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TO

DIRECTOR, FBI
ATT: DIVISION #6
SAC, NEW YORK

DATE: 1/17/55

FROM

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SUBJECT:

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TO : Director, FBI

FROM : SAC, New York

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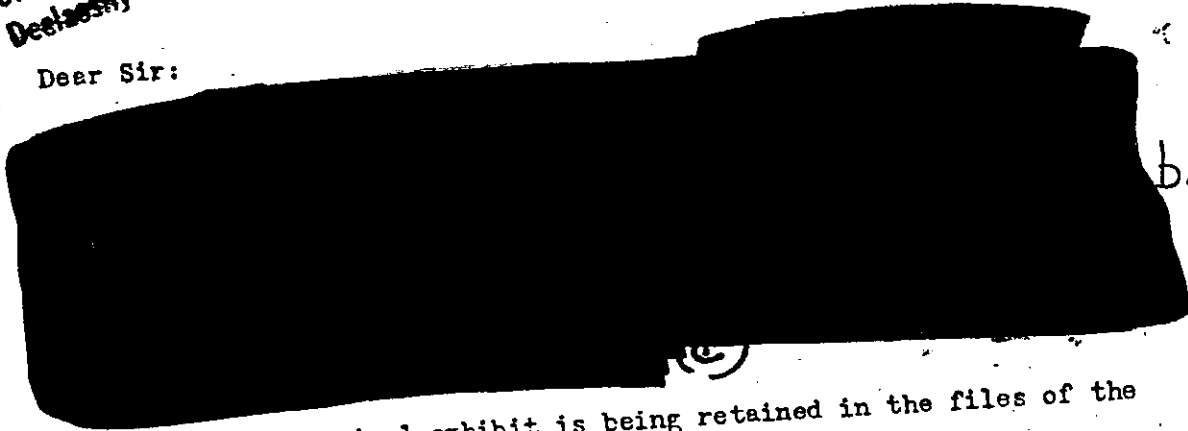
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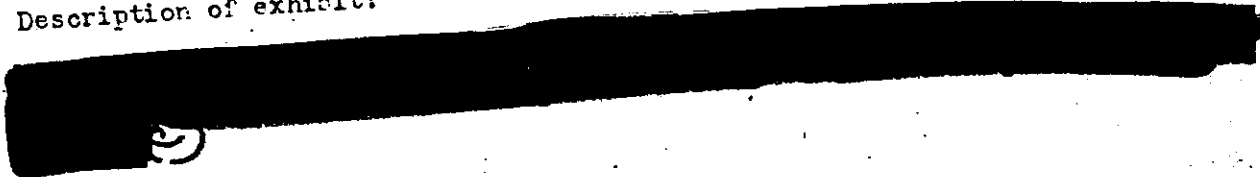
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INTERNAL SECURITY - C
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Dear Sir:



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Very truly yours,

Edward Scheidt

EDWARD SCHEIDT
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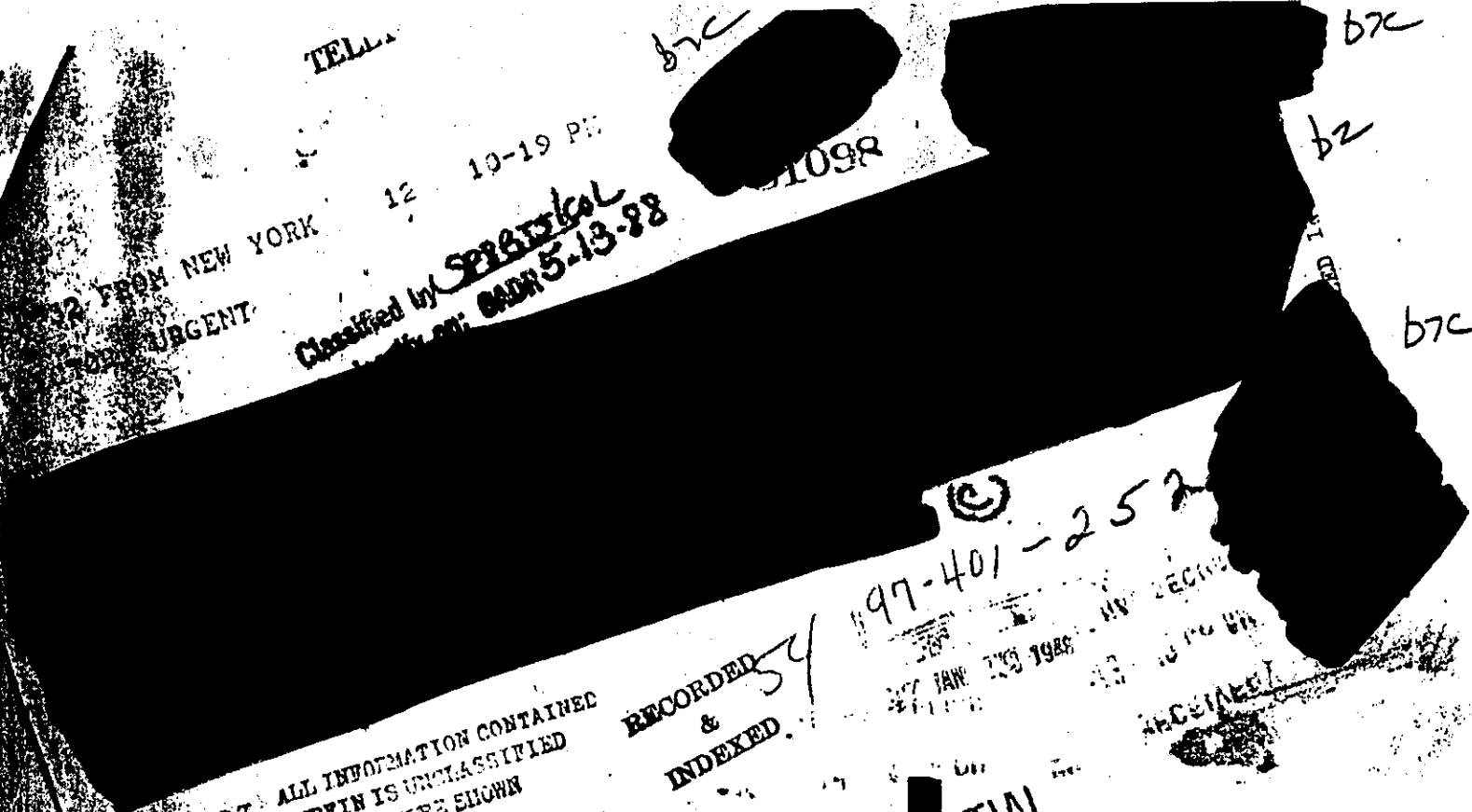
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TO : Director, FBI

FROM : SAC, New York

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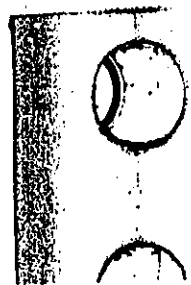
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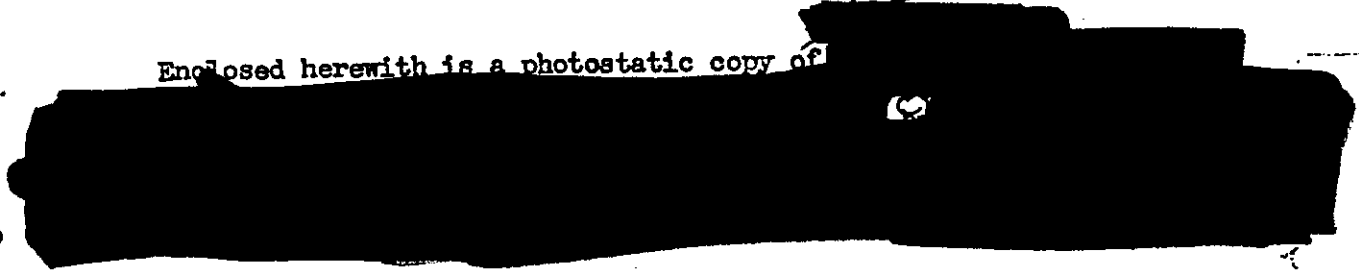
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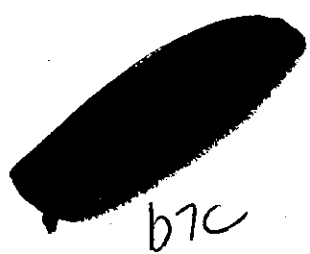


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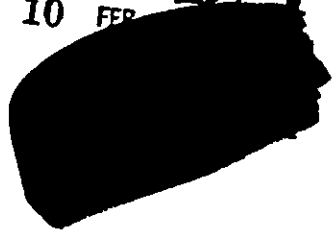


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Director, FBI

RE: FREEDOM OF THE PRESS, INC.
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CC: [REDACTED] (CP, USA National Office)

Very truly yours,

Edward Scheidt

EDWARD SCHEIDT
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Reference is made to your letter of February 21, 1948, entitled "Freedom of the Press, Inc., Internal Security - C," with which there was transmitted a photostatic copy

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It is desired that you handle this matter immediately and submit the desired material to the Bureau as expeditiously as possible.

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Office Memorandum - UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

DATE: February 18, 1948

TO : Director, FBI

FROM : SAC, Detroit

SUBJECT: FREEDOM OF THE PRESS COMPANY, INC.
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

As previously advised under the caption "PEOPLES EDUCATIONAL AND PUBLISHING ASSOCIATION, INTERNAL SECURITY - C", [REDACTED]

Enclosed herewith is one copy of [REDACTED]

The Bureau is requested to advise whether it is desired [REDACTED]

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February 27, 1948

SAC, Detroit

Director, FBI

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Reference is made to your memorandum dated February 18, 1948, in which you pointed out [REDACTED]

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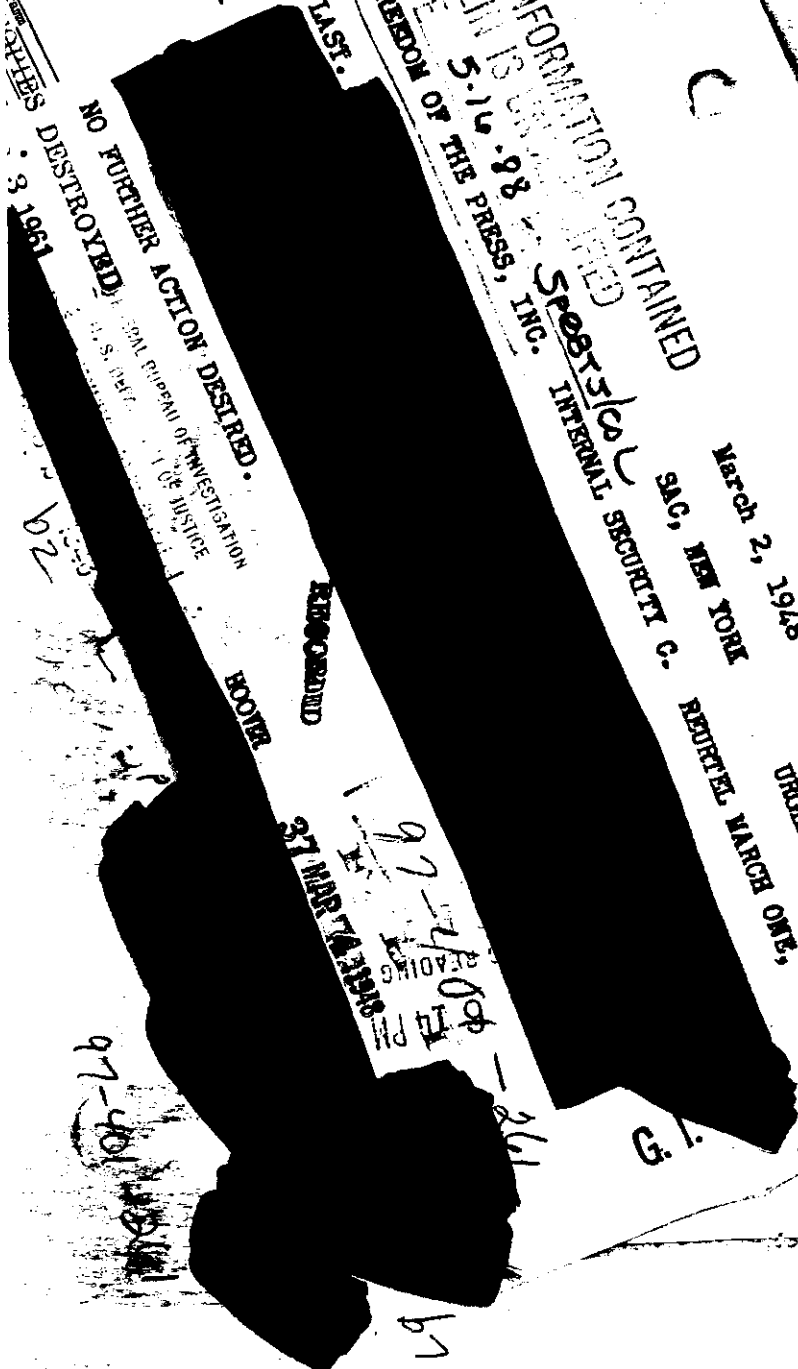
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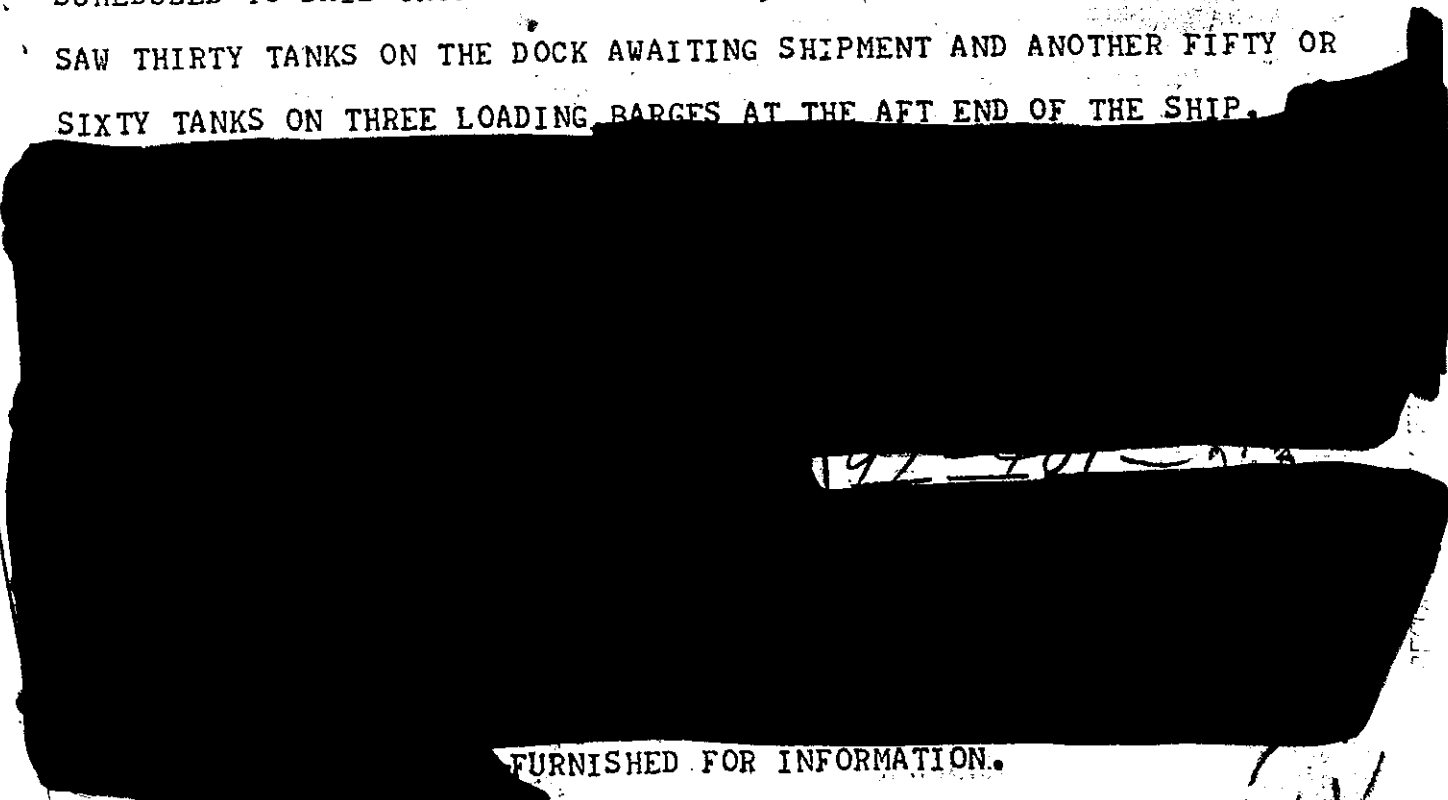
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FREEDOM OF THE PRESS, INC. INTERNAL SECURITY C. FRONT PAGE ARTICLE IN
DAILY WORKER TODAY HEADLINED 'FRANCO SHIP LOADING TANKS AT BROOKLYN
PIER/. THIS ARTICLE BY ART SHIELDS STATES THAT HE, SHIELDS AND OTHER
OBSERVERS SAW TANKS MARKED 'U.S. ARMY' AND 'U.S. ORD' BEING HOISTED
ABOARD THE SS 'MOTOMAR SEVILLA', A SHIP OF FRANCO SPAIN WHICH IS
SCHEDULED TO SAIL THURSDAY FOR BILBOA, SPAIN. SHIELDS STATED THAT HE
SAW THIRTY TANKS ON THE DOCK AWAITING SHIPMENT AND ANOTHER FIFTY OR
SIXTY TANKS ON THREE LOADING BARGES AT THE AFT END OF THE SHIP.



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cc: Mr. Ladd

Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: April 3, 1948

FROM : SAC, NEWARK

SUBJECT: FREEDOM OF THE PRESS, INC.
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To: The Commissioner
Bureau of Customs
Washington, D. C.

From: John Edgar Hoover - Director, FBI

Re: Loading of Tanks Aboard SS Motomar Sevilla
at Brooklyn Pier; Neutrality Act

The New York Office of this Bureau has informed that an article appearing on the front page of the "Daily Worker" in New York dated March 1, 1948, carried the following headlines "Franco Ship Loading Tanks at Brooklyn Pier." This article, which was written by Art Shields, "Daily Worker" reporter, stated that Shields and others observed some Army tanks marked "U. S. Army" and "U. S. Ord." being hoisted aboard the SS Motomar Sevilla, a Spanish ship which was scheduled to depart for Balboa on Thursday, March 4, 1948. Shields declared in his article that he observed thirty tanks on the dock awaiting shipment and there were another fifty or sixty tanks on three loading barges at the aft end of the ship.



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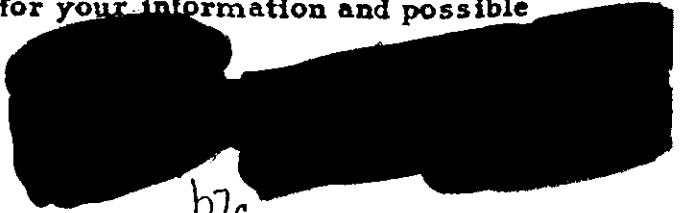
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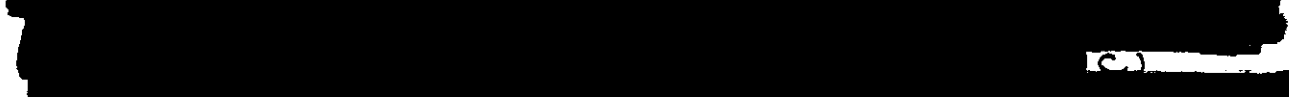
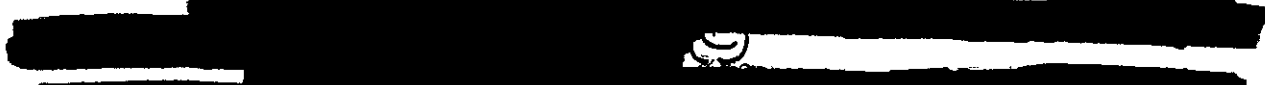
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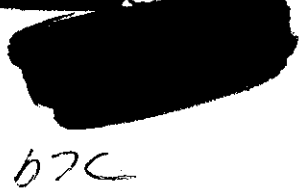
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The above is being submitted for the information of the Bureau and the Washington Field Office.

Very truly yours,

Edward Scheidt

EDWARD SCHEIDT
SAC

cc: Washington Field

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SAC, New York

April 10, 1948

Director, FBI

FREEDOM OF THE PRESS, INC.
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

The New York office is requested to furnish to the Bureau two copies of the Wednesday, April 7, 1948 issue of the Daily Worker. These two copies should be furnished by cover letter in compliance with this request.

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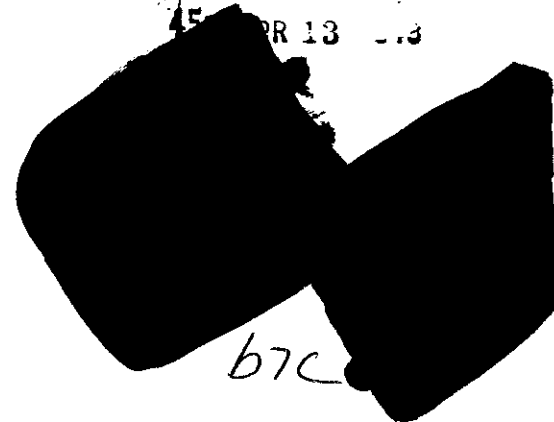
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Office Memorandum

TO : Director, FBI

FROM : SAC, New York

SUBJECT: FREEDOM OF THE PRESS - C
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Transmitted herewith are two copies of the Daily Worker for request in referenced letter.

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Re: FREEDOM OF THE PRESS, INC.
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Dear Sir:

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Very truly yours,

Edward Scheidt
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TO : Mr. D. M. Ladd *JL*

FROM : F. J. Baumgardner *ABe* ✓

SUBJECT: COMMUNIST PARTY - USA
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It is noted from the attached clipping of "The Worker" dated April 18, 1948, that the Communist Party is publishing an Ohio edition of "The Worker".

The Party also publishes a Michigan edition of "The Worker", a Pennsylvania edition of "The Worker", and the Chicago "Star". All of these four publications deal largely with matters of local interest. The items contained in these publications concerning national matters are more adequately covered in the editions of the "Daily Worker", "The Worker", and the "Daily People's World", all of which are reviewed and clipped at the Bureau. *b2*

In view of the coverage obtained from the last-named national Communist publications, it is not believed to be necessary to review here the previously mentioned local Communist publications. These local papers, however, should be reviewed by the interested offices so that they may be informed and kept current on local Communist matters appearing in the Party's press.

ACTION:

There is attached for your approval suggested letters to the interested offices advising them that the above-mentioned local Communist papers are not being reviewed at the Seat of Government and that the interested offices should review those publications for their knowledge and for clipping.

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For your information, the Bureau is not reviewing or clipping the Michigan edition of "The Worker", the Pennsylvania edition of "The Worker", the Ohio edition of "The Worker", or the Chicago "Star" for the reason that items contained in those Communist publications are largely of a local nature. Matters of national importance appearing in those papers are usually afforded adequate coverage in the "Daily Worker", "The Worker", or the "Daily People's World", all of which are reviewed and clipped at the Seat of Government. It will not be necessary therefore for the field to forward to the Bureau copies of the aforementioned local publications. Each office receiving copies of this letter should however, review and clip the publication serving its territory. The offices should remain alert for articles of unusual interest that might not come to the attention of the Bureau and forward copies of such articles immediately to the Bureau under the proper caption.

cc: Chicago
Cincinnati
Cleveland

Philadelphia
Pittsburgh
New York

- Mr. Tolson
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- Mr. Clegg
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TO : Director, FBI

DATE: August 26, 1948

FROM : SAC, New York

SUBJECT: FREEDOM OF THE PRESS, INC.
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Reference is made to your letter of August 24, 1948 requesting two additional copies of the Monday, August 16, 1948 issue of the "Daily Worker".


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There are enclosed herewith, the requested copies.

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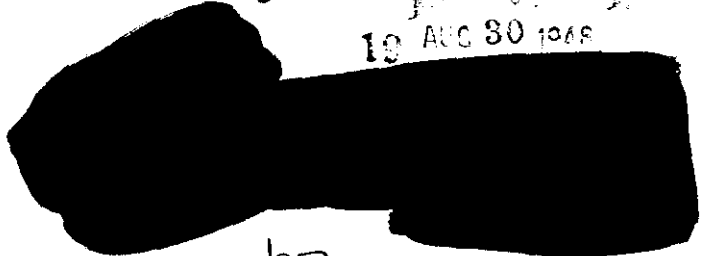
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August 24, 1948

SAC, New York

Director, FBI

FREEDOM OF THE PRESS, INC.;
INTERNAL SECURITY - C.

Please promptly forward to the Bureau two copies of the
Monday, August 16, 1948, issue of the "Daily Worker."

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United States Department of Justice

607 U. S. Court House
Foley Square
New York 7, New York

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September 22, 1948

Director, FBI

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RE: ⁰ FREEDOM OF THE PRESS, INC.;
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

Dear Sir:

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Very truly yours,

Edward Scheidt
EDWARD SCHEIDT
Special Agent in Charge

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SAC, New York

October 13, 1948

Director, FBI

¹ FREEDOM OF THE PRESS, INCORPORATED
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You are requested to purchase one copy of the "Daily Worker"
for October 1, 1948, and promptly forward it to the Bureau.

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Director, FBI

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Edward Scheidt
Special Agent

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TO : Director, FBI

DATE: October 29, 1948

FROM : SAC, New York

SUBJECT: FREEDOM OF THE PRESS, INCORPORATED.
INTERNAL SECURITY - C



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Rebulet 10/13/48.

There is enclosed herewith one copy of the "Daily Worker" for October 1, 1948, as requested in referenced letter.

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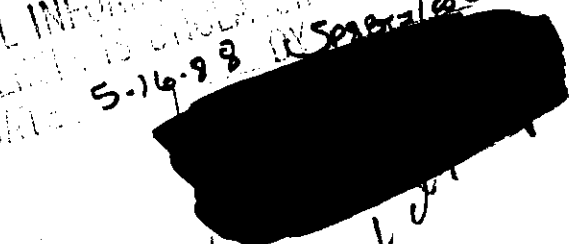


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DATE: October 29, 1948

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TO : Director, FBI

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FROM : SAC, New York

SUBJECT: FREEDOM OF THE PRESS, INC.
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It is requested that the New York Office be advised if the Bureau desires

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SAC, New York

October 29, 1948

Director, FBI

FREEDOM OF THE PRESS, INC.
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

Reylet of October 13, 1948 requesting one copy of the "Daily Worker" for October 1, 1948.

You are again requested to obtain this copy, as well as two copies of the "Worker" for October 17, 1948 and one copy of the "Daily Worker" for October 25, 1948.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Director, FBI

DATE: November 5, 1948

FROM : SAC, New York

SUBJECT: FREEDOM OF THE PRESS, INCORPORATED
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

Rebulet October 29, 1948.

There are enclosed two copies of "The Worker" of October 17, 1948 and one copy of the "Daily Worker" for October 25, 1948 as requested in referenced Bureau letter.

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : THE DIRECTOR
 FROM : THE EXECUTIVE CONFERENCE
 SUBJECT: FREEDOM OF THE PRESS, INC.
 INTERNAL SECURITY - C

DATE: November 12, 1948

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At the Executive Conference on November 12, 1948, Messrs. Ladd, Glavin, Tracy, Harbo, Mohr, Clegg and Fletcher being in attendance, it was reported that the

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The New York Office has requested advice as to whether the Bureau

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The Conference was of the unanimous opinion that the New York Office

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For your approval, there is attached a letter to the New York Office in accord with the opinion of the Conference.

Respectfully,
 For the Conference

Clyde Tolson

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cc - Mr. Clegg
 Mr. Mohr

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Mr. D. M. Ladd *DL*
FROM : F. J. Baumgardner *FJB*

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DATE: November 10, 1948

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Therefore, it is suggested that the New York Office be instructed to

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RECOMMENDATION:

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Accordingly, it is recommended that the New York Office be instructed to

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A letter to the New York Office is attached hereto for your approval.

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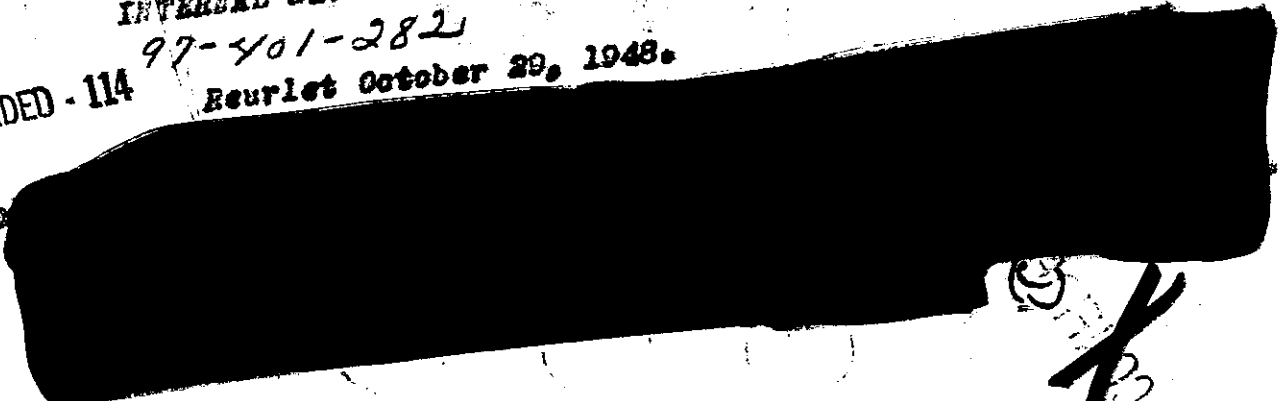
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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Director, FBI

FROM : *GH* GUY HOTTEL, SAC, Washington Field

SUBJECT: *GH* FREEDOM OF THE PRESS COMPANY, Inc.
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

DATE: December 21, 1948

Rebulet December 14, 1948, in captioned matter which referred to New York teletype of December 10, 1948.

It is requested that the Bureau furnish this office with a copy of the teletype referred to since this teletype cannot be located in the files of this office.

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SAC, Washington

December 23, 1948

Director, FBI

FREEDOM OF THE PRESS COMPANY, INC.
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

Reurlet December 21, 1948.

In accordance with your request there is set out hereinafter the contents of New York teletype of December 10, 1948:

"Freedom of the Press Company, Inc. IS - C. Bureau's attention called to Bernard Ruben's column, page 12, section 2 of the Worker, December 12, 1948, in which he reports FBI is violating secrecy of mail. Ruben writes that one day a Washington, D. C. government employee opened an envelope addressed to himself but found within it a letter addressed to one of FBI 'spies' from Washington Post Office employee. Ruben indicated that Post Office employee, through slip up, had written on envelope the name of government worker being spied on instead of FBI Agents' name. Copy of Worker will be forwarded".

It is desired that you afford this matter your immediate attention and advise with respect to Bureau's request contained in Bureau letter dated December 14, 1948.

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FREEDOM OF THE PRESS COMPANY, INC., ISC. BUREAU-S ATTENTION
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HIMSELF BUT FOUND WITHIN IT A LETTER ADDRESSED TO ONE OF FBI
"STOOLIES" FROM WASHINGTON POST OFFICE EMPLOYEE. RUBIN INDICATED
THAT POST OFFICE EMPLOYEE, THROUGH SLIP UP, HAD WRITTEN ON ENVELOPE
THE NAME OF GOVERNMENT WORKER BEING SPIED ON INSTEAD OF FBI AGENT-S
NAME. COPY OF WORKER WILL BE FORWARDED.

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FREEDOM OF THE PRESS ACT, 1952
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Reference is made to New York teletype dated 11/11/48.

Attached hereto is a copy of the article referred to in teletype written by Bernard Rubin and appearing in "The Worker" for December 12, 1948.

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You should give this matter your

prompt attention.

Respectfully,
[Signature]

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TO: Director

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

GOVERNMENT

TO : Director, FBI

DATE: January 7, 1949

FROM: SAC GUY HOTTEL, Washington Field

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SUBJECT: FREEDOM OF THE PRESS COMPANY, INC.
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

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Federal Bureau of Investigation

United States Department of Justice
607 U. S. Court House
Foley Square
New York 7, New York

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- Mr. Pennington.....
- Mr. Quinn Tamm.....
- Mr. Nease.....
- Miss Gandy.....

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Director, FBI
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RE: FREEDOM OF THE PRESS CO., INC.;
INTERNAL SECURITY - C
Bureau file 97-401

Dear Sir:

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cc: All continental Field Offices
and Anchorage

Very truly yours,

Edward Scheidt
EDWARD SCHEIDT
(Special Agent in Charge)

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TO : Mr. D. M. Ladd

DATE: January 24, 1949

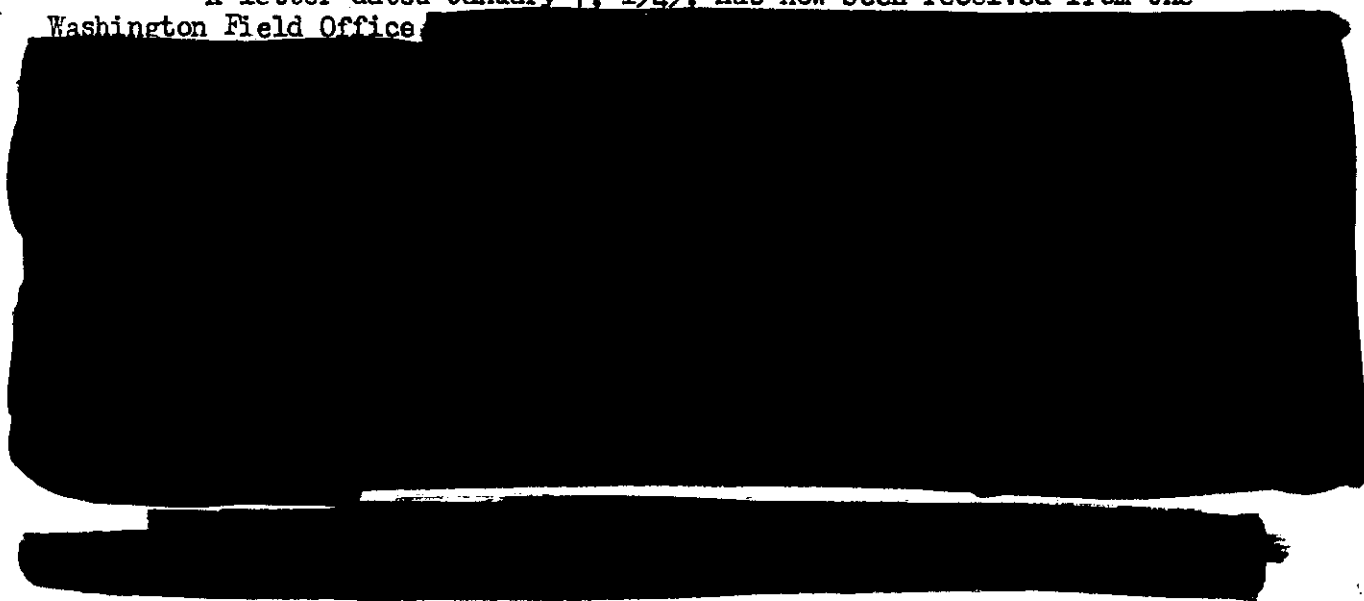
FROM : H. B. Fletcher

SUBJECT: FREEDOM OF THE PRESS, INCORPORATED
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

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| Mr. Quinn Tamm | |
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| Miss Holmes | |
| Miss Gandy | |

On December 12, 1948, a statement appeared in Bernard Rubin's column in "The Worker", to the effect that the FBI was violating the secrecy of mail. Rubin stated that one day a Washington, D. C., Government employee opened an envelope addressed to himself and found within it a letter addressed to one of the FBI "stoolies" from a Washington Post Office employee. Rubin indicated that the Post Office employee, through a slip-up, had written on the envelope the name of the Government worker being spied upon instead of the name of the FBI Agent. You requested that the Washington Field Office make appropriate inquiry concerning this matter.

A letter dated January 7, 1949, has now been received from the Washington Field Office



ACTION:

No further action is contemplated concerning this matter.

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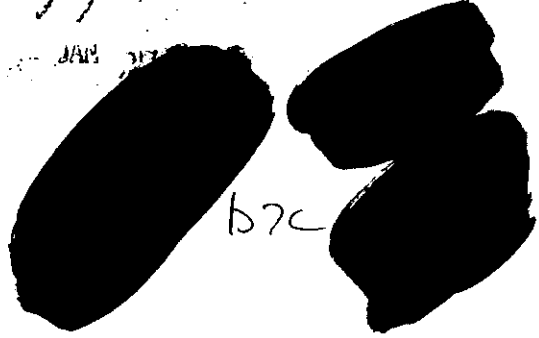
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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Director, FBI.

DATE: 2-1-49

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FROM : SAC, New York.

SUBJECT: FREEDOM OF THE PRESS, INC.,
INTERNAL SECURITY - C.

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Enclosed are 2 copies of the January 20 and 21, 1949 issues of the DAILY WORKER.

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J. Edgar Hoover
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January 20, 1949

SAC, New York

Director, FBI

① FREEDOM OF THE PRESS, INC.
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The Bureau desires to be furnished two copies each of the January 20 and 21, 1949 issues of the "Daily Worker." These issues should be promptly furnished to the Bureau.

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