

German Woman's Plea Against Ouster Answered

By the Associated Press.

PHILADELPHIA, June 5.—The Federal Government charged yesterday in a petition filed in Federal Court that the continued presence of Mrs. Olga Schueller, 53, a native of Germany, in the Third Eastern Defense Area would be "dangerous to the national defense."

Mrs. Schueller, who has been naturalized and has a son in the United States Navy, refused to obey an order issued by Lt. Gen. Hugh A. Drum, commander of the Third Area, that she move from Philadelphia to some place outside the district, which extends along the Atlantic coast. In a petition to Federal Court asking that the order be annulled, she declared she has been "a loyal American citizen" and never has engaged in subversive activities.

Replying to the petition, United States Attorney Gerald A. Gleeson said yesterday on behalf of Gen. Drum that the exclusion order was based upon the "administrative record" compiled following a hearing given Mrs. Schueller before a board of three Army officers and "on investigative reports, summaries and recommendations."

Mr. Gleeson said the "administrative record" will be offered in evidence at a hearing before Federal Judge J. Cullen Ganey next Thursday, but added that the investigative reports, summaries and recommendations will be kept secret, because they "contain certain confidential information which might aid the enemy."