

KLAUSNITZER

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... through their ...
... of Fall ... an UPSWING case. See EGMA-3667.
... We did contact OSCHREITER to indicate our surprise that they
... were keeping such a dubious person, especially in view of the ...
... created by Subject through the exposure of his dual ...
... September 1956. See EGMA-20906. OSCHREITER lost no time in
... stating that they agreed with our position in 1956 but placed
... on ice rather than drop him because he was already in close
... with Hans Hilo FREUND and was likely to cause difficulties for
... if he were dropped outright. OSCHREITER indicated that
... remained on ice until June 1957 when he recontacted FREUND
... that a former wartime agent now living in Prague wrote
... (OSCHREITER) asking for a meeting. UPSWING concurred and KLAUSNITZER
... former agent in Vienna in August 1957. The agent (still
... (OSCHREITER) lost no time in recruiting KLAUSNITZER and gave him
... against UPSWING but consisting primarily in an assignment
... staff slot in the Zentrale. KLAUSNITZER reported to his
... agent in November that he was unable to get a Headquarters
... and was then given an alternate mission of looking up
... types in Munich, one of whom was employed in the
... in the Air Evaluation Staff. The name Marianne LIEBOWITZ
... given at this time. OSCHREITER claimed that subsequently
... to have doubts concerning KLAUSNITZER and his contacts with his
... agent and through the use of CALLEKAK hoped to be alerted to
... meeting sufficiently in advance to cause an arrest. The
... of the arrest was to obtain sufficient evidence against
... to cause his conviction on charges of espionage against
... OSCHREITER. CALLEKAK is known to be a close contact
... with the KLAUSNITZER and has been recruiting individuals
... concerning his contacts with his former agent. At least

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... are clearly lacking however. The first is why UPSWING
... KLAUSNITZER in May 1955 and the second is why UPSWING is so
... on arresting KLAUSNITZER, particularly in view of the rather
... German laws on espionage and almost assured certainty that
... nothing more than a few years' imprisonment could at worst result.
... Regarding both, Hans Hilo FREUND may hold the answer. Perhaps FREUND
... to recruit KLAUSNITZER and, possibly, perhaps FREUND can not get
... out of KLAUSNITZER except by sending him away. However, there
... seems little point in further espionage at present. Perhaps devel-
... opments in East Germany will cause a change in the air.

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