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ACTIVITIES AT FORT FRANSECKY STRASSBURG

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HEADQUARTERS
EUROPEAN THEATER OF OPERATIONS
UNITED STATES ARMY
Alsos Mission

18 February 1945.

SUBJECT : Further Information Concerning Activities at Fort Fransecky, Strassburg.

REFERENCE: Alsos Report C-H/77 dated 12 January 1945.

Reference is made to Alsos Report CH-77 dated 12 January 1945. Attached hereto is photostat of original and translation of personal notes found in Professor Otto Bickenbach's laboratory at Fort Fransecky (room containing chambers).

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Translation of personel notes (photostat copy attached) found in Professor Otto Bickenbach's laboratory at Fort Fransecky.

Br. (presumably refers to Prof. Brandt Generalkomissar des Führers für das Sanitäts -- und Gesundheitswesen)

1. Have my reports arrived?

I. Research Project

II. Assignment and furlough

1. Rühl (personnel papers)

2. Bickenbach - Letz

my deferrement situation SS?

Staff Br. (presumably Brandt) Name of Institute

III. Experimental animals.

IV. Gas masks (Own partly changed and filters exhausted)

V. Evacuation

Beelitz? Grossostheim, Baden, vehicles, gasoline

VI. Aerosol paper)
) hand in
VII. Na - paper)

VIII. Space becoming available in F.F. (Fort Fransecky)

IX. Motor-fuel - tank

COMMENTS:

Perusal of these notes conveys the impression that they were made in preparation prior to a conference with Professor Brandt, General Comissar of the Führer for Medicine -- and Health Matters. Remarkable in relation to previous investigations are items #IV and VI. Suggesting that work with gas masks and aerosols may have been under way at Fort Fransecky. This tends to confirm previously expressed ideas about the nature of the chambers and the experimental work done at the Fort. Recent conversation with Dr. Heintz of the physics section of the Medical Research Institute of the Medical Faculty of Strassburg University indicated a close relationship between Professors Brandt and Bickenbach. These and other notes as well letters examined tend to confirm this. It is felt that the relationship between these two permitted Bickenbach inspite of his apparently inferior qualifications as a scientist to organize and set up an elaborate research program and to obtain practically unlimited priorities. Because of his position as personal advisor in medical problems to Hitler, Professor Brandt has been given a number one ALSOS priority as a possible source of information on BW. His address in August 1944 was as follows: Beelitz - Heilstätten C. Berlin.

Br. [illegible] und neuen Bericht anzeigen.

I. Forschungsauftrag.

II. Kommandierung und Arbeitsurlaub
1. Rühl (Cuxhaven)
2. Birkenbeil - Letz
keine Abkehlung. 44?
Urlaub Br ? Name des Instituts

III. Vermehrung.

IV. Gasmasken (eigene, F, Injektant und Filter einkopp.

V. Verlegung
Balliz? Fahrräder, Boden
Fahrzeuge, Benzin

VI. Aerosolarbeit } dgleichen.
VII. Na.-arbeit. }

VIII. Frei werdende Räume mit F.

IX. mit Krieg-Urk. ~~Krieg~~

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