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File No. D-57-81
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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
OFFICE OF ALIEN PROPERTY

Divesting Order SA- 770

Re: Heirs of Myron Roth, deceased

Under the authority of Title II of the International Claims Settlement Act of 1949, as amended (69 Stat. 562), Executive Order 10644, November 7, 1955 (20 F.R. 8363), Department of Justice Order No. 175-59, January 19, 1959 (24 F.R. 2452), Department of Justice Order No. 211-60, September 12, 1960 (25 F.R. 8967), and Department of Justice Order No. 226-61, January 18, 1961, and pursuant to law, it is hereby determined:

1. That \$192.28 represents the net proceeds of property which was vested after December 17, 1941 pursuant to Vesting Order No. 2375, dated October 9, 1943, issued under the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended.

2. That at the date of vesting the property was directly owned by Myron Roth, a natural person and a national of Roumania, who subsequently died intestate.

3. That the administration, liquidation and disposition of the property vested by Vesting Order No. 2375 have been completed pursuant to the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended, including the adjudication of any suits or claims which may have been filed with respect to such property under the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended.

THERE IS HEREBY DIVESTED the sum of \$192.28, which will be transferred to the Department of the Treasury to be carried in a blocked account in the name of the heirs of Myron Roth, deceased, as provided for by Section 202(b) of Title II of the International Claims Settlement Act of 1949, as amended.

Executed at Washington, D. C. JUN 14 1961

For the Attorney General

Paul V. Myron
Acting Director
Office of Alien Property

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TO: *PM*
Paul V. Myron, Acting Director
Office of Alien Property

DATE: JUN 13 1961

FROM: Daniel G. McGrath
Chief, Claims Section

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SUBJECT: Divesting Orders covering net proceeds of property
vested pursuant to Vesting Order No. 2375 and owned
by Myron Roth, Rose Roth, Velma Roth, and Jacob Roth
at date of Vesting.

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Attached for your signature are the originals and duplicates of four Divesting Orders under Section 202(b) of the International Claims Settlement Act of 1949, as amended. The Orders divest a total of \$769.10, representing the net proceeds of property which had been vested under Vesting Order No. 2375 pursuant to the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended. The expenses of the Office have been deducted and taxes, if any, have been paid. There are no suits or claims pending with respect to the vested property.

The net proceeds of the property now being divested were directly owned at the date of vesting by Myron Roth, Rose Roth, Velma Roth, and Jacob Roth, natural persons and nationals of Roumania. While information has been added to the file to show that Myron Roth, Rose Roth, Velma Roth, and Jacob Roth subsequently died intestate, the identity of their individual heirs has not been established.

After these Orders are signed, the Comptroller will transmit the amounts to be divested to the Treasury Department which will carry the sums divested in blocked accounts, bearing no interest, in the names of the heirs of Myron Roth, Rose Roth, Velma Roth, and Jacob Roth, respectively.

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Attachments

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Divesting Order SA- 771

Re: Heirs of Rose Roth, deceased

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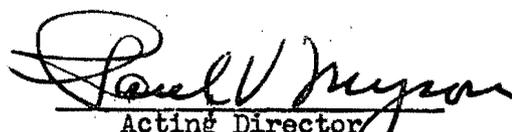
Under the authority of Title II of the International Claims Settlement Act of 1949, as amended (69 Stat. 562), Executive Order 10644, November 7, 1955 (20 F.R. 8363), Department of Justice Order No. 175-59, January 19, 1959 (24 F.R. 2452), Department of Justice Order No. 211-60, September 12, 1960 (25 F.R. 8967), and Department of Justice Order No. 226-61, January 18, 1961, and pursuant to law, it is hereby determined:

1. That \$192.27 represents the net proceeds of property which was vested after December 17, 1941 pursuant to Vesting Order No. 2375, dated October 9, 1943, issued under the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended.
2. That at the date of vesting the property was directly owned by Rose Roth, a natural person and a national of Roumania, who subsequently died intestate.
3. That the administration, liquidation and disposition of the property vested by Vesting Order No. 2375 have been completed pursuant to the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended, including the adjudication of any suits or claims which may have been filed with respect to such property under the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended.

THERE IS HEREBY DIVESTED the sum of \$192.27, which will be transferred to the Department of the Treasury to be carried in a blocked account in the name of the heirs of Rose Roth, deceased, as provided for by Section 202(b) of Title II of the International Claims Settlement Act of 1949, as amended.

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For the Attorney General


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Divesting Order SA- 772

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Re: Heirs of Velma Roth, deceased

Under the authority of Title II of the International Claims Settlement Act of 1949, as amended (69 Stat. 562), Executive Order 10644, November 7, 1955 (20 F.R. 8363), Department of Justice Order No. 175-59, January 19, 1959 (24 F.R. 2452), Department of Justice Order No. 211-60, September 12, 1960 (25 F.R. 8967), and Department of Justice Order No. 226-61, January 18, 1961, and pursuant to law, it is hereby determined:

1. That \$192.27 represents the net proceeds of property which was vested after December 17, 1941 pursuant to Vesting Order No. 2375, dated October 9, 1943, issued under the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended.
2. That at the date of vesting the property was directly owned by Velma Roth, a natural person and a national of Roumania, who subsequently died intestate.
3. That the administration, liquidation and disposition of the property vested by Vesting Order No. 2375 have been completed pursuant to the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended, including the adjudication of any suits or claims which may have been filed with respect to such property under the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended.

THERE IS HEREBY DIVESTED the sum of \$192.27, which will be transferred to the Department of the Treasury to be carried in a blocked account in the name of the heirs of Velma Roth, deceased, as provided for by Section 202(b) of Title II of the International Claims Settlement Act of 1949, as amended.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
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Divesting Order SA- 773

Re: Heirs of Jacob Roth, deceased

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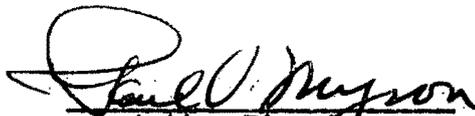
Under the authority of Title II of the International Claims Settlement Act of 1949, as amended (69 Stat. 562), Executive Order 10644, November 7, 1955 (20 F.R. 8363), Department of Justice Order No. 175-59, January 19, 1959 (24 F.R. 2452), Department of Justice Order No. 211-60, September 12, 1960 (25 F.R. 8967), and Department of Justice Order No. 226-61, January 18, 1961, and pursuant to law, it is hereby determined:

1. That \$192.28 represents the net proceeds of property which was vested after December 17, 1941 pursuant to Vesting Order No. 2375, dated October 9, 1943, issued under the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended.
2. That at the date of vesting the property was directly owned by Jacob Roth, a natural person and a national of Roumania, who subsequently died intestate.
3. That the administration, liquidation and disposition of the property vested by Vesting Order No. 2375 have been completed pursuant to the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended, including the adjudication of any suits or claims which may have been filed with respect to such property under the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended.

THERE IS HEREBY DIVESTED the sum of \$192.28, which will be transferred to the Department of the Treasury to be carried in a blocked account in the name of the heirs of Jacob Roth, deceased, as provided for by Section 202(b) of Title II of the International Claims Settlement Act of 1949, as amended.

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of California, is in the possession of the administratrix and under the jurisdiction of the court.

The decedent died subsequent to July 2, 1941, the date upon which Section 259 of the California Probate Code became effective.

The nationals above-named are citizens and residents of Roumania.

Vesting is recommended.

Francis J. McNamara

Francis J. McNamara
Assistant to the Alien Property Custodian

Date: September 18, 1943

Paul K. Myron
Chief
Estates & Trusts
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Myron Roth	An undivided 1/5th interest
Rose Roth	An undivided 1/5th interest
Velma Roth	An undivided 1/5th interest
Jacob Roth	An undivided 1/5th interest

The estate consists of about \$1300.00 in cash, bonds valued at about \$300.00, which assets will be subject to creditors' claims and expenses of administration, leaving a net estate for distribution of less than \$1000.00.

(8) STATEMENT OF FACTS: Petition for administration of the estate of said decedent was filed January 28, 1943, on behalf of said fiduciary, Sadie Mandeson, in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles, Probate No. 220049. Notice of acceptance of service of notice of hearing on application for the issuance of letters of administration was filed with the court on or about March 24, 1943. (See letter of Edwin J. Owens to Clerk of the Superior Court under date of March 24, 1943.) Said fiduciary was appointed administratrix by order of court dated April 15, 1943.

The designated nationals are brothers and sisters of the decedent. The heirs to the remaining one-fifth (1/5) interest in said estate are the children of a deceased brother, all of whom reside in this country. (See letter of Victor S. Cogen to Alien Property Custodian, dated April 21, 1943.)

The estate is now in the course of administration and the property, located in the County of Los Angeles, State

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to be held, used, administered, liquidated, sold or otherwise dealt with in the interest of and for the benefit of the United States.

Such property and any or all of the proceeds thereof shall be held in an appropriate special account or accounts pending further determination of the Alien Property Custodian. This shall not be deemed to limit the powers of the Alien Property Custodian to return such property or the proceeds thereof, or to indicate that compensation will not be paid in lieu thereof, if and when it should be determined that such return should be made or such compensation should be paid.

Any person, except a national of a designated enemy country, asserting any claim arising as a result of this order may file with the Alien Property Custodian a notice of his claim, together with a request for a hearing thereon, on Form APC-1 within one year from the date hereof, or within such further time as may be allowed by the Alien Property Custodian.

The terms "national" and "designated enemy country" as used herein shall have the meanings prescribed in Section 10 of said Executive Order.

DATED: October 9, 1943.

(signed) Leo T. Crowley

Leo T. Crowley
Alien Property Custodian

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OFFICE OF ALIEN PROPERTY CUSTODIAN

WASHINGTON

VESTING ORDER NO. **2375**

In Re: Estate of Emanuel Roth, deceased.

(File D-57-81; E. T. Sec. 5823)

Under the authority of the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended, and Executive Order 9095, as amended, and pursuant to law, the Alien Property Custodian, after investigation,

Finding that-

- (1) The property and interests hereinafter described are property which is in the process of administration by Sadie Mandeson, Administratrix, acting under the judicial supervision of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles;
- (2) Such property and interests are payable or deliverable to, or claimed by, nationals of a designated enemy country, Roumania, namely,

Nationals:	Last known address:
Myron Roth	Roumania
Rose Roth	Roumania
Velma Roth	Roumania
Jacob Roth	Roumania

And determining that-

- (3) If such nationals are persons not within a designated enemy country, the national interest of the United States requires that such persons be treated as nationals of a designated enemy country, Roumania; and

Having made all determinations and taken all action, after appropriate consultation and certification, required by said Executive Order or Act or otherwise, and deeming it necessary in the national interest,

Now, therefore, the Alien Property Custodian hereby vests the following property and interests:

All right, title, interest and claim of any kind or character whatsoever of Myron Roth, Rose Roth, Velma Roth and Jacob Roth, and each of them, in and to the Estate of Emanuel Roth, deceased,

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MEMORANDUM TO: Mr. Lloyd L. Shaulis
Acting Secretary

FROM: Homer Jones, Chief
Div. of Investigation & Research

SUBJECT: Vesting Order - Interests of Fritz
Arledter, Martin Licht and Landwirtschaftliche
Genossenschaft Zur Verwertung Der Harzprodukte
in Piesting Registrierte Genossenschaft mit
Beschränkter Haftung in Contracts with Gustav
Staelin and Anthony William Deller.

Attached is a vesting order and a copy of the
investigation report for transmission to the Custodian for
signature. It has the approval of General Counsel.

The subject matter of this order comes within
the category of those which need not be submitted to the
Executive Committee for approval.


Homer Jones *HJ*

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MEMORANDUM TO: Mr. Lloyd L. Shaulis

FROM: Homer Jones, Chief

SUBJECT: Vesting Order - Interests of Fritz

I. Subject of Investigation

A. Facts:

Attached is a vesting order and a copy of the investigation report for transmission to the Custodian for signature. It has the approval of General Counsel.

The subject matter of this order comes within the category of those which need not be submitted to the Executive Committee for approval.

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Fritz Arledter, Martin Licht and Landwirtschaftliche Genossenschaft Zur Verwertung Der Harzprodukte in Piesting Registrierte Genossenschaft mit Beschränkter Haftung in Contracts with Gustav Staelin and Anthony William Deller.

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Fritz Arledter, Martin Licht and Landwirtschaftliche Genossenschaft Zur Verwertung Der Harzprodukte in Piesting Registrierte Genossenschaft mit Beschränkter Haftung in Contracts with Gustav Staelin and Anthony William Deller.

The Data Sheets regarding the above patents and reports.

Agreement dated October 30, 1935 between Fritz Arledter, Martin Licht and Gustav Staelin and Anthony William Deller.

Agreement dated May 11, 1942 between Fritz Arledter, Martin Licht and Gustav Staelin and Anthony William Deller.

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Patent Section

REPORT OF PATENT INVESTIGATION

Interests of Fritz Arledter, Martin Licht and Landwirtschaftliche Genossenschaft Zur Verwertung Der Harzprodukte In Piesting Registrierte, G.m.b.H. in contracts with Gustav Staelin and Anthony William Deller, which agreements relate, among other things, to United States Patent Nos. 1,908,102, 1,996,740 and 2,288,060.

I. Subject of Investigation

A. Patents:

<u>Patent No.</u>	<u>Date of Issue</u>	<u>Inventor</u>	<u>Title</u>
1,908,102	5/9/33	Fritz Arledter Germany	Art of clarifying liquids contaminated by solid matter held in suspension therein and clarifying apparatus.
1,996,740	4/9/35	Fritz Arledter Germany	Hollander
2,288,060	6/30/42	Fritz Arledter Germany	Solid water-in-rosin paper size

See Data Sheets regarding the above patents attached to this report.

B. Contracts:

Agreement dated October 22, 1929 between Fritz Arledter, of Germany and Gustav Staelin and Anthony William Deller.

Agreement dated May 3, 1933 between Fritz Arledter and Gustav Staelin and Anthony William Deller.

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Agreement dated March 8, 1938 between Fritz Arledter of Germany, Landwirtschaftliche Genossenschaft Zur Verwertung Der Harzprodukte In Piesting Registrierte, G.m.b.H., of Lower Austria, and Gustav Staelin and Anthony William Deller.

II. Scope of Investigation

A. APC-2 Report

APC-2 Report and agreements submitted therewith filed by Gustav Staelin of Larchmont, New York.

APC-2 Report and schedule attached thereto filed by Anthony William Deller of New York City, New York.

B. Miscellaneous

Title reports on the above patents showing searches thereon to September 16, 1943 and Shepard's Federal Citator.

III. Legal Title to Patents

The legal title to United States Letters Patent Nos. 1,908,102, 1,996,740 and 2,288,060 stand of record in the United States Patent Office in the name of Gustav Staelin of Larchmont, New York.

IV. Foreign Nationality

Fritz Arledter is a citizen and resident of Koln-Kalk, Germany and is a national of a foreign country (Germany).

Martin Licht is a citizen and resident of Berlin, Germany and is a national of a foreign country (Germany).

Landwirtschaftliche Genossenschaft Zur Verwertung Der Harzprodukte In Piesting Registrierte, G.m.b.H., is a corporation organized under the laws of Austria and is a national of a foreign country (Germany).

V. General Analysis

The three patents here under investigation pertain to inventions relative to the manufacture of paper and pulp, and involve agreements between Fritz Arledter, a German national, (hereinafter called the "INVENTOR"), Gustav Staelin (hereinafter called the "ASSIGNEE"), and Anthony William Deller (hereinafter called the "ATTORNEY"). Both

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Staelin and Deller are residents of the State of New York. A German company Landwirtschaftliche Genossenschaft Zur Verwertung Der Harzprodukte In Piesting Registrierte, G.m.b.H. (hereinafter called the "COMPANY") is a party to the 1938 agreement, and one, Martin Licht, a German national has an interest in the 1929 agreement, both of which are hereinafter discussed. All three agreements were executed prior to the issuance of any patents. The ASSIGNEE and the ATTORNEY agreed to provide the expenses and legal services incidental to the patenting as well as to supervise and exploit the commercial aspects of the inventions in the United States, Canada and such other countries as they (ASSIGNEE and ATTORNEY) jointly selected.

Agreement dated October 22, 1929, between Fritz Arletter, Gustav Staelin and Anthony William Deller.

This agreement relates to a machine for clarifying liquids contaminated by solid matter held in suspension therein, i.e. the removing of paper fibers and fillers in white water in the making of paper. 1/

Exploitation Provisions

The INVENTOR agreed to assign, transfer and set over his entire right, title and interest in and to the aforesaid invention, together with any future improvements thereon, as disclosed by United States Letters Patent Application Serial No. 314,523, filed on October 23, 1929.

The INVENTOR agreed to supply all data and information, and to execute all papers and documents and do any act necessary to enable the ASSIGNEE to obtain a patent and otherwise successfully exploit the commercial aspects of this invention.

The ASSIGNEE agreed to exploit the invention and to bear all the expenses incidental to obtaining letters patent, setting up a factory or laboratory and in connection with the commercial exploitation of the invention. The money to be expended by the said ASSIGNEE was limited to Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000), unless, at his option, he elected to make further investments therein.

The ATTORNEY agreed to prosecute the application for letters patent, supervise tests, submit reports, write articles and to use his best efforts to place the invention on a commercial basis. The ATTORNEY further agreed to charge the ASSIGNEE only the actual expenses and disbursements incurred.

1/ This process was subsequently covered by United States Patent No. 1,908,102.

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Distribution of Proceeds

The INVENTOR agreed to pay one, Martin Licht of Berlin, Germany for services rendered, five (5%) percent of the proceeds (i.e. ten (10%) percent of the inventor's share).

By mutual agreement it was provided that any property, profits, rents, royalties, or any other financial receipts or returns from the sale, licensing, or the like of the said invention after deducting expenses and disbursements would be divided as follows:

Fritz Arledter	Forty-Five	(45%)	Percent
Martin Licht	Five	(5%)	"
Gustav Staelin	Twenty-Five	(25%)	"
Anthony William Deller	Twenty-Five	(25%)	"

Term of Agreement

It was agreed by the parties thereto that the ASSIGNEE was not bound to the contract for a period longer than four (4) years, unless he elected to extend the period.

Miscellaneous

This contract is binding upon and inures to the benefit of the heirs, assigns and legal representatives of the parties thereto.

Pursuant to the agreement an assignment was executed by the inventor conveying the entire right, title and interest in and to Application Serial No. 314,523 (now Patent No. 1,908,102) to Staelin. The assignment is dated October 7, 1929 and was recorded in the United States Patent Office on January 25, 1930 in Liber M-142 at page 621.

Agreement dated May 3, 1933 between Fritz Arledter and Gustav Staelin and Anthony William Deller.

This agreement relates to United States Letters Patent No. 1,996,740 which covers inventions pertaining to improvements in Hollenders.

Exploitation Provisions

The INVENTOR assigned, transferred and set over all right, title and interest in and to the aforesaid invention (United States Letters Patent Application Serial No. 648,202) in the United States of America and the Dominion of Canada, including any future improvement he might invent on the aforesaid invention.

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The INVENTOR agreed to supply all data and information, execute all documents and papers, and to perform any act necessary to enable the ASSIGNEE successfully to exploit the commercial aspects of the invention.

The ASSIGNEE and the ATTORNEY agreed to provide the necessary expenses, supervision and legal services as heretofore provided in the agreement dated October 22, 1929, in order to obtain a patent and commercially exploit the invention. The extent of the ASSIGNEE'S financial liability, however, was limited in this instance to the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000) unless he elected to increase this expenditure.

Distribution of Proceeds

By mutual agreement it was therein provided that any property, profits, rents, royalties, or any other financial receipts or returns from the sale, licensing, or the like of the said invention, after deducting expenses and disbursements, would be divided as follows:

Fritz Arledter	Fifty	(50%)	Percent
Gustav Staelin	Twenty-Five	(25%)	"
Anthony William Deller	Twenty-Five	(25%)	"

Term of the Agreement

The parties to the contract agreed that the ASSIGNEE was not bound for a period longer than four (4) years unless he elected to extend said period.

Miscellaneous

This contract was binding upon and inured to the benefit of the heirs, assigns and legal representatives of the parties thereto.

Pursuant to the agreement an assignment was executed by the inventor conveying all right, title and interest in and to the patent (No. 1,996,740) everywhere except Europe, to Staelin. The assignment is dated November 10, 1932 and was recorded on August 26, 1935 in the United States Patent Office in Liber E-164, at page 150.

Agreement dated March 8, 1938 between Fritz Arledter, Landwirtschaftliche Genossenschaft Zur Verwertung Der Harzprodukte In Piesting Registrierte, G.m.b.H., and Gustav Staelin and Anthony William Deller.

Under date of March 8, 1938, an agreement was entered into between Fritz Arledter of Germany, Landwirtschaftliche Genossenschaft Zur Verwertung Der Harzprodukte In Piesting Registrierte, G.m.b.H., of Piesting, Lower Austria (hereinafter called "COMPANY") and Gustav

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Staelin of Larchmont, New York, and Anthony William Deller of New York City, New York (hereinafter called "ATTORNEY").

Exploitation Provisions

The above agreement recites that Arledter, a chemist employed by the company, was one of the original inventors (together with Alois Allina) of certain improvements in ROSIN SIZE ^{2/} and that the company is the sole owner of all right, title and interest in and to the invention, and engaged in the production of ROSIN SIZE on a commercial scale and that both the inventor and the company were interested in commercializing said invention in the continents of North America and South America.

Staelin agreed to undertake the commercialization of this invention in North America and South America and to bear the expense in connection with securing letters patent thereon in the United States, Canada and any other country that he and the ATTORNEY might jointly select.

The ATTORNEY agreed to file and prosecute applications for letters patent in the territories heretofore designated and to assist in bringing about the commercialization of the said invention in both North America and South America.

In consideration of the mutual promises and agreements therein contained, Arledter agreed to execute all papers and documents and to perform any act necessary to assist Staelin and the ATTORNEY in securing patents in the territories theretofore mentioned, and in the further exploitation of his invention.

The COMPANY agreed to assign to Staelin, as assignee, all right, title and interest in and to the invention and in and to any and all letters patent to be secured thereon in the United States, Canada or any such countries as the ATTORNEY and Staelin mutually agreed upon. All future improvements were included in this grant.

The COMPANY agreed to cause Alois Allina (co-inventor) to execute all papers and do all acts necessary to enable the ASSIGNEE to secure patents and successfully commercialize the invention.

It was further agreed that the COMPANY would provide Staelin and the ATTORNEY with full information concerning all phases of commercial production, as well as samples of the invention at different stages of production, technical information, formulae, processes, blue-prints, drawings of necessary machinery or equipment and any other acts necessary to assist the said ASSIGNEE in accomplishing the provisions of the agreement.

^{2/} United States Patent No. 2,288,060.

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Distribution of Proceeds

By mutual agreement it was therein provided that any property, profits, money, rents, royalties or any other financial receipts or returns or thing of value from the sale, licensing or the like of the said invention, and patents secured thereon, after deducting expenses and disbursements, would be divided as follows:

Fritz Arledter	Twenty-Five (25%) Percent
Landwirtschaftliche- Genossenschaft Zur- Verwertung Der- Harzprodukte In Piesting- Registrierte, G.m.b.H.	Twenty-Five (25%) "
Gustav Staelin	Twenty-Five (25%) "
Anthony William Deller	Twenty-Five (25%) "

It was mutually agreed that any money or things of value received by one party would be held as trustee by that party for the others; and that each party has a right of accounting as against the other. If the intervention of any government prevents the parties from paying over the respective shares of any amounts collected by them, the obligation to pay such amounts would be suspended pending that intervention or until new arrangements were agreed to by the parties.

Term of the Agreement

No specific term, period of time or limitation thereof appears in the agreement.

Restrictive Covenants

Arledter and the COMPANY agreed not to sell, ship, or cause to be shipped for export, nor sell for export any ROSIN SIZE produced by or for the COMPANY and that all sales made by it and licenses granted by the company would be on condition that ROSIN SIZE be excluded from exports to the United States.

Miscellaneous

Any disputes arising out of this agreement were subject to settlement by arbitration in accordance with the arbitration laws of the State of New York.

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All provisions of the contract are governed by the laws of the State of New York and the agreement is binding upon and inures to the benefit of the heirs, assigns and legal representatives of the parties thereto.

Pursuant to an assignment dated November 25, 1938 Staelin acquired all right, title and interest in and to Patent No. 2,288,060, for the United States. The assignment was recorded in the United States Patent Office on December 16, 1938 in Liber M-177, at page 377.

VI. Vestible Interests

The following interests appear to be vestible, pursuant to Section 2 (d) of Executive Order No. 9095, as amended:

- A. All interests and rights (including all royalties and other monies payable or held with respect to such interests and rights and all damages for breach of the agreement hereinafter described, together with the right to sue therefor) created in Fritz Arledter and/or Martin Licht, by virtue of an agreement dated October 22, 1929 (including all modifications thereof and supplements thereto, if any) by and between Fritz Arledter, Gustav Staelin and Anthony William Deller, which agreement relates, among other things, to Patent No. 1,908,202.
- B. All interests and rights (including all royalties and other monies payable or held with respect to such interests and rights and all damages for breach of the agreement hereinafter described, together with the right to sue therefor) created in Fritz Arledter, by virtue of an agreement dated May 3, 1933 (including all modifications thereof and supplements thereto, if any) by and between Fritz Arledter, Gustav Staelin, and Anthony William Deller, which agreement relates, among other things, to Patent No. 1,996,740.
- C. All interests and rights (including all royalties and other monies payable or held with respect to such interests and rights and all damages for breach of the agreement hereinafter described, together with the right to sue therefor) created in Fritz Arledter and/or Landwirtschaftliche Genossenschaft Zur Herzprodukte In Piesting Registrierte, G.m.b.H.,

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by virtue of an agreement dated March 8, 1938 (including all modifications thereof and supplements thereto, if any) by and between Fritz Arledter, Landwirtschaftliche Genossenschaft Zur Verwertung Der Herzprodukte In Piesting Registrierte, G.m.b.H., Gustav Staelin and Anthony William Deller, which agreement relates, among other things, to Patent No. 2,288,060.

VII. Matters of Special Interest

The attention of the Patent Administration Division is directed to the provisions of the three agreements hereinabove set forth whereby Gustav Staelin is obligated to distribute the proceeds resulting from the exploitation of the patents to certain foreign nationals.

Submitted by:

Jack Arnold Welfeld,
Attorney

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
OFFICE OF ALIEN PROPERTY CUSTODIAN

Vesting Order Number 2830

Re: Interests of Fritz Arledter, Martin Licht and Landwirtschaftliche Genossenschaft Zur Verwertung Der Harzprodukte In Piesting Registrierte Genossenschaft mit Beschränkter Haftung in contracts with Gustav Staelin and Anthony William Deller

Under the authority of the Trading with the enemy Act, as amended, and Executive Order No. 9095, as amended, and pursuant to law, the undersigned, after investigation, finding:

1. That Fritz Arledter and Martin Licht are citizens and residents of Germany and are nationals of a foreign country (Germany);
2. That Landwirtschaftliche Genossenschaft Zur Verwertung Der Harzprodukte In Piesting Registrierte Genossenschaft mit Beschränkter Haftung is a corporation organized under the laws of Austria and is a national of a foreign country (Germany);
3. That the property identified in subparagraph 6a hereof is property of Fritz Arledter and Martin Licht;
4. That the property identified in subparagraph 6b hereof is property of Fritz Arledter;
5. That the property identified in subparagraph 6c hereof is property of Fritz Arledter and Landwirtschaftliche Genossenschaft Zur Verwertung Der Harzprodukte In Piesting Registrierte Genossenschaft mit Beschränkter Haftung;
6. That the property described as follows:
 - (a) All interests and rights (including all royalties and other monies payable or held with respect to such interests and rights and all damages for breach of the agreement hereinafter described, together with the right to sue therefor) created in Fritz Arledter and Martin Licht, and each of them, by virtue of an agreement dated October 22, 1929 (including all modifications thereof and supplements thereto, if any) by and between Fritz Arledter, Gustav Staelin and Anthony William Deller, which agreement relates, among other things, to Patent No. 1,908,102,
 - (b) All interests and rights (including all royalties and other monies payable or held with respect to such interests and rights and all damages for breach of the agreement hereinafter described, together with the right to sue therefor) created in Fritz Arledter by virtue of an agreement dated May 3, 1933 (including all modifications thereof and supplements thereto, if any) by and between Fritz Arledter, Gustav Staelin and Anthony William Deller, which agreement relates, among other things, to Patent No. 1,996,740,
 - (c) All interests and rights (including all royalties and other monies payable or held with respect to such interests and rights and all damages for breach of the agreement hereinafter described, together with the right to sue therefor) created in Fritz Arledter and Landwirtschaftliche Genossenschaft Zur Verwertung Der Harzprodukte In Piesting Registrierte Genossenschaft mit Beschränkter Haftung, and each of them, by virtue of

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Vesting Order Number

Re: Interests of Fritz Arledter, Martin Licht and Landwirtschaftliche Genossenschaft Zur Verwertung Der Harzprodukte In Piesting Registrierte Genossenschaft mit Beschränkter Haftung in contracts with Gustav Staelin and Anthony William Deller

an agreement dated March 8, 1938 (including all modifications thereof and supplements thereto, if any) by and between Fritz Arledter, Landwirtschaftliche Genossenschaft Zur Verwertung Der Harzprodukte In Piesting Registrierte Genossenschaft mit Beschränkter Haftung, Gustav Staelin and Anthony William Deller, which agreement relates, among other things, to Patent No. 2,288,060,

is property payable or held with respect to patents or rights related thereto in which interests are held by, and such property itself constitutes interests held therein by, nationals of a foreign country (Germany);

And having made all determinations and taken all action required by law, including appropriate consultation and certification, and deeming it necessary in the national interest,

HEREBY VESTS in the Alien Property Custodian the property described above, to be held, used, administered, liquidated, sold or otherwise dealt with in the interest and for the benefit of the United States.

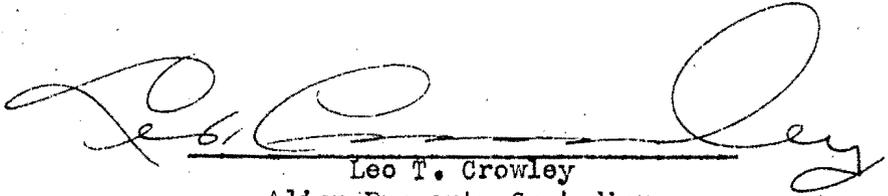
Such property and any or all of the proceeds thereof shall be held in an appropriate account or accounts, pending further determination of the Alien Property Custodian. This Order shall not be deemed to limit the power of the Alien Property Custodian to return such property or the proceeds thereof in whole or in part, nor shall it be deemed to indicate that compensation will not be paid in lieu thereof, if and when it should be determined to take any one or all of such actions.

Any person, except a national of a designated enemy country, asserting any claim arising as a result of this Order may, within one year from the date hereof or within such further time as may be allowed, file with the Alien Property Custodian on Form APC-1 a notice of claim, together with a request for a hearing thereon. Nothing herein contained shall be deemed to constitute an admission of the existence, validity or right to allowance of any such claim.

The terms "national" and "designated enemy country" as used herein shall have the meanings prescribed in Section 10 of Executive Order No. 9095, as amended.

Executed at Washington, D. C. on December 18, 1943.

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Leo T. Crowley
Alien Property Custodian

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OFFICE OF ALIEN PROPERTY CUSTODIAN
WASHINGTON
VESTING ORDER NO. 2970

In re: Estate of Pauline McKinnon, deceased
(File D-66-496; E. T. Sec. 3920)

Under the authority of the Trading with the enemy Act,
as amended, and Executive Order 9095, as amended, and pursuant
to law, the Alien Property Custodian, after investigation,

Finding that -

- (1) The property and interests hereinafter described are property which is in the process of administration by The San Francisco Bank, Executor, acting under the judicial supervision of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda;
- (2) Such property and interests are payable or deliverable to, or claimed by, nationals of a designated enemy country, Germany, namely,

Nationals:	Last known address:
Martha Tzechman	Germany
Children, names unknown, of Martha Tzechman	Germany
Alfred Walter	Germany
Heinz Walter	Germany

And determining that -

- (3) If such nationals are persons not within a designated enemy country, the national interest of the United States requires that such persons be treated as nationals of a designated enemy country, Germany; and

Having made all determinations and taken all action, after appropriate consultation and certification, required by said Executive Order or Act or otherwise, and deeming it necessary in the national interest,

Now, therefore, the Alien Property Custodian hereby vests the following property and interests:

All right, title, interest and claim of any kind or character whatsoever of Martha Tzechman, Children, names unknown, of Martha Tzechman, Alfred Walter and Heinz Walter, and each of them, in and to the Estate of Pauline McKinnon, deceased,

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Estate of Pauline McKinnon, deceased

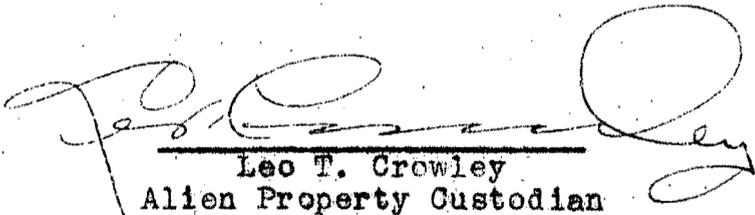
to be held, used, administered, liquidated, sold or otherwise dealt with in the interest of and for the benefit of the United States.

Such property, and any or all of the proceeds thereof, shall be held in an appropriate special account or accounts, pending further determination of the Alien Property Custodian. This shall not be deemed to limit the powers of the Alien Property Custodian to return such property or the proceeds thereof, or to indicate that compensation will not be paid in lieu thereof, if and when it should be determined that such return should be made or such compensation should be paid.

Any person except a national of a designated enemy country, asserting any claim arising as a result of this order may file with the Alien Property Custodian a notice of his claim, together with a request for a hearing thereon, on Form APC-1, within one year from the date hereof, or within such further time as may be allowed by the Alien Property Custodian.

The terms "national" and "designated enemy country" as used herein shall have the meanings prescribed in Section 10 of said Executive Order.

DATED: January 22, 1944.


Leo T. Crowley
Alien Property Custodian

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The estate consists of:

Cash \$ 4,495.00

Subject to administration expenses and fees.

The above property is reported to be in possession of the executor and under the jurisdiction of the court.

- (8) STATEMENT OF FACTS: Order admitting will to probate was entered in the Superior Court of Alameda County, California on September 15, 1942. The estate is now in the hands of the executor, in the course of administration, and is ready to be closed. (Telephone conversation with counsel for estate, August 24, 1943)

The decedent, under Item II of her will provided as follows:

"All my estate (consisting of money on deposit in The San Francisco Bank under pass book 514 963), I give, devise, and bequeath, share and share alike, to the following persons:

1. Martha Tzechman (formerly Martha Walter), residing in Plesse Bei Guben Uber Beesgen, Germany, if she survives me; if not, then to her children, in equal shares.
2. Alfred Walter, residing in Plesse, Bei Guben Uber Beesgen, Germany, if he survives me; if not, then to his brother, Heinz Walter, residing at the same place."

As indicated by the above, the entire estate consists of cash in bank and is distributable to the designated nationals.

Decedent died subsequent to July 2, 1941, the date upon which Section 259 of the California Probate Code became effective.

Voting is recommended.

Paul V. Myron
Chief
Estate and Trusts
Section

Francis J. McManera
Francis J. McManera
Assistant to the Alien Property Custodian

Date *January 15, 1944*

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STANDARD FORM NO. 64
Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Dallas S. Townsend
Assistant Attorney General
Director, Office of Alien Property
FROM : Henry G. Hilken, Intercustodial
and Foreign Funds Officer

DATE: 11 JUN 1957

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D-34-697

Acct. No. 34-11423

SUBJECT: Divesting Order covering net proceeds of property vested pursuant to Vesting Order No. 3069 and owned by Martin Triso at date of Vesting.

Attached for your signature is the original and duplicate of a divesting order under Section 202(b) of Public Law 285. The order divests \$160.00, representing the net proceeds of property which had been vested under Vesting Order No. 3069, pursuant to the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended. The expenses of the Office have been deducted and taxes, if any, have been paid. There are no suits or claims pending with respect to the vested property.

The net proceeds of the property now being divested were directly owned at the date of vesting by Martin Triso, a natural person and a national of Hungary.

After this order is signed, the Comptroller will transmit the amount to be divested to the Treasury Department which will carry the sum divested in a blocked account, bearing no interest, in the name of the national.

H.G.H.

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
OFFICE OF ALIEN PROPERTY

Divesting Order SA- 36

Re: Martin Triso

Under the authority of Title II of the International Claims Settlement Act of 1949, as amended, (69 Stat. 562), Executive Order 10644, November 7, 1955 (20 F.R. 8363), Department of Justice Order No. 106-55, November 23, 1955 (20 F.R. 8993), and pursuant to law, it is hereby determined:

1. That \$160.00 represents the net proceeds of property which was vested after December 17, 1941 pursuant to Vesting Order No. 3069, dated February 8, 1944, issued under the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended.
2. That at the date of vesting the property was directly owned by Martin Triso, a natural person and a national of Hungary.
3. That the administration, liquidation and disposition of the property vested by Vesting Order No. 3069 have been completed pursuant to the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended, including the adjudication of any suits or claims which may have been filed with respect to such property under the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended.

THERE IS HEREBY DIVESTED the sum of \$160.00, which will be transferred to the Department of the Treasury to be carried in a blocked account in the name of Martin Triso, as provided for by Section 202(b) of Title II of the International Claims Settlement Act of 1949, as amended.

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For the Attorney General

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
OFFICE OF ALIEN PROPERTY

Divesting Order SA- 28

Re: Martin Triso

Under the authority of Title II of the International Claims Settlement Act of 1949, as amended, (69 Stat. 562), Executive Order 10644, November 7, 1955 (20 F.R. 8363), Department of Justice Order No. 106-55, November 23, 1955 (20 F.R. 8993), and pursuant to law, it is hereby determined:

1. That \$160.00 represents the net proceeds of property which was vested after December 17, 1941 pursuant to Vesting Order No. 3069, dated February 8, 1944, issued under the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended.

2. That at the date of vesting the property was directly owned by Martin Triso, a natural person and a national of Hungary.

3. That the administration, liquidation and disposition of the property vested by Vesting Order No. 3069 have been completed pursuant to the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended, including the adjudication of any suits or claims which may have been filed with respect to such property under the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended.

THERE IS HEREBY DIVESTED the sum of \$160.00, which will be transferred to the Department of the Treasury to be carried in a blocked account in the name of Martin Triso, as provided for by Section 202(b) of Title II of the International Claims Settlement Act of 1949, as amended.

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For the Attorney General

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Walter O. Townsend
Assistant Attorney General

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OFFICE OF ALIEN PROPERTY CUSTODIAN

WASHINGTON

VESTING ORDER NUMBER 3069

In re: Estate of John Katona, deceased
(File D-34-697; E. T. Sec. 8617)

Under the authority of the Trading with the enemy Act, as amended, and Executive Order 9095, as amended, and pursuant to law, the Alien Property Custodian after investigation,

Finding that -

- (1) The property and interests hereinafter described are property which is in the process of administration by Jennie Fedor and Wayne C. Trace, as executors of the Estate of John Katona, deceased, acting under the judicial supervision of the Surrogate's Court of Queens County, New York;
- (2) Such property and interests are payable or deliverable to, or claimed by, nationals of a designated enemy country, Hungary, namely,

Nationals:	Last Known Address:
Steve Saley	Hungary
Martin Triso	Hungary
Anton Triso	Hungary
Martin Katona, Jr.	Hungary
Billy Katona	Hungary
Rose Katona	Hungary

And determining that -

- (3) If such nationals are persons not within a designated enemy country, the national interest of the United States requires that such persons be treated as nationals of a designated enemy country, Hungary; and

Having made all determinations and taken all action, after appropriate consultation and certification, required by said Executive Order or Act or otherwise, and deeming it necessary in the national interest,

Now, therefore, the Alien Property Custodian hereby vests the following property and interests:

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All right, title, interest, and claim of any kind or character whatsoever of Steve Saley, Martin Triso, Anton Triso, Martin Katona, Jr., Billy Katona and Rose Katona, and each of them, in and to the Estate of John Katona, deceased,

to be held, used, administered, liquidated, sold or otherwise dealt with in the interest of and for the benefit of the United States.

Such property, and any or all of the proceeds thereof, shall be held in an appropriate special account or accounts, pending further determination of the Alien Property Custodian. This shall not be deemed to limit the powers of the Alien Property Custodian to return such property or the proceeds thereof, or to indicate that compensation will not be paid in lieu thereof, if and when it should be determined that such return should be made or such compensation should be paid.

Any person, except a national of a designated enemy country, asserting any claim arising as a result of this order may file with the Alien Property Custodian a notice of his claim, together with request for a hearing thereon, on Form APC-1, within one year from the date hereof, or within such further time as may be allowed by the Alien Property Custodian.

The terms "national" and "designated enemy country" as used herein shall have the meanings prescribed in Section 10 of said Executive Order.

Dated: February 8, 1944.

(Signed) Leo T. Crowley

Leo T. Crowley
Alien Property Custodian

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I hereby certify that the within is a true and correct copy of original paper on file in this office. FEB 17 11 40 AM '44

Leo T. Crowley FEDERAL REGISTER
Alien Property Custodian

By: [Signature]

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TO: The Executive Committee of the Alien Property Custodian
FROM: The Property Division, Estates and Trusts Section
(File No. D-34-697; E. T. Sec. 8617)

RECOMMENDATION

Jurisdiction: Section 2 (f) of E.O. 9095, as amended.
Source of information: Form APC-3, unless otherwise noted.

- (1) ESTATE: John Katona, deceased
- (2) COURT: Surrogate's Court, Queens County, New York -
Docket No. 208/1941
- (3) FIDUCIARY: Jennie Fedor, 70-12 53rd Road, Maspeth, L. I.,
New York and Wayne C. Trace, 52-64 73rd Street, Jackson
Heights, L. I., New York, as executors
- (4) ATTORNEYS: Leiman & Trace, Esqs., 6907 Grand Avenue,
Maspeth, L. I., New York
- (5) DESIGNATED COUNTRY: Hungary
- (6) DESIGNATED NATIONALS: LAST KNOWN ADDRESS:
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|--------------------|----------------------------|
| Steve Saley | Gyor Szent Marton, Hungary |
| Martin Triso | Budapest, Hungary |
| Anton Triso | Budapest, Hungary |
| Martin Katona, Jr. | Gyor Szent Marton, Hungary |
| Billy Katona | Gyor Szent Marton, Hungary |
| Rose Katona | Gyor Szent Marton, Hungary |
- (7) VESTIBLE PROPERTY OR INTEREST: All right, title, interest
and claim of any kind or character whatsoever of Steve
Saley, Martin Triso, Anton Triso, Martin Katona, Jr.,
Billy Katona and Rose Katona, and each of them in and to
the estate of John Katona, deceased.

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The property and interest distributable and payable to the above-named nationals are as follows:

Steve Saley	Legacy of \$200.00
Martin Triso	Legacy of \$200.00
Anton Triso	Legacy of \$200.00
Martin Katona, Jr.	Legacy of \$200.00
Billy Katona	Legacy of \$200.00
Rose Katona	Legacy of \$200.00

(8) STATEMENT OF FACTS: The decedent, John Katona, died a resident of Queens County, New York, on December 20, 1941 leaving a last will and testament dated June 30, 1941 wherein and whereby he devised to the following nephews and niece residing in Hungary the sum of \$200.00 each:

Steve Saley	Gyor Szent Marton, Hungary
Martin Triso	Budapest, Hungary
Anton Triso	Budapest, Hungary
Martin Katona, Jr.	Gyor Szent Marton, Hungary
Billy Katona	Gyor Szent Marton, Hungary
Rose Katona	Gyor Szent Marton, Hungary

Letters testamentary were issued by the Surrogate's Court of Queens County on February 19, 1942 to Blakeney C. Trace, Wayne C. Trace and Jennie Fedor. Blakeney C. Trace after qualifying died leaving surviving the other two executors who have been and still are acting as such. The executors have chosen to pay the legacies without waiting for the judicial settlement of their accounts by heretofore forwarding six separate checks dated 9/1/43 each in the sum of \$200.00, payable to the order of the Enemy Alien Property Custodian and drawn on the Bank of the Manhattan Company by Jennie Fedor and Wayne C. Trace as executors under the last will and testament of John

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Katona. On September 16, 1943 the Custody and Clearance Section of the Property Division forwarded a remittance advice to James J. Sullivan, Chief of the Estates and Trusts Section of the Office of the Alien Property Custodian, New York City, acknowledging receipt of the aforementioned checks. As the Alien Property Custodian has already received all that is due him in this estate it is recommended that the interest of the aforementioned nationals be vested.

Vesting is recommended.

Paul V. Dryden
Chief
Estates & Trusts
Section

Francis J. McNamara
Francis J. McNamara
Assistant to the Alien Property Custodian

Date *February 3, 1944*

Handwritten initials and marks:
L.I.D.
C.C.
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OFFICE OF ALIEN PROPERTY CUSTODIAN
Washington

Vesting Order Number 3124

In re: Estate of Ludwig Fredeking and trust under the
will of Ludwig Fredeking, deceased
(File D-28-4389; E. T. Sec. 7417)

Under the authority of the Trading with the enemy Act, as amended, and
Executive Order 9095, as amended, and pursuant to law, the Alien Property
Custodian after investigation,

Finding that -

- (1) The property and interests hereinafter described are property which is in the process of administration by the First National Bank of Altoona, Pennsylvania, Executor, acting under the judicial supervision of the Orphans' Court of Blair County, Pennsylvania;
- (2) Such property and interests are payable or deliverable to, or claimed by, nationals of a designated enemy country, Germany, namely,

Nationals:	Last Known Address:
Marie Natermann	Germany
Armin Natermann	Germany
Marianne Kertell and her issue	Germany

And determining that -

- (3) If such nationals are persons not within a designated enemy country, the national interest of the United States requires that such persons be treated as nationals of a designated enemy country, Germany, and

Having made all determinations and taken all action, after appropriate consultation and certification, required by said Executive Order or Act or otherwise, and deeming it necessary in the national interest,

Now, therefore, the Alien Property Custodian hereby vests the following property and interests:

All right, title, interest and claim of any kind or character whatsoever of Marie Natermann in and to the estate of Ludwig Fredeking, deceased, and

All right, title, interest and claim of any kind or character whatsoever of Marie Natermann, Armin Natermann, Marianne Kertell and her issue, and each of them, in and to the trust estate created under the will of Ludwig Fredeking, deceased,

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the will of Ludwig Froedeking, deceased.

to be held, used, administered, liquidated, sold or otherwise dealt with
in the interest of and for the benefit of the United States.

Such property, and any or all of the proceeds thereof, shall be held
in an appropriate special account or accounts, pending further determination
of the Alien Property Custodian. This shall not be deemed to limit the powers
of the Alien Property Custodian to return such property or the proceeds there-
of, or to indicate that compensation will not be paid in lieu thereof, if and
when it should be determined that such return should be made or such compen-
sation should be paid.

Any person, except a national of a designated enemy country, asserting
any claim arising as a result of this order may file with the Alien Property
Custodian a notice of his claim, together with a request for a hearing there-
on, on Form APC-1, within one year from the date hereof, or within such
further time as may be allowed by the Alien Property Custodian.

The terms "national" and "designated enemy country" as used herein shall
have the meanings prescribed in Section 10 of said Executive Order.

DATED: February 15, 1944.

(Signed) **Leo T. Crowley**

Leo T. Crowley
Alien Property Custodian

(Official seal)

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I hereby certify that the within is a
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Leo T. Crowley
Alien Property Custodian

By: *John W. Watson*
Assistant Secretary for Records
Office of Alien Property Custodian

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Marie Natermann has a life interest in the trust and Marianne Kertell is entitled to the residue upon attaining the age of twenty-one years. In the event of her decease prior to her attaining such age the said trust fund shall be paid to her issue. If there is no issue, the residue is payable to Armin Natermann. The income of the trust is undetermined at this time. (See letter dated November 30, 1943 from reporter.)

The assets of the estate consist of personal property amounting to \$31,122.48 (see copy of inventory dated June 14, 1943). The above property is in the possession of the Executor and under the jurisdiction of the Court.

- (8) STATEMENT OF FACTS: The decedent, a resident of Altoona, Pennsylvania, died leaving a will dated August 4, 1934 which was admitted to Probate on May 10, 1943. The testator, after providing for the payment of his just debts and funeral expenses and bequeathing \$1,000.00 in trust to his godchild, an American citizen, directed the payment of \$2,000.00 to his sister, Mrs. Marie Natermann, one of the designated nationals named herein, in the following language:

"After the payment of all debts and expenses and the foregoing bequest, I give and bequeath and direct the payment to my sister, Mrs. Marie Natermann, of the sum of Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000.00)."

The trust referred to was created under Item Ten of the will of the testator and reads as follows:

"All the rest, residue and remainder of my estate shall be held in trust by my Executor hereinafter named, and the interest and income arising therefrom paid over to Mrs. Marie Natermann for and during the term and period of her natural life. At and upon the decease of the said Mrs. Marie Natermann, the principal of said fund to be paid over

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and distributed to my grand-niece, Marianne Kertell, upon her attaining the age of twenty-one years; provided, however, that the income arising on said fund prior to her attaining the age of twenty-one years, shall be paid over and distributed semi-annually to the guardian of the said Marianne Kertell. In the event of the decease of the said Marianne Kertell prior to her attaining the age of twenty-one years, leaving issue, then said estate to be paid over and go to such issue, but in default of issue, then I give and bequeath all of said estate remaining to Armin Natermann."

In reply to our letter of October 13, 1943 requesting information concerning the age of Marianne Kertell the reporter advised as follows:

"We wish to advise you that we have no definite information regarding the age of Marianne Kertell as Mr. Fredeking left no heirs in this country from whom we could obtain any verification.

A close friend of his has informed us that he believes Marianne Kertell is now about twenty-three years of age."

In view of the above information which is very indefinite the issue of Marianne Kertell is also included in the recommendation.

The following citation from a recent decision in Pennsylvania is believed to conclusively establish that the courts of that State have jurisdiction over testamentary trusts:

"Orphans' courts have exclusive jurisdiction over all trust estates created by will and are responsible for proper management, administration and preservation of trust res by trustees, whether named in the will or serving by virtue of officers as executors or administrators." Wilson v. Board of Directors of City Trusts 188 A 588, 324 Pa. 545 (1936).

Vesting is recommended.

Paul K. Myron
Chief
Estates and Trusts
Section

Francis J. McNamara
Francis J. McNamara
Assistant to the Alien Property Custodian

Date *February 4 1944*

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
OFFICE OF ALIEN PROPERTY CUSTODIAN

Supplemental Vesting Order Number **3186**

Re: Arushee Company

Under the authority of the Trading with the enemy Act, as amended, and Executive Order No. 9095, as amended, and pursuant to law, the undersigned, after investigation:

1. Having found in Vesting Order Number 56, dated July 23, 1942, that Arushee Company is a national of a designated enemy country (Germany);
2. Having found in the aforesaid order, that the persons listed below are nationals of a designated enemy country (Germany):

Wilhelm Heraeus
Bertha Heraeus
Annemarie Noll
Clara Andre
Paula Emge
Emma Kraemer
Werner Canthal
Hertha Jeep
Wilhelm H. Heraeus
Reinhard Heraeus
W. C. Heraeus, G.m.b.H.
Mrs. W. Canthal
Carl Heraeus
Mrs. Platzhoff
Mrs. Corning
F. Kuech
Mrs. Auguste Heraeus
Mrs. Else Heraeus
Mrs. Gertraud Heraeus
Rudolph Noll;

3. Finding that the nationals described in subparagraph 2 have claims against Arushee Company in the amounts listed below, which claims aggregated \$6,924.60 as of July 27, 1942, and are described on the books of said company as "Dividends Payable Account", subject, however, to any accruals or deductions subsequent thereto, and represent an interest in said business enterprise:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Amount of Claim</u>
Wilhelm Heraeus	\$2,093.85
Bertha Heraeus	1,129.50
Annemarie Noll	440.10
Clara Andre	441.00
Paula Emge	150.30
Emma Kraemer	13.50
Werner Canthal	90.00
Hertha Jeep	307.80
Wilhelm H. Heraeus	342.00
Reinhard Heraeus	562.50
W. C. Heraeus, G.m.b.H.	202.50
Mrs. W. Canthal	285.75
Carl Heraeus	200.25
Mrs. Platzhoff	184.50
Mrs. Corning	209.25
F. Kuech	48.15
Mrs. Auguste Heraeus	173.25
Mrs. Else Heraeus	37.35
Mrs. Gertraud Heraeus	3.15
Rudolph Noll	9.90

Total \$6,924.60;

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a designated enemy country, the national interest of the United States requires that such persons be treated as nationals of a designated enemy country (Germany):

and having made all determinations and taken all action required by law, including appropriate consultation and certification, and deeming it necessary in the national interest,

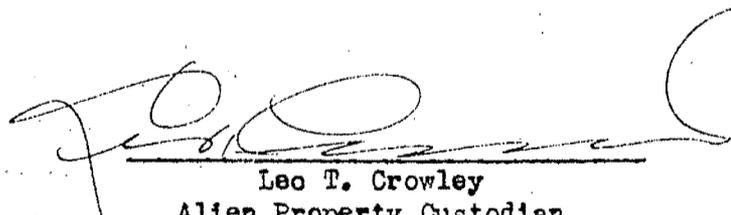
HEREBY VESTS in the Alien Property Custodian the interest of Wilhelm Heraeus, Bertha Heraeus, Annemarie Noll, Clara Andre, Paula Emge, Emma Kraemer, Werner Canthal, Hertha Jeep, Wilhelm H. Heraeus, Reinhard Heraeus, W. C. Heraeus, G.m.b.H., Mrs. W. Canthal, Carl Heraeus, Mrs. Platzhoff, Mrs. Corning, F. Kuech, Mrs. Auguste Heraeus, Mrs. Else Heraeus, Mrs. Gertraud Heraeus and Rudolph Noll in Arushee Company, hereinbefore more fully described, to be held, used, administered, liquidated, sold or otherwise dealt with in the interest and for the benefit of the United States.

Such property and any or all of the proceeds thereof shall be held in an appropriate account or accounts, pending further determination of the Alien Property Custodian. This Order shall not be deemed to limit the power of the Alien Property Custodian to return such property or the proceeds thereof in whole or in part, nor shall it be deemed to indicate that compensation will not be paid in lieu thereof, if and when it should be determined to take any one or all of such actions.

Any person, except a national of a designated enemy country, asserting any claim arising as a result of this Order may, within one year from the date hereof, or within such further time as may be allowed, file with the Alien Property Custodian on Form APC-1 a notice of claim, together with a request for a hearing thereon. Nothing herein contained shall be deemed to constitute an admission of the existence, validity or right to allowance of any such claim.

The terms "national" and "designated enemy country" as used herein shall have the meanings prescribed in Section 10 of Executive Order No. 9095, as amended.

Executed at Washington, D. C. on February 23, 1944.


Leo T. Crowley
Alien Property Custodian

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C O N F I D E N T I A L

MEMORANDUM TO: The Executive Committee of the
Office of Alien Property Custodian

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FROM: Division of Investigation and Research

SUBJECT: Arushee Company
233 New Jersey Railroad Avenue
Newark, New Jersey

There is submitted herewith for the consideration of the Executive Committee a report on a supplemental investigation of the above-entitled enterprise. Under Vesting Order No. 56, dated July 23, 1942, the Alien Property Custodian vested 15,338 shares of 21 par value common capital stock of Arushee Company, owned by 20 German subjects residing at Hanau, Germany, representing 79.6% of the 20,000 shares of capital stock issued and outstanding of Arushee Company, a New Jersey corporation. It has subsequently been ascertained that at the time of vesting there were declared but unpaid dividends owing to said German subjects whose stock had been vested and which dividends are now carried as a liability on the books of Arushee Company under the caption "Dividends Payable Account". These unpaid dividends amount to \$924.60 for 1942 and a balance of \$423.21 remaining from the unpaid dividends for such German subjects for 1941. The suggested vesting of these dividends is presented for the consideration of the Executive Committee.

Attached hereto is a proposed Supplemental Order based on Section 2(a) which the Committee may wish to consider in connection with making its recommendation to the Alien Property Custodian.

Homer Jones

Homer Jones, Chief
Division of Investigation and Research

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
OFFICE OF ASSET PROTECTION

Supplemental Vesting Order Number

Re: Arushee Company

Under the authority of the Trading with the enemy Act, as amended, and Executive Order No. 9095, as amended, and pursuant to law, the undersigned, after investigation:

1. Having found in Vesting Order Number 50, dated July 23, 1942, that Arushee Company is a national of a designated enemy country (Germany);
2. Having found in the aforesaid order, that the persons listed below are nationals of a designated enemy country (Germany):

Wilhelm Hraeus
Bertha Hraeus
Annemario Holl
Clara Andre
Paula Kree
Hanna Kraemer
Berner Gantlal
Bertha Jacp
Wilhelm H. Hraeus
Reinhard Hraeus
W. G. Hraeus, C.M.B.H.
Mrs. W. Gantlal
Carl Hraeus
Mrs. Platzhoff
Mrs. Cornius
P. Luoch
Mrs. Auguste Hraeus
Mrs. Elise Hraeus
Mrs. Bertraud Hraeus
Rudolph Holl;

3. Finding that the nationals described in subparagraph 2 have claims against Arushee Company, in the amounts listed below which claims aggregate \$6,924.60 as of July 27, 1942 and are described on the books of said company as "Dividends Payable Account", subject, however, to any accruals or deductions subsequent thereto and represent an interest in said business enterprise:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Am't. of Claim</u>
Wilhelm Hraeus	\$2,093.35
Bertha Hraeus	1,129.50
Annemario Holl	440.10

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<u>Name</u>	<u>Am't. of Claim</u>
Clara Andre	441.00
Paula Dage	150.80
Hera Inaomer	13.50
Werner Canthal	50.00
Bertha Joep	307.80
Wilhelm H. Heraeus	342.00
Reinhard Heraeus	562.50
W. C. Heraeus, C.B.H.	202.50
Mrs. W. Canthal	235.75
Carl Heraeus	200.25
Mrs. Platzhoff	134.50
Mrs. Goring	209.25
P. Luech	48.15
Mrs. Auguste Heraeus	173.25
Mrs. Else Heraeus	37.35
Mrs. Gertraud Heraeus	5.15
Rudolph Holl	9.90

TOTAL 6,924.60;

4. Finding that the nationals listed in subparagraphs 2 and 3 have an additional claim against Arushee Germany, which claim as of July 17, 1942, amounted to 423.21, subject, however, to any accruals or deductions subsequent thereto and represents an interest in said business enterprise;

and having made all determinations and taken all action required by law, including appropriate consultation and certification, and deeming it necessary in the national interest,

ORDER BY THE ALIEN PROPERTY CUSTODIAN the interest of Wilhelm Heraeus, Bertha Heraeus, Amemarie Holl, Clara Andre, Paula Dage, Hera Inaomer, Werner Canthal, Bertha Joep, Wilhelm H. Heraeus, Reinhard Heraeus, W. C. Heraeus, C.B.H., Mrs. W. Canthal, Carl Heraeus, Mrs. Platzhoff, Mrs. Goring, P. Luech, Mrs. Auguste Heraeus, Mrs. Else Heraeus, Mrs. Gertraud Heraeus and Rudolph Holl in Arushee Germany, hereinbefore more fully described, to be held, used, administered, liquidated, sold or otherwise dealt with in the interest and for the benefit of the United States.

Such property and any or all of the proceeds thereof shall be held in an appropriate account or accounts, pending further determination of the Alien Property Custodian. This Order shall not be deemed to limit the power of the Alien Property Custodian to return such property or the proceeds thereof in whole or in part, nor shall it be deemed to indicate that compensation will not be paid in lieu thereof, if and

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when it should be directed to any one or all of such actions.

Any person except a national of a designated enemy country, asserting any claim arising as a result of this Order may, within one year from the date hereof, or within such further time as may be allowed, file with the Alien Property Custodian on Form AP-1 a notice of claim, together with a request for a hearing thereon. Nothing herein contained shall be deemed to constitute an admission of the existence, validity or right to allowance of any such claim.

The terms "national", "resident of enemy country" and "business enterprise within the United States" as used herein shall have the meanings prescribed in section 10 of Executive Order No. 6065, as amended.

Approved at Washington, D. C. on

Loe T. Crowley
Alien Property Custodian

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C O N F I D E N T I A L

OFFICE OF ALIEN PROPERTY CUSTODIAN
Washington
DIVISION OF INVESTIGATION AND RESEARCH
S U P P L E M E N T A L R E P O R T

FILE NO. D-9-100-28-1125

DATE January 7, 1944

EXAMINER Carl J. Furman

SUBJECT: Arushes Company
233 New Jersey Railroad Avenue
Newark, New Jersey

Previous Action Taken

In accordance with Vesting Order No. 56, dated July 23, 1942, the Alien Property Custodian vested 15,383 shares of \$1.00 par value common capital stock of Arushes Company owned by 20 German subjects residing at Hanau, Germany. The above shares represent 75.0% of the 20,000 shares of capital stock, issued and outstanding, of Arushes Company, a New Jersey corporation. 1/

Supplemental Investigation

No action was taken by the Office of Alien Property Custodian, however, with respect to the dividends which had been declared by Arushes Company on July 17, 1942, amounting to 45¢ a share on the 20,000 outstanding shares of stock of Arushes Company. 2/

The Arushes Company, under date of July 27, 1942, applied for a license from the Federal Reserve Bank, Foreign Funds Control Division, New York, New York, to pay a dividend on its capital stock by withdrawal of \$9,000 from the company's account at the Chemical Bank and Trust Company of New York. Authority was requested to pay the dividend due on the shares of stock issued to Charles Engelhard and Clarence B. Mitchell directly to Charles Engelhard and to deposit the amounts of the dividends due on the shares of stock owned by the 20 German subjects (hereinafter listed) to their blocked accounts at the National State Bank, Newark, New Jersey. 3/

- 1/ Vesting Order No. 56, dated July 23, 1942.
- 2/ Memorandum from Division of Business Operations, dated January 9, 1943.
- 3/ License application No. 439241, dated July 27, 1942, Foreign Funds Control File, Treasury Department.

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Pursuant to Treasury License No. NY 439241-BE, dated July 27, 1942, the Arushoe Company was authorized to pay a dividend of \$9,000 to its stockholders. The license also authorized the Arushoe Company to withdraw from its funds deposited in the Chemical Bank and Trust Company, New York, the amount necessary to pay said dividend. The license further stipulated that no authority was granted for the payment of dividends for the benefit either directly or indirectly of blocked nationals unless payment was made to a blocked account in the name of the registered owners of the shares. The names of the 20 German subjects, who are registered owners of the above mentioned 15,388 shares together with the number of shares owned by each and the amount of dividend due each, are as follows: 4/

<u>Name</u>	<u>Number of Shares</u>	<u>Amt. of Dividend</u>
Wilhelm Hergeus	4,653	2,093.85
Bertha Hergeus	2,510	1,129.50
Annerose Noll	078	440.10
Clara Andre	980	441.00
Paula Emre	334	150.30
Emma Kraemer	30	13.50
Werner Canthal	200	90.00
Bertha Jeep	684	307.80
Wilhelm H. Hergeus	760	342.00
Reinhard Hergeus	1,250	562.50
W. C. Hergeus, G.M.B.H.	450	202.50
Mrs. W. Canthal	635	285.75
Carl Hergeus	445	200.25
Mrs. Platzhoff	410	184.50
Mrs. Corning	465	209.25
H. Kuoeh	107	47.15
Mrs. Auguste Hergeus	385	173.25
Mrs. Elise Hergeus	83	37.35
Mrs. Gertraud Hergeus	7	3.15
Rudolph Noll	22	9.90
Total	15,388	\$ 6,924.60

An examination of the books of subject enterprise discloses that Arushoe Company did not make the authorized payment of the dividends on the 15,388 shares of stock owned by the 20 German subjects which shares had then been vested under Vesting Order No. 56, dated July 23, 1942. This dividend in the amount of \$6,924.60 is now carried as a liability on the books of the Arushoe Company under the caption "Dividends Payable Account." 5/ The following is an analysis of the total dividend declared on July 17, 1942:

4/ New York License No. 439241-BE dated July 27, 1942, Foreign Funds Control File, Treasury Department.
 5/ Memorandum Report of R. S. Sweeney, Assistant Chief Auditor, Comptroller's Division, dated September 28, 1943, in ABC file No. L-28-1123.

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Total Dividends	20,000 shares at 45%	\$9,000.00
Dividends of 45% per share on 4,612 shares owned by American stockholders (paid)		<u>2,075.40</u>
Dividends of 45% per share declared and unpaid on the 15,388 shares owned by the above listed 20 German subjects carried on the books of Arushee Company as "Dividends Payable Account".		6,924.60

The books of the Arushee Company also reflect an additional account payable in the amount of \$423.21. This sum is the unpaid balance of the 45% dividend for 1941, declared and unpaid on the 15,388 shares owned by 20 German subjects carried on the books of Arushee Company as "Dividends Payable Account". 6/

Summary

The declared but unpaid dividends, amounting to \$6,924.60 for 1942 and \$423.21 for 1941 on the stock owned by 20 German subjects above listed, which sums are described on the books of the Arushee Company as "Dividends Payable Account" are vestible.

In a letter dated July 13, 1943, 7/ the Division of Business Operations recommends that these dividends be vested.

(signed) Carl B. Furman
Examiner

(signed) George E. Worthington
Reviewer

6/ R. S. Sweeney's memorandum of September 28, 1943, note 5, supra.
7/ Letter, signed by E. J. Crowley, Chief, Division of Business Operations, in A-C File No. D-28-1123.

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FILE CROSS REFERENCE SHEET

Letter }
 Memorandum } Dated July 8, 1946
 Agreement }

From Mr. Shan To Mr. Hanrick

SUBJECT: Agreement between Hanovia Chemical
& Manufacturing Company et al, and agreement
between James E. Markham, APC, and Charles
Engelhard.

May be found in File No. Vesting Order No. 56

Subject Arushee Company

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
OFFICE OF ALIEN PROPERTY
WASHINGTON D. C.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO RETURN VESTED PROPERTY

Pursuant to §32(f) of the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended, notice is hereby given of intention to return, on or after 30 days from the date of publication hereof, the following property, subject to any increase or decrease resulting from the administration thereof prior to return, and after adequate provision for taxes and conservatory expenses:

Claimant

Franciska Walter
a/k/a Fanny Walter
Furth near Krems, Austria

Claim No. 42069

Vesting Order No. 2265

Property and Location

All right, title and interest of Fanny Walter in and to the estate of J.F.O. Walter, also known as Joseph Francis Oscar Walter, deceased, in the process of administration by Mrs. Francis Horsley, Executrix, acting under the judicial supervision of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the City and County of San Francisco.

Executed at Washington, D. C., on MAR 19 1954

For the Attorney General

Paul V. Myron

Paul V. Myron
Deputy Director
Office of Alien Property

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
OFFICE OF ALIEN PROPERTY

In the Matter of the Claim of
**Gerda, Rudolf and Anton Merkle, children
of Rudolf Merkle - Claim No. 45020**
**Gertrude and Johann Kaufmann, children
of Johann Kaufmann - Claim No. 42070**
Vesting Order No. 3265

DETERMINATION AND RETURN
ORDER NO. 2948

Notice of Claims under section 32 of the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended, for the return of property hereinafter described were timely filed. This matter has been submitted to me for determination upon recommendation for allowance by the Chief, Claims Section. Notice of Intention to return the property was published in the Federal Register on September 8, 1956 (21 F.R. 6852).

Based upon reports of investigation, consultation with other interested Government agencies, representations made in the claim forms exhibits and in other documents of record, it is determined:

The claimants were the owners or the successors of the owners of the property described below immediately prior to vesting in or transfer to the Alien Property Custodian or the Attorney General as successor to the said Custodian with the meaning of section 32(a)(1).

The claimants and predecessors in interest, if any, are eligible to receive a return of property under section 32(a)(2).

There are no issues respecting cloaking, royalty adjustment or renegotiation liability within the meaning of section 32(a)(3) and (4).

A return of the property will not be contrary to the interest of the United States within the meaning of section 32(a)(5).

The claimants' agents in these matters were Mrs. Rella R. Shwartz, Isador G. Alk and the Austrian Embassy, all of Washington, D.C. The agents propose to charge a fee totalling approximately \$69.50. The property to be returned is cash in the sum of \$765.30. Accordingly, the fee is within the statutory limits prescribed by Section 20 of the Trading with the Enemy Act.

Upon the basis of the foregoing the claims are hereby allowed and IT IS ORDERED that the property described below be returned, subject to any increase or decrease resulting from the administration thereof prior to return, and after adequate provision for taxes and conservatory expenses:

Gerda Campregher geb. Merkle Krems a/Donau Oberlandstr. 33, Austria	\$127.55 in the Treasury of the United States
Rudolf Merkle Krems a/Donau Oberlandstr. 33, Austria	\$127.55 in the Treasury of the United States
Anton Merkle Krems a/Donau Oberlandstr. 33, Austria	\$127.55 in the Treasury of the United States

Claim No. 45020

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OFFICE OF ALIEN PROPERTY

Assets of the Claimant of
Gertrude Wedl geb. Kaufmann
Furth, No. 130
Austria

\$191.32 in the Treasury of the
United States

Johann Kaufmann
Furth, No. 8
Austria

\$191.33 in the Treasury of the
United States

Under section 32 of the Espionage Act, as amended, the claimant of property hereinafter described has been admitted to me for determination upon such claim for all purposes by the Chief, Claim No. 42079. The property was published in the Federal Register on 10/1/54.

Based upon reports of investigation, confidential with other interested Government agencies, representations made by the claimant and in other documents of record, it is determined:

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The claimant and predecessor in interest have a right of property under section 32(a)(1) of the Espionage Act. There are no issues, respectively, as to the claimant's liability under the meaning of section 32(a)(1) of the Espionage Act.

For the Attorney General:
Paul V. Myron
Paul V. Myron
Deputy Director
Office of Alien Property

return of the property shall be the full amount of the property within the meaning of section 32(a)(1) of the Espionage Act. The claimant and predecessor in interest have a right of property under section 32(a)(1) of the Espionage Act. There are no issues, respectively, as to the claimant's liability under the meaning of section 32(a)(1) of the Espionage Act.

Upon the basis of the foregoing the claimant hereby allowed and it is ORDERED that the property described below be returned, subject to any increase or decrease resulting from the administrative charges to be returned, and after adequate provision for taxes and conservatory expenses.

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
OFFICE OF ALIEN PROPERTY

In the Matter of the Claim of

JOSEFA KAUFMANN

Claim No. 42069

Vesting Order No. 3265

DETERMINATION AND RETURN
ORDER NO. 2626

Notice of Claim under section 32 of the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended, for the return of property hereinafter described was timely filed. This matter has been submitted to me for determination upon recommendation for allowance by the Chief, Claims Section. Notice of Intention to return the property was published in the Federal Register on November 24, 1955 (20 F. R. 8680).

Based upon reports of investigation, consultation with other interested Government agencies, representations made in the claim form exhibits and in other documents of record, it is determined:

The claimant was the owner or the successor of the owner of the property described below immediately prior to vesting in or transfer to the Alien Property Custodian or the Attorney General as successor to the said Custodian with the meaning of section 32(a)(1).

The claimant and predecessor in interest, if any, is eligible to receive a return of property under section 32(a)(2).

There are no issues respecting cloaking, royalty adjustment or renegotiation liability within the meaning of section 32(a)(3) and (4).

A return of the property will not be contrary to the interest of the United States within the meaning of section 32(a)(5).

Claimant's attorney, Rella R. Shwartz of Washington, D.C., proposes to charge \$232.64 for her services in connection with the prosecution of this claim. In addition, the Austrian Embassy proposes to charge its customary consulate fee of 2% of the net amount remitted to the claimant in accordance with the Austrian Consular Tariff. The total of the proposed fees meets the statutory requirements of Section 20.

Upon the basis of the foregoing the claim is hereby allowed and IT IS ORDERED that the property described below be returned, subject to any increase or decrease resulting from the administration thereof prior to return, and after adequate provision for taxes and conservatory expenses:

Josefa Kaufmann
Furth b. Krams
Nieder-Osterreich
(Lower Austria)

\$2,907.99 in the Treasury of
the United States.

Executed at Washington, D.C., on JAN 23 1956

For the Attorney General:

Paul W. Myron

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OFFICE OF ALIEN PROPERTY
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO RETURN VESTED PROPERTY

Pursuant to §32(f) of the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended, notice is hereby given of intention to return, on or after 30 days from the date of publication hereof, the following property, subject to any increase or decrease resulting from the administration thereof prior to return, and after adequate provision for taxes and conservatory expenses:

<u>Claimant</u>	<u>Property and Location</u>
Joseph Kaufmann Furtb N. Ernd Nieder-Osterreich (Lower Austria)	\$2,907.99 in the Treasury of the United States.

Claim No. 42059

Vesting Order No. 3255

Executed at Washington, D.C., on NOV 17 1955

For the Attorney General:

Paul V. Myron

Paul V. Myron
Deputy Director
Office of Alien Property

I hereby certify that the within copy is a true and correct copy of the original.
Dated this 17th day of November, 1955, at Dallas, Texas, in the presence of the Attorney General, Director, Office of Alien Property.
By *[Signature]*
Assistant to the Records Officer

(Lower Austria)

Executed at Washington, D.C., on JAN 23 1956

For the Attorney General:

Paul V. Myron

REPRODUCED AT THE NATIONAL ARCHIVES

RG 131-OAP
Entry 65-A-1063
File v.O. 3265
Box 379

Children of Johann Kaufman
(names unknown)

upon the failure of Fanny Walter
to survive the testator

\$1000 legacy and contingent
interest in one-half the sum of
\$2000 dependent upon the failure
of Fanny Walter to survive the
testator.

Toni Klein

\$3000, contingent however, upon
failure of Fanny Walter to survive
the testator.

Miss Mary Lindner

\$1000, contingent however, upon
failure of Fanny Walter to survive
the testator.

The property in the estate is insufficient to pay the legacies in full. It consists of cash in the sum of \$11,038.62, which is subject to bequests of \$5000 and \$1000 to each of two local residents, whose ratable shares are \$3558.02 and \$707.61 respectively, of which amounts \$3250 and \$657 were ordered paid by Decree Settling First Account and Ratable Distribution dated August 23, 1943, leaving a cash balance of \$7101.86.

(8) STATEMENT OF FACTS: Decedent died on November 29, 1942, at San Francisco, California. On January 7, 1943, Letters Testamentary were issued to the Executrix. The estate was appraised at \$12,516.48. After payment of claims and expenses of administration there remained insufficient funds with which to pay the legacies provided in the Will. The pertinent part of the will provides as follows:

"\$1000. (One thousand Dollar) I wish to be given to David Horsley, 2 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Horsley, junior.
\$1000. (One thousand Dollar) To the children of Rudolph Merkle, Cousin Krems, Austria in lieu of any claim against my estate.

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"\$1000 (One thousand Dollar) to the children of Johann Kaufman, Cousin Furth, Austria, also in lieu of any claim against my estate. Should my mother Fanny Walter, pass on before me or die before my Will is settled, Then \$3000 (three thousand Dollars) shall go to her sister, Toni Klein, residing in Vienna; \$1000. (One Thousand Dollar) to Miss Mary Lindner in Vienna; \$1000. (one thousand Dollar) more to Mrs. Horsley and the rest \$2000. divided amongst the children."

The attorneys for the Executrix advise that the Executrix is satisfied that the last-above quoted word "children" refers to the children of Johann Kaufman and Rudolph Merkle and that no objection has been raised to this construction.

Fanny Walter, who was left a cash legacy of \$7600, is approximately 86 years of age if living.

The two legatees residing in this country have been paid their ratable shares and the balance of the estate remains in the possession of the Executrix and subject to the jurisdiction of the Court.

Edwin J. Owens, Chief of the Estate and Trusts Section of the Office of the Alien Property Custodian in San Francisco, has served upon the Attorneys for the Executrix and filed with the Clerk of the Court a Request for Special Notice in this matter.

The decedent died after the date upon which California Probate Code Section 259 became effective.

Vesting is recommended.

Paul V. Myron
Chief
Estates & Trusts
Section

Francis J. McNamara
Francis J. McNamara
Assistant to the Alien Property Custodian

Date: *February 22, 1944*

OFFICE OF ALIEN PROPERTY CUSTODIAN
Washington

Vesting order No. 3265

IN re: Estate of J.F.O. Walter, also known as
Joseph Francis Oscar Walter, deceased.
(File D-6-193; E. T. Sec. 6014)

Under the authority of the Trading with the enemy Act,
as amended, and Executive Order 9095, as amended, and pursuant
to law, the Alien Property Custodian after investigation,
finding that -

- (1) The property and interests hereinafter described are property which is in the process of administration by Mrs. Francis Horsley, Executrix, acting under the judicial supervision of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the City and County of San Francisco;
- (2) Such property and interests are payable or deliverable to, or claimed by, nationals of a designated enemy country, Germany, namely,

Nationals:	Last Known Address:
Fanny Walter	(Austria) Germany
Toni Klein	(Austria) Germany
Miss Mary Lindner	(Austria) Germany
Children of Rudolph Herkle (names unknown)	(Austria) Germany
Children of Johann Kaufman (names unknown)	(Austria) Germany

And determining that -

- (3) If such nationals are persons not within a designated enemy country, the national interest of the United States requires that such persons be treated as nationals of a designated enemy country, Germany; and

Having made all determinations and taken all action, after appropriate consultation and certification, required by said Executive Order or Act or otherwise, and deeming it necessary in the national interest,

Now, therefore, the Alien Property Custodian hereby vests the following property and interests:

All right, title, interest, and claim of any kind or character whatsoever of Fanny Walter, Toni Klein, Miss Mary Lindner, children of Rudolph Herkle, and children of Johann Kaufman.

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REPRODUCED FROM THE NATIONAL ARCHIVES
Entry 65-AI-063
File 3364
Box 381

unclaimed

File No. D-34-718

Acct. No. 34-12366

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
OFFICE OF ALIEN PROPERTY

Divesting Order SA- **804**

Re: Heirs of Simon Propper, deceased

Under the authority of Title II of the International Claims Settlement Act of 1949, as amended (69 Stat. 562), Executive Order 10644, November 7, 1955 (20 F.R. 8363), Department of Justice Order 175-59, January 19, 1959 (24 F.R. 2452), as amended September 6, 1961 (26 F.R. 8400), and pursuant to law, it is hereby determined:

1. That \$2,344.08 represents the net proceeds of property which was vested after December 17, 1941 pursuant to Vesting Order No. 3364, dated March 24, 1944, issued under the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended.
2. That at the date of vesting the property was directly owned by Simon Propper, a natural person and a national of Hungary who subsequently died intestate survived by the following descendants of his three sisters, Amelia, Berta and Rosa: Leo Roth and Willis Jane Rosenthal of California, Mrs. Andrew Katona, Ladislas Laszlo Teglas, Susan Reiner, Mrs. Gisela Baer, Mrs. Margaret Lowenstein, Mrs. Rosalie Laszlo, Francis Kalman Katz, and Mrs. Anna Kalman of Hungary.
3. That the administration, liquidation and disposition of the property vested by Vesting Order No. 3364 have been completed pursuant to the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended, including the adjudication of any suits or claims which may have been filed with respect to such property under the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended.

THERE IS HEREBY DIVESTED pursuant to Section 202(b) of Title II of the International Claims Settlement Act of 1949, as amended, the sum of \$2,344.08 of which the sum of \$439.51 will be paid to Leo Roth of 821 Market Street, San Francisco, California and the sum of \$439.51 will be paid to Mrs. William Jane Rosenthal of 383 Forke Way, Palo Alto, California and the balance of \$1,465.06 will be transferred to the Department of the Treasury to be carried in blocked accounts as follows:

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Entry 65-A1-063
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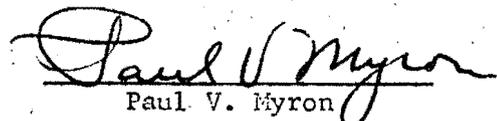
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<u>Name</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Mrs. Andrew Katona	\$293.01
Ladislav Laszlo Teglas	\$146.51
Susan Reiner	\$146.51
Mrs. Gisela Baer	\$146.51
Mrs. Margaret Lowenstein	\$146.51
Mrs. Rosalie Laszlo	\$146.51
Francis Kalman Katz	\$219.75
Mrs. Anna Kalman	\$219.75

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For the Attorney General


Paul V. Myron
Deputy Director
Office of Alien Property

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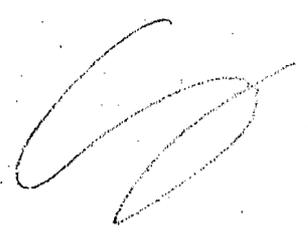
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OFFICE OF ALIEN PROPERTY CUSTODIAN

Washington

Vesting Order No. 3364



In re: Estate of Adolph Propper, deceased.
(File D-34-718; E. T. Sec. 9282)

Under the authority of the Trading with the enemy Act, as amended, and Executive Order 9095, as amended, and pursuant to law, the Alien Property Custodian after investigation,

Finding that -

- (1) The property and interests hereinafter described are property which is in the process of administration by Leo Reth, Administrator, acting under the judicial supervision of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the City and County of San Francisco;
- (2) Such property and interests are payable or deliverable to, or claimed by, nationals of a designated enemy country, Hungary, namely,

Nationals:

Last known address:

Simon Propper	Hungary
Mrs. Lipot Weisz	Hungary
Sam V. Propper	Hungary
Moric Propper	Hungary

And determining that -

- (3) If such nationals are persons not within a designated enemy country, the national interest of the United States requires that such persons be treated as nationals of a designated enemy country, Hungary; and

Having made all determinations and taken all action, after appropriate consultation and certification, required by said Executive Order or Act or otherwise, and deeming it necessary in the national interest,

Now, therefore, the Alien Property Custodian hereby vests the following property and interests:

All right, title, interest, and claim of any kind or character whatsoever of Simon Propper, Mrs. Lipot Weisz, Sam V. Propper, and Moric Propper, and each of them, in and to the Estate of Adolph Propper, deceased,

to be held, used, administered, liquidated, sold or otherwise dealt with in the interest of and for the benefit of the United States.

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 File 3364
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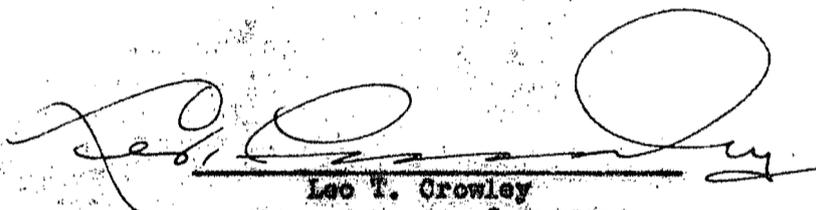
Vesting Order Number
 Estate of Adolph Propper, deceased.

Such property, and any or all of the proceeds thereof, shall be held in an appropriate special account or accounts, pending further determination of the Alien Property Custodian. This shall not be deemed to limit the powers of the Alien Property Custodian to return such property or the proceeds thereof, or to indicate that compensation will not be paid in lieu thereof, if and when it should be determined that such return should be made or such compensation should be paid.

Any person, except a national of a designated enemy country, asserting any claim arising as a result of this order may file with the Alien Property Custodian a notice of his claim, together with a request for a hearing thereon, on Form APC-1, within one year from the date hereof, or within such further time as may be allowed by the Alien Property Custodian.

The terms "national" and "designated enemy country" as used herein shall have the meanings prescribed in Section 10 of said Executive Order.

DATED: March 24, 1944.


 Leo T. Crowley
 Alien Property Custodian

DUPLICATE ORIGINAL

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administrator, a nephew of the decedent.

The estate, originally consisting of cash, securities, a business enterprise and real property, appraised at a total of \$18,169.89 has been reduced to cash in the sum of approximately \$13,000.00.

- (8) STATEMENT OF FACTS: Decedent died intestate, a resident of San Francisco, California. Proceedings for administration of the estate were commenced September 18th, 1941.

Whether or not the designated nationals survived the decedent is unknown. The administrator reports that they were all very old people and that some of them had children.

The Administrator proposes to file a petition for distribution to local heirs of their shares of the estate and to retain the balance of the estate in his possession subject to the jurisdiction of the Court.

A Request for Special Notice to Edwin J. Owens, Chief, Estates and Trusts Section, Office of the Alien Property Custodian in San Francisco, is on file in the proceedings.

Decedent died after the date upon which California Probate Code Section 259 became effective.

Vesting is recommended.

Paul W. Myron
 Chief
 Estates & Trusts
 Section

Francis J. McNamara
 Francis J. McNamara
 Assistant to the Alien Property Custodian

Date March 14, 1944

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order

RF 131-DA
Entry GSAIC
File No. 353
Box 383

File No. D-34-58

Acct. No. 34-12446

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
OFFICE OF ALIEN PROPERTY

Divesting Order SA- 807

Re: Heirs of Fannie Wisler Klein, deceased

Under the authority of Title II of the International Claims Settlement Act of 1949, as amended (69 Stat. 562), Executive Order 10644, November 7, 1955 (20 F.R. 8363, Department of Justice Order 271-62, Sec. 0.47, May 29, 1962 (27 F.R. 5161, 5166), and pursuant to law, it is hereby determined:

1. That \$489.52 represents the net proceeds of property which was vested after December 17, 1941 pursuant to Vesting Order No. 3537, dated April 24, 1944, issued under the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended.

2. That at the date of vesting the property was directly owned by Fannie Wisler Klein, a natural person and a national of Hungary, who died intestate survived by two nephews, Dr. Laszlo Vadas of Budapest, Hungary, and Sandor Wisler of Los Angeles, California, and by a niece, Mrs. Eva Schwarcz of Toronto, Ontario, Canada, each of whom succeeded to a claim for one third of the vested property.

3. That the administration, liquidation and disposition of the property vested by Vesting Order No. 3537 have been completed pursuant to the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended, including the adjudication of any suits or claims which may have been filed with respect to such property under the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended.

THERE IS HEREBY DIVESTED the sum of \$489.52 of which the sum of \$144.12 will be paid to Sandor Wisler, 6037 Barton Avenue, Los Angeles, California, the sum of \$144.12 will be paid to Mrs. Eva Schwarcz, c/o Frank Vass, 455 Spadina Avenue, Toronto 4, Ontario, Canada, and the balance of \$201.28 will be transferred to the Department of the Treasury to be carried in a blocked account in the name of Dr. Laszlo Vadas, as provided for by Section 202(b) of Title II of the International Claims Settlement Act of 1949, as amended.

Executed at Washington, D. C. on AUG 1 1962

For the Attorney General

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RG 131-DAF
Entry GSA 06
File No. 3537
Box 383

STANDARD FORM NO. 64
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See Divesting Order Sa-807
Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO *Q. v. m.* Paul V. Myron, Deputy Director
Office of Alien Property

DATE: JUL 31 1962

FROM : Bartlett S. Atwood *BSA*
Chief, Claims Unit

D-34-580

VO 3537

SUBJECT: Divesting Order covering net proceeds of property
vested pursuant to Vesting Order No. 3537 and owned
by Fannie Wisler Klein of Hungary on the date of
vesting.

Attached for your signature are the original and a duplicate of a
Divesting Order under Section 202(b) of the International Claims Settlement Act
of 1949, as amended, divesting the sum of \$189.52, representing the net proceeds
of property which has been vested under Vesting Order No. 3537, pursuant to the
Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended. The expenses of this Office have been
deducted and taxes, if any, have been paid. There are no suits or claims pend-
ing with respect to the vested property.

The property now being divested was directly owned at the date of vest-
ing by Fannie Wisler Klein, a Hungarian national. Information has been added to
the file to show that Fannie Wisler Klein died intestate during the war survived
by two nephews, Dr. Laszlo Vadas of Budapest, Hungary, and Sandor Wisler of
Los Angeles, California, and by a niece, Mrs. Eva Schwarcz of Toronto, Ontario,
Canada, each of whom succeeded to a claim for one third of the vested property.

After this Order is signed, the Chief, Comptroller's Unit will transmit
the amounts to be divested to Mrs. Schwarcz and Sandor Wisler, and to a blocked
account in the Treasury in the name of Dr. Laszlo Vadas.

B. S. A.

Attachments

DUPLICATE ORIGINAL

File No. D-

Acct. No. 34

RF 131-OAF
Entry 65A10
File 6.3537
Box 383

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
OFFICE OF ALIEN PROPERTY

Divesting Order SA- 733

Re: Dr. Laszlo Vadas

Under the authority of Title II of the International Claims Settlement Act of 1949, as amended (69 Stat. 562), Executive Order 10644, November 7, 1955 (20 F.R. 8363), and Department of Justice Order 175-59 of January 19, 1959 (24 F.R. 2452), as amended by Department of Justice Order 218-61, January 6, 1961, and pursuant to law, it is hereby determined:

1. That \$587.37 represents the net proceeds of property which was vested after December 17, 1941 pursuant to Vesting Order No. 3537, dated April 24, 1944, issued under the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended.
2. That at the date of vesting the property was directly owned by Heinrich Wisler, a natural person and a national of Hungary who subsequently died survived by Dr. Laszlo Vadas of Budapest, Hungary, who succeeded to a claim for the whole thereof.
3. That the administration, liquidation and disposition of the property vested by Vesting Order No. 3537 have been completed pursuant to the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended, including the adjudication of any suits or claims which may have been filed with respect to such property under the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended.

THERE IS HEREBY DIVESTED the sum of \$587.37, which will be transferred to the Department of the Treasury to be carried in a blocked account in the name of Dr. Laszlo Vadas, as provided for by Section 202(d) of Title II of the International Claims Settlement Act of 1949, as amended.

Executed at Washington, D. C. on MAR 29 1961

For the Attorney General


Paul V. Nyron
Acting Director
Office of Alien Property

REF 131-DAF
Entry 65A/26
File No. 3537
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File No. D-
Acct. No. 34.

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
OFFICE OF ALIEN PROPERTY

Divesting Order SA- 733

Re: Dr. Laszlo Vadas

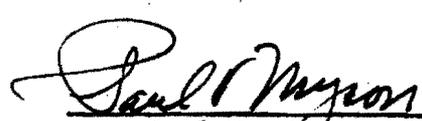
Under the authority of Title II of the International Claims Settlement Act of 1949, as amended (69 Stat. 562), Executive Order 10644, November 7, 1955 (20 F.R. 8363), and Department of Justice Order 175-59 of January 19, 1959 (24 F.R. 2452), as amended by Department of Justice Order 218-61, January 6, 1961, and pursuant to law, it is hereby determined:

1. That \$587.37 represents the net proceeds of property which was vested after December 17, 1941 pursuant to Vesting Order No. 3537, dated April 24, 1944, issued under the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended.
2. That at the date of vesting the property was directly owned by Heinrich Wisler, a natural person and a national of Hungary who subsequently died survived by Dr. Laszlo Vadas of Budapest, Hungary, who succeeded to a claim for the whole thereof.
3. That the administration, liquidation and disposition of the property vested by Vesting Order No. 3537 have been completed pursuant to the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended, including the adjudication of any suits or claims which may have been filed with respect to such property under the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended.

THERE IS HEREBY DIVESTED the sum of \$587.37, which will be transferred to the Department of the Treasury to be carried in a blocked account in the name of Dr. Laszlo Vadas, as provided for by Section 202(b) of Title II of the International Claims Settlement Act of 1949, as amended.

Executed at Washington, D. C. on MAR 29 1961

For the Attorney General


Paul V. Myron
Acting Director
Office of Alien Property

RG 131-OAF
 Entry 65A.06
 File No. 3537
 Box 383

STANDARD FORM NO. 64

Divesting Order La - 733
 Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT
 ABD:mw

TO: *PJM* Paul V. Myron
 Acting Director
 Office of Alien Property

DATE: MAR 24 1961

FROM: *DGME* Daniel G. McGrath
 Chief, Claims Section

SUBJECT: Divesting Order covering net proceeds of property
 vested pursuant to Vesting Order No. 3537 and owned
 by Heinrich Wisler at the date of vesting.

VO 3537

Attached for your signature is the original and duplicate of a divesting order under Section 202(b) of the International Claims Settlement Act of 1949, as amended. The order divests \$587.37, representing the net proceeds of property which had been vested under Vesting Order No. 3537 pursuant to the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended. The expenses of the Office have been deducted and taxes, if any, have been paid. There are no suits or claims pending with respect to the vested property.

The net proceeds of the property now being divested were directly owned at the date of vesting by Heinrich Wisler, a natural person and a national of Hungary. Information has been added to the files since that date to show that Heinrich Wisler died on July 8, 1944 and that his only son, Dr. Laszlo Vadas of Budapest, Hungary, is his heir.

After this order is signed, the Comptroller will transmit the amount to be divested to the Treasury Department which will carry the sum divested in a blocked account, bearing no interest, in the name of Dr. Laszlo Vadas.

Attachments

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File No. D-34

Acct. No. 34-

RF 131-DA
Entry 65A
File No. 353
Box 383

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
OFFICE OF ALIEN PROPERTY

Divesting Order SA-723

Re: Mrs. Eva Schwarcz

Under the authority of Title II of the International Claims Settlement Act. of 1949, as amended (69 Stat. 562), Executive Order 10644, November 7, 1955 (20. F.R. 8363), and Department of Justice Order 175-59 of January 19, 1959 (24. F.R. 2452), as amended by Department of Justice Order 218-61, January 6, 1961, and pursuant to law, it is hereby determined:

1. That \$587.37 represents the net proceeds of property which was vested after December 17, 1941 pursuant to Vesting Order No. 3537, dated April 24, 1944, issued under the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended.
2. That at the date of vesting the property was directly owned by Isadore Wisler, a natural person and a national of Hungary, who subsequently died survived by Mrs. Eva Schwarcz of Toronto, Ontario, Canada, who succeeded to a claim for the whole thereof.
3. That the administration, liquidation and disposition of the property vested by Vesting Order No. 3537 have been completed pursuant to the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended, including the adjudication of any suits or claims which may have been filed with respect to such property under the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended.

THERE IS HEREBY DIVESTED the sum of \$587.37, which will be paid to Mrs. Eva Schwarcz, c/o Vass & Rendek, Suite 403-4, 455 Spadina Avenue, Toronto 4, Ontario, Canada, as provided for by section 202(b) of Title II of the International Claims Settlement Act of 1949, as amended.

Executed at Washington, D. C. on Jan. 31, 1961

For the Attorney General



Paul V. Myron
Acting Director
Office of Alien Property

(Official Seal)

REG 131-OAP
Entry GSA 106
File No. 3537
Box 383

File No. E
Acct. No. 3

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
OFFICE OF ALIEN PROPERTY

Divesting Order SA- 723

Re: Mrs. Eva Schwarcz

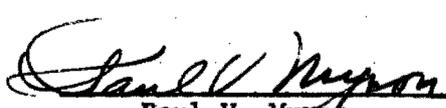
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1. That \$587.37 represents the net proceeds of property which was vested after December 17, 1941 pursuant to Vesting Order No. 3537, dated April 24, 1944, issued under the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended.
2. That at the date of vesting the property was directly owned by Isadore Wisler, a natural person and a national of Hungary, who subsequently died survived by Mrs. Eva Schwarcz of Toronto, Ontario, Canada, who succeeded to a claim for the whole thereof.
3. That the administration, liquidation and disposition of the property vested by Vesting Order No. 3537 have been completed pursuant to the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended, including the adjudication of any suits or claims which may have been filed with respect to such property under the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended.

THERE IS HEREBY DIVESTED the sum of \$587.37, which will be paid to Mrs. Eva Schwarcz, c/o Vass & Rendek, Suite 403-4, 455 Spadina Avenue, Toronto 4, Ontario, Canada, as provided for by Section 202(b) of Title II of the International Claims Settlement Act of 1949, as amended.

Executed at Washington, D. C. on JAN 31 1961

For the Attorney General


Paul V. Myron
Acting Director
Office of Alien Property

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RF 131-0
Entry 65A
File 10.35
Box 383

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
OFFICE OF ALIEN PROPERTY

Divesting Order SA-724

Re: Mrs. Eva Schwarz

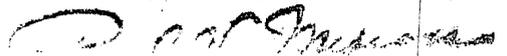
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1. That \$57.16 represents the net proceeds of property which was vested after December 17, 1941 pursuant to Vesting Order No. 3537, dated April 24, 1944, issued under the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended.
2. That at the date of vesting the property was directly owned by Fannie Wisler Klein, a natural person and a national of Hungary, who subsequently died survived by Mrs. Eva Schwarz of Toronto, Ontario, Canada, who succeeded to a claim for the whole thereof.
3. That the administration, liquidation and disposition of the property vested by Vesting Order No. 3537 have been completed pursuant to the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended, including the adjudication of any suits or claims which may have been filed with respect to such property under the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended.

THERE IS HEREBY DIVESTED the sum of \$57.16 which will be paid to Mrs. Eva Schwarz, c/o Vass & Rendek, Suite 403-4, 455 Spadina Avenue, Toronto 4, Ontario, Canada, as provided for by Section 202(b) of Title II of the International Claims Settlement Act of 1949, as amended.

Executed at Washington, D. C. on Jan. 31, 1961

For the Attorney General



Paul V. Myron
Acting Director
Office of Alien Property

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RG 131-OAP
 Entry GSA/C
 File No. 3537
 Box 383

STANDARD FORM NO. 64

Divesting Orders Sa-723 + Sa-724
Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

ABD:mw

TO : Paul V. Myron
 Acting Director
 Office of Alien Property

DATE: JAN 26 1961

FROM : Daniel G. McGrath
DGM
 Chief, Claims Section

SUBJECT: Divesting Orders covering net proceeds of property
 vested pursuant to Vesting Order No. 3537 and owned
 by Isadore Wisler and Fannie Wisler Klein, nationals
 of Hungary on the date of vesting.
 File No. D-34-580
 Account Nos. 34-12445, 34-12446

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Attached for your signature are the original and duplicate of two divesting orders under Section 202(b) of the International Claims Settlement Act of 1949, as amended. The orders divest \$644.53 representing the net proceeds of property which had been vested under Vesting Order No. 3537 pursuant to the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended. The expenses of the Office have been deducted and taxes, if any, have been paid. There are no suits or claims pending with respect to the vested property.

The net proceeds of the property now being divested were directly owned at the date of vesting by Isadore Wisler (\$587.37) and Fannie Wisler Klein (\$57.16), natural persons and nationals of Hungary. Evidence has been added to the file since that date that the nationals died in June 1944, survived by Mrs. Eva Schwarcz of Toronto, Ontario, Canada.

After these orders have been signed, the Comptroller will transmit the amounts to be divested to Mrs. Eva Schwarcz, c/o Vass & Rendek, Suite 403-4, 455 Spadina Avenue, Toronto 4, Ontario, Canada.

Attachments

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
OFFICE OF ALIEN PROPERTY

KU 131-04K
Entry GSA 106
File No. 3537
Box 383

In the Matter of the Claim of

SANDOR WIZLER

Claim No. 46178

Vesting Order No. 3537

DETERMINATION AND RETURN

ORDER NO. 4103

Notice of Claim under Section 32 of the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended, for the return of property hereinafter described was timely filed. This matter has been submitted to me for determination upon recommendation for allowance by the Chief, Claims ~~Administration~~ Administration Section.

Based upon reports of investigation, consultation with other interested Government agencies, representations made in the claim form, exhibits and in other documents of record, it is determined:

The claimant was the owner or the successor of the owners of the property described below immediately prior to vesting in or transfer to the Alien Property Custodian or the Attorney General, as successor to the said Custodian, within the meaning of Section 32(a)(1).

The claimant and predecessors in interest, if any, are eligible to receive a return of property under Section 32(a)(2).

There are no issues respecting cloaking, royalty adjustment or renegotiation liability within the meaning of Section 32(a)(3) and (4).

A return of the property will not be contrary to the interest of the United States within the meaning of Section 32(a)(5).

The claimant has been represented by Carl Yanow, Attorney at Law, Sherman Oaks, California, whose proposed fee will not exceed 10 per cent of the value of the property to be returned. The proposed fee meets the requirements of Section 20 of the Act.

Upon the basis of the foregoing, the claim is hereby allowed and IT IS ORDERED that the property described below be returned, subject to any increase or decrease resulting from the administration thereof prior to return and after adequate provision for taxes and conservatory expenses:

Sandor Wizler
Los Angeles, California

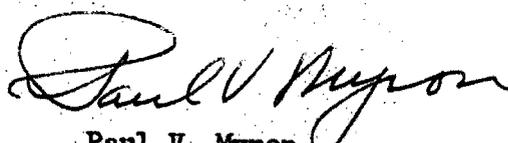
\$795.37 in the Treasury of the United States

Claim No. 46178

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For the Attorney General



Paul V. Myron
Deputy Director
Office of Alien Property

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OFFICE OF ALIEN PROPERTY CUSTODIAN
WASHINGTON

VESTING ORDER NO. 3537

In re: Estate of Sam Wisler, deceased.
(File D-34-580; E. T. Sec. 6519)

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Under the authority of the Trading with the enemy Act, as amended, and Executive Order 9095, as amended, and pursuant to law, the Alien Property Custodian after investigation,

Finding that -

- (1) The property and interests hereinafter described are property which is in the process of administration by Eva Pollack, Administratrix, acting under the judicial supervision of the Surrogate's Court, County of New York, State of New York;
- (2) Such property and interests are payable or deliverable to, or claimed by, nationals of a designated enemy country, Hungary, namely,

Nationals:

Last known address:

Heinrich Wisler
Emanuel Wisler
Isadore Wisler
Fannie Wisler Klein

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And determining that -

- (3) If such nationals are persons not within a designated enemy country, the national interest of the United States requires that such persons be treated as nationals of a designated enemy country, Hungary; and

Having made all determinations and taken all action, after appropriate consultation and certification, required by said Executive Order or Act or otherwise, and deeming it necessary in the national interest,

Now, therefore, the Alien Property Custodian hereby vests the following property and interests:

All right, title, interest and claim of any kind or character whatsoever of Heinrich Wisler, Emanuel Wisler, Isadore Wisler and Fannie Wisler Klein, and each of them, in and to the estate of Sam Wisler, deceased,

to be held, used, administered, liquidated, sold or otherwise dealt with in the interest of and for the benefit of the United States.

Such property, and any or all of the proceeds thereof, shall be held in an appropriate special account or accounts, pending further

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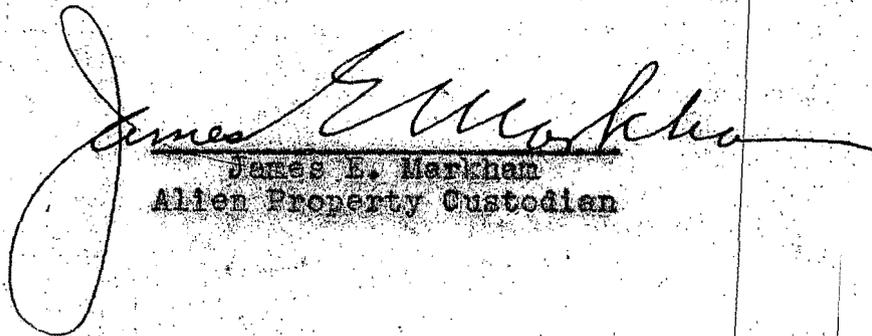
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determination of the Alien Property Custodian. This shall not be deemed to limit the powers of the Alien Property Custodian to return such property or the proceeds thereof, or to indicate that compensation will not be paid in lieu thereof, if and when it should be determined that such return should be made or such compensation should be paid.

Any person, except a national of a designated enemy country, asserting any claim arising as a result of this order may file with the Alien Property Custodian a notice of his claim, together with a request for a hearing thereon, on Form APC-1, within one year from the date hereof, or within such further time as may be allowed by the Alien Property Custodian.

The terms "national" and "designated enemy country" as used herein shall have the meanings prescribed in Section 10 of said Executive Order.

DATED: April 24, 1944.


James E. Markham
Alien Property Custodian

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TO: The Executive Committee of the Alien Property Custodian
FROM: The Property Division, Estates and Trusts Section
(File D-34-580; E. T. Sec. 6519)

RECOMMENDATION

Jurisdiction: Section 2 (f) of E. O. 9095, as amended.
Source of Information: Form APC-3, unless otherwise noted.

- (1) ESTATE: Sam Wisler, deceased
- (2) COURT: Surrogate's Court, New York County, New York.
Docket No. A-787-1943
- (3) FIDUCIARY: Eva Pollack, 231 Echo Place, New York, New York, Administratrix.
- (4) ATTORNEYS: S. Charles Blutstein, 1440 Broadway, New York, New York, Attorney for Administratrix
- (5) DESIGNATED COUNTRY: Hungary
- (6) DESIGNATED NATIONALS: LAST KNOWN ADDRESS:
Heinrich Wisler Pecs, Hungary
Emanuel Wisler Kistrarda, Hungary
Isadore Wisler Bekescaba, Hungary
Fannie Wisler Klein Kistrarda, Hungary
- (7) VESTIBLE PROPERTY OR INTEREST: All right, title, interest and claim of any kind or character whatsoever of Heinrich Wisler, Emanuel Wisler, Isadore Wisler and Fannie Wisler Klein, and each of them, in and to the estate of Sam Wisler, deceased.

The property and interest distributable and payable to the above named nationals are one-seventh of the estate amounting to \$747.43 each.

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(8) STATEMENT OF FACTS: Sam Wisler died intestate, a resident of New York County and letters of administration on his estate were issued to Eva Pollack by the Surrogate's Court of New York County on March 30, 1943. Said estate has been administered and the administratrix has filed her final account and has petitioned the Surrogate's Court for the judicial settlement thereof. The final decree in said proceeding was signed on the 14th day of March, 1944.

The final decree defines the interests of the said designated nationals and directs the payment thereof as follows:

"And it is further ordered, adjudged and decreed that the administratrix pay a one-seventh distributive share, to wit, the sum of \$747.43 to herself as distributee; that she pay a one-seventh distributive share to herself, to wit, the sum of \$747.43, to herself as assignee of Herman Wisler, one of the distributees; that she pay a one-seventh distributive share, to wit, the sum of \$747.43 to Emanuel Wisler; that she pay a one-seventh distributive share, to wit, the sum of \$747.43 to Heinrich Wisler; that she pay a one-seventh distributive share, to wit, the sum of \$747.43 to Isadore Wisler; that she pay a one-seventh distributive share, to wit, the sum of \$747.43 to Fannie Wisler Klein.

That the aforementioned sums to be paid to Emanuel Wisler, Heinrich Wisler, Isadore Wisler and Fannie Wisler Klein, all four of whom are residents and nationals of Hungary and who are enemy aliens, be paid by depositing the sum of \$747.43 with the City Treasurer of the City of New York, for the benefit of Emanuel Wisler, by depositing the sum of \$747.43 with the City Treasurer of the City of New York for the benefit of Heinrich Wisler, by depositing said sums with the City Treasurer of the City of New York for the benefit of Isadore Wisler and by depositing the sum of \$747.43 with the City Treasurer of the City of New York for the benefit of Fannie Wisler

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Klein, all of the aforementioned sums to be deposited as designated pursuant to Section 269 of the Surrogate's Court Act until further order of this Court, unless within 90 days after the date of this decree a vesting order shall have been made and filed by the Alien Property Custodian, in which event payment shall be made pursuant to such order."

The designated nationals are citizens and residents of Hungary.

- (9) RECOMMENDATION: Vesting of the property and interests of the designated nationals named in Item 6 hereof is recommended.

Paul V. Dwyer
Chief
Estates & Trusts
Section

Francis J. McNamara
Francis J. McNamara
Deputy Alien Property Custodian

Date April 14, 1944

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OFFICE OF ALIEN PROPERTY CUSTODIAN

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INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM

To John F. Flavin Date April 22, 1944
From Homer Jones H.J. Subject German owned motion picture film

There are submitted herewith the requisite copies and original of the Vesting Order in the above entitled case, together with the stems from which it was run and the facing sheets. According to your memorandum of April 20, 1944 this Order was approved in its original form.

Copy to: Lloyd L. Shaulis
c/o John Faulconer

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
OFFICE OF ALIEN PROPERTY CUSTODIAN

Vesting Order Number **3554**

Re: German owned motion picture film in the United States, and the copyright interests therein

Under the authority of the Trading with the enemy Act, as amended, and Executive Order No. 9095, as amended, and pursuant to law, the undersigned, after investigation, finding:

1. That each of the individuals whose names and last-known addresses are set forth in Exhibit A, attached hereto and by reference made a part hereof, is a resident of, and that each of the companies referred to in such Exhibit is organized under the laws of Germany and that each of said individuals and companies is a national of a designated enemy country (Germany);
2. That the German government and the persons listed in said Exhibit A jointly or severally own or control the property herein described in subparagraph 3;
3. That the property described as follows:
 - a. All motion picture film in the United States owned or controlled by the German government, and/or the individuals and companies and each of them whose names and last-known addresses are listed in said Exhibit A,
 - b. All right, title, interest and claim of whatsoever kind or nature under the statutory and common law of the United States and the several states thereof, of each and all of the identified persons to whom reference is made in said Exhibit A in, to, and under the following:
 - (1) Every copyright, claim of copyright, and right to copyright in each and all of the motion picture film in the United States owned or controlled by the German government and/or the individuals and companies and each of them whose names and last-known addresses are set forth in said Exhibit A;
 - (2) Every license, agreement, privilege, power, and right of whatsoever nature arising under, or with respect to, any of the foregoing;
 - (3) All monies and amounts and all right to receive monies and amounts by way of royalty, share of profits, or other emoluments accrued, or to accrue, whether arising pursuant to law, contract, or otherwise, with respect to any or all of the foregoing;
 - (4) All rights of renewal, reversion, or reversioning, if any, in any, or all, of the foregoing;
 - (5) All causes of action, accrued, or to accrue, at law or in equity with respect to any, or all, of the foregoing, including, but not limited to, the right to sue for and recover all damages and profits, and to ask and receive any and all remedies provided by common law or statute for the infringement of any copyright or the violation of any right, or the breach of any obligation described in or affecting any or all of the foregoing;

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is property within the United States owned or controlled by a designated enemy country (Germany) and/or nationals thereof and is property payable or held with respect to copyrights or rights related thereto in which interests are held by and said property constitutes interests held therein by a foreign country (Germany) and/or nationals thereof,

And determining that to the extent that such national is a person not within a designated enemy country, the national interest of the United States requires that such person be treated as a national of a designated enemy country (Germany); and having made the determination and taken all action after appropriate consultation and certification required by law and deeming it necessary in the national interest,

HEREBY VESTS in the Alien Property Custodian the property described in subparagraph 3, to be held, used, administered, liquidated, sold or otherwise dealt with in the interest, and for the benefit, of the United States.

Such property and any or all of the proceeds thereof shall be held in an appropriate account, or accounts, pending further determination of the Alien Property Custodian. This Order shall not be deemed to limit the power of the Alien Property Custodian to return such property or the proceeds thereof in whole or in part, nor shall this Order be deemed to indicate that compensation will not be paid in lieu thereof, if and when it should be determined to take any one or all of such actions.

Any person, except a national of a designated enemy country, asserting any claim arising as a result of this Order may, within one year from the date hereof, or within such further time as may be allowed, file with the Alien Property Custodian on Form APC-1 a notice of claim, together with a request for a hearing thereon. Nothing herein contained shall be deemed to constitute an admission of the existence, validity or right to allowance of any such claim.

The terms "national" and "designated enemy country" as used herein shall have the meanings prescribed in Section 10 of Executive Order No. 9095, as amended.

Executed at Washington, D. C. on May 3, 1944.

James E. Markham
James E. Markham
Alien Property Custodian

(Official Seal)

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EXHIBIT A

AAFA Film Produktion G.m.b.H., Friedrichstrasse 223, Berlin SW 68
Ace Film, Berlin
Althof, Gustave, Film, Friedrichstrasse 13, Berlin SW 68
Aktiengesellschaft für Film Fabrikation (afifa) Viktoriastrasse 13-18,
Berlin
Apex Film, Berlin
Arnold & Richter G.m.b.H., Munich, Germany
Arri Film, Munich
Atlas Tonfilm G.m.b.H., Kochstrasse 6-7, Berlin SW 68
Avanti Tonfilm Gesellschaft, Friedrichstrasse 13, Berlin
Bavaria Arophon Film, Bavaria
Bavaria Film A. G., Friedrichstrasse 210, Berlin SW 68
Bavaria Film A. G., Sonnenstrasse 15, Munich 2 SW
Bianchini, Ferruccio & Schenk, Alfred, Berlin
Bild und Ton G.m.b.H., Graf Adolphstrasse 37a, Düsseldorf
Bild und Ton G.m.b.H., Tannusstrasse 52-62, Frankfurt am Main
Boston Films Co. m.b.H., Friedrichstrasse 12, Berlin SW 68
Candofilm G.m.b.H., Friedrichstrasse 22, Berlin SW 68
Cicero Film G.m.b.H., Cicerostrasse 2-6, Berlin
Cinema Film A. G. (Tobis), Mauerstrasse 43, Berlin W 8
Cinema Film G.m.b.H. (Vertriebs), Friedrichstrasse 10, Berlin
Cinema Produktion A. G. Berlin
Cleo Film G.m.b.H., Querstrasse 26-28, Leipzig C 1
Czerny-Film-Produktion G.m.b.H., Wilmersdorf, Zahringerstrasse 14, Berlin
Defira Tonfilm Vertrieb G.m.b.H., Friedrichstrasse 23, Berlin SW 68
Deitz, Fritz, Friedrichstrasse 25-26, Berlin SW 68
De-Ka Film, Berlin
Delta Film G.m.b.H. Grossadmiral v. Koesterstrasse 25, Berlin
Deutsche Filmexport G.m.b.H., Friedrichstrasse 25-26, Berlin SW 68
Deutsche Lichtspiel Syndikat A. G., Friedrichstrasse 225, Berlin SW 68
Deutsche Tonfilm Produktions (Deuton Film), G.m.b.H., Friedrichstrasse 22,
Berlin SW 68
Deutsche Universal-Film A. G., Mauerstrasse 83-84, Berlin W 8
DLS, Friedrichstrasse 225, Berlin SW 68
Eichberg Film G.m.b.H., Friedrichstrasse 171, Berlin W 8
Elite Film Produktion, Berlin
Elite Tonfilm, Berlin
Emelka Konzern, Sonnenstrasse 15, Munich
Emelka-Tonfilm, Berlin
Engels und Schmidt Tonfilm Gesellschaft, Berlin
Europa Film A. G., Friedrichstrasse, Berlin
Europa-Film Verleih A. G., Mauerstrasse 43, Berlin
Excelesior Film G.m.b.H., Friedrichstrasse 11, Berlin SW 68
F. D. F. Fabrikation Deutscher Filme G.m.b.H., Friedrichstrasse 8,
Berlin SW 68
Ben-Fett Film, Friedrichstrasse 23, Berlin SW 68
Forum Film G.m.b.H., Friedrichstrasse 19, Berlin SW 68
Fritzeche, K. J. Centropa, Berlin
Carl Froelich Film, Berlin
Fundus G.m.b.H., Friedrichstrasse 13, Berlin SW 68
Glassfilm, Berlin
Max Glass G.m.b.H. (Produktion), Friedrichstrasse 221, Berlin SW 68
Glass, Paul, Berlin
Gnom Film, Berlin
Gnom-Tonfilm Ges.m.b.H., Friedrichstrasse 224, Berlin
Greenbaum Film G.m.b.H., Prinz Luis Ferdinandstrasse, Berlin NW 7
Gunther, Karl, Berlin
Haase, Berlin SW 68
Halsike Film, Berlin
Haro von Peski-Film G.m.b.H., Kurfuerstenden 225, Berlin
Hegemann Film G.m.b.H., Berlin
Hegewald Film, Berlin
Heinz, Carl, World Film Production, Berlin
Henka Deutsche Kino Gesellschaft, Berlin
Heinz, Paul, G.m.b.H., Friedrichstrasse 28, Berlin SW 68
Heros Film Verleih G.m.b.H., Friedrichstrasse 25-26, Berlin
Ideal Film G.m.b.H., Friedrichstrasse 13, Berlin SW

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K. V. Delta Gemeinschaftsproduktion, Kochstrasse 6-7, Berlin SW 68
 Klangfilm, Askenischer Platz 4, Berlin
 Klein, Victor, Film, Berlin
 Kreuzberg-Orphid Film, Berlin
 Kristall Film G.m.b.H., Friedrichstrasse 221, Berlin SW 68
 Leo Film, Munich
 Leitz, Frantz, Berlin
 Lloyd-Film G.m.b.H. (Produktion), Mauerstrasse 43, Berlin W 8
 Markische Film G.m.b.H., Zimmerstrasse 79-81, Berlin SW 68
 Maestro Film, Berlin
 Matador Film, Berlin
 Messtro Film Verleih G.m.b.H., Zimmerstrasse 79-80, Berlin SW 68
 Metropole Film Verleih A. G., Friedrichstrasse 7, Berlin SW 68
 Metropole Film Verleih G.m.b.H., Taurusstrasse 52-60, Frankfurt am Main
 Minerva Film, Friedrichstrasse 224, Berlin SW 68
 Mittledeutsche Union Film G.m.b.H., Karlstrasse 1, Leipzig C 1
 N. A. G. Filmverleih m.b.H., Friedrichstrasse 8, Berlin SW 68
 Nerthus Film-Hammer Tonfilm G.m.b.H., Friedrichstrasse 10, Berlin SW 68
 Neubach Prod., Ernst, Berlin
 Neucophon Film der Terra, Kochstrasse 73, Berlin
 Neues Deutsches Lichtspiel Syndikat Verleih G.m.b.H., Hedemannstrasse 21,
 Berlin SW 68
 Nippach, Robert, Film Produktion, Berlin
 Nord Film G.m.b.H., Lange Muehlen 9, Hamburg
 Nostra Film G.m.b.H., Unter dem Linden 56, Berlin NW 7
 Omnium Film G.m.b.H., Oststrasse 110, Dusseldorf
 Optima-Film G.m.b.H., Friedrichstrasse 19, Berlin SW 68
 Osvo Film-Oskar Bogt, Barkhof 2, Hamburg
 Pan Film G.m.b.H., Friedrichstrasse 22, Berlin SW 68
 Phoebus Film A. G., Berlin
 Porten, Henry, Berlin
 Praesens-Film G.m.b.H., Friedrichstrasse 23, Berlin SW 68
 Projectograph-Film Ges.m.b.H., Friedrichstrasse 225, Berlin SW 68
 Reichsliga Film, Berlin
 Rheinische Filmgesellschaft m.b.H., Brueckenstrasse 15, Cologne
 Rio Film, Berlin
 Riton Tonfilm G.m.b.H., Cicerostrasse 2-6, Hallinsee, Berlin
 R.N.Film der ufa, Krausenstrasse 38-39, Berlin SW 19
 Rost, Georg, Film Vertrieb, Lauten Sackstrasse 16, Munich
 R. P. L. Delta Film der Tobis, Berlin
 Rota Film A. G., Mauerstrasse 83-84, Berlin SW 68
 Roto G. P. Film, Kochstrasse 64, Berlin SW 68
 Schulz & Co. Film Produktion, Herbert F. R., Berlin
 Seitz, Franz, Film G.m.b.H., Munich
 Sokol Film, Berlin
 Splendid Film Comp., Friedrichstrasse 223, Berlin
 Stein, Fritz, Verleih G.m.b.H., Friedrichstrasse 13, Berlin SW 68
 Sud Film A. G. (Richard Oswald Film) Friedrichstrasse 207, Berlin
 Suedfilm A. G., Gezebrechstrasse 10, Charlottenburg, Berlin
 Suedfilm Kompanie, Berlin
 Super Films Gesellschaft m.b.Haftung, Berlin
 Syndikat G.m.b.H. - NDLS, Mauerstrasse 43, Berlin
 Terra Film Aktiengesellschaft, Kochstrasse 73, Berlin SW 68
 Terra G.m.b.H., Wilhelm-von-Siemensstrasse, Berlin
 Terra-Haus, Kochstrasse 73, Berlin SW 68
 * T. K. cine Allianz Tonfilm G.m.b.H., Friedrichstrasse 223, Berlin SW 68
 Tobis Film Verleih, Zurich
 Tobis Tonfilm Syndicat A.G., Mauerstrasse 43, Berlin 8
 Tofa Film Produktions A.G., Berlin
 Tofa-Tonfilm G.m.b.H., Kurfurstendstrasse 206, Berlin
 Transocean Film Co. G.m.b.H., Friedrichstrasse 224, Berlin SW 68
 Ufa Filmverleih G.m.b.H., Krausenstrasse 38-39, Berlin SW 19
 Union Tonfilm G.m.b.H., Schillerstrasse 17, Munich
 Urban, Conrad, Friedrichstrasse 238, Berlin SW 68
 Verein Star Film G.m.b.H., Friedrichstrasse 218, Berlin SW 68
 Vitagraph, Friedrichstrasse 225, Berlin SW 68
 Weiss, Blau, Film G.m.b.H., Arnelstrasse 16, Munich 2 NW
 Wiene, Conrad, Production, Berlin
 Wishaupt, Louis, Nuerbergerstrasse 53, Berlin W 5
 Wotan Film G.m.b.H., Darl Rudolfs

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MEMORANDUM TO: The Executive Committee of the
Office of Alien Property Custodian

FROM: Division of Investigation and Research

SUBJECT: German owned motion picture film in
the United States, and the copyright
interests therein

There is submitted herewith for the consideration of the Executive Committee a report on the investigation of the above-entitled property. Attached to the report is a proposed Order which the Committee may wish to consider in connection with making its recommendation to the Alien Property Custodian.

Homer Jones

Homer Jones, Chief
Division of Investigation and Research

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C O N F I D E N T I A L
OFFICE OF ALIEN PROPERTY CUSTODIAN
DIVISION OF INVESTIGATION AND RESEARCH
REAL AND PERSONAL PROPERTY SECTION
INVESTIGATION REPORT

SUBJECT: German owned motion picture film in the United States,
and the copyright interests therein
FILE NO:

SYNOPSIS

Certain German business enterprises located in Germany and controlled by either private German capital or by agencies of the German government own an undisclosed amount of motion picture film located in the United States. This ownership extends to both the physical film and the copyright interests therein. The film is in the possession of United States distributors or exhibitors and though its commercial value is unknown, its intrinsic worth in connection with the war effort is considerable. The Executive Committee may wish to recommend vesting the film and the copyright interests therein.

PROPERTY WHICH MAY BE VESTED

(1) Motion picture film and the copyright interests therein

Description: All motion picture film and the copyright interests therein located in the United States and owned by those persons and business enterprises named in Exhibit A, attached hereto and by reference made a part hereof. 1/

Ownership: The motion picture film and the copyright interests therein are owned by the persons and enterprises whose names and addresses appear in Exhibit A, attached hereto and by reference made a part hereof. 2/

Value: The commercial value of this film is unknown, but the use to which this material will be put by various interested agencies of the United States government in connection with the war effort will result in considerable benefit to the Government of the United States.

Claims or encumbrances: None. 3/

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- 1/ Copy of memorandum of Vitalis L. Chalif dated January 27, 1944, in AFC file.
2/ See footnote 1/ supra.
3/ Information obtained from Edward A. Chapman, Copyright Section, Patent Administration Division. See memorandum to Files dated March 17, 1944.

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Management: The motion picture film concerned in this report is in the custody of certain distributor firms in New York and Chicago. These firms are about to supply this Office with copies of their contracts and records in which are set forth the respective rights of the foreign producers and the American distributors, and it will thereby be possible to determine the German film managed by each American distributor. 4/

OTHER PROPERTY OF NATIONALS

Information in the possession of this Office indicates that there is no other property in the United States owned by the persons and establishments concerned in this report.

JURISDICTION

The persons and establishments named in Exhibit A, attached hereto and by reference made a part hereof, and whose addresses appear opposite their respective names, are residents of Germany and nationals of a designated enemy country (Germany), as defined in Section 10(a) of Executive Order No. 9095, as amended.

The motion picture film herein described owned by the German nationals herein and the copyright interests therein may be vested pursuant to Sections 2(c) and 2(d) of Executive Order No. 9095, as amended, since it is property within the United States owned by nationals of a designated enemy country (Germany).

STATEMENT OF FACTS

None.

SPECIAL COMMENT

It is the purpose of this report and vesting order to include all the German film and the copyright interests therein which have not been covered by those vesting orders previously issued in connection with foreign-owned motion picture film. The list of these German firms which own the film and the copyright interests therein and which has been attached to this report, as Exhibit A, was prepared by Mr. Vitalis L. Chalif of the Office of Alien Property Custodian. The film, as stated, is in the possession of American distributors whose exploitation rights have in almost every instance expired, and for that reason the report and the vesting order have been drawn to cover not only the property in the physical film but the copyright interest therein as well.

4/ Memorandum to the Files from Vitalis L. Chalif, dated January 24, 1944.

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In view of the fact that the description and location of all of film owned or controlled by the German government and the persons or enterprises named in Exhibit A are not available at this time, the description of the property recommended for vesting has been so drawn as to include not only the film about which this Office currently has information, but also any other film which may be discovered subsequently and which is under the control by Germany for the persons named in Exhibit A.

As soon as title to the film and the copyright interest therein has been vested by the Alien Property Custodian, it will be possible to locate and take possession of such film which will be found in the possession of certain United States exhibitors, film storage warehouses, film laboratories and exporters and importers. The Copyright Section, Patent Administration Division, has requested that the vesting order be prepared to include the copyright interests in the film, as well as the film itself. E/

It appears that this matter is of considerable strategic importance, and it is therefore urged that title to the film be vested in the Alien Property Custodian, even before complete inventories are prepared which will show the exact nature and location of all the film in question. It appears that the motion picture film in the United States produced in Germany is in fact owned by the German government, as in 1937, the German film industry underwent reorganization at the hands of the German Ministry of Propaganda headed by Dr. Goebbels. As was pointed out in a previous report which also dealt with German film, File No. 9-100-019-1-279, this reorganization resulted in state ownership of the larger film producing companies and outright control of the small Ufa Filmkunst G. m. b. H. which though obtaining the corporate structure of the old Universum Film Aktiengesellschaft is in fact a front for the direct supervision of the film industry by the German government. Some of the film, however, were produced by the German Film Industry prior to the time of its reorganization and in order that the Alien Property Custodian may be sure to acquire title to all German motion picture film in the United States, it is necessary to vest all interests in the film owned by the producing companies as independent corporate entities and by the German government as well.

ORIGIN OF CASE

Memorandum of Vitalis L. Chalif to Maurice Ravage dated January 27, 1944.

Completed at Washington, D. C. this 17th day of March, 1944.

(Signed) M. E. Davis, Jr.
M. E. Davis, Jr., Examiner

Reviewed: H. E. Campbell *[Signature]*

Approved by: C. L. Beckler *CLB*

5/ Memorandum from Stewart L. Whitman, dated February 14, 1944, in file.

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
OFFICE OF ALIEN PROPERTY CUSTODIAN

Vesting Order Number

Re: German owned motion picture film in the
States, and the copyright interests therein

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Under the authority of the Trading with the enemy
and Executive Order No. 9095, as amended, and pursuant to law, the under-
signed, after investigation, finding:

1. That each of the individuals whose names and last-known addresses are set forth in Exhibit A, attached hereto and by reference made a part hereof, is a resident of, and that each of the companies referred to in such Exhibit is organized under the laws of Germany and that each of said individuals and companies is a national of a designated enemy country (Germany);
2. That the German government and the persons listed in said Exhibit A jointly or severally own or control the property herein described in subparagraph 3;
3. That the property described as follows:
 - a. All motion picture film in the United States owned or controlled by the German government, and/or the individuals and companies and each of them whose names and last-known addresses are listed in said Exhibit A;
 - b. All right, title, interest and claim of whatsoever kind or nature under the statutory and common law of the United States and the several states thereof, of each and all of the identified persons to whom reference is made in said Exhibit A in, to, and under the following:
 - (1) Every copyright, claim of copyright, and right to copyright in each and all of the motion picture film in the United States owned or controlled by the German government and/or the individuals and companies and each of them whose names and last-known addresses are set forth in said Exhibit A;
 - (2) Every license, agreement, privilege, power, and right of whatsoever nature arising under, or with respect to, any of the foregoing;
 - (3) All monies and amounts and all right to receive monies and amounts by way of royalty, share of profits, or other emoluments accrued, or to accrue, whether arising pursuant to law, contract, or otherwise, with respect to any or all of the foregoing;
 - (4) All rights of renewal, reversion, or revesting, if any, in any, or all, of the foregoing;
 - (5) All causes of action, accrued, or to accrue, at law or in equity with respect to any, or all, of the foregoing, including, but not limited to, the right to sue for and recover all damages and profits, and to ask and receive any and all remedies provided by common law or statute for the infringement of any copyright or the violation of any right, or the breach of any obligation described in or affecting any or all of the foregoing;

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is property within the United States owned or controlled by a designated enemy country (Germany) and/or national and is property payable or held with respect to or rights related thereto in which interests are said property constitutes interests held therein by a foreign country (Germany) and/or nationals thereof,

And determining that to the extent that such national is a person not within a designated enemy country, the national interest of the United States requires that such person be treated as a national of a designated enemy country (Germany); and having made the determination and taken all action after appropriate consultation and certification required by law and deeming it necessary in the national interest,

HEREBY VESTS in the Alien Property Custodian the property described in subparagraph 3, to be held, used, administered, liquidated, sold or otherwise dealt with in the interest, and for the benefit, of the United States.

Such property and any or all of the proceeds thereof shall be held in an appropriate account, or accounts, pending further determination of the Alien Property Custodian. This Order shall not be deemed to limit the power of the Alien Property Custodian to return such property or the proceeds thereof in whole or in part, nor shall this Order be deemed to indicate that compensation will not be paid in lieu thereof, if and when it should be determined to take any one or all of such actions.

Any person, except a national of a designated enemy country, asserting any claim arising as a result of this Order may, within one year from the date hereof, or within such further time as may be allowed, file with the Alien Property Custodian on Form APC-3 a notice of claim, together with a request for a hearing thereon. Nothing herein contained shall be deemed to constitute an admission of the existence, validity or right to allowance of any such claim.

The terms "national" and "designated enemy country" as used herein shall have the meanings prescribed in Section 10 of Executive Order No. 9095, as amended.

Executed at Washington, D. C. on

Leo T. Crowley
Alien Property Custodian

(Official Seal)

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EXHIBIT A

AAFA Film Produktion G.m.b.H., Friedrichstrasse 223, Berlin
Ace Film, Berlin
Althof, Gustave, Film, Friedrichstrasse 13, Berlin SW 68
Aktiengesellschaft für Film Fabrikation (afifa) Viktoria
Berlin
Apex Film, Berlin
Arnold & Richter G.m.b.H., Munich, Germany
Arri Film, Munich
Atlas Tonfilm G.m.b.H., Kochstrasse 6-7, Berlin SW 68
Avanti Tonfilm Gesellschaft, Friedrichstrasse 13, Berlin
Bavaria Arophon Film, Bavaria
Bavaria Film A. G., Friedrichstrasse 210, Berlin SW 68
Bavaria Film A. G., Sonnenstrasse 15, Munich 2 SW
Bianchini, Ferruccio & Schenk, Alfred, Berlin
Bild und Ton G.m.b.H., Graf Adolphstrasse 37a, Düsseldorf
Bild und Ton G.m.b.H., Tannusstrasse 52-62, Frankfurt am Main
Boston Films Co. m.b.H., Friedrichstrasse 12, Berlin SW 68
Candofilm G.m.b.H., Friedrichstrasse 22, Berlin SW 68
Cicero Film G.m.b.H., Cicerostrasse 2-6, Berlin
Cinema Film A. G. (Tobis), Mauerstrasse 43, Berlin W 8
Cinema Film G.m.b.H. (Vertriebs), Friedrichstrasse 10, Berlin
Cinema Produktion A. G. Berlin
Cleo Film G.m.b.H., Querstrasse 26-28, Leipzig C 1
Czerny-Film-Produktion G.m.b.H., Wilmersdorf, Zahringerstrasse 14, Berlin
Defira Tonfilm Vertrieb G.m.b.H., Friedrichstrasse 23, Berlin SW 68
Deitz, Fritz, Friedrichstrasse 25-26, Berlin SW 68
De-Ka Film, Berlin
Delta Film G.m.b.H. Grossadmiral v. Koesterstrasse 25, Berlin
Deutsche Filmexport G.m.b.H., Friedrichstrasse 25-26, Berlin SW 68
Deutsche Lichtspiel Syndikat A. G., Friedrichstrasse 225, Berlin SW 68
Deutsche Tonfilm Produktions (Deuton Film), G.m.b.H., Friedrichstrasse 22,
Berlin SW 68
Deutsche Universal-Film A. G., Mauerstrasse 83-84, Berlin W 8
DLS, Friedrichstrasse 225, Berlin SW 68
Eichberg Film G.m.b.H., Friedrichstrasse 171, Berlin W 8
Elite Film Produktion, Berlin
Elite Tonfilm, Berlin
Emelka Konzern, Sonnestrasse 15, Munich
Emelka-Tonfilm, Berlin
Engels und Schmidt Tonfilm Gesellschaft, Berlin
Europa Film A. G., Friedrichstrasse, Berlin
Europa-Film Verleih A. G., Mauerstrasse 43, Berlin
Excelesior Film G.m.b.H., Friedrichstrasse 11, Berlin SW 68
F. D. F. Fabrikation Deutscher Filme G.m.b.H., Friedrichstrasse 8,
Berlin SW 68
Ben-Fett Film, Friedrichstrasse 23, Berlin SW 68
Forum Film G.m.b.H., Friedrichstrasse 19, Berlin SW 68
Fritzeche, K. J. Centropa, Berlin
Carl Froelich Film, Berlin
Fundus G.m.b.H., Friedrichstrasse 13, Berlin SW 68
Glassfilm, Berlin
Max Glass G.m.b.H. (Produktion), Friedrichstrasse 221, Berlin SW 68
Glass, Paul, Berlin
Gnom Film, Berlin
Gnom-Tonfilm Ges.m.b.H., Friedrichstrasse 224, Berlin
Greenbaum Film G.m.b.H., Prinz Luis Ferdinandstrasse, Berlin NW 7
Gunther, Karl, Berlin
Haase, Berlin SW 68
Halsike Film, Berlin
Haro von Peski-Film G.m.b.H., Kurfuerstenden 225, Berlin
Hegemann Film G.m.b.H., Berlin
Hegewald Film, Berlin
Heinz, Carl, World Film Production, Berlin
Henka Deutsche Kino Gesellschaft, Berlin
Heinz, Paul, G.m.b.H., Friedrichstrasse 28, Berlin SW 68
Heros Film Verleih G.m.b.H., Friedrichstrasse 25-26, Berlin SW 68
Ideal Film G.m.b.H., Friedrichstrasse 13, Berlin SW 68

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. V. Delta Gemeinschaftsproduktion, Kochstrasse 6-7,
 Klangfilm, Askenischer Platz 4, Berlin
 Klein, Victor, Film, Berlin
 Kreuzberg-Orphid Film, Berlin
 Kristall Film G.m.b.H., Friedrichstrasse 221, Berlin SW
 Leo Film, Munich
 Leitz, Frantz, Berlin
 Lloyd-Film G.m.b.H. (Produktion), Mauerstrasse 43, Berlin
 Markische Film G.m.b.H., Zimmerstrasse 79-81, Berlin SW 68
 Maestro Film, Berlin
 Matador Film, Berlin
 Messtro Film Verleih G.m.b.H., Zimmerstrasse 79-80, Berlin SW 68
 Metropole Film Verleih A. G., Friedrichstrasse 7, Berlin SW 68
 Metropole Film Verleih G.m.b.H., Taunusstrasse 52-60, Frankfurt am Main
 Minerva Film, Friedrichstrasse 224, Berlin SW 68
 Mitteldeutsche Union Film G.m.b.H., Karlstrasse 1, Leipzig C 1
 N. A. G. Filmverleih m.b.H., Friedrichstrasse 8, Berlin SW 68
 Nerthus Film-Hammer Tonfilm G.m.b.H., Friedrichstrasse 10, Berlin SW 68
 Neubach Prod., Ernst, Berlin
 Neucophon Film der Terra, Kochstrasse 73, Berlin
 Neues Deutsches Lichtspiel Syndikat Verleih G.m.b.H., Hedemannstrasse 21,
 Berlin SW 68
 Nippach, Robert, Film Produktion, Berlin
 Nord Film G.m.b.H., Lange Muehren 9, Hamburg
 Nostra Film G.m.b.H., Unter dem Linden 56, Berlin NW 7
 Omnium Film G.m.b.H., Oststrasse 110, Dusseldorf
 Optima-Film G.m.b.H., Friedrichstrasse 19, Berlin SW 68
 Osvo Film-Oskar Bogt, Barkhof 2, Hamburg
 Pan Film G.m.b.H., Friedrichstrasse 22, Berlin SW 68
 Phoebus Film A. G., Berlin
 Porten, Henry, Berlin
 Praesens-Film G.m.b.H., Friedrichstrasse 23, Berlin SW 68
 Projectograph-Film Ges.m.b.H., Friedrichstrasse 225, Berlin SW 68
 Reichsliga Film, Berlin
 Rheinische Filmgesellschaft m.b.H., Brueckenstrasse 15, Cologne
 Rio Film, Berlin
 Riton Tonfilm G.m.b.H., Cicerostrasse 2-6, Hallinsee, Berlin
 R.N.Film der ufa, Krausenstrasse 38-39, Berlin SW 19
 Rost, Georg, Film Vertrieb, Lauten Sackstrasse 16, Munich
 R. P. L. Delta Film der Tobis, Berlin
 Rota Film A. G., Mauerstrasse 83-84, Berlin SW 68
 Roto G. P. Film, Kochstrasse 64, Berlin SW 68
 Schulz & Co. Film Produktion, Herbert F. R., Berlin
 Seitz, Franz, Film G.m.b.H., Munich
 Sokol Film, Berlin
 Splendid Film Comp., Friedrichstrasse 223, Berlin
 Stein, Fritz, Verleih G.m.b.H., Friedrichstrasse 13, Berlin SW 68
 Sud Film A. G. (Richard Oswald Film) Friedrichstrasse 207, Berlin
 Suedfilm A. G., Gezebrechstrasse 10, Charlottenburg, Berlin
 Suedfilm Kompanie, Berlin
 Super Films Gesellschaft m.b.Haftung, Berlin
 Syndikat G.m.b.H. - NDLS, Mauerstrasse 43, Berlin
 Terra Film Aktiengesellschaft, Kochstrasse 73, Berlin SW 68
 Terra G.m.b.H., Wilhelm-von-Siemensstrasse, Berlin
 Terra-Haus, Kochstrasse 73, Berlin SW 68
 * T. K. cine Allianz Tonfilm G.m.b.H., Friedrichstrasse 223, Berlin SW 68
 Tobis Film Verleih, Zurich
 Tobis Tonfilm Syndicat A. G., Mauerstrasse 43, Berlin 8
 Tofa Film Produktions A. G., Berlin
 Tofa-Tonfilm G.m.b.H., Kurfurstendstrasse 206, Berlin
 Transocean Film Co. G.m.b.H., Friedrichstrasse 224, Berlin SW 68
 Ufa Filmverleih G.m.b.H., Krausenstrasse 38-39, Berlin SW 19
 Union Tonfilm G.m.b.H., Schillerstrasse 17, Munich
 Urban, Conrad, Friedrichstrasse 238, Berlin SW 68
 Verein Star Film G.m.b.H., Friedrichstrasse 218, Berlin SW 68
 Vitagraph, Friedrichstrasse 225, Berlin SW 68
 Weiss, Blau, Film G.m.b.H., Arnelstrasse 16, Munich 2 NW
 Wiene, Conrad, Production, Berlin
 Wishaupt, Louis, Nurbergerstrasse 53, Berlin W 50
 Wotan Film G.m.b.H., Darl Rudolfstrasse 12, Dusseldorf
 * T. K. Tonfilm Produktion G.m.b.H., Kochstrasse 18, Berlin SW 68

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OFFICE OF ALIEN PROPERTY CUSTODIAN
Washington

Vesting Order Number **3604**

In re: Weniger and Company in Bankruptcy
(File D-66-418; E. T. Sec. 2784)

Under the authority of the Trading with the enemy Act, as amended, and Executive Order 9095, as amended, and pursuant to law, the Alien Property Custodian after investigation,

Finding that -

- (1) The property and interests hereinafter described are property which is in the process of administration by Albert A. Drucker, Emil Reutlinger and Otto H. Kaupp, Liquidating Trustees, acting under the judicial supervision of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania;
- (2) Such property and interests are payable or deliverable to, or claimed by, nationals of a designated enemy country, Germany, namely,

Nationals:

Last Known Address:

Mr. Ernst Fischer	Germany
pr A. Klein	
Mr. John Losen	Germany
Mrs. John Losen	Germany
Mr. Martin Arfmann	Germany
Mr. Richard Baier	Germany
Mrs. Richard Baier	Germany
Mr. Ernst Beilharz	Germany
Mrs. Ernst Beilharz	Germany
Mr. Bernhard Max Brunner	Germany
Mrs. Ida Buhner Lang	Germany
Mr. Wilhelm Burkhardt	Germany
Mrs. Wilhelm Burkhardt	Germany
Mr. Friedrich Dietz	Germany
Mr. George Engelhard	Germany
Mr. Ernst Feddrich	Germany
Mr. Joseph Fischer	Germany
Mr. Emil Fleischmann	Germany
Franckh'sche Verlagshandlung	Germany
Mrs. Elsa Friedhammer	Germany
Mr. Rudolf Gohlke	Germany
Mrs. Rudolf Gohlke	Germany
Mr. Bruno Haerberer	Germany
Mrs. Bruno Haerberer	Germany
Mr. Karl Hausner	Germany
Mr. Ernst Hochstein	Germany
Mrs. Martha Kirsten Hoffmueller	Germany
Miss Anna Jennerich	Germany
Miss Marie Jennerich	Germany
Mr. Joseph Kappen	Germany
Mrs. Joseph Kappen (Franziska Kappen)	Germany
Anna Kappler	Germany

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Mr. Helmut Klauke	Germany
Miss Wally Klose	Germany
Mrs. Selma Kubein	Germany
Mrs. Olga Kuelper	Germany
Mr. Paul Kunz	Germany
Mr. August Lauber	Germany
Mrs. August Lauber	Germany
Mr. Eugen Hoerner, Assignee of Fritz O. Evers, Executor of Will of Erdmann Laufmann, deceased	Germany
Else Rosa Lenk	Germany
Mr. Eduard Lesch, Jr.	Czecho-Slovakia
Mr. Eduard Lesch, Sr.	Czecho-Slovakia
Mr. Jack Lohner	Czecho-Slovakia
Mr. Emil Lorenz	Germany
Mrs. Emil Lorenz	Germany
Mr. Richard Lorenz	Germany
Mrs. Mina Wahl Maier	Germany
Mr. Wilhelm Mattern	Germany
Mrs. Wilhelm Mattern	Germany
Mrs. Anna Mattern	Germany
Mr. Georg Maurer	Germany
Mrs. Georg Maurer	Germany
Mr. Karl Maurer	Germany
Mr. Otto Mellen	Germany
Mrs. Otto Mellen	Germany
Betty Nagl	Germany
Mrs. Lina Neu	Germany
Mr. Alfred Neuhauser	Germany
Mrs. Alfred Neuhauser	Germany
Mrs. Marie Jauss Madsen	Denmark
Anna Pfaff	Germany
Luise Roth	Germany
Mr. Victor Schusterbauer	Germany
Mr. Gustav Adolf Stenger	Germany
Mr. Julius Stenger	Germany
Mr. Konrod Stenger	Germany
Mr. Ernst Thieme	Germany
Mr. Peter Tjaden	Germany
Mr. Joseph Walter	Germany
Mr. Arthur Wendler	Germany

And determining that -

- (3) Eduard Lesch, Jr., Eduard Lesch, Sr., Jack Lohner and Mrs. Marie Jauss Madsen, citizens or subjects of a designated enemy country, Germany, and within enemy occupied areas, Czecho-Slovakia and Denmark, are nationals of a designated enemy country, Germany;
- (4) To the extent that such nationals are persons not within a designated enemy country, the national interest of the United States requires that such persons be treated as nationals of a designated enemy country, Germany; and

Having made all determinations and taken all action, after appropriate consultation and certification, required by said Executive Order or Act or otherwise, and deeming it necessary in the national interest,

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Now, therefore, the Alien Property Custodian hereby vests the following property and interests:

All right, title, interest and claim of any kind or character whatsoever of Mr. Ernst Fischer pr A. Klein, Mr. John Losem, Mrs. John Losem, Mr. Martin Arfmann, Mr. Richard Baier, Mrs. Richard Baier, Mr. Ernst Beilharz, Mrs. Ernst Beilharz, Mr. Bernhard Max Brunner, Mrs. Ida Buhner Lang, Mr. Wilhelm Burkhardt, Mrs. Wilhelm Burkhardt, Mr. Friedrich Dietz, Mr. George Engelhard, Mr. Ernst Feddrich, Mr. Joseph Fischer, Mr. Emil Fleischmann, Franckh'sche Verlagshandlung, Mrs. Elsa Friedhammer, Mr. Rudolf Gohlke, Mrs. Rudolf Gohlke, Mr. Bruno Haebeler, Mrs. Bruno Haebeler, Mr. Karl Hausner, Mr. Ernst Hochstein, Mrs. Martha Kirsten Hoffmueller, Miss Anna Jennerich, Miss Marie Jennerich, Mr. Joseph Kappen, Mrs. Joseph Kappen (Franziska Kappen), Anna Kappler, Mr. Helmut Klauke, Miss Wally Klose, Mrs. Selma Kubein, Mrs. Olga Kuelper, Mr. Paul Kunz, Mr. August Lauber, Mrs. August Lauber, Mr. Eugen Hoerner, Assignee of Fritz O. Evers, Executor of Will of Erdmann Laufmann, deceased, Else Rosa Lenk, Mr. Eduard Lesch, Jr., Mr. Eduard Lesch, Sr., Mr. Jack Lohner, Mr. Emil Lorenz, Mrs. Emil Lorenz, Mr. Richard Lorenz, Mrs. Mina Wahl Maier, Mr. Wilhelm Mattern, Mrs. Wilhelm Mattern, Mrs. Anna Mattern, Mr. Georg Maurer, Mrs. Georg Maurer, Mr. Karl Maurer, Mr. Otto Mellen, Mrs. Otto Mellen, Betty Nagl, Mrs. Lina Neu, Mr. Alfred Neuhauser, Mrs. Alfred Neuhauser, Mrs. Marie Jauss Madsen, Anna Pfaff, Luise Roth, Mr. Victor Schusterbauer, Mr. Gustav Adolf Stenger, Mr. Julius Stenger, Mr. Konrod Stenger, Mr. Ernst Thieme, Mr. Peter Tjaden, Mr. Joseph Walter and Mr. Arthur Wendler, and each of them, in and to the property and estate of Weniger and Company, Bankrupt,

to be held, used, administered, liquidated, sold or otherwise dealt with in the interest of and for the benefit of the United States.

Such property, and any or all of the proceeds thereof, shall be held in an appropriate special account or accounts, pending further determination of the Alien Property Custodian. This shall not be deemed to limit the powers of the Alien Property Custodian to return such property or the proceeds thereof, or to indicate that compensation will not be paid in lieu thereof, if and when it should be determined that such return should be made or such compensation should be paid.

Any person, except a national of a designated enemy country, asserting any claim arising as a result of this order may file with the Alien Property Custodian a notice of his claim, together with a request for a hearing thereon, on Form APC-1, within one year from the date hereof, or within such further time as may be allowed by the Alien Property Custodian.

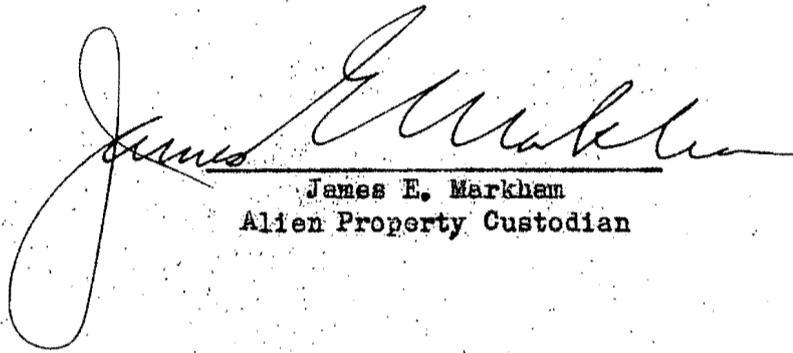
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The terms "national" and "designated enemy country" as used herein shall have the meanings prescribed in Section 10 of said Executive Order.

DATED **May 3, 1944.**


James E. Markham
Alien Property Custodian

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TO: The Executive Committee of the Alien Property Custodian

FROM: The Property Division, Estates and Trusts Section

(File D-66-418; E. T. Sec. 2784)

RECOMMENDATION

Jurisdiction: Section 2 (f) of E. O. 9095, as amended.
Source of Information: Form APC-3, unless otherwise noted.

- (1) IN RE: Weniger and Company in Bankruptcy
- (2) COURT: United States District Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania
- (3) FIDUCIARIES: Albert A. Drucker, 1420 Walnut Street, Emil Reutlinger, 1842 N. 28th Street, Otto H. Kaupp, 4th and Vine Streets, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, Liquidating Trustees
- (4) ATTORNEYS: Archbald and Busser, 1609 Morris Building, 1421 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
- (5) DESIGNATED COUNTRY: Germany
- (6) DESIGNATED NATIONALS:

LAST KNOWN ADDRESS:

Mr. Ernst Fischer	Stuttgart, Rotebuchstr.
pr A. Klein	180, Germany
Mr. John Losem	c/o Katie Ruhe,
	Coblenz, Germany
Mrs. John Losem	c/o Katie Ruhe,
	Coblenz, Germany
Mr. Martin Arfmann	Eilleeckerweg 28, III,
	Hamburg 23, Germany
Mr. Richard Baier	Leipzigerstrasse 10/11
	Kassel, Germany
Mrs. Richard Baier	Leipzigerstrasse 10/11
	Kassel, Germany
Mr. Ernst Beilharz	Germany
Mrs. Ernst Beilharz	Germany
Mr. Bernhard Max Brunner	Thalheim, Erzgeb.
	Schulstrasse 4, Germany
Mrs. Ida Buhner Lang	Stuttgart-Untertuerckheim,
	zum Adler, Germany

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Mr. Wilhelm Burkhardt	Ringstrasse, Pforzheim, Germany
Mrs. Wilhelm Burkhardt	Ringstrasse, Pforzheim, Germany
Mr. Friedrich Dietz	c/o Gottlob Dietz, Waldhorn- weg 26, Weil 1/Dork, Stutt- gart, Germany
Mr. George Engelhard	c/o Wilhelm Goetz, Ohlz Strasse 69, Darmstadt, Germany
Mr. Ernst Feddrich	Berlin-Karow, Blankenburger Chaussee 74, Germany
Mr. Joseph Fischer	Walda b/Neuburg a/Donau, Bayern, Germany
Mr. Emil Fleischmann	Beilstein O/A, Marbach, Wuerttb. Germany
Franckh'sche Verlagshandlung	Stuttgart, Germany
Mrs. Elsa Friedhammer	Reichenbackstrasse 10, III, Munich, Germany
Mr. Rudolf Gohlke	Warenhof bei Waren, Mecklen- burg, Germany
Mrs. Rudolf Gohlke	Warenhof bei Waren, Mecklen- burg, Germany
Mr. Bruno Haeberer	Zum Heiteren Blick Muelsen St. Micheln, Bei Zwickau, Saxony, Germany
Mrs. Bruno Haeberer	Zum Heiteren Blick Muelsen St. Micheln, Bei Zwickau, Saxony, Germany
Mr. Karl Hausner	Wartburgstr. 76 Chemnitz, Germany
Mr. Ernst Hochstein	Hessdorf Ufr. Bayern, Germany
Mrs. Martha Kirsten Hoffmueller	Wittenberger Strasse 1 b II, Leipzig CI, Germany
Miss Anna Jennerich	Falkentalerweg 17 Hamburg, Blankensee, Germany
Miss Marie Jennerich	Falkentalerweg 17 Hamburg, Blankensee, Germany
Mr. Joseph Kappen	Hangwimpelstrasse 17 Steele Horst, Essen, Germany
Mrs. Joseph Kappen (Franziska Kappen) Anna Kappler	Hangwimpelstrasse 17 Steele Horst, Essen, Germany
Mr. Helmut Klauke	Hermann Goeringstrasse 2, Ansbach, Bavaria, Germany
Miss Wally Klose	Forst i/Lausitz, Moltke Strasse 54, Germany
	Peicherwitz bei Striegau Schlesien, Germany

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Mrs. Selma Kubein
Mrs. Olga Kuelper
Mr. Paul Kunz
Mr. August Lauber
Mrs. August Lauber
Mr. Eugen Hoerner, Assignee
of Fritz O. Evers, Executor
of Will of Erdmann Laufmann,
deceased
Else Rosa Lenk
Mr. Eduard Lesch, Jr.
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Mond" Baden, Germany
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Germany
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Ruskinovce 115, Spisska-Zupa,
Czecho-Slovakia
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Slovakia
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Germany
Gornsdorf i/Eszgeb. 41 C,
Germany
Oberlungwitz, Sachsen,
Germany
Boheimstrasse 10B Stuttgart,
Wurttemberg, Germany
Eintrachtstrasse No. 8 Solin-
gen-Rheinland Germany
Eintrachtstrasse No. 8 Solin-
gen-Rheinland Germany
Eintrachtstrasse 8, Solin-
gen-Rheinland Germany
Jueterbog bei Berlin, Germany
Jueterbog bei Berlin, Germany
Holzgerlingen Ost Boeblingen
Wurttemberg Germany
c/o Deutsche Bank und Disconto
Gesellschaft Goepingen, Germany
c/o Deutsche Bank und Disconto
Gesellschaft Goepingen, Germany
Vogtareuth, bei, Rosenheim,
Oberbayern, Germany
Wolfstein Rheinpfalz Germany
Taucher bei Leipzig Richthofen-
strasse 6 Germany
Taucher bei Leipzig Richthofen-
strasse 6 Germany
Osterby, Samso, Denmark

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Anna Pfaff	Bietigheim, Wurttemberg, Germany
Luise Roth	Marthastrasse 10, Nurnberg, Germany
Mr. Victor Schusterbauer	Wies, Post Miesbach Oberbayern, Germany
Mr. Gustav Adolf Stenger	c/o Deutsche Bank und Disconto Gesellschaft Goepingen, Germany
Mr. Julius Stenger	c/o Deutsche Bank und Disconto Gesellschaft Goepingen, Germany
Mr. Konrod Stenger	c/o Deutsche Bank und Disconto Gesellschaft Goepingen, Germany
Mr. Ernst Thieme	Huebschmannstrasse 22 Chemnitz, Saxony, Germany
Mr. Peter Tjaden	Ostrhanderfehn, Kr. Leer, Germany
Mr. Joseph Walter	c/o Franz Walter, Sinzheim, Amt Buehl Baden, Germany
Mr. Arthur Wendler	Hamburgerstrasse 22/68 Erfurt, Germany

(7) VESTIBLE PROPERTY OR INTEREST: All right, title, interest and claim of any kind or character whatsoever of the above-designated nationals in and to the property and estate of Weniger and Company, Bankrupt. In reply to office letter of January 5, 1944 the attorney for the Liquidating Trustees submitted an amended list showing the amount of dividends now due the designated nationals as follows, which are deposited with the Fidelity-Philadelphia Trust Company, Depository for the Liquidating Trustees:

Mr. Ernst Fischer	\$ 95.61
pr A. Klein	
Mr. and Mrs. John Losem	23.35
Mr. Martin Arfmann	13.62
Mr. and Mrs. Richard Baier	99.05
Mr. and Mrs. Ernst Beilharz	3.05
Mr. Bernhard Max Brunner	9.23
Mrs. Ida Buhner Lang	2.25
Mr. and Mrs. Wilhelm Burkhardt	16.46
Mr. Friedrich Dietz	3.14
Mr. George Engelhard	5.60
Mr. Ernst Feddrich	1.48

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Mr. Joseph Fischer	5.11
Mr. Emil Fleischmann	73.72
Franckh'sche Verlagshandlung	70.10
Mr. and Mrs. Rudolf Gohlke	8.21
Mr. and Mrs. Bruno Haeberer	4.08
Mr. Karl Hausner	55.81
Mr. Ernst Hochstein	2.82
Mrs. Martha Kirsten Hoffmueller	19.60
Misses Anna and Marie Jennerich	1.05
Mr. Joseph Kappen and wife, Franziska Kappen	13.60
Anna Kappler	5.01
Mr. Helmut Klauke	1.70
Miss Wally Klose	1.45
Mrs. Selma Kubein	7.74
Mrs. Olga Kuelper	1.25
Mr. Paul Kunz	43.98
Mr. Eugen Hoerner, Assignee of Fritz O. Evers, Executor of Will of Erdmann-Laufmann, deceased	22.06
Else Rosa Lenk	2.04
Mr. Eduard Lesch, Jr.	8.30
Mr. Eduard Lesch, Sr.	42.85
Mr. Jack Lohner	1.27
Mr. and Mrs. Emil Lorenz	5.70
Mr. Richard Lorenz	4.98
Mrs. Mina Wahl Maier	1.14
Mr. and Mrs. Wilhelm Mattern	2.70
Mr. and Mrs. Georg Maurer	47.94
Mr. Karl Maurer	2.50
Mr. and Mrs. Otto Mellen	1.15
Betty Nagl	6.95
Mrs. Lina Neu	11.19
Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Neuhauser	2.08
Anna Pfaff	3.85
Luise Roth	9.64
Mr. Victor Schusterbauer	13.30
Mr. Gustav Adolf Stenger	1.15
Mr. Julius Stenger	1.15
Mr. Konrod Stenger	1.15
Mr. Ernst Thieme	25.78
Mr. Peter Tjaden	20.24
Mr. Joseph Walter	1.16
Mr. Arthur Wendler	1.08
Mrs. Anna Mattern	2.70
Mrs. Marie Jauss Madsen	2.78

The reporter under date of March 20, 1944 advised that the additional assets of the bankrupt company were located in Germany and that it was impossible to dispose of them at this time. Any further dividends would come out of these assets.

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(8) STATEMENT OF FACTS: The APC-3 report was submitted by the Liquidating Trustees of Weniger and Company, a partnership engaged in the banking business. A Bankruptcy Petition was filed in the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania on October 3, 1931. As a result of the proceedings a composition agreement was entered into with the creditors under an order of Court. The reporters were appointed Trustees under this Court order for the purpose of liquidating the assets of the bankrupt company and distributing them among the creditors. Since the APC-3 report was filed the attorneys for the liquidating agents have filed an amended list of depositors who reside outside the United States and their addresses and the amount of the dividend due each depositor.

The interests of persons in the bankrupt company residing in France, Norway and Switzerland are not included in this recommendation due to the statement made by the reporter in Form APC-3:

"It is believed that all of the foregoing are German Nationals, with the exception of those whose residences are given in France, Norway and Switzerland, respectively, and in those cases it is believed that the persons named are citizens of the respective countries."

Eduard Lesch, Jr., Eduard Lesch, Sr. and Jack Lohner are residents of Czecho-Slovakia and citizens of Germany. Czecho-Slovakia is now occupied by Germany. Mrs. Marie Jauss Madsen is a resident of Denmark and a citizen of Germany. Denmark is also occupied by Germany. It is recommended that their interests

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be vested, provided that a determination is made by the Custodian in accordance with the provisions of Section 10a(ii) of Executive Order 9095, as amended, that Eduard Lesch, Jr., Eduard Lesch, Sr., Jack Lohner and Marie Jauss Madsen are nationals of a designated enemy country, Germany.

In a letter dated December 30, 1943 the attorneys for the liquidating agents advised as follows concerning the interests of Elsa Friedhammer, Carl Friedrich Friedrich and Mr. and Mrs. August Lauber.

"That the amounts formerly held for Elsa Friedhammer, Carl Friedrich Friedrich and Mr. and Mrs. August Lauber have been paid to their authorized representatives since the filing of the original report."

Vesting Order Number 2212 was served on October 12, 1943 in the estate of Carl Friedrich Friedrich.

- (9) RECOMMENDATION: Vesting of the property and interests of the designated nationals named in Item 6 hereof is recommended.

Paul K. Myron
Chief
Estates and Trusts
Section

Francis J. McNamara

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~~Assistant to the~~ Alien Property Custodian
Deputy

Date April 18, 1944

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OFFICE OF ALIEN PROPERTY CUSTODIAN

WASHINGTON

VESTING ORDER NUMBER 3619

In re: Estate of William Ferdinand Detert, deceased
(File: D-28-1742; E.T. Sec. 836)

Under the authority of the Trading with the enemy Act, as amended, and Executive Order 9095, as amended, and pursuant to law, the Alien Property Custodian after investigation,

Finding that -

- (1) The property and interests hereinafter described are property which is in the process of administration by Richard Detert, Executor and Trustee, acting under the judicial supervision of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the City and County of San Francisco;
- (2) Such property and interests are payable or deliverable to, or claimed by, nationals of a designated enemy country, Germany, namely,

Nationals:	Last Known Address:
Martha Kruse	Germany
Hugo Detert	Germany
Julie Detert	Germany
Theodor Fleck	Germany
Helma Fleck	Germany
Gertrud Fleck Schaller	Germany
Martha Gerber	Germany
Ferdinand Detert	Germany
Henry Schmidt	Germany
Hans Binneweis	Germany
Arnold Detert	Germany
Elsbeth Detert	Germany
Margarethe Rohr	Germany
Henry Maus	Germany

And determining that -

- (3) If such nationals are persons not within a designated enemy country, the national interest of the United States requires that such persons be treated as nationals of a designated enemy country, Germany, and

Having made all determinations and taken all action, after appropriate consultation and certification, required by said Executive Order or Act or otherwise, and deeming it necessary in the national interest,

Now, therefore, the Alien Property Custodian hereby vests the following property and interests:

All right, title, interest and claim of any kind or character whatsoever of Martha Kruse, Hugo Detert, Julie Detert, Theodor Fleck, Helma Fleck, Gertrud Fleck Schaller, Martha Gerber, Ferdinand Detert, Henry Schmidt, Hans Binneweis, Arnold Detert, Elsbeth Detert, Margarethe Rohr and Henry Maus, and each of them, in and to the Estate of William Ferdinand Detert, deceased, and

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in and to the trust property bequeathed to Richard Detert as Trustee under the will of William Ferdinand Detert, deceased, and all property and estate of the above named nationals of any nature whatsoever in the possession of Richard Detert as Executor of the Estate of William Ferdinand Detert, deceased, or as Trustee named under the will of William Ferdinand Detert, deceased,

to be held, used, administered, liquidated, sold or otherwise dealt with in the interest of and for the benefit of the United States.

Such property, and any or all of the proceeds thereof, shall be held in an appropriate special account or accounts, pending further determination of the Alien Property Custodian. This shall not be deemed to limit the powers of the Alien Property Custodian to return such property or the proceeds thereof, or to indicate that compensation will not be paid in lieu thereof, if and when it should be determined that such return should be made or such compensation should be paid.

Any person, except a national of a designated enemy country, asserting any claim arising as a result of this order may file with the Alien Property Custodian a notice of his claim, together with a request for a hearing thereon, on Form APC-1, within one year from the date hereof, or within such further time as may be allowed by the Alien Property Custodian.

The terms "national" and "designated enemy country" as used herein shall have the meanings prescribed in Section 10 of said Executive Order.

DATED: May 10, 1944.

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MAY 9 1944

(Signed) James E. Markham
James E. Markham
Alien Property Custodian

I hereby certify that the within is a true and correct copy of the original paper on file in this office.

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James E. Markham
Alien Property Custodian
By: John W. Watson
Assistant Secretary for Records
Office of Alien Property Custodian

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EJO/SAN FRANCISCO

TO: The Executive Committee of the Alien Property Custodian
FROM: The Property Division, Estates and Trusts Section
(File D-28-1742; E. T. Sec. 836)

RECOMMENDATION

Jurisdiction: Section 2 (f) of E. O. 9095, as amended.
Source of Information: Form APC-3, unless otherwise noted.

- (1) ESTATE: William Ferdinand Detert, deceased
- (2) COURT: In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the City and County of San Francisco. No. 54560
- (3) FIDUCIARY: Richard Detert, 2645 Broderick Street, San Francisco, California, Executor and Trustee named under the will
- (4) ATTORNEYS: Harry Corvin and Judson W. Reeves, 1715 Mills Tower, San Francisco, California, Attorneys for Executor; Hugh K. McKeivitt, 1620 Russ Building, San Francisco, California, Attorney for eight designated nationals; Otto A. Hoecker, 111 Sutter Street, San Francisco, California, Attorney for one designated national
- (5) DESIGNATED COUNTRY: Germany
- (6) DESIGNATED NATIONALS: LAST KNOWN ADDRESS:
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|------------------------|--|
| Martha Kruse | Bielfeld, Germany |
| Hugo Detert | Kaiserstr 106, Karlsruhe, Germany ✓ |
| Julie Detert | Karl Hoffmanstr 4, Karlsruhe, Germany |
| Theodor Fleck | Seestadt, Wismar, 1/M, Germany |
| Helma Fleck | Melsungen, Germany |
| Gertrud Fleck Schaller | Gebhardstr 911, Karlsruhe, Germany |
| Martha Gerber | Steglitz Poschingerstr 44, Berlin, Germany |
| Ferdinand Detert | Kaiserstr 106, Karlsruhe, Germany |

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Henny Schmidt	Kohlbergstr, Schlensingen-Thuer, Germany
Hans Binneweis	Kastanienalle 8, Braunschweig, Germany
Arnold Detert	Horn, Lippe, Germany
Elsbeth Detert	Care of Arnold Detert, Horn, Lippe, Germany
Margarethe Rohr	Hildesheim, Germany
Henny Maus	Postweg 48, Harburg-Elbe, Germany

(7) VESTIBLE PROPERTY OR INTEREST: All right, title, interest and claim of any kind or character whatsoever of the above designated nationals in and to the estate of the decedent and in and to the trust property bequeathed to Richard Detert as Trustee under the decedent's will, and all property and estate of the above designated nationals of any nature whatsoever in the possession of Richard Detert as Executor of the decedent's estate or as Trustee named under the will of the decedent.

The interests distributable and payable to the above-named designated nationals consist of their respective interests in the residue of said estate in the following proportions:

Martha Kruse	10/130
Julie Detert	5/130
Hugo Detert	5/130
Theodor Fleck	1/39
Helma Fleck	1/39
Gertrud F. Schaller	1/39
Martha Gerber	10/130
Henny Schmidt	10/130
Hans Binneweis	10/130
Arnold Detert	10/130
Elsbeth Detert	10/130
Margarethe Rohr	10/130
Henny Maus	10/130
Ferdinand Detert	- contingent interest in his father's (Hugo Detert) share.

The residue of said estate, together with the values thereof, according to the Inventory and Appraisal filed with the Court in March, 1930, is as follows:

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Cash.....	\$ 48,490.71
Bonds.....	39,600.00
Stocks.....	644,306.45
Notes Receivable.....	154,834.08
Notes Receivable - Open Account.....	276,569.95
Deed of Trust.....	14,872.65
Due on Contract.....	31,019.71
Personal Property.....	109,695.36
Real Property.....	561,997.55
TOTAL.....	\$1,881,386.46

(See Twelfth Report and Account of Executor)

(8) STATEMENT OF FACTS: William Ferdinand Detert died in the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, on December 13, 1929. He left a Will and codicil thereto dated September 5th, 1928. Under nomination contained in the Will, Richard Detert was duly appointed executor of the estate of said William Ferdinand Detert, by order of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the City and County of San Francisco, dated January 6th, 1930, in proceeding No. 54560, by which order the said Will and codicil thereto were duly admitted to probate.

All specific bequests have been paid with the exception of a \$25,000.00 bequest to charity. With this exception, together with a \$44,000.00 indebtedness to the American Trust Company, 464 California Street, San Francisco, California, and the distribution of personal property to Richard Detert, valued at \$1,027.50, the estate hereinabove set forth is distributable to the residuary heirs listed

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above. With the exception of Mrs. Marie Kruse who predeceased the testator, and Hedwig Kruse, now Hedwig Deutelmöser, the only residuary legatee not heretofore listed is the executor, Richard Detert, a resident of San Francisco, California, who is entitled to 12/130ths of the estate. A small portion of the estate was ratably distributed to the residuary heirs during administration, but no such distribution has been made since May 2nd, 1940. Hedwig Kruse, now Hedwig Deutelmöser, was included in the report of the executor as one of the designated nationals and entitled to 10/130 of the residuary estate. However, the latest information indicates that Hedwig Deutelmöser, though a German national, is now a resident of Switzerland, and her name is omitted from this recommendation. (See letter of Harry Corvin to Mr. E. Hayes dated September 4, 1943).

The Will provided a trust of said residue of the estate to continue for a period of ten (10) years from the death of the deceased, but this trust has never formally gone into effect, as the probate proceedings were still in progress. The ten (10) year period so provided has expired and upon the expiration date, December 13, 1939,

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in the opinion of the reporter, the interests of the beneficiaries of such trust became vested in the residue of the estate.

The pertinent provisions of the Will are as follows:

"All of the rest, residue, and remainder of my estate, property, and effects, real, personal, and mixed, wheresoever situated, I give, devise, and bequeath unto my trustee or trustees hereinafter named and to the survivors of them and to their successors in office, in trust for the following uses and purposes, that is to say:

"To have and to hold the same in trust during the lives of the following persons and during the life of the survivor of them, but only during a period of ten (10) years from the date of my death:

"My half-sister and all of my nephews and nieces, being, I believe, the following-named persons:

Richard Detert, my nephew, now residing in San Francisco;
Mrs. Marie Kruse, nee Detert (wife of Henry Kruse), my said half-sister, now residing in Bielefeld, Germany;
Martha Kruse;
Hedwig Kruse;
(The last two being the daughters of Henry Kruse and my half-sister, Marie Kruse, and are my nieces);
Hugo Detert (brother of the above Richard Detert), my nephew, now residing in Karlsruhe, Germany;
Mrs. Else Fleck (wife of Hermann Fleck), my niece, now residing at Frankfort on the Main);
Mrs. Martha Gerber (wife of George Gerber), my niece, now residing at Charlottenburg, a suburb of Berlin, Germany;
Mrs. Henny Schmidt, a widow, my niece, now residing at Schleusingen, Germany;
Miss Minna Detert, my niece, now residing in Europe;
(The last four being sisters of the above Richard Detert and Hugo Detert);
Hans Binneweis, my nephew, now residing in Braunschweig, Germany;
Arnold Detert, my nephew, now living in Horn, in Lippe, Germany;

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Miss Elsbeth Detert, my niece, now residing with her brother the above Arnold Detert;
Mrs. Margarethe Rohr, nee Detert, my niece, now residing at Hamelin, Germany;
Mrs. Henny Maus, nee Detert, my niece, now residing at Harburg, Germany;
(The last three being the sisters of the above Arnold Detert);

"On the day ten years from the day of my death, this trust shall at all events terminate and the trust property and estate shall immediately vest absolutely in and be distributed to my said half-sister, nieces, and nephews, share and share alike....."

During the ten year trust period, decedent's niece above-named, Mrs. Else Fleck, died and her surviving children Theodor and Helma Fleck and Gertrud Fleck Schaller became entitled to their mother's share of the estate under the following provision of decedent's will:

"...that if any of said nieces or nephews or my half-sister shall have died between the date of my death and the termination of this trust, leaving issue, the share which such niece, nephew, or my half-sister would have been entitled to receive under the terms of this trust shall vest in and be distributed to such issue of such niece, nephew, or my half-sister (except as herein otherwise provided in the event of the death of said Hugo Detert), in accordance with the laws of succession as the same are at the date of this Will embodied in the provisions of Section 1386 of the Civil Code of California;"

Minna Detert died after the termination of the ten year period so that her interest in the estate vested in herself, became a part of her estate and descended to her heirs. However, as this interest will undoubtedly be ordered distributed to the administrator of her estate rather than directly to her heirs, the vesting of their respective interests in her estate has been recom-

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mended separately. (See File F-28-3715; Est. of Minna Detert).

Since his appointment, the executor has operated the business enterprises of the deceased, under order of said Court, and has made a practice of filing annual accounts of his administration for each calendar year. His Twelfth Annual Account for the calendar year 1942 has been filed with said Court and a copy thereof is on file herein. The reporter states that it is impossible to say when the estate could be distributed, as the indebtedness of the estate cannot now be paid without the sacrifice of assets and the impairment of operating capital.

A full description of the numerous parcels of real property owned by the estate as of May 1, 1943 situated in the State of California is contained in the file.

The decedent also died seized of real estate situated in the State of Oklahoma, County of Pottawatomie. Ancillary administration of the decedent's estate in Oklahoma was conducted in the County Court of Pottawatomie, Oklahoma, and the final Decree of Distribution was entered on October 27, 1930. The Decree describes the real property of the decedent and sets forth the terms of the trust as provided under paragraph 15 of the decedent's will and provides as follows:

"And it further appearing that Richard Detert is now sole trustee of said will.

"And, it appearing that the said estate is being administered in the State of California, and that the administration of the estate in Pottawatomie County, Oklahoma, is ancillary to that in the State of California; that the property belonging to said estate, or the proceeds thereof is to be distributed through the Superior Court in and for the City and County of San Francisco, in the State of California, and that the distribution of said estate in the State of Oklahoma, should be to the trustees appointed in said will for sale, or such other disposition as he shall desire to make, or shall be required to make under the terms of said will.

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"IT IS HEREWITH BY THE COURT ORDERED that the said last will and testament of William Ferdinand Detert, being the same identical person as W. F. Detert, or Wm. F. Detert, as admitted to probate in the Superior Court of the City and County of San Francisco, in the State of California on the 6th day of January, 1930, and exemplified copy thereof with proceedings thereto attached filed in this court on the 25th day of March, 1930, be and the same is herewith adopted in full as the law for distribution of the estate of said William Ferdinand Detert, deceased, in the State of Oklahoma, and the said will is in all things adopted and referred to herein, and the said estate is distributed to Richard Detert, the present sole trustee, under the terms and according to the directions included in paragraph fifteen of said will hereinbefore set out, with the right of the said trustee, Richard Detert, and his successors in office, to dispose of the property belonging to the said estate in the State of Oklahoma, as directed in said paragraph fifteen of said will. And, all acts of said trustee in selling or exchanging any of said property, or parts thereof, are herewith ratified and approved; and, it is further ordered that the said estate in the State of Oklahoma be and the same is herewith transferred, vested and assigned and conveyed to the said trustee of said estate, Richard Detert, and to his successors in office for the use and benefit of the heirs and persons of interest as named in said will as hereinbefore referred to; to have and to hold the same together with all and singular the hereditaments and appurtenances to the said above named trustee, his successors and assigns forever."

The value of the property distributed by the Decree is speculative.

It is used for pasture and its potential value lies in the possibility of oil being discovered in the area. (See E. J. Owens' letter of January 4, 1944). The income from the property is reflected in the Executor's account filed with the Superior Court of the City and County of San Francisco. (See Executor's Twelfth Report and Account.).

The property of the estate is in the hands of the Executor and the Trustee named under the will, subject to the jurisdiction of the court. The real property located in the State of California and the State of Oklahoma is included in this recommendation.

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The death of the decedent occurred prior to the date upon which California Probate Code Section 259 became effective.

Vesting is recommended.

Paul V. Myron
Chief
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Francis J. McNamara
Francis J. McNamara
Assistant to the Alien Property Custodian

Date: March 27, 1944

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OFFICE OF ALIEN PROPERTY CUSTODIAN

WASHINGTON

VESTING ORDER NUMBER 3629

In re: Trust under Agreement of Peter Lieber, dated May 7, 1894, for Laura Lieber for life (File D-28-3424; E. T. Sec. 5065-B)

Under the authority of the Trading with the enemy Act, as amended, and Executive Order 9095, as amended, and pursuant to law, the Alien Property Custodian after investigation,

Finding that -

- (1) The property and interests hereinafter described are property which is in the process of administration by The Indiana Trust Company, 117 East Washington Street, Indianapolis, Indiana, Trustee, acting under the judicial supervision of the Probate Court of Marion County, Indiana;
- (2) Such property and interests are payable or deliverable to, or claimed by, nationals of a designated enemy country, Germany, namely,

Nationals:	Last known address:
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Person or persons, names unknown, entitled to receive the estate of Laura Lieber, deceased	Germany
Emma Lieber Herber	Germany
Arnold Herber	Germany
Child or children of Arnold Herber, if any, names unknown	Germany
Hans Adolph Lieber	Germany
Child or children of Hans Adolph Lieber, if any, names unknown	Germany

And determining that -

- (3) If such nationals are persons not within a designated enemy country, the national interest of the United States requires that such persons be treated as nationals of a designated enemy country, Germany; and

Having made all determinations and taken all action, after appropriate consultation and certification, required by said Executive Order or Act or otherwise, and deeming it necessary in the national interest,

Now, therefore, the Alien Property Custodian hereby vests the following

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Trust under Agreement of Peter Lieber,
dated May 7, 1894, for Laura Lieber for life

property and interests:

All right, title, interest and claim of any kind or character whatsoever of person or persons, names unknown, entitled to receive the estate of Laura Lieber, deceased, Emma Lieber Herber, Arnold Herber, child or children of Arnold Herber, if any, names unknown, Hans Adolph Lieber, and child or children of Hans Adolph Lieber, if any, names unknown, and each of them, in and to the Trust under Agreement of Peter Lieber, dated May 7, 1894, for Laura Lieber for life,

to be held, used, administered, liquidated, sold or otherwise dealt with in the interest of and for the benefit of the United States.

Such property, and any or all of the proceeds thereof, shall be held in an appropriate special account or accounts, pending further determination of the Alien Property Custodian. This shall not be deemed to limit the powers of the Alien Property Custodian to return such property or the proceeds thereof, or to indicate that compensation will not be paid in lieu thereof, if and when it should be determined that such return should be made or such compensation should be paid.

Any person, except a national of a designated enemy country, asserting any claim arising as a result of this order may file with the Alien Property Custodian a notice of his claim, together with a request for a hearing thereon, on Form APC-1, within one year from the date hereof, or within such further time as may be allowed by the Alien Property Custodian.

The terms "national" and "designated enemy country" as used herein shall have the meanings prescribed in Section 10 of said Executive Order.

DATED: May 10, 1944.

(OFFICIAL SEAL)

(Signed) James E. Markham
James E. Markham
~~Leo T. Crowley~~
Alien Property Custodian

I hereby certify that the within is a true and correct copy of the original paper on file in this office.

James E. Markham
Alien Property Custodian

By: *John W. Markham*
Assistant Secretary for Records

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TO: The Executive Committee of the Alien Property Custodian
FROM: The Property Division, Estates and Trusts Section
(File D-28-3424; E. T. Sec. 5065-B)

RECOMMENDATION

Jurisdiction: Section 2 (f) of E. O. 9095, as amended
Source of Information: Form APC-3, unless otherwise noted

- (1) IN RE: Trust under Agreement of Peter Lieber, dated
May 7, 1894, for Laura Lieber for life
- (2) COURT: Probate Court of Marion County, Indiana
(Trust Docket 3, Page 1281)
- (3) FIDUCIARY: The Indiana Trust Company, Trustee,
117 East Washington Street, Indianapolis, Indiana
- (4) ATTORNEY: None named
- (5) DESIGNATED COUNTRY: Germany
- (6) DESIGNATED NATIONALS: LAST KNOWN ADDRESSES:
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| Person or persons, names unknown,
entitled to receive the estate of
Laura Lieber, deceased | Germany |
| Emma Lieber Herber | 39a Wilhelm-Adolphstrasse,
Duesseldorf, Germany |
| Arnold Herber | 39a Wilhelm-Adolphstrasse,
Duesseldorf, Germany |
| Child or children of Arnold Herber,
if any, names unknown | Germany |
| Hans Adolph Lieber | Duesseldorf, Germany |
| Child or children of Hans Adolph
Lieber, if any, names unknown | Germany |
- (7) VESTIBLE PROPERTY AND INTERESTS: All right, title, interest
and claim of any kind or character whatsoever, of the said

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designated nationals, and each of them, in and to the Trust under Agreement of Peter Lieber, dated May 7, 1894, for Laura Lieber for life.

The property and interest distributable to the above-named nationals are as follows:

Person or persons, names unknown, entitled to receive the estate of Laura Lieber, deceased. The sum of \$386.90 (less deduction for 1942 income tax of approximately 11%) income from the Trust, accumulated prior to the death of Laura Lieber, the life tenant, on May 22, 1942, and payable to her under the Second Article of the Trust Agreement, but not distributed to her.

Emma Lieber Herber. One-fourth of the corpus of the Trust and of the net income accrued therefrom since the death of Laura Lieber, the life tenant, on May 22, 1942, under the Second Article of the Trust Agreement.

Arnold Herber. One-fourth of the corpus of the Trust and of the net income accrued therefrom since the death of Laura Lieber, the life tenant, by right of representation in the event that his mother, Emma Lieber Herber, predeceased Laura Lieber, under the Second Article of the Trust Agreement.

Child or children of Arnold Herber, if any, names unknown. One-fourth of the corpus of the Trust and of the net income accrued therefrom since the death of Laura Lieber, the life tenant, by right of representation in the event that Arnold Herber and his mother, Emma Lieber Herber, both predeceased Laura Lieber, under the Second and Fifth Articles of the Trust Agreement.

Hans Adolph Lieber. One-fourth of the corpus of the Trust and of the net income accrued therefrom since the death of Laura Lieber, the life tenant, on May 22, 1942, under the Second Article of the Trust Agreement.

Child or children of Hans Adolph Lieber, if any, names unknown. One-fourth of the corpus of the Trust and of the net income accrued therefrom since the death of Laura Lieber, the life tenant, by right of representation, in the event that Hans Adolph Lieber predeceased Laura Lieber, under the Second and Fifth Articles of the Trust Agreement.

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The present value of the corpus of the Trust Estate held for the designated nationals plus net income collected since the death of Laura Lieber is approximately \$4,094.34.

- (8) STATEMENT OF FACTS: Under date of May 7, 1894, Peter Lieber made an Agreement with the Indiana Trust Company of Indianapolis, Indiana, establishing a Trust for the benefit of his children, Rudolph, Laura, and Emma and their issue, whereby the said Company agreed to act as Trustee.

The provisions of the Trust Agreement pertinent to the interests of the designated nationals were as follows:

"SECOND:

For his daughter Laura Lieber, the sum of Thirty five hundred (\$3,500.00) Dollars, the income from which shall be semi-annually added to the principal and constitute a part thereof, until the date of his (Peter Lieber's) death, from which date the income from such trust fund shall then be paid semi-annually to the said Laura, during her life time, and after her death the said fund shall be paid to her child or children surviving her, if any, in equal portions; in case however, of her death without leaving a child or children surviving her, said trust fund shall then go in equal portions to her brothers and sisters. The fund so received by said Rudolph to be held in trust in the manner and upon the same conditions as heretofore provided for the \$3,500.00 held in trust for him, and as to the portions received by the said Caroline and Emma, the same shall be held in trust for them respectively, during their lives, the income to be paid to them semi-annually, and at their deaths respectively to go to the surviving child or children of such decedent; but in the event of them (the brothers and sisters of said Laura), or either of them being dead, but having children surviving them, the said child or children shall receive the share of said trust fund which the parent would have received if living, but in the event that said Albert be dead, having left no child, but having left a widow, then his portion of said trust fund shall be held for the benefit of said widow, until she shall marry again, the income of which is to be paid to her semi-annually.

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"FIFTH:

It is further provided that wherever it is herein specified that in certain events, the children of certain persons shall have the benefit of any part of said fund, it is meant and intended, that if any of the children of said person, or persons, be dead, but having children living at such time, then such grandchildren shall be entitled to the share their parent would have received if living."

Peter Lieber died, on September 19, 1915. His son Rudolph died November 29, 1938 (see letter from Trustee dated April 14, 1943) and is survived by one son, Hans Adolph Lieber, living in Germany. His daughter Laura died in Germany on May 22, 1942, leaving no issue (see copy of order for partial distribution dated July 1, 1943, and letter from Trustee dated June 9, 1943, quoting letter from State Department). The daughter Emma, now Mrs. Herber, is also a German national and has one son, Arnold Herber, whose status is similar. Another son, Albert, and another daughter, Caroline, constituting the other children of Peter Lieber, died on September 26, 1934, and February 14, 1920, respectively (see letter from Trustee dated April 14, 1943), both of them survived by children who live in the United States and are not designated nationals.

Because Laura Lieber died without issue, one-fourth of the corpus of the Trust became payable to Emma Lieber Herber or her issue, one-fourth to Hans Adolph Lieber or his issue, and the other two-fourths to United States nationals. Income of \$386.90 accrued to the credit of Laura Lieber prior to her death, but not distributed to her, is now payable to the person or persons entitled to her estate, less deduction for 1942 income tax. (See statement from Trustee dated October 28, 1943.)

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The principal assets, plus income accrued since the death of Laura Lieber, held to the credit of Emma Lieber Herber or her issue, have a present value of approximately \$2,046.72, as follows:

\$1000.00 American Tel & Tel Co 30 yr Deb 3 $\frac{1}{4}$ % due 12/1/66	\$1,085.00
800.00 U. S. Treasury 2-7/8% bonds due 3/15/60	887.20
Cash in corpus, per report to court 5/5/43	\$57.93
Cash in income, per report to court 5/5/43	43.75
	<u>\$101.68</u>
A.T.&T. 3 $\frac{1}{4}$ % interest due 6/1/43	16.25
U. S. Treas. 2-7/8% " 9/15/43	11.47
Cash.....	<u>\$129.40</u>

Disbursements:

Intangible tax stamps Indiana 1943	\$2.75	
Trustee's compensation & expense to 8/12/43	1.56	
1/4 of \$200. reserve for tax & expense	50.00	
Trustee's commission on income to 10/28/43	<u>.57</u>	<u>54.88</u>

Net Cash 74.52

Balance.....\$ 2,046.72

Refer to Statement dated October 28, 1943, by the Indiana Trust Company, Trustee under Agreement with Peter Lieber dated May 7, 1894, for Laura Lieber for life.

The principal assets, plus income accrued since the death of Laura Lieber, held to the credit of Hans Adolph Lieber or his surviving children, have a present value of approximately \$2,047.62, as follows:

\$900.00 U. S. Treasury 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ % bonds due 12/15/53	\$ 959.58
1000.00 U. S. Treasury 3% " " 6/15/48	1,060.31
Cash in corpus per report to court 5/5/43	10.24
Cash in income per report to court 5/5/43	43.74
	<u>53.98</u>
U. S. Treasury interest 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ % 6/15/43	11.25
" " 3% "	15.00
	<u>\$ 80.23</u>

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Disbursements:

Trustee's compensation & expense 8/12/43	2.50	
1/4 of \$200. reserve for taxes and expense	<u>50.00</u>	52.50
Net Cash		\$27.73
Balance.....		\$2,047.62

(See Statement dated October 28, 1943, by the Indiana Trust Company, Trustee under Agreement with Peter Lieber for Laura Lieber for life, dated May 7, 1894.)

The Trustee has reserved \$200.00 to cover possible tax liabilities, and the designated nationals will be entitled to their proportionate part of any unexpended balance.

The Trust is still under judicial supervision. (See copy of court order dated July 1, 1943, and letter from Trustee dated July 7, 1943.)

Note: Emma Lieber Herber, Arnold Herber, and Hans Adolph Lieber also have interests in other Trusts created by Peter Lieber, covered by Vesting Recommendations D-28-3424; E. T. Sec. 5065-A, 5065-C, 5065-D, and 5065-E. Person or persons, names unknown, entitled to receive the estate of Laura Lieber, deceased, also has or have interests in Trusts covered by Recommendations E. T. Sec. 5065-C and 5065-D. The child or children of Arnold Herber, if any, names unknown, and the child or children of Hans Adolph Lieber, if any, names unknown, also have interests in other Trusts created by Peter Lieber, covered by Vesting Recommendations E.T. Sec. 5065-A and 5065-C.

Vesting is recommended.

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Paul V. Myron
Chief
Estates & Trusts
Section

Francis J. McNamara
Francis J. McNamara
Assistant to the Alien Property Custodian

Date March 27, 1944

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OFFICE OF ALIEN PROPERTY CUSTODIAN

Washington

Vesting Order Number 3746

In re: Deposit with Clerk of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Multnomah, in the matter of the suit for partition by William B. Fletcher and Alice M. Herz, plaintiffs, vs. Elizabeth A. Hammer, et al., defendants.
(File: 017-10314)

Under the authority of the Trading with the enemy Act, as amended, and Executive Order 9095, as amended, and pursuant to law, the Alien Property Custodian after investigation,

Finding that -

- (1) The property and interests hereinafter described are property which is in the process of administration by A. A. Baily, County Clerk and depository, acting under the judicial supervision of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Multnomah;
- (2) Such property and interests are payable or deliverable to, or claimed by, nationals of a designated enemy country, Germany, namely,

Nationals: Last Known Address:

Elizabeth A. Hammer
and her heirs,
names unknown Germany

And determining that -

- (3) If such nationals are persons not within a designated enemy country, the national interest of the United States requires that such persons be treated as nationals of a designated enemy country, Germany; and

Having made all determinations and taken all action, after appropriate consultation and certification, required by said Executive Order or Act or otherwise, and deeming it necessary in the national interest,

Now, therefore, the Alien Property Custodian hereby vests the following property and interests:

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OFFICE OF ALIEN PROPERTY CONTROLS

All right, title, interest and claim of any kind or character whatsoever of Elizabeth A. Hammer and her heirs, names unknown, and each of them, in and to the fund deposited with A. A. Baily, Clerk, pursuant to Decree of Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Multnomah, entered in the suit for partition by William B. Fletcher and Alice M. Herz, plaintiffs, vs. Elizabeth A. Hammer, et al., defendants.

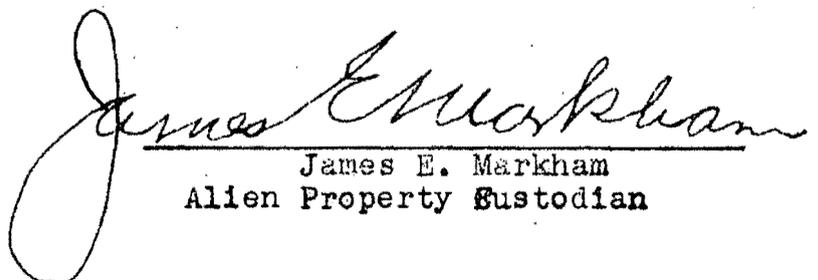
to be held, used, administered, liquidated, sold or otherwise dealt with in the interest of and for the benefit of the United States.

Such property, and any or all of the proceeds thereof, shall be held in an appropriate special account or accounts, pending further determination of the Alien Property Custodian. This shall not be deemed to limit the powers of the Alien Property Custodian to return such property or the proceeds thereof, or to indicate that compensation will not be paid in lieu thereof, if and when it should be determined that such return should be made or such compensation should be paid.

Any person, except a national of a designated enemy country, asserting any claim arising as a result of this order may file with the Alien Property Custodian a notice of his claim, together with a request for a hearing thereon, on Form APC-1, within one year from the date hereof, or within such further time as may be allowed by the Alien Property Custodian.

The terms "national" and "designated enemy country" as used herein shall have the meanings prescribed in Section 10 of said Executive Order.

DATED June 6, 1944.


James E. Markham
Alien Property Custodian

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TO: The Executive Committee of the Alien Property Custodian
FROM: The Property Division, Estates and Trusts Section
(File 017-10314)

RECOMMENDATION

Jurisdiction: Section 2 (f) of E. O. 9095, as amended
Source of information: Letters, pleadings and decrees
indicated in recommendation.

- (1) IN RE: Deposit with Clerk of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Multnomah, in the matter of the suit for partition by William B. Fletcher and Alice M. Herz, plaintiffs, vs. Elizabeth A. Hammer, et al., defendants.
- (2) COURT: Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Multnomah. No. 151-006.
- (3) FIDUCIARY: A. A. Baily, Multnomah County Court House, Portland 4, Oregon, County Clerk and depositary.
- (4) ATTORNEY: None.
- (5) DESIGNATED COUNTRY: Germany.
- (6) DESIGNATED NATIONALS: Elizabeth A. Hammer and her heirs, names unknown
LAST KNOWN ADDRESS: Berlin, Germany
- (7) VESTIBLE PROPERTY AND INTERESTS: All right, title and interest of said designated nationals, and each of them, in and to the deposit with the Clerk of the Court, which interest consists of the right to receive the entire deposit and which deposit consists of cash in the sum of \$2,028.11.
(See Final Decree).

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(8) STATEMENT OF FACTS: Elizabeth A. Hammer, William B. Fletcher and Alice M. Herz were the owners in equal shares of a parcel of real property improved by a two-story building and located at Portland, Oregon. On August 10, 1943 an action for partition was filed in connection with this property wherein it was alleged that the last known address of Elizabeth A. Hammer as of October, 1942 was Beograd, Yugoslavia, but whether she was dead or alive, and if dead, the names of her heirs was unknown. (See Complaint). Subsequently, information was received that Elizabeth A. Hammer's last known address was Berlin, Germany. (See letter of Edwin J. Owens to Francis J. McNamara dated October 26, 1943).

On November 16, 1943, Acceptance of Service of the Summons in said action by the Alien Property Custodian, on behalf of Elizabeth A. Hammer and her heirs, was forwarded for filing in the proceedings together with the designation of Edwin J. Owens as their attorney.

An interlocutory decree, made December 2, 1943, appointed J. J. McCarthy as referee to effect a partition of the property by the sale thereof. A final decree made January 15, 1944 found the property properly sold on January 4, 1944 for \$6,500.00, which sum was deposited with the Clerk of the Court, and further provided:

"ORDERED AND DECREED that the Clerk of this Court out of the funds deposited by the referee immediately and forthwith pay to Teal, Winfree, McCulloch, Shuler & Kelley the sum of Four Hundred Fifteen and 65/100 Dollars (\$415.65), the amount of the cost bill heretofore filed herein, and that the remainder of said sum, to-wit, the sum of Six Thousand Eighty-four and 35/100 (\$6,084.35) be apportioned and divided into three (3) equal parts and that the Clerk of this Court be and he is hereby authorized and directed to William B. Fletcher, or his attorneys of record, the sum of \$2,028.12
to Alice M. Herz, or her attorneys of record, the sum of 2,028.12
and that the remaining one-third portion, to-wit, the sum of \$2,028.11 be held and retained by the

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
OFFICE OF ALIEN PROPERTY

In the Matter of the Claim of

MILTON L. GREENEBAUM
LUCILLE GREENEBAUM DOPPELT

Claim No. 42050

Vesting Order No. 3887

DETERMINATION AND RETURN

ORDER NO. 2966

Notice of Claim under Section 32 of the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended, for the return of property hereinafter described was timely filed. This matter has been submitted to me for determination upon recommendation for allowance by the Chief, Claims Section.

Based upon reports of investigation, consultation with other interested Government agencies, representations made in the claim form, exhibits and in other documents of record, it is determined:

The claimants were the owners or the successor of the owner of the property described below immediately prior to vesting in or transfer to the Alien Property Custodian or the Attorney General, as successor to the said Custodian, within the meaning of Section 32(a)(1).

The claimants and predecessor in interest, if any, are eligible to receive a return of property under Section 32(a)(2).

There are no issues respecting cloaking, royalty adjustment or renegotiation liability within the meaning of Section 32(a)(3) and (4).

A return of the property will not be contrary to the interest of the United States within the meaning of Section 32(a)(5).

The claimants have been represented in this matter by the law firm of Bingham, Collins, Porter and Kistler, Tower Building, Washington, D. C. The said firm has advised this Office that the fee, if any, which they propose to charge in this matter will not exceed ten percent (10%) of the value of the property to be returned. This fee meets the requirements of Section 20 of the Act.

Upon the basis of the foregoing, the claim is hereby allowed and IT IS ORDERED that the property described below be returned, subject to any increase or decrease resulting from the administration thereof prior to return and after adequate provision for taxes and conservatory expenses:

Milton L. Greenebaum
Saginaw, Michigan

To each claimant one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) of the following property:

Lucille Greenebaum Doppelt
Fort Wayne, Indiana

\$500.00 in the Treasury of the United States.

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For the Attorney General:

Paul V. Myron

Paul V. Myron
Deputy Director
Office of Alien Property

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WASHINGTON, D. C.
DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
RETURN ORDER NO. 724

Having considered the claim set forth below and having issued a Determination allowing the claim, which is incorporated by reference herein and filed herewith,

It is Ordered, that the claimed property, described below and in the Determination, be returned, subject to any increase or decrease resulting from the administration thereof prior to return, and after adequate provision for taxes and conservatory expenses:

Claimant and Claim Number	Property
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Frieda Kay Cheshire, England	\$250.00 in the Treasury of the United States.
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Claim No. 42015 Statement of the Claim

The claimant seeks a return of property under section

Notice of Intention to Return Published

July 21, 1950
(15 F.R. 4704)

Appropriate documents and papers effectuating this order will issue.

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No response to said notice has been received indicating any reason for withholding return of the property. **For the Attorney General**

Upon the basis of the reports of investigation, the representations made by the claimant in the claim, and other documents of record, I make the following determination:
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Paul V. Myron
Deputy Director
Office of Alien Property

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

OFFICE OF ALIEN PROPERTY

In the Matter of the Claim of

FRIEDA KAY

Claim No. 42015

DETERMINATION

Statement of the Claim

The claimant seeks a return of property under section 32(a) of the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended, and alleges ownership of the property immediately prior to the vesting thereof.

This matter has been submitted to me for determination upon recommendation for allowance by the Chief, Claims Branch. In accordance with section 32(f) of the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended, notice of intention to return the claimed property was published in the Federal Register on July 21, 1950 (15 F.R. 4704). No response to said notice has been received indicating any reason for withholding return of the property claimed.

Upon the basis of the reports of investigation, the representations made by the claimant in the claim form, exhibits and in other documents of record, I make the following findings and conclusions:

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The Property - Title - Section 32(a)(1)

On March 28, 1949 Frieda Kay filed a Notice of Claim on Form AFC-1A for the sum of \$250.00 representing one-half of a legacy left to Jenny Mengen ^{1/} under the will of Adolph Greenebaum, deceased, vested by Vesting Order No. 3887, dated July 11, 1944, as property of a national of an enemy country (Germany).

Adolph Greenebaum died on September 14, 1943 in Michigan. He left a last Will and Testament duly probated in the Probate Court for the County of Saginaw, State of Michigan. Under Paragraph IV of the Will, the deceased bequeathed Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars to his sister, Jennie Mengen. By Vesting Order No. 3887, dated July 11, 1944, the Alien Property Custodian vested all right, title, interest and claim of any kind or character of Jennie Mengen in and to the Estate of Adolph Greenebaum, deceased. Pursuant to the vesting order, there was paid to this Office \$500, representing the aforesaid legacy.

Jenny Mengen died on June 4, 1944, prior to the vesting of her interest in the Estate of Adolph Greenebaum. ^{2/} Claimant, Frieda Mengen Kay, and her sister, Selma Mengen, ^{3/} are the only heirs of Jenny and Leopold Mengen.

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- 1/ In the Will the legatee named is Jennie Mengen, who is one and the same person as Jenny Mengen or Jenny Mengen.
 - 2/ On September 15, 1942 Jenny Mengen and her husband, Leopold Mengen, were deported to a concentration camp at Theresienstadt. Jenny died on June 4, 1944; Leopold has been reported missing and is presumed dead.
 - 3/ The interest of Selma Mengen in the legacy left to her mother was returned to her pursuant to a Determination issued by the Director of this Office on April 12, 1949.

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The claimant was, immediately prior to vesting, the owner of a one-half interest in the legacy bequeathed to Jennie Mengen, or \$250.00, within the meaning of section 32(a)(1).

A report on Form APC-3 relative to the claimed property was filed with the Attorney General ^{4/} on October 4, 1943.

Eligibility - Section 32(a)(2)

The claimant, Frieda Kay, was born in 1916 at Rhens, Rhine, Germany. She entered England on May 9, 1939 and has continuously resided in England since that date. She acquired British citizenship by marriage in 1945. Claimant is not disqualified under section 32(a)(2).

^{4/} The words "Attorney General" appearing herein include his predecessor, the Alien Property Custodian.

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Conservatory Expenses - Section 32(g)

After final audit of the account relating to the property claimed has been made, expenses, if any, incurred for the conservation, preservation and maintenance of the property, will be ~~deducted~~ prior to return.

Taxes - Sections 32(d) and 36

Adequate provision will be made for the discharge of allowable tax claims presented prior to the return of the property.

Attorney's Fees - Section 20

The claimant's agent asserts that no fees are to be paid for services rendered in connection with the prosecution of this claim.

Upon the basis of the foregoing findings and conclusions, it is determined that the applicable statutory provisions of sections 32 and 20 of the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended, are satisfied and the claim is hereby allowed.

Date: AUG 29 1950

Paul V. Myron

Paul V. Myron
Deputy Director
Office of Alien Property

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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
OFFICE OF ALIEN PROPERTY
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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RETURN ORDER NO. 724

Having considered the claim set forth below and having issued a Determination allowing the claim, which is incorporated by reference herein and filed herewith,

It is Ordered, that the claimed property, described below and in the Determination, be returned, subject to any increase or decrease resulting from the administration thereof prior to return, and after adequate provision for taxes and conservatory expenses:

Claimant and Claim Number	Property
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Windsor
Windsor, England

£222.00 in the Treasury of the United States.

Claim No. 43815

Nation of Origin
in Status Indicated

July 21, 1950
(15 U.S.C. 4704)

Appropriate documents and papers effectuating this order will issue.

Executed at Washington, D. C., on AUG 29 1950

I hereby certify that the within is a true and correct copy of the original paper on file in this office.
For the Attorney General
Harold I. Baynton, Assistant Attorney General
Director, Office of Alien Property

By Angela M. Blanton
Assistant Secretary for Records

For the Attorney General
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(Signed) Paul V. Myron
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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

OFFICE OF ALIEN PROPERTY

In the Matter of the Claim of:

SELMA MANGEN

Claim No. 5964

DETERMINATION

Statement of the Claim

This is a claim for the return of the sum of \$250 representing one-half of a legacy left to Jenny M¹engen under the Will of Adolph Greenebaum, deceased, vested by Vesting Order No. 5887, dated July 11, 1944, as property of a national of an enemy country (Germany). On June 23, 1945 Selma M¹engen filed a Notice of Claim on Form APC-1 and on February 17, 1947 a supplemental Notice of Claim on Form APC-1A for the return of the entire legacy of \$500. On December 6, 1948 the claimant amended her claim to include only one-half of the legacy of \$500.

The claimant seeks a return of the property under section 32(a) of the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended, and alleges that she was the owner of said property immediately prior to the vesting thereof.

This matter has been submitted to me for determination

¹/ In the Will the legatee named is Jennie M¹engen, who is one and the same person as Jenny M¹engen. In this Determination both names will be used interchangeably.

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upon recommendation for allowance by the Chief, Claims Branch. In accordance with section 32(f) of the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended, notice of intention to return the claimed property was published in the Federal Register on March 3, 1949 (14 F.R. 974). No response to said notice has been received indicating any reason for withholding return of the property claimed.

Upon the basis of the reports of investigation, the representations made by the claimant in the claim form, exhibits and other documents of record, I make the following findings and conclusions:

The Property - Title - Section 32(a)(1)

Adolph Greenebaum died on September 14, 1943 in Michigan. He left a last Will and Testament duly probated in the Probate Court for the County of Saginaw, State of Michigan. Under Paragraph IV of the Will, the deceased bequeathed Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars to his sister, Jennie Mangan. By Vesting Order No. 3887, dated July 11, 1944, the Alien Property Custodian vested all right, title, interest and claim of any kind or character of Jennie Mangan in and to the Estate of Adolph Greenebaum, deceased. Pursuant to the vesting order, there was paid to this Office \$500, representing the aforesaid legacy.

Jenny Mangan died on June 4, 1944, prior to the vesting of her interest in the Estate of Adolph Greenebaum.^{2/} Claimant,

^{2/} On September 15, 1942 Leopold Mangan, husband of Jenny Mangan, had been deported, together with his wife, to a concentration camp. He has been reported missing and is presumed dead.

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Selma Mangen and her sister, Frieda Mangen-Kay are the only heirs of Jenny and Leopold Mangen.

The claimant was, immediately prior to vesting, the owner of a one-half interest in the legacy bequeathed to Jennie Mangan, or \$250, within the meaning of section 32(a)(1).

A report on Form APC-3 relative to the claimed property was filed with the Attorney General on October 4, 1943.

Eligibility - Section 32(a)(2)

The claimant, Selma Mangen, was born on July 23, 1920 at Rhens, Rhine, Germany. She was admitted for permanent residence on September 12, 1940 and on May 6, 1946 she became a citizen of the United States by naturalization. The claimant is not disqualified under section 32(a)(2).

Cloaking - Section 32(a)(3)

The claimant has at no time attempted to conceal any enemy interest in the property claimed nor assented to any arrangement to conceal any property or interest of a person ineligible to receive a return.

Renegotiation and Royalty Adjustment Liability - Section 32(a)(4)

The Attorney General has not exploited the property claimed. The claimant's representation that she has no renegotiation

3/ The remaining interest in the legacy will be the subject of a separate claim to be filed by Frieda Mangen-Kay, presently a resident of Cheshire, England.

4/ The words "Attorney General" appearing herein include his predecessor the Alien Property Custodian.

5/ Claimant's mother and father were deported to a concentration camp at Theresienstadt on September 15, 1942. Her mother died there on June 4, 1944; her father has been reported as missing and is presumed dead.

6/ Naturalization Certificate No. 6657202

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or royalty adjustment liability has been confirmed by all interested Government agencies. There is no actual or potential liability under the Renegotiation Act or the Act of October 31, 1942 (56 Stat. 1013; U.S.C. 89-96) within the meaning of section 52(a)(4).

National Interest - Section 32(a)(5)

Claimant, Selma Mangan, is presently residing in the United States. Consultive inquiry has been addressed to interested Offices in this Department and other Federal agencies. After considering information received respecting the claimant, including responses to the consultive inquiries, it is concluded that return in this case is in the interest of the United States.

Conservatory Expenses - Section 32(g)

After final audit of the account relating to the property claimed has been made, expenses, if any, incurred for the conservation, preservation and maintenance of the property will be deducted prior to return.

Taxes - Sections 52(d) and 36

Adequate provision will be made for the discharge of allowable tax claims presented prior to return of the property.

Attorneys' Fees - Section 20

Claimant asserts that there are no fees for prosecuting this claim and nothing to the contrary appears in the record.

Upon the basis of the foregoing findings and conclusions,

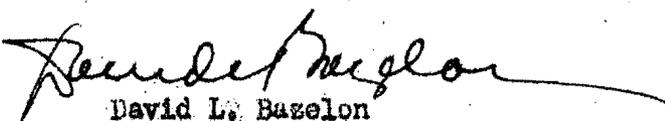
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it is determined that the applicable statutory provisions of sections 32 and 20 of the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended, are satisfied and the claim is hereby allowed.

DATE: APR 12 1949


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Assistant Attorney General
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RETURN ORDER NO. 294

Having considered the claim set forth below and having issued a Determination allowing the claim, which is incorporated by reference herein and filed herewith,

It is Ordered, that the claimed property, described below and in the Determination, be returned, subject to any increase or decrease resulting from the administration thereof prior to return, and after adequate provision for taxes and conservatory expenses:

<u>Claimant and Claim Number</u>	<u>Notice of Intention to Return Published</u>	<u>Property</u>
Selma Mangen New York, N. Y. Claim No. 3964	March 3, 1949 (14 F.R. 974)	\$250.00 in the Treasury of the United States

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Appropriate documents and papers effectuating this order will issue.

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I hereby certify that the within is a true and correct copy of the original paper on file in this office.
For the Attorney General
David L. Bazelon, Assistant Attorney General
Director, Office of Alien Property
By *Joseph M. Blanton*
Assistant Secretary for Records

For the Attorney General:

{Signed} David L. Bazelon

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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO RETURN VESTED PROPERTY

Pursuant to §32(f) of the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended, notice is hereby given of intention to return, on or after 30 days from the date of the publication hereof, the following property, subject to any increase or decrease resulting from the administration thereof prior to return, and after adequate provision for taxes and conservatory expenses:

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David L. Bazelon, Assistant Attorney General
Director, Office of Alien Property
By *Mary Jane Lemell*
Acting Assistant Secretary for Records

For the Attorney General
(Signed) David L. Bazelon
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OFFICE OF ALIEN PROPERTY CUSTODIAN

WASHINGTON

VESTING ORDER NUMBER 3887

In re: Estate of Adolph Greenebaum, Deceased
(File D-28-8541; E. T. Sec. 10131)

Under the authority of the Trading with the enemy Act, as amended, and Executive Order 9095, as amended, and pursuant to law, the Alien Property Custodian after investigation,

Finding that -

- (1) The property and interests hereinafter described are property which is in the process of administration by Milton Greenebaum, Co-Administrator with Will Annexed, 308 Jefferson Apartments, Saginaw, Michigan, and Lucille Doppelt, Co-Administratrix with Will Annexed, Fairfield Manor Apartments, Fort Wayne, Indiana, acting under the judicial supervision of the Probate Court for the County of Saginaw, Michigan;
- (2) Such property and interests are payable or deliverable to, or claimed by, nationals of a designated enemy country, Germany, namely,

Nationals:	Last known address:
Francisco Greenebaum	Germany
Jennie Mengen	Germany

And determining that -

- (3) If such nationals are persons not within a designated enemy country, the national interest of the United States requires that such persons be treated as nationals of a designated enemy country, Germany; and

Having made all determinations and taken all action, after appropriate consultation and certification, required by said Executive Order or Act or otherwise, and deeming it necessary in the national interest,

Now, therefore, the Alien Property Custodian hereby vests the following property and interests:

All right, title, interest and claim of any kind or character whatsoever of Francisco Greenebaum and Jennie Mengen, and each of them, in and to the estate of Adolph Greenebaum, Deceased,

to be held, used, administered, liquidated, sold or otherwise

dealt with in the interest of and for the benefit of the United

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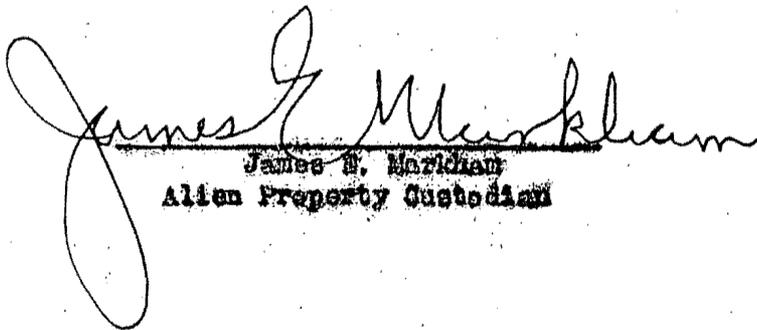
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Estate of Adolph Greenebaum, dec'd.

Such property, and any or all of the proceeds thereof, shall be held in an appropriate special account or accounts, pending further determination of the Alien Property Custodian. This shall not be deemed to limit the powers of the Alien Property Custodian to return such property or the proceeds thereof, or to indicate that compensation will not be paid in lieu thereof, if and when it should be determined that such return should be made or such compensation should be paid.

Any person, except a national of a designated enemy country, asserting any claim arising as a result of this order may file with the Alien Property Custodian a notice of his claim, together with a request for a hearing thereon, on Form APG-1, within one year from the date hereof, or within such further time as may be allowed by the Alien Property Custodian.

The terms "national" and "designated enemy country" as used herein shall have the meanings prescribed in Section 10 of said Executive Order.

Dated: July 11, 1944.


James T. Maridian
Alien Property Custodian

All rights, title, interest and claim of any kind
of character whatsoever of Frederick W. Wrentham
and Jennie Wrentham, and heirs of them, in and to
the estate of Adolph Greenebaum, deceased,

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to be held, used, administered, if directed, sold or otherwise

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The property and interest distributable and payable to the designated nationals are as follows:

Francisco Greenebaum. A pecuniary legacy in the sum of \$500.00 under Paragraph IV of the Will.

Jennie Mengen. A pecuniary legacy in the sum of \$500.00 under Paragraph V of the Will.

(8) STATEMENT OF FACTS: Adolph Greenebaum died September 14, 1943 and his son and daughter were appointed to administer his estate. His Will provided pecuniary legacies to three sisters living in Germany and the residue of his estate was left to his wife and two children living in the United States. After execution of the Will his sister, Gretchen Deutsch of Frankfort, Germany, removed to the United States and has lived here for some years. (See letter of Heilman & Purcell, dated March 1, 1944). Therefore, the persons named in Paragraph VI of this recommendation are the only designated nationals interested in the estate. No inheritance tax is chargeable to the shares of the German legatees because they are sisters of the decedent.

(9) RECOMMENDATION: Vesting of the property and interests of the designated nationals named in Item 6 hereof is recommended.

Paul V. Myron
Chief
Estates & Trusts
Section

Francis J. McNamara
Francis J. McNamara
Deputy Alien Property Custodian

Date *June 26, 1944*

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