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1: SUBJECT: .. Charactor Sketch of <u>BCHULLENHERC</u>; chiof of Gormany's Espionage Service.

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- 2: SCHELL MARTH had his start in polition in his hometoum Sherbrukken, where he taught "Seltenedianang" in the local wait of the Allgoneine SS. In 1934 he was taken on by any Bicherheitsdrungt and posted to the personnal dopartnesses the Reichssicherheitshaupturn (Ant I). At that time the 3D was still in its formative stage and consequently but I was of pivotal inportance. Boyoul the marrow servines of a second-string position, <u>STAINTER</u> held as first, he seen began to mort considerable influence. His conspicious calent for organization did not use so the attention of the all-powerful shief of the Sicherheitspelizei, EXDRICH, who soon thek min other his wings. In the course of time the relationship <u>30022</u> <u>ANERES</u> - CORES deepend not buildes being counted among HEYDRICH's ment of the -mergers, he enjoyed the rare privilige of invitations to he was it's hear. He stood high in the favor of Frau LIM., (HATTE TOWN and show a sufficed to make the Hangman shake in his bestal, add an that it was generally employed he would herry south is the sind, with her husband's timely the wilcom .... demise Frau LINE stitud her merdiness for <u>BCHMILEMERP</u>.
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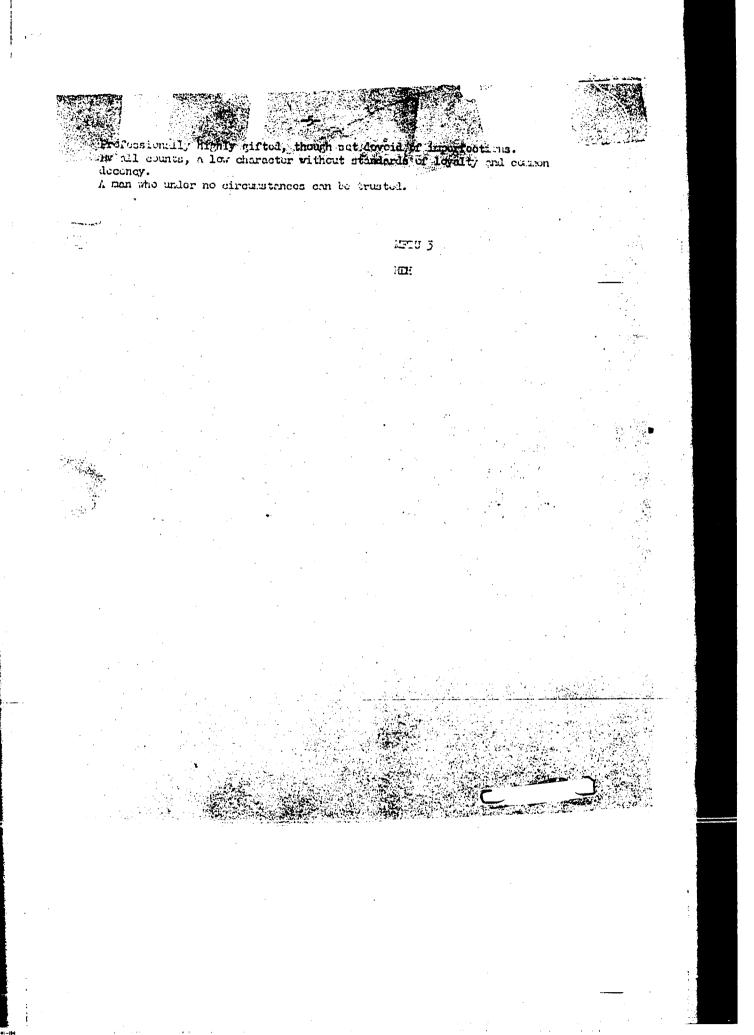
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16. HEALER entertained great personal esteen for <u>SCHELLENBERG</u>. He even nicknessed him: Benjamin. Whenever a suitable opportunity offered, <u>SCHELENBERG</u> reported to HEAMLER direct. KALTENBERINNER did nothing to step that practice. He was much too phlegmatic to make an issue of 'trifle' and, busides, he did not consider <u>SCHELENBERG</u> a serious opponent, although he suspected him of hatching out a plot in conspiracy with SS Obergruppenfuhrer BERGER, KALTENBRUNNER's Liplaceble energy. 17. To what extent SCHELLENhard was actually able to influence HIMLER's decisions is difficult to gage. Although he was intellectually far superior to HI MILER, his natural inclination not to come out into the open with his true conviction: tended to minimize his influence. At the same time he developed a remarkable skill in instilling certain beliefs or opinions into HIMLER, making him think that it was actually his own original idea which COMELENSERG hal morely put into words.

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- 20. SchullENBERC's onerdies in Ant VI wore SG-StupEannfuhrer SKORZENY and MINEOK (VILE), SA-Stunkertenfuhrer Dr. FINCHEN and RAUFF. SKORZENY and WANEON were considered when a good graces of their follow Austrian KALTENERDER is <u>CONSTRUCTORING</u> foll this very keenly. At the same time SCHEMENTED never healented to ask for their help whenever he wanted something from EASTRUCTORING which no bering not ask himself. Then again he played SELTENE CONSTRUCTOR and SKORZENY before with so much skill that he off the local of bringing mout SKORZENY's downfall. Out to likely <u>selections</u> will claim now that he was a prisoner in his fast, where you are head of KALTENERDER's benchmon WANEOK and SKORZENY. That he had not not claim induction the state state, hisrogering characters and braking on <u>CONSTRUCTIONS</u> is a could have f word both <u>ALTENC</u> and BROKENY into the believed in direct action, hisrogering characters and braking on <u>CONSTRUCTIONS</u> to could have f word both <u>ALTENC</u> and <u>BROKENY</u> into the by the shear weight of his superior intellect and understally he would have found the backing of KINENERS.
- 21. Despite his analysis telents and his numbers years action, <u>SCHELENERG</u> suffers from a and once of informanity explex. This is important to bear is mind. Is a preset any respects <u>SCHELENERG</u> is untit to stand on his analogs. That the example observer may possibly take for feigned nodesty, is an army instances due to lack of self-assuredness. <u>CHELENERG</u> is untable to a paralth many of the demands the routine of daily life raises and certain of his mannerisms typical for the 'weltfrende Wissenschaftler' is not out as but genuine
- 22. From the point of view of professional accomplishment, <u>SCHELLENERG</u> must be rated as bely ging to the top layer of Germany's leading intelligence men, in fact, he probably heads the list. As a matter of fact his forto is not intelligence work as such, for which he lacks the practical foundation, but his outstanding knack for organization and imparting constructive ideas. <u>SCHELENERG</u> has made an exact science out of intelligence work. He would be the man to teach this science in a university. In spite of the above-mentioned limitations <u>SCHELENERG</u> has been most successful in organizing and maintaining his own information net, notably in Switzerland and in Gooden. His lack in practical experience, it second has been amply componsated for by his acute in judging people and by his judici maness in dealing with them.
- 23. To strike the falance on the various elements that make up SCHELERBERG's character:



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- 7. To 1943 the personnel crisis had been finally oversome and the ascendancy of Ant VI within the ASHA began to make itself folt. It coincided with the appointment of Dr. KALTENBRUNNER to Commandeur der Sicherheitspolizei. In contradistinction to HEMOFICE, EALTENBRUNNER evinced a livley interest in the foreign espionage branch of the KSHA, putting the full weight or his position behind the expansion of Amt VI and the improvement of its pervices. As a mutur of course, the preferential treatment accorded Amt VI came into the open, and the former had to be handed a sizable sop in form of a slice of Abwehr III. Still, in spring 1944, after the merger with the military Abwehr had been consumated, <u>SCHEMENDERG</u> had risen to a position of uncontested power in the RSHA, w position he managed to reinforce in the aftermath of the 20th July.
- 8. To form a correct estimate of <u>SCHELLENBERG's</u> charachtery one must have known him over a considerable <u>period</u> of time. This might sound like a truism, if it were not for the fact that his character is of inordinate complexity, masterfully disguised. Snap judgements are bound to be either superficial or erroneous. E.g. to east <u>SCHELLENBERG</u> in the sommon mould of a Masi youngater carried up through a vagary of fate, would be missing the main point. Neither he nor KALTENERDERER confirm to Tructure sui generis.

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- 12.SCHELLENBERG was inconsiderate not only to himself but also to his facily. He divorced his first wife when her ago mide it appear likely that she would be unable to bear any more obligron. By all means he had to please his great protector HINMLAR, who liked to see his subordinate spawn in a big way. In short order he begat three children in bland disregard of his wifwis poor state of health. After the last child had been born - the delivery happened to be particularly difficult a Kal TENBRUINER had to give a direct order to bring CEHELLENBERG to his willers bedside. 10.916 rivals, potential and actual, SHHELLENERG fought with ineredible pertinacity, singleGmindedness and deliberation. In order to gain control over the military expionage system (Abwehr)? SCHELLENBERG patiently went about gathering incrimination evidence" againet Admiral SANARIS and his plosest collaborators. At the same time he went out of his way to prove to CANARIS that despite the prevailing spirit of competition, his feelings were those of a friend dealing with friends. No doubt SCHELLNBERG can claim major credit if, in the wake of the VERMEREN incident (desertion of Abmehr personnel in Turkey to the British), KALTENBRUNNER was while to dethrone CANARIS and annex the Abwehr. After all it was SCHIEL NUERA who had system bloally gathered avidance to prove that close connections between the Abwehr and the enery powers had grown beyond the experimental stage.
- 14.SCHELLENBERG never confided in the new chief of And Mil (the successor of the Abushr), Oberst 1. D. MARSIN, He wither

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suspected that, existence. His conducty of r the plot of the 20 July blow up, was certainly not prompted by disapprobation. As one of the very few leading men in Germany <u>SCHELLEERG</u> clearly perceived that Germany&s military fortunes were on the wane and he would not have besitated to act on that conviction and strike a barcain with his pyposite numbers. Therefore his dominant reaction upon the 20 July was the of petulance rather than of communication. What inked him most was HANGEN's doublecross and to have been accorded pride of place on the liquidation edgter of the new government.

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- It. To what extent <u>SCHELLENBERG</u>, was actually able to influence EIMMDER's decisions is difficult to guage. Although he was intellectually far superior to ELEMLER, his natural inclination not to come out into the open with his tru convictions tended to coldinize his influence. At the same time he developed a recurrentle skill is instilling certain beliefs or opinions into fixed and used which that it was actually his can origined how which appleed USLAG has actually mis can origined how which appleed USLAG has actually mis can origined here which
- Mo. As an established fact <u>SCHELLINERAG</u> fanned HICHL At strong clause for LAL bolkand. His weapons: the sly inue do in otherwood to blant constitions. An aside comment on EARTONDEUNER's increating powers and independence, a gassing remark upon his strong Austrian proclimities worked sonders with Hirthule, and <u>JHELLEMPERS</u> knew it.
- 19. SCHELLENER: had nobody in the world he could call his friend. When Regiorungeral Sebestian, one of his oldest friends, was subjected to oriminal investigation, SCHELLENBERG dropped his like a hot.potate.Alt calles of the A ter were SCHELENBERG's worn evening, exercisely ETLAR of Ant IV who could not forget shat in addition at one the had been big suberchate. <u>MARELENPE</u> in this collected were of everify subre of his intellectual superiority. Moreover, they began to feel the prependerance of <u>MARELENDERG's</u> two Anter(VI and XIL Amt) in the RSEA. In the daily measures of the Ant chiefs, <u>SCHELLENBERG</u> was the but of their dest merciless stracks and frequently he came back to his office like a broken man. Even in his own Ant rebody fully brusted him; with one exceptions his faithful secretary Fravlein SCHENKE.

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- 20. SCHLIESENAGIS chomics in Amt VI were SS-Sturbannfuhrer SKOHZENE and WAILCE (VI E), SS-Standartenfubrer Dr.-KNOCNEN and RAUFF. SEANCHER and WAREOK were undoubtedly in the good maces of their Fellow Austrian FALITENDRUMMER and SCHOLES MANG felt this very tereste. Al the same time SCHELLENBURG never heudenbed to ask stra both hold stenever he wanted something from soft stard. in state the farme bot to sak himself. Then us in the proved sall should be pad as marked out anainst each other were so much sells used he advally got close to branging about a constru-Severall. Quind likely SCHELLANDING will claim now they go will a prisoner in his own Amt, a more puppet in the hand of mAnrilli-BRUE DRIS benchmen WARDON and BRORZENY. That is not true, nowever, tobe believed in direct action, disregarding changels and banking on SUTELLENBERG's notorious disinclination to face in issue squarely . If he had been less of Coverd, he could have foreed toth WANECK and SKORZENY Anto line by the sheer weight of his superior intellect and undoubtedly he would have found the Useking of KALTUNBHUNNER.
- L. Despite his manifold talents and his unbashed self-esteen, <u>SOF ALLENBERG</u> suffers from a bad case of inferioty occupies. This is important to bear in mind. In a great many respects <u>SOFTLLENBERG</u> is unfor to atand on his own legs. What the casual observer may possibly take for feigned modesty, is in many instances due to lack of self-assuradness. <u>SOFFLLENBERG</u> is unable to cope with manyof the domands the routike of daily life raises and certain of his mannerices typical for the weitfrende Tissenschaftlart are not put on but genuing.
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intelligence men, in fact, he probably heads the list. As a matter of fact his forte is not intelligence work as such, for which he lasks the practical foundation, but his outstanding knack for organization and imparting constructive ideas.

SOMELLEMBERG has nade an exact science out of Intelligence work. He would be the man to teach this science in a university. In spite of the above-mentioned limitations **CONTINEERG** has been most successful in organizing and maintaining his own information not, notably in Switzerland and in Sweden. His lack in practical experience, it seems, has been amply compensated for by his acumen in judging people and sy his judicicusness in dealing with them.

23. To strike the balance on the various elements that make up SCHLUNBERG's charactor:

Fracessionally highly gifted, though not devoid of imperfections. by all counts, a low character without standards of loyalty and common deconcy.

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A men who under no circumstances can be trusted.