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Memorandum

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Action : Opening New Case
Requested by : Huefner
Division : EE/SO
File Number :
Case Title :

① MAST, Baron Heinrich von
aka MAST, Harry

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SOURCE METHOD EXEMPTION 3028
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Born: 26 December 1897 in Linz/Donau, Austria.

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SUBJECT: Baron Heinrich (Harry) WST

1. Subject is reported to be selling spurious intelligence reports to various intelligence agencies in Austria.

2. The following data are available concerning WST: Born 26 December 1897 in Linz, Austria. Austrian citizen. Served in both World War I and World War II. He has worked as a writer, an insurance salesman and an office employee of the Landkrankengasse and Zentralberatungsstelle fur Volksdeutsche in Linz. The subject matter of his reports includes KPOc activities, especially Communist sabotage organizations among the Federal Railroad personnel which he identifies as "Rollkommandos," "Parteischutz," "Verwendungsgruppen," etc. The reports contain very little factual information but deal in large amounts of irrelevant detail which lend an air of authenticity.

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SUBJECT: Heinrich MAST

1. Heinrich MAST, son of Wilhelm MAST and Hermine MAST, was born on 26 December 1897 at Lins, Austria. Subject was married in 1925 to Martha ROCCABONA, they have a son, George, who was born in 1930.

2. Subject served from February 1912 until the end of the end of the last war in military service as a private in the Landesschützen Reserve Battalion in Hainburg, Austria and later became a sergeant in the artillery. He was supposed to have organized a resistance movement in his unit in 1914 at Olmütz, Germany, which cooperated with the Czech Freedom movement.

3. After his military service came to a close, Subject in 1917 worked for the Landestelle for upper Austria of the Zentralberatungsstelle fuer Volksdeutsche in Lins. Later in 1918, he worked for the Universum Publishing House.

4. Before World War II, Subject took an active part in the Legitimist movement from 1918 to 1922; he also maintained contact with National and National-Socialist circles. Sometime around 1936, he was arrested by the Austrian police due to his collaboration with the Christian-Socialist party which called upon him in 1935 to prepare information reports on the illegal NSDAP (NAZI) party. Subject had gained the confidence of many of the leading members of the NSDAP party and passed all pertinent information to his contacts in the Christian-Socialist party for monetary reward. While in prison he revealed details of the information work he was performing, which resulted in the arrest of other members of the Christian-Socialist party. Subject was tried and sentenced to two years in prison; he was released in February 1938. In March 1938 he was re-arrested by the Nazis for revealing party secrets, but was freed in August 1938 owing to the fact that he had not been a member of the NSDAP and could not be indicted.

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MAST, Harry, Baron MGLA 1586 7 Apr 50; USAGE contact. Intelli. agent. MGLA-4415 13 Dec. 50; Subj. mentioned under (c) of MGLA-3935/6 is id/w the person listed in MGLA-1586, appendix O-8. Subj submitted thru Karmel to [] [] MAV 2869, 2782, reports on Dr. Iver Nagy. MGLA-9626, 14 Dec. 51; Active member of BV S. See alpha file for more info. MGLA-8576 15 Oct 51, lives in Linz, Austrian citizen; married, born 26 Dec. 1897, Mil. Academy grad. Lt in WW I, on intelligence staff of "Ronge", until 1938 active in intel. work as "Aek" in Munich served under Colonel Maragna-Redwitz. Writer. Recruited by Dr. Schaefer in 1947 & served since as chief of UV. "Harry Mader".

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PERTINENT INFORMATION: Heinrich MAST, 5300

MGKA-9958, 2 Aug 49; Hauptresidentur of Org. 4913. --, Ob Oesterr, Ob. Oestr III Pol
MGLA-3972, 8 Nov 50; Source of MGL-6724 and MGL-7095; MGLA-3935 7 Nov. 50
5300--Austrian, former officer in Royal Austrian Army, experienced ND man,
novelist. Has worked for the organization since summer of 1947. Head of
sub-agency "Linz" Pay 2000(including travel cost).
MGLA-3936 7 Nov. 50; Identity of 5300--von MAST, fnu, lives Salzburg
MGLA-3952 7 Nov. 50; Alias of 5300 - Egbert and Mader
MGLA-4422 14 Dec. 50; 14 Dec 50; Source of MGL-10131, 10135, 10207, 10205,
10248, 10247.
MGLA-5152 contains biography(Usage file)
MASA 211 5 Feb 1951; Discovered that Case Officer Karnel's (source 6) rpts were
falling into hands of subj.
MAV-2558, 5 Mar 51; Cover sheet to attached raw report states that the report
follows the pattern of fabricated KPOe reports received through []
chief case officer, that this report was submitted by Case Officer Karnel
(subsource 6), who had obtained the material from Harry MAST, a Zipper man.
(Note: MASA-211 reported the reverse.)
MASA-294, 1 Mar. 51; In re MAST-Karnel tie-up, [] explained that Case
Officer Karnel occasionally conducts police checks for Zipper agent Heinrich
MAST in exchange for info. Accdg to Karnel, MAST is interested in political
info only, net mil data. MAST stated openly to Karnel that he works for an
American unit in Frankfurt/Main, identified as TIB, through an American officer
in Salzburg. MAST is known to have excellent contacts among Austrian rail-
road workers. MAST is reporting thru [] Opera; thru this channel has
produced MAV-2687; 2681; 2680 30 Apr 51...
MGLA-8899 1 Nov 51; Bern 26 December 1897, Austrian citizen, lives in Linz;
writer; Lt. in WWI Member of Zipper BVS.
MGLA-8576, 15 Oct. 51; Lives in Linz. Academy grad. Lt. in WW I, on intelligence
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MGLA-9626, 14 Dec. 51; Active member of BV S. See alphas file for more info/

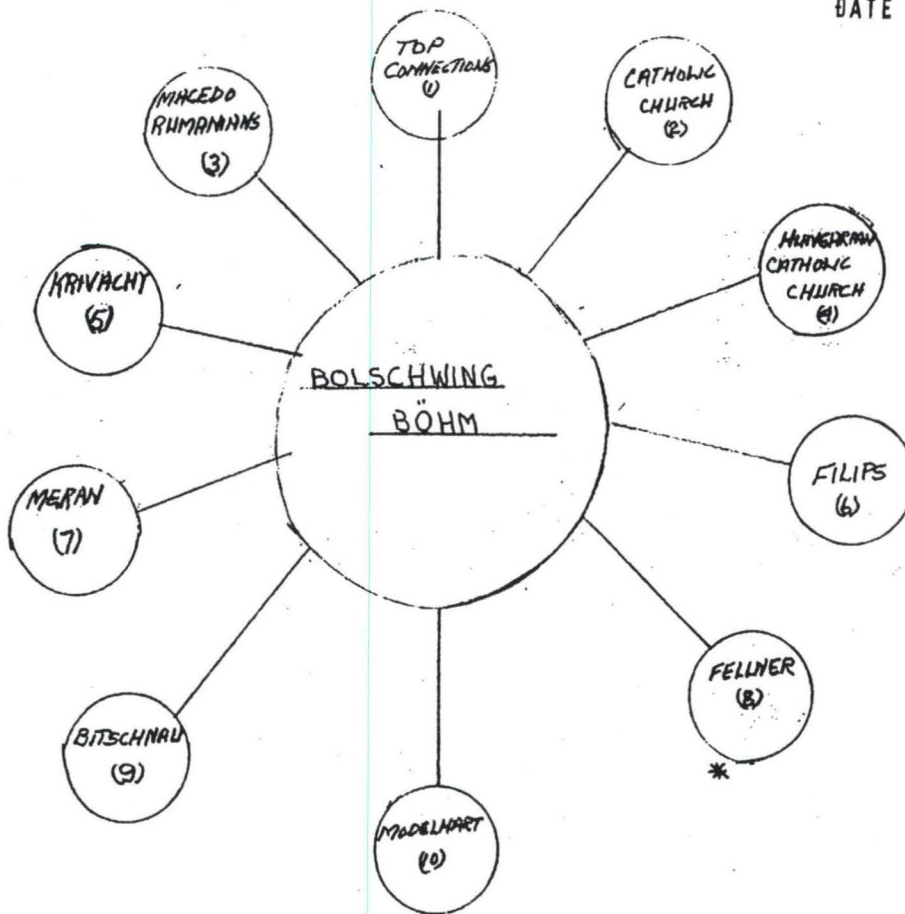
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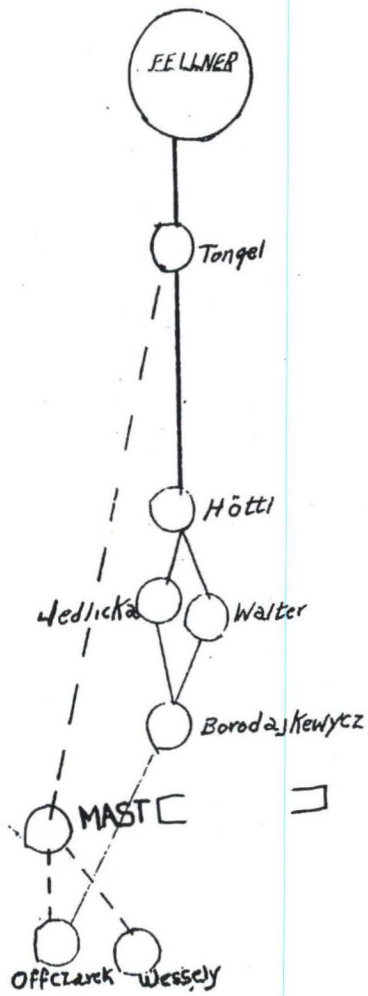
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* Subject of [] falls into this intelligence category.
 SEE FLOW CHART NO. B To determine subject's part in the intelligence picture.

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CHART NO. 8



This is only a small portion of chart 8.

PORTIONS of chart applying to

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MGLA-9626 Active member of BV S. See alphas file for more info/
14 Dec 51

MAST, Harry, Baron MGLA 1586
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MGLA-4415 13 Dec 50
Subj. mentioned under (c) of MGLA-
3935/6 is id/w the person listed
in MGLA-1586, appendix O-8.

Subj submitted thru Karnel to
Grasper 9 MAY 2869, 2782, reports
on Dr. Ivor MAGY.

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MAST, Heinrich

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2 Aug 49

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Has worked for the organization since summer of 1947. Head of sub-agency "LINZ".
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MGLA-3952 7 Nov 50

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PERTINENT INFORMATION:

Sub-Annex 0-8

Alphabetical List Accompanying Chart #8

Page 1.
 MAST, Baron Harry Intelligence agent Category 5(3)***

Sub-Annex 0-13

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NAME	CHART	DESCRIPTION
MAST, Harry, Baron	(8)	Intelligence Agent

*** The keys to the Category Numbering System that refer specifically to the subject follow: Category 5. Competitive and/or enemy personnel or indifferent personalities.

Category 3. Personalities who from time to time are contacted either for formulating opinions or verifying or establishing intelligence information.

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Subject: Josef Durfeld			Date 27 Oct. 52	

PERTINENT INFORMATION:

PAGE 2. Para. 7. An inquiry in G-2 revealed that Berger is or has been in touch with the Harry MAST group in Innsbruck, the Kurt Wessely group in Inns, with a

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Subject: Agents and Informants--Pullach			Date	24 October 52

PERTINENT INFORMATION:

ZIPPER- GV A - Further Identifications of Personalities in MGLA-3935

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Operational Matters--Pullach			24 Oct. 52	

PERTINENT INFORMATION:

1. The following persons are members of the staff of District Agency "Austria", the CE/CI group of GV A:

.....
 c. #5300 - Austrian, former officer in the Royal Austrian Army, experienced ND man, novelist. Has worked for the organization since summer of 1947. Head of sub-agency "Linz".

Pay: 2000(including travel Rent:--- cost)

Expenses:-----

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PERTINENT INFORMATION:

ZIPPER- GV A - Identities of persons in MGLA-3935

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c. von MASZ, fnu, lives Salzburg.

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The following information concerning sources of CI Reports submitted during past months was extracted in the editing process from the original German draft. As you undoubtedly know, information of this type on Zipper Reports is very scant and in some cases non-existent; however, in the future, all such information which becomes available to us will be forwarded on a periodic basis. This is in accordance with a verbal request by on 17 October 1950.

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7. Dezember 1950

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O ACTIVITIES OF HARRY MAST, AUSTRIA

Betr.: ÖSTERREICHISCHE POLIZEIMELDUNG ÜBER DIE TÄTIGKEIT
VON HARRY MAST

Zeit des Vorgangs: Ende November 1950

Eingang hier : 7.12.1950

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1. Der Österreichischen Staatspolizei (Generaldirektion für die Öffentliche Sicherheit im Bundesministerium für Inneres) liegt die im folgenden ohne sachliche Änderung wieder-gegebene Meldung über die Tätigkeit des Linzer Hauptvertreters der G-Organisation, Baron Harry MAST, vor:

2 "Ein Baron v. MAST Linz, Betlehemstrasse 1b bei SCHWEIZER oder SCHWITZER wohnhaft, soll in direkter Verbindung mit der Armeeleitung in FRANKFURT stehen. Er versuchte, sich in die Zentralberatungsstelle für Flüchtlinge in LINZ einzuschleichen, wurde jedoch, nachdem man festgestellt hat, was der Grund seines Interesses war, wieder entlassen.

Bemerkenswert ist jedoch in diesem Zusammenhang die Tatsache, dass er verschiedene Leute der Zentralberatungsstelle bereits mit Beträgen bis zu 700 S bestochen hat, welche ihm die Anzahl der Leute mitteilen, die aus den verschiedenen Oststaaten nach LINZ und dergleichen ausziehen. Ferner legt er auch Interesse darauf zu erfahren, warum diese und jene Leute nicht nach ihren Heimatländern zurückkehren wollen und was ihre Gründe dafür sind. Ferner interessiert er sich für die Motive, wenn Leute besondere Wünsche betreffend ein bestimmtes Auswanderungsland äussern.

Er hat ständig grössere Geldsummen für seine verschiedenen Zwecke zur Verfügung."

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Mast
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13 December 1950

Chief of Station, Karlsruhe

Chief, POB

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MGK-A-24280 (*not & FBI*)

1. Subject mentioned under (c) ^{*van MAST*} of MGL-A-3935/6 is identical with the person listed in MGL-A-1586, appendix C-8.

2. Subject, who uses also Heinrich as his first name, lives actually in LINZ, Landstrasse; he is, however, spending much time in Salzburg, since he works for A/III, see (a) of MGL-A-3935.

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Agents & Informants--Austria			27 October 52	

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1. is still working on setting his house in order:

.....

b. It was discovered that Case Officer Karnel's (source 6) reports were falling into the hands of Baron Heinrich MAST. Karnel suspects that Case Officer Zoebel (source 2), who has access to the files, is responsible. Both Karnel and Zoebel maintain contact with MAST. Karnel also suspects that some of the reports emanating from Grasper 9's office are being given to a man named..... (MAST and Kainzl, are, or were, on the Zipper payroll; we are checking with the local Zipper representative.)

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Chief, POB

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GVA - EAST, Heinrich

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Ref. MGL-A-4415 - *MAST*

1. The following data was extracted from information supplied by It is based on a Lebenslauf, submitted by MAST in June 1947 to the Bundespolizeidirektion Linz, and on some letters from the Police files in Linz.

a. Background info :

- Date of birth : 26 December 1897; birth place LINZ/Donau.
- Nationality : Austrian
- Father : Wilhelm MAST, regular army officer; last assignment as Colonel with Infantry Regiment 95; died in Innsbruck in 1917.
- Mother : Hermine MAST, nee Tschurtschentaler-Helmheim, living at present in Hall/Tyrol, Gilmstr. 4.
- Wife : Martha MAST, nee Rocabona; married 1925; was registered in 1947 as living at Solbad Hall/Tyrol.
- Son : Georg MAST, student, born 1930.

- b. Education : 5 years elementary school in East Galicia; 7 years intermediate school in Innsbruck (Matura certificate); Attended subsequently K.K.Franz Josefsakademie until the end of 1915; 1921-1923 student at philosophical Faculty of University Innsbruck.

- c. Military career: Volunteered for military service at end of 1915; was assigned to the 1st Tyrolean Royal Regiment; Sent to front in summer 1916; Transferred in 1917 to the 4th Dragoon Regiment, Wels; 1918, at close of war, in Kitzbuehel, released subsequently from army with rank of Lt.

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Mast

c. Military career:
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From Feb 1942 until end of war in compulsory military service, first as a private in the Landesschuetzen Reserve Battalion in Hainburg, later as technical sergeant in a light artillery unit. (His old Austrian rank of Lt. was not recognized).

In 1944, MAAT allegedly organized a resistance movement in his unit in Olmuetz, which cooperated actively with the Czech Freedom movement.

d. Professional career:

Joined the Insurance Company Universale in Innsbruck in 1923 as a field agent; transferred later to the Insurance Company Providenzia, and worked between 1928 and 1930 for the Bundeslaenderversicherungsanstalt, Landesstelle Tyrol, in Innsbruck.

From 1930 to Feb 1937 wrote articles for various Austrian newspapers on Austrian history, army history, science and politics.

Unemployed after August 1938 (period unspecified).

Worked prior to Feb 1942 (date of induction into army) in the Landkrankenkaese Tyrol in Innsbruck (period unspecified).

Employed in 1947 by the Landesstelle for Upper Austria of the Zentralberatungsstelle fuer Volksdeutsche in Linz, Seilerstaette 14.

In 1948, agent for Universum Publishing House, Reimers Dr. Schott.

e. Political entanglements:

Subject was brought up in the Christian-conservative tradition. He belonged from 1918 until the death of emperor Charles I to the Legitimist movement, for which he also wrote articles. He remained in contact with this group, without, however, taking an active part in it. He also maintained contact to national and national-socialist circles.

In autumn 1933, subject was approached by persons belonging to right-wing circles of the Christian-socialist party, as for instance by Col. Laumgarten, Lt.-Col. Freisauf, Major Rodler, Captain Lominix, (former army officers, living in Innsbruck), and was asked to keep them informed about what was going on.

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on in the illegal NSDAP circles.

MAST, thereupon, entered into closer contacts to leading NSDAP personalities and managed to gain their confidence, although he never became a member of the party or its affiliations. Among his close contacts were CHRISTOPH, the "Gau" leader of Tyrol, Dr. DENZ, the future Major of Innsbruck, Dr. Rudolf ROLNER, head of the illegal party news service, and engineer SCHUELLER, head of the party's information service (Nachrichtendienst).

At the end of 1934 or the beginning of 1935, subject was asked by SCHUELLER to evaluate and comment upon certain reports referring to political and economic matters, as well as to army politics. All information of interest, contained in these reports, was passed on by MAST to his contacts in the Christian-Socialist party, by whom he was paid 50 - 100 Schillings a month.

MAST was arrested by the Austrian Police in HALL (date not given). At the time of his arrest, subject was working on one of the NSDAP reports. He disclosed during his interrogation by the authorities in Innsbruck that all NSDAP reports had been given him by engineer SCHUELLER, who thereupon was arrested. Subject also told all that he knew about the NSDAP set-up in the Tyrol.

During his internment, subject received several threatening letters, from which it became apparent that members of the illegal NSDAP had been informed about the disclosures he had made. CHRISTOPH, the illegal Gau leader, advised him to retract his statements, particularly the one referring to SCHUELLER, or else he could expect of being tried by the "Feme" after his release from prison. The NSDAP also tried to have him examined by a psychiatrist, hoping that he might be declared incompetent.

Subject, fearing for his own safety and that of his family, withdrew his statements. The prosecutor, thereupon, raised his sentence from 10 months to two years; following the amnesty law, subject was, however, released before expiration of his sentence, namely on 19 Feb 1938.

He was rearrested by the GESTAPO on 16 March 1938 and charged with the betrayal of party secrets; he was released on 21 August 1938, since he could not be indicted, owing to the fact that he had never been a party member. He was, however, expelled from the Writers Guild (Reichsschrifttum), which meant that subject was unable to continue in his profession as a writer. He lived for a period in such straitened circumstances that he was forced to apply for public assistance.

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F. Incident: Subject was arrested on 18 August 1948 on suspicion of assault with intend to rob. He was released a few hours later, together with his female companion when it became apparent that it had been a case of mistaken identity. Subject, homeward bound after a drinking spree, grabbed a woman, whom, in the darkness, he believed to be his companion, from which he had become temporarily separated. The screams of the frightened woman attracted the attention of a watchman, who held subject until the police arrived. (This incident is mentioned in several lengthy reports at Police Hqs).

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Subject: MEETING WITH <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>			Date 28 October 52	

PERTINENT INFORMATION:

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(6) Concerning the Karnel-MAST tie-up, Grasper 9 explained that Case officer Karnel occasionally conducts Police checks for Zipper Agent Heinrich MAST in exchange for information. According to Karnel, MAST is interested in political information only, not military data. MAST interested, stated openly to Karnel that he works for an American unit in Frankfurt a/Main, identified as TIB, through an American officer in Salzburg. MAST is known to have excellent contacts among Austrian railroad workers.

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Subject:			Date	
Communist Railroad Sabotage Organization in Austria.			27 October 52	

PERTINENT INFORMATION:

We are forwarding the attached report raw because it follows the pattern of fabricated KPOe reports previously received through Grasper 9's chief case officer Peter @ perle. This report was submitted by case officer Karnel (subsource 6), who had obtained the material from Harry MAST, a Zipper man.

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6-6-2-3401	MASA-365	29 Mar. 51	[]	[]
Subject:			Date	
Austrian Railroad Pers. Reports Pertaining to Communist Activity Among			28 October 52	

PERTINENT INFORMATION:

1. In the last six weeks reports have been received from various sources which pertain to alleged Communist sabotage organizations among Austrian Federal Railroad personnel. The first such report was received from Grasper 9's subsource, Baron Harry MAST, who also works for Zipper. According to MAST, the Sabotage Organization's Headquarters is located in Amstetten. MAST's report contained a lot of so-called detail, such as:....
..... The report, however, had little factual information to offer on personnel assigned to the sabotage organization, channels of communications, and other important aspects. It must be assumed that if MAST is so well acquainted with the geographic details of the sabotage organization, he must be equally well informed on personnel and communications. His reticence in the latter points can plausibly be explained by the fact that it is more convenient to fabricate uncheckable stories than checkable ones.
2. A few weeks after MAST's report, another [] subsource, Case Officer Baldinger, obtained similar information from an unidentified informant.

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File No. 6-7-17-21	Source MAV-2869	Date of Document 12 June 51	Analyst []	
Subject: Activities of Dr. Iver Nagy			Date 27 Oct. 52	

PERTINENT INFORMATION:

- Attached are two reports in the German language, submitted to [] by his subsource Karnel, who in turn had obtained the information from Baron Harry MAST (Zipper agent). [] disseminated the information to Green greccpl. The report supplements information furnished by [] in MAV-2782.

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6-6-2-2401	MASA-536	18 June 51	[]
Subject:			Date	
Fabricator Harry Mast			27 Oct. 52	

PERTINENT INFORMATION:

1. During April-May 1951, a number of obviously fabricated reports have been received from [] subsource Baron Harry MAST, who is also connected with Zipper. MAST maintains contact with [] through case officer Karnel, who is either unaware of dubious nature of the MAST reports or collaborates with MAST in the peddling of the fabrications.
2. MAST's reports pertain to KPOe activities and he specializes in the inventing of imaginary KPOe organizations which are introduced in the colorful fabricator-jargon as "Rollkommandos", "Parteischutz", "Terror Organisationen", etc. MAST generally refrains from naming anyone connected with these organizations, but limits himself to nebulous references which cannot be verified. Two railroad employees repeatedly named by MAST as leaders of a sabotage group were subsequently investigated by the police, but no information substantiating MAST's allegations has come to light.
3. The MAST fabrications follow the pattern of the reports produced by the legendary Spindler, formerly [] subsource 40, unasmuch as a great deal of irrelevant detail and place names are used to lend an air of authenticity to the fabrications.
4. At the recommendation of the undersigned, [] will draw [] attention to MAST fabrications at the next meeting which will probably result in Baron MAST being deprived of at least one outlet for his fabrications, namely the Austrian Police. Since there is all reason to believe that MAST's reports channelled to Zipper are of the same quality the matter will also be brought to the attention of POB and [] the local Zipper representative.
5. Our reports from MAST, which the Austrian Police disseminated to Green-grocer 1 are attached. In view of their obviously fabricated contents they were not processed as information reports in the field. In view of the reportedly many connections of MAST, the same material, possibly slightly paraphrased, may reach Headquarters through different channels.

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SUBJECT: Baron Heinrich (Harry) MAST

1. Subject is reported to be selling fabricated intelligence reports to various intelligence agencies in Austria.
2. The following data are available concerning MAST: Born 26 December 1897 in Linz, Austria. Austrian citizen. Served in both World War I and World War II. Has worked as a writer, an insurance salesman and an office employee of the Landkreditbank and Zentralberatungstelle für Volkswirtschaft in Linz. The subject matter of his reports includes White activities, especially fictitious Communist sabotage organizations among Federal Railroad personnel which he identifies as "Rollkommandos", "Parteischutz", "Verwendungsgruppen", etc. The reports contain very little factual information but deal in large amounts of irrelevant detail which lend an air of authenticity.
3. In order to avoid false confirmation of spurious information, we should appreciate your labelling reports suspected of emanating from this source, and forwarding a copy to us.

Two RR employees reportedly named by MAST as leaders of a sabotage group were subsequently investigated by police but no info substantiating MAST's allegations has come to light.

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Subject:			Date	
Communist Editor Employed by APA in Linz			27 October 52	

PERTINENT INFORMATION:

FIELD COMMENT: The information given below was acquired by subsource, Karnel, from his informant, Harry MAST. Since MAST is suspected of fabricating information (See MAS-A-536), the report is forwarded with reservations. The Austrian police disseminated the information to Green-greer 1.

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6-6-2-3401	MAV-2988	9 Aug 51	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Subject: KPOe Plans for Railroad Sabotage			Date 28 October 52	

PERTINENT INFORMATION:

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2. The report was submitted to by his subsource Leo Maier, who in turn had obtained the information from an unidentified informant. It is believed that this unidentified informant might be identical with the fabricator Harry MAST (MASA-536) who specializes in reports on railroad sabotage activities

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Subject:			Date	
<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Progress Report for August 1951			28 October 52	

PERTINENT INFORMATION:

PAGE 2. Para. 9--- On the subject of Harry MAST's reports on the KPOe Rollkommandos, on which a query had been received from the Reports Section at Headquarters, was unable to promise much additional information, but submitted another report from MAST on KPOe activity in Voest.

PAGE 4. (q) Linz industrial firms containing Communist cells of more than 30 members; report from Baron Harry MAST via Karnel; 21 August 51. No other dissemination.

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6-6-2-3401	MAV-3053	6 Sept. 51	[]	
Subject:			Date	
KPOe Cells in Linz Plants			28 October 52	

PERTINENT INFORMATION:

- The Attached report originated with Harry MAST, suspected fabricator (MASX-536) and was passed to [] through case Officer Karnel. The Austrian Police did not disseminate the report.
- The report lists.....There is nothing in the report that would tend to substantiate the allegation that large KPOe cells exist at these plants.

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Subject:			Date	
KPOe Activities in Upper Austria			27 Oct. 52	

PERTINENT INFORMATION:

1. Attached are four reports on KPOe activities in Upper Austria, prepared by subsource Baron Harry MAST, suspected fabricator and subject of MASA-536. The reports of marginal interest if true, and furthermore not deserving of credence, are listed below:

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Subject: Dr. Julius Eigenbauer, Suspected Communist Activities			Date 27 Oct. 52	

PERTINENT INFORMATION:

FIELD COMMENT: Information contained in this report was furnished by subsource Karnel, who in turn obtained the material from Baron Harry MAST, suspected fabricator (MASA-536). The Austrian Police disseminated the information to Greengrocer 1.

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74-6-9-266	MGRW-10860	4 Oct. 51	[]	
Subject:			Date	
Zipper/Austrian CE Group			30 October 52	

PERTINENT INFORMATION:

1. Reference memo with attachment, not sent to POB, deals with a probably fabricated report on KPOE cells in Linz factories which originated with Harry MAST. The report, dated 21 August 1951, was passed to [] through case officer Karnel. Austrian police did not disseminate this report. MAST has in the past given Karnel other reports.

2. Copies of the memo and attachment are on file at the Salzburg. We cannot determine MAST's present status from our files, but assume that he still has contact with the Schaefer CE Group.

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BVS (SCHAEFER Organization)			27 October 52	

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3. In addition BVS also has some rather low-level CI sources most of them in the UV of V-5300. According to some reports which we have received the latter is somewhat of an intelligence peddler; we intend to maintain as close a check on his activities and connections as existing facilities permit. His sources are, for the most part, low paid and their reporting is used only operationally by ZIPPER, none of it being disseminated.

Analyst Comment: V-5300 is code for Heinrich von MAST

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Reference: MGK-W-10860

1. Re par. 2, Yes, V-5300 is an active member of BV S.
See # 11, MGLA-8756 and 8577.

2. We are asking ZIPPER for information on his contacts
and identification of his reports and we are urging, in "strongest"
terms, that he be dropped.

3. He has been observed (by a USAGE source, HH-1) meeting
Willi HOETTL, with whom Kurt WESSELY has also been observed in
camera.

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Most, Baron Harry

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IN 11359 (SALZ 238) 6 JAN 52

1. WILHELM HOETEL LATE DECEMBER APPROACHED GRUBSOME 201 STATING
SETTING UP MEDITERRANEAN INTELLIGENCE STRUCTURE FOR CAPOTE AND
ASKING 201 ACT AS CHIEF FOR ITALY AND NEAR EAST. INTRODUCED
BARON HARRY MOST AS HIS CHIEF OF STAFF AND SAID COLLABORATING
WITH OTTO LWE (SUSPECTED HERE TO BE USAGE) AND WITH FNU LANGEN.
 2. HOETEL STATED GERMAN DEFENSE MINISTRY TO BE ESTABLISHED
IN FIVE TO SIX MONTHS WITH SECURITY MATTERS UNDER BLANK. CAPOTE NOW
FOUNDING 1 SERVICE TO BE ACTIVATED WHEN MINISTRY FORMAL, IF
GRUBSOME 201 ACCEPTS, HOETEL AND CAPOTE TO GO TO ROME IN
FEBRUARY TO INTRODUCE TO AMBASSADOR BRENTANO. 201 AND OTHER
RECRUITS TO MAINTAIN PRESENT CONNECTIONS AND LIVELIHOOD UNTIL MINISTRY
SET UP WHEN 201 TO GET COMMERCIAL COVER WITH GERMAN FIRM LIKE
| CHELODENT OR MERCEDES AND ACCREDITATION TO ITALIAN SERVICE, THEN |
TO SEVER OTHER ALLIED CONNECTIONS.
 3. HOETEL STATED CAPOTE FORMERLY WORKED WITH BUT PRESENT
PLAN INDEPENDENT. ADDED SIPPER DOOMED FAIL BECAUSE OF MISTAKES
AND EXCESSIVE AMBITION OF UTILITY.
 6. COMMENT: DOUBT ACTIVE HOETEL/USAGE COLLABORATION.
WASH 22315 (SMB 99195) 11 JAN 52
- 2..HOETEL CAPOTE CONNECTION UNDESIRABLE.

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32-6-6-4283	MGEA-36779	9 Jan. 52	[]	
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Agents and Informants--Pullach			30 October 52	

PERTINENT INFORMATION:

1. It is required that you amplify Pull 3111. The Salzburg reference indicates that Harry MAST is connected with the Capete-Hoettl group. I have him in BVS per MOLA-8576 and 8577. Is he still active?

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MAST, Baron Harry.

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Dispatch No. NGLA-9983

Date: 10 January 1952

TO : Chief, Foreign Division K
FROM : Chief of Station, Karlsruhe
SUBJECT: Operational
HOETTL, Wilhelm
REF: SALZF 238; PULF 3111

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10. The MAST/HOETTL connection is one that is known to us, as well as to USAGE, but is one which we haven't yet been able to clarify. MAST is still employed by ZIPPER through BV S, and has a connection to CIC Linz. Whether ZIPPER is employing MAST to penetrate HOETTL/CAPOTE or vice versa is a question we cannot now answer. Repeated needling of ZIPPER's 40 section about MAST, without, of course, disclosing our knowledge of MAST's other connections, has elicited no useful information, except "protests" (sic) at our denunciation without supporting details which they requested we provide. Their reluctance to volunteer any information on this score might indicate that ZIPPER is indeed aware of MAST's connection to HOETTL, and are loathe to inform us that MAST is being used to penetrate CAPOTE, an activity for which we would certainly balk footing the bill. It is believed that [] has additional information on the activities of MAST, and perhaps when we get this we will have a clearer picture of MAST's true loyalties.

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Wilhelm Heetl's Approach to Gruesome 201		27 October 52	

PERTINENT INFORMATION:

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3. will attempt to find means of neutralizing Hoetl. Tools at hand include who has indirect contact with Harry MAST, the Gruesome apparatus, which can deliver a poison-pen attack, and out contact with Gragera,

PAGE 3. Willy introduced him "Chief of Staff" to source as Baron Harry MAST, a man of about 45 years, meager; 170 cm high, wears spectacles and a Steyr jacket.....

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		"SECURITY INFORMATION"	
FROM:	PULLACH		ROUTINE
TO:	SPECIAL OPERATIONS		10 FEB 52
ACTION:	FDM (1-2-3)		.IN 19764
INFORMATION:	1R (4-5), AD/SO (6), OPS (7), STC (8), S/C (9-10-11), DDP (12), FDS (13)		

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PULL 3240

TO: WASHF, FRANF, VIENF, SALZF

CITE: PULLF

1. ZIPPER HAS NOW RECEIVED REPORT BARON HEINRICH VON MAST INVOLVED WITH DR. WILHELM HOETTL.

2. LAST FOUR YEAR ZIPPER AGENT RUNNING AGENTS WHOSE TARGETS ILLEGAL KPOE AND KPOE IN URFAHR, SOVZONE. WE RECOMMENDED DROPPING AS FABRICATOR BUT ZIPPER HAS ASKED DETAILS. PLEASE PROVIDE SUMMARY EVIDENCE FABRICATION, POSSIBLE PASSING SOVIET DECEPTION AND BETRAYAL ZIPPER SECRETS.

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40 Memo NR.1958
11. Februar 1952

AN : 25 (25/40)
VON : 30 (40/W)
BETR.: Meldungen der Quelle 5300
BEZUG: a. Ihr Schreiben Nr.3896 vom 14.12.51 und
Schreiben vom 6.2.1952
b. Unser Memo Nr.1871 vom 30.1.1952

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1. V-5300, der als UV-Leiter tätig ist, führt die Quellen V-5340, V-5381, V-5382, V-5384, V-5387, V-5388, V-5403 und V-5404. Die in der vergangenen Zeit von V-5300 und seinen Unterquellen eingereichten Meldungen, die als MGL- oder B-Meldungen vorgelegt wurden, werden in Ziffer 2 nach Quellen aufgeschlüsselt dargelegt.

2. a. V-5300

B-3168 v.18.12.50, Kurierverbindung der Mizi HAUS;
B-3177 v.27.12.50, Einstellungen im USIA-Betrieb
"Nibelungen-Werk" in St.VALENTIN;
B-3228 v. 7. 2.51, Aktionsplanungen der KPÖ für das
Frühjahr 1951

b. Uq.V-5340 Ambroschuetz in Graz

MGL-6770 v.2. 6.50, Verbindungsstelle zwischen KPÖ und
KP-Italien in LINZ;
B-3179 v.27.12.50, Führungswechsel in der Landeslei-
tung der KPÖ Steiermark;
B-3180 v.27.12.50, Freiwilliger Austritt von Bundes-
bahnangehörigen in Österreich aus
der KPÖ.

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- o. Uqu.V-5381 Lowky not recorded.
B-3155 v.8.12.50, Überwachungsmaßnahmen durch die KPÖ.
- d. Uqu.V-5382 Burqstaller, Friedrich
B-1426 v.14.9.50 ND-Verdacht gegen Polizeileiter GRILLENBERGER in URFAHR;
B-1447 v.29.9.50 ND-Verdacht gegen Josef MÜHLMAYER;
B-3117 v.13.11.50 Vorgänge bei den Streikunruhen in den Stickstoffwerken in LINZ;
B-3176 v.28.12.50 Führungswechsel bei der KP-Sabotageorg. der Bundesbahn in Oberösterreich;
B-3178 v.28.12.50 Neuwahl der KPÖ-LANDES-Leitung und des KPÖ-Landesausschusses in Oberösterreich;
B-3235 v.15.2.51 Geldgebarungen bei den Landesleitungen der KPÖ;
B-3246 v.28.2.51 Aktionskomitee der Sabotageorganisation in den Stickstoffwerken in LINZ;
B-3278 v.19.3.51 Aufstellung eines Parteischutzes innerhalb der KPÖ.
- e. Uqu.V-5388 Kleinschmidt, Karl.
B-3120 v.13.11.50, Umbesetzung der Leitung des "LINZER Verlages";
B-3121 v.14.11.50 Personelle Besetzung des Redaktionsstabes der "Neuen Zeit" in LINZ;
B-3154 v. 8.12.50 KPÖ-Parteiarbeit in Oberösterreich für den Winter 1950/51;
B-3156 v. 8.12.50 Aktionsplan der KPÖ-Oberösterreich;
B-3178 v.28.12.50 Umwahl der KPÖ-Landesleitung und des KPÖ-Landesausschusses in Oberösterreich
Memo A-1416 vom 25.10.51 Sender "Freies Europa".
- f. Uqu.V-5403 Schellmaier, Oskar
MGL-6285 v.17.5.50 Sabotage-Organisation in den LINZER Stahlwerken;
B-3225 v. 1.2.51 Überwachung der KPÖ-Führer in den Stahlwerken LINZ.

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- g. Ugu.V-5404 *Festnacht, Guxhard*
B-1428 v.14.9.50 KPÖ-Sabotage Organisation in den Stahl-
werken in LINZ;
B-3108 v.6.11.50 KPÖ-Sabotage Organisation in den Stahl-
werken in LINZ;
B-3128 v.16.11.50 KPÖ-Sabotage Organisation der Stahl-
werke LINZ.

Wir würden es begrüßen, von Ihnen eine Beurteilung dieser
Meldungen durch Ihre vorgesetzte Stelle zu erhalten.

3. BV S wird mit einer Untersuchung und mit der Einreichung
des Schemas "Wer kennt wen" beauftragt. Wir werden über
das Ergebnis der Untersuchung zu Sie berichten.

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To: "SECURITY INFORMATION"
FROM: PULLACH, FRANKFURT ROUTINE
CONFIRMATION: SPECIAL OPERATIONS 13 FEB 52
INFORMATION: FDM (1-2) OUT 56236

~~IR (3-1), AD/SO (5), OPS (6), STO (7), S/O (8-9-10)~~
Par. ~~OP (11), EDS (12)~~ Handle as SECRET Correspondence per Pars. 51 (1) 60A AR-380-5

WASH 27028

TO: PULLF INFO: FRANF CITE: WASHF
RE: PULL 3240 (IN 19764)

1. AUSTRIAN POLICE FAILURE VERIFY MAST'S ALLEGATIONS RE KPOE ORGANIZATION AND SABOTEURS INDICATES HE PEDDLING DUBIOUS INFO. SEE MASA 536.
2. INFORM ZIPPER AUSTRIAN POLICE PRESUMABLY AWARE HIS ZIPPER TIES SINCE MAST HAS BEEN UNPAID INFORMANT OF POLICE SINCE 1947.
3. ZIPPER SHOULD BE URGED DROP MAST BUT IN ANY EVENT ADVISE ZIPPER WE DO NOT WANT MAST REPORTS IN OUR CHANNELS.

JHW - To Loop

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18 February 1952

TO : Chief of Station, Frankfurt

DATE: _____

FROM : Chief, EE

Attention: Pullach

SUBJECT: GENERAL - Operational

SPECIFIC: Baron/Heinrich MAST Report

REFERENCE: WASHF-27028

Attached is a fairly representative sample of the type of reports which the Austrian Police acquire from Harry MAST. As usual, it contains an account of the terror, sabotage, and shock troop units of the Austrian Communist Party in Upper Austria. You will note that the information is couched in sufficiently vague language to be virtually meaningless. We thought you might like to pass this report to Zipper for their perusal and perhaps enlightenment.

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DISPATCH NO. MGLA-10462

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TO : Chief, EE

DATE: 18 February 1952

FROM : Chief of Station, Frankfurt *clm*

SUBJECT: GENERAL— Operational

SPECIFIC— V-5300 *see [unclear]*

Ref.: WASHF-27028

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1. Action requested in reference has been taken.
2. We are forwarding ZIPPER Memo 1958 which identifies reports submitted by Subject and his sub-sources. Please send us as soon as possible comment sheets on the various MGLs, in two copies.
3. The following are MGL nos. for the "B" nos. given in para. 2 of attachment:
 - a. 10894, 11188, 11826.
 - b. 11192, 11010.
 - c. 10854
 - d. 9431, 9617, 10434, 11191, 11275, 11902, 12046, 12553.
 - e. 10319, 10372, 10683, 10684, 11275.
 - f. 11873
 - g. 9697, 10308, 10436.
4. According to our own records Subject was the source also of MGL-6517 (Situation of KPOe in Upper Austria; Peace Council Activities), MGL-6724 (Estimate of Political Situation in Vienna by Socialist Politicians) and MGL-7095 (Soviet Efforts to Recruit Ex-Officers in Western Austria), on all three of which we have received comments; the first two comments indicate at least partial exaggeration and misinterpretation of facts; the last is inconclusive.

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File No. 32-6-11-976	Source MASA-1324	Date of Document 21 Feb. 52	Analyst []	
Subject: Pullach Development Projects			Date 24 Oct. 52	

PERTINENT INFORMATION:

1. It was not difficult for members of the Salzburg Base familiar with the Urban-Rudnitzky-Mascher connections to identify persons referred to in reference. [] points out that the extensive knowledge of Zipper (which could have been obtained from Baron Heinrich MAST,.....,.....)

3? We should not be surprised to learn that somewhere in this complex there may be a line to an agent who actually steals waste paper in a Soviet installation. We might even consider the possibility that this agent is, also supplying part of his take to Gruesome, though we have no definite suspicions. We should guess, however, that the number of genuine kernels among the fool's gold is small, and should seriously doubt that the number of nuggets are worth 6000 DM per month. We feel that such agents can be developed by relatively direct means, for about one fifteenth of this amount each.

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File No. 6-6-2-4668	Source MAVW-4304	Date of Document 6 March 52	Analyst <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
Subject: "Burning" of Intelligence Fabricators			Date 27 October 52

PERTINENT INFORMATION:

1. On the basis of referenced notice we plan to prepare necessary notices on the following individual fabricators or groups operating in Austria:

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MAST, Harry

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TO : Chief, EE

DATE: 18 March 1952

FROM : Chief of Station, Frankfurt

SUBJECT: GENERAL— Operational

SPECIFIC— V-5300

Ref.: MGLA-10363

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1. Attached is ZIPPER memorandum 40/Z - No. 1650 which contains the results of the investigation of V-5300 by BVS. It consists, for the most part, of V-5300's reply to our charges. As will be noted, V-5300 denies having any contact with "US" offices or agencies and suggests the possibility that duplicates of his reports might have reached US agencies through other channels. The fabrication charges are likewise denied. On the other hand, V-5300 admits being in contact with Dr. Wilhelm HOETTL; however, he claims that this contact is in no way connected with his intelligence work. BVS admits that one of the sub-sources (V-5382) in V-5300's net was notional; however, primary responsibility for this is placed on V-5381 rather than on V-5300.

2. Although unwilling to accept all of our charges as valid, ZIPPER, nevertheless, is prepared to take immediate steps to drop V-5300 because of "unproductivity". We believe, however, that the dominant factor in moving them to this decision was the report of V-5300's connections through HOETTL with the CAPOTE chain. A report which ZIPPER seems also to have received through its own channels.

3. We have learned through that CIC Austria is keeping a close watch on V-5300.

4. We are in accord with ZIPPER's proposal to drop V-5300 without attempting further investigation. At this point it seems doubtful that such an investigation by ZIPPER would produce positive results. In any event, without factual details, we would be in a poor position to press ZIPPER to continue the investigation. We will ask CIC Austria to keep us informed on anything of interest which they might uncover concerning

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11 March 1952
40/Z-No. 1650

TO : 25.40
FROM : 40/Z
SUBJECT: V-5300

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REF : 27.IIIA No. 3896, 14 Dec. 51
30 (40) Memo 1871, 30 January 1952
25.40 No number, 6 February 52
30 (40W) Memo 1958, 11 February 1952
25.40, No. 4218, 18 February 1952

1. Leiter BV S wurde aufgefordert eine eingehende Untersuchung durchzufuehren und eine Stellungnahme zu den Vorwuerfen gegen V-5300 abzugeben.

2. Stellungnahme BV S :

a. "Berichte von V-5300 sollen auch an andere US-Stellen gelangt sein."

V-5300 bestreitet, dass er direkt oder indirekt mit einer anderen US-ND-Stelle oder US-Behoerde in Verbindung steht. BV S glaubt, dass diese Beteuerung zu recht besteht. Der Mentalitaet des V-5300 und seiner prinzipiellen Einstellung amerikanische Besatzungsstellen gegenueber wuerde es nicht entsprechen, eine solche zweite Verbindung zu pflegen.

Die Berichte muessen folglich auf anderem Wege zu der US Stelle gelangt sein.

Sources from whom reports re
Die Quellen, aus denen V-5300 seine Berichte ueber die KP schoepfte, sind:

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Netz Mainz
"informant of
Harry Haupt"
on
Zentralrat*

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oklavian Schellenberg

Gerhard Fiedler

V-5340 Ambroschitz

*? V-5381 mit den Unterquellen 5382, 5387 und 5388
V-5403 und 5404.*

Karl Kleinschmidt

*Friedrich Pivus Koller
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*Ferdinand
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(1) V-5340 ist Redakteur einer sozialistischen Zeitung in der Steiermark; seine Berichte beschränkten sich in erster Linie auf die KP-Organisationen in der Steiermark und haben ihren Ursprung in Informationen, die der Redaktion und der Landesparteilitung der SPÖe zugänglich sind. Die genaue Herkunft dieser Nachrichten zu erfahren, ist naturgemäss nicht möglich, aus Tarnungsgründen diesbezügliche Nachforschungen unzweckmässig. Diese Informationen sind naturlich einem grosseren Kreis von sozialistischen Parteifunktionären zugänglich und gelangen auch zur Landesparteilitung der SPÖe nach WIEN. Dadurch ist selbstverständlich die Möglichkeit gegeben, dass gleichlautende Berichte auf anderem Wege bei anderen US-Stellen aufkreuzen.

(2) V-5361 ist ehrenamtlicher Mitarbeiter, der die Nachrichten der ~~US-Stellen~~ 5362, 5367 und 5368 an V-5300 weitergibt. Der Melde- und Puschungsweg zu diesen ging über 5361. Ein direkter Kontakt zwischen V-5300 und 5362 und 5367 bestand nicht, mit 5368 erst seit Sommer 1951.

Bei dieser Gruppe war es nicht möglich, einen genauen Durchblick in den Meldeweg zu erhalten. 5361 hatte es auch abgelehnt, die Namen seiner Mitarbeiter bekannt zu geben und erst im Sommer 1951 war es möglich, die Klarnamen von 5362 und 5367 zu erhalten. Eine Überprüfung ergab, dass V-5362/67 dem genannten Namen nicht existent war.

Obwohl V-5361 als seriöses Persönlichkeit, die in ihrer politischen Einstellung der ÖVP nahesteht, bekannt ist, besteht gleichwohl theoretisch die Möglichkeit, dass von ihm Berichte seiner Quellen direkt oder indirekt auch an andere US-Stellen weitergegeben wurden.

(3) V-5403 und 5404 sind ehrenamtliche Mitarbeiter, die von 5300 direkt geführt wurden. Ihr Arbeitsgebiet waren die ~~VOMST-Werke~~ in LIEZ.

V-5403 ist Leiter BV 8 und Referent 7901 persönlich bekannt geworden. Er wird als lautharer Charakter eingeschätzt und es wird nicht angenommen, dass er seine Beobachtungsergebnisse ausser an V-5300 auch an eine andere Person weitergegeben hat.

V-5404 kann als Persönlichkeit aus eigener Anschauung nicht beurteilt werden.

b. "V-5300 spezialisiert sich darauf, imaginaere Organisationen der KPOe zu erfinden, die im allgemeinen als "Rollkommandos", "Parteischutz", "Terrororganisationen" bezeichnet werden."

V-5300 hat sich seit Beginn seiner Mitarbeit 1947 mit der Aufklaerung der KPOe, ihrer Organisationen sowie der kommunistischen Infiltrierungen vorzugeweise befasst. Er stuetzte sich hierbei auf Unterquellen, wie V-5381, 5382, 5387, 5388, 5403, 5340 und V-Budi. Aus Eigenbeobachtungen von 5300 lagen keine Erkundungsergebnisse vor.

berichteten Ueber kommunistische Aktivistenorganisationen

- (1) 5382 (Sabotageorganisation in den Linzer Stickstoffwerken)
- (2) 5387 (Sabotageorg. bei der oesterr. Bundesbahn)
- (3) 5403 (Sabotageorg. in den VOEST-Werken in LINZ)
- (4) 5340 (Parteischutz in der Steiermark).

Ueberpruefungen, die sich vor allem auf personelle Angaben beschraenken mussten, ergaben keine ins Gewicht fallende Widersprueche, wenn man von falscher Schreibweise von Namen und dergleichen absieht.

Das Bestehen solcher kommunistischer Aktivistenorganisationen, wobei ihre Bezeichnung als unwesentlich erachtet wird, glaubt BV S aber auch heute noch annehmen zu muessen. V-5300 weist die Behauptung, dass diese Organisationen seine Erfindung sind, scharf zurueck. BV S hatte bis jetzt keine Grund an seiner Ehrenhaftigkeit zu zweifeln. Das einzig belastende Moment ist bisher die Undurchsichtigkeit der Verbindung zur Gruppe 5381. Inwieweit hier V-5300 ein persoenliches Versagen angelastet werden kann, koennte vielleicht durch eine Befragung von 5381 geklaert werden.

c. "V-5300 ist in LINZ ziemlich weitgehend dafuer bekannt, dass er sich ND-maessig betaetigt."

Diese Behauptung duerfte zu recht bestehen. Seinen Grund hat das hauptsaechlich darin, dass V-5300 infolge seiner

seiner ND-Betaetigung in der Zeit vor dem Kriege einem gewissen Personekreis bekannt ist, von dem man eine gleiche Betaetigung auch jetzt von vornherein annimmt, auch wenn keine direkten Anzeichen vorhanden waeren.

Dieser Anwurf belastet V-5300 insofern nur persoendlich, als er zu wenig um seine Abdeckung besorgt war, bzw. diese zu wenig sichfest fundiert hat. In eine Panne ist V-5300 bisher nicht verwickelt gewesen.

d. "V-5300 hat kompromittierendes Material ueber die Org. an andere Stellen weitergegeben."

V-5300 bestreitet diese Behauptung entschieden. Unter Beruecksichtigung der Person des V-5300 und der bisherigen Zusammenarbeit, kann BV S keine einleuchtenden Gruende finden, die V-5300 zu einem solchen Vorgehen veranlassen koennten. BV S gibt zu bedenken, dass es sich bei den Unterlagen zu dieser Anschuldigung evtl. um eine Intrige gegen die Person von V-5300 handelt.

Bei dieser Stelle erscheint es wichtig darauf hinzuweisen, dass V-5300 in dem Herrn Dr. Emil van TONGEL, wohnhaft LINZ und Bad AUSSEE, einen Feind hat, der nach hiesiger Kenntnis mit dem CIC in LINZ in Verbindung steht. Dr. TONGEL stand 1948 kurze Zeit in Verbindung mit V-5300, hielt aber gleichzeitig Verbindung zu mehreren anderen Nachrichtenlinien. Nach den heftigen Erfaehlungen kann man Dr. TONGEL gut mit Ehrabschneider und Intriganten charakterisieren.

e. "V-5300 steht in Beruehrung mit Dr. HOETTL."

Diese Behauptung besteht zu recht. Durch seine langjaehrige Freundschaft mit dem Geschaeftsfuehrer des NIBELUNGEN-Verlages in LINZ, Dr. SCHOTT, ist es ihm ermoeeglicht worden, mit 1.12.51 als Vertriebsleiter, insbesondere fuer die zu kolportierende "Deutsche Soldatenzeitung", in den Verlag einzutreten. Da der Verlag Eigentum von Dr. HOETTL ist, war seine Einstellung sogar von seiner Zustimmung abhaengig.

V-5300 ist mit Dr. HOETTL vor ca 1 1/4 Jahren durch Dr. SCHOTT in Kontakt gekommen. Die Verbindung duerfte sich auf einige Zufaellige Zusammenkuenfte beschraenken und hat keinerlei nachrichtendienstliche Hintergruende. BV S, die hiervon Kenntnis hatte, glaubte darin keine Belastung zu sehen.

3. Kenntnisse des V-5300 ueber unsere Org.:

V-5300 hat nur geringe Kenntnisse von der eigenen Organisation. Er kennt

- a. seine eigenen Mitarbeiter
5304, 5340, 5381, 5387, 5403 und 5404, 5388, V-Budi, V-Buch
- b. von der BV S
Leiter Dr. SCHAEFER und Reforent MARTIN.
- c. von sonstigen Mitarbeitern der Organisation
ehem. Leiter GV A, Herr MALLNER.
- d. im Zuge von Schulungen hat er kennengelernt:
die ehem. V-Schule in Bad REICHENHALL und deren Ausbildungskraefte unter Decknamen. (Seit 1949 aufgeloeset.)
- e. an diesentlichen Oertlichkeiten kennt er
das Stadtbuero der BV S in SALZBURG
die inzwischen aufgelassene Dienststelle der ehem. GV A in SALZBURG.

4. Alle Bemuehungen, V-5300 staerker in Richtung auf das III/F-Gebiet zu leiten waren bisher ohne Erfolg. Bereits im Sommer 1951 wurde von Leiter BV S gegenueber V-5300 zum Ausdruck gebracht, dass er mit einer Beendigung der Zusammenarbeit rechnen muss, falls sich bis zum Fruehjahr 1952 nicht wenigstens Anfangserfolge auf dem III/F-Gebiet anzeichnen. Ohne naehere Angaben von Tatsachen durch 25.40 wird eine weitere Untersuchung gegen V-5300 praktisch ergebnislos bleiben.

In der Zwischenzeit konnte festgestellt werden, dass die Quelle 5382 unter dem angegebenen Namen nicht existent ist. V-5300 schiebt die Schuld dafuer auf V-5381, der/sich zur Zeit auf einer laengeren Auslandsreise befindet.

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Durch Leiter BV S wurde am 20.2.52 V-5300 mitgeteilt,
seine Arbeit bis zu einer endgueltigen Entscheidung einzustellen.

Falls von Seiten 25.40 keine Bedenken bestehen, wird
V-5300 mit sofortiger Wirkung unter Bezahlung seiner Bezuege fuer
MAERZ und APRIL abgeschaltet und jeder Kontakt mit ihm schnellstens
abgebrochen.

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6-6-2-4740	MASA-1548	16 April 52	[]
Subject:			Date
General Operational Matters--Austria			23 October 52

PERTINENT INFORMATION:

1. A report dated 17 March 1952 originating with Baron Harry MAST, whom we grade as a "D" source because of his history of fabrication, which came to us through [] reads in translation as follows: ACTUAL MESSAGE FOLLOWED;

3. Baron Heinrich von MAST, who produced this item, is well known as an old Zipper agent, and we recall having had some suspicion that Wenz may have had a Zipper connection. MAST's general record of unreliability and fabrication would lead to the conjecture that possibly this report is part of an intrigue in which MAST is attempting to burn Wenz. On the other hand the letter-drop arrangement may exist.

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32-5-3-52	MOMA-9323	18 April 52	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	
Subject:			Date	
"New German Abwehr in Austria"			28 October 52	

PERTINENT INFORMATION:

reports Baron Harry MAST is Assistant to the Chief (fnu) Hagen (believed to be Willi Hoettl).

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6-6-1-2080	MASA-1593	2 May 52	[] []	
Subject:			Date	
Agents and Informants--Austria			28 October 52	

PERTINENT INFORMATION:

PAGE 2, c. [] continues to take reports from Erich Kernmayer and Baron Heinrich von MAST, sticking to his theory that he can thus stay in indirect contact with these fabricators and thereby know what they are doing. [] both expressed lack of enthusiasm for this theory, especially as [] is thinking of applying it to Josef Adolph Urban.

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File: MAST dossier

MASA 1593
2 May 1952
[] Meeting

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Subject:			Date	
General Operations in Austria			23 October 52	

PERTINENT INFORMATION:

1.
 Baron Heinrich von MAST is well known as an agent of Zipper.

2.
 In his recruiting attempts Hoettl has introduced MAST as his "Chief of Staff", but we have no information that Kermayer is involved in this venture.

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6-7-6-12	MASA-1662	17 May 52	[]	
Subject:			Date	
Richard Kauder@ Klatt Reported Israeli Intelligence Mission.			27 October 52	

PERTINENT INFORMATION:

- Forwarded herewith is a report dated 12 May 1952 received by [] from ^{Dr.} Heinrich von MAST. MAST is generally considered to be a fabricator and is currently in close association with Dr. Wilhelm Heetl. MAST was formerly an agent of Zipper and probably still retains Zipper connections.

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Assistant Director
Office of Collection and Dissemination

ATTENTION: Librarian

SUBJECT: Baron Heinrich (Harry) MAST

1. Reference is made to SO DB-53756 dated 29 May 1952 which informed member agencies of the IAC that subject has been determined to be a paper-mill operator and fabricator in Austria.

2. Listed below are reports known to have originated with MAST and to have been disseminated by CIA. It is requested that the distribution be determined on these reports and the recipients thereof be notified to view the information contained therein with circumspection.

SO DBA56738x
SO DB-47983
SO DB-47034
SO DB-45732x

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MAST 201 file.....

NSLA-11789

3 June 1968

HONTEL and the New German Military Intelligence Service

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Baron H. MAST, HONTEL's Chief of Staff,..... said he would have left the "Gehlen Service" in April 1958; at one time he offered his cooperation, hoping that the Gehlen Service was a purely German matter, however, in the course of a year he convinced himself that this agency represents also American interests....

At that time, 6 March, MAST told the reporter that he was dismissed from his job a few days ago. He had been working for a certain Schneider/Salsburg "Gehlen Service", under the agent He SUG. Mast said, that the main reason for his dismissal is his working with "Willi" (HONTEL). Actually it is up to Col Heins and his men to show how much authority they have in order not to drop Mast and his agents network, which also has been dismissed by the "Gehlen Service" and help further before all financially....."Willi" is paying MAST 1,000 Schillings a month until further notice.....

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MEMORANDUM

TO: Special Assistant, Intelligence
Department of State

Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2
Department of Army

Director of Intelligence
Headquarters, U. S. Air Force

Director of Naval Intelligence
Department of the Navy

Director
Federal Bureau of Investigation

Assistant Director
Office of Collection and Dissemination

FROM: Lyman B. Kirkpatrick *LBK*
Assistant Director

SUBJECT: Burn Memorandum--Baron Heinrich (Harry) MAST

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1. The attached unclassified memorandum represents a resume of recent information regarding subject, who is a paper-mill operator and fabricator active in Austria.
2. Your Agency is advised to accept any information believed to originate with this individual with caution and reservations.
3. The attached memorandum is being forwarded to interested friendly foreign services.

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SO DB-53756

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TO: Special Assistant, Intelligence
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Assistant Chief of Staff, G-2
Department of Army

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9 June 1952

SUBJECT: Baron Heinrich (Harry) MAST

1. Subject is selling spurious intelligence reports to various intelligence agencies in Austria.

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3. The subject matter of subject's reports includes KPOe activities, especially Communist sabotage organizations among the federal Railroad personnel which he identifies as "Rollkommandos", "Parteischutz" and "Verwendungsgruppen". The reports contain very little factual information, but deal in large amounts of minutae which tend to lend an air of authenticity.

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Subject: "Burn Memoranda"			Date 27 October 52	

PERTINENT INFORMATION:

Unclassified memoranda "burning" Baron Heinrich MAST,, were forwarded to Henry P. Sherrard with reference..... In any event, the ultimate goal is to eliminate false information from our channels. For this reason we are asking that future reports, which are believed to originate with identified intelligence swindlers, be so labelled. We shall appreciate Zipper's cooperation.

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DURCANSKY, Ferdinand, Capt.		1 July 1952		
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<p>The following information was obtained on 16 June 1952 by this Agent from Informant 6030, who in turn had obtained the information during the course of a conversation with Erich KERNWAYER:</p> <p>The former Slovakian Minister of Culture, Professor Dr. Ferdinand DURCANSKY, recently paid a number of visits to Erich KERNWAYER in Grunden, Upper Austria. Dr. DURCANSKY, who recently arrived in Austria from South America, allegedly stated that very little sympathy for the United States is to be found in Argentina. The present policy of the United States towards the South American countries is fostering a tension which may develop into difficult complications. DURCANSKY is anxious to enlist the aid of Erich KERNWAYER as KERNWAYER possesses excellent personal contacts among the Slovaks residing in Austria. Within the near future, DURCANSKY is scheduled to take an official vacation in Grunden, but in reality he will utilize the occasion to formulate the exact methods to be employed between DURCANSKY and KERNWAYER for future joint operations. DURCANSKY is allegedly employed by some unknown American agency. <i>RE HIS INTEL PITCH TO [redacted]</i></p> <p>A short time ago Dr. Wilhelm HOETTL approached DURCANSKY in Linz, Upper Austria, and introduced himself as the representative of a German office. Anxious to enlist the aid of DURCANSKY, HOETTL stated that he was looking for qualified, trustworthy Slovaks who would be trained by him and be well paid for their services. These people would be employed to obtain political and military information from the Eastern Zone of Austria, Czechoslovakia and Hungary. HOETTL stated that he is kept busy in Linz maintaining contact with agents who have been assigned to Czechoslovakia and Vienna. HOETTL told DURCANSKY to think the proposal over carefully and then write an answer to his (HOETTL's) co-worker, Baron Harry MAST, Post Office Box 331, Main Post Office, Linz, Upper Austria. <i>(C-3)</i></p> <p><i>RE MAST'S LINKS TO DR. W. HOETTL AND TO INFORMANT</i> <i>FILE CHECK: EMIL VAN TONDEL.</i></p> <p>The files of this Sub-Detachment disclosed the following information:</p> <p><i>1. AUSTRIAS</i> AR, L/24131, dated 10 January 1952, Subject: REINHARTZ, Michael - Meeting in Grunden, states that Emil van Tondel told the interviewing Agent that he (Tondel) is an informant for Baron Harry MAST, Linz, Bethlehamsstrasse 1, who is believed to be an intelligence operative for an American Intelligence Agency in Germany.</p> <p><i>2. AUSTRIAS</i> Ferdinand DURCANSKY is listed in numerous reports as the former foreign minister in the cabinet of the Slovakian Puppet Government which collaborated with the Germans from 1940 to 1944. DURCANSKY is also mentioned as directing the formation of a Slovak Liberation Committee.</p> <p>The files of this Sub-Detachment contain numerous references concerning Dr. Wilhelm HOETTL as an intelligence operator. In AR 9-12482, dated 22 January</p>				

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Attn. : Assistant Director, OGD
Librarian
Chief, Intelligence Audit, RQM/OSO
Baron Heinrich (Harry) MAST

References: (a) Memo from RQM/OSO to AD/OGD, dated 29 May 1952, subject as above.
(b) Memo from CIA Librarian to RQM, dated 24 June 1952, subject same.

1. Reference (a) listed the reports known to have originated with Baron Heinrich (Harry) MAST, and requested OGD to notify the recipients thereof that the information should be viewed with circumspection. These reports were inadvertently listed as being DB's. A corrected list follows:

SO 45732x
SO 47034x
SO 47983x
SO 56738x
SO 63786x

2. Will you please inform recipient agencies of the above reports that they should be viewed with caution. Correcting action should be taken to inform offices that SO DB-47983 did not originate with MAST.

3. The inconvenience caused by this error is regretted.

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No. of Pages: 9 No. of Enclosures: 0
Report Made By: Approved By: _____
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Source Cryptonym: See below References: _____

Source, Operational Data, and Comments:

Subject: Austrian Communist Party

Date of Info: 23 June 1952

Date Distr: 17 July 1952

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Haas, an old Abwehr personality now working as a principal agent for Gruesome in Lins, received this information from Baron Heinrich von Mast, fabricator and old Zipper agent.

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Subject: West German Intell operatives Active in Austria			Date 30 October 52

PERTINENT INFORMATION:

Dr. (fnu) Offtscharer and Baron Harry MAST work together with Dr. Wilhelm Heetl. Both MAST and Offtscharer are working in Salsburg, Austria, for the West German Intelligence Agency Blank.

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Date of document : 11 Aug. 52

Title of document : CAPOTE Organization in Austria and
Willy HOETTL,

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FROM : Chief of Base, Vienna *WLF*
SUBJECT: GENERAL— Operational/GROOVY/TOPHOLE

DATE:

SPECIFIC— Austrian Police Report on Wilhelm HOETTL's
Connection with German Intelligence Services

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1. A report received from Greengrocer/1 dated 28 March 1953 appears to relay a Gendarme's report on the activities of Dr. Wilhelm HOETTL. The report adds nothing to what we already know.

2. Translation follows:

"According to confidential information, the office of Heinrich (Harry) MAST, active intelligence operator, is in process of liquidation in Lins. According to the source MAST, who is known for years to have worked for the intelligence service GHELEN (sic) established contact in the Spring of 1952 with a certain 'HEINE' or 'HEINZ' (Colonel HEINZ) who was said to have belonged to a new German intelligence service which was in process of being set up. It is reported that 'HEINE' did not play an important part in the German intelligence service and has recently again disappeared from the scene.

"The fact that MAST has received no funds since September 1952 from Amt Ghelen (sic) allows the conclusion that MAST has been dismissed by Ghelen for the frivolity of his intelligence activity.

"At the present time, MAST is active with the Nibelungenverlag in Lins and is supposedly supported by his mistress Edith BERNDT, who is employed as a stenographer-typist at the Elin works."

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<p>SIEGERT, HEINZ <input type="checkbox"/> SEA M DUB ? <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>CIT ? OCC ? SUBJ. ALSO HAD CONTACT WITH KPOE IN VIENNA THROUGH ONE SUBJ. AN EDITOR OF CESTERREICHISCHER BEOBACHTER, THE NATIONAL PUBLICATION IN VIENNA.</p> <p>#</p> <p style="text-align: center;">1 5 3 1 9 0 3</p> <p style="text-align: right;">1531903 PAZR- 000000100000000000000000 00 01 02 03 04 05 06 07 08 09 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 111111111111111111111111 222222222222222222222222 333333333333333333333333 444444444444444444444444 555555555555555555555555 666666666666666666666666 777777777777777777777777 888888888888888888888888 999999999999999999999999 00 01 02 03 04 05 06 07 08 09 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19</p>						
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Chief of Mission, Germany
Attn: POB
Chief of Base, Salzburg

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Reports

Attached hereto are the three following reports:

- a. Report on Erich KERNMAYER working for Der Spiegel.
See Kernmayer
- b. The Amt. BLANK Intelligence Service.
- c. Baron Harry Mast contact with CIC, Lins.
200-100, Baron Mast, Lins.

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2.6.1953.

I n f o r m a t i o n :

Erich ~~K~~ e r n m a y e r arbeitet nach Meldung K a u f m a n n
derzeit für die Deutsche Illustrierte " Der S IEGEL".

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End.

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2.6.1954

Betr.: Nachrichtendienst des Landes BWH.

Bez.:

Personen: Dr. SCHOTT Otto, 1.3.1916 geb., früher Linz, dzt. Ulm,
Hirschgasse 5 wh.,
MAST Heinrich v., 28.12.97 geb., Linz, Bethlicherstr. 1/13
wh.

Sachverhalt:

Die ehemals im Nachrichtendienst des Dr. H ö t t l ge-
standenen Dr. S c h o t t und Harry M a s t, sollen nun endgültig
im Amt BLANK in Bonn untergekommen sein. Beide sollen eine Anstel-
lung mit einem Monatsbezug von 800 DM zugesichert bekommen haben.
Ausserdem wurde für beide eine Wohnung in Bonn bereit gestellt.

Stellungnahme und Absicht:

Soweit obige Information nach Meldeweg K a u f m a n n,
welche dieser aus München bezogen hat. Nach kurzer in Linz gepflo-
gener Überprüfung muss die Richtigkeit obiger Meldung, zumindest was
Harry Mast angeht, stark angezweifelt werden. M a s t lebt derzeit
in tristen pekuniären Verhältnissen und ist seine Lage so arg,
dass er sogar seine Wohnung aufgeben will und in eine Baracke ziehen
muss. Er ist polizeilich nach wie vor in Linz gemeldet.

Dr. Schott allerdings ist bereits am 10.11.1952 von
Linz nach Ulm, Hirschgasse 5 verzogen, seine polizeiliche Abmeldung
erfolgte aber erst am 1.6.1953.(!)

Auswertung:

Meldeweg: K a u f m a n n .

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Informations
Pro Memorandum

Betr.: MAST HEINRICH,
Vorgesprache beim CIC in Linz, zwecks Anstellung.

Wie bekannt, ist Heinrich Mast schon seit Monaten ohne jede Beschäftigung und befindet sich finanziell in einer sehr misslichen Lage. Daher entschloss er sich, beim CIC in Linz anzufragen, um dort eine Anstellung zu erhalten. MAST wurde daraufhin zur CIC-Stützstelle in Linz, Roseggerstrasse geladen, was er jedoch ablehnte. Daher wurde ein Treffen in Linz vereinbart.

Am Mittwoch, den 1.7.1953 trafen im Cafe Brückler in Linz, Heinrich MAST und der amerik. CIC-Beamte Dr. BRAUNER zu einer Unterredung zusammen. MAST verlangte als ND-Fachmann eine Stelle als Gruppenleiter, was aber Dr. BRAUNER mit dem Bemerkten verneinte, da ein solcher Posten zur Zeit nicht frei wäre. Die Stelle eines einfachen Agents anzunehmen, hat MAST jedoch abgelehnt.

Vom CIC in Linz wurde jedoch trotzdem an das amerik. Hauptquartier nach Wiesbaden berichtet, dass Mast bereit wäre, bei einem entsprechenden Posten auch für den MIS zu arbeiten.

Eine Antwort von Wiesbaden ist erst in ca. 3 Wochen zu erwarten.

Meldeweg: Frieda.

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14. <p>MAST, BARON HENRY [] []</p> <p>KARL HEINZ MORAWEK [] [] DENIED HAVING KNOWN MAST UNTIL A FEW WEEKS AGO WHEN HE CALLED AT THE OFFICES OF THE NIBELUNGEN VERLAG IN LINZ TO SEE HOETTL. THIS WAS THE SAME DAY HE MET THE UNDERSIGNED IN LINZ FOR AN INTERVIEW. PRIOR TO THIS HE HAD HEARD OF MAST AND KNEW HIM TO BE A JOURNALIST AND ASSOCIATE OF HOETTL. AT THE TIME HE VISITED THE NIBELUNGEN VERLAG, HE STATED THAT HOETTL WAS NET AT THE OFFICE AND MAST SEEMED TO BE VERY UPSET. WHEN HE ASKED MAST WHERE HOETTL WAS HE WAS TOLD BY MAST THAT HE DID NOT KNOW. HOWEVER, AFTER LEAVING THE OFFICE A WHILE LATER HE LEARNED FROM SOMEONE ELSE (HE DOES NOT REMEMBER WHO) THAT HOETTL HAD BEEN ARRESTED BY CIC.</p>			
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TO : Chief, EE
Attn: []

FROM : Chief of Base, Salzburg []

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SPECIFIC: Heinrich MAST - Karl MAST Meeting

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INFO: Vienna

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1. We have checked [] [] (on 5 March) on his present connections with Harry MAST. He reports that his contact with MAST (which ran through his employee, KARNEL) broke some months back when MAST moved from Linz to an unknown site in the Tyrol. He had no news on MAST's current activities but stated that he had heard that MAST was flat broke.

2. We agree with your views on the thinness of the "VOeST Intelligence Service" cover—most improbable. We have heard nothing of such a service from any other quarter.

3. We find one Johann/MAST (presumed identical with Harry's son) on page 296 of the 1953 Almanach der Österreichischen Bundesgendarmerie, listed as Vertragsbedienstete des Gendarmeriedienstes, Landesgendarmerie Kommando, Innsbruck.

4. We have no information pertaining to other facets of reference.

[] []
by J.P.S.

10 March 1954

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<p>On 3 November 1964 Informant 21-04 reported the following information which he obtained from a confidential source of the Austrian State Police, Salzburg, Land Salzburg, Austria:</p> <p>NOT SUITABLE FOR MICROFILMING</p> <p style="text-align: center;">CARDED</p> <p>a. Loren Heinrich was WAST, born 28 December 1907 in Lins, Land Upper Austria, Austria. He is currently residing in Innsbruck, Land Tyrol, Austria, where he obtained an apartment through the French authorities. He is working for the French Intelligence Service and also allegedly is gainfully employed in the French Headquarters in Innsbruck.</p> <p>b. Previously, WAST had worked for German Intelligence under Wilhelm Heottl, born 19 March 1916 in Vienna, Austria. Heottl, who has worked for various intelligence agencies, has been dropped by German Intelligence because of arguments with his German superiors and because of his involvement in the Hanger/Vereor affair. For some time Heottl has been active for French Intelligence and he was influential in getting WAST his job with the French. Officially, Heottl has no income except small royalties from his books; however, his standard of living would require an income of between 6,000 and 8,000 schillings per month.</p> <p>c. Informant's notes The file cards of this section list the following two persons, one or both of whom are probably identical with SUBJECT of this report: One 'Loren' was, born 28 December 1907 in Lins, Austria, address: Kafenstrasse 1/c, Lins, is listed as an alleged employee of TIB; and Heinrich Wast, born 28 August 1907, is listed as a TIB employee. Dr. Wilhelm Heottl is listed as a former TIB informant and as an agent for the Israeli Intelligence Bureau.</p>			
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TO Senior Representative, []

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FROM Chief, WE

SUBJECT GENERAL Operational
SPECIFIC Baron Heinrich MAST []

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REF: [] 9457, 8 Dec 54

1. [] should be advised that Headquarters has no information which would substantiate the alleged contact of Subject with ~~Karl~~ HASS. We are enclosing, for passing to [] a biographical report (FYI: culled from a ZIPPER report - MOLA-5152), and a "burn memo" dated June 1952 which stemmed from Subject's record as a papermill operator and fabricator active in Austria. As for the collaboration between Subject and HOTTL, this fact has been reported previously; however, Headquarters has no further clarifying or substantiating details on this point.

2. For [] station's information only: Subject was formerly an agent of ZIPPER and possibly still retains ZIPPER connections. Attention is called to [] report (OTR-6099) concerning a meeting in Italy between Subject and HASS in October 1953. Previous contact between Subject and HASS was reported in MAV-4679, dated 17 July 1952, which forwarded a report on the Austrian Communist Party. This report was received by HASS, working as a principal agent for GRUELOWE in Lins, from Subject. See also OTR-6663 and OTRA-1216 regarding Subject.

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