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1. Contact Operations

A. Contact with Two Soviet Ukrainians in Paris

Contact was established by an AECASSOWARY representative with two leading Soviet Ukrainians in Paris. Three interesting conversations ensued in which information was obtained regarding the attitude of Ukrainians toward Khrushchev and the regime and the political situation in the Ukraine. Details of the conversation are on file and are being coordinated with SR/Reports for purposes of dissemination. Photographs and photocopies of the autographs of the two Soviet Ukrainians are available. One of the Soviet Ukrainians agreed to meet with the AECASSOWARY representative again in Munich in June-July at which time, he said, he would visit in his home. One volume of the Ukrainian encyclopedia was accepted by one of the men who planned to take it with him to the Ukraine.

B. Contact with member of Bolshoi Ballet in New York.

Several meetings with a member of the Bolshoi Ballet were held in New York by an AECASSOWARY contact. The contact was instigated by a letter the AECASSOWARY contact received from his father in the Ukraine informing him that his cousin who was dancing with the Ballet would be in New York and suggested that he meet with him. No significant developments have resulted from these meetings but AECASSOWARY 2 will inform this office of the final outcome.

2. Significant Changes and Developments

None.

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