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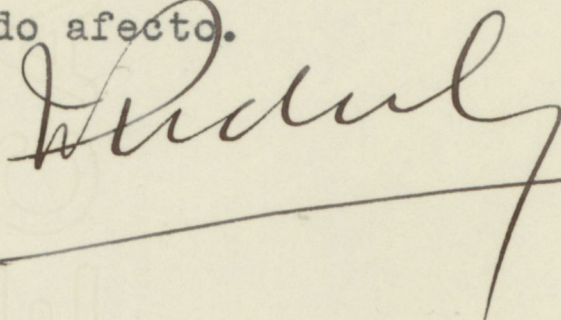
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Estoy seguro además, de que usted con su generosidad acostumbrada hará cuanto esté en su mano.

Con todo afecto.

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EN ESTE MISMO REGISTRADOR LETRA "G".)

HERTA (GOLDSTEIN) LIEBKNECHT.

Mrs. Liebknecht was born on May 7, 1904 at Anklam, Pomerania, Germany. Educated at the Lyceums of Cologne and Berlin, she early became interested in gymnastics. She has studied at, and holds diplomas from, the Dalcroze Institute at Heidelberg as well as from the Kalpp School of Berlin (therapeutic gymnastics) and has worked at the Charité Hospital in Berlin. For a number of years she taught gymnastics in the Berlin City schools.

Since the beginning of the present war she was repeatedly interned in French concentration camps, including the notorious one of Gurs. Released about two months ago, she joined her husband at Nimes, but was shortly thereafter taken into custody. Our last news states that she is in the camp at Nimes, that her health and her morale are breaking down, and that unless she can emigrate soon there is grave danger that she will not leave her present place of detention alive.

Since this sketch was prepared Mrs. Liebknecht has given birth on August 16th, 1941, to a daughter Marianne.

The address of the Liebknechts now is: rue du Temple, Calvisson, Gard, France.

Peterson

ROBERT LIEBKNECHT.

Robert is the son of Karl Liebknecht, the Reichstag socialist leader who, during the World War, had the hardihood to vote against the Kaiser's credit demands. He was assassinated, with Rosa Luxemburg, by the early Nazis shortly after the armistice.

Though Robert is a painter and has kept free from the German political turmoil, his mere name is a red rag to the Hitler regime, and were he to fall into the hands of the S.S. he would receive short shrift, all the more as he is married to a Jewess and has served in a French labor battalion during the recent struggle.

Robert Liebknecht was born in Berlin on February 26, 1903. He was educated at the Berlin-Steglitz Gymnasium and at the Berlin School of Art. Awarded a scholarship by the National Akademie (of art) in Dresden, he went to that famous institution where he distinguished himself for the creativeness of his imagination and the high qualities of his execution.

His canvasses have been repeatedly exhibited at the Akademie in Dresden, in the galleries of Berlin and in 1938 in New York. Many of his works are hanging in various European museums.

In 1928 he married Herta Goldstein, and upon the Nazis' coming to power he left with his wife for Paris, where he lived till the outbreak of the present war. His last address was: Poste Restante, Nimes (Gard), France.

Present address: rue du Temple, Calvisson, Gard, Unoccupied France.