Cooperation, Congress of American Soviet  
26 Friendship, Friends of Abraham Lincoln Brigade, International  
27 Labor Defense, Joint Anti-Fascist Refugee Committee, League of  
28 American Writers, Medical Bureau and North American Committee  
29 to Aid Spanish Democracy, National Council of American Soviet  
30 Friendship, National Federation for Constitutional Liberties,  
31 Soviet Russia Today, The Spanish Refugee Relief Campaign, and  
32 the American Committee for the Protection of Foreign Born."

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34 Memorandum 5-20-47 to Mr. J. C.  
35 Strickland from Mr. L. Whitson  
36 enclosing a photostatic copy of  
37 pages 29 and 30 of "Newsweek".  
38 for May 12, 1947.

39 Re: [REDACTED]

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12      The "Monthly Summary of Trends and Developments"  
13      of June, 1947, stated that Harold L. Jokes and a number of  
14      other prominent Americans promptly withdrew their names as  
15      sponsors or supporters of the National Council of American  
16      Soviet Friendship but to that date Raymond Massey, Albert  
17      Einstein and a number of other non-Communists still permitted  
18      the use of their names on the pro-Soviet organization's letter-  
19      head.

21      The "Monthly Summary of  
22      Trends and Developments"  
23      The National Americanism  
24      Commission, Sub-committee  
25      on Subversive Activities.  
26      The American Legion National  
27      Headquarters, Indianapolis 6,  
28      Indiana.  
29      94-1-17998-831  
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The Indianapolis Field Division made available to Bureau a form letter dated March 27, 1947 on the letterhead of the Emergency Committee of Atomic Scientists Incorporated, Room 28, 90 Nassau Street and signed by A. Einstein. The purpose of the letter was to solicit contributions for the Committee in order that it might carry on a program of education which would bring to the citizenry of the country the facts about atomic energy and its implications in society.

The Indianapolis Field Division also made available a pamphlet entitled, "Only Then Shall We Find Courage" by Albert Einstein. This pamphlet was also disseminated in the purpose of soliciting contributions for the Committee.

Indianapolis memorandum dated  
4-1-47 with enclosures  
Re: "Emergency Committee of  
Atomic Scientists"  
100-345104-9  
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On June 10, 1947 the Bureau received a copy of the above-mentioned form letter bearing the date June 9, 1947 together with the pamphlet "only Then Shall We Find Courage."

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Connecticut also furnished the Bureau two copies of the above-mentioned form letter and pamphlet bearing the dates of April 22, 1947 and May 21, 1947 respectively.

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[REDACTED] advised of a letter postmarked Princeton, June 12, 1947, from Albert Einstein to Harry Dexter White, one of the subjects of the case entitled, "Nathan Gregory Silvermaster, soliciting funds at the suggestion of friends, and indicating that the scientists need \$1,000,000. for the great educational task in helping fellow citizens understand the simple science of atomic energy, and their implications for society.

Washington Field Office  
Report, 11-26-47  
Re: "Nathan Gregory Silvermaster",  
w.e., et al,  
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15 By letter dated June 14, 1967, the New York Office  
16 forwarded to the Bureau a photostatic copy of a resume pre-  
17 pared by the anti-Communist group in the Actors Equity Associa-  
18 tion. The resume was furnished on a confidential basis by  
19 [REDACTED]

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20 The section of the resume which made reference to  
21 the captioned organization was photostated and filed with this  
22 reference.

23 According to this resume, the National Committee of  
24 Sponsors of the Spanish Refugee Appeal resembled a nucleus  
25 of the principal Communist fellow travelers in the United  
26 States. The sponsors were set out, one of whom was Albert  
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29 Memo to Mr. Lead from  
30 Mr. Coyne, 9-17-67, enclosing  
31 photostatic copy of above  
32 resume.  
33 Re: "Spanish Refugee Appeal"  
34 100-7061-1429  
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21 The section of the resume which made reference to  
22 the captioned organization was photostated and filed with this  
23 reference.

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25 This undated resume was captioned "Medical Bureau and  
26 North American Committee to Aid Spanish Democracy." This resume  
27 stated that the sponsors of the Medical Bureau and North American  
28 Committee to Aid Spanish Democracy included such prominent  
29 Communists and Communist fellow travellers as Albert "ins" in  
30 and 9 other individuals.

31 Memorandum from Mr. Coyne  
32 to Mr. Ladd, July 17, 1947  
33 enclosing photostatic copy  
34 of above resume.

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36 Re: "Medical Bureau and  
37 North American Committee to  
38 Aid Spanish Democracy."  
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The "Liberty" Magazine of June 21, 1947, carried an article entitled "Reds in Our Atom-Bomb Plants" by Representative J. Parnell Thomas.

In this article, Thomas mentioned, among other things, the Federation of American Scientists and the Committee on Atomic Information, both of which were known to the Bureau as to some extent Communist infiltrated. By inference, Thomas placed in the same category the Emergency Committee of Atomic Scientists, Incorporated, headed by Dr. Albert Einstein. The Bureau at that time, had no information concerning any Communist participation in this group.

Memorandum dated 6-7-47  
to P. M. Ladd from V. T. Keay  
Re: "Reds in Our Atom-Bomb Plants"  
by Rep. J. Parnell Thomas.  
Liberty Magazine, 6-21-47 issue.  
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15 This reference is a letter dated June 26, 1957, from  
16 a mentally deranged individual, [REDACTED] b7c  
17 [REDACTED] Los Angeles, California.

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19 Enclosed with this letter was a newspaper clipping  
20 from an unknown newspaper containing part of an article entitled  
21 "Einstein Warns Atomic War Threatens within Eight Years".  
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23 This article stated in part that Professor Albert  
24 Einstein and a group of associated scientists were on record  
25 as saying that the United Nations had failed utterly to find  
26 a plan for atomic control and warned that a full fledged atom  
27 bomb war might break out within eight years.  
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29 This article stated further that Einstein's group  
30 was the Emergency Committee of Atomic Scientists of which he  
31 was chairman.  
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Newark Report, 7-11-47

Re: [REDACTED]

Atomic Energy Act "Employee"

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On September 23, 1947, the Bureau received from the State Department a letter dated July 14, 1947, addressed to the Secretary of State, Washington, D.C., and signed by Lawrence A. Steinhardt captioned "World Youth Festival - Press Conference". In this letter Steinhardt stated that he was transmitting a report by Frank J. Lewand, Cultural Officer, on a press conference called by the Preparatory Committee of the World Youth Festival, July 12, 1947 which took place at the Narodni Club, Praha.

The letter stated further that those present included some sixty representatives of local newspapers and agencies, several delegates, members of the Preparatory Committee led by Mrs. Kitty Hookham, General Secretary, and a few translators.

A member of the audience inquired about the invitations extended to Albert Einstein, Ingrid Bergman, John Steinbeck and Paul Robeson. The letter stated further that although the presence of these personalities was well publicized in the material first released by the Committee, Mrs. Hookham remarked that it was doubtful whether Mr. Einstein would really come and made no mention of the rest.

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