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COUNTER INTELLIGENCE CORPS  
MILAN DETACHMENT, ZONE 3  
APO 512, U.S. ARMY

Ref.No. 367-1.

21 November 1946.

MEMORANDUM FOR THE OFFICER IN CHARGE.-

SUBJECT: OSTALER, Maria.

RE : Investigation.

Pursuant to instruction from Supervising Agent, CIC Milan Det., Zone 3, to investigate Subject and her activities, based on request from Chief CIC, AFHQ and 970th CIC Det., ETO, this officer conducted the necessary investigation.

1. Lt. Kazimierz KRAUSHAR of Polish II Corps PSC, Milan, was contacted by one, PODGORCZYK, (fnu), alias Lt. BRILL, representing CIC, Reg. IV, Subregion Garmisch - Partenkirchen, St. Martinstrasse No. 10, APO 205, U.S. ARMY, in Milan in late September and requested him to locate and keep under surveillance Subject who was suspected of Anti-Allied underground activity.

2. Lt. KRAUSHAR, who did not know PODGORCZYK, contacted this office and related the incident. A search in Milan to locate PODGORCZYK proved futile.

3. Subject at the time was investigated and it was determined that she had quit Milan on 18 September 1946, bound for an unknown destination in Austria, believed Innsbruck.

4. Nothing more was done about the incident until two weeks later, about 13 October 1946, when Chief CIC requested the investigation.

5. The case was reopened and Subject's former residence was kept under surveillance. Subject above lived at Porta Vittoria No. 2, (which is a maternity clinic), from 8 October 1945 until September 1946. There Subject gave birth to an illegitimate child by an Italian officer (name unknown) on 3 February 1946. On 18 September 1946, Subject left with the child, supposedly for Innsbruck. Before leaving, however, Subject informed the clinic Director that she would return to Italy to live in Belzane in the near future.

6. Investigation in Belzane has so far proved negative.

7. Investigation continuing.

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