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2. Atom asked if he didn't still receive money from the userians. Aft r replying with a question as to the here the tas just recently arrested and interreplated should be receiving recey from the 'useriang, agent command that it user not then be true, as some of his former briends are reporting, that he is not working for the Soviets. TANKANI informed he had heard that cult turners users being spread and said they were doubtless due to petty jealoundes and the fact that he had been released from jail by the Soviets, which is a somethat unusual occurance. Agent a wood that it was unusual and told him that chees he has not listed in our files and in the Austrian police files as a Soviet agent, it would be beet for him to relate the full story of his intelligence activities, his arrest and his interregation by the Soviets, so that would be able to prove to sure on satisfaction that he actually is not a Soviet agent, "Is said it would be heapy to tell everything he here."

3. To start sounding out WATATIS actual cillingness to talk, agent took as a starting point sourcel questions arising from GIC18 carlier interrogation. According to that report, he claimed his former wife, Policitar MATATE neg of UDSCRIMT, was in contact with the 'IS through one (from MITLL - PARTATE neg states tight he believes the full many is Thriston (from MITLL - PARTATE neg states tight he believes the full many is This TO IL, and that he works under the formation in the Kadar Albtellung of the KPC - Control Conditions. Type 2011 TOT not him in 1951 when she was a student at the UPAs the work soled for howerkschafter in Coffeetlichen forst in Vienna 's fieldedstrasse, number unlooms. To take had of the school at that time. Her assignment for WITLL was reporting on NATATE. He also believes she has been in contact with a Toxict o ficer of the IS. It was either "THILL or the Coviet to when she ways the information headed; to MITATE THE CONT also says his wife is incontact with one Luts 'WERANG' (after referred to erroneously as 'lefting MITZ'), whe allayedly works for the Sources. The CIC mount he did not say that 'U, MITZ', whe allayedly works for the Sources. The claim he did not say that 'U, MITZ', whe allayedly works for the Sources. The claim he did not say that 'U, MITZ',

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Austrian who was forwarly fits the former found on terion. We has any sets and interpretation of the 1949 or 1957 and was then picked up by the found and interrotated on his CIC interpretation. We was diardssed from the Pyte several y ars also. FARMANN appeared to talk freely on both these topics and to be willing to tall any details known to bin.

b. A just next turned to Soviet interrogation techniques during his a rest. took part, a Captain, sho has his intervorator, a Sajor, the has the prosecutor (Staatsanualt), and a civilian interpretor. He know no names. Personal des-cription was not asked for. He has arrested 31 January and released 16 June 1953. "h was interrorated constantly during the first weeks, then less during the middle part of his arrest period, and than not at all toward the ant. Concerning dotails, he voluntoered nothing and avoided nost direct questions. hat he moant by the "first weeks" he was reluctant to pin dome. First he gave the impression it might be two weeks, then ten, and finally settled for six to of the weeks. that he meant by "constant" could also not be dotermined. In despiration he finally said it was eight to sixteen hours, but agant had the impression he just pulled those figures out of the air. For this time was divided into interrogation sessions and broaks for rest, sleep, or eating he would not say. No elaimod he did not have to write anything for the Soviets. The interrogator took notes, and on the basis of these dres up "protocols" which were shown to him for his approval and then signed by him. The subject of the interrogations was prodominately the personalities and activities of the Dund Akademischer Freiheitskacupfer Obstarraichts, of which MAUNA'N is the head, but they also concerned a for of his personal friends and political personalities with whom he has had contact. then asked by agent how many names he gave the Soviets on which they quissed him, he copied that there were teenty or at most thirty. (Company, those names are listed in a later para (raph.) After a sceptical look, agent nassed on to another topic.

5. Agent next asked RAUMANN how many people with when he has had intelligence contact are not in "evolut custedy. This was invadiately limited to persons arcested by the Soviets in 1950 or later. RAUMANN claiped that justav "FIN is the only one. After "thinking" a bit, he added Alfred MLANNER, but denied any others. Agent brought up the name of Josef (Sepp)/RAUMANN, but denied even having worked with or even having over not NAUMANN socially. His only knowledge of the name NACON is that he remembers meading in the papers in the Surner of 1952 that MACON is to remember the name of Alexan experience that it was quite unusual for "ANGANN to remember the name of his only knowledge of it was his reading the one article in the nonseparer. FARMANN answers has a good memory for manage. (Commute It is unlikely that RAUMANN has nover not or seen NACON is Spont returned to the 1900 in these frequently during the remainder of the noting.)

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6. Agent requised Willi' to five a surrary of all his intelligence activity since 1943. We started by fiving briefly his contacts in the Austrian resistance revenuent in 1943 and 1946. To to keed in the group under tajor Farl 74 M and others from the destants 17 of the forman televacht. We has taled approach by the destance. Simples your had contact with FS through write 1950 f

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and varl (10.1, and with the diffish dirowth Johannes ITLIT, and rich (2017)). In January or February 1965, 2002 it book up radio contact with Harshall THENGUIN of the Jussian reneral staff. A font did not take WAMM - alaborate in detail, as it is presented the entire should not take WAMM - alaborate in detail, it worked under in. Usinfiel do TEATE in the "tastspolised. On D July the was a worked, alloyedly as a former Masi, but actually because he exposed the communist inclutration into the molice. He was released on 8 March 1966.

1. PANELY allages to have and no further intelligence contacts until early 1965, then he not write H  $\approx$  at a conformer of Bezirks Obrammer of the Dayp Au yord Berequit. Then asked the also rocked for M  $H_{\rm e}$  he at first denied knowing any others. Then asked the also rocked for M  $H_{\rm e}$  he at first denied knowing any others. Then asked the also rocked for M  $H_{\rm e}$  he at first denied knowing any others. Then asked the also rocked for M  $H_{\rm e}$  he at first denied knowing any others. The asked the also rocked for M  $H_{\rm e}$  he at first denied knowsaid that bits MSS LY, now under Soviet areast, while M B so contact want to the "tastendized, but that WARM  $\oplus$  did not their personally. We then stated that Alfrid MECKONSKY was also in H. His group. MECK WSKY into contact with  $H_{\rm e}$  floodere MADIAN, who in turn was working for the Americans, but then MPAN lost his An writeen contact, so MARMAND brought MECKONSKY into contact with  $H_{\rm e}$  floodere MADIAN, from frag, worked for WETL and MENKONSKY into contact with  $H_{\rm e}$  floodere MADIAN, who in turn one in fragment allow for N  $H_{\rm e}$  and later for Herbert Ke HTL. H D is now in fragmenting for Heeter us Schwam. Contact with  $H_{\rm e}$  Stopped at the end of 1988. Agent asked DANATH if he was cartain these wore the oily people involved, and he replied that there was no one else. "That asked if he hadn't obtained reports for  $H_{\rm eH}$  for the the set of the the site of the MENATH defied this. Then areat expressed scepticism, WENATH claimed that she was unditting all the time and whith he depotter no reports after they were married, i.e. his wife was not a source. (Correct: WENATH claimed that she was unditting all the time and "alter KORA, from when MANATH is hour be have received reports which he passed on to " B. Also, FAUNATH is heat later.)

6. HERAE worked for the Americans in Frankfurt an Eain and also for Dr. Osmald'P T RUEED R. IN 1945 UPAN denounced FAUMAIN, N EB, Dr. Arthur's INHED, Alexander V DOPIV.C and others to P T (LEET L. RAUMAIN allowed that he has never met U TAK personally and that he knows nothing about his activities since 1948. (Comment. This ameans unlikely.)

9. A cont asked that intelligence contacts PANTANI took we after the derise of the N B operation. We stated that since then he has not been active in intelligence work. Agent appressed considerable surprise and disbelief at this assurtion, but "AURAN" stuck to the statement.

10. A cent next asked how any names the Particle quizzed him on during his intermovation.

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PANNER crots down the following names. Franz JU F), Junther 7 A CON, 'r. Julius H N., Tr. Kans CONNET D. Dr. Calter (1972), Phod ALP 7, Harold P: DEVERSE, Wobert V LL 7, Hoinrich VIEF P, (frui Schräch, 'r. (frui Thérass, (frui Schröck, Jonaral mil B.THWET, (frui BENULT, Luts) "DEFAHD, Foreign Sinister Karl SRUP F, State "ceretary Ferdinand FAF, former franceller Leopold /PI'H, Mans Z TRAS Josef H T B, Ansolw MAND, Tustav FEIP, Maria Schröffeller, So Orld. FORTOT, and Frits H TB.

11. A cont picked out the names of the three in-ricans and quaried DAUTANN on that the Porlists already know about thus, that they asked, and what FAUTAN 7 told thus. The information has been supplemented by information received durin; a re-intervogation on the subject at the third meeting and has been written up as information meet 47.

12. It becaus apparent at this time that TAUX?" desired to discuss Josef TTT', then he branded as a revist agent, but agent was now interested in Learning that he did not went to talk about rather than latting him rattle on on topics that some not going to drove anything.

13. In answer to a question as to the heat are arrested, MAUMANN explained that it was connected to the arrest of tasker WELX and Ansala DAY De UTION testified that the Pund Anadomischer Preihaitskaampfer, of which PANHARD was hand, was in contact with the French and American intelligence convices. He does not feel that WELY so testified in a deliberate attempt to incriminate him. WARDED maintains the allocation is false. He did adait having received support for his evenisation from the French Teneral rell to TEDANT, but claims it had nothing to do with intelligence activity. The support was in order to further the purposes of the organization and took the form of free questers, free train widdle, and a bode, Statlar support was provided by the ducational Mixision of SACA. (Formult: At the end of the meeting SAUNHO admitted he was not accepted in connection with the PHENDERPY affair.)

I.. Agant asked about the amost location of the prison, but PAURATY claimed he did not know. We can taken to the prison at night, with shades drawn in the car, and driven around in circles on the cay. We could only say that it car on the side of the top of fadon, near a railread line.

15. And about the current thereabouts of HEYLYSKY, he replied that be is still in jail. Ashed has he knows this, he said he assume it because MERENGRY has guilty of intellighter activity against the foving and the foving do not

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volonse such types. As far as FARTARY resubers, MERKONSKY was arrested in Fay 1952. The last time FARTARY say MERY WAY has in 1948. (Comment: No PERFERENCE WARY contact since 1948 is difficult to believe.)

15. Sked about other persons arouted since 1950 when he believes are still in jail, HAUNAUM gave the names of (fmulter ISC, resided in Fierra 1913 (fmul STEAREL (this is bairand STANEL; RETAIN Claims he has never not on seen Min); (fmulter)[Cliff] (this is probably Hauf 9 JHL); Armin FERRETT E; and Walter[FFIC E. (compont: In neuting /4, BAUNANN gave the names of many others who were in prison with min, but at this first mosting he denied having not any other primming during his arrest.) 1

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17. Asked about his connections to justav WITT and ansalm FAND, and the intelling on contacts of these persons, RATA " mays the fullowing stary. (4 These national leader of the pure Descritischer Preimeitskassefor; 2019 "as head of the Tionna branch of the or minisation; and RAUNANN was Youth Referent for the national or anisation. At the end of 1947 BAULAR accompanied TATE to one moting with a pr. "Farry" at the "CIC office" in Porsellan, asso. TWD was apparently in constant contact with "marry". The meeting lasted five hours and concerned training and planning for using the organization to collect and transmit intelligence reports on the Soviet Aces of Austria. HANFAW allegedly never particinated in the activity because he did not like CIC's security - he was introduced by true name and driven home in an Army jeep after the mosting. The Soviets never learned that "AURAT accorpanied TATD on this visit. TAUD confided to BAUNANT in 1947 that he was also in contact with a Mr. Johnson from FSS and with the French Intelligence Forview. We ballevos MANT was in touch with 1-2 until at least 1952 and that the organization of the Sund Demokratischer Treiholtskampfor was used for transitting reports from the Sovist Some of Austria. the boliowas WAND was completely incapable as an intelligence operator.

18. Again next turned to pressing for information on government personalities to when RAURUS has passed reports or with them he evaluaged reports. BAUMANN steadfastly denied ever having particinated in such activity, and eventually said that the only possible instance of this right be the fact that he centributed information to the Tothasset of book on the Austrian Ausistance Foremant. For this purpose hence with Legitionsrat (Am) S IF-T and with Dr. (Am) MAINER: and Tr. (Am) Ar7 o, the of ALMAK's secretaries. (Somment: This Dr. MINER: ALMAN at the Source of ALMAK's secretaries. (Somment: This Dr. MINER: Secretary after 1962.) These contacts was inregular between 1967 and 1969. MAUNER finally admitted that he right have given them a for bits of political information and that in roturn he received molecular treatment in visa affairs for part of his needed in the operator. (Sourcet: This conflicts ith other intelligence contacts in the government, (Sourcet: This conflicts ith other information available to this office.)

19. A sat next asked with which Astrian nolice officials he has had contact. after some hositation, he listed Insp. Josef, HISCHAR, R. E. Day, Marbart P JS 200429 A, Insp. (Ann) PLATE he and Days (Ann) MANN. So PATTY T appeared to be having difficulty remarkating the nexts, a unt suggested that These. (Ann) "W FT F might be one of his c neares, but 12000" replied that he had never heard of him. PAURAR than continued with the names of These. (Ann) TTATTER, Insp.

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(fun POLSTINE S, and or, could P V CLAND N. BALTANK first referred to the above persons as co-priors who provided police protection for his Pund skaderischer Freiheitskampfer, then stated that his only contact with them was when they were investigating the Freihultskaarpfor and that he tried to get them to lay off, and then finally admitted that he had exchanged reports :ith most of them.

20. As to the source and subject of information which he collected and passed to the police, he said next of it was "coverational information" needed by the Praihaitskampfer for their propaganda and raiding activities against the Noo-Nasi and Commist parties. Nost of it was on the VdU and Mationale Lisa. His stoadiest source was Heirat "obert F. L. L. number of the VdU. He frequently received information on the VdU and the Nationale Liga from Landtagsabgoordnotor Heinrich FIRCH R. He alicited information from Mationalrat (Inu) SLAVIK of the Way.

21. At this point agent communited that RAUNATH's unrillingness to cooperate allowed only one calcuin to be drawn, that he was now working for the Soviets as alloged, FAURA' said he doesn't know whether it wakes any differonce or not, but that he did once work for the Americans, loyally, and that it only ot him into trouble. Although he did get some food, he was never paid for his work, not even enough to cover expenses. (Community Apparently a reference to his contact with \$ 20.) how, to top it off, he was arrested by the Tussians, partially bucause of His former AIS activity. Agent said that What PAURANNI did in the past is no critorion; he now gives all signs of being a rovict a cost and it is up to him to prove otherwise.

22. Agent asked which of BANNANIT'S former contacts had approached him to ask if he had compromised than to the Soviets. He insisted, repeatedly, that no ono had.

23. Agent asked if the names FLON VOLY, UNMAY, and KLEHOVIC had come up during his interrogation. We demied that any of them had been mentioned and stated that he had never heard of KLINNVIC at all. (Communt, Mc admitted at the end of the mosting that ILAN WENT'S testimony had been the prime cause of his arrest.)

24. Agant asked if he knows anyone then he balieves to be an American agent. "MITANN said he did not, but was overtually forced into a position where he had to admit that there were some people when he had grounds to suspect rd, ht be in contact with the Americans, but he still doclined to give names. Sinally, agent phrased the question as follows: If you had to name five persons who work for the Americans, whose would you name? RAUNAN work following:

a. State Police caployce (fmu) POSKA (phonetic) - No visited DAUMANN briefly at his home and asked him questions about his arrest.

b. Josef MUSCRA AR - only because of his position in the police.

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(Commut: This was holding back for no apparent purpose. If he had really wanted to appear to ecceptrate, he could probably have given 10 manes without giving anything away.)

25. Agant asked the had interrogated him on his arrest. We stated that the Prench had called him in for a two heur interview in rid-July 1953. Mostions there mainly on the basis for his arrest, the he saw at the prison, etc. We told there he was arrested in connection with TT H and FAMD and that be say no one at the prison. A Stategolized exployed the gave his name as POWEA (phonotic) visited him at heap in Hovenber 1953 and asked the reason for the arrest and thether or not he had been interrotated by the Americans. This took only about a half an hour. Later, RAUMEN call d the Stategolized and asked if they had really suff the man. They denied having done so. TAUMANE ballowes that POWEA care on American orders.

26. In response to a repeated quary as to which friends or former contacts had can to ask about his arrest, DAUMAN stated that the following persons had asked him about it:

a. Frank MARKO - He used to work with DAUMANN and NUER. He now collects information, but PAUMANN doesn't know for whom. He mistrusts him because he hasn't been arrested. He asked PAUMANN about Soviet interest in him.

b. Sunthur TARGER - Justons official and personal friend of RAUMARNIS who helped his wife while he was in prison. He asked about the arrest.

c. After saying there was no one close he montioned he had seen Karl TO DETING several times since his release and that he had asked if the Quasians had mentioned him. TANNAT said that OR DETOL R was a personal friend of D. Res who had no part in his intelligence activity. (Corner, TRETENL ' was one of D. Res punctrations into the FOOL, and TAUMANN probably knows this.)

27. ithout boing questioned, and for no apparent reason at all, MANANN started talking about "alter MATHES. He said MATHES has arrested by the Soviets in April 1952 and contended to dight years for distributing anti-Soviet leaflets. This was the cause of MEEN'S flight from Vienna. HADEANY said he did not know MATHES, but that the powers had asked him about MATHES and that they had read to PARKANY the testimony given on him by MATHES.

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28. A part asked the identity of (free) SCHETACH, then BARENET had listed as one individual on when he was questioned in detail by the Soriets. He said SCHETACH has a number of the YAU student youp and that the Found Akademischer reiheitskampfer had accused him of libel and instituted logal proceedings spainst him. SCHETACH accused the Freiheitskampfer of having broken into VAU Headquarters and stealing a list of political generates of the YAU. Tide was true, but the reciheitskampfor challenged that statement to defend themselves and to multicise the fact that the YAU was knowing a "black list."

29. Lont, honostly feeling that further discussion was pointless, started to pull together his various parers and told DANAN" that if he doesn't care to concernate, there is not much point in agent's wasting his time with further discussion; I muss you'll just have to remain in our files as a covist agent. DATE ALE shounded his shoulders. Agent asked him for his address and phone mumber so that he could be contacted just in case the bess had any more questions he cants asked. [MUMANN asked what mano the callor would give, so that he will recordise who it is. (It doesn't make any difference if the mane isn't a true one." Agent told him Paxtor, and spalled it out assuring him that he need not four agent would give him his true name. Just as agent started to stand up signifying the end of the mosting, PANRILES acked, "And shouldn't I have some means of contacting you in case something comes up?" Agent asked what he could possibly over have to say that he hadn't had apple opportunity to say during this meeting to which DAUKANN replied that perhaps the Soviets wight be after him again, Agent told him that after today's performance we wouldn't bother to list a finger to help him, no matter who was after him.

30. At this point FAULWER suddonly dropoed the facado and in a rapid exchange he said he could give important information on Soviet agents; that the fact that he was arrested shortly after GINH and TAID was sheer accident and the real reason for his arrest was HLCKOVSKT; that the Soviets had a copy of a report he gave H .P on the personnel of the Soviet Sensorship Office; and that he had also been in contact with other persons, including sichard "DLF. Agont asked hou many Soviet agents he knows and that their manes are. MANALTH said he knows several, and agent replied that he knows the manas of many Soviet a posts, including probably all those whom BAUMANN knows. There followed a rapid, at times heated, seven or sight minute discussion of security, in thich TAURAIR admitted he had been lying but claimed he would only got hirself in trouble if he told any more complained that 'TC is insecure because it has too many fools; that it was plain to see that agent (the said he was from "Hosdquarters" in Salaburg) was a specialist in intalligence matters and not one of the fools, but that nevertheless the organization as a thele tas bad; repeated again that if talked he uns certain he would be arrested again by the Soviets; and that mosting in wall known CIC offices is had scentity and dangerous to him. This was interspersed on agent's side with frequent statements to the effect that as for as agont is concerned, the day's moeting has convinced him that FARPAND is indeed a Soviet agent, and that agent is not going to change the meeting place, not going to take anything but routing scentity precedures, not wing to rate any constituents and not going to change his mind until RAUMAN has proven his "illingnose and ability to answer truthfully and complotely questions witch are asked of him, is an apparent impasse was reached at the end of this openance,

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"RAUGAN" commented, almost completely out of context, "There are a number of different American intelligence services." Then agent three the initiative back to FAUGANE with a noncondital affirmative, there was first a morses of silunce and then "RAUGANE said, somewhat at a loss for words, "I believe the writish and French have several different intelligence services too." Both agent and RAUGANE were standing throughout the above exchange. At this point there was nothing more to be said, so BAUGANE put on his coat and started toward the door.

31. After BANANE started to leave, he stopped, apparently reluctant to to, and asked that he could have to gain if he did converte.

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- A: First, you would no longer be listed in our files as a foviet agent.
- B: That couldn't make loss difference to me.
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- To I don't intend to emigrate or anything.

A: "The not, but the Soviets won't always be here to protect you.

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- B: Because the Soviets till find it out.

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- A: I don't believe that.
- B: I'd have to find a position in one of the Bundeslaender.
- A: e den't run an employment service, and besides, we don't make any countments until you've produced.
- B: I understand that and know your reasons for not doing so, but nevertheless, my appriance is that it doesn't pay to to into those thin's blindly.

A: My experience is that one always takes up a clandestine contact consultate blindly.

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A. It's obvious that we aron't sin' to agree today, but it wight be onth further discussion. Think it over and come here at 1400 tenorrow and tall we the conditions under which you will cooperate.

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32. MARAIN lives with his brother, "olfgang PANMANN, at Vionna VI, Fooni skloster mass 7/13, and intends to remain there. Telephone number is A-34-3-05-U.

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BAUMANN gave information which has been reported separately.

t. the is Dr. Julius HE 17.7 (Commant: Another name first brought up by BAIMANN.)

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other person he saw in the jail was a loviet soldier who shared a cell with him briefly. (Comment: This came right at the end of the meeting and agent did not have time to go into it in Jetail. The above story is what BAUNAM told CIC in their preliminary interrogation. /See V-3h599, 1 December 1953/ He maintained the part about ORINM throughout his first session with agent and claimed until this meeting that except for one Coviet he saw no other prisoners during his incerceration.)

13. In the course of some social chatter just prior to breaking up the meeting, DALMANN commented without any logical buildup to it that another difficulty is the fact that if he pot in trouble the world's would take it out on his relatives. He said he could "bring proof" that they do that type of thing, and that if he ever had to flee Vienna his brother would probably have to go too. (Coursent: This is possibly an initiation of the control the Joylet have over BALMANN.)

14. For the next meeting, agent instructed BAUMARN to bring a Lebenslaur and, "as evidence of how well be can make written reports," to start working on a report giving the names of all persons with whom he has ever had intelligence contact. For each inividual, this report should include full name, who ther reports were received from him, given to him, or exchanged with him, how often, subject of reports, and through whom and when contact was initiated, and when and why contact was stopped. SHUMANN said that be underctood - the same information be had already given agent all over again. Agent replied, yes, but this time it must be complete.

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15. Before leaving, BECHANN suid that he hoped agent would have an answer for him at the next meeting. Spent said, "Answer to what?" BAUMANN replied that he hoped agent would tell him at the next meeting the conditions under which we might sant him to go through with his plan to help us. Agent replied that, first, we woul! never dive him any conditions under which he could work for us. de will let him make all proposals and then simply say yes or no. Secondly, there is no chance that he will hear anything next time; there is still a lot more to discuss. SUMANN answered that he couldn't imagine what more there could be to talk about. Spent told him not to worry as he, erent, would ask the questions.

14. Spont suggested that the next meeting be hold at 1600, 30 December. BATMANE requested that it be held later, as he must unlerge medical treatment and spont some time in bod, although 12 there is no other alternative he could arrange to come. After getting the names of DACMAN's doctors, agent set the meeting for 0900, 31 December. Six doctors are Tr. Hans SCHUTTER, general practicioner; Medizinalization MUNIN L, a specialist with offices at Mariahilferstresses 31, 7r. fmu LEITWIT, dentist; and various Soctors at the Poliklinik, Vienna IX, Mariannegasse.

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to BAUMANN's knowledge. He no- works as an interpreter for American forces in Vienna. BAUMANN denies knowing in what effice HERZ is employed. (Commut: "he to HRiz's American employment, it would be logical for BAUMANN to conceal any derogatory information which might be known to him.) 1

SALMANN claimed not to know PRICHER, but there is a BACK who is an acquaintance of Frans MURIC. He lives on Marishiferstrasse, approximately 145 cm. tall, slim, black heir, small face, about 30 years old. (townent: ihis description dees not fit PRICHIBR & BECK & GONCER & SZANDROI, the sum when event had in mind.)

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BAUKANN said NEUNIEU-EL worked as a propaganda referent for ierdinand GRAr in 1950, that he now works for the Bundeskanalerant press service. He has seen BECK in the company of MENNEWLEL, and it was through MEINTEUFEL that MURIC met BECK.

As did you ever give reports to MEUNTEUFEL?

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- As No reports of any kind?
- B: My contact with him was on behalf of the Bund /kademischer Freiheitskampier, and of course I gave his interation on the activities of this group.
- As But you never passed him reports on the VdU, Demokratische Union, or such things?

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B: well, maybe a few.

(Comment: BALMANN reportedly used to pass reports to NEUNTEIFEL on a regular basis.)

abo is Gr. Hene SCHUSTER? (Comments Name originally mentioned R. by DAUMANN as an individual on whom the poviets had interrogated him.)

He is (or was?) deputy chairman for Vienna of the Bund Akademischer Frieheitskempfer. Nothing known of any intelligence connections.

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He is a former functionary of the Freiheitskampfer. He fled to Xngland after BAUHANN's arrest. He was in the British array Juring the war and maintained contact with officers of FS ever since. BAUHANN presumes he was working for the BIS, but allegedly knows no details of his pontect.

i. . . dere is Josef Stolf URBAN now and what is his current activity?

BAUMANN alleged that he move nothing about URBAN since 1948.

j. the is Cunther TAPACCH? ((comment: Have first mentioned by BANNAN.)

He is secretary of the Vienna organization of the Ureiheitskampfer. BAUMANN alleged that he has no intelligence contacts to his impulsed, but after BAIMA B's arrest he did contact Herbert DRISENHAMMER to ask him to intervene on BAUMANN's behalf.

5. Agent next asked BAUMANN 11 he had anything to add to the report he gave last time on Margarets OUP, or whether he was prepared to give the source at this time. After some sparring about whether he should or should not give the source, BAUMANN said he could not yet give the source because he was not yet clear in exactly what capacity he was sitting here being interropated. If the interrogation was a routine interrogation of him as a person who has been released by the foriets, he does not feel it is necessary for him to dive such information. He has already given sufficient information to cause him considerable difficulty if the poriets find out about it, and he even no point in risking his nock for ther for a strictly routine alfair. If, on the other hand, the relationship with agent is to continue and the something more than routine, then he recognises the necessity for giving such information. Thus, BAUMIN summined, the source cannot be given until I'm cartain of just where I stand with you.

4. Agent replied to MANNEX as follows: The contact started out to be a routine one, but you volunteered the opinion that you could be of further service and, in particular, that you are capable of working on counterintalligence targets against the dowict. Another the contact becomes more than routine depends your willinguness to ecopyrate and to present what we consider a workable plan. You have claimed that you have capabilities in the counter-intalligence field, but you haven't yet proven that. The report on NUP was no proof. In the first place, reports without sources are worthless. And until you give the source, we don't know thether that was a onetime sitair or whether it indicates a steady source. I won't make this anything more than a routino interrogation until you have proven the capabilities you claim to have and have presented a workable plan. BAUNANN countered that the source of the report was obviewed, that it came from another prisoner and that, as agent said, be would not have access to such information on a constant basis. He addited that he had no sources at the present time, but that such accurate waren't measured if you chart ways of getting information.

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In regionse to an inquiry as to what these other methols are, BAURANN stated. "according to the theory of the subject," there is the possibility of his playing along with the loviete, or eltaining another person who would play along. The easiest and best way would be for him to play along himself, and he stated that "under certain circumstances" he would be willing to do so. We inmediately stated (but not with conviction) that he wanted to emphasize the "under certain circumstances." Agent asked what these circurstances are, and BARMANN replied evasively that certain "conditions" world have to be met. Asked what these conditions are, he murmured some vegeries about how, naturally, the possibility for doing so would have to exist and how he would have to know a bit more about whom he was working for. (Comments "AUNAKN appeared poorly prepared in making this suggestion; apparently he had not planned on its coming up at this meting. The decision to make the suggestion, and to introtuce the possibility of his playing along with the poviets as a theoretical and not necessarily a practical possibility hed obviously been planned, but the execution was poor and the details lacking as compared to other stories he has apparently learned wall.)

7. In replying to agent's queries on just how such an operation would -ork, BANNIN was wagee at every turn, but the following story eventually emerged. He stated first that all meetings would have to take place in a Acstern besirk or none, of course, as meeting the Soviet contact in a seviet controlled area would be too dangerous. If he told then he has contact with an interesting American office, they would buy this. As to how he would establish the first contact, BAUHAMM said he would go to any Hoviet installation, tall them that he is a Sovict agent with such and such a cover name, that he jestres contact, and either give some sort of a plan using signals on a wall by which the coviets could contact him or else state that he would return in ten days for a message. The fact that this first meeting would have to be in soviet controlled territory bothered agent but apparently did not oncern StimANN. is to hos he would sin the Soviet's confidence, BAUMANN said this would be difficult now that six months had gone by cince his release, but that this difficulty could be overcome because he, BAUMANN, understands the bussian psychology. In any case, he could establish contact, and that in itself is interesting. He call he could not understand may we waited so long to call his is and wondered what sort of accident could have caused us to cell him in at this late date. The longer it waits the harder it will be. Naturally, agent would have to give him assignments and information which he could tell the Soviets about. BILY/MN said that due to his poor health he could not start immediately but that he would be tack in shape within a month.

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> 8. Agent then asked for the source of the report on Margarete DUP, and EAUMANN recited the story on Kurt UDDIMMER written up in Information "sport 412. According to BAUMANN, SUPPINGER had not given him the full name and address of OUF. SUPPINGER had only known her as "Gretl" and that she worked in the Fetameil store on Julengasce. Sgent asked hos BAUMANN had loarned her last name, and he replied that he had talephoned the store and asked for Gretl, and that she had ensuered the game in the usual Austrian fashion, "hier UF." Asked-hos he learned her address, he stated that he had simply looked

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it up in the phone book. (gent, having checked the phone book himself in vain, replied that her name is not in the phone book. BAUHANN replied that it is. Agent asked about the spelling of the name, and this time BAUMANN gave the spelling as DUB. (Comment: It is difficult to distinguish between the Ogrman sounds "p" and "b", but agent is fairly certain he had BAUMANN spell the name using the phonetic alphabet; i.e., "p" as in Pater, so that the mistake was not agent's. On the other hand, CIC traces do spell the name DUB. In any case, the name Margarete DUB is not in the phone book either, so DAUMANN das obviously lying on his source of the name.)

9. After completing the story in Information Report #12 attributed to SUFFINGER, BALMANN next gave the information on SCHIESSER, BURKER, KOMINES, FUCHJ, and GOSPNER contained in Information Teport Jul and attributed this also to JUFFINGER. Later, after revealing the information on Frans POETSCH contained in Information Report #13, BUMANN confided to agent that he had told him something that see not true and that this information really came from POETSCH and not SUFFINDER.

10. Areat next asked BUNANN for the source of the report on Josef MASCHER, Information Report 2, but BATMANN said he would not give it at this time. Spent consented that BANMANN must have a good bit of time at his disposal but that he, agent, had very little time. BAUMANN replied that this was tee bad, but that he had once before spoken of the "Noor." Continuing the reference to this quote from the last meeting, arent said that if he, BAUMANN, doesn't do his full surp first, he can expect nothing also but to have to yo like the MASCHER told the story to calter TIPST when STIPSE was in MASCHER's cell acting as a prison spitzel for the lowiets, and STIPSE then teld another person who finally told BAUMANN. He at first refused to say who the other person was, but he finally bybe down and said, "All right, I guese 1'll have to tall you that today, too." BAUMANN then gave the information on Frams POETEN contained in Information Report 413.

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> 11. In mentioning STIFEF, BAUMANN solid he had been used as a spitsel in the prison by the coviets and that STIFEK had claimed to MINESERFGER, HAUNER and SUFFINGER that he had been checked by a Tussian general on his imcoledge of Arabic, and that he appeted to be sent to the Near Kast as a coviet agent. In connection with this, BAUMANN commented that the soviets always try to find out various skills that one might have. He sold they interrogated him on his imcoledge of the iron tusiness because in 1952 he was employed by an iron dealer, but that their conclusion was that his only capability is in the intelligence field.

12. Apparently feeling it was necessary to give some accuse why he lied so blandly as rolated in Paragraph ? above, PAUMANN explained that prior to his release the societs told him that if he were interrogated by any intelligence service he shoul! tell them nothing, if at all possible, but that if he must say something in order to make a good impression, he should say that the interrogation was on his connections with Oustaw GPIMM and that the only

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1. PAT agent met Norbert BANNAT for the fifth time from 092 to 1105, 31 noember 1954, in form 33 of CIA's Blasstrasse office. No surveillance could be sented to or from the meeting.

2. At this mention BARGEN gave information which has been incorporated into the following expansion reports:

a. Information Somert '15, Soviet Zentral Solub Gefaengnis, Dadon.

b. Miscallaneous information incorporated into other remorts.

3. INTRATT first applogised for having been unable to trite his Lebenslauf or the report on his contacts as had been requested. He explained that medical treatments for the abcess in his upper fav been had left him too dased to write sensibly. J cent them asked RAUMAT's what he had to say today, to which he realised by twing the names of two prisoners he had been unable to remember at the last meeting. They were atto (?) NAUTER and (inu) BITTNER, both of whom had been in cells together with Kurt SUPPINGE. Information on these persons is included in Information Report The

b. Synt asked BAUKADE if he had recalled that he does know [duard FULP]REIN. FALLANTH replied that he remembers not that PUNPERHIN is a member of the GeVP and formerly a prominent member of the Fund Akademischer Freiheitskampfer in Graz. He claimed that he has never met PUNPERHIX personally. Agant disked if he has reambered mything about Kark REAUTEREDER or Ing. (FUICHLER & BOCK, to which FAUKAP" replied again that these names near nothing to him. Agent explained that the REAK when FAUKAP" described at the last meeting is not the one in when we are interested.

5. A cent then asked RAUNATI for additional information on Frans PO ASCH, reported on in Information 'eport '13, to which RAUNANN' replied that he had already told everything he knows. A gent, on the basis of CHC traces, told RAUNANN that the information on POINSCH was false to the extent of boing ridioulous, and told him that he should not give the true story on POINSCH. BAUNANN said that the one be gave is the only story he knows, but added that he could not wouch for the accuracy of the information. He got it from POINSCH binself, but it is vory possible that POINSCH may him a long line. At first, POINSCH would not even reveal his mans; GAUNATI Learned the mass only when a Soviet officer came to check the cell and POINSCH has to give his name to the Soviet. POINSCH balieved that RAUNANN was a spitsal, because their part of the prison is reserved only for persons who have not yet been sentenced (Untersuchungshaft), and according to Soviet regulations a prisoner cannot be held for ever three months without sentencing. If anyone is there more than three months after his arrest, it generally means he has already been sentenced and sent back to spitsel on the prisoners still being investigated. Both BAUNATE and POINSCH were exceptions, both having been there for over three months, so each believed the other was a spitzel.





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Agent referred to the provious meeting and asked BAUNAYAY for an oxplanation of how he had really learned the address of Margarete DUE, commonting that he must have checked the phone book himself and found that it was not there as he claimed. BAURMANE said he had, indeed, checked the phone book as soon as he got home and had then commbered that he had gotton the address by looking up under the name of PETERHAL, the owner of the store where DUB works and with whom she lives. He reminded agent that he had told him last meeting that SUPPING: had said DUB lives with the owner of the store. He loarned the address and phone number by looking under PETERMEL, the name of the store. He had forgotton that this was the procedure he used bocause he had checked it immediately after his release, about six months ago. Agont reminded him that in giving the original roport, he had not known that the owner of the store is named PETER IL; he know the store bore this name, but that it is also the orner's name was not rontioned. EAUNANY said he had forgotten this item (in spite of the fact that he alleged the owner is aware of DUB's intelligence activity and that the purpose of the firm is sololy for cover) because he had not written it down when he made his notes on the matter six months ago. (Comments The story appears shaky and BAUMAIN showed no surprise when agent did not believe it.) Agent, shaking his head, consented that RAUMA'N is too shart to make such a mistake hirself, and that it could have been caused only by his "chief" having propared his badly. RAUMAIN appeared to copect the implied accusation, and made no attempt to feign injured innocence. He said the mistake did not stem from any "chief", but that he had made it himself by forgetting his source of the. address, and that agent was wrong in interpreting it the way he did. Agent asked why, since he know the question was bound to come up during the mosting, he had not told acout about his mistake at the very start of the meeting, whom agent asked him if he had anything to say. BAUMANN said he had simply not thought of it at that time; he was concerned with giving agent the manes of the two prisoners he had been unable to remember at last meeting.

7. RAUMANN most gave agent the information on the prison where he use hald, which has been written up in Information Report #15.

8. RANNARM was told by SUPPINGER and PHINSCH, the latter of whom heard it from walter STIPK, that sustay FIFF had died in Jail, prior to his trial.

9. After the debriefing on the prison and prison routine, RAUMATH volunteered that Anselm TRANT claims to know the exact location of the prison. He visited STATE once since his release, several months ago. It was at this time that GRAND made this claim; PATEANE said he had not wanted to question GRAND about the location, because it night have appeared suspicious. TAND stated at that time that he had not been interrepated about his arrest.

10. A cast told "AURAN" to bring his Lobonslauf and report on his intelligence contacts to the next meeting. Agent also corronted that he would like to have BAURANN photographed at the next meeting. FAURANN gave a half-hearted affirmstive nod but made no corumnt. (Cormont: Agent will arrange to have CIC photograph FAURANN at the start of the next meeting.)

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11. Agent said he wanted to must again at 1400, 6 January. RAUNANI said he could not come to another mosting until 7 January, as he had to undergo modical treatment during the mornings of 4, 5 and 6 January and would then have to remain in bed the remainder of the day. The next mosting was then scheduled for 7 January, 1400. (Convent: Agent has since learned that 6 January is an Austrian holiday, and it is thus progumed that doctors will not have office hours on that day. This casts some doubt on RUNANN's story about "medical treatments".)

12. A went gave FAURAN AS 200 to cover "expenses." A true name receipt was obtained. FAURANE appeared pleased to receive the monay, pittance that it was.

13. Great Convents - Prison layout and routine is information to which MATMANN obviously has had access and he appeared to discuss this topic with more willingness and apparent honesty than any other topic to date. He did not argument to have reheared the information he save; he answered all questions with direct answers instead of avoiding discussion; he did not appear to make up details which he did not know. His account of he, he learned the address of Yargerdo DUM is still inconsistent and probably false, and thus casts doubt upon his account of the report standing from SUPPINGER. He is still unwilling to give a complete account of his intalligence contacts between 1949 and the time of his arrest; in numerous cases his story conflicts with information on file. He is reluctant to discuss the content of his interrogation by the Soviets. Jt is still believed that he is acting hostile to the interrogation by the Soviets. It is still believed the he is acting hostile to the intercosts of American intelligence, and probably under Soviet control.



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Subject: Operational Report #6, 7 January 1954

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1. PGB agent mot MUNUANT in the CIC Blansstrasse office, Room #33, from 1415 to 1655, 7 January 1954.

During the course of this meeting CAUMANN gave information contained 2. in the following separate reports:

a. Information Report /16, Arrest of Herbert BAUMANN.

b., Information Report 917, Alleged : easons for Arrost of Herbert EAUNATIN.

3. HAURANN was photographed and fingerprinted at the start of the meeting. This was done in a manner designed to strengthen any belief RAUGHE might have that he actually has been in contact with CIC and not with PCB. This may have had some offect, as later in the mosting BAURANN once referred to a rentis organication as the "Abuchrdienst", whereas at provious meetings he had referred to it soveral times as the "/sch-ichtendienst."

FADRING turned in the Lobenslauf and report on his contacts as requested two mostings previously. The Lebenshauf was short -- one page with large handwriting -- and general, anitting exact dates, and saying mothing which he had not already "operted. It was an exceedingly poor job. The report on his intelligence contacts was not as instructed. It was simply a list of 15 names divided into three categories; follow members of the Akademischer Freiheitsknowpfar, persons not in connection with political organisations, and intelligence contacts. He wave nothing regarding the nature and frequency of his contact, when it started, whether he still maintains the contact, etc. Host Contact, then it started, thethar he still maintains the contact, etc. Note of the names have already been mentioned in/these reports. These manes which have not already been reported as being contacts of RAUMARMS are the following, Dr. -rich TURAK, Prof. Josef FISCHN, mil PAUERACZ, Dr. Son OFIZEROSR, Peter SPHEALJEVIC, Kelle HIJDL, Desent (fmu) ROTHEAUSR, Prof. Notice PAUENTIC, Dr. rich KOLECHN, Rationalrat a. D. Oscar HUNDR, Dr. Theo/PACHAS', Chrolian Landtage: resident (fmu) Follero, ditor Ing. Bustav FOLRER, and Dr. Hilbelm ST.D.R of the KPOe's KZ-Verband.

5. A cont reviewed with HAUKAIN the mechanics of his arrest and the reasons for his arrest and for his release. BAUKAUN remained uncelling to give a detailed, concistent and logical story. He was still most reluctant to discuss the content of his interrogation.

6. Agant next turned to HAUNAUN's plan for establishing contact with the "IS "on our behalf". Agant asked SAUNAUNI again to explain in detail just how his plan would be carried through. At this meeting he was far less anciens to carry out the plan than he had been baforo. 'hen agent pressed for details, he roulied that he would be workin; under agent's control and that agent would the for EANA-SS91

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have to mail such decisions. He took the attitude that he didn't care too much about thether or not agent used him on this mission; if agent made a good enough proposition, BANKH would first it his duty to do whatever he could to hilp the "astern powers. He claimed he had previously referred to volunteering to the Sorie's here in Vienna may as a theoretical possibility, and that actually he is use therein the remaining here the sould still be willing to do it in "estern huntria or anythere in "estern prope. He admitted that this would then force him to heave glowns, and that he would have to have a good cover story as to why he could not return and most his Soviet contact in a Soviet controlled area. How much many he would require as calary and for subsistence living away from vischa, he would not may. He moke in terms of the BANMANH-Soviet contact being conducted entirely through dead droos, as he now admitted that the Soviets would probably refuse to most him personally in a non-Soviet-controlled area.

7. Agent concluded the secting by talling <u>IAUNAN</u> that he needed time to consider the plan and that he would probably telephone <u>NAUNAN</u> on 15 January to arrange for another meeting.

8. . ent forment - "ANDER'S of an end approach, i.e. his partial backing down on his proposal that he volunteer to the TIS, underwined agent's position an' decord to failure attracts to press FAURNE for details. The quasilon arises as to wether the change was a testical one designed to take the initiative any from agent, or whother FAURNER so longer interested in volunteering to the corinks. Each of the alternatives appears equally plausible:

a. Tactical Maneuver - For the three provious meetings DAUNAIN had made hirself doubly suspicious by pushing too hard on the theme that he wants to be recruited by the AIS. It was his only apparent motivation for coming to meetings with agent, and it gave agent a good pressure point to use throughout the interrogation. It is possible that BAUNAIN and/or the Soviets realized this and distated a change in tack in order to regain a bottor break entant if he decen't follow through as instructed, should threat to break entant if he decen't follow through as instructed, should

b. Actual Lack of Interest - It is equally plausible, however, that FARMANY's current lack of interest is remaine, in which case our only hold on NAMENE' has been lost and the contact will probably fizzle out. The UIS ( $\infty$  PARENE working alone or under some other sponsorship) may have already accomplished their purpose in the contact, or also decided that they have failed to accomplish it and that there is no hope of their doing so, and thus instructed RANKANY to taper off the contact. In this case, any further attempts at providing BANMANY probably will not succeed. Another bare possibility for explaining the lack of interest in volunteering to the Sories sight be that TAURANY mover intended for the agent to take his proposal surjects by ayont, and that FAUNANY actually desires to work for the AIS on some other mission which he has hesitated to mention so far.

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Subject: Operational Report #7, 25 January 1954	DOC MICRO BER

1. BANNANH was allevedly ill and confined to his bed from 11 January through approximately 23 January. PCB agent arranged another meeting with BANNANH for 1530, 25 January. The meeting lasted 30 minutes.

2. It had been planted to turn the BAUMANN contact over to CIC. In discussion with Leste Ekstron of CIC, it had been decided to do this in the following manner. Agent was to meet BAUMANN in the late afternoom and instruct his to prepare a detailed plan of where and how he would volunteer to the Soviets, as he had suggested. This written plan mus them to be turned in to arent at 0630 the following morning, at which time agent would give BAUMANN a contact plan with recognition signals according to which he would meet a CIC agent that same afterneon. EANMANN was to be surveilled by CIC between the afternoon and morning meetings with agent, in the hope that he would contact a Soviet control officer for instructions in writing up the plan, and a countercurveillance was to be set up at the meeting between BAUMANN and the CIC agent. In giving BAUMANN his instructions, PCB agent was to play up the fact that a change is control of the operation was being made, and try to convince BAUMANN that this change was from GIC to PCB, rather than vice verse.

3. Agent opened the meeting with BAUKANN by informing him that arent had made his report to his Headquarters and had received the following instructions. Agende work with BATHARN can now be considered as finished, but there is another group which has expressed interest in Bt "MANN's case so it is very possible that BAIHANN will be meeting another man. Introduction to this other man will take place in the following manner. BAUMANN writes up a detailed report on his plan to establish contact with the Soviets (anything less than four papers is not detailed enough) and brings this in a sealed survelope to areat in the CIC Blassstranse offices at 0630 the following morning. The report is to be in a sealed envelope because it is destined for another group and arent is not to be concerned with its contents. When BAHNARN turns in the report, agent will give BATHARN a plan for a clandestine contact, with recognition signals et al., according to which BAUMANT will neet his new contact. After tis time, no more meetings will be held in well-known GIO offices. Arent will then pass BAUMANN's report through official channels to the other interested group. If they find it estisfactory, he will be not according to the contact plan by a representative of the other group. If his proposals are not estisfactory, he will not be met, and he is to consider that his American contact is completely and unalterably broken. Agent added that, though BAN-MANY's proposals were no longer may consern of his, agent was fairly certain that the plan had far greater chance of being accepted if it called for establishing contact with the Soviets in vienna.

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h. BAIMANN first countered by stating that he would be unable to come to a meeting at 0830 the following day, but he was eventually forced to concerts that he could re-arrange his plans to make room for the 0030 meeting if he so desired. BATHANN then said he did not like making a written report on his proposal to someone whom he did not knows he has to know whom he is dealing with. He said he had already discussed the proposal with agent and that he would be willing to review that discussion. In reply to a direct quastion from a-out, he stated be would not be willing to make contact with the Soviets in Viene. Agent replied that it was pointless for him to discuss the plan further with spent, as agent was no longer in position to make any decisions; egent has instructions to get from BAUNANN a written report on the plan and to pass this on to the other group. BANMARN then presed arent to give him the contact plan incediately, stating that he would not be averee to meeting the other man, and then, if he finds he is the type he can work with, to perhaps discuss the plan with him personally. Agent replied that the other organization would not permit this because they did not want to expose one of their sen to BARMANN without some better assurance that BAUMANN was willing and capable of being of service. Agent reminded BAUMANN that all proposals suggested by agent were based on instructions which agent had received and which he was powerless to change; cooperation has to be on these terms or not at all. Agent then asked BARMARM if agent should come to the meeting place at 0630 the following day, or whether doing so would be a waste of agent's time. BATHANH replied that agent should not bother to come, as 2AHANH could not see fit to cooperate under such circumstances. Just prior to BAIHANN's departure,

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5. Comments - The results of this meeting indicate that the hypothesis put forth in paragraph 8 b of Operational Emport #6 is probably correct. If BAUMANY is under RIS control, and it is believed that he is, the Soviets have either already secondished the parpose of their provocation or else have failed to secondish it and decided that there is no hope of their doing so. It was separent that RAUMANY was no longer interested in continuing the contact.

agent reminded him that this was the last and only proposal which could be made, and that his failure to accept this proposal would mean a permanent break in the contact. This thought did not appear to disturb BANMANN in the slightest.

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1. Horbert BAUMANN was born in Vienna, 9 October 1928, the son of Adelf and Anna RAUMANN. His parents died in 1931 and 1940, respectively. He has one unmarried brother, 'olfgang, bern 9 July 1926 in Vienna, and no sisters. He lives together with his udfo and his brother at Vienna IV, Koenigsklosterganse 7/13, telephone member A 34-3-06 U. He married Folicitas nee OrLDSCHTDT in October 1948, diversed har on 1 July 1952, and then married Hildegard nee LANER in July 1953. BAUMAN' has no children.

2. Ho attended Volkschule in Gross Assoradorf, Viena IXII, Hauptechule at Vienn VI, Hirschengasse 18, and received his Natura from the Albertgasse Gymnasium, Vienna VIII.

3. BAUMANNY was employed from April to July 1945 by the Staatspolinei, Abteilung II. From January to July 1952 he was employed by the firm ALADL Gabh, dealers in iron. (Communt: Such a firm is not listed in the Vienna Talephone Book or the Fandels Compase.) He has never had any other official employant. He states that he receives a pension of AS 600 per month as a partially disabled voteran of the wartime resistance novement. He alleges to have a small inheritance from his parents. BAUMANN alleges he is now engaged part time acting as an intermediary in sales of iron and steal. He is now negotiating with the VOSST works in Lins for the procurement of iron.

4. Although actually only 25 years old, BAUKAD: appears to be about 28. No is 6 foot tall, approximately 185 pounds, medium build with alightly rounded shoulders, brown wirey hair combed straight back, intense and alert brown eyes, wears rimices glasses for reading, scall mouth, oval and serious looking face, unusually long and thin fin; ers, medium-well dressed according to Austrian standards, speaks a good Gorman and has a school knowledge of :nglish. CIC photographs of RAUMA'' are attached to this report,

5. During the interrogation RAUNAN gave the impression of being a quiet, serious, semewhat introverted although novertheless salf-confident type. Probably more indicative of his true character, however, is the fact that he was active in the Austrian registance movement in 1943, at the age 15, and by his 17th birthday he had been in Jostape jails soveral times and was again in jail for resisting the Communist domination of the past-war Staatspolised under Heinrich DULRMATE. Since that time he has been engaged uninterruptedly an an intelligence poldlar and/or political activist. He was married immediately after his 20th birthday, diverced, and then remarried. He was held and interrogated by the Sovieto for 16 months in 1953. In spite of this, he gives no indication of desiring to change his node of life.

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6. He claims that he had several tooth knocked out and his upper left jaw bone shattered by the bastape durin; the war. This injury has caused him trouble over since and is currently abcessed. He was confined to his home, and part of the time to his bod, during the latter half of 1952. It was operated on in January 1953, shortly before his arrest. The injury bearne worse during his confinement by the Soriets and he has not been well since his release. It may require another operation this Spring.

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Subject- Aleged Theft of Suitease Containing Classified Documents

1. In the finter of 1951-52 a brown leather suitease was stalen from an "writean officer by a foreign sailer in vienna. Inside the suitease ware a blue suit and a locked leather briefcase containing reports from TC to the FUI labeled "Nost Resort". These decuments are now in the pessession of a journalist need "alter, last mane unknown, the resides above the American Tufor action Conter in the building at vienna 1, contar of Reeminerstrasse and " ultermonikerstrasse. The Soriets are new trying to obtain these documents.

C. SAUGO - RANKER at first refused to give a source for tide report, station only that he had heard the story in prison. The mostings later he said he was told the story by "art CUTINGT, the mas one of RAUMANN's callmates during his imprisonment. SUPPIN'S was allogedly in the Landesgoricht during the inter of 1951-52. We not there a sailor the set has a recent with which to claim a suitease he had checked. The sailor told SUPPING R to go the suitcase, sail the contents, and use the money to send a feed poskars to the sailor in the jail. SUPPINTR sold the contents to alter (LTU).



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5. (fmt "FAIS.F. Ho details income, (Cournent: FAUST" said that FUTE 1 is an Austrian, but it is novertheless believed that FAIS 1 is actually ARHITIN'S PIS contact.)

c. Paul/FILMR. (Communt: Fids is probably Armand PollMR.) FILMR. torks for the Preach political intelligence service and is also in contact with the ALP RT, theodor SAULL, Herbort KOULT, Poter TIME, and Flared PLEXENSE.

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1. All of "AUGAIRIES information on ALSTER is dated prior to the Spring of 1952. CLP AT is a Creation by birth and the Store in Blowakia during the war as seen of the Creation anbassador to Clovalia. To use a minor officer of the 50 during this time. The wife in a Torakian who can to Vienna from Bratislaws locally in 1949. ALVER himself cargo to Thema in the Spring of 1946 and started which in intelligence with Alfred TECHTER'S ion he has during his SD service during the wars and Theoder TRATL, enother Treatian. These three worked togetter until MCCONNECTS arrest.

2. In 1947-4d ALD TH worked as a tradium speaker for not class sot. He has been reduced by CIC on normally grounds due to his former 50 sotivity, but as obtained the position anyway due to his friendship with one (fou) T .NPT (pipertice.

). ALS AT was in contact with This NOT disputh BAUAR: in 1947 and 1948. In 1947 BAUART introduced LIVET to The dischard "AF of the Deschartische Inion and shortly thereafter boome secretary to "CLF. He was expelled from the deschartische Union in 1949 for stealing a note book on bohalf of BAUMANN. ALT T use officially envolted from the Bund Akademischer Fraheitskemmfer when his SU past care to 14-ht in 1948, but CAUMANT and ALT IT continued a casual contact after that time.

L. In approximately 1950 AL<sup>n</sup> TT partock in the founding of Interreport Ost, a nake agency used as cover for intelligence collection. Other persons, involved where provide the transformed of the fact as well as in mane; Paul FRIMER (Correct, Probably Arman P.113.R), publisher; Peter Mall, alter STIP K and Ladislaus V.NKT. This "youp had contacts in the police and Ministry of Interior as follows:

a. In the Vienna Police Mirection, Abtailung I, with Dr. Samald P 7 2007 R and several criminal molicement of Josef (2) SCHLA - 2508 group.

b. In the idensity of Interior, Stailung II, with Dr. Savidilian Philing Mr. (Inu) MALENPATH (Comment: <u>Descibly</u> Dr. Hand R JOHNATH), Tr. (Inu) ALENARK (Comment: Possibly Dr. Labrig KLENARH), and a secretary who has the ristress of falter STIP X.

5. Source - Theo ALB ST and Dr. Herbert EDINIS.





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2. In 1946 or 1945  $\odot$  ST mas imployed by the linear Fluischbanke king, a community which delivered most to the Fordet occupation forces. The Soviet had accumulated a large debt to the firm, so the company sent  $\odot$  ST to the Soviet Forwardstum to intervene on their behalf because "ST allogally had a brother who had ad one would be the SST and was then an NVD officer at the forwardstura. The society received an AS 30,000 commission from the firm. After this first success, he did the same thing for other firms.

WART founded the partoi der litte in 1951. The party was finarced by Fartin INTERNER to but later 15T and FITT REACHER because encodes because of both financial and intelligence matters and densured each other at CIC. 12ST also realved money from the SPCs to make prepagants for the Breitner Condition against the new P in the 1951 election.

he specified political intelligence, but it is possible that his political retivities are only a cover for the collection of military intelligence as well. The intelligence contacts include Josef .50%, Frank BERCHEA, Herbert CHLETIAN, and here (frus) The LALE. We LAY Here contact with Frite Physical and (frus) TH MERCHAR For referrat of the Prio contral conditions





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#### REPORT OF DITERROGATION OF HERBILT BACKAIN

#### Information Report #7



Subject: Soviet Interest in American Citizens

1. Soviet authorities quastioned Herbert BAUMANN on the following Americans:

e. Farald FRURICKSON - The Soviets already know from interregation of Otto SCHAR and Make ROISSL that FLURICKSON worked in the Political Soction of CIC Vienne under Faul 342FFK 2 until 1948 (or 19497), when ho returned to the United States. He returned to vienna for a short visit in 1950, and is now working as a doctor in Puerto Rice. BAURANN learned this because extracts of the SCHAB and EDISSL testinony on FRURICKSON were attached to BAUNALE's file as confirmation of his tostimony. BAUNALNY saw his file because he had to sign each page of it. The Soviets asked RAUPENT about the nature and origin of his contact with FRAPRICKNOW and for a parsonal description of him. BATSARI allegedly ruplied, allegedly truthfully, that he not FUTFICESON at a summer camp in Alpach, Tyrol, in 19h7, and that he saw him only several times later, all socially.

b. Dr. (fm) MILLING - FAUNALY was shown a deposition given by Alfred NOVSKY to the affect that PAUNALY had contact with one Dr. (fm) TILLING, HELEOVSKY to the offect that BAUGATH had contact with one Dr. (fm) TILL head of an Asarican military intolligence service. BAUGANNI said the only 'TLLIANS he ever knew was head of the USACA Education Division, who had offices formerly in the Landesgerichtstrasse and later in the Allians building. BAUNANN allegedly said that he had gone to 'ILLIANS soverel times in 1947 for Aportoan aid for his Bund Abademischer Preiheitskasspier. 'TLLIARS couplied and did instruct one of his deputies, (fon) (ROSSNAN, to wive support to PAULAINI's group. This aid took the form of books, som food, and moral support when a few American officers visited the group's summer camp in Tyrol. FAURAIN alleges that in the end the Soviets admitted that "ILLIAR was a cultural officer only, that MICROVSKY's testimony was false, and that RATIONS was speaking the trath.

Capt. (fmu) 'TOSSEAU - The Soviate asked RAUNAIN who Capt. (fmu) C. ODSSMAN 18. BAURANN allogodly :splid that GEDSSMAN Was VILLIANS ! deputy in the USACA .ducation Division, with whom he had had contact in 1947-68 to not aid for the Hund Akadamischer Freiheitskampfer. The Soviets said that he lied and then they pulled forth a file on Capt. OROSCHAN, employed in the Special Branch of CIC, who speaks fluent Gorman and Russian and "has a habit of laying his pistol on the table during interrogations." BAUMARN stated that thire must have been the persons with the mane GROSTIAN, because his former contact worked in the ducation Division and could not speak Gorman.





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d. Albert LNEWT - THE TOULOUS ASKED LATMANN, who is (fmu) LOF Y. BAUMANN replied that he is former Austrian employee of the Education Division. The Soviets said he was lying again and showed him an extract from the interrogation of Armin "ENTMISTER. NUMERISTER had testified that he learned from Josef (HARTL, his source in Dr. Ownald PETERLUNGER's office, that on 22 February 1953 one (fma) LOF Y and a CIC employee spoke to Dr. PITERLUNGER on behalf of RAUMANN'S HARTL heard BAUMANN'S name being soutioned as LOF Y and the CIC employee Loft PITE LUNGER'S office. BAUMANN said he did not know who this LOF Y right be. (Coursent: This probably refers to Albert LOF Y.)

o. Prits TTINGE - the Soviets questioned DAURINE on (fm) ETTINGE, but BAUMANE denied knowing mything about him. They know he worked in the Political Section of CIC Vienna and that he was later transferred to lins. They knew his personal description and his license number. (Communi-This report probably refers to Fritz STINGER.)

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EAUA - 5891 REPORT OF INTERCOLATION OF HERDERT BAUMANN Information Report #8 MICROFILMED JULS -363 DOG. MICRO. SER Subject: Franz MURKO, Allegod Saviet Agant

1. Frans XUNKO is approximately 28 or 29 years old and resides at Vienna IV, Schikanedorgasse 13/12. He has been in the intelligence collecting business since 1946, and during that time has been in contact with HAUNAUN, Frits NUCH, Hans 20HAR, and Herbert D.ISINIAHER, among others. He was allegedly once in contact with an American using the name "BURLIN". He still mintains intelligence contact with Rans 20HAR and social contact with DAUNAUN. He was arrested and interrogeted by the FS: in the Summer of 1947. HAUNAUN alleges that he is a bit crasy.

2. BAUKANN, Fulicitas HAUKANN mee COLDSCHNUDT, Alfred MLCKOVSKT, and possibly Armin RETINEISTER have all given the Soviets deregatory information on NURKO. Br. Herbert KOEHIG was also source of MURKO's intelligence activities. HURKO maintains open contact with Vladimir FENJANIN, Soviet fase reporter. HURKO alleges he is often invited to the IV Besirk Resembature, but he does not state the reasons for these visits. Shortly before HAUKANN left on the trip during which he was arrested at the Sams Demarcation Line, HURKO telephoned HAUKANN. He told HUMANN he was being visited by two persons wanting information on HAUMANN, and asked him if he was planning a trip. HAUMANN replied that he did not intend to leave. Now, MURKO claims that he did not telephone HAUMANN. For the above reasons, BAUMANN believes MURKO is a Soviet agent.

J. In Howarder 1953, MURRO offered to exchange intelligence reports with BAUMANN. BAURAYN refused.

4. Source - Personal knowledge of MIRKO and statements made by him.



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FAVA-5591 60 1969 REPORT OF INTERPOGATION OF HERBERT BAUHARN . **1** DOG. MICHO. BER Information Report #9 11 Feb 54

Subject: Nargarate DUB, Alleged Soviet Agent

1. Margarate DUB, residing Vienna VI, Sumpendorferstrasse 67, talaphono mumber P Zh-H-09, is a Soviet agent controlled by a Soviet First Lieutenant of the HE, name unknown, with offices in the Bellaria. She is approximately **Sf years old, black heir, and a Jevess.** She was an officer with a Caech partisan group during the war. (Comment: Hame was originally reported as DUP, later changed to DUB.)

2. DUE works in the Peterneil second-hand goods (Alterron) store at Vienna I, Judengasse 11. DUB is probably assisted in her intelligence work by missbeth PLTERNEIL, owner of the store and residing at the same address as DUB. The store is only for cover. DUB has a number of sub-agents, name and personal descriptions allogedly minor. Her cover ness vis a vis her sub-agents is "Gretl". Her operational technique is to spot mong unemployeed and down-andout elements, hire prospective candidates as helpers in the store, and use this paried to assess them further.

3. DUB sories on counter-intelligence targets. Her tasks are to provide ussian-greaking Austrians to pose as Soviot defectors on provocation missions, and to recruit and send penetration agents to American intelligence offices, where they volunteer information and try to get recruited.

One case in which DUB was involved was the attempted kidnepping of A off data in the sel of 1952. DUB, the other had a stablished contact with REMINITY , promised to doliver to REMINISTR two Soviet defectors. REMI-MEISTR was to wait in a cafe, may unknown, in viewa VI in the vicinity of the Flottenkino. DUR brought Kurt SUPPINIER to the cafe dressed in civilian alothes, claiming he was a Soviet defector. REMERISTR cannot speak Russian, so he could not give the "defector" oven a preliminary check. DUB told SSIT-MISTER that the second defector had not been able to get any when he expected, but that he would be waiting seen on a certain corner in Vienna IV in civilian clothes, and suggested that they go and pick his up. As he could not speak Jernen, he was afreid to try to make his way to the cafe. REWERDESTER refused. DUB was prepared for this evontuality and then tried to dope REARIESTER'S drinks, but he refused to drink, so the kidnep atternt was unsuccessful. The Soviets succooded in kidnopping 22775.ISTER soveral nonths later, apparently independent of DUB.

5. DEB is very careful. Ecfore making any motings she losves behind notes as to who she is going to see. Those notes are left in two places, one in the as to use volketime offices, vienna I, Floischmarkt, and the other with a lawyor, mane

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6. Source: Kurt SUPPING R and personal investigation by RAUMAN. For additional information pertinent to ovaluating this report, refer to Operational sports 3, 4 and 5 and Information sport \$12 on Kurt SUPPINGER.

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1. HINSSENDER is a former Abwehr officer, arrested and sentensed to doath by the Americans as a war original, then released, and then re-arrested and sentenced by Austrian authorities. Date unknown, but sometime between 1940 and 1951, while serving his sontence in Stein Prison, HESSENDER was taken to the Soviet Kommuniatura in Frense. There he was offered his freedom in roturn for working for the HES. His mission was to be to learn which former Abwehr and SD officers were working for the AIS in Germany and Austria. He was sent back to Stein for several days of thinking, and then ascepted the offer when he was taken back to the Krems Kommuniature. He signed an onth to work for the Soviets and was then taken to the Meedling Kommuniature, where he was given false documents and nong and then released. Midway botween Krems ant Meedling, the Soviets staged a fake escape and reported to the Austrian authorities that HESSE:ROSE had succeeded in escepting.

2. HISSENGER worked for the RIS for a while, but then took up contact with the AIS and no longer showed up for his Soviet contact. He was arrested by the Soviets in 1952 during a visit to his Communist wife in Lover Austria.

3. Source: HINSSBERGER and to ter STIPER were cell mates for a while in the Baden prison. STIPER told Rur SUPPINGER, who in turn related the story to BAUMANN.



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#### Information Toport (11

Subject: Hans Sollar

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1. Hans ZONAK resides at Vienes VIII, Skodagasse. He is employed as a Fechnungsrat (financial advisor) of the Lower Austrian Land government. He collects and employed intelligence reports. He formorly had contact with Armin & STFLISTA, Hans BIHK, Horbert KOING, and Theo ALBINT. He has claimed an American intelligence conjection. At present his intelligence contacts include Frame NUKKO, Herbert DINS ANAMARK, and an official of Dr. Maximilian PANEE's office, possibly (fue) UFRNE. BAUMANN Hiselains knowledge of former intelligence contact between ZONAR and Dr. ZONAR deals in political, as opposed to military, reports.

2. The foriets questioned BAUNAIN on ZOHAR. The foriets appeared to already innow clot about him from R.JITHISTER, DEINL, and ROWER. The Soviets also summoned for testimany (not arrested) (fmm) SCHRANK, buriness manager of the undersale iron firm ALODI (mbh, where BAUNANN was exployed from January to July 1952. SCHRANK was questioned on the contacts of the firm, one of whom is ZOHAR, who is comployed as a consultant.

3. Source: Prans MIRKO and knowledge acquired during arrest.



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1. Kurt SUPPINGE was born 24 October 1923 and resided at Vieuma XHI, Hartlebengasso 48 until his arrest by the Soviets on 21 October 1953. SUPPINGER was born in Neecow of a Russian mother and speaks fluent Russian. His father was a prominent Austrian Communist Hilled by the Germans at Stein, Austria in April 1945. SUPPINGER was employed as an interpretor in the USIA Tratmoshof offices from approximately 1949 to appreximately 1951. During this period and up until the time of his arrest he worked for the RIS. During this period and he also worked for GIC. Prior to 1951 he travalled frequently to Tugoslavia, and reported on Tugoslav industrial targets to the Soviets and on Tugoslav political targets to an unspecified American intelligence service. SUPPINGER's CIC control officer used the cover mass WHIZI". In 1951 SUPPINGER was arrested by the UBBA, but was later released because they could prove only a small part of his political empicage, and because he had a wall documented, although untrue, cover story as a New York Times correspondent. Upon his return to Austria after being released by the UBEA, SUPPINGER was accured of being a Titoist and empelled from the KPOe, but this was done on TIS orders to cover SUPPINGER's intelligence activity. SUPPINGER was fuller STIPPS interrogation that SUPPINGER hed concealed scop facets of his CIC contact, and this was the reason for SUPPINGER hed concealed scop facets of his CIC contact, and this was the reason for SUPPINGER hed con-

2. SUPPINGER'S IS contact had been run out of the Stadiau Kommandature, but in the Fall of 1952 he was detailed to work on a mission with a woman controlled by the IIS office in the ellaria, in addition to his work for the "tadiau Kommandature.

3. SUPPINCER was arrested by the Austrian police on 21 october 1953 on a criminal charge of frank. The arrest was not made on Soviet orders, but then the fordets learned that he was skready in jail they ordered his transfer first to the X Besirk, and then on 6 Howenber to the Zontral Schub Gelasgnis in Baden. Background of the Soviet desire to arrest "UPPINUR was twofold:

a. The Stadlau Kosmandatura had summed SUPPDIGER several times because he was late in submitting reports and because they had several questions from providus reports that they wanted to clear up. SUPPLEER had ignored the summers because he know that he had been lax in his FIS work recently and because he found for his safety as a result of the arrest of Valtor STIPLE. Then the Ke wandatura heard that he had been arrested anyway, they ordered his held at their distribut just to be on the safe side.

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b. Until the Fall of 1952, all of SUPPINER'S RIS contact had been with the Stadlau Kormandatura, but at that time he was assigned to work on a mission with a somen controllod by the HIS office in the Bellaria. SUPPING I knew the woman only as Gretl and that she worked in the Peternell shop on Judengasse, Vierna I. FAUMANN later investigated on his own and learned that her name is Margarete DUB, the subject of Information Report 19. SUPPING:R was the man who posed as the Soviet deserter in the attempted kidnepping of Armin REPINGISTR, also reported in Information Report 19. In the course of reporting on the attempted REFILITSTIR kidnapping, SUPPLET not DUB's ohiof in the Rollaria. SUPPINGER as woll as DUB had to report to this man on the REATHEISTER operation. SUPPINGER was apparently the one who caused the failure of the mission, as he laft the cafe to bring the second desertor and them novor returned. To the Soviets, he explained his failure to return by the fact that there was an American car with four persons in it waiting outside the cafe for WENTH.IST.R, and that hence the mission was already impossible of fulfillment and it was too dangerous to return. To BAUMANN, SUPPINGER explained that he had moral soruples. DUR, in her recort, described SUPPINGER as an idiot and blaned him for the failure. As a result of DUB's report, SUPPINES: was rechooked, and his former contact with STIP: I was discovored.

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4. on 16 December 1952 SUPPING-R was contensed to 25 years imprisonment in Baden. on 7 or 6 February he was placed in RAUMANN's cell. SUPPINGS gave the impression that he was not yet sontaneed, that he might eventually be freed, and he tried to learn what messages BAUMA'H wanted him to pass on in the event that he (SUPPINGER) was eventually freed. After sizing him up as a pricen spital, BAUMANN allegedly nade a bargain with SUPPINGER on the second day: SUPPINGER to tell RAUMANN what the Soviets want to know about him, and BAUMANN to pass on messages and do several errands for SUPPINGER after he is released. SUPPINGER admitted that he had been some to BAUMARN action by a Soviet Lt. Colonel to learn what criminal activity against the "oriet Union BAUMANN hed committed, the purpose of HAUMANN's trips to Forlin and Prague in 1951, which intelligence personalities HAUMANN's knows, his source of income, and whether or not be has fear before his interregation sessions. SUPPINGER told BAUMANN the information contained in Information reports #10 and 3, on "Lumpy" HIMSER and the stolem suitease, respectively, as well as some of the information contained in Information Feport #10.





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2. Salter JTL 2 was showed in AstTouth's cell to spitsel on him, and later confronted him during his investigation.

3. Source - Statements made by ".I.T.C. to B balla. For material pertiment to evaluation of above report, see operational separt 5.



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L. (fnu) . Hills - sployed by the Vienna Gemeindeverwiltung, wag. tht. 50, Abwehr during the war. Arrested in late Auguer 1952 in Vienna VA, "llensteinslats. I the time of his arrost he was in the company of two nen with whom he have worked for two years, and to whom he had just given several order a listly report, but these can did nothing to holp him. He claims that he does not knot what organization he was working for. He went crazy in prises <u>ouroe</u>: SU' HNER. (Comment: cossily ifred SUTING)

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Subject: (perational Report #2

1. PCB agent's second contant with Herbert MUNIAN tool DEFENSION MICRO. MAR. 22 December, 2015 to 1650, in the CIC Blasstresse offices, Roan No. 33.

2. At this meeting BAUMANN gave information which has been written up separately in the following information reports:

a. Information Report #2, Arrest of Josef MASCHER

b. Information Report "), Alleged Theft of Suitcase Containing Classified Documents

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ormation Report 45, Theo ALBERT and Interreport Oat ormation Report K, Rolf SiT

3. In reply to agent's immediate question as to whether he had thought things over since the last meeting, BAUMANN replied he had and that he had come to the conclusion that event really did some from Salaburg and that agent can the type of man he could talk to. Agent said that he can pleased and asked what it was that BAUMANN wanted to talk about. FAUMANN said he would talk about whatever interested agent. Agent said he wants to hear the true answers to various questions eaked at the last meeting, to which BAUMANN replied he would tell about Josef MASCHER. He then teld a pat story on NASCHER's arrest. This is written up in Information Report #2. He denied again ever having seen NASCHER or knowing anything more about him. He said he could not give the source of the information, as the source would be entangered if the Soviets found out about it. Agent pulled him up on this for the sake of the record, but chose not to press for the source at this time.

4. Agent followed this up with a debriefing on what BAUMANN knows of the general intalligence peddling picture in Amstria and the personalities the general intuitigence pedding picture in Anstria and the personalities involved - Theo ALERAT, Rolf dEST, Hans ARNHEIM, and the Interreport Out crowd. SACMAIM talked more freely, seldom sweiding questions, but often disolaiming knowledge on points dure agent believes he has it. Most of the information he gave was either known or wages. The purpose - to learn just where EAUNAIM fits into this complax picture - was not schieved. At one where EAUNAIM fits into this complax picture - was not schieved. At one point BUMMANN stated that he could probably find out information which he does not now know, communing that his general knowledge has sufficed for his purposes but that he realises agent naturally requires information in greater detail.

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5. BAUKAIN admitted that he had teld agent some "big ones" at the last meeting. One of these was the statement that he was excessed in conmeetion with the OMINN case. This, he says, is a stery that has grown up due to the coincidence that he was arrested shortly after ORDEN and was known to have had easual contact with ORDEN in 1948. He was actually arrested in connection with Alfred MLCHOVSKI. MLCHOVSKI confirmed to the Soviets that BAUVAIN had worked with Frits NEGB in 1948. The Soviets had no information on any later intelligence work, but they did know that he was spending more money than he appeared to earm, so they called him in to check out his current activities. He was released because they could not prove anything on him and due to the change in Soviet policy after the death of Stalin.

<sup>4</sup>. At the end of the meeting, agent asked BAUMAIN if he meeded moneynot a salary but just a couple hundred Schillings for "expenses" and pocket monay. BAUMAIN replied that he ectually is broke, not well supplied with funds as he had alleged at the previous meeting, and that he would appreciate anything agent eared to give him. Agent gave him A3 200. He sceepted the monay and asked if a receipt is necessary. Agent replied in the affirmative and passed him paper and panell. He then asked if he must sign his true name. Agent said yes, and he then did so. (Communt: Receipt was on a blank piece of paper, not the usual CIC form.)



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#### Report of Interrogation of Revert BAUMANN

Subject: Operational Report -3

1. FCB agent met Hertert BACHANN for the third time from 0915 to 1115, 23 December, in the CIC Blassstrasse effice, Room 33. As customary, agent used public transportation to and from the meting and checked for surveillance with negative results on the way.

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2. Uring this meting BAUMANN supplied information which has been written up separately in the following reperts:

a. Information Report 57, Noviet Interest in American Citizens

	b.	Information Report 48, Frans MIRKO, Allaged Sowiet Agent	
967	c.	Information Report 49, Frans MIRKO, Alleged Soxist Agent Information Report 49, Margarets OFB, Alleged Soviet Agent Information Report 410, "Lumpy" HIES_BERGER	
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	•.	Information Report F11. Hans 20HAR	

f. Miscellaneous information consoliiated into other reports

3. Agent first asked BAUMANN to supplement information, given during the first meeting, on Americans in whom the deviate had shown an interest. Information received is written up in Information Report 47. BAUMANN said that these were the only Americans mentioned during the dovist interrogation.

L. Agent them queried BALHARN for information on Frame MURED, written up in Deformation Report #3. BAUHARN's statement that MURED had approached him offering to trade reports led agent to ask BAUHARN if he now has reports which he could trade. BAUHARN replied that he did not, but that he could get them if he wanted to. Agent, of course, asked from show he could get them. Agent posed the question to get the manas of BAUHARN's current comtacts, as practically all information related so far dated back well prior to his arrest; but BAUKARN grasped the oppartunity to make an undisguised bid for AIS recruitment. The following is a transcript of the essentials of the conversation as well as agent can new recall it.

a. In reply to agent's question on who he could get reports from, RATMANN replied that it depends on the subject on which reports are desired.

At How about :oviet Zone military information?

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- A: And for information on the satellites?
- B: That is very difficult. ( inc): that type of thing is much sought after not, but I just don't know anyone in that line. Refugees, p where .....
- A: you could jo down to the Machrichtenbeerse in Ores, couldn't you?
- n: Yos, but that is no cod.
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- A: From show?
- E: Est depends on the type of information you want.
- At that different types can you gut from them?
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- A: thota ho?
- Pr : faktionslaiter in the TI Pasirk.
- A: And information on desiredons made by the Central Ormatities polithuro?
- F: That would have to be pieced together from a number of sources. One of them would unrobably be purt DICHTL 6 HARTSCH, employee of the world Peace Council and a favorite and frequent great of puth FISTUR, must FISCH We wife.
- At And a list of members of the Kadrosbteilung of the Central Countities?
- R: That I night be able to get from Tunther (?) FEIS2, Director of the Soviet Felomation Conter.

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- A: And the communist trade union faction?
- B: That is only to get from anyone.
- At How about the 'FTU?

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- B: That's difficult, because it's comparimented, as you have probably already noticed.
- A: Modded affirmatively. How would you got the information from these pooplo?

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- Br ligit it.
- A: You couldn't repruit any of them sittingly?
- RiISE, definitely not, because he is a fanatic Curmunist; Н. DICHTL, purhaps, occause he is just an adventurer; LOPATA, I doubt it.
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- What I can do bost is counter-espionage work. 5:
- That are your various capabilities where? n :
- ( vasively) there are several things I could do. ÷.,
- You don't want to discuss them now? A:
- 112 No. I'd rather wait a while.
- You will suggest then later. As.
- Yaz, I will suggest some jobs later. ٦t
- counter-ospionage is a cough field, do you think you're capable A: ວະລະບຸສູກໃ

MUMUN this briefly related his intolligence experience, commenting that he ballowes he has a good groundwork.

- You do still have additions as an intelligence operator, don't 1: 3003
- : I don't want to cons right out and say I want to work for you, as that would probably be misinterpreted. You would think I was sont by the jussians. You will probably think that anyway.
- ... Yos, I do.
- B: I unicestand that, but I till gradually win your confidence, you :111 \$304

A: You will whan it quicker if you admit you told the Soviets avarythin; you have, and that you are now norking for them. That's nothin; particularly derogatory, you knows it's apported (ai people arrested by the Soviets). It is only bad if you don't admit it.

B: I know, but it is not true.





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Agent than started telling BALWANN why his story couldn't possibly be true, but quickly gave up the attempt as it was plain that BAUMANN was not ready to change his story and that accumations at this time would serve no good purpose. To the illegical parts of his story, BAUMANN simply explained that such were the poviet methods.

c. Recalling BAUMANN's statements at earlier meetings that he has information about Soviet agent(s), agent full that the time was favorable to ask about them.

As the de you know besides Frank MUSEC who is working for the Soviete?

without the alightest hositation, BAIMANN gave the name of one Margarete DUP (Comment: Later changed to DUB, opparently the correct spelling.) and pulled from his pocket a term piece of an envelope on which arpeared to be written her home and business address. BAUMANN them gave the information on DUB reported in Information Report '7. We had the story down quite pat, and it vas apparent that he had come to the meeting with the pre-meditated intention of giving this information to agent at this time. Agent asked for the mames of DUB's sub-agents, but BAUMANN replied that he knows nome. Agent them asked if he actually knows mone, or whether he just knows nome that he cares to mathiem at this time. SAUGANN said that he metally knows more, but the question appeared to be one which he had not enticipated and the decision to demy knowledge to have been made on the spur of the moment without the consideration he would have preferred to have given it. Agent asked for the source, but SAUMANN refused to give it. Agent asked for the source, but SAUMANN refused to give it. Agent asked for the source is an athen a second to be aven be in a source is a second to be aven to be source in a start of the source is a source to would have preferred to have given it. Agent asked for the source, but SAUMANN refused to give it. Agent asked for the source is an and the the would divalge the source later.

- At If you are going to give it later anyway, why not give it now?
- E: In Austria we have a provert which goes, "Her Moor hat seine Schuldigheit getan; der Moor kann gehen." (The Moor has dome his dwiy; the Moor can po.)
- At And you don't want to be the Noer and have to go, right?
- B: Right.

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- At Gell, your only chance of not having to "go," lies in your willingness to give the source of such reports.
- B: I'll give it to you later.
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B: After the holidays.

A: It would be tetter if you would tell me soomer rather than later, as we would both save a let of time that way.

B: I'll tell you after the holidays.

Agent then changed the subject. After about ten more minutes of routine detriefing, it was time to close the meeting.

5. BAUNANN alleges that in the course of his wartime resistance activities he had a number of teeth knocked out and his upper left jaw bene was shattured, and that this injury still abcesses occasionally and gives him considerable difficulty. He states that as a result of this injury he was inactive and under medical care during the last half of 1952 and that he unierwent an operation in January 1953, shortly before his arrest. He states that this could the became ware during his imprisonment due to the fact that his coll was unheated and the Russians gave him only the most superficial medical treatment. As a result, he is again inactive, spending most of his time at heme; he is under medical care, and will probably have to be operated on again in the spring. (Comments This appears to be one more reason for believing SAUNANN is under Seviet control. Reing in ill health, the opportunity to refue ar prefer medical care was one more handle available to the poviets in breaking BAUNANN.)

4. Commuts: The following considerations support the belief that FAIMANN is now acting under Soviet control:

a. At the first meeting SALMANN was obviously unwilling to give an accurate account of his intelligence background, his former contexts, er of his interrogation by the poviets. He later admitted this but explained his reticence as being due to poor security at CLC. For the second meeting, BAUMANN changed his story so that his unstillingness to talk was somewhat less obvious, but made himself mere suspicious by showing no concern for his own security. Thereas on the first day, fear of another poviet arrest was allegedly his primary metivation which caused him not to want to cooperate, on the second and third days he at no time mentioned fear of the poviets; instead, he volunteered to work on counter-intelligence target: against the poviets. He signed a true name receipt without question. On the second and third days his pretexts against the poor security of holding the meetings in well-knewn CLC offices had a strictly formal character, made for the record and not out of conviction. Two assumptions appear possible: (1) that BAUMANN has complete confidence in the security and good intentions of his interrogator, or (2) that he has informed the poviets about his interregation and that he has their blessing. The first assumption hardly appears justified.

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b. BAUMANN has consistently denied baving told the Soviets every-thing. In fact, he has consistently isnied having told them anything about any of his former intelligence activity. He claims that his interrogation was of the nature of a pre-trial investigation and that the purpose of it was almost wholly to collect evidence to bring him to trial. He was released because the Soviets could not prove anything on him. This story appears unlikely. It is very likely that anyone arrested by the Soviets for four and a half months and then released has told them everything he knows and has been recruited by them. All has told them everything he knows and has been recruited by them. All other known information tends to confirm this possibility.

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c. BAUMANN's obvious desire to be recruited and his bid for recruitment made with the report on Margarete OUB, whose job for the RIS is allegedly to penstrate and provoke American intelligence, has all the earmarks of provocation.

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Subject: Soviet Zentral Schub Gefaergnis, Seden

1. Herbert multiplate detention and interrogation took place in the entral schub Gefaen, nis in Saden, iower Justria. The name of the prison is a German translation of the name which appeared written in aussian on the check-out slips signed by prisoners when they checked out clothing to be worm in the prison. The exact location of the prison in the town of Baden is not known, but it is on the outskirts of town in the neighborhood of a railroad line. 540% din heard occesional train whistles and on one occasion clicesed rolling hills but no identifiable buildings through a crack in the curtain in his interrogation room. He arrived at and departed from the prisor +t night in an automobile with drawn curtains and was driven around in circles to lose his way before entering the town of Baden. The building is a former ville, gray plaster on the outside, and with callar and four .surio a style floors. Spotlights are trained on the building at night. The view out of the windows on the first floor is clocked by boards set in on a diagonal, opening up toward the top, so that when looking out it is only possible to look up toward the sky. These boards are probably readily noticeable from outside. The building is approximately 9 meters wide and 30 meters long, although b-GARR states that he was never in a position to see the length of the building and that this estimate of the length might not too long. The long axis of the building points in a north-north easterly direction.

2. The cellar contains cells where prisoners are kept after sentencing and prior to being transferred to another prison, sometimes to the Soviet Union, where they serve their terms.

3. The first floor (nochparterre) contains cells numbered 14 to 26 for prisoner: under pre-trial investigation. - sketch of this floor is attached as (nex '. The sketch is not drawn to scale and the proportions are not necessarily correct. Some of the dimensions are estimated below; dimensions not sweifically estimated below are not known. So that spent most of his time in prison in cell 14. This is approximately 6 meters long and 2 meters wide. It is known as the second worst cell on the floor because it is on the north side of the building where it is chilled by the north wind. Cell 15 is the worst accouse it is on the morth side and also the largest and thus mardest to hest. Stoves are set into the rooms in the winter and eight brikets are issued to each cell each day, with the excention: of cell 15 wild gets the briketts. The building are only 3 meters deep whereas those on the composite side are 4 meters deep. It is used only for temporary confinement. If any cell is to be searched throughly, the occupants are stripped

and placed in this cell while the search is conducted. If a prisoner has to be brought back to a cell during the course of his trial, he is placed in this cell. forsaily trials last only a few hours and once a prisoner leaves for his trill he never returns to this floor. However, if a trial lasts through a weel time or overnight, the prisoner is brought back and placed alone in cell 19; in no case does he return to his former cell, where he could tell his collmate about the trial. The service room is occupied by an officer and several soldiers. Here meapons are stored, clothing is on hand for issuance to prisoners, and the routine administration for the floor is carried out. Calls 21 and 22 are affed only for storage. The exercise ground is reached by join; down a half flight of stairs to ground level. It is approximately 5 meters square with a wood fence 3 meters high with barbed wire on top. off one corner there is a guard post. Frisoners awaiting trial are allowed to exercise for 10 minutes daily except ounday unless it interferes with the interrojation.

4. There are two sets of stairs in the building. The one leading to the exercise ground is the only one used by prisoners and has two barred prisoners are an even of the only one used by prisoners and has two barred prisoners coming up from the cellar must pass through one locked gate at the top of the stops in order to get out into the corrisor of the first floor and then must pass through a second locked gate in order to get back on to the stairs leading up to the second locked gate in order to get back on to the stairs leading up to the second floor. The second set of stairs has no gates and is open for free passage to the Joviet personnel administering the prison.

5. S West spont approximately three weeks in cell 23. This is described here as boing typical of the other cells. The cell is 4 meters square with one window approximately 80 cm by 60 cm starting 2 meters above floor level. It has iron bers and is partially covered on the outside with a wooden slutter in such a canner that it provents a prisoner from looking straight out but it does allow him to look up at the sky. Frisoners are allowed to open and close the window but they must first call the guard and do it in this presence. The room has two dernen military-type iron beds with mettresses and one blanket each. The blankets are not military type, but are a descellandous collection which varies in each cell. There is a toilet, without pluching, which the prisoner takes to the latrine to empty twice a day, at 0500 and 1600. In the winter onthe an oven is set in the cell and they are given 8 briketts per day as fuel. Each prisoner is issued a haid towel, a small ber of soap, and a small aluminum drinking glass. There is no other furniture or equipment in the cell. The door is made of thick wood and lined with metal on the inside. There is no door hendle on the inside. It has a peep hole so that the guard can check the cell at any time. Just above the handle, the door has an opening approximately 20 ca by 10 cm. This opening is covered by another shall door and is used to pass shall items (the USAD water, the 17.5 toa, and occasionally tobacco) into the cuil. It is not used for the norming or noon meels.



6. At 0500 daily each prisoner is given ; liter of water to wash with. At 0500 daily an officer rakes the rounds to ask prisoners shout their health and whether or not they have any complaints. Breakfast is at 0700 and consists of 60) grove of bread and a cup of thick son, such as grit or corn soup. Lunch is at 1300 and is made up of a thin soup and occasionally a piece of fish. The evening scal consists of only ; liter of tea with two pleces of sugar. There is no variety; the same sours are served for weeks at a time before they are changed. No reading raterial is allowed. Shortly after the death of Stalin, prisoners where investigations had been completed and who were in favor with the guards were granted 2 grams of wood tobacco daily. Frisoners were allowed to wash completely once every 10 to 14 days. For this purpose they were taken to a wash room in the cellar. Whenever anyone entered the cell to rake a check or to live food, prisoners were obliged to stand facing the rear wall with hands open behind their back. When the person entered, the prisoners turned around and gave in Russian the cell number and the report that everything was in order. Prisoners can wear the clothes they are arrested in if they so desire, but they can check out from the service room any Russian military clothing which they need. The clothin has no insignia and does not have the stendard military buttons. All prisoners have their hair shaved several days after arrival.

7. The carried down the middle of the building between the two rows of colls is approximately 1, noters wide and is patrolled by a Soviet soldier at all times. It has a compete so that the guard can approach any cell at any time without being heard. The word is on an eight hour shift, with short breaks for neels. Changes occur at 0600, 1600 and 2200. The guard is marmedy all vespons are kept behind the doors which separate the coll area from the remainder of the floor. Superating the cell area from the remainder of the floor are an unlocked wooden door with glass panes, a sliding iron gate, and then another locked wood and glass door. The iron gate is opened by the guard inside the cell area; he carries the key on a bend around his wrist. The outside wooden door can be opened only by a person from cutside the cell area.

8. The floor is serviced by a female doctor and a nurse. The woran doctor, kJ, is approximately 35 years old, blue eyes, 160 cm tall, heavy set, red finger uails, wears a diamond watch and sensits only investan. The nurse, NJ, is approximately 25 years old, 170 cm tall, black hair, brown eyes, fairly slim for a Russian, and woars dark red finger nail polish. Due to the cold and poor food, most prisoners are in ill health, but medical treatment is of a most cursory nature.

9. The root in which M(TM) was interrogated is on the second floor, Only the one root was used. It is located at the end of the building one

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floor above cells 21 and 22. When walking in the corridor on this floor, prisoners are obliged to look straight down at the floor, but BAUNANN did notice that there is a file room at the opposite and of the building and a typing room somewhere on the Wast side of the corridor. He believes that other interrogation rooms are located on the West side of the building on this floor. A skotch of BAUNANN's interrogation room is attached as Annex 3. The room has an inlaid wood floor, plaster wells with a light blue pattern, and an overhead light. BAUTANN sat in the seat marked A in the diagram, in front of a small metal table. Both table and chair are fixed to the floor. The investigating officer sat in chair B. Location C was used by the investigating officer during delicate questions when it was believed that BAUNANN's face, and directly and the other in the mirror at the end of the room. The officer apparently liked this mirror technique. Chairs P and F were used interchangeably, by the interpreter. Chair F was used by the prosecuting attorney when he was present and occasionally by the investigating officer.

10. BATRIARN saw only one investigating officer. BAURARN believes that during the early, intensive part of the investigation, this officer had no other assignment except the investigation of him. The officer was an Infantry Captein, NU, approximately he years old, slim, 175 on tall, dark blond hair parted on the right side, brown eyes, poor teeth, and non-sucker. The same proscepting attorney was apparently used for a number of cases. He was an Infantry Rajor, NJ, 170 on tall, slim, blue eyes, black hair, sucker.

11. In addition to taking down content of a prisoner's testimony, a file is maintained giving a precise description of how the prisoner has conducted hirself under interrogation.

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12. PANTARN believes the courtroom is on the third floor. It is a military court composed of three persons. His case did not reach trial, and hence he knows nothing about the courtroom or trial procedure. Once a prisoner is sonteneed, he never returns to his cell on the first floor; he is insediately placed in a cell in the cellar.

13. iA!! A!!! was finger, winted and photographed on the fourth flow shortly after his arrival. At the same time there was note what is called a psychological description. This is a description of his personal habits, such as the way he site, holds a cigarette, waches his hands, oto., with a view to raking a preliminary psychological assessment. He was not allowed to sit with legs crossed, as this is allogedly a borgeois habit.

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that he had been well treated, had no claims against Soviet authorities, and had been returned all his personal belongings confiscated at the time of his arrest. At this time his investigating officer told him that he might be called in by one of the Mestern powers and interrogated on his arrest. If so, he s could say nothing if possible, but that if he must say something in order to rake a good impression, he should clair he was arrested in connection with the investigation of Sustav GEDE and Anselm RAM, that he had seen no other Austrian prisoners in the jail, that he had been well treated and not inverregated at night, and that he would just like to be left alone. Just prior to release, he was given a food backs e including American chocolate and led into a very brightly lighted room. After his eyes had adjusted to the bright light, he was quickly led cutside into the darknose and into a waiting car which drove around in circles to make him lose his directions and then to the Baden Kormandatura. At the Kormandatura, he was turned over to an Austrian policeman who was given instructions to accompany BAUMARE to Vienna. The policeman took him to the Baden Police Ecadquarters, from where, rather than staying overni ht, he took a train to Vicana alone and at his oun cost.

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1. In certy beenber 1952 WARA attended an address on Stalin's concrite theory by Friedl Phermberg, Secretary of the KNOe, in the Seviet Information Center. Then entering the lecture hall, B WARA was precised by Helruth RENSE, Austrian director of the Information Center. REDSE immediately went to speak to a Soviet Lajor, name unknown, who is the Aussian director of the Information Center. RESE than told two casual accualinances of EARAMIN's makes unknown, that BARANT is an American a contain they chauld not speak to him. The of the acquaintences was a prisonrate of MARANT's in 1966. The other was a busian officer's son what BARANT has a the Derlin World's met at the Derlin World Year they expected in South Vertical in State 1951 and who has a full friend named <u>Theo With</u>. Both of these permons incrediately told BARANT what WINZ had sold. This was when MARANT first realized be not be on the Soviet arrest list.

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4. On the train from Vienia to Salabury, CA NAVE not a Prof. (fm) 20 NMLR, who was sitting in the same comparisent with him. FULTER works at Vienna I, Herrengasse, in the Lower Austrian Landesschulret. The discussion during the course of the trip turned to Fritz UN R. 2007. I know of MFDMs propagande distribution activities and the circumstances of MFDCMs propagande distribution activities and the circumstances of MFDCMs propagande distribution activities and the discussion 2018. HECTs compromise and flight from Vienna, Euring the discussion 2018. HECTs compromise and flight from Vienna, Euring the discussion 2018. HECTs compromise and flight from Vienna, Euring the discussion 2018. HECTs compromise and flight from Vienna Euring the discussion 2018. HECTs compromise and flight from Vienna Euring the discussion 2018. HECTs compromise and flight from Vienna Euring the discussion 2018. HECTs compromise and flight from Vienna Euring the discussion 2018. Stated that he did not know. (Comment: It is Karl WENTERTAIN) After ENTRATIS arrest, the Soviets showed considerable interact in this same question. GENERAL left the train is St. Foolten, and thus would have been able to notify the Soviets of Diving Presence on the train in the for the pickup at the Luns checkpoint.

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6. MULEN was removed from an Austrian train it the 'nns lettreation Line the evening of 31 January 1953. After checking 'AULNE's documents once without question, the juard care back several rimites later to rake a recheck. Ifter the recheck, the juard posted another juard at the door of his conservent and went to get a Soviet officer. The officer checked his documents a third time, said his juardies was not in order, and told him he must urevel back to Vienna.

7. After weiting cutsice the clock peet for approximitely 33 minutes, guarded by two soldiers, an automobile arrive', license meber unknown, with a rejer, coldier, and a civilian the spoke poor erran. Bo TATE was driven to the st. Welentin Kersandatura, arriving shortly after minight. There he was driven a receive box scarch and questioned briefly. The civilian told 20.741 he would have to wait until merving for a more complete interrogation, as the civilian did not speak good on a horran. He seent the night in the Karmadatura. From JEOS to 1200 the following morning he was interregated by the civilian with the aid of a ferale interpreter. He was given lunch a d the, that afternoon transport by err, license number unknown, to Beden.

6. We see not place i into the prison inmediately. Include the compound, which has a mean woode, gate, he was taken to the second scall building on the left. (The larger prison building is on the right.) Mare he was placed in a room in the coller which and not proper to be normally used as a coll. When  $1.0^{\circ}$  All' was but into the room, reading material and glass and retributed by which he could have hischly war removed. We way given blendy to eat and treated wells-encouple for constant interrogation day and night. After three days, the night of h Tebruary, he was transformed to the rain

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2. Agent asked if he didn't still receive money from the Funcians. After replying with a quantize as to why he, who was just recently errorted and interregaind about he receiving mancy from the "maximus, agent commonted that it must not them he true, as some of his former friends are reporting, that he is more working for the Soviets. BAUMERS informed he had heard that such remore were being spread and said they were doubtlass due to petty justices and the fact that he had been released from juit by the Soviets, which is a some het musual eccurance. Agent agreed that it was unsmal and told him that gives he was new listed in our files and in the justrian palice files as a Soviet agent, it would be best for him to relate the full story of his intelligence artivities, his arrort and his interregation by the Soviets, so that we would be able to prove to our own extistantion that he astenly is not a Soviet agent. He said he would be happy to tall overything he haves.

3. To start sounding out LAURENT'S arbail willingness to talk, agent took as a starting point several questions arising from CIC'S confirm interparties, according to that report, he elained his former wife, folicited MiE'S and antification, was in contact with the FIS through one (introduction MIE'S and antification, was in contact with the FIS through one (introduction MIE'S and states that be balieves the full manuals priter HERING, and that he works under graded with the Estimate of the FIS through one (introduction, OCLstates that he balieves the full manuals priter HERING, and that he work consult gr, flow with a 19% when she was a student at the FICe bet work consult for Generic which is leafertlishen Dienst in Vienna I, viel and three, occlaserence, he was head of the school at that time, for set introduct with a provide artise of the HIN. He also balieves she has been in contact with a provide artise of the HIN. If was either HERTH or the Soviet to when she gave the information leading to the school at the CHU report also why his wife in the information information leading to his streat. The CHU reports also why his wife in the information contact with one Inter the Soviets. The CHU reports also why his wife in the information information leading to he Soviets. MIETH claims he did not my that with the artise for the Soviets, although it is possible that the source, the second of the source is in the second of the source of the source of the Soviets is information he did not my that with the second

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he Agent part turned to Soviet interrogation techniques during his arrests whereapen registence was insetiately encountered. To said only the persons took parts a Captain, who was his interrogator, a Major, who was the processurer (Statement), and a citilian interpreter. Be have no never. Personal daseription was not asked for. He was arrested 31 January and related 16 June 1953. the was intervented constantly during the first weeks, then less during the middle part of his arrest period, and then not at all tenard the end. Concerning details, he velunteered mething and evalued most direct questions. That he mount by the "first weeks" he was relations to pin dorn. First he gave the improvelen 18 might be two weeks, then ten, and finally settled for six to eitht weeks. what he meant by "constant" could also not be determined. In doctorstics he finally sold it was eight to sixteen hours, but agent had the improvenies he just elled these figures out of the sire. Here this time was divided into interrogation sections and breaks for root, sloop, or esting be would not say. He elained he did not have to write anything for the Seviets. The interrogator took notes, ed on the basis of these drow up "protocols" which very shown to him for his percent and then signed by his. The subject of the interregitions was proadaptaly the personalities and artivities of the Jand Madarian Preiheiteimmufer Conterreiche, of which BACHANE is the bood, but they also encourned a for at his personal friends and political personalities with when he has had contact. When acked by agent her many mane he gave the Seriets on which the existed him, he replied that there were trusty or at most thirty. (counte These manes are listed in a later paragraph.) After a section look, agent passed on to mether tople.

5. Agent mart asked MADANE hav many people with when he has hed intelligence contact are now in Soviet enstedy. This was innetiabely limited to persons arrented by the Soviets in 1950 or later. MCRANE elated that perter grift is the only one. After "binking" a bit, he added Alfred That TTAT, but denied any others. Agent brought up the mass of Jeast (Supp)/TANDER. MCRANE denied ever having veried with or over having over not MASCHER socially. His enjy knowledge of the mass MASCHER is that he remembers reading in the papers in the Summer of 1952 that MASCHER was arrented by the Soviets. April accounted that it was guite united for "ACMANE to remember the more if his coly knowledge of it was his reading the one article in the newspaper. HADRATE and that he has a good memory for masse. (Communic 18 is unlikely that SALANE has Eaver not or soom MASCHER. Agent returned to the MASCHER time frequency in the pass of the morting.)

6. Agent requested BATHANN to rive a summary of all his intelligence estivity since 1943. He started by giving briafly his contacts in the American resistance movement in 1963 and 1964. He worked in the group water Fujer Earl SCK CL, and others from tehricois 17, of the Osraan Submacht. He to be tolde Effected by the Osstope. SUBJL's group had contact with CBS through Frite HOLDE and Farl TOPS, and with the Pritish through Johannie ITLITE and Fish/ANTER. In Jammary or Pebruary 1925, MATCHIN took up radie contact with Eurohall TOLSUCTUR of the Russian general staff./ A pont did not make BAUNA'N elaborate in detail, as it is presimed the entire story is well known. From April 1955 to 10 July 1945 he warked under Dr. Weinrich DU INAT'R in the Statepolisei. On 10 July he was errested, allogedly as a former Maxi, but actually because he opposed the Communist infiltystion into the police. He was released on 8 March 1946.

7. BACHANY allegos to have had no further intelligence contacts until early 1948, when he set Frite Y B at a conference of Petirks Observer of the CoTP Jugand Bewegung. . . hen asked whe also worked for Wild, he at first denied know-ing any others. . . hen agent expressed surprise and repeated the question, BAURANN ing any others, then agent expressed surprise and repeated the question, Hause said that bits this the under Soviet arrest, whe Had's contact man to the Staatepolised, but that MARMARY did not know him personally. He then stated that Altrid MLXOVSKY was also in N- B's group, MLXOVSKY was working for imat ada? I TAN, who is turn was working for the Americans, but then URBAN last his imerican centent, so BICKANN broacht MICKOTSKY into contact with T'IN. . . . . HARD, from Gras, worked with U'BAN and MLCHOVSKY, but not directly for HUB. ALP .PT worked for FIRTL and MICKOVSKT, but also for Mich, and later for 1200 Surbert KORITA, WER is now in Oras working for Bastier & Schrans. Contact with TEP stopped at the end of 1963. Agent asked MUTHIN if he was serials these were the only people involved, and he replied that there was no one also. arent asked if he hadn's obtained remorts for H IB from his wife, but MURANE denied this. Then agent expressed scepticism, BACHANN alained that she was undthing all the time and that he had gotten no reports after they were married. Lee his wife was not a source. (Corment: BAUMAIN demind by implication any knowledge of Michard 'OLF and Valter KOUBA, from when MADMANN is known to have received reports which he passed on to HS 3. Also, BAUWANN maintained contactwith F. B with at least the Spring of 1969, and probably until much later.)

6. URNAN worked for the Americans is Frankfurt an Main and also fue Dr. Oswald P.T RLUNG R. In 1948 UTBAN demonsed DAUMANN, MENS, Dr. Arthur MINHELD, Alexander VOCTIVIC and others to PTT FLUXOR. BAUKANN alloyed that he has never set UTTAN personally and that he knows nothing about his activities since 1948. (Comment, This appears unlikely.)

9. Agent asked what intelligence contacts BACHANN took up after the demise of the N-SB operation. He stated that since then be has not been astive in intelligence work. Agent expressed considerable surprise and disbelief at this assortion, but BACHANCE stuck to the statement.

10. Agent ment asked how many names the Soviete grissed him on during his interrogation.

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MADRIE wrote down the following manon Frank MITED: Denther THINCH, IN. Julian HERZ, Mr. Bane OCHENTIN, Dr. ' alter WITE, These LLBUT, Mareld TA DRICKSON, Rebert VILLID, Medarich TITER, (fra) DERIVICH, Dr. (fra) "TILLNE, (fra) DROBANN, General Dail BETRORT, (fra) DROCLY, Later "TLFAP, Pereis Minister gard GUB.R, State Serving Perdimend JUF, forest Chancellar Leopeld (TIL, Many ITER, Josef HING, Anteln(TAKD, DERIVE, Maria SCHIVELE, Pelicitas Markets gard COLD-SCHIDT, and Price HERD.

11. Agent picked out the names of the three incrimans and queried Billing on what the Soviete already know about them, what they asked, and what Billing teld them. The information has been supplemented by information rescived during a re-interregation on the subject at the third meeting and has been written up as Information Report #7.

12. It became apparent at this time that BAUMAUX desired to discuss jusaf W2277, when he branded as a forist agent, but agent was more interested in Learning what he did not want to talk about rather than letting his rattle on on topics that were not going to prove anything.

13. In answer to a question as to vay he was arrested, BAINAN explained that it was connected with the arrest of Jarkey HIDM and Azeala GRAND. CHIMM testified that the Bund Abademischer Freiheitekaespfur, of which BAINANN was head, was in contact with the French and American intelligence services. Ho does not feel that JRIDM as testified in a deliberate attempt to instimate bin. MAUNANN maintains the allegation is false. He did admit having received support for his erganisation from the French Instelligence attempt to further the purposes of the erganisation and took the form of free quarters, free train rides, and 15 5000. Similar support was provided by the Dimentional Having not arrested in connection with the FUNY-DAND affair.)

Is. Agent asked about the exact location of the prison, but HATRAFF claimed he did not kno... He was taken to the prison at might, with shades drawn in the ear, and driven around in eircles on the way. He could only say that it was on the edge of the team of Baden, near a reilreed line,

15. Asked about the surrent whereabouts of MCCONSKY, he replied that he is still in jail. Asked how he knows this, he said he assume it because KLCKONSKY was guilty of intelligence activity against the periods and the Seviets de pot release such types. As far as BACHANN remombers, MLTCTSXY was arrested in May 1952. The last time FACHANN see MLT TSXY was in 1963. (Comment, Se FACHANN-FLIX JUSTY contact since 1963 is difficult to believe.)

Id. Asked about other pursues arrested since 1950 when he believes are still in jail, MACHAN gave the names of (frau) "IDD, resided in Vierra IVI; (frau) STRANDL (this is Raisened STANCLY PACKAN claims be has never not an seen bin); (frau) "DAINCL (this is probably mand DINL); Armin "DETAIT DI; and Valter; DIF To (Community Da meeting the RATHAN gave the names of many others who were in primes with sime but at this first meeting he denied having met any other primeses during his arrest.)

17. Asked about his competitions to Nater FIPH and Amoula FRAND, and the intelligence contacts of these persons, BACH'S rave the following stary. This was national lusder of the Juni Dunckratischus Treibaitskamofery RDT was been of the Tierns, branch of the organisation; and BAUMANN was Youth Referent for the mational or jamisation. At the end of 1947 BLUTANN accompanied TAND to one mosting with a yr, "Rerry" at the "CIC office" in Persellanguese. "RATD was apparently in constant contact with "marry". The meeting lasted five hours and concerned training and plausing for using the organization to collect and transmit intelligence reports on the Soviet Zone of Austria. BAUPATH allegedly never participated in the activity because he did not like CICIS security - he was introduced by true make and driven home is at Army jeep after the mosting. The goviets never lagrand that RATHARN accompanied TATH as this visit. TRAD comfided to BACHANN in 1947 that he was also in contact with a Mr. Johnson from PSS and with the French Intelligence service. We balieves CRAND was in touch with Ow2 watil at loast 1952 and that the erganisation of the Fund Devekratischer Prelheitskaerpfer was used for transmitting reports from the Soviet Jone of Avertria. To believes 37.100 was completely incapable as an intelligence operator.

13. Agent part turned to pressing for inforcation on government personalities to when BAIRAN has passed reports or with when he exchanged reports. MICHAN steadfastly denied over having perticipated in such activity, and eventually said that the only possible instance of this might be the fact that he contributed information to the Ret-velas-Jot book on the Austrian Resistance Movement. For this purpose he met with Legiticmerst (JDN) 5-IFINT and with Dr. (JDN) VALDENIN and DR. (JDN) AFF L, the of GRUBER's secretaries. (Company This is Dr. Furt MICH-IN, JRDD R secretary from 1916 to 1915, and Dr. vilhelm AFFIL, STUDER secretary after 1915.) These contacts were irregular between 1917 and 1959. MACHAIN finally and that he might have given them a few bits of political information and that in return he received proferential treatment in viam affairs for some of his people in the "wed Akademischer Preiheitsmanpier". He conist any other intelligence contacts in the government. (Community This conflicts with other intelligence contacts in the government. (Community This conflicts with other intelligence contacts in the government. (Community This conflicts with other intelligence contacts in the government. (Community This conflicts with other intelligence contacts in the government. (Community This conflicts with

19. Arest ment asked with which Austrian police efficials be has hed contect. After some basitation, he listed Imap. Josef, HIBCHLAEDER, Dasp. Burbert DESERVICER, Imap. (Cour FLATE R.) and Imap. (Int) ADAN. As BACHAN appeared to be having difficulty commending the names, a part suggested that Imap. (Int) MAXTRO might be one of his contests, but DACAN replied that be had never beard of him. BAUMANN then continued with the penes of Imap. (Int) BIRARITICH, Imap. (fma) MARSURALSE, and Tw. Orwald PET RLIND R. BAUNANE first referred to the above persons as ne-workers who provided palice protention for his Bund Almdandscher Preiheitskasspier, then stated that his only somtast with them was when they were investigating the Preiheitskasspier and that he tried to get them to lay off, and then fimally admitted that he had embanged reports with most of them.

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20, - 15 to the source and subject of information which he collected and person to the police, he said nost of it was "operational information" model by the Preiheitshampfer for their propagands and raiding activities against the Nee-Nami and Communist parties. Most of it was on the You and Batismale Ligs. Ris standing's source was Refrat "obset" Will. B, member of the You. He frequently received information on the You and the Nationals Ligs from Landtagenbyportheter Medagiah FIRCH.R. He alicited information from Matismalrat (from) SLAVIX of the You.

21. At this point agent communed that BAUMAIN'S uncillingness to cooperste allowed only one conclusion to be dream, that he was now working for the Seviets as allowed. PAUMA'N said he down't know whether it makes any differences or not, but that he did more work for the Americans, Layally, and that, it only rot him into trouble. Although he did get some food, he was never paid for his work, not even enough to cover expenses. (Commonly Apparently a reference to his contact with N.S.) New, to top it off, he was erverted by the Ressians, pertially because of his former AIS setivity. Agent said that what BAUTHINE did in the past is no eriterion; he new gives all signs of being a Seviet agent and it is up to him to prove otherwise.

22. Agent asked which of BACHANT'S former emissis had approached him to ask if he had compromised them to the Seviets. In insisted, repeatedly, that no one had.

23. Aron't asked if the mance MLCXWSYT, URBAN, and KLDOVIC had even up during his interrogation. He desied that any of them had been mentioned and stated that he had never heard of MLINOVIC at all. (Connect, He admitted at the end of the meeting that MLCXW3XY's testinowy had been the prime enuse of his arrest.)

24. Agent asked if he knows anyone when he believes to be an inerican agent. BACHANN said he did not, but was eventually formed into a position where he had to admit that there were some people when he had grounds to suspert wight be in contact with the impricance, but he still dealined to give name. Finally, egent phrased the question is fallows; If you had to make five persons who work for the Americans, when would you name? BACHANN gave the fallowing:

a. State Police exployee (fms) POSKA (phonetic) - He visited MANNAME brisily at his home and asked his questions should his arrest.

b. Josef HINSCHLAME - only because of his position in the pelices

C. BERDER DELESTRATER.

d. Hans 20213 - A Rechamparat is the Lover Austrian government who explores information and explores reports.

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e. After denying that he could name any others, he included Fritz MUNE.

(Commonte This was holding back for so apparent purpose. If he had really wanted to appear to cooperate, he could probably have given 10 mance without giving explains away.)

25, igent asked who had interrogated him on his arrest. He stated that the French had salled him in for a two how interview in mid-July 1953. Question were mainly on the basis for his arrest, who he may at the prison, etc. Be teld them he was arrested in concertion with TDVN and TAND and that he may no one st the prison. A Statepolised employee who gave his mane as FDTA (phonetic) visited him at home in Devenher 1953 and asked the reason for the arrest and whether or not he had been intervented by the Americans. This took only about a half an hour. Later, MITANY called the Statepolised and asked if they had really sont the man. They demied having dame up. BAUMAIN believes that FDSKA ease an American orders.

25. In response to a repeated query as to which friends or former emstasts and econ to ask about his arrest, BUTUME stated that the following pursues had asked him about it.

a. Frank MERIC - He wand to work with BAUMAIN and MEED. He new collects information, but BAUKAUN downet have for whom. He mistragis. his because he hasn't been arrested. He asked BAUKAUN about Gryich interest in him.

b. Centher TMRCCH - Customs official and personal friend of MATCAN's who balood his wife while he was in prison. He acked about the errest.

6. After saying there was no one else; he mantished he had seen Karl OBDEDIEDE several times since his release and that he had asked if the Russians had mantioned him. BADWAN said that OBDEDIEDE was a personal friend of NUED'S who had no part in his intelligence solivity. (Commonly CORVELTER was one of NUED's penetrations into the FORJ, and BADRADE urobably knows this.)

27. "Ithert being questioned, and for no apparent reason at all, BAURADY started talking about "alter MATHERS. Be asid MATHERS was errorted by the Soviets in April 1952 and sentemed to eight years for distributing anti-Seviet lasflate, This was the enuse of FER12 flight from Timms. BAURANN could be did not know MATHER, but that the powiets had asked him about MATHER and that they had read to BAURANN the tertimmy given on him by MATHER. 25. Aport asked the identity of (fms) SUPPACE, show BACHAIN had listed as one individual on them he was questioned in detail by the Seviets. He said SUPPACE was a number of the YED student promp and that the Paus Alexanischer Preiheitskampier had socured him of libel and instituted legal proceedings against him. SUPPACE accused the Freiheitskampier of hering broken into YeD Heckgemeters and stealing a list of collineal spoonents of the YeD. This was true, but the Freiheitskampier challenced that statement to defend themselves and to publicise the fact that the YeD was knoping a "black list."

29. Lount, bonerily feeling that further discussion was pointless, started to pull together the various papers and told ZADRAT that if he doesn't eare to cooperate, there is not much point in armits wasting his time with further discussion; I evers you'll just have to romain is our files as a rowist access. Marrath shrapped his shouldors. Agent asked his for his address and phone number so that he could be contacted just is case the bess had any more question he wants asked. "I'HI'Y asked what mave the caller would give, so that he will recorning who it is. (It doesn't make any difference if the name isn't a true ense') Arent told him Parter, and spalled 18 out assuring him that he mad not four agent would give him his true mane. Just as agent started to stand up signifying the end of the meeting, NATHIM select, "And shouldn't I have some means of contacting you is once compthing some up?" Agent asked what he could peasibly ever here to say that he hadn's had apple opportunity to say during this meting, to which him replied that perhaps the Soviets slight be after him again. Again tald him that after today's performance we wealdn't bother to . 115 a finger to help him, no matter vie was after him.

30. At this point PACTANY soldonly dropped the facede and in a repid embange he said he sould give important information on Soviet agonts; that the fact that he was arrested shortly after RIM and FUE was show socidart and the real reason for his errort was (LACYSET) that the Soviets had a copy of a report he gave N 78 on the personnal of the povist Consorably Office; and that he had also been in contact with other persons, including Richard VILY. Agent asked how many Soviet apprice he knows and what their manag are, BICMANN and he knows several, and agent replied that be knows the names of many Soviet acents, including probably all those when BALYAN move. There failensi a rapide , at time herted, even or eight simile discussion of security, in which RUKUM admitted he had been lying but claimed he would only get himself in Grouble if he tald any merey complained that one is insecure because it and the many fouls, that it was plain to one that agent (who said he was from "Mandquarters" in Salaburg) was a movialist in intalligence matters and not one of the fools, but that nevertheless the organization as a whole was being reported again that if he talked he was contain he would be arrested again by the Southers; and that meeting in well known CIC offloos is had security and dangarous to kin. This well interpreted or agentia with prepart statements to the effect that as factor against is concerned, the day's mosting has convinced his that PAUMARY is include a Soviet agent, and that agent is not going to alongy the mosting place. not foing to take capthing but routine socarity procedures, not going to sake any countinents and not going to change his sized with HAWAN has proven his villigences and ability to answer truthfully and completely questions which are asked of kine is an apparent impasse was reached at the and of this emphanes.

BUDAN commented, almost completely out of context, There are a member of different incrices intelligence services." hen agent three the initiative back to MATTAIN with a sonco-mittal affirmative, there was first a moment of adlance and them "ACHANN said, parenthat at a less for words, "I ballowe the British and French have several different intelligence servises tos." Both agent and BADRAN were standing throughout the above umbangs. At this point there was nothing more to be said, so BAUTHIN put on his cost and started toward the door.

32. After BADRAN started to leave, he stopped, apparently reluctent to and asked what he would have to gain if he did ecoperate.

You can judge that yourself better than I.

WO'I GERI'N.

First, you would no longer be listed in our files as a periot accest.

That couldn't make Lass difference to me.

wos right nov, but it night later.

I don't intend to endgrate or anything.

Maybe not, but the Soulots want's always be have to protect you,

MUNAN shraged his shouldors; agent did liked so.

As "bat do you want me to affer you, money?

howard at first did not react, then said, If I tall you these things I'll have te leeve Viscon.

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Decembe the Seviete will find it out,

As I don't believe that,

B: I'd have to find a position in one of the BundesLaunder.

ty don's ros an employment pervice, and besides, we don't make any equals ments until you've produced.

I understand that and know your reasons for not deing so, but neverthelises, my experience is that it descent pay to po into these things blindly.

1. By experience is that one always takes up a elandestime estimat scouted bisdir.

Tos, but (with conviction) it doesn't pay. Remember I was with the palies for a vidle and I know the technique of using a person and then deing him ine

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A: As far as we are conserved, you are a Soviet a just until you prove otherdise, and we want show any confidence in you until you prove that you decorve it.

MIRUN shruged his shoulders.

A: It's etvicus that we eren's roin; to agree today, but it might be worth further discussion. Think it over and come here at 1800 temorrow and tall so the conditions under which you will cooperate.

B: Chay.

(A. RAUNAIN lives with his brother, Walfpang BLUNAIN, at Vienne VI. Ressignized asso 7/13, and intends to rehain there, Telephone musher is A-Sin 3-06-U.



to MATHINT's knowledge. He now works as an interpreter for American forces in Vienne. BATHINT denies knowing in what office MAXI is employed. (Communit One to METI's merican employment, it would be legical for RETHING to conseal any deregatory information which eight be known 16 him.)

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MULLIN claimed not to know PIICHIER, but there is a MCI who is an acquaistance of Frank NUMED. He lives on Marinkilforstraces, appreximately 145 on. tall, alis, black hair, small face, about 30 years ald. (conserve This description does not fit PRICHIER & BACK & CONCER & SIGNING, the sam when agent had in mind.)

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ANDIAN said NAUTOUSL worked as a propaganda referent for 'Fordiana GRAF in 1950, that he new works for the Bundeshumalarant press service. He has seen BLCE in the empage of MURTSUPEL, and it use through NEUTOUFLE that HIDEO met MLCE.

As bld you over give reports to HEURISUPELY

"Be No.

As He reports of any kind?

- In My contact with him was on behalf of the Bund Andonischer Freibeiteknoupfer, and of course I gave him information on the estivities of this group.
- As Set you never passed him reports on the VdU, Dunckratioshe Union, or such things?

Be mill, maybe a few.

(Commut: MURLE reportedly used to pass reports to HEURISUPEL on. a regular backs.)

g. the is Dr. Hens SCHUSTER? (Comment: Remo originally mentioned by BADHANN as an individual on when the Seviete hed interrogeted him.)

He is (or was?) deputy chairman for Tisma of the hand Akadamdacher Friskeitskamapfer. - Nothing known of any intelligence connections.

h. the is Dr. -alter MCUT? (Commute Hame first metiaged MCMUMM) No is a fermer functionary of the Proiheitskampfer. He field to England after BiCKLVS's arrest. He was in the British enzy during the war and maintained womiset with officers of P.S ever since. BiCKLVM provines he was working for the RIS, but allogadly knows no istalls of his pontert.

1. where is losef holf URSAN now and what is his current activity?

BAURANN alloged that be knows nothing about URBAN since 1958.

J. -be is Dunther T-ARCCU! ((emperit: Home first mentioned by MCHANN.)

We is secretary of the Vienna organization of the Freiheitehummpler. BATHANN alleged that he has no intelligence contacts be his hum-lodge, but after MA'NA W's errest be did contact Herbert THISETHANDER to esk his to intervene on BATHAN'S behalf.

5. Arount mart asked BATWARN if he had anything to aid to the report he gave last time on Margurete UCP, or whether he was prepared to give the compose at this time. After some sparring about whether he should or should not give the source, BATWARN said he could not yet give the source because he was not yet clear in exactly what constitute interrogation of him as a percenregard. If the interrogation was a routime interrogation of him as a percenwhe has been released by the joviets, he does not feel it is meassary for him to dive such information. He has already given sufficient information to emake him considerable difficulty if the perists find out about it, and he needs no point in risking his neek forther for a strictly routime affair. If, on the other hand, the pelationship with agent is to continue and be something ware than routime, then he recognizes the meassary for giving such information. Thus, MATHING summarized, the source cannot be given until I'm cartain of just where I stand with you.

4. Least replied to BACHUT as follows: The contact started out to be a routine one, but you volunteered the spinion that you scald be af further corvice and, in particular, that you were expelle of vorking on eventerintelligence targets against the scripts. Sother the contact become aprethen reatine depends upon your villingness to socparate and to present that me come ider a workable plan.' You have claimed that you have expetilities in the counter-intelligence field, but you haven't yet preven that. The report en DOF was no proof. In the first place, reports without sources are worthless. And until you give the source, we don't know whether that was a ensuthen affair or whether it indicates a steady source. I won't make this arrthing more than a routine interrogation watil you have preven the expedilities you claim to have and have presented a vorkable plan. MURLAN exectaned that the source of the report was obvious, that it came from another prizouser and that, as event said, be vould not have access to such information on a some text beais. He admitted that he had no sources at the present time, but that such sources woren't necessarily required; there are other ways of getting informati