

THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO

PART ONE

ITEM That LRH was born in Tilden Nebraska on 13 March, 1911.(1,2)

* LRH Was born Lafayette Ronald Hubbard on 13 March 1911, in Tilden, Neb.(3)

* An undated article from the Tilden 'Citizen' (4) states that LRH was born at Dr. Campbell's hospital, on Oak Street.

* LRH's Certificate of birth lists an 'S.A.' Cambell as attendant at birth(3)

* Doris Chase Doane, an astrologer states that LRH gave her this date and place as well as the time of 2:01 A.M. C.S.T. , during an interview in Los Angeles (5)

ITEM That LRH is a descendant of one Count de Loupe who entered England with the Norman invasion of the tenth century A.D. (1)

* LRH's maternal grandmother's name was Ida Corinne DeWolfe, who was born in Hampshire, Illinois on 6 August 1863, and died in Hamilton, Montana on the 25th of March, 1944. Her father was John A. DeWolfe, and her mother was Louesa Doty both from Pennsylvania. (6)

ITEM That on his fathers side, he is descended from the English Hubbards who came to America in the 18th century. (10)

* LRH's father was Harry Ross Hubbard, (3)

* Harry Ross Hubbard was born Henry August Wilson on 31 August 1886 at Fayette, Iowa, but at an early age, his mother died, and he was adopted by Mr. and Mrs. James W. Hubbard, of Fayette County, and his name was changed to Harry Ross Hubbard. In his Navy service record is an affidavit from his blood brother, 'J.R. Wilson', and other documents, which were accepted as true by the Navy Department.(7)

PART TWO

ITEM That LRH's maternal grandfather was a cattleman who owned a ranch in Montana(1) and that this ranch was "one quarter of Montana" (8)

* LRH's maternal grandfather was Lafayette O. Waterbury(9) who was born in Grand Rapids, Michigan on 25 July 1864, and died in Helena, Montana on 18 August 1931. His father was Abram Waterbury, and his mother was Margaret Mettler, of New York (10) (4)

* L.O. Waterbury owned, in 1927, the Capital City Coal Co. six miles S.E. of Helena, and lived at 735 Fifth Ave, in Helena, from 1917 to 1925. In 1925 he was in the automobile accessories business. (11)

* L.O. Waterbury's wife was Ida Corinne who also lived at this address. (11),(4)

* The office of the Secretary of State of Montana lists the Capital City Coal Co. but has no record of L.O. Waterbury having owned land in Montana. (12)

* The office of the Clerk and Recorder of Lewis and Clark County (Helena) has no record of any land owned by L.O. Waterbury. (13)

* The Montana Historical Society has an index of people who filed deeds, of homesteaders, and plat maps of Montana but has no record of L.O. Waterbury. (14)

* The U.S. Department of the Interior, Bureau of Land Management, in Billings has no record of a L.O. Waterbury. (15)

ITEM That LRH grew up on his grandfathers cattle ranch in Montana.(1),(16)

* In addition to LRH's grandparents, L.O. and Ida, his parents lived at the same address from 1918 to 1922. (17)

* L.O.'s brother Ray Waterbury, and sisters Hope, Tillie, and Louise lived at the Fifth Ave address in the same period (17)

* LRH's father lists in his navy insurance beneficiary form, 31 Mar. 1927 dependants LRH and Ledora May at 736 Fifth Ave, Helena (18)

* The Navy Department record of discharge for Harry Ross lists, on 18 Dec. 1918 LRH at 736 Fifth Ave.(19)

* Harry Ross' record of allotment of part of his pay to his dependants lists LRH at 736 Fifth Ave., on 10 Oct. 1917 (22)

* Harry Ross' Officer compensation slip dated 2 Nov 1918, lists LRH at the same address, 736 Fifth Ave. (23)

* The Helena Public School District has a registration card on LRH dated 2 Jan 1917, when he started kindergarten at Central School, in Helena. The address listed is 736 Fifth Ave. (20) ✓

* LRH was enrolled at Helena High School on 6 Sept. 1927. His registration card shows his address as 736 Fifth Ave. (21) ✓

* LRH describes an incident where he methodically sought out and beat up five O'Connell brothers and a Leon Brown, who used to pick on him on his way to school, when he was six years old. (24) Helena School District records show that there were five brothers named O'Connell, and an Ernest Brown, who were attending Central School at the time LRH was there. (25) ✓

* Harry Ross worked for an "I. Smith Coal and Cattle Co. in 1914-15-16. (26) ✓

ITEM That LRH was the youngest Eagle Scout in America. (1)

* The Boy Scouts of America neither keep, or place any value in such records. (27) ✓

* There were two 'Ronald Hubbards' who were Eagle Scouts at the approximate time LRH claims this distinction. One was in Trumbull County, Ohio, and the other was in Washington D.C. There are no records of parents names or addresses that go back that far. (28) ✓

ITEM That LRH was a blood brother of the Blackfoot (sic) Indian Tribe while he lived on the ranch in Montana. (1), (16)

* The BlackFEET Indian Agency has no record of LRH, as a blood brother. (29) ✓

* The Blackfeet Indians did 'adopt' a number of non-Indians, and give them Blackfeet names, however, their records do not go back that far. (29) ✓

PART THREE

ITEM That in 1925 LRH was in China(16) and that because of his fathers service in the Navy, and his grandfathers wealth, LRH was able to spend the next frw years traveling in the Far East.(1),(16). LRH traveled up and down the coast of China, and ventured far into it's western hills, visited Tibet, India, and the Philippines, where he learned an entire language in one night,(30)and islands in the South Pacific where he relieved the natives fears of a rumbling sound by exploring a haunted cave and showing them that the sound was just an underground river. (1),(16),(30).

* In 1925, LRH was 14. He could not have been listed on a parent or guardians passport. (31)

* While Americans were not required to have a valid passport from 1922 to 1941 many countries required that visitors did have one to enter those lands.(32)

* LRH was issued passport # Z-1889248 on 23 April 1974. The State Department will not say whether LRH was ever issued a passport previous to 1974. (33)

* Harry Ross Hubbard was never stationed outside the United States untill 1927, when he was ordered to the Island of Guam as a supply officer. (34),(35).

* LRH spent the full school year 1925-26 at Union High School in Bremerton Washington. (36)

* In 1925 and 1926 Harry Ross was stationed at the Puget Sound Naval Shipyard near Seattle, Washington. (39)

* At the start of the school year 1926-27, LRH was enrolled in Queen Anne High School, in Seattle. (36),(37),(38).

* In April of 1927, Harry Ross was transfered to Guam (34),(35).

* LRH dropped out of Queen Anne in April 1927. (37)

* LRH spent the second half of the school year 1926-27 enroute to Guam, where he was tutored by his mother who was certified as a school teacher in Nebraska. (36)

- * Transportation to Guam for LRH and his mother was arranged by Harry Ross. (40)
- * LRH and his mother left San Francisco on 30 April 1927, aboard the steamship "President Madison", for Guam, via the Philippines. (41)
- * LRH returned to Montana for the school year 1927-28. (36)
- * LRH attended Helena High School from 6 Sept, 1927 to 11 May 28, when he dropped out. (42)
- * In the summer of 1928, LRH returned to Guam and spent the full school year under intensive prepping by his mother in order to qualify for admittance to the Naval Academy, but fauled math. (36)
- * At the opening of the school year 1929-30, LRH was enrolled at Swavelys Prep School in Manassas, Virginia. He developed eyestrain and was found to be nearsighted, and so unqualified for the Naval Academy. (36)
- * LRH was enrolled at the Woodward School for Boys in Washington, D.C. on Feb. 30, and graduated in June 1930. (43)

PART FOUR

ITEM That LRH is a nuclear physicist. (45), (46), (47), (48)

- * LRH took one class in atomic and molecular physics at G.W.U. He failed it. (43)

ITEM That LRH recieved the degree B.S. in civil engineering. (7), (49), (50)

- * LRH dropped out of G.W.U. at the end of the second year. (43)

ITEM That LRH was trained by William Allen White at the U.S. Government Mental Assylum in Washington, D.C., St. Elizabeths. (24)

- * St. Elizabeths requires that their 'students' be completing their internship as part of a college program. They have no record of LRH. (55)

- * LRH's grades from George Washington University are as follows (51)

For the year 1930-1931, the first semester.

English 1/2, Rhetoric	C
General Chemistry 3/4	D
Mechanical Engineering 3/4	B
Analytical Geometry	F
Physical Education	C
First Year German	E
Civil Engineering	B

For the year 1930-1931, the second semester.

English 1/2 Rhetoric	B
General Chemistry 3/4	D
Mechanical Engineering	C
Physical Education	A
First Year German	F
Differential Calculus	F

For the year 1931-1932, the first semester.

Physics, dynamics of sound and light	E
Differential Calculus	D
Integral Calculus	
Plane Anal. Geometry	D
English, short stories	B

For the year 1931-1932, the second semester.

Integral Calculus	D
English, Short Stories	B
Physics, electricity and magnetism	D
Nuclear Physics	F

Hubbards grade average was 2.28, or a "D" average.

PART FIVE

ITEM That LRH conducted the first complete mineralogical survey of Puerto Rico in the early thirties. (1),(2),(16),(50),(58); that this expedition was of international importance(9), and was for the explorers club of New York (9)✓

- * LRH did not become a member of the explorers club until 1940. (59)

- * The New York Zoological Society, and the National Geographic Society are very aware of important expeditions. Neither organization has any record of LRH. (60),(61)✓

- * The Department of Natural Resources in San Juan, Puerto Rico has no record of LRH. There was a 'Bella' Hubbard who did geological survey work in the Lares district of Puerto Rico in the twenties. (62)✓

- * The U.S. Geological Survey has no record of LRH. (63)✓

- * A professor of geology at the University of Puerto Rico in 1932-32, who prepared the "Geology of Puerto Rico" for that university, knows of Bella Hubbard, but had never heard of LRH. (64)✓

- * In September of 1928 a hurricane destroyed much of the coffee crop there and the American Red Cross sent a great many volunteers to help with the re-planting and rebuilding as well as medical aid. (67)✓

- * LRH was sent there to help the Red Cross by his father. LRH left Hampton Roads, Virginia on 26 October 1932, aboard the military transport USS Kittery for the island of Puerto Rico. (68)✓

ITEM That LRH conducted the Caribbean Underwater Motion Picture Expedition of 1934. (1),(2),(16),(50),(58), which was internationally important (9)✓ in which LRH was the first to use the bathysphere, or diving ball (9)✓ and which provided the University of Michigan, and the Navy Hydrographic office with valuable underwater film. (1),(2),(9),(16),(50),(58).

- * The University of Michigan has no record of this expedition, or of LRH. (69)✓

- * The explorers club of New York investigated this alleged expedition, which LRH listed on his application for membership, and could find no record. (71)✓

- * LRH is quoted as saying that this 'expedition' was really just a bunch of college kids on a conducted tour of Caribbean Islands, and that he quit the ship in Puerto Rico. (70)

ITEM That LRH led the noted Alaskan Experimental Radio Expedition, in 1939 and 1940. (1),(9),(50),(58).

- * The explorers club was not able to find any record of this. (71)✓
- * LRH has never had a license to fly powered aircraft, only gliders. (73)
- * In about 1939, LRH bought a small boat named 'Magician', which he sailed to Alaska. (59) (99)✓

ITEM LRH was in Alaska in 1940 to rewrite the navigational guide "Coast Pilot" (58)

- * No civilians were sent to do field work for the Coast Pilot in 1940. (71)✓
- * The Coast Pilot was rewritten in 1932, and 1943, but not in 1940. (71)✓
- * The U.S. Coast and geodesic survey roster of 1940 does not list LRH. There was a Leonard Hubbard. (71)✓

ITEM That LRH was issued license to master of motor vessels, and sailing vessels by the U.S. Department of Commerce. (1),(9),(16).

- * These licenses are issued by the U.S. Coast Guard, a department of the Commerce Dept. (77),(78)✓

- * The Coast Guard can not locate any record of any license being issued to LRH. (79),(80)✓

PART SIX

ITEM That LRH was a top sergeant in the Marine Corps. (80)✓

* LRH, serial # 227219, enlisted in the United States Marine Corps in Washington D.C. four months before he entered George Washington University- on 1 May, 1930. His enlistment period was for four years. The date of birth listed is 13 Mar. 1909 his occupation as photographer, and his home as Oakcrest, Virginia.

LRH's service was with the Marine Corps reserve- he was not called to active duty and did not spend any time on active duty, although his record shows that he was "trained" from 23 August 1931 to 4 September, 1931.

On the 26th of June, less than two months after LRH enlisted the record shows that he was promoted to First Sergeant (E-8) from private. This skips six ranks from private first class to Master Sergeant. The Marine Corps Headquarters is unable to determine how -this happened.

LRH was rated as 'excellent' in military efficiency, sobriety, and obedience. On 22 October 1931 LRH recieved an honorable discharge with the condition that he not be re-enlisted.

The physical description from his service record - 5'10½" 165# grey eyes, red hair ruddy complexion, scar on back of right elbow, and birthmark inside right ankle. (75)✓

ITEM That LRH was commissioned before WWII. (1), (16).

- * LRH serial # 113392, Was commissioned as an Ensign on 19 July 1941 (74)✓

ITEM That LRH was ordered to the Philippine Islands at the outbreak of that war. (1)

- * In 1941 the Philippine Islands were in the 16th Naval District. (83)✓
- * LRH was never attached to the 16th Naval District. (74)✓
- * At the beginning of WWII (Dec 1941) LRH was at the headquarters of the 3rd naval District which was in New York. (74)✓, (83)✓

ITEM That LRH was the first returned casualty of the war in the Pacific. (1)

- * LRH left the United States on 18 Dec. 1941 for Australia, and returned to the U.S. on 2 April 1942. (74)✓

ITEM That after LRH was returned to the U.S.- without a rest was ordered to take command of a Navy ship known as a 'corvette'. (1)

- * Hubbards next duty station after returning from Australia, was New York. (74)✓

ITEM That LRH rose to command a squadron.(1),(82)

- * LRH was in command of one U.S. Navy ship during his Navy career. This ship was the USS PC-815, a destroyer escort vessel with a crew of about 60. LRH took command of the PC-815 on the date of her commissioning, 21 April 1943. The PC-815 remained at the Albina Shipyards in Portland, Oregon until the end of May 1943 then steamed down the Willamette and Columbia Rivers to the Pacific, and south to San Diego where she underwent training exercises off the coast of California and Mexico. On June 28, 1943, LRH ordered his crew to fire the ships 3" gun, and .30 and .45 caliber small arms. At the time that the 3" gun was fired, the inhabited Coronados Islands, in Mexican neutral territorial waters, were in the line of fire.

A board of investigation was convened aboard the PC-815 and heard testimony from sixteen officers and enlisted men of the crew, and a few days later a Lt. Thomas Strickland replaced LRH as commanding officer, who was assigned to temporary duty in the issuing office of the 11th Naval District HQ, in San Diego. This was the only command of LRH. (74)✓,(84)✓,(85)✓

ITEM That LRH was extensively decorated. (10, (82).

- * LRH recieved the following decorations.
- * The American Defense Service Medal,
- * The American Campaign Medal,
- * The Asiatic-Pacific Campaign Medal, and
- * The WWII Victory Medal. (74)✓

ITEM That LRH was crippled and blinded at the end of the war, and found himself at Oak Knoll Military Hospital, in Oakland, Ca. (16)

- * LRH was admitted to Oak Knoll on 5 Sept. 1945, and was discharged 4 Dec. 45 (74)
- * The Navy Department will not reveal the reason for this hospitalization. (87)
- * The Los Angeles Times reported that a spokesman for the Navy Department stated that there is nothing in LRH's service record to indicate that he received medical treatment for any injuries sustained during his Navy service. (88)
- * LRH remained on active duty from 4 Dec. 1945 till 17 Feb. 1946 (74)
- * The Navy Department will not comment on where LRH was for this period of ten weeks, as it would be an unwarranted invasion of his privacy. (90)
- * The day after LRH left Oak Knoll, he applied to the Veterans Administration for disability benefits for a duodenal ulcer. (89)
- * On 17 Feb 1946 LRH was awarded a 10 % disability for a duodenal ulcer. (89) This was increased to 40% on 11 Dec 1947, to include arthritis, bursitis, and an eye inflammation-conjunctivitis. (89) LRH presently receives Veterans disability benefits of \$182.00 per month. (92)

ITEM That LRH, while aboard a ship in the South Pacific, had the real life adventures that the movie "Mr. Roberts" was based on. LRH told the story of his adventures to a number of people, and the movie was made without his knowledge. The Captain of that ship was Axton T. Jones. (1)

* During LRH's Navy career, he served on two ships. The first, the PC-815 never left the coast of California or Mexico while LRH was aboard. (74)

* The second ship was the USS Algol. (74)

* The USS Algol was commissioned in Portland, Oregon on the 22nd of July 1944 and remained there until late August and then steamed South to the San Francisco area where she underwent training maneuvers. LRH was navigation Officer and Training officer. (74)

* On 3 October the Algol got underway to the South Pacific where she won two battle stars for her part in the invasion of Okinawa. (91), (93)

* On Wednesday 27 Sept. - 6 days before the Algol was underway, someone made an attempt to sabotage her, by concealing a coke bottle full of gasoline with a cloth wick inserted, among cargo that was to be hoisted aboard. This was discovered by LRH. The FBI and the Office of Naval Intelligence was called to the scene to investigate. (91)

* On Thursday 28 September LRH was relieved of duty and transferred to a training school at Princeton University, New Jersey. (74)

* The captain of the USS Algol was Axton T. Jones (91)

ITEM That LRH's grandfather Captain Lafayette Waterbury and great grandfather Captain I.C. DeWolfe helped to make American Naval history. (9)

- * The Navy Department can not locate any record of either one. (94), (95), (96).

- * LRH's grandmother was named I.C. (Ida Corinne) DeWolfe.

ITEM That LRH was a member of the Montana Army National Guard. (74), (81).

- * The Montana National guard has no record of LRH and do not indicate that there are any missing records. (97), (98).

PART SEVEN

ITEM That LRH wrote and had published fifteen million words before WWII.(1)

* A list of published works by LRH under his own name and the various pen names he was known to use, was compiled from the National Union, the Readers Guide to Periodical Literature, Contemporary Authors, the card catalogue of the British Museum, Living Authors, Twentieth Century Authors, a computer print out from the Library of Congress, and back issues of Argosy, Astounding Science Fiction, Thrilling Wonder Stories, Startling Science Fiction, and Amazing Stories, and other sources. (100)

* The approximate total words of the stories and books listed is less than one million. (100)

* The Library of Congress has no reference works listed that were not checked for publications by LRH. (101)

* Hubbard's agent, Ackerman Associates, in Hollywood advised that they are not aware of any pen names used by Hubbard other than Rene Lafayette Thomas Esterbrook, Captain B.A. Northrop, 'Elron', Winchester Remington Colt, and Kurt von Rachen. (102), (103). ALL OF WHICH WERE CHECKED (100)

ITEM That LRH wrote the screen play for the Columbia Pictures serial, "The Secret of Treasure Island". (1)

* The screenplay for that series was written by George Merick and Elmer Clifton based upon a story by George Rosener and LRH. (104)

ITEM That LRH was one of aviations most distinguished pilots who soloed his first time in a propeller driven aircraft. (81), (102).

* LRH was issued commercial glider pilot certificate #385 on 1 Sept. 1931. It expired on 15 Sept 1933 and was not renewed. The Federal Aviation Administration has no record of LRH having been issued any other license. (105).

1. A brief biography of L. Ron Hubbard, published by the Hubbard Association of Scientologists International in 1965 for the Australian Congress, received from the Central Intelligence Agency under the Freedom of Information Act.

2. "Mission Into Time, published by the Church of Scientology, copyright LRH

3. Certified copy of the birth certificate of LRH from the Bureau of Vital Statistics, State of Nebraska, Lincoln Neb. File # 126-165-11.

4. Article from the Tilden, Neb. 'Citizen' date unknown, provided by the Tilden Public Library.

5. "Progressions in Action" by Doris Chase Doane, Professional Astrologers, Inc 323 Castro Street, San Francisco, Ca. 94102

6. Certified copy of the death certificate of Ida Corinne Waterbury nee DeWolfe from the Department of Health, Helena, Montana- file# RAV-2878

7. Navy service record of LRH father, Harry Ross Hubbard, available under the Freedom of Information Act from the Military records management center, 9700 Page Blvd. St. Louis, Mo. 797 pages.

8. Article from a Helena, Montana newspaper, date unknown, as part of a promotional publication on LRH, by the Church of Scientology.

9. Article in the Portland, Oregon 'Journal' 22 April 1943

10. Certified copy of the death certificate of Lafayette O. Waterbury, from the Department of Health, Helena, Montana-file # HEL-2481.

11. Letter to this writer from Grace McBeth, professional researcher, Helena.

12. Letter from the Office of the Secretary of State of Montana, Helena, 59601.

13. Letter from the Office of the Clerk and Recorder, Lewis and Clark County (Helena) Montana 59601.

- ✓ 14. Letter from the Montana Historical Society, 225 N. Roberts St. Helena 59601
- ✓ 15. Letter from the Department of the Interior, Bureau of Land Management office P.O. Box 30157, Billings, Montana 59107.
16. "What is Scientology" published by the Church of Scientology, copyright LRH
- ✓ 17. Photocopies from the Helena City Directory provided by the Montana Historical Society in Helena.
- ✓ 18. Navy service record of Harry Ross Hubbard, pages 131,132.
- ✓ 19. Navy service record of Harry Ross Hubbard, page 590.
- ✓ 20. Copy of registration card provided by the Helena School District.
- ✓ 21. Copy of registration card provided by Helena High School.
- ✓ 22. Navy service record of Harry Ross Hubbard, pages 562,563.
- ✓ 23. Navy service record of Harry Russ Hubbard, page 348.
24. "The Volunteer Ministers Handbook" published by the Church of Scientology copyright LRH.
- ✓ 25. Copies of registration cards made available by the Helena School District.
- ✓ 26. Navy service record of Harry Ross Hubbard, page 345.
- ✓ 27. Letter from the Boy Scouts of America regional headquarters, North Brunswick, New Jersey, 08902.
- ✓ 28. Second letter from the Boy Scouts of America.

- ✓ 29. Letter from the Bureau of Indian Affairs, BlackFEET Indian Agency, Browning Montana, 59417.
30. " A History of Man" published by the Church of Scientology, copyright LRH
31. Telephone conversation with the Portland passport office.
- ✓ 32. Letter from the U.S. Department of State.
- ✓ 33. Letter form the U.S. Department of State.
34. Navy service record of Harry Ross Hubbard, pages 1 to 797.
- ✓ 35. Abstract of the Navy service record of Harry Ross Hubbard, released under the freedom of Information act, available from the Navy Department. 3 pages.
36. Letter from Harry Ross Hubbard to the Dean of the YMCA's SouthEastern Univ. included in LRH's file at George Washington University. This document was one of those stolen by members of the Church of Scientology, from the Internal Revenue Service offices in Washington, D.C., was presented as evidence in the United States District Court, district of Washington, D.C. in the U.S.A. v Mary Sue Hubbard, et al, and was released by the judge of that court.
37. Verified by telephone call to the Seattle School Distrtict Archives.
- ✓ 38. Letter from the Seattle School District.
39. Navy service record of Harry Ross Hubbard, page
- ✓ 40. Navy service record of Harry Ross Hubbard, pages 155,156,166,167,171,172.
- ✓ 41. Navy service record of Harry Ross Hubbard, page 165.
42. Letter from Helena, Montana, High School.
43. Transcript of credits from Woodward Prep School, from LRH's file at George Washington University, released by the U.S. Court of Claims, case # 226-21.

44. Letter from the Metropolitan YMCA of Washington, D.C..
45. Statement from yhis writer, attached.
46. Testimony in civil case Julie Christofferson v Church of Scientology, in Multnomah County Portland) Oregon, # A-7704-05184.
- ✓ 47. Letter from the Hubbard Association of Scientologists, Phoenix, Az, to the Better Business Bureau of Phoenix, dated 12 June 1954, and signed by John Galusha secretary, from the Federal Bureau of Investigation file as released under the freedom of information act, available from the FBI in Washington D.C. 937 pages.
48. " All About Radiation" published by the Church of Scientology, copyright LRH
49. "Who's who in the West and Southwest" by the A.N. Marquis Co. Chicago.
- ✓ 50. " Who Knows and What, vol. 1, 1st edition, 1949, A.N. Marquis Co.
- ✓ 51. Letter from LRH to the FBI, dated 7 Sept. 1955 with " L. Ron Hubbard DD PhD letterhead. Return address Silver Spring, Maryland.
- ✓ 52. Letter from LRH to the FBI dated 29 July, 1955, same letterhead as # 51, with the return address also Silver Spring, Maryland.
53. Defendants exhibit in Christofferson v Church of Scientology.
- ✓ 54. I.R.S. document released by the U.S. District Court, Washington, D.C.
- ✓ 55. Letter from St. Elizabeth's Hospital, Washington, D.C.
56. I.R.S. document released by the U.S. District Court, Washington, D.C.
- ✓ 57. Transcript of Hubbard's grades at George Washington University.
58. Same as item # 71
59. The Scandal of Scientology, by Paulette Cooper. Out of print.

- ✓ 60. Letter from the New York Zoological Society.
- ✓ 61. Letter from the National Geographic Society.
- ✓ 62. Letter from the Department of Natural Resources, San Juan, Puerto Rico.
- ✓ 63. Letter from the U.S. Department of the Interior, Geological Survey in Reston, Virginia, 22092.
- ✓ 64. Letter from a professor of Geology whose name is confidential.
- ✓ 65. Letter from a geologist whose name is confidential.
- ✓ 66. Letter from the Library Association of Portland, Oregon.
- ✓ 67. The American Red Cross 'Courier' 1 May 1930.
- ✓ 68. Navy service record of Harry Ross Hubbard, pages 129,130.
- ✓ 69. Letter from the University of Michigan.
- 70. Interview of LRH in Life Magazine, date unknown.
- ✓ 71. Two documents from LRH's file at the Explorers Club of New York.
- 72. Letter from the U.S. Navy's Oceanographic (hydrographic) Office.
- 73. Letter from the Department of Transportation, Federal Aviation Administration
- ✓ 74. Abstract of the Navy service record of LRH released under the Freedom of Information Act by the Navy Department. 3 pages.
- ✓ 75. Service record of LRH released under the Freedom of Information Act by the United States Marine Corps. 6 Pages.
- 76. Navy service record of Harry Ross Hubbard, pages 771 to 779.

77. Letter from the Department of Commerce, Federal Maritime Administration.
78. Letter from the Department of Commerce, Federal Maritime Administration.
79. Letter from the United States Coast Guard
80. Letter from the United States Coast Guard.
81. As reported by George Malko, " Scientology, the NOW religion" 1971, Delta Books, N.Y. Out of print.
82. The inside cover of a number of books published by the Church of Scientology.
83. List of Naval District Limits, 1940, supplied by the Navy Department.
84. Report of the board of investigation aboard the USS PC-815, released by the Navy Department under the freedom of Information Act, and available from the Military Records Management Center, 9700 Page Blvd, St. Louis, Mo. About 120 pages, the copying fee was waved as a matter in the public interest.
85. Log book of the USS PC-815, declassified and available from General Services Administration, National Archives, Washington, D.C.
86. Letter from the Navy Department/
87. Letter from the Navy Department.
88. Article in the Los Angeles Times, date unknown.
89. LRH's Veterans Administration file # C-7017422, as released by the U.S. District Court, Washington, D.C.
90. Letter from the Navy Department.

91. Log Book of the USS Albatross de-classified and released by the Navy Department and available from the National Archives, General Services Administration, in Washington, D.C.
- ✓ 92. Letter from the Veterans Administration.
- ✓ 93. Information on the history of U.S. Navy ships supplied by the Navy Department.
94. Letter from the Navy Department.
95. Letter from the Navy Department.
96. Letter from the Navy Department.
- ✓ 97. Letter from the Montana National Guard.
- ✓ 98. Second letter from the Montana National Guard.
- ✓ 99. One Tenth of one Percent by L. Ron Hubbard Jr. This article was not copyrighted as said by the Church of Scientology.
100. Affidavit from this writer.
- ✓ 101. Letter from the Library of Congress.
102. Telephone conversation with an assistant at the Ackerman Agency.
103. Post card from the Ackerman Agency.
- ✓ 104. Letter from Columbia Pictures.
- ✓ 105. Letter from the Federal Aviation Agency.

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Fayette Ronald Hubbard		March 13, 1911	
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Madison		Tilden	
FATHER OF CHILD			
5. NAME		7. COLOR OR RACE	
Harry Ross Hubbard		White American	
6. USUAL OCCUPATION			
Commercial T.			
MOTHER OF CHILD			
8. FULL MAIDEN NAME		9. COLOR OR RACE	
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1. Name of deceased <i>John A. Dettela</i>		2. Date of death Year <i>1979</i> Month <i>March</i> Day <i>25</i>	
3. Sex <i>Male</i>		4. Age at death Years <i>50</i> Months <i>7</i> Days <i>19</i>	
5. Marital status <i>Widow</i>		6. Date of death Year <i>1979</i> Month <i>March</i> Day <i>25</i>	
7. Name of husband or wife <i>John A. Dettela</i>		8. Date of death Year <i>1979</i> Month <i>March</i> Day <i>25</i>	
9. Birth date of deceased Year <i>1929</i> Month <i>7</i> Day <i>19</i>		10. Birthplace (City, town or county) (State or foreign country) <i>Helena, Montana</i>	
11. Total occupation <i>None</i>		12. Industry or business <i>None</i>	
13. Name <i>John A. Dettela</i>		14. Birthplace (City, town or county) (State or foreign country) <i>Helena, Montana</i>	
15. Maiden name <i>John A. Dettela</i>		16. Birthplace (City, town or county) (State or foreign country) <i>Helena, Montana</i>	
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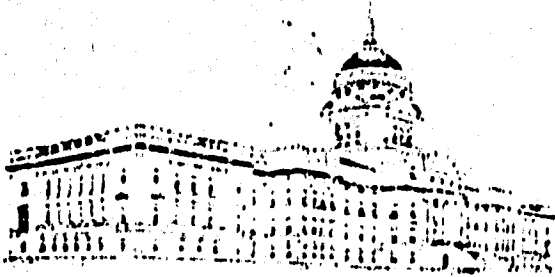
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1. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year) July 35, 1934
2. SEX Male
3. AGE 45
4. TRADE, PROFESSION, OR PARTICULAR INDUSTRY Retired
5. INDUSTRY OR BUSINESS IN WHICH WORK WAS DONE, IN MILL, SAWMILL, BOND, ETC.
6. DATE DECEASED (month and year) 7-5-84
7. TOTAL TIME (years) spent in this occupation
8. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Grand Rapids
9. NAME Abram Waterbury
10. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) N. Y.
11. MAIDEN NAME Margaret Hestler
12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Buffalo N. Y.
13. INFORMANT J. O. Waterbury
14. MURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL Forestvale Date 8-21-81
15. UNDERTAKER O'D and Conrad
16. FILED 8-21-81

17. DATE OF DEATH (month, day, and year) July 5, 1984
18. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from July 25, 1984, to Aug 18, 1984
19. I last saw A. W. alive on Aug 17, 1984, death is said to have occurred on the date stated above, at 11:55 PM.
20. The principal cause of death and related causes of importance in order of cause were as follows:
a. Hypertension
b. Coronary artery disease
c. Myocardial infarction
d. Atherosclerosis
21. Contributory causes of importance not related to principal cause:
a. Diabetes
b. Chronic renal disease
c. Arteriosclerosis
22. Name of operation
23. What test confirmed diagnosis? X-ray, ECG, etc.
24. If death was due to external cause (violence) All in also the following:
Accident, suicide, or homicide? Date of injury
Where did injury occur? (Specify city or town, county, and state)
Specify whether injury occurred in industry, in home, in public place.
Manner of injury
Nature of injury
25. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?
If so, specify
Cause of death: Heart Disease, Arteriosclerosis, etc.



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January 31, 1980

Michael Linn Shannon
P.O. Box 1526
Portland, Oregon 97207

Dear Mr. Shannon:

In reply to your letter received in this office on January 10, 1980, IVES-SMITH COAL COMPANY was incorporated under the laws of Montana on August 11, 1909 for a term of 40 years with the principal place of business in Helena, Montana. This is the only document on file for the corporation. The corporation failed to extend its existence in the time and manner prescribed by law and consequently was dissolved on August 11, 1949 due to the limitation of its charter.

CAPITAL CITY COAL COMPANY was incorporated under the laws of Montana on December 16, 1916 for a term of 40 years with the principal place of business in Helena, Montana. This, too, is the only document on file for the corporation. It was dissolved on December 16, 1956 due to the limitation of its charter.

I am required to collect all fees in advance. I can furnish you with a copy of the Articles of Incorporation for \$2.00 for each corporation. If you wish to have a certified copy of the Articles of Incorporation showing that they are full, true and correct as on file in this office include an additional \$2.00 for each corporation. When submitting your remittance please repeat your request.

I am sorry but I do not have any information about Mr. Waterbury.

Very truly yours,

FRANK MURRAY
Secretary of State

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Office of Clerk and Recorder

HELENA, MONTANA 59601

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HELEN KOVICH
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March 14, 1980

Dear Sir:

In regards to your letter of January 31, 1980. I have checked your letter over and then checked our records for this person. We show no land in this gentlemen's name at that time span.

Thank You

Kathy K. Davis

Kathy K. Davis



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December 4, 1979

Mr. Michael Linn Shannon
P.O. Box 1526
Portland, Oregon 97207

Dear Mr. Shannon:

Probably the best bet to locate the ranching operation of LaFayette O. Waterbury is to check with the following office: Bureau of Land Management, 222 North 32nd Street, Box 30157, Billings, Montana (59107). This office holds many of the original homestead records and most of the plat maps for Montana; the office also has some sort of index file for homesteaders/filers, in which Waterbury might show up.

Unfortunately our files show no such Waterbury. There is a chance that we could pick up his ranching operation and determine something of its size, if we knew in what area he was located. Without that information, it is impossible to run him down--as there are just too many subdivision possibilities in the large collection of city/county histories we hold.

I did run the name through the 1900 federal census index for Montana, but with no luck. The only LaFayette is a "Woodring," and the only Waterbury with an L--- first name is "Lee" (please see the enclosed copy).

One other lead might be of interest to you in the future: the Montana State Health Dept. holds many death certificates of persons who died in Montana; it is best after 1910, but holds some certificates prior to that. The cost per search and certified copy is \$2.00. You must provide the year of death (more specific dates, if possible) and the full name, as well the place of death (if possible).

Hope this information helps.

Sincerely yours,

Dave Walter
Dave Walter,
Reference Librarian



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Billings, Montana 59107

IN REPLY REFER TO: 15


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Mr. Michael L. Shannon
P.O. Box 1526
Portland, Oregon 97207

Dear Mr. Shannon:

We have checked our records, and we are unable to locate any applicant for public lands using the name of Capital Coal Company or Capital City Coal Company. We also checked for the name of Lafayette O. Waterbery and can not locate anything regarding that individual.

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BENEFICIARY STATEMENT

Name Hubbard, Harry
(Full name, last, first, middle initial)

Rank Harry Ward P.S. Al. 1227 12 7
(Rate) (Date)

Any change since last report:

YES; NO.

Under the provisions of the act approved 4 June, 1920, directing the payment of six months' pay to the widow, children, or dependent relative of any officer, enlisted man, or nurse, on the active list of the regular Navy or regular Marine Corps, or on the retired list when on active duty, who dies of wounds or disease not the result of his or her own misconduct, I give below the name and address of my wife and that of each of my children:

Ledora May Hubbard
(Full name of wife; if none, none, no state.)

736 Fifth Ave., Helena, Mont.
(Address of wife.)

Lafayette Ronald Hubbard
(Full name of child; if none, no state.)

736 Fifth Ave., Helena, Mont.
(Address of child.)

(Full name of child; if none, no state.)

(Address of child.)

(Full name of child; if none, no state.)

(Address of child.)

In the event of my leaving no widow or child or of their decease before payment is made, I then designate as my beneficiary under the said act the following dependent relative, my

NONE

(Relationship.)

(Name in full.)

(Address.)

Forwarded to Records - File

*State briefly wherein dependency exists, such as "allotments received," "monthly contributions by Government check," etc.
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NAVY DEPARTMENT
BUREAU OF NAVIGATION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

12-11-64-1118-0
December 11, 1975

To: Bureau of War Risk Insurance.
via Navy Allotment Office.
Subject: Report of Death or Discharge.

1. The following information is furnished the Director of the Bureau of War Risk Insurance:-

Name: Charles May Hubbard; Rank or rate: Ch. Yeoman USNRE
(Full name, surname to left)
Married ☐ Single ☐ Born: 1917; Date: 11/1/17
Place: St. Louis, Mo.
Race: White; Hair: Black; Complexion: Dark; Height: 5' 10"; Weight: 170
Marks of Identification: None

Enlisted: St. Louis, Mo. Date: 10/10/17 Prior Service: None
(In Army, Navy, Marine Corps)
Ship or Station where death or occurred: USS Raintow
discharge
Date of death or from service: 1/1/76
discharge
Place of discharge: St. Louis, Mo.

The Bureau's files show the following information in regard to death or discharge of the above man:

(Instructions: Fill in above space copy of telegram or letter reporting death or discharge or findings of Board of Medical Survey or any information in Bureau's records as to reason for death or discharge).
TO BE NOTIFIED IN CASE OF EMERGENCY

Charles May Hubbard (Name in full) 736 E. 1st St. St. Louis, Mo. (Relationship)
PERSONS NAMED AS BENEFICIARIES

Name in full	Relationship	Present address in full
<u>Lafayette Ronald Hubbard</u>	<u>brother</u>	<u>same address</u>

N. Nav. 835
(October 1917)

War Risk Form

Record of
Allotments, Family Allowances
and
Insurance of Enlisted Men

HUBBARD, Harry ROSE
Full name--(Surname to last)

Rate Y90.10 (U.S. Navy)
Naval Reserve Force Class 1-2
National Guard Volunteers

October 10, 1917.
Date of Enlistment

Rate of pay per month. \$45.00

U. S. S. BATTLESHIP

U. S. S. BATTLESHIP

1st February, 1918
Date

To: Bureau of Navigation.

1. This information is correct as shown by
the records of HARRY ROSE

Commanding.
BATTLESHIP U. S. S. BATTLESHIP

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U.S.N.R.F. Class 1-B

RD. Harry Ross

Room 1st 01, FHR.

COMPULSORY ALLOTMENT

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NAME	POST OFFICE ADDRESS			DATE OF BIRTH			MARRIED? "Yes" or "No"	REMARKS (Follow instructions)
	No. and Street or Rural Route	City, Town or Post Office	State	Month	Day	Year		
Ledora May Hubbard	726-5th Ave	Helena	Mont	2	22	1884	Yes	
Lafayette Ronald Hubbard	Same	Same	Same	3	13	1909	No	
No 28							Remarried? "Yes" or "No"	Amount payable monthly by order of court

VOLUNTARY ALLOTMENT

NAME	POST OFFICE ADDRESS			Amount of my average monthly habitable contribution because of dependency	AMOUNT OF ALLOTMENT
	No. and Street or Rural Route	City, Town or Post Office	State		

RECORD OF FAMILY ALLOWANCES

NAME	POST OFFICE ADDRESS			AMOUNT
	No. and Street or Rural Route	City, Town or Post Office	State	
Ledora May Hubbard	726-5th Ave	Helena	Mont	\$15.00
Lafayette Ronald Hubbard	Same	Same	Same	10.00

RECORD OF INSURANCE

NAME	POST OFFICE ADDRESS			AMOUNT
	No. and Street or Rural Route	City, Town or Post Office	State	
Ledora May Hubbard	726-5th Ave	Helena	Mont	\$10.000

Emergency relief Mrs. Ledora May Hubbard, (Wife) Helena, Montana

If no insurance, state whether eligible for insurance or not (Yes/No)

Is mother? Yes/No

Is wife's another living? Yes/No

Is living, is she a widow? Yes/No

(See instructions on back.)

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Pauline M. Smith
7115 1/2 Ave. S.W.
Bellingham, R. I. 02801
(Cape Cod)

(Full name of mother)

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John F. Smith
(Full name of mother)

(Address of mother)

March 24, 1980

Dear Mr. Shannon;

Here are copies of the cards that on could find.
The 5 O'Connell brothers, maybe I send you this card
on Hubbard before - the only Brown I could find, is
Ernest - but it is around the same Ave. & date.
Maybe he was called Leon - any way - if not through
it away.

Ruth Samson
file clerk

Hubbard Identified As Native

Was Born In
Campbell Hospital
In 1911

There have been several answers to the query about L. Ron Hubbard which appeared in last week's Citizen. Mrs. Frank Bassett is the source of most of our information and help was also given by Mrs. C. C. Scott, Mrs. P. E. Dances of Waterloo, Iowa, and Mrs. Fritz Von Seggern of Pasco, Wash. Letters written by Mrs. Dances and Mrs. Von Seggern appear elsewhere in the Citizen.

According to our informants, L. Ron Hubbard was born in March, 1911, at Dr. Campbell's hospital which was located in the residence now occupied by the Donald Dempster family, on Oak Street in Tilden. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Harry R. Hubbard, the latter being Miss Mae Waterbury before her marriage. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Waterbury, and is a cousin of Frank Bassett of Tilden.

Mrs. Hubbard left Tilden with her parents and was engaged in some kind of government work and might have met and married her husband during this time. The Waterbury family resided in Oklahoma and Montana after leaving here.

Mr. Hubbard was evidently in the navy at the time L. Ron was born as his mother came back to Tilden for the blessed event and later joined her husband, who was stationed in California. Mr. and Mrs. Hubbard now reside in Bremerton, Wash.

According to Mrs. Scott, Wenley Newhall, a former Tildener, served in the navy under Lieut. Commander Harry Hubbard.

Now that it is known that the originator of the "Dianetics" way of living is a native of Tilden, perhaps townspeople will want to adopt this new philosophy.

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BLACKFEET INDIAN AGENCY
BROWNING, MONTANA 59417
October 11, 1979

#21 IN REPLY REFER TO:

101-02
101-04

Mr. Michael Linn Shannon
P.O. Box 1526
Portland, OR 97207

Dear Mr. Shannon:

In reply to your letter requesting information about Lafayette Ronald Hubbard and his "adoption" as a blood brother of the Blackfeet Tribe, this office has no record of such an action. The Blackfeet Tribe has in the past "adopted" many non-Indians and given them Blackfeet names, but these actions are ceremonial and such people are not members of the Blackfeet Tribe. Perhaps Mr. Hubbard was one of those people. The Tribal office has no records dating back that far and so we are unable to verify that Mr. Hubbard was in fact "adopted" as a blood brother.

If you desire further information please feel free to contact us.

Sincerely yours,

Clay Stephens
Superintendent



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November 30, 1979

Michael Shannon
P.O. Box 1526
Portland, OR 97207

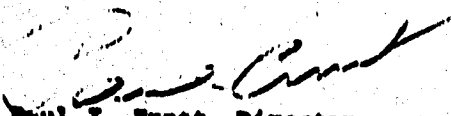
Dear Mike:

You have written again, concerning the Eagle Award for an individual by the name of, Ronald Hubbard. As we indicated before, we do have a couple of Ronald Hubbards listed, but we are not sure that they are the individuals to which you are referring. We do not keep information on the birthdate and other pertinent personal information related to Eagle Awards.

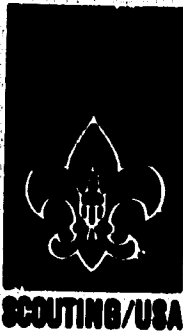
We have a Ronald Hubbard of Troop 11 in Trumbull County Ohio, who was awarded the Eagle in January 31, 1934. We also have an Award for a Ronald Hubbard of Troop 10 in Washington, D.C., who received his Eagle on March 28, 1924. These are the only two Ronald Hubbards which we find in our records in the period of time which you had questioned.

I am sorry that I cannot supply you with any additional information.

Sincerely,


Paul I. Ernst, Director
Registration, Subscription &
Statistical Services

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cc: Columbia Pacific Council, No. 492



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April 23, 1979

Mike Shannon
P. O. Box 1526
Portland, Oregon 97207

Dear Mike:

Since Eagle records are maintained by the Registration Service, Dick Pryce has referred to me your inquiry of April 7 concerning the youngest Eagle Scout.


Our Eagle records date back to 1912. We have checked them from that year through 1935. There is no "Lafayette Ronald Hubbard" listed, but we did find an entry for a Ronald Hubbard in 1924, in the Eastern part of the country.

Even though this may be the "Ronald Hubbard" who is the subject of your letter, we have no way of telling whether he was the "youngest Eagle Scout in the history of BSA."

We have never attempted to keep this type of record because it is such a controversial sort of thing, and it is our belief that it has no particular value.

We are always concerned that this type of information could lead to a race as to who can achieve the award quickest without regard to preparing properly for the award. - We are more interested in what the young man has learned in his progress to Eagle rank and use he makes of this knowledge in his Troop activities.

Sincerely,


Paul I. Ernst, Director
Registration, Subscription and
Statistical Service

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cc: Council 492

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Washington, D. C. 20520

5 NOV 1979

Mr. Michael Linn Shannon
Post Office Box 1526
Portland, Oregon 97207

Dear Mr. Shannon:

I refer to your inquiries of October 4 and October 6 concerning Lafayette Ronald Hubbard.

Your attention is directed to Mr. Lamb's reply dated September 27 (copy enclosed) which stated Mr. Hubbard's passport number. You were then advised that additional information cannot be released in the absence of a notarized statement of authorization from Mr. Hubbard or a court order from a court of competent jurisdiction. Identical documentation will be required before passport information regarding Mr. Lafayette Ronald Hubbard, Jr., can be released. If he is deceased, however, information may be released provided evidence of his death, such as an obituary, a public notice, or a copy of his death record, is submitted.

Any further requests for information may be directed to the following address:

Foreign Affairs Document and Reference Center
Department of State, Room 1239
2201 C Street, N. W.
Washington, D. C. 20520

Replying to your inquiry concerning our representation in Cuba today, we are represented by the United States Interests Section which is located in the Embassy of Switzerland, Calzada entre L and M, Vedado Section, Havana, 329700. We do not have information concerning a legal attache in Cuba during the period 1949-1952.

In reference to your question concerning a passport requirement to travel to China, Tibet, India, etc., in 1925, a United States citizen was not required to bear a valid passport to enter or leave the United States

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between 1922 and 1941. Many citizens, however, did obtain United States passports to comply with a foreign government requirement that entering aliens bear a valid passport. We have been unable to ascertain whether or not those countries in which you are interested required passports of foreigners in 1925.

I hope that the information that we have been able to provide will be helpful.

Sincerely,

Norbert J. Krieg

Norbert J. Krieg
Deputy Assistant Secretary
for Passport Services

Enclosure:
As stated



DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Washington, D.C. 20520

27 SEP 1979

Mr. Michael Linn Shannon
Post Office Box 1526
Portland, Oregon 97207

Dear Mr. Shannon:

I refer to your inquiry of August 25 concerning information from the passport file of Lafayette Ronald Hubbard.

Our records indicate that Mr. Hubbard was issued Passport No. 81889248 on April 23, 1974. Pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act, 5 USC 552(b)(6), we can release no other information without a notarized statement of authorization from Mr. Hubbard or a court order from a court of competent jurisdiction. To do so would be a clearly unwarranted invasion of Mr. Hubbard's personal privacy. The information may be released if Mr. Hubbard is no longer living; however, it will be necessary to provide us with a copy of his death certificate.

If you consider this reply a denial of information, you may appeal our decision to the Council on Classification Policy of the Department of State pursuant to Section 6.8 of Part 6 of Title 22 of the Code of Federal Regulations, a copy of which is enclosed for your convenience.

Sincerely,

Robert E. Lamb
Deputy Assistant Secretary
for Passport Services

Enclosure:
As stated

J. M. McInerney
Principal

Principal

1. The first group of respondents (n = 10) was composed of individuals who had been involved in a sexual assault in the past 12 months. The second group (n = 10) was composed of individuals who had been involved in a sexual assault more than 12 months ago. The third group (n = 10) was composed of individuals who had not been involved in a sexual assault in the past 12 months. The fourth group (n = 10) was composed of individuals who had not been involved in a sexual assault more than 12 months ago. The fifth group (n = 10) was composed of individuals who had not been involved in a sexual assault in the past 12 months and more than 12 months ago. The sixth group (n = 10) was composed of individuals who had not been involved in a sexual assault in the past 12 months and more than 12 months ago. The seventh group (n = 10) was composed of individuals who had not been involved in a sexual assault in the past 12 months and more than 12 months ago. The eighth group (n = 10) was composed of individuals who had not been involved in a sexual assault in the past 12 months and more than 12 months ago. The ninth group (n = 10) was composed of individuals who had not been involved in a sexual assault in the past 12 months and more than 12 months ago. The tenth group (n = 10) was composed of individuals who had not been involved in a sexual assault in the past 12 months and more than 12 months ago.

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1. Name of Child Charles H. Brown
2. Residence: No. 1234 Street
3. Home Residence (for non-resident pupils)
4. Age at time of enrollment: 7 years 7 months
5. Date of Birth: Month 11 day 29 year 1925
6. Place of birth Helena, Montana
7. Previously attended school at St. Joseph's School
8. When vaccinated
9. Name of Parent or Guardian James H. Brown

HELENA PUBLIC SCHOOLS

ENROLLMENT CARD

1. Name of Child James C. Connell
2. Residence: No. 1026 Street
3. Home Residence (for non-resident pupils)
4. Age at time of enrollment: 8 years 1 months
5. Date of Birth: Month March day 17 year 1912
6. Place of birth Helena, Mont.
7. Previously attended school at
8. When vaccinated
9. Name of Parent or Guardian Mrs. Connell

HELENA PUBLIC SCHOOLS

ENROLLMENT CARD

1. Name of Child Ernest Walter Brown
2. Residence: No. 1312 11th Ave Street
3. Home residence: (for non-resident pupils)
4. Age at time of enrollment: 5 years 1 months
5. Date of birth: month Feb day 23rd year 1920
6. Place of birth Helena, Montana
7. Previously attended school at
8. When vaccinated
9. Name of Parent or Guardian Wm. Brown

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HELENA PUBLIC SCHOOLS
ENROLLMENT CARD

1. Name of Child Frank O'Connell
2. Residence: No. 1125 - 5th Street
3. Home Residence (for non-resident pupils)
4. Age at time of enrollment: 10 years 5 months
5. Date of Birth: month June day 31 year 1921
6. Place of birth Helena
7. Previously attended school at Catholic School
8. When vaccinated
9. Name of Parent or Guardian Frank O'Connell

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Ernest A. Dwyer
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Change of Residence _____
Remarks: _____

E. M. McConnell
Principal

Jefferson School *Sept. 12* 191*1*
Admitted to Grade *2nd*
Transferred to _____ School _____ 191____
Change of Residence _____
Remarks *Admitted to 2nd Sept 12*

Ernest A. Davis
Principal

1. Name of Child *John O'Connell*
2. Residence: No. *1036* Street *Prigitt*
3. Home Residence (for non-resident pupils) _____
4. Age at time of enrollment: *5* years *5* months
5. Date of Birth: Month *July* day *27* year *1911*
6. Place of birth _____
7. Previously attended school at _____
8. When vaccinated _____
9. Name of Parent or Guardian *John O'Connell*

HELENA PUBLIC SCHOOLS
ENROLLMENT CARD

HELENA PUBLIC SCHOOLS

1. Name of Child *O'Connell, Joseph*
2. Residence: No. *1036* Street *Prigitt*
3. Home Residence (for non-resident pupils) _____
4. Age at time of enrollment: *10* years *10* months
5. Date of Birth: Month *July* day _____ year *1909*
6. Place of birth *Helena*
7. Previously attended school at *St. Helena*
8. When vaccinated _____
9. Name of Parent or Guardian *Grand O'Connell*



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December 7, 1979

Mr. Michael Linn Shannon
P.O. Box 1526
Portland, OR 97207

Dear Mr. Shannon:

In checking with the Office of our General Counsel it is his opinion that this information cannot be given out but could be subpoenaed if a lawsuit occurs.

It is against Seattle School District's forthcoming policies under the 1974 Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act to release this information.

Sincerely,

H. Reasby

Hal Reasby
Associate Superintendent

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Dear Sir.

Reference is made to telephone conversation and exchange of despatches relative to reserving accommodations for certain officers dependents from San Francisco, Cal. to Manila, P. I., on the PRESIDENT MADISON sailing from San Francisco on 30 April 1927.

The Commandant, Twelfth Naval District, San Francisco, Cal., has been authorized to issue transportation for the following named dependents, and has been informed that necessary reservations have been made through the New York office of the Dollar Line:

Mrs. H. R. Hubbard and son 16, family of Lt. (SC) USN.

All of the above dependents will report to the Commandant, Twelfth Naval District, who will issue the necessary transportation requests.

Very Respectfully,

R. E. LEIGH
Chief of Bureau.

Dollar Steamship Line
25 Broadway.
New York, N.Y.

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**DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION**

DATE: June 14, 1979

IN REPLY
REFER TO: AAC-260

AERONAUTICAL CENTER
P.O. BOX 25082
OKLAHOMA CITY, OKLAHOMA 73125



SUBJECT: Request for airman information; your ltr of 5/27/79

FROM: Chief, Airmen Certification Branch, AAC-260

TO: W. F. Hess
P.O. Box 1526
Portland, Oregon 97207

According to our records, Lafayette R. Hubbard was issued commercial glider pilot certificate 385, dated 9/1/31, expired 9/15/33. Mr. Hubbard did not renew his pilot certificate after it expired in 1933.

The United States Government started licensing pilots in April 1927. Mr. Hubbard was not the 385th pilot certificated, only the 385th glider pilot certificated. Airplane pilots were numbered separately from glider pilots.

I hope this information is helpful. If you need additional information or if we can be of service regarding other aviation matters, please write.

Earl F. Mahoney
EARL F. MAHONEY



DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

Officer in Charge
Marine Inspection
1519 Alaskan Way S.
Building #1
Seattle, WA 98134

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28 January 1980

Mr. Michael L. Shannon
P. O. Box 1526
Portland, Oregon 97207

Dear Mr. Shannon:

Your request for information concerning Lafayette Ronald Hubbard, which was addressed to the U. S. Maritime Administration, has been forwarded to this office for a reply.

From the information provided by you, we have been unable to identify Mr. Hubbard as having held a license issued by the Coast Guard. If you can provide any further information, such as a Merchant Mariner's Document number, or advise us of the port at which the licenses were issued, we will be pleased to resume our search.

A bill for our services is enclosed.

Sincerely,

J. H. GUEST
Captain, U. S. Coast Guard
Officer in Charge
Marine Inspection

Encl: (1) Bill for Services



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P. O. Box 1526
Portland, Oregon 97207**

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February 15, 1980

Mr. Tim Shannon
P.O. Box 1526
Portland, Or. 97207

Dear Mr. Shannon:

Your extraordinary letter of 10 February suggests
that my note to you has been misinterpreted.
Lest there be any misunderstanding, to the best
of my knowledge, the Society has no information
whatsoever about Mr. Hubbard.

Sincerely,

William Conway
William Conway

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August 21, 1979

Michael L. Shannon
P.O. Box 1526
Portland, Oregon 97207

Dear Mr. Shannon:

I have checked the National Union Catalog up to 1972 and have found nothing on this subject under his name. It may be a Journal article, in which case you will have to consult the following:

R500 U.S. Geological Survey
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25 volumes

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N63 1785-1950

R557 U.S. Geological Survey
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Sincerely,

Jim Takita
Head, Social Science and Science Dept.

Agricultural Relief in Porto Rico

By Paul L. Hutchins

Staff Accountant, American Red Cross

WHEN the hurricane of Sept. 13, 1928, swept the island of Porto Rico it destroyed or damaged the coffee trees and shade trees in the coffee regions on approximately 200,000 acres, or 90 per cent of the total coffee acreage in the island, ruining a foremost income-producing industry.

One of the best coffee crops in the history of the island had been anticipated, and prospects were bright for the coffee farmers to make large reductions in outstanding loans against their farms. In many cases anticipated crops had been sold. Owners also had received cash advances from their buyers on their crops to be harvested, in order that necessary repairs to buildings might be made before the harvesting actually commenced.

Following the disaster food, clothing, building materials and medical aid were supplied to these unfortunate people. In extending relief of a more permanent nature to the coffee farmers the American Red Cross had four plans. First, the planting of the coffee seed beds in order that coffee seedlings might be furnished to the farmers to replace coffee trees lost in the storm. Second, the furnishing of 2,000 sets of pruning tools in order that the trees salvaged might be made to produce a maximum crop in a near future. Third, the distribution of garden seed in order that a quick food supply might

be made available. Fourth, the clearing away of the debris in order that the few coffee and shade trees remaining might be given every chance to recover.

The results of the third plan—that of furnishing garden seed—were in evidence practically two months after the first seeds were issued in the abundant supplies of fresh vegetables available over the entire island. The results were so far reaching that it was decided to place a proviso in the fourth plan—that of clearing away the debris in the farms—so that every farmer who received assistance in the clearing of his farm agreed to plant half an acre in garden seed, the crop to be divided equally between the owner and the laborers.

Considerable opposition was met in placing the second plan in operation—that of pruning the coffee trees and shade trees—for to the coffee farmers, who in very few instances had practiced pruning, it appeared that what remaining bush was left was going to be destroyed. The Insular Department of Agriculture was of great assistance in overcoming this opposition as the Commissioner of Agriculture had just returned from Colombia, where he had made an extensive study of the methods employed on the coffee farms in that country and he was able to bring back concrete facts of the results from scientific pruning. Today there is no opposition to pruning, for in Porto Rico trees that were pruned in September, 1929,

having been cut back to within four inches from the ground, in six months had strong, healthy shoots approximately four and one-half feet high with a great many new shoots blooming. This is regarded as assuring that a small crop will be harvested from these new trees this year. Not only were coffee and shade trees pruned, but the wild orange and grapefruit trees showed marked improvement from pruning.

In carrying out the plan of furnishing coffee seedlings to replace trees totally destroyed by the storm, 165 seed beds were planted and 10,000,000 coffee seedlings raised for free distribution by August, 1930. It is estimated that these seedlings will replant approximately 15,000 acres. These seed beds have been under the direct supervision of the Insular Department of Agriculture and the seedlings were raised from selected seeds.

Seeds planted in 1929 which are now one year old average approximately 15 inches in height. In some of the seed beds where there was a larger amount of rainfall the seedlings are higher and some were in bloom late in March.

In carrying out the plan of clearing away the debris, a total of about 119,700 acres



A coffee tree pruned in September, 1929, arrow indicating pruning mark

The same coffee tree in March, 1930, its shoots actually five feet high

of coffee land were cleared on 17,533 farms, thereby assisting 59,238 families.

In summing up the results of the Red Cross agricultural relief program in Porto Rico there are three outstanding facts which, it is confidently believed, will aid in correcting the economic condition of the island. First, the farmers have been shown, through the distribution of garden seed, that a quick crop may be raised which provides food of a highly nutritive value, and which will be, in the opinion of the medical authorities, of great assistance in the fight against malnutrition and tuberculosis. Second, the farmers have been shown that it is practical to prune their coffee, shade and other trees which produce income and that by this

pruning the stock on those plants may practically be renewed in two years' time without replanting. Third, through the distribution of coffee seedlings from selected seed, which produce stronger and healthier coffee trees, the old practice of picking up seedlings which originated from coffee beans that dropped off the trees and germinated, and which in a great many instances were not strong and healthy plants, has been abandoned to a large extent.

Not only has the American Red Cross assisted the farmers of Porto Rico, but its relief program assisted the Insular Department of Agriculture in developing the agricultural industry of the island on a scientific basis. This Department has been most cooperative in carrying out the agricultural relief program and it is planning to establish demonstration plots in each district with a total area of about 2,000 acres as a permanent memorial to the Red Cross work in the

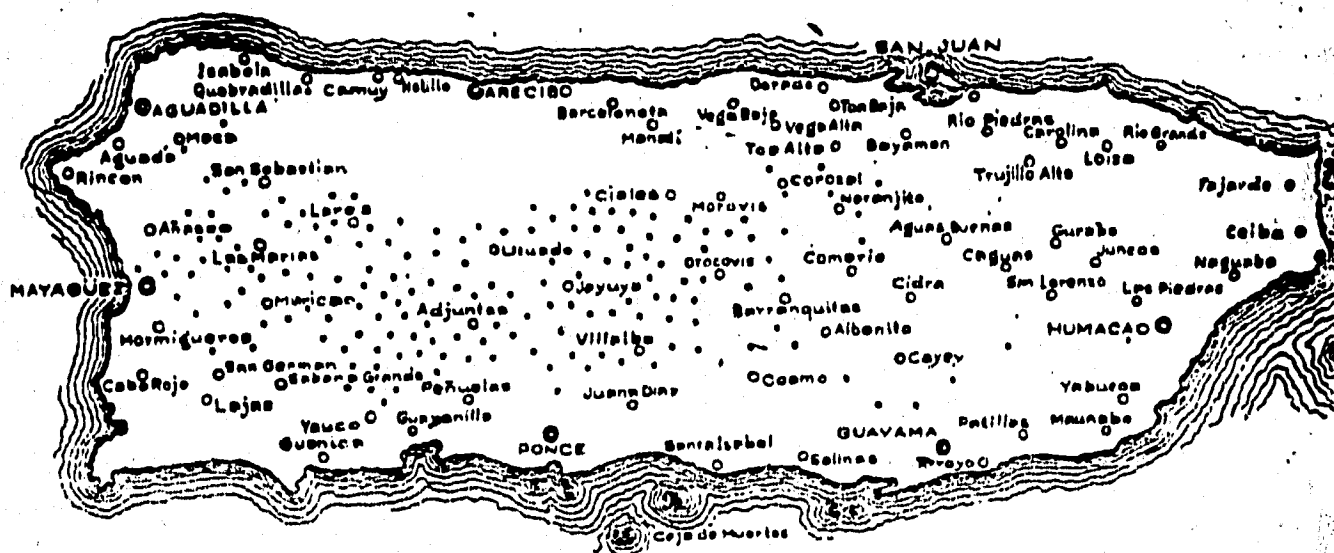


Coffee seedlings about 15 inches high, propagated at Adjuntas—Left to right: Dr. A. Fernos Isern, chairman of Porto Rico Chapter; P. L. Hutchins, of American Red Cross staff; Ignacio Torres, of the Department of Agriculture; Capt. Antonio Silva, manager of Porto Rico Chapter—examining the development of the seedlings.

island in order that the farmers may always envisage the results of scientific farming.

The Commissioner and Assistant Commissioner of the Insular Department of Agriculture have expressed themselves as being very grateful to the American Red Cross for the part it has played in assisting the coffee farmers to rehabilitate themselves. In his annual report to the Governor for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1929, the Commissioner states, in referring to the work of the Bureau of Agricultural Extension: "The most important work carried out by this bureau during the year has been the project on coffee-seed beds for which the American Red Cross appropriated the sum of \$30,000."

Throughout the island the rehabilitation program has met with perfect cooperation and everywhere there is confidence in a complete restoration of the important coffee industry.



This map of Porto Rico shows the extent of the coffee industry—The dots (165 of them) indicate the location of the coffee seed beds maintained by Red Cross relief funds

MEMORANDUM

DEPARTMENT OF MILITARY AFFAIRS
STATE OF MONTANA

To: **Michael L Shannon**

REPLY or ADDRESS **P. O. Box 1526, Portland, OR 97207**

21 Sep 79

(Date)

A request for a second review of our records was completed on this date. No records for LaFayette R. Hubbard ever being a member of the Montana Army National Guard. Our records have been screened and verified and no missing records were indicated.

**WILLIAM A BRUNER
CW2, MT ARNG
Mil Pers Tech**

**National Guard of the United States
Office of the Adjutant General of Montana
P. O. BOX 4789
HELENA, MONTANA 59601**

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To DEPT. OF THE ARMY, US NAT. GUARD

• PO BOX 4729

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Subject FRANKLIN D. HUBBARD, JR. 200127-2800128, PLEASE REEVA TO ENLIGHTENED

From MICHAEL LINT SHANNON

• PO BOX 1526

• PO BOX 77227

Date 17 SEP 79 19

DEAR MR. HUBBARD,

RE YOUR LETTER OF 14 SEPT 79 - "NO RECORD OF L.A. HUBBARD"

WOULD YOU PLEASE CHECK AGAIN; ARE SOME FILE MISSING? ACCORDING TO RECORDS

FROM OUT OF THE NAVY SUBJECT SEARCHED 19 OCT 27 - 28 OCT 28, PLEASE

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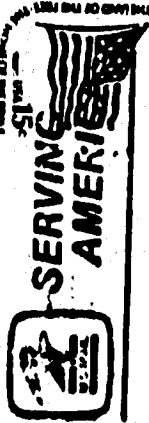
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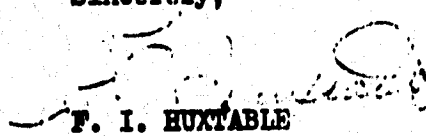
January 23, 1980

Mr. Michael Linn Shannon
P.O. Box 1526
Portland, Oregon 97207

Dear Mr. Shannon:

Your request for information regarding Lafayette Hubbard's
license as master has been referred to the U. S. Coast
Guard as they maintain files on all licensed seamen.

Sincerely,


F. I. HUXTABLE
Area Representative
Pacific Northwest Area





UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
Maritime Administration
Washington, D.C. 20230

October 2, 1979

Mr. Michael Linn Shannon
P. O. Box 1526
Portland, Oregon 97207

Dear Mr. Shannon:

With respect to your Freedom of Information Act request of September 10, 1979, regarding the credentials of "Mr. Lafayette Ronald Hubbard," please be advised that it should properly be addressed to the U. S. Department of Treasury, U. S. Coast Guard, Merchant Personnel Division.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Robert J. Patton, Jr.", is written over the typed name.

ROBERT J. PATTON, JR.
Freedom of Information Officer

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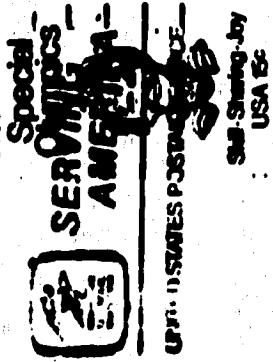
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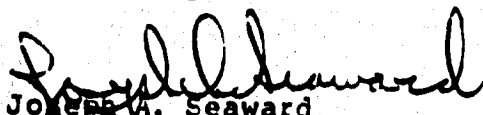
This refers to your letter of October 20, 1979.
The following search report is made:

Search in the indexes and catalogs of the Copyright Office covering the period 1898 through April 3, 1979 under the name Lafayette Ronald Hubbard and the titles (where available) A LOOK INTO SCIENTOLOGY and 1/10 OF 14 OF SCIENTOLOGY failed to disclose any separate registrations for works identified under this name and these specific titles.

Washington
D.C.
20559

Your remittance of \$10 has been applied in payment for this search and report.

Sincerely yours,



Joseph A. Seaward
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Mr MICHAEL SHANNON
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Dear Mr Shannon:

Acting on your suggestion, I have researched the story/screenplay credits on the 1938 serial THE SECRET OF TREASURE ISLAND.

The original story (scenario) is credited to L. Ron Hubbard and George Rosener. The continuity (actual screenplay) was executed from this story by Messrs. Elmer Clifton and George Merrick.

Sincerely,

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Mr. William F. Hess
P.O. Box 1526
Portland, Oregon 97207

Dear Mr. Hess,

This is in reference to your recent correspondence concerning the records of L. Ron Hubbard.

Enclosed is the abstract of Mr. Hubbard's service record. Liaison with the office of the Judge Advocate General indicates that your request for a waiver of fees has been granted.

Sincerely,

F.W. TRACZUK
Acting Privacy/Freedom of
Information Act Coordinator

Re: -

The conditions under which the fees were waived - First
H. Hubbard in 'Republic' Magazine -
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11 May 1979

Mr. William F. Hess
Post Office Box 1526
Portland, Oregon 97207

Dear Mr. Hess:

This is in reply to your recent request concerning former Lieutenant Lafayette Ronald Hubbard, United States Naval Reserve, made under the provisions of the Freedom of Information Act, as amended (5 U.S.C. 552).

The following information, releasable under the Freedom of Information Act, has been extracted from Mr. Hubbard's Navy Personnel Records:

<u>COMPONENT</u>	<u>ACTIVE DUTY</u>	<u>INACTIVE DUTY</u>
USNR-OFF		19 Jul 41-21 Sep 41
USNR-OFF	22 Sep 41- 6 Oct 41	7 Oct 41-23 Nov 41
USNR-OFF	24 Nov 41-16 Feb 46	17 Feb 46-30 Oct 50
6 Oct 1941	Honorably released from temporary active duty	
16 Feb 1946	Honorably released from active duty	
30 Oct 1950	Resignation accepted and honorably discharged from the naval service	

Date of Birth: 13 March 1911
Place of Birth: Tilden, Nebraska

PROMOTION HISTORY

19 Jul 1941 Lieutenant (junior grade), U. S. Naval Reserve
15 Jun 1942 Lieutenant, U. S. Naval Reserve

SHIPS AND STATIONS

PERIODS

DUTIES

Hydrographic Office, Bureau of Navigation, 1 Washington, DC	22 Sep 41- 6 Oct 41	
Headquarters, THIRD 2 Naval District	24 Nov 41-14 Dec 41	Under instruction

<u>SHIPS & STATIONS (CONT'D)</u>	<u>PERIODS</u>	<u>DUTIES</u>
District Intelligence Office, TWELFTH Naval District	15 Dec 41-17 Dec 41	Under instruction
Office of the Naval Attache, American Legation, Melbourne, Australia	18 Dec 41- 2 Apr 42	Intelligence Officer
Headquarters, TWELFTH Naval District	3 Apr 42-30 Apr 42	Intelligence Officer
Office of Cable Censor, New York, NY	1 May 42-24 Jun 42	Intelligence Officer
Lawley and Sons, Ship- building, Newport, MA	25 Jun 42-28 Jul 42	In connection with conversion of USS YP-422 Senior Watch Officer
Naval Receiving Station, Long Beach, Long Island, NY	29 Jul 42- 1 Nov 42	
Submarine Chaser Training Center, Miami, FL	2 Nov 42- 2 Jan 43	Under instruction
Fleet Sound School, Key West, FL	3 Jan 43-16 Jan 43	Student
Supervisor of Ships, Portland, OR	17 Jan 43-20 Apr 43	Prospective CO/ OINC of fitting out USS PC-815
USS PC-815	21 Apr 43- 7 Jul 43	Commanding Officer
Headquarters, ELEVENTH Naval District	8 Jul 43-11 Oct 43	Temporary Duty in the Issuing Office
Naval Small Craft Training Center, Terminal Island, San Pedro, CA	12 Oct 43- 1 Dec 43	Under instruction
Supervisor of Ship- building, Portland, OR	2 Dec 43-21 Jul 44	In connection with fitting out USS ALGOL (AKA-54) and Navigator/Training Off.
USS ALGOL (AKA-54)	22 Jul 44-28 Sep 44	Navigator/Training Off./ Chief Ship's Censor
Naval Training Schools, Princeton, NJ	29 Sep 44-27 Jan 45	Under instruction
Naval Civil Affairs, Staging Area, Presidio of Monterey, CA	28 Jan 45- 4 Sep 45	Under instruction
Naval Hospital, Oakland, CA	5 Sep 45- 4 Dec 45	Patient Awaiting separation orders
Officer Separation Center, San Francisco, CA	5 Dec 45- 6 Dec 45	

MEDALS AND AWARDS

American Defense Service Medal
American Campaign Medal
Asiatic-Pacific Campaign Medal
World War II Victory Medal

PERSONAL DATA

Wife: Louise Gubb of Port Orchard, Washington

Children: Lafayette R. Hubbard (Son)

Born: 7 May 1934

Catherine M. Hubbard (Daughter)

Born: 15 January 1935

Education: George Washington University, Washington, DC
(School of Engineering (2 years))

There is no record in the Bureau of Naval Personnel of any court-martial in the case of former Lieutenant Hubbard.

Mr. Hubbard performed additional service in the Montana National Guard from 19 October 1927 to 23 October 1928 and in the United States Marine Corps Reserve from 1 May 1930 to 22 October 1931.

Sincerely yours,

J. W. Dyson
Y. W. DYSON

Acting Head

Correspondence and
Services Branch

By direction of the
Chief of Naval Personnel



DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY
BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20370

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6 Sep 1979

Mr. William F. Hess
Post Office Box 1526
Portland, OR 97207

Dear Mr. Hess:

This is in reply to your recent request concerning Lieutenant Commander Harry Ross Hubbard, U.S. Navy, Retired, deceased, made under the provisions of the Freedom of Information Act, as amended (5 USC 552).

The following information, releasable under the Freedom of Information Act, has been extracted from Lieutenant Commander Hubbard's service record:

<u>COMPONENT</u>	<u>ACTIVE DUTY</u>	<u>INACTIVE DUTY</u>
USN-ENL	1 Sep 04- 3 Sep 08	
USNRF-ENL	10 Oct 17-31 Oct 18	
USNRF-SC- OFF	1 Nov 18-28 Jun 20	29 Jun 20-16 Sep 21
USN-SC-OFF	17 Sep 21-30 Apr 46	
3 Sep 1908	Honorably discharged	
31 Oct 1918	Honorably discharged to accept an appointment in the U.S. Naval Reserve Force	
28 Jun 1920	Honorably released from active duty	
16 Sep 1921	Appointment in U.S. Naval Reserve Force honorably terminated to accept an appointment in U.S. Navy	
30 Apr 1946	Honorably released from active duty	
1 May 1946	Transferred to Retired List, U.S. Navy	

Date of Birth: 31 August 1886
Place of Birth: Fayette, Iowa
Date of Death: 9 December 1975

PROMOTION HISTORY

1 Nov 1918	Appointed Assistant Paymaster with rank of Ensign, U.S. Naval Reserve Force
11 Nov 1919	Assistant Paymaster with rank of Lieutenant (junior grade), U.S. Naval Reserve Force
17 Sep 1921	Assistant Paymaster with rank of Lieutenant (junior grade), U.S. Navy

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PROMOTION HISTORY (CONT'D)

7 Mar 1924 Passed Assistant Paymaster with rank of Lieutenant,
U.S. Navy
29 Dec 1934 Paymaster with rank of Lieutenant Commander, U.S
Navy

<u>SHIPS AND STATIONS</u>	<u>PERIODS</u>	<u>DUTIES</u>
USS RAINBOW	2 Nov 18-20 Nov 18	Assistant Paymaster
Naval Receiving Ship	21 Nov 18-16 Jan 19	Temporary Duty awaiting transfer
New York, NY		
USS AROOSTOOK	17 Jan 19-20 Apr 20	Supply Officer
Naval Receiving Ship	21 Apr 20-28 Jun 20	Temporary Duty for Separation
San Francisco, CA		Inactive duty
Naval Receiving Ship	29 Jun 20-16 Sep 21	
San Francisco, CA		
Headquarters,	17 Sep 21-22 Sep 21	Temporary Duty awaiting transfer
TWELFTH Naval District		
USS OKLAHOMA	23 Sep 21- 7 Mar 22	Asst. Supply Officer
USS OKLAHOMA	8 Mar 22-20 Oct 23	Asst. Supply Officer/ Disbursing Officer
Naval Receiving Ship	21 Oct 23-30 Oct 23	Temporary Duty
San Francisco, CA		
Naval Receiving Ship	1 Nov 23-22 Nov 23	Under Instruction
New York, NY		
Bureau of Supply and	23 Nov 23-24 Mar 24	
Accounts School of		
Application, Wash, DC		
Navy Yard, Puget	25 Mar 24- 4 Apr 27	Disbursing Officer
Sound, WA		
U.S. Naval Station,	5 Apr 27-21 Aug 29	Officer in Charge, Commissary Store
Guam, MI		Disbursing Officer
Naval Hospital	22 Aug 29-31 May 33	
Washington, DC		
Commander Destroyer	1 Jun 33-17 Oct 34	Disbursing Officer
Division Three,		
Scouting Force		
Headquarters,	18 Oct 34-27 Oct 34	Temporary Duty
FOURTH Naval District		
USS TAYLOR (94)	28 Oct 34- 6 Jul 35	Disbursing Officer
Puget Sound Navy	7 Jul 35-10 Mar 38	Asst. Supply Officer
Yard, Bremerton, WA		
USS ASTORIA	11 Mar 38-10 Jul 41	Supply Officer
Navy Yard, Mare	11 Jul 41-15 Jan 43	Officer in Charge, Navy
Island, CA		Commissary
USS BLACK HAWK	16 Jan 43-18 Jan 45	Supply Officer
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DUTIES (CONT'D)

Naval Station, Seattle 19 Jan 45-30 Apr 46
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Supply Officer

MEDALS AND AWARDS

World War I Victory Medal
American Defense Service Medal with Fleet Clasp
American Campaign Medal
Asiatic-Pacific Campaign Medal
World War II Victory Medal

PERSONAL DATA

Wife: Ledora May Waterbury of Tilden, Nebraska (Married 1909)
Wife: Marjorie White Hubbard (Remarried 1963)
Children: Lafayette Ronald Hubbard (Son)
Born: 13 March 1911
Father: James "W" Hubbard (deceased)
Mother: Philena Jane Potter
Education: Norma Springs, Iowa
Preparatory School and Business College
(no Degree awarded)

T. L. Martin
T. L. MARTIN
By direction

U. S. NAVAL RESERVE
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(CONST. WHITE WASH. D. C.)

TEXT

6003 RELEASE 6003 FURNISH TRANSPORTATION FOR AMERICAN
NAVY PERSONNEL VIA PRESIDENT MADISON APRIL THIRTY IN LEAD OF
UNIFORMED GRANT ARMY SIXTEEN PERIOD GOLD STAR SCHEDULED TO
SAIL FROM MADISON FOR DEPART TWENTY SIX MAY AND WILL BE
DEPARTMENTS ARRIVING ON PRESIDENT MADISON

NAVIGATION

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SECRET

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1. HARRY R. HUBBARD, 1000 10th Ave., New York, N.Y., is a resident of New York City and is a member of the New York City Police Department. He is a member of the New York City Police Department and is a member of the New York City Police Department.

Discussion

File # 100-361614-111

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TO: Bureau of War Relocation Authority.
FROM: Chief of War Relocation Service,
War Department, War Relocation Administration,
Washington, D. C.
SUBJECT: Transportation.

1. ~~Eligible personnel for transportation is authorized as follows:~~
1. Lt. Col. J. C. Hudson, USA.
2. Capt. Harry A. Johnson (US) USA.
3. Capt. Charles W. Taylor (US) USA.
4. Capt. George A. Nelson (US) USA.
5. Capt. William L. Taylor (US) USA.
6. Capt. William L. Taylor (US) USA.
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9. Capt. William L. Taylor (US) USA.
10. Capt. William L. Taylor (US) USA.

2. The ~~officer~~ (officers) on account of whom transportation is requested will be on duty in the place in question, remaining for a period in excess of six months.

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NAVAL FORM 100 (REV. 7-42)

UNITED STATES SHIP ALGOL

(AYA-54)

Wednesday 27 September 1944

00 - 02

Moored port side to Pier 5 Berth "H" Naval Supply Depot, Oakland, California. Receiving fresh water and telephone service from the dock. No. 2 boiler in use for auxiliary purposes.

E. H. Wagner
E. H. WAGNER, Engr., USN.

04 - 08

Moored as before.

E. H. Wagner
E. H. WAGNER, Engr., USN.

08 - 12

Moored as before. 1100-Transferred the bag and hammock and papers of O'HEILLY, John James, Carpenter mate 1c to U.S. Naval Hospital, Treasure Island, California. 1105-Held quarters for master. Absentees: ELLIOTT, Gordon W. m2c, AOL from 0745, 21 September 1944; FILLIS, L. P., M2c AOL from 0745, 26 September 1944, until 0745, 28 September 1944; ALTHILL, T. F., SK2c, AOL from 0745, 26 September 1944, until 0745 28 September 1944; BUTTLE, C. S., Flc, AOL from 1100, 27 September 1944, until 1203, 27 September 1944. Made daily inspection of magazine and smokeless powder samples, conditions normal.

J. Decker
J. DECKER, Engr., USN.

12 - 16

Moored as before. 1203-BUTTLE, C. S., Flc, 306-39-69, USN, reported aboard having been absent over leave since 1100, 27 September 1944, a period of one hour and thirty minutes.

E. H. Wagner
E. H. WAGNER, Engr., USN.

16 - 20

Moored as before. 1601-The following named men reported aboard this ship for duty according to draft No. 7221 of U.S. Naval Training and Distribution Center, Shoemaker, California:

EROW, Harold E.	966-98-15	S2c	V-68	USNR	SHARP, Robert Lee	966-99-11	S2c	V-68	USNR
COOPER, Lark R.	957-37-63	S2c	V-68	USNR	DALLY, Francis X.	961-87-95	F2c	V-68	USNR
GUN, MICK, Dana B.	957-36-90	S2c	V-68	USNR	GILKIN, George A.	923-01-16	F2c	V-68	USNR
FARMER, James H.	966-99-13	S2c	V-68	USNR	SPURLING, William H.	960-86-89	F2c	V-68	USNR
PLANK, Earl Joe	957-36-88	S2c	V-68	USNR	WILSON, Joseph T.	921-28-64	F2c	V-68	USNR
GRANT, C. E.	957-36-75	S2c	V-68	USNR	HAILEY, Richard C.	905-10-69	SK3c	V-68	USNR
INGOLD, Alfred C.	957-37-10	S2c	V-68	USNR	HEIN, Robert Arthur	920-86-43	Flc	LDL V-68	USNR
LEACH, E. A.	957-37-16	S2c	V-68	USNR					
ROBERTS, G. H.	957-37-52	S2c	V-68	USNR					
AUDIER, Willard R.	966-99-00	S2c	V-68	USNR					

1630-The navigating officer reported to the COB that an attempt at sabotage had been made sometime between 1530-1600. A cove bottle filled with gasoline with a cloth wick inserted had been concealed among cargo which was to be hoisted aboard and stowed in No. 1 hold. It was discovered before being taken aboard. C.N.I., FBI and N.S.D. authorities reported on the scene and investigations were started. 1630-ALTHILL, T. F., 285-71-61, Flc (LDL) V-6 USNR, reported aboard for duty according to Draft No. 7262, 27 September 1944, of the U.S. Naval Training and Distribution Center, Shoemaker, California.

John W. Whiting
John W. WHITING, Lt. (jg), USNR.

20-24

Moored as before.

L. P. Micken
L. P. MICKEN, Lt., USNR.

APPROVED:

EXAMINED:

Arthur T. Jones
ARTHUR T. JONES

U.S.N.R. COMMANDING.

John W. Whiting
JOHN W. WHITING, U.S.N.R. NAVIGATOR

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ADFORM-100 (REV. 7-52)

DESK LOG-REMARKS SHEET

DATE

UNITED STATES SHIP ALCOE (AKA-54)

Thursday 28 September, 1944
(Day) (Month) (Year)

00 - 04

Moored port side Berth "M", Pier 5, Naval Supply Depot, Oakland, California. Receiving fresh water and telephone service from the dock. No. 2 boiler in use for auxiliary purposes.

[Signature]
M. J. CRUM, Ens., USNR.

04 - 08

Moored as before. 0745-FELLER, D. P., MC3c, USNR, and AMERIES, F. W., SK2c, USNR, reported aboard absent over leave from 0745, 26 September 1944 to 0745, 28 September 1944 a period of forty-eight (48) hours.

[Signature]
V. M. KAHN, Lt., USN.

08 - 12

Moored as before. 1006-Received three (3) boxes "D" rations and nine (9) boxes "K" rations from Naval Supply Depot, Oakland, California. Inspected for quantity by JETT, SC1c. 1105-Quarters for muster. Absentees: ELLIOTT, G. W., M3c, AOL from 0745, 21 September 1944, BYERS, R. E., Plc, AOL from 1100, 27 September 1944, GUERFA, T. V., S2c, AOL from 1100 27 September 1944. 1122-Received one lot of medical supplies from Medical Supply Depot. Inspected for quantity by HANFICK, CPM.

[Signature]
R. N. CLARK, Lt., (Jg), USNR.

12 - 16

Moored as before. 1300-CHAVEY, G. G., S2c, USNR, and GUERFA, T. V., S2c, USNR, reported aboard having been AOL since 1100, 28 September 1944. 1459-Lieut. J. LITTLEJOHN, USN, returned on board from three (3) days leave.

[Signature]
L. O. GUTHRIE, Ens., USN.

16 - 20

Moored as before. 1635-Pursuant to BuPers dispatched dated 27 September at 22144G, Lt. Lafayette Ron MUMFORD, D-V(8), USNR, 113992, was this date detached from duties aboard this vessel, for transfer and further duty under instruction University of Princeton, New Jersey. 1940-32nd Unit U.S. Naval Construction Battalion returned aboard to resume loading.

[Signature]
Wm L. MATH, Lt., (Jg), USNR.

20 - 24

Moored as before.

[Signature]
V. F. STERN, Lt., (Jg), USNR.

APPROVED:

EXAMINED:

[Signature]
ANTON T. JONES

U. S. N. R. COMMANDING.

[Signature]

U. S. N. R. NAVIGATOR

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MEMORANDUM

DEPARTMENT OF MILITARY AFFAIRS
STATE OF MONTANA

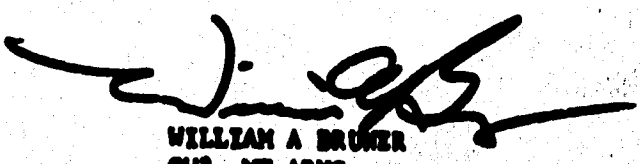
TO: MICHAEL L SHANNON

RECY OF ADDRESS: P.O. Box 1526, Portland, OR 97207

14 Sep 79

(Date)

A records review for LAFAYETTE RONALD HUBBARD was conducted by this office and no records indicated that subject individual was in the Montana Army National Guard.


WILLIAM A BRUNER
CW2, MT ARNG
Mil Pers Tech

National Guard of the United States
Office of the Adjutant General of Montana
P. O. BOX 4789
HELENA, MONTANA 59601

N. M. C. 100-441,
7-11-54

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SERVICE RECORD

OF

Name HUBBARD, LAFAYETTE RONALD

Enlisted as PRIVATE

At WASHINGTON D.C.

1st MAY 1920, to term 4 years, (during minority)

Date of birth MARCH 13 1909

Place of birth TILDEN, NEB.

Accepted for enlistment at WASH. D.C.

Occupations prior to entering military or naval service
PHOTOGRAPHER

Home or residence CAECREST,
VIRGINIA

Citizenship U.S.

Identification tag issued 19

Name, relationship, and address of person to be notified in case of emergency LIEUT. H.R.
HUBBARD, U.S.N. NAVAL HOSPITAL
WASH. D.C.

Education: Common school 8 yrs.
High school 4 yrs. College 0 yrs.

Knowledge of foreign language: 0

Speaking 0 Reading 0 Writing 0

Sea and foreign service: 0

CHARLES W. TERRE, L.T. 1st Class, U.S.N.
Recruiting Officer.

Lafayette Ronald Hubbard
SIGNATURE OF RECRUITING OFFICER

No. of rifle 0

Enlistment Extension

DATE EXPIRATION EXTENDED
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SIGNATURE COMMANDING
OFFICER

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Discharged at

on 19..... by reason of

Character:

....., U. S. M. C.,

In appropriate cases add "awarded good-conduct medal (or good-conduct medal bar) No. --- upon discharge."

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on Sept 10, 1921, by reason of

S. O. 1114, Letter dated 21 Sept 1921

Recommended for character Excellent

Not to be recommended

Smith W. Brookhart
1st Lieut., U. S. M. C.

In appropriate cases add "or, (or, is not) recommended for good-conduct medal (or good-conduct medal bar)."

Future address:

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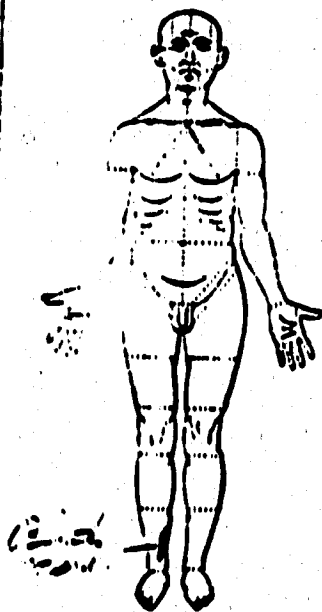
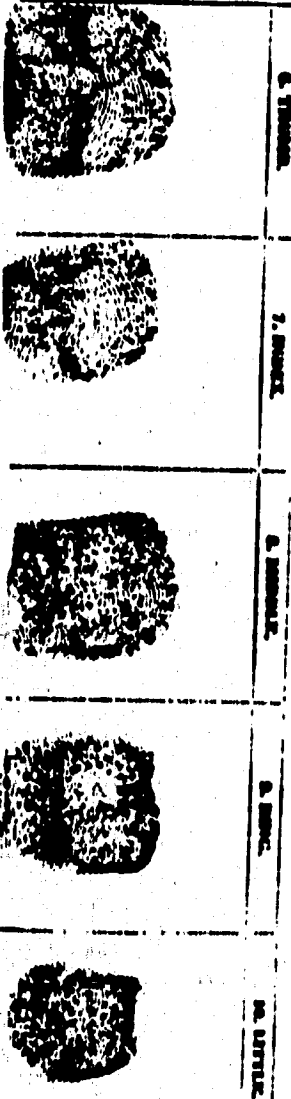
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PLEASE PRINT NAME AND TITLE

Commanding officers will detach Form 782 and 782a in accordance with instructions contained in circ. 17-57 and 17-58, M. C. M.

MARKS, SCARS, ETC. (Marked in red ink by Medical Examiner.)

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Examined 1st MAY 1930

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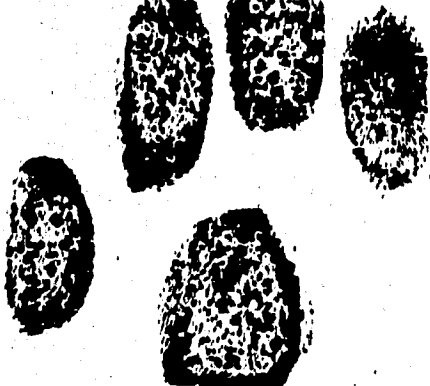
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Complexion RUDDY

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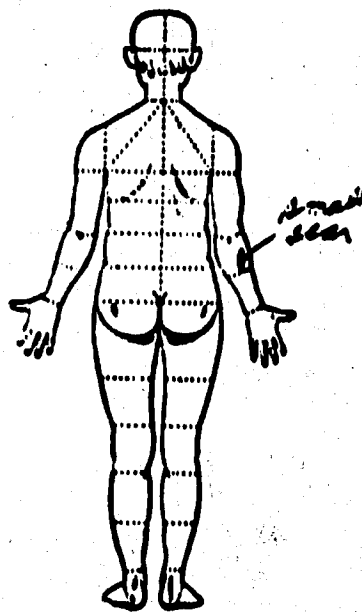
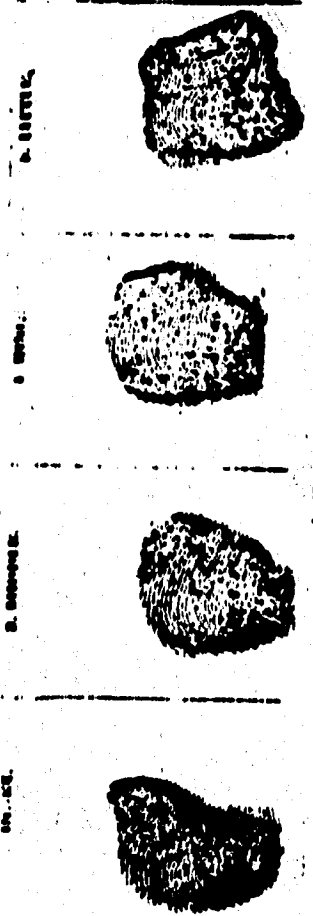
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RIGHT HAND. Rolled imprint of thumb and each finger.



Date and nature of any wound.

John S. Knudsen
Surgical Surgeon

RIGHT HAND.—Plain imprints of Four Fingers taken simultaneously



BEFORE

VETERANS ADMINISTRATION

REPORT OF PHYSICAL EXAMINATION

Form 10-10

Date of admission to hospital _____

Date of discharge from hospital _____

1. Claimant's name WILLIAMS, Lafayette Ronald General Delivery
Address Indiana Beach, Calif.

2. Rank and organization 1st Lt (D) USMC Enlistment 11/24/41

Discharge 2/26/46 3. Birthplace Nebraska

Age 35 Race white Color of eyes gray Color of hair red

4. Height 71 1/2 inches Weight (weigh him) 167 Highest weight in past year 175

5. Examined VAC Los Angeles, Calif. 9/19/46

6. Permanent marks and scars other than described below: _____

7. Origin and date of incurrence of disability as alleged by claimant:
Defective vision - February 1943. Excessive tropical sunlight. Hospitalized. N.Y.
Duodenal ulcer - June 1943. Hospitalized for stomach trouble, San Diego, Calif.
Arthritis - January 1945. Change of climate from tropics to New York winter and
was hospitalized in April 1945 for Duod. Ulcer and at that time arthritis diagnosis

8. Brief medical and industrial history:
(In first examination, this history must cover, in detail, the time spanning from date of discharge from military service, when
previous examination was made, to date of examination, and must include the nature and industrial history covering the period in
the first recent previous examination, and it must be up to date of his examination. It must also cover any history of
not be chronic, the history must be for the entire time to be covered, and for what reason
has the veteran received previous treatment? When, where, by whom, and at what institution and where was he employed, and
how continuous was the employment?)

No hospitalization since discharge. In Miami, Fla., was under the care of Dr.
Walsh. See in file for reports of same. Also received treatment from Laser Specialist
at Mt. Sinai Clinic at New York City, for his eye condition.

No work since discharge. Lives on his savings.
Is a writer by trade - has done nothing professionally since discharge.

APR 17 1947
SCRANTON, PA.

STATEMENT BY CHAIRMAN. The company has no shares A and B have been sold since 1907, under conditions of purchase and sale entered into by the company at the time the shares were sold. It is the best of my knowledge and belief.

For the physical examination the element must be stripped

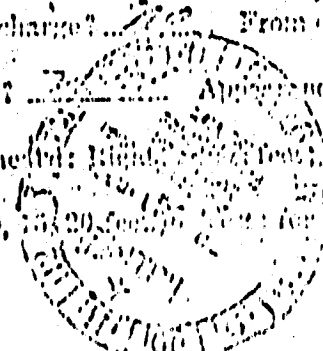
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12. Eyes: External structures, each eye _____
Internal structures, each eye (if practicable) _____

Corrected R- 25/10/20 Tr 20/7/20

13. Ears; Auditory canals: Normal? Yes Discharge? No From external canal or middle ear? No Mастоидectomy scar? No Appearance of membrane of tympani? Normal Ordinary conversation heard: Right 100 feet; left 100 feet. (Test only at prescribed distance.—1, 2, 5, 10, 15, 20 feet.) (Specify Rinne, Weber, Schwabach):



AFTER

SPECIAL OFFICIAL REPORT

HISTORY: This veteran gives a long history of three periods of rest only out of approximately 42 years of army duty. He is an officer, and states that somewhat over a year of his service was spent in hospitals in the latter period. It was gathered from the report that the duty was rather strenuous, his first assignment in 1942, being with a merchant ship which was assigned to transport troops. Later, he states, he served with engineers in the North Atlantic. On one occasion, in 1942, he fell down a ladder and struck his right hip, but there were no facilities aboard ship and it was necessary for him to go on without any aid. He also gives a history of injuring his right shoulder, just how is not clear, and of developing numerous other things including duodenal ulcer, retinitis conjunctivitis, and a highly nervous state. He had applied for retirement from the army which was eventually turned down. He has had no treatment to various orthopedic conditions since service. He is a writer by profession and states he has some income from professional writing that helps take care of him.

EXAMINATION: This is a well nourished and muscled white adult who does not appear chronically ill.

The spine is of normal contour and freely flexible in all directions. Flat percussion brings out no manifestations of pain.

Upper extremities: He has a history of some injury to the right shoulder and will not elevate the arm above the shoulder level. However, on persuasion, it was determined at this time that the shoulder is freely movable and unrestricted. It is noted that he has had a previous diagnosis of **OSTEOARTHRITIS WITH CALCIFICATION**. X-rays will be repeated. It is not believed that this is of significant incapacity.

In the prone position, Lasague's and Laguerre's signs are negative. Knees, ankles and feet are apparently normal. Records show a diagnosis of **MULTIPLE ARTHRITIS**. However, no clinical evidence of arthritis is found at this time. X-rays will be repeated.

Diagnosis deferred pending receipt of X-rays.

(continued)

REPORT, Laboratory
C-701, 11-11

SPECIAL GASTRO-INTESTINAL EXAMINATION: August 1, 1951

PRESENTING COMPLAINT: Stomach trouble since 1943.

REVIEW OF PRESENT ILLNESS: This 40 year old white male writer states that he has had continuous trouble with his stomach since 1943, at which time he was serving in the Army. He states that he spent approximately 13 months in hospitals during his Army service, and that a duodenal ulcer was demonstrated by x-ray on several occasions. He complains of a sense of epigastric fullness at times associated with a boring-like pain in the epigastrium, which is usually worse before meals, and is relieved by food and milk. He has only had pain at night on rare occasions, and states that he is usually able to control this by taking milk. He has taken numerous types of alkalies in the past. He states that, with the exception of his first hospitalization, he has received no appreciable benefit from these drugs. He says he has been forced to follow a modified ulcer diet continuously since his initial gastro-intestinal disturbance in 1943. The spring and the fall of the years are usually the most troublesome times for him, and he states that he has exacerbations lasting usually about a week with rather severe distress during these months. He only rarely has any associated nausea and vomiting, and denies hematemesis and melena at any time. His bowels have generally been regular. He states his appetite has been only fair, but weight has remained stationary for the past five years. The patient states that he invariably has trouble with his stomach when he is working long hours and under nervous stress. He is a poor sleeper, and states that he has been unable to take the usual specifics because they seem to upset his stomach. He smokes very little, and then only intermittently. He believes this smoking definitely aggravates his epigastric distress. He gives no history of bowel irregularities, and has never been jaundiced.

PHYSICAL EXAMINATION reveals a well developed, well nourished, 40 year old white male whose weight is 194 pounds. Blood pressure is 112/70 and pulse rate is 64.

Examination of the mouth, tongue, and throat is not remarkable. The abdomen is flat, and there is no significant tenderness present. There is no spasm or rigidity, and no masses are felt. Liver, spleen, and kidneys are not palpable.

IMPRESSION: Duodenal ulcer, chronic.

DIAGNOSIS: DUODENAL ULCER, NOT FOUND ON THIS EXAMINATION.

End of my examination, etc.

Clinical

[Signature]
C. H. WILKINS, M.D.
Examining Physician

[Signature]
J. S. GIBSON, M.D.
Assistant to Chief
Gastrointestinal Service

Alger

Born in Boston, Mass., 29 September 1859, Philip Rensselaer Alger graduated from the Academy in 1880 with first honors. In 1890 he was appointed Professor of Mathematics at the Academy. For many years he was Secretary-Treasurer of the Naval Institute and was also editor of the *United States Naval Institute Proceedings*. He was the author of several works on ordnance and applied mechanics. He died at the Naval Hospital, Annapolis, 23 February 1912.

(DD-101: dp. 1240; l. 306'; b. 26'8"; dr. 11'8"; s. 21 k.; cpl. 186; a. 3 3", 3 21" TT.; cl. Cannon)

Alger (DD-101) was launched 8 July 1913 by Dravo Corp., Wilmington, Del.; sponsored by Miss Louisa Rodgers Alger, daughter of Professor Alger; commissioned 12 November 1913, Lieutenant Commander W. F. Porter in command; and reported to Commander, 4th Fleet.

Alger carried out screening and patrolling duties in the waters off Recife, Bahia, and Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, between February 1914 and March 1915. On 10 May 1914 she rescued ten survivors of the British steamer *Janet*.

On 10 March 1915 *Alger* was decommissioned and transferred to the Brazilian Navy.

Algel

Algel is a star in the constellation Perseus.

(AKA-34: dp. 6830; l. 450'2"; b. 63'; dr. 36'4"; s. 16.5 k.; cpl. 420; a. 1 5"; cl. Achernar)

Algel (AKA-34) was launched 17 February 1943 by Moore Dry Dock Co., Oakland, Calif., for the Maritime Commission as *James Seines*; sponsored by Mrs. J. A. McKeown; transferred to the Navy and placed in partial commission 27 November 1943; decommissioned 3 December 1943; converted into an AKA by Willamette Iron and Steel Corp., Portland, Oreg.; and fully commissioned 21 July 1944, Lieutenant Commander A. T. Jones, USNR, in command.

Algel departed the west coast 3 September 1944, arriving at Eniwetok 18 October 1944 and Hollandia, New Guinea, 6 November. She carried reinforcements (25th Infantry Division) to Lingayen Gulf, landing them 18 January 1945; assault troops in the Zamboanga, Luzon, landings (29-31 January); and reserves in the Okinawa invasion (1 April). After Okinawa, *Algel* returned to the west coast, arriving at San Diego 4 May. Following one voyage to Pearl Harbor, she departed San Francisco 6 July for the Western Pacific, arriving at Ie Shima, Ryukyu Islands, 9 September. For the next year she carried cargo and passengers between Chinese, Philippine, Alaskan, and west coast ports. In October 1946 she was assigned to the Naval Transportation Service and continued trans-Pacific operations.

Inactivated at San Francisco 26 November 1947, *Algel* returned to the active fleet 12 February 1948 and three months later joined Service Force, Pacific Fleet. Once more she drew trans-Pacific duty, but in July 1949 she was reassigned to Amphibious Force, Atlantic Fleet. She made one cruise (June 1949-January 1950) to the Mediterranean and then returned to the Pacific, 27 August 1950. *Algel* departed San Diego 30 August 1950 with supplies and reinforcements for the Marines in Korea. She remained in the Far East until June 1951 taking part in the Wonsan landing (25 October) and the Chinnampo evacuation (4-7 December). Except for an extended overhaul at Puget Sound Naval Shipyard (September-October 1951) and two tours in the Western Pacific (March-December 1952 and March-July 1954), *Algel* served on the west coast as part of the Amphibious Force, Pacific Fleet, until placed out of commission in reserve at Long Beach, Calif., 2 January 1958.

Algel received two battle stars for her operations in World War II and five Korean battle stars.

Algoma see Brnicia

Algonquin

The Algonquin are a Canadian Indian tribe.

The double-ended gunboat *Algonquin* was launched by New York Navy Yard 21 December 1863 but failed her trials because of poor machinery and was never commissioned. She was sold 21 October 1869.

I

The newly purchased tug *Algonquin* was renamed *Accomac* (q. v.) 15 June 1898.

II

(RC: dp. 1181; l. 306'6"; br. 32'; dr. 18'2"; s. 12 k.; a. 4 6-pdr.)

Algonquin was built in 1897 for the Revenue Cutter Service by Globe Iron Works, Cleveland, Ohio. During the Spanish-American War, she was taken over by the Navy and operated, for a short time, with the North Atlantic Fleet. She was returned to the Revenue Cutter Service 17 August 1898.

Algonquin was again transferred to the Navy by Executive Order on 6 April 1917. From 14 October 1917 she operated with the patrol force at Gibraltar as a convoy escort. After returning to the United States at the end of the war, she cruised in the North Atlantic until May 1919 when she was transferred to the 13th Naval District. On 2 September 1919 she was returned to the Coast Guard at Seattle.

Algoreb

Algoreb is a star in the constellation Corvus.

(AK-25: dp. 7203; l. 450'2"; b. 63'; dr. 36'5"; s. 16.5 k.; cpl. 267; a. 4 5"; cl. Arcturus)

Algoreb (AK-25) was launched 15 June 1939 by Sun Shipbuilding Co., Chester, Pa., as *Alfonsen*; acquired by the Navy 6 June 1941; commissioned 18 June 1941, Commander T. B. Inglis in command; and reported to the Atlantic Fleet.

Until September 1942 *Algoreb* made cargo runs to Newfoundland, Iceland, Cuba, and Tangataba. On 11 September 1942 she collided with *Harrie* (AP-6) while executing a tactical maneuver and suffered one man killed and lost 23 feet of her bow. She proceeded unassisted to Norfolk where repairs were completed on 7 October 1942. Between 8 and 11 November 1942 *Algoreb* participated in the Port Lyautey, Morocco, landings. Departing North Africa on the 18th, she returned to Norfolk.

Algoreb arrived at Noumea, New Caledonia, in January 1943 and was redesignated AKA-6 on 1 February 1943. Throughout the remainder of World War II she provided logistic support during the following operations: consolidation of the southern Solomons (January-June 1943); New Georgia-Rendova-Vangunu occupation (20 June 1943); and the assault and occupation of Okinawa (1-9 April 1945).

Algoreb's service was limited during late 1943, all of 1944, and most of 1945, due to faulty engines. She returned to San Francisco 18 May 1945; was decommissioned 2 December 1945; and transferred to the Maritime Commission 30 June 1946.

Algoreb received four battle stars for her services in the Atlantic and Pacific during World War II.

Elisha Whitney was acquired from the Army 12 June 1951, renamed *Algoreb* (AK-202), and loaned to Korea the same day.

NAVAL DISTRICT LIMITS—1940¹⁰

District	Headquarters	Limits
1	Boston	Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island (including Block Island).
3	New York,	Connecticut, New York, northern part of New Jersey, including counties of Mercer, Monmouth, and all counties north thereof, also the Nantucket Shoals Lightship.
4	Philadelphia	Pennsylvania, southern part of New Jersey, including counties of Burlington, Ocean, and all counties south thereof; Delaware, including Winter Quarter Shoal Light Vessel.
5	Naval Operating Base, Hampton Roads	Maryland, West Virginia, Virginia and the counties of Currituck, Camden, Pasquotank, Gates, Perquimans, Chowan, and Dare in North Carolina, also the Diamond Shoal Lightship.
6	Charleston	South Carolina, Georgia, and North Carolina, except the counties of Currituck, Camden, Pasquotank, Gates, Perquimans, Chowan, and Dare.
7	Key West	Florida, except counties west of Apalachicola River.
8	New Orleans	Florida counties west of Apalachicola River, Alabama, Tennessee, Louisiana, Mississippi, Arkansas, Oklahoma, Texas.
9	Great Lakes, Ill.	Ohio, Michigan, Kentucky, Indiana, Illinois, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Iowa, Missouri, North Dakota, South Dakota, Nebraska, Kansas.
10	San Juan	All of the island possessions of the United States pertaining to Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands.
11	San Diego	New Mexico, Arizona, southern part of California, including counties of Santa Barbara, Ventura, Los Angeles, and San Bernardino and all counties south thereof.
12	San Francisco	Colorado, Utah, Nevada, northern part of California, including counties of San Luis Obispo, Kern, Inyo, and all counties north thereof.
13	Seattle	Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Montana, Wyoming, Alaska.
14	Pearl Harbor	Hawaiian Islands, and islands to westward, including Midway, Wake, Kure, Johnston and Sands Islands, and Kingman Reef. See arr. 1480(2).
15	Canal Zone	Panama Canal Zone
16	Cavite	Philippine Islands

Looking forward to combined local defense, staff conversations were held with military representatives of the Dominican Republic, Haiti, Cuba, and Venezuela during the summer of 1940. During September the "destroyer-naval base deal" with England put the United States in the Bahamas, Jamaica, Antigua, St. Lucia, Trinidad, and British Guiana.⁵⁰ Another adjustment in district limits was necessary.

"United States naval reservations and naval activities on shore" at Newfoundland were placed in the First District and those on Bermuda in the Fifth; the Tenth acquired "all United States territories, possessions, naval reservations and naval activities on shore" in a specified expanse covering most of the Caribbean Sea outside the Canal Zone area (8 January 1941).⁵¹

Meanwhile, the Eighth Naval District headquarters had been reestablished at New Orleans on 15 December 1940.⁵²

The year 1941 saw three district changes in addition to those already outlined. On 2 May, Clark County, Nevada and Kern County, California were changed from Twelfth to Eleventh District; the Fifth District was the recipient of nine additional eastern North Carolina counties from the Sixth District (1 September); and the day after Pearl Harbor two "Quasi-districts" were formed—the Potomac River and Severn River Naval Commands.⁵³

It will be recalled that "excepting their coordination with the general plan of military defense of the district", the shore activities on the Severn and Potomac Rivers had been excluded from the Fifth Naval District and the district system since 1918.⁵⁴ On 8 December 1941 these activities were grouped together for the purpose of military control to constitute the Severn River Naval Command and the Potomac River Naval Command under the Superintendent of the Naval Academy and the Commandant of the Washington Navy Yard respectively.

Four counties in Maryland, six in Virginia, together with the District of Columbia were assigned to the Potomac River Naval Command while the Severn command was given Anne Arundel County, Maryland: all formerly part of the Fifth District.⁵⁵

The shore activities, brought under the military control of the commandants of the River Commands, were named. All five of the Severn Command activities were at Annapolis. Potomac Command responsibilities were more numerous; they were modified by an order dated 3 January 1944, and by one of 21 May 1946 which made the city of Alexandria, Virginia, a part of the Command.⁵⁶ Thus the Potomac River Naval Command tended to develop a district-like staff organization, whereas nothing quite so elaborate was required for the Severn.

The headquarters of the Seventh Naval District returned to Key West, 1 February 1942, after being in Charleston for 10 years.⁵⁷ On the fourth of the same month, Nassau and Duval counties in northeast Florida were removed from the Seventh and made part of the Sixth District.⁵⁸

Mutual defense interests among the American republics, and want of anti-submarine protection for transport of Venezuelan oil led to an unusual district expansion early in the War. After an exchange of views among Venezuela, the United States, and other interested nations, plans for local defense were prepared during January and February 1942.⁵⁹ Consequently the Tenth Naval District was declared to include Venezuela, British Guiana, Surinam and French

Guiana. Here indeed was a far cry from the original continental United States coast line districts of 1903.

An order of 2 June 1942 placed Bermuda and Newfoundland under the command of the Commander-in-Chief, U. S. Atlantic Fleet, thus removing these activities from the Fifth and First Naval Districts respectively.⁶⁰ The Bermuda change took place on 17 June 1942, but the Newfoundland change was not effective until almost a year later, 28 May 1943.⁶¹ Concurrent with Bermuda leaving the district organization, the Seventh District headquarters once more headed north from Key West. This move did not carry to Charleston as in 1932, but only to Miami where communication and transportation facilities were superior to those provided by Key West.⁶²

The Potomac River Naval Command gained Calvert County, Maryland, at the expense of the Fifth Naval District on 3 January 1944.⁶³ Alaska and the Aleutian Islands, formerly within the Thirteenth District, were established as a new district, the Seventeenth, 15 April 1944. Temporary headquarters at Adak were later moved to a permanent site, Kodiak.⁶⁴

After reoccupation of the Philippine Islands by American forces the Sea Frontier was reactivated and kept in that status until Philippine independence, 4 July 1946. On the other hand, the Sixteenth Naval District was not reestablished when the Japanese were ousted.

Nassau and Duval counties, Florida, returned, 2 January 1946, to the Seventh District whence they came.⁶⁵ The headquarters of the Seventh was again on the move, this time to Jacksonville, 20 June 1946.⁶⁶

Static is a word which by no stretch of the imagination can be associated with naval district limits—change continued. On 1 September 1943 the "migrant Seventh" was dissolved; Florida, Alabama, Tennessee, and Mississippi, plus certain North Carolina coastal counties (Fifth Naval District) were inherited by the Sixth. On the same date, Colorado and Wyoming were added to the Ninth.⁶⁷ One year to the day later, New Mexico was shifted from the Eleventh to the Eighth District.⁶⁸ Kentucky became part of the Fifth District and Ohio part of the Fourth, 1 April 1950.⁶⁹ These myriad adjustments were designed to bring the districts into closer alignment with Army and Air Force area commands.

The Fourteenth Naval District extended across the Pacific to include Kwajalein Atoll, Marshall Islands, 19 June 1950.⁷⁰

On 29 December 1952 sixteen northern coastal counties of North Carolina were transferred from the Sixth to the Fifth Naval District to bring Marine Corps activities in those counties under the same district command as their supporting activities in Norfolk.⁷¹

For a complete picture of naval district limits in 1953 see Appendix K.

3625 SOUTH FLORENCE PLACE
TULSA, OKLAHOMA 74108

February 11, 1930

Dear Mr. Shannon:

So far as I know, there were no "surveys" of minerals in Puerto Rico in 1932 other than my own. I was visiting professor in geology at the university of Puerto Rico in 1931 and 1932, giving lectures on geology not only to students, but also to the personnel at federal and insular agencies located in Mayaguez in 1931 and in Rio Piedras in 1932. I was also commissioned by the University to prepare the monograph on "The Geology of Puerto Rico," and during the same period was the sole geologist active in Puerto Rico on the Scientific Survey of Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands. The combination of duties made just about all the geology the island had. Before I returned to the mainland, an insular Bureau of Mines was created, and I continued to serve as an occasional consultant; and when I returned during the balance of the thirties and into the war years, I am sure I would have been apprised of any survey that might have been undertaken during that period.

The only Hubbard concerned with Puerto Rican geology was Bela Hubbard, who did a survey of the Pinar District in the early twenties. As a check, you might write the Library of the U.S. Geological Survey at Reston, Virginia, requesting them to advise you whether there were any publications listed by Lafayette Ronald Hubbard in the bibliography of Puerto Rican Geology compiled by Margerie Hooker shortly before her death. You may be able to get further verification from Dr. Rafael Pico, a student in 1932, but subsequently a man who served the insular government in many capacities and who would know - or could find out - whether there were mineralogical surveys by L. R. Hubbard. His address is Apartado 1026, Hato Rey, Puerto Rico 00919.

You arouse my interest and curiosity, and I hope you will satisfy the latter. I know of no reason why my name should not be used. Do you? No one else has approached me on the subject of your inquiry, and you leave me wondering whether I may anticipate queries and should be on my guard. I will appreciate enlightenment. I am not wholly unaware about the current ruckus over the Church of Scientology, but am far from well informed.

Sincerely,

Howard A. Hoyerhoff



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Mr. Michael L. Shannon
P. O. Box 1526
Portland, OR 97207

Dear Mr. Shannon:

This is in reply to your inquiry of 8 October 1979 concerning the licensing of Mr. Lafayette R. Hubbard.

A check of the license records at Coast Guard Headquarters indicate no record of Mr. Hubbard being licensed by the U. S. Coast Guard.

We regret we are unable to assist you in this matter.

Sincerely,

J. R. NORMAN
Commander, U. S. Coast Guard
Chief, Licensing and Evaluation Branch
Merchant Vessel Personnel Division
By direction of the Commandant



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HATO REY, PUERTO RICO 00910

March 1, 1980

Mr. Michael Linn Shannon
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Portland, Oregon 97207

Dear Mr. Shannon:

After a trip to the States, I received your note asking about Hubbard and his work in Puerto Rico. I am not sure we are talking about the same man, for the scientist of which I have reference is Bela Hubbard who in 1923 prepared a geology survey of northwestern Puerto Rico, published by the New York Academy of Science as "Geology of the Lares District," Volume II, Scientific Survey of Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands. I have no other reference to Bela Hubbard.

In his work on the Lares District, Hubbard does have a short section on the minerals of the area that did not amount too much. If Dr. Howard Meyerhoff doesn't have any information about further minerals studies produced by Hubbard, I doubt that it ever occurred, as Meyerhoff is our outstanding expert on the geology and the minerals of Puerto Rico.

Sincerely yours,



/apa



United States Department of the Interior

GEOLOGICAL SURVEY
RESTON, VA. 22092

In Reply Refer To:
Mail Stop 907

October 10, 1979

Mr. Michael Shannon
P. O. Box 1526
Portland, Oregon 97207

Dear Mr. Shannon:

The U.S. Geological Survey library in Reston, Virginia has no publications by Lafayette Ronald Hubbard, nor is there reference to him in any other publication, in connection with Puerto Rico. I found publications by a Bela Hubbard with reference to a geological survey done in Puerto Rico in 1923.

In 1913 the New York Academy of Sciences started a scientific survey of Puerto Rico. Nineteen volumes that described these efforts were published between 1913 and 1942. Enclosed is a photocopied list of the volumes issued. Bela Hubbard's paper, "The geology of the Lares District, Porto Rico," can be found in vol. 2, part 1, of the New York Academy of Sciences--Scientific Survey of Porto Rico. The publications may possibly be available in Oregon Federal depository libraries shown on an enclosure. Your local library can borrow books for you from one of these libraries on interlibrary loan, or from the USGS library in Reston.

During 1898-1899 R. T. Hill and H. B. C. Nitze conducted mineral resource investigations in Puerto Rico. Enclosed are photocopies of the two reports from the U.S. Geological Survey Annual Reports for 1899.

If you wish to contact the Puerto Rico Geological Survey in connection with your inquiry, their address is c/o Dept. of Natural Resources, Box 5887, Puerta de Tierra Sta., San Juan, Puerto Rico 00906.

Enclosed are courtesy copies of the U.S. Geological Survey topographic map index, catalog of geologic and water-supply reports and maps on Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands, and the geologic map index of Puerto Rico.

Sincerely yours,

Mary Ann Przedpelaki
Mary Ann Przedpelaki
Geologist
Geologic Inquiries Group



One Hundred Years of Earth Science in the Public Service



November 14, 1979

Mr. Michael L. Shannon
P. O. Box 1526
Portland, Oregon 97207

Dear Mr. Shannon:

Reference is made to your inquiry regarding a mineralogical study made in 1932 by one L. Ron Hubbard.

I am enclosing a copy of page 18 of the "Bibliography and Index of the Geology of Puerto Rico and Vicinity". As you can see the only Hubbard on record is not same one and at a much earlier date.

I hope this answers your questions.

Yours truly,

Ramon M. Alonso

Ramón M. Alonso
Chief
Geologic Division

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December 4, 1979

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Dear Mr. Shannon:

Thank you for once again writing to the National Geographic Society.

We do not have records which indicate that LaFayette Ronald Hubbard is currently a member of the National Geographic Society or that he participated in any expedition sponsored by the Society.

For your interest, I have enclosed several pages with biographical information on Mr. Hubbard. These were copied from volumes 77-80 of Contemporary Authors, published by the Gale Research Company in 1979. These pages include information on Mr. Hubbard's participation in various expeditions.

I trust this information will prove helpful. It was a pleasure to be of assistance.

Sincerely yours,

Anne E. Feininger

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Research Correspondence

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This is a true copy of the official record of the above named student. When signed and sealed with the impression seal of this office, it constitutes an official transcript of record. Honorable dismissal granted unless otherwise stated under faculty action.

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3. Home Residence (for non-resident pupils)
4. Age at time of enrollment: 5 years 10 months
5. Date of Birth: month March day 13 year 1911
6. Place of birth Gilden, Nebraska
7. Previously attended school at
8. When vaccinated
9. Name of Parent or Guardian H. P. Hubbard

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This is all we can find -
hope it is of some help -

Central School Jan. 2, 1917
Admitted to Grade 1st
Transferred to _____ School _____ 1917
Change of Residence
Remarks

J. M. McConnell
Principal

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card



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December 4, 1979

Michael Linn Shannon
P.O. Box 1526
Portland, Oregon 97207

Dear Mr. Shannon:

Your letter of October 9 has been forwarded around the University. Neither the Registrar's Office, the Alumni Records Office, nor the Information Service can find any record of Lafayette Ronald Hubbard as a student or graduate of the University of Michigan.

This library serves as the archives of the University. I have checked the Student Directory for the four years 1929-1930 to 1932-1933 and found no record of his attending the University. I checked the Regents Proceedings for 1930-1931 and 1931-1932 but the index failed to list a "Caribbean Motion Picture Expedition." The Michigan Alumnus also fails to note such an expedition though expeditions to Guatemala, Mexico, and Greenland are discussed at some length.

I am sorry we cannot help you.

Sincerely yours,

Mary Jo Pugh
Mary Jo Pugh

MJP:dh

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Subject: Transportation.

1. The Bureau of Navigation hereby authorizes transportation for.....

2 Hampton Road, is the San Juan, Puerto Rico
not later than 25 Oct 42. Controlling Officer, USS KILPATRICK

3. Notify this Bureau immediately if you decide not to avail yourself of this transportation.

4. Dogs and other domestic animals are not allowed aboard without first obtaining the Commanding Officer's permission.

5. All passengers must be vaccinated with cowpox vaccine before departure or present a properly signed certificate showing evidence of successful vaccination with potent vaccine within one year prior to the date of sailing. A history of smallpox does not exempt a person from vaccination against that disease.

6. Vaccination against typhoid is required for all passengers prior to departure excepting those under three or over forty-five years of age, or those who present evidence of having received two complete courses of typhoid vaccine or a complete course within the past three years. In emergencies, this vaccination may be started upon arrival on board by the medical officer of the transport. Paratyphoid vaccination is not required.

7. Each prospective passenger should undergo physical examination and obtain medical certificate prior to departure from home, showing absence of infectious or contagious diseases, and that general health permits travel; otherwise, passenger is subject to examination at port of embarkation and exclusion if not physically acceptable.

F. B. UPHAM,
Chief of Bureau.

Commanding Officer, USS
Commandant, Naval District,

By direction.

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U. S. NAVAL HOSPITAL

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13 October 1932.

FROM: Lieut. H. R. Hubbard, SC., U.S. Navy.
TO: Bureau of Navigation, Navy Department, Washington, D.C.
VIA: The Commanding Officer.
Subject: Request transportation for son, L. Ronald Hubbard.

1. It is requested transportation be authorized for my son, Lafayette Ronald Hubbard as follows:

Hampton Roads, Virginia to San Juan, Puerto Rico, on the U. S. Navy Transport Kittery, sailing from Hampton Roads on or about October 26, 1932.

2. The purpose of sending my son to Puerto Rico is to place his services at the disposal of the American Red Cross in their relief work on that Island. Advice concerning him has been forwarded from the Foreign and Insular Department, American Red Cross, Washington, D. C. to the Puerto Rico director.

3. Such accommodations as are available at date of sailing, either First Class or Troop, will be satisfactory and appreciated.

H. R. Hubbard
H. R. HUBBARD.

First Endorsement. U.S. Naval Hospital, Washington, D.C.,
13 October 1932.

From: The Commanding Officer.
To: Bureau of Navigation, Navy Department.

1. Forwarded.

P. S. Rossiter
P. S. ROSSITER,
Capt., MC., USN.

GENERAL FILES

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HELENA HIGH SCHOOL
ENROLLMENT CARD

JAN 30 1928

1. Name L. R. Hubbard
2. Residence: No. 736 - 5th Ave
3. Home Residence: (For Pupils whose home is not in Lewis and Clark County) 5
4. Age 16 years 11 months
5. Date of Birth: Month March day 13 year 1911
6. Place of Birth Lincoln Neb.
7. Previously Attended School at S.W.-B.W.-H.M. G.N. 2. etc
8. When Vaccinated Smallpox 3 times last 8 yrs
9. Name of Parent or Guardian H. R. Hubbard
(over)

Hubbard--Explorer's Club, 46 E. 70th St., New York, N.Y.
1-212/628-8383
Ward Randol, executive director
Ref: George Crosette, Nat. Geographical Society.

Hubbard currently a fellow non-resident. Joined in 1940.
Allegedly doing marine archaeological research in
Mediterranean.

On application, he lists the following:

1. In 1932-33, conducted first mineralogical survey of Puerto Rico.

Clifford Kaye, U.S. Geological Survey, Interior Dept., Boston, Mass., 1-617/223-7200, who has done geological work in Puerto Rico, reported on June 22, 1970, that Hubbard's name was not mentioned or listed as staff in the Mineral Resources Study of 1932-34. Also, Kaye said neither the U.S. Bureau of Mines nor the Puerto Rican government mentioned Hubbard. Kaye said a man named Bela Hubbard published materials on geological surveys of Puerto Rico, but that was in the early 1920s. Kaye said Dr. Howard A. Meyerhoff, who was chairman of the Mineral Resources Committee, could definitely state whether Hubbard was ever involved. Meyerhoff is retired; lives at 3625 S. Florence Place, Tulsa, Oklahoma, 1-918/743-2113.

2. Undated. Survey flights in U.S. to aid adjustment of field and facility data.

Unable to check.

3. Sometime between 1933 and 1939, obtained valuable data during Caribbean expedition for U.S. Hydrographic Office in Washington, D.C., and for the University of Michigan.

Mrs. Carolyn Anderson, National Geographic Society, Washington, D.C., 1-202/296-7500, on June 22, 1970, reported she contacted Miss Clare Thomas, public information office of the Oceanographic Office of the Department of the Navy in Suitland, Md., 1-763/301-1370 (Oceanographic Office replaced Hydrographic Office). Miss Thomas, in turn, contacted William G. Watt, Arlington, Va., 1-703/522-7032, who is retired from old Hydrographic Office and who was involved in Caribbean expedition. Watt can recall no one named Hubbard on the expeditions, and can't recall any University of Michigan involvement. Watt said only nonmilitary people on expeditions were hydrographers, a skill Hubbard has never claimed. (It should be noted the expeditions took place while Hubbard was not in the military. Hubbard in Marines from Oct. 1927, to Oct., 1928, and in Navy from June 25, 1941, to about May 27, 1950.)

MORE

Hubbard--Explorer's Club///2-2-2

NOTE

3. 1939-40. Spent 13 months on Alaska Experimental Radio Expedition to investigate a new method of radio position finding entailing a new aerial and a new mathematical computation and instruments.

Mrs. Anderson of the National Geographic Society reported she checked the authoritative, multi-volume Arctic Bibliography and could find nothing concerning 1939-40 Alaska Experimental Radio Expedition.

4. In 1940, to Alaska to rewrite the U.S. Coast Pilot, Alaska, Part I. (The Coast Pilot is a navigational guide.)

Contacted Lloyd L. Clay, chief, Coast Pilots Branch, U.S. Coast and Geodesic Survey, Rockville, Md., 1-301/496-8214. Clay checked the 1940 roster of Coast and Geodesic officers, as well as annual reports and bulletins, but could find no mention of L. Ron Hubbard. He did locate an officer in 1940 named Leonard S. Hubbard, but he retired in 1956 and is now age 74. Checking further, Clay contacted retired civilian Coast Pilot employe Frank S. Farquhar, who was in Washington, D.C., office in 1940. Farquhar reported no civilians were at that time sent to do field work. L. Ron Hubbard still would have been in mufti. Clay said the U.S. Coast Pilot, Alaska, was revised and rewritten in 1932. Annual supplements followed until the next complete revision in 1943. The revision was substantially based on the field work of Lt. Earl A. Daley, who was sent to Alaska for that purpose in 1942.

STOP



SUB CRASERS are these officers, Lieutenant Commander Robert Hubbard, former Portlander at left, and Lieutenant Ray Alton, who received the Helms Award for his part in the capture of the Helms. Hubbard is now at the Helms, and Alton is now at the Helms.

Ex-Portlander Hunts U-Boats Guides New 'Hell Howler'

PORTLAND, Ore., April 22 (AP)—Lieutenant Commander Robert Hubbard, former Portlander at left, and Lieutenant Ray Alton, who received the Helms Award for his part in the capture of the Helms, are now at the Helms, and Alton is now at the Helms.

Cancer Campaign Begins Today to Fight

Boilermaker Loses Court Relief Plea

OSCAR WILSON, 30, of 1000 N. 10th St., Portland, Ore., lost his plea for relief from the Oregon State Penitentiary today when the court ruled against him.

NEW NIGHT SERVICE!

Place your journal in the lobby of call 10 at night. At 10 at night, call 10 at night.

Democrats Plan Name Speaker For Big Plenic

By Robert H. Jones
The Democratic Party in Oregon is planning to hold a big plenary session in the near future.

Whelan Blows Drives Carl

Carl, the son of the late Carl, is now in the hands of the law.

Army Freed \$3000 in Bonds

The Army has freed \$3000 in bonds.

Of the \$3000 in bonds, \$1000 was used for the purchase of the bonds.

SPECIAL PU
GI
Illustration of a man's face.

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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

This is to certify that I am the brother
of Harry R. Hubbard, Lieutenant (J.G.) U.S.M.R.,
and that he was born at Fayette, Iowa, U.S.A. on
August 31, 1886, and married Henry August Wilson; and
upon the death of our mother he was adopted by Mr.
and Mrs. J. W. Hubbard of Frederickburg, Iowa, and
named Harry Ross Hubbard.

J. R. Wilson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of
Sept, 1920.

D. L. Hayes
Notary Public

My commission expires July 4, 1921

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COPY OF ABSTRACT OF HEALTH RECORD.

PRESENT HISTORY OF CASE.

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16. I was granted a furlough or leave for the purpose of attending to my business or other affairs.
17. I (was not) a conscientious objector who performed no military or naval duties whatever, and did (did not) refuse to wear the prescribed uniform of the branch of service in which I was serving.
18. I (was not) discharged for alienage.

19. Remarks:
This was my original entry into service as date of...
...and was not...
...by my blood brother.

19. I certify that I am the PERSON named in this application;
(See instructions for this item)
that the statements made herein are made by me of my own free act and deed for the purpose of applying for Adjusted Compensation under the provisions of the World War Adjusted Compensation Act; and that the same are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Date AUGUST 24, 1925. Signature of applicant Harry Ross Bullock
(First) (Middle) (Last)
Item 20 will not be filled in when dependent makes application

20. We, the undersigned, certify that we know the person signing the application to be identical with the veteran whose service is set forth in the above application; that we have known him (her) for 18 years and 2 years, respectively;
(State number of years) (State number of years)
and that he (she) understands the statements made by him (her) and the penalty provided by law for making false statements.

Signature of witnesses: (1) Wm. H. Turner
(2) Robert W. Turner
Raymond, Puget Sound, Wash.

Exhibit F

ADJ. VICTIM

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Box 297
North Hollywood, Calif.
October 18, 1947

Medical
YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION
Los Angeles, Ca, Calif.

36 yrs

Gentlemen;

This is a request for treatment.

My residence is north of North Hollywood, but I attend school at Geller Theater Workshop, Fairfax and Wilshire, Los Angeles. It would be appreciated if any out-physician selected would be located near my school as I have a vacant hour and a half from 1 to 2:30 four days each week at school. I work at night six days per week.

I was placed on certain medication back onst and have continued it at my own expense.

After trying and failing for two years to regain my equilibrium in civil life, I am utterly unable to approach anything like my own competence. My last physician informed me that it might be very helpful if I were to be examined and perhaps treated psychiatrically or even by a psychanalyst. Toward the end of my service I avoided out of pride any mental examinations, hoping that time would balance a mind which I had every reason to suppose was seriously affected. I cannot account for nor rise above long periods of moroseness and suicidal inclinations, and have newly come to realize that I must first triumph above this before I can hope to rehabilitate myself at all.

I cannot leave school or what little work I am doing for hospitalization due to many obligations, but I feel I might be treated outside, possibly with success. I cannot, myself, afford such treatment.

Would you please help me?

Sincerely,

Thos. Hunt

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This is the inside story of the Hermetic Order of the Golden Dawn, founded in 1887, told in its entirety for the first time. The author's researches into the conflict between W. B. Yeats and Aleister Crowley are given in detail, as well as the full story of Yeats' early magical training and practices, his quarrel with his occult teacher Macgregor Mathers and his subsequent resignation from the group, on the grounds that it had ceased to be a true Magical Order and might engage in a "Witches Sabbath" at the Tomb of Christian Rosycross. All this important, new information is published here for the first time.

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pairs of opposites'. To this he added his own variations of the sexual magic taught by the O.T.O. He abandoned the practice of 'magical masturbation' as taught in the VIII° of the O.T.O., and replaced it with what he called 'Dianism'—the practice usually known as Karezza. Karezza is sexual intercourse without orgasm, often continued for several hours, and strongly disapproved of by most psychologists and sexologists. Russell taught his pupils to continue Karezza until they reached what he called the 'Borderland' state, a sort of hallucinatory trance in which each participant in the sexual act regards the other as a personalisation of his or her own 'Holy Guardian Angel'.⁴ After the members of the 'Great Brotherhood of God' had become reasonably proficient in this practice they were taught the IX° sexual magic of the O.T.O. in a comparatively orthodox fashion.

Like most other people, Americans are attracted by shortcuts, and Russell's organisation soon had several Lodges, mostly on the West Coast, each under the direction of an official called the 'Neighbourhood Primate'. Mr. Louis T. Culling, who has recently had published a short book called *The Complete Magick Curriculum of the Secret Order G.B.G.*; was 'Neighbourhood Primate' of the San Diego Lodge, and, according to him, the Order was closed down in 1937. Russell, however—who, after all, should know the truth of the matter—denies this and states that he merely desired to get rid of Culling and, so that this aim might be peacefully achieved, informed him that the G.B.G. was closing down. In any case Mr. Culling continues to operate at least one Lodge using the system devised by Russell in the 'thirties and I believe it probable that Mr. Russell himself continues to run some sort of magical or neo-Gnostic organisation. I am sure, however, that the teachings and the techniques of the latter body have undergone a considerable development during the last thirty years.

There was some revival of interest in Crowley during the

⁴ Another extraordinary thing done by Russell was to make his neophytes take an oath to 'regard any event as a particular dealing between myself and my Holy Guardian Angel'—an oath that is normally regarded as that pertaining to the exalted grade of Magister Templi.



Members of a contemporary witch coven

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late 'thirties and 'forties, and Crowley began to gather an American following of greater orthodoxy than Russell, mostly in California. The leader of this Californian group, whom I shall call Frater 156, was a pleasant man of capable magical ability, but, after a time, personal quarrels began to arise between him and other members of the Lodge. Crowley did not wish to offend this man, for whom he had a considerable admiration, but, on the other hand, he did wish to remove him from his position as Chief of the Lodge. With tongue in cheek he devised the perfect method of doing this; it was time, he said, that Frater 156's great abilities were recognised, he must become a god! As such, of course, he would have to cease engaging himself in such petty mundane things as running the Californian Lodge of the O.T.O.—after his apotheosis he would simply be consulted for advice on the sort of major problems that concern the gods. Frater 156 was enthusiastic; he performed the magical retirement and long series of rituals prescribed by his Master, duly became, or thought he became, a god, and handed over his Chieftainship to Jack Parsons, a brilliant American physical chemist who had been largely responsible for the foundation of the now famous Cal. Tech. and had been a follower of Crowley since 1939.

Parsons managed his Lodge admirably, and it was not until 1945 that he became involved in any major difficulty. In that year he met L. Ron Hubbard, future founder of the strange scientific cults of dianetics and Scientology, and struck up a close and immediate friendship with him; in a letter to Crowley, written at the beginning of 1946, Parsons said of Hubbard:

He is a gentleman, red hair, green eyes, honest and intelligent and we have become great friends. Although he has no formal training in magic he has an extraordinary amount of experience and understanding in the field. Ron appears to have some sort of highly developed astral vision. He describes his angel as a beautiful winged woman with red hair whom he calls the Empress and who has guided him through his life and saved him many times.

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During the first World War Crowley had written a novel called the *Butterfly Net*, later to be published under the name of *Moonchild*. This novel tells the story of a magical operation based on the theory that a particular type of spirit can be induced to incarnate in an unborn human embryo by surrounding the mother with the appropriate influences, carrying out certain rituals, etc. Parsons wished to carry out such an operation designed to achieve the incarnation of *Babalon*—an aspect of the great Mother-goddess *Nuit*—in an unborn child, and he decided that Hubbard would make an ideal co-worker.

In order to obtain a woman prepared to bear this magical child Parsons and Hubbard engaged themselves for eleven days in rituals. These do not seem to have produced any marked result until January 14th when, so Parsons said, Hubbard had a candle knocked out of his hand. Parsons went on to record that Hubbard called him 'and we observed a brownish-yellow light about seven feet high. I brandished a magical sword and it disappeared. Ron's right arm was paralysed for the rest of the night.'

On the following night, so Parsons said, Hubbard had a vision of an enemy of the O.T.O. and 'attacked the figure and pinned it to the door with four throwing knives with which he is an expert.'

All this work seemed to achieve its desired result and, on January 18th, Parsons found a girl who was prepared to become the mother of *Babalon*, and to go through the required incarnation rituals. During these rituals, which took place on the first three days of March 1946, Parsons was High Priest and had sexual intercourse with the girl, while Hubbard who was present acted as skryer, seer, or clairvoyant and described what was supposed to be happening on the astral plane.

Parsons believed that he had been successful in this operation and wrote to Crowley:

I can hardly tell you or decide how much to write. I am under the command of extreme secrecy. I have had the most

* Crowley believed that the human soul does not incarnate into an unborn child until about the end of the third month of pregnancy.

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important devastating experience of my life.

To which Crowley, for once at a loss to know what was going on, replied:

You have me completely puzzled by your remarks. I thought I had the most morbid imagination but it seems I have not. I cannot form the slightest idea what you can possibly mean.

The same day Crowley wrote to Karl Germer, his heir-apparent to the Headship of the O.T.O.:

Apparently Parsons or Hubbard or somebody is producing a Moonchild. I get fairly frantic when I contemplate the idiocy of those louts.

Meanwhile Parsons and Hubbard had sealed their friendship by opening a joint bank account—Parsons contributed his life savings of about \$17000 while Hubbard put up approximately \$1000. This aroused Crowley's suspicions and he wrote to Karl Germer:

It seems to me on the information of our brethren in California that Parsons has got an illumination in which he has lost all his personal independence. From our brother's account he has given away both his girl* and his money. Apparently it is the ordinary confidence trick.

By this time Hubbard had withdrawn some \$10,000 from the joint bank account and used it to buy a yacht. The disillusioned Parsons pursued him to Florida, from where he wrote to Crowley on July 5th, 1946:

Here I am in Miami pursuing the children of my folly. I have them well tied up. They cannot move without going to jail. However, I am afraid that most of the money has

* "Betty", Parsons' girl friend (not to be confused with the would-be mother of Babalon) had by this time transferred her affections to Hubbard.

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already been spent. I will be lucky to salvage 3,000 to 5,000 dollars.

According to Parsons Hubbard attempted to escape him 'by sailing at 5.0 p.m. and (1) performed a full invocation to Bart-zabel* within the Circle at 8.0 p.m. (a curse). At the same time, however, his ship was struck by a sudden squall off the coast which ripped off his sails and forced him back to port where I took the boat in custody.'

Thus ends the strange story of L. Ron Hubbard's connection with the O.T.O.; Parsons himself went on to take the Oath of Antichrist in 1948—at the same time he changed his name to 'Belarion Armiluss Al Dajjal Antichrist'. He died in 1952 when there was an explosion of rocket-fuel in his laboratory at Pasadena.

In fairness to Mr. Hubbard and his fellow-scientologists it must be said that he has his own explanation of the curious events of 1946. He states that 'certain agencies'—and I assume he means the F.B.I., for they certainly investigated Parsons' Temple—objected to the fact that many nuclear physicists were living under the same roof as Parsons and the 'savage bestial rites' of the O.T.O., and that he, at that time an officer in the U.S. navy, was sent to 'handle the situation'. Hubbard claims that he was completely successful in his mission for 'the black magic group was dispersed and destroyed and has never recovered'.

On the death of Crowley in 1947 the Headship of the O.T.O. passed to Karl Germer, originally one of the German minority of the O.T.O. who had followed Crowley, but now an American.

Germer devoted a good deal of attention to getting the unpublished works of Crowley into print, and he was responsible for both the first publication of *Magick Without Tears* and the *Book of Wisdom or Folly*, and for the appearance of revised and enlarged versions of the *Vision and the Voice*, the *Book of Lies*, and 777.

Germer had an interesting relationship with Mr. Kenneth

* The spirit of Mars.

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Grant,¹ a young English disciple of Crowley, whom he chartered in 1951 or 1952 to work the first three grades of the O.T.O. All seems to have gone well for a time, but in 1955 Mr. Grant set up what he called 'New Isis Lodge O.T.O.' working eleven rituals (O° to IX° and a group ritual for Lodge-work) drawn up by himself. At the same time he issued a manifesto which, while I sometimes find it difficult to follow, seems to announce the discovery of a trans-Plutonian planet called Isis (needless to say, this planet, like the 'hypotheticals' of the German Hamburg School of astrology, is completely unknown to exoteric science), and to hint darkly at a new revelation concerning the first chapter of Crowley's *Book of the Law*. A copy of this manifesto was sent to Karl Germer, along with a letter explaining that, for the preservation of secrecy, it was not possible for him to see copies of the new rituals. Germer's response was extremely quick and, on July 20th, 1955, he sent a registered letter to Mr. Grant expelling him from the O.T.O. and withdrawing all authority for the latter to work a 'Camp. Lodge, or Temple of the O.T.O.'.

Germer died in the early 'sixties and was succeeded by a Swiss named Herr Metzger who had been elected to the Headship by the majority of the recognised O.T.O. membership. Herr Metzger is also the patriarch of Crowley's 'Gnostic Catholic Church', whose services are advertised in the Zurich newspapers alongside the announcements of more conventional religious bodies. I have heard that the Swiss version of the 'Gnostic Catholic Mass' is of the utmost respectability, both Priest and Priestess remaining fully clothed throughout the ceremony.

One other small, but interesting, Crowleyan offshoot remains to be mentioned. 'The Fellowship of Ma-Ion'. This group consists of followers of Charles Stansfeld Jones (Frater Achad), the man whom Crowley believed to have discovered the qabalistic key to the *Book of the Law*. After he had allegedly discovered

¹ I have given his real name because (a) it is stated in No. 3 of *Man, Myth and Magic* that he was initiated into 'Crowley's occult society' and (b) on the inside dust-cover of Crowley's *Confessions* (which Mr. Grant edited in collaboration with John Symonds) it is stated that he is now Head of the O.T.O. and I presume that this statement was made with his approval.

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the numerical key Jones came to the conclusion that the qabalistic correspondences between the Paths of the Tree of Life, the Tarot trumps etc. taught by the Golden Dawn¹ were quite incorrect. He therefore introduced many changes; for example the Hebrew letter Aleph (corresponding to the Tarot card the Fool), which had been attributed by the Golden Dawn to the path connecting the Sephiroth Kether and Chokmah, was attributed by Jones to the thirty-second path connecting Yesod and Malkuth.

He went on to have a vision which convinced him that the actual physical shape of the traditional Tree of Life was the key to the physical structure of the Universe. He described this vision as follows:

On April 14th, 1923 e.v. having just completed the m.s. of my treatise on the 'Egyptian Revival' or the Ever-Coming Son, in which my endeavour was to show that the 'Restored Order' of the Paths of the Qabalistic Tree of Life was likely to be the correct one, since it indicated the Universal Tradition as symbolised by the Keys of Hermes, I was rewarded by the opening up of an amazing further possibility in regard to the design of the 'Tree of Life' itself.

It was between 8.30 and 9.30 p.m. on the above date, that the 'Tree' began to GROW, and proved itself, to my mind, to be the veritable anatomy of Ra-Hoor-Khuit, Evercoming between the two Infinities.

After this he developed his own interpretation of the *Book of the Law*,² came to believe in a coming 'Ma-Ion era of Truth and Justice', and, strangely enough, managed to combine these beliefs with membership of the Catholic Church.

The 'Fellowship of Ma-Ion' has a few members in the United States and Canada.

¹ Many of these correspondences are given in R. G. Torrens' *The Golden Dawn—its Inner Teachings* (Neville Spearman, 1970).

² So many of Crowley's pupils came to the conclusion that Crowley had misinterpreted the *Book of the Law* that one would be inclined to agree with them, were it not for the fact that their own interpretations all clash so violently with one another!

L. RON HUBBARD, D.D., PH.D.

Box 242

Silver Spring, Md.

July 29, 1955

TO THE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
Communist Activities Division
Ref - my earlier correspondence.

Gentlemen:

Having gotten on a somewhat more even keel after the collapse of the organization in Phoenix, Arizona (the HASI) and having begun operation in the East with more public success and enthusiasm than I am used to, I have a better perspective on what occurred in Phoenix.

The attack on the HASI, like the attacks on the 1950 Hubbard Dianetic Research Foundation found psychiatry and Communist connected personnel very much in evidence and both active with defamation and very unreasonable - and unsuccessful - attack.

But something has now occurred which seems strange at this juncture and entirely too pat. I have received from an unimpeachable source an invitation to go to Russia. I have been told that this would be as easy as taking a taxi to the airport.

But the oddity of this invitation is that the person extending it, evidently on behalf of the Russian government, would not know anything about the trouble in Phoenix. He obviously has no connection with anything or anyone in Phoenix. Further, he knows little or nothing of Dianetics and Scientology and their organizational history and would not know, by any usual means, what occurred in Phoenix. Out of the blue, on an acquaintance with me from many, many years ago he locates me here, is very quiet and casual and then gradually works into the Russian situation and finally, with a burst of enthusiasm confides in me that in view of the state of my organizations in the United States (about which he would really know nothing in fact) and in view of the U.S. public attitude toward me (which is in actuality rather good considering) and in view of the fact that I "am a cinch to be ruined by all the people who hate me in Internal Revenue" there is "really nothing left for it but to accept this Russian offer."

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In the greatest spirit of friendship and comraderie it seems that I can go to Russia as an advisor or a consultant and have my own laboratories and receive very high fees. And it is all so easy because it has already been ascertained that I could get my passport extended for Russia and all I had to do was go to Paris and there a Russian plane would pick me up and that would be that.

Indeed I suppose that that would be that.

This is my third invitation to go to Russia. The first was extended to me by a member of Amtorg in New York in 1936 who knew of my work in the field of the mind. The second occurred less directly in 1948 after some personal difficulty. This third has come when the Phoenix organization has been collapsed and it would not be known that it did not influence my own affairs as much as it might be thought.

With this some of the personnel connected with the recent Phoenix trouble has now drifted into Washington. ~~Shulrite~~ Marinus, the girl connected with Jackins in Seattle has arrived here. Wm. Burke Belknap, although an officer in Phoenix seems either the effect of that activity or assisted it and is here, busy on the phone eight hours a day with local calls in an area where he has never lived. Carol Hadley Bryans, also an officer in Phoenix, has likewise arrived and is likewise busy on the phone but neither of these last two seem prone to do any work but are very busy spreading disquiet amongst the personnel connected with me here. Two young men, also strangely connected arrived here and were sent home by me quickly - Bernard McKnown and Jan Henry both formerly of Hollywood - they arrived anxious to discredit the better people in the organization. One ~~Jack~~ Horner has come here and has many rumors with which to upset Washington personnel - Horner will be recalled as the minister recently deported from England by the Home Secretary; I have just stopped Horner from further defiance of English law on behalf of his "fiance" in London and further discrediting of Scientology in the English papers.

In short I have my hands a little full but unless such people actually can stir up great trouble we will survive easily and well. I am trying to disperse them from the area.

I suppose when the Russian-inclined "friend" finds that

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my desires to travel in and work in Russia do not exist, I can expect more violent measures.

I have not given you the name of this contact because he is a little too highly placed on the Hill and because it may be that he is acting in an entirely friendly way and it may be, as I sometimes learn, that the fate of Scientology and its adventures has good word of mouth. I would not submit you an irresponsible report which then might find me under the TV cameras telling one of this man's committees why I reported him as a Communist because I do not know that he is - I only know that he and his influence has been quite liberal and in all the smoke of the Summit he may be carried away with enthusiasm. But he did know, when no possible reasonable way existed for him to know too much about the activities of a subject about which he professes to know nothing and he has made several allusions to my possible fate in the United States, rather benign threats.

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Box 242
Silver Spring, Md.
Sept. 7, 1955

TO THE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
Communist Activities

Gentlemen:

A series of sudden insanities and disturbances in Dianetic and Scientology groups reached seven last week on the West Coast.

In Atomic Energy's Richland, Washington a young boy who had never been treated with Dianetics or Scientology but whose father Verne McAdams is the local Scientology group leader in Richland suddenly and mysteriously became insane, so suddenly and so thoroughly that the head of the institution for insane in Richland, evidently of good security, suspects the use of LSD; the insanity producing drug so favored by the APA. Two of our ministers in that area at my request went further into the situation and by means we will not detail recovered from the boy information of which his family had been entirely ignorant. On instructions to find the "other psychiatrist" our ministers by this means located an unsuspected one in Atomic Energy's front yard, a man who had been the construction company doctor during the building of Richland and who had then turned psychiatrist and whose name strangely enough is Menkowski (sp?). The boy had evidently had some association with this man before this sudden onset.

With this information not yet cool long distance from San Francisco Bay Area notified us of the sudden and inexplicable descent into insanity of one Wanda Collins. She is ravingly insane and yet was completely sane a day ago. Her people and our people cannot account for a missing nine hour period just before this onset. You should be interested in this because Wanda Collins resigned from the Communist Party some time ago, foreswore it and tried to make amends with Scientology and would be a logical candidate for an LSD attack.

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Concurrently with this in Phoenix, Arizona
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our Mr. Edd Clark was suddenly arrested "for practising medicine without a license", and this is very odd because he is the first Dianeticist or Scientologist in five years of world wide operation to be so accused. He could not have been practising medicine because Dianetics and Scientology seek only to assist able people to improve their talents and have no interest in sickness or insanity. He was arrested and without any search warrant all his papers and letters were seized even down to blank typewriter paper and were carried away, a fact which places this matter quite solidly in the field of the F.B.I.. Mr. Clark is a half-blind deaf old man. He was once a chiropractor but has long since ceased to be one. He was told by the County Attorney that the County Attorney meant to "get to the bottom of this thing about Hubbard and Scientology."

The "bottom of the thing" can be found in "Who Knows and What" and "Who's Who in the East" in the local library or from bookstores which carry my books. My own life is about as hard to investigate as a white rock on a summer's day.

It is not uncommon in the past five years to have judges and attorneys mad-dogged at about what a terrible person I am and how foul is Scientology. Persons never named or available step in, spread violent tales and accusations and vanish. This mad-dogging has evidently been done at this County Attorney to prompt such a foolish action. This makes the third civil official in that area to go off half-cocked about Scientology. When it is all done and Scientology has been neatly ruined by the newspapers in the area and when all the charges have been quashed there is no one from whom any recompense can be drawn. "It was all a mistake"...

In 1950 the Dianetics Foundations were violently attacked and discredited. The 200 Foundation employees, when screened, yielded 35 Communist-connected persons. That done the commotion stopped. After three quiet years in the Phoenix area we forwarded to the Defense Department data on brain-washing. Instantly

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we became the subject of violence. Four people were seized by psychiatrists in that area to date and to this day so far as I know are still being held, their sanity shattered.

After we so informed the Defense Department about brain-washing technologies in our hands and offered them, we have been in a state of siege. Understand that we accuse the D.D. of nothing.

Psychiatrists as far north as Seattle have said they were "out to get every Scientologist." An Internal Revenue official has used those very words before witnesses and said he was going to get to the bottom of this thing in Phoenix. People in suspicious condition were sent from one place in Southern California to be "treated by Scientology" for insanity and yet we have no interest in treating anyone, especially the insane. Now two more people go suddenly and inexplicably insane in widely different places both the same way. All manner of defamatory rumors have been scattered around about me, questioning even my sanity which is fortunately a matter of good record with the Navy as by statement "having no psychotic or neurotic symptoms whatsoever."

I have a wife and three little kids. I have a good many thousand people scattered around the world trying to help their fellow man and I am responsible for these people. I am trying to turn out some monographs on matters in my field of nuclear physics and psychology for submission to the government on the subject of alleviating some of the distress of radiation burns, a project I came east to complete. This lawless and brutal attack on Scientology now spreading evidently to three states will probably not end until a great deal of injustice and human suffering has occurred.

Would you please discover for me or for yourselves the exact names and whereabouts of the persons whose statements inflamed the County Attorney in Phoenix in arresting a half-blind old man and seizing all his books and papers. If we have those names and if we trace them back we will have someplace to start on this madness

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which now reaches into three states. Can you
do this for us?

I am getting additional copies of the material
which was offered to the Defense Department since
that agency has not acknowledged or returned
anything shipped to it about brain-washing and
when I have these copies I will send one to you
for this is the only starting place I know about
for this outbreak and the matter, while far from
conclusive at least tells me that something went
astray which was dangerous in the wrong hands.

Could you please have your Phoenix office
obtain the names of the people who defamed us to
the County Attorney? Your Bay Area and Richland
offices have already been apprised of the incidents
in those areas.


L. Ron Hubbard

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FORWARDING ORDER OF DOCUMENTS

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**L. RON HUBBARD'S ACADEMIC
AND PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND** (1)

In a pamphlet issued by L. Ron Hubbard in 1961, entitled "What is Scientology", he refers to himself as "Doctor Hubbard, educated in advanced physics and higher mathematics and also a student of Sigmund Freud and others, began his present researches thirty years ago at George Washington University. The dramatic result has been Scientology * * *." We request that the following biographical background information be investigated in order to verify its validity. Please obtain certified copies of Mr. Hubbard's academic and extra-curricular record from the school mentioned.

1. Union High School
Bromerton, Washington

[The record indicates that Mr. Hubbard attended Union High School in 1926.]

2. Helena High School
Helena, Montana

[The record indicates that Mr. Hubbard attended Helena High School in 1927 and 1928; he was expelled on May 11, 1928, because of low grades.]

(CHECKS W/ MY INFO.)

3. Woodward Preparatory School
[Southeastern University of the Young Men's Christian Association]
Washington, D. C.

4. George Washington University
2029 G Street, N. W.
Washington, D. C.

[It appears that Lafayette Ronald Hubbard was admitted to George Washington University on September 24, 1930, to the School of Engineering with a major in civil engineering. Mr. Hubbard claims to have received a chemical engineering degree from the University.]

5. Sequoia University of California
915 South Oxford Avenue
Los Angeles, California

[The record indicates that L. Ron Hubbard received a Ph.D. from Sequoia University in 1950. It appears that prior to the issuance of his degree, Hubbard purchased this "University", which previously rendered degrees in chiropractic. Presently, Sequoia University operates a Department of Scientology, issuing bachelors, masters and doctoral degrees; no residency is required. Please obtain a copy of the charter of this school; inquire as to the standing of the school with the State of California Education Department; ascertain the names and addresses of the Dean and lecturers at this institution.]

6. Commander Tompson (N.C.)
United States Navy

[Hubbard claims that he was trained in psycho-analyses by Commander Tompson in Washington, D.C. Hubbard further claims that Commander Tompson studied personally with Freud and instituted psycho-analyses in the U.S. Navy for use in flight surgery.]

7. Dr. William Alan White
St. Elizabeths Hospital
Congressional Heights, Washington, D.C.

[Mr. Hubbard claims that he was trained by a Dr. William Alan White, then Superintendent of St. Elizabeths Hospital, a Government asylum.]

8. U. S. Public Health Office
Gerontological Unit

[Mr. Hubbard alleges that in 1947 he published a book for the Gerontological Society called "Scientology A New Science".]

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Time Track of Earliest and Craziest Documents in Government Files

I. U.S. ARMY

- June 1932 LRH was allegedly dropped from George Washington U. for academic failure
- 1945 LRH's attendance at Princeton is doubted, as school supposedly has no record he ever matriculated there.
- 1950 Commies attempted to infiltrate New Jersey Foundation were not successful; but "New York Dianetic Association" becomes controlled by Commies.
- 1950 LRH's degree from Sequoia is belittled as coming from a "degree mill".
- 24 April 51 Sara Northrup Hubbard says LRH is "paranoid schizophrenic" and should be committed; he has subjected her to "systematic torture" by beating and strangling her and denying her sleep; he has told her to commit suicide.
- 12 June 51 Sara is awarded custody of Alexis and \$200 mo child support; LRH was an "obscure writer of science fiction" prior to Dianetics.
- January 51 Unspecified person arrested in New Jersey, and this leads to HDRF leaving the state and moving to Kansas, then to Phoenix, and finally to Washington D.C.
- 1952 Mr. Jackins, a Communist, opens Dianetics center in Seattle, Washington. Army report says Jackins has been interested in defense workers since 1940.
- December 1953 Army first becomes interested in LRH when ex-shrink case turns to Scientology for help, a 39 yr old male; his treatment by a "Hubbard associate" failed after costing \$500; he is then referred to the Washington Hubbard Academy, where he is sold 3 weeks of treatment for \$1400, and there is no improvement; he is sold 3 more weeks for \$700, but leaves after 4th week convinced it did not work and attempted suicide; he gave all this data to police while recovering; he left the hospital and again attempted suicide, and this time succeeded.
- 13 July 59 letter written by Office of Assistant Chief of Staff, Dept of Army, wants any data on LRH/Scientology that comes up; active investigation is not desired at that time.

All the above has come from a report apparently dated 12 Dec 64 obtained by FCI action from Dept of the Army. The report's author is not named; there is no mention that portions of the report are contributed from other, not specified, government agencies.

II. San Luis Obispo Sheriff's Office

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- 17 Aug 48 LRH is arrested in San Luis Obispo for connection with petty theft (chokes)

16 Dec 52

LRH is fingerprinted in Philadelphia by U.S. Marshall in connection with bankruptcy case. No disposition shown on either case.

The above also is present in Interpol records.

III. U.S. XXXXXXXX Post Office

5 Dec 50

Mention of the "Life" magazine article, Dianetics as "science or hoax"; this is also included in Phoenix BBB file.

5 Oct 51

Report on file from Postal Inspector P.P. Quinn of Philadelphia; content not revealed.

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14 Nov 53

Article in "Cincinnati Enquirer" about XXXXXXXX. XXXXX Ronald Bruce Howes, Scientist, president of Institute of Humanics and he has admitted to police that he "masqueraded as a doctor".

14 Feb 54

George C. Young, President of Cincinnati BBB writes to Phoenix BBB asking for data on Howes and a Richard N. Blow, purportedly connected to Research Fdn of Phoenix and Institute of Humanics.

10 Oct 54

Richard L. Gilbert files complaint with Phoenix BBB about C or S concerning guaranteed cure if he put up \$1000.

19 Oct 54

Confidential letter to Fred Witten, Exec Sec'y of Maricopa County Medical Society, from H.E. Koush of Phoenix BBB; says Burke Belnap has been in to refute absolute cure claim, that insurance company is to be contacted for coverage on refund claims, and that no promise of cure is made, only remission for one year.

IV. U.S. Coast Guard

24 April 51

"L.A. Times Herald" article; LRH accused of being "hopelessly insane" by Sara in divorce suit, and subjected her to "scientific torture experiments"; competent medical advisors recommend LRH be committed for "paranoid schizophrenia".

April 51

unspecified further articles in L.A. papers that LRH kidnapped wife by force and imprisoned 13 month old daughter

V. E.R.D.A. (formerly Atomic Energy Commission, now Energy Research and Development Administration)

(See 1930-31 entry)

1952

May 1950

later 1950

(1930-31)

exact date not given; "Denver Post" article, which gives the following data:

Hermitage House publishes Dianetics: Modern Science of Mental Health, which becomes best seller at \$4 per copy

LKH founds MDRF at Elizabeth

LKH enrolled at George Washington; registrar alleges he never graduated, according to article in "Denver Post" newspaper, not dated, apparently from 1952

Allied Scientists of the World set up as anti-A bomb group by LKH, which was to build an A bomb proof library in ~~XXXXXX~~ Arizona. (A.S.W.)

Alleged mystery figure of "Agnes Dobson" who signs letters sent to scientists asking for \$25 annual dues for the A.S.W.

it is alleged that many complaints "poured in" to BBS, Chambers of Commerce, Justice Dept, postal department, and professional scientific organizations from recipients of letters urging persons to join the A.S.W.

Alliance rents office bldg in Denver; hires a secretary (not named; described as pretty and required) on 26 Nov 51; she is told by Mary Moss, another employee, that LKH is the boss of ASW and goes by the name of "Dean Carnahan".

LKH tells the sec'y to return any moneys sent in by scientists and send them associate memberships

New manager for office is Perry A. Chapelaine; Denver ASW manager, Dan Bell, comes in to office to "find out who's running ASW"

LKH described as "well known and prolific fiction writer"; but "his biggest splash of public attention resulted from his creation of Dianetics".

Dianetics sounds similar to psychoanalysis

Psychiatrists and M.D.s were for the most part shocked (by Dianetics)

MDRF in Elizabeth su. by New Jersey Board of Medical Examiners for illegal practice of medicine.

Creditors bring receivership proceedings against both foundations (Elizabeth and Wichita) in Kansas.

ASW offices in Denver are closed and vacant.

second article in "Denver Post"; no exact date; byline is Mort Stern, staff writer; alleges:

Federal investigators are interested in ASW due to

January 51

August 51

21 Jan 52

later 52

protests received from "scientists, engineers and architects in all parts of the United States".

ASW supposedly to be "turned over to the United Nations" once it was fully operational.

Postal authorities put stop to soliciting of dues.

ASW backed by Hubbard Dianetic Research Foundation.

This is headed by LRH, "well known science fiction writer".

On 21 Jan the ASW "had vanished from Denver as mysteriously as it has appeared".

V. Office of Naval Intelligence

16 Jan 51

Special Agent Richard S. Desogens reports that staff of Washington Hubbard Foundation in 1950-51 were engaged in "derogatory sexual practices"

16 Nov 51

Report from Lt. Col. William C.F. Jones states that "on the coast relations with women "patients" was called 'L.A. auditing'".

no date

a John W. Maloney is listed in a note to files as being a reservist who had resigned from the Navy to escape court martial; was alleged to be homosexual and was connected to Allied Scientists of the World in Denver. (He resigned from Navy in May 54)

VI. Prosecuting Attorney's office, Detroit

1952

a Refa Postel is alleged to have had a Sch center in Detroit which is closed down by the prosecuting attorney for something to do with illegal trade practices.

VII. Phoenix Police Department

13 Jan 55

Inquiry letter to Phoenix P.D. from P.D. in St. Petersburg, Florida, asking for information about XXXXXX Lloyd Tell Burt and Church of Scientology, in response to evident inquiry by unnamed local citizen. Letter by Chief of Police, J.R. Reichert.

19 Jan 55

Reply by Chief of Phoenix P.D., Charles P. Thomas, stating his dept has had "numerous complaints from citizens of substantial means" about the C of S.

C of S is "of a questionable nature" and "a charge of \$1000 is made to join the association".

the Maricopa County D.A. is investigating the C of S, and so is the State's Attorney General

VIII. U.S. Attorney General

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14 May 51

A file excerpt and commentary on LRH's own letter to the FBI; that Communist Party persons were connected with his organization.

28 Jan 54

Noted that Certified copy of Articles of Incorporation for C of S are on file with Sec'y of State of California

9 Aug 55

Note made that a phone call was received from Food and Drug Administration re: a 3rd party tax payer, evidently the C of S; content of call not with file.

IX. Federal Bureau of Investigation

3 March 51

A file excerpt and comment noting receipt of a letter from LRH about Commie connections of some staff on early Foundation

5 December 51

letter by Edward Scheidt, FBI Special Agent in Charge in New York, to Mr. Frederick K. Glynn on Long Island, NY ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~, ackign receipt of Glynn's letter and enclosures dated 30 Nov 51; Glynn is making inquiry; Scheidt says records are confidential and can't be disclosed, can't even say if there are records or not; Scheidt returns the enclosures Glynn had sent.

Glynn sends copy of same letter to undesignated BEB, presumably in New York, also wanting to know if the group is Commie or not or "just a swell come on for \$25".

1940

A file on LRH exists in which he alleges an unnamed person to have Nazi connections/activities; this file released to C of S in 75 on FCI actions

X. Central Intelligence Agency

27 Jan 51

First date of a noted newsclipping from "Denver Post", presumably the one about Allied Scientists of the World (see ERDA). Next listed clipping is not until 14 Jan 61, ten years later, from "Pretoria News". Contents not with this file.

13 March 58

Memorandum, unsigned, that "this office, sometime in the past, had a case which, in part, involved L. Ron Hubbard"; no other details in this file.

XI. Justice Dept, Tax Division

12 June 54

Letter from John Galusha, Sec'y of AASI in Phoenix, to BEB in Phoenix, that there have been changes brought about in Scientology; Hermitage House insisted on pop name for Scientology, hence LRH called it "Dianetics"; idea to form a foundation ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ LRH actually from C. ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ Parker Morgan; LRH had only one vote of 1;

by November 50, LRM convinced the corporation is not sound, and tries to leave; has to leave his name on it against his wishes; retires to Palm Springs to do more research; A.E. Van Vogt and others with L./ Foundation are mad at LRM withdrawal; he is separated from wife, Sara, who gets very mad, starting the entheta press attacks; LRM goes to Cuba and completes his next book; meanwhile much scandal is stirred up by Sara, et al. Elizabeth Foundation sells itself to Don Purcell of Kansas, who moves it to Wichita; LRM resigns completely in early 52, goes to Phoenix with new wife, Mary Sue, and changes the group name back to the original, Scientology; this is first group actually controlled by LRM

10 Jan 51

23 April 51

15 Nov 51

April 56

no date

notation of FBI agent Desognes report on "derogatory sexual practices" in Washington

this date is listed on a document in the middle of other data about Carl Jackins, a Commie, running Dianetics center in Seattle; no other apparent significance for the date.

the LT. Col. William Jones entheta about "L.A. auditing" with sex is referred to.

alleged that a C of S member says "they do not believe in God, but will call it a Church"

Assistant for Information at Denver, supposedly for LRM, named Patricia Gallagher, is member of Idaho Communist Party

XII. Internal Revenue Service, Office of the Chief Counsel

This file has documents from many other files, evidently very dilligently compiled for use in the IRS offensive against LRM and the Church.

1938

From a copy of a letter by LRM to FBI written in 1951, that an offer was made to him to defect to Russia by an Amtorg representative

6 Aug 44

Record of Dr. William Helms Young, early Dianeticist, who was found in violation of healing practice laws; mention of it is for "guilt by association" with the Church/Dianetics

17 Aug 40

Record from Interpol and San Luis Obispo Sherriff's Office that LRM is arrested for petty theft (checks) in San Luis Obispo, California; final disposition of the case is not noted.

April 47

Note that this was when Louise was involved in divorce action against LRM.

May 1950.

Letter from Don G. Purcell to President of Vick Chemical Co. in New York regarding value of Dianetic therapy/training in business; soliciting for \$500 cost

1 June 50

(JAMA)

Letter from Dr. Austin Smith, editor of the "Journal of the American Medical Association" to Dr. Theodore Wiprud of the Medical Society of the District of Columbia, evidently asking Wiprud for data on Dianetics (original letter not on file)

5 June 50

Reply to Smith from Wiprud; says U.S. Navy Captain George N. Haines, Chief of Psychiatry at Bethesda Naval Medical Center, knows LRH and Dr. J.A. Winter, and that both are "phonies", and Dianetics is "the bunk"

5 June 50

Another letter to Smith, from Dr. H. Houston Merritt of Presbyterian Hospital in New York; not a mad-dog attack; does assert that Dianetics is a "mish mash" of other subjects, including cybernetics, Will Durant philosophy, and psychoanalysis.

17 July 50

Letter from Diana Bennett of National Better Business Bureau (NBBB) alleging Dianetics is offering epilepsy cure; her inquiry goes to American Psychiatric Association, N.Y. Academy of Medicine, and N.Y. State Dept of Mental Hygiene, asking for data about Dianetics.

19 July 50

Letter from ~~XXXX~~ NY State Dept of Mental Hygiene back to Ms. Bennett of NBBB, advising her to contact AMA Bureau of Investigation.

24 July 50

"Time" magazine article comes out; Dianetics is mix of "Counicism" and "Bukmanism"; lacks medical recognition; it's a fad.

26 July 50

Letter from N.Y. Academy of Medicine back to Ms. Bennett and NBBB, mentions that Dianetics is "Counicism" and "Bukmanism", and refers her to the "Time" article.

29 July 50

Two letters to editor of "J.A.M.A."; unsigned, attack Dianetics; authors are "authorities"; Dianetics is subject of inquiry of an M.D. in Minnesota; Dianetics is not psychiatry; it has been published not in professional journals, but in science fiction pulp magazines; author is science fiction writer; makes fantastic claims; book is confusing to readers and cannot be recommended by responsible physicians; author makes gross errors in oversimplification of personality structure and function; his claims for treatment are unsupported.

1 Aug 50

Letter to Bennett and NBBB from Dr. Daniel Blain of American Psychiatric Association (A.P.A.) that Dianetic fees are too high; it is unscientific; makes ridiculous claims.

September 50

A Charles A. Walton phones IRS to complain about

the Foundation in Elizabeth; says he's member of New York group; xxx says Elizabeth group makes lots of money and its non-profit status should be investigated

- o Sept 50 James A. Arnerich, Director of State of California Dept of Professional Standards and Vocational Standards, writes to Dr. Pegardie, President of California Society of Chiropractic Psychiatrists, validating Pegardie for bringing Dianetics to his attention for possible violation of medical practice laws; earlier letter by Pegardie not on file.
- 9 Sept 50 Record of LRH being arrested in L.A. and supposedly being fined \$50 for leaving Alexis (daughter by Sara) unattended in a parked car; later record by LRH states Sara was really at fault and that this is a matter of court record.
- 9 Sept 50 "New York Times" article comes out; Dianetics makes ridiculous claims, charges high fees, lacks scientific evidence.
- 10 Sept 50 "Time" magazine announces that American Psychological Association is first to denounce Dianetics.
- October 50 NSBB sends its first report about Dianetics to its member BBBs; includes all falsehoods accumulated to date from medical societies, unethical articles, the APA; report goes to all member Chambers of Commerce.
- 13 October 50 American Medical Assn. (AMA) sends a query to its membership for reports about Dianetics.
- o Dec 50 Medical Society of Washington, D.C. Subcommittee on Mental Health, submits report to head of the XXXXXXXX Subcommittee, Dr. Robert Groh, about investigation into Dianetics; Drs. Morris Kleinerman, Julius Schriber, and Daniel Blain (see APA entry of 1 Aug 50) have discovered that Dianetics' early medical supporters have dropped away; it no longer has any creditable medical support; mentally ill patients have been harmed in Washington and elsewhere (no details given); practitioners are inexperienced and the tech is dangerous; quotes Dr. Wepman, PhD of U of Chicago, that Dianetics can be harmful; claims are not supportable (IQ, method, uncovering of trauma); also quotes Dr. Robert E. Peck of New York in American Journal of Psychiatry, who accuses LRH of being science fiction writer; his project is "irresponsible" by accepted scientific standards; LRH is misguided and frustrated genius who has paranoid delusions.

1951

Apparent disaffected Dianeticist, John Degatina, says Dianetics is practicing healing and charging high rates in Los Angeles.

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- 1951 A Nathaniel Ross writes review of D:MSMH for "Psycho-analytic Quarterly"; Dn is science fiction, uses bizarre practices; belittles importance of discovery of Dn with discovery of fire; it's an essentially hypnotic procedure; D:MSMH is LRH's masterpiece of science fiction
- 13 Jan 51 Letter to editor of JAMA by Dr. Samuel J. Ravitch of Camarillo, California (there's a state-run hospital for mentally ill there); entheta about high fees for training; it's a "cult"; belittles the results of persons he apparently knows who've had Dianetic auditing and have claimed to be better; calls for expose of this "nonsensical tomfoolery".
- 18 Jan 51 NBBB puts out updated revision of its report on LRH and Dianetics first published in October 50; adds data about the HDRF in Elizabeth; LRH science fiction writer; repeats the new entheta that has been published since last report, as well as some times that didn't make the first one, such as the 29 July letters to the editor in "JAMA" and the 9 Sept entheta article in "NY Times"; warns of intention to open up branch offices in other cities.
- 3 March 51 First LRH letter to the FBI concerning infiltration by Commies; charges Sara may be a Commie.
- 5 March 51 James Elliott, Nat'l Administrator for HDRF, writes letter to FBI regarding instituting use of loyalty oath at HDRF.
- 11 April 51 "L.A. Times" entheta article; LRH kidnapped Sara and Alexis; LRH tells her to commit suicide; report that LRH was fined \$50 for leaving Alexis unattended last fall (see 9 Sept 50)
- 24 April 50 United Press International picks up the L.A. controversy being stirred up by Sara; prints article in "Washington Times Herald" in D.C.; LRH called insane by wife; accused of illegal marriage to Sara and bigamy to Louise; repeats kidnap charges about Sara and Alexis; divorce proceedings, Sara asking for custody.
- May 50 "L.A. Times" article; LRH is sick; he's in Cuba; he's insane; he's paralyzed; kidnap charges again; he's running
- 7 May 51 Caryl Warner, Sara's attorney, sends data to Dr. Daniel Blain, Medical Director of the APA (see entries of 8 Dec 50 and 1 Aug 50 for more on Blain), that the head of the L.A. Foundation, a Mr. Dessler, is an ex-con.

14 May 51

LRH letter to Attorney General in Phoenix, AZ, notes that it's a matter of court record that Sara was guilty of leaving Alexis in the car, not him. (This datum also goes to FBI from LRH).

15 May 51

"L.A. Times" article alleges LRH is "found" in Wichita by a former war hero, as if LRH were a fugitive from Justice; alleged quotes from first wife Margaret about LRH beating her up and making death threats; Saramaking charges of LRH giving her physical and mental torment; LRH is not rational.

18 June 51

Letter sent to NBBB from New Jersey Dept of Law and Public Safety, explaining that the HDRF in Elizabeth closed down before it was due to come to trial on June 5th for alleged violations of medical practice laws. Letter written by Secretary for the Board of Medical Examiners, which is a subdivision of the Dept of Law & Public Safety.

2 July 51

"Minneapolis Star" newspaper article; Dianetics is quackery; it's "poor man's psychiatry"; psychiatrists and psychologists call it a hoax; great claims for psychosomatic relief. NOTE: This is first of a 4-part series on Dianetics in this paper; other articles not in file.

16 July 51

NBBB circulates memorandum about the HDRF case in New Jersey over medical law violations; also that assets were attached by creditors when HDRF left the state.

3 Sept 51

"Time" magazine strikes again; reports disaffection of Dr. J.A. Winter; puts down part of the tech, such as "file clerk" and "Guk" formula; Winter says psychiatrists should use auditing as another tool in their arsenal.

10 Dec 51

Dan Bell of Denver BBB writes a "Report" on the Allied Scientists of the World, that LRH is a backer along with HDRF of Wichita; report on soliciting for membership fees; claim for UN affiliation after groups is functioning.

11 Dec 51

Wichita Chamber of Commerce letter to Denver BBB; the HDRF in Kansas has gone into receivership; Purcell was the "money man"; implications of high fees; by Ralph S. Kinman, Manager of the Business Protective Bureau

2 Jan 52

NBBB circulates report on Allied Scientists of the World; backed by LRH and the HDRF in Kansas; reports New Jersey medical-practice laws alleged violations; HDRF in Kansas now in receivership; ASW solicits for dues; ASW is a one room office with 2 people.

1 March 52

Wichita Chamber of Commerce Business Protective Bureau sends report on ASW, HDRF, International Library of Arts and Sciences, Hubbard College, and Scientific Press Inc. Reports LRH not with the Foundation; ASW and the Library are presumed to be going down the tubes with the HDRF as they are subsidiaries of it; Hubbard College is the new group by LRH; reports the fees charged; gives fiscal history that seems to make Don Purcell look responsible at the expense of LRH.

- 28 May 52 Another release from Wichita C of C Business Protective Bureau, to all Bureaus; refers reader to earlier report of 1 March; reports the Hubbard College is sold to Virginia L. Piggett; Purcell and associates bought physical assets from bankruptcy referee of the HDRF and are continuing operations; ASW and the Library are defunct.
- 6 June 52 Police report on Virginia Piggett being arrested as a lunatic and being committed to a mental institution by Wichita Police Dept; references to earlier similar arrests of this woman.
- 17 Dec 52 "Philadelphia Inquirer" article on U.S. Marshalls being beaten by Scientologists at D.C. Org while trying to serve a warrant on LRH. Warrant was for bankruptcy case. Three people arrested and held on bail.
- 22 Dec 52 Letter to Mr. Hugh Smith from Allan E. Bachman; Smith in Philadelphia Bureau; Bachman is Executive Vice President for fax NB3B; copies of letter to Wichita and Denver Bureaus; acks letter received of the 17th of December; tells him to read latest article on LRH in "Time"; "Hubbard's latest adventures in the infinite".
- 26 March 53 Long-hand notes by IRS Chief Counsel referring to article in Detroit "News" of this date; charges of violation of medical practice laws on Refa Postel and Earl Cunard who are operating a Dianetic center.
- 28 March 53 "Detroit Free Press" article concerning the arrests on the medical practice without a license case against Mrs. Postel; relates the claims made by Dianetics for relief of psychosomatics; center is known as "Dianetic and Scientology School".
- 7 Aug 53 "Detroit Free Press" article relates that Cunard and Postel draw \$50 fines and given 2 yrs probation after pleading guilty to lesser of 4 charges "operating a trade school without a license"; other charges dismissed; police reportedly upset with too lenient a disposition of the case.
- 7 Aug 53 "Detroit News" smaller article on exact same event as the above; straight reporting of facts, no entheta.
- 2 Oct 53 Spokane, Washington BBB sends a letter to Philadelphia BBB about Dianetics/Scientology center in that city being run by Harvey Carl Jacklin or Jackman (this is actually Jackins, and they don't have correct name yet); report on LRH degree from Sequoia U, arrangement that Sequoia will offer BA for 4 yr course in Scientology; claim that a nationally known skin allergist, Dr. Gordon McGurdy of Florida is pro-Dianetics; data comes from local Sec'y-Treasurer, a Walter E. Hanan; reports that there are centers also in Portland and Seattle; says he has licensing clearance; reports use of E Meter; that LRH has national influence; letter is asking for data.

Oct 53

Letter from Gen'l Manager of Vancouver BBB to Mrs. Marie M. Ferrell, Manager of the Spokane Bureau; reports dissolution of local Scientology Institute, superseded by formation of "Vancouver Institute of Applied Psychology", which is reported to be associated with LRH per Ferrell's memo of 22 Oct 53 (not in files); says it is a "pseudo science" and "just another psychology stunt"; Sequoia U. degrees are no good and would not be recognized in Canada.

Oct 53

Memo to all BBBs from Wichita BBB about LRH and Dianetics/Scientology; written by Ralph Hinman; is supposed to be an update of earlier reports of 1 March and 28 May 52 (see this time track); reports the bankruptcy of Kansas HDRF and sale of Hubbard College to Piggott; also that Piggott is in institution for the insane now; no data on LRH current whereabouts, but reports the scuffle with U.S. Marshalls in Washington D.C. in December 52 (see); LRH founder of "so-called dianetics"; report that there are now groups using the tech who don't associate with Hubbard anymore, including Van Vogt, Idella Stone, and other early squirrels and splinter groups. Further report on now using the Kathison Quiz Meter aka "electropsychometer"; reference made to the "Time" magazine "tomato" article of December 52; ex claim made that the statements given the Spokane Bureau by Walter Hanan (see 22 Oct 53) are false (they were theta news of LRH/Scientology); says folks who will ask about Dn/Scn are in higher mental bracket; LRH's misadventures have slowed him down, but the idea seems to be gaining anyway; recommends giving "just the facts" to any inquirers, but with l.l twist that anything is possible in this day and age.

Nov 53

Denver BBB sends note on "Institute of Humanics" to Spokane BBB; reports that the ASW fled when exposed by the BBB; ASW was LRH's brainchild; resistance to disclosure of backers; shed publicity in a hurry; Inst. of Hum. is brainchild of Dianetics protege Ronald B. Howes.

is concludes file entries through the end of 1953. After this date there is really nothing new; all the same old lies are being repeated over and over, and of course the assault on the E-Meter gets going after only slight interest up to this time.

Love,

Greg
Greg Zerkow
B-1 Intern
26 Aug 75

Regional Office

Federal Building
1220 SW. Third Avenue
Portland, OR 97204



Veterans
Administration



Mr. Michael Linn Shannon
PO Box 1526
Portland, OR 97207

Re: Lafayette Ronald Hubbard

Dear Mr. Shannon:

This is in response to your letter of January 15 which requested information concerning Mr. Hubbard under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA), Title 5 U.S.C. 552. As I will explain below, we cannot provide most of the information you want unless Mr. Hubbard authorizes us in writing to do so.

We can respond to your request for information about the amount of benefits presently being paid to him. Title 38 U.S.C. 3301(c) states that "the amount of pension, compensation or dependency and indemnity compensation of any beneficiary shall be made known to any person who applies for such information..." Accordingly, you are advised that Mr. Hubbard is presently receiving veterans benefits in the amount of \$182.00 per month.

Title 5 U.S.C. 552(b)(6), which you have referred to as exemption 6, exempts some information from disclosure without the consent of the person to whom the information pertains. The diagnosis of medical disorders and the degree to which each disorder is disabling; the total percent of disablement; a veteran's address; the address to which benefit checks are being sent; dates of hospitalization by a military service or the Veterans Administration; and conditions for which a veteran has been hospitalized are facts coming within this exemption. Disclosure of this information without Mr. Hubbard's consent would be a clearly unwarranted invasion of his personal privacy, in my judgment.

Congress clearly intended this information to be treated as personal and confidential. This is shown by Title 38 U.S.C. 3301(a) which provides that all records pertaining to any claim under any law administered by the VA shall be confidential and privileged. Regulations implementing this law, Title 38 Code of Federal Regulations 1.500 through 1.527, preclude disclosure of such information in circumstances presented by your request unless the veteran consents to the disclosure. Additionally, Title 5 U.S.C. 552a, commonly called the Privacy Act of 1974, with some exceptions not pertinent here, prohibits disclosure of personal records in the possession of a Federal agency without the prior written consent of the individual to whom the records pertain.

Pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552(a)(b)(A)(1) and VA Regulations 553.1(B) and 557(A), you are hereby notified that you have a right to appeal this decision to the Administrator of Veterans Affairs. Any appeal must be in writing, should


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Michael Linn Shannon

Re: Lafayette Ronald Hubbard

state you are appealing a determination of the Portland Veterans Administration Regional Office denying you information, and should reasonably describe the information you have requested. Please address any such appeal to: Administrator of Veterans Affairs, 810 Vermont Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20420.

Sincerely yours,


R. J. VOGEL
Director



DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND WELFARE
NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF MENTAL HEALTH
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20012

October 30, 1979

SAINT ELIZABETHS HOSPITAL

Mr. Michael Linn Shannon
P.O. Box 1526
Portland, Oregon 97207

Dear Mr. Shannon:

This letter comes in response to your note of October 6, 1979, in which you ask for certain information on Mr. Lafayette Ronald Hubbard, Sr. The information is presented in question and answer format in order to provide the necessary specificity:

Q: Is Saint Elizabeths a psychiatric facility?

A: Yes.

Q: Have you a record of subject (Lafayette Ronald Hubbard)?

A: We have no record on Mr. Hubbard.

Q: Will you release record on Mr. Hubbard?

A: We do not have any record on Mr. Hubbard.

Q: What are the educational prerequisites for being a student at Saint Elizabeths?

A: Saint Elizabeths accepts students who are completing an internship as a part of a college educational program. Therefore, the requirements would be successful completion of the course of studies prescribed by the college or university.

Q: Will you verify if subject was an intern, orderly, or psychiatric attendant?

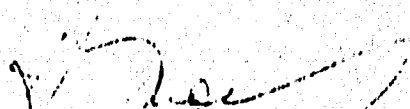
A: We have no record of the subject being employed at Saint Elizabeths.

Q: Have you a record of William A. White, M.D.?

A: The attached material on William A. White might prove helpful.

Sincerely yours,

Attachment


Harold A. Thomas

Special Assistant to the Superintendent



HUBBARD ASSOCIATION OF SCIENTOLOGISTS

INTERNATIONAL

806 North Third Street

Phoenix, Arizona

June 12, 1954

Better Business Bureau
834 North Central Avenue
Phoenix, Arizona

Gentlemen:

For your interest, the Hubbard Association of Scientists, an Arizona Corporation, has brought about certain changes in Scientology, and of which we would like to acquaint you.

Scientology is described as a science of knowingness. It is actually a modern approach, using mathematics and physics to the philosophic subject of epistemology. The goal of Scientology is to bring about greater capabilities in human beings such as increases in recognition, memory, and reaction time. Such a science would of course address various phenomena such as psychosomatic illness, aberration and behavior.

The subject of Scientology is largely the work of L. Ron Hubbard, author and scientist, who began his work in 1937 while a student of nuclear physics at George Washington University in Washington, D.C. Hubbard was also trained in psycho-analysis in Washington, D.C. by Commander Thompson, (M.C.) U.S.N. who studied personally with Freud and who instituted psycho-analysis in the U.S. Navy for use in flight surgery. Hubbard was also trained by Dr. William Alan White, then superintendent of St. Elizabeth's, the government asylum at Washington.

Hubbard's interest in the mind was from the standpoint of physical energy and, later, anthropology. A member of the Explorer's Club in good standing for eighteen years, Hubbard led several expeditions and has widely studied, in Asia, Asia and Latin America barbaric cultures for what they might reveal concerning the motivations of humanities. In World War II he served with distinction as a naval officer and was selected to Naval Civil Affairs by reason of his knowledge of the Oriental psychology.

In 1947 Hubbard published a book for the Gerontology Society and the American Medical Association called "Scientology: A New Science." Politely received, the data yet remained unstudied and so unused and Hubbard eventually followed this original publications with an article in the Explorer's Club professional journal. This article attracted the attention of many people, amongst them members of the Russian government. Hubbard saw a need to release his work in more detailed form and, receiving an offer from Hermitage House, Inc., one of the better publishers of psychiatric texts, he consented to write a formal book.

Here, if anywhere, Hubbard erred. Hermitage House insisted on a popularized version and a more popular name for the subject (Dianetics) and Hubbard, foreseeing no more than a few thousand copy sale, agreed. Hermitage House, altering the manuscript and writing a new introduction (a fact which became the subject of a suit) unwisely chose to publish an article about "Dianetics" by Hubbard in a pulp magazine. Hubbard, as in the case of almost any nuclear physicist, often wrote, for amusement, science fiction. Hermitage House desired to capitalize on this fact to gain a sale amongst those who were familiar with Hubbard's name.

The book, called "Dianetics: Modern Science of Mental Health" startled the publishing world, and Hubbard, by climbing high into the best-seller listing of the New York Times and staying there for months. Such instant popularity found Hubbard prepared for the floods of mail and pleas for help.

Hubbard, interested only in research, financially independent without such royalties, was glad to listen to a proposal from one C. Parker Morgan and his publisher to let them form a Foundation to service this demand. Seven trustees, of which Hubbard was only one, formed on June 1, 1950 the Hubbard Dianetic Research Foundation of Elizabeth, New Jersey. Hubbard gave them the book and its royalties and returned to his own pursuits.

This organization, however, pressed heavily upon him for lectures and disturbed his own routine. Yet this corporation insisted on growing, forming other corporations in Illinois, California and Hawaii, each with a duplicate directorate.

In November, 1950 Hubbard became convinced that the corporation was not sound and that it would not attain to its professed goal of helping people. He attempted to withdraw his name from it and was variously inveighed against. He had only one vote in seven. Forced to leave it in possession and continued use of his name, he retired in December to Palm Springs, California where he set up a modest research laboratory. With he did not seek them, many people began to come to him in Palm Springs. This seriously implied the business of the Foundation: such as in Los Angeles for Hubbard charged nothing.

J. E. van Vogt, the principal mover in the Los Angeles Foundation and others were intensely provoked at Hubbard's withdrawal. Hubbard's wife, from whom he had been separated, also became incensed at him. For public appearance she had been a Foundation director. With the obvious coming failure of the Foundations and with it a failure of the income she drew from she threatened Hubbard with public scandal if he did not support the Foundations.

Hubbard, busy writing a new book, refused to lend an credence to these threats or those of the Elizabeth board and went to Cuba where he completed a 125,000 word book in the next many weeks. As their young child had always been under his, in her mother's care, the child accompanied him.

True to her threats and those of the Foundation trust a great deal of scandal was stirred up. A receivership was organized in Los Angeles by this woman and the trustees to seize control of the Foundations and many statements were made to the press.

Hubbard made no statements of any kind during all this period and when he became aware that they had been made, ordered his separated wife to him, had her sign a confession to perjury (copy enclosed) and applied for and received a divorce from her without alimony to her.

Meanwhile the Elizabeth Foundation over which Hubbard had never had power beyond his personality, sold itself to one Don G. Purcell, an oilman in Kansas.

Purcell moved the Foundation to Wichita, Kansas and Hubbard, having completed his book, went to Kansas to settle various affairs.

Considering that Purcell wished only to make money from Dianetics, Hubbard sought to reform the attitude of the Foundation. To accomplish this he supported himself in Kansas by writing and lecturing and finally, after a few months, unable

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to bring about a good public presence on the part of the Foundation and Purcell, he resigned from all connections in early 1952 and refused Purcell and others any further permission to use his name or work.

Purcell's answer was to file for bankruptcy with one month conceiving that the Foundations could not continue without Hubbard's support. Purcell bought the Foundations from bankruptcy as his personal property shortly after and continued them in business, but, unable to use Hubbard's name or additional work, the organization The Dianetic Foundation of Kansas came to exist only as a shell, quite inactive today.

After resigning in early 1952, Hubbard came to Phoenix to visit his parents, liked the city and with his wife Mary Sue whom he married early in 1952, settled here. He opened a quiet office which became that fall (1952) the Hubbard Association of Scientologists. He had reverted "Dianetics" back to its original name, Scientology.

This organization was founded by some five hundred people in various parts of the world who had long been interested in Hubbard's work. Publishing a few books locally and issuing twice a month, the Journal of Scientology, the H/S has continued a quiet career in Arizona. It has opened up branch offices in Camden, New Jersey and London, England. The association exists to publish material related to behavior and to the study of Scientology.

The H/S is the first organization in the field of "Dianetics" and Scientology to be controlled by Hubbard. It pays its bills promptly as any Phoenix business firm with which it deals can attest. Although any organization dealing with behavior can attract hangers-on, there has been no consequence of this in the H/S. Hubbard's policy of quiet, orderly business and investigation is clearly manifested in the general good repute of the H/S in Phoenix.

In so far as possible the H/S has sought to associate itself with steady and reliable people. It does permit its name and the name Scientology to be used by autonomous organizations. Such, called associates or groups, exist in many places. They use H/S materials and pay a membership fee but otherwise have no connection. When they are financially or otherwise to the H/S repute, their membership is cancelled. This has happened recently in Los Angeles. The H/S has no other control over such persons.

The addresses of the H/S are 806 North Third Street, Phoenix, Arizona, 507 Market Street, Camden, New Jersey, 162 Holland Park Avenue, London, England. The Camden and London offices are run by committees.

The H/S, under the management of Hubbard, has a ten year record of good repute and responsibility. It is aware as is Hubbard, that the 1950 blatant use of Hubbard's name by the early Foundations has often reflected against H/S progress. It is aware of the mountains of publicity generated by the sudden and strange popularity of a book. The H/S is also aware that it is the first organization controlled by Hubbard and it enjoys good public reputation as well as good credit. It is content to pay its way, has no great ambition to riches and builds solidly as it goes.

The H/S recently rented quarters at 401-A East Revelt and 616 North Third Street. The latter address was previously occupied by a psychologist, Dr. Gordon Beckstead, who was in no way connected with the H/S.

Awakening recently to the fact that many of its interested people were ministers, the H/S has assisted them to form churches such as the Church of American Science and the Church of Scientology. Also, when friends of Hubbard in Europe

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pointed out to him that the home organization of psycho-analysis, the Freudian Institute of Vienna, was now in the Russian zone of Austria and desired removal. Hubbard helped finance the organization of the "Freudian Foundation of America" to be offered to those in Vienna should they desire to avail themselves of it. In the latter and in the church the H/S has no further control or interest.

As Scientology is proving it can do much for disabled veterans and others such as they, the H/S may soon be Scientology available to the disabled as a public service.

The H/S business gross is about \$10,000 a month. has no profits or dividends. It pays Hubbard's expenses in writing and investigation. It finances the processing, with Scientology of indigent and disabled people.

There is no broadly stated medical opinion of Scientology, mainly because it does not in any way intend or pre to encroach upon medicine. Its field in the study of knowledge itself and its benefits are more closely allied to philosophy and religion than to medicine or psychology. If one "gets" in the process of knowing more about himself or Mankind the benefit derived from knowledge gained, not treatment received.

Aside from offering public services, the firm two year policy of the H/S will continue to be followed. To defend nor attack on the public stage but to keep the house, financially and ethically sound.

Sincerely,
Board of Directors
Hubbard Association of Scientologists

John Galusha
John Galusha, Secretary