HARTMAN BOCHNER, Feldwebel, age 46

Real Name: Jürgen Brambach, Fregattenkapitän, age 46.

Background: Your family has a strong naval tradition. You grew up in Kiautschou-Bucht, the German Colonial Concession of Jiaozhou Bay in China, where your father served in the German East Asia Squadron. Graduating from the Naval Academy Mürwik, you served aboard U-boats during the Great War and in the merchant navy between the wars, seeing much of the world. This is how you became highly conversant in English. When war broke out, you re-enlisted in the *Kriegsmarine* and have served loyally, now commanding your own boat despite your advancing years.

Schellenberg's Promise: Your wife is American, which makes your loyalties suspect. Schellenberg has promised to protect you and your family.

Cover: You have been assigned to Operation *Greif* as you are familiar with American engines.

Attributes: Agility d6, Smarts d8, Spirit d6, Strength d6, Vigor d6.

Skills: Boating d6, Climbing d6, Fighting d6, Healing d6, Knowledge (Chinese/Mandarin) d4, Knowledge (Communications) d6, Knowledge (Cryptography) d6, Knowledge (English) d8, Knowledge (Navigation) d6, Knowledge (Spanish) d4, Repair d8, Shooting d6, Swimming d6.

Charisma: +0; Pace: 6; Parry: 5; Toughness: 5; Sanity: 5.

Hindrances: Curious, Hard of Hearing (Minor), Loyal.

Edges: Mechanically Inclined.

HORST BUCHHOLZ, Grenadier, age 31

Real Name: Michael Becker, Grenadier, age 29

Background: You have always had a love of the written word, whether in your own language, or that of Shakespeare, Flaubert, or Cicero. You were fortunate enough to study at Brown University in Rhode Island, Providence, in America, where you grew to love Thoreau and Emerson, as well. You had little interest in politics, but you answered the call of your country (like any good German would) and left your post as Professor of American Literature at the University of Greifswald. As a soldier in the Heer, you hate your life, you hate the army, and you hate the war. You have seen too many men die and you resent them for being the "lucky" ones. Finally, enough was enough. Refusing to fight saw you court-martialled, stripped of your rank, and assigned to a *Strafbattalion*, a penal battalion carrying out desperate engineering work under fire, or holding a section of the line against overwhelming odds.

Schellenberg's Promise: You are a homosexual. Your loyalties would be suspect were this to be known. Schellenberg has promised to protect you and get you assigned elsewhere. You have no desire to wear the red triangle of the *Strafbattalion* again.

Cover: You are a simple soldier who studied English literature before the war.

Attributes: Agility d6, Smarts d10, Spirit d10, Strength d6, Vigor d6.

Skills: Fighting d4, Driving d6, Healing d4, Knowledge (English) d8, Knowledge (French) d6, Knowledge (History) d8, Knowledge (Latin) d6, Knowledge (Literature) d10, Knowledge (Psychology) d8, Notice d4, Persuasion d6, Shooting d4, Stealth d4.

Charisma: +0; Pace: 6; Parry: 4; Toughness: 5; Sanity: 7.

Hindrances: Bad Eyes (Minor), Code of Honor, Shell Shocked (Minor).

Edges: College Boy.

NORBERT GRUPE, Oberleutnant, age 32

Real Name: Wilhelm von Homburg, Major, age 32

Appearance: Your father was a diplomat and you spent much of your childhood in America but, being from an old *Junker* family, you were sent to a military academy back in Germany. You graduated high in your class and, shortly after taking up your commission in the Wehrmacht, you volunteered to serve with the Legion Condor in Spain. You were turned down, so you resigned and volunteered with the Nationalists, where you fought as an ordinary soldier. Upon returning to Germany you re-enlisted in the Wehrmacht, and have served faithfully ever since. You fought in Poland, France, Norway, Russia, Italy, and then Russia again. You have seen victory and you have seen defeat, but now you know that it is only a matter of time before Germany is defeated. You know that Hitler and his cronies are responsible, but you know that voicing such suspicions will get you into trouble. It was why you did not take part in the July 20th plot to kill Hitler, but you had colleagues who did and they are dead now. You are beginning to wonder if you are also suspected of being involved...

Schellenberg's Promise: Schellenberg knows that you are innocent of involvement in the 20th July Plot and has promised to clear your name.

Cover: You are simply being assigned to the new offensive.

Attributes: Agility d6, Smarts d8, Spirit d6, Strength d4, Vigor d8.

Skills: Fighting d8, Healing d6, Knowledge (Battle) d6, Knowledge (English) d8, Knowledge (French) d4, Knowledge (Russian) d4, Knowledge (Spanish) d4, Persuasion d4, Shooting d8, Throwing d6.

Charisma: +0; Pace: 5; Parry: 6; Toughness: 7; Sanity: 5.

Hindrances: Bad Luck, Obese, Wanted (Minor).

Edges: Grizzled, Command, Level Headed, Tactician.

WOLFGANG KURTH, Oberleutnant, age 43

Real Name: Ute Lang, Businessman, Age 43

Appearance: From school you went straight into your family's import/export business and, as you worked your way up, you traded with Great Britain, Canada, and the USA, particularly enjoying your visits to the latter. Spending time in these countries made you realise that as much as Hitler was making Germany great again, he was also putting the country in great danger. This made you ripe for recruitment by a foreign power and when the offer came, it was from MI6, the British Secret Intelligence Service. You have been reporting to London for six years now, primarily via Sweden, and since the war began, as an experienced businessman, you have been working for another agency, Germany's Reich Main Security Office (and its predecessors). You maintain your cover as a businessman and a loyal member of the Nazi party, the latter much to your disgust. Your masters in London have frequently asked you about secret organisations in Germany.

Schellenberg's Promise: Schellenberg not only knows that you are double agent, but approves. Nevertheless, he could inform his superiors at any time.

Cover: You were a shipping clerk in Hamburg before the war and have been a quartermaster since enlisting.

Attributes: Agility d6, Smarts d8, Spirit d6, Strength d6, Vigor d6.

Skills: Fighting d6, Knowledge (Cryptography) d6, Knowledge (Demolitions) d4, Knowledge (English) d8, Knowledge (Espionage) d6, Knowledge (Swedish) d4, Notice d6, Persuasion d6, Shooting d6, Stealth d6.

Charisma: +0; Pace: 6; Parry: 5; Toughness: 5; Sanity: 5.

Hindrances: Cautious, Vow (Minor; Nazi Party), Vow (Major; MI6).

Edges: Alertness, Great Luck, Luck.

FRANZISKA KELLMAN, Oberleutnant, age 30

Real Name: Anne-Kathrin Hoeck, Hauptmann, age 29

Appearance: Your family made its money in dyes, enough so you could travel, including visiting relatives in the USA. You would spend summers in the Hamptons, picking up an accent that would annoy your tutors at finishing school. When Hitler came to power you were not a supporter of the Nazis, a preference that you have learned to hide in the last ten years. Your disgust has grown and grown and in recent years; you even harboured those that Hitler and all too many of his cronies would have made disappear. While your family's money is enough to ensure that you could live a life without the need to work, you have to be seen to be part of society and a respectable Nazi. So, you enlisted as a nurse in an auxiliary unit. Your respectability has bolstered your rise in rank.

Schellenberg's Promise: Schellenberg knows that you have been harbouring Jews and has promised not to inform the authorities.

Cover: You have been assigned to ensure the health of any prisoners in the forthcoming offensive.

Attributes: Agility d6, Smarts d8, Spirit d8, Strength d6, Vigor d6.

Skills: Driving d6, Fighting d4, Healing d10, Knowledge (English) d8, Knowledge (French) d4, Knowledge (Latin) d4, Knowledge (Psychology) d6, Persuasion d8, Shooting d6.

Charisma: +0; Pace: 6; Parry: 4; Toughness: 5; Sanity: 6.

Hindrances: Death Wish, Stubborn, Vow (Major; Overthrow the Nazis).

Edges: Healer.