

Bud via JL, re deMohrenschildt records

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There is a doublecross on the deMohrenschildt records I was to get. I do not believe that my fighting for deM records now is as important to me as fighting for other records. So I'm writing to see if you want them because if you do, all you need do is pay the copying costs. The searching is done and you can't be charged for that. Jim has the worksheets. These prove the searching is done.

This is the Dallas field office case. I was to have gotten all the deM records. Months went by and something happened to Shea, I suppose pressures in which he evaluates his own position. I am certain in my own mind on this, as of last November or so.

It appears that the FBI was going to try to avoid giving me any of these records at all. Under the agreement presented to the court they were to have provided all by a month ago, by sometime in May. But none of these records were processed until May and some not until June. This is to say that they did nothing until Jim hollered at the attorney.

It is hard to avoid the suspicion that there can be interesting stuff in what they are withholding as outside scope and outside the fee waiver. I have other reasons for believing that this is the case - that they don't want to disclose the stuff. The early records, pretty certainly, have much on his early days in the U.S. and his history before then.

Most of what they let me have adds nothing to what was always available. However, there are a few records that did seem to give a different picture of them and I've made copies of them for you.

From the worksheets you can see that they have seven sections in this ^{Dallas} one file. There is a separate file on his wife, nee La Gon. There also is another Dallas file that at the least holds mention of him. All 1950s.

If you want them Jim can phone the FBI and say that without prejudice to my rights and because of the interest of others we will pay those copying costs, reserving the right to get them back. You can give him a check and he can then pay them with his own.

I'm sure there are others who are interested in George but I'm not writing them.

Best wishes,