

DISPATCH CLASSIFICATION SECRET DISPATCH SYMBOL AND NO. EGMA-52884

TO: Chief, EE
 INFO: COS/G; COB/Bonn HEADQUARTERS FILE NO. []

FROM: Chief, Munich Operations Group [] DATE: 6 January 1961

SUBJECT: CAMOG/CAVIGOR/OPERATIONS: Name Trace Reply
 RE: "43-3" - (CHECK "X" ONE)
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 NO INDEXING REQUIRED

ACTION REQUIRED: EE - See para 3 below
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REFERENCE(S): EGOW-1830, 20 December 1960 [] [] [] (Hildegard STOLZ) [] [] []

1. Further information in Munich files on Dr. Carl Heinz *PURWIN (born 6 February 1915, Koenigsberg, Germany) and Hilde BLUM is to be found in reports which UPHILL passed us on 21 October 1954. The source of these reports is [] and they deal with the frauds which were discovered in the West Berlin paper 'Telegraf'. In these reports it is stated that Hilde BLUM was of great aid to Arno SCHOLZ, the publisher of the Telegraf, in obtaining American support for the newspaper. BLUM is alleged by [] to have worked for Americans in Frankfurt. For her services BLUM was made an editor of the Telegraf and then appointed the Bonn correspondent of the Telegraf. She is married to Dr. PURWIN, who was exposed as a fraud by Otto STOLZ. According to STOLZ, PURWIN was not entitled to call himself a doctor and PURWIN was not his true name. STOLZ also claimed that Hilde BLUM was the former mistress of Count CIANO. We have no way of evaluating this information but wish to point out that [] reporting on the Telegraf frauds, in which he was deeply involved, would of necessity be colored. A copy of the part of the [] report pertaining to PURWIN and BLUM is forwarded herewith.

2. Our files also contain attachment to EGIA-4021, 9 June 1953, a trace request from the BFV on Dr. Carl Heinz PURWIN, and a trace reply from UPHILL to the BFV per attachment to EGIA-4190, 24 June 1953. These attachments were teletype messages between UPHILL and the BFV, and the trace reply indicated that PURWIN was not well-liked generally, was of dubious character, a former KPD member, and presently a left-wing SPD member.

3. EE: We assume [] listed as Headquarters file number in reference, is for Hildegard WECK nee BEETZ, born 12 December 1915 and that Subject of reference, Hildegard PURWIN nee BURKHARDT, born 16 September 1919 in Oberrissa, has according to Headquarters [] Listing. Please advise.

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Approved: []

Attachment: Portion of [] Report

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