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AFHQ
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PLACE : ARBAOUA SECTION

MEMORANDUM FOR THE OFFICER IN CHARGE:

SUBJECT: Arrest of Suspected "SRA3 Courier

RE: Fatima ben HAZAKI

On 4 September 1944, this Agent in the company of Lt. DUBOIS, Chief BSM, Souk el Arba went to Dar Caïd on a telephone call from "Capitaine" BISTROS that a native woman had been arrested while illegally crossing the frontier.

Lt. DUBOIS and this Agent were informed upon arrival that Subject was a well known courier for "SRA" agents in Morocco. Subject crossed the frontier near Dar Caïd and was discovered by a native Mohazni soldier. Upon the command to halt, Subject threw away a parcel she was carrying and attempted to escape. After a short chase Subject was overtaken and arrested. A search for the parcel was unsuccessful. Subject is being interrogated by the BST, Souk el Arba.

AGENT'S NOTES

"Capitaine" BISTROS informed this Agent that on same day, French agents in the Spanish zone had signaled that two native women would cross the frontier carrying letters. Native methods in crossing the frontier are many. One well known method is the chain method where the individuals are spaced at every two hundred yards. If this method was used, and if there were two persons crossing, then it is very likely that while the native Mohazni was giving chase to the first woman the discarded parcel was recovered by the second.

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