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"f. As the last sentence of the ref cable, there has been, of course, no mixed commission to study the statute dealing with German Foreign Relations. From that, follows that members of such a commission were not named on 29 August, as alleged in the report submitted by **SECRET**.

"g. I think few of us had any doubts that the **SECRET** reports were the results of an extensive paper-mill. With reference to the report in question, it is obvious that such a report could be put together by anybody who reads German newspapers and follows Bonn political developments. By stating certain known facts and making a number of conjectures, the author may, with some luck, produce a report which, while completely false, is nevertheless sounds inherently probable.

"h. With our very limited personnel resources we should not waste any time in chasing after phantasies. I am frankly astonished with paragraph 3, **MGX-W-11782**, which seeks 'objective information on **SECRET**'s capabilities which will allow an accurate decision on his usefulness'. In my opinion he sticks from 'way back' and I think we should try to eliminate whatever high-level interest there may be in his activities."

3. **KARLF 4378** reported to you the present status of this case. The next meeting with the British is now scheduled for 21 January. **WASBY 22311** has been received. We shall probably give the matter to the **hIV** but exactly how this is to be accomplished will bear careful consideration.

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