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3. UJDREADFUL

Leader of a ZIPPER sub-unit conducting operations into Czechoslovakia, UJDREADFUL was not under any suspicion and was considered one of the more successful operations men until through something of a fluke, POB maneuvered him into a "routine" LCFLUTTER test, merely on the theory that we should have fluttered as many ZIPPER members as possible. According to thorough evaluation by several experts, UJDREADFUL's LCFLUTTER result is just about as thorough an indication of employment by a hostile intelligence service as can be obtained through use of the device. Since this first shadow fell upon UJDREADFUL innumerable suspicious items have been discovered, though none are actually incriminating. Eventually confronted by ZIPPER with the test results, UJDREADFUL, by an unexplained sickness which almost immediately seized him, effectively delayed interrogation efforts for months. Meanwhile, intercepts showed UJDREADFUL to be increasingly active in questionable east/west trading activities. Although latest word from ZIPPER is that UJDREADFUL has only just recovered from his illness and returned to duty, POB has independent information indicating he has recently been on ostensible business trips behind the iron curtain. We are double checking our sources and have not as yet pointed this matter out to ZIPPER. Therefore, we do not know whether ZIPPER is in fact aware of the alleged trips. This case in particular demonstrates ZIPPER's need for POB cooperation in clearing up a staff security matter, contrasted with their natural desire to wash their own dirty linen without our observing the process.

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