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Transmittal of Report

The attached top secret report has just been received from Broadway. [] states that the source is a German ex-POW. The report means nothing to Broadway, who nevertheless passed it on to us for whatever value it may have.

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Alleged U.S.A. Parachutist into Latvia in 1948/49

1. In January, 1949 Source, an ex-German POW, while being transported from Western Russia to KAZACHSTAN (doing his 10 year imprisonment sentence, which afterwards was cut short when subject was repatriated to Germany) he met a Latvian who told subject that he was just sentenced to 25 years hard labor for espionage for the Americans.

2. The stranger explained that he was in Stuttgart after the war and was recruited for the American Intelligence Service. Eventually, he was parachuted into Latvia, but there he was caught.

3. Description of the stranger: Age: About 25
 Tall, fair
 His parents and, possibly sister,
 are in Western Germany

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