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DATE: 30 September 1947

TO : FBM  
FROM : Chief of Station, Heidelberg  
SUBJECT: Operations  
REF : MGMA-133, *attached*.

*ARAD, Polz*

1. In passing CARRYALL's rather pathetic memorandum on to you, I should like to emphasize at once that CARRYALL has by no means gone sour. He understands that, although his situation is admittedly a difficult one, all hands are at work trying to stabilize him for a long career of productive work with us.

2. *F* I and I had a long conversation with CARRYALL when I was in Munich last week. We assured him that everything was being done in Washington to expedite the issuance of his entry visa. I am hopeful that your answer to our 1740 will calm his mind in this respect. *L* I went on to point out that he can provide sound, temporary cover for CARRYALL through the G-2 of the First Military District in Bad Tolz. When the question of CARRYALL's ultimate cover with the organization came up, I argued strongly against journalism and suggested as an alternative a job as a publisher's literary agent.

3. I would appreciate having your comment on this latter point. As far as we can judge, it is the perfect solution to CARRYALL's problem. His long experience as a writer and editor has provided him with a natural aptitude for this type of work and a raft of acquaintances whom he could exploit in carrying out the legitimate side of his cover. He could be domiciled in any of the free western countries and could travel at will, doing his work for us.

4. Not knowing much about the publishing world, the only suggestion I can make is that he not be associated with Sheed and Ward. Whether he should represent a big name firm (if this is at all possible) or should be employed by an agent or a small firm is a matter best left to your discretion.

5. The foregoing is submitted for two reasons. First, it

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is not too early to begin planning CARRYALL's future. Second, an indication of your interest in his future will assist us in pulling him through this difficult period.

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