

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Date 4/20/64Date April 15, 19641

SEYMOUR CHAZIN, 105 West Adams, Chicago, advised he is the son-in-law of SAM JAFFEE. Mr. CHAZIN stated JACK RUBENSTEIN is unknown to him. Mr. CHAZIN stated that he has no knowledge of any Communist Party (CP) meetings being held in Muncie, Indiana, during the 1940's, and at no time ever accompanied any group from Chicago, Illinois, to a meeting in Muncie, Indiana.

Mr. CHAZIN stated the only son-in-law of SAM JAFFEE who may have brought a group from Chicago to Muncie is currently living in Los Angeles, California. This son-in-law's present name is IRWIN BERKE. In view of Mr. BERKE's show business affiliations, he has changed his name from IRWIN BERKSTEAD to IRWIN BERKE.

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SEYMOUR CHAZIN, 67 Lakewood Place, advised he bought his first car, a 1947 Oldsmobile, from his father-in-law, SAM JAFFE, in Muncie, Indiana, in 1947. He said he frequently traveled to Muncie, Indiana, with his wife, CHARLOTTE, after the car was purchased but never traveled with his wife to Muncie in company with JACK RUBENSTEIN or a "tall blond girl in show business." He stated he has never been connected with show business and never took pictures of girls or show people to Muncie, Indiana. He said his father-in-law liked pictures of celebrities and IRWIN BERKE, another son-in-law, who was a "song plugger" took pictures of band leaders and important celebrities which were displayed by JAFFE in his establishment.

CHAZIN stated he has observed pictures of JACK RUBENSTEIN, also known as JACK RUBY, in newspapers and this individual is unknown to him.

CHAZIN stated he has never been a member of the Communist Party and has never attended meetings of the Communist Party or any organization that might be described as subversive.

CHAZIN stated that in the 1940's, he was 5'10½" tall, weighed 17½ pounds, had black hair, and a dark complexion. He furnished a photograph of himself taken in 1947-1948.

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