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PLACE: Arbaoua Section

DATE: 2 August 1944

MEMORANDUM FOR THE OFFICER IN CHARGE:

SUBJECT: Contraband Horses

RE: Correction of Report of 24 July 1944, Same Subject

From a very reliable source this Agent on 21 July 1944 learned that the ultimate destination of contraband horses is the Spanish cavalry located at Larache, which lacks the animals. On the other hand, contraband mules, run across the frontier by the same contrabandiers are destined for the German authorities in France. On 31 July 1944, a contraband train of fifteen horses was stopped by French frontier guards near Sidi Jemil. While attempting to escape, one contrabandist was shot and killed. On 2 August 1944, another train of fifty horses and mules was stopped south of Souk el Arba and confiscated. Similar activities are noted in the Guezazane area.

AGENT'S NOTES

The BSI, Souk el Arba has detailed inspectors as spotters at the various souks north of Port Lyautey to report all unusual activity amongst horse dealers.

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