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BIOGRAPHIC DATA		CREATOR	PROTO	PER DES
3. NAME <b>LAUNACS, Freds Ziedonis</b>		2-153342		
2A. VARIANTS See attachment #1		1. CASE NO.		
		3. DATE OF BIRTH 1919		
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4. CITIZENSHIP/NATIONALITY US/Latvian				
5. OCCUPATION (QUALIFICATION)/KNOWLEDGEABILITY (CAPACITY)/LANGUAGE FACILITY Contract Employee Briefing repatriates; translating and compiling info from mail intercepts. Consultant-planner, instructor, spotter and recruiter.  Area Knowledgeability: Latvia (terrain and general conditions), and general conditions of Sweden, Germany, and Spain.  Lang: Latvian (native); Swedish (fair); English (fair); German (fair).				
6. LOCATION/INDICATOR/DATE/ADDRESS INDICATOR 8 Nov 58 to date - Germany, Frankfurt (FOB) 1952 - 1958 - USA (Employed by the Agency under Projects AECOB and AEMARSH as a consultant-planner, instructor, spotter and recruiter of potential REISKX and REISKIN agents; translated and compiled information from mail intercepts, and rearranged a recent Riga Telephone Directory according to the streets and street numbers. 1951 - 1952 - Germany (resided and traveled in area while working for the Agency as a consultant and planner for AECOB training and operations. 1945 - 1951 - Sweden 1919 - 1945 - Latvia				
7. VULNERABILITY 1955-1956 - Spain (TBY for Agency to activate Latvian language broadcasts over Radio Nacional in Madrid). 1957 (June-Sept) - Assigned to PROB under Project AEMARSH as a P/A to spot and recruit REISKIN potentials.				
8. SPECIAL CATEGORY				
9. REMARKS (With dates when applicable)				
POB Vecpiebalga, Latvia		MILITARY SERVICE		
ADDRESS				
PHONE NO.		1922-1933 - Elem. School of Baldri, Latvia 1933-1938 - Second Municipal Gymnasium of Riga. 1938-1939 - Univ of Latvia (Riga) - Riga. Major: Agriculture 1939-1941 - Academy of Agriculture (Jelgava) Major: Agriculture (Three semesters)		
PASSPORT NO.				
Wife: Tamara nee Dancis b 18 Oct 18 - Vitrupe, Latvia - married 9 Apr 44, Riga. (Employed as dentist at Public Health Institution in Sweden (municipal) from Jan 47 - Mar 52.) S: Valdis Antons b 1945 in Latvia. D: Laima Kristina b 1948 in Latvia.		HONORS		
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Attachment #1

2a. VARIANTS

CHURGIN, Raymond S. (present P)  
LAUNAGS, Alfreds  
VANAGS, Alfreds (penname in 1950)  
GANGIS, Alfreds  
JANSON, Arnold (alias)  
COLTEDDE, Louis G.  
TAURENS, P. (penname in 1952)  
CAMBARO/1  
LAGZDINS, Alfreds (during the mission in Spain 1955/56)  
AERAWKEYE/1  
HAHN, Cleveland O.

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