In 2006, the Space Medicine Association Executive Committee was asked to remove Dr. Strughold’s name from the Strughold Award due to alleged atrocities committed during World War II. After a two year investigation, which included obtaining classified files from the U.S. Dept. of Justice through the Freedom of Information Act, the Committee decided that there was no evidence of any atrocities, declined to remove his name and officially reported this to the AsMA Council and the SMA membership. The allegations have resurfaced through a front page article in the Wall Street Journal published on Nov. 30, 2012. The SMA Executive Committee has decided to suspend the Strughold Award for 2013, release the details of the investigation to all members of the SMA, and ask for a vote from the entire SMA membership in several months whether to terminate or to continue the Strughold Award. Attached is the Wall Street Journal article and the results of the investigation. Please contact me if you have any questions or desire any additional materials (such as Dr. Strughold’s entire biography – 100 pages - or the materials from the FIA). Also, please feel free to discuss or debate by e-mail with the entire SMA membership. Thank you, Mark R. Campbell, M.D.