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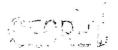
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Ye may make the substance of the information appearing in these reports available to 1-556

With reference to your inquiry as to the length of Pitman's stay on the Continent, you are advised that the Eureau is taking steps at this time to ascertain this information and when it is obtained you will be advised.

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Re: JOHN PITMAN

SECURITY MATTER - C

Dear Sir:

Mr. G. T. Wethered of MI-5 has asked that I obtain from the Bureau any information they may have on an American journalist named JOHN PITMAN who is believed to be a correspondent of the New York "Daily Worker," and who has recently been touring Europe in that capacity. According to Mr. Wethered, he is said to be a member of the American Communist Party and is certainly in touch with Communists in the United States. It is believed that he is editor of a Party paper in San Francisco. He recently returned to England from Poland and is believed to have been in London during March of this year.

Mr. Wethered also stated PITMAN was said to be manifesting considerable interest in the doings of an American official named DALLAS. DALLAS is said to be a high executive on the economic side in the American Zone of Germany.

I would appreciate receiving at the earliest possible date any information the Eureau may have on subject PITMAN and his present work, and if known the length of his stay on the Continent.

Very truly yours,

J. A. Cimperman, Legal Attache.

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