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2 We wish to point out that the probation report,
3 at least in the personal section of the report, sir,
4 indicates Mr. Rombom's regret for the activities that he
5 participated in; the fact that Mr. Rombom, at least since
6 his arrest, no longer is a member of the Jewish Defense
7 League, and has withdrawn from its activities; that he
8 is contrite for the commission of these crimes, and that
9 Mr. Rombom, to quote the probation department, has qualities
10 of generosity, sensitivity, and he verbalizes remorse for
11 his behavior.

12 Your Honor, Mr. Rombom has his entire life
13 ahead of him right now. I ask the Cour to consider what
14 I think would almost inevitably happen if Mr. Rombom is
15 placed inside of an institution, institutions the inside
16 of which he has already seen in his young life for about
17 seven or eight years. I ask this Court why in reason
18 and humanity the progress that he has currently made, and
19 which the psychiatrists who testified before this Court
20 who had even very limited contact with Mr. Rombom acknowledge
21 is necessary for a complete rehabilitation, as Congress has
22 indicated as the purpose of sentence here -- why that
23 progress should be forestalled.

24 There is an indication by Mr. Jaffe, and in part
25 by the psychiatrist who testified in the hearing who had,