

TO : Mr. V. 27 November, 1951
FROM : Mr. H.M. []
SUBJECT : Friedrich (Gottlieb?) CARSTEN, born on 26/7/06 at KIEL
Present address : Holtzauer Str. 160/II, KIEL

According to the official records Subject's first name is not "Gottlieb" (as on list # 5) but "Friedrich". Other data - birthdate, birthplace and address match with the information given on list # 5.

On the registration form Subject has shown his profession as a businessman (Kaufmann). For the time being Subject is employed as a bookkeeper with the firm "VORECK & Co", Karlstrasse, KIEL. His immediate superior, a certain Mr. SCHNEIDER, told that Subject has been a satisfactory employee, but is rather conservative and does not like new ideas and methods in his work. Towards other employees Subject keeps a "reserved position" - friendly but official. Earlier, before the war, Subject had also been a painter's apprentice for some time, and later an office worker.

During the Hitler regime, Subject was seen in the gray SS uniform. He was an officer in the SS (SS-Fuhrer; rank not known) and stationed at BERLIN. Several people who know his parents very well, have heard from his mother that Subject was a functionary of the SD (Sicherheitsdienst) and had a rather important position. In connection with his duties Subject had then visited several foreign countries.

After the capitulation of Germany, Subject was arrested and sent into the Internment Camp at NEUENGAMME, where he was held till 1/5/48.

Subject had been a fanatical nazi, and even now one can observe, and see, in him a typical former "SS-Fuhrer". One of his characteristic line is that he does not give any consideration to people who are dependent of him. It is known that Subject had a number of mix quarrels with his own father (died about 1,5 years ago) and mother. People living in her mother's house in Beseler Allee 67, KIEL, describe him as an arrogant and stupidly proud character. During the nazi time he "hardly saw them" and never accepted a greeting.

Subject is married for a second time. His present wife is Irma CARSTEN (nee BOELITZ). There is no information available about his first wife. With his present wife Subject lives a quiet family life. No parties. No drinking.

Subject has been very careful in expressing his present political attitude. In several cases, talking to his acquaintances, he has proudly stressed the fact that he is a former "SS-Fuhrer", hinting that this was the best time in his life. For the present time he does not belong to any political party or organization.

At KIEL Subject does not have any near friends. It is known that he was a personal friend of the former SD & SS Oberfuhrer WILLICH and Criminal Director LOELGEN (SS Sturmbannfuhrer). Whether he has any contact with them for the present time is not known.

Subject will be terminated effective 1st or 15th December, 1951, while the firm he is working for is cutting its personnel. He has mentioned that he does not have any plans for future, but if possible would like to join the new German Army.

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