

Dear Ms. Koone,

9/15/92

Reur 1., the Coordinator of Information office was established after the outbreak of war in Europe and before Pearl Harbor.

Your 2. I am not a lawyer, not from Baltimore and I never knew of any Weisbergs in Baltimore. If I'd known of Fred I'd have been interested in whether we were related through our families before they came to the US.

Your 3. I was never a spook and thus had few contacts with operations in OSS. I never heard of it bringing Jews here, I presume from Europe, with forged documents.

I've been trying to think of someone who might know about those projects who might still be alive. You might try an outfit that ignored my request for membership, the Association of Former Intelligence Officers. They might know of members who were in operations in OSS or in headquarters or of those later in the CIA who might have known about it.

Another possibility might be the Anti-Defamation League of the B'nai Brith.

I suggest the New York office would be best to write, the national office.

I'm not familiar with the bus service. I know it has been reduced. There are a few daily between here and Baltimore and Washington.

Best wishes,

  
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Dear Sir:

Thanks much for your letter of September 1, 1992 in reply to mine of 8/26/92.  
This raises a question.

I.  
You state - quote: "I know I got some relating to me from the 'Coordinator of Information's files', which the OSS inherited, from the CIA. "  
Do you mean by "CIA" the Central Intelligence Association which was in existence from before WWI, thru the intervening period, and to the early WWII. \_\_\_\_\_

I am aware there was a few months in which Roosevelt had a sort of personal intelligence agency of his very own in his office.

II. 1940's  
Are you by any chance a Baltimore lawyer related to the early one/named Fred Weisberg?  
Are you Jewish - German or Russian?

III.  
In your OSS travels-sojourn-employment, did you run into the OSS's operation movement of 'illegal Jews' into the U.S.A. under cover of forged documents. I already know of possibly seven (7) operation locations for this activity - vast numbers of them.  
If you know of the existence of the operation - Do you know ANY CODE NAMES. Never mind the F.B.I. and the various Military Service Operations - I already have some of them also.

Thanks for any help you can give. If I can find the possible bus service available, I might come to Frederick where perhaps the subject can be discussed.

Thanks much for your reply. You can just make notes on this letter and return it if you find it will save your time.

Very truly yours,



Alice Koone