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Dispatch from Pullach 1, Germany			
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Press Exploitation.			
<p>The extremely thorough and effective DDR press exploitation of the above-mentioned cases represented only the first phase of a well planned DDR propaganda action against the GEHLEN organization. Fairly rapidly, older and sometimes non-GEHLEN cases were reported in the DDR press as new SFS successes. Beginning with the trial of HAASE, the considerable knowledge of the GEHLEN organization which the SFS had gained from <u>Wolfgang HOEHER</u> was utilized to good advantage. <u>HOEHER</u> had been kidnapped from West Berlin during February, 1953, and has remained since in Soviet Captivity in Karlshorst.</p>			
<p>Information concerning GEHLEN headquarters and the American staff which filtered down through the GEHLEN training schools and main field bases to chief agent personnel subsequently captured by the SFS or Soviets. Principal person involved here is <u>Wolfgang HOEHER</u>.</p>			
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