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H. Q.

PROVINCE ONTARIO

S. & I. "B" Branch DATE February 16, 1960

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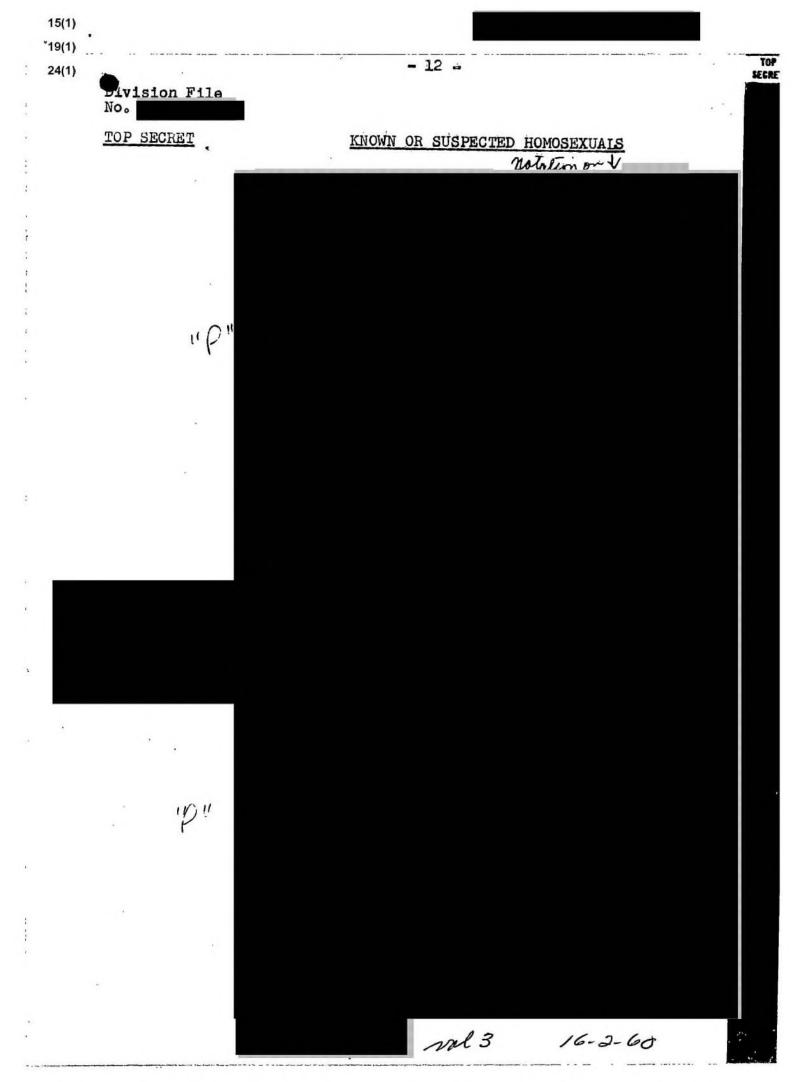
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On February 9th, 1960 was interviewed writer in an effort to obtain any knowledge he might and homosexuals employed by the Government in general. He was somewhat reluctant at the beginning, but after seriously considering the reasons for our interest, agreed to assist in any way possible. He was extremely co-operative and provided the names of approximately 70 individuals whom he felt were homosexuals. He emphasized the fact that he has never had homosexual relations with any of these persons (he claims he prefers young men) but is aware they are homosexuals because he is on very friendly terms with them and has discussed the problem with them. In some cases In some cases he has been informed of one individual's homosexuality by another homosexual, but in all cases where he makes a definite statement there is no doubt whatsoever. In all other cases the reasons for his suspicions are It is believed that he was completely honest in his assessment of the individuals whose names he has provided and there is no reason to doubt or question any of the information supplied by him.

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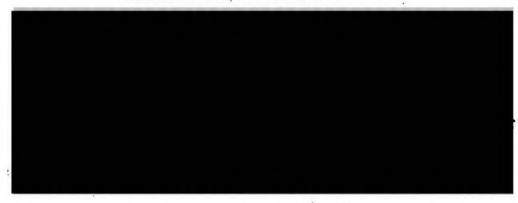


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those persons mentioned in paragraph two above are homosexuals. As noted, however, he has no definite evidence to substantiate his belief concerning those persons mentioned in paragraph three. He wished to stress that he was basing this belief on his being acquainted with them and through this having observed their mannerisms, interests etc. He however attempted to explain that one homosexual has a form of sixth sense which enables him to spot another homosexual and therefore believes that his suspicions are probably correct.

- was asked to give this matter further thought and should anything of value come to mind to advise the writer immediately. He agreed to do this but added that he would prefer not to use the mail to relay any further information and wished to continue dealing with someone who understood the homosexual's problem. Incidentally we have found that most of the homosexuals we have dealt with, are extremely sensitive and in most cases have to be dealt with in a sympathetic manner.
- on February 15th, 1960 the attached letter was received from at the writer's home. It is believed that the letter H in this letter is an abbreviation for homosexual and C an abbreviation for Communist. Paragraph two of this letter is of particular importance. It is the writer's intention to reply at once by registered letter offering him the following alternatives to communicate this information.
  - (a) Reply direct to the writer by registered mail.
  - (b) Agree to an interview with Insp. JONES, officer in charge Vancouver S. & I.

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(c) Prepare a sealed letter containing all detailed information to be picked up by a member of our Vancouver office and forwarded to the writer with our official mail.

(R.A. ROBERTSON),#14601.

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