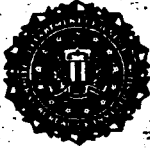


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MEMORANDUM FOR MR. LADD

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Re: [Redacted] Reported Publisher of
Undeatable Article
On Bacterial Warfare

[Redacted] of Mr. Merck's office telephoned me concerning the information we referred to them on [Redacted]. He stated that they have made inquiry of [Redacted] Censorship and have been informed that actually no articles of [Redacted] were published in CLICK, PIC, or BOOK or other American magazines but Censorship ascertained from the editors that the articles were submitted and rejected by the magazines. Censorship has been unable to locate a copy of the TORONTO STAR WEEKLY in Washington but is endeavoring to get a copy from New York or Canada and is going to furnish the same to Merck for his review.

[Redacted] stated Merck was very appreciative of having this information referred to them by the Bureau and that if we make any preliminary investigation they would appreciate receiving a summary of the background of [Redacted]. So far, however, he stated they could find nothing to indicate that [Redacted] had violated any law or even rules on the restriction of publication of such articles.

RECOMMENDATION: For the purpose of completing our own records in this matter it is suggested that the Security Division may desire to institute a sufficient investigation to summarize the background of [Redacted] in the event any subsequent incidents arise which might come within the investigative jurisdiction of the Bureau. It is further recommended that a copy of any such summary be furnished to Merck.

Sir, containing original info from OSS placed on locate 7-19-43. Not located as of 7-31-43. Ltr NY (7-31-43) based on letter to Merck dated 7-14-43

Very truly yours,

E. P. Coffey

FOR DEFENSE

cc-Mr. [Redacted]



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General

It would seem advisable to investigate
the persons responsible for this posed
propaganda, from a photographic standpoint.
This appears to be a 'set-up photo'

Prosecution of those responsible for
the publication of thousands photos of
the desecration of the American Flag should
be done NOW., and exposed to the American
public.

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Respectfully
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MEMORANDUM FOR THE ACTING ASSISTANT TO THE ATTORNEY GENERAL
MR. MATTHEW F. McGUIRE

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The Bureau has received the attached letter from [redacted] to which he attached the front cover of "CLICK" magazine, for June, 1939. You will note on the inside of this cover is what purports to be a picture of an American Bund headquarters, with the American Flag beneath a chair.

I am transmitting herewith one copy of "CLICK" magazine for June, 1939, with the request that you advise me whether any investigation is warranted in the matter.

Very truly yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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MR. MATTHEW F. SHAWNEE

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Reference is made to my memorandum to you of May 16, 1939, to which was attached a copy of "GLIX" magazine for June, 1939, and to your memorandum of May 20, 1939, suggesting that an investigation in this matter be made along with the general investigation being conducted by the Bureau affecting Nazi activities in this country.

The Bureau is now in possession of an article which appeared in the Deutscher Wochruf und Beobachter, the official organ of the German-American Bund, for May 14, 1939, dealing with this matter.

I thought you would be interested in the statement of the German-American Bund on the subject and that this statement might have some bearing upon your opinion in this matter. Consequently I am transmitting one photostatic copy of the said newspaper clipping with the request that you advise me whether the material found in the clipping will affect your judgment expressed in your memorandum of May 20, 1939.

Very truly yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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May 29, 1939

Honorable J. Edgar Hoover, Director
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Dear Mr. Hoover:

Several days ago there appeared in a popular magazine, a picture of the room, said to be occupied by Fritz Kuhn, which showed a table and chair and the American flag used as a floor covering. Constituents of mine have written me in indignation about it and asked me whether the picture was correct.

I will be obliged if you will let me know whether any investigation of this photograph was made and, if so, whether it was a true one, and what has been done about it.

Sincerely yours,

Robert A. Taft
 Robert A. Taft

German American Bund - General

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Honorable Robert A. Taft
United States Senate
Washington, D. C.

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My Dear Senator:

I wish to acknowledge receipt of your letter dated May 29, 1939, setting forth information relative to the appearance in a popular magazine of a picture of the room said to have been occupied by Fritz Kahn which showed a table and chair and the American flag used as a floor covering.

A copy of the photograph described in your letter was previously called to my attention, at which time I referred the matter to Honorable Matthew McGuire, The Acting Assistant to the Attorney General, for the purpose of ascertaining if it was desired that an investigation be conducted concerning this matter.

I am now in receipt of a memorandum from Mr. McGuire suggesting that an investigation of this matter be made along with the general investigation which we are now conducting for the purpose of ascertaining if the German American Bund is subject to the provisions of the Registration Act of Agents of Foreign Principals.

I want to express to you my sincere appreciation for your interest and courtesy in having directed your letter to me.

With expressions of my highest esteem and best regards,

Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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Federal Bureau of Investigation
United States Department of Justice
Boston, Massachusetts

June 2, 1939.

Director,
Federal Bureau of Investigation,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

On May 29, 1939 [redacted] called at the Boston Office and handed Special Agent [redacted] a portion of the magazine called "Click" for June 1939. The portion of the magazine in question contained a large photograph showing in one part of a Bund Headquarters an American flag on the floor under a chair. [redacted] stated he desired to call this photograph to the attention of the Bureau.

This photograph is being forwarded to the Bureau for whatever consideration may be deemed advisable.

Very truly yours,

V. W. Peterson

V. W. PETERSON
Special Agent in Charge

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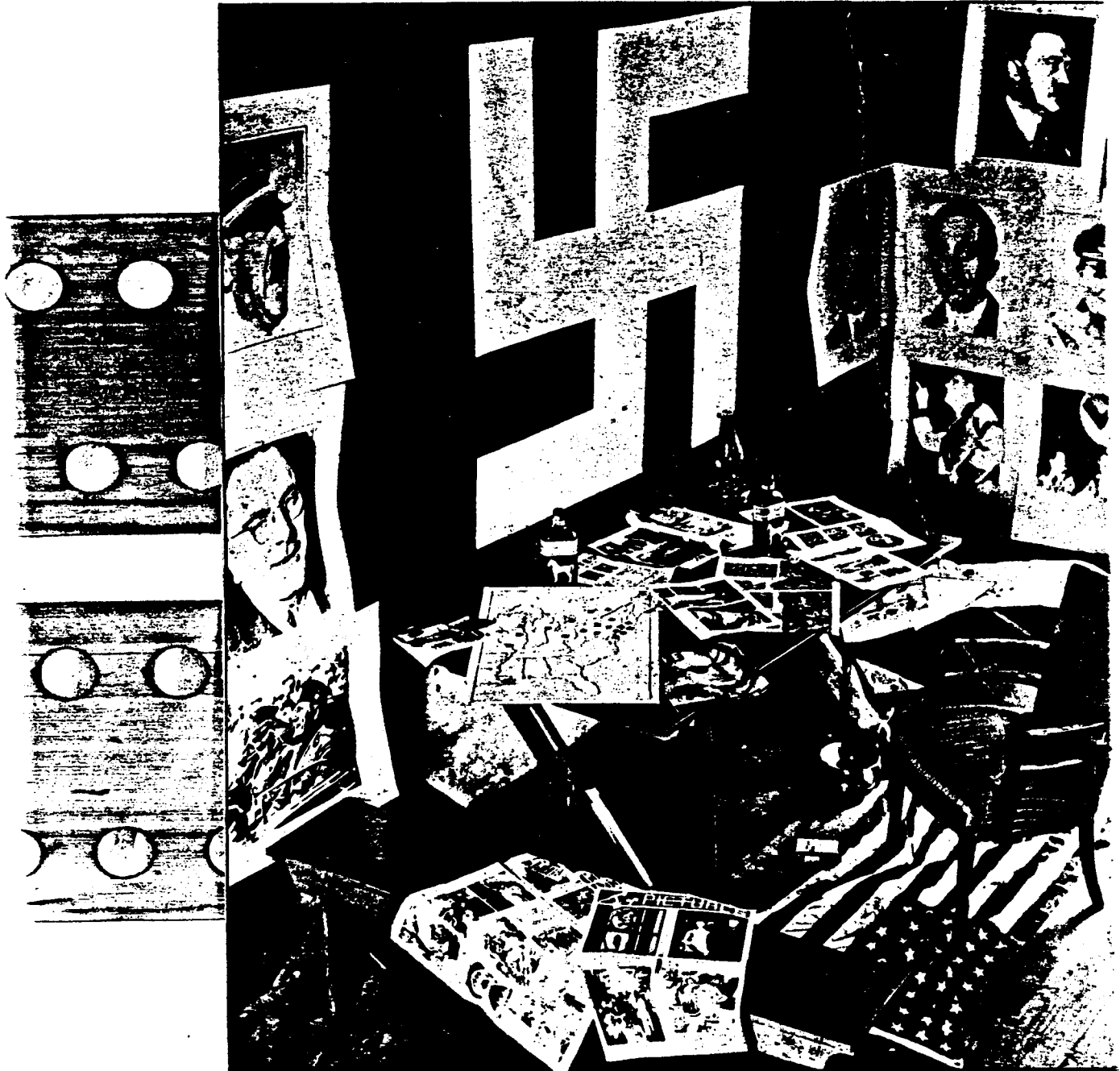
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May 10th, 1939

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

Dear Mr. Hoover:

If perchance this page has not come to your attention, I am wondering if you will care to make an effort to learn where the picture was taken. A number of my comrades have requested this information from the editors of "Click", but I am told that the magazine refused to say where the picture was taken.

With kindest regards.

Cordially,

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Dear [REDACTED]

I desire to thank you for your courtesy in directing to me your letter of May 10, 1939, together with the enclosure attached thereto.

Please be advised that the matter submitted by you will receive appropriate consideration and attention.

Very truly yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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Mr. J. Hoover
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Washington D.C.

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Dear Sir -

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Yours Truly,

An 100% American

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May 24, 1959

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Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

Re: NAZI ACTIVITIES IN U. S.

Dear Sir:

There are forwarded herewith two pamphlets purchased at the Germania Book & Novelty Store.

A pamphlet containing six addresses on the aims and purposes of the German-American Bund, delivered at Madison Square Garden, New York City, on February 20, 1939. The pamphlet is published by the A. V. Publishing Corporation, P.O. Box 24, Station K, New York City.

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"Wolves in Sheep's Clothing", a pamphlet published by the Sodality Union of Washington, D. C., and copyrighted by that organization in October, 1937. This pamphlet is described as being "An Authentic portrayal of the perfidious proposals of Communism and Socialism in their real setting, as masks and devices, employed by amazingly organized and financially powerful occult forces, bent upon world conquest". On pages 27 to 37 will be found material indicating that the pamphlet is definitely anti-Semitic propaganda.

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There is also submitted a copy of the June, 1939, issue of "Click", the so-called national picture monthly. Attention is invited to the illustration on the inside of the front cover, under the title "Using the American Flag as a Carpet at a Nazi Camp". The text under the illustration reads as follows:

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The familiar faces of the barbarians whose followers are trying to undermine this country can be clearly recognized on the walls. The face to the extreme left under the shouting Hitler is that of Fritz Kuhn, known to the Nazis of this country as the "National American Fuehrer." On the table in this amazing room appears a map of the United States dotted with swastikas locating bund camps already launched. Hitler's swastika on the wall towers over the American flag rumped under a whiskey bottle and near a cuspidor and used as a carpet by the Nazi betrayers of the benevolent protection of Old Glory!"

It will be noted that the Swastika is white on a plain black background, instead of a black swastika on a circular white background. Cuspidors are an American institution and would hardly be used at a real German Camp. The American flag seems quite clean, considering the use to which it has been put.

This matter of the alleged desecration of the American flag was brought to the attention of this office by [REDACTED] New York City.

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Instructions are respectfully requested as to whether the Bureau desires any inquiry be made of Emile Gauvreau, the Editor of "Click", to ascertain the location of the Camp where this picture was made and other pertinent information regarding this activity of the German-American Bund. In connection with this matter attention is invited to the reference to the F.B.I. in the editorial on page 5.

Very truly yours,

Dwight Brantley

DWIGHT BRANTLEY
Special Agent in Charge.

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June 27, 1939

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Special Agent in Charge
New York City

Re: NAZI ACTIVITIES IN THE
UNITED STATES

Dear Sir:

With reference to your letter of May 24, 1939, with which you enclosed a copy of Click magazine for June, 1939, you are advised that the Philadelphia Office is undertaking an investigation relative to the photograph which appeared on the inside of the front cover of this issue of Click.

Very truly yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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Attention: Mr. J. Edgar Hoover

Gentlemen:

I am enclosing the cover of "Click
Magazine" depicting a room in one of the
American ^{Congress} Bund Headquarters, which is
a disgrace ^{to Germany} to America and the American
people.

If such a thing is possible in this
country, it is my opinion the person or persons
responsible for this outrage against America
and the American flag, should be proceeded
to the limit. If the person or persons responsible
for this is of the so called American Bund
they should be "deported".

I cannot understand why we need
an American Bund in this country.

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USING THE AMERICAN FLAG AS A CARPET AT A NAZI CAMP!



THIS photograph speaks for itself. No loyal American need look at it more than once to grasp its full significance. It was taken through the second-story window of an American Bund headquarters in one of the camps now rapidly dotting the map of the United States. The familiar faces of the barbarians whose followers are trying to undermine this country can be clearly recognized on the walls. The face to the extreme left under the

showing Hitler is that of Fritz Kuhn, known to the Nazis of this country as the "National American Fuehrer." On the table in this amazing room appears a map of the United States dotted with swastikas locating bund camps already launched. Hitler's swastika on the wall towers over the American flag rumpiled under a whiskey bottle and near a cuspidor and used as a carpet by the Nazi betrayers of the benevolent protection of Old Glory!

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Dear [Redacted]

I desire to thank you for your letter of May 16, 1939, signed by you and [Redacted] together with the enclosure attached thereto.

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Very truly yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

CC - New York City

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THE AMERICAN LEGION
HEADQUARTERS
DEPARTMENT OF PENNSYLVANIA

Bristol Pa., September 27, 1939.

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

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My dear Mr. Hoover:

Some few weeks ago, the [redacted] District Commander of the American Legion, received a letter from our National Headquarters to look into the Deutsche-Hurst Country Club, located here in Bucks County, it was in reference to a picture that appeared in June issue of Click magazine, the District Commander with some other members of the Legion, paid a surprise visit, as they thought to this camp, and could find nothing that would warrant to say that this picture was taken at this camp, but the members of this District have not been satisfied with what has lately taken place at this camp, namely the visit of Fritz Kuhn.

We have had a change of District officers, [redacted] and I don't want to let this thing slide as [redacted] did, we stand ready to assist your men at any time we can.

I am going to arrange a visit to the camp on Friday October the 6th, thru some men I know that have connections with this group, I shall take the previous Committee along with me, so that we can clear up several items that to my mind have not been cleared up. Now I have been wondering whether or not you could detail one of your men to come here to Bristol, ride up to this camp with me, say as a member of my Legion Post here in Bristol so that he could set in on the discussion, as an observer for the Department.

Your Mr. [redacted] will remember me from his visit here last November, he know how much I am interested in these matters, so if you can detail some one of your men here or to Sellersville I shall be glad to have them.

With kind personal regards, I remain
Sincerely Yours,

The American Legion,
120 Jefferson Ave.,
Bristol Pa.

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October 9, 1939

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The American Legion
120 Jefferson Avenue
Bristol, Pennsylvania

My dear [REDACTED]

Upon receipt of your communication of September 27, 1939, I instructed the Special Agent in Charge of my Philadelphia office, Mr. H. B. Fletcher, to contact you by telephone and explain the Bureau's position at the present time in situations of this kind.

I do want you to know that I am sincerely appreciative of the motives which prompted you to communicate with me and to assure you of my desire to cooperate with you at all times within the limitations of the jurisdiction of the Bureau as created by Congressional enactment.

Sincerely,

CC to SAC, Philadelphia

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My dear Mr. Brown: You may have this information but in case you have not I will present to the June number of "Globe" Magazine is a picture of a man using the American flag to wipe his feet. I am very happy to know that you have at least bought up with the notorious Nazi. I went thru the struggle in 1917-18

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Kind regards from [REDACTED]

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Dear [Redacted]

Your kindness in furnishing me the information
contained in your letter of October 1, 1939, is sincerely
appreciated.

Please be assured that this Bureau is making every
effort to familiarize itself with all matters pertaining
to espionage and sabotage activities in the United States.

Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

cc Philadelphia

- Mr. Tolson.....
- Mr. Nathan.....
- Mr. E. A. Tamm.....
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Federal Bureau of Investigation
United States Department of Justice
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

June 20, 1939

Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

Re: GERMAN AMERICAN BUND; *Phila. del. 6/21/39*
SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITIES

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to my letter dated June 19, 1939, which in turn made reference to Bureau letter of June 3, 1939, concerning the interview to be conducted with the proper officials of "CLICK" magazine to ascertain the circumstances surrounding the picture appearing in the June issue of this magazine depicting the American flag being used as a floor covering.

It will be noted that, in my letter of June 19, 1939, no copy was indicated for the New York City Office, although a copy of this letter was, in fact, furnished that office.

It is, therefore, respectfully requested that the Bureau copies of the above-mentioned letter be corrected to show that the New York City Office did receive a copy of said letter.

Very truly yours,

H. B. Fletcher

H. B. Fletcher
Special Agent in Charge

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United States Department of Justice
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania**

June 19, 1939

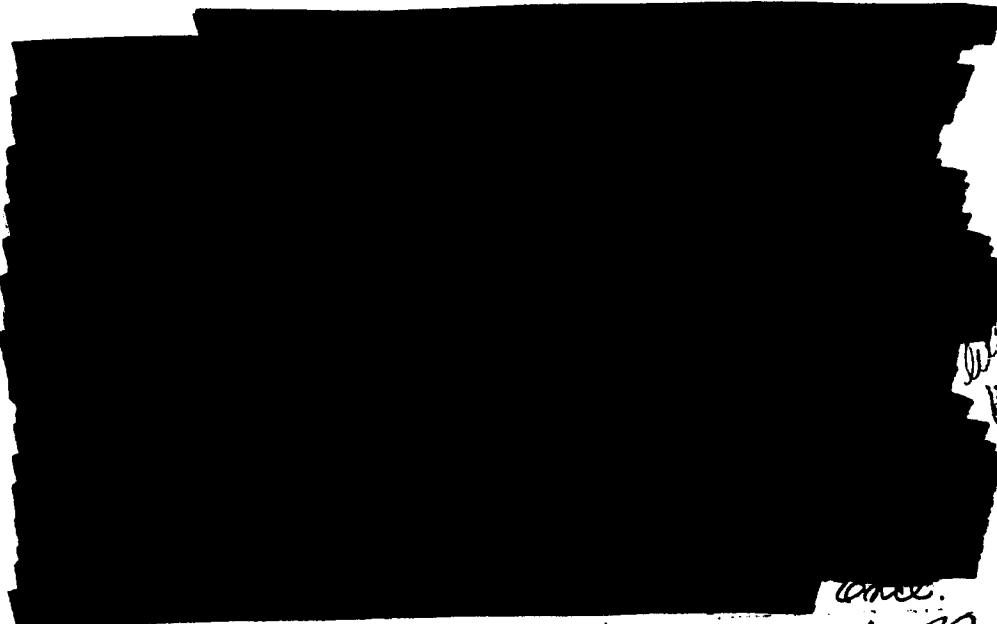
Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D. C.

Re: GERMAN AMERICAN BUND;
SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITIES

Dear Sir:

With reference to your letter of June 3, 1939, wherein you requested that this office purchase a "CLICK" magazine for June, 1939 and conduct the necessary investigation relative to a photograph of a room said to have been occupied by FRITZ KUHN, leader of the German American Bund, which shows a table and chair and the American flag used as a floor covering, please be advised that [REDACTED] was interviewed and submitted the following facts concerning this photograph.

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June 24, 1939

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Special Agent in Charge
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

RE: GERMAN-AMERICAN BUND -
SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITIES

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to your letter of June 19, 1939, concerning your inquiry of officials of "CLICK" magazine with regard to the photograph appearing in its June issue showing the American Flag used as a floor covering. It is noted that, unless instructed to the contrary, your office will conduct no further investigation in this matter.

Reference is now made to your letter of May 27, 1939, disclosing certain information furnished to you by [redacted] it appearing that [redacted] is willing to furnish certain additional information to this Bureau, if so requested. In view of [redacted]'s connection with the German-American Bund, it is desired that he be interviewed concerning the photograph appearing in "CLICK" magazine, in an effort to determine whether such practices have been engaged in by Bund members in Philadelphia at their camp meetings. It may be possible for [redacted] through discreet interviews with Bund members, to ascertain whether the photograph is bona fide or whether it is a "setup" used for purposes of an attack upon the German-American Bund and the Nazi movement in this country.

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It is believed that discreet inquiries can be made by [redacted] through his friends among the Bund members in Philadelphia, to ascertain the truth which lies behind this photograph.

Very truly yours,

John Edgar Hoover
Director

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Form No. 1
THIS CASE ORIGINATED AT **NEW YORK, N. Y.** FILE NO. **61-47**

REPORT MADE AT PHILADELPHIA, PA.	DATE WHEN MADE 8-1-39	PERIOD FOR WHICH MADE 6/6;7/28/39	REPORT MADE BY [REDACTED] b7C
TITLE GERMAN-AMERICAN BUND		CHARACTER OF CASE SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITIES	
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-RUC- <i>61-7591-7</i>			
REFERENCE:	Bureau letters dated June 24, and July 26, 1939.		
DETAILS:	<p>After several unsuccessful attempts to locate [REDACTED] reporting Agent contacted [REDACTED] of the Post Office, located at 7th and Thompson Streets, in an effort to ascertain [REDACTED]'S present address. At the time of this interview [REDACTED] stated [REDACTED] had left no forwarding address and had moved from [REDACTED] Street about a month prior.</p> <p>Agent made several inquiries in the neighborhood of [REDACTED] Street and it was ascertained that [REDACTED] had moved to [REDACTED]</p> <p><i>File - reg. - 8/1/39 1 form for P.C. but not rip to date 8/5/39</i></p> <p>Reporting Agent located [REDACTED]</p>		
APPROVED AND FORWARDED: <i>H. C. [Signature]</i>	SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE	DO NOT WRITE IN THESE SPACES	
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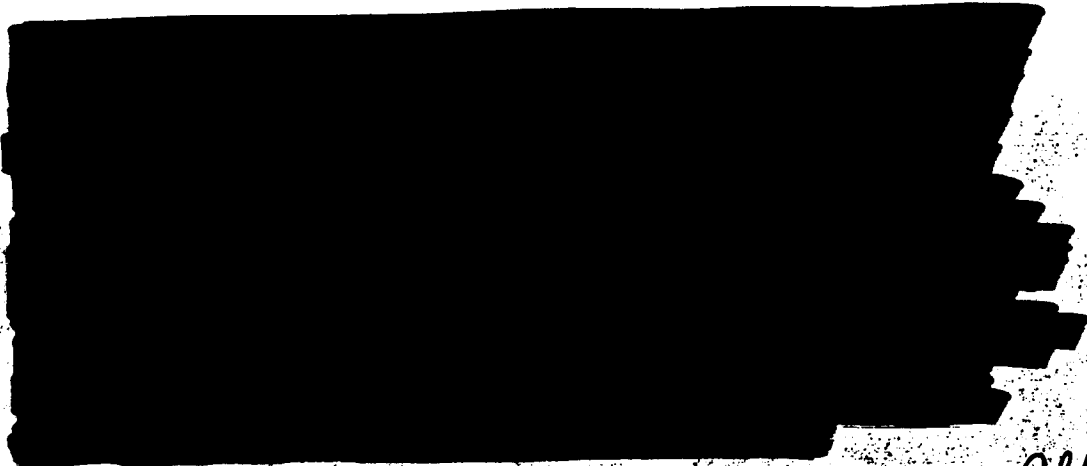
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[REDACTED] was questioned concerning the picture appearing in the June issue of the Click Magazine, which picture is alleged to have been taken at the Bund Camp located three miles west of Sellersville, Pa. and showed the American flag being used as a floor covering.

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Reporting Agent took a trip to the Camp which is located about three miles west of Sellersville, Pa. and observed the outside of the buildings and grounds. It should be noted that the place was exactly as described by [redacted] in one of the preceding paragraphs. The land consisted of about three or four acres square and there is located an old stone building known as the Old Mill. In this building is a tap room and eating place. It is located on a creek which apparently is used by members as a swimming place. A short distance from this building is located an old barn which is open in the front and was empty. Approximately one-half mile in the rear of the barn was an old building which has been mentioned in the earlier part of this report and known as the House of Seven Gables. This house is approximately one block off of the main road between Sellersville and Telford and is visible from the main road. There is a driveway leading to this building and Agent drove up this driveway and observed the House of Seven Gables from the outside. It was noted that the windows of the building are completely boarded with the shades drawn and appeared not to have been occupied for several months. It was more or less in a dilapidated condition. There was no one on the grounds which were in an unsightly condition and gave the appearance as if the place has been deserted for some time. There appeared to be no activity within the Camp which appeared to be a summer resort and there was a large playground there for children. On the grounds there was one flat level stretch approximately 50' wide and 100 yards long which was smooth and well taken care of and at the end of this strip of ground appeared three or four square markers approximately 6' square. This is apparently the rifle range referred to by [redacted] at the time of interview as mentioned in letter from the Philadelphia Office to the Bureau dated June 19, 1939.

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In the absence of further instructions from the Bureau
no additional investigation will be conducted in this matter.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

DATE September 28, 1943

MEMORANDUM FOR THE DIRECTOR

Re: ⁰Walter Winchell Broadcast
September 26, 1943

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Reference is made to the attached memorandum which was directed to me on September 26, 1943 by Special Agent [redacted] and to your inquiry concerning background information relative to Allan Chase [redacted]

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As a matter of information, it is pointed out that [REDACTED] Chase [REDACTED] was the publicity director of the North American Committee to Aid Spanish Democracy, [REDACTED] subsequently functioned as the editor of the magazine "Friday", [REDACTED] Chase and was also connected with "Click" magazine and the newspaper "PM."

Respectfully,

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D. M. Ladd

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JOHN EDGAR HOOVER
DIRECTOR

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Federal Bureau of Investigation
United States Department of Justice
Washington, D. C.
September 26, 1943

Mr. Tolson	✓
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Mr. Clegg	✓
Mr. Coffey	✓
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Time of Broadcast: 9:00 P.M.
Dictated: 11:00 P.M.

MEMORANDUM FOR MR. LADD

RE: WALTER WINCHELL BROADCAST
SEPTEMBER 26, 1943

The following comments concerning matters apparently of interest to the Bureau were made by Mr. Winchell during the course of his broadcast on this date.

1. Sabotage matter -- Train wreck at Charlottesville, Virginia (Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad), September 26, 1943.

Mr. Winchell stated: "Charlottesville, Va. Another train wreck is reported. A passenger train carrying German prisoners of war. The train's fireman is dead. Several Nazis and a number of the U. S. Military guards are seriously hurt."

The Richmond Office advised at 1:20 P.M. today that Prisoners Train No. 53866 on the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad had been wrecked or derailed five or six miles from Charlottesville, Virginia, between 10 and 11 A.M. this morning. The train was carrying approximately 380 prisoners of war who were guarded by three officers, 85 members of the Military Police and one medical officer. The baggage car, tourist car, dining car and three passenger coaches were derailed and the engineer was killed. The number of casualties in addition to the engineer was not known at the time the Richmond Office advised the Bureau of this accident. The situation was reported to be well in hand and only one prisoner was known to have escaped. The prisoners, whose exact type were unknown, were being adequately cared for by the Military Police present at the scene. Agents of the Richmond Office were immediately sent to the scene of the accident in order to determine if the wreck or derailment was an act of sabotage. Military authorities were appropriately advised of the accident.

A subsequent teletype from the Richmond Office at 10:07 P.M. tonight stated that the train had actually been wrecked near Shadwell, Virginia at 9:55 A.M. killing the engineer and fireman. Seven members of the Military Police were hospitalized at Charlottesville, Virginia, and two of the German prisoners of war are hospitalized at Woodrow Wilson Army Hospital, Staunton, Virginia. Four members of the train crew were also stated to be injured. This teletype indicated that all the prisoners of war were maintained under complete control by military authorities. Preliminary investigation reflects the train was proceeding approximately 60 miles per hour through a new switch in spite of the fact that the engineer had received written orders to proceed at that point at 15 miles per hour. Possession by the engineer of these orders was verified. Investigation and inquiry among railroad officials

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Mr. Winchell stated: "Omaha -- For the second time in the last two years, Ladies and Gentlemen, the American Legion denounced the Honorable Hamilton Fish of New York. At their annual convention the American Legion passed a resolution accusing Congressman Fish of permitting his frank to be used by a person waiting trial on charges of sedition. That man's name is Leon de Aryan of San Diego, California. Mr. Fish vigorously denies that he gave such permission and he says he never met de Aryan. Well, Hirohito never met Adolf Hitler either, but that's beside the point. Giving Congressman Fish the benefit of all doubts he can easily stop Leon de Aryan and any others from using his frank since it is against the Postal laws for anybody to use a Congressman's free mailing privileges. Why doesn't Congressman Fish swear out a complaint against this man. Ummm? Why doesn't he? Congressman Fish should have the same faith in any United States Court as he expects us to have in his words."

Mr. Winchell later in his broadcast added the following comments relative to Congressman Fish:

Mr. Winchell stated: "And that, Ladies and Gentlemen, winds up another Jergen's Journal until next Sunday night at the very same time. Until then, and with lotions of love, I remain your New York correspondent, Walter Winchell, who knows that there is a shortage of meat in America but the American Legion seems to believe that there is too much Fish in Washington, D. C. Goodnight."

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De Aryan, you will recall, is one of the 34 subjects presently under indictment in Washington, D. C., for conspiracy to violate the Sedition Statutes.

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7. Book "Falange," written by Allan Chase.

Mr. Winchell stated: "John Malon of Philadelphia. The name of the book you probably mean is "Falange," F A L A N G E, Falange, by Allan Chase. It is another of those devastating exposes which unmask

those working for Franco against us over here. The author, Allan Chase, ought to get a medal."

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"Falange" has been reviewed and found to contain no factual information not already in the possession of the Bureau. The book is overrun with conjectures, with statements that are exaggerated and with statements of opinion. Furthermore, the majority of the statements and allegations made by Chase regarding alleged Falangist activities in the United States and other countries in the Western Hemisphere are definitely known to be without foundation.

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During the fall of 1942 Chase traveled to Puerto Rico and in the Central American countries for the purpose of securing information for his book. Practically all of the information he obtained on this trip could be secured from the public libraries in San Juan and Cuba.

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It was apparent from the review that this book is critical of the State Department's foreign policy towards Spain. Prior to the publication of "Falange," all interested Government agencies were advised that it was to be published.

Several leading individuals in the Spanish colony of the United States have either instituted or contemplated instituting libel and slander suits against Chase and the J. P. Putnam Publishing Company which published his book.

8. Comments relative to the death of Dr. Kurt Rosenfeld, who fined Hitler for contempt of court.

Mr. Winchell stated: "New York -- A great man is dead. His name is Dr. Kurt Rosenfeld. He once fined Adolf Hitler a thousand marks for contempt of court in a town in Germany."

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The January-February, 1942, issue of Click magazine contained an article and pictures entitled "The Real Story of Hitler in Chile". As was reflected in my memorandum dated December 23, 1941, the pictures appearing in the Click magazine, together with other pictures and material, were received by the Bureau by reference from Mr. George A. McNulty of the Department of Justice on September 19, 1941 and were furnished to interested agencies at that time.

DETAILS

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A summary of information on taken from the files, is attached herewith.

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[REDACTED] is being requested to furnish complete details regarding this matter and to furnish full information on the activities of [REDACTED]

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