

Telephone conversation of Mr. Chief things that I told you and Malota,
and Mr. Vavrecka on January 24, 1940

Hello, what is new?

To telephone so Malota is in Trieste we need a general power of attorney for Joska which would be sent via Rocco.

Ch. Yes.

V. Because today's situation under the present state of law could lead to the result that the enterprise would be considered as abandoned.

V. Secondly, mail a letter via Rocco, Malota will give you the text of it.

Ch. Has Mrs. arrived already?

V. Malota will mail it to you and this is the letter that we need for all events so that it is clear, please that this letter accompanied

These are the three things that we need from you.

V. A cable in which you ask us to intervene with the competent authorities to the effect that your travel papers be extended.

Ch. After all, I have a new passport, issued until the year 1942.

V. You have a permit only up to February 28.

S. However, I have no permit at all, I have never had any, I have only a passport.

Ch. I have no permit at all and have never had any, I have only a passport.

They will give you again an extension.

Ch. Well wait, so I think it concerns the fact apply for my permit for me.

Ch. Well, what we shall do we will do ^{It's} Brazil. We must realize what consequences it could have otherwise, you know.

V. It will have no consequences.

Ch. Well, I think here.

V. No, not either. Look, this is quite a normal thing.

Ch. All right.

- V. These are the most important things that I told you and Malota, who is in Trieste, will tell you the rest.
- Ch. I wanted to ask you how are you doing with this foam-concrete and are you making tests with it?
- V. Yes, we are sending you a detailed report about it, we have constructed several houses from various materials, foam-concrete and also lins-concrete. This is registered as a patent in the USA.
- Ch. I think this brick-foam more, do you know?
- V. Yes. It is not foam-concrete, but as far as we know or copper.
- Ch. I am sending you pictures, they do it from the normal concrete in California, beautiful things, completely cast into a mould like our big constructions. I would like that they test it so that they first produce by the foam process this brick slag and then use this brick slag for construction which again is made by the foam-process. So that it will be foam twice.
- V. However, there are too many technical details and I do not have money for the telephone.
- Ch. All right, well, so this by cable.
- V. We made a decision with regard to these claims in Germany.
- Ch. Yes, *what kind?*
- V. We are prepared to buy as many machines as possible and to purchase there for the same amount for which we will sell merchandise to Germany.
- Ch. All from surrogates.
- V. Yes, everything will be from surrogates. We shall, of course, do our utmost in order to employ people. We shall construct houses, construct machines, purchase machines, etc.

- Ch. Please, have you succeeded with the research and construction dept as I have requested?
- V. Yes, we are permanently working on it.
- Ch. How many of these research and construction people have you got?
- V. We have secured one part and those professors altogether there will be about 30 people.
- Ch. 30? I thought 3,000.
- V. Oh yes, it is easy to say.
- Ch. Oh no, this will not be told, this must be done. This must be treated seriously and not 30 people.
- V. Allright.
- Ch. Well.
- Ch. Look here, Resny arrived from Brazil - Hello - and says that there are frozen claims in Brazil which they cannot get and about which they told him confidentially that one cannot absolutely count with them that they somehow will be paid. We thought about it, Resny proposes to try to take over the claims and to pay them in our country, however with the approval of the National Bank.
- V. Which firms are they?
- Ch. This applies to about 100 firms.
- V. Oh, well, I will have a look at it, this is interesting.
- Ch. In any case I would like you to have made by somebody in Bredovska, either officially or unofficially, a statement of these claims that exist there because they are registered in Bredovska, while they are not registered in Resny's place.
- V. Allright, we shall investigate and I shall call you.
- Ch. I think it will be good if we paid it because we would pay it to Zlin and would use the money directly in the country for the raw material bases.

- V. All this would be fine, if we succeed.
- Ch. Alright. I will talk with Malota regarding the other things.
- V. With Malota.
- V. With regard to Jozka, I should ask you whether you have received Jozka's letter.
- Ch. Yes, received.
- V. I am answering it, look, we shall have to have a higher point of view than as he writes.
- V. Write it all down.
- Ch. That letter for Jozka has already been dispatched to Rocco.
- V. Alright.
- Ch. Has already been dispatched.
- V. And how about those people that you have requested by wire for Brazil. When should they leave?
- Ch. According to my desire, they should have been already on their way.
- V. Oh.
- Ch. Alright, this is very urgent, but I would like that Landa and Travnicek or Travnicek and Hekl would travel via America.
- V. Alright, when are you getting ready to go there?
- Ch. I will go there at the end of February.
- V. We have here at present a terrible disorder, they have expelled all the people that have been here.
- V. I know.
- Ch. There are the unions they are working against us, but it is a union of enemies, so that we have now a terrible difficulty to hold our ground, but I think that we have it already a little on a good way.
- V. Yes. And Malota will tell you all the details.

