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THREAT TO "MYRNA's" COVER.

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To VICTOR.

Copy to VADIM[i].

Allen WARDWELL [UORDUËLL][ii] wrote a letter to GRANDFATHER [DED][iii] in which he asks for advice about [the person][a] in the Union[b] with whom an agreement should be made regarding the setting up of a parcels office [B% in WASHINGTON], which is being planned by WARDWELL's friend - John ROTHSCHILD [DZHON ROTSHIL'D]. Inasmuch as ROTHSCHILD's plan directly threatens the existence of MYRNA's [MIRNA][iv] cover, we think it necessary through GRANDFATHER to advise WARDWELL [U.] to approach Comrade MIKOYAN[v] direct (which is what he himself is contemplating doing) and for us to report to Comrade MIKOYAN that[c] [3 groups unrecovered] the setting up of this [B% office]. Telegraph your decision.

For the time being through GRANDFATHER we are answering WARDWELL [U.] that the question is being gone into and we will give an answer in a few days' time.

No. 951  
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MAY (MAY)[vi]

[T.N. and Comments overleaf]

Distribution



- T.N.: [a] Inserted by translator.  
[b] I.e. the Soviet Union.  
[c] Or "what".

- Comments: [i] VADIM: Anatolij Borisovich GROMOV, WASHINGTON  
"resident".
- [ii] Allen WARDWELL was honorary chairman of the  
Russian War Relief organisation in America.
- [iii] DED: Evenij Dmitrevich KISELEV.
- [iv] MIRNA: Elizabeth T. BENTLEY, formerly  
"GOOD GIRL" [UMNITSA].
- [v] Anastas Ivanovich MIKOYAN, People's Commissar  
for Foreign Trade.
- [vi] MAJ: Pavel Ivanovich FEDOSIMOV.
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