

Polio

Oct. 23

The patient does not speak Russian. One could judge only by his gestures and facial expression that he had no complaints. His general condition is satisfactory. Pulse (illegible) is rhythmic $\frac{120}{70}$. Abdomen soft, painless.

Observation

Sign-t.

Signature: Dmitrieva

Oct. [?] No complaints.

351
35.8

History of present illness.

Oct. 21 The patient was brought by ambulance to the admission ward of the Botkin hospital and further referred to Bldg. [or wing] No. 26. According to his statement in the admission ward — with the aid of an interpreter — the patient arrived a few days ago in the Soviet Union as a tourist for the purpose of obtaining Soviet citizenship and residing in Russia. For this reason he had been saving money for 3 years, and applied to the Supreme Soviet of the USSR. He did not receive a definite answer and on Oct. 21 was supposed to leave for his home country. In order to delay his departure he inflicted wounds on the lower third of his left forearm and put it into hot water. He lost consciousness and at 16.00 (4 p.m.) on Oct. 21, was brought to the Botkin hospital where he was examined by the surgeon and bandaged.

He was examined by a psychiatrist. [He spent] three days in

the hospital for a further examination. According to the conclusion

the chief physician he was transferred to room No. 7. General condition satisfactory. Respiration in the lungs is vesicular. Heart is normal. Pulse is rhythmic [illegible] $\frac{109}{72}$. Liver and spleen not enlarged.

Patho-anatomic diagnosis

a) Basic

A2

Oct. 25 No [illegible]

[2 words illegible]

Organs without change.

[1 tablespoon 3 times/day?]

Surgical examination.

Observation:

Signature: Dmitrieva

b) Complications

Oct. 26 Internal organs [complic.?] none

Organs normal.

Oct. 27 Examination by the surgeon

35.3

Bandage. Stitches [illegible]

36.3

Healing of the wound in the forearm by means of first aid. Aseptic bandage.

May be discharged.

Epicrisis

Oct. 23 The patient was brought to the admission ward of the Botkin Hospital by ambulance and was ordered by the assistant to the chief physician [Konnikova ?] to be transferred to Ward No. 7. [2 words illegible]. Incised wound of the first third of the left forearm with the intention to commit suicide. In the admission ward sutures were made. On Oct. 27 he was examined by the surgeon. The healing of the wound was done by first intention. With surgeon's permission, discharged from hospital. The interpreter who was with him every day (from the Embassy?) was informed ahead of time. The condition of the patient is satisfactory.

Signature [Paritkova]

[Doc. IC 1]

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(1) 20 pages
One foreign [2 words illegible]
Receipt No. 1147

MEDICAL HISTORY NO. 1977

By whom referred: Ambulance 9037

Sept. [illegible]

Admitted: 16.00 (a. m.), Oct. 21 1959

Transf. Oct. 23 to Ward 7

Name: Oswald, Lee Harvey

Age: 20 Nationality: American Education: High School

Address: Hotel "Berlin", Room 320 Works independ.

Employment: Radio-technician

Diagnosis: [illeg.] incised wound
of the lower third of
the left forearm.

When admitted: same

Date: Oct. 21, 1959

Signature:

[Karpov ?]

[one word missing] when discharged: Incised wound in the lower
third of the left forearm. Suicide attempt.

Operation: Primary surgical treatment of the wound.

Date of the operation: Oct. 21, 1959

Anesthetics: local

Amount of narcotics: [illeg.] Novoc. [illeg.]

1630 [6:30 p.m.] Examination in the Admission Dept.

In his room in the Hotel Berlin in the attempt to commit suicide,
he cut the lower third of the forearm.

Objectively: In the lower third of the left forearm is a skin
wound [one word illegible] with injury to the blood vessels.

The wound is 3 cm. long

Karpov M.V.

22 Oct. 59

URINE ANALYSIS NO. 46

Cesvald

Dept. 26

Color: light amber

Reaction: acid

Spec. gravity: [illeg.]

Transparency: turbid

Albumin - none

Sugar - none

Bile pigments - none

Sediment Microscopy

1. Epithelial cells
flat [illegible]
polymorphic none
2. Leucocytes 4-9 [?] [illegible]
- h. Cylinders
Granular: none
6. Salts [2 words illegible]
7. Mucus [one word illegible]
8. Bacteria- none
Many [one word illegible]

Signature [illegible]

The patient was admitted to Eotkin Hospital on Oct. 21, '59. He was brought to the hospital because of an incised wound of the left forearm. The wound is of a linear character with sharp edges.

In the admission department he was given primary treatment of the wound and skin sutures.

The character of the injury is considered light without functional disturbances. The patient is of clear mind, no sign of psychotic phenomenon.

He explains his attempt to commit suicide by the fact that he arrived from the USA in the Soviet Union on a tourist visa with the firm intention of staying in the Soviet Union. Not having the opportunity to realize his intention because of circumstances beyond his control, and having to leave the Soviet Union on Oct. 21, 1959, he tried to cut the blood vessels of his left arm on the same day.

During his stay in the [admission] department, his attitude was completely normal. He insists that he does not want to return to the USA.

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ACCOMPANYING SHEET NO. 8087

Osvald

Lee Harvey

'008 20

Taken from public place

Diagnosis

Incised wound in the lower third of the left forearm [one word illegible]

Admitted to Botkin Hospital at 16.00 (4 p.m.) on Oct. 21, 1959, upon request at 15h.14.

Signature [illegible]

Notes of the ambulance staff.

W-licenses, documents and watch were left in the hotel.

Signature [illegible]

BLOOD ANALYSIS

Oswald, Les Harvey

Ward 26

Erythrocytes	Hemoglobin	Color indic.
in 1 mm ³	80-10	0,8 - 1.0
4 1/2 - 5 mm	81 (?)	1.01
4,000,000	13.51X	

Leucocytes
4,000

[illegible] cells
1 [%]

Eosinoph.
2 [%]

Neutrophiles

Basillif.
3 [%]

Serment
69 [%]

Lymphoc.
19 [%]

Monocytes
6 [%]

Deviation
 $\frac{0.06}{0.04}$

Erythro. sediment. reaction 10 mm per hour

Oct. 22, 1959

Signature [illegible]

TEMPERATURE MEASUREMENT

see chart

EPICRISIS

Examined in the department of [plastic] surgery. He was admitted to the hospital with complaints (according to the interpreter) about [one word illegible] wound in the lower third of the left forearm from the inner side.

Inner organs show no [injuries ?] [one word missing, one illegible] In the region of the lower third of the left forearm there is [a wound] of linear character with sharp edges, 5 cm. in length. Performed under local anesthesia 1/4 % [one word illegible] novocaine 3 20 [7] [illegible]. Primary surgical treatment of the wound was performed with 4 stitches and aseptic bandage. The injury does not reach the tendons.

[Signed] Markin

Psychiatric examination

A few days ago [the patient] arrived in the Soviet Union in order to apply for our citizenship. Today he was to have left the Soviet Union. In order to postpone his departure he inflicted the injury upon himself. The patient apparently understands the questions asked in Russian. Sometimes he answers correctly, but immediately states that he does not understand what he was asked.

According to the interpreter, there were no mentally sick people in his family. He had no skull trauma, never before had he made attempts to commit suicide. He tried to commit suicide in order not to leave for America. He claims he regrets his action. After recovery he intends to return to his homeland.

It was not possible to get more information from the patient.

Oct. 22 According to the translator:

[The patient] arrived from the USSR on Oct. 15 as a tourist. He graduated from a technical high school in radio-technology and radioelectronics. He has no parents. He came with the intention of acquiring Soviet citizenship. In this matter he turned to the President of the Supreme Soviet, USSR. He did not receive a definite answer and was supposed to leave in [2 words illegible]. On Oct. 21 he was found unconscious in the bathroom of the Hotel "Berlin". His left arm, injured by a sharp instrument, was lying in hot water. The ambulance was called and he was taken to the Gorkin Hospital.

He had saved money for three years to come to the USSR and to remain in the Soviet Union forever.

His mind is clear. His perception is correct. He remembers how he wanted to commit suicide by cutting his veins with a razor blade and putting his blood-stained hand into hot water. Now he is sorry for the attempt to commit suicide.

Belorussia

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET TO THE
MEDICAL HISTORY

Course of illness.

Oct. 22 Condition satisfactory. [one word illegible] correct. Nutrition slightly decreased. Heart tones: [illegible]. Liver and spleen not [illegible]

AD = 90/65

The patient was visited by the interpreter and the head of the Service Bureau.

Prescriptions

Diet A

Urine and blood analysis [illegible]

surgical examination

Sol. Strych.

0.1% - 1.0

[3 words illegible]

Roentgenoscopy of the thorax

Oct. 23, '59 Lung areas are without focal [illegible] changes. The lung roots are structural.

The diaphragm is mobile, sinuses are free.

The heart is not enlarged. The pulse is

rhythmic, of normal amplitude. Aorta is

without change.

Signature [illegible]

(N.I. Petrovlovskaya)

Transfer epicrisis

Oct. 23 The patient Gussli, Ico, 20 years of age, was admitted to the Psychiatric Department on Oct. 21, '59 in connection with a suicide attempt. The patient arrived in the USSR from the USA on a tourist visa with a firm desire to remain in the Soviet Union.

same day to cut the blood vessels in the lower part of his left forearm with a safety razor blade. After [one word illegible] he kept his arm in hot water until he lost consciousness. The patient is in satisfactory condition. He has no complaints. He revealed in English that he graduated from a technical high-school, he works in the field of radioelectronics, in 3 years he saved enough money to come to the USSR. He engages in sports (football, basketball, swimming). He is interested in artistic and [illegible] literature. At home, only his mother is living. In his physical [condition ?] there are no pathological deviations from the norm.

Blood analysis on Oct. 22

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R - 4,000/ μ - 11 (12.51%), L - 2,000, P - 24, S - 60%, I - 15%,
M - 61, ESR - 12 μ /hr per h.

Urine analysis Oct. 22

No albumin and no sugar found. 1-1-5

In the neurology dept. No [illegible] [symptoms ?]

Psychiatric department

His mind is clear. Perception is correct. No hallucinations or delirium. He answers the questions [illegible] and logically. He has a firm desire to remain in the Soviet Union. No psychotic symptoms were noted. The patient is not dangerous for other people. His condition permits him to stay in the somatic department. By order of the assistant to the chief physician Dr. Ikonnikova, the patient is transferred to the 7th ward.

Solovtsov, I.O.

[Doc. IC 1]

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CLINICAL HOSPITAL - EAR, NOSE AND THROAT DIVISION

(Full sanitary treatment done by the nurse Kelagina)
[second signature illegible]

(money, documents and other valuables were left with the patient. A. Oswald)

Medical History No. 2101-459

Admitted: 10 a.m. March 20, 1951

Discharged: April 11, 1951

Where: home

Parent: Oswald, Harvey Alit

Age: 21, Education: high school

Nationality: American

Where employed and position: Radio plant, radio-technician

Address: Kalinin Street, L-24

Diagnosis when admitted: Chronic otitis media purulenta at the right side, complicated by granulations

Clinical diagnosis: Chronic otitis media purulenta at the right side, complicated by granulations and cholesteatoma. Acoustic I.S.

Accompanying diseases: ascariasis. Piperazine - [therapy?] 7/IV

Operations: Myringotomy, April 1.

Results: improvement

Working ability: retained

Number of days in hospital: 11

Hospital physician: Gvirnovskina

Head of the Dept. [Name ..?]

- 2 -
EAR, NOSE AND THROAT CLINIC
OF MINE

Right ears
(Chart)

Left ears
(Chart)

- 3 -
Clinical Hospital No. 6

Patient: Donald

Dept: Laryngolog.

Analysis of feces:

individ. eggs of ascaridae

March 11, 1961

Chief of Laboratory: [Initialed]

- 4 -
Combined Clinical Hospital No. 1

Minsk

Osuald has been referred to Clinic No. 4, Dept. of otolaryngo-
laryngol. for hospital treatment.

Diagnosis: chronic right-sided otitis media purulenta,
polypsis of the ear.

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Signature

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VIRUS ISOLATION TEST NO. 64

Oswald

Dept. Laryngol.

Seroreaction: not (result)

Negative

April 6, —

Signature [illegible]

Dept: [illegible]

Analysis No. 177

No growth of microbes noted

April 2, 1951

Signature [illegible]

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NIISK

BLOOD ANALYSIS

April 1, 1951

No. 952

Normal

Leucocytic formula

End: 3' 43" min.

Start: 1' min.

Signature [Gras...?]

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UNION ANALYSIS NO. 32

Osmala

Dept. Laryngol.

Amount: 150.

Color: [light amber]

Spec. Gravity: 1025

Albumin: None

Reaction: Alkaline

Transparency: Turbid