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CORRELATION SUMMARY

Main File No: 100-390666

Date: 1-30-56

Also see: 94-38954
25-267851

Date Searched: 11/2/54

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Subject: Abraham ⁰Feinberg, was

Found As: Abraham ~~X~~Feinberg
Abraham ~~X~~Fineberg .

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Abe ~~X~~Fineberg

SUMMARY

Also Searched As: No other search made.

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 above. No attempt has been made to exhaust all possibilities as to the names and aliases by which the subject may have been known. All references under the above names containing data identical or possibly identical with the subject have been included except those listed at the end of this summary as not having been reviewed. The term "SI" preceding a serial number shown in the block indicates that the serial so designated contains the same information as the foregoing serial. However it should be realized that the information in these serials may differ somewhat in detail although the facts are basically the same.

This summary is designed to furnish a synopsis of the information set out in each reference. Except where stated otherwise the original serial will contain the information in much more detail.

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BIOGRAPHICAL DATA

Name: Abraham ~~Feinberg~~, was.

~~Abraham Fineburg*~~
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Date of Birth: 3/7/08

Place of Birth: New York City

Height: 6' 3"

Weight: 200 lbs.

Eyes: Brown

Complexion: Dark

Scars: Series of scars on right knee.

Marital Status: Married Lillian Marion Feinberg on 9/3/29
at Hoboken, New Jersey

Son:

Daughter:

Father: Jacob Feinberg

Mother: Eva Wollin Feinberg

Sister: Belle Feinberg

Brother: Wilfred Feinberg

Education: Attended City College of New York for two years.

Fordham University Law School three years.

Masters course at New York University Law School
for one year.

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Addresses: 1945 12 Ellwood Ave.,
Mt. Vernon, N.Y.

Unknown date 35 Elmsmere Road
to 1954 Mt. Vernon, N.Y.

Business 350 Fifth Avenue,
address NYC

Employment: (approx. dates)

1938 - 1943 Executive Director of Jac Feinberg
& Sons, Inc., NYC

1943 - 1944 Production expert at Grove Nylon
Co., 150 East Grove St.,
Dunmore, Pa.

1944 (date General manager of Jac Feinberg
unknown) & Sons, Inc., 350 Fifth Ave., NYC

1952 Vice-President of Hamilton
Hosiery Mills, Inc., 350 Fifth
Ave., NYC

date unknown Secretary of Wolin - Feinberg
Hosiery Co., 350 Fifth Ave.,
NYC

" Secretary and treasurer of Judith
Hosiery Co., 350 Fifth Ave., NYC

" President of Nocturne Hosiery Co.,
350 Fifth Ave., NYC

" President of Americans for Haganah,
Inc., NYC

" President of Israel Speaks, Inc.,
NYC

" Chairman of a Democratic Committee
in NYC

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After the creation of the State of Israel in 1948, Feinberg was in frequent contact with officials of the Israeli Government in the U.S.

David Wahl was a frequent contact of Feinberg. Wahl was Executive Director of Israel Speaks, Inc., publishers of the publication, "Israel Speaks." Feinberg was president of this organization. Wahl was described by a former member of the CP in Washington, D.C. as a leader of the underground CP in Washington and was sent from NYC in 1937 by the Central Executive Committee of the CP to do special work.

Feinberg was known to have had personal interviews with President Truman on various occasions from January 26, 1949 to 1952. Feinberg was known to have been in touch with many other U.S. Government and former Government officials.

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A letterhead of the Americans of Haganah, Inc., NYC, in the possession of the NY Office in 1947, revealed that the Executive Committee of Americans for Haganah included Abraham Feinberg, President of this organization.

NY Memo, 11/1/47
Re: Americans for Haganah,
Inc., 38 West 69th St., NYC
Registration Act
97-2866-4
(4)✓

An investigation revealed that the person residing at 35 Elmsmere Road, Mt. Vernon, New York was one Abraham Feinberg.

David Wahl, (suspected of Communist underground activities in Washington, D.C.) contacted one Dr. Emmanuel Newman. Newman told Wahl "Abe Feinberg mentioned your name".
(C-484, 7/16/47)

NY Rpt., 2/21/50
Re: Owen Lattimore
Espionage-R
100-24628-152
(5, 18)✓
SI to par. 1 above
100-24628-693
(5, 18)✓

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On 8/6/47 Emanuel Newman, of NYC, contacted Dave Wahl. They discussed a temporary arrangement (not identified) to be made for two or three months. Newman said he had just discussed this with one Feinberg and "they" were willing to accept a temporary arrangement. Newman said Wahl might see Feinberg the next day.

On the above date, Wahl contacted one Sherman and said that he had just heard from Abe Feinberg to the effect that Wahl would get an OK from Newman. Sherman said that Feinberg asked Wahl to come up to NYC the next day or Friday. Wahl said that he would see Feinberg on Friday. Sherman said that Feinberg had advised that Bartley Crum would get an OK also and wondered if Wahl would get in touch with Crum to that effect.

Also on the above date Wahl contacted Ella Shait and told her Sherman wanted him (Wahl) to see Feinberg on Friday.

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On 9/6/47, David Wahl contacted Bartley Crum. In discussing the Hagana bulletin, Wahl stated that he was making arrangements for a record class mailing permit. He further said that one of the important things that he and Abe Feinberg were interested in was that they hoped to counteract with it, some of the propaganda that might come along around election time from the "Z.O.A." people.



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The 9/10/47 issue of the "Daily Worker" contained an article captioned "Rallies Protest Terror Against 'Exodus' Jews". This article stated that hundreds gathered in New York's garment district on 9/9/47 to condemn British persecution of the Exodus refugees. This rally urged President Truman to intercede for the Exodus refugees.

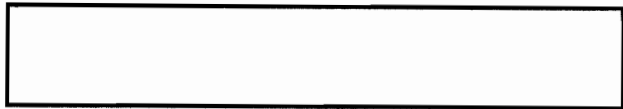
The above article stated that in a release to the press, Abraham Feinberg stated that "Hitler's ghost was surely laughing."

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(7)✓ "DW" 9/10/47

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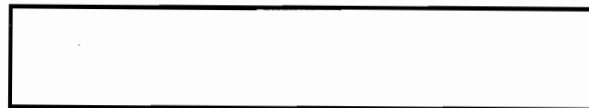
On 9/11/47, David Wahl contacted Ella Shalit. Shalit inquired about a meeting. Wahl said the gentlemen was very unhappy about Wahl's situation and wanted Wahl and one Lipsky to get together that day. Lipsky had called Wahl and said he was unhappy about some arrangement and felt that Wahl could not do both things. Wahl said as a compromise he would go on leave until the session. Wahl said the only person he had spoken to there was Abe Feinberg who wanted to ask Lipsky to let him, Feinberg, talk to him and put off the answer. Wahl told Shalit that it was his decision and the decision must be made on whether he works in Washington or New York.



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On 9/23/47, David Wahl called Wynn Nathanson. They discussed some organization. Nathanson said that Abe Feinberg told him it would have to be under the American wing of the agency but run by a special committee of which a majority would be people like one Shertok, and others and it would not be dominated by the others.

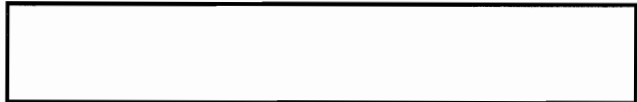


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On 10/24/47, David Wahl and Wynn Nathanson in a conversation discussed Wahl's resignation. Wahl said that Louis Lipsky did not want to go to the Chicago conference with the knowledge that Wahl had resigned. Nathanson was to talk to Abe Fineberg about this. Nathanson was to contact Fineberg on Monday.



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This reference was a Bureau memo dated 11/5/48, which set out a log of a call over [redacted] on 11/4/48, between Abe Feinberg and David Wahl. This conversation concerned something that had happened in Paris. Wahl stated that there was a good article coming out in the "Herald Tribune" from one Rogers. Individuals mentioned in this log was the President of the U.S., one Alijah, Louis Johnson, Clark Clifford, one Dave and one Aubrey.

Bureau agent advised that the article appearing on the front page of the "Herald Tribune" was entitled, "US Council for Sanctions Against Israel", by John G. Rogers of the Herald Tribune Bureau, Paris, France.

Serial described above

101-2261-41

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On 11/5/48, Abe Feinberg discussed with David Wahl his, (Feinberg's) coming to Washington on 11/6/48. Feinberg said that he had talked to one Max and Arthur Loring. Loring wanted to know what could be done short of firing people on 11/6/48. Wahl asked Feinberg what he meant and Feinberg answered firing of certain men in Paris. Feinberg said that he was prepared to do that on 11/6/48.

[REDACTED]

Bureau Memo, 11/6/48
Re: David Wahl
IS-R
101-2261-43
(18) ✓

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Abe Feinberg called David Wahl, stating that the condemnatory resolution in Chicago had been thrown out and a better one supplemented. Feinberg further stated that this resolution was to be put before the people, possible because of a cable received from Kaplan (phonetic), ordering them to use the most conciliatory methods "with us". Feinberg stated that the visit the day before began to pay off and he got a call from Clark Clifford, who read off the resolution, which was going before the Security Council the next day. Feinberg further said that one Max was with him when he received the call from Clifford.

Log. set out in file
[REDACTED] 11/7/48)

Bureau Memo, 11/7/48
Re: David R. Wahl
IS-R
101-2261-39
(18) ✓

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On 11/23/48, Abe Feinberg visited the White House with Clark Clifford. Feinberg indicated that he saw the "Big Man" and they were working on a resolution they desired the President to make. Feinberg also advised that no definite answer was given regarding the President's appearance at "the dinner".

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NY teletype, 11/23/48
Re: David Wahl
IS-C
101-2261-47
(19) ✓

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] on 1/12/49, revealed that one Abe Feinberg was in touch with Elishu Epstein, Israeli representative, concerning the appointment of a U.S. representative on the U.N. Palestine Commission. Abe Feinberg was not identified during the course of this conversation.

~~One~~ Abraham Feinberg in the fall of 1947 was listed in the letterhead of stationery utilized by the organization, "Americans for Haganah, Inc.", as president of this group.

On 7/22/48, the "New York Times" carried an article captioned, "Neumann Scores New Jewish Group" in which it was stated that a group was being formed to be known as "Americans United for Israel." Among a committee forming this new group was Abraham Feinberg who previously had been president of "Americans for Haganah, Inc."

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Bureau Memo, 2/7/49

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On 1/25/49, Meyer Weisgal told one Epstein he was meeting Abe Feinberg at one o'clock. Epstein told Weisgal to suggest to Feinberg to come to Washington with Weisgal and discuss a certain matter that had come up.

On the above date Epstein contacted Feinberg in NYC and asked him if he had heard the story. Feinberg said he had but didn't understand. Feinberg was to come to Washington.

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On the above date Epstein contacted David Niles and stated that Feinberg and Weisgal had made a mess of a matter regarding something Truman was to sign. Feinberg was to meet Epstein at the mission at 6:00 PM.



97-2171-157

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Israel Speaks, Inc. was founded as a membership organization chartered under the New York State Membership Laws in February 1949. Abraham Feinberg was the president.



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NY Rpt., 4/17/50
Re: Israel Speaks, Inc.,
formerly known as Americans
for Haganah, Inc.
Registration Act

97-2866-69

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On 2/1/49, the Bureau advised the Seattle Office by teletype that a group using the name of Foundry Associates, Inc., was engaged in securing ammunition, arms, aircraft, etc. for exportation. Irving Schindler, Abe Levin, William Schwimmer, Abe Fineberg or Fineman and others were some of the most active members of the group.

Serial described above

2-875-780

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Abe Feinberg, David Wahl and Lou Weintraub were to leave at noon on 3/29/49, from Idlewild Airport for Paris, France and Israel via President Weizman's private plane. They were to be gone eight days. Weizman was the president of Israel.

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NY teletype, 3/28/49

Re: David R. Wahl

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101-2261-68

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SI 101-2261-69

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On 4/15/49 one Elath told one Heyd to invite Abe
Feinberg to some affair (not identified) the following week.

The Weizman banquet was to be held on 4/24/49. This
was believed to be the above mentioned affair.



97-2171-210X2, p. 1
(17) ✓

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On 4/19/49, an unidentified woman from NY asked one
Heyd if Louis Johnson (Secretary of Defense) had accepted the
invitation to attend one Weizmann's banquet. Unidentified
woman said she wanted to know so that Abe Feinberg could send
Johnson a telegram.



97-2171-210X1, p. 1
(17) ✓

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This reference set out [redacted]

[redacted] These [redacted] undoubtedly referred to the prosecution of Adolf Schouinamer and Irving Schindler who were involved in an illegal attempt to transport airplanes from the U.S. to Israel at the time Israel was at war with the Arab countries. The Abe mentioned therein was probably Abraham Feinberg, NYC, who was known to be of considerable assistance to the Embassy of Israel in the U.S. by virtue of his contacts in U.S. Government circles.

[redacted]

WFO Memo. 11/17/49

[redacted]

IS-Israeli
105-10828-36
(8) ✓

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On 5/31/49, Mary Paull made a reservation with American Airlines in the name of Abe Feinberg on flight 402, leaving Washington, D.C. at 7:37 PM, to NY.

[redacted]

97-2171-208X5, p. 2
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On 9/9/52, the Louisville Office furnished copies of translation of Hebrew documents furnished that office by [redacted]. One of the documents was information which recounted the maneuvers of the Hebrews during the first year of their national existence. This date extended to 6/17/49. This document dealt primarily with the machinations involving approaches on the part of the Hebrews directly to Mr. Truman through a man by the name of Abraham Feinberg who interviewed Truman several times. One time was to request Truman to replace a Mr. Ethridge with a strong man for the negotiations between the Hebrews and Arabs.

Louisville Memo. 9/9/52

[redacted]
IS-IS, enclosing above documents
105-13545-148, encl. p. 136
(8) ✓

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On 8/1/49, Abe Feinberg, from NY contacted one Elath. Feinberg said that he had an appointment at 12:15 PM on 8/2/49 with the "boss" (Truman) and wanted to make sure he saw Elath first. Elath told Feinberg to drop into the Embassy on the morning of 8/2/49.

[redacted]
97-2171-258, p. 1

(17) ✓

SI 105-10828-78

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During the period of November, 1949 through March, 1950, Aryeh Manor was in contact with individuals at telephone number Mt. Vernon 8-0840.

[redacted]

According to the Westchester Telephone Directory, this number was listed to Abraham Feinberg, 38 Elsmar Road, Mt. Vernon, N.Y.

NY Summary Rpt. 3/28/52

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Espionage - IS
65-59195-54
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David Wahl advised Abe Feinberg that he received a letter from Israel which informed him that Teddy Kollek was leaving his job and was going to Angeb (phonetic), for a while and then was coming to the US.

[redacted] no date given)

NY teletype. 8/15/50

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65-58700-276X
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On 8/19/49, Abraham Feinberg was in contact with both Uriel Heyd and Elishu Elath (Israeli Ambassador). Feinberg advised them that he had received a call from the White House asking whom he wanted as chairman of an Economic Commission, which commission apparently related to exports and affected Israel. Feinberg indicated that the chairman should be non-Jewish and did not want to recommend a man until he was sure that Elath approved. Feinberg suggested Bartley Crum was too closely identified with "us". Elath recommended Frank Buxton, Editor of "The Globe" at Boston, Mass. and Feinberg said he would call the White House and suggest Burton.

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WFO Rpt.. 11/16/49

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105-10828-37
(8)✓

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Reuben Shiloah contacted the home of Abraham Feinberg, Mount Vernon, NY.

([REDACTED] no date given)

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Feinberg was well known in Israeli circles and was connected with the publication "Israel Speaks". He was a close associate of David Wahl. Feinberg was likewise known to have many intimate acquaintances in high positions in the US Government. On many occasions Feinberg has been in contact with officials of the US government in Washington, D.C.

(No source given)

NY rpt., 8/23/49
Re: Reuben Shiloah, was
Espionage - Israeli
65-58621-29
(2)

On 11/28/49, David Wahl was in contact with Abe Feinberg.

NY:rpt., 12/21/49
Re: David R. Wahl
IS-R and Israeli
101-2261-88
(19)

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On the night of 8/27/50, Theodore Kollek, who was connected with the Israeli Foreign Ministry in Israel, went to the residence of Abraham Feinberg, 35 Elsmere Road, Mount Vernon, NY.
(Fisur)

Feinberg was the President of the publication "Israel Speaks" and has been very active in the affairs of Israel in NY and Washington, D.C. (no source given)

The United Jewish Appeal had chartered an airplane through Air France that was scheduled to depart for Israel on 8/31/50. Feinberg had reservations on this plane.

(T-1, of known reliability,
[redacted], employee of
Air France)

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Feinberg was among the passengers who departed on the above mentioned plane from the Idlewild International Airport on 8/31/50. (Fisur)

NY Rpt., 9/18/50

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65-58700-200
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SI to par. 1 above;
65-58700-184
(3)✓
SI to par. 3 above;
105-10332-27 (no source given)
(7)✓
SI to par. 2 above;
65-59184-15 (no source given)
(3)✓

On 9/2/50, David Ralph Wahl and Abraham Feinberg, suspected Communist agents, arrived in Paris, France. They departed for Israel the next day. Wahl and Feinberg were traveling to Israel in connection with the United Jewish Appeal.

(S) [Redacted]
(S) (no evaluation)
(S) 100-23795 [Redacted]
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On 7/13/49, David Wahl told Bartley Crum, former publisher of "New York Star" that he, Wahl, had received a cable from Abe Feinberg in Israel. Feinberg advised that he had talked to Eleazar Kaplan, Minister of Economics and Finance in the State of Israel. Feinberg told Wahl that Kaplan was interested in a deal that he had proposed and Kaplan had instructed Eliahu Elath, Israeli Ambassador to the US to check on this matter in the US. The type of deal was not indicated. [redacted]

On 8/16/49, Wahl advised Feinberg that the people who controlled policy in Israel were very much concerned with public relations and they had discussed with Wahl the expanding of the newspaper. [redacted]

On 7/16/50, Wahl contacted Lou Weintraub, a NY attorney, who was a close associate of Wahl and Feinberg. [redacted]

Wahl received a communication from someone in Israel in which he was told that Ted Kollek was going to lose his job in Israel. Wahl contacted Feinberg and asked if he had heard anything concerning this. Feinberg said that he had heard from Henry Montor of the United Jewish Appeal that Kollek contemplated coming to the US. [redacted]

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On 8/31/50, Wahl and Feinberg were observed to enter an Air France plane at Idlewild Airport, NY. This plane had been chartered by the United Jewish Appeal and was destined for Israel. [redacted]

On 10/27/50, Wahl had a reservation on American Airlines to go to Washington. Wahl contemplated attending the United Jewish Appeal Conference in company of Feinberg. [redacted]

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On 10/31/50, Wahl contacted Feinberg's office regarding Lee Pressman (NY lawyer and former CP member), going to Israel. [redacted]

NY Summary Rpt., 1/30/51
Re: David R. Wahl
IS-R and Israeli
101-2261-123
(20) ✓

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In 1951 in connection with the one hundred fifty million dollar grant bill which the Israeli Government had asked of the US, Abraham Feinberg, President of "Israel Speaks" and Democratic Party leader in NY and close friend of Theodore Kollek, was advised that Kollek had talked with Senator McFarland and Senator Lyndon Johnson. [redacted]

Kollek had been in frequent contact with Feinberg, both in Washington, D.C., and NYC. Kollek had been entertained in the home of Feinberg in NY. Kollek often contacted Feinberg regarding finances relating to "Israel Speaks" and the State of Israel generally. [redacted]

WFO Summary Rpt., 2/14/52
Re: Thoedor H. Kollek, was.
Espionage-IS
105-10332-174, p. 19
(7) ✓

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In 1951, the newspaper "Israel Speaks" ran into financial difficulties and negotiations were undertaken through David Wahl and Abraham Feinberg, President of Israel Speaks, Inc., to have this newspaper subsidized by the Israel Bond Drive. Arrangements were made to have the bond drive subsidize this publication. () and ()

The following marginal notation was on this report: "Do not disseminate".

NY Rpt., 7/25/51

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Espionage-IS
65-58700-640, p. 8, 9, 16
(3)✓

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On 1/3/51, David R. Wahl was leaving NYC for Washington, D.C. He was to stay at the Mayflower Hotel in a suite reserved by Abe Feinberg.

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NY Teletype, 1/3/51
Re: David R. Wahl
IS-R and IS
101-2261-124
(20)✓

On 2/8/51, Rinna Dafni advised that she had received a post card from Harry Beilin (Israeli Consul at Los Angeles, Calif.), written aboard ship, stating that the ship would dock in New York on 2/13/51.

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By teletype dated 2/14/51, the NY office advised that Beilin arrived in NY on that date aboard the "SS La-Guardia" and that he was destined to L. Feinberg, 35 Elmsmere Road, Mt. Vernon, N.Y., the home of Abraham Feinberg. (Source not given)

LA Rpt., 2/22/51

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100-356466-121

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SI 105-14292-4 to par 2 above

(no source)

(8)✓

SI to par 2 above

105-14292-22

(9)✓ (Source: [Redacted])

[Redacted]

NYC)

On 4/24/51, David Wahl was in contact with Teddy Kollek. They discussed a meeting Kollek was to have with David Niles on that date. Wahl informed Kollek that Abe Feinberg had suggested that when Kollek saw Niles it might be well for him to suggest that at the luncheon on the fourth, either Eddie Jacobson or Feinberg should be present. Kollek agreed to discuss this with Niles. Wahl also mentioned there was a letter which Feinberg had gotten from Dave's boss, the President, which letter was to be taken by Feinberg and delivered personally to the President of Israel, in Israel. Wahl indicated he was interested in having the letter released to the press.

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[Redacted]

On 4/26/51, Kollek told Wahl's wife that he had sent a cable to Feinberg to that effect. Feinberg was in Israel at that time.

[Redacted]

NY teletype, 4/28/51
Re: David Wahl
IS-R & IS
101-2261-137
(20)✓

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On 7/13/51, "Israel Speaks", Inc, 250 West 57th St., NYC, contacted Ralph Goldman at 11 East 70th St., NYC, office of the Israeli Consulate, NYC (T-4, of known reliability: [Redacted] NYC).

Abraham Feinberg was President of "Israel Speaks". He was one of the leading proponents of the State of Israel in the U.S. Feinberg went to Israel in August, 1950. One of the purposes of this trip was to set up the Israel Bond Drive in this country.

(No source given)

NY Rpt., 9/7/51

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Registration Act
105-14912-13
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T-1, of known reliability, advised that Theodor Kolley made the following telephone calls:

<u>Date</u>	<u>Individual Called</u>	<u>Telephone No.</u>
12/30/50	Abraham Feinberg 35 Elmsmere Rd., Mt. Vernon, N.Y.	Mt. Vernon 8-0840
1/12/51	"	Mt. Vernon 7-8705
	(Both telephone numbers special non-published numbers)	
3/30/51	Abraham Feinberg 350 - 5th Ave., NYC	Longacres 4-5350

On 8/31/50, Feinberg and thirty-four other American Jewish leaders made a trip to Israel for the purpose of assisting Israel in its economic problems.

(No source given)

T-1: [redacted]
 [redacted] Mayflower Hotel,
 61st. St. and Central Park
 West, NYC
 NY Rpt., 5/16/51
 Re: Theodor H. Kolley, was.
 Espionage - IS
 105-10332-115 p.6,7
 (7) ✓

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As of September, 1951, Abraham Feinberg was one of the directors of the Palestine Economic Corporation.

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NY Rpt., 4/22/52

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Espionage - IS
65-60696-25X
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On 6/2/49, Reuben Shiloah made a telephone call to a Mr. Feinberg, 80840 Mt. Vernon, NY.

(Records of Shoreham Hotel,
Wash., D.C.)

The above person was identified as Abraham Feinberg.

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Feinberg was President of the publication "Israel Speaks" and was a close friend of Theodor Kollek.

[redacted]

Kollek was invited to the home of Feinberg for dinner on 10/14/50.

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On 10/14/50, David Wahl and Shiloah were at the home of Feinberg in Mt. Vernon, N.Y.

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On 9/29/51, Kollek and Shiloah were scheduled to visit with Feinberg at his home in NY where they were expected to remain for dinner.

WFO Summary Rpt., 7/16/52
Re: Reuven Shiloah, wa.
Reuben Shiloah, aka.
Espionage - IS
65-58621-210, p.19, 27, 30
(2) ✓
SI 65-58621-179, p.21, 32, 34
(2) ✓

A mail cover maintained on mail received by David R. Wahl at his place of business, in care of Israel Speaks, 250 West 57th. St., NYC, revealed that on 10/16/51, Abraham Feinberg was in contact with Wahl.

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NY Rpt., 12/7/51
Re: David R. Wahl
IS-R and IS
101-2261-160
(7) (21) ✓

On 11/4/51, David Wahl, publisher of "Israel Speaks", advised Abe Feinberg that he, Wahl was being considered for a quasi-official position with the Israeli government that would deal with German reparations to the Jewish people.

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On the above date, Wahl contacted Ted Kolley and advised Kolley that Feinberg felt that if they wanted to do a job on the problem of German restitution, he felt that the invitation for Wahl to become involved should be made by Nahum Goldman of the Jewish Agency for Palestine.

A marginal notation on this reference was "Do not disseminate".

NY Rpt., 11/20/51

Espionage-IS
65-58700-764
(14) ✓

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Bartley Crum was in touch with David Wahl and from the gist of the conversation it appeared that they were discussing Wahl's efforts to obtain a passport. Crum said that he had a meeting with "the guy" and he was prepared to help. Crum further stated that "the guy" indicated that he has about four favors a year which he asks. He stated that "the guy's" course would take about two weeks and he used Abe's name (possible Feinberg, President of Israel Speaks). Crum said "the guy" thought the first thing to do was to get hold of a guy named Nichols in the FBI and that was the key to the whole thing. (), 11/15/51

A notation on this memo by the Director was as follows:

"We should alert State Dept. of pressure contemplated in behalf of Wahl. H."

Bureau Memo, 11/15/51
Re: David Wahl
IS-R and IS
101-2261-158
(20) ✓

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In the later^t part of 1952, Meir Shalit had been in contact with Abe Feinberg regarding what appears to be the payment of a balance, details of which were not available to [redacted]

Shalit and Feinberg had an appointment for 11/25/52, in Washington, D.C. After lunch they were scheduled to meet with David Lloyd of the White House Executive Staff. [redacted]

WFO Rpt., 1/9/53

[redacted]

Espionage - IS
65-59348-144
(15)

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In 1952, Theodor H. Kollek was in frequent contact with Abraham Feinberg and David K. Niles. Kollek had contacted these two individuals either at Washington, D.C., NYC or Boston, Mass. These contacts appeared to be in connection with finances and the general economic situation of Israel. [redacted]

Feinberg had approached Kollek concerning the extending of an invitation to General Julius Klein (Army officer, Journalist and Public Relations Counsel), to visit Israel. Kollek said that he learned from Feinberg that Klein was en route to Germany from Paris, and that Klein wanted to see one McCloy and one Adenauer. [redacted]

WFO Rpt., 6/25/52
Re: Theodor H. Kollek, was.
Espionage - IS
105-10332-209
(7)

On 1/7/52, David Wahl was in contact with Abe Feinberg. They discussed the possible merger of the publications, "Israel Speaks" and "Jerusalem Post". On this same date Ted Kollek advised Wahl that he had informed one Gershin, publisher of "Jerusalem Post" that they would have to put up \$250,000 if they decided to take over the publication, "Israel Speaks". [redacted]

On 1/21/52, Wahl advised Feinberg that he did not agree to give Gershin an option without putting up money. Wahl also told Feinberg he was contemplating raising money by contributions by means of advertising and that he, Wahl would apply for a tax exemption. Feinberg told Wahl to go ahead with this plan. [redacted]

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NY Rpt., 3/25/52
Re: Israel Speaks, Inc.,
formerly known as Americans
for Haganah, Inc.
Registration Act
97-2866-151
(18)✓

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On 2/10/52, [redacted] furnished a list captioned "Proposed List for Award, 1945-48", which was in the possession of [redacted] in Los Angeles, Calif. This list was [redacted]

[redacted] This list contained the name of Abraham Feinberg, Services and Assistance to Israeli missions.

LA Memo, 3/7/52

[redacted]

IS-IS
65-58700-851
(3)✓

On 1/7/52, Ruhama Saphir, Theodor Kollek's personal secretary at the Israeli Embassy, said that John Adan Waldo, employed by State Department, was scheduled to see Abraham Feinberg in NYC on the morning of 1/12/52. The purpose of the meeting was unknown. Feinberg was to personally advise Waldo where he would see Waldo in NYC.

[redacted]

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On 7/16 and 17, 1952, Waldo was interviewed. He advised that Feinberg, a prominent American Zionist, who was a "political wheel" in the Democratic Party, had been used by the Israelis as a means of influencing United States policy in relation to Israel.

WFO Rpt., 8/21/52

[redacted]

Espionage-IS
65-60952-43
(4)✓

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During the period January, February, and March, 1952, Theodor Kollek was in frequent contact with David Niles and Abraham Feinberg. These meetings were believed to be in connection with the publication "Israel Speaks", inasmuch as in early March 1952, a meeting was held at which Abe Feinberg was to sell "Israel Speaks" to a limited partnership. Feinberg said this arrangement would better absorb any future loss of the publication and nothing else would suffice.

[REDACTED]

WFO Rpt., 4/15/52
Re: Theodor H. Kollek, was.
Espionage-IS
105-10332-188
(7, 22)✓

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A mail cover maintained on mail received by David R. Wahl at his place of business, "Israel Speaks", 250 West 47th St., NYC. revealed that Abraham Feinberg was in contact with Wahl.
(No date given)

NY Rpt., 3/14/52
Re: David R. Wahl
IS-R and IS
101-2261-169
(7, 21)✓

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On 4/8/52, the NY Office advised by telephone that in a conversation which was not recorded, Abe Feinberg referred to his brother, Bill. (Source not given)

A pretext call to Abe Feinberg's office in the Empire State Bldg., NYC inquiring about Bill received the reply that Abe's brother, Wilford Feinberg, was out of town, but that he was a lawyer who maintained an office at 445 Park Avenue, NYC.

Bureau Memo, 4/8/52
Re: David R. Wahl
IS-R and Israeli
101-2261-178
(21)✓

On 4/11/50, Alex Feinberg contacted David Wahl, and they made arrangements to see each other the following day. On this occasion, Wahl and Feinberg discussed the placing of new industry in Israel. Wahl advised Feinberg that he wanted them to get together on the following day with Bartley Crum.

[Redacted]

On 4/22/50, Wahl was again in contact with Abe Feinberg. At that time, Wahl advised Feinberg that he saw Crum the day before. Feinberg stated at that time that he thought they could get into something in the Government.

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[Redacted]

NY Rpt., 6/14/50
Re: David R. Wahl
IS-R and IS
101-2261-96
(6)✓

Correlator's Note: It was believed that the above mentioned Alex Feinberg referred to Abe Feinberg, the subject of this summary.

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Vivian Herzog was in contact with Abraham Feinberg in connection with an appointment with Herzog and Theodor Kollek, the Israeli Minister, and an unidentified individual. The purpose of this meeting was unknown but it was believed that Feinberg was well acquainted with the individual with whom Kollek and Herzog were to meet. Feinberg said that he was changing the date of the appointment in view of Herzog's contemplated visit to Fort Bliss, Texas.

([redacted] 5/5/52)

WFO Rpt., 6/27/52

[redacted]
Espionage-IS
65-59175-165
(3) ✓

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On 4/4/52, Abraham Feinberg was in contact with David Wahl. On that occasion it was indicated that Feinberg's younger brother, Wilfred Feinberg, was a former employee of Judge P. McGranery who had been appointed Attorney General of the U.S. Feinberg surmised that McGranery might want Wilfred Feinberg to move to Washington, D.C. [redacted]

On 5/24/52, Ted Kollek contacted Wahl. Kollek and Wahl would see Feinberg at Feinberg's home, Mt. Vernon, N.Y. that evening. [redacted]

[redacted] made available information dated 1/9/52 concerning Jac Feinberg and Son, Inc. Abraham Feinberg was listed as President and Treasurer of this organization and also as one of the Directors. Jac Feinberg died 6/15/43, and Abraham Feinberg became President and Treasurer.

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T-5, of known reliability, advised that Feinberg had an account at the Irving Trust Co., Empire State Bldg., NYC. T-5 also stated that Feinberg was connected with the Hamilton Sales Co., NYC.

T-5 further advised that Feinberg told him that he was very close to Bob Hannigan, former chairman of the National Democratic Party and former Postmaster General of the US. Feinberg also said that he had access to President Truman.

This reference also contained biographical information on Feinberg taken from Selective Service Hdqrs., Albany, NY. This information was set out in serial 1 of the main file, page 1 and 2.

T-5: [redacted]
[redacted], Irving
Trust Co., NYC
NY Rpt., 6/10/52
Re: David R. Wahl
IS-R and IS
101-2261-185
(7)✓

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On 5/28/52, Meir Shalit advised Abe Feinberg that he would be in NYC on 5/29/52 and he would contact Feinberg on arrival.

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WFO Rpt. 7/31/52
[redacted]
Espionage-1S
65-59348-125
(15)✓

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On 6/21/52, David Wahl contacted an unidentified individual who probably resided in Cleveland, Ohio. On this occasion Wahl explained to this individual that he had talked over the proposition of leaving his position as publisher of "Israel Speaks" with Abe Feinberg. Wahl told this unidentified man that Feinberg advised that it was "O.K." for him, Wahl, to take leave of "Israel Speaks" and take a position with his mother and brother in Cleveland, Ohio.

A marginal notation on this reference was: "Do not disseminate".

NY Rpt., 7/28/52

Espionage-IS
65-58700-984
(15)✓

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[redacted] learned during the early part of August, 1952, that Meir Shalit planned to go to NYC on 8/13/52, at which time he desired to see one Abe, who was believed to be identical with Abe Feinberg of NYC.

Shalit had been in contact with Feinberg with reference to "Israel Speaks". Shalit indicated that he would be in NYC the following week to discuss matters with Feinberg regarding publication.

WFO Rpt., 9/19/52

Espionage-IS
65-59348-132
(15)✓

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On 8/4/52, [] learned from Theodor H. Kollek that he had seen Theodore Tennenwald, Assistant to Averill Harriman, Head of the Mutual Security Agency, and had learned from Tennenwald that he, Tennenwald was forced to use some very blunt language with some of Kollek's colleagues. Tennenwald indicated that if it had not been for Kollek and Abraham Feinberg, Feinberg was apparently at some meeting with Tennenwald, he would not have been as polite as he was.

WFO Rpt., 9/4/52
Re: Theodor H. Kollek, was.
Espionage - IS
105-10332-230
(7) ✓

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In February 1951, Harry Bielin, who was to assume the position of Counselor General at the Israeli Consulate in LA., Calif., was residing at the home of Abe Feinberg.
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On 4/3/51 Feinberg was in contact with David Wahl and told him that he, Wahl, and Harry Zinder, Press Information Officer at the Israel Consulate, NYC, were to see Rudolph Sonnenborn, founder of "Material for Israel", on the following day. Also Feinberg and Wahl were to go to St. Albans Naval Hospital to see Major General William E. Reily, UN Chief of Staff in Palestine.
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Wahl informed Gidion Rafael that he and Feinberg visited General Riely at St. Albans.
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On 6/21/51, Wahl invited Feinberg and wife to dinner at Wahl's home. [redacted]

On 6/21/52, Feinberg agreed that it was all right for Wahl to sever his connections with the publication "Israel Speaks". [redacted]

On 8/12/52, Feinberg, Wahl and Abe Harmon were to discuss "Israel Speaks" at the Israel Consulate. [redacted]

NY Summary Rpt., 2/19/53
Re: David R. Wahl
IS-R and IS
101-2261-208
(21) ✓

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On 8/20/52, Theodor H. Kollek made a telephone call from the Mayflower Hotel, NYC, to Lo 4-5350.

(T-1 of known reliability;
[redacted],
Mayflower Hotel, NYC)

The subscriber of the above telephone was Abraham Feinberg. [redacted]

NY Rpt., 11/13/52
Re: Theodor H. Kollek, was.
Espionage - IS
105-10332-239
(7) ✓

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On 5/30/52, David Wahl was in contact with Abe Feinberg and others regarding the publication of "Israel Speaks".

Feinberg agreed that it was all right for Wahl to sever his connections with "Israel Speaks".

On 7/2/52, Wahl was in contact with Ted Kollek and told Kollek that Feinberg was in Israel at that time.

On 8/12/52, Wahl, Feinberg and Abe Harmon were to discuss "Israel Speaks" at the Israeli Consulate.

On 8/29/52, Wahl advised his wife that he was going to have a meeting that day with Feinberg and Ralph Goldman and the meeting concerned "Israel Speaks".

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NY.Rpt., 9/18/52
Re: David R. Wahl
IS-R and IS
101-2261-197
(21) ✓
SI to par. 5 above
105-14912-63
(9) ✓

On 7/24/52, Meir Shalit, First Secretary of the Israeli Embassy, Washington, D.C., was in contact with David Wahl, publisher of "Israel Speaks". They mentioned the fact that Shalit and Abraham Feinberg discussed the amount of money needed by Wahl. [redacted]

Shalit was also in contact with Aryeh Manor on the above date. At that time Manor indicated that he had been in contact with Wahl and one Abraham, possibly identical with Abraham Feinberg. All parties agreed to give Wahl a check believed to be for \$4,000.00 for "Israel Speaks". [redacted]

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On 9/10/52, Shalit was in contact with Feinberg and they discussed a proposed accounting that Shalit was to have with Feinberg in the future. [redacted]

NY Rpt., 11/20/52
Re: Israel Speaks, Inc.,
formerly known as Americans
for Haganah, Inc.
Registration Act
97-2866-184
(4)

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Abraham Feinberg, prominent member of the NY Democratic Party was president of Israel Speaks, Inc. He has been the recipient of the letters from the Department of Justice with regard to the registration of Israel Speaks, Inc. (No source given, no date given)

Bureau Memo, 9/29/52
Re: Israel Speaks, Inc.,
formerly known as Americans
for Haganah, Inc.
Registration Act
97-2866-172
(5) ✓

On 9/10/52, Abraham Feinberg and Meir Shalit expressed mutual regret at having been unable to get together on the preceding day. Shalit indicated he wanted to go over the "accounting" with Feinberg. Shalit expressed the desire that he, Feinberg, and Aryeh Manor (of the Israeli Government) get together and go through the whole accounting process. They agreed to a meeting in Washington on 9/16/52.

Later on the above date, Feinberg advised Shalit he would meet him at the Mayflower Hotel at 1:30 PM. Subsequently, on this same date, Feinberg advised Shalit they had been slightly off in one phase of their discussion, particularly with reference to the "150" for the general work. Shalit said he would cable his government. It was believed that these contacts related to the transfer of control of "Israel Speaks" from Feinberg to Ralph Goldman, formerly Executive Officer of the Israeli Consulate in NYC.

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On 10/2/52, Shalit advised Feinberg that he had received a cable from Israeli Ambassador Abba Eban, to the effect that neither he nor Feinberg should expect Teddy Kollek as Kollek had no plans for coming to the U.S.

[REDACTED]

WFO Rpt., 11/17/52

[REDACTED]

Espionage-IS

65-59348-142

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On 10/2/52, [REDACTED] learned that Meir Shalit had advised Lt. Colonel Yehuda Coiladi, Assistant Air Attache, that Teddy Kollek was not coming to the US, and that this information had been confirmed by Ambassador Abba Eban. Shalit furnished this information to Abe Feinberg.

A marginal notation on this reference was: "Do not disseminate".

WFO rpt., 10/15/52

[REDACTED]

Espionage-IS

65-58700-1057

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The 11/7/52 issue of "Israel Speaks" contained an article captioned "Ralph Goldman to Succeed David Wahl as Publisher". This article stated that Abraham Feinberg, President of Israel Speaks, Inc., announced the appointment of Ralph I. Goldman as publisher of "Israel Speaks, to succeed David R. Wahl, who had resigned.

97-2866-A
(4)✓ "Israel Speaks", 11/7/52
SI 65-61671-8
(4)✓
SI 105-14912-71
(9)✓

In 1953, Abraham Feinberg was known to have been in frequent contact with members of the Israeli Embassy. He was also acquainted with Theodore Tannenwald, employed by the Israelis in connection with US aid to Israel and Harvey Spear, Tax Attorney at the US Department of Justice.

[redacted]

Meir Shalit, First Secretary of the Israeli Embassy said that he was preparing a report for Spear and that Abe Feinberg was also interested in the same report.

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([redacted] no date given)

A marginal notation on this reference was: "Do not disseminate".

WFO Rpt. 11/18/53

[redacted]

Espionage-IS
65-58700-1328
(3)✓(15)✓

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On 1/8/53, Ambassador Eban was contacted by Abe Feinberg. Eban indicated that he had seen the fellow he had contacted the other day and had been given assurances that "they would change their intention to give arms to our southern neighbor and that it had been actuated by commercial rather than political wisdom." Eban indicated that he had also met with Feinberg's friend the preceding day regarding this matter. Feinberg suggested that "one of us" should contact the young fellow whom they had met at dinner as this would be his first assignment. Eban said that the appointment of the new Under Secretary of State, General Walter Bedell Smith, was favorable.

[redacted]
WFO Memo. 1/14/53

[redacted]
IS-IS
105-10828-272
(22)✓

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In early February, 1953, Estelle May Friedrichs made efforts to obtain the address and phone number of Abraham Feinberg, 350 5th Ave., NYC, Lo-4-5350.

[redacted]
WFO Rpt. 4/16/53

[redacted]
aka. Espionage - R
100-385029-219
(6)✓

Theodor H. Kollek was scheduled to see Abraham Feinberg at the Mayflower Hotel for a few minutes prior to Feinberg's departure by plane for New York.

([redacted]), 2/26/53)

On the above date, Kollek was observed entering the lobby of the Mayflower Hotel at 11:05 AM where he met an individual who was identical with Abraham Feinberg. They talked for a few minutes and Kollek was observed to depart from the hotel.
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On 3/4/53 Kollek told Feinberg he was having a little trouble in Washington. Feinberg asked if Kollek had seen a "Mr. Reb." Feinberg thought Reb could be helpful. Killek said that he would like to see Feinberg before March 9 or 10, 1953.

WFO rpt., 4/2/53

Re: Theodor H. Kollek, was.

Espionage-IS

105-10332-275

(8) ✓

SI to par. 3 above

105-10332-262

(8) ✓

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T-2, of known reliability advised that Theodor H. Kollek contacted Abraham Feinberg, 350 Fifth Avenue, NYC, telephone # LO 4-5350, on March 16 and 17, 1953, prior to his departure to Israel.

T-2: [redacted]

[redacted] Mayflower Hotel, NYC.

NY Rpt., 4/1/53

Re: Theodor H. Kollek, was.

Espionage-IS

105-10332-276

(8) ✓

Meir Shalit was at the Senate Office Bldg. and was to meet Abe Feinberg. ([redacted], 5/20/53)

On 6/8/53, Shalit said that he had been in contact with Feinberg regarding some inquiries from Joel Wolfsohn, who was formerly connected with the Interior Department and that he had directed Wolfsohn to make inquiries of Feinberg. ([redacted])

In June 1953, Shalit was in NYC and Feinberg wanted to contact him. ([redacted])

WFO Rpt., 7/20/53

[redacted]
65-59348-173

(15) ✓

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On 9/24/53, Samuel Perlman was in contact with Ralph Irving Goldman (who was closely associated with Irwin D. Lester in supervising investigations for the Israeli cause in NYC in 1948). Goldman requested Perlman to deliver a letter to Abe Feinberg's office at the Hamilton Hosiery Co., at the Empire State Bldg., NYC. ([redacted])

NY Rpt., 3/16/54

Re: Samuel Perlman

IS Act of 1950

Espionage - IS

100-357589-7

(18) ✓

Theodor H. Kollek was to see Abraham Feinberg at the home of Theodore Tannenwald on 10/2/53, at Scarsdale, NY. Kollek said that Feinberg was acquainted with Harvey Spear, an attorney in the Tax Division of the Dept. of Justice, whom Kollek had previously contacted. [redacted]

WFO Rpt., 12/10/53
Re: Theodor H. Kollek, was.
Espionage - IS
105-10332-312
(8)✓

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Harvey Milton Spear, Tax Attorney in the U.S. Department of Justice, was acquainted with Abraham Feinberg. Spear was possible acquainted with Reuven Shiloah (Minister Plenipotentiary at Washington, D.C.), inasmuch as on 10/1/53, Spear said that he had a message for Shiloah from Feinberg and that a meeting which had been scheduled at Feinberg's home had been cancelled. [redacted]

On 11/10/53, the above information was furnished to Robert Culter, Special Assistant to the President.

Additional information furnished to the above Assistant to the President was that on 10/15/53, Feinberg was told by Meir Shalit that the latter had given "Harvey" what Feinberg wanted. Feinberg stated that he "got the information into the hands of everyone except the chairman of the Party."
(no source given)

WFO Rpt., 10/15/53

[redacted]
Espionage - IS
65-58700-1322
(3)✓

SI to par 3 above
105-10332-306 [redacted]
(8)✓

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From August 15, 1952 to November 1953, Vivian Herzog saw Abraham Feinberg on a number of occasions. The purpose of these contacts was not known.

[REDACTED]

WFO Rpt. 11/5/53

[REDACTED]

Espionage-1S
65-59175-185
(3) ✓

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Meir Shalit was to be present on 12/21/53, at the apartment of Barney Balaban in NYC at the Hampshire House in Central Park South. Abraham Feinberg was to be in attendance at this apartment.

[REDACTED]

WFO Rpt. 1/27/54

[REDACTED]

Espionage-1S
65-59348-189
(4) ✓

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The 1953-54 Manhattan Telephone Directory listed Abraham Feinberg, Hosiery, 350 Fifth Ave., Lo 4-5350.

The files of the NY Office revealed that Feinberg was President of Americans for Haganah, Inc. He was later President of "Israel Speaks, Inc."

Feinberg was a Democratic Party leader in NYC and was a close friend of the Israeli Embassy. He was reported to have business interests in Israeli. His contacts in Washington included former President Truman and Max Lowenthal. He was closely associated with David Wahl and Theodore Kollek, Israeli Espionage agent. Feinberg, Kollek, Wahl, and David K. Niles were known to one another.

Feinberg was possibly known to the Director, as indicated by a letter to his son, [redacted], in 1948 forwarding an autographed photograph.

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NY Memo 8/3/52

[redacted]
aka., Espionage-R
100-385029-251
(6)✓

By letter dated 3/27/52, addressed to Israel Speaks, Inc., 250 West 57th St., NYC, from William E. Foley, Chief, Foreign Agents Registration Section, Dept. of Justice, Wash., D.C., this corporation was directed to register with the Dept. of Justice under the terms of the Foreign Registration Act of 1938. This letter was sent to Abraham Feinberg.
(Source not stated)

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Israel Speaks, Inc. was formed in February 1949.
Abraham Feinberg was president. (no source given)

The 2/19/54 issue of "Israel Speaks" revealed that
Abraham Feinberg was president of Israel Speaks, Inc., NYC

NY prosecutive summary.
Rpt., 3/19/54
Re: Israel Speaks, Inc.
formerly known as Americans
for Haganah, Inc.
Registration Act
97-2866-213
(5)✓

In July 1954, Reuven Shiloah was to see Abraham
Feinberg in NYC in connection with something Feinberg was to
discuss later with Theodor Kollek. Feinberg expected to
leave for Israel via Paris, France on 7/27/54.

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[REDACTED]

WFO Rpt., 8/19/54

[REDACTED]

Espionage - IS
65-58700-1547
(3)✓

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Reuven Shiloah traveled to NYC and while there was in contact with Abraham Feinberg. ([redacted], no date given)

A marginal notation on this reference was: "Do not disseminate".

WFO Rpt. 7/20/54

[redacted]

Espionage-IS
65-58700-1515
(3) ✓

In the first week of September, 1954, Abraham Feinberg made arrangements to meet Reuven Shiloah at the Mayflower Hotel, where Feinberg made his headquarters while in Washington, D.C. [redacted]

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A marginal notation on this reference was: "Do not disseminate".

WFO Rpt. 9/20/54

[redacted]

Espionage-IS
65-58700-1567
(3) ✓

On 9/26 and 10/6/54, Reuven Shiloah, ~~is~~ the Israeli Minister, planned to see Abraham Feinberg in NYC. [redacted]

A marginal notation on this reference was: "Do not disseminate".

WFO Rpt. 10/20/54

[redacted]

Espionage-IS
65-58700-1581
(3) ✓

REFERENCES NOT INCLUDED IN THIS SUMMARY

The following references containing administrative data relating to informant coverage have not been reviewed:

<u>REFERENCE</u>	<u>SS PAGE</u>
97-2866-145	(4) ✓
97-2866-146	(5) ✓
97-2866-155	(5) ✓
101-2261-175	(7) ✓
105-10332-271	(8) ✓
105-13545-167	(8) ✓
101-2261-177	(21) ✓
105-10332-77	(21) ✓
100-356466-126	(23) ✓

The following references contain information which is set forth in the corresponding serials of the main file, 25-267851 on Abraham Feinberg:

<u>REFERENCES</u>	<u>SS PAGE</u>	<u>MAIN FILE</u>
46-6960-242	(1) ✓	3
46-6960-227	(12, 23) ✓	1 and 2

The following references which have not been reviewed contain information which has been placed under restricted dissemination:

64-330-345-170
(2) ✓

64-330-345-195
(2) ✓

64-330-345-479
(2) ✓

64-330-345-871
(10) ✓

64-330-345-1026
(12) ✓

64-330-345-1042
(12) ✓

64-330-345-1198
(12) ✓

64-330-345-1-104
(2) ✓

64-330-345-1-246
(12) ✓

64-330-345-1-507
(12) ✓

64-330-345-1-571
(12) ✓

64-330-345-1-771X
(12) ✓

64-330-345-1-771X1
(13) ✓

64-330-345-2-624X
(2) ✓

64-330-345-2-752
(2) ✓

64-330-345-3-X1
(13) ✓

64-330-345-3-69
(2) ✓

64-330-345-5-136
(2) ✓

64-330-345-5-207
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October 7, 1952

MR. A. H. BELMONT

DAVID RALPH WAHL

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ABRAHAM FEINBERG

ISRAEL SPEAKS, INC.

Supervisor Tom Spencer called from New York on October 7, 1952. He stated that Special Assistant to the Attorney General Roy Cohn is calling [redacted] before a Grand Jury in New York in connection with [redacted]

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In this connection, Mr. Nathan Lenuin of the Department is in New York for the purpose of inquiring of [redacted] while before the Grand Jury, as to the [redacted]. This organization is the subject of a Registration Act investigation by the Bureau. Mr. Cohn has pointed out that Abraham Feinberg, the President of "Israel Speaks," has requested a conference with Cohn at 5:30 p.m., October 7. In this regard, Cohn stated that during the 1948 campaign, when the Democratic Party was having "tough going," Feinberg had made a contribution of \$200,000.00 to the Democratic National Committee.

Cohn requested that he be given a summary of information regarding David Wahl. Supervisor Spencer pointed out that the files reflected two summaries--one dated July 28, 1949, and the other dated January 30, 1951. He requested advice as to whether these summaries should be furnished to SAAG Cohn.

Our file reflects that both of these summary reports have been sent to the Department. They are thus available to Cohn and also to Lenuin, who is presently in New York and who probably has already reviewed them.

ACTION:

Mr. Hennrich told Supervisor Spencer to go ahead and make the reports available to Cohn and at the same time point out to Cohn that the information in the reports is confidential.

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TO : MR. TOLSON

DATE: June 8, 1959

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SUBJECT:

Shortly after 3 P.M. George Sokolsky called me from New York expressing interest in any information which we might have regarding Abraham Feinberg, who is currently on the Board of Trustees of Brandeis University in New York and who is quite a luminary in connection with the University's affairs at the present time.

Sokolsky advised that during the days of the McCarthy Committee Abraham Feinberg, he believed, was in the background of the Kaiser stocking company which had a number of communists working for the company and when the McCarthy Committee endeavored to solicit Feinberg's cooperation he refused to turn in any information which would disclose the identity of communists that Feinberg knew either in business or in any phase of interest to the national interest. Sokolsky stated he had mentioned Abraham Feinberg to Roy Cohn, who recalled that the committee had some trouble with an Abraham Feinberg at one time but he did not recall any of the details although he felt that the FBI would have a record on this person.

Sokolsky stated that in view of this individual's prominence at Brandeis University now it might be well to bring this individual's previous record and activities to light. I told Sokolsky that we would be glad to check into the matter to see what there might be that would be of interest and that I, of course, would let him know.

It is recommended the Bureau's files be reviewed by the Special Memoranda Unit of the Domestic Intelligence Division concerning Abraham Feinberg so that consideration can be given to Sokolsky's request.

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1-Mr. J.W. Brown, Room 6125 IB
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TO : MR. A. H. BELMONT *W.H.B.*

DATE: June 11, 1959

FROM : MR. G. H. SCATTERDAY *G.H.S.*

SUBJECT: ABRAHAM FEINBERG

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By memorandum Mr. McGuire to Mr. Tolson 6-8-59 it was recommended that Bufiles be reviewed concerning the captioned individual. Memorandum referred to a call from George Sokolsky, who requested any information available concerning Feinberg whom Sokolsky described as on the Board of Trustees of Brandeis University in New York City. Sokolsky also referred to the dealings of an Abraham Feinberg with the McCarthy Committee wherein Feinberg refused to cooperate with the committee in furnishing information which would disclose the identities of communists known to Feinberg. Sokolsky continued that he believed this Feinberg had been affiliated with the Kaiser Stocking Company, which had a number of communists working for the company.

Summary
Abraham Feinberg, born 3-7-08 in New York City, attended City College of New York, Fordham University and New York University receiving a master's degree in law at the latter institution in 1936. Feinberg has been affiliated with numerous hosiery companies having offices in New York City and presently is listed as Chairman of the Board, Julius Kayser Company. Also listed as President, Board of Trustees, Brandeis University. ("Who's Who" 1958-59)

Feinberg may be recalled by the Director as on 2-2-48 he wrote a personal letter recalling that the Director autographed a program for Feinberg's son, [redacted], at a recent dinner in New York City. Feinberg stated he had misplaced the program and requested another short autographed note. One of the Director's autographed photographs was sent to Feinberg's son on 2-5-48 accompanied by a brief letter.

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Prior to the creation of the Republic of Israel in 1948, Feinberg was active in various Jewish organizations in the United States whose purpose was directed toward establishing an Israeli Republic. In this connection, he was President of Americans for Haganah, Inc., New York City, which published "Haganah Speaks," a bimonthly publication.

After the creation of the State of Israel in 1948, Feinberg was in frequent contact with officials of the Israeli Government in the United States from the Ambassador on down to minor

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RE: ABRAHAM FEINBERG

officials. He was also in contact with visiting dignitaries from the State of Israel. Feinberg was later President of Israel Speaks, Inc., publishers of the bimonthly publication, "Israel Speaks." In 1952, in a letter to Feinberg, Israel Speaks, Inc., was directed by the Foreign Agents Registration Section of the Department of Justice to register under the terms of the Foreign Registration Act of 1938. In his contacts with officials of the Israeli Government in the United States, Feinberg was reported by highly confidential sources to be in contact with individuals known to be active in the Israeli Intelligence Service.

Feinberg is known to have had personal interviews with former President Truman and was a former chairman of a Democratic Party committee in New York City. He was a frequent visitor of David K. Niles, Administrative Assistant to the former President and was reported to have been very close to former Postmaster General and Chairman of the National Democratic Party Bob Hannegan. Feinberg is known to have been in touch with many other United States Government and former Government officials, including former Secretary of Defense Louis Johnson. There is no indication of contacts between Feinberg and officials in the present Administration contained in Bufiles; however, Feinberg reportedly still maintains contact with the Israeli Embassy. (100-390666)

INVOLVEMENT IN BUREAU CASES

Feinberg was the subject of a Selective Service investigation in 1944 and 1945 when it was alleged he had illegally obtained an occupational deferment. Prosecution was declined by the United States Attorney in this matter in view of Feinberg's age and the probability that he would have been legitimately deferred because of his age and family. (25-267851)

In November, 1948, an indictment was returned in Miami, Florida, charging nine individuals with conspiracy to violate the Neutrality Act based on evidence that attempts were made to transport airplanes illegally from the United States to Israel when the latter country was at war with the Arab Nations. Among those indicted were Adolf Schwimmer and Irving Schindler. It was reported that the Israeli Government was fearful that prosecution of Schwimmer and Schindler would result in publicity unfavorable to Israel and recommended that the Israeli Ambassador seek the assistance of Abraham Feinberg to intercede with U.S. Government officials in connection with these cases. Several of the subjects in this case, including Schwimmer, were later found guilty of conspiracy to violate the Neutrality Act and Export Control Laws and were fined. (2-875)

Memorandum to Mr. Belmont
RE: ABRAHAM FEINBERG

Feinberg was very closely associated with David Wahl for a number of years, Wahl having been the Executive Director of Israel Speaks, Inc., in New York City. Wahl formerly investigated under Hatch Act in 1942 and in late 1940's was involved in the Nathan Gregory Silvermaster case wherein information was developed that Wahl was in contact and friendly with several subjects of that case as well as foreign diplomats and persons sympathetic to the communist cause. No information developed, however, which indicated Wahl involved in espionage activities. Wahl became active in affairs of Israel and was investigated due to contacts with Israeli intelligence agents. This investigation closed in October, 1954, because no evidence developed that he was involved in Israeli intelligence. Wahl reportedly left the United States in 1956 and is presently residing in Israel. (101-2261-243,263)

A mail cover revealed that Owen Lattimore received correspondence from 35 Elmsmere Road, Mount Vernon, New York (the address of Abraham Feinberg), once in 1949 and once in April, 1950. (100-390666-1)

REPORTED CONTACT WITH McCARTHY COMMITTEE

No information could be located in Bufiles indicating any contact between Feinberg and the McCarthy Committee or interest in the affairs of the Kayser Company by the Committee. Variations of the name Feinberg were searched for possible reference in the McCarthy hearings file (62-98810) with negative results.

OBSERVATION:

In connection with discussing this matter with Sokolsky and answering his inquiry, it is to be noted that the files do not indicate any membership or association on the part of Feinberg with the Communist Party or any indication of communist activities. Likewise, no indication was found that either Feinberg or the Kayser Company was involved in the McCarthy Committee hearings. The review does indicate that Feinberg has been active in behalf of Israel.

RECOMMENDATION:

That this memorandum be referred to Mr. McGuire for consideration as to what information should be furnished to Sokolsky.

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