

Federal Bureau of Investigation

Washington, D.C. 20535

December 23, 2020

MR. JOHN GREENEWALD JR. SUITE 1203 27305 WEST LIVE OAK ROAD CASTAIC, CA 91384-4520

FOIPA Request No.: 1408080-000

Subject: CARR, OTIS T

#### Dear Mr. Greenewald:

The enclosed documents were reviewed under the Freedom of Information/Privacy Acts (FOIPA), Title 5, United States Code, Section 552/552a. Below you will find check boxes under the appropriate statute headings which indicate the types of exemptions asserted to protect information which is exempt from disclosure. The appropriate exemptions are noted on the enclosed pages next to redacted information. In addition, a deleted page information sheet was inserted to indicate where pages were withheld entirely and identify which exemptions were applied. The checked exemption boxes used to withhold information are further explained in the enclosed Explanation of Exemptions.

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Please refer to the enclosed FBI FOIPA Addendum for additional standard responses applicable to your request. "Part 1" of the Addendum includes standard responses that apply to all requests. "Part 2" includes additional standard responses that apply to all requests for records about yourself or any third party individuals. "Part 3" includes general information about FBI records that you may find useful. Also enclosed is our Explanation of Exemptions.

For questions regarding our determinations, visit the <a href="www.fbi.gov/foia">www.fbi.gov/foia</a> website under "Contact Us."

The FOIPA Request Number listed above has been assigned to your request. Please use this number in all correspondence concerning your request.

If you are not satisfied with the Federal Bureau of Investigation's determination in response to this request, you may administratively appeal by writing to the Director, Office of Information Policy (OIP), United States Department of Justice, 441 G Street, NW, 6th Floor, Washington, D.C. 20530, or you may submit an appeal through OIP's FOIA STAR portal by creating an account following the instructions on OIP's website: <a href="https://www.justice.gov/oip/submit-and-track-request-or-appeal">https://www.justice.gov/oip/submit-and-track-request-or-appeal</a>. Your appeal must be postmarked or electronically transmitted within ninety (90) days of the date of my response to your request. If you submit your appeal by mail, both the letter and the envelope should be clearly marked "Freedom of Information Act Appeal." Please cite the FOIPA Request Number assigned to your request so it may be easily identified.

You may seek dispute resolution services by contacting the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS). The contact information for OGIS is as follows: Office of Government Information Services, National Archives and Records Administration, 8601 Adelphi Road-OGIS, College Park, Maryland 20740-6001, e-mail at <a href="mailto:ogis@nara.gov">ogis@nara.gov</a>; telephone at 202-741-5770; toll free at 1-877-684-6448; or facsimile at 202-741-5769. Alternatively, you may contact the FBI's FOIA Public Liaison by emailing <a href="mailto:foipaquestions@fbi.gov">foipaquestions@fbi.gov</a>. If you submit your dispute resolution correspondence by email, the subject heading should clearly state "Dispute Resolution Services." Please also cite the FOIPA Request Number assigned to your request so it may be easily identified.

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See additional information which follows.

The enclosed documents represent the final release of information responsive to your Freedom of Information/Privacy Acts (FOIPA) request. This material is being provided to you at no charge.

Records which may have been responsive to your request were destroyed. Since this material could not be reviewed, it is not known if it was responsive to your request. Record retention and disposal is carried out under supervision of the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA), Title 44, United States Code, Section 3301 as implemented by Title 36, Code of Federal Regulations, Part 1228; Title 44, United States Code, Section 3310 as implemented by Title 36, Code of Federal Regulations, Part 1229.10.

For your information, a search of the indices to our Central Records System reflected there were additional records potentially responsive to your Freedom of Information/Privacy Acts (FOIPA) request. We have attempted to obtain this material so it could be reviewed to determine whether it was responsive to your request. We were advised that the potentially responsive records were not in their expected location and could not be located after a reasonable search. Following a reasonable waiting period, another attempt was made to obtain this material. This search for the missing records also met with unsuccessful results.

For your additional information, a record that may be responsive to your Freedom of Information/Privacy Acts (FOIPA) request has been transferred to the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA). If you wish to review these records, submit a Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request to NARA, Special Access and FOIA, 8601 Adelphi Road, Room 5500, College Park, MD 20740-6001. Please reference the file numbers 105-HQ-9621 and 105-HQ-75977.

Sincerely,

Michael G. Seidel Section Chief Record/Information

Dissemination Section
Information Management Division

**Enclosures** 

#### FBI FOIPA Addendum

As referenced in our letter responding to your Freedom of Information/Privacy Acts (FOIPA) request, the FBI FOIPA Addendum provides information applicable to your request. Part 1 of the Addendum includes standard responses that apply to all requests. Part 2 includes standard responses that apply to requests for records about individuals to the extent your request seeks the listed information. Part 3 includes general information about FBI records, searches, and programs.

#### Part 1: The standard responses below apply to all requests:

- (i) **5 U.S.C. § 552(c).** Congress excluded three categories of law enforcement and national security records from the requirements of the FOIPA [5 U.S.C. § 552(c)]. FBI responses are limited to those records subject to the requirements of the FOIPA. Additional information about the FBI and the FOIPA can be found on the www.fbi.gov/foia website.
- (ii) Intelligence Records. To the extent your request seeks records of intelligence sources, methods, or activities, the FBI can neither confirm nor deny the existence of records pursuant to FOIA exemptions (b)(1), (b)(3), and as applicable to requests for records about individuals, PA exemption (j)(2) [5 U.S.C. §§ 552/552a (b)(1), (b)(3), and (j)(2)]. The mere acknowledgment of the existence or nonexistence of such records is itself a classified fact protected by FOIA exemption (b)(1) and/or would reveal intelligence sources, methods, or activities protected by exemption (b)(3) [50 USC § 3024(i)(1)]. This is a standard response and should not be read to indicate that any such records do or do not exist.

#### Part 2: The standard responses below apply to all requests for records on individuals:

- (i) Requests for Records about any Individual—Watch Lists. The FBI can neither confirm nor deny the existence of any individual's name on a watch list pursuant to FOIA exemption (b)(7)(E) and PA exemption (j)(2) [5 U.S.C. §§ 552/552a (b)(7)(E), (j)(2)]. This is a standard response and should not be read to indicate that watch list records do or do not exist.
- (ii) Requests for Records about any Individual—Witness Security Program Records. The FBI can neither confirm nor deny the existence of records which could identify any participant in the Witness Security Program pursuant to FOIA exemption (b)(3) and PA exemption (j)(2) [5 U.S.C. §§ 552/552a (b)(3), 18 U.S.C. 3521, and (j)(2)]. This is a standard response and should not be read to indicate that such records do or do not exist.
- (iii) Requests for Records for Incarcerated Individuals. The FBI can neither confirm nor deny the existence of records which could reasonably be expected to endanger the life or physical safety of any incarcerated individual pursuant to FOIA exemptions (b)(7)(E), (b)(7)(F), and PA exemption (j)(2) [5 U.S.C. §§ 552/552a (b)(7)(E), (b)(7)(F), and (j)(2)]. This is a standard response and should not be read to indicate that such records do or do not exist.

#### Part 3: General Information:

- (i) Record Searches. The Record/Information Dissemination Section (RIDS) searches for reasonably described records by searching systems or locations where responsive records would reasonably be found. A standard search normally consists of a search for main files in the Central Records System (CRS), an extensive system of records consisting of applicant, investigative, intelligence, personnel, administrative, and general files compiled by the FBI per its law enforcement, intelligence, and administrative functions. The CRS spans the entire FBI organization, comprising records of FBI Headquarters, FBI Field Offices, and FBI Legal Attaché Offices (Legats) worldwide; Electronic Surveillance (ELSUR) records are included in the CRS. Unless specifically requested, a standard search does not include references, administrative records of previous FOIPA requests, or civil litigation files. For additional information about our record searches, visit www.fbi.gov/services/information-management/foipa/requesting-fbi-records.
- (ii) **FBI Records.** Founded in 1908, the FBI carries out a dual law enforcement and national security mission. As part of this dual mission, the FBI creates and maintains records on various subjects; however, the FBI does not maintain records on every person, subject, or entity.
- (iii) Requests for Criminal History Records or Rap Sheets. The Criminal Justice Information Services (CJIS) Division provides Identity History Summary Checks often referred to as a criminal history record or rap sheet. These criminal history records are not the same as material in an investigative "FBI file." An Identity History Summary Check is a listing of information taken from fingerprint cards and documents submitted to the FBI in connection with arrests, federal employment, naturalization, or military service. For a fee, individuals can request a copy of their Identity History Summary Check. Forms and directions can be accessed at <a href="www.fbi.gov/about-us/cjis/identity-history-summary-checks">www.fbi.gov/about-us/cjis/identity-history-summary-checks</a>. Additionally, requests can be submitted electronically at <a href="www.edo.cjis.gov">www.edo.cjis.gov</a>. For additional information, please contact CJIS directly at (304) 625-5590.
- (iv) **National Name Check Program (NNCP).** The mission of NNCP is to analyze and report information in response to name check requests received from federal agencies, for the purpose of protecting the United States from foreign and domestic threats to national security. Please be advised that this is a service provided to other federal agencies. Private Citizens cannot request a name check.

#### EXPLANATION OF EXEMPTIONS

#### SUBSECTIONS OF TITLE 5, UNITED STATES CODE, SECTION 552

- (b)(1) (A) specifically authorized under criteria established by an Executive order to be kept secret in the interest of national defense or foreign policy and (B) are in fact properly classified to such Executive order;
- (b)(2) related solely to the internal personnel rules and practices of an agency;
- (b)(3) specifically exempted from disclosure by statute (other than section 552b of this title), provided that such statute (A) requires that the matters be withheld from the public in such a manner as to leave no discretion on issue, or (B) establishes particular criteria for withholding or refers to particular types of matters to be withheld;
- (b)(4) trade secrets and commercial or financial information obtained from a person and privileged or confidential;
- (b)(5) inter-agency or intra-agency memorandums or letters which would not be available by law to a party other than an agency in litigation with the agency;
- (b)(6) personnel and medical files and similar files the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy;
- (b)(7) records or information compiled for law enforcement purposes, but only to the extent that the production of such law enforcement records or information (A) could reasonably be expected to interfere with enforcement proceedings, (B) would deprive a person of a right to a fair trial or an impartial adjudication, (C) could reasonably be expected to constitute an unwarranted invasion of personal privacy, (D) could reasonably be expected to disclose the identity of confidential source, including a State, local, or foreign agency or authority or any private institution which furnished information on a confidential basis, and, in the case of record or information compiled by a criminal law enforcement authority in the course of a criminal investigation, or by an agency conducting a lawful national security intelligence investigation, information furnished by a confidential source, (E) would disclose techniques and procedures for law enforcement investigations or prosecutions, or would disclose guidelines for law enforcement investigations or prosecutions if such disclosure could reasonably be expected to risk circumvention of the law, or (F) could reasonably be expected to endanger the life or physical safety of any individual;
- (b)(8) contained in or related to examination, operating, or condition reports prepared by, on behalf of, or for the use of an agency responsible for the regulation or supervision of financial institutions; or
- (b)(9) geological and geophysical information and data, including maps, concerning wells.

#### SUBSECTIONS OF TITLE 5, UNITED STATES CODE, SECTION 552a

- (d)(5) information compiled in reasonable anticipation of a civil action proceeding;
- (j)(2) material reporting investigative efforts pertaining to the enforcement of criminal law including efforts to prevent, control, or reduce crime or apprehend criminals;
- (k)(1) information which is currently and properly classified pursuant to an Executive order in the interest of the national defense or foreign policy, for example, information involving intelligence sources or methods;
- (k)(2) investigatory material compiled for law enforcement purposes, other than criminal, which did not result in loss of a right, benefit or privilege under Federal programs, or which would identify a source who furnished information pursuant to a promise that his/her identity would be held in confidence:
- (k)(3) material maintained in connection with providing protective services to the President of the United States or any other individual pursuant to the authority of Title 18, United States Code, Section 3056;
- (k)(4) required by statute to be maintained and used solely as statistical records;
- (k)(5) investigatory material compiled solely for the purpose of determining suitability, eligibility, or qualifications for Federal civilian employment or for access to classified information, the disclosure of which would reveal the identity of the person who furnished information pursuant to a promise that his/her identity would be held in confidence;
- (k)(6) testing or examination material used to determine individual qualifications for appointment or promotion in Federal Government service the release of which would compromise the testing or examination process;
- (k)(7) material used to determine potential for promotion in the armed services, the disclosure of which would reveal the identity of the person who furnished the material pursuant to a promise that his/her identity would be held in confidence.

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TO:

DIRECTOR. FBI

FROM: SAC, WFO (62-0)

OTIS T. CARR OTC ENTERPRISES INC. BALTIMORE, MARYLAND INFORMATION CONCERNING

Enclosed herewith are 5 copies of a letterhea memo captioned as above.

Information furnished by EDWARD W.S. HULL, Associate Editor, "Missiles and Rockets" magazine, American Aviation Publications, Inc., 1001 Vermont Avenue, N.W., regarding the subject was volunteered by HULL during the course of an interview with SA THOMAS W. LEAVITT. An interview was being held with HULL concerning

Prior to furnishing the information regarding the subject, HULL related that he realized that FBI records were confidential but inquired if he could be advised if the FBI had any information regarding CARR. HULL was advised that inasmuch as he is aware that FBI records are confidential that he must realize that the contents of FBI files could not be divulged to him under any circumstances.

A pretext call to Station WTTG, Washington, D.C., 2/28/58, by SA LEAVITT reflected that KENYON L. EDWARDS was an employee of that station.

WFO indices indicate that EDWARDS may be identical to KENYON LEIGH EDWARDS. Bufile 123-11005. Information concerning in WFO report dated. HULL is contained in 3/16/54, in case entitled

Information contained in enclosed letterhead memo is being furnished the Bureau inasmuch as they may desire to disseminate the information contained therein to the Department of Defense. REC- 23

The Baltimore Office is being furnished a copy for their information masmuch as the subject apparently resides within the Baltimore Division. **ZO** MAR 4 1958

ENCLOSURE The Baltimore Office is requested to search its indices regarding subject and furnish any information obtained to the Bureau.

WFO indices are negative re subject

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#### UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTACE

#### FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Washington 25, D. C. March 4, 1958

#### OTIS T. CARR OTC ENTERPRISES INCORPORATED BALTIMORE, MARYLAND

On February 28, 1958, Mr. Edward W.S. Thull, Associate Editor, "Missiles and Rockets" magazine, American Aviation Publications, Incorporated, 1001 Vermont Avenue, N.W., furnished the following information to a Special Agent of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) regarding Otis T. Carr and OTC. Enterprises, Incorporated, Baltimore, Maryland:

BALTIMORE, AD Hull advised that the above company has reportedly developed a device which is capable of "picking up and utilizing free space energy", such as light. Hull stated that such a development would be of tremendous importance in the field of rocket development inasmuch as it would solve the fuel problem for rockets. He advised that with such a development as that created by Carr a rocket could derive its energy from the space surrounding it as it proceeded on its flight. 1 FD WARDS KENVON

Hull stated that information concerning Carr's development had been furnished him by one Ken Edwards, a news commentator with Station WITG, Washington, Who had reportedly obtained this information from a third party unknown to Hull.

He further advised that Edwards had informed him that Carr had recently attempted to run a full page advertisement in the "Baltimore Sun", the details of which were unknown to Hull, but he assumed that it was concerning his, Carr's, development. Edwards reportedly informed Hull that this advertisement was refused by the "Baltimore Sun". He advised that according to Edwards, Carr's device has been tested and found workable by Electromactions, Incorporated; a Los Angeles, California, concern.

Mr. Hull stated that he believed if Carr had developed a device such as described above it should be in the hands of the Department of Defense.

It was determined on February 28, 1958, that Kenyon L. Edwards is an employee of Station WTTG, Washington, D.C.

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Re: Otis T. Carr

This memorandum is loaned to you by the FBI and neither it nor its contents are to be distributed outside the agency to which loaned.



SAC, Washington Field

April 18, 1958

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Director, FBI (62-0-58113) 62-105/05-X

OTIS T. CARR OTC ENTERPRISES, INCORPORATED BALTIMORE, MARYLAND INFORMATION CONCERNING

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Information in relet indicates the "free energy mechanism" and "emunity motor" being developed or promoted by OTC Enterprises are without scientific value. However, the primeters of this company have apparently made it sound sufficiently plausible to attract the attention of an associate editor of "Missiles and Rockets" magazine and also of at least one potential investor. It is possible, therefore, that it might also attract the interest of the Soviets and that it might be used as build-up material in one of your double agent operations. In the event you think this situation might be used to advantage in any way, you should so advise the Bureau under appropriate caption making reference to this letter.

Copies of the letterhead memoranda submitted by you and the Baltimore Office have been disseminated to ONI, OSI and ACSI. Information concerning stock sales by captioned company has not been disseminated to SEC since there has been no allegation that such sales have been in violation of any Federal sanswors regulations. In the event such information concerning possible violations is received, you should because to the interests of SEC.

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Letter to Washington Field
Re: Otis T. Carr
OTC Enterprises, Incorporated
Baltimore, Maryland
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NOTE: Information concerning the subject organization, located in Baltimore, and its alleged inventions was furnished to the Washington Field Office by Edward W. S. Hall, associate editor of "Missiles and Rockets." Baltimore is in receipt of previous information about this outfit from a girl who was considering employment with the subject company. The Bunco Squad, Baltimore Police Department, has advised Carr and an associate are interested in a perpetual motion device. Carr was formerly a hotel manager. He is associated with Norman Evans Colton who was dismissed from employment at Aberdeen Proving Grounds for poor credit rating and alleged falsification of records; he has been the subject of an impersonation investigation by the Bureau resulting from the cashing of bad checks and also of a Fraud Against the Government investigation based on alleged influence he had used in the awarding of Government contracts and also from en alleged fraudulent expense vouchers submitted by him while he was employed by the Army. Prosecution in both cases was declined.

DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE:

SAC. BALTIMORE (62-1228)

SUBJECT:

OTC ENTERPRISES INCORPORATED BALTIMORE, MARYLAND INFORMATION CONCERNING

Re WFO letter to Director dated 3/4/58.

Enclosed herewith for the Bureau are five copies of a letterhead memorandum, captioned as above, one copy of which is enclosed for the Washington Field Office for information purposes.

In addition to the information set out in the letterhead memorandum, Baltimore Indices reflect that one NORMAN EVANS COLTON was the subject of a Baltimore FAG - IMPERSONATION investigation (BA file 47-1727) and a Baltimore FAG -IMPERSONATION investigation (BA file 46-800) (BU file 46-19591).

In connection with the Impersonation violation, NORMAN EVANS COLTON, was., Norman Eli Cohen, Norman Cohen, who may be identical with CARR's associate, cashed a \$50.00, insufficient funds, true name check dated 9/21/53 at the May Company in Baltimore, Maryland, and a similar \$30.00 check at the Hotel Tudor, New York City, on 9/11/53. In both instances, checks were drawn on the First National Bank of Aberdeen, Maryland, and COLTON used a War Department Pass, which had been issued to him when he was employed as a GS-14, at Aberdeen Proving Ground, Aberdeen, Maryland, as identification when cashing the checks.

COLTON had been dismissed from the Aberdeen Proving Ground on 7/22/53, for reasons including poor credit rating and alleged falsification of records. COLTON, at one time, also published a small newspaper, the first issue of which was devoted mainly to vitriolic attacks against military authorities in general, the Army in particular, 105/05/X/

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In connection with the above, the Bureau, by letter dated 5/7/54 to MR. GEORGE J. GOULD, Director, Security Division, Office of the Secretary of Defense, The Pentagon, Washington, D.C., advised that a review of an issue of the newspaper, "The United States Citizen", published by COLTON and which had been furnished the Bureau by the Pentagon, was not believed to contain information indicative of a violation of Federal criminal statutes within the primary investigative jurisdiction of the Bureau.

The Defense Department was also advised at the time, that prosecution of COLTON for the alleged Fraud Against the Government violation (Personal History Statement reflected certain false information) and for the alleged impersonation violation involving the checks cashed in Baltimore and New York City was declined. Prosecution was declined in Baltimore, in view of contemplated local police action and at New York City, due to lack of evidence that COLTON, at the time he cashed the check in New York City, had actually represented himself as a Government employee.

In connection with the Fraud Against the Government violation (BU file 46-19591), the Bureau, by memo dated 5/7/54, to Assistant Attorney General WARREN OLNEY, III, advised that COLTON, who in April and May of 1953, while an employee of the Department of the Army, engaged in editing "PS" Magazine for Preventive Maintenance Division, Office of Chief of Ordnance, Aberdeen Proving Ground, Maryland, allegedly had used influence in the awarding of contract number 30-069-ORD-908, on June 30, 1952, to the highest bidder, Will Eisner Productions, New York City, predecessor of a company with which COLTON was previously connected. This investigation also concerned alleged fraudulent expense vouchers submitted by COLTON during the time he was employed by the Department of the Army.

Prosecution in this matter was declined by the United States Attorney at Baltimore on 5/14/53, inasmuch as the awarding of the contract to Will Eisner Productions was the decision of Brigadier General J. H. HINRICHS, who said he was not influenced by COLTON.

Additional investigation was conducted in this matter when an anonymous letter directed to the Director, Bureau of the Budget, a copy of which was received at the Bureau in December, 1956, alleging that COLTON had used influence in obtaining

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a contract for WILL and JULIAN EISNER, for the printing of the "PS" Magazine. The anonymous letter pointed out that certain individuals, who were not interviewed during the course of the investigation in 1953, would have knowledge that "graft" and "forgery" were used to obtain the contract for the printing of the "PS" Magazine. Upon completion of investigation in this matter, the facts of the case were again discussed with an Assistant United States Attorney in Baltimore, and prosecution was declined. RUC.



In Reply, Please Refer to File No.

#### UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

#### FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Baltimore, Maryland

April 8, 1958

OTIS T. CARR OTC ENTERPRISES INCORPORATED BALTIMORE. MARYLAND

On October 18, 1957, Miss FLORA LURIA,

telephoned

the Baltimore Office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation and furnished the following information:

OTIS T. CARR, who is white, male, in his 50's, operates OTC Enterprises, Inc., at 2502 North Calvert Street, Baltimore, Maryland. NORMAN EVANS COLTON, white, male, in his 40's, is Director of Sales Engineering for OTC Enterprises, Inc. Miss LURIA had made application for employment by OTC Enterprises, Inc.. and she stated she questioned whether OTC Enterprises is a legitimate concern. She had met both CARR and COLTON; however, she dealt primarily with COLTON.

COLTON and CARR told her that CARR is engaged in the development of "Free Energy Mechanism" and a "Gravity Motor". She described COLTON as being very impressive individual and stated he had recently obtained a very elaborate and attractive brochure concerning OTC Enterprises. It was not clear to Miss LURIA as to what her employment would be with the company; however, she received the impression that her duties would involve general office work and the office handling of stock sales. She said that OTC Enterprises was attempting to sell stock, and she was asked by COLTON to solicit her friends to invest in the company.

Miss LURIA's brother had become quite fascinated with the enterprise and was apparently willing to invest what little money he had in the enterprise. She stated that CARR had told her that if he had had the backing, he could have sent the Satellite into outer space two years ago. He claimed that he was furnishing the government with the information concerning his inventions, that if the government was not interested in the inventions, he intended to arrange to have them developed through private industry. Miss LURIA said she was attempting to determine the legitimacy of the concern before accepting, Q.0: GEC any employment. 62-105105 - X/ AGENCY

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RE: OTIS T. CARR

On October 18, 1957, Lieutenant LOCH HUMPHREYS, Bunco Squad, Baltimore Police Department, advised that for the past two or three years, OTIS CARR, who at one time was the manager of the Congress Hotel, Baltimore, has had interest in a perpetual motion type device. He said that apparently CARR is sincere in his belief that such a device can be developed, but it is apparent to Lieutenant HUMPHREYS that the production of such a device is not possible.

This memorandum is loaned to you by the FBI and neither it nor its contents are to be distributed outside the agency to which loaned.

## Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 4/16/58

FROM :

BAC, WFO (62-0)

SUBJECT:

OTIS T. CARR
OTC Enterprises. Inc.
Baltimore, Maryland
INFORMATION CONCERNING

Re WFO airtel to Director dated 3/4/58, and Baltimore letter to Director dated 4/8/58.

No further action contemplated by WFO in instant matter. C.

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DIRECTOR, FBI (62-0-58113)

DATE: 5/6/58

FROM

SAC, BALTIMORE (62-1228)

SUBJECT:

OTIS T. CARR
OTC, ENTERPRISES, INC.
BALTIMORE, MARYLAND
INFORMATION CONCERNING

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Re Bulet to WFO, 4/18/58.

There are no matters pending in the Baltimore Office wherein it is believed the material referred to in Baltimore letter, 4/8/58, and re Bulet would be of any advantage.

In the event the situation mentioned might be used to advantage in any way, the Bureau will be advised under appropriate caption, making reference to re Bulet. C

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SAC, Cleveland (87-0-1124) November 13, 1958 **REC- 60** 62-105/05 Director, FBI ÒTIS T. CARR MAJOR WAYNE AHO (RETIRED) OTC ENTERPRISES, INC. INFORMATION CONCARNING RESEARCH (CRIME RECORDS) Reurlet 11-6-58. Relet states that Mr. Dan B. Haber was advised that a copy of each enclosure was being made available to the Securities and Exchange Commission in Washington, D. C. You do not state tnat such action was taken by your office, and you are instructed to advise the Bureau if such action was taken or if you desire the Bureau to forward these documents to SEC. Sulet to reach the Bureau no later than November 21, 1958. MAILED TO NOV 1 3 1959 Follow-up-made for 11-21-58. Let Clevillation "/25/28"

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: DIRECTOR, FBI

DARD FORM NO. 64

DATE November 6, 1958

: SAC, CLEVERAND (87-0-1124)

SUBJECT: OTIS T. CARR

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MAJOR WAYNE CAHO (retired OTC Enterprises, Inc.

INFORMATION CONCERNING

By letter dated October 30, 1958, Mr. DAN B. HABER, sent the following enclosures to the Cleveland Office. Inasmuch as Mr. HABER requested that the enclosures be returned to him, photostatic copies thereof are enclosed and the original papers have been returned to Mr. HABER and he was advised that a copy of each enclosure is being made available to the Securities and Exchange Commission, Washington, D. C.

- one page (light blue color) leaflet entitled, STOP PRESS RELEASE! New Book - Margaret Storm's 'RETURN OF THE DOVE' TO SWEEP THE WORLD!"
- A letter dated August 20, 1958, addressed to Mr. CECIL W. TUCKER, on the letterhead GOTG ENTERPRISES, INC., 2502 North Calvert Street, Baltimare, Md.
- A letter dated October 27, 1958, on OTC letterhead addressed to Mr. HABER.
- A photostatic copy of what appears to be a newspaper clipping headed TRIP TO MOON? OTIS IS READY" (This clipping was an enclosure with (3) above.
- Letter dated October 30, 1958, from Mr. HABER to OTC Enterprises, Inc.

In Mr. HABER's letter to the Cleveland Office he stated "My research in the field of UFO's has revealed a number of money-gathering organizations of dubique purpose. Some

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"of my students have fallen victim of their falsehoods.
The Carr Enterprises is one of the most flagrant of the lot. If his allegations were not false he would now be in the services of the Air Force or associated services...

"Certainly, I will most appreciate knowing what disposition will be made of the material enclosed and the results of any government action..."

ENCLOSURES: TO DIRECTOR, FBI (5)

FROM SAC, CLEVELAND (87-0-1124)

OTIS T. CARR, Etal

Five photostatic copies of original documents sent CV Office by Mr. DAN B. HABER



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#### OTC ENTERPRISES,

2502 NORTH CALVERT STREET . BALTIMORE 18, MARYLAND . TUXEDO 9-4900 CARROTTO® DYNAMICS INC., AND UTRON® ATOMIC DEVELOPMENT INC.



INC.

CABLE CODE:

August 20, 1958

Dear Mr. Tucker:

We have just reviewed your very interesting letter of June 21. We have been extremely busy here, so we have not had an opportunity until now to really get down to the specifics in your letter. We were interested to know that it was a relative of yours who produced the Tucker car, and we felt at the time that he probably had a correct idea which, unfortunately for him and the public, was somewhat ahead of its time. We wonder if he is still planning to market his product. It would seem that there might be opportunity to do so in this new Space Age.

It is quite true that there will be many, many free-energy devices produced by individuals and organizations during coming years, and although the competition promises to be lively, still there will doubtless be opportunities for all as soon as the pioneering days are over. It is always the pioneers who have a rugged road to carve out as they go, but the challenge is a stimulating one.

Mr. Carr, accompanied by Major Wayne Aho, (ret.) are now on a national lecture tour. They will speak at the spacecraft convention at Pleasanton, California on August 23-24, and will then carry their story to dozens of other lecture audiences, not only in the spacecraft field of thought, but among business groups throughout the nation. We feel it is important at this time to permit the public to know what is available to keep them informed. An informed public is a vocal public which is in a position to demand new inventions which will improve their living conditions.

Mr. Carr will tell his audiences of his plans to launch a 10-foot demonstration model spacecraft late in September. This will be unmanned, can be sent into space, brought back, and sent into orbit around the globe. This is only a demonstration model, but will be of vast interest to manufacturers all over the world who can then license the Carr devices to power any

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products from hearing aids to aircraft, ocean liners, trains, power plants, factories or homes, automobiles or any other product requiring power.

On their lecture tour Mr. Carr and Major Aho will also speak of their forthcoming trip to the moon and return. This will be made in the standard 45-foot spacecraft which will be fabricated at Space, Maryland, at the new Space Research Institute there. Mr. Carr, accompanied by Major Aho, will leave the planet Earth on December 7, 1959, and return after a week spent on the moon.

We hope that you and your friends will have a chance to drop in to see us at some time if you are in this area. The development of our devices has now reached a point where those, like yourself, who are interested in making an investment, either large or small, can take advantage of our partnership-option plan. These options are given on a dollar per share basis. They will be offered only until the date on which the demonstration model space-craft is launched, or prior to the public stock offering.

This public stock offering of twenty million dollars in shares in Utron accumulator and Carrotto gravity motor, subsidiaries of OTC Enterprises, will be made on a \$10 per share basis. It will be handled through regular brokerage channels, and will be offered the day after the demonstration model is launched. At the same time manufacturers will be licensed to use the Utron and Carrotto detices to power their products.

The stock shares are expected to advance rapictly in value, as many manufacturers are already waiting to use
the devices as soon as licensing is granted. On the day of the
public offering, those individuals who hold the dollar partnership
options may transfer them for \$10 stock shares -- that is, one
dollar option will be equal to one ten dollar share. Or they may
leave the options in the parent corporations, OTC Enterprises, Inc.,
which will participate in all earnings by Utron and Carrotto, the
subsidiaries.

We would like to hear from you about this participation plan. What do you think of it? We have had so many requests from our friends who want to find some way to share in these new Space Age developments, and we felt that this opportunity to invest a dollar or thousands of dollars would appeal to all. The material rewards should be very considerable and the opportunity to help to usher in the Space Age should have wide acceptance.

Sincerely,

Margaret Storm

Publications Editor

js Mr. Cecil W. Tucker

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dealing closely with the life of TESIA, will be published by a London publisher and the release date will be Oct. 1. Books will be shipped to the U.S., Canada, Australia, New Zealand and South Africa. Translations are expected to go into German, Spanish, and French. Later it will be available for the people of India and Pakistan. Demands from these countries are already coming in. The publisher expects it to be a "worldwide best seller."

"THE BOOK WILL NEXT BE MADE INTO A MOVIE. THE PRODUCTION BUDGET FOR THIS WILL BE ABOUT TWO MILLION DOLLARS. THE PRODUCER EXPECTS IT TO BE ONE OF THE FINEST MOVIES EVER MADE AND TO RANK TOP BOX OFFICE."

"THINGS ARE MOVING VERY FAST NOW" - SAYS OUR NEW YORK INFORMATION SOURCE!

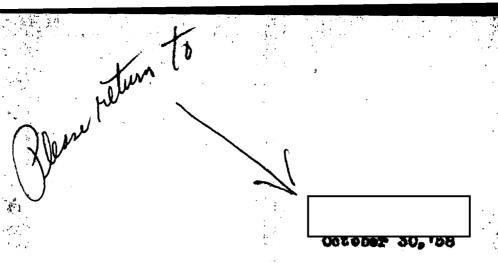
Nikola Tesla, world famous scientist and inventor, died in New York City on the night of January 7, 1943, at the age of 87. There was an apartness and an otherworldliness about his whole life. He was "different." (Read J.J. O'Neil's PRODIGAL GENIUS".)

"Much of the data for this book has been supplied through transcripts received on the Tesla set, a radio type machine invented by Tesla in 1938 for interplanetary communication. Tesla engineers did not build the Tesla set until after his death. It was placed in operation in 1950". Since that time it is claimed these engineers have been in close touch with space ships.

Although the book is based primarily on the life and work of Tesla, it includes a running story of human evolution and gives close-ups of certain other scientists. Otis T. Carr, mentioned in the current issue of THE LITTLE LISTENING POST had several years' personal association with Tesla and one chapter is devoted to Mr. Carr and his work. --- One senses some "Tesla influence" in the work and objectives of OTC ENTER-PRISES.

WHY YOU WILL WANT TO HAVE A PART IN HELPING GET THIS GREAT STORY TO THE WORLD.

Tesla gave to the world the secret of many things. Many of his gifts to science have been withheld from development. "His inventions will make nuclear experiments obsolete. They will render warfare impossible, making each country safe within its own borders. They will make the present outmoded economic system unnecessary. If we demand Tesia's invention for wireless distribution" (barely hinted at in the press a short time ago), "we can have all the electricity we want by sticking up a little peterna. Tesla's anti-war machine is based on the same idea, no poles, wires, reno minno-wave towers, no walls or fences. It is more like a magnetic or and much, [5] where is promised when the feels in-



OTC Enterprises, Inc., 2502 North Calvert Street, Baltimore 18, Maryland

Dear Mr. Carr,

Thank you for you communication of 10/27/58.

Inclosed is a check for \$1.00 as payment for a partnership option as you have described.

Sincerely.

Dan B. Haber

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2502 NORTH CALVERT STREET • BALTIMORE 18, MARYLAND • TUXEDO 9-4900 CARROTTO® DYNAMICS INC., AND UTRON® ATOMIC DEVELOPMENT INC.

October 27, 1958

Dear Mr. Haber. . .

Thank you so very much for your thoughtful letter of October 12. We are happy to know that you enjoyed the lecture by Mr. Otis T. Carr, and also our OTC literature.

Mr. Carr has just returned to the office and expects to be very busy here now with the rapid development of his inventions. You are correct in your estimate of free energy devices as being revolutionary in nature, and the vast program ahead calls for most concentrated activity.

We do not plan to mass-produce any machines ourselves, but we will build prototype applications of all kinds, and then license manufacturers the world over to use the Utron accumulator and the Carrotto gravity motor. These devices will provide free energy for anything requiring power -- including trains, ocean liners, automobiles, airplanes, factory and household equipment of all kinds, lawn mowers, electric razors, hearing aids, and thousands of other items.

Plans have been completed for Space Research Institute at Space, Maryland, and the buildings there will be started this year. The Institute will have facilities for research and the building of prototypes, so licensing should start sometime next year for certain products.

You have mentioned the possibility of investment, and we wish to advise you that we had partnership options available at one dollar each until October 15. However, we are granting a thirty-day grace period, because we have had so many last minute requests that we have not been able to notify everyone of the withdrawal of the dollar options, which have now been offered for several months.

These are being withdrawn because we will soon offer a public stock issue of twenty million dollars which will be handled through regular brokerage channels. This public stock offering in Utron accumulator and Carrotto gravity motor, subsidiaries of OTC Enterprises, will be made on a \$10 per share basis. Shortly after that, manufacturers will be licensed to use the Utron and Carrotto devices to power their products.

The stock shares are expected to advance rapidly in value, as many manufacturers are already waiting to use the devices as soon as licensing is granted. On the day of the public offering, those individuals who hold the dollar partnership options may transfer them for stock certificates at a dollar par, regardless of their increase in market value -- that is, a one-dollar option will be exchangeable, share for share, even though the public may be paying \$10, \$20, \$50, or even more for dollar-par shares. Or they may leave the options in the parent corporation, OTC Enterprises, Inc., which will participate in all-earnings by Utron and Carrotto, the subsidiaries.

We would like to hear from you about this participation plan. What do you think of it? We have had so many requests from our friends who want to find some way to share in these new Space Age developments, and we felt that this opportunity to invest a dollar or thousands of dollars would appeal to all.

The material rewards should be very considerable, but the spiritual joy of helping to usher in the new Space Age will assuredly bring blessings unlimited to all participants.

Sincerely,

Margaret Storm Publications Editor



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: DIRECTOR, FBI TO

DATE: November 20, 1958

ом : SAC, CLEVELAND (87-0-1124)

UBJECT: OTIS T. CARR MAJOR WAYNE AHO (RETIRED) OTC ENTERPRISES, INC. INFORMATION CONCERNING RESEARCH (CRIME RECORDS)

Re Cleveland letter 11/6/58 and Bureau letter 11/13/58.

It was intended in referenced Cleveland letter to request the Bureau to furnish the enclosures to the Securities and Exchange Commission.

Enclosed herewith is the copy of each of said enclosures retained by the Cleveland Office. It is requested that the Bureau forward these documents to SEC.

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MISS COLUMBAT KREBS

Dear Mr. Hoover.

Thanks for your letter of Nov. 4th. acknowledging mine of ot. 27th. May I say that I appreciate your acknowledgement very much, also that I am not Mr. being a lady.

I would like to know if there is any way we can find out, whether the Russians have reached the Moon by this time, taking off from some secret hide-out in the Ural Mountains, of from Siberia?

I am enclosing a circular that might interest you.

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# OTC-XI SPACE CRAFT

Detailed Engineering Plans Now Available at Popular Prices!

ANIMATE IT! SEE IT WORK! EVEN FLY IT YOURSELF!

(Under proper qualification, of course)

This is an illustration of an actual model of the OTC-X1—the craft now being engineered for a manned space flight to the moon on December 7, 1959! To enable interested people everywhere to keep abreast of the latest developments of the Space Age, OTC Enterprises, Inc., pioneer developer of free-energy space flight, has had the sensational and heretofore top secret master plans of this soon-to-be-built space craft rendered in model-maker's form and reproduced in quantity to achieve a price in everyone's reach. Read inside about this amazing new energy concept and the craft it will power—and the realistic model you will want to build of that craft!

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OTIS T. CARR AT WORK

# AS THE MAN BEHIND THE SPACE CRAFT TELLS THE STARTLING SCIENTIFIC FACTS ABOUT HIS INVENTIONS!

## Safe, Practical Space Flight Within Months!

"It is as if plans for the Nina, the Pinta and the Santa Maria were made available to model builders before Columbus ever sailed! You have here an opportunity to walk with history—and here's why. By now it is generally known that in 1959 I am going to huild—and launch into space—and bring-back—a circular foil space craft. The first trip will be to the moon. My ship, the OTC-X1 will operate on my principle that a vehicle accelerated to an axis rotation relative to its inertial mass will become activated by free space energy and will be a free and independent force of itself. It works for the same reason the earth "works." Those who build an authentic model of the OTC-X1 now will be ahead of the headlines. When my ship has proved successful, you'll point to your model and say, I knew all about it! I built one!"

Otis T Carr

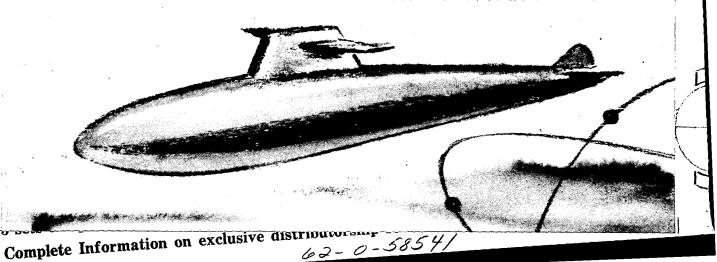
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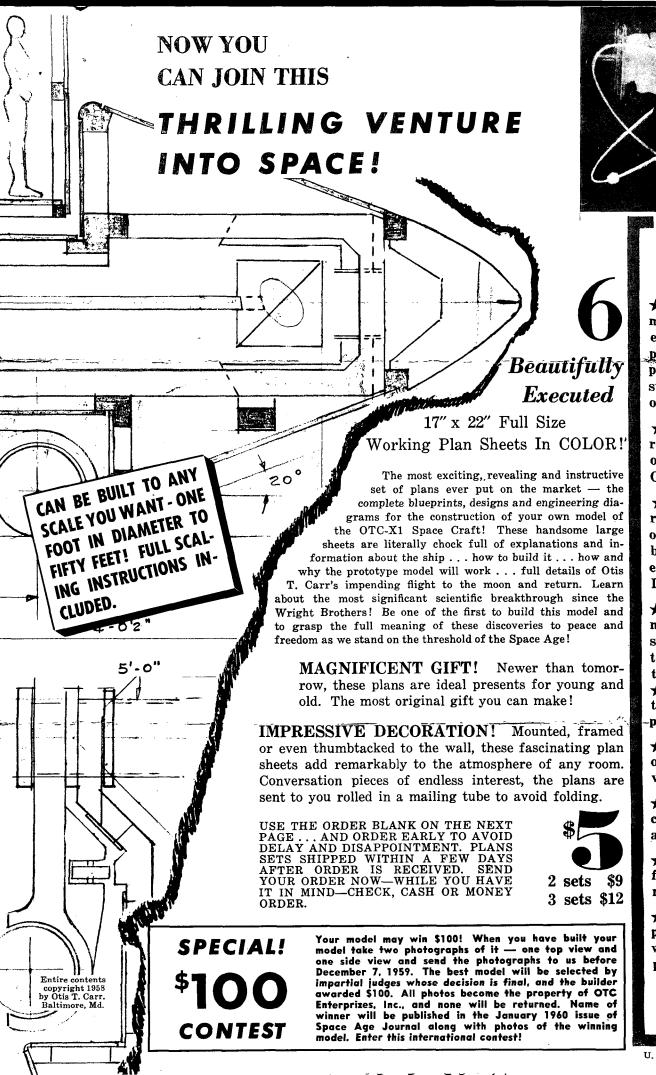
Free energy, as the phrase is used here, describes those perpetual forces of gravity and electromagnetism that are everywhere at work in our universe. Unlike conventional, manufactured power these forces cannot be "used up" and they are free for the taking. Until now the problem has been how to take them and put them to work for man. This problem has been solved! Inventor Carr's device does exactly this and uses the interplay of gravity and electromagnetism in a delicate balance of enormous potential power. Virtually free power which can be used to run anything from an

electric razor to a steel mill to a space ship—at a fraction of the cost of today's power systems.

One important aspect of this development is that when it is used to power a space craft, there is no so-called "blasting off." The OTC-X1 will float off the earth, will be self-regenerating, will be wrapped in its own electromagnetic field with complete protection from radiation, heat, weightlessness and other problems that hamper ordinary space-flight thinking. In the Model Plan Kit offered here, this principle and many other little-known scientific advances are amplified and explained in minute detail.

Just one of the many applications of free space energy.





### READ WHAT THIS KIT CONTAINS

- ★ Professional model maker and engineering template plans with complete details for construction from various materials!
- ★ Architectural rendering and plans of the OTC-X1 Space Craft Hangar!
- ★ Architectural renderings and plans of the soon-to-bebuilt OTC Enterprises Space Research Institute!
- ★ A source list of manufacturers and suppliers where materials may be obtained!
- ★ ABC explanation of practical, -peacefulspace flight!
- ★ Full disclosure of vital scientific advances!
- ★ Compelling discussions of how these advances affect you!
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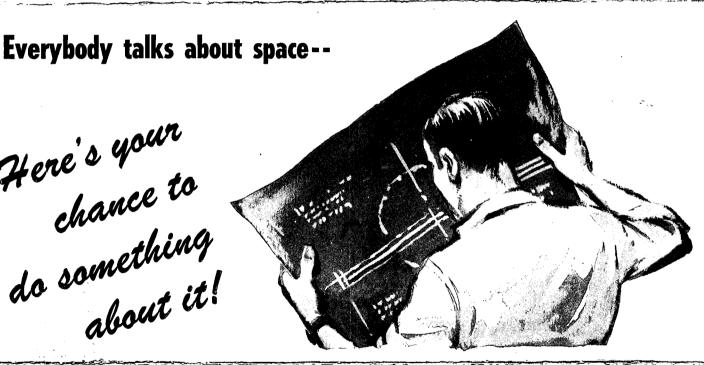
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Permit No. 1∑34 Baltimore, Md. DAID U. S. POSTAGE

BALTIMORE 18, MARYLAND SEOS NORTH CALVERT STREET,

Here's your chance to chance to do something about it!

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### ORDER & INQUIRY FORM: OTC Enterprises, Inc., 2502 N. Calvert, Baltimore, Md.

From:	If you would like us to mail a set of plans as a gift, please enclose a gift card and the name and address of the recipient. No extra charge.		
NAME	I AM ALSO INTERESTED IN:		
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CITYZONESTATE	☐ SPECIAL BULLETINS AND REPORTS		
Please RUSH me the following:	☐ INFO ON SPACE TIME,  Journal of the Space Age		
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Complete Information on exclusive distributorship for the Plans			
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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT Mr. Tolson. Mr. Belmont DIRECTOR, FBI Mr. DeLoach. Mr. McGuire. Mr. Mohr. Mr. Parson SAC, PITASBURGH (62-0) Mr. Rosen Mr. Tamm Mr. Trotter ... SUBJECT A CARR ENTERPRISES; Mr. W.C.Sullivan (FNU) COLTON; MA PA ORL Tele. Room. Mr. Holloman\_ (FNU) OREPOLTI NY PA Miss Gandy. INFORMATION CONCERNING - INFORMANT OT.C. Enterprises, Inc. On 2/21/59 newscaster for telephonically contacted the Pittsburgh Office and advised SA JOHN S. PORTELLA that certain facts had come to his attention which he thought this Bureau should know about because he could not make up his own mind whether or not they constituted a complete hoax or confidence scheme or whether there was actually anything to the whole story. stated that on Thursday, 2/19/59, he was invited to attend a meeting held at the office of Dr. JENKINS, a chiropractor, at 308 East Eighth Avenue, Homestead, Pa. said he was invited to this meeting by FRAN KACSMIR of the Camera-Radio Company of Pittsburgh, who had told the KQV radio engineers about the O. T. Carr Enterprises and the engineers expressed an interest in the whole thing. said that there were about twenty people present at the meeting and the persons there were professional and industrial people all of whom seemed to be very interested in what one (FNU) FIRST NAME REPOLTI had to say about the O. T. Carr Enterprises of Baltimore, Maryland. In essence REPOLTI pointed out that this group had a huge space ship ready to shoot into orbit with a man aboard that had sufficient rocket power to travel to the moon and back with the man aboard safely. The purpose of the meeting said was to raise funds to purchase a franchise from the enterprise group for the State of Pennsylvania, understood that similar type meetings were being held in 39 other states in the United States for the same purpose and that those people fortunate enough to have been invited to the meeting would be able to purchase a share of the franchise, the total cost of which would be \$30,000. REC-8 62-105105-4 🔞 2 - Bureau 1 - Pittsburgh JSP: bc (3)

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REPOLTI told the assemblage that the O. T. Carr Enterprises would be ready to launch their space ship to the moon on 12/7/59 from Frontier City, Oklahoma, and that they had plans for a publicity kickoff date, to go off 3/15/59. REPOLTI told the group that the O. T. Carr Enterprises had a small prototype of the huge space ship already perfected and that they were attempting to raise funds and interest throughout the country which would enable them to privately build a factory in Baltimore where the huge motors for the huge space ship would be built and later assembled.

REPOLTI also told the group that O. T. Carr representatives were to be in New York on 2/21/59 and that they were to release some publicity on this matter by 11 o'clock a.m. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ stated that he attended the meeting strictly on the basis that he might have a news story and after hearing the above facts he decided to talk to Newscaster JOHN DAILY of ABC, New York, and DAILY returned his call and advised that he had made some confidential inquiries and had determined

stated that he attended the meeting strictly on the basis that he might have a news story and after hearing the above facts he decided to talk to Newscaster JOHN DAILY of ABC, New York, and DAILY returned his call and advised that he had made some confidential inquiries and had determined that the National Space Agency had not heard of CARR and COLTON but the U. S. Army authorities had heard of them. DAILY told | that CARR had appeared before representatives of the U. S. Army and requested \$20,000,000 in order to perfect their plans and build the space ship that would travel to the moon and back with a man aboard. He said the Army authorities told CARR and COLTON that they would be glad to discuss their plans in more detail if they could produce a prototype of the vessel they intended to build and also produce blueprints, plans and other specifications. DAILY said he also learned that sometime after CARR and COLTON left the U. S. Army representatives a lawyer representing both CARR and COLTON, advised the Army authorities that CARR and COLTON had neither plans, specifications nor prototype that they could offer.

stated that REPOLTI advised him that as soon as CARR and COLTON were finished with their publicity kickoff in New York City they planned to come to Pittsburgh, Pa., in order to be interviewed by stated that he intends to interview both men and to try to put the interview on tape.

stated that when he attended the meeting on Thursday, 2/19/59, he acquired a pile of literature and brochures and photographs about the O. T. Carr Enterprises together with photographs of both CARR and COLTON and he would be glad to make this literature and these photographs available at any time for examination.

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The indices of the Pittsburgh Office contain no reference to anything contained in this letter and this letter is being submitted to the Bureau who may desire to bring this matter to the attention of the proper military authorities for their evaluation.

STANDARD FORM NO. 64

## Office Memorandum . United states government

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DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE:

3/18/59

FROM

SAC, PITTSBURGH (62-0-11534A)

SUBJECT:

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INFORMANT

Re Bulet to Pittsburgh dated 3/11/59.

Enclosed are four copies of a letterhead memorandum prepared pursuant to reBulet.

Copies are being forwarded to Baltimore and New York for their information and also in event Bureau should request additional inquiries in those offices.

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### United States Department of Justice Federal Bureau of Investigation

Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania March 18, 1959

O. T. CARR ENTERPRISES; (FNU) COLTON; (FNU) REPOLTI INFORMATION CONCERNING

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said that the money raised is placed in a bank and should the test launching fail, the money is refunded.

REPOLTI told those assembled that the O. T. Carr Enterprises would be ready to launch their space ship to the moon on December 7, 1959, from Frontier City, Oklahoma, and that they had plans for a publicity kickoff date, to go off March 15, 1959. REPOLTI told the group that the O. T. Carr Enterprises had a small prototype of the huge space ship already perfected and that they were attempting to raise funds and interest throughout the country which would enable them to privately build a factory in Baltimore where the huge motors for the huge space ship would be built and later assembled.

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REPOLTI also told the group that O. T. Carr representatives were to be in New York on February 21, 1959, and that they were to release some publicity on this matter by 11 o'clock stated that he attended the meeting strictly on the basis that he might have a news story and after hearing the above facts he decided to talk to Newscaster JOHN DALLY of ABC, New York, and DALLY returned his call and advised that he had made some confidential inquiries and had determined that the National Space Agency had not heard of CARR and COLTON but the U. S. Army authorities had heard of them. DALY told CARR had appeared before representatives of the U.S. Army and requested \$20,000,000 in order to perfect their plans and build the space ship that would travel to the moon and back with a man aboard. He said the Army authorities told CARR and COLTON that they would be glad to discuss their plans in more detail if they could produce a prototype of the vessel they intended to build and also produce blueprints, plans and other specifications. DALT said he also learned that sometime after CARR and COLTON left the U. S. Army representatives a lawyer representing both CARR and COLTON advised the Army authorities that CARR and COLTON had neither plans, specifications nor prototype that they could offer.

stated that REPOLTI advised him that as soon as CARR and COLTON were finished with their publicity kickoff in New York City they planned to come to Pittsburgh, Pa., in order to be interviewed by stated that he intends to interview both men and to try to put the interview on tape.

on March 16, 1959, advised that neither CARR nor COLTON came to Pittsburgh on February 21, 1959, to be interviewed; but he had received telephone calls from COLTON, who was in New York City, and he was still talking about coming to Pittsburgh. on March 16, 1959, stated that the only new information he had was that four or five of the group who met in Homestead, Pa., allegedly went to Oklahoma to look over the launching site and that one POLTERI appeared to be the ringleader. descr white, male, young, good speaker. described POLTERI as also learned that SCHWARTZ (FNU), a Pittsburgh broker, is also interested in this affair. stated that when he attended the meeting on Thursday, February 19, 1959, he acquired a pile of literature and brochures and photographs about the O. T. Carr Enterprises together with photographs of both CARR and COLTON and he would be glad to make this literature and these photographs available at any time for examination.

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Memorandum

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO

DIRECTOR, FBI

12/19/60 DATE:



SAC, LOS ANGELES

SUBJECT:

OTC ENTERPRISES, INCORPORATED Information Concerning 00: Pittsburgh

Enclosed for Bureau are 5 copies of letterhead memo dated as above and captioned, "OTC ENTERPRISES, INCORPORATED". Three copies are enclosed for Pittsburgh. One information copy is enclosed for Baltimore.

Marquardt Corporation is a Key Facility engaged in aircraft Engine Research and Supersonic Research. The Air Force is both responsible and interested in this agency. In view of the nature of inquiry, no dissemination is being made locally to the Office of Special Investigations.

Los Angeles contemplates no investigation in this matter. Pittsburgh is requested to furnish Los Angeles the results of any investigation which may be conducted on captioned firm.

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#### UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION Los Angeles, California February 19, 1960

### OTC ENTERPRISES, INCORPORATED

On January 13, 1960 JOE FELTHOUSE, Special Agent, the Marquardt Corporation, 16555 Saticoy Street, Van Nuys, California, advised that a letter was received at that firm from OTC Enterprises, Incorporated. Information was requested in the field of Atomic Research and Development. FELTHOUSE said OTC Enterprises, Incorporated is unknown to the Marquardt Corporation. The letter reads as follows:

"OTC ENTERPRISES, INCORPORATED 2502 North Calvert Street Baltimore 18, Maryland Tuxedo 9-4900

December 28, 1959

"The Marquardt Corporation Corporate Offices 16555 Saticoy Street Van Nuys, California

### "Gentlemen:

"Your company has been brought to our attention and we would appreciate hearing from you in regards to your products and their application in the field of Atomic Research and Development.

"All Samples, Technical Data, Prices, Catalogs, Bulletins, Brochures, Booklets, General and Descriptive Information on your company and its products will be given our utmost attention.

62-105/05 - P ENCLOSURE RE: OTC ENTERPRISES, INCORPORATED

"Cordially,

"Dennis Rapolti Director of Sales Engineering OTC PENNSYLVANIA CORPORATION 308 East **Ei**ghth Avenue Homestead, Penna.

"DR:me"

Indices of the Los Angeles Office of the FBI contain no references to OTC Enterprises, Incorporated or DENNIS RAPOLTI as of February 8, 1960.

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

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### Office Memorandum . United states government

TO:

DIRECTOR, FBI

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DATE: 4/8/60

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Re Los Angeles letter to Bureau, 2/19/60, with enclosed letterhead memorandum regarding captioned organization.

Enclosed for the Bureau are five copies of a letterhead memorandum incorporating the results of inquiries made at Pittsburgh regarding captioned organization and one DENNIS RAPOLTI, Pennsylvania representative of this organization.

Two copies of this memorandum are enclosed for Los Angeles in the event that office desires to disseminate this information. One copy has been furnished to Baltimore as OTC Enterprises, Inc., is located at 2502 N. Calvert St., Baltimore 18, Md. One copy has been furnished to Dallas in view of the inquiry of that office set forth in Dallas letter to Baltimore, 12/1/59, and one copy to Oklahoma City in view of information developed indicating that OTC Enterprises was involved in court proceedings in Oklahoma.

The source in paragraph 1 of the memorandum is a report dated 8/12/59 of Dun and Bradstreet, Inc., 5215 Centre Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa., examined on 3/7/60 by SA JACK W. SULLIVAN. Information obtained from MRS. DOROTHY DUDA, Chamber of Commerce, Homestead, Pa., and W. G. MC MORRAN, Better Business Bureau of Pittsburgh, was furnished to SA SULLIVAN. Records of the Homestead Police Department were checked by SA SULLIVAN, while the remainder of the record checks mentioned in this memorandum were made by IC GEORGE C. DIPPOLD.

Instant case has been placed in a closed status at Pittsburgh.

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#### UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

#### FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania April 8, 1960

OTC Enterprises, Inc., aka Otis T. Carr Enterprises, Inc.

On March 7, 1960, a source, which maintains credit and financial information concerning business organizations, furnished information indicating that OTC Enterprises, Inc., 308 East 8th Ave., Homestead, Pa., was a branch of OTC Enterprises, Inc., Baltimore, Md., under the management of NORMAN E MOLTON. In March, 1959, KOLTON advised this source that the Homestead Office of this corporation was mainly for the purpose of handling public and press relations; that a franchised dealership to sell "energizing machines" in Western Pennsylvania would be established at this address under the management of DENNIS PAPOLTI; and that this dealership would be separately incorporated and operated independently of OTC Enterprises in Baltimore, Md. This source advised that as of August, 1959, OTC Enterprises, 308 East 8th Avenue, Homestead, Pa. had not been incorporated in the state of Pennsylvania.

On March 17, 1960, MRS. DOROTHY DUDA, Secretary, Chamber of Commerce, Ann St., Homestead, Pa., made available an illustrated brochure published by OTC Enterprises and a business card showing that DENNIS RAPOLTI was the Pennsylvania representative of this organization. MRS. DUDA advised that the Chamber of Commerce had received some inquiries concerning OTC Enterprises. According to DUDA, RAPOLTI or some other representative of this organization caused a disturbance at the public library in Homestead by demanding that the library remove certain science books from the shelves and replace them with books supplied by OTC Enterprises. It was claimed that the library's books were inaccurate and did not contain the true facts concerning atomic science and space travel. MRS. DUDA also advised that OTC Enterprises allegedly was promoting the sale of a "do-it-yourself space rocket" to be used for space travel. MRS. DUDA also stated that she had learned through the Better Business Bureau of Pittsburgh that OTC Enterprises had been involved in court proceedings in Oklahoma.

The brochure furnished by MRS. DUDA illustrated the theories of OTIS T. CARR and contained drawings of vehicles allegedly for space travel and a description of "The World's First Industrial Complex To Be Run by Universal Free Energy" to be constructed near Baltimore, Md. This brochure claimed that

62-105/05-7 ENCLOSURE OTC Enterprises, Inc.

"The efforts of OTC Enterprises, Inc., are directed toward the peaceful uses of atomic energy" and described "the Carrótto Gravity Motor," "the utilization of solar energy," "the Proton Gun," and "the Fourth Dimensional Space Vehicle - OTC-X1, a circular foil space craft." This brochure contained the following statements:

"In the face of incredulity, we are able to state with full authority and responsibility that we have tapped an universal supply of energy in the form of gravity, and we have been able to harness the pressure energy of this force to motion with the result that we have built and put into operation a machine that produces power continuously and absolutely free of dissipation."

"Beginning from the working pilot models, which we have achieved in prototype, our broad researches are aimed at commercial atomic-power applications to every conceivable device from hearing aids and portable television sets, to space cruisers that will without the slightest doubt be carrying parties of explorers to the moon within the next few years of our lifetime."

On March 18, 1960, W. G. MC MORRAN, Manager, Financial Division, Better Business Bureau of Pittsburgh, Inc., 411 - 7th Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., advised that he had conducted considerable investigation of OTC Enterprises in the Pittsburgh area. MC MORRAN stated that he learned that a meeting of this organization, whose main headquarters are at 2502 N. Calvert St., Baltimore 18, Md., was held on June 2, 1959, at the Penn-McKee Hotel in McKeesport, Pa., and that a MISS DANA HOWARD, "noted author," attempted to explain the operations of OTC Enterprises. MC MORRAN stated that MISS HOWARD was unable to answer technical questions and that certain engineers who attended this meeting described the events which took place at this meeting as "electronic gobbledygook." According to MC MORRAN, OTC Enterprises claimed that they had a space vehicle which would be launched in a mid-western state on December 7, 1959, for a trip to the moon and return.

MC MORRAN also advised that his records indicated that on May 29, 1959, a U. S. District Court in Oklahoma City issued a temporary restraining order directed against OTC Enterprises on the petition of the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC).

OTC Enterprises, Inc.

The SEC claimed that OTC Enterprises had engaged in practices in violation of the Securities Act of 1933 in that, since November, 1955, they had been selling options and rights to purchase and deposit receipts for shares of OTC capital stock. SEC charged that OTC Enterprises had been using the U. S. Mails and interstate communications to sell stock which had not been registered with the SEC. On August 15, 1959, in Oklahoma City, OTIS T. CARR and associates, who claimed to have designed a flying saucer which would fly to the moon on electro-magnetic energy and had been selling saucer plans and space literature at \$5.00 per copy, pleaded not guilty to charges of selling non-registered stock in Oklahoma. CARR and associates were released on \$1,000 bonds.

MC MORRAN also advised that DENNIS RAPOLTI, local representative of OTC Enterprises, had been described to him as "a screwball" and as being "very unstable" and that a DR. HARRY D. JENKINS, a chiropractor, 618 Market St., McKeesport, Pa., and his wife, ADA, nee RIBAR, were also connected with OTC Enterprises at 308 East 8th Ave., Homestead, Pa.

Records of Credit Bureau, Inc., 635 Smithfield St., Pittsburgh, as of March 18, 1960, contained a credit report dated December 1, 1959, which indicated that DENNIS RAPOLTI, a salesman for OTC Enterprises, 308 East 8th Avenue, Homestead, resided with his parents at 20 D. Midway Drive, Whitaker, Pa.; that his wife and one child resided in Daytona Beach, Fla.; that he was 22 years of age; and that he was formerly employed by the May-Sterna Company in Pittsburgh. This report indicated that RAPOLTI was slow in paying his accounts and that one account had been charged off as uncollectible while another had been placed in the hands of an attorney for collection.

The above records also reflected that DR. HARRY D. JENKINS and wife, ADA, resided at 619 Woodside Road, Pittsburgh 21, Pa., and that JENKINS was selfeemployed as a chiropractor at 2215 Ardmore Boulevard, Pittsburgh 21, Pa. The records indicated that MRS. ADA JENKINS, nee RIBAR, was also a chiropractor and that she and her husband also maintained offices in Homestead and McKeespert, Pa. No credit record was listed for DR. JENKINS or his wife.

As of March 21, 1960, DENNIS RAPOLTI had no record with the Pittsburgh Police Department, the Homestead, Pa., Police Department, or the Allegheny County Detective Bureau, Pittsburgh.

OTC Enterprises, Inc.

As of March 21, 1960, DR. HARRY D. JENKINS and his wife had no record with the Homestead, McKeesport and Pittsburgh Police Departments or the Allegheny County Detective, Bureau, Pittsburgh.

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### Saucer-to-Moon Co. Gets In New Trouble

N. Y. Attorney General to Probe Firm; Says \$50,000 Worth of Stock Sold

A company which failed to stir up much interest here last summer in its plan to send a manned saucer to the moon and back got into new trouble yesterday.

Otis Thearr and his O. T. C. Enterprises, was announced as the topic of an investigation by New York State's attorney general, Louis

J. Lefkowitz. The attorney quarters in Baltimore. Since general said the company sold Mr. Lefkowitz has no jurisdic-\$50,000 worth of stock over tion outside New York, it was the last two years for a saucer questionable whether persons with a motor that was to have sought for questioning would perpetual energy.

Court in Oklahoma City from Carr and a number of emselling stock before it opened ployes, including Margaret a branch office in June, 1959, Storm, of Route 2, Fayetteon East Eighth Avenue in ville, Franklin County, who Homestead.

#### Two Public Meetings

The Carr representative two public meetings, one in McKeesport and one at the Penn-Sheraton Hotel. They was as wall decorations. were attended by local scientists and engineers who left made a one-week flight to the the meetings convinced the moon beginning last Decemproject would never get off ber 7. the ground.

· The New York attorney general set September 26 for questioning of the firm's officials. The company has its head-

appear.

The company previously His New York State Suwas restrained by a Federal preme Court order named Mr. was not otherwise identified.

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Carr's office here sold packhere, Norman E. Colton, held ages of plans for the space

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Mr. Tolson\_ Mr. Mohr. Mr. Parsons. Mr. Belmont\_ Mr. Callahan. Mr. DeLoach. Mr. Malone . Mr. M.Curs Mr. Rosen Mr. Tamm .. Mr. Trotter Mr. W.C.Sullivers Tele, Roem \_\_\_ Mr. Ingrain Miss Gandy...

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Mr. W. C. Sullivan

DATE: September 25, 1961

Trotter Tele, Room

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FROM : R. W. Smith

O. T. C. ENTERPRISES, INCORPORATED BALTIMORE, MARYLAND, AND HOMESTEAD, PENNSYLVANIA INFORMATION CONCERNING CENTRAL RESEARCH MATTER

The New York State Supreme Court has finally stepped in to protect gullible New Yorkers from the enticements of a "flying saucer" firm known as O. T. C. Enterprises, Incorporated. What will be done with the \$50,000 already collected for production of the OTC-XI, a "space ship capable of excursions to the moon, "was not explained. All the Court did was order the firm's promoters to quit selling their stock in the State of New York. (The New York Times, 9/22/61, p. C-22)

### Fingerprint Device

Otis T. Carr. president and founder of O. T. C. enterprises, is presently serving a jail term in Oklahoma City for selling unregistered stock. Reportedly, he is working off a \$5,000 fine at the rate of \$1 a day. Bureau files reveal that, in 1939, an Otis T. Carr, of New York City, tried to interest the Bureau in a fingerprint device which he described as 'most emphatically of scientific importance in the field of fingerprint work." Examination of the device by a Bureau representative showed that it was a simple piece of prismatic glass, through which a person's fingerprints could be viewed and/or photographed. The "highly developed chemical liquid" inside the prism was determined to be simple corn syrup. (62-105105; 32-15382-93, 96; The New York Times, 9/22/61, p. C-22)

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Memo Smith to Sullivan

Re: O. T. C. ENTERPRISES, INCORPORATED
BALTIMORE, MARYLAND, AND HOMESTEAD, PENNSYLVANIA
INFORMATION CONCERNING

### **Test Canceled**

O. T. C. Enterprises has been in business since at least 1958, and by 1959 its promoters had reportedly canvassed prospective investors in 39 states. The Securities and Exchange Commission claims that a number of the firm's practices are in violation of the Securities Act of 1933. O. T. C. representatives announced in 1959 that a six-foot prototype of the OTC-XI would be tested at Frontier City, Oklahoma, but the test was abruptly canceled when the firm charged that the Federal Government was planning to seize the prototype and classify all information about the project. (62-105105; The New York Times, 9/22/61, p. C-22)

### **Bureau Investigations**

Norman E. Colton, of Baltimore, Maryland, has been variously described as Director of Public Education Control and Director of Sales Engineering for O. T. C. Enterprises. Bureau files reveal that Colton was dismissed from the Aberdeen Proving Grounds in 1953 for alleged falsification of records. In 1953, Colton was also the subject of a Bureau Impersonation investigation resulting from the cashing of bad checks and of a Fraud Against the Government investigation based on allegedly fraudulent expense vouchers submitted by him while he was employed by the Army. Prosecution in both cases was declined by the United States Attorney. (62-105105)

### RECOMMENDATION:

For the information of the Director. No dissemination is being recommended in view of the fact that the Securities and Exchange Commission is already familiar with the activities of Carr and his firm.

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May 6, 1968

Honorable Frank J. Lausche United States Senate Washington, D. C. 20510

My dear Senator:

The copy of your communication enclosing copies of a letter from Mr. Dan B. Haber of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_, and the reply of your administrative assistant were received on May 3rd.

In response to Mr. Haber's inquiry, although I would like to be of assistance in this matter, information contained in our files must be maintained as confidential in accordance with regulations of the Department of Justice. I am sorry I am unable to furnish the data he is seeking.

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Sincerely yours,

J. Edgar Hoover

NOTE: Bufiles indicate prior cordial correspondence with Senator Lausche. In 1958 Haber furnished information to the Cleveland Office concerning Otis T. Carr which was referred to the Securities and Exchange Commission. In 1961, a memo from Mr. R. W. Smith to Mr. W. C. Sullivan dated 9-25-61, indicated Otis T. Carr was at that time serving a jail term in Oklahoma for selling unregistered stock.

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### United States Senate

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Respectfully referred to

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U. S. Post Office Department
The Federal Bureau of Investigation
Department of the Air Force

for such consideration as the communication herewith submitted may warrant, and <u>for a report</u> thereon, <u>in duplicate</u> to accompany <u>return of inclosure</u>.

By direction of

Frank J. Lausche

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### United States Senate

COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE WASHINGTON, D.C. 20510

May 2, 1968

Dear Mr. Haber:

Senator Lausche has requested me to acknowledge receipt of your letter of April 28th requesting his assistance in obtaining information relating to the disposition of the case against "Otis T. Carr".

Whether or not the reports you are seeking are available from the U. S. Post Office, the FBI and the Air Force, I cannot say but inquiry will be made in your behalf.

If such information is available, it will be forwarded to you upon arrival in our office.

Sincerely yours,

Administrative Assistant to

Senator Frank J. Lausche

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Honorable Frank J. Lausche, United States Senate, Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Senator Lausche,

Burn Dr. Daffage.

You have given me valuable help in the past. This is most appreciated. Again I come to you for help.

In the late 1950's Otis T. Carr was a man who loomed large in the "Flying Saucer Confusion." Eventually, Carr sold stock in the "O.T.C. Enterprises, Inc." It was a fraud. He used the mails to defraud. His enterprise was illegal from start to finish.

I want to know the disposition of the Otis T. Carr case as recorded by the Post Office, the F.B.I., and the Air Force that dominated Flying Saucer research.

I am a free lance writer. Can you get me this information from the three sources indicated? I have discovered that your office can get results that seem denied to me.

Most respectfully,

Dan B. Haber

P.S. It will be appreciated if you can secure a report from the Post Office Department, the F.B.I., and the Air Force.

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Mr. A. H. Belmont

DATE: June 4, 1958

Mr. J. A. Sizoo FROM :

SUBJECT:

MRS. PEDER SCHMIT INFORMATION CONCERNING

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Mrs Peder O

Mrs. Schmit called today and mentioned several subject matters She is eccentric, to put it mildly, and calls me from time to time concerning matters she believes of interest to the Bureau.

She discussed at length efforts which she is engaged in to oppose a slaughter bill which is pending on the Hill. She also discussed her interest in flying saucers and other space vehicles. She belongs to a flying saucer club and will attend, this summer, a convention of flying saucer representatives in Michigan. She also said that in connection with her flying saucer activities she had learned that one Otis T. Carr, President of Otis Enterprises, Inc., 2502 North Calvert Street, Baltimore 18, Maryland, who is an electronics expert, is manufacturing a spaceship which he claims will travel 5000 miles per hour.

She asked if it would be all right if she contacted the Russian Embassy. I told her that was a matter which she, herself, must decide and that we could not give her any advice. She said that she had already called the Russian Embassy and had asked for an appointment with the Russian Ambassador and she wanted us to know that she had made such a request. She said she would advise me at some future date whether she was successful in meeting the Ambassador. She said the reason she was attempting to contact the Russian Embassy was that she wanted to impress upon the Russians that it was futile for them to develop add plan equipment that would blow up the earth as the forces from outer space were such that the Russians could themselves be obliterated. She then made reference to the "red snow" which she said fell on Minnesota some years ago and that she recalls walking in the "red snow." She said this was brought to the earth by Martians for the purpose of fertilizing otherwise rather unproductive farmland.

Supervisor Oberndorf, WFO, was advised of her efforts to contact the Russian Ambassador.

ACTION:

cc - Mr. Belmont

cc - Mr. Branigan JAS: idd V