

Submitted March 29, 2009 to the

SUBCOMMITTEE ON IMMIGRATION, CITIZENSHIP, REFUGEES, BORDER SECURITY, AND INTERNATIONAL LAW.

RE: Wartime Treatment Study Act HR 1425

The documents which follow, leaves one with the question for the Department of Justice, the question is: "Please define "German tendencies" since it was used extensively to incarcerate German Americans during WWII."

The Federal Bureau of Investigation files are replete with such documents which are attached to this statement; these documents give the impression that German Americans were arrested because of "attributes" as opposed to "Nazi ideology."

This document is submitted by Dianna K. Vickers daughter of Arthur D. Jacobs, a victim of internment in the United States during World War II.

Dianna K. (Jacobs) Vickers

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

WASHINGTON, D. C.

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April 7, 1942 76724

MEMORANDUM FOR MR. J. EDGAR HOOVER
DIRECTOR, FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Re: Apprehensions of thirty-one individuals
of German tendencies.

Reference is made to your memorandum of March 26, 1942, listing the names and addresses of thirty-one individuals of German tendencies apprehended by you together with the approximate date of apprehension of each.

You state that the review of your files reflects that the Presidential Warrants covering the apprehensions of these individuals have not been received by you. A review of this Unit's records reveal that Presidential Warrants have previously been issued for the apprehensions of: William Otto Rumpf, 2115 North Claiborne Avenue, New Orleans, Louisiana, dated January 8, 1942 and Hans Joachim Friedrich Schmaljohann, 169 South Meyer Street, Tucson, Arizona, dated March 30, 1942.

Accordingly, Presidential Warrants for the two above-named subjects have been omitted from the list of thirty-one individuals submitted by you. We are transmitting herewith our Presidential Warrants covering the apprehensions of the remaining twenty-nine German alien enemies. You will note that three copies of each warrant are attached to the original and it will be appreciated if you will transmit a copy of each to the Immigration and Naturalization Service and a copy to the appropriate United States Attorney.

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Edward J. Ennis

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Director, Alien Enemy Control Unit



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WASHINGTON, D. C.

April 15, 1942

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Mr. Tolson	
Mr. E. A. Tamm	
Mr. Clegg	
Mr. Glavin	
Mr. Ladd	
Mr. Nichols	
Mr. Rosen	
Mr. Tracy	
Mr. Carson	
Mr. Egan	
Mr. Gurnea	
Mr. Harbo	
Mr. Hendon	
Mr. Pennington	
Mr. Quinn	
Mr. Nease	
Miss Gandy	

MEMORANDUM FOR MR. EDGAR J. HOOPER
DIRECTOR, FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Re: Apprehension of twenty individuals
of German tendency listed on attached
sheet.

Reference is made to your memorandum of
April 8, 1942 listing the names and addresses of twenty
individuals of German tendency apprehended by you with
the approximate date of arrest of each. You state that
a review of your files reflects that Presidential
Warrants covering the apprehension of these individuals,
all made immediately following the declaration of war,
have not been received by you.

Accordingly transmitted herewith are
Presidential Warrants covering the apprehension of
these twenty individuals of German tendency. You
will note that three copies of each warrant are
attached to the original and it will be appreciated
if you will transmit a copy of each to the Immigration
and Naturalization Service and a copy of each to the
appropriate United States Attorney.

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NAME	ADDRESS
Wagner, Frank Joseph	8109 Reilly Avenue St. Louis, Missouri
Wieland, Gustav Emil	7921 South Shore Drive Chicago, Illinois
Wieland, John Henry	7921 South Shore Drive Chicago, Illinois
Wieland, Wilhelm Peter	7921 South Shore Drive Chicago, Illinois
Wild, Wilhelm	3620 North Heritage Avenue Chicago, Illinois
Wilms, Friedrich	7306 South Paulina Street Chicago, Illinois
Winkel, William August	1734 Swart Street, N.E. Washington, D. C.
Winkler, Albert D.	161 West 36th Street New York, New York
Winkler, Willy Richard	3826 North 11th Street Milwaukee, Wisconsin
Witt, Wilhelm Johannes	322 East 1st Street Clifton, New Jersey
Witkowski, Erich Bernhard alias, Erich Bernhard Witkowski	Apt. 103 715 South Bixel Street Los Angeles, California
Wortelmann, Gustav Adolf	3615 North Mozart Street Chicago, Illinois
Wrede, Heinz Gerhart	6120 Lohmeier Avenue Hollywood, California
Wuensche, Julius (Dr.)	27 Schererhorn Street Brooklyn, New York
Yauck, Alexander	514 1/2 Main Street Kansas City, Missouri
Zasinger, Karl	1217 East 80th Street Cleveland, Ohio
Zahn, Alfred	204 West 106th Street New York, New York
Zerolin, Ingeborg Helga alias, Lisa Zepelin	Harbison Hotel New York, New York
Zingelmann, Kurt Ferdinand	Hollingers Island Mobile, Alabama