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Trace Results on ROLOF

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1. We have the following traces of individuals who might possibly be identical with (fnu) ROLOF of the reference:

- a. Helmuth ROLOFF was reliably reported to have been an agent of Schulze-Boysen's network in Berlin (Soviet espionage ring). ROLOFF was the custodian of the transmitter belonging to the group, and was arrested in the autumn of 1942. In 1946, he was at liberty in Berlin. He is German, the son of Dr. Gustav ROLOFF, and is reported to be a professional concert pianist. A picture of Subject is available in Washington.
- b. Paul ROLOF @ Lageman, (b. 1927), was reported by a fairly reliable source to have been an informer of the Vladimir Otdel (MOB) at NEUSTREKLITZ, and lives at NEUBRANDENBURG, Passenolkstrasse. The date of this information is probably 1948.
- c. Rudi ROLOF was reliably listed as a Soviet informant in the Sovzone in 1949. He is a correspondent of the Soviet News Bureau, and reported to reside in Mecklenburg-Gustrow.

2. We have no traces of Frau WESTERN, although we have a record of one (fnu) WESTERN who was a Nazi industrialist.

3. We have no traces of individuals who might be identical with the WASSERMAN of the reference.

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