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SUBJECT: VVAW

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO: ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448092)

DATE: 11/16/72

FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (100-77703)(P)

SUBJECT: VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST  
THE WAR (VVAW)  
IS - RA  
OO: Chicago

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[Redacted]

Re Bureau teletype 11/9/72; Chicago teletypes 11/10/72 and 11/15/72 and Denver teletype 11/17/72.

Attention all offices - in future communications regarding [Redacted] activities in the U. S. direct all communications regarding [Redacted] to Los Angeles file [Redacted]. Copies of incoming communications with pertinent information relating only to VVAW should be directed to Los Angeles 100-77703.

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FROM: *JM* LEGAT, LONDON (105-5841) (RUC)

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IS - REVOLUTIONARY ACTIVITIES

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On basis of information developed to date, in my opinion very little credence should be placed in [REDACTED] claim.

I am constantly alert, as are my sources, to any American involvement in Ireland, North or South, and Bureau is always advised.

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- 3 - Bureau (Enc. 2) ENCLOSURE
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# Memorandum

TO : ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448092) DATE: 11/16/72

FROM : SAC, ST. LOUIS (100-21603) P

SUBJECT: VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR  
(VVAW);  
IS - RA  
(OO: NEW YORK)

Re Bureau airtel to Chicago, 11/8/72

For information of the Bureau, [redacted] familiar with VVAW activities at St. Louis, states that no information has been received concerning local VVAW members obtaining records from the National Personnel Records Center (NPRC), St. Louis, Mo.

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Review of organizational structure of the NPRC indicates 600 to 800 employees have access to Army records which cover the time period during which the Vietnam Conflict began to present. Individuals in a reserve status have their records kept elsewhere. In addition to the above individuals are employees of other Government agencies, as the FBI, who have access to all files at the center. Also, in addition to these people, are individuals throughout the Government who may obtain military records on request.

The NPRC also will forward identifying data of past service personnel to anyone enclosing a \$1.50 fee.

In view of the fact that thousands of Government employees throughout the United States could obtain records from the NPRC, St. Louis is not opening a separate file re this matter. If more specific information is received concerning instant matter, St. Louis will immediately institute investigation.

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TO: ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448092)  
FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (100-77703) (P)  
RE: VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW)  
IS: REVOLUTIONARY ACTIVITIES  
OO: New York

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*re [redacted]*

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Re Seattle nitel to Acting Director dated 10/25/72, captioned, "VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW) - RA", also Los Angeles letter to New York captioned, [redacted] SM - VVAW - OO: New York", dated 10/20/72.

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Instant, [redacted] a source who has provided reliable information in the past regarding the VVAW in the Los Angeles area advised [redacted] attended the VVAW National Steering Committee Meeting at Palo Alto, California, 9/29 - 10/2 last.

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Source further advised [redacted] plans following the committee meeting at Palo Alto were indefinite but source believed [redacted] after the meeting.

- ② - Bureau
- 1 - New York (100-160544)
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- 1 - Seattle (100-30733)
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Source advised [REDACTED] current whereabouts are unknown and he is not now in the Los Angeles area.

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# Memorandum

TO: ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI  
FROM: SAC, BOSTON [REDACTED] (C)

DATE: 11/13/72

SUBJECT: CHANGED:

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SM - RA (VVAW)  
(OO: BOSTON)

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Title marked "Changed" to reflect correct name of subject and known aliases.

Re Boston airtel to Bureau dated 5/26/72 and Louisville nitel to Boston dated 6/30/72.

Enclosed for the Bureau are six copies of an LHM dated and captioned as above.

In view of high degree of idealism described by subject's immediate supervisor [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] it is believed subject has no potential as a PSI and is not being interviewed at this time. Boston will remain alert for any information reflecting revolutionary-type activities on the subject's part.

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The following sources familiar with VVAW, PCPJ, and revolutionary activities were contacted during the months of October and November with negative results:

Informant	Date Contacted	Contacting Agent
[REDACTED]	10/2 and 11/2/72	SA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]	10/26/72	SA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]	10/26/72	"

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(c) [REDACTED] DESTROYED

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<u>Informant</u>	<u>Date Contacted</u>	<u>Contacting Agent</u>
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[REDACTED]	11/2/72	SA [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]	11/2/72	SA [REDACTED]

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The following are the sources mentioned in the LHM:

[REDACTED] is [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] is [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
not further identified.

[REDACTED] is a knowledgeable source.  
[REDACTED] is a knowledgeable source.

Personnel conducting motor vehicle and arrest check at Boston was SC [REDACTED]

Personnel conducting record check at Credit Bureau was SC [REDACTED]

It is felt that subject's past affiliation with VVAW and PCPJ and his current activities do not warrant his inclusion on the ADEX. This case is being closed in the Boston Division.

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Third source is [REDACTED]

Cambridge, Massachusetts.

Fourth source is [REDACTED]

Cambridge.

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[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] currently resides at [REDACTED]  
Massachusetts, and is employed by [REDACTED]  
Massachusetts.

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On May 22, 1972, [REDACTED] advised subject was a  
member of the Vietnam Veterans Against the War (VVAW).

The VVAW is a veterans' organization with  
a national office at 25 West 26th Street,  
New York, New York. Its first published  
objective is "to demand an immediate  
cessation of fighting and the withdrawal  
of all American troops from Indochina."  
VVAW has participated in several demonstrations  
including a massive demonstration in  
Washington, D. C., during the period  
April 19-23, 1971.

Informant advised that the Boston chapter of the  
VVAW to date has not given any indication or desire to engage  
in revolutionary activities and stayed within the guidelines  
set by authorities and have been peaceful.

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On June 18, 1972, [REDACTED] advised the subject had  
attended a Coordinating Committee meeting of the Peoples  
Coalition of Peace and Justice (PCPJ) at Louisville, Kentucky,  
on June 16-18, 1972, at which time items such as demonstrations  
at the forthcoming Democratic and Republican Conventions at  
Miami, Florida, were discussed.

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[REDACTED]

The PCPJ is self-described as an organization consisting of over one hundred organizations using massive civil disobedience to combat war, racism, poverty, and repression. Its National Office is located at 156 Fifth Avenue, New York City, Room 527.

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On November 3, 1972, [REDACTED] advised that the subject was employed [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] Source advised that [REDACTED]

Source further stated that [REDACTED] had no access to any confidential material.

On November 3, 1972, [REDACTED] advised that subject was employed [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] Source further advised [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] that he did not believe subject would be a threat to the security of the United States Government.

Informants familiar with VVAW and PCPJ and revolutionary activities in the Boston area were contacted during the months of October and November, 1972, and could provide no additional information regarding [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

On July 11, 1972, and November 1, 1972, records of the Registry of Motor Vehicles, 100 Nashus Street, Boston, Massachusetts, were checked by personnel of the FBI with negative results.

On July 10, 1972, and November 1, 1972, records of the Credit Bureau of Greater Boston, Inc., 6 St. James Avenue, Boston, Massachusetts, were searched at the request of personnel of the FBI with negative results.

On July 11, 1972, and November 1, 1972, records of the Office of the Massachusetts Commissioner of Probation, Suffolk County Courthouse, a central repository for all traffic and criminal conviction records in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, were searched by personnel of the FBI with negative results regarding the subject.

This document contains neither recommendations nor conclusions of the FBI. It is the property of the FBI and is loaned to your agency; it and its contents are not to be distributed outside your agency or duplicated within your agency.

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
Boston, Massachusetts

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Reference

Boston memorandum dated and  
captioned as above.

All sources (except any listed below) whose identities are concealed  
in referenced communication have furnished reliable information in the past.

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# Memorandum

TO : ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 11/6/72

FROM : SAC, SPRINGFIELD [REDACTED] (C)

SUBJECT: [REDACTED]

SM - RA (VVAW)

Re Bureau letter to Albany, 4/28/72, concerning VVAW activities.

This case was predicated upon the fact that on 11/15/71 [REDACTED] Champaign Police Department, Champaign, Illinois, advised that [REDACTED] of [REDACTED] Champaign, Illinois, is one of the prominent members of the Vietnam Veterans Against the War in Champaign-Urbana.

### BACKGROUND:

#### Birth

On 6/29/72 [REDACTED] Bureau of Vital Records, Springfield, Illinois, advised that birth certificate number [REDACTED] filed 1/8/46, reflects [REDACTED] was born [REDACTED] at Chicago, Illinois.

#### Education

On 4/27/72 [REDACTED] advised that the subject [REDACTED]

On 6/9/72 [REDACTED] advised that the subject [REDACTED]

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- 1 - Springfield [REDACTED] b7c
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SI [REDACTED]

On 10/24/72, [REDACTED] advised that [REDACTED] is not enrolled at the University of Illinois during the current fall semester.

On 10/31/72 [REDACTED] Illinois Veterans Association, advised that the subject [REDACTED]

Employment

Subject is not known to be employed at the present, [REDACTED]

Residence

Investigation by Chicago on 10/11/72 revealed that subject's permanent home address is [REDACTED] Chicago, Illinois, with the person always [REDACTED] knowing his whereabouts being listed as [REDACTED]

Investigation by Springfield on 10/31/72 revealed that subject currently resides at [REDACTED] Champaign, Illinois.

Military Background

On 6/22/72 records regarding the subject were located at the Military Personnel Records Center (MPRC) St. Louis, Missouri. Records indicated that [REDACTED]



SI [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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Subject has no record of disciplinary punishment and there is no indication that subject has had training which would be directly useful in urban guerrilla activities.

Miscellaneous

On 5/11/72 records of the files of the Bureau of Records and Communications, Chicago Police Department, Chicago, Illinois, were reviewed and they reflected no information regarding the subject.

On 6/1/72 records of the Prince Georges Police Department, Seat Pleasant, Maryland, were checked, with no information identifiable with the subject.

Records of the Appleton, Wisconsin Police Department were checked on 5/26/72 and they did not reflect any information regarding the subject.

On 9/25/72 records of the Champaign Police Department, Champaign, Illinois, Urbana Police Department, Urbana, Illinois, and the Champaign County Sheriff's Office, Urbana, Illinois, were checked with no information regarding the subject.

The following is a physical description of the subject:

Name  
Residence

[REDACTED]

SI [REDACTED]

Telephone [REDACTED]  
Permanent Home [REDACTED]  
Address [REDACTED]

Sex Male  
Race White  
Hair [REDACTED]  
Eyes [REDACTED]  
Height [REDACTED]  
Weight [REDACTED]  
Date of Birth [REDACTED]  
Place of Birth [REDACTED]  
Soc. Sec. No. [REDACTED]  
Illinois Driver's License No. [REDACTED]

Organizational Activities

The first indication that [REDACTED] was actually associated with the Vietnam Veterans Against the War aside from the inference provided by [REDACTED] of the [REDACTED] Police Department, was a clipping from the "News Gazette" newspaper, Champaign, Illinois, dated [REDACTED] wherein the subject was identified as [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] This article specifically dealt with the problems that veterans were having in finding funds to attend school and mentioned the assistance that the organization was getting from various political and governmental officials in the state of Illinois. The subject was seen by [REDACTED] at a VVAW organizational meeting in 1971 and on occasion has noted [REDACTED] in the company of one or two other individuals who are known to have manifested interest in the VVAW.

At a 4th of July parade in July, 1972, a rather large debate took place by members of the VVAW Chapter at the University of Illinois regarding whether or not they should march in the parade with two factions developing at that time, one backing an individual known as [REDACTED] and another backing an individual known as [REDACTED]. The VVAW from this point on has been largely [REDACTED]

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SI [REDACTED]

b7C [REDACTED] defunct at the University of Illinois; however, [REDACTED] of the Illinois Veterans Association chapter.

RECOMMENDATION:

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b7D It is not recommended at the present time that the subject be interviewed since it is not believed that such an interview would be productive in terms of information. Based on subject's activities, he is not recommended for ADEX and based on the lack of activity of VVAW at the University of Illinois at Champaign, Illinois, Springfield is going to discontinue active investigation of this case; however, subject's activities will continue to be monitored by [REDACTED] and should the subject become a threat to national security at any point in the future, active investigation will be reinstated.

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TO ACTING DIRECTOR (100-448092)

SPRINGFIELD (100-12685)

FROM CHICAGO (100-50772) 1P

[REDACTED] b7c

VIET NAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW), IS DASH  
REVOLUTIONARY ACTIVITIES.

SOURCE, WHO HAS FURNISHED RELIABLE INFORMATION IN  
THE PAST, ADVISED NOVEMBER FIFTEEN INSTANT, THAT VVAW,  
CHICAGO, IS PLANNING CARAVAN FROM CHICAGO TO CAIRO,  
ILLINOIS, JUST PRIOR TO THANKSGIVING TO DISTRIBUTE NON-  
PERISHABLE FOOD TO NEEDY IN CAIRO. ALSO, THEY PLAN  
MARCH THROUGH CAIRO, PROBABLY ON THANKSGIVING DAY.

[REDACTED] WS

FURTHER DETAILS UNKNOWN AT THIS TIME.

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SOURCE IS [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] CHICAGO FOLLOWING AND WILL FURNISH ANY ADDITIONAL  
INFORMATION ASCERTAINED.

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# Memorandum

TO : ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 11/13/72

FROM : SAC, ALBANY [REDACTED] (C)

b7c SUBJECT: [REDACTED]  
IS - REVACT

Enclosed herewith for the Bureau are four copies of a self-explanatory LHM re captioned subject.

UACB, Albany Office closing this case.

b7c In view of the information contained in the LHM, no ADEX recommendation is being made for subject [REDACTED]

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Source #1 in LHM is [REDACTED]

Source #2 in LHM is [REDACTED]

SA [REDACTED] interviewed [REDACTED] on 10/13/72.

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- 1 - Albany
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A confidential source, advised during June 1972, that [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] of the Vietnam Veterans Against the War (VVAW) [REDACTED]

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The VVAW is an anti-war organization organized in 1967, with headquarters in New York City, New York. Its first published objective is "To demand an immediate cessation of fighting and the withdrawal of all American troops from Indo-China".

During August and September, 1972, the following individuals of their respective agencies were contacted in the Lake George, New York area, and advised they had no record of [REDACTED]

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Chief of Police JOSEPH ROSS,  
Town of Lake George, New  
York Police Department;

Chief of Police DEWEY SIMMS,  
Lake George Village Police  
Department

[REDACTED]  
Warren County Sheriff's Office  
Lake George, New York.

On October 3, 1972, [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] a resort located at Lake George, advised  
that [REDACTED]

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RE: [REDACTED] VVAW

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[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] was interviewed at Steno Paul's, New York,  
on October 13, 1977.

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

He considers himself to be a very patriotic and loyal United States citizen. He stated he would never do anything inimical to the best interest of the United States.

[REDACTED]

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RE: [REDACTED]

VVAW

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[REDACTED]

The following physical description was obtained through observation and interview:

Race: White  
Sex: Male  
Date of Birth: [REDACTED]  
Age: [REDACTED]  
Height: [REDACTED]  
Weight: [REDACTED]  
Build: [REDACTED]  
Hair: [REDACTED]  
Eyes: [REDACTED]  
Marital Status: [REDACTED]

A second confidential source advised during October, 1972, that there are no organized chapters of VVAW in the Upstate New York area, nor does this organization have an organized membership in this area.





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Albany, New York

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Character

INTERNAL SECURITY - REVOLUTIONARY  
ACTIVITIES

Reference

Albany memorandum to Bureau, dated  
and captioned as above.

All sources (except any listed below) whose identities are concealed  
in referenced communication have furnished reliable information in the past.

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# Memorandum

TO: ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 11/13/72

FROM: SAC, ALBANY (100-22952) (C)

SUBJECT: VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW)  
LAKE GEORGE, NEW YORK CHAPTER  
IS - REVACT

Enclosed herewith for the Bureau are five copies of an LHM regarding captioned organization.

UACB, Albany is closing instant case.

Source #1 mentioned in LHM is [REDACTED]

Source #2 is [REDACTED]

SA [REDACTED] interviewed [REDACTED]

on October 13, 1972.

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VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR  
LAKE GEORGE, NEW YORK CHAPTER

A confidential source advised during June 1972 that [redacted] of the Vietnam Veterans Against the War (VVAW).

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Bolton [redacted]

The VVAW is an anti-war organization organized in 1967 with headquarters in New York City, New York. Its first published objective is "To demand an immediate cessation of fighting and the withdrawal of all American troops from Indo-China".

During August and September, 1972, the following individuals of their respective agencies were contacted in the Lake George, New York area, and advised they had no record of [redacted]

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Chief of Police JOSEPH ROSS  
Town of Lake George, New  
York Police Department;

Chief of Police DEWEY SIMMS  
Lake George Village Police  
Department

[redacted]  
Warren County Sheriff's Office  
Lake George, New York

On October 3, 1972, [redacted] a resort located at Lake George, advised that [redacted]

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RE: [REDACTED] VVAW

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[REDACTED] was interviewed at Glens Falls, New York on October 13, 1972.

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[REDACTED]

He considers himself to be a very patriotic and loyal United States citizen. He stated he would never do anything inimical to the best interest of the United States.

[REDACTED]

RE: [REDACTED]

VVAW

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The following physical description was obtained through observation and interview:

Race: White  
Sex: Male  
Date of Birth: [REDACTED]

Age: [REDACTED]  
Height: [REDACTED]  
Weight: [REDACTED]  
Build: [REDACTED]  
Hair: [REDACTED]

Eyes: [REDACTED]

Marital Status: [REDACTED]

A second confidential source advised during October, 1972, that there are no organized chapters of VVAW in the Upstate New York area, nor does this organization have an organized membership in this area.



In Reply, Please Refer to  
File No.

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Albany, New York

November 13, 1972

Title: VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW)  
LAKE GEORGE, NEW YORK CHAPTER

Character INTERNAL SECURITY - REVOLUTIONARY  
ACTIVITIES  
Reference Albany memorandum to Bureau, dated and  
captioned as above.

All sources (except any listed below) whose identities are concealed  
in referenced communication have furnished reliable information in the past.

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Mr. Bishop	_____
Mr. Callahan	_____
Mr. Cleveland	_____
Mr. Conrad	_____
Mr. Dalbey	_____
Mr. Gebhardt	_____
Mr. Jenkins	_____
Mr. Marshall	_____
Mr. Miller, ES	✓
Mr. Purdy	✓
Mr. Soyars	_____
Mr. Walters	_____
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Mr. Kinley	_____
Mr. Armstrong	_____
Ms. Herwig	_____
Mrs. Neenan	_____

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10:57 PM NITEL 11-20-72 RWR

TO ACTING DIRECTOR (100-448092) (ATTN: DID)

WFO (100-47162)

FROM CHICAGO (100-50772) 1P

VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR; IS DASH REVOLUTIONARY  
ACTIVITIES.

RE WFO NITEL NOVEMBER SIXTEEN LAST.

COVERT SECTION, INTELLIGENCE UNIT, CHICAGO PD,  
FURNISHED FOLLOWING DESCRIPTIVE DATA ON NOVEMBER  
TWENTY INSTANT, RE [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] b7c [REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

b7c [REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED]

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# Memorandum

TO : ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 11/14/72

FROM : SAC, DETROIT [REDACTED] (C)

SUBJECT: [REDACTED]  
SM - VVAW *Viet Nam Veterans Against the War*

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Re Detroit teletype to Bureau and other offices captioned "Vietnam Veterans Against the War; IS - RA", dated 7/20/72.

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The following is being set forth in lieu of a non-prosecutive summary report inasmuch as [REDACTED]

In this connection, refer to Detroit letter to Bureau captioned [REDACTED] dated 7/14/70, Bureau file [REDACTED] Detroit file [REDACTED]

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Captioned subject is described as follows:

Name  
Race  
Sex  
Date of Birth  
Place of Birth  
Height  
Weight  
Hair  
Eyes  
Social Security Account Number  
Occupation

[REDACTED]

Address

[REDACTED]

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Previous Employments

Father

Mother

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DE [REDACTED]

No information has been received indicating  
recontact with subject would be advisable. Recontact  
will be initiated. UACB  
[REDACTED]

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Detroit is placing this case in a closed status and  
will contact subject [REDACTED]

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Mr. Dalbey	_____
Mr. DeLoach	_____
Mr. Evans	_____
Mr. Gale	_____
Mr. Rosen	_____
Mr. Sullivan	_____
Mr. Tavel	_____
Mr. Trotter	_____
Mr. Tele. Room	_____
Mr. Kinley	_____
Mr. Armstrong	_____
Ms. Herwig	_____
Mrs. Neenan	_____

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TO ACTING DIRECTOR

ATTN: DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE

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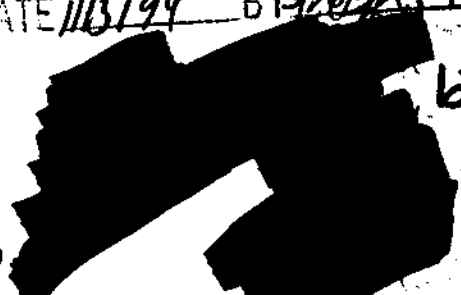
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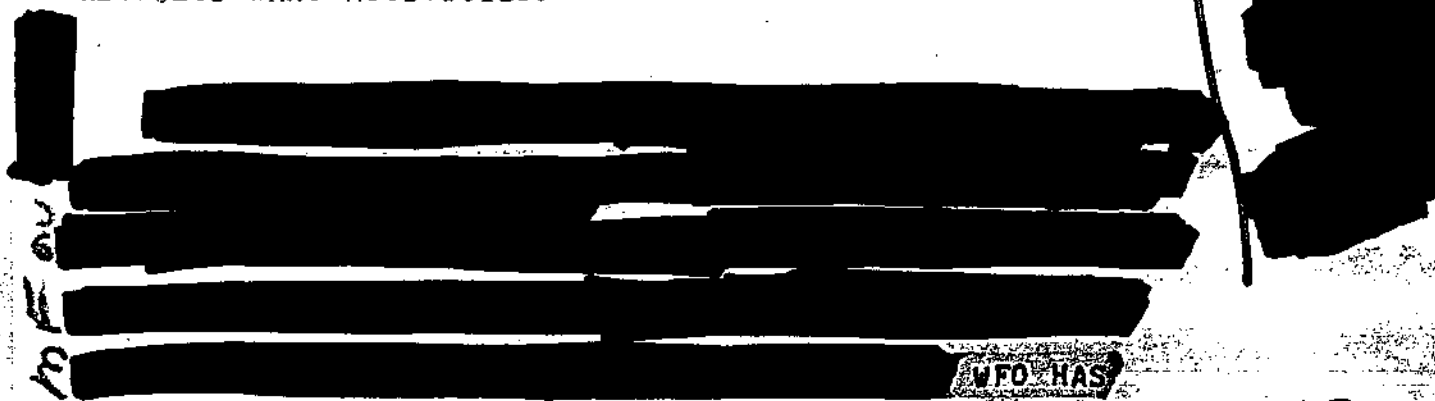


FROM WASHINGTON FIELD

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ON NOVEMBER FOURTEEN LAST, A SOURCE WHO HAS FURNISHED  
RELIABLE INFORMATION IN THE PAST, ADVISED THAT ON OCTOBER  
TWENTYONE LAST,

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ADMINISTRATIVE: RE BUREAU TELETYPE TO CHICAGO DATED  
NOVEMBER NINE LAST.

SOURCE IS [REDACTED]

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LEAD: RECIPIENT OFFICES FURNISH DESCRIPTION OR PHOTO  
OF [REDACTED] IF AVAILABLE, IN ORDER FOR WFO TO DETERMINE IF  
[REDACTED] IN WDC, OCTOBER TWENTYONE LAST.

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Date: 11/10/72

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 ATT.: \_\_\_\_\_  
 WHITE HOUSE SITUATION ROOM  
 ATT.: \_\_\_\_\_  
 SECRETARY OF STATE

**FIELD DISSEMINATION**

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- DIRECTOR, CIA
- DIRECTOR, DEFENSE INTELLIGENCE AGENCY  
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- ATTORNEY GENERAL (BY MESSENGER)
- NATIONAL SECURITY AGENCY, ATT: SENIOR OPERATION OFFICER

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From: ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI

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TO DIRECTOR, CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY 007

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FROM ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI

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# Memorandum

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TO : ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 11/16/72

FROM : SAC, SPRINGFIELD [REDACTED] (C)

SUBJECT: [REDACTED]

SM - RA (VVAW)  
OO: Springfield

Re Bureau letter to Albany dated 4/28/72 concerning VVAW activities.

This case was predicated on the fact that [REDACTED] name and telephone number were listed in the Boneyard Examiner, a defunct underground newspaper at the University of Illinois, Champaign, Illinois, on 10/15/71, stating that he was an individual who could be contacted for information regarding the VVAW.

### BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

#### Birth

On 5/12/72 [REDACTED] Allen County Health Department, Lima, Ohio, made available birth records regarding the subject from which the following information was obtained:

[REDACTED]

#### Education

[REDACTED] advised that the subject [REDACTED]

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- 1 - Springfield [REDACTED]

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SI [redacted]

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Employment

Subject has been employed [redacted]

[redacted]

On 10/24/71 [redacted] advised subject is enrolled at the University of Illinois at Champaign, Illinois [redacted]

[redacted]

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Residence

On 5/17/72 a Chicago [redacted] source advised that subject's parents were [redacted]

[redacted]

(Source's information located in Chicago file [redacted])

On 10/24/72 [redacted] advised that subject is currently living at [redacted] Champaign, Illinois.

[redacted]

Military Background

On 5/17/72 a Chicago confidential source (Chicago file [redacted]) advised that the subject [redacted]

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Miscellaneous

On 3/21/72 [REDACTED] Auto Registration Section, Secretary of State's Office, Illinois Department of Motor Vehicles, Springfield, Illinois, advised the records of her office contain no information concerning [REDACTED]

On 5/17/72 [REDACTED] and Chief of Police ROBERT OLSON, Orland Park, Illinois Police Department, advised that the department files contain no information identifiable with the subject.

On 5/17/72 indices of the Chicago FBI Office were negative regarding subject and confidential sources acquainted with VVAW activities in the Chicago area were also negative. (Chicago file [REDACTED])

On 5/12/72 [REDACTED] Lima, Ohio Police Department, advised records of her department contain no information identifiable with the subject.

On 9/21/72 files of the Urbana Police Department reflected that [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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SI [REDACTED]

On 9/21/72 [REDACTED] Champaign County Sheriff's Office, Urbana, Illinois; [REDACTED] Champaign Police Department, Champaign, Illinois; and [REDACTED] University of Illinois Police Department, Urbana, Illinois, all advised their records were negative regarding information concerning the subject.

The following is a physical description of the subject:

Name: [REDACTED]  
Residence: [REDACTED]

Telephone: [REDACTED]  
Permanent Home Address: [REDACTED]

Sex: Male  
Race: White  
Hair: [REDACTED]  
Eyes: [REDACTED]  
Height: [REDACTED]  
Weight: [REDACTED]  
Build: [REDACTED]  
DOB: [REDACTED]  
POB: [REDACTED]  
SSAN: [REDACTED]

Organizational Activities

[REDACTED] (S) [REDACTED]

Numerous contacts with [REDACTED] regarding the subject have proved negative in terms of any association with known VVAW activists at the University of Illinois, Champaign, Illinois.

On 8/16/72 [REDACTED] Illinois State Veterans Association, Urbana, Illinois, advised that [REDACTED] same appeared on a list of individuals who had indicated interest in VVAW activities at the University of Illinois. [REDACTED] advised that while this [REDACTED] up until now the VVAW has largely been defunct.

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SI [REDACTED]

RECOMMENDATION:

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# Memorandum

TO : ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 11/16/72

FROM : SAC, SPRINGFIELD [REDACTED] (C)

SUBJECT: [REDACTED]  
SM - RA (VVAW)  
OO: Springfield

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Re Bureau letter to Albany dated 4/28/72 concerning VVAW activities.

This case was predicated upon the fact that on 10/15/71 the subject's name and telephone number were listed in the Boneyard Examiner, a former underground newspaper at the University of Illinois, Champaign, Illinois, as a person who could be contacted for information regarding VVAW activities.

BACKGROUND:

Birth

On 4/12/72 [REDACTED] advised that [REDACTED] was born on [REDACTED]

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Education

On 4/12/72 [REDACTED] advised that [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

On 10/24/72 [REDACTED] advised that [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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- 1 - Springfield [REDACTED]

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Employment

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On 10/24/72 [REDACTED] advised that [REDACTED] is currently employed [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Residence

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On 7/28/72 a well-placed source, advised that according to his records the subject is presently residing at [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

On 10/24/72 [REDACTED] advised that [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

Military Background

On 6/21/72 records regarding the subject were located at the Military Personnel Records Center, St. Louis, Missouri. Records indicate that [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

SI [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] there appears to be no record to indicate any specialized training which would be useful to him in urban guerilla war-type activities.

Miscellaneous

On 6/8/72 Chief DONALD S. WILLIAMS, New Bethlehem, Pennsylvania Police Department, and [REDACTED] Red Valley Credit Exchange, advised that there were no records with reference to the subject.

On 6/12/72 [REDACTED] Pennsylvania State Police, Punxsutawney, Pennsylvania, advised that his files contain no record of the subject.

On 6/12/72 [REDACTED] Bookville, Pennsylvania Police Department, stated he has no record for subject.

On 6/12/72 [REDACTED] Jefferson County Sheriff's Office, Jefferson County, Pennsylvania, advised his files contain no record of the subject.

On 9/21/72 [REDACTED] Urbana Police Department, Urbana, Illinois; [REDACTED] Records, Champaign County Sheriff's Office, Urbana, Illinois; [REDACTED] Records, Champaign Police Department, Champaign, Illinois;

SI [REDACTED]

and JOHN KLEBURG, Chief of Police, University of Illinois, Champaign, Illinois, all advised their records were negative with reference to the subject.

During May and June, 1972, confidential informants and sources who are familiar with certain phases of subversive and New Left organizations in the Pittsburg and Western Pennsylvania area, were contacted and were unable to furnish any positive information concerning the subject. (Identity of informants and sources located in Pittsburg file [REDACTED])

The following is a physical description of the subject:

Name: [REDACTED]

Residence: [REDACTED]

Telephone Number: [REDACTED]

Permanent Home

Address: [REDACTED]

Sex: Male

Race: White

Hair: [REDACTED]

Eyes: [REDACTED]

Height: [REDACTED]

Weight: [REDACTED]

Build: [REDACTED]

DOB: [REDACTED]

POB: [REDACTED]

SSAN: [REDACTED]

Organizational Activities

On 6/30/72 [REDACTED] advised that he knows the subject on sight and has not associated him with the VVAW with the exception of one meeting in May at which time [REDACTED] gave a small speech relative to ending the war in Vietnam.

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On 8/16/72 [REDACTED] of Illinois advised that [REDACTED] of Illinois, Urbana, Illinois, advised the [REDACTED] name appeared on a list of [REDACTED] who were noted as having interest in the VVAW. [REDACTED] advised that for all practical intents and purposes, however, the VVAW was essentially defunct at the University of Illinois.

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Investigation has reflected that [REDACTED] continues to associate with the campus veterans association, he is not apparently an active part of a group who is seeking to reactivate the VVAW Chapter at the University. In discussions [REDACTED] on one or two occasions has indicated that while his sympathies extend toward ending the war, [REDACTED] preclude his active participation in any anti-war activities.

RECOMMENDATION:

It is not recommended at the present time that the subject be interviewed since it is not believed that an interview would be productive either in terms of information, or with a view of converting this individual into an informant. Based on subject's minimal activities, he is not recommended for the Adex and based on the lack of activities of the VVAW at the University of Illinois at Champaign, Illinois, Springfield is discontinuing active investigation on this case. However, subject's activities will continue to be monitored by informants. Active investigation will be reinstated when necessary.

SI [REDACTED]

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Well-placed source is [REDACTED]

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# Memorandum

TO : ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 11/20/72

FROM : SAC, SPRINGFIELD [REDACTED] (C)

SUBJECT: [REDACTED]  
SM - RA (VVAW)

OO: SPRINGFIELD

Re Bureau letter to Albany dated 4/28/72, concerning VVAW activities.

This case was predicated on the fact that the subject's name appeared in the 10/15/71 edition of the "Bonaville Examiner", where his telephone number was listed as an individual who might be contacted for information concerning VVAW activities.

BACKGROUND:

Birth

On 4/25/72 [REDACTED] Vital Statistics, Department of Social and Health Sciences, Olympia, Washington, under certificate [REDACTED] located a record of birth for [REDACTED]. Date of birth was shown as [REDACTED] place of birth as [REDACTED].

Education

On 4/12/72 [REDACTED] advised that [REDACTED]

On 8/15/72 [REDACTED] Office of the Registrar, University of Washington, Seattle, Washington, advised that the subject [REDACTED]

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On 10/24/72 [redacted] advised that the subject is currently enrolled in the University of Illinois, Champaign, Illinois. [redacted]

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Employment

On 10/24/72 [redacted] advised that subject is currently employed [redacted]

Residence

[redacted] investigation at Seattle, Washington, on 4/19/72 revealed that [redacted] reside at [redacted]

On 10/24/72 [redacted] advised records of the University of Illinois indicated subject's home address as [redacted] and his local residence address was listed as [redacted] Champaign, Illinois. His telephone number is listed as [redacted]

Military Background

On 6/12/72 records regarding the subject were located at the Military Personnel Records Branch, NPRC, St. Louis, Missouri. Records indicate that [redacted]

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SI [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

Miscellaneous

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On 11/15/71 [REDACTED] Champaign Police Department, Champaign, Illinois, advised that the subject, [REDACTED] is a prominent member of VVAW in Champaign-Urbana, Illinois.

On 3/21/72 [REDACTED], Auto Registration Section, Secretary of State's Office, Illinois Department of Motor Vehicles, advised records of her office contain no information concerning the subject.

On 4/28/72 [REDACTED] Local Board #17, Aberdeen, Washington, confidentially advised that the subject is [REDACTED]

On 4/26/72 records of the following agencies were checked against the name of the subject and no records were located:

Grays Harbor Credit Bureau,  
Aberdeen, Washington

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SI [REDACTED]

Grays Harbor Sheriff's Office,  
Montesano, Washington

Aberdeen Sheriff's Department,  
Aberdeen, Washington

On 6/5/72 records of the Seattle Police Department,  
Seattle, Washington, and King County Sheriff's Office,  
Seattle, Washington, were reviewed with no information  
concerning the subject.

On the following dates the following Seattle  
sources were contacted in reference to knowledge of the  
subject, all of whom provided negative information:

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4/25/72

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4/25/72

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[REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

6/21/72

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6/19/72

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6/16/72

On 9/28/72 the following law enforcement agencies  
were checked regarding the subject, all of whom had no  
information:

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[REDACTED]

Urbana Police Department,  
Urbana, Illinois

[REDACTED]

Champaign County Sheriff's Office,  
Champaign, Illinois

[REDACTED]

Champaign Police Department,  
Champaign, Illinois

JOHN KLEEBURG,  
Chief of Police,  
University of Illinois Police Department,  
Champaign, Illinois MEMBER OF SUBJECT ORGANIZATION

subject:

The following is a physical description of the

Name:  
Residence:

[REDACTED]

Telephone:  
Permanent Home Address:

Sex:  
Race:  
Hair:  
Eyes:  
Height:  
Weight:  
Build:  
DOB:  
POB:  
SSAN:

Male  
Caucasian  
[REDACTED]

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SI [redacted]

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Organizational Activities

The first indication that [redacted] was actually associated with the Vietnam Veterans Against the War, aside from the inference made by [redacted] of the Champaign Police Department, [redacted] article run in the "Bonnyard Examiner", defunct underground type newspaper written at the University of Illinois at Champaign, Illinois, on 10/15/71 which indicated that [redacted] would be a person who could provide information concerning VVAW activities. The article in question set out specific goals on the part of VVAW nationally and generally indicated an overall emphasis to the end of the war in Vietnam.

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On 4/21/72 [redacted] viewed a group of photographs of subjects possibly active in VVAW at the University of Illinois and positively identified [redacted] as having been a person who attended a VVAW organizational meeting held on 10/15/71 at 1305 West University Avenue, Urbana, Illinois. [redacted] advised that he attended the meeting in November of 1971 and that [redacted] at the meeting was that time a [redacted] at the July, August and September of 1972. [redacted] advised that [redacted] around the University of Illinois campus on numerous occasions, but at no time did he see [redacted] in association with any VVAW activities which took place in the Champaign-Urbana, Illinois area.

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On 8/15/72 [redacted] for the Illinois State Veterans Association at the University of Illinois, Urbana, Illinois, advised that [redacted] on a list of individuals who had indicated interest in VVAW activities. [redacted] advised, however, that since the general breakup of the organization on 7/4/72 that the VVAW chapter has become largely defunct.

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Recommendation

It is not recommended at the present time that the subject be interviewed since it is believed that such an interview would be counter-productive in terms of positive results. While the subject has had military training which might be useful should he become involved in urban-guerrilla warfare, the record shows information which indicates interest or actual activity in this area. Therefore, he is not being recommended for ADEX, and based on the lack of activity of the VVAW at the University of Illinois at Champaign, Illinois, Springfield is going to discontinue active investigation of this case. However, subject's activities will continue to be monitored by [REDACTED]. Should the subject become a threat to national security at any point in the future, active investigation will be reinstated.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 11/20/72

FROM : SAC, SPRINGFIELD [REDACTED] (C)

SUBJECT: **b7c** [REDACTED]  
SM - RA (VVAW)

OO: SPRINGFIELD

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Re Bureau letter to Albany dated 4/28/72,  
concerning VVAW activities.

This case was predicated upon information  
provided on 9/13/71 by [REDACTED] who advised that  
the subject was [REDACTED] the VVAW chapter at  
the University of Illinois [REDACTED]

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BACKGROUND:

Birth

On 5/4/72 [REDACTED] Board of Health,  
Indianapolis, Indiana, was contacted for information  
concerning the subject and her records indicated that  
[REDACTED] was born in [REDACTED] on  
[REDACTED] to [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]

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Education

On 4/12/72 [REDACTED] advised that the subject  
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- 1 - Springfield [REDACTED]

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On 10/24/72 source advised that the subject

[redacted]

On 5/4/72 [redacted] advised that the subject

[redacted]

Employment

Subject is not known to be employed at the present time: [redacted]

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Residence

On 6/5/72 [redacted] Mokena, Illinois, advised that the subject's parents resided in an unincorporated area south of the village of Mokena on [redacted]

On 11/13/72 SA [redacted] using the pretext as a student interviewed an individual known as [redacted] (LNU), [redacted] Champaign, Illinois, who advised that [redacted] currently residing at that address and attending classes at [redacted] in Champaign.

Military Background

On 6/12/72 [redacted] Army records were reviewed at the Military Personnel Records Branch, NPREC, St. Louis, Missouri. Records indicate that [redacted]

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There is no indication beyond initial weapons training that the subject has had training that would be useful in urban-guerrilla activities.

Miscellaneous

On 3/21/72 [REDACTED] Auto Registration Section, Secretary of State's Office, Illinois Department of Motor Vehicles, advised that the subject had Illinois drivers license [REDACTED]

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On 5/4/72 [REDACTED]  
Illinois State University, Normal, Illinois, advised he  
had no record of the subject.

The following informants were contacted on  
4/18/72 and 4/20/72 respectively and provided negative  
information:

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On 5/4/72 [REDACTED] Credit  
Bureau of Bloomington, Incorporated, Bloomington,  
Illinois, advised he had no record of the subject.

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The following law enforcement officials were  
contacted on 5/4/72 and they advised that they could  
locate no record of the subject:

[REDACTED]  
Bloomington Police Department  
Bloomington, Illinois

[REDACTED]  
McLean County Sheriff's Office  
Bloomington, Illinois

RICHARD MC GUIRE  
Chief of Police  
Normal, Illinois

On 5/18/72 [REDACTED] Mokena, Illinois  
Police Department, advised he could locate no record of  
the subject.

On 9/25/72 the following law enforcement agencies  
in the Champaign-Urbana, Illinois area were checked regarding  
the subject with negative results:

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[REDACTED]  
Urbana Police Department  
Urbana, Illinois

[REDACTED]  
Champaign County Sheriff's Office  
Urbana, Illinois

[REDACTED]  
University of Illinois  
Champaign, Illinois

[REDACTED]  
Champaign Police Department  
Champaign, Illinois

subject: The following is a physical description of the

Name: [REDACTED]  
Residence: [REDACTED]

Telephone No.: [REDACTED]  
Permanent Home Address: [REDACTED]

Sex: [REDACTED] Male  
Race: [REDACTED] White  
Hair: [REDACTED]  
Eyes: [REDACTED]  
Height: [REDACTED]  
Weight: [REDACTED]  
Build: [REDACTED]  
Scars: [REDACTED]

DOB: [REDACTED]  
POB: [REDACTED]  
SSAN: [REDACTED]

SI [REDACTED]

Organizational Activities

b7C [REDACTED] The only indication to date that [REDACTED] has been associated in any active way with the VVAW was that [REDACTED] was listed as the organization's [REDACTED] with the University of Illinois for the fall 1971 - Spring 1972 semesters.

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b7C On 6/30/72 [REDACTED] a source who has been closely associated with the VVAW chapter at the University of Illinois, advised that he in no way associated [REDACTED] with VVAW activities. Source advised that he had been to several VVAW organizational meetings, and after seeing a picture of [REDACTED] felt sure that he did not recognize this individual.

b7C On 8/16/72 [REDACTED] for the Illinois Veterans Association, University of Illinois, Urbana, Illinois, was contacted by SA [REDACTED] using a suitable pretext as a student, and he advised that [REDACTED] had appeared on a list of individuals who had [REDACTED] interest in VVAW activities in the past.

Investigation has disclosed that [REDACTED] has not on any occasion been in association with veterans activities.

Recommendation

It is not recommended that the subject be interviewed at the present time since it is not believed that an interview would be productive in terms of information. Based on an apparent lack of activity, he is not recommended for consideration for ADEX at this time since it is not believed that he represents a threat in any capacity to national security. In this regard, Springfield is going to discontinue active investigation of this case, however, the subject's activities will continue to be monitored and should the subject become a threat in any future date, active investigation will be reinstated.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : ACTING DIRECTOR

DATE: 11/20/72

FROM : SAC, OKLAHOMA CITY (100-8619) -C-

SUBJECT: VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW),  
UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA (OU) CHAPTER,  
NORMAN, OKLAHOMA  
IS - REVOLUTIONARY ACTIVITIES  
OO: OKLAHOMA CITY

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Re Oklahoma City let and LHM, 6/13/72.

Enclosed herewith for the Bureau are five copies of an LHM concerning captioned VVAW Chapter.

Informants in LHM are identified as follows:

Source

Location

[redacted]	is	[redacted]	[redacted]
[redacted]	is	[redacted]	[redacted]
[redacted]	is	[redacted]	[redacted]
		(requested)	[redacted]

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LHM furnished to Secret Service, Oklahoma City. LHM also furnished to local offices of 112th MIG, OSI, and NISO, in view of possibility some members of captioned VVAW chapter may have reserve status and in order that their records re captioned group are complete.

Separate investigations have been conducted by this Division on the officers and known members of the OU VVAW Chapter. Based on the results of these investigations, there have been no ADEX recommendations and none are contemplated.

Inasmuch as the OU WAW Chapter is defunct, this case is being placed in a closed status subject to being reopened in the event the organization is reactivated.

- 2 - Bureau (Enc. 5)
- 3 - Oklahoma City
- 1 - 100-8619, OU VVAW
- 1 - 100-8333, VVAW
- 1 - 100-7588, RA

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma  
November 20, 1972

VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW)  
UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA (OU) CHAPTER,  
NORMAN, OKLAHOMA

The VVAW is an antiwar organization which was organized in 1967, and headquartered in New York City. Its published objective is "to demand an immediate cessation of fighting and the withdrawal of all American troops from Indochina."

Reference memorandum at Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, dated June 13, 1972, captioned as above.

Dan Dryz, president of the OU VVAW, commented in August, 1972, that the VVAW had not been very active during the summer months of 1972 since most VVAW members were away from the University of Oklahoma and Norman, Oklahoma, during the summer. Dryz said this was also due to the decrease of enthusiasm in VVAW activities among VVAW members.

Dryz further commented that activities of the OU VVAW during the Fall Semester at OU would include group and individual actions directed toward the November national elections.

[REDACTED] 8/15/72)

There were no demonstrations or other activity by the OU VVAW during the summer months of 1972.

[REDACTED] 10/2/72)  
[REDACTED] 8/18/72)  
[REDACTED] 8/18/72)

In October, 1972, Dan Dryz, president of the OU VVAW, was overheard to state that the VVAW at OU is now a defunct organization.

[REDACTED] 10/16/72)

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# Memorandum

TO : *ST* ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI DATE: 11/22/72  
 FROM : *Lpm* SAC, NEWARK (100-54973) C  
 SUBJECT: VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW)  
 WILLIAM PATTERSON COLLEGE CHAPTER  
 WAYNE, NEW JERSEY  
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Re: Newark airtel and LHM captioned "VVAW, IS - RA", dated 5/26/72.  
 Newark letter and LHM dated 7/18/72, captioned as above.

Referenced Newark letter and LHM dated 7/18/72 disclosed information from a source at William Patterson College (WPC), Wayne, New Jersey, who advised on June 21, 1972, that there was no organized chapter of YSA at that college at that time.

On 8/25/72, and again on 9/26/72, [redacted] advised that he had developed no information to indicate that there was on campus at WPC a chapter of VVAW.

On 11/14/72 [redacted] was re-contacted and advised that [redacted] former student at WPC was not studying at the college at the present time and that [redacted] was formerly reported to have been the supposed head of the VVAW activities at WPC in the past. This source further advised that to his knowledge, there is no VVAW activity at WPC at the present time.

Other Newark confidential informants familiar with revolutionary activities and subversive activities in the New Jersey area were contacted regarding captioned matter and advised that they could furnish no pertinent information regarding any VVAW activities at WPC and these sources advised that nothing had come to their attention to indicate that this type of activity was going on at that college.

The Newark Office was maintaining this matter in a pending status for continued liason with various sources familiar with VVAW activities in an effort **12** NOV 24 1972

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determine if any such activities were going on at WPC, Wayne, New Jersey.

No further investigation concerning this matter is being warranted at the present time and this matter is being closed. Should any information be received in the future to indicate any such activity is prevalent at WPC, Bureau will be expeditiously advised in forms suitable for dissemination.

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# Memorandum

TO : ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 11/13/72

FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES (P)

SUBJECT: JANE FONDA, aka  
SEDITION (KEY ACTIVIST)  
LA File 157-5089  
Bufile 100-459279

INDOCHINA PEACE CAMPAIGN  
IS- RA  
OO: New York  
LA File 100-80540

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Re Los Angeles nitel dated 11/3/72.

Enclosed for the Bureau are 10 copies of a letterhead memorandum (LHM) setting forth information concerning public appearances made by JANE FONDA in the Los Angeles area during the period 11/5-6/72.

Two copies of this LHM are being furnished to the New York Office and one copy is being furnished to the Pittsburgh Office inasmuch as New York is office of origin in matter captioned "INDOCHINA PEACE CAMPAIGN, IS- RA" and Pittsburgh is office of origin in matter regarding [REDACTED]

One copy of LHM being furnished Secret Service, Los Angeles. FD 376 stapled to LHM.

- ⑦ - Bureau (100-459279) (Encl. 10) (RM)
  - (2 - 100- [REDACTED]) (Indochina Peace Campaign)
  - (1 - 100-438281) (THOMAS HAYDEN)
  - ① - 100-448092 (Vietnam Veterans Against the War)
  - (1 - 100- [REDACTED])
- 1 - Pittsburgh (Encl. 1) [REDACTED] (RM)
- 2 - New York (Encl. 2) (Indochina Peace Campaign) (RM)
- 6 - Los Angeles (157-5089)
  - (1 - 100-80540)
  - (1 - 100-71853) (THOMAS HAYDEN)
  - (1 - 100-77703) (Vietnam Veterans Against the War)
  - (1 - 100- [REDACTED])

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Sources utilized in the attached LHM are as follows:

Source One  
(Set forth separately)

Source Two  
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Source Three  
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SA [REDACTED] observed JANE FONDA at Ventura College, Ventura, California; SA [REDACTED] observed FONDA at the University of California, at Irvine, Irvine, California, and Orange Coast College, Costa Mesa, California; and SA [REDACTED] observed FONDA at East Los Angeles City College, Los Angeles, California.

Observing Agents determined that it was not advisable to tape speeches made by FONDA because of the physical surroundings existing in the area in which these speeches were made and that full security could not prevail.

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AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA: Will follow and report activities of JANE FONDA.



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Los Angeles, California

November 13, 1972

In Reply, Please Refer to  
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JANE FONDA  
SEDITION

INDOCHINA PEACE CAMPAIGN  
INTERNAL SECURITY - REVOLUTIONARY ACTIVITIES

On November 5, 1972, Source One, who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised that on November 5, 1972, Jane Fonda appeared at the Ventura College Theater, Ventura College, Ventura, California, under the sponsorship of the Unitarian Church of Ventura, 4949 Foothill Road, Ventura, California. Source advised that Fonda's appearance at Ventura College Theater was previously publicly announced as being sponsored by the Indochina Peace Campaign; however, when Fonda actually appeared at the Ventura College Theater it was stated that her appearance was being sponsored by the Unitarian Church.

Jane Fonda, a motion picture actress, has been publicly identified as militantly opposed to the war in Vietnam.

During August 1972, the Indochina Peace Campaign (IPC) was formed to make the upcoming national election a referendum on the war activities in Indochina and to create understanding and sympathy for the people of Vietnam and their right of self determination. Headquartered in New York City, the group has plans to conduct speeches, film showing, and discussion groups in California, Illinois, Michigan, Ohio, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, and New York, these states being viewed by the IPC as the most influential in determining the selection of the next President.

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Source One advised Fonda spoke from 11:05 a.m. to 11:55 a.m. to an audience of approximately 400 individuals, ranging in age from 35 years to 50 years. All were of the Caucasian race with the exception of four individuals who were of the Black race. Source One reported FONDA'S speech as follows:

Fonda told the audience of her recent visit to Hanoi, North Vietnam, where she witnessed United States aircraft straffing the city of Hanoi in areas which were obviously not of a military nature. Fonda stated she visited the dikes which had been bombed by the United States military forces and she severely criticized the United States for wanton murder of civilians and claimed that President Richard M. Nixon had no intentions of bringing about the end to the war in Vietnam. She added that to elect President Nixon for another four year term as President of the United States would mean another four years of United States being involved in a war.

Fonda urged those present to vote for Senator George Mc Govern who she described as a man who wants to bring peace to the United States. Fonda urged those present to write letters to the "White House" and to the United Nations setting forth their extreme dissatisfaction with the United States being involved in the war in Vietnam.

Fonda also related her meeting with Prisoners of War (POW) during her visit to North Vietnam. Fonda advised that from talking to these POWs she has learned they are not in accordance with United States policy in being at war with North Vietnam. Fonda expressed sorrow for these POWs and claimed that President Nixon is doing nothing to bring them home.

Fonda also mentioned that a delegation, among whom was Thomas Hayden, was presently in North Vietnam endeavoring to obtain release of POWs from North Vietnam. Fonda emphasized the fact that Thomas Hayden was doing more to obtain the release of the POWs than what President Nixon or any member of the present administration were doing.

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INDOCHINA PEACE CAMPAIGN

Source One advised Fonda was well accepted by the audience and received a standing ovation. Following her speech folk songs were sung to the music of guitars. Source said that just prior to termination of this program those present were invited to the Unitarian Church to partake in refreshments.

Thomas Emmett Hayden, one of the original organizers of the Students for a Democratic Society (SDS), was the principal author of the Port Huron Statement, which formed the ideological structure of the SDS. Hayden was one of five convicted in February of 1970 in the Chicago conspiracy trial of crossing a state line with intent to incite riots during the August 1968, Democratic National Convention in Chicago. Hayden is currently free on bail and awaiting appeal, and periodically makes speeches criticizing the Chicago conspiracy trials.

SDS was founded during June 1962 at Port Huron, Michigan, and in the 1960s functioned as the leading New Left campus based student organization in the United States. From an initial posture of "participatory democracy," SDS moved to a radical-revolutionary position, with debate centering on how best to create a revolutionary youth movement. Internal factionalism produced a split during the SDS National Convention in June 1969 which resulted in the following three factions: Weatherman; Worker Student Alliance (WSA); and Revolutionary Youth Movement (RYM). The Weatherman and RYM are no longer affiliated with SDS. The WSA continues to use the name SDS and maintains its national headquarters in Chicago, Illinois.



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INDOCHINA PEACE CAMPAIGN

Weatherman, formerly a faction of SDS, controlled the SDS National Office from June 1969 until its closing in February 1970. Weatherman then entered an underground status and adopted a tactic of "strategic sabotage" with police and military installations designated as primary targets.

WSA, a faction of SDS, was expelled from SDS in June 1969 by the then dominant Weatherman faction but continued to use the name SDS and opened an office in Boston, Massachusetts. WSA aligned ideologically with the Progressive Labor Party (PLP) and in February 1971 moved to Chicago, Illinois, where it opened the SDS National Office at 1225 South Wabash. Its official publication, "New Left Notes," is published in Chicago.

The RYM, a pro-communist revolutionary youth organization, was organized in 1969, first as a faction within the SDS, then as a separate group with headquarters in Atlanta, Georgia. RYM was unsuccessful in attracting support and by mid-1970 it was practically defunct.

The PLP was founded in 1962 by individuals expelled from the Communist Party, USA, for following the Chinese communist line. Its objective is the establishment of a militant working-class movement based on Marxist-Leninism and MAO Tse-tung thought.

On November 5, 1972, Source Two, who has furnished reliable information in the past advised that Jane Fonda, under the sponsorship of the Vietnam Veterans Against the War (VVAW), spoke at the University of California at Irvine, Irvine, California, between the hours of 1:30 p.m. and 2:30 p.m. on November 5, 1972. Fonda spoke to an audience of approximately 200 individuals, who for the most part appeared to be students.

JANE FONDA;  
INDOCHINA PEACE CAMPAIGN

The VVAW is an ad hoc organization of veterans opposed to the war in Vietnam. VVAW is an anti-war organization organized in 1967 and headquartered in New York City. Its published objective is "to demand an immediate cessation of fighting and the withdrawal of all American troops from Indochina."

Source Two advised that Fonda's speech related her experiences during her recent trip to North Vietnam. Fonda told the audience of her meeting POWs in North Vietnam. She indicated that although the POWs were being well treated by the North Vietnam Government, there was an extreme desire in them to be home at Christmas time. Fonda said this will never come to pass because President Nixon is doing nothing to effect the release of the POWs. Source Two continued by saying:

Fonda's speech was replete with statements that President Nixon was not interested in bringing about peace with North Vietnam and she added that regardless of what appears in the daily newspaper, it is President Nixon's desire to continue the war in Vietnam due to the best interests of big industry.

Fonda made numerous comments to the effect that if President Nixon was elected to another four year term the United States would most certainly be involved in another four years of war.

Fonda's speech was well received by the audience. Although Fonda's speech ended at about 2:30 p.m. the entire program continued until approximately 4:30 p.m. with numerous speakers who identified themselves as being associated with the VVAW. All these speakers criticized the present United States Government administration for continuing the war in Vietnam and urged those present to do everything in their power to exert pressure on the present administration to bring about the end of the war in Vietnam. Following these speakers, folk songs were sung.

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On November 5, 1972, Source Two advised that at 8:00 p.m. on November 5, 1972, Jane Fonda, under the sponsorship of the Associated Students, Orange Coast College, Costa Mesa, California, spoke to a group of approximately 200 to 250 individuals, all of whom appeared to be of student age attending Orange Coast College, (OCC). Source Two said although this affair was publicized as being sponsored by the Associated Students, OCC, it was in fact promoted by the VVAW.

Source Two advised the VVAW charged the Associated Students, OCC, \$1,500 for the appearance of Jane Fonda at that institution. Source Two advised that in order to defray this cost of \$1,500, the Associated Students, OCC, charged \$1.00 admission fee to hear Fonda. Source Two attributed the fact this affair did not receive a large response was because it was not afforded any prior press coverage.

Source Two advised Fonda's speech, which lasted from approximately 8:10 p.m. to 9:20 p.m. was in substance identical to the speech given by her at the University of California, at Irvine, California, earlier in the day. Source Two advised Fonda's speech was more or less a campaign speech in which she stressed the point that if President Nixon was reelected, the United States would be at war for another four years.

On November 6, 1972, Source Three, who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised that on November 6, 1972, between the hours of 11:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m., the Indochina Peace Campaign sponsored a rally at East Los Angeles City College, Los Angeles, California. Source Three said the principal speaker at this rally was Jane Fonda. Source Three advised approximately 400 individuals were present at this rally, all of whom appeared to be students.

Source Three advised that Holly Near, an entertainer, spoke at this rally. According to Source Three, Near talked about the exploitation of women in South Vietnam, and the unhappiness and discontent which prevails among the servicemen in the United States military Forces in Vietnam. Source Three said Near emphasized the American people must realize by now the war in Vietnam is a "lost cause."

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INDOCHINA PEACE CAMPAIGN

Source Three advised another speaker, George Smith, who introduced himself as being a former member of the United States Green Beret Force who had been a POW in North Vietnam for over two years, went into great detail in stressing the point that American POWs were being well treated in North Vietnam POW camps. Source Three said Smith said he was ashamed of the part he took in the killing of North Vietnam soldiers, and that now he is devoting his life in making the American people aware of the "crime" being committed by the United States in Vietnam.

Source Three advised that just prior to the appearance of Jane Fonda, Holly Near sang folk songs. Source Three said for about the last twenty minutes of the rally, Jane Fonda spoke against the United States being involved in the war in Vietnam, and urged those present to do everything in their power to bring about the election of Senator George S. McGovern to the office of President of the United States.

Source Three described Senator McGovern as a man who has an extreme desire to bring peace to the United States. Source Three advised Fonda stressed the point that President Nixon has "deserted" the POWs, has "deserted" the American people, and has rallied to the cause of big industry which profits by the prolonging of the war in Vietnam.

Source Three said Fonda pointed out she is doing everything she can to make the American people aware of the corruption which exists in the United States Government. Source Three advised Fonda said the Indochina Peace Campaign was set up primarily for the purpose of informing the American people of this corruption.

Source Three advised Fonda terminated her speech by stating that as "true Americans" those present should do all they can to insure that President Nixon is not reelected, because if he should be reelected, it would mean the United States would be involved in an "unjust" and "ruthless" war for another four years, and the American people would be guilty of the murder of countless defenseless civilians who are the victims of the United States bombs dropped in North Vietnam.

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ATTN: DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE DIVISION

JACKSONVILLE [REDACTED]

NEW YORK

FROM MIAMI [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] SM - VVAW. OO: MIAMI.

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RE SAN ANTONIO TELETYPE TO BUREAU AND OTHERS NOV. EIGHTEEN, SEVENTYTWO.

THE FOLLOWING INVESTIGATION CONDUCTED AT MIAMI, NOV. TWENTY, SEVENTYTWO.

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PERSONNEL AT [REDACTED] ADVISED [REDACTED]

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INVESTIGATION CONTINUING AT MIAMI.

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TO ACTING DIRECTOR ATTN DID TELETYPE

JACKSONVILLE

LOUISVILLE

FROM CINCINNATI (100-19743) P 1P

- Mr. Felt
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VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR IS - VVAW

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[Redacted]

A CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE WHO HAS FURNISHED RELIABLE INFORMATION IN PAST ADVISED ON NOVEMBER TWENTYONE LAST THAT CINCINNATI CHAPTER OF VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW) SPONSORING SPEAKING ENGAGEMENT NOVEMBER TWENTYSIX, TWENTYSEVEN NEXT IN CINCINNATI AREA BY JOHN KNIFFIN AND WAYNE BEVERLY OF GAINESVILLE "CONSPIRACY" TRIAL. CURRENT PLANS INCLUDE SPEECHES AT EMANUEL COMMUNITY CENTER, CINCINNATI ON NOVEMBER TWENTYSIX NEXT AND NORTHERN KENTUCKY COLLEGE AT NOON NOVEMBER TWENTYSEVEN NEXT.

ADMINISTRATIVE

EX-105

SOURCE IS [Redacted]

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LOUISVILLE AND CINCINNATI CONTACT APPROPRIATE SOURCES FOR <sup>21</sup> NOV 27 1972

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TO: ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI

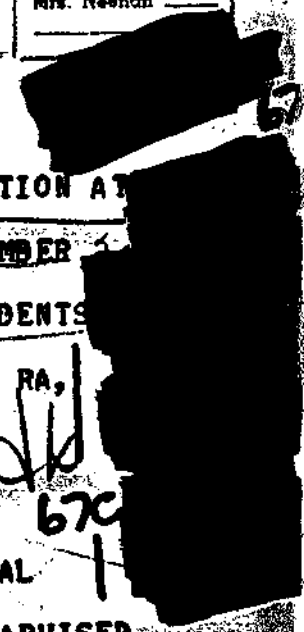
(ATTENTION: DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE DIVISION)

SAC, NEW YORK

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FROM: SAC, TAMPA (100-NEW)

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VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW) SPONSORED DEMONSTRATION AT  
THE UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH FLORIDA (USF), TAMPA, FLORIDA, NOVEMBER  
TWENTY - TWENTY TWO, NINETEEN SEVENTY TWO, IN MEMORY OF STUDENTS  
KILLED AT SOUTHERN UNIVERSITY, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA, IS - RA,  
STAG.

ON NOVEMBER TWENTY, NINETEEN SEVENTY TWO, A CONFIDENTIAL  
SOURCE WHO HAS FURNISHED RELIABLE INFORMATION IN THE PAST, ADVISED  
THAT THE VIETNAM VETREANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW), TAMPA, FLORIDA  
ARE PLANNING THE FOLLOWING ACTION <sup>EX-105</sup> AT THE UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH  
FLORIDA, (USF), TAMPA, FLORIDA, IN MEMORY OF THE TWO STUDENTS WHO  
WERE KILLED AT SOUTHERN UNIVERSITY IN BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA: REC-13 100-948092-2396  
NOV 27 1972

ONE. PREPARE AND DISTRIBUTE LEAFLETS AT USF DURING THE DAY OF  
NOVEMBER TWENTY, NINETEEN SEVENTY TWO, TO ADVERTISE ACTIONS BEING  
TAKEN IN MEMORY OF THE DEAD STUDENTS. BLACK ARMBANDS WILL BE  
PASSED OUT TO ALL STUDENTS WHO EXPRESS WILLINGNESS TO PARTICIPATE  
IN THE ACTIONS.

ENDPAGE ONE

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Included in summary to White House  
and Attorney General. Date 11/1/72  
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TWO. CANDLELIGHT MARCH ON USF CAMPUS BEGINNING AT NINE P. M., NOVEMBER TWENTY, NINETEEN SEVENTY TWO. MARCH WILL PROCEED AROUND CAMPUS TO ALL DORMITORIES.

THREE. MORATORIUM AND DEMONSTRATION TO BE HELD AT USF CAMPUS ON NOVEMBER TWENTY TWO, NINETEEN SEVENTY TWO, AT TWO P. M. THIS DEMONSTRATION WILL END AT THE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT OF USF WHERE DEMANDS WILL BE MADE THAT ALL WEAPONS BE BANNED FROM CAMPUS. (CAMPUS SECURITY POLICE CARRY SIDEARMS AT USF.)

SOURCE ADVISED THAT DURING WEEK OF NOVEMBER TWENTY SEVEN - THIRTY, NINETEEN SEVENTY TWO, A PETITION WILL BE DRAFTED AND CIRCULATED AT USF FOR SIGNATURES OF STUDENTS, ASKING FOR BANNING OF FIREARMS ON CAMPUS THIS PETITION WILL BE PRESENTED TO SCHOOL AUTHORITIES.

IN ADDITION, THE FLORIDA VVAW TENTATIVELY PLANS TO PROPOSE DURING VVAW NATIONAL CONVENTION IN DECEMBER, NINETEEN SEVENTY TWO THAT PETITIONS BE PREPARED AT COLLEGES NATIONWIDE BANNING PRESENCE OF FIREARMS ON COLLEGE CAMPUSES. PETITIONS WILL BE PRESENTED TO THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT IN JANUARY, NINETEEN SEVENTY THREE.

VVAW IS A NATIONAL VETERANS ORGANIZATION WITH A NATIONAL OFFICE AT TWO FIVE WEST TWENTY SIXTH STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

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ITS FIRST PUBLISHED OBJECTIVE IS TO "DEMAND AN IMMEDIATE  
CESSATION OF FIGHTING AND A WITHDRAWAL OF TROOPS FROM INDOCHINA."

U. S. ATTORNEY, MILITARY INTELLIGENCE, U. S. SECRET SERVICE  
AND LOCAL AUTHORITIES TAMPA BEING ADVISED.

ADMINISTRATIVE:

RELIABLE SOURCE WHO HAS FURNISHED INFORMATION IN THE PAST  
IS [REDACTED] b2, b7D

LOCAL DISSEMINATION BEING MADE. NO LHM FOLLOWS.

COPY FURNISHED TO NEW YORK AS OO IN VVAV CASE.

TAMPA WILL MAINTAIN CONTACT WITH SOURCES AND FOLLOW

DEMONSTRATION.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT


# Memorandum

TO : ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448092)

DATE: 11/16/72

FROM : *mgz*  
LEGAT, PARIS (100-3189) (P)

SUBJECT: VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW)  
IS - REVOLUTIONARY ACTIVITIES

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ReBuairtel 10/27/72, Bucab 9/18/72, both captioned as above.

Continued contact with Paris sources has developed no information concerning reported travel by a VVAW delegation to Paris during October, 1972 to meet with North Vietnamese representatives. Sources are aware of our continuing interest in this matter and will promptly furnish any information available.

Paris sources have also advised there is no indication at present that the VVAW has established a continuing working relationship with the North Vietnamese or Viet Cong in Paris, although VVAW members have contacted these groups in the past.

Paris is following and the Bureau will be advised.

- 5 - Bureau
- (1-Foreign Liaison Desk)
- (1-New York) (100-160644)
- (1-Tampa)
- 1 - Paris
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Date: 11/22/72

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Via AIRTEL \_\_\_\_\_  
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TO: ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448092)  
FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (100-160644)  
SUBJECT: VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW)  
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ReBuairtel to Legats, Ottawa, Hong Kong, London, and Paris, and SACs, Chicago, Jacksonville, Miami, New York, and Seattle, dated 10/27/72.

The indices of the New York Office (NYO) were found to contain no references to \_\_\_\_\_ (ph), \_\_\_\_\_ under the spellings \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_

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The records of the Credit Bureau of Greater New York, NYC, as examined on 11/7/72, concerning \_\_\_\_\_ were found to contain no record of that individual.

The records of the Bureau of Criminal Identification, New York City Police Department (NYCPD), NYC, as checked during November, 1972, at the request of SA \_\_\_\_\_ were found to contain no record of \_\_\_\_\_ based on available information.

The following confidential sources of the NYO were contacted during November, 1972, but were unable to furnish information concerning \_\_\_\_\_

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- 2-Chicago (100-50772) (RM)
- 1-New York

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[REDACTED] (S)

It is believed that the [REDACTED] referred to above  
is identical with VVAW member [REDACTED] Bureau file  
[REDACTED] New York file [REDACTED]

New York is alert to the statements made by  
[REDACTED] and any information received in corroboration  
of these statements will be promptly furnished to the Bureau.

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# Memorandum

*W*  
TO : Acting Director, FBI (100-448092)      DATE: November 6, 1972  
Attention: Domestic Intelligence Division

FROM : Legat, Rome (100-1871) (RUC)

SUBJECT: VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW)  
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Re Buffalo airtel 9-21-72.

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UACB, Rome is taking no additional action in this matter at this time.

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 UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
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 WASHINGTON, D.C. 20535

In Reply, Please Refer to  
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10:17PM NITEL 11-6-72 LEF

TO: ACTING DIRECTOR (100-448092)  
FROM: ST. LOUIS (100-21603) P 2P

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VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW), IS - RA, OO: CHICAGO.

RELIABLE SOURCE ADVISED NOVEMBER FOUR LAST, [REDACTED]

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ON NOV. SIX INSTANT, VVAW MEMBERS ASSEMBLED OLD COURTHOUSE, JEFFERSON MEMORIAL PARK, SLMO. ANNOUNCED PLAN TO "OCCUPY DRED SCOTT COURT ROOM DURING THE DAY LIKENING THE EIGHTEEN FIFTYSEVEN DECISION DENYING SCOTT CITIZENSHIP TO REFUSAL OF THE SUPREME COURT IN THE NINETEEN SIXTIES TO HEAR ARGUMENTS ABOUT THE CONSTITUTIONALITY OF THE WAR IN SOUTH EAST ASIA"

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NO ARRESTS MADE. NO PROPERTY DAMAGE  
LHM WILL FOLLOW.

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Date: 11/22/72

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Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL - REGISTERED  
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TO: ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI [REDACTED]  
FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES [REDACTED] (P)  
RE: [REDACTED]  
MIREP  
OO: Los Angeles

ReBuAirtel, 11/17/72.

Information concerning beating of unidentified individual by Dade County Correctional Guards on 8/22/72 previously submitted by Los Angeles airtel dated 10/12/72, captioned "MIREP; [REDACTED] enclosing letterhead memorandum (LHM) entitled "MIAMI REPUBLICAN CONVENTION; INFORMATION CONCERNING." Information concerning beating was not previously reported under caption of Vietnam Veterans Against the War.

Los Angeles will submit LHM under Civil Rights caption concerning beating incident.

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED  
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DATE 4/3/94 BY [Signature]

- 3 - Bureau (RM)
- 1 - MIREP
- 1 - VVAW
- 1 - [REDACTED] 62,670
- 3 - Los Angeles
- 1 - MIREP
- 1 - VVAW

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Date: 11/14/72

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TO : ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448092)  
(ATT: DID)  
FROM : SAC, ALBANY (100-22519) (RUC)  
SUBJECT: VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW)  
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Re Buffalo teletype to Bureau dated 11/1/72.

On 11/8/72, [Redacted] was contacted concerning a meeting of VVAW at the State University College at Oneonta, N.Y., on 11/10/72. He stated he had been on campus frequently and knew of no meeting for the weekend of 11/10/72. He stated he would be alert for such a meeting.

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A second source who has furnished reliable information in the past stated he knew of no such meeting to be held at the State University College at Oneonta, N.Y., on 11/10/72. He stated normally meetings are held at the Student Union Building which requires prior reservations and no one has requested space for such a meeting. He stated this would be the closest college to Sidney, N.Y., which is approximately 18 miles south of Oneonta. He stated he would be alert for any such meeting.

On 11/13/72, [Redacted] advised he would obtain no information regarding a meeting of the VVAW at Oneonta, N.Y., for the past weekend.

The second source mentioned above also stated he knew of no such meeting.

- 3 - Bureau (RM)
- 2 - Buffalo (100-21623) (RM)
- 2 - New York (100-160644) (RM)
- 1 - Albany
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Approved: [Signature] Special Agent in Charge

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Second source is [REDACTED]  
security, State University College, Oneonta, N.Y.

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Date: 11/22/72

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Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL - REGISTERED  
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TO: ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI [REDACTED]  
FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES [REDACTED] (P)  
RE: [REDACTED]  
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OO: Los Angeles

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- 3 - Los Angeles
  - 1 - MIREP
  - 1 - VVAW

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Approved: \_\_\_\_\_  
Special Agent in Charge

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# Memorandum

TO: ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 11/27/72

FROM: SAC, BIRMINGHAM [REDACTED] (C)

SUBJECT: [REDACTED] b7C

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OO: BH

[REDACTED]

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Investigation has determined that subject is described as follows:

Sex Male  
DOB [REDACTED]  
POB [REDACTED]  
Father [REDACTED]

Investigation at Tuscaloosa has determined that subject's activities do not warrant his enclosure on ADEX and this case is being closed in the Birmingham Division.

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# Memorandum

TO : ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 11/27/72

FROM : SAC, BIRMINGHAM [REDACTED] (C) *b7c*

SUBJECT: [REDACTED]

*b7c* SM - VVAW  
OO: BH

[REDACTED]

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b7D  
b7c*

Investigation at Tuscaloosa determined that subject is described as follows:

Sex	Male
Race	Negro
DOB	[REDACTED]
POB	[REDACTED]
Height	[REDACTED]
Weight	[REDACTED]
Hair	[REDACTED]
Eyes	[REDACTED]

Investigation at Tuscaloosa has determined that subject's activities do not warrant his enclosure on ADEX and this case is being closed in the Birmingham Division.

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*[Signature]* ST-110  
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1 - Birmingham  
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# Memorandum

TO: ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 11/27/72

FROM: SAC, BIRMINGHAM [REDACTED] (C)

SUBJECT: [REDACTED] b7c  
SM - VVAW  
OO: BH

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4:29 PM URGENT 11-27-72 LCM

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TO: ACTING DIRECTOR, ATTN: DID [REDACTED] PE  
JACKSONVILLE  
CINCINNATI (100-19743)  
FROM: LOUISVILLE (100-6011) (1-P)

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VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR, IS - VVAV.

A CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE, WHO IS IN A POSITION TO FURNISH RELIABLE INFORMATION, ADVISED ON NOV. TWENTY SEVEN INSTANT THAT THE VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR HAD REQUESTED USE OF THE AUDITORIUM AT THE NORTHERN KENTUCKY STATE COLLEGE, HIGHLAND HEIGHTS (CAMPBELL COUNTY), KENTUCKY, FOR THE PERIOD TWELVE NOON TO TWO PM ON NOV. TWENTY SEVEN SEVENTY TWO. ACCORDING TO THE SOURCE ONE JOHN KNIFFIN AND ONE WAYNE BEVERLY OF GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA SHOWED A FILM ENTITLED "WINTER SOLDIER" DURING THIS PERIOD. THIS PERIOD OF TIME IS OPEN TO ALL STUDENTS AT THE UNIVERSITY AND THERE WAS SOME ADVERTISING CONCERNING THIS MEETING IN THE FORM OF POSTERS DISPLAYED IN THE AUDITORIUM BUILDING. APPROXIMATELY FIFTY STUDENTS OFF AND ON SAW PORTIONS OF FILM.

ADMINISTRATIVE: REFERENCE CINCINNATI TELETYPE TO BUREAU, JACKSONVILLE AND LOUISVILLE NOV. TWENTY TWO LAST.

SOURCE IS [REDACTED] NORTHERN KENTUCKY STATE COLLEGE.

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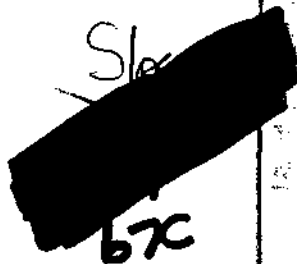
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Via AIRTEL AIRMAIL  
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TO: ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448092)  
ATTN: REVOLUTIONARY ACTIVITIES SECTION

FROM: SAC, TAMPA (100-2514) (P)

VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW)  
IS - RA  
(OO: NEW YORK)

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Re Tampa tel 10/30/72, captioned as above and Bureau tel dated 11/20/72, entitled "People's Coalition for Peace and Justice (PCPJ), IS - RA."

Enclosed for the Bureau are five copies and for New York one copy of LHM reflecting information from Madame BINH of the NLF Peace Delegation in Paris, France, to the VVAW and other antiwar groups in the U. S., concerning the developments of the peace treaty. This information concerned point two in re Bureau tel.

Confidential source in LHM is 

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No local dissemination being made.

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- Bureau (Encis. ENCLOSURE)
- 1 - New York (Enclosure)
- 2 - Tampa

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
 FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
 Tampa, Florida  
 November 21, 1972

In Reply, Please Refer to  
 File No.

VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR

On October 30, 1972, a confidential source who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised that during a Vietnam Veterans Against the War (VVAW) State-wide Coordinator's Meeting at Gainesville, Florida, October 29, 1972, the following information was obtained:

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[REDACTED] advised he had received a message from VVAW National Headquarters, New York, that Mrs. Cora Weiss, nationally known antiwar activist, had a private meeting with Madame Binh of the National Liberation Front (NLF) Peace Delegation in Paris, France. Mrs. Weiss was advised that the NLF wanted to sign a peace treaty with the United States on October 26, 1972, but the United States wanted to wait until after October 30, 1972. The NLF feared that if they waited until after October 30, 1972, the South Vietnamese Government would kill all their political prisoners in order to eliminate opposition after a peace treaty was signed. The NLF advised that this fear is being fulfilled since the Vietnamese Government is reportedly killing their political prisoners. The NLF said because of this they would not sign the peace treaty after October 30, 1972, and they are prepared to fight Nixon for another four years.

On November 21, 1972, this same source advised that in recent VVAW meetings in Tampa and Gainesville, Florida, no mention has been made concerning any further instructions from Madame Binh.

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VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR

VVAW is a national veterans organization with a national office located at 25 West 26th Street, New York City. Its first published objective is "to demand an immediate cessation of fighting and the withdrawal of troops from Indochina."

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Date: 11/16/72

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Via AIRTEL AIRMAIL  
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TO: ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448092)

FROM: SAC, SACRAMENTO (100-3447) (P)

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ReSClet to Bureau, 9/25/72.

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On 11/16/72, [REDACTED] advised that a statewide convention of the VVAW is scheduled for 11/24-26/72 at Sacramento. Invitations have been forwarded to VVAW chapters throughout California and representatives from ten chapters, specifically those from Los Angeles, San Diego, San Francisco, San Jose, Redwood City, and University of California-Santa Barbara, are expected to attend.

All California offices are requested to contact sources in an effort to determine whether representatives from their areas intend to attend and to furnish this information to Sacramento as soon as possible.

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- 2 - Bureau (RM)
- 2 - Los Angeles (100-77703) (RM)
- 1 - New York (100-160644) (Info) (RM)
- 2 - San Diego (RM)
- 2 - San Francisco (100-71012) (RM)
- 1 - Sacramento

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If any offices [redacted]  
[redacted] said offices should contact  
Sacramento regarding [redacted]  
[redacted] with Sacramento.  
[redacted]

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FTB01 2:25AM 11-24-72 BJM  
STATE 580  
2:15PM URGENT 11/24/72 RAR  
TO ACTING DIRECTOR NR 334-23  
FROM LEGAT TOKYO (105-6151) 1P

VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW); IS-RA

RE BUREAU CABLE NOVEMBER TWELVE, LAST.

CONCERNING [REDACTED] MENTIONED ON PAGE FIVE OF [REDACTED]

REFERENCED CABLE, [REDACTED] HAS REQUESTED ADDITIONAL  
INFORMATION CONCERNING HER. INASMUCH AS [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] DESIRES

BACKGROUND INFORMATION, PASSPORT NUMBER, AND HER TRAVEL PLANS  
IF KNOWN, TO FACILITATE SURVEILLANCE OF HER [REDACTED]

PLEASE SUCAB.

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- 1 - Mr. Miller
- 1 - Mr. [REDACTED]
- 1 - Mr. [REDACTED]
- 1 - Mr. [REDACTED]

November 28, 1972

Assistant Attorney General  
Internal Security Division

For the Acting Director, FBI  
W. Mark Felt  
Acting Associate Director

**VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR, et al. v.  
RICHARD KLIENDIENST, et al., U.S. D. C. N. D.  
FLORIDA (TALLAHASSEE DIVISION) CIVIL NO. TCA 1843**

Pursuant to the request of Mr. Robert L. Kusch, Chief of your Appeals Section, for information upon which to base an affidavit in connection with the allegations concerning wiretapping in the complaint, we have checked our records and determined that this Bureau has not had any electronic surveillance coverage directed at telephone numbers 212 725-5680, 5681, 5682, and 5683 (National Headquarters, Vietnam Veterans Against the War (VVAW), New York, New York); 512 451-2841 (VVAW Office, Austin, Texas); 904 378-0774 (VVAW Office, Gainesville, Florida); 305 681-7982 (VVAW Office, Hialeah, Florida); and 501 521-7884 (VVAW Office, Fayetteville, Arkansas).

NOTE: Plaintiffs, the VVAW and 11 members thereof have brought suit against the AG, the Acting Director, and others alleging that defendants' activities in subpoenaing the individual plaintiffs to appear before a grand jury at the time of the national conventions violated their constitutional rights. The Department in defending the action has requested advice as to whether or not the plaintiffs' allegations concerning electronic surveillance of certain VVAW Offices were true. The Domestic Intelligence Division has advised that we have never had coverage on any of the above set forth VVAW Offices.

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- Marshall \_\_\_\_\_
- Miller, P.S. \_\_\_\_\_
- Mohr \_\_\_\_\_
- Parsons \_\_\_\_\_
- Rosen \_\_\_\_\_
- Sullivan \_\_\_\_\_
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 11/27/72

FROM : SAC, TAMPA (100-3210) (P)

SUBJECT: VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR  
(VVAW) - UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH FLORIDA  
(VVAW-USF)  
IS - RA  
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On 11/15/72, [REDACTED] advised that VVAW had recently, in October, 1972, been approved as a student organization on campus on USF.

[REDACTED] No membership total is known at this time. He noted the purpose of this organization was to effect the withdrawal of all U. S. troops from Indochina and to stop the Vietnam war.

It is noted that a number of gatherings have been held on campus at USF by VVAW-USF since the opening of school in September, 1972, but since VVAW was not approved, the gatherings were sponsored by a front group. VVAW-USF has co-sponsored, along with United Front Against the War (UFAW) another student approved organization at USF, two antiwar demonstrations at Tampa during the past two months.

There are pending Tampa cases on [REDACTED] SM - VVAW, Tampa File [REDACTED] Bureau File [REDACTED] SM - VVAW, Tampa File [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] SM - VVAW, Tampa File [REDACTED]

In order to completely identify VVAW-USF's membership, aims and affiliations, Bureau authority is requested to investigate captioned organization.

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Date 12/12/72



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Date: 11/20/72

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TO: ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448092)  
FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (100-160644)  
SUBJECT: VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW)  
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ReBuairtel to Chicago, et al, dated 11/8/72.

During the week of 11/12/72, [Redacted] and [Redacted] advised that they have no information that the VVAW is actively involved in sabotage or tampering with military equipment or other Government property.

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Sources are alerted on this matter.

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1 - Mr. [REDACTED] **URGENT**  
1 - Mr. [REDACTED] 11/28/72  
1 - Mr. [REDACTED]

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TO LEGAT TOKYO (105-6151)

FROM FOR THE ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI  
W. MARK FELT  
ACTING ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR (100-448092)

VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW); IS - RA  
RETOKCAB NOVEMBER TWENTYFOUR, LAST.

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AS [REDACTED]  
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[REDACTED]  
FORMERLY ACTIVE IN MILITANT VVAW.  
[REDACTED]  
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AS OF APRIL, NINETEEN SEVENTYTWO, NO RECORD COULD BE LOCATED REGARDING  
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- Purvis \_\_\_\_\_
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CABLEGRAM TO LEGAT TOKYO  
RE: VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW)  
100-448092

[REDACTED] AT PASSPORT OFFICE, DEPARTMENT OF STATE. NO INFORMATION  
REPORTED CONCERNING CURRENT TRAVEL PLANS OF [REDACTED]

LEGAT ADVISE [REDACTED] PER ITS REQUEST.

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TO: ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI

(ATTENTION: DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE DIVISION)

SAC, NEW YORK

NEW ORLEANS

FROM: SAC, TAMPA (100-3378)

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- Ms. Herwig
- Mrs. Neenan

Vietnam Veterans Against the War (VVAW) sponsored demonstration  
 at the University of South Florida (USF), Tampa, Florida,  
 November twenty - twenty two, nineteen seventy two, in memory of  
 students killed at Southern University, Baton Rouge, Louisiana.  
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On November twenty two, nineteen seventy two, a confidential  
 source who has furnished reliable information in the past advised  
 the Vietnam Veterans Against the War (VVAW) maintained a table in  
 the University Center, University of South Florida (USF) during the  
 day of November twenty, nineteen seventy two and past out  
 leaflets advertising candlelight march set for the night of  
 November twenty, nineteen seventy two in memory of the two students  
 who were killed at Southern University, Baton Rouge, Louisiana.  
 Source stated candlelight march was held on night of November  
 twenty, nineteen seventy two with approximately one hundred fifty  
 to two hundred persons taking part. No speeches involved and

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GROUP ONLY WALKED AROUND CAMPUS WITH CANDLES. MARCH DISPERSED WITHOUT INCIDENT.

ON NOVEMBER TWENTY FOUR, NINETEEN SEVENTY TWO, SOURCE ADVISED THE MEMORIAL DEMONSTRATION SCHEDULED FOR TWO P. M. , NOVEMBER TWENTY TWO, NINETEEN SEVENTY TWO NEVER MATERIALIZED DUE TO LACK OF PARTICIPATION. ONLY ABOUT FORTY PERSONS SHOWED UP AND LISTENED TO SEVERAL SPEECHES CONDEMNING GUNS BEING CARRIED ON CAMPUSES BY SECURITY POLICE. GROUP DISPERSED AT THREE P. M. WITHOUT INCIDENT.

VVAW IS A NATIONAL VETERANS ORGANIZATION WITH A NATIONAL OFFICE AT TWO FIVE WEST TWENTY SIXTH STREET, NEW YORK CITY. ITS FIRST PUBLISHED OBJECTIVE IS TO "DEMAND AN IMMEDIATE CESSATION OF FIGHTING AND A WITHDRAWAL OF TROOPS FROM INDOCHINA."

U. S. ATTORNEY, MILITARY INTELLIGENCE, U. S. SECRET SERVICE AND LOCAL AUTHORITIES TAMPA BEING ADVISED.

ADMINISTRATIVE:

RE TAMPA TEL TO BUREAU, NOVEMBER TWENTY, NINETEEN SEVENTY TWO.

RELIABLE SOURCE WHO HAS FURNISHED RELIABLE INFORMATION IN THE PAST IS [REDACTED] b2, b7D

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LOCAL DISSEMINATION BEING MADE. NO LHM FOLLOWS.

COPY FURNISHED TO NEW YORK AS OO IN VVAW CASE.

NO INVESTIGATION REMAINS AT TAMPA AND CASE IS BEING CLOSED.

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Mrs. Neenan	_____

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TO ACTING DIRECTOR (100-448092)

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FROM MILWAUKEE (100-15674) (P) 1 PAGE

VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW). IS - RA.

RE MILWAUKEE TEL TO BUREAU ELEVEN TEN LAST.

SUBSEQUENT CONTACT WITH MILWAUKEE SOURCES  
BETWEEN ELEVEN ELEVEN LAST AND ELEVEN FOURTEEN  
LAST REFLECTS NO ADDITIONAL INFORMATION CONCERNING

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SOURCES CONTACTED IDENTIFIED MILWAUKEE FILES 11 NOV 29 1972

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FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (100-160644)  
SUBJECT: VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR  
(VVAW)  
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(OO:CG)

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On 11/28/72, [redacted] who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised that on 11/27/72, the New York Regional Office of the VVAW was moved from 25 West 26th Street, New York City (NYC) to 857 Broadway, NYC. [redacted]

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- 2 - Chicago (100-50772) (RM)
- 2 - New York (42)
- (1 - [redacted] (INV) (47)
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Approved: [signature]  
Special Agent in Charge

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Date: 11/17/72

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TO: ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448092)  
FROM: SAC, MOBILE (100-2408) (P)  
SUBJECT: VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW)  
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Re Mobile airtel to Bureau, 9/27/72.

Enclosed for the Bureau, Birmingham, Jackson, Jacksonville, are four copies each of an LHM dated 11/17/72, at Mobile, captioned "Alabama-Mississippi Region, Vietnam Veterans Against the War, Inc., 1317 14th Avenue, Tuscaloosa, Alabama, 35401". The LHM sets forth a six page newsletter, number 20, of the Alabama-Mississippi Region VVAW. The newsletter was made available by **[Redacted]** on 11/13/72.

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- 2 - Birmingham (Encls 4) (RM)
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- 5 - Mobile - **[Redacted]**
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Approved: P. M.  
Special Agent in Charge

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Mobile, Alabama  
November 17, 1972

In Reply, Please Refer to  
File No.

ALABAMA - MISSISSIPPI REGION,  
VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE  
WAR, INC., 1317 14th AVENUE,  
TUSCALOOSA, ALABAMA 35401

Vietnam Veterans Against the War (VVAW) is an anti-war organization organized in 1967 and headquartered in New York City. Its published objective is to "demand an immediate cessation of fighting and the withdrawal of all American troops from Indochina". VVAW has participated in several demonstrations, including massive demonstration in Washington, D. C., April 19-23, 1971.

On November 13, 1972, a source who has furnished reliable information in the past, made available a six - page printed News Letter Number 20, bearing letterhead of the Alabama-Mississippi Region, Vietnam Veterans Against The War, Inc., 1317 14th Avenue, Tuscaloosa, Alabama 35401. This news letter sets forth a background of the VVAW, both nationally and the Alabama-Mississippi Region.

This news letter is set forth as follows:

11/23/94 [Handwritten signature]

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ALABAMA-MISSISSIPPI REGION  
VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR, INC.  
1317 11th Avenue  
Tuscaloosa, Alabama 35401

NEWS LETTER  
NUMBER 20

Because so many people have been added to the mailing list we felt that it would be appropriate to review our past activities, discuss our objectives, and take a look at our current on-going projects:

Nationally there are over 30,000 members. VVAW is recognized by the Veterans Administration as a legitimate Veterans Organization. VVAW has organized marches and other actions in every state in the nation. Never has VVAW participated in Any violence. The Justice Department, the FBI, and others in the Administration have and are attempting to discredit VVAW. We believe this is being done because we do have credibility, people are listening! Is Nixon afraid that the American people will learn the truth?

The Alabama-Mississippi Region has active chapters in seven cities and members All over both states. The members for the most part are unemployed, woefully underemployed, or students, and those who are generally finding great difficulty accepting the complacency demonstrated by many Americans to the continuation of what we know to be an unjust, immoral war. Our membership is open to anyone in agreement with our objectives, our sincere dedication to non-violence, and interested in taking time to work for our mutual objectives.

We have led anti-war marches, held investigations into war crimes in Indo-China, taken stands on local issues consistent with our objectives, worked in V.A. Hospitals, written legislation to improve conditions for vets., and fought discrimination whenever we came across it. Members of VVAW have been actively involved in the McGovern and NDPA campaigns.

Because we generally have a distrust of organizations, VVAW is making every effort to maintain a loose knit, yet effective, democratic structure. Your ideas and help are needed. If you want to participate (to whatever degree you can) get in touch with the chapter nearest you. If there is no chapter near you-- you can start one. We have a speaker's bureau that will help with programs in your area and can help you organize a chapter. Write or call the regional office for more information.

Minutes of the 4th Quarterly Regional Conference, Ala-Miss VVAW, held in Auburn, Ala

I. Opening Session

- A. Welcome (Coy Atkins and Van Thomson- both from Auburn)
- B. Keynote Address (Clellon Baeder from Montgomery)
- C. Call to order (Frank Angarola- Regional Coordinator from Tuscaloosa)
  1. Credentials- Everyone present was identified and allowed to vote
  2. Elect Secretary- Tom Ashby from Tuscaloosa was elected
  3. Elect Parliamentarian- Scott Camil, Florida Coordinator was elected to serve at this conference only
  4. Acceptance of rules of order- Bylaws and Conference Agenda
  5. Discussion of Objectives
- D. Workshops
  1. Organizational Workshop- Discussion Leader, Clellon Baeder
  2. Programs and Actions- Co-discussion Leaders, Van Thomson and Grant Oka

II. Second Session-- Speakers and Discussion

- A. Ralph Galt, Candidate for President of the Public Service Commission
- B. John Ford, Candidate for Congress in the 2nd District

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- D. Bobby Johnson, Candidate for County Comm. from Pine Hill, Ala & Mem. VVAW
- E. Jim Boch from the Citizens for McGovern office in Birmingham
- F. Lewis Black, Candidate for Congress in the 7th District.

### III. Third Session

- A. Discussion of VVAW in Politics-- Endorsements:
  - 1. National- none came out of National Conference
  - 2. Regional- NDPA McGovern delegates and NDPA on all levels
  - 3. Local- chapters were encouraged to work with local NDPA candidates
  - 4. A committee was set up to study and report on the elector problem in Ala. and to make appropriate recommendations. A report from that committee may be found right after the minutes of the conference. Page 6.
- B. Accept Communications
  - 1. Report from national conference- Bob Weston from Tuscaloosa
  - 2. Scott Camil (Ganesville 6 defendant) briefed us on the situation in Ganesville and promised to keep us informed and to send the Regional office information on the "Defence Fund" The Conference voted to support the fund and to build a regional action around the "6" and to encourage everyone to go to the trial when the time comes. Scott also suggested that when and if you are contacted by the FBI that you should not cooperate with them as they are not to be trusted. Tell them nothing and they will have nothing to report.
  - 3. Clellon Baeder passed out copies of the G.I. Bill and they were discussed.
- C. Reports and recommendation from workshops
  - 1. Organizational workshop- Reported and the body passed a proposal requiring the following Regional Communications:

#### From the Regional Office

- Monthly newsletter to chapters to include regional and national news
- Personal contact by phone at least once a month with chapters
- Physical presence at chapter meetings at least once every six months

#### From the Chapters (Chapter coordinators please note as you will be responsible for seeing that these communications are sent and received)

- Monthly letter to the regional office by the 10th of each month (First Letter Is Due The 10th Of November)
- Monthly phone call to regional office (345-6773 or 345-9919)
- Chapters representative present at regional office at least once every 3 months
- -- REGIONAL MEETING AT LEAST ONCE EVERY THREE MONTHS --

#### 2. Programs and Actions workshop

- a. The workshop reported and the body passed a proposal to set up a Regional Speakers Bureau. It will temporarily work out of the regional office but will be passed around to other chapters as they become capable of supporting the program. If you would like for us to come to your area and put on a program- just let us know.
- b. The workshop reported and the body passed a proposal to attempt to march in the Veterans Day Parade in Birmingham. Mike Cornwell, Birmingham Coordinator, was charged with setting up our action on the 23rd.
- c. The workshop reported and the body passed a proposal to set up a committee to work with Peoples Farm in Browns, Ala. and to send members to Browns to explore their needs. Weston, Chairman.

**VETERANS DAY IN BIRMINGHAM** After being told that VVAW could march in the parade the parade officials reconsidered and said that we had not registered in time (exceptions were made for other groups however) At 11:00 about 35 Vets gathered in Woodrow Wilson Park, posed for police pictures, talked with the press, made signs, and planned the day's activities. By day's end about sixty VVAW members had appeared and at one point during the parade 300 to 350 people were chanting at the military passing in review.

# Why have 5 years made such a difference?



# Why is your money worth - Less

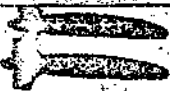
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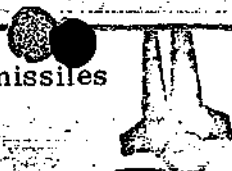
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So - the war takes money out of your pocket two ways:

1. weapons production fuels the inflation that whittles down the buying power of your dollar;
2. Your tax money is used to pay for an unjustifiable war half a world away, not to provide a better way of life for you and yours right here at home.

### HOW CAN YOU STOP THIS DOUBLE THEFT?

You can work to end American involvement totally and completely:

- bring the rest of the boys home (120,000 U.S. soldiers, sailors, airmen are still in Southeast Asia)
- bring the bombs home
- bring the planes home
- bring the warships home

and let the Vietnamese people

- bring Thieu down
- bring about a coalition government

The END of the war can be the beginning

of more purchasing power for your dollar  
of more benefits for you from your tax dollar

For the sake of our country's TRUE national honor

For the sake of the PEOPLE of Indochina

For the sake of YOUR OWN pocketbook

**THIS WAR MUST END!**

Additional copies from: Indochina Summer  
AFSC, 160 N. 15th Street  
Philadelphia, Pa. 19102

Last week two more members of the VVAW were indicted in connection with the Gainesville Conspiracy Case. Pleas will be entered on November 6, the day before the national election. Trial date has not been sent. It is estimated that \$150,000 will be needed to provide a defense for the defendants. The VVAW is on trial and it is up to us to see that the trial is conducted with a proper defense. The forces of the entire U.S. government are arrayed against us. We must help ourselves. Please send contributions to the Regional Office. Make out checks to the GAINESVILLE CONSPIRACY DEFENSE FUND.

YOU MAY BE NEXT.

In the past few months, one VVAW member from the region was subpoenaed to testify before the grand jury that brought the indictments against the Gainesville 8. There have also been instances of members and their families being approached and questioned by FBI agents concerning VVAW. If you are subpoenaed:

1. Contact the Regional Office. We will secure the proper legal assistance.
2. Answer no questions put to you by the serving official.
3. Ask the serving official NO questions.

If an FBI agent attempts to question you:

1. Notify the Regional Office with all details.
2. Answer NO questions, no matter how harmless they may seem at first.
3. Do not attempt to engage the agent in a discussion of any kind. They did not come to see you to discuss the current political situation.
4. Inform your friends and relatives of these instructions.

If you are a member or friend of VVAW, your following these instructions can prevent a lot of trouble for yourself and others. Anything you say can be taken out of context and used against you.

Again, it is imperative that you notify the Regional Office of any of the above activities.

Also, notify us if you suspect your mail is being tampered with or your phone bugged. There has been a rash of these types of occurrences lately and we wish to keep record of them.

They're trying to scare us, folks. We don't scare too easy.

GAINESVILLE ACTION

The Florida Region of VVAW will be sponsoring an action on Nov. 17 at the University of Florida in Gainesville. This action will take place during the University of Florida's Homecoming weekend and will focus on the ongoing Indochina war, the election outcome, and the struggle of our 8 brothers now awaiting trial on trumped up charges of conspiracy to do violence.

Florida has asked that the Ala-Miss VVAW do it's best to help make the action a success. If you can possibly make it down, do so. As usual, catering facilities and some of those little amenities that make any VVAW gathering a nice experience, will be provided by our hosts in Gainesville. Bring sleeping gear and enough food to last the weekend and your trip. Call Tuscaloosa for details.

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## REPORT FROM THE COMMITTEE TO STUDY THE ELECTOR PROBLEM IN ALABAMA

Again this Presidential year it is difficult, if not impossible to cast a vote for the National Democratic Party's candidate for President. Actually there are two slates of electors running pledged to McGovern-Shriver. This splitting of votes intended for the same candidates in effect eliminates whatever chance McGovern-Shriver may have had in the State. It is the findings of this committee that this came about because old party bosses of the conservative democratic party in Alabama have been unwilling to work with the NDPA. The National Democratic Party of Alabama, an outgrowth of the Black community to deal with Black problems has grown in scope to encompass issues affecting the lives of each Alabamian- the war, unemployment, prison reform, education, health care, housing, agriculture, as well as race relations. The NDPA elector slate offered to withdraw and allow the regular Democratic electors to be on the ballot under both party emblems. Vance's conservative group refused the offer. It is the same Vance group who offer the voter (under the rooster) men like Walter Flowers who have consistently voted the promilitary block. The old Democratic Party is not as seriously concerned with electing McGovern as it should be- only the NDPA is.

ALABAMA-MISSISSIPPI  
Vietnam Veterans Against the War  
1317 11th Ave.  
Tuscaloosa, Alabama  
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# Memorandum

TO : ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448092)

DATE: 11/17/72

FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES (100-77703) (P)

SUBJECT: VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST  
THE WAR (VVAW)  
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Re Los Angeles letter dated 10/19/72, captioned, [redacted] Los Angeles file [redacted] Bufile [redacted] Bureau letter dated 11/7/72, captioned VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW), IS - RA.

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On the following dates, sources in the Los Angeles Division familiar with the activities of the VVAW and who have provided reliable information in the past were contacted and advised they were unaware of any proposal to change the present name of VVAW. Los Angeles sources contacted are as follows:

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On 11/15/72, [redacted] was contacted by SA [redacted] and advised he had heard nothing further regarding changing it's name.

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AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA: Will maintain contact with sources of VVAW regarding above and possible name change.

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-ORGANIZER FOR THE PAC. [REDACTED]

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PAC IS AN UMBRELLA ORGANIZATION WHICH COORDINATES  
DEMONSTRATIONS AND OTHER FORMS OF PROTESTS AGAINST  
AMERICAN INVOLVEMENT IN SOUTHEAST ASIA. [REDACTED]

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A SIAN AMERICAN COMMUNITY.

WOMEN FOR LEGISLATIVE ACTION, FORMED IN NINETEEN FIFTY TWO, CLAIMS TO BE INDEPENDENT ORGANIZATION DEDICATED TO NONPARTISAN PARTICIPATION IN LEGISLATIVE AND CIVIC ACTIVITIES. ITS POSITION CLOSELY PARALLELS THE POSITION OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY, USA (CPUSA) ALTHOUGH MEMBERSHIP IN WLA DOES NOT CONNOTE MEMBERSHIP IN OR SYMPATHY WITH THE CPUSA.

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JAPANESE COUNCIL AGAINST ATOMIC AND HYDROGEN BOMBS HAS BEEN CHARACTERIZED AS A COMMUNIST FRONT "PEACE" ORGANIZATION IN JAPAN.

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VVAW IS AN ANTI-WAR ORGANIZATION ORGANIZED IN NINETEEN SIXTY SEVEN <sup>WITH</sup> ~~AND~~ HEADQUARTERS IN NEW YORK CITY. ITS PUBLISHED OBJECTIVE IS "TO DEMAND AN IMMEDIATE CESSATION OF FIGHTING AND THE WITHDRAW<sup>A</sup>L OF ALL AMERICAN TROOPS FROM INDOCHINA".

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LA WILL CONTACT SOURCES KNOWLEDGABLE IN ASIAN-AMERICAN  
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# Memorandum

TO: Mr. E. S. Miller

FROM: [REDACTED] TJS/ELR

- 1 - Mr. Gebhardt
- 1 - Mr. Jenkins
- 1 - Mr. Walters

DATE: 11/15/72

- 1 - Mr. E. S. Miller
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- ✓ Ms. Herwig
- ✓ Mrs. Neenan

SUBJECT: PROTESTS DURING PRESIDENTIAL INAUGURAL CEREMONIES, SEVENTY-THREE

This memorandum requests an airtel be sent to all offices concerning proposed demonstrations during the inauguration ceremonies in Washington, D. C., on 1/20/73.

The Students for a Democratic Society/Worker Student Alliance is planning to hold demonstrations in Washington prior to and during the Inauguration of the President. In addition, the Vietnam Veterans Against the War (VVAW) and the Revolutionary Union have expressed interest in participating in demonstrations at the inauguration.

[REDACTED SECTION]

The agencies of Government as well as the Metropolitan Police Department will rely to a large degree on information that the Bureau furnishes in effecting security measures during the inauguration. Information that we develop will be furnished to Secret Service, White House, Attorney General, Deputy Attorney General, and to the Metropolitan Police Department through the Washington Field Office.

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NOT RECORDED

There is attached an airtel to all field offices advising of the above plans <sup>176</sup> ~~176~~ <sup>DEC 19 1972</sup> groups to demonstrate during the inauguration and instructing that information developed relating to advance planning of militants or radical organizations or individuals which may lead to violence or disorder be furnished the Bureau promptly upon receipt.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the attached airtel be approved and forwarded to the Mechanical Section for reproduction.

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Date: 11/22/72

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Via AIRTEL AIR MAIL  
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TO: ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448092)

FROM: SAC, SPRINGFIELD (100-13807) (P)

SUBJECT: VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW)  
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Re Bureau airtel to Kansas City, dated 11/9/72,  
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Kansas City airtel to Bureau, dated 11/2/72;  
Springfield airtel to Kansas city, dated 11/8/72 (IO);  
Kansas City teletype to Springfield, dated  
11/16/72 (IO);  
Kansas City teletype to Springfield, dated  
11/18/72 (IO); the latter four communications  
captioned "VVAW CONVOY TO CAIRO, ILLINOIS  
11/18/72, IS - VVAW, OO:SPRINGFIELD".

Enclosed for the Bureau are the original and seven  
copies and for Kansas City, two copies, of an LHM captioned  
"VVAW CONVOY TO CAIRO, ILLINOIS, 11/18/72." FD-376 is stapled  
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A copy of this LHM has been disseminated to Secret Service, Springfield, Illinois.

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On 11/11/72, WILLIAM BOWERS, Chief of Police, Cairo, Illinois, was advised of the Kansas City VVAW Convoy to Cairo anticipated on 11/18/72.

On 11/14/72, [redacted] Illinois State Police, Cairo, Illinois, was advised of the Kansas City VVAW Convoy to Cairo anticipated on 11/18/72.

Logical sources of the Springfield Division have been assigned in this matter. Bureau will be advised of any future pertinent VVAW activities in the Cairo, Illinois area.

LEADS: KANSAS CITY DIVISION

At Kansas City, Missouri

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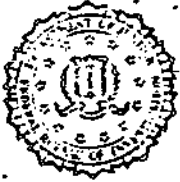
SPRINGFIELD DIVISION

At Cairo, Illinois

Will maintain contact with logical sources.

Will, upon receipt of Kansas City investigation, index logical pertinent information.





In Reply, Please Refer to  
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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
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WASHINGTON, D. C. 20535

November 22, 1972

Director  
United States Secret Service  
Department of the Treasury  
Washington, D. C. 20220

RE: Vietnam Veterans Against the War  
Convoy to Cairo, Illinois,  
November 18, 1972

Dear Sir:

The information furnished herewith concerns an individual or organization believed to be covered by the agreement between the FBI and Secret Service concerning protective responsibilities, and to fall within the category or categories checked.

1.  Threats or actions against persons protected by Secret Service.
2.  Attempts or threats to redress grievances.
3.  Threatening or abusive statement about U. S. or foreign official.
4.  Participation in civil disturbances, anti-U. S. demonstrations or hostile incidents against foreign diplomatic establishments.
5.  Illegal bombing, bomb-making or other terrorist activity.
6.  Defector from U. S. or indicates desire to defect.
7.  Potentially dangerous because of background, emotional instability or activity in groups engaged in activities inimical to U. S.

Photograph  has been furnished  enclosed  is not available.

Very truly yours,

L. Patrick Gray, III  
Acting Director

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Springfield, Illinois 62702

November 22, 1972

In Reply, Please Refer to  
File No.

VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW)  
CONVOY TO CAIRO, ILLINOIS  
NOVEMBER 18, 1972

Springfield Confidential Source One, who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised on October 18, 1972, that the Kansas City Chapter of the VVAW plans to sponsor a convoy to Cairo, Illinois, scheduled to leave Kansas City, Missouri on November 18, 1972, en route to Cairo, Illinois, with medical and food supplies as well as clothing and other miscellaneous merchandise for the poor people in Cairo. This Source indicated that the Kansas City VVAW Chapter is working very closely with the Southern Christian Leadership Conference on the Cairo trip.

The VVAW was founded in the Spring of 1967, by six young Vietnam veterans in New York City. At the beginning of 1968, with 600 members, VVAW opened a National Office, founded the first GI newspaper "Vietnam GI" and sent close to 500 veterans into the McCarthy campaign to beat down the red baiters. After getting gassed at the Democratic Convention at Chicago and caught in the general "down" of the peace movement, VVAW was nearly inactive until the moratoriums in the Fall of 1969. Members of VVAW led student strikes on major campuses across the country and battled Veterans Administration Hospital authorities over threats to throw amputee Vietnam veterans out for signing anti-war petitions. At present membership of the VVAW, nationally, consists of 8,500 members.

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**VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW)  
CONVOY TO CAIRO, ILLINOIS  
NOVEMBER 18, 1972**

The Southern Christian Leadership Conference (SCLC) is a black civil rights organization headquartered in Atlanta, Georgia.

Springfield Confidential Source Two who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised on November 17, 1972, that approximately 35 individuals planned to depart the Kansas City area in convoy in the early morning hours of November 18, 1972, en route to Cairo. Approximately 10 individuals representing the Southern Christian Leadership Conference, as well as a representative from the Kansas City, Missouri, Mayor's Office, would accompany the convoy.

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William Bowers, Chief of Police, Cairo, Illinois, advised on November 20, 1972, that in the mid-afternoon of November 18, 1972, approximately eight automobiles with Kansas license plates and two automobiles with Missouri license plates arrived at the Headquarters Building of the United Front of Cairo in Cairo, Illinois. One of these vehicles was a 1971 or 1972 International Scout which appeared to be filled with food and clothing which was then unloaded into the Headquarters Building. Bowers stated that the above vehicles contained approximately 30 to 35 white men and women, many of whom were dressed in Army fatigues and others dressed in assorted casual clothes. Bowers added that at about 3:00 P.M., November 18, 1972, [REDACTED] of the United Front of Cairo, a black man, as well as two local black women, accompanied by the 30 to 35 persons who had arrived in the out of state vehicles, appeared in the downtown section of Cairo carrying handwritten signs to the effect "no rights - no money", "the boycott is still on", and other signs to a similar effect.

Bowers stated that this group marched up and down the downtown area of Cairo for approximately one hour and then dispersed. Bowers stated that there were no disturbances or arrests made pertaining to this activity.

Bowers stated that it was his belief that the individuals arriving in Cairo in the above mentioned ten out of state vehicles departed the Cairo area in the late evening of November 18, 1972, without incident.

The United Front of Cairo is a predominantly black militant organization which has attempted the economic boycott of white merchants in Cairo since April, 1969. Cairo has been plagued with racial tension and sporadic sniping incidents since that time.

**VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW)  
CONVOY TO CAIRO, ILLINOIS  
NOVEMBER 18, 1972**

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Springfield Confidential Source Two advised on November 20, 1972, that source had received no information to indicate that the persons who arrived in Cairo in the afternoon of November 18, 1972, had brought into Cairo any firearms, ammunition, or explosives or that these persons had intended to cause any disruptive activities in the area during their brief presence.

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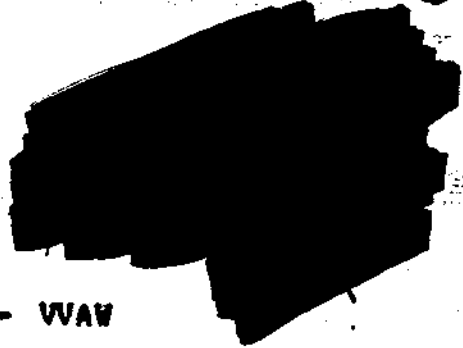
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VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR IS - VVAW

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A CONFIDENTIAL SOURCE, WHO HAS FURNISHED RELIABLE INFORMATION IN THE PAST, ADVISED ON NOVEMBER TWENTYEIGHT INSTANT THAT JOHN KNIFFIN AND WAYNE BEVERLY OF GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA SHOWED THE FILM "WINTER SOLDIER" AT A HALL ON THE UNIVERSITY OF CINCINNATI CAMPUS ON THE EVENING OF NOVEMBER TWENTYSEVEN LAST. THIS APPEARANCE WAS ATTENDED BY FIFTYSIX PERSONS. FILM WAS TO BE SHOWN IN THREE SECTIONS BUT UPON COMPLETION OF THE SECOND PORTION, SEVERAL PEOPLE STARTED TO LEAVE. THIS PROMPTED BEVERLY AND KNIFFIN TO SPEAK AT THIS POINT ALTHOUGH IT HAD BEEN THEIR APPARENT INTENTION TO WAIT TO SPEAK UNTIL THE COMPLETION OF THE FILM. BOTH BEVERLY AND KNIFFIN

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DENOUNCED THE OUTSTANDING INDICTMENT AGAINST THEM AS UNTRUE AND STATED THE PRIME SOURCE OF THE INDICTMENT WAS AN FBI INFORMANT WHO IS EXPOSED IN THE DECEMBER, NINETEEN SEVENTYTWO ISSUE OF "HARPERS" MAGAZINE. KNIFFIN, DURING HIS REMARKS, STATED " I WILL NEVER TAKE UP ARMS AGAINST A BROTHER, BUT I MIGHT TAKE THEM UP AGAINST "THE MAN". A SPECIAL AGENT OF THE FBI OBSERVED A PERSON IDENTIFIED AS JOHN KNIFFIN APPEAR ON THE SIX PM NEWS TELECAST ON NOVEMBER TWENTYEIGHT ON WCPO-TV, CINCINNATI. KNIFFIN WAS ASKED A FEW QUESTIONS CONCERNING HIS INDICTMENT AND STATED IN SUMMARY THAT THE INDICTMENT HAD BEEN RETURNED AGAINST HE AND HIS GROUP TO PREVENT THEIR APPEARANCE AT THE REPUBLICAN NATIONAL CONVENTION IN MIAMI, FLORIDA, AND STATED THAT THE INDICTMENT WAS RETURNED BASICALLY BECAUSE OF INFORMATION FURNISHED BY AN FBI INFORMER WHOSE BACKGROUND IS EXPOSED IN THE CURRENT HARPERS MAGAZINE.

ADMINISTRATIVE

RE CINCINNATI TEL TO BUREAU NOVEMBER TWENTYTWO LAST.

SOURCE IS [REDACTED]

SA WHO OBSERVED TV APPEARANCE OF KNIFFIN IS SA [REDACTED]

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# Memorandum

TO : ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 11/30/72

FROM : SAC, KANSAS CITY (100-15288) P

SUBJECT: VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR  
(VVAW) WASHBURN-TOPEKA, KANSAS,  
CHAPTER  
SM - VVAW

Re Kansas City letter to Bureau 10/17/72.

AT TOPEKA, KANSAS:

On 11/20/72

Washburn University, an established source, furnished the following information:

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The VVAW is a recognized student organization for the fall semester of the current school year. It is a campus organization which has been recognized by Washburn University authorities and the leader of the organization is listed as THOMAS LEE WILLIAMS, a student at the University. His title is coordinator and there are no other officers shown for this organization. The faculty advisor for the organization is Dr. MARVIN C. HEATH, a member of the University faculty.

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in the Kansas City Division at this time.

Bureau authority is requested for investigation of the VVAW at Washburn University through established sources.

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# Memorandum

TO : ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 11/30/72

FROM : SAC, SPRINGFIELD [REDACTED] (C)

SUBJECT: [REDACTED]

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SM - RA (VVAW)  
OO: SPRINGFIELD

Re Bureau letter to Albany dated 4/28/72 concerning VVAW activities.

This case was predicated upon information furnished on 9/13/71 by [REDACTED] who advised that the VVAW was recognized at the University of Illinois, Champaign-Urbana, Illinois, on 5/27/71, and its purpose was stated as "peace - humanitarian." [REDACTED] residing at [REDACTED] was listed as [REDACTED] of this Chapter.

BACKGROUND:

BIRTH

On 5/26/72 [REDACTED] Bureau of Vital Records, Springfield, Illinois, advised that Birth Certificate Number [REDACTED] filed [REDACTED] reflects that [REDACTED] was born [REDACTED] at Chicago, Illinois, with the father listed as [REDACTED] and the mother as [REDACTED].

EDUCATION

On 4/12/72 [REDACTED] advised that the records of the University of Illinois, Champaign-Urbana, Illinois indicated that the subject [REDACTED]

On 4/12/72 [REDACTED] advised that the subject [REDACTED]

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On 4/12/72 [REDACTED] advised that following military service [REDACTED]

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A Los Angeles source advised on 5/4/72 that there was no record in the files of California State College, San Bernadino, California, which were synonymous with the subject.

On 5/11/72 [REDACTED] Dean of Admissions, California State College, California, Pennsylvania, advised that a search of her records found no evidence of the name [REDACTED]

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On 5/9/72 [REDACTED] California State College, Hayward, California, advised that her records revealed no information concerning the subject.

Military records located at the Military Personnel Records Branch, St. Louis, Missouri, reviewed on 6/12/72, listed [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

EMPLOYMENT

Investigation reveals that subject is currently unemployed, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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RESIDENCE

b7C The 1972-73 Student Directory, a publication of the University of Illinois at Champaign-Urbana which provides detailed information concerning students in attendance at the University, shows the subject residing at [REDACTED] Urbana, Illinois, as of 9/22/72. Telephone number listed for this residence is [REDACTED]

It should be noted that this address is synonymous with an address listing shown for [REDACTED] subject of a previous Springfield investigation with regards to his VVAW activities.

The 1971 Rockford City Directory, reviewed on 6/30/72, showed [REDACTED] listed as a student with a permanent residence address at [REDACTED] Rockford, Illinois.

MILITARY BACKGROUND

On 6/12/72 records regarding the subject were located at the Military Personnel Records Center (MPRC), St. Louis, Missouri. Records indicated that [REDACTED]

Records indicate that the subject [REDACTED]

Records show that the subject [REDACTED]

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MISCELLANEOUS

On 10/30/71 an issue of "The Courier", a daily newspaper published in Champaign-Urbana, Illinois, reported that JAMES CHARLES UMHOFER, age 25, a senior at the University of Illinois, was arrested by Chicago Police at O'Hare International Airport, Chicago, Illinois, when he claimed two suitcases which the police said contained 20 pounds of marijuana.

On 6/30/72 records of the Chicago Police Department revealed that [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

Records of Chicago Police Department also showed that [REDACTED]

On 5/17/72 [REDACTED] Rockford, Illinois Police Department, advised that [REDACTED]

Rockford, Illinois Police Department, Intelligence Division, advised he could locate no information regarding the subject.

On 5/8/72 [REDACTED] Bureau of Criminal Identification, Pennsylvania State Police, Washington, Pennsylvania, advised he had no record of the subject.

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SI [REDACTED]

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On 9/21/72 arrest checks were made of local law enforcement agencies in the Champaign-Urbana, Illinois area with negative results:

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[REDACTED]  
Urbana Police Department  
Urbana, Illinois

[REDACTED]  
Champaign County Sheriff's Office  
Urbana, Illinois

JOHN KLEEBERG  
Chief of Police  
University Police Department  
University of Illinois  
Champaign-Urbana, Illinois

[REDACTED]  
Intelligence Division  
Champaign Police Department  
Champaign, Illinois.

On 6/16/72 [REDACTED] Selective Service Board 214-215, Rockford, Illinois, advised that [REDACTED]

subject: The following is a physical description of the

Name:  
Residence:  
Telephone:  
Permanent Home  
Address:

[REDACTED]

Sex:  
Race:  
Age:  
Weight:  
Height:

Male  
White

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Build:  
Complexion:  
Hair:  
Eyes:  
Nationality:  
DOB:  
POB:  
SSAN:  
Illinois Drivers  
License Number:

[REDACTED]

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ORGANIZATIONAL ACTIVITIES

On 9/13/71 [REDACTED] advised that VVAW was recognized as an authorized campus organization at the University of Illinois, effective 5/27/71.

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The 10/4/71 issue of "The News Gazette" reported that a local Chapter of VVAW was organizing and that the initial meeting to discuss possible activities would be held on 10/7/71 at 1308 West University Avenue, Urbana, Illinois. It should be noted that [REDACTED]

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An article appearing in "The News Gazette", a daily newspaper published in Champaign-Urbana, Illinois, on 2/10/71, with a by-line of TERRY MITCHELL reported a mass meeting of 1200 University of Illinois students who responded to a nationwide call for mobilization against the United States' incursion into Laos and Cambodia. One of the students making a speech on this occasion was the subject who is identified as a Vietnam Veteran and who "emotionally urged them not to weaken in their opposition to the war."

On 7/23/71 St. Louis furnished Springfield a [REDACTED] which was made available by [REDACTED] during June of 1971.

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On 6/26/72 [REDACTED] advised that he knew [REDACTED] as a result of hearing him speak at several VVAW organizational meetings at the University of Illinois and identified his picture.

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On 8/26/72 [REDACTED] for the Illinois Veterans Association, University of Illinois, Champaign-Urbana, Illinois, advised that [REDACTED] name appeared on a list of individuals who had been previously associated with the VVAW Chapter. [REDACTED] advised that largely as a result of the argument which took place at the time of the 7/6/72 parade between [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] that the VVAW at the University of Illinois had been largely defunct.

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Contact with the Illinois Veterans during the fall semester of 1972 has revealed that there has been no active meeting of the VVAW at the University of Illinois, and the subject has not been known to be active in the local Veterans Association.

RECOMMENDATION:

It is not recommended at the present time that the subject be interviewed since it is believed that such an interview would largely be counter-productive in terms of information. Based on the subject's activities, he is not recommended for ADEX, and based largely on the lack of activity of VVAW at the University of Illinois at Champaign-Urbana, Illinois, Springfield is going to discontinue active investigation of this case. However, subject's activities insofar as contact with University of Illinois Veterans

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groups will continue to be monitored and should the subject become a threat to National Security at any time in the future, active investigation will be re-instituted.

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PROTEST DURING PRESIDENTIAL INAUGURAL CEREMONIES,  
SEVENTYTHREE.

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- A SOURCE WHO HAS FURNISHED RELIABLE INFORMATION IN THE  
PAST AND IS ACQUAINTED WITH VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE  
WAR (VVAW) MEMBERS AND ACTIVITIES, ADVISED THAT PROTEST  
GROUPS PLAN TO SPONSOR A MASSIVE DEMONSTRATION IN WASHINGTON,  
D.C. DURING THE INAUGURAL CEREMONIES. SOURCE ADVISED  
THAT THE KANSAS CITY REGIONAL CHAPTERS OF THE VVAW PLAN TO  
SEND REPRESENTATIVES TO THIS DEMONSTRATION.

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AT THIS TIME SOURCE FEELS THAT THE DEMONSTRATION WILL  
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IN SIXTYSEVEN. MEMBERSHIP CONSISTS OF EIGHT THOUSAND FIVE  
HUNDRED MEMBERS.

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SOURCE IS [REDACTED]

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SOURCE NOTED [REDACTED]

THAT IT IS LIKELY [REDACTED]

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FROM: FOR THE ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI

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W. MARK FELT

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION  
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ACTING ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR EX-105

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PROTESTS DURING PRESIDENTIAL INAUGURATION CEREMONIES, NINETEEN SEVENTY-THREE.

REKGTTEL NOVEMBER TWENTY-NINE, SEVENTY-TWO.

AUTHORITY GRANTED [redacted]

AUTHORITY ALSO GRANTED [redacted]

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TELETYPE TO SACS, KANSAS CITY, WFO  
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CONTACT WFO AND REPORT ALL PERTINENT INFORMATION DEVELOPED.

WFO ADVISE KANSAS CITY [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] THAT OFFICE. KANSAS CITY ADVISE [REDACTED]

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NOTE:

Protest groups are planning demonstrations during the Presidential inauguration ceremonies on 1/20/73. By reference communication Kansas City advised [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] Kansas City also [REDACTED]

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM : SAC, NEWARK (100-53565) (P)

SUBJECT: VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR  
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DATE: 12/6/72

Re Newark letters to New York dated 8/10/72, and 10/16/72.

Enclosed for the Bureau is one copy of Volume I, #10 of "White Lightning" dated 11/72.

Enclosed for New York are two copies of this publication.

On 11/28/72, [redacted] made available three copies of the enclosed issue of "White Lightning" printed by Vanguard Offset Printing, Hillside, New Jersey during 11/72. According to source [redacted]

Source was unable to provide any other specific information concerning this publication.

New York is again requested to advise Newark if subsequent copies of "White Lightning" should be sent out under the caption of VVAW or "New Left Movement-Publications", or under the caption "White Lightning". New York is requested to designate a copy of their letter to [redacted]

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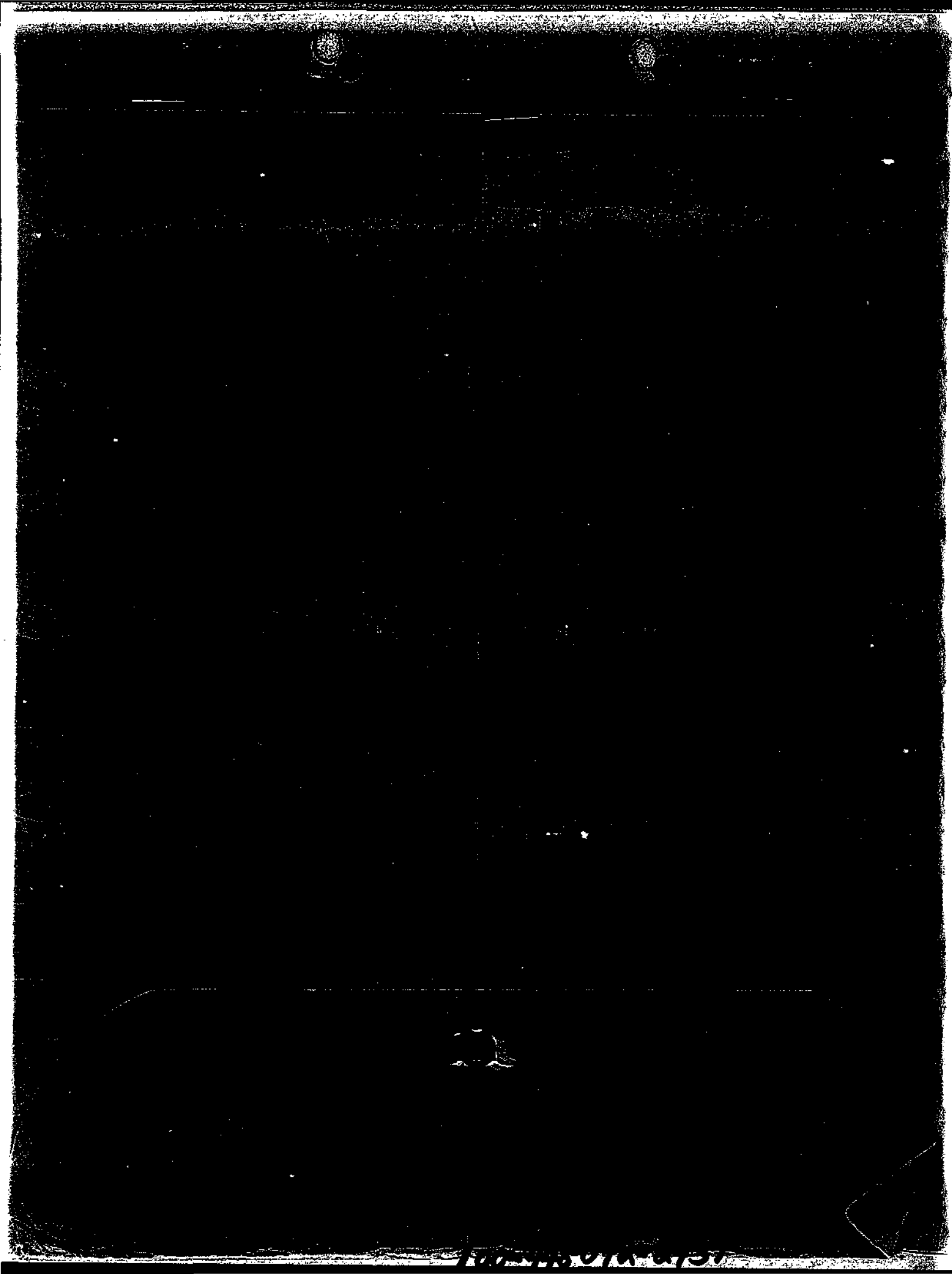
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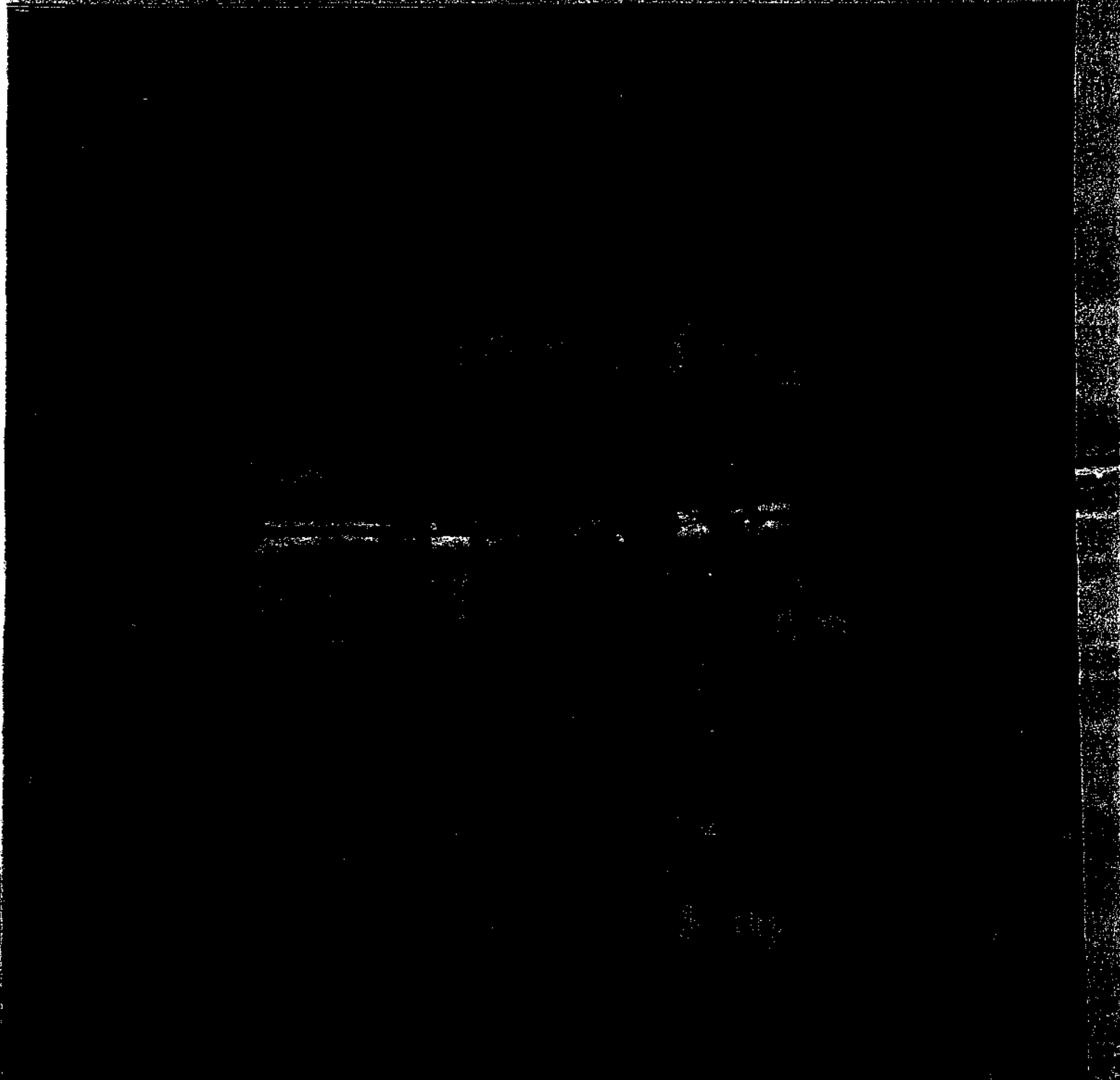
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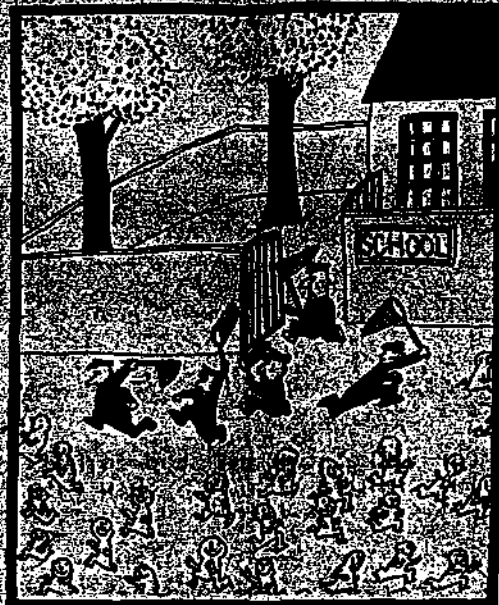
## Why I Hate School

I am a student of J.S. 53, 5th grade. I have to go to school every day. I always have to do my eraser. My parents always bug me and my friends.

I just hate the damn school. I can't stand it. It has a lot of stupid teachers. They always tell you to shut up and they don't teach you anything. They tell you to sit down all the time and they tell you to do this and do that. They think they're bad.

At lunch the teachers tell you where to sit, and as soon as you finish they tell you to go to the yard. If you don't you get in trouble.

That is why I hate school.  
 J.S. 53  
 5th grade  
 Joey



If you know anything about the case, call 594-5000.

Frank goes to trial on November 13. It will be a good thing if we can get a lot of people from the community to show their support for this brother and show the pigs that we're not gonna take this shit no more!

SEND THE PEOPLE TO THE TRIAL!

## J.H.S. 79 Upright

Jan 1968 an advertisement printed in your paper called for a letter to be sent to the school board by brother Eddie. He wrote about the conditions at J.H.S. 79 and principal Rothstein, where he attends school.

On Wednesday afternoon, Oct. 25, a man came into our storefront and told Eddie he was going to get busted for a felony & that white lightning was going to get him. Eddie demanded that the story was untrue. We found out he was a Wisconsin man and a friend of principal Rothstein's. Eddie's job was to scare him & get him out of town and flashing his badge.

Any white lightning coming for this man, we know what he was saying was true. The important thing is that principal Rothstein is going to spend the tax payer's money to bring a case against him in court. That's some damn good money that's going to be spent on the school.

But we're not gonna let Eddie here scare Eddie. We're gonna let the white lightning scare Eddie.

We welcome the charges as a chance to educate people about where the priorities of the school system is!

Unity in the Community

## Frame Up On Creston

Last issue we wrote about Frank Valerius, 3700 Creston, who was busted with 5 other people on Creston Avenue as part of a continuing wave of arrests by the 46th precinct.

The case has gone as far as a preliminary hearing. Based on the testimony of the arresting officer, Frank would have had to show 645 dollars of Marjuana and a knife. If he didn't show any of these things on the night of the bust, it is the last thing you'll see. You want to get rid of these things. People who were on the case know that what this story is a ridiculous story made up by officer Tom Murphy.

We also know why the police are trying to frame this brother. It's because they want to bust this brother because he refused to back under to their oppressive tactics. Police are treating him as a superior cop, and they become outraged when a person doesn't give them the proper respect.

When Frank was busted, Murphy searched for a knife. Anything he found would be used against Frank. We're gonna get the drugs found in the car out of the hands of Tom Murphy.



## Upright Housing Conditions

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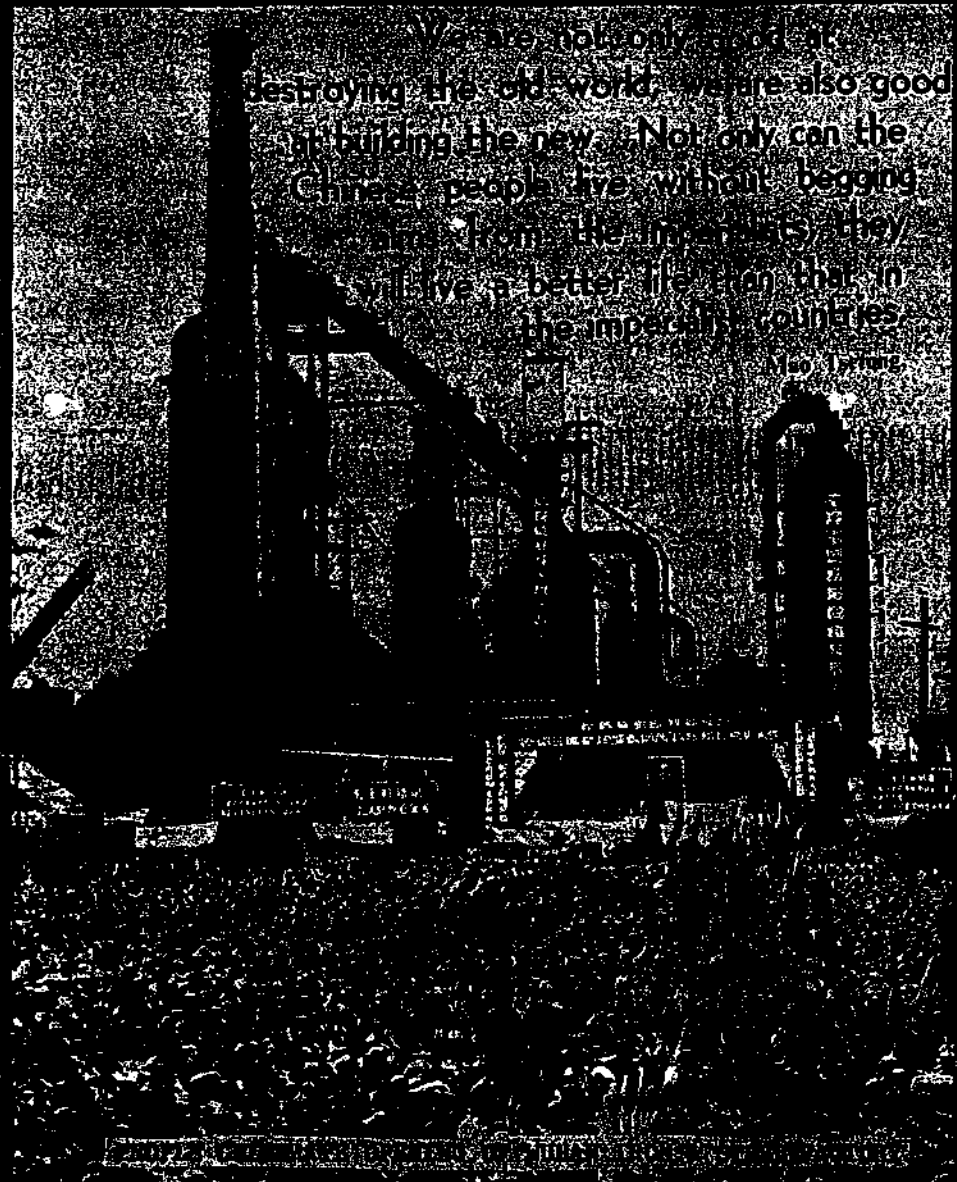
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# SOCIALISM

We are not only good at  
destroying the old world, we are also good  
at building the new. Not only can the  
Chinese people live without begging  
for aid from the imperialists, they  
will live a better life than that in  
the imperialist countries.

LEO TOLSTOY



# NIXON: THE GODFATHER

## Organized Crime In The White House

When news of the attempted abotage of democratic party headquarters by trained agents of the Nixon administration was made public, the true criminal nature of richard nixon was exposed once again.

But nixon's coarship with organized crime has been a profitable one for both parties for a long time. When he began his political career, nixon's connections with organized crime were already established. His campaign manager in 1946, Murray Hotiner, was a lawyer who handled over 267 cases for organized crime figures.

### BLOOD MONEY

In order to pay for his campaigns, nixon, like many other politicians, received money from underworld sources. California mobster Mickey Cohen stated publicly that he donated thousands of dollars to early nixon campaigns. This has never been denied by the president.

### ANSKY, OROVITZ, COPPOLA

Max Orovitz and Trigger Mike Coppola, well-known members of mobster Meyer Lansky's gang, worked in an organization known as General Development Corp. in Florida, headed by Fred Mackie, a friend of Richard Nixon. Orovitz was convicted of stock fraud in 1968 by Robert Morgenthau, J.S. attorney for the southern district of New York. Soon after this, Morgenthau was removed from office by nixon.

### CAPE FLORIDA CAPER

Nixon participated in promotion activities and publicity stunts for the Cape Florida Development Co., which resulted in millions of dollars worth of profit for the owners, former Sen. George Smathers & Nixon's close friend, Bobb Babcock, both of whom are really front men for Meyer Lansky.

From this corporation, nixon purchased his Key Biscayne property, the Florida White House. Cape Florida Development purchased over \$1 million worth of Key Biscayne land from World Wide Realty, an organization infested with Lansky's lackies. World Wide had, in addition, received a \$5 million loan from the Teamster Union's pension fund. Managers of this union's fund have made many such loans to other mob fronts, including Meyer Lansky's Miami banks, which may explain for the sudden, unexplained release from prison of teamster boss and racketeer Jimmy Hoffa by nixon last year.

### NIXON PROTECTS THE RICH

In this country poor people always get messed up by the law. They are imprisoned for months or even years for various jive charges. Their only crime really, is that of being poor. Gangster friends of richard nixon caught dealing in millions of dollars worth of stolen stock, are not even arrested.

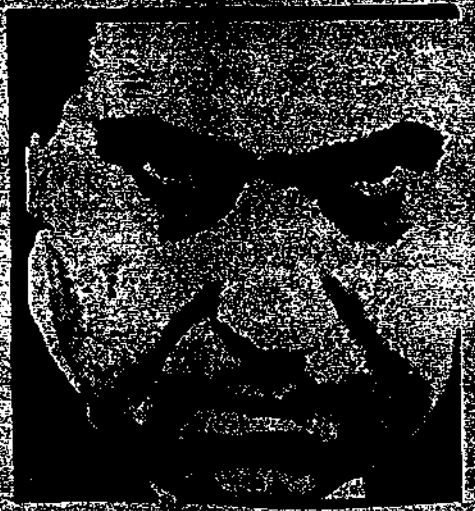
Before nixon fired Morgenthau, he was investigating the activities of Siles Bank, a bank of mobsters. Thanks to nixon, this investigation was stopped.

According to Alfred W. McCoy, author of The Politics of Heroin in Southeast Asia, this plant is... for mass production... sold on... When... ent in... the So... cher's... drinking... dollars... gained... of PepsiCo...

C.I.A. involvement in heroin traffic is a well known fact. It is also well known that former vice president of South Vietnam, General Ky, is a major supplier of heroin.

In return, he is totally supported, economically and militarily, by the government, so that our tax money goes to support the heroin traffic which brings drugs from South Vietnam into our communities.

These are just a few examples of the relationship between that low lived slug, the Marxist defender of the South, richard nixon and the wealthy of the people who are the main narcotics producers.



NIXON AND... So... and... many... who's parents... Meyer... money...

## PREZ

Even though you walk with a heavy... through... millions... and though you... about... freely you... millions... and though I've... about the... millions... order... you remain... and it is... than you... devoted... and you... you're... but it's...

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# Bringing The War Back Home

After 4 years in the White House, Nixon has decided to try to make us believe he will keep at least one of his campaign promises from 1968. He is making us believe the war in S.E. Asia is ending.

Experience has taught us that words alone don't mean anything. Too often we have seen words being used as a pacifier. We must watch and see if there is

where another corrupt, fascist government is having trouble with its freedom-loving people (like the Phillipines).

Experience has taught us that no matter who sits in the white house, whatever benefits the rich minority is what we the people gonna get.

Nixon was going to fight inflation with a wage-price freeze. Sure, that's what he was

William Brining at the Beryllium Beryllium Beryllium in Hazelton, Pennsylvania were reimbursed with 700 a week by the Pa. Workmen's Compensation Board. It took the company 12 years to admit that the spots on the workers' chest X-rays were not bronchitis but beryllium poisoning.

NIXON IS AN ORGAND BOY FOR THE BIG BOSS

We don't need more proof to know that Nixon is an errand boy for the bosses and so we can't trust all this talk about ending wars. Sure, the alien beryllium of this country is being used in the production of weapons defeated by the courageous Vietnamese people and the rising consciousness of the American people. If we look at the years after World War II, it is clear that a capitalist system like ours can only solve its economic problems by expanding its markets, and if the new market is the right to invade other countries. Furthermore, the production at home, gave relief to the unemployed, and gives the government a scapegoat to blame all its own inefficiency on.

Last year only 10% of the \$36,000,000,000 worth of government contracts were awarded to companies that were not

turning out profits, they are not going to accept peace without a fight. There are as long as this country is run by the rich, we can expect the big rising profits, expanding schools, and unsafe workloads. We take the beating while the rich kiss the cream.

Let's change the way we think. Let's change the way we live. Let's change the way we work. Let's change the way we play. Let's change the way we love. Let's change the way we think. Let's change the way we live. Let's change the way we work. Let's change the way we play. Let's change the way we love. Let's change the way we think.



Workers on a picket line at the Vach plant (R) in Loudon, Ohio where 7000 workers shut down the factory for a day.

just another day in the office to win the election. The Pentagon has plans in the Pentagon to stage a few incidents similar to the Gulf of Tonkin in 1965, giving the government an excuse to increase the war again or there might be plans to start a war somewhere else.

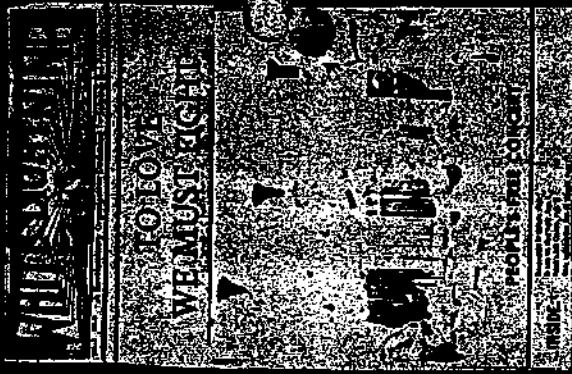
secretly. The government is already paying the price of the war. The overall price has risen since 1968. The price of business is about 30% and the price of business is a 15-20% increase in prices compared to last year. While wages have gone up, the price of business is still rising.

No, the government is not going to change the way we live. It is just going to keep spending the money and the

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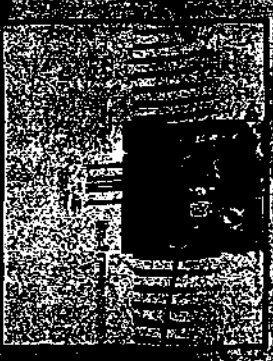
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# SISTERS IN THE STRUGGLE



# FIGHT BACK!

When work began on an 8 million dollar school construction site on Tinton Avenue in the South Bronx, none of the thousands of qualified Black and Puerto Rican construction workers in that community were hired on the job. Fight Back, an organization of Black and Puerto Rican construction workers, demanded half of the jobs on the project. Fight Back is dealing with the crippling rate of unemployment in their community, where more than half the young adults can not find jobs. Community members joined with the Fight Back workers on the job site early in the morning. "If the new school does not bring jobs, then what real advantage is the education it provides? "If we don't work, they don't work" is the Fight Back platform.

## BUILDING THE PEOPLE'S STRENGTH

Fight Back is building up the strength of the people. Everyone in the organization in the Bronx works on a construction job. After hours, the members teach & screen brothers in the community so they can qualify for decent jobs in construction work; after a member is hired, Fight Back investigates the job to make sure all the safety precautions are taken care of. All persons employed through Fight Back join the regular trade unions and receive standard union "book" privileges of job security. When unions are on strike, Fight Back stays off the job in support. However, Fight Back does not rely on the two faced union leadership. Very often Black & Puerto Rican workers are harassed and suspended for phoney reasons that hide the racist interests of the union bosses & contractors. Therefore Fight Back makes the bosses agree that no Fight Back worker can be fired without the approval of their own leadership.

## 67 JOBS

Fight Back is building strength in their community. They have made a third world People's Park, held many block parties, given out free lunches started a day time child care program, helped make peace with local youth gangs and have join

has created 67 permanent jobs in the first 4 months of work in the Bronx. Fight Back organizations exist in other cities as well.

## RACISM SERVES THE BOSSES

The construction industry is booming in New York \$2,600,000,000 per year is spent in the city alone. There are 100,000 construction jobs here. The department of labor estimates that 30,000 new workers will be able to find steady work over the next 10 years.

deserved benefits of their work. In exchange for the juicy, top-heavy contracts, Brennan, Rockefeller, Lindsay, and other politicians to sabotage all laws about union racism, union democracy, etc. Liberal integration plans (like the Joint Apprenticeship Plan and the New York Plan), human rights commission findings, state supreme court decisions, Federal laws, and the Constitution itself have all been sent to the scrap heap.

Racism has always served the bosses. A wage schedule for the construction of the



Incredibly in the midst of this boom, the rate of Black and Puerto Rican employment in construction has fallen from 7.4% to 6.8%. The more skilled, more secure, and higher paying jobs, such as plumbing and sheet metal work, are almost totally closed to non-white workers.

Our taxes pay almost half of all the construction bills (one billion per year in N.Y.). Schools, public housing, hospitals, and pollution control projects are good examples of new building here. Too often, however, our taxes go for senseless projects such as the wasteful Mall in Albany. Rich bankers and politicians have tried to keep all of these

Croton Reservoir in 1895. It showed daily pay as follows: Common labor, white \$1.30 to \$1.50; common labor, colored \$1.25 to \$1.40; and common labor, Italian \$1.15 to \$1.25. Italian dividers workers. It makes construction workers fight against each other for phoney advantages. Being split apart, these workers can never focus the bosses to give a fair share of the wealth they create for fear of being replaced by another racial sub-group of workers.

Real job security is not part of the plan. It is only on the job that workers are entitled to any voice and they take care

# KNOW YOUR RIGHTS

The following is a basic outline of your legal rights. In reality we have no rights that the police respect. The important thing to remember is to be cool and don't act smart. If you question their authority it will only give them an extra reason to bust you. Be aware of what goes on around you when someone is being busted. Try and get witness names, and badge numbers of arresting cops. Sometimes different police will show up at court and knowledge of this switch may get the case dismissed.

1. Carry some identification on you at all times. You may be stopped at any time and brought down to the police station until you can prove who you are.

2. You may be stopped on the street if the police feel you look suspicious. You do not have to answer any questions. However you must produce identification.

3. If you are arrested, remain silent. You are only required by law to give your name and address. In New York you must sign a fingerprint card before you can be released, so sign.

4. If a police officer is not in uniform, ask him to identify himself. He has no authority until he identifies himself.

5. Police have the right to stop your car and ask for your license and registration. Get out of the car and close the door. This will deter them from looking inside the car. It is illegal for them to search your car without probable cause.

6. Police have no right to enter your home unless they have a search warrant or arrest warrant.

7. You may not resist arrest forcibly or by going limp. To resist arrest is a crime in itself. Even if you are acquitted you can do time for resisting arrest.

8. Once you are arrested you have the right to have a lawyer present and the right to a phone call. If these rights are denied--and they probably will be--keep requesting them. Remain silent otherwise.

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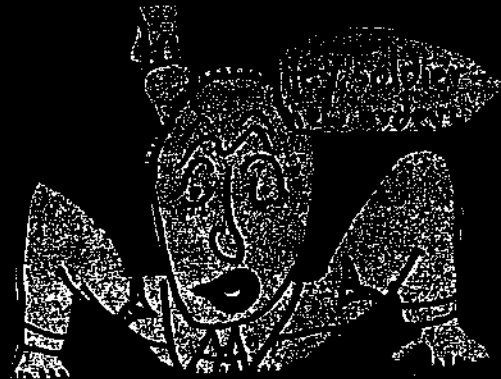
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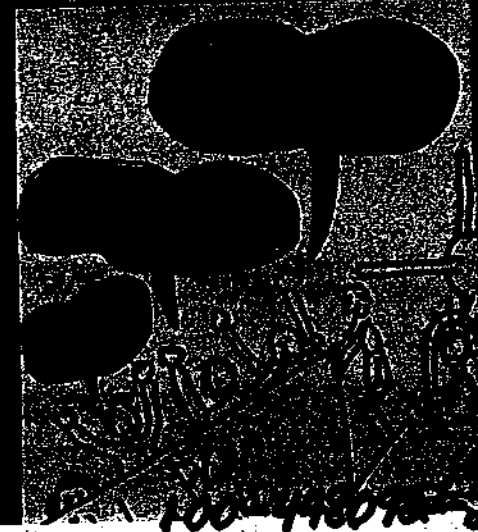


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were not going there why don't  
you do your own fighting?

Is there any more  
to be done?

Not at all

God has been away  
a long time. I wonder  
if the American people  
change the way  
they do things and  
the way they  
live.



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OF VETERANS OF THE VIETNAM WAR, WHICH HAS CONDUCTED  
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THE PEACE ACTION COUNCIL (PAC) IS AN UMBRELLA ORGANIZATION WHICH COORDINATES DEMONSTRATIONS AND OTHER FORMS OF PROTEST AGAINST AMERICAN INVOLVEMENT IN SOUTHEAST ASIA. THE PCPJ IS A PART OF THIS OVERALL UMBRELLA ORGANIZATION.

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From: For the Acting Director, FBI  
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*gws* On 11/28/72 United Press International reported that on 11/27/72 American Civil Liberties Union (ACLU) filed \$280,000 suit on behalf of Vietnam Veterans Against the War (VVAW) charging group was target of "unlawful surveillance" by Kent State University. Suit filed in U. S. District Court and charged that campus police chief and undercover agent attempted to infiltrate and discredit group by "planting illegal weapons on their person with full knowledge and support of the University president and trustees."

Cleveland promptly attempt to obtain copy of complaint filed in this case and follow closely for additional developments. In addition, furnish any information available to your office pertaining to allegation of VVAW in this instance.

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NOTE:

ACLU has filed suit in U. S. District Court on behalf of militant VVAW charging group was target of unlawful surveillance. VVAW is under investigation by Cleveland Office and allegations charged in this suit in subsequent developments should be followed closely by Cleveland Office.

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1. Determine registered owner of International station wagon bearing Rhode Island license [REDACTED]
  2. Conduct appropriate background investigation to determine if owner is involved in revolutionary activities.

KANSAS CITY

AT TOPEKA, KANSAS

1. Determine registered owner of 1972 Ford Torino bearing Kansas license [REDACTED]
2. Conduct appropriate background investigation to determine if owner is involved in revolutionary activities.



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Kansas City, Missouri  
November 22, 1972

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VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW)  
CONVOY TO CAIRO, ILLINOIS  
NOVEMBER 18, 1972

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On October 18, 1972, [redacted] advised that the Kansas City chapter of the Vietnam Veterans Against the War (VVAW) planned to sponsor a convoy to Cairo, Illinois, to leave Kansas City on November 18, 1972. The purpose of the convoy was to deliver clothing, medicine and canned goods to the Black community in Cairo.

The VVAW was founded in the spring of 1967, by six young Vietnam veterans in New York City. At the beginning of 1968, with 600 members, VVAW opened a national office, founded the first GI newspaper, "Vietnam GI," and sent close to 500 veterans into the McCarthy campaign to beat down the red baiters. After getting gassed at the Democratic convention in Chicago and caught in the general "down" of the peace movement, VVAW was nearly inactive until the moratoriums in the fall of 1969. Members of VVAW led student strikes on major campuses across the country and battled Veterans Administration Hospital authorities over threats to throw amputee Vietnam veterans out for signing anti-war petitions. At present, membership of the VVAW, nationally, consists of 8,500 members.

On November 21, 1972, [redacted] advised that approximately 30 individuals from the Kansas City, Missouri, Topeka,

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CONVOY TO CAIRO, ILLINOIS  
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Lawrence, Emporia and Ottawa, Kansas, chapters of the VVAW assembled at VVAW headquarters in Kansas City, Missouri, at 2:00 p.m. on November 17, 1972.

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[REDACTED] advised that the convoy arrived in Cairo the following morning, November 18, 1972, and its contingency assembled with other demonstrators at the St. Columba Church in Cairo for both political and religious meetings. A short time thereafter approximately fifty persons joined in a peaceful demonstration in downtown Cairo. The theme of the demonstrators was "White Oppression of the Black Man."

[REDACTED] indicated that donations of food, clothing, medicine, and other miscellaneous items were deposited at a small red brick house located one block west of the St. Columba Church. Source noted that in previous convoys, donations were deposited at the St. Columba Church.

Later that evening, members of the convoy met with Cairo Blacks at Hazel's Barbecue for supper. The groups remained at Hazel's for approximately one hour, then broke up. The VVAW convoy departed Cairo at approximately 6:00 p.m., November 18, 1972, and arrived in Kansas City approximately 3:30 a.m., November 19, 1972.

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[REDACTED] advised that throughout the weekend, no weapons were observed. There was no police confrontation, nor any plans made to cause riotous conditions. Source indicated that it appeared the VVAW was not warmly received by the Black community. Source noted that at past rallies, the VVAW was lodged and fed by the Black coalitions. Source noted, however, that at this particular rally, there was very little mingling between VVAW and Black contingents.

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Reference Letterhead memorandum captioned  
and dated as above.

All sources (except any listed below) whose identities are concealed  
in referenced communication have furnished reliable information in the past.

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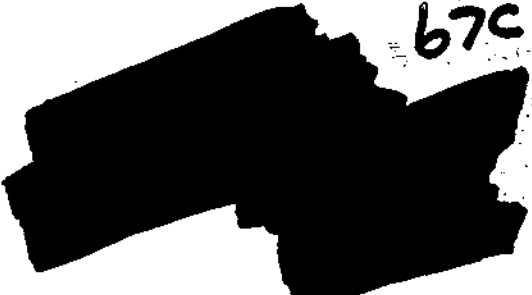
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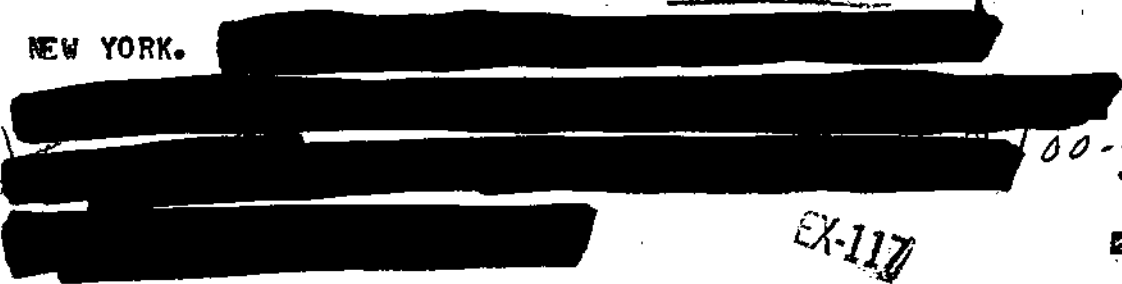
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VIET NAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW), IS - REVACT.

ON NOVEMBER TWENTYNINE, NINETEEN SEVENTYTWO, SOURCE WHO HAS PROVIDED RELIABLE INFORMATION IN THE PAST, ADVISED THAT THERE IS A PLANNED STATE-WIDE VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW) MEETING TO BE HELD ON DECEMBER NINE AND TEN, NINETEEN SEVENTYTWO, AT THE COLLEGE UNION BUILDING AT THE STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK AT ONEONTA, NEW YORK.



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SOURCE UTILIZED IS [REDACTED]

INVESTIGATOR [REDACTED] BCI, NYSP, ONEONTA, N. Y. ADVISED.  
RECEIVING OFFICES ARE REQUESTED TO CONTACT VVAW SOURCES  
REGARDING VVAW MEETING AT STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK  
AT ONEONTA, NEW YORK, AND ADVISE BUREAU OF ANY PERTINENT  
INFORMATION.

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ALBANY WILL FOLLOW AND ADVISE BUREAU AND INTERESTED  
OFFICES OF ANY PERTINENT DEVELOPMENTS.

NO LHM BEING SUBMITTED.

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# Memorandum

TO : ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 12/4/72

FROM : SAC, SPRINGFIELD [REDACTED] (C)

SUBJECT: [REDACTED]

SM - RA (VVAW)

OO: SPRINGFIELD

Re Bureau letter to Albany dated 4/28/72 concerning VVAW activities.

This case was predicated upon the fact that the 10/4/71 issue of "The News Gazette", a daily newspaper published in Champaign-Urbana, Illinois, reported that an organizational meeting of Vietnam Veterans Against the War (VVAW) would be held on 10/7/71 at 1308 West University Avenue, Urbana, Illinois.

The 1971 Champaign-Urbana City Directory listed [REDACTED] as a resident at [REDACTED] and identified him as an [REDACTED] at [REDACTED]

BACKGROUND:

Birth

On 5/26/72 [REDACTED] Bureau of Vital Statistics, Springfield, Illinois, advised that birth certificate [REDACTED] filed [REDACTED] reflects that [REDACTED] was born [REDACTED] at [REDACTED] Rockford, Illinois, and reflects that the father was [REDACTED] and that the mother was [REDACTED]

Education

On 4/12/72 [REDACTED] advised that the records of the University of Illinois, Champaign-Urbana, Illinois, [REDACTED]

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b7C show that the subject [REDACTED]

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b7C On 4/12/72 [REDACTED] advised that [REDACTED] entered the University of Illinois in [REDACTED]

Employment

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b7C On 10/24/72 [REDACTED] advised that the subject is currently employed [REDACTED]

There is no other indication that the subject is currently employed at the present time.

b7C Contact with the Illinois Veterans Association, Student Services Building, University of Illinois, Champaign, Illinois, on 11/13/72 revealed that [REDACTED]

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Residence

On 10/24/72 [REDACTED] advised that the subject is currently residing at [REDACTED] Urbana, Illinois. Telephone number shown is area code [REDACTED]

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The 1972-73 Student Directory of the University of Illinois, listing pertinent details of all registered students, notes that [REDACTED] permanent home address is [REDACTED]

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It should be noted subject is currently residing with [REDACTED] also being currently investigated by Springfield for VVAW activities.

Military Background

On 5/2/72 the records of the Military Personnel Records Center, St. Louis, Missouri, were reviewed and no information regarding the subject could be found.

On 6/23/72 [REDACTED] Selective Service Board 214-215, Rockford, Illinois, advised her files show the subject [REDACTED]

Miscellaneous

On 3/21/72 [REDACTED] Auto Registration Section, Secretary of State's Office, Illinois Division of Department of Motor Vehicles, furnished the following information concerning [REDACTED]

Name:  
Residence:  
DOB:  
Drivers License No.:  
Vehicle:

[REDACTED]

SI [REDACTED]

VIN: [REDACTED]  
Initial Registration: [REDACTED]

On 5/5/72 [REDACTED] Rockford Police Department, Records Bureau, and [REDACTED] Rockford Police Department, Intelligence Division, Rockford, Illinois, advised that they have no information identical with the subject.

On 5/12/72 [REDACTED] Minneapolis-St. Paul Police Department, St. Paul, Minnesota, advised that police records and records of the Ramsey County Sheriff's Office, co-located with the Police Department, provided no information synonymous with the subject.

On 9/21/72 arrest checks were made at the following law enforcement agencies in the Champaign-Urbana, Illinois area with the following results:

[REDACTED]  
Urbana Police Department,  
Urbana, Illinois -

[REDACTED]  
Records,  
Champaign County Sheriff's Office,  
Urbana, Illinois -  
negative;

[REDACTED]  
Records,  
Champaign Police Department,  
Champaign, Illinois -  
negative;

JOHN KLEEBERG,  
Chief of Police,  
University Police Department,  
University of Illinois,  
Champaign-Urbana, Illinois -  
negative.

SI [REDACTED]

The following is a physical description of the subject:

Name:  
Residence:  
  
Telephone:  
Permanent Address:  
  
DOB:  
POB:  
SSAN:  
SSN:  
Sex:  
Race:  
Hair:  
Eyes:  
Weight:  
Height:

[REDACTED]

Male  
White

Organizational Activities

The first indication that [REDACTED] was actually associated with the Vietnam Veterans Against the War was [REDACTED] at a meeting held on 10/7/71.

[REDACTED]

On 6/30/72 [REDACTED] source who has attended several VVAW meetings and is generally familiar with those individuals who might be considered members of this organization, advised that he did not know this individual and furthermore did not associate a photograph shown to him of the subject with any VVAW member.

The first positive indication that [REDACTED] in any way directly associated with [REDACTED] statement on 8/16/72 from [REDACTED] for the Illinois State Veterans Assoc. [REDACTED]

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of Illinois, Urbana, Illinois, [REDACTED] was one person among a number of others who appeared on a list of individuals noted as having interest in VVAW activities. Subsequent investigation has proven negative regarding any further details regarding [REDACTED] involvement. It should be noted that on 8/24/72 [REDACTED] the individual mentioned above, advised that VVAW at the University of Illinois was largely defunct primarily of the winding down of the Vietnam war and because of the dissension among the veterans interested in political activity, culminated by the debate which took place prior to the 7/4/72 parade in Champaign, Illinois. Subsequent contact with the Illinois Veterans Office during the fall of 1972 has proved largely negative relative to VVAW activities and in particular with reference to [REDACTED] involvement.

#### Recommendation

In view of the fact that there is no clear evidence that [REDACTED] has ever been directly involved with VVAW activities, coupled with the fact that he has not served with the United States military in any capacity, Springfield plans to discontinue active investigation. Subject is not going to be interviewed since it is believed that such an interview would be essentially counter-productive in terms of the information garnered. Subject is not recommended for the ADEX because of his lack of activity; however, should subject's activities become such that they are deemed to constitute a threat to national security in any point in the future, active investigation will be reinstated.

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**AIRTEL**

**TO: ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI**  
**FROM: SAC, NEW YORK**  
**SUBJECT: PENBOM**  
(Bufile 174-3103)  
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ReNYtel to Bureau, AX and Buffalo, dated 11/24/72 and  
AXairtel to Bureau, dated 11/9/72.

A review of [REDACTED] and NYfile  
100-160644, captioned "VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW),"  
do not reflect any material linking [REDACTED] to the PENBOM action.

NY sources familiar with [REDACTED] and the VVAW have not  
reported anything linking [REDACTED] with PENBOM.

On 11/28/72 [REDACTED] advised [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] source also advised  
that VVAW, NYC, has moved its offices to 875 Broadway, NYC.

[REDACTED] interviewed by Bureau Agents as reflected in  
NYtel to Bureau dated 5/26/72, and denied any knowledge of

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PENBOM, except for what he was able to get from the News Media.

NYO not currently in possession of any information linking ██████████ to PENBOM.

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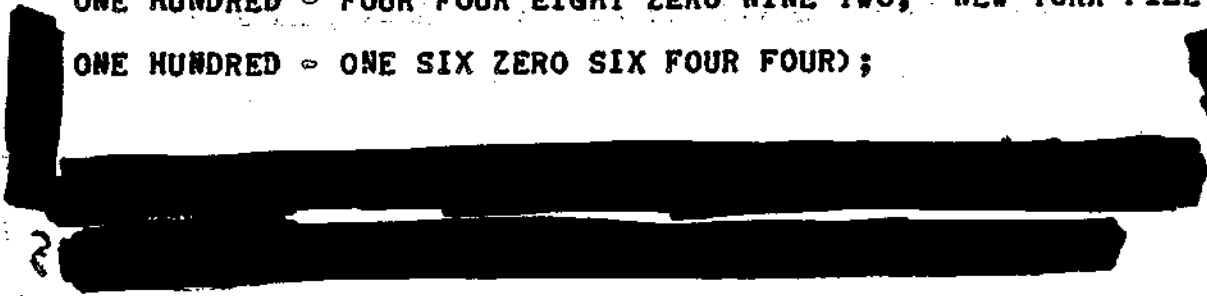
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NEW YORK OFFICE HAS CONDUCTED INVESTIGATION INCLUDING  
DISCREET SURVEILLANCE, TO FURTHER DETERMINE IDENTIFYING  
INFORMATION RE [REDACTED] AND HIS ACTIVITIES. PHOTOGRAPHS OF [REDACTED]  
WERE OBTAINED AND WILL BE FURNISHED INTERESTED OFFICES IN  
SUBSEQUENT NEW YORK OFFICE COMMUNICATION.

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# Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448092)

DATE: 12/6/72

FROM : **b7D** SAC, [REDACTED] (P)

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It is noted that this IRS inquiry would have approached these individuals shortly after FBI interviews were conducted.

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 TO ACTING DIRECTOR (100-448092)  
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VIET NAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW), IS - RA.

REBULET TO LOS ANGELES DATED NOVEMBER SEVEN, LAST,  
CONCERNING POSSIBLE VVAW NAME CHAFGE.

[REDACTED] ADVISED TODAY THAT [REDACTED]  
 [REDACTED] INDICATED ON DECEMBER  
 FOUR, LAST, THAT HE AND OTHER VVAW LEADERS FAVORED  
 CHANGING VVAW NAME TO WINTER SOLDIER.

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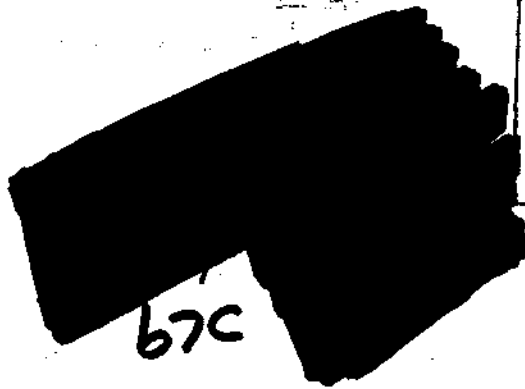
TO ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448092)

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SAC, BUFFALO (100-21625)

NEW YORK (100-160644)

FROM SAC, ALBANY (100-22519) (P)



VIET NAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW), IS - REVACT.

RE ALBANY NITEL TO BUREAU, DATED NOVEMBER TWENTYNINE,  
LAST.

ON DECEMBER FIVE, NINETEEN SEVENTYTWO, A SOURCE WHO  
HAS FURNISHED RELIABLE INFORMATION IN THE PAST ADVISED  
THAT THE PLANNED STATE-WIDE VIET NAM VETERANS AGAINST THE  
WAR (VVAW) MEETING SCHEDULED TO BE HELD ON DECEMBER NINE  
AND TEN, NINETEEN, SEVENTYTWO, AT THE COLLEGE UNION  
BUILDING, AT THE STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK, AT ONEONTA,  
NEW YORK HAS BEEN RESCHEDULED TO BE HELD AT THE SAME LOCATION  
ON DECEMBER SIX, NINETEEN, SEVENTYTWO.

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RECEIVING OFFICES ARE REQUESTED TO CONTACT VVAW SOURCES RE VVAW MEETING AT STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK AT ONEONTA, NEW YORK, AND ADVISE BUREAU OF ANY PERTINENT INFORMATION. ALBANY WILL FOLLOW AND ADVISE BUREAU AND INTERESTED OFFICES OF ANY PERTINENT DEVELOPMENTS. NO LHM BEING SUBMITTED.

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FROM FOR THE ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI (100-448092)  
W. MARK FELT  
ACTING ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR

Vietnam Veterans Against the War (VVAW), IS - RA.

REBO AND BUCKLE'S DECEMBER EIGHT, SEVENTY-TWO.

THIS CONFIRMS ANSWERS SUPPLIED TO QUESTIONS RAISED BY [redacted]

REGARDING [redacted]

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THAT A VVAW REGIONAL CONFERENCE WAS HELD AT LAKE PANORA  
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ATTEMPTED TO ASCERTAIN NUMBER OF PERSONS WILLING TO  
ATTEND DEMONSTRATIONS, BUT IT WAS NOTED NO COMMITMENTS  
TO ATTEND DEMONSTRATIONS WERE MADE BY PERSONS ATTENDING  
THE CONFERENCE. JOHN HUSGRAVE, A VVAW LEADER ASSURED  
EVERYONE ATTENDING THE REGIONAL MEETING THAT VVAW WOULD  
BE "STRONGLY REPRESENTED AT WASHINGTON".

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~~TOP HALL, KANSAS CITY CHAPTER PRESIDENT,~~ ADVISED THAT MORE DEFINITE PLANS FOR WASHINGTON DEMONSTRATIONS WOULD BE FORMULATED AT THE NATIONAL STEERING COMMITTEE MEETING SCHEDULED TO BE HELD IN CHICAGO, ILLINOIS ON JAN. FOUR, SEVENTY-THREE.

SOURCE ADVISED THAT HE FELT THE MIDWESTERN REGIONAL CHAPTERS WOULD SEND REPRESENTATIVES TO WASHINGTON FOR THE DEMONSTRATIONS. SOURCE NOTED, HOWEVER, THAT AT THIS TIME, THE IDENTITY, EXACT NUMBER, AND MODE OF TRANSPORTATION FOR THOSE WHO MIGHT ATTEND IS UNKNOWN.

THE VVAW IS A GROUP OF YOUNG VIETNAM VETERANS FORMED IN SIXTYSEVEN. MEMBERSHIP CONSISTS OF EIGHT THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED MEMBERS.

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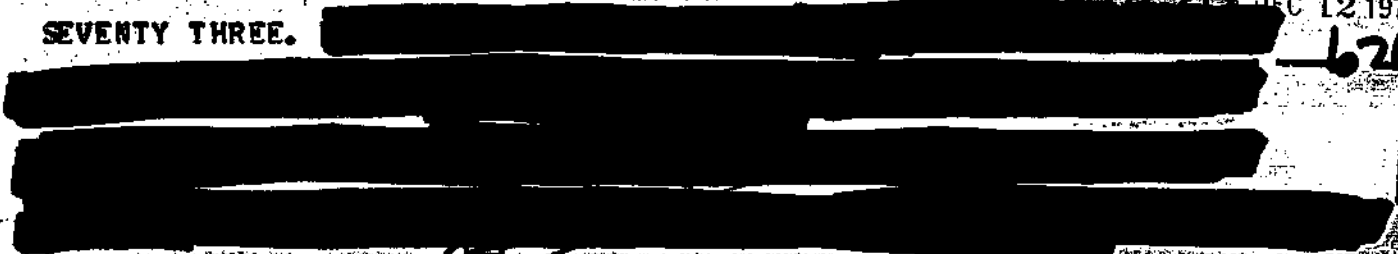
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PURPOSE OF MEETING IS TO MAKE PLANS TO PRESENT TO NATIONAL  
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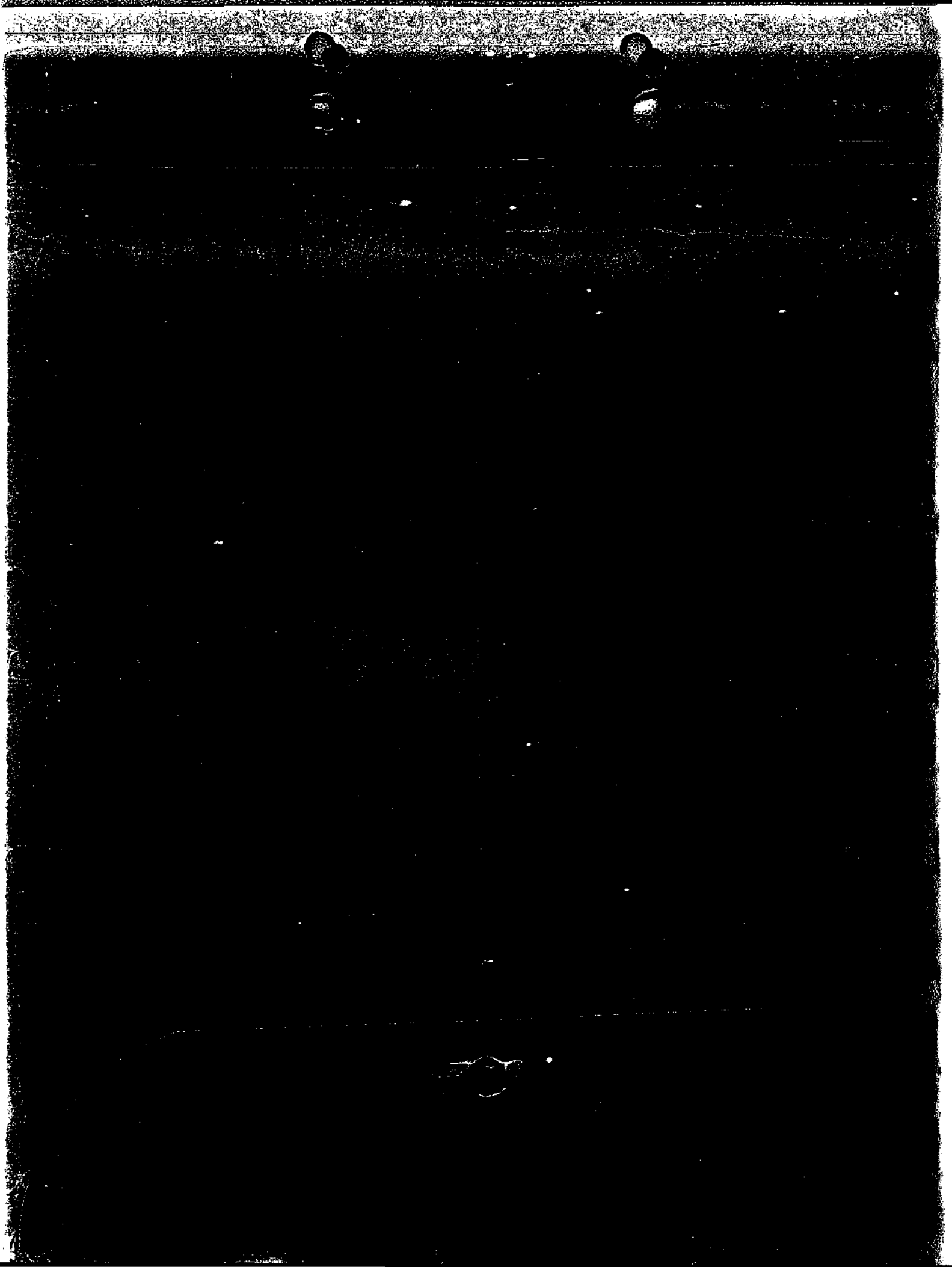
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and all others similarly situated,  
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individually and as agents of defendants  
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cluding but not limited to agents of  
the Federal Bureau of Investigation,  
Defendants.

Civil Action No.  
TCA 1843

DEFENDANTS' MOTION TO DISMISS OR, IN  
THE ALTERNATIVE, FOR SUMMARY JUDGMENT

Now come the defendants, by their undersigned attorneys,  
and respectfully move this Honorable Court to dismiss the  
complaint herein on the grounds (1) that the complaint fails  
to state a claim upon which relief can be granted; (2) that  
all activities of the defendants Kleindienst, Gray, and  
Stafford in the premises were performed in furtherance of  
their official duties, were constitutional and not in excess  
of their statutory authority, and said defendants are, there-

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fore, absolutely immune from civil liability therefor under the doctrine of official immunity; and (3) that the suit is barred by the doctrine of sovereign immunity since it is in law and fact a suit against the United States to which the United States has not consented.

In the alternative, the defendants move this Honorable Court under Rule 56 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure for summary judgment on the ground that there is no genuine issue of material fact and that defendants are entitled to judgment as a matter of law.

In support of this Motion, the Court's attention is respectfully invited to the attached affidavit of Benjamin C. Flannagan, Attorney, Internal Security Division, Department of Justice, and to the attached memorandum of points and authorities.

Respectfully submitted,

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CITY OF WASHINGTON )  
 ) ss.  
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA )

Benjamin C. Flannagan, being duly sworn, deposes and says:

1. That he is an attorney of record in this case and an attorney in the Internal Security Division of the Department of Justice.

2. That, in conjunction with the present litigation, the Internal Security Division of the Department of Justice made an inquiry of the Federal Bureau of Investigation to determine

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if the telephones of the national headquarters of the Vietnam Veterans Against the War (VVAW) located at 15 West 26th Street, New York City (212-725-5680, 5681, 5682, and 5683), and those of the regional offices of the VVAW located in Austin, Texas (512-451-2841); Gainesville, Florida (904-378-0774); Hialeah, Florida (305-681-7982); and Fayetteville, Arkansas (501-521-7384) have been the subject of electronic surveillance.

3. That in response to such inquiry the Internal Security Division was advised by the Federal Bureau of Investigation that it has checked its records and determined that the Federal Bureau of Investigation has not had any electronic surveillance coverage directed at telephone numbers 212-725-5680, 5681, 5682, and 5683 (National Headquarters, VVAW, New York City); 512-451-2841 (VVAW office, Austin, Texas); 904-378-0774 (VVAW office, Gainesville, Florida); 305-681-7982 (VVAW office, Hialeah, Florida); and 501-521-7384 (VVAW office, Fayetteville, Arkansas).

*Benjamin C. Flannagan*  
BENJAMIN C. FLANNAGAN  
Attorney, Department of Justice

Subscribed and sworn to before me  
this 5th day of November, 1972.

*Credence Anne C. ...*

My Commission Expires August 31, 1976


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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on November <sup>30</sup>, 1972 I served the foregoing Defendants' Motion To Dismiss or, In the Alternative, For Summary Judgment with attached affidavit upon plaintiffs by mailing copies thereof to their following counsel of record:

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DEFENDANTS' MEMORANDUM OF POINTS AND  
AUTHORITIES IN SUPPORT OF DEFENDANTS'  
MOTION TO DISMISS, OR, IN THE ALTER-  
NATIVE FOR SUMMARY JUDGMENT

Statement of the Case

The eleven individual plaintiffs were subpoenaed on July 7 and 8, 1972 to appear before a federal grand jury sitting in the Northern District of Florida on July 10, 1972. On July 10, 1972, plaintiffs, in a purported class action, filed the complaint herein to enjoin the enforcement of the subpoenas and seeking a declaratory judgment that the subpoenas,

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the grand jury proceedings, and alleged illegal surveillance of the National Vietnam Veterans Against the War (VVAW) national office are illegal. Plaintiffs seek a permanent injunction against such activities in the future and compensatory and exemplary damages.

Plaintiffs filed a Motion for a temporary restraining order and for preliminary injunction on July 10, 1972, urging that a continuance of the subpoenas was required under the First Amendment to allow the witness' participation in the Democratic Convention in Miami. This Motion was argued and denied. The plaintiffs then applied to the United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit for an emergency injunction pending appeal. A panel of the Court of Appeals (Brown, C. J. Goldberg, and Morgan, J. J.) unanimously denied the application on July 11, 1972 with the conclusion that the Court would ". . . communicate with Judge David L. Middlebrooks, Jr. with regard to having appellants called before the Federal grand jury at the earliest possible time." Plaintiffs have withdrawn their appeal from the denial of the temporary restraining order.

This Court is well aware of the grand jury proceedings which ensued, much of which is set forth in this Court's "Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law" and the decision of the Court of Appeals in In Re Grand Jury Proceedings of Robert W. Beverly, et al. v. United States, \_\_\_ F. 2d \_\_\_ (5th Cir., September 25, 1972, No. 72-2752) involving four civil contempt proceedings growing out of the grand jury's investigation. Suffice to say that the eleven individual plaintiffs appeared before the grand jury and, although no

testimony was forthcoming, all of the plaintiffs, save plaintiffs Jordan, Donner, Horton and Beverly, were excused from further questioning.

Plaintiffs Horton and Beverly and two other individuals were subsequently adjudged in contempt of court for failing to testify after having been granted immunity pursuant to 18 U.S.C. §6002-6003 and being directed by the Court to respond to the questions propounded. The contempt orders were vacated by the Court of Appeals for failure of the United States to affirm or deny unlawful electronic surveillance of counsel.

On July 13, 1972, the grand jury returned an indictment against six members of the VVAW, including five of the individual plaintiffs herein, Camil, Michelson, Kniffin, Foss, and Purdue, for violations arising out of their alleged plans to unlawfully disrupt the Republican National Convention. The grand jury returned a superseding indictment on October 18, 1972, adding a seventh VVAW member and one non-member.

Another plaintiff, Beverly, was not indicted but was named a co-conspirator.

The indictment charged violations of Title 18, U.S.C., §231(a)(1) (civil disorders which may obstruct, delay and adversely affect commerce); Title 26, U.S.C., §§5861(d) and 5871 (unlawful possession of an unregistered destructive device); conspiracy to violate Title 18, U.S.C., §2101 (interstate travel or communication to perpetrate a riot); Title 18, U.S.C. §844(i) malicious damage and destruction, by means of explosives, of personal and real property used in interstate commerce); Title 18, U.S.C., §844(n) (use of explosives to commit felonies prosecutable in courts of the United States); and Title 26, U.S.C. §5861 (c) and (d); and Title 18, U.S.C., §371 (conspiracy). Inter alia, the indictment alleged that:

"It was the part of the said conspiracy that the defendants and the individual co-conspirators would organize numerous 'fire teams' to attack with automatic weapons, fire and incendiary devices police stations, police cars, and stores in Miami Beach, Florida, on various dates between August 21 and 24, 1972; that the defendants and the individual co-conspirators would fire lead weights, 'fried' marbles, ball bearings, 'cherry' bombs, and smoke bombs at police in Miami Beach, Florida, on various dates between August 21 and 24, 1972, by means of wrist rocket slingshots and cross-bows; that the defendants and the individual co-conspirators would disrupt communications systems in Miami Beach, Florida, on various dates between August 21 and 24, 1972."

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ARGUMENT

I. The Complaint Fails to State A Claim Upon Which Relief Can Be Granted. Alternatively, Defendants Are Entitled To Summary Judgment.

A. Allegations of Misuse of the Grand Jury.

Plaintiffs' first and third causes of action are based on allegations that the grand jury convened by defendants and the subpoenas served upon plaintiffs were a misuse of the grand jury process to prevent plaintiffs from exercising their First Amendment rights and to detain plaintiffs without lawful process in violation of the Fifth, Sixth, and Eighth Amendments. (Complaint, pp. 9-10). Plaintiffs allege that they had plans to sponsor a march on July 10, 1972, the first day of the Democratic Convention (Complaint, par. 19). They allege that because all of the subpoenas were returnable on this date "notwithstanding the obvious impossibility of the grand jury hearing this testimony all at once", the subpoenas were "deliberately served to coincide with the opening of the Democratic National Convention and the planned VVAW activities already described and were intended to prevent, chill, and deter plaintiffs and members of their class from engaging in these lawful activities." (Complaint, par. 21).

The "Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law" by this Court in the civil contempt cases involving plaintiffs Beverly and Horton and two other individuals, and the decision of the Court of Appeals in these cases, In Re Grand Jury Proceedings Of Robert W. Beverly, et al. v. United States, supra, show conclusively that plaintiffs' complaint on these grounds fails to state a cause of action. The same identical allegations were made in that case and the Court of Appeals held, pp. 30-35:

Because twenty-three witnesses could not of course appear at the same time, and further because of the simultaneous timing of the commands of the subpoenas to appear coinciding with the opening of the Convention, appellants assert that substantial questions are raised as to misuse of grand jury process to prevent exercise of their First Amendment rights. They urge that the manner in which the grand jury proceedings continued underscored the abuse of process. They point out that after calling twenty-three persons to appear on the day of the first scheduled VVAW demonstration, four witnesses were finally dismissed two days later and all but two [19 These were excused to return August 7. On July 25 their subpoenas were adjourned without day.] of the remainder were dismissed on July 13, the last day of the Convention.

The argument continues that since many of those under subpoena throughout the Democratic Convention were never called before the grand jury, and there is nothing of record to indicate that the appellants were selected on other than a random basis for questioning and a tender of immunity, these appellants were also being held in Tallahassee under subpoena with the express purpose of preventing their exercise of First Amendment rights by demonstrating against the Vietnam war in Miami Beach. Lastly, they say that even if the subpoenas were not intended to have that effect, nevertheless they did have exactly such an effect, one that could easily have been obviated by a short continuance of the grand jury session, thus "narrowing the demands of the government as required by the Constitution".

Cited in support of appellants' position are such cases as Bates v. City of Little Rock, 1960, 361 U.S. 516, 80 S. Ct. 412, 4 L. Ed. 2d 480; NAACP v. Ababama ex rel Patterson (cited in appellants' brief as NAACP v. Button), 1958, 357 U.S. 449, 78 S. Ct. 1163, 2 L. Ed. 2d 1488, and Shelton v. Tucker, 1960, 364 U.S. 479, 81 S. Ct. 247, 5 L. Ed. 2d 231, protecting NAACP membership lists and the like from compelled disclosure to state authorities on First Amendment grounds of freedom of association absent a showing of compelling state interest to require disclosure.

It is simply a statement of long recognized horn-book principles of constitutional law to say that no government, either state or federal, may encroach upon First Amendment rights without the demonstration of a compelling interest. But such a principle has slight application in the situation here under examination. Of the twenty-three witnesses under subpoena, six (the "Gainesville Six") were indicted, two others (the appellants Beverly and Chambers) were named in the indictment as co-conspirators; and this was accomplished through the testimony of other witnesses during the three days, July 10 - July 13, when a great deal of the time and efforts of the grand jury, its attendant advisor, and the district judge

was taken up with dealing with these appellants, their refusal to testify, the grant of immunity to them, their continued refusal to testify, and the resultant contempt proceedings against them. It is thus clear after the fact that the grand jury was called together for the investigation of serious criminal offenses and that it did not simply keep these appellants or other witnesses idly waiting around. It is of course common practice, of which we take judicial notice, for grand juries to schedule the investigation of several cases, each involving a number of witnesses, for a single day. Without in any way criticizing the appellants or their counsel for the exercise or the attempted exercise of what they consider fundamental rights, we suggest that grand jury testimony from twenty-three or more witnesses during a one or two day session is not an unreasonable expectation, provided of course the witnesses turn out to be cooperative.

We note further the district court's conclusions [20 These two statements are set forth as conclusions of law in the district court's August 7 "Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law" following the July 25 hearing. Nevertheless they are more in the nature of findings from the evidence, and are probably binding on us under the "clearly erroneous" rule of Rule 52(a) F.R. Civ. P. We do not labor the points but simply note as demonstrated in the text that whether findings or conclusions they find clear support in the record.] 9 and 10 (Footnote 12, supra) to the effect that:

"9. The government's interest in the matters under investigation, as revealed by the questions asked of the witness, is immediate, substantial and subordinating; there is a substantial connection between the information sought from the witness and the government's interest in the investigation; and the means of obtaining the information is necessary and there is a substantial possibility that the matters asked about will expose criminal activity.

10. The questions asked the witness did not violate any First Amendment rights of the witness."

The recent Supreme Court decision in Branzburg v. Hayes, 1972, U.S. \_\_\_\_, 92 S. Ct. 2646, \_\_\_\_, L. Ed. 2d \_\_\_\_, dealing with and rejecting the contention that news sources of reporters are entitled to First Amendment protection against grand jury inquiry, reiterates the overriding importance of grand jury testimony, whatever its effect on news gathering:

"Fair and effective law enforcement aimed at providing security for the person and property of the individual is a fundamental function of government, and the grand jury plays an important, constitutionally mandated role in this process. On the records now before us, we perceive no basis for holding that the public interest in law enforcement

and in ensuring effective grand jury proceedings is insufficient to override the consequential, but uncertain, burden on news gathering which is said to result from insisting that reporters, like other citizens, respond to relevant questions put to them in the course of a valid grand jury investigation or criminal trial." 92 S. Ct. at page 2660-61.

The duty of testifying being subordinating to the potential "chill" upon news gathering and dissemination, it seems to us on a fortiori grounds to be much more subordinating to the rights of these appellants to appear and demonstrate at the Democratic Convention. They claimed the right to demonstrate merely on their own behalf. They were neither delegates nor alternates, and had no greater nor less right to be excused from grand jury attendance than any other private citizen.

We agree with and quote verbatim rather than paraphrase, the closing paragraph of appellee's brief as to this issue:

"The appellants have chosen a peculiar context indeed in which to raise the allegation of abuse of the grand jury. If, indeed, the law enforcement process was being used to suppress dissent, it is the grand jury who with the witness' cooperation, could take remedial action. It is the constitutional right of these witnesses not to face prosecution except on the indictment of a grand jury, and it is this body which is historically vested with the responsibility of preventing specious prosecutions. The grand jury's response to the investigation was to indict six of the VVAW leaders and to name both Beverly and Chambers as co-conspirators. We believe this commentary has fairly vindicated this investigation, and rejected any allegations of bad faith now asserted."

We find no merit in the claim that the appellants should have been excused from their obligation to appear and testify before the grand jury in order for them to engage in demonstrations against the Vietnam war at the Miami Beach Democratic National Convention.

**B. Allegations That Receipt Of The Subpoenas On Short Notice Denied Plaintiff Witnesses Of The Ability To Retain And Consult With Counsel.**

Plaintiffs' fourth cause of action is that the receipt of the subpoenas on short notice denied the plaintiff witnesses of their ability to retain and consult with counsel.

This allegation fails to state a claim upon which relief can be granted because, as plaintiffs and the Court are now well aware, every effort was made to insure that plaintiffs were fully informed of their rights and had adequate representation and consultation with counsel.

In addition to filing this action and a Motion for a temporary restraining order, the witnesses, including the individual plaintiffs, appeared with their six attorneys on July 10, 1972 and filed a Motion for stay of appearance pending retention of and consultation with counsel, which was denied upon the Government's assurance that the witnesses' order of call would, as much as possible, be made known in advance and that each witness would be allowed to consult with an attorney outside the grand jury room before answering the questions posed. (In Re Grand Jury Witnesses, No. T. Misc. 1/122, Transcript of Hearing on July 10, 1972 at 1:20 p.m. pp. 53, 64-65).

An extensive warning as to his rights was given each witness upon his initial appearance before the grand jury.

For example, plaintiff Beverly was advised as follows upon his initial appearance: Mr. Goodwin: "I will advise you of your rights and if you have any questions you may consult with any counsel that may represent you. In view of your refusal to disclose to the Grand Jury whether or not you are represented by counsel, I must advise you that it is your privilege under the Constitution of the United States to refuse to appear before the Grand Jury and testify regarding any matters which might tend to incriminate you. Do you understand that?" "A. Yes, Sir." "Q. I will advise you further that during your appearance before the Grand Jury you have a right to consult with counsel of your choosing outside the Grand Jury. Do you understand that?" "A. At this time I would like to go out and try to talk with some lawyers." "Q. Do you have counsel outside the Grand Jury Room ready to advise you about these matters?" "A. I have counsel that will advise me. It is not my counsel, my lawyer is not here." "Q. Who is your lawyer?" "A. At this time

Later, the witnesses moved for a protective order requiring the grand jury to allow attorney consultation after each question. After argument, the Court denied the Motion but established ground rules for the orderly continuation of the investigation providing for attorney consultation after each question so long as there were no undue delaying tactics. (In Re Grand Jury Witnesses, supra, Hearing on July 11, 1972 at 12 noon, pp. 17-20). As further evidence that the individual plaintiffs were not deprived of their right to retain and consult with counsel, this Court in its "Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law" in the civil contempt cases of plaintiffs Beverly and Horton, In Re: Robert Wayne Beverly and Bruce William Horton, T. Misc. No. 1/122, specifically found that each had been ably and competently represented by counsel. This Court found, in pertinent part, as follows:

"6. Attorneys representing the witness knew the scope of the inquiry of the witness at the time the questions were first asked the witness because the witness left the grand jury room after each question for the purpose of consultation with his counsel.

7. Counsel for the witness was well prepared to represent the witness, having filed a civil action for permanent and temporary injunctions prior to the appearance of the witness and having also filed motions for stay and other relief in these proceedings, all prior to the appearance of the witness before the grand jury. These civil proceedings and motions were ably and competently argued by all counsel. Counsel also ably presented argument and citations of applicable law in hearings at the time of the grant of immunity and hearings on contempt."

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I would rather talk to the lawyers outside." "Q. All right, then, in view of your refusal to disclose to the Grand Jury who your counsel is, I will proceed to advise you of your rights under the law. I want to advise you that anything you say before the Grand Jury may be used against you in any proceedings pending before any Court of the United States or State Court. Do you understand that?" "Q. Yes, Sir." "A. I want to also advise you that if you testify before the Grand Jury in regard to any matters you have the right to refuse to answer questions further at anytime you find that those questions may tend to incriminate you. Do you understand that?" "A. Yes, sir." In Re Grand Jury Witnesses, supra, Hearing on July 25, 1972 at 2 p.m., p. 36.

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C. Allegations that Defendants Conduct Illegal Electronic Surveillance of the National VVAW Office.

Plaintiffs' second cause of action alleges that defendants "have and continue to conduct illegal and unconstitutional surveillance of the National VVAW office" and have attached an affidavit by Michael McCain concerning "playbacks of prior conversations", "a delayed echo", and "interference" he has experienced while making telephone calls from the New York City office. (Complaint, par. 22). Defendants have denied electronic surveillance of VVAW national and regional offices. (See Answer to Complaint, par. 23 and affidavit of Benjamin C. Flanagan, Attorney, Internal Security Division, Department of Justice, filed herewith).

Moreover, even as to grand jury witnesses, who have standing to require the Government to "affirm or deny the occurrence of the alleged" illegal interception under 18 U.S.C. 3504(a)(1), Gelbard v. United States, 408 U.S. 41 (1972), mere allegations of "unusual clicking and hollow sounds" have been held insufficient to require an evidentiary hearing where the Government has denied any such illegal surveillance. In re Horn, 458 F. 2d 468, 471-472 (3rd Cir., 1972).

D. Allegations that a Government Informant Participated in Plaintiffs' Meetings and Activities.

The complaint alleges that a government informant participated in plaintiffs' meetings and activities (Complaint, par. 17 and 21). Although plaintiffs have not specifically alleged that this event states a cause of action, defendants wish to put to rest any suggestion that this activity, even if true, would give rise to a cause of action.

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The Supreme Court in Hoffa v. United States, 385 U.S. 293 (1966), held that the use of secret informants is "not per se unconstitutional, 385 U.S. at 311, and does not violate the Fifth Amendment privilege against self-incrimination, 385 U.S. at 303, nor the Fourth Amendment prohibition against unreasonable searches and seizures, and upheld, as reasonable under the Fourth Amendment, admission at trial of evidence obtained by an undercover informant to whom a defendant spoke without knowledge that he was in the employ of the police. 385 U.S. at 300-303. See also Lewis v. United States, 385 U.S. 206 (1966) and Lopez v. United States, 373 U.S. 427 (1963).

Moreover, the Supreme Court in United States v. White, 401 U.S. 745 (1971) held that the use of secret informants does not violate any constitutionally justifiable expectation of privacy under the Fourth Amendment even when the informant in that case used electronic equipment to transmit his conversations with defendants to other agents. 401 U.S. at 748-754 (Opinion of Mr. Justice White).

The complaint does not specifically allege that the activities of the purported informant have exceeded these legitimate surveillance activities. Plaintiffs cite no instance where the informant has provoked, solicited, or induced VVAW members to engage in unlawful activities, nor do plaintiffs allege any specific instance where their legitimate activities have been in any manner curtailed because of the alleged informant's presence. Compare Handschu v. Special Services Division, \_\_\_ F. Supp. \_\_\_ (S.D.N.Y., 71 Civ. 2203, decided October 24, 1972, Weinfeld, J.). Ac-

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cordingly, plaintiffs complain only of passive observational activities and in the absence of a showing of objective harm or of threatened future harm, from excesses and abuses of an alleged informant, their complaint fails to present a justiciable controversy in this regard. Laird v. Tatum, 408 U.S. 1 (1972).

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II. Defendants Are Absolutely Immune From Civil Liability For The Activities Complained Of Under The Doctrine of Official Immunity.

Plaintiffs seek declaratory and injunctive relief to challenge the constitutionality of the grand jury proceeding convened on July 10, 1972 and the issuance of subpoenas served upon plaintiffs pursuant thereto. (Complaint, par. 14).

At all times material herein defendant Richard G. Kleindienst was Attorney General of the United States, defendant L. Patrick Gray, III, was Acting Director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation and defendant William H. Stafford, Jr. was the United States Attorney for the Northern District of Florida. All activities of the defendants in the connection with the July 10, 1972 grand jury were performed in furtherance of their official duties and were within the scope of their authority, were constitutional and not in excess of their statutory authority. This Court, in its "Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law" in the civil contempt case of plaintiffs Beverly, Horton and two other individuals concluded, inter alia, that the Federal grand jury was lawfully sitting and lawfully conducting inquiry into violation of federal criminal statutes that the special attorneys of the United States were duly authorized by the Attorney General to appear and assist the grand jury; and that these witnesses were lawfully served with subpoenas to appear. These defendants are, therefore, absolutely immune from civil liability under the doctrine of official immunity. Barr v. Matteo, 360 U.S. 564 (1959); Howard v. Lyons, 360 U.S. 593 (1959); Spaulding v. Vilas, 161 U.S. 483 (1896).

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Moreover, the Attorney General, the United States Attorneys, and his assistants are clothed with what has been called a quasi-judicial immunity when engaged in duties related to the judicial process. Gregoire v. Biddle, 177 F. 2d 579 (2nd Cir., 1949), cert. denied, 339 U.S. 949 (1950); Yaselli v. Goff, 12 F. 2d 396 (2nd Cir., 1926), affirmed, 275 U.S. 503 (1927); Cooper v. O'Connor, 99 F. 2d 135 (App. D.C. 1938), cert. denied, 305 U.S. 643 (1938); Norton v. McShane, 332 F. 2d 855 (5th Cir., 1964); Bethea v. Reid, 445 F. 2d 1163 (3rd Cir., 1971).

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III. This Suit Is Barred By The Doctrine Of Sovereign Immunity Since It Is In Law And Fact A Suit Against The United States To Which The United States Has Not Consented.

Plaintiff's suit for declaratory, injunctive, and monetary relief is nominally directed at officials and agents of the Department of Justice.

The Supreme Court has held, however, that if in such a suit the "judgment would expend itself on the public treasury or domain, or interfere with the public administration," Land v. Dollar, 330 U.S. 731, 738 (1947), or if the effect of the judgment would be "to restrain the Government from acting, or to compel it to act," Larson v. Domestic & Foreign Corp., 337 U.S. 682, 704 (1949), the suit is one directed at the United States. Dugan v. Rank, 372 U.S. 609, 620 (1963); Hawaii v. Gordon, 373 U.S. 57 (1953); Malone v. Bowdin, 369 U.S. 643, 647 (1962); Reisman v. Caplin, 317 F. 2d 123 (D.C. Cir., 1963), affirmed on other grounds, 375 U.S. 440 (1964). In the instant case the monetary relief sought is such that it must operate against the sovereign rather than the individual.

Plaintiff seeks monetary relief for damages allegedly suffered as the result of the grand jury proceedings, subpoenas, and alleged surveillance activities. The United States has given no consent to be sued on such a claim under the Federal Tort Claims Act, 28 U.S.C. 2680(a) and (h). An action for alleged grand jury harassment falls within the statutory exception of this act for any claim arising out of "abuse of process" and cannot be maintained against the United States. Accardi v. United States, 435 F. 2d 1239, 1241 (2d Cir., 1970).

CONCLUSION

For the reasons stated, the defendants respectfully submitted that the Court should grant defendants' motion to dismiss or, in the alternative, for summary judgment, and dismiss this action.

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SUBJECT: VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR (VVAW)  
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Re Minneapolis letter and LHM to the Bureau dated 6/9/72, captioned as above.

*[Redacted]* who is in a position to be aware of any activity on the part of the local VVAW within the Minneapolis Division, has advised on numerous occasions that activity on the part of the local VVAW in recent months has been practically non-existent, and that no acts of violence orve subversion have been planned or perpetrated by or on behalf of the local VVAW, which would be detrimental to the internal security of the United States. Numerous attempts by national and regional VVAW officials to generate renewed activity within the local VVAW have met with failure.

Presently there are no members engaged in any organized VVAW activities.

Investigations of individuals listed in re LHM have been completed and none of these individuals were found to be qualified for ADEX.

Inasmuch as Minneapolis confidential informants familiar with basic revolutionary and other subversive violent-prone elements within the Division have advised that during the course of investigation, that the local VVAW is not infiltrated, dominated, or controled by any of these elements, and due to the present inactivity on the part of the local VVAW, this case is being placed in a pending inactive status.

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If information comes to this division's attention indicating revolutionary or subversive activities on the part of the local VVAW in the future, this case will be placed in pending status and appropriate recommendation made to the Bureau.

This letter is being submitted in lieu of an LHM.