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Curt Miss, The Self-Betrayed, 1942, pp. 9, 29, 225, 230

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OSS, New York, Radio, November 26, 1942

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GERMANY

rpt April 19, 1943

BLEI, Maj. WULFF

Official Nazi radio commentator; explains why Luftwaffe did not retaliate on Britain by saying that it has been too busy killing Russians.

Newsweek, April 19, 1943
Press Survey File

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GERMANY

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lished in 1938, the basic German textbook on psychological warfare / emphasizes study of comparative national psychology for accurate evaluation of the dynamic forces in enemy nations' attitudes and sentiments as they may effect one's war plans; believes psychological war must be waged in neutral as well as enemy countries and must secure its most decisive successes prior to outbreak of war.

**Committee for National Morale, German Psychological Warfare,
New York, September 1941, pp. 7, 11, 49, 52, 105.**

Field

REFERENCE CARD

Received January 14, 1943

GERMANY

BLEICHRODT, Lt. Commander HEINRICH

U-boat commander / awarded
the Oak Leaf to the Knights
Cross by the Führer; 125th
soldier in German armed forces
to receive this award.

Received OSS, January 14, 1943

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GERMANY

BLEZINGER, HEINRICH Dr.

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GERMANY

rpt August 15, 1942

BLOCKED, Herr NIK.

Requested Irma SCHÜLDER (q.v.) to send letter dated August 15, 1942 to Johana MARTIN (ARGENTINA) / letter is brief, begins 'Dear Children' and is signed 'Parents.'

TRI 15765/42

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January 1, 1943

GERMANY

BLOCK, Lt. General

**His promotion from Major General
to Lt. General effective January
1, 1943.**

State Department Plain Cable #341, Bern, February 5, 1943

CID 16650-P

GERMANY

rpt September 1941

BLOCK, M.

An army psychologist attached to Colonel BLAN's staff, in analyzing character of countries in Southeastern Europe, he used the 'direct empirical approach' studying and appraising individual nations on the spot.

Committee for National Morale, German Psychological Warfare,
New York, September, 1941, pp. 53, 111

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GERMANY

BLOCK, WERNER

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GERMANY

rpt March 21, 1943

BLOHM, RUDOLF

**Staatsrat / head of the department of shipbuilding / declares
that a large number of merchant vessels are being built, a con-
siderable number of them in shipyards in the occupied countries.**

**Transocean, March 21, 1943
News Digest, March 22, 1943**

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REFERENCE CARD

7-16

GERMANY

BLÖHM, WALTER

Par-German novelist; friend of Dr. DRECHSLER (see Australia).

NYSS, New York, Sigrid Schultz, Nov. 18, 1942
(Source left Germany in Feb. 1941)

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rpt February 1941

GERMANY

BLÖHM, WALTER

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OSS, New York, Sigrid Schultz, February 11, 1943
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GERMANY

rpt April 20, 1943

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BLOHM, WALTER

Noteworthy for the obscene novels he wrote during the first war which were read by every college student in Germany.

R&A, Central European Section (ral (Neumann), April 20, 1943

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REFERENCE CARD

GERMANY

To June 1942

BLÜCHER VON WAHLSTADT, COUNT HUBERT

The fact that his mother was a Radziwil, one of the most distinguished families in Poland, may account for his anti-German and anti-Nazi attitude.

OSS, Oechsner, December 8, 1942 (oral)

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A 533

GERMANY

rpt February 25, 1943

BLUME, Colonel

Commander of Base Propaganda Battalion of Wehrmachtpropaganda quartered in 'P.K. Barracks' in Potsdam; it is here that recruits are trained; there are companies of journalists, photographers, reporters and administrative personnel and a special section for training radio propagandists. Captains ZIENTEN and HELM (qq.v.) are also with the Battalion.

Confidential and reliable source
OSS, Washington, February 25, 1943

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December 1, 1942

GERMANY

BLUMENTHRIIT, Lt. General

His promotion to Lt. General
effective December 1, 1942.

Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung
State Department Plain Cable, Bern, December 8, 1942

BR FU-302

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GERMANY

BLUMSCHEIN

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rpt March 10, 1943

GERMANY

BLÜTTNER, ALFRED

Of Berlin / on his behalf the Deutsche Bank, Berlin, instructed the Deutsche Bank, Istanbul, to pay a sum of gold to Pater DWORSCHAK (TURKEY).

Reliability: documentary
E, Istanbul, March 10, 1943

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prior to February 17, 1943

GERMANY ?

BOBROWSKI, CZESLANA

Recently released from internment
in Germany / born May 13, 1919 in
Bloomfield.

State Department Plain Cable, Bern, February 17, 1943

prior to February 17, 1943

GERMANY ?

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Recently released from internment
in Germany / born May 13, 1919 in
Bloomfield.

State Department Plain Cable, Bern, February 17, 1943

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GERMANY

rpt March 10, 1943

BLÜTTNER, ALFRED

Of Berlin / on his behalf the Deutsche Bank, Berlin, instructed the Deutsche Bank, Istanbul, to pay a sum of gold to Peter DWORSCHAK (TURKEY).

Reliability: documentary
E, Istanbul, March 10, 1943

BR FU-302

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GERMANY

BLUMSCHEIN

December 3, 1942

GERMANY

BLUMENTRITT, Lt. General

His promotion to Lt. General
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Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung
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OSS, Washington, February 25, 1943

REFERENCE CARD

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GERMANY

To June 1944

BLÜCKER VON WAHLSTADT, COUNT ROBERT

The fact that his mother was a Habsburg, one of the most distinguished families in Poland, may account for his anti-German and anti-Nazi attitude.

OSS, Geensler, December 3, 1944 (oral)

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GERMANY

BLOCK, WERNER

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GERMANY

April 1, 1943

BISLE, Maj. General

His promotion from colonel was effective April 1, 1943.

State Department plain cable, Bern, April 30, 1943

REFERENCE CARD

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GERMANY

January 4, 1943

BISMARCK, General von (deceased)

Second General to command 1st German Armored Division in North Africa / was killed in battle, and was succeeded by von FRIEDRICH.

New York Times, January 5, 1943, p. 3.

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REFERENCE CARD

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ITALY

BISMARCK

Bismarck
Source feels he is ~~the~~ big ~~man~~ behind the scenes in Italy; connected with German Embassy, and according to common reports, Hitler has given him full responsibility.

Interview with Anne Marie Wallace del Lago
October 13, 14, 1942

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REFERENCE CARD

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ITALY

To April 1941

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ITALY

rpt July 10, 1943

BISMARCK, Prince von

Represented the German Ambassador at the recent opening of
the Busseldorf Modern Art Exhibition in Rome.

Rome radio, July 10, 1943

FCC, Daily Report, July 12, 1943

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rpt September 7, 1943

GERMANY

BISMARCK, Prince von

Recently replaced by Rudolf von RAHN as First Counselor of the German Embassy in Rome.

Rome radio

FCC, Daily Report, September 7, 1943

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District Office of the
National Committee ^{Party} of the
Communist Party, U.S.A.

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rpt November 3, 1942

GERMANY

BIVAR, Director

Named by source as reference to be given to the Portuguese Consulate at Frankfort, ~~to~~ which requests to enter Portugal are directed; was mentioned in connection with the Portuguese entry permit to be requested for Otto PETERS.

Wireless from Funkaustausch, Berlin to Emissora, Berlin [sic]
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GERMANY

BLANCHE, Dr. WALTER

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BR FU-266

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GERMANY

BLANK, MARTIN

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GERMANY

to December 1939
~~upt February 17, 1943~~

BLASKOWITZ

Became lt. colonel in 1926; head of Military School of 5th district in Stuttgart in 1929; Infantry general, commanding Army Corps no. II at Stettin in 1937; Inspector of Army 1939; commander of 8th Army, October 1939; Col.General and Commander-in-Chief in East December 1939.

Fighting French, London, February 17, 1943

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GERMANY

rpt 1942

BLASKOWITZ

Commander of Armies of Occupation in Czechoslovakia in 1939;
Governor of Bohemia in 1939; commanded German Southern Army
in Poland in 1939; retired in 1941; now living at Limoges.

International Who's Who, 1942

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