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It is suggested that the Bureau consider the possibility of having Mrs. MAGIDOFF interviewed for any knowledge she may have of RAIGORODSKY, bearing in mind that her only apparent contact with him was for a brief period in 1945. In this connection it is noted that RAIGORODSKY spent a short period in the New York area, hence a Credit and Criminal check has been included in this report. Since it is apparent that he was here only on a short visit, no further attempt has been made to ascertain his activity at the hotel where he stayed.

New York file 100-105803 contains investigation of Mrs. ETHEL MARGARITE BAKER, who is the former wife of RAIGORODSKY. The office of origin in this case is San Antonio, (Bureau file 100-12262). The only investigation conducted in the New York area pertained to LEDA and CHARLES HEIMSATH, the daughter and son-in-law of the applicant. Nothing derogatory was developed.

In regards to these two individuals New York file 123-5544 contains the result of an investigation pertaining to CHARLES HERMAN HEIMSATH securing a position with the Voice of America, (Bureau file 123-8298). It is noted that the New York investigation in this instance failed to reflect anything of an unfavorable nature pertaining to HEIMSATH or his wife.

New York file 100-13793 pertains to PAUL M. RAIGORODSKY, with San Antonio designated as the office of origin. No investigation was conducted by the New York office in this matter.

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