

~~SECRET~~ [REDACTED] VENONA

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To: NEW YORK
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Your no. 613[a]. The incident involving GRAUBER[i] should be regarded as a compromise of MIAD[ii]. The cause of this is ALEXSEY's[iii] completely unsatisfactory work with the agents [AGENTURA] on ENORMOUS[ENORMOZ][iv]. His work with {9 groups unrecovered} for this reason we consider it of the utmost importance to ensure supervision so that the C COUNTRY[b][v]

{23 groups unrecoverable}

we once more {3 groups unrecovered} attention to {2 groups unrecovered} our instructions. For the future {4 groups unrecovered} : immediately inform us by telegraph about each meeting [with the agents of ENORMOUS. In [C] the next post] {3 groups unrecovered} on this same question to send the most precise reports on meetings,

{14 groups unrecovered}

[C] every] meeting with permanent staff [KADROVYJ]

{14 groups unrecovered}

from all these areas. You

{18 groups unrecovered}

to seek safe flats in the areas of the camps[vi]. This question you must

{17 groups unrecovered}

our workers on the development

{35 groups unrecovered}

GRAUBER case meetings [c] of our operational worker with MIAD [you] must {4 groups unrecovered}

No. 4533

VICTOR [vii]

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Notes: [a] Not available.
[b] Or possibly "[in] the COUNTRY".
[c] Or "meeting".

Comments:

- [i] GRAUBER: An error for [REDACTED]
- [ii] MLAD: i.e. [YOUNG, Theodore Alvin HALL, a physicist employed at LOS ALAMOS.]
- [iii] ALEXSEJ: Anatolij Antonovich YAKOVLEV, an employee at the Soviet Consulate in NEW YORK.
- [iv] ENORMOUS: Manhattan Engineering District (U.S. Atomic Energy Project).
- [v] COUNTRY: U.S.A.
- [vi] Camps[LAGER]: Probably a reference to atomic energy sites. Camp-2 is LOS ALAMOS, New Mexico.
- [vii] VIKTOR: Lt. Gen. P.M. FITIN.

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