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MGKW-7039 Name trace
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9 May 50, MGHA-5430 (NT CLS)
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REG 201 - [] [] BITSCHNAU, Wolfram (Dr)
BIRTHDATE: 30 Dec 1921 AKA: _____
BIRTHPLACE: Feldkirch (X-V-6601); TT-1
RESIDENCE: Innsbruck, Austria
Erzherzog Eugenstr 17

RELIGION: _____

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HEIGHT: _____

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PHOTO DATE Prior '50



FAMILY HISTORY

FATHER: BITSCHNAU, Hans (Dr) DOB/POB: _____
FATHER-IN-LAW: POLACZEK, Karl (Dr)
MOTHER: BITSCHNAU, Ida (NEE: MALLAUN) DOB/POB: _____
SPOUSE: BITSCHNAU, Andrea DOB/POB: _____
(NEE: POLACZEK)
CHILDREN: BITSCHNAU, Andreas DOB/POB: 31 Jan 1948
BITSCHNAU, Martin DOB/POB: 28 Mar 1949
DOB/POB: _____

OTHER RELATIVES W/UPSWING: _____

UPSWING EMPLOYMENT

DOD: _____ RANK: _____
POSITION: Leader (EAL.) SECTION: GV A FROM: _____ TO: _____

DATE TERMINATION OR SEPARATION: Dropped 30 Jan 50
NEW STATUS: Became member of USAGE Group (GROSSBAHN).

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NAME <u>BITSCHENAU, Welfram Dr.</u>	Nationality	File 1 see also VOLLER, Dr. Leopold LAHOUSEN-VIVREMONT, Erwin von Gen.	
STATUS _____			
ADDRESS <u>Innsbruck, Erzherzog Eugenstrasse 17</u>			
DESCRIPTION _____			
MISC. INFORMATION <input type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Report			
CAREER <u>lawyer - Former land Secretary for VdU for Tirol</u>			
REQUESTED BY _____			
Date		Source	File Ref.
<u>23 Mar 1953</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Contact Report (fwd. EASA-1228, 20 Apr)		56
22 Apr. 53	" " "		55
20 Feb. '50	Connected with Hoettl, Kermmayer, (GIA-459)	MAVA-4833	152
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6-6-2-2817 X-Ref	32-6-7-186 #17 No in file
6-6-2-1710y 2 Encl. 103	32-6-11-218 X-Ref
6-6-2-2897 X-Ref	32-6-9-2347 other file
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Infernal Memo from C - Upper Austria

See Original

S O I Land Salzburg, Case No. S - 1999 Subject : Swiss Intelligence Service -
Personalities, dated 1 June 1948 :

Listing Willi DIETRICH, Austrian Police Official assigned to the Land
Gendarmerie Headquarters at Bregenz, as Working for the Swiss Intell.
Services in the Austria Swiss Border Region .

Inferant HOSMANN, Evaluation C - 2

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By: JAL Date: 3/21/07

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IID CROSS-REFERENCE FORM

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Station number of document : MGLA-1795
Date of document : 5 January 1950
Title of document : _____
Document to be filed in : See FDM
Cross-reference form to be filed in : []

Excerpt of pertinent information :

At the time Welfram BITSCHNAU worked for Captain GALLIEN (French) in Feldkirch, he (BITSCHNAU) had an intelligence connection with Dr. Leopold VOLLER.

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Station number of document : MAVA-4833
 Date of document : 20 February 1950
 Title of document : Dr. (fnu) Mueller

 Document to be filed in : See FDM
 Cross-reference form to be filed in : [] []

Excerpt of pertinent information :

BITSCHNAU has been associated with Security Director STERNBACH of Vorarlberg and a Dr. MUELLER.

BITSCHNAU's name has been spelled phonetically as BEECHMAN, BECHMAN, or PITCHMAN.

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3 April 1950

MEMORANDUM TO MR. WAGNER:

SUBJECT: Wilhelm DIETRICH - []

Subject is the Chief of the Gendarmerie Investigation Section in Vorarlberg. Subject worked with CIC, Linz and Steyr in 1946 and 1947. We have a present interest in Subject and will appreciate a few comments regarding his reliability, etc., covered by your experience with him. Thanks.

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VIA: ATP RW-1463
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DISPATCH NO. MGLA-1724

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TO : Chief, Foreign Division M

DATE: 10 April 1950

FROM : Chief of Station, Karlsruhe *o/ps*

SUBJECT: GENERAL—ODEUM - Operational

SPECIFIC—CIPHER DEPARTMENT of the OKW (*OKW chi-*)

1. Attached are three sets of photocopies, "Die CHIFFIERABTEILUNG in OKW", "FRANKREICH und die WELT - 1944/1945", and "AIDE-MEMOIRE der GEHEIMDIPLOMATIE 1944/1945". This material was given USAGE by Dr. Wolfram BITSCHNAU (see MGLA-1540, AUSTRORDEUM II, para. 14) who worked in the cipher department of the OKW during the war.

2. BITSCHNAU did this study for the French IS and they received this same material. USAGE says that they have interrogated all personalities mentioned in these papers. The study was done directly after the end of the war and it is presumed that the French received the material in 1945, although this is not definitely stated.

3. You will find on pages 11 and 12 of the "CHIFFIERABTEILUNG in OKW" a list of the codes which the OKW managed to break. The information contained in "AIDE-MEMOIRE der GEHEIMDIPLOMATIE 1944/1945" is based on information acquired through breaking the codes listed. Note that no Russian codes are listed as being broken. USAGE says that the OKW never succeeded in breaking any of the Russian codes to the best of his knowledge. Also noteworthy is the long list of United States codes allegedly broken.

4. USAGE asks us to remember that the hostile remarks about the U.S. in this material were written under war-time stress.

5. USAGE would like this material returned to him and we suggest that you photograph it if it is something you wish for your files.

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HEADQUARTERS
UNITED STATES FORCES IN AUSTRIA

2/18605 Steyr
Hq. Operations
Case No. 852

SUBJECT: Wilhelm DIETRICH

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No.	From	To	Date	Message
1	Hq 490th CIO Det	Chief CIO: Vienna Chief CIO Land Upper Austria Chief CIO Land Salzburg	10 Apr 1950	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Your attention is invited to the attached informal letter. <input type="checkbox"/> Forwarded for investigation and report to this office. <input type="checkbox"/> Forwarded for investigation and report along lines indicated in Comment _____. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Forwarded for necessary action. <input type="checkbox"/> Forwarded for compliance and/or comments. <input type="checkbox"/> Forwarded for records check. <input type="checkbox"/> Forwarded for information & file. <input type="checkbox"/> Forwarded for dissemination to all concerned. <input type="checkbox"/> Negative reply requested. <input type="checkbox"/> Suspense date _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Request your office transmit a copy of subject report directly to American Legation. <input type="checkbox"/>

1446 a/s

Ted: Salzburg 1146

BY ORDER OF LT COLONEL SCHRANTZ:

PAUL E. LYON
IS Operations Officers ALAN ROBE
CI OPERATIONS Office

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By MAZ Date: 3/21/07

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13 April 1950

Sent to Walsh - how? pigeon!
17 April '50

SUBJECT: Statement on Life History by Dr.W.BITSCHNAU

1. Attached please find copy of a Life History, as submitted by Dr.Wolfram BITSCHNAU (6601), and one photo.

2. The Life History given by BITSCHNAU seems to be truthful. His connections with the 'DRA' are only mentioned, but no details given. For completion the following info should be amended.

As far as could be established BITSCHNAU first worked with French Captain HUBERT (presently believed to be in Germany), then for Capt. GALLIEN (Feldkirch) and as of the end of 1948 with Commandant MEUNIER (Innsbruck).

BITSCHNAU has never made a secret of this connection to this party, which in turn for security reasons did agree to his carrying on with such connection. From the beginning of intelligence collabo with BITSCHNAU it was however endeavored to cut his French ties, what seems nearly completed now.

Attached:
1 Life History
1 Photo

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Sent to USA
17 April 50
USAGE file

STATEMENT ON LIFE HISTORY

By Dr. Wolfram BITSCHNAU, Innsbruck (Tyrol), 17, Erzherzog Eugenstr.

Ich wurde am 30. Dezember 1921 in FELDKIRCH als Sohn des Dr. Hans BITSCHNAU, Hofrat und leitender Staatsanwalt, und der Ida geb. MAILLON geboren. Die Volksschule besuchte ich von 1928 bis 1932 in FELDKIRCH. Ebenso das Bundesgymnasium bis 1939. Im achten Kurs des Gymnasiums wurde ich am 9. November 1939 von der Gestapo verhaftet, weil diese Kenntnis von meiner Verbindung mit Dr. Max JENNEWAIN in der Schweiz und zu den legitimistischen Emigrantenkreisen in PARIS erhalten hatte. Da mir nichts Bestimmtes nachgewiesen werden konnte, wurde ich am 23. Februar 1940 wieder enthaftet. In der Zwischenzeit war ich vom Besuche des Gymnasiums suspendiert worden und musste daher meine Matura als Externist am 6. Juni 1940 ~~in Innsbruck~~ ablegen. Am 2. Oktober 1940 wurde ich zum 'RAD' einberufen, dem ich bis zum 31. Januar 1941 angehörte. Am 5. Februar 1941 rückte ich zum 136. Gebirgs Jäger Regiment nach LANDECK ein. Von Mai bis Juni 1941 absolvierte ich einen 'ROB' Lehrgang. Ende Juni 1941 legte ich beim Stellvertretenden Generalkommando in Salzburg die Dolmetscherprüfung für französisch und spanisch ab. In den Monaten Juli bis September 1941 war ich Dolmetscher im Stalag XVIII D (MARBURG). Von dort wurde ich wegen mangelnder politischer Zuverlässigkeit wieder zur Truppe versetzt und kam zur Kraftfahr-Ersatz Abteilung 18 nach BREGENZ. Dort erwarb ich mir alle Führerscheine. Mit Wirkung vom 1. März 1942 wurde ich zum Gefreiten befördert, welchen Dienstgrad ich bis zum Kriegsende beibehielt. Am 20. Februar 1942 wurde ich zur Nachrichten Dolmetscher Ersatz Abteilung nach MEISSEN versetzt und legte dort im Juni 1942 die englische Dolmetscherprüfung ab. Anfang Juli 1942 wurde ich wieder zur Truppe versetzt um meine Frontbewährung zu machen. Im August 1942 kam ich zum Afrikakorps, wo ich als Dolmetscher für Englisch und Italienisch verwendet wurde. Zu Beginn der Schlacht von EL ALAMEIN wurde ich verwundet und kam ins Reserve-lazarett RIEDENBURG bei BREGENZ, wo ich bis März 1943 verblieb. Anschliessend wurde ich wieder zur Nachrichten Dolmetscher Ersatz Abteilung nach MEISSEN geschickt und kam von dort am 2. Juni 1943 zu einem Dechiffrier Lehrgang zur Nachrichten Betr. Abt. des OKH nach BERLIN. Infolge einer schweren Blutvergiftung lag ich im Herbst 1943 wieder durch mehrere Monate im Lazarett und war anschliessend beim Nachkommando der Nachr. Betr. Abt. in BERLIN. Mit Wirkung vom 14. Februar 1944 kam ich zur Chiffrierabteilung des OKW, wo ich die Auswertung aller eingehenden offiziellen und vertraulichen Nachrichten in politischer Hinsicht zu machen hatte. Diese Stelle hatte ich bis Kriegsende inne. (Es handelte sich vor allem um die Kartei-Erfassung). Im März 1945 wurde die Chiff. Abt. nach HALLE (Saale) verlegt und von dort am 3. April 1945 nach

abtransportiert. Am 28. April 1945 verliess ich in WERFEN die Truppe und schlug mich nach Vorarlberg durch. Vor Einmarsch der Franzosen hob ich noch mit mehreren Kameraden der Widerstandsbewegung in FELDKIRCH die dortige Gestapostelle aus. Nach dem Mai 1945 war ich zunächst als Dolmetscher der Stadt FELDKIRCH bei der Franz. Militärregierung. Seit Juni 1945 kam ich Kontakt mit dem DRA. September 1945 begann ich meine Rechtsstudien in INNSBRUCK, die ich im Frühjahr 1948 abschloss. Es folgte ein Jahr Gerichtspraxis bei den INNSBRUCKER Gerichten. Seit 1. Juni 1949 bin ich als Konzipient in der Rechtsanwaltskanzlei (meines Schwiegervaters) Dr. Karl POLACZEK in INNSBRUCK.

Am 20. Februar 1947 habe ich mich mit Andrea POLACZEK verheiratet. Aus der Ehe entsprossen (bisher) zwei Kinder: Andreas geb. 31.1.48 und Martin geb. 28.3.49.

Im März 1949 trat ich dem VDU als Bundesvorstandsmitglied bei und wurde Landessekretär für Tirol und mit dem Aufbau der Organisation in diesem Bundeslande betraut. Infolge ideologischer Differenzen trat ich am 5. Juli 1949 aus dem VDU aus und legte alle Funktionen nieder. Derzeit gehöre ich keiner politischen Partei an.

Nachrichtendienstliche Verbindungen bestanden früher zu Dr. Karl (v.) WINCKLER und zu Dr. Leopold VOLLER.

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Date of document : 18 April 1950
Title of document :
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Cross-reference form to be filed in :

Excerpt of pertinent information :

1. Subject had an intelligence connection earlier to Dr. Karl WINKLER, and Dr. Leopold VOLLER.
2. USAGE adds that subject first worked for French Captain HUBERE (now believed to be in Germany), then for French Captain GALLIEN (Feldkirch), and at the end of 1948 for French Commandant Meunier (Innsbruck), USAGE also states that subject never made any secret of these contacts in dealing with him and that he approved subjects continuing his work for security reasons (not further explained). USAGE did however, persuade subject to gradually liquidate the French ties and believes that the process is now almost completed.

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was assigned to the cipher department of the OKW where I had the responsibility of evaluating all the official confidential intelligence material from a political point of view. I held this post until the end of the war. Building up the files in this department was a large part of my work. The cipher department was transferred to Halle (Saale) in March of 1945. On 28 April 1945 I left the troops in Werfen and made my way to Vorarlberg. Before the arrival of the French I joined with several comrades of the resistance group (not further described) and we removed the Gestapo group working in Feldkirch.

c. After the war I was interpreter for Feldkirch for the French Military Government. In September 1945 I began my legal education in Innsbruck and finished my studies in the spring of 1948. A year of practice in the Innsbruck courts followed and in June 1949 I joined the office of my father-in-law, Dr. Karl POLACZEK, and worked there on the drafting of briefs. I married Andrea POLACZEK on 20 February 1947. Two children came of this marriage. Andreas, born 31 January 1948, and Martin, 28 March 1949.

d. I joined the VdU as Bundesvorstandmitglied in March 1949, was the Landes Secretary for Tirol, and was given the task of building up the organization in that district. I quit the party 5 July 1949 because of ideological differences and gave up all my functions. Since then I have not belonged to any political party.

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No.	FROM	TO	DATE	
2.	430th CIC Det Sub Det "B"	Hq 430th CIC Det OPERATIONS	23 May 1950	<p>1. Attached report is forwarded per your request.</p> <p><i>Julius Stadlitz</i> A. F. OHRVALL Major FA Chief CIC Sub Det "B"</p>
TEL: Linz 24639-25089				

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By: *hwr* Date: *3/21/07*

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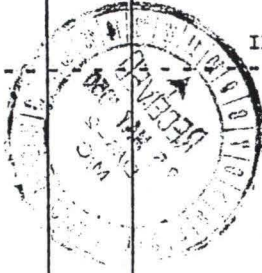
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3	Hq Opns 430th CIG Det	D/G-2 Attn: []	25 May 1950	<input type="checkbox"/> Attention invited to <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Forwarded for your information. <input type="checkbox"/> Forwarded per your request. <input type="checkbox"/> Forwarded with recommendation of approval. <input type="checkbox"/> Forwarded for transmittal to SS. <input type="checkbox"/> Forwarded for your information and any action deemed necessary.
Incl:	3 copies L/18605			FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:
Tel:	Salzburg 146			PAUL E LYON IB Operations Officer
				 ALAN ROBB CI Operations Of



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By: MAC Date: 3/21/07

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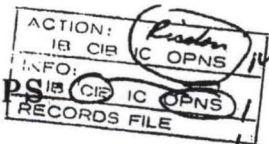
COUNTER INTELLIGENCE CORPS

430th DET. U. S. F. A.

Land Upper Austria Sub Detachment

APO 174

U. S. Army



23 May 1950
Linz Field Office (GI)
WEB/ep
MOIC: L/18605

MEMORANDUM FOR THE OFFICER IN CHARGE:

SUBJECT: Wilhelm DIETRICH

RE : Investigation.

1. Pursuant to verbal instructions from the Chief of Operations this Sub-Detachment, this Agent conducted a discreet investigation of Subject's activities in Upper Austria during 1946 and 1947, where he served as a gendarme in Braunau and Grieskirchen. This investigation was predicated upon IRS from Headquarters, 430th CIC Detachment, to Chief CIC Land Upper Austria, dated 10 April 1950, Headquarters Operations Case No. 852, requesting information concerning Subject, who is Chief of the Gendarmerie Investigation Section in Vorarlberg. According to the IRS, Subject worked with CIC, Linz and Steyr, in 1946 and 1947.

2. A check with the Field Offices at Steyr, Grieskirchen, and Braunau, proved to be negative. Subject has never been a member of the gendarmerie in Steyr. He was never an informant or an employee of CIC Steyr.

3. On 2 May 1950, this Agent conducted a check of the files of this Sub-Detachment, and found the following information concerning Wilhelm DIETRICH who, in the opinion of this Agent, is identical with Subject :

a. Informal Memorandum from CIC, Upper Austria, District #2, to SAIC Braunau and Grieskirchen Sub-Sections, Subject: "Information received regarding Haag am Hausruck, Grieskirchen and Braunau", dated 21 March 1946. Paragraph 1 of this Memo reads as follows: "On 21 March 1946, this office interviewed Gendarme DIETRICH, Wilhelm, who stated he had been sent on a Special Mission to Bezirk Grieskirchen by Military Government, Detachment E 1 A, Linz, Landhaus. DIETRICH demonstrated a pass which stated that he was employed by Linz Military Government, Special Branch Section, and authorized to search all official Austrian records, which document was signed by Maj. Robert D. Harris. DIETRICH stated that

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MOIC, 23 May 1950, Linz Field Office (GI), Subject: Wilhelm DIETRICH.

he had served as a Gerndarme in Braunau, Upper Austria, Gaspolts-hofen, Bezirk Grieskirchen, Upper Austria (1938-1942); in Haag am Hausruck, Bezirk Grieskirchen, Upper Austria (1942-1943); in Galizia, Poland (July 1943 to March 1944) (now Russia). Was in hospitals at Galizia - Streg and Marienwald, Sudetenland until June 1944 with lung inflammation, and later worked on the first German defense line in Poland. DIETRICH stated that he had never been a member of the NSDAP, in fact had been expelled from the Gendarmes in Braunau for a short time early in 1938, by the Nazis, because of his past work against illegal Nazis in Bezirk Braunau, Upper Austria, in his capacity as Gendarme". This memorandum contains a considerable amount of information concerning the past activities of illegal Nazis in Haag am Hausruck and in Grieskirchen. This information was supplied by DIETRICH.

b. SOI, Land Salzburg, Case No. S-1999, Subject: "Swiss Intelligence Service Personalities", dated 1 June 1948. Source of this information is Informant HOSMANN, Evaluation: C-2. This report states that Willi DIETRICH, Austrian Police Official, assigned to the Land Gendarmerie Headquarters at Bregenz, is working for the Swiss Intelligence Service in the Austro-Swiss Border region.

AGENT'S NOTES:

It is the opinion of this Agent, that Wilhelm DIETRICH mentioned in Paragraph 3a above, is identical with Subject. However, it is doubtful if Subject is identical with Willi DIETRICH, mentioned in paragraph 3b above, since the name is very common and no additional information is given in the reference report. US personnel, formerly employed in Linz with Military Government, do not remember DIETRICH as an employee of Military Government, Landhaus, Linz. A discreet check with the Landesgendarmeriekommando for Upper Austria, conducted on 5 May 1950, revealed that personnel files of gendarmerie officials formerly employed in this area, are transferred with the official to the area where he is presently working.

CONCLUSION AND RECOMMENDATION:

On the basis of paragraph 3a of this report, it is concluded that Subject is reliable and would probably be of considerable use to any US Intelligence Organization. It is recommended that this report be forwarded to all interested agencies.

FILE CHECK: See paragraph 3 above.

Approved: *John K. Allen*
John K. ALLEN
Chief of Operations
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9 June 1950

TO: 27
FROM: 29.6
SUBJECT: DIETRICH, Wilhelm ✓

Attached is background data requested concerning subject from ODI. Subject is collaborator of GEORGE through BITSCHNAU.

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Excerpt of pertinent information :

1. MSBA-175 16 September 1947

BITSCHNAU: About 30. Son-in-law of Vorarlberg lawyer and former Heimwehr leader, POLLATCEK. Lives in Innsbruck, Erzherzog Eugenstr. 17. Austrian at present working for the FIS in Tyrol on anti-Russian intelligence. Stated that he had built up an anti-Russian intelligence service throughout Austria and that through his service he had collected a great deal of interesting material. Fritz WUERTHLE, former Press Referent in Tyrol, got in touch with subject after Austrian Foreign Minister GRUBER hinted that he and some government colleagues in Vienna were considering the possibility of some form of anti-Russian intelligence service in Austria which would supply them with anti-Russian material (anti-Communist) for the next Austrian elections.

2. MSBA-226 3 October 1947

BITSCHNAU: With regard to the formation of an Austrian IS, subject stated that he had had considerable experience as a German intelligence officer during the war and in consequence was interested in only a "professionally organized" service. As an Austrian subject he wished to keep his organization purely Austrian and did not like the idea of working for foreign powers, because although he today had the approval of several of OVP and SPO leaders he someday might be accused of being a foreign agent. The Austrian government was not prepared to set up an official intelligence service and he had no use for party political intelligence organizations. Subject had misgivings about supplying his material to the French, not knowing if they were really trustworthy, but at the same time loath to cut them out. He was also opposed to and intended to resist present American attempts to obtain the exclusive rights to his material. He considered the Americans and French made the most of his material; the British attitude was an enigma to him.

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Subject comes from Heimwehr circles. He is described as a typical German intelligence officer - conceited and very sure of himself, with probably above average organizing talent. Has impressive filing and card index systems;

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the security measures which stresses, are not so impressive. At first sight his material looks exciting: verbatim reports of secret Communist meetings, list of Russian and KPO agents, with their pass numbers, reports of conversations between Russian and Austrian Communists, secret instructions to Communist agents, etc., Furthermore, he has stated that he has succeeded in placing agents in numerous Communist organizations, etc., On second glance, however, there are numerous contradictory items in his material and some obvious phonies. It would not be at all surprising if a great deal of his material is intentionally planted on him for transmission to the Western powers. His means of checking on his sources and his sub-sources is limited and entirely inadequate. He has admitted that the best he can do is to check up on the extent to which events proved his material to be correct. Subject met OVP Minister GRAF when the latter was in Innsbruck in 1947 and discussed the possibility of collaboration with him.

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Excerpt of pertinent information:

2. Wolfram Bitschnau Innsbruck, Erzherzog Eugenstr. 17, age about 30, native of Vorarlberg, married and a professional lawyer. Bitschnau was arrested by the Gestapo in 1939 because of his connection with the escape into Switzerland of Max Gennwein, but was released two months later. He was in the German Wehrmacht later and received special training at the Wehrmacht school in Meissen. He was then sent to an interpreter company and later seems to have joined the Abwehr. Source has seen him wear Spanish decorations and believes that he was in Spain during the war. (Source sees Bitschnau three to four times a year but not on arrangement, only accidental meetings or street encounters.) Source met Bitschnau through Source's godfather, a lawyer in Innsbruck called Dr. Polaczek who became Bitschnau's father in law in 1946. At about that time Bitschnau was connected with French Intelligence and wore a French lieutenant's uniform. In 1947 he had some differences with Communist elements in the Surete and was fired. He then started a semi-official information service to supply anti-Russian information to all Allied information services and also to counteract an information group which was working with the Communist elements in the Surete and which was headed by former Major Sachs who had been in the Abwehr. In order to set up his information service Bitschnau approached Source and asked to be put in contact with Austrian officials. Source obliged and established contact for Bitschnau with the Director of Security (Austrian) in Innsbruck, State Secretary Graf of the Ministry of the Interior in Vienna and with officials of the Bundespreesedienste of the Austrian Government Press Department. This activity of Bitschnau was known to all Allied services at this time. At the founding of the VdU Bitschnau played a leading part in Tyrol but he had to retire from political activities because he was energetically attacked by the Democratic Union for having been a French officer. He resigned from VdU through the means of a very dramatic open letter. At the present time Bitschnau is working in the law office of his father in law and is running, on the side, an information service supplying local news to South German and Tyrolean newspapers.

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Excerpt of pertinent information :

. Dr. Wolfram BITSCHNAU, 28 years old; advocate's assistant; married; two children; living in Innsbruck. BITSCHNAU during his high school years was imprisoned by Nazis or legitimist relations. After having been drafted into the German army and having been wounded, he was first used as a decipherer and later as archivar within the German OKW up to 1945. After the German surrender he first worked with French intelligence - a connection that has since ceased to exist.

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disappointed in BITSCHNAU's double dealing and deceit. It is believed, by 38176, that 2584 was truthful in his statements that he had cut BITSCHNAU out of the operation and was maintaining only casual contacts with BITSCHNAU, contacts which were on BITSCHNAU's initiative only.

2. On 12 March 1951 2584 in the course of a reported meeting (XOB-1062) made statements as outlined below:

a. During December or November 1950, BITSCHNAU asked 2584 if he still maintained contact with US Intelligence or was still engaged in intelligence activities. At this time 2584 stated that he had not had contact with US Intelligence for several years and had discontinued intelligence activities for a similar period. 2584 indicated that he was engaged in writing a book.

b. To a similar inquiry on the part of BITSCHNAU during early 1951, 2584 again gave a negative reply. With 2584's reply BITSCHNAU requested 2584 to meet him in Innsbruck stating that he would like to discuss details of reestablishing and extending their previous intelligence arrangement. BITSCHNAU stated at this time that he was dealing with a third person, that he (BITSCHNAU) had mentioned 2584's name, and that the third person had requested to speak to 2584 personally. BITSCHNAU indicated that if 2584 no longer maintained US connections he was morally free to enter into other arrangements. 2584 refused to travel to Innsbruck inasmuch as BITSCHNAU refused to name the third person. BITSCHNAU then stated that the third person was a French intelligence officer who, with the knowledge of high US officials, was engaged in building up an intelligence network in Austria. 2584 answered by stating that he was willing to support any activity directed against Communism but that he would not travel to Innsbruck.

c. In response to numerous subsequent requests from BITSCHNAU, 2584 traveled to Innsbruck on 9 March 1951 where he met BITSCHNAU. At this time 2584 again informed BITSCHNAU that he no longer had contact with US intelligence; was no longer engaged in intelligence activity; was writing a book; and maintained connections with an Austrian resistance movement.

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d. At 1830 hours 9 March 1951, 2584 accompanied BITSOHNAU to the Hotel "Arlbergerhof" to meet the previously mentioned French intelligence officers. 2584 met two personalities, who did not mention their names, described as follows: a male about 50 years of age referred to as Major and a male of 38 years of age referred to as Lieutenant. Both personalities made an intelligent impression. BITSOHNAU introduced 2584 as one of the best informed men on KPOe matters in Austria whereupon the "Major" commenced questioning 2584 after stating that BITSOHNAU had mentioned 2584's name to him four years ago. The subsequent interview, conducted exclusively by the "Major", was held in the German language; the "Major" and the "Lieutenant" spoke excellent German with a north-German (Reichs deutsche) accent. Side comments were made in the French language.

e. In the course of the interview, during the course of which 2584 gave incomplete and uninformed answers, the "Major" asked the following questions:

"I am seeking collaborators in anti-Communist intelligence activity and am interviewing you on the recommendation of BITSOHNAU."

"With whom did you work with last year?" (2584: I worked with an Austrian (non-existent) who maintained connections with an American.)

"Who was the Austrian?" (2584: I cannot give his name.)

"Do you know that the KPOe has made plans to work illegally?" (2584: I believe this to be a fabrication.)

"Do you know RIEDL, LEHG (2584's spelling) and FALTERBAUERY?" (2584: I knew FALTERBAUER, I have met RIEDL several times; I do not know LEHG.)

"Do you know JANICHEK and Prof. GRIMM?" (2584: I only know that they are KPOe newspaper editors.)

"Do you know the name LANGRESIN?" (2584: I have heard the name.)

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"Do you know that the KPOs has a "secret service?"
(2584: I don't know.)

"Does the KPOs have a "Kader"?" (2584: No.)

"I have made some mistakes in the past and have in some cases been very disappointed. I would like to meet someone who really knows the KPOs. Do you know any of the agents or couriers of KPOs "secret service"?"
(2584: I do not know any people of this type. I regard every Communist as a Moscow agent.)

f. In the course of the interview, 2584 gained the impression that "Major" was very disappointed in 2584's answers to his questions and in the course of the interview, and after, informed RITSCHNAU of his disappointment. The interview closed on this note with the "Major" suggesting that if 2584 received any information of value he could relay it to RITSCHNAU for the "Major's" attention. 2584 returned to Salzburg on 9 March 1951.

COMMENT:

2584 was instructed to gradually drop all contact with RITSCHNAU and continue his pretense of working on a book and lack of interest in intelligence activity.

It is recommended that RITSCHNAU be carried by US intelligence as a French agent based on information outlined above.

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