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"LADO" AND "SPIRIDONOV" (1944)

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To VIKTOR [i]

[7 groups unrecovered] "SPIRIDONOV" [ii] SPIRIDONOV "LADO" [iii]

[41 groups unrecovered]

[9 groups unrecoverable]

[6 innocent] men.

[48 groups unrecovered]

. Upon this it was pointed out to LADO [5 groups unrecovered] not to draw conclusions about our having a ~~strong~~ interest in S. . LADO ~~agreed~~, but S. replied that he himself understood it all perfectly; however he was still forced [OK to insist] on not beginning to collaborate for a fortnight, and asked for a meeting ~~with~~ on the same conditions on 10 August 1944. LADO consented. [1 group unrecovered] S. is trying hard [D: more closely] [3 groups unrecovered] of the German government with whom he will have to work, i.e. LADO.

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VALENTIN [iv]

Comments: [i] VIKTOR : Lt. Gen. P. M. PITIN.
[ii] SPIRIDONOV : Unidentified cover-name.
[iii] LADO : " "
[iv] VALENTIN : " "

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