

Dear Paul,

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As you know I have a source with some knowledge of spook mind-bending plans and experiments. Based on some of this and other things I did the rough of a script idea. Same guy.

While I cannot now take time to even look at other records I keep trying to get all possible. Recently I sent him several thousand more pages. He called me tonight to tell me what he thinks he sees in them. He says that are exceptionally important. In many ways this can be true without it holding any Hollywood interest.

These people actually planned beginning about 1950 to use some of these methods as a means of warfare. I had come to that conclusion but lacked documentary proof. They even broke it down into defensive and aggressive uses. They got it to where they could administer drugs and then engage in deep interrogations no recollection of which remained in the subject's mind.

There is one memo in which one who was carried away with it all listed this as one of the three major means of waging war, after nuclear and conventional.

As I was certain, you may recall, its beginnings go back farther than the earlier records indicated. Now clearly to 1950 because I have records of that date. Two of those involved were Helms and Angleton. They are on these early records.

I have all the records I've obtained. I've made copies for this fellow. He is going over the copies. He is unhappy that I have not been able to spend more time on this subject in which he has interest for special reasons.

I have not been able to persuade him to make notes as he reads. But I think I've persuaded him to tape notes and send me the tapes. I can then listen to them, if a bit at a time, when I walk. And get what he sees from them this way.

I have no reason to believe you'll find someone of interest. So I'm merely letting you know there is more.

One thing that occurred to me while he and I were talking is that a reversal might make for acceptability. That is, in stead of these being US records with US people going ape over the Russians, the identical language the other way around, them going ape. As who knows, they also may have.

Playing this frightful stuff straight, as authentic patriotism, the way it which it was conceived, would really be stark, have frightening impact.

I'm hoping to be walking more. No trouble with it today. The distance is still limited. But I can listen to tapes when I walk and I now do it three times a day. If any of these tapes hold any interest I can send them along.

Today I made an appointment with a doctor who has a special reputation in the areas of my problems. I'll be seeing him in three weeks.

Jim has already told me of a Parade story I'd clipped from yesterday's section. It seems the Germans are dissolving clots in animals with ultrasound. Speed the day!

Best,