



# Mrs. Roosevelt

## An FBI Agent Asks Me About John Foster Dulles

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This agent's behavior was a wonderful feat—keeping a straight face while making such an inquiry. I'm afraid I smiled openly. Then yesterday I was visited again with questions about another impeccable character. So I want to reassure any of my friends who think that the FBI is not on the job and is not able to protect us.

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Among others, he referred to the Rockefeller Foundation, which brought forth from the Foundation's President, Dean Rusk, the following statement: "The Rockefeller Foundation has reported the facts on these grants to the Cox Committee in our reply to the questionnaire sent us by the committee."

It is confusing or amusing, or both, to have great foundations in this country under attack for helping subversive persons and at the same time to have them attacked by Moscow.

In the Czechoslovakian trials the Ford Foundation was accused of "sending spies, murderers, saboteurs and wreckers" into east Europe. I should say that this, if true, indicated that the foundations had been very careful to keep a balance between being too conservative or too radical. When you please neither extreme, you are probably doing a pretty good job in keeping to the middle of the road.

**TUESDAY** night I went to Teaneck, to a very interesting meeting—the first one sponsored by the Hi-Y and Tri Hi-Y clubs and the county committee of the Y. M. C. As of Bergen County. There were many young men and young women present from many "Y" groups, and they conducted their meeting in a very fine way.

The theme was a Thanksgiving Service to draw the attention of all present to the things for which we, in this country, may be thankful, but to emphasize, as well, our close ties with the rest of the world, and the growth of human brotherhood throught the world. These young people are anxious to know the world as a whole and they believe in human dignity and its recognition for all peoples.

*This character is to never again be contacted by FBI unless personally authorized by [unclear]*

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- Times-Herald \_\_\_\_\_
- Wash. Post \_\_\_\_\_
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- Wash. Star \_\_\_\_\_
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