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SUBJECT: Translation of AMERICAN Report on Doctor Lubowyr ORTYNSKIY  
(Lysenko ORTYNSKIY).

SOURCE: Information Derived From  's Personal Acquaintance  
with ORTYNSKIY, since ca. 1940

DATE OF INFORMATION: 2 July 1955

1. Doctor Lubowyr ORTYNSKIY, residing at Nordend Strasse 5 in Munich, is the son of a school teacher from the Western Ukraine. (Field Comments: Pre-World War II Eastern Poland.) Upon completing the gymnasium in Poland, he began studying at the University of Warsaw in 1936. He continued his studies after he emigrated and received his Doctor's degree in Political Science from a German university. Even while he was studying in Warsaw he was an active member of the Organisation of Ukrainian Nationalists (OUN).

2. During the war he joined the First Ukrainian Division which was organized in Lvov. He was judge and later the adjutant of the commanding officer of one of the units. He participated in the battle of Brodi. He spent some time as prisoner of war in Blassi and there he contracted tuberculosis from which he still suffers today.

3. At the present time he plays a prominent part in SPUNVA. He is the alternate for the chief editor of the SPUNVA newspaper, Sushchyna Ukrayina, the president of the emigration-wide "Brotherhood of Soldiers of the Former Ukrainian Division" and the publisher of the press organ of this Brotherhood, Visti. In addition, he probably belongs to the SPUNVA setup. ORTYNSKIY and  are the two representatives of the Ukrainian press in the "Verband der Freien Presse".

4. ORTYNSKIY attended the Fourth UNDP Congress as a journalist for the Sushchyna Ukrayina but he was greeted at the Congress as a representative of SPUNVA. He addressed the Congress and apparently his appearance evoked dissatisfaction in BNVD circles.

5. ORTYNSKIY enjoys good contacts with Germans, particularly with Professor von MEIN in the "Büro für Heimatlose Ausländer" in Düsseldorf and with an official of that office, Walter KUHLE. As president of the Ukrainian combatants' organization he has good contacts with many Germans who were formerly active in military matters, particularly with a former SS officer, one from ARLT who is living in Cologne at the present time and who, during the last war, played a prominent part in the organization of Ukrainian armed units attached to the German army. ORTYNSKIY also enjoys very good relations with Polish groups in London and in Munich - he is on especially good terms with Commander K. JANKOWSKI-GOLUBOWSKI.

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