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FROM: DENNISTON, ALASTAIR
TO: SOE OCCDEF DIVISION
4 FEBRUARY 1942

Colonel Harris,

I apologize for my lack of communication this past week. Naval Command has been in a bit of a snit, and I have been fending off irate admirals with a broom for days. The boys here at Bletchley tell me that the Germans have been rolling out a new iteration of the Enigma for their U-boats, a rather fiendish improvement on the original, and we have had some difficulty providing any intelligence on the Atlantic. Professor Turing assures me that they'll have it cracked wide open by tomorrow, at which point I might have a modicum of blessed peace.

At the moment, I have found five minutes between angry phone calls from increasingly high-ranking individuals to pass on some ULTRA intel that you might be interested in. To be honest, I don't know why you are assigning such importance to Nazi superstition. Meaning no offense, if I were you I would get out of OCCDEF and back into the SOE proper, but since the PM seems to be throwing entirely unfair amounts of cash your way I suppose you may have made a wise career decision. In any case, we've intercepted a message to Himmler himself from a major in the Ahnenerbe-SS stationed at Bergen-Belsen. I've taken the liberty of providing an English translation below.

God save the King,
Alastair Denniston
Director, GC&CS

Reichsführer,

It is my great pleasure to inform you of our latest success with Project Helheim. Thanks to your efforts in procuring Jews in great numbers, we have had no shortage of resources to calibrate the wundermaschinen, and today we have reached a significant milestone. While the test subjects inevitably perish shortly after the procedure, they are able for several minutes before their deaths to serve as mouthpieces for the æsmegir. Two test subjects recited several verses of the Prose Edda in Old Norse, a language with which which the subjects were unfamiliar, and five further subjects were able

to converse with Doctor Schultze in their native language, but with knowledge and personality that were not their own.

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Colonel Harris,

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