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Friedrich Theodor Wolf

General-Major

In the South American context

Part I

(albeit that I had to stop temporarily at KV 2/1489-1)

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His predecessor was Kapitän. z. See Dietrich Niebuhr KV 2/3301

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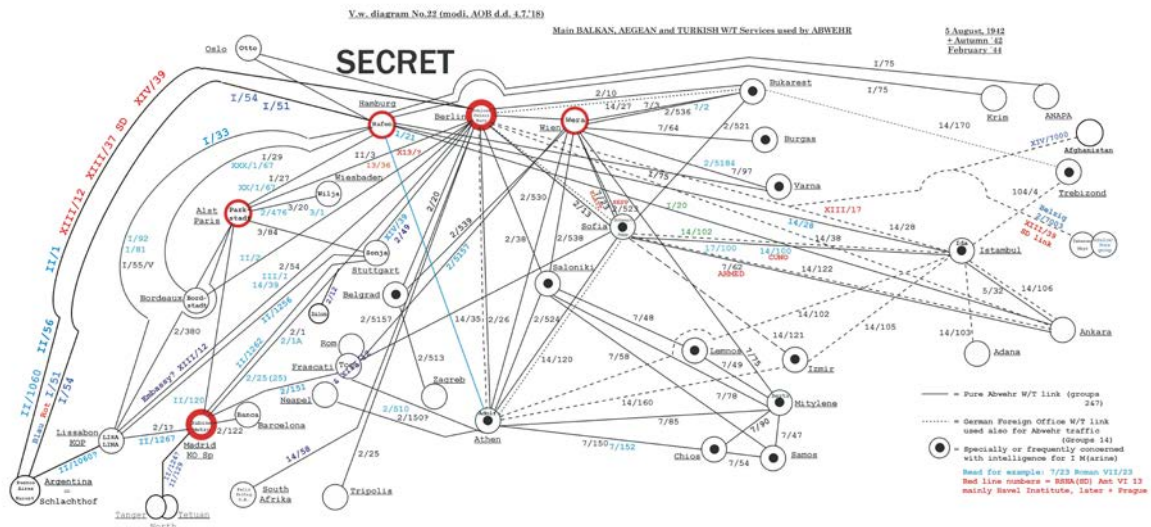


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Status about 1943 and beyond

Far down on the left-hand side you notice Argentine, and meant in particular what played in the vicinity of Buenos Aires

Please bear in mind these coloured designations, as these were the main lines of communications between Germany and Argentine.

- (1) Embassy Group – or “**Blue**” directed by Captain Niebuhr, alias Diego”, which had at its disposal a radio transmitter in Hamburg (Ast-X – Wohldorf?)
- (2) The Becker group – or “**Red**”, run by Juan Sigfrido Becker alias “Sargo”, which had at its disposal a radio-transmitter in Berlin (Havel-Institut or Belzig?)
- (3) The Harnisch group – or “**Green**”, directed by Juan Rodolfo Leo Harnisch alias “Boss”, which had at its disposal a radio-transmitter in Cologne (**Köln**)



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WOLF, Colonel, promoted
Maj.Gen. 11/43
@ ALDO
@ TIGER
@ 'Business friend'
@ CHEF

Naval and Military Attache in BUENOS AIRES

- X see sheet twice (first three messages)*
- 5.6.43. Berlin-Argentine. For VIERECK: 1) Reply to your 130 to 136 of May 31, 1943: 965
There was a conference here on May 28 about uniform arrangement of radio traffic. "BLUE" will get leadership on account of your better audibility. Details are on the way via our business friend at your end. Personal collaboration the same as up to now: (A) No written obligations. Handshake is sufficient. (B) No storage of payment receipts or other incriminating documents. In case of necessity consultation with business friend at your end. BELGRANO was of the same opinion. KRAMER.
- 9.6.43. Argentine-Germany. LUNA 8. ALDO, that is Military Attache WOLF 278
presented me with a telegram from your end instructing us to work only with Leit BLAU. Do you know the text of this tel. EMMA 30368? Request confirmation of receipt of our.....from LEIT.
- 19.6.43. Argentine-Germany. BOSS 14. Sgd. VIERECK. STORNI, cover name JUEZ, 704
commissioned MORENO with affair of SPEE men. Ministry of Interior previously in power declared these to be civilians. Applications of International Naval Law by present government is bringing about a change. MORENO introduced to WOLF and KAY. Already good understanding.
- 13.6.43. Argentine-Berlin. LUNA 10. Dear NANS. Please report currently 388
receipt of LUNA and BOLIVAR numbers. Start numbering at your end also. I suppose BLAU wants to have a go at us. TIGER reported decision at discussions over there on 28/5, according to which we are only to work with BLAU.
- 30.6.43. Germany-Argentine. For BOSS. 1) Discuss with business friend, cover-name 710
CHEF, the employment of a V-Mann here named L, who has been overseas since September 1941 but has not yet found a suitable connection. L is a Belgian trained Radio Operator was well judged here personally. If any connection is established a check up would be advisable, and CHEF has already been asked to do this. In spite of several reminders no answer received. Would be grateful for check up and speedy answer. 2) Discuss with CHEF V-Mann here IASOLW(?) CASAS, whose reports by letters were for the most part lost. Two letters of January arrived in June. If possible take over CASAS' reports in shortened version for W/T. 3) Discuss with CHEF V-Mann SCH here, who is working in another country. Have been making efforts for a long time to have communication with him taken up by a suitable personage of distinction. SCH is ready to collaborate but is timorous, as he holds a high position. CHEF is informed of this. 4) Discuss with CHEF V-Mann MATEOS here; whether and how far his employment by you is possible. Is M capable of delivering economic reports? Greetings, KRAMER.
- 6.7.43. Lisbon-Berlin. LUDOVICO LEANDER to LUDWIG. No.848. Spoke to TOF 53641
14th. Suggest you alter your instructions to MAR.ATT in such a fashion that TOF is interviewed in BERLIN on his return journey on account of the importance of his statements. Request your agreement, also permission to pay travelling allowance.
- 6.7.43. Berlin-Lisbon. ANSO to LEANDER. No.45. The proposal made in 53894
your signal No.848 of 6/7(Isk 53641) is approved. No.130.
- 10.7.43. Lisbon-Berlin. LEANDER to LUDWIG. No.877. Ref. msg. ANSO of 54468
7th July(Isk 53894). TOF 14 reports to BWE (or: BOE) on Monday 12th July His statements on TOF 13 are new to us. I recommend that the former Naval Attache at KURORT(BUENOS AIRES) be called in at the conference. TOF 14 has received 3 contos and air passage to BERLIN from here.
- 21.7.43. Germany-Argentine. For BOSS. Your information, coupled with other 694
reports, make it clear that an early rupture is unavoidable and is indeed close at hand. With the change of Government which would then ensue, the internment of Axis people could hardly be avoided. Hence the greatest reserve must be observed in relations with business friends, so that the loss of collaboratos may be avoided as far as possible. It is of prime importance, and should be your chief concern, that the intelligence link should be maintained even after the rupture and that its continued existence be secured under all circumstances.

ISAC (AOB, **Intelligence Service Argentine Code**)

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Wolf, Obst. Promoted

Major-General 11/43

@ Aldo

@ Tiger

@ 'Business friend'

@ Chef

5.6.43 Berlin-Argentine. For Viereck: 1) Reply to your 130 to 136 (**message number 965* references**) of May 31, 1943: There was a conference here on May 28 about uniform arrangements of radio traffic. "Blue"(AOB, **the Buenos Aires Embassy, now headed by General Wolf, formerly by Niebuhr (Belgrano); in other words: Belzig is handing over, for practical reasons, the actual 'traffic' guidance to Wohldorf of Ast-X Hamburg; though still remaining 'blue' communication; as both Wohldorf and Belzig were Abwehr related stations**) will get leadership on account of your better audibility. Details are on the way via our business friend (**Gen. Wolf**) of at your end. Personal collaboration the same as up to now (**meant Berlin station Belzig**) : (A) No written obligations. Handshake is sufficient. (B) No storage of payment receipts or other incriminating documents. In case of necessity consultation with business fiend (**General Wolf**) at your end. Belgrano (**former Buenos Aires Military Attaché Niebuhr**)

Kramer (**I only know Fritz Kramer from KO Portugal head III F**)

* isac decrypt serial number

9.6.43 Argentine-Germany. Luna 8 (**likely Gustav Utzinger**). Aldo, that is the Military 278 Attaché (**General**) Wolf presented me with a telegram from your end instructing us to work only with **Leitstelle Blau (Belzig or Hamburg/Wohldorf)** Do you know the text of this **telegram**. Emma 30368? Request confirmation of receipt of our .. from **Leitstelle**.

19.6.43 Argentine-Germany. Boss14 (**Harnisch group; directed by Juan Rodolfo Leo Harnisch alias "Boss"**)? Sgnd. Viereck. Storni, covername Juez, commissioned Moreno with affair of Spee men.(AOB, **scuttled in the Rio de la Plata (Uruguay) Graf Spee battle cruiser personnel in POW camps; quite some managed escape (Argentine)** Ministry of Interior previously in power declared these to be civilians. Applications of International Naval Law by present (**Argentinean**) government is bringing about a change. Mureno (AOB, **I suppose an Argentinean official**) introduced to Wolf and Kay. Already in good understanding. (AOB, **generally speaking, the Argentinean Government was quite pro-German for most time of the war**)

13.6.43 Argentine-Berlin. Luna 10 (**10 = serial number?**). Dear Nans. Please report currently 388 receipt of Luna and Bolivar (AOB, **was in common use in radio communications**) numbers. Start numbering at your end also. I suppose **Blau (recipient Abwehr I Berlin)** want to have a go at us. Tiger (**General Wolf**) reported decision at discussions over there on 28/5, according to which we are only to work with **Blau. (Belzig or Ast-X Hamburg/Wohldorf)**

30.6.43 Germany-Argentine. For Boss.(**Harnisch group; directed by Juan Rodolfo Leo Harnisch alias "Boss"**) 1) Discuss with business friend (**General Wolf**), cover-name Chef (= **General Wolf**), the employment of a V-Mann (**Vertrauensmann**) here named L, who has been overseas since September 1941 but has not yet found a suitable connection. L is a Belgian trained Radio Operator was well judged here personally. If any connection is established a check would be advisable, and Chef (**General Wolf**) has already been asked to do this. In spite of several reminders no answer received.

Would be grateful for check up and speedy answer. 2) Discuss with Chef (Wolf) V-Mann here Lasow (Laslo?) Casas, whose reports by letters were for the most part lost. (AOB, [being intercepted by British Censorship?](#)). Two letters of January of January arrived in June. If possible take over Casa' reports in shortened version for W/T. 3) Discuss with Chef (Wolf) V-Mann Sch here, who is working in another country. ([all surrounding Argentine were quite hostile](#)). Have been making efforts for a long time to have communications with him taken up by a suitable personage of distinction Sch is ready to collaborate but is timorous ([fearful](#)), as he holds high position. Chef (Wolf) is informed of this. 4) Discuss with Chef V-Mann Mateos here; whether and how far his employment by you is possible. Is M ([Mateos](#)) capable of delivering economic reports? Greetings [Kramer](#) (AOB, [likely of Admiral Buerkner's Amtsgruppe/Ausland](#))

6.7.43 Lisbon-Berlin. Ludovico Leander ([Ludovico von Karsthof\(f\), by the way his cover-53641 * name; was Leiter KOP, whether Leander stood for von Karsthof\(f\)?](#)) to Ludwig (= [Abwehr I L \(L = Luftwaffe\)](#) No 848. Spoke to Tof ([von Karsthoff?](#)) 14th. Suggested you alter your instruction to Marine Att ([Marine Attaché](#)) in such a fashion that Tof is interviewed in Berlin on his return journey on account of the importance of his statements. Request your agreement, also permission to pay travelling allowance.

*isk [Enigma decrypts](#) also known as MSS ([Most Secret Source](#))

6.7.43 Berlin-Lisbon. Anso ([Obstlt. Kleyenstueber I L](#)) to Leander ([likely in this context the cover-name for Ludovico von Karsthoff](#)). No. 45. The proposal made in your signal No. 848 ([previously shown telegram number](#)) The proposal made 6/7 (Isk 53641) is approved No. 130.

10.7.43 Lisbon-Berlin. Leander ([Ludovico von Karsthoff](#)) to Ludwig ([I L Berlin, likely addressed onto Obstlt. Kleyenstueber](#)) No. 877 Ref. message. Anso of 7th July (Isk 53894)([the foregoing telegram](#)). Tof 14 reports to BWE (or: boe) on Monday 12th July ([not within this summary](#)). His statement on Tof 12 are new to us. I recommend that the former Attaché ([Niebuhr, he was expelled from Argentine January 1943](#)) at Kurort (Buenos Aires) be called in at the conference.

[Let us consider what is found in Canaris' communications \(KV 3/3\):](#)

11.8.43. 59740 Berlin - Lisbon. No. 72. For LUDOVICO. On Tues. 17/8 at 0900 hrs a conference will be held in BORDSTADT with GUILLERMO and HIOB SENIOR at which LUDOVICO must be present. Nr. 6574/8/43 Secret. HIOB SENIOR.

11.8.43 Berlin - Madrid. No. 72. For Ludovico. On Tues. 17/8 at 0900 hrs a conference will be held in Bordstadt (AOB, = [Bordeaux](#)) with Guillermo and HIOB Senior (AOB, = [Chef Abw. I, Obstlt. i.G. Hansen](#)) at which Ludovico 59740 must be present. Nr. 6574/8/43 Secret. HIOB Senior. (AOB, [According to Hansen's pocket-diary, he arrived on 15/8 and left in the early morning of 19/8; though on Wednesday 18 August he wrote into his diary: Bordeaux: Begegnung mit KO Portugal \(= Ludovico von Karsthoff\)](#)) (AOB, [this what was meant with conference in the message of 10.7.43](#))(Ludovico flew, of course, from Lisbon to Bordeaux) Our reference: <http://www.cdvandt.org/canaris-intercepts.htm>

21.7.43 Germany-Argentine. For Boss ([Harnisch group; directed by Juan Rodolfo Leo](#) 694 [Harnisch alias "Boss"](#)) Your information, coupled with other reports, make it clear that an early rupture ([breaking off diplomatic contact](#)) is unavoidable and is indeed close at hand. With the change of Government which would then ensue, the internment of Axis people could hardly be avoided. Hence the greatest reserve must be observed in relations in relations with business friends, so that the loss of collaboration may be avoided as far as possible. It is of prime importance and should be your chief concern, that the intelligence link should be maintained even after the rupture and that its continued existence be secured under all circumstances.→

- 21.7.43. 694. Cont. You must therefore take all the necessary precautions for all eventualities and report steps taken. If at all possible, you must begin even now, by appropriate behaviour, to guard against your own position being unmasked and endangered. In the interests of maintaining your personal collaboration we request you to confine your activities to the role of a disinterested onlooker. Bear in mind, too, that the measures you have reported could very easily lead to provocation. We remind you to nominate a collaborator for reports on economic and armaments undertakings.
- 10.8.43. 739 Argentine-Germany. Ref. INCA 168(Isac 592). All that is known is that last BLAU group in SANTOS (13 corrupt) disintegrated. Was in communication with BAIREZ only through OSWIN. TIGER saved. Now no communication of any kind with BRAZIL to be had.
- 21.8.43. 781 Germany-Argentine. BELGRANO EMMA 37725 to Marine Attache. Inquiry to HAMBURG shows: For MARTIN: Father well. For FRANZ SCHUMANN: SCHNELL, BRAND'S well, office damaged. For KAY HALTERMANN: Well, wife and children in NIENDORF.
- 24.8.43. 782 907 Germany-Argentine. Please pass our messages 555 - 558 in the original text without decyphering to M.Att.
- 9.9.43. 972 Germany-Argentine. For BOSS. 1) Have you a chance of having travellers from the USA regularly questioned by specially suitable collaborators on economic and armaments matters in the USA? How far can KOENNECKE be of use in this direction? We are still without reports relating purely to armaments, especially from the USA, to which we here attach the utmost value and which are more important for us than any others. 2) What has been done towards establishing contact with SCHOMBURGH? How far has the KUNZE affair proceeded? 3) Can journeys by friends to the USA still be expected? 4) Payment of RM 17000 against 100000 pesos has been sanctioned and is in order. 5) For financing your organisation, 300000 pesos have been specially made available, apart from the sums already placed at your disposal by business friend. The sum will be remitted to business friend in the immediate future. We recommend you to place the sum in such a manner that it is certain to be available even if relations are broken off. 6) Enrolment of suitable and efficient collaborators, who in the interest of their own safety should be run individually and who can report in particular on matters relating to armaments is highly desirable. Report regularly. 7) U-boat meetings has been postponed for the present. Will be reconsidered if the courier route breaks down. Use courier routes freely for yourself and collaborators. KRAMER.
- 6.10.43. 1086 Argentine-Germany. In accordance with instructions ROT telegrams are given priority. We ascertained that much the greater part of the cables sent (6 corrupt) are purely Embassy cables. The Embassy Staff has repeatedly shown negligence in dealing with Embassy affairs. We consider it advisable, for reasons of security and in order not to overburden TONI, to discontinue the transmission of Embassy cables. Please let us have your opinion. TIGER would have to be instructed to the same effect by OTTOKAR-WILLI. The question has not been broached at this end so far.
- 15.10.43. 684.53 Berlin-Madrid. 127. For MARQUES. SCHLACHTHOF (=Argentine) M.ATT. wires on 10.10.43. According to a QUADRAT source 2 men of CABO HORNOS have been arrested in TRINIDAD and the purser RIGAL in QUADRAT. Latter has financial claims on us. MARTIN 1353.
- 17.10.43. 1298 Argentine-Germany. BOSS 44. My negotiations with the Argentine Government are known through earlier reports. The Embassy was kept informed via Col.WOLF. It was mutually agreed upon to let the groups involved know at once in case of similar actions. Contrary to this, the Embassy was making vain attempts, by using as mediators unsuitable V Maenner, in disrepute with Argentine Government, to enter into negotiations on the same basis and to eliminate me (?) in a most unfair manner. The Argentine Government was finally induced by this to negotiate now without the German Embassy. The Government sent, on the 11th, aboard CABO DE HORNOS, the reserve officer HELLMUTH with a special commission to GERMANY. HELLMUTH, is, as my collaborator, well informed and will report to you on all events and details. Because it is the matter of purely political affairs, ROT will not take charge of (HELLMUTH's) introduction and taking care of him, however closely we here collaborate with ROT. To comply with the wish of Argentine Government regarding strict secrecy, I request you to desist from transmitting any reports to me, which are not of administrative character, via the ambassadorial route. In order to relieve the W/T route, the reports in this matter will go in the future only to DVE (DNE).

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21.7.43 continuing You must therefore take all the necessary precautions for all eventualities and report steps taken. If at all possible, you must begin unmasked and endangered. In the interests of maintaining your personal collaboration we request you to confine your (your) activities to the role of a disinterested onlooker. Bear in mind, too that the measures you have reported could very easily lead to provocation. We remind you to nominate a collaborator for reports on economic and armament undertakings.

10.8.43 Argentine-Germany. Ref. Inca (must according brief information in KV 2/1487-1, 739 page 9 have been in relation with Heinz Junge, who once was assistant to the Air Attaché (Niebuhr or Wolf?) 168 (Isac 592; which decrypt is not within our RSS summary) All that is known is the last Blau group (Abwehr I, or Amtsgruppe / Ausland) group in Santos (13 corrupt) disintegrated. Was in communication with Baires (Buenos Aires?) only through Oswin. Tiger (General Wolf) saved. Now no communication of any kind with Brazil to be had.

21.8.43 Germany-Argentine. Belgrano (former Military Attaché Niebuhr) Emma 37725 to 781 Marine Attaché (likely now Wolf) . Inquiry to Hamburg (Ast-X) shows: For Martin (the first name of an individual): Father well. For Franz Schuchmann: Schnell Brandes well, office damaged (in Nürnberg). For Kay Haltermann: Well, wife and children in Niendorf. (AOB, such kind of messages were usually commenced after a severe bomb-raid on a particular city like was Hamburg after Operation Gomorrah on 24 July 1943)

24.8.43 Germany-Argentine. Please pass our messages 555 – 558 in the original text without 782 deciphering to M.Att. (Military Attaché Wolf)
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9.9.43 Germany-Argentine. For Boss (Hornisch Group). 1) Have you a chance of having 972 travellers from the USA regularly questioned by specially suitable collaborators on economic and armaments matters in the USA? How far can Koennecke be of use in this direction? We are still without reports relating purely to armaments, especially from USA, to which we here attach the utmost value and which are more important for us than any others. 2) What has been done towards establishing contact with Schomburgh? How far has the Kunze affair proceeded? 3) Can journeys by friends to the USA still be expected? 4) Payments of RM 17000 against 100000 pesos has been sanctioned and is in order. 5) For financing your organisation, 300000 pesos have been specially made available apart from the sums already placed at your disposal by 'business friend' (= General Wolf) The sum will be remitted to business friend in immediate future. We recommend you to place the sum in such a manner that it is certain to be available even if the relations are broken off. 6) Enrolment of suitable and efficient collaborators, who in the interest of their own safety should run individually and who can report in particular on matters relating to armaments is highly desirable. Report regularly. 7) U-boat meetings has been postponed for the present. (AOB, bear in mind: that not long before this date the devastating U-boat losses had been suffered on Convoy "ONS 5", and almost all U-boat operations being stopped) Will be reconsidered if the courier route breaks down. Use couriers routes freely for yourself and collaborators. Kramer (Amtsgruppe/Ausland?)

6.10.43 Argentine-Germany. In accordance with instruction Rot (Becker SD, RSHA, Group, 1086 whether it was ran via their Havel Institut in Berlin?) telegrams are given priority. We ascertain that much the greater part of the cables (W/T telegrams) sent (6 block being corrupt) are purely Embassy cables (AOB, the pure Embassy felt under the

Foreign Office abbreviated A.A.) The Embassy Staff has repeatedly shown negligence in dealing with Embassy affairs. (AOB, Niebuhr and its successor Wolf acted mainly on behalf of Abwehr I Ausland/Abwehr, or Amtsgruppe/Ausland I cannot say) We consider it advisable, for reasons of security and in order not to overburden Toni, to discontinue the transmission of Embassy cables. Please let us have your opinion. Tiger (Wolf) would have to be instructed to the same effect by Ottokar-Willi. The question has not been broached at this end so far.

15.10.43 Berlin-Madrid. 127 For Marques. Schlachthof (=Argentine) M.Att (Military Attaché 68453*General Wolf) wires on 10.10.43. According to a Quadrat (Spain) source 2 men of Cabo Hornos have been arrested in Trinidad (an strategic Island in the middle of the Atlantic across Brazil) and the purser Rignal in Quadrat (=Spain). (AOB, these arrests were the direct consequence of the RSS intercepts on the various communications with South America) The latter has financial claims on us. Martin 1353 (Martin might have been Abwehr I M (Marine) Berlin)

*Isk Enigma decrypt known as MSS

17.10.43 Argentine-Germany. Boss (Hornisch Group) 44. My negotiations with the Argentine Government are known through earlier reports. The Embassy was kept informed via Obst. (by then he was already General-Major) Wolf. It was mutually agreed upon to let the groups involved know at once in case of similar actions. Contrary to this, the Embassy was making in vain attempts, by using as mediators unsuitable Y-Männer, in disrepute with the Argentine Government (AOB, Please bear in mind, that an Embassy is belonging to diplomatic representation and was head by the Foreign Office, using, when available, their own W/T communications channel at Belitz), to enter into negotiations on the same basis and to eliminate me (/) in most unfair negotiative now without the German Embassy. (AOB, their was always animosity existing between the Diplomatic Corps and the Intelligence services; which led in the course of 1944, in Madrid, to a real clash! Where KO Spain was banned from the Embassy premises, since.) The Government sent, on the 11th, aboard Cabo de Hornos, the reserve officer Helmuth with a special commission to Germany. Helmuth is, as my collaborators, well informed and will report to you on all events and details. Because it is a matter of purely political affairs, Rot (SD line) will not take charge of Helmuth's introduction and taking care of him, however closely we here collaborate with Rot (Juan Sigfrido Becker alias "Sargo") To comply with the wish of Argentine, Government regarding strict secrecy, I request you to desist from transmitting and reports to me, which are not of administrative character, via the ambassadorial route. In order to relieve the W/T route, the reports in this matter will only to DVF (DNB)(Deutsches Nachrichtenbureau)

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Sheet 2.

WOLF, Col. later Maj. Gen.
 @ ALDO
 @ TIGER
 @ 'Business Friend'
 @ CHEF

- 22.10.43. Argentine-Germany. Ref. INCA 263. KELLER, the ROECHLIN representative
 1405 is an old party member and dignitary. By bringing in of BEIN (= Biene), the MM representative and with consent of TIGER the Embassy figures as recipient of the money.
- 23.10.43. Berlin-Argentine. We received your reports 591/62, 592/66, 593/66, 594/33.
 1297 For 2 months we have not been getting even a single report pertaining to military economy. As we have repeatedly reminded you, we are interested only in these, and not in the political ones. The funds which we have placed at your disposal can be used only for the former. You also pledged yourselves to us in this sense. Even the 'business friend' formerly at your end does not understand you. A clear explanation is necessary. In your own interest we had your activity at your end declared as a defence service, and expect a soldier-like fulfillment of the duties. KRAMER.
- 1.11.43. Argentine-Germany. It appears from the point of view of GRUEN, who has
 1248 only recently been informed by BOSS, that TIGER and NELSON at your end also are trying to represent the work of BOSS as not in conformity with the general assignment framework. BOSS is not sending details to GRUEN as reports go solely to ROT. Therefore please inform GRUEN.
- 1.11.43. Argentine-Germany. After all attempts by MEYNEN and TIGER, bringing
 in FREUDE also, to torpedo HELLMUTH's mission vis-a-vis the Argentine Government had failed, an attempt was made, as already reported (infinitive missing) HELLMUTH vis-a-vis the Reich Government(?) (ca 20 letters corrupt).
- 2.11.43. Germany-Argentine. INCA 294..... We are still awaiting your opinion
 1271 on TIGER's assertion that we should have deposited blank receipt for 100,000 pesos with BET BRIEG for credit granted by BET director HERMENN, STRALSUND. Has SARGO or LUNA cash department taken over only a proportion of this sum or the whole ?....
- 3.11.43. Berlin-Buenos Aires. Sgd. GROTE to GERM. EMB. for the Military
 G. 0718 Attache. Further to our No.2244 g.K(see above). The person mentioned may be reached care of Ricardo DOLD (Padre), Calle Santa Fe 3992.
- 4.11.43. Berlin-Buenos Aires. BROTE to GERM. EMB. Summary. Is addressed
 G. 0723 to the Military Attache and concerns an increase in salary for Major-General WOLF on his promotion.
- 5.11.43. Germany-Argentine. INCA 303. Preparations by DEBEG to pay out
 1274 salary of SIENE have been concluded. Payment may be made by us. Ref. INCA 280. We considered it urgently necessary to nominate reliable member of DREYFUSS to carry out transaction.
- 18.11.43. Argentine-Germany. According to INCA 303, TIGER negotiated
 1387 with the BAIREs management to name a suitable Argentinian. The management rejected the transaction.
- 20.11.43. Berlin-Morlupo. 75. To RIESE. Source Military Attache BUENOS
 73391 AIRES of 3/9/43. Colonel REGGIO nominated as Argentinian Military and Air Attache in ROME. Was formerly Adjutant to President of State ORTIZ, then Chief of Staff to General RAMIREZ when the latter was made Minister for War and finally (1 group corr.) State. Active at the same time in the Argentinian I.S. (Abwherdienst). It is also asserted in some quarters that the nomination is equivalent to banishment as REGGIO (has) too close connections with the USA and also is not to the liking of present influential officer circles. Caution advisable.

LUDWIG No. 30244/43 Secret.

- 22.10.43 Argentine-Germany. Ref. INCA ([Junge or Schuhmann, in Buenos Aires](#)) [serial number](#)
- 1405 263. Keller, the Roechlin representative is an old ([Nazi](#)) party member and dignitary. By bringing in of Bein (Biene), the MM representative and with consent of Tiger ([Gen. Wolf](#)) the Embassy figures as recipient of the money.
- 23.10.43 Berlin-Argentine. We received your reports 591/62, 592/66. 593/66, 594/33. For two
1297 months we have not been getting even a single report pertaining to military economy. As we have repeatedly reminded you, we are interested only in these, and not in political ones. The funds which we have placed at your disposal can be used only for the former. You also pledged yourselves to us in this sense. Even the 'business friend' ([General Wolf, the Military Attaché](#)) formerly at your end does not understand you. A clear explanation is necessary. In your own interest we had your activity at your end declared as a defence service, and expect a soldier-like fulfilment of the duties. Kramer ([likely from Buerckner's Amtsgruppe/Ausland](#))
- 1.11.43 Argentine-Germany. It appears from the point of view of [Gruen \(Grün\)](#)([Harnisch group; directed by Juan Rodolfo Leo Harnisch alias "Boss", which had at its disposal a radio-transmitter in Cologne \(Köln\) nest Cologne?](#)), that Tiger ([General Wolf](#)) and Nelson at your end also are trying to represent the work of Boss is in conformity with the general assignment framework. Boss ([Harnisch Group](#)) is not sending details to [Gruen \(Grün\)](#) as reports go solely to [Rot. \(SD link, likely via the Havel Institut, especially regarding the XIII/37 .. communication lines\)](#). Therefore please inform [Gruen \(Grün\)](#) ([Köln](#)).
- 1.11.43 Argentine-Germany. After all attempts by Meynen ([KV 2/1487-2, page 13: . Dr. Meynen considers Siegfried Becker as head of the Abwehr in Argentine and not General Wolf](#)) and Tiger ([General Wolf](#)), bringing in Freude also, to torpedo Helmuth's mission vis-à-vis the Argentine Government had failed, an attempt was made, as already reported (infinitive missing) Helmuth vis-à-vis the Reich Government(?) (ca 20 letters corrupt).
- 2.11.43 Germany-Argentine. INCA ([Heinz Junge or Schuhmann](#)) 294. ... We are still
1271 awaiting your opinion of Tiger assertion that we should have deposited blank receipt for 100,000 pesos with Bet Brieg for credit granted by BET director Hermen?, Stralsund. Has Sargo ([Sargo again is believed to be identical with Seifensieder or Seisie who left the Argentine Government](#)) or Luna ([now chief SD W/T operator in Argentine and believed to be Gustav Utzinger \(MSS 28/2/43\)](#)) cash department taken over only a proportion of this sum or the whole ?..
- 3.11.43 Berlin-Buenos Aires. Sgnd Grote to [German Embassy](#) for the Military Attaché
G.0718 ([General Wolf](#)). Further to our No. 2244 g.K ([gKdos](#)). The person mentioned may reached care of Ricardo Dold (Padre), Calle Santa Fe 3992.
- 4.11.43 Berlin Buenos Aires. Brote to [German Embassy](#). Summary. Is addressed to the
G.0723 Military Attaché ([General Wolf](#)) and concerns an increase in salary for Major General Wolf on his promotion. (AOB, [this maybe regarded an indication when Wolf had been promoted from Obst. to General-Major; 'General' is not a correct ranking designation](#))
- 5.11.43 Germany-Argentine. INCA ([Heinz Junge or Schuhmann](#)) 303. Preparations by
1274 DEBEG ([supplying maritime wireless systems](#)) to pay out salary of Siene have been concluded. Payment may be made by us. Ref. INCA 280. We considered it urgently necessary to nominate reliable member of Dreyfuss to carry out the transaction.
- 18.11.43 Argentine-Germany. According to INCA ([Heinz Junge or Schuhmann](#)) 303, Tiger
1387 ([Wolf](#)) negotiated with Baires management to name a suitable Argentinian. The managements rejected the transaction.
- 20.11.43 Berlin-Morlupo (= [TOGO = Kesselring's wireless station at Frascati near to Rome](#))
75 To Riese ([Kesselring?](#)). Source Military Attaché Buenos Aires ([Wolf](#)) of 3/9/43. Obst. Reggio nominated as Argentinian Military and Air Attaché in Rome. Was formerly Adjutant to President of State Ortiz, then Chief of Chaff to general Ramirez when the latter was made

Minister for War and finally (1 group corrupt)(= a block of 5 Morse characters) State. Active at the same time in the Argentinian I.S. (Abwehrdienst). It is also asserted in some quarters that the nomination is equivalent to banishment as Reggio (has) too close connections with the USA and also is not to the liking of present influential officer circles. Caution advisable. Ludwig (likely I L Berlin) 30244/43

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20.11.43. Berlin-Madrid. 222. For MARQUES. M.ATT. SCHLACHTHOF wires on
73466 19/11. 1) Shipped on SERANTES one Z IM 2 L, bearer CALDERETERO, affair
BALADO. 2) On RITA GARCIA I L I M, bearer FOGONERO ALFONS MAJO (or
MABO). MARTIN 1431.

21.11.43. Argentine-Germany. Ref. 289, para 3. We have a reliable WOLF on
1396 Argentine steamer of S.AFRICA Line. Report assignments and contact
places.
not R. Wolf

20.12.43. Germany-Argentine. (Nos.424 - 432). For VIREECK. 1) Checking up
1518 on HELLMUTH took place in TRINIDAD in the first instance without
complaint, but HELLMUTH was then taken off at midnight together with
his luggage and the back panel of cabin wardrobe which was unscrewed.
No other examination of the cabin took place. Clearly there is
treachery somewhere. 2) HERBERT RICHTER is not known here.
Further investigations are still in progress. 3) In view of
good opinion expressed by business friends and of our own experience
we have complete confidence in your activity, though we feel the
most bitter disappointment that economic reports which we need
so urgently are completely lacking. Our disappointment is all
the greater as we reckoned and also must reckon on 3 valuable reports
per day. 4) You must definitely try and set up this economic
reporting service as quickly as possible, as we must not neglect
to deal with this sphere (of activity). 5) Consult with
HIMMELRICH and if necessary get him to nominate suitable collaborators.
6) Look up ERWIN SCHRIEER who formerly worked for intelligence
concerning foreign trade. Exact address not known at this end,
but he lives in BUENOS AIRES. Is said to be about 40 years old.
If necessary pay him a reasonable monthly salary. 7) If possible
find another suitable man to work with us, preferably a qualified
journalist who works for the commerce department if necessary
of one of the big daily newspapers at your end. A collaborator
on a big specialist periodical should also be suitable.
8) What are wanted are reports like those for instance that were
used in the commercial part of the FRANKFURTER ZEITUNG, as a
rule 8 to 10 lines a day in summary form would suffice.
9) Make contact with KAESE who is not unknown and who send us
several valuable reports. Transmit these report in summary
form via our W/T route. However see to it that KAESE remains
as a lone worker. 10) Report to us as quickly as possible in re
individual proposals. An effort must be made to ensure that at
least 12 to 20 reports are transmitted as a weekly average to
begin with. Report at once. KRAMER.

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20.11.43 Berlin-Madrid. 222 For Marques. [Military Attaché](#) Schlachthof (Argentine) wires on 73466* 19//11. 1) Shipped on Serantes one Z IM 2 L, bearer Calderetto, affair Baldo. 2) On Rita Garcia I L I M, bearer Fogonero Alfons Majo (or Mabo). Martin 1431 ([likely Abwehr I M Berlin](#))

*Isk Enigma decrypt

21.11.43 Argentine-Germany. Ref. 289, para 3. We have a reliable Wolf on Argentine steamer 1396 of S.Africa Line. Report assignment and contact places. ([pencil notice: not Wolf](#))

20.12.43 Germany-Argentine. (Nos. 424 – 432). For Viereck. 1) Checking up of Helmuth 1518 took place in Trinidad in the first instance without complaint, but Helmuth was then taken off at midnight together with his luggage and the back panel of the cabin wardrobe with was unscrewed. ([notice Helmuth's file series KV 1722 -1724](#)) No other examination of the cabin took place. Clearly there is treachery somewhere ([Yes indeed, their intercepted communications!](#)) 2) Herbert Richter is not known here. Further investigations are still in progress. 3) In view of good opinion expressed by business friends and of our own experience we have complete confidence in your activity, though we feel the most bitter disappointment that economic reports which we need so urgently are completely lacking. Our disappointment is all the greater as we reckoned and also must reckon on t=3 valuable reports per day. 4) You must definitely try and set up this economic reporting service as quickly as possible, as we must not neglect to deal with this sphere (of activity). 5) Consult with Himmelreich and if necessary get him to nominate suitable collaborators. 6) Look up Erwin Schriber who formerly worked for intelligence concerning foreign trade. Exact address unknown at this end. But he lives in Buenos Aires. Is said to be about 40 years old. If necessary pay him a reasonable monthly salary. 7) If possible find another suitable man to work with us, preferably a qualified journalist who works for the commerce department if necessary of one of the big daily newspapers at your end. A collaborator on a big specialist periodical should also be suitable. 8) What are wanted are reports like those for instance that were used in commercial part of the Frankfurter Zeitung, as a rule 8 or 10 lines a day in summary form suffice. 9) Make contact with Kaese who is not unknown and who send us several valuable reports. Transmit these reports in summary form via our W/T route. However see to it that Kaese remains as a lone worker. 10) Report to us as quickly as possible in re individual proposals. An effort must be made to ensure that at least 12 to 20 reports are transmitted as a weekly average to begin with. Report at once. Kramer ([likely Amtsgruppe/Ausland](#))

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- 20.3.43. ✓ Berlin - Madrid. MARTIN 629 to MARQUES. SCHLACHTHOF (ARGENTINA)
36796 ✓ Naval Attache warns against sending pianos by Spanish ships.
36868.
- 25.3.43. ✓ Madrid - Berlin. KOSP to MARTIN. Ref. your message 751. (not recd.).
37549. ✓ Departure from BARCELONA 12th March, bearer seaman ANGEL ROMERO LAHRADOR
will deliver articles to MAR. ATT. SCHLACHTHOF (ARGENTINA).
- 25.5.43. ✓ Berlin - Madrid. MARTIN to MARQUES. MAR. ATT. SCHLACHTHOF (ARGENTINA)
reports the arrest of the V.Mann of the "CÁBO DE HORNOS". He has
German cypher (or encyphered) documents. Name follows. MARTIN 636.
- 28.12.43. ✓ Argentine - Germany. AEG - management refuses, even vis-a-vis TIGER,
1545. ✓ to make the payments for biens mentioned by you.
- 27.1.44. ✓ Berlin - Madrid. 302. MARTIN to MIT E. SCHLACHTHOF wires:
81469. ✓ 1) ALBAREDA 1 (?) L, I M I Z, through name follows. 2) CITURNUM I Z
I M, through name follows. 3) MONTEAYALA I Z, I L, I M name follows.
MARTIN 707.
- 22.3.44. ✓ Argentina & Germany. to 488. Pay to LUNA through TIGER.
1885.
- 1.3.44. ✓ Germany - Argentina. INCA 516. Payment of TIGER to LUNA not clear.
1869. ✓ Who is TIGER? Presume technical representative of LOBO. Which of
LUNA's names does he know? Exact details necessary, or Auslandsab-
teilung refuses payment. INCA 516.
- 4.4.44. ✓ Germany - Argentina. 940. Dear WOLF, I have always been held up
1919. ✓ in writing to you, for reasons which you may imagine. My wife and
I have often thought of you and in particular have rejoiced at your
great success. Now and then my wife and your mother get together
and have a good old chat about WOELFCHEN. I am quietly pursuing
post-war plans, in which you figure prominently. Of course, we must
first win the war. But I am convinced that everything will turn out
well. Your good wishes have been passed on to me each time.
I have also seen most of your letters to your Mother. I am especially
glad that you are managing well with my men over there. Well, all
the best from your old L.
- 10.5.44. ✓ Germany - Argentina. 904-911. Ref. SARGO 385. Share capital of
2045. ✓ the S.A. TALLERES METALURGICOS SAN MARTIN TAMET, BUENOS AIRES amounts
to 14,000,000 Argent. pesos, divided up into shares of 100 pesos
each. Principal shareholders are the ARGUS group under the directio
of the ARBED concern.....Declaration of loss could only
be given out through relevant power of attorney. It is to be ascert-
ained who drew up the power of attorney, and when. Please communicate
proposals for security. INCA 555.
- 19.5.44. ✓ Argentine - Germany. (318). DIPLO is not member of BOLIVAR TONI.
2097. ✓ Since BELGRANO MITA at this end has been allotted with his military
WAREN as BLAU a monthly quota of 8,000. TIGER is giving up to DIPLO
A certain number of words within the scope of his share. We do not
mind this as long as BLAU number does not exceed ROT. Since the
rupture of diplomatic relations TIGER's (1 word corrupt) have been
hidden. He therefore sends via DIPLO. We cannot therefore
distinguish between them. According to confidential BOOT statements
nearly all DIPLO stuff since the rupture. Mostly negotiations for
leaving the country. DIPLO STOP could be achieved by suits le indicatio
to TIGER. As we have only connection with TIGER the latter must
refuse to pass on messages, as for instance transmitter blown.
BOOT has indeed buried his own transmitters. TIGER can also receive
instructions to send only military WAREN. Relations with TIGER v ery
good.
- 6.7.44. ✓ Argentina - Germany. 674-675. Re. INCA 555. (Isac 2045)
2347. ✓ Declaration of loss was made public on June 3, 1940, and now, at the
end of 4 years, has become valid. A list of numbers. of 58,966
shares is being sent by WOLF. Because the deadline for protest has
expired, duplicates will be issued, to the proprietors of which will
be paid the back dividend. A protest is no longer possible; but
only a legal action by the co-proprietor at that time.....

- 20.3.43 Berlin – Madrid. Martin ([Berlin I M](#)) to Marques. Schlachthof (Argentina) Naval 36796 Attaché warns against sending pianos by Spanish ships. 36868
- 25.3.43 Madrid – Berlin. KOSP ([KO Spain](#)) to Martin ([Abwehr I M, Berlin](#)). Ref. your 37549 messages 751 ([not received](#)). Departure for Barcelona 12th March, bearer seaman Angel Romero Labrador will deliver articles to Marine Attaché ([Wolf](#)) Schlachthof (Argentina) reports the arrest of the V-Mann of the “Cabo de Hornos”. He has German cipher (or enciphered documents. Name follows. Martin 636.
- 28.12.43 Argentine – Germany. AEG – management refuses, even vis-à-vis Tiger ([Wolf](#)) to 1545 make the payments for [Biene](#) mentioned by you.
- 27.1.44 Berlin – Madrid. 302. Martin ([I M Berlin](#)) to Mit E. Schlachthof (Argentina) wires: 1) 81469 Albareda 1 (?) L. I M Z. through name follows. 2) Citurnum I Z I M. through name follows. 3) Monteyala I Z, I L, IM name follows. Martin 707.
- 22.3.44 Argentina – Germany. INCA ([Heinz Junge or Schuhmann](#)) 516. Payment to Luna 1885 ([likely Gustav Utzinger](#)) through Tiger ([Wolf](#)).
- 1.3.44 Germany – Argentina. INCA 516. Payment of Tiger to Luna not clear. Who is Tiger? 1869 Presume technical representative of Lobo. Which of Luna’s names does he know? Exact details necessary, or Auslandsabteilung refuses payment. INCA 516. (AOB, [this might correlate with the changes inside the Abwehr since 12 February 1944. Meant likely Amstgruppe/Ausland. Since 12 February a process started where the Abwehr should be merged within the RSHA Amt VI, accompanied by quite some confusion](#))
- 4.4.44 Germany – Argentine. 940 Dear Wolf, I have always been held up in writing to you, 1919 for reasons which you may imagine. My wife and have often thought of you and in particular have rejoiced at your great success. Now and then my wife and your mother get together and have a good old chat about Woelfchen. ([Wolf as a little boy](#)). I am quietly pursuing post-war plans, in which you figure prominently. Of course, we must first win the war. But I am convinced that everything will turn out well. Your good wishes have been passed on to me each time. I have also seen most of your letters to your other. I am especially glad that you are managing well with my men over there. Well, all the best from your old L.
- 10.5.44 Argentina – Germany. (318) Diplo is not a member of Bolivar Toni. Since Belgrano 2097 ([Niebuhr the until Jan 43 Military Attaché in Buenos Aires, when he was expelled](#)) Mita at his end has been allotted with his military Waren as Blau a monthly quota of 8,000. Tiger is giving up to Diplo a certain number of words within the scope of his share. We do mind this as long as [Blau \(communication line\)](#) number does not exceed [Rot \(the SD W/T link\)](#) Since the rupture of diplomatic relations Tiger’s (1 word corrupt) have been hidden. ([Wolf himself lived free in Buenos Aires awaiting his free passage to Lisbon](#)) He therefore send via Duplo. We cannot therefore distinguish between them. According confidential Boot statements nearly all Diplo stuff since the rupture. Mostly negotiations for leaving the country Diplo Stop could be achieved by suits le indication to Tiger. As we have only connection with Tiger the latter must refuse to pass on messages, as for instance transmitter blown. Boot has indeed buried his own transmitters. Tiger can also receive instructions to end only military Waren (?) ([informations?](#)) Relations Tiger very good.
- 6.7.44 Argentina _ Germany 674-675 Re INCA ([Heinz Junge or Schuhmann](#)) (Isac 2045) ([of 10.5.44](#)). Declaration of loss was made public on June 3, 1940, and now, at the end of 4 years, 2347 has become valid. A list of numbers of 58.966 shares is being sent by Wolf. Because the deadline for protest has expired, duplicates will be issued, to the proprietors of which will be paid back dividend. A protest is no longer possible; but only a legal action by the co-proprietor at that time ..

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11.8.44.
2333. ✓ Argentine - Germany. From SARGO. Cash receipts in ROT account up to 20th July 521500 pesos as follows: Transfer from you 173000. From TIGER 32,000, the origin of which was not reported to us. ACEROS STYRIA, BAIREs, 50,000 for which 285,000 RM are to be paid to the Steyrische Gusstablewäre in VIENNA. OPA 100,000, BOLLEBEFG knows the details. As no reply from you to our 673 came before the departure of the diplomats we had to make up an affirmative answer. TOTO 92,000 which TOTO made over to us from the fund received from OPA, repayment not necessary. Repatriates, 45,850. Dollar exchange, 8000. Via BOSS, 20,000 the employment of which will be reported. Payments to LUNA account 69,000. Balance in hand 362,000 pesos and 22,700 dollars.

SARGO.

4.9.44.
114154. ✓ Berlin - Lisbon. 13. To the German Mil. Att. LISBON. Ref. Telegr. No. 3021. Daily allowances from the day after arrival in LISBON (see sappendix I No. 14 and 17 and table page D I B): married women and children over 6 years old each 50 (5 corrupt) of these rates. Younger childrne no daily allowance. Monthly service pay: WOLF180, MUELLER 81, MAMMEN 72 Reichmarks: advances paid must be included in account. Inland rates of payment are applicable as from day of departure from BUENOS AIRES. Payable only in GERMANY: advances in Devisen cannot be raised on this.
ATT. ABT. HER/OKW WFST AG AUSL.

8.9.44.
114803. ✓ Lisbon - Berlin. 559. To HIOB for LUDWIG. Same text to ZF. INCA 2 has arrived, in an exchange, from KURORT, with his wife and 2 children. Please instruct whether, and to what amount, he is to receive allowances from here. Please signal reply via ZF.
FORROS, LEANDER.

8.9.44.
114805. ✓ Lisbon - Berlin. 565. To HIOB for LUDWIG: same message to ZF. Ref. W/T message No. 559 of 7/9. Cover name stated is SCHUMANN.
FORROS LEANDER.

10.9.44.
115128. ✓ Berlin - Lisbon. No. 39. Secret. For FORROS. For LEANDER. Ref. your letter 565. SCHUMANN received emoluments through legation KURORT. Has alteration occurred in this ?
HIOB 107/9/44.

14.9.44.
115672. ✓ Lisbon - Berlin. 606. To MARTIN for EMMA. MIL. ATT. BUENOS AIRES at present in LISA suggests sending valuable MERCK chemicals through KMP by ship to BUENOS AIRES to finance his R Organisation in BUENOS AIRES. The chemicals are already at this end. Please advise whether W/T communication from your end exists with R organisation BLAU in BUENOS AIRES, so that BLAU can be informed from your end as to use of the chemicals with particulars about ship, bearer and password.

FORROS.

15.9.44.
115756. ✓ Berlin - Lisbon. 56. Secret. For FORROS for Mil. Att. BAIREs. Ref. your 606. Since 6/8 no (40 lost).....arrested with 17 collaborators and 30 to 40 associates. An enquiry is being made through the protesting power for the names of the persons arrested, to find out whether BLAU is concerned. The cutter sent from here handed over to LUNA for BLAU at end of June MIPU apparatus and SCHERING product for 75,000 RM. BLAU informed of this on 6/7. Query: is it known at your end whether BLAU received the things. Enquiry to this effect made to BLAU on 7/8 has not been answered.
HIOB 11883/9/44.

20.9.44.
116252. ✓ Berlin - Lisbon. No. 69. Secret. For FORROS. Please help to look after remigrants from the ARGENTINE DAVIDIS and THIERMANN and arrange for them to present themselves at this end. Inform Military Attache BUENOS AIRES that cutter has arrived in VIGO.
ERIZO No. 12337 /9/44.

21.9.44.
116515. ✓ Lisbon - Berlin. 683. To HIOB. ef. HIOB No. 10107/9/44. SCHUMANN affair settled at this end by Mil. Att. KURORT.
FORROS LEANDER.

22.9.44.
116731. ✓ Lisbon - Berlin. 694. To HIOB. Ref. our 11883/9. From MIL. ATT. B AIRES to be passed on. LUNA reported on 8th July that MIPU article has arrived (not clear whether man or set and without stating
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14.11.44.
124048. Continued.....
I assume that all mentioned belong to ROT Or BOLIVER. Furthermore it is known from a secure private address that KOENNECKE (GRUEN's assistant) has been arrested. 2) Is there still W/T communication with BLAU for the purpose of informing him of despatch of chemicals ? 3) Ref. HIOB 10077/11/44. MORO is the new designation for former PALMERO. Intended for EMMA.
FORROS.

11.8.44 Argentine – Germany. From Sargo (Sargo again is believed to be identical with Seifensieder or Seisie who left the Argentine Government). Cash receipts in Rot (SD controlled) account up to 20th July 521500 pesos as follows: Transfer from your 173000. From Tiger (Wolf was no longer in Argentina) 32,000 the origin of which was not reported to us. Aceros Styria, Baires, 50,000 for which is 285,000 RM are to be paid to the Steyrische Gusstablewerke (?) in Vienna (Wien). Opa 100,000, Bollberg knows the details. As no reply from you to our 673 (telegram number) came before the departure of the diplomats (among it was General-Major Wolf) we had to make up an affirmative answer. Toto 92,000 which Toto made over to us from the fund received from Opa, repayment not necessary. Repatriates, 45, 850. Dollar exchange, 8000. Via Boss (Harnisch group), 20,000 the employ money of which will be reported. Payments to Luna (likely Gustav Utzinger) account 69,000. Ballance in hand 362,000 pesos and 22,700 dollars.

Sargo (Juan Sigfrido Becker)

4.9.44 Berlin – Lisbon. 13. To German Military Attaché Lisbon (Karl Voss?). Ref. telegram 114154 No. 3021. Daily allowances from the day after arrival in Lisbon: married women and children over 6 years old each 50 (5 corrupt) of these rates. Younger children no daily allowance. Monthly service pay: Wolf 180, Mueller 81 Mammen 72 Reichsmark (all formerly in Argentina): advances paid must be included in account. Inland rates of payment are applicable as from day of departure from Buenos Aires. Payable only in Germany: advances in Devisen cannot be raised on this.

Attaché Abteilung Heer/OKW Wehrmachtführungsstelle Amtsgruppe/Ausland

8.9.44 Lisbon – Berlin. 565, To HIOB (Heer I Ost Berlin)(the regular communication channel, albeit that from origin it was dedicated for the eastern theatres) for Ludwig (Abwehr I Luftwaffe Berlin): same message to ZF (paymaster). Ref. your letter 565 of 7/9. Cover name stated is Schuhmann (formerly in Argentine) Forros (= Obstlt. d. L. Dr. Rudolf Frederici Leiter KOP Mitte '43 - 45) Leander (Leiter KOP)114803

10.9.44 Berlin – Lisbon. No. 39 Secret For Forros (Frederici) For Leander (Leiter KOP) Ref 115128 your letter 565. Schuchmann received emoluments through legation Kurort (Buenos Aires). Has alteration occurred in this? (Hat es Änderungen gegeben?)

HIOB 107/9/44

14.9.44 Lisbon – Berlin. 606. To Martin (Abwehr I Marine Berlin) for Emma. Mil.Att. 115672 (General-Major Wolf) Buenos Aires at in Lisa (Lisbon) suggests sending valuable Merck chemicals through KMP (K.d.M. Portugal = Kommandomeldegebiet) by ship to Buenos Aires to finance his R Organisation (= stay behind) in Buenos Aires. The chemicals are already at this end. Please advise whether W/T communication from your end exists with R-Organisation Blau (Abwehr related, but now headed by RSHA Amt Mil) in Buenos Aires, so Blau can be informed from your end as to use of the chemicals with particulars about ship, bearer and password.

Forros (K.d.M. Portugal Leiter Frederici)

15.9.44 Berlin – Lisbon. 56. Secret. For Forros for Mil. Att. Baires (Militär Attaché Wolf once in Buenos Aires). Ref. your 606 (previous telegram number). Since 6/8 no (40 lost) .. arrested with 17 collaborators and 30 to 40 associates. An enquiry is being made through protesting power (Sweden of Switzerland?) for the names of the persons arrested, and find out what Blau is concerned. The cutter (Passim cover-name Santa Barbara) sent from here handed to Luna (Gustav Utzinger) for Blau at end of June (AOB, Passim returned in September '44 to Vigo under his Captain Garbers, because French ports were liberated and no longer German ruled)

<http://www.cdvandt.org/kv-2-2294-passim-guenther-stracke.htm>

HIOB 11883/44.

Emma, Tom, Grete, and Rudolf send heartfelt (*hertzliche*) greetings of welcome (*In Europe*)

20.9.44 Berlin – Lisbon. No 69. Secret For Forros. Please help to look after remigrants from 116252 the Argentine Davidis and Thiermann and arrange for them to present themselves at this end. Inform Military Attaché Buenos Aires (*Wolf*) that cutter (*Captain Garber's Passim*) in Vigo (*Spain*).

Erizo (*Formerly Leiter I H, now within RSHA Amt Mil*) 12337/9/44

21.9.44 Lisbon – Berlin. 683. To HIOB. Ef. HIOB No. 10107/9/44. Schuhmann affair settled 116515 at this end by Mil. Att. Kurort (*Wolf from Buenos Aires*)

Forros Leander (*Leiter KOP / K.d.M. Portugal Frederici*)

22.9.44 Lisbon – Berlin. 694. To HIOB. Ref. our 11883/9. For Mil Att. B Aires to be passed 116731 on. Luna (*Gustav Utzinger*) reported on 8th July that MIPU article has arrived (not clear whether man or set and without stating that it is intended for *Blau* (*Abwehr/Mil Amt related*) has been informed of it. Luna despatched at the same time a packet of Chemikalien (*chemicals*), which was passed on by us to the firm concerned. The 60,000 pesos paid for this had been handed to *Blau*. It is not possible to comment on the arrests until names are known.

Mil.Att. B.Aires (*Wolf*) Forros (*Frederici*)

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| 22.12.44. 131465. | Berlin - Lisbon. 120. Secret. For FORROS. For Mil. Att. BEIRAS. Is anything known at your end about ELISA VEGA OCAMPO against whom court proceedings have been opened in the ARGENTINE on a charge of espionage. |
| 3.1.45. 133959. | BABETTE, MONITOR 12/77212/44. Lisbon - Berlin. (7 letters corrupt) To BABETTE (8 letters corrupt) (From-text corrupt-) Mil. Att., BAIREs, to be passed on. 1) Reference your 12190/11 and 12772/(12-text doubtful-) Persons specified not known. According to private information WERNER KOENNECKE, BAIREs, released from custody for the present. |
| 21.2.45. 133321. | FORROS. Lisbon - Berlin. BABETTE, MONITOR. For EMMA. From Mil. Att. BAIREs. To be passed on. 1) Final statement of accounts sent from our end included 3, 500 Argentine pesos, paid in by BEIN in BAIREs. Request had been made previously to remit the Reichsmark equivalent of 2,000 pesos to stud. med. LISELOTTE BAUER, HEIDELBERG. Please remit remainder, equivalent of 1500 pesos, for GEORG BEIN, formerly BAIREs, in Reichsmesseamt, LEIPZIG. 2) According to private information from BAIREs KOENNECKE was temporarily released from imprisonment only over Christmas and EUGEN has been imprisoned for a long time. |

22.1.44 Berlin – Lisbon. 120. Secret. For Forros (*Leiter KOP/K.d.M. Portugal Frederici*) 131465 For Military Attaché (*Wolf*) Beiras (*Buenos Aires*). Is anything known at your end about Elisa Vega Ocampo against whom court proceedings have been opened in the Argentine on the charge of espionage.

Babette (*Sachbearbeiter(in) Mil Amt Western hemisphere, I suppose*) Monitor 12/77212/44

3.1.45 Lisbon – Berlin. (7 letters corrupt) To Babette (8 letters corrupt) (From-text corrupt) 133959 Mil.Att. Baires to be passed on. 1) Reference your 12190/11 and 12772/(12 text doubtful) Persons specified not known. According to private information Werner Koennecke, Baires, released from custody for the present.

Forros (*Frederici*)

21.2.45 Lisbon – Berlin. Babette, Monitor. For Emma. From Mil. Att. Baires (*General-Major Wolf*) To be passed on. 1) Final statement of accounts sent from our end included 3,500 Argentine pesos, paid in by Bein in Baires. Request had been made previously to remit the Reichsmark equivalent of 2,000 pesos to student medicine (*Medizin*) Liselotte Bauer, Heidelberg. Please remit remainder, equivalent of 1500 pesos, for Georg Bein, formerly *in* Baires, in Reichsmesseamt, Leipzig. 2) According to private information from Baires Koennecke was temporarily released from imprisonment only over Christmas and Eugen has been imprisoned for a long time.

Forros.

Extract for FF. 66891 WOLF General Friedrich.
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Extract from F.B.I. report dated July 15th 1944, on the espionage and smuggling organisation of General Friedrich WOLF, forwarded by the American Embassy 23.8.44.

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FREDRICH WOLF, FRIEDRICH WOLFF,
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On December 8, 1942, Major General FRIEDRICH WOLF came to Buenos Aires from Santiago, Chile, at which place he had occupied the position of Military Attache in the German Embassy. WOLF was transferred to Buenos Aires to replace Captain DIETRICH NIEBUHR, who had been declared persona non grata by the Argentine Government when it was revealed that he was a German espionage agent. WOLF was recognized by the Argentine Government as German Attache for Air. He replaced NIEBUHR in the German espionage organisation in Argentina. Both NIEBUHR and WOLF were "Abwehr" agents and as head of the "Abwehr" in Argentina, the latter cooperated with JOHANNES SIEGFRIED BECKER, head of the "Sicherheitsdienst".

WOLF collected espionage information and passed this on to couriers on Spanish ships through JOSE SANTIAGO VALLES (GRUZ). As to his specific activities in this regard, he gave a package containing espionage communications in code, as well as contraband, to VALLES shortly before September 25, 1943. On September 28, 1943, VALLES delivered this material to JOSE OLIVERA del RIO, a crew member on the "Habana". DEL RIO was subsequently arrested by the British Security Officer when this information was learned.

On November 12, 1943, SALUSTIANO REY GONZALEZ was delivered a similar quantity of espionage material by VALLES. An examination by Source H reflects that some of the material in this package was prepared on the same typewriter as that used in writing material given to JOSE OLIVERA del RIO; and since the material given to del RIO was prepared by WOLF, it is presumed that the material given to REY GONZALEZ was likewise prepared by him.

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On February 19, 1944, the Press Bureau of the President of the Argentina announced that the Executive Power had ordered the lifting of the arrest order to which these individuals had been subjected. This bulletin continued by stating that an investigation had been conducted which proved that these three officials had actively engaged in espionage, and that they had been placed under arrest for this reason. However, in view of the fact that their activities were well-known, that they were accredited diplomats, and that the acts which were committed by them took place prior to the rupture of diplomatic relations between the Argentine and the Axis powers, the arrest order had been removed to allow them to complete arrangements for obtaining the safe conducts necessary for their repatriation.

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It is interesting to note that apart from the individuals already arrested, our Representative states that the Argentine Police are busy looking for Carlos LEHNEN SYRE, ILSENER, VON ZEMEN and an unidentified United Press man.

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7. BARON INO EZZATI VON ROLLAND. This man is probably identical with the Baron VON ROLLAND who was in Barcelona in German Naval Intelligence prior to the war. The interrogation of PEREZ GARCIA revealed the fact that von ROLLAND was engaged in espionage activities in Buenos Aires. Observation of von ROLLAND's activities showed that he was in close contact with the German CHargé D'Affaires, VON MEYNEN, and Wilhelm VON SEIDLITZ. He apparently had plenty of money and appeared to be at pains to cultivate important Argentines. VON ROLLAND was arrested by the Argentine Police on March 21st, 1944 on espionage charges. He is understood to have been released subsequently but no definite advice of this has been obtained.

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21. COLONEL ARTURO BRINKMANN. This man was one of the heads of Argentine Military Intelligence and maintained close contact with German Intelligence through Wilhelm VON SEIDLITZ, Hans HARMEYER and Guillermo LASERRE-MARMOL. BRINKMANN was used as a political source by Johannes Siegfried BECKER who referred to him by the cover name "BRIK." Can WOLF give details of BRINKMANN's collaboration?

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PERSONAL - NACHWEIS

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Geboren 4.1.1893 zu Kirchberg, Kreis Gandersheim,

Land: Braunschweig

Religion: evangelisch-
lutherisch.

Vater: Johannes, Pastor in Bodenstedt, Post Vechelde bei Braunschweig, gestorben 16.11.1930 in Riede bei Bremen.

Mutter: Anna, geb. Meyer, Bodenstedt, Post Vechelde bei Braunschweig, gestorben 23.2.1933 in Riede bei Bremen.

Bildungsgang:

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Ostern 1905 bis Ostern 1912 Gymnasium Martino -
Katharineum zu Braunschweig, erlangte das
Reifezeugnis (humanistisches Gymnasium).

Studierte auf der Universität zu Göttingen 3
semester und zu Berlin 2 semester - Deutsch,
Geschichte und Religion.

Verheiratet:

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geb. 13.7.98 evangelisch, Tochter des Ritter-
gutsbesitzers Miessner in Görsdorf i./Mark.

Söhne: 1) Dieter, geboren 18.8.23 in Hirschberg/Schlesien,
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Dienstlaufbahn.

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Lisbon, Portugal
June 27, 1945

MEMORANDUM

Re: Dr. ERICH OTTO MEYNER

Dr. ERICH OTTO MEYNER, the former German Ambassador to the Argentine, has been interviewed on a number of occasions since May 15, 1945. With reference to his own personal background, he has furnished the following information.

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RELATIONSHIPS WITH THE ARGENTINE GOVERNMENT

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Lisbon, Portugal
June 27, 1945

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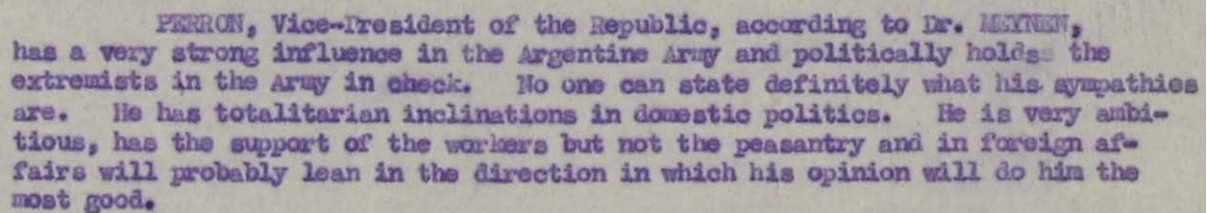
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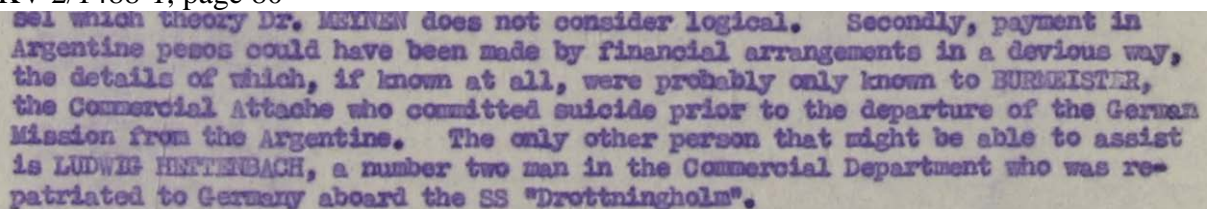
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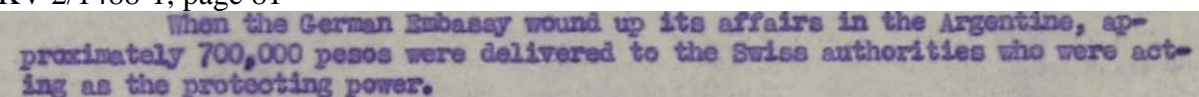
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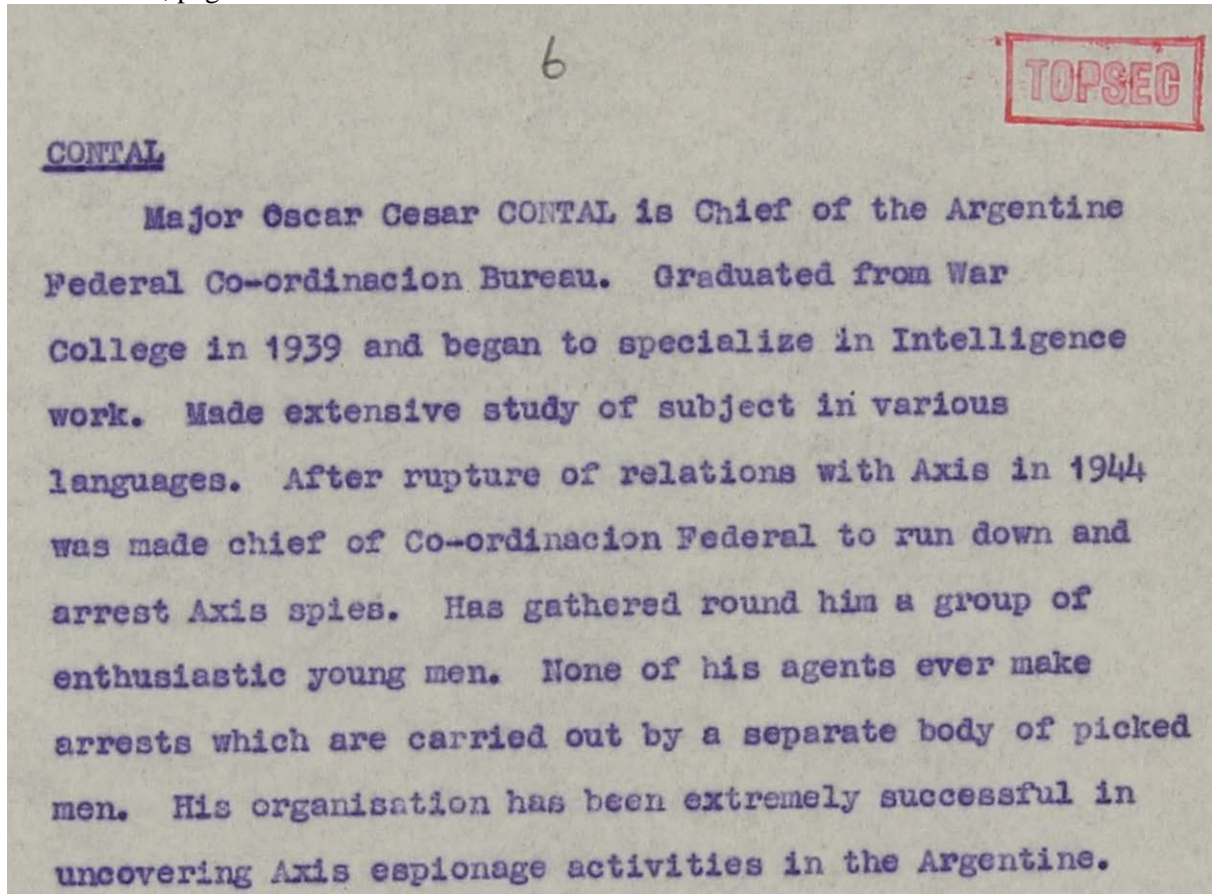
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Date: 11/30/45

RE GENERAL FRIEDRICH WOLF. INFORMATION RECEIVED FROM LEGAL ATTACHE, BUENOS AIRES, THAT JUAN DOMINGO PERON, ARGENTINIAN DICTATOR, IS CONSIDERABLY WORRIED ABOUT STATEMENTS WHICH WOLF MAY HAVE MADE ALTHOUGH HE HAS EXPRESSED NO CONCERN OVER ANY STATEMENT BY OTHER SUBJECTS. HE HAS ATTEMPTED TO OBTAIN INFORMATION ABOUT WOLF'S STATEMENTS. STATEMENTS RECEIVED FROM WOLF TO DATE DO NOT INDICATE CONNECTIONS INVOLVING PERON WITH WOLF. REQUEST BRITISH TO INTERROGATE WOLF EXHAUSTIVELY ABOUT ANY CONTACTS HE MAY HAVE HAD WITH PERON AND ARGENTINE GOVERNMENTAL CONTACTS IN ADDITION TO THOSE MENTIONED IN HIS PREVIOUS INTERROGATIONS. EXPEDITE.

Date: 11/30/45 (typically the US way)

Re General Wolf. Information received from Legal Attaché. Buenos Aires, that Juan Domingo Péron, Argentinean Dictator, is considerably worried about statements which Wolf may have made although he has expressed no concern over any statement by other subjects. He has attempted to obtain information about Wolf's statements. Statements received from Wolf to date do not indicate connections involving Péron with Wolf. Request British to interrogate Wolf Exhaustively about any contacts he may have had with Péron and Argentine Governmental contacts in addition to those mentioned in his previous interrogations. Expedite.

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CAMP O20 INTERIM REPORT.

NAME: WOLF CHRISTIAN NAME: Friedrich
 ALIASES: "TIGER": "LOBO": "ALDO": "PALERMO": "MAURO": "EMBAJADA":
 and either "PALTA or "UVA".
 DATE AND PLACE OF BIRTH: Kirchberg (Hars Mountains), 4.1.1893.
 NATIONALITY: German.
 OCCUPATION: Regular Soldier.
 Date of Arrival Camp O20: 26.5.45.



Height: 5ft. 6 $\frac{1}{4}$ ins.
 Build: Square, heavy.
 Weight: 12 st. 9 lbs.
 Hair: Light brown, greying.
 Face: Square, pug nose.
 Eyes: Blue.
 Physical Peculiarities:
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 vaccination scars left
 arm; scar right elbow.

Last Permanent Address: U.K.W., Berlin.
 Languages: German, Spanish, slight English and French.
 Father: Johann WOLF (deceased 1930).
 Mother: Anna (née MEYER): (deceased 1933).
 Brothers and sisters: None.
 Wife: Vera (née MIESSNER): born 1898.
 Children: Dieter, aged 21.
 Juergen, aged 18.
 Henning, aged 16.
 Gisela aged 15.
 Identity Documents: German Diplomatic Passport No. 1151, dated 30.4.41.
 valid until 30.4.46.

Camp 020 Interim Report.

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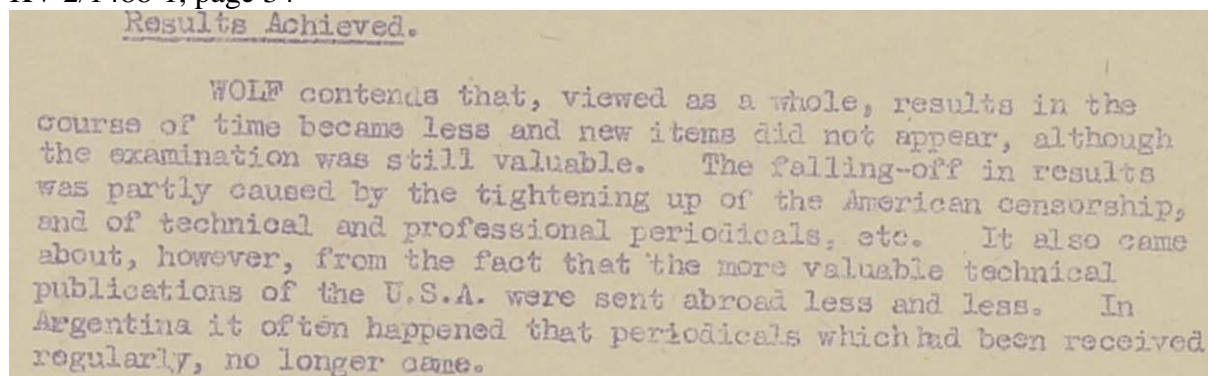
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Wolf contents that, viewed as a whole, results in the course of time became less and new items did not appear, although the examination was still valuable. The falling-off in results was partly caused by the tightening up of the American censorship, and of technical and professional periodicals, etc. It also came about, however, from the fact that the more valuable technical publications of the U.S.A. were sent abroad less and less. In Argentina it often happened that the periodicals which had been received regularly, no longer came.

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