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French sponsored MHBK activity

According to Capt. Korponay: *July 51* *This paper passed by [] 31 Oct 1951*
Opport Sections: Gen. Andras ZAKO Absam, Solbad-Hall.
Col. Lajos NADAS alleged to be opposing Z.
Gen. Bela NEKO, Administration
Maj. Albin KAPITANY, Chief CI
Capt. Janos ZOLTAY, new, replacement for
Korponay, TB, alleged to oppose Z.

Clandestine Section, Lnaenargen near Lindau

Major Oliver LOVASZ C.O. replaced Bela VERYES Capt. who was discharged because of *an* *em* *ical* *behaviour* to Zako. Lovasz lived since end of WWII in France, has no experience as I Officer, was picked by French and works only since a few months.

Capt. Pal DARNOY, in charge of Files, old Zeko man

Capt. Laszlo BERTHOOTHY in charge of Intelligence Collection, Has no experience, will be discharged according to K.

Capt. Ervin HOLLOSZ and
Lt. Ervin GEVAY are in charge of agent training

Lt. Jeno BODY a recent addition, lived in France since end of WWII and was assigned as adjutant of LOVASZ

Col. Bela KATO, interpreter

Case Officers: Capt. Andras BAK and Lt. Peter BREZNAVY in France
Lt. Col. Sendor Gero DEMY, Vienna
Lt. Col. Geza NAGY, Graz (Radio monitoring)
Police Lt. Col. Arpad KOCSIS, Munich.

Main duty of case officers is recruitment of agents.

Lindau staff has now 8 agents under training.

Plan is to enlarge staff to 20. Among these will be Commo expert, Airforce and RR experts, Black propaganda

Agent training in Hotels lasting 6-8 weeks. 18 couriers dispatched this year but accomplished nothing in Hungary.

Korponay claims that ZAKO is actively leading the Clandestine Section, but French are obviously set to wean this section away from Z. control.

No mention was made in K report of Jozsef VEGH who is debriefing escapees for Zako in British Zone, Mahoty in Salzburg, Danko in Linz, Rednocy in Munich.

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