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Gentlemen:

Re: SPRECHER, Arnold, Simon, Hirsch Internment Camp "N" Base Army Post Office Ottawa, Ontario, Canada Case #A21765

We wish to inform you that we conveyed the information received from Mr. Arnold, Simon, and Hirsch Sprecher to their relative, Mr. Jack Fabian, in Poughkeepsie, N. Y. We have informed Mr. Fabian that at the present time it is not possible for his relatives to make application for United States visa and we have indicated that we do not know how soon that privilege will be accorded to them. We have pointed out that affidavits which are given now might be of little value at the time that the Sprechers will be able to apply. We indicated, however, that the receipt of an affidavit might give the Sprecher boys some hope with regard to their immigration possibilities. We left it to the discretion of Mr. Fabian whether or not he wishes to forward documents.

We shall, of course, keep you informed of any further replies which we might receive from the relative in Poughkeepsie.

Sincerely yours,

Migration Department

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