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SUPPLEMENTAL CORRELATION SUMMARY

(See Correlation Summaries dated 5/7/64 and 12/27/68 filed as serials 121 and 194, respectively)

Main File No: 100-200845

Date: April 20, 1976

Subject: Peter Seeger

Date Searched: 4/1/75

All logical variations of subject's name and aliases were searched and identical references were found as set out on page 2:

Also searched as Peter Seger. See page 17 in summary.

This is a summary of information obtained from a review of all "see" references to the subject in Bureau files under the names and aliases listed on page 2. All references under these names containing data identical with the subject have been included except any indicated at the end of this summary under the heading REFERENCES NOT INCLUDED IN SUMMARY. References indicated in the block as SI contain the same information as the foregoing serial although the information may have been received from a different source.

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- ⓪ Steiger, Pete

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ABBREVIATIONS

- Add. info.....Additional information appearing in this reference which pertains to Peter Seeger can be found in the main file or elsewhere in this summary. This information may have been received from a different source.
- ACIF.....Artists Committee for Irish Freedom
- NAIF.....National Association for Irish Freedom
- NMC.....New Mobilization Committee to End the War in Vietnam
- SCEF.....Southern Conference Educational Fund, Inc.

RELATIVES WHO HAVE BUREAU MAIN FILES

The relationship and biographical data of Peter Seeger, folk singer, were set forth in the main files of his relatives, as follows:

NAME	RELATIONSHIP	REFERENCE	SEARCH SLIP PAGE NUMBER
Mika Seeger	Daughter	105-183924-11 ep. 5, 6 -12 p.3 -14 ep.1 -21 ep.1 -32 p.1	(11, 15) (15) (15) (15) (11, 15)
Toshi Aline Seeger	Spouse FOIA(b)(7) - (D)	105-226676-2 p.1, 2	(16)

[redacted] advised that a conference was held in Prague, Czechoslovakia, on 4/1-6/68. The theme of this conference was "Man and Society in the Scientific and Technological Revolution." Shingo Shibata (105-25822) spent most of his time at the meeting spreading progaganda against US involvement in Vietnam and stated that he was affiliated with an organization called the Alice Herz Peace Fund (AHPF) of Tokyo, Japan. He had with him a letter which explained the function of the AHPF. It also stated that Peter Seeger had supported this organization.

Letter enclosed
105-25822-8 ep.3
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The records of the Illinois Bell Telephone Company, 212 West Washington Street, Chicago, Ill., revealed long distance service calls that had been billed to the NMC, Room 315, 407 South Dearborn Street, Chicago, telephone number 939-2666, since February, 1968, when the telephone service was instituted. Included among these calls was a call from Tom Hayden (not identified) to Pete Seeger, telephone number 914 831-6828, in Beacon, NY, on 5/22/68.

176-1410-217 p.32
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On 11/21/68, Mrs. Lefa Stambaugh, Montpelier, Ohio, furnished a song book that her granddaughter brought home from church. Stambaugh stated that "By the looks of it and the name of the publisher we feel sure it is compiled by the Communist organization, and we also know that this Walther League* is a great sponsor of Pete Seeger the well known Communist Singer. We value your opinion on this book as we do not want our children taught Communist songs."

On 11/27/68 the Bureau returned the hymnbook and acknowledged the letter of Mrs. Stambaugh.

100-0-39239 p.1; outg. p.1

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*an association within the Lutheran Church

[redacted] advised that at the office of the Southern Californians to Abolish the House Un-American Activities Committee (SCAHUAC) (100-387548), Los Angeles, Calif., on 1/13/69, a meeting was arranged between representatives of the SCAHUAC, the Peace Action Council (PAC), the Los Angeles Committee for Defense of the Bill of Rights (LACDBR) and other groups to discuss plans for a fund raising benefit featuring folk singer Pete Seeger.

This serial revealed that the LACDBR was a militant organization seeking to safeguard the rights of all individuals and the PAC was a coordinating agency for peace activists.

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100-387548-503 p.12,15

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On 1/29/69 [redacted] advised that Pete Seeger, a folk singer, who had been giving a series of benefit performances for the CP newspaper "The Daily World", would appear in Gary, Ind., at a fund raising benefit on 2/6/69, sponsored by the Humanist Society of Indiana University at the Indiana University Auditorium. Neil Betten (100-455089) had announced that he planned to give a house party for Seeger and other close friends.

On 3/4/69 [redacted] advised that approximately eight CP members attended the Seeger "Festival" which was regarded by the CP members as a "smashing success," and profits from this concert were devoted to the remedial student program at Indiana University Northwest Extension, Gary, Ind., in which Betten was involved.

100-455089-1 ep.3,4

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On 6/17/69 the NYC Transit Authority PD, Brooklyn, NY, furnished a combination diary and address book, the property of Barbara Webster, 339 Lafayette St., NYC, secretary for David Tyre Dellinger (100-384411). This book was found wedged between two seat cushions on a BMT LL Train. Among the items contained in the address book was the following: Pete Seeger, (914) 831-0720.

100-384411-319 p.7

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[redacted] advised that on 10/13/69 an NMC (62-111181) meeting was held in NYC to plan a demonstration which was to be held in the vicinity of the New York Hilton Hotel on 10/29/69. It was decided that at this meeting awards would be given by demonstrators to Peter Seeger and others. The demonstration was being sponsored by various groups including anti-war and communist infiltrated or dominated organizations.

SAs advised that on 10/20/69 a demonstration was held at the New York Hilton Hotel, NYC. Counter awards were presented in absentia to Peter Seeger and others.

62-111181-3679 p.31,32

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SI 105-138315-34-222 ep.1,3

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John J. Cooleen, 4901 Seminary Road, Alexandria, Va., an attorney with the firm of King and Nordlinger, 419 Southern Building, WDC, advised that Dominic O. Behan (97-5272) was in WDC during the Vietnam Moratorium, 11/14-15/69. Behan attempted to get a place on the speaker's platform at the Washington Monument area on 11/15/69, but was unsuccessful. According to Cooleen, Behan was apparently a personal friend of Pete Seeger, the folk singer, who assisted Behan in his effort to get permission to speak on 11/15/69. (No further details)

97-5272-9 p.C

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On 2/8/70 an SA went to a public gathering at the University of New Mexico, where John Radford Froines (176-356) gave a speech. In his speech, Froines presented his version of the events leading up to the trial of the "Chicago Eight", the evidence presented against them, and his observations of some of the defendants. Leaflets were passed out to the audience prior to and after the speech. One of the leaflets

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was captioned "Committee to Defend the Conspiracy", a committee to defend the "Chicago Eight." Pete Seeger was listed as being on this Committee. The "Chicago Eight" were eight individuals on trial in Chicago, Ill., for allegedly conspiring to incite riots at the 1968 Democratic convention.

176-356-55 p.33

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On 4/22/70 and 5/13/70 [] furnished information on different individuals. Source stated that Richard and Ethel Stein resided at Croton-On-Hudson, NY. Richard was an architect and his wife, Ethel, was engaged in sculpture and manufacturing puppets. The Steins were regarded as a very liberal family in the community and recalled that Mrs. Stein was involved with such organizations as the Women's Strike for Peace and was always circulating petitions or attempting to obtain signatures for one cause or another. The Steins were close friends of folk singer, Pete Seeger.

105-75879-75 p.3

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The following references on Pete Seeger appear in the main file of Arie-Shalom Bober. The Committee on New Alternatives in the Middle East (CNAME), 145 E. 16th St., NYC, announced on 3/19/70 that it was sponsoring a speaking tour of the US, during April and May, for Bober, a young Israeli Jew who was a leading spokesman for the Israeli Socialist Organization (ISO). The ISO was a joint Jewish-Arab organization committed to the struggle for a socialist, united Middle East, freed of all imperialism and colonialism, in which all peoples enjoy full national rights. Seeger was one of the sponsors of CNAME. As of 6/9/70 Bober was still in WDC. His trip was financed by CNAME, which, according to Bober, was formed by individuals like Seeger.

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105-204301-4 ep.3,18
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On 8/20/70 the NYO advised that records of the New York Telephone Company made available by Rudolph J. Posch, Security Supervisor, New York Telephone Company, revealed that Peter Seeger, Dutchess Junction, Box 431, Beacon, NY, was the subscriber to telephone number 914-831-0720.

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65-70108-54 p.1

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Correlator's Note: Further review of above file revealed toll call records for March, for the residence of Donald Walter Duncan (65-70108), at 15461 Del Gado Drive, Sherman Oaks, Calif., (telephone number 213-783-7669, listed under the name of Harold J. Smith). On 3/8/70 a call was placed from Duncan's telephone to 914-831-0720 in Beacon, NY.

In a letter dated 10/9/70 Mrs. Howard J. Smith, 2720 Coventry Lane, NW, Canton, Ohio, requested the affiliations of Pete Seegar. This request was in connection with church groups such as the last American Lutherans, for their young peoples convention, having used him for entertainment.

A reply to Mrs. Smith was dated 10/16/70.

100-0-41722 p.1; outg. p.1

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Ted Freedman, B'nai B'rith, Houston, Tex., furnished a letter from the Committee to Defend the Panthers, Box 628, NYC. The letter which was signed by Ossie Davis, (not identified), and Dick Gregory, (not identified), was postmarked 10/22/70 at NYC. In the margin of the letter Pete Seeger was listed as a sponsor.

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105-165706-19-169 ep.2

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On 12/1/70 [redacted] furnished copies of documents found in the possession of Jerry Clyde Rubin (176-59) and Stewart Edward Albert (not identified). Among these articles was an address book which contained the following:
Pete Seeger, 914 831-0720

176-59-149 ep.7

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Beverly Anne Carroll Hearne (105-184649) furnished a list of people she met in Cuba from July 1968 to May 1971. On her list was Luis Turmo, a Cuban who lived in Florida but defected back to Cuba just before the Bay of Pigs. Hearne was told that Turmo was one of the men responsible for telling them about the invasion. Turmo lived in Havana, loved American folk songs and was the first to meet Pete Seeger when Seeger went to Cuba the previous year.

105-184649-47 ep.14

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The Louisville, Ky., Office furnished information regarding the New York office of the Southern Conference Educational Fund, Inc. (100-10355) report of Lenore Hogan, among other staff reports to the 11/13/70 Board of Director's meeting which revealed that a direct mailing to 50,000 new names of a letter signed by Pete Seeger was scheduled to go out on 5/1/71. (No further information)

100-10355-1327 p.60

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The 4/28/71 issue of "The Times Union", Rochester, NY, carried an article which stated that Pete Seeger, the folk singer, and Eqbal Ahmad, a Pakistani who was one of the defendants in the alleged plot to kidnap Henry Kissinger and blow up government buildings, were scheduled to appear there on 5/12/71 to raise money for the defense. Seeger would give a concert and might also perform at a school. Seeger and Ahmad planned to visit Buffalo and Syracuse. Their upstate appearances were being arranged by Dr. George McVey of Brighton, a dentist who, with his wife, had been subpoenaed to appear before the federal grand jury in Harrisburg, Pa., investigating the alleged plot.

100-460495-3822 p.3

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SI 100-460495-3179 p.2

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On 5/28/71 [] advised Horace Chandler Davis (100-360195) would attend an annual meeting of the Marion Davis Scholarship Fund (not identified) on 6/27/71 in Sandwich, Mass. Pete Seeger (believed identical to Bureau file 100-200845) of 200 West 57 Street, NYC, Room No. 1304, was contacted by Davis and agreed to support the work of this fund by signing a letter for the fund's annual appeal.

100-360195-211 ep.1

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The 8/21/71 issue of the "Irish Echo", NYC weekly newspaper, carried an article captioned "Demonstrations Planned." This article stated that throughout the US, American Irish Organizations had been holding pickets, rallies and demonstrations protesting British policy in Northern Ireland. On 8/21/71 the NAIF was scheduled to hold a unity rally, in NYC, to support the oppressed people of Northern Ireland. Folk singer Pete Seeger pledged the support of the ACIF to the rally.

105-212344-11 ep.2

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The following references in the file captioned "Communist Infiltration of the Motion Picture-Radio-Television Industries" pertain to the activities of Pete Seeger, folk singer who was prominent in the field of recordings, radio and television, from 12/25/67 to 9/25/71 in California, New York and Cuba. Seeger, who was known as a CP member in 1947-1949, appeared on numerous television shows and radio programs and entertained at an Angela Davis Day Rally in NYC, which was sponsored by the Angela Davis Local Defense Fund, NYC. Seeger in substance dwelled on topics involving peace, over-population of the earth, poverty, civil rights, ecology and exploitation of the birth of Christ for Christmas.

REFERENCE

SEARCH SLIP PAGE NUMBER

100-340922-511 p.3,6,7,17,18
-512 p.B,43-45
-516 p.27-29
-518 p.21,30
-519 p.A,16,17
-521 p.13,14
-522 p.11

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On 4/20/71 [redacted] furnished two envelopes with enclosures received through the mail on that date. Both letters were postmarked at NYC. Envelope bearing no exterior return address contained a printed letter from Jane Fonda, actress; Garry Goodrow (not identified); and Dick Gregory, comedian, author, lecturer; on stationery with the letterhead of US Servicemen's Fund (USSF) (62-112287), 94 School Street, Cambridge, Mass. Also, a list of USSF sponsors were on the letterhead which included the name of Pete Seeger. The letter constituted a solicitation of funds for USSF work. The second envelope bore the return address of Anti-War Chest, 32 West 22 Street, NY. This envelope contained a printed letter from Jane Spock (not identified) and Ossie Davis, author, playwright, and was a solicitation for contributions to Burchett Anti-War Chest, sponsored by Wilfred Burchett 60th Birthday Committee, NYC, in association with "The Guardian."

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Seeger, folk singer, was listed as being on this Birthday Committee.

This serial revealed that "The Guardian", took a strong left position.

62-112287-351 ep.5,14

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SI 65-62160-76 ep.5,18

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The 1/8/72 issue of the "Irish Echo", NYC weekly newspaper, carried an article captioned "Benefit Night of Song and Dance", subtitled "In Support of The Northern Ireland Civil Rights Association", sponsored by the Brooklyn supporters of the National Association for Irish Freedom (105-212344). The benefit was scheduled to be held on 1/15/72 in Brooklyn. Pete Seeger was listed as a co-sponsor of this event.

105-212344-25 ep.5

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The 8/21/71 issue of the "Irish Echo", a weekly newspaper published at NYC, carried an item stating that folk singer Pete Seeger had pledged the support of the ACIF to the NAIF-sponsored Unity Rally held on 8/21/71.

The 1/22/72 issue of "Irish Echo", NYC, announced protest rallies sponsored by the NAIF, scheduled for 1/22-23/72 to protest the appearances of a unit of Scots Guard Regiment at Felt Forum, Madison Square Garden, NYC. The Scots Guard Regiment was described as a British Army unit that had just completed a tour of active service in Northern Ireland where it allegedly engaged in terrorist activities against the Irish people in minority ghetto areas. Seeger was listed as a co-sponsor of the protest rallies.

97-5338-4 ep.3

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105-193285-100 ep.8

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On 1/26/72 Rudolph J. Posch, Security Supervisor, New York Telephone Company, 140 West Street, NYC, advised that Guthrie Children Trust, Tiparm Music, Inc., Pete Seeger, etc., 200 West 57th Street, NYC.,

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was subscriber to telephone number 212-586-6553.

157-15071-46 p.3

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Correlator's Note: According to serial 32 of above file a [redacted] call was made on 4/22/71 to the above mentioned telephone number in NYC from telephone number 213-278-0191, which was registered to Donald Sutherland (157-15071).

[redacted] advised that HO Li-liang (105-246516) invited Pete Seeger and his wife to a reception for the Chinese ping-pong on 4/21/72 in NYC. Seeger advised that he was not sure he could make it but would try.

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105-246516-2 ep.5,6

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On 11/21/72 Sharon A. McLaughlin, 11 Fales St., Hartford, Conn., advised that Dr. Norton M. Mezvinsky, teacher at Central Connecticut State College, New Britain, Conn., helped to conceive the publication "Know" in March 1972, when he asked McLaughlin to do the "ground work" in setting up this publication. At the time she furnished this information McLaughlin was still working for "Know", a bi-monthly news service providing expert translations from Israel's Hebrew press of articles about aspects of Israeli life and policies not generally known or available in the US and other countries. Among articles furnished by McLaughlin was a copy of the mailing list of individuals and organizational representatives to issue number 3 of "Know". On this list appeared the name and address of Peter Seeger, Box 431, Beacon, New York, 12508.

105-214009-28 ep.34

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[redacted] furnished a letter from Earl Robinson (100-5578), 3937 Bledsoe Avenue, Los Angeles, Calif., addressed to Edith Anderson, 1017 Berlin, East, Koppenstrasse 31, German Democratic Republic, postmarked 5/1/73. In this letter Robinson stated that things seemed to be progressing fairly well for "the October visit" but he desired an American or a German friend who spoke English and had the time to keep him posted on what was happening. He asked if Anderson knew Victor Grossman (aka Stephen Wechsler, 100-359527) whose name was suggested to him by Pete Seeger.

100-5578-149 p.1; ep.3

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The following references in the file captioned "Communist Party of Spain" pertain to the crackdown in Seville of communist activities. Fourteen CP members were arrested and propaganda material confiscated. A copy of a letter apparently from the Committee of the United States of America for the Ten of Carabanchel, which was opined as demonstrating that there was a connection between the CP of Spain and communists in the US, was enclosed which indicated that if enough attention could be attracted, Pete Seeger and other prominent Americans could be added to the list of individuals who might declare aid for the ten of Carabanchel in their struggle against the Fascist regime of General Franco.

REFERENCE	SEARCH SLIP PAGE NUMBER
64-200-237-785 ep.3	(2)
-786 ep.3,4	(2)

The following references are meetings and affairs of the CP and CP infiltrated and/or radical and anti-Vietnam war organizations or groups listed below at which Peter Seeger, renowned folk singer, appeared or was scheduled to appear as an entertainer and spoke where indicated.

DATE	LOCALITY	REFERENCE	SEARCH SLIP PAGE NUMBER
<u>CP</u>			
5/9/71	San Francisco, Calif.	100-52250-67 p.2	(4)
<u>American Civil Liberties Union</u>			
1/30/70 (scheduled)	Pittsburgh, Pa.	77-107312-19	(3)
<u>Artists Committee For Irish Freedom(97-5338) and National Association For Irish Freedom (105-212344)</u>			
4/12/71	NYC	97-5275-83 ep.25,48-51, 53, 54*	(3)
		97-5338-3 ep.3,4,6*	(3)
		105-212344-4 ep.10,12,13	(24)

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DATE	LOCALITY	REFERENCE	SEARCH SLIP PAGE NUMBER
<u>Coalition to Defend the Panthers</u>			
10/15/70 (spoke)	New Haven,, <u>Conn.</u>	105-165706-32-1671 p.2	(15)
<u>Concerned Community for Peace</u>			
4/17/71 (scheduled)	Woodbury, Conn.	100-460495-3683 p.B,4,6	(7)
<u>Fifth Avenue Vietnam Peace Parade Committee</u>			
4/15/70 (spoke)	NYC	100-457655-433 ep.12,32;33*	(7)
<u>Group '68 (100-453650)</u> aka "Americans in Britain for United States withdrawal from Vietnam" 			
2/12/70 or 2/22/70 (scheduled)	London, England	100-453650-4 ep.1	(6)
		100-453747-24 ep.1	(6)
		100-457112-1 ep.1	(6)
<u>Hudson Institute Vigil Committee (100-455177)</u>			
9/27/69	Croton, NY	100-455177-3 p.1	(20)
<u>Los Angeles Committee for the Defense of the Bill of Rights</u>			
5/18/69	Los Angeles, Calif.	100-44777-125 p.2,3	(3)
<u>May 4 Memorial Service Committee</u>			
5/4/71	Kent, <u>Ohio</u>	62-112228-11-292 ep.3,4	(19)
		100-463195-1105 ep.25-27*	(8)

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National Peace Action Coalition (100-460998)

11/6/71 (spoke)	Philadelphia, <u>Pa.</u>	100-460998-488 ep.2	(7)
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National Peace Action Coalition and The People's Coalition for Peace and Justice

4/24/71 (spoke)	<u>WDC</u>	100-463195-810 p.2 -986 ep.4	(20) (20)
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NMC (62-111181)

4/27/68	NYC	62-112081-337 ep.12,14,22*	(2)
11/15/69	WDC	62-111181-2738 p.1; ep.1 -3065 p.2 -3569 ep.3	(1) (1) (19)

Oleo Strut, Incorporated, Coffee House

5/15/71	Killeen, <u>Tex.</u>	62-112287-353 p.1 -355	(2) (19)
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Pan American Association for the Festival of the New World

9/1-4/72 (scheduled)	Raisin City, Calif.	100-416859-16 ep.4	(5)
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Peace Action Council

5/18/69 (scheduled)	Los Angeles, Calif.	100-376150-48 p.54 100-447766-18	(4) (6)
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Puerto Rican Solidarity Day Committee (100-481591)

10/27/74	NYC	100-439922-A "Daily World" 10/29/74 p.3	(5)
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DATE	LOCALITY	REFERENCE	SEARCH SLIP PAGE NUMBER
<u>Puerto Rican Solidarity Day Committee (100-481591)</u>			
10/27/74	NYC	100-481591-2 p.1; outg. p.1	(8)
		105-267329-2 ep.2	(11)
<u>Quaker Action Group (100-446453)</u>			
7/5/70	Baltimore, Md.	100-446453-223X2 ep.2	(5)
<u>Southern Californians to Abolish the House Un-American Activities (100-387548)</u>			
5/13/69	Los Angeles, Calif.	100-387548-503 p.12,15*	(5)
<u>Southern Christian Leadership Conference</u>			
6/19/68	WDC	157-8428-2619 ep.2	(12)
		-A "The Evening Star" 6/19/68	(12)
<u>Southern Conference Educational Fund, Inc.</u>			
3/9/68	New Orleans, La.	100-446537-14 p.8,15	(5)
<u>SCEF's Grass Roots Organizing Work</u>			
3/9/68	New Orleans, La.	100-10355-1236 p.57	(13)
<u>The Defense Committee and Catholic Peace Fellowship</u>			
8/12/70	NYC	25-572981-307 Photograph	(19)
		p.1; Encl.	
		-310 p.2	(19)
<u>The "Guardian" (100-357044)</u>			
12/5/68	NYC	100-357044-857 p.1; ep.1	(4)
		-867 p.15,16*	(4)

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DATE	LOCALITY	REFERENCE	SEARCH SLIP PAGE NUMBER
<u>Vietnam Moratorium Committee (100-454565)</u>			
10/15/69	Newburgh, NY	100-443374-83 p.2	(5)
		100-454565-501 ep.15	(14)
<u>Women Strike For Peace (62-107350)</u>			
5/18/69	Los Angeles, Calif.	62-107350-1312 p.8	(1)
<u>World Federation of Democratic Youth and the International Union of Students</u>			
7/28/73-8/5/73 (scheduled)	East Berlin, Germany	140-42361-10 p.3-5*	(12, 16)
<u>World Youth Festival (100-471933)</u>			
9/9/73	Monroe, NY	100-471933-A "Daily Worker" 8/23/73	(8)
		100-478738-1 ep.5	(20)
<u>No Sponsor</u>			
3/11/68	San Antonio, Tex.	100-373040-23 p.12*	(4)
5/30/68	WDC	157-8428-A "The Washington Post Times Herald" 5/31/68	(12)
3/23/69	South Bend, <u>Ind.</u>	100-448423-15 p.10	(6)
2/3-6/70 (scheduled to speak)	WDC	100-447724-211 p.2	(5)
12/12/70 (scheduled)	Spring Lake, N.C.	100-452962-94 ep.6, 12	(6)
12/20/72	Danbury, Conn.	100-474122-22 p.2	(14)

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The 12/19/74 issue of the "Daily Worker" carried an article captioned "Pete For Dr. Jackson enlists more backers." This article revealed that sponsors of the 60th birthday celebration for Dr. James Jackson, national education director of the CP, reported growing support from political, trade union and community leaders around the country. The celebration, which would also mark the publication of Jackson's new book, "Revolutionary Tracings," would be held at the New York Hilton on 12/29/74. Among those who had initially sponsored the celebration was Pete Seeger.

100-47736-A "Daily World"
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Seeger, Peter

AKA:

BIRTHDATE: 5-3-19 (not verified)

BIRTHPLACE: NYC, NY

SPOUSE: Toshi-Aline Seeger

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ALL LOGICAL BUILDUPS, BREAKDOWNS, AND VARIATIONS
OF NAME AND AKA'S WERE SEARCHED AND NO RECORD
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Spouse: Toshi Aline Jeger

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February 25, 1975

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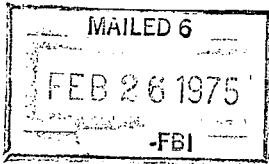
Mr. Stuart Monshine
State University of New York
at Binghamton, Box 8671
Binghamton, New York 13901

Dear Mr. Monshine:

This is to acknowledge your letter of February 14th.

To furnish information from our files concerning Pete Seeger without his prior authorization would constitute an invasion of his personal privacy. However, if you can obtain a notarized authorization from Mr. Seeger for disclosure of any available information we may have on him, further consideration will then be given to your request, subject to the provisions of the Freedom of Information Act. Please do not infer, however, that we have the material you desire.

This Bureau maintains no listing of available data on any individual, and the so-called "raw files" are not available for review by a member of the public. Material which is furnished in response to a specific request under the Freedom of Information Act is edited in accordance with the provisions of the Act prior to being made public. Also, a prescribed fee may be charged for searching and duplicating.



Sincerely yours,

C. M. Kelley
Clarence M. Kelley
Director

- 1 - The Deputy Attorney General - Enclosure
- 1 - Bufile 62-115530 (FOI-REPLIES)

NOTE: One Stuart Seymour Monshine, apparently a student, believed to have home address of 590 Davis Street, Babylon, New York, was arrested in Jerusalem on 2/28/71 for smoking and possession of hashish according to information received from State Department (12-0-7589). Peter Seeger is the subject of a SM-C investigation closed 11/10/72. There are also references on him (100-200845).

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Binghamton, N.Y. 13901
February 14, 1975

Mr. Clarence Kelly
Director of the F.B.I.
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Kelly,

I am presently working on a Political Science thesis for the State University of New York at Binghamton. The thesis concerns the organization, "People's Songs", and its relationship with HUAC and anti-communism. Since this directly involves Pete Seeger, the folk singer, I am respectfully requesting access to any and all F.B.I. files which is entitled to me under the Freedom of Information Act.

Since all of your files may not be useful to me for the purposes of my thesis, I would appreciate your sending me an annotated listing of any material you have concerning Pete Seeger in your files. If this is not possible, please forward to me the procedures by which I may inspect the said records.

Your cooperation in this matter will be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,

Stuart Monshine
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI (100-200845) DATE: 11/10/72

FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (100-83801) (C)

SUBJECT: PETER SEEGER
SM-C
(OO:NY)

ReWFOlet to NY, 9/29/72; and NYrep of SA LYNN E. MC CREDY, dated 4/21/72.

Subject currently resides at Box 431, Beacon, NY, and is employed as a banjo and guitar player.

On 11/7/72, MAURICE KEATING, Postmaster, Beacon, NY, advised that he has seen the subject in the community within the last week, and does not believe he is currently in a travel status.

Re WFO letter indicated, from a review of Passport files, that subject had been in North Vietnam in March, 1972. Inasmuch as this information has been previously reported, no further investigation is contemplated at this time and the matter is being placed in a closed status.

NY routing slip dated 4/13/73
advised file reviewed and subject does
not meet ADEX criteria, SAC Memo 21-72.
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI (100-200845)

DATE: 9/29/72

FROM : SAC, WFO (100-23658) (RUC)

SUBJECT: PETER SEEGER
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(OO:NY)

Re Bureau 0-7 dated 7/18/72 forwarding to WFO Legat, Hong Kong letter dated 5/24/72, copies of which were also furnished to New York.

SC BETTY SUE LEWIS reviewed the files of the Passport Office, United States Department of State (USDS), on 9/25/72 and determined that the file regarding above-captioned individual contains the following additional information since last reviewed and furnished in WFO letter and LHM dated 2/26/71 to Bureau and New York:

PETER SEEGER was issued Passport Number Z-1057737 on 11/18/69 at the American Embassy, London, England. He indicated in his application dated 11/18/69, before the American Vice Consul, London, England, he intended to return to the United States within one month to reside. This passport was valid for five years travel to all countries except Cuba, mainland China, North Korea, and North Vietnam. By operation of law effective 3/15/71, the restriction against travel to mainland China was lifted.

This individual listed his permanent residence as Box 431, Beacon, New York 12508, and his present residence as Cumberland Hotel, London (England). He listed his father's residence as 125 Hart Street, Santa Monica, California, and

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his mother's residence as 2976 Southwest 16th Terrace, Miami, Florida 33145. The American Embassy made the notation on this passport application that "Mr. SEEGER is today applying for a new passport because he has grown a beard and his present passport bears a photo of him clean shaven. This came about when he applied for a visa to visit Russia and the Consul at the Russian Embassy refused to issue a visa until he had a new passport with a photograph reflecting his newly grown beard." Attached to this passport application is an affidavit signed by PETER SEEGER dated 11/18/69, before the American Vice Consul, London, England, swearing "I wish to get a visa to the USSR, and the London Consulate of that country says they cannot accept the old photograph (1968) before I grew a beard."

Copies of this individual's photograph as appearing on his 1969 passport application will be forwarded to New York via routing slip when processed.

His passport file contains a communication from the American Embassy, Vientiane, to the Department of State dated 3/22/72, which stated the following:

Mrs. Peter Seeger - Viet Viet

"1. Well-known folk singer PETE SEEGER, wife and 17 year old daughter arrived in Vientiane from Hanoi 22 March on ICC Flight. Embassy Officer contacted party in airport transit lounge and enjoyed affable 15-minute conversation which unfortunately developed no PW information of interest.

"2. SEEGER claimed family had been invited and sponsored by NVN Musicians Union on what he described as a strictly cultural visit. He stated that he performed in three private concerts, spoke on the radio three times and attended 20 concerts by NVN artists.

"3. After Embassy Officer described his interest in flow of mail to and from U.S. PWs by only channel NVN have provided, SEEGER indicated what appeared to be genuine regret

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that they had neither brought any mail in nor asked to take some out. They stated their only contacts were with musicians; therefore, subject of prisoners never arose. They did mention seeing other Americans: SEYMOUR HERSH, the Trade Union group, and one AL HUBBARD (not further identified) who may be another folk-singer type."

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NEW YORK

AT NEW YORK, NEW YORK. Determine whether further investigation warranted under guidelines set forth in Section 105-G, Manual of Instructions.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 5/24/72

FROM : LEGAT, HONG KONG ()

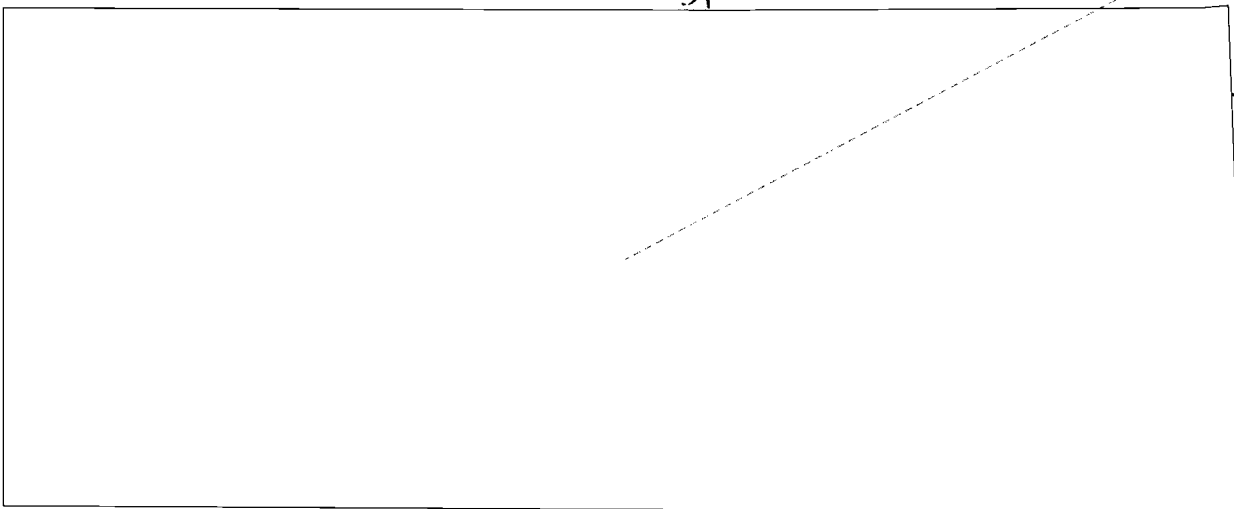
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SUBJECT: PETER SEEGER
IS - CH
(HONfile 105-7784) (RUC)

TOSHI-ALINE SEEGER
IS - CH
(HONfile 105-7785) (RUC)

Reference:

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Subjects were traveling with their daughter, VIRGINIA STEWART SEEGER, born [redacted], traveling on U. S. Passport No. C373121 issued 2/22/72 in New York.

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Enclosed are four copies of an article dated 4/13/72, relating to PETER SEEGER, which appeared in "Ta Kung Pao," a Chinese Communist newspaper printed in both the Chinese and English languages in Hong Kong.

LEAD:

WASHINGTON FIELD OFFICE:

AT WASHINGTON, D. C.:

Check records of Passport Office, U. S. Department of State, for pertinent background information re subjects and forward to appropriate office of origin.

Peter Seeger brings home Chinese gongs

Among the many things Peter Seeger, one of America's top folk song singer, brought back from his two-and-a-half week tour to China were two Chinese gongs.

'Nowhere else in the world is there a gong like this,' said Seeger as he demonstrated to reporters interviewing him in a hotel lobby. 'In the old Peking opera, this is one of the characteristic punctuation marks,' he said. 'It has a great quality of humour in it.'

China not forgetting own music

While in China, the Seegers—he travelled with his wife and daughter—visited Peking, Shanghai and Kwangchow.

'I am glad China is not forgetting its own traditional music. I have heard many wonderful melodies,' he said. To convince the reporters, he hummed a theme song from the 'White-Haired Girl'. Then he said, half seriously, 'Had Tchaikovsky heard that, he would have used it for a symphony . . . That's one of the world's greatest melody. I think it is an old Chinese folk tune which is adopted for the ballet,' he said.

Another thing which interested Seeger is the attempt made by the

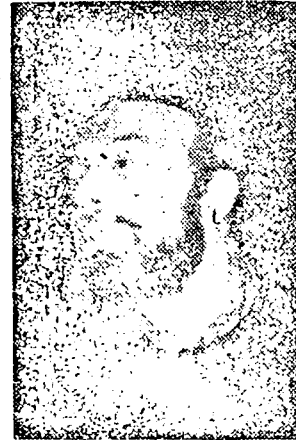
Chinese people to combine Chinese traditional music with Western music.

Magnificent synthesis

'The head of the Central Philharmonic Society in Peking, Mr Li Teh-lin, is surely one of the world's great musicians. He is trying one of the difficult things in the world, to make a good combination of two different traditions. I heard a magnificent symphony arrangement of 'Shachia-pang' of a chorus of 80 voices, and an orchestra of 80 instrumentalists, with a gong, er-wu, and pi-pa intergrated with European-style symphonic music. This is very difficult.'

Having pointed out that he had seen this kind of blending done badly, he went on to say that Li Teh-lin, 'working with many others, made a, I believe, magnificent synthesis.'

While in China, Seeger met about 200 musicians and cultural workers. 'They were interested in learning something about America music,' he said. 'But I had to caution them that I'm only one musician. That



Peter Seeger

it is just like seven blind men and the elephant. They'll just get my side of the story. Then I told them all I knew. I sat with them for several hours, singing songs of Bob Dylan, Joan Baez and many others.'

What he will write

Asked if he would write something about his trip, he said he would, particularly about one chemical factory, though he is not a chemist. When asked why, he explained: 'This is a big factory that manufactured chemicals for industrial use. In the manufacture of rayon they used caustic soda. When it first set up, it was polluting the water and the air. They made a bi-product, some chemical in some process, I don't know. And it cost them a thousand US dollars per ton to make it, because they can't sell it for as high a price as it cost to make it. They do it nevertheless. Because they don't want to get the water any dirtier and the air any dirtier.'

The Seegers said that they wanted to come back to China again when they had saved enough money.

"TA KUNG PAO"
Hong Kong, B.C.C.
April 13, 1972

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI

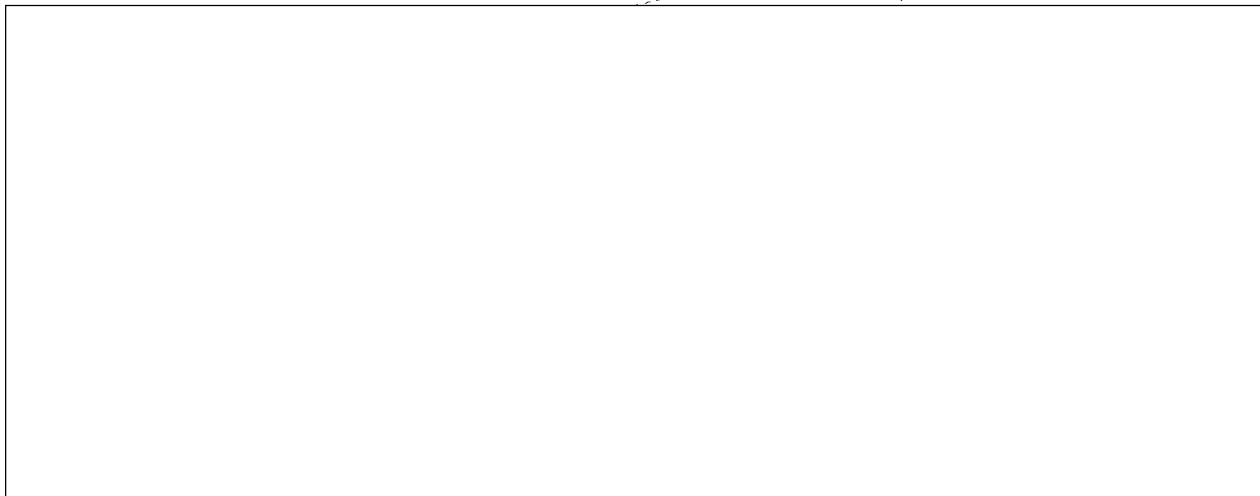
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AT WASHINGTON, D. C.:

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RE: **PETER SEEGER**
SM-C

Date **7-18-72**

- For information optional Retention For appropriate action Surep, by _____
- The enclosed is for your information. If used in a future report, conceal all sources, paraphrase contents.
- Enclosed are corrected pages from report of SA _____ dated _____

Remarks:

Re. Hong Kong letter 5-24-72, copies enclosed each recipient. For information WFO, Peter Seeger is an ADEX III subject of NYO.

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Pete Seeger a guest star --in Peking

Shepherd
A. A. Gony

American folk singer Pete Seeger is pluckin' his guitar and singing his songs in Peking, The Advertiser learned yesterday.

This word on 52-year-old Seeger comes from his manager, Harold Leventhal, who is stopping over here enroute from Hong Kong to New York.

Leventhal, scheduled to leave Honolulu this morning with his wife, Natalie, said yesterday that Seeger is probably the first major American musician to be invited to visit and perform in the People's Republic of China.



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"HE'S BEEN THERE at least six days now, but I haven't been in touch with him since I left Hong Kong on the 24th (of March)," Leventhal said.

Leventhal said Seeger called him from Peking March 24 "to tell me where he's staying," the Peking Hotel.

"He was invited there as a guest of the government, and I don't know how long he'll be there. Maybe 10 days. I don't know. He didn't even know when he called me in Hong Kong," Leventhal said.

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HONOLULU ADVERTISER
HONOLULU, HAWAII

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Date: 4/3/72
Edition: FINAL
Author:
Editor: GEORGE CHAPLIN
Title: PETER SEEGER

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der and leader of the original Weavers — the singing group often credited with starting the folk music trend in the United States in the '50s.

He has more than 50 long-play records on file, and has written several world-famous folk songs, notably "If I Had a Hammer," "Kisses Sweeter Than Wine," "Where Have All The Flowers Gone" and "Waist Deep in the Big Muddy."

Politically, Seeger was an activist before many of today's campus radicals were born.

In 1950, Seeger, known to be a leftist folk singer, was blacklisted by commercial television and not allowed to appear on a network TV program for more than 17 years. He was one of the "victims" of the 1950's McCarthy period.

MORE THAN 10 years after being blacklisted by television, Seeger was convicted (in 1961) of 10 counts of contempt of Congress for refusing in 1955 to answer questions of the House Un-American Activities Committee. The following year the conviction was reversed.

Seeger, who plays guitar and banjo, is one of several musicians managed by Leventhal. Others include Judy Collins, Arlo Guthrie and Alan Arkin.

"Pete's popularity," Leventhal said, "is greater than it's ever been; and the demands for him are greater than they've ever been.

"The only difficulty is the impossibility of satisfying all the requests for him to sing."

Seeger was invited to visit China, Leventhal said, as a follow up ("I worked it out on my own") to a concert tour of North Vietnam last month. The tour, centered in Hanoi, was sponsored by the North Vietnamese musicians union.

"HE (SEEGER) played for schools, factories and so forth," Leventhal said. "He was in North Vietnam for 10 days."

In February, Seeger was reported to be in Havana, where he held a jam session with North Vietnamese students. According to a Cuban radio report, he was there to meet with the Cuban Committee of Solidarity with Vietnam, Cambodia and Laos.

Seeger traveled to Hanoi by way of Paris and Moscow, Leventhal said. "That's the only way you can get there," he added.

How ever Seeger got to Hanoi and Peking, they are only two of scores of countries in which he's sung his now-classic folk songs.

SEEGER, WHO lives in New York City, is the foun-

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

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DIRECTOR, FBI (100-200845)

DATE: 5/8/72

FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (100-83801)

SUBJECT: PETER SEEGER
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RENYlet and LHM, dated 4/21/72.

Enclosed for the Bureau are the original and six copies of an LHM pertaining to SEEGER's travel to China.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

New York, New York
May 8, 1972

In Reply, Please Refer to
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Peter Seeger
Security Matter - C

Reference is made to memorandum, dated April 21, 1972, concerning captioned individual.

"The Washington Post Times Herald", a newspaper published daily in Washington, D.C., issue of April 1, 1972, page A-15, carried an article captioned "Seeger, in China, Sees Culture Gap". The article was datelined Peking, China, dated March 31, 1972, and stated that Seeger was visiting China for about two weeks as part of an around the world trip which he was taking. The article indicated that he had already visited North Vietnam on this trip. He was not performing while in China, but had met with representatives of the musicians union and advised the official Radio Peking on some planned programs of American music.

"The Evening News", a daily newspaper published in Beacon, New York, issue of April 19, 1972, carried an article captioned "China Visit Proves Book: Seeger". The article stated that Seeger and his wife had just returned from a trip around the world. It continued that while in Hong Kong, on April 12, 1972, Seeger was given a copy of the book entitled "China! Inside the Peoples Republic".

The article continued that within the last month, while on his trip, he spent two and a half (2½) weeks in China and that his experiences there generally bore out what the book said.

Seeger indicated that he and his wife were back residing at home in Dutchess Junction, Beacon, New York.

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To: FBI Headquarters
 FBI Field Division, _____

From: Civil Service Commission, Wash. D.C.

Regarding FBI report memorandum dated (month, day, year)
April 21, 1971 at (city, state) New York, New York
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REFERENCE

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The following informants were contacted in February and March, 1972, but could provide no additional information concerning the subject:

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NEW YORK

AT NEW YORK, NEW YORK. Will await Bureau's decision regarding subject's inclusion in Adex 4.

NY 100-83801

- 1. Subject's name is included in the ADEX.
- 2. The data appearing on the ADEX Card are current.
- 3. Changes on the ADEX Card are necessary and Form FD-122 submitted to the Bureau.
- 4. A suitable photograph is is not available.
Date photograph was taken March, 1967
- 5. Subject is employed in a key facility and _____ is charged with security responsibility. Interested agencies are _____
- 6. This report is classified Secret because
(state reason)

it contains information from NY T-12 [redacted] which is so classified.

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- 7. Subject previously interviewed (dates) _____
- Subject was not reinterviewed because (state reason)

subject occupies a prominent position in the entertainment field and any attempt to interview him could possibly cause embarrassment to the Bureau.

- 8. This case no longer meets the ADEX criteria and a letter has been directed to the Bureau recommending cancellation.
- 9. This case has been reevaluated in the light of the ADEX criteria and it continues to fall within such criteria because (state reason)

of his association with CP affiliated groups as late as September, 1971.

- 10. Subject's ADEX card is tabbed Category I II III IV
- Subject's activities warrant such tabbing because (state reasons)

- 11. Security Flash Notice (FD-165) to Identification Division:
 Submitted 4/21/72 (date) Placed Yes No

- 12. Subject is Extremist in Category I of ADEX and Stop Notice has been placed with NCIC.

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New York, New York

In Reply, Please Refer to

File No. Bufile 100-200845
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Title Peter Seeger

Character Security Matter-C

Reference is made to New York report
of Special Agent Lynn E. McCredy, dated and captioned as above.

All sources (except any listed below) whose identities
are concealed in referenced communication have furnished reliable
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Memorandum

J.M. [Signature]

TO : Director, FBI (Bufile- **100-200845**)

DATE: **4/7/72**

FROM : SAC, **NEW YORK (100-83801)**

SUBJECT: **PETER SEEGER
SM-C**

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The following is a brief summary of the most recent subversive activity on the part of the subject, together with the source of the information. It is believed this qualifies subject for Category IV of the ADEX.

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On 2/8/72, [redacted] who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised that the subject was a proposed guest to the CPUSA National Convention, to be held 2/18-21/72, at NYC. It was, known whether subject actually attended.

On 3/9/72, [redacted] who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised that SEEGER entertained at the 35th Anniversary dinner of the VALB, held on 2/25/72, at NY, NY.

The next report on SEEGER will be submitted by 4/30/72.

ADDENDUM : Place in ADEX 3 since
LTS subject has manifested a revolutionary ideology by his regular associations with CPUSA - affiliated groups as late as 2/72. Submit next report 4/21/73. Set appropriate tickler.



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SUBJECT: TRAVEL TO NORTH VIETNAM; PETE SEEGER

1. WELL-KNOWN FOLK SINGER PETE SEEGER, WIFE AND 17 YEAR OLD DAUGHTER ARRIVED IN VIENTIANE FROM HANOI 22 MARCH ON ICC FLIGHT. EMBOFF CONTACTED PARTY IN AIRPORT TRANSIT LOUNGE AND ENJOYED AFFABLE 15-MINUTE CONVERSATION WHICH UNFORTUNATELY DEVELOPED NO PW INFORMATION OF INTEREST.

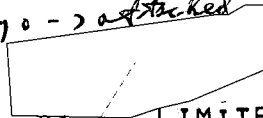
2. SEEGER CLAIMED FAMILY HAD BEEN INVITED AND SPONSORED BY NVN MUSICIANS UNION ON WHAT HE DESCRIBED AS A STRICTLY CULTURAL VISIT. HE STATED THAT HE PERFORMED IN THREE PRIVATE CONCERTS, SPOKE ON THE RADIO THREE TIMES AND ATTENDED 20 CONCERTS BY NVN ARTISTS.

3. AFTER EMBOFF DESCRIBED HIS INTEREST IN FLOW OF MAIL TO AND FROM U.S. PWS BY ONLY CHANNEL NVN HAVE PROVIDED, SEEGER'S INDICATED WHAT APPEARED TO BE GENUINE REGRET THAT THEY HAD NEITHER BROUGHT ANY MAIL IN NOR ASKED TO TAKE SOME OUT. THEY STATED THEIR ONLY CONTACTS WERE WITH MUSICIANS; THEREFORE, SUBJECT OF PRISONERS NEVER AROSE. THEY DID MENTION SEEING OTHER AMERICANS; SEYMOUR HERSH, THE TRADE

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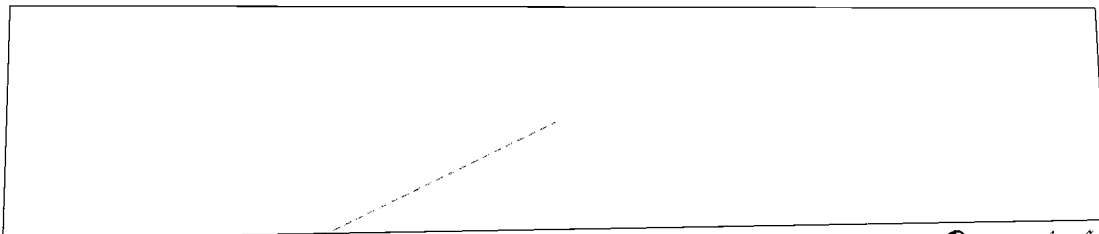
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FROM : Legal Attache, Bonn (105-7501-1164) (RUC)

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From

To

IRWIN SILBER
43 Strong Place
Brooklyn, New York

REINHARD HEINEMANN
PSF 809
1064 Berlin
German Democratic Republic

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Subject acknowledges addressee's letter in great haste as he was leaving in a few hours to fly to Puerto Rico to attend an important conference of the "Independence Movement"(MPIPR). He suggests as the "single most logical person for the Political Song Festival" his dearest friend and comrade, BARBARA DANE, who at the moment "is traveling throughout the Pacific (Japan, Okinawa, Philippines) to perform for GI organizing projects." He also suggests the following for consideration: Rev. FREDERICK DOUGLAS KIRKPATRICK, "a very good black singer and song-writer;" PEPE and FLORA SANCHEZ, "excellent Puerto Rican revolutionary singers;" and, PETE SEEGER (Bufile 100-200845). He will pass addressee's letter to BARBARA (DANE) when she returns and "she will probably have additional suggestions"

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Subject further indicates he would be very much interested in participating "in this meeting also." Although not a singer, he states he has written extensively both about political song and the role of the political artist in general. BARBARA (DANE) and he have recently organized Paredon Records as a non-commercial, political record label (catalog enclosed) and also have edited together The Vietnam Songbook. He states "if the meeting will have place (as it should, I think) for theoretical and practical discussion, I think I would have a very useful contribution to make."

In conclusion, subject suggests that addressee correspond further with him at his home address since he does all his work from there and only goes to the "GUARDIAN" (Bufile 100-357044) once or twice a week.

Referenced Bonn letter enclosed a copy of a letter from PETER SEEGER to addressee REINHARD HEINEMAN suggesting that the latter contact subject which he has done, as indicated above.

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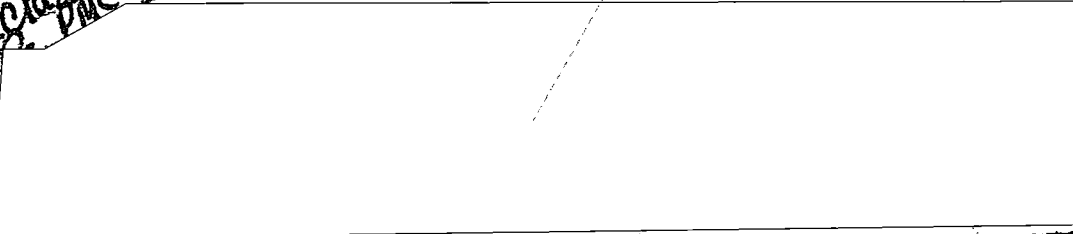
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From	To
PETE SEEGER Box 431 Beacon, N.Y. 12508	REINHARD HEINEMAN 1064 Berlin (East Berlin) PSF 809 DDR E. Ger.

Subject regrets that he "cannot make it" and indicates that "other U. S. singers would like to come." He urges addressee to immediately contact "Sing Out," 33 W. 60, New York City," and also especially IRWIN SILBER, The Guardian, 32 W. 22 Street, New York City.

"The Guardian" is the subject of Bufile 100-357044.

Bonn files are negative regarding the addressee, REINHARD HEINEMAN. His address is a post office box located in East Berlin.

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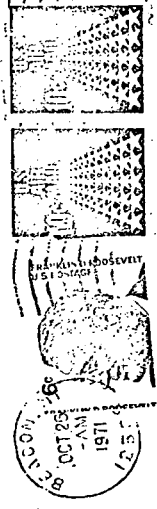
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Dear Richard -

Sorry - I cannot make
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you immediately contact Surg Out
(33 w 60 NYC) also ^{especially} Twin Sites,
The Guardian 32 w 22 St. N.Y.C.

Regards to all
Mary Friede 和!
Pete

TOSHI & PETER SEEGER

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