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*These people were recruited by former UNR Army Colonel PG Dyachenko, head of the inter-provincial residence of the Sonderstab «R» (special department of the German counterintelligence body Abwer), located in Chernihiv. Under the leadership of a resident in the Ripkin district, a false guerrilla detachment was set up to conduct intelligence and compromise and to destroy the Soviet guerrillas. I. S. Symonenko and A. I. Symonenko were part of this detachment. N. P. Savich conducted an agent reconnaissance in the settlements of Ripkin, Gorodnyansky, Loevsky (Gomel region) areas, where the activities of the Soviet partisans took place. All three were arrested in September 1943 by the Chernihiv UNCCD of the USSR as agents of German intelligence. Convicted by the Military Tribunal. I. S. Symonenko and A. I. Symonenko were each sentenced to twenty years in prison for five years in prison labor camps with confiscation of personal property. N. P. Savich was sentenced to ten years of imprisonment and civil rights for five years with confiscation of property. The brothers were serving sentences in the village of Susuman in the Magadan region. Ivan Symonenko had number 770464, Andriy Symonenko - 770462.*

*After a lengthy petition from the parents to reduce their sentence to their sons, they were released on June 17, 1955. Further their fate is unknown. N. P. Savich served his sentence completely. She returned to Artemivsk, suffering from tuberculosis. She married there for the third time. She wrote complaints under the name of Lebedev.*

*All three were refused rehabilitation.*

*The interrogation records of the persons involved in case # 1683 do not answer the questions on the grounds of which the leaders of the Ukrainian branch of the Sonderstab «P», former military officers of the UNR Army, fighters for an independent and independent Ukraine, relied on people far from this idea.*

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