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NAZI WAR CRIMES DISCLOSURE ACT
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BFO-888

20 March 1954

TO : 841

FROM : 870

REF. : Arwed FLECEL @ Alfred FRIEDEMANN ✓

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1. On 17 March 1954 at 1030 hours, subject voluntarily appeared at GCIS and stated that he wished to be placed in contact with a CIC officer. Field Comment. Subject was acting under orders of Helmut OHLBRECHT, his firm leader. Both OHLBRECHT and subject expected subject would be placed in contact with 870 who is known to both though not by name because of previous encounter described in reference.

2. Subject was placed in contact with a bona fide CIC officer by GCIS. The CIC officer's name is fnu KIEFER. KIEFER apparently interviewed subject for approximately an hour. Subject according to CIC then offered the attached Aktennotiz as an explanation of his activity and as an indication of good faith.

3. At 1640 hours 17 March 1954, 870 Red was notified by CIC that subject was being held at GCIS for the purpose of identification. 870 Red appeared at GCIS at 1655 hours at which time subject gave his emergency number as HTB 757.

4. Subject indicated that on 15 March 1954, an unidentified man appeared at the residence of Frau Katherina AHRENS, Am Fichtenberg 10, Berlin Steglitz and stated to her that he was known to Dr. Jack HENRY, Innestrasse 72, Berlin Zehlendorf. Dr HENRY is the family doctor of the AHRENS family. The unidentified man apparently gave no name but explained he was from the Amt BLANK and understood that Dr. WULZ, a general in the VOPO might be known to her as the AHRENS family and the WULZ family were close to each other for a long time although apparently they now have no connection. Frau AHRENS became suspicious and requested the unidentified man to return at a later date. Frau AHRENS then called Dr. HENRY to see if the doctor knew anything about the unidentified man. Dr. HENRY disclaimed any knowledge. Apparently he had sent no man to the AHRENS house hold. Subject mentioned in passing that Frau AHRENS had been connected with the British Intelligence Service in 1951 but assumed the connection had been severed.

5. Subject stated that Dr. HENRY had been an employee of the Personnel Section at McNair Barracks, Berlin in 1947 and 1948. Subject added that Dr. HENRY also was an instructor of bacteriology at Rubertkock Institute in West Berlin presumably during 1949. In 1950, Dr. HENRY visited the United States and worked with Dr. fnu

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DEL RUECK in the United States. Dr. DEL RUECK allegedly was employed at an atomic energy plant in America. Subject could not identify the location of the plant. Subject also stated that Dr. HENRY had given lectures at many universities in the United States but could not remember the names of the universities. Dr. HENRY is allegedly a cousin of Frau MARBACK who is or was connected with the German Merchant Marine. Subject concluded with a statement to the effect that he believed Dr. HENRY was working for the Communists but gave no reason for the allegation. Field Comment. Wolfgang Jack HENRY Dr. med. prakt. Arzt Dahlem Ihnestrasse 72 is listed in the west Berlin telephone directory as having telephone number 76 47 22.

6. 870 Red processed the Ausweise of subject and contacted @ KUECHLER for a more positive identification as subject's emergency number still was not listed in the number book. 870 Red mentioned to @ KUECHLER that MOMMSEN could identify subject as he had seen him on the previous occasion referred to in the reference. @ MOMMSEN went with 870 Red to a rendezvous where MOMMSEN vouched for subject, and 870 Red consequently released subject. At 1845 hours 17 March 1954, 870 Red notified CIC that subject had been released and indicated that subject was an SDU agent.

7. At 0930 hours 18 March 1954, 870 Red contacted CIC and asked whether they were still in possession of an Aktennotiz which subject indicated he had given to KIEFER. CIC replied in the affirmative and surrendered the documents.

8. On 18 March 1954, @ KUECHLER discussed the incident with 870 Red in an effort to clarify details. KUECHLER's account of the incident substantiated 870 Red's account with the following exceptions or additions:

a. After Frau AHRENS called Dr. HENRY concerning the visit of the unidentified man allegedly sent by Dr. HENRY, Dr. HENRY called Helmut OHLBRECHT and requested information concerning the incident.

b. OHLBRECHT intended to have the unknown man investigated and to facilitate the investigation, OHLBRECHT presumably instructed subject to notify 870 at GCIS that he (OHLBRECHT) planned a meeting for 18 March 1954 at 1030 hours at the restaurant ULKE which is located at the corner of Stierstrasse and Hauptstrasse. OHLBRECHT intended that the unidentified man, subject, Frau AHRENS and 870 would be present.

c. According to @ KUECHLER, a meeting is still to take place between the unidentified man and Frau AHRENS. A report of the meeting will be made by Frau AHRENS to subject.

9. KUECHLER indicated to 870 on 19 March that the unidentified man referred to above was Franz DASSUI who resides at Possweg 7 Berlin Zehlendorf. DASSUI is a known homosexual and a deserter from the German Wehrmacht. @ KUECHLER also indicated that DASSUI was definitely not employed by Ant BLANK, but that DASSUI was a member of the KGU organization and was dropped by them approximately six months ago.

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10. The initiative in the case is again in Org
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