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1. The following traces, extracted from extensive information available here on HERTZ's activities in the Balkans and his contact with [], are forwarded as of possible interest if not already known to you.
2. HERTZ first approached [] in March 1945 through Prince Kersperg, mentioned in CGX-1162, SAV-1802 and others.
3. Kurt [] (ref. CGX-002, CGX-104) was head of the Roumanian branch of HERTZ's Balkan intelligence network, and was brought to Austria from an interrogation center by [] to assist in the HERTZ operation.
4. In October 1945 information was received from an informant of unknown reliability that HERTZ was attempting to reestablish contacts outside Germany, one of whom was reported to be Alfred POTOCKI in Switzerland. Our files contain a trace, dating from 1938, on an Alfred POTOCKI who was attached to the Polish Consulate in Roumania and was a member of the Polish IS. In this connection, we suggest that you ask [] who was acquainted with a number of Polish IS officers during the war, for any information he may have concerning POTOCKI.
5. A [] cable dated 19 October 1946, establishes that subject was in contact with [] in Budapest or Bucharest at same time.

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