

Mr. Sam Jaffe
6510 Bradley Blvd.
Bethesda, Md.

7627 Old Receiver Road
Frederick, Md. 21701
9/9/79

Dear Mr. Jaffe,

If you and your counsel have had no search from FBIHQ 94 files you may have missed much.

The FBI's fiction is that all its records can be retrieved from Central Records and its index. Nonsense. The Divisions had and have separate files.

They use the field offices for records they do not want at HQ. They can retrieve from the field offices and deny based on a search of the Central Records index. Each field office has its own regular and special indices, if you haven't learned this yet.

Monitoring what you said, as on talk shows, may be under "SO. Laboratory Research Matters." At HQ the Lab tapes my shows.

Only those who have lived through it can believe the viciousness of those authoritarians. I've experienced a few of their evils. Like their telling LBJ when he got interested in my work that my wife and I annually celebrated the Russian Revolution. Actually it was a Jewish Welfare Board outing for Washington area service personnel and their families - and not in November but after the high holidays.

Oh, yes - if you don't know about ticklers it is probable that each Division with an interest in you had a tickler on you. With a current case there should not have been any destruction. I've found in ticklers what did not come from other searches - like having me filed under bank robberies in at least five files! None of this was provided in response to my RA request and none in the major case records of what it was part.

Sometimes it is easy to figure out which supervisor kept the tickler from other records.

Field offices have auxiliary offices or residencies. They have their own records. Remember Media? You may be within the turf of the Hyattsville residency of the Baltimore Field Office. The Navy Hospital is.

If I can help let me know.

Best wishes,

Harold Weisberg