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### Subject: Henrichs BAGATAIS

The information was obtained from persons well known to CV IN.

H. B. is a former military man; he lost one arm. He was formerly head of the New York branch of "Daugavas Vanagi." In New York he was employed in the packing of "Roux" cosmetic products and it can be assumed that he did not earn much money. However, for the past 8 years he has been fairly well situated. H. B. told my sources that he arranged for E. ZEBRANSKA's trip to Riga at the Soviet Embassy. Other friends have seen him going to the Soviet Embassy. About 3 years ago he went on a world trip. In 1962 he went to to South America by ship and from there by plane to Australia, where B. is said to have a sister. According to an article in <u>Latvija Amerika</u> early this year, he was expected to return soon to the US.

Before he would attend any social gathering, he was always interested in knowing who was going to be there. He was formerly active in "Daugavas Vanagi," but then -- rather suddenly -- he began to withdraw from the society, and his extensive travels indicate that he must have some supplementary income.

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HE has already returned to New York. I hope to meet him some day and I will then try to obtain some information, so to speak, from the "primary source."

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## ATTIECAS UZ: HENRICHU BAGATO.

Informācija balstas uz CV IN ļoti tuvu personu ziņām. - H. B. bijis karavīrs; zaudējis roku. Bijis DV Ņujorkas apv. pr-ks. Ņujorkā strādājis pie Roux kosmetisko ražojumu saiņošanas un jārēķinas nav necik daudz pelnījis. Tomēr jau pirms gadiem 8 bijis labi iekārtojies. Informāntiem H. B. stāstījis, ka krievu sūtniecībā izgādājis E. Zebranskai Rīgas apciemojumu. Citi paziņas redzējuši viņu ejam uz krievu sūtniecību. Pirms gadiem trim bija devies pasaules ceļojumā. 1902. g. ar kuģi devies uz Dienvidamēriku un no turienes er lidmašīnu uz Austrāliju, kur B. dzīvojot māsa. Pēc ziņas š. g. sākumā laikr. LATVIJA AMĒRINĀ, viņš bija paredzējis drīzumā atgriezties ASV.

bija paredzējis drīzumā atgriezties ASV. Pirms agrāk piedalījies kādās vienās vai citās viesībās allaž interesējies: kādi viesi tur būs. DV savā laikā bijis aktīvs, bet tad samērā pēkšņi sācis no sabiedrības atturēties un plašā ceļošana norāda, ka ir jābūt kādiem blakus ienākumiem.

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HB ir jau atgriezies Nbjorka/ Es ceru viņu kādu dienu satikt un tad centīšos iegūt kādu informaciju,kā teikt,no "pirmavota".

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