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[Redacted] a town plan of Braila, Rumania. 50X1-HUM
 The plan is accompanied by a legend showing the location of industrial enterprises, government buildings, and military installations in Braila.

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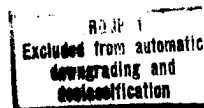
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Legend for the attached sketch of the city of Braila

- 1 - Stand of Canadian polars for the use of the Filaret match factory and for the match department of the forthcoming factory of the PAL of Braila.
- 1a- Earthen dike from Braila to the bridge over the Siret River. The dike was built in 1944-46.
- 2 - Piggery
- 3 - Brick kiln
- 4 - City sewer - oval pipes 1.5 m. wide and 2.5 m. high; near its terminal point it is uncovered.
- 5 - Embarkation point for animals and vehicles to be ferried over to Smirdanu Nou (formerly Ghecet) in Dobruja.
- 6 - Slaughterhouse
- 7 - Part of the Baligosi Quarter where the Lipoveni gypsies live.
- 8 - Fuel depot (formerly the Concordia fuel depot) for refueling ships.
- 8a- Whirlpool in mid-Danube; 30 meters deep and a navigation hazard.
- 8b- Beacon.
- 9 - Dock basin
- 10 - Grain silos
- 11 - Dock warehouses for various types of merchandise.
- 12 - Small thermic electric control point for the dockyard cranes.
- 13 - Port militia and customs caserne
- 14 - Anchorage for the motor vessels of the port militia
- 14a- Large crane and gantry crane on rails.
- 15 - Dock administration offices
- 16 - Dockyard warehouse - formerly the Frassine warehouse.
- 17 - Dockyard warehouse - formerly the Lloyd Triestino warehouse.
- 18 - Fishmarket
- 19 - Entrance to docks
- 20 - Barbed wire fence around dock zone
- 21 - Former caserne of the 8th Cavalry; now empty.

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- 22 - Prison
- 23 - Harbor border guard
- 24 - Flour mill
- 25 - Headquarters of the Peoples Militia, civil and penal courts; formerly a navy caserne.
- 26 - Public park
- 27 - About 20 former grain storehouses; now contains various city-owned items; administered by the "Gospodaria Locala."
- 28 - Gara Port- ~~Best~~ railroad station for merchandise only.
- 29 - Cookie factory
- 30 - Quarantine station
- 31 - Wharf, 600 meters long
- 31a- Anchorage for ships awaiting their turn to come alongside the Wharf.
- 31b - Braila Island; in summer, vegetables and animals are raised on it; in the winter it is flooded.
- 31c - Summertime bathing facility for Braila.
- 32 - Boarding dock for passengers going direct o Macin
- 33 - Boarding dock for passengers on the Danube lines
- 34 - NAVROM shipping line
- 35 - NAVROM warehouse
- 36 = Sailors' monument, made of stone and dedicated in 1959
- 37 - Port captain's office
- 38 - The Hotel Frances, formerly occupied by the Russians, now a natural history museum.
- 38a- Headquarters of the ASIT (Scientific Association of Engineers and Technicians).
- 39 - "11 June" movie theatre.
- 40 - Normal school (formerly the Casa d'Italia)
- 41 - Catholic Church
- 42 - Monument to the Emperor Vulpius Traianus
- 43 - Church of Saint Archangel - Orthodox (Catholic)

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- 44 - Clock tower
- 45 - State theatre, formerly the community theatre.
- 46 - Casa Partitului - The Party building, headquarters of the Braila section of the Rumanian Workers' Party.
- 47 - State bank
- 48 - Coeducational high school
- 48a = Air-raid shelter (including nuclear attack) built by the Soviets in 1953.
- 49 - Pediatric polyclinic
- 50 - Main post office
- 51 - Telephone center
- 52 - Radioficare Braila - Braila Radio Station
- 53 - Building housing Party offices; an old building formerly the Greek school; one story.
- 54 - ~~Town~~ Hall, now the Courthouse
- 55 - Flour mill, formerly the Violatus flour mill
- 56 - Anchorage for maritime vessels
- 57 - Formerly SDGP, a small Soviet naval repair shop for only Soviet vessels. It was completely dismantled and in its place was constructed a swimming pool shaped like a ship and which makes use of the Danube waters.
- 58 - Transformer sub-station of the municipal electric works
- 59 - Transformer shed
- 60 - Subterranean high-tension electrical center for the city
- 61 - Girls' high school
- 62 - Headquarters of the naval border police
- 63 - Anchorage for naval border police vessels
- 64 - Maritime cooperative for vessel repair
- 65 - City firewood depot
- 66 - Central municipal hospital
- 67 - NAVROM rescue materials storage point

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- 68 - Storage for various city-owned materials
- 69 - Sand, gravel, and stone stores
- 70 - Santier Naval Viitorul - formerly the Danube Naval Shipyard.
- 71 - Office of the municipal waterworks.
- 72 - Collection point for Danube waters used by the municipal waterworks
- 72a- Main waterworks reservoir for supplying water to the city. The tower is 25 meters high.
- 73 - Municipal thermal electric center
- 74 - Motor vehicle repair station; city-owned
- 75 - Streetcar depot
- 76 - Streetcar repair shops
- 77 - Rumanian rice plant
- 78 - P.A.L. Factory
- 79 - Stanca cement plant; formerly the Cantacuzino cement plant.
- 80 - Rock and earth dump belonging to the cement plant.
- 81 - Unloading dock for the cement plant.
- 82 - 1 Mai Naval Shipyard; formerly the Stefanescu naval shipyard. It is also an arsenal for the Rumanian Navy.
- 83 - Formerly a caserne for bridge engineers, now empty.
- 84 - "Place de Stuf" Factory.
- 85 - "Sarmei" Factory
- 86 - Former caserne of the 38th Infantry Regiment, now empty.
- 87 - Caserne built during World War II, now empty.
- 88 - Military fuel depot formerly used by the Germans and Soviets; now being dismantled.
- 89 - Normal school boarding house
- 90 - Orphanage
- 91 - New houses for the workers and employees of the P.A.L.; three-story buildings.
- 92 - Forest Inspector's headquarters.

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- 93 - Unidentified school
- 94 - People's Militia substation for the Clony Quarter
- 95 - Living quarters for the workers of P.A.L. (old buildings)
- 96 - Tobacco shop (government-owned)
- 97 - New Church of St. Paraschiva (Orthodox)
- 98 - Old Church of St. Paraschiva.
- 99 - German Protestant Church
- 100 - Orthodox Church of St. Spiridone
- 101 - Casa Agriculturiei (Agriculture Building), a five-story building; formerly the headquarters of the Soviet garrison in Braila.
- 102 - The Anchor Ready-made Clothing Factory.
- 103 - Old oxygen manufacturing plant, now being dismantled.
- 104 - Municipal bus garage
- 105 - Public baths
- 106 - Suburban bus transport terminal.
- 107 - Former residence which became the Hristo Botev Museum.
- 108 - Bronze bust of Hristo Botev in Omonima Square. The bust was removed to the Museum (No. 107).
- 109 - Municipal bakery (only one in Braila)
- 110 - Tannery which is supplied by the municipal slaughterhouse.
- 111 - Obor market for produce supplied by cooperative farmers.
- 112 - Lira Theatre, formerly used by Soviet forces. Re-opened for the public in 1959.
- 113 - Headquarters of the Securitate, formerly the Daniel Building.
- 114 - Military District Headquarters
- 115 - Synagogue
- 116 - Synagogue
- 117 - Main office of an agricultural enterprise; formerly the headquarters of a Russian military tribunal.
- 118 - The Nicolai Balcescu High School, the oldest high school in Braila.

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- 120 - Main market for fruits, vegetables, cheeses, meats, fish, etc., the market has refrigerators. -6-
- 121 - Security warehouse for the I.M.D. Factory.
- 122 - I.M.D. Factory.
- 123 - Oil Works, formerly the Sezanov Oil Works.
- 124 - Town Hall for the Nedelcu Chercea Quarter
- 125 - Normal school of the Nedelcu Chercea Quarter
- 126 - Orthodox Church for the Nedelcu Chercea Quarter
- 127 - Railroad equipment storehouse
- 128 - Locomotive roundhouse with turntable
- 129 - Railroad station offices of various types.
- 130 - Foot bridge connecting with the Nedelcu Chercea Quarter.
- 131 - Gara Braila - Braila railroad station for passengers and freight. It has eight tracks.
- 132 - Freight platform and warehouse
- 133 - Miscellaneous RR services and living quarters for the personnel.
- 134 - Block tower; the switches are hand-operated.
- 135 - Civilian fuel depot
- 135a - Classification yard.
- 136 - Area in which a new classification yard will be laid out.
- 137 - Agricultural school center. Converted from an old caserne which has not been modernized in any way. It has been in operation for about two years.
- 138 - Zimbru Oil Works, formerly the Verona Brothers.
- 139 - Municipal plant nursery
- 140 - Secondary foodstuff market.
- 141 - Park with monument to Catherine Teodoroiu, a World War II heroine.
- 142 - Pump station for drinking water going from the municipal aqueduct to the Progresul enterprise.
- 143 - New houses for personnel of Progresul; these are bungalows.
- 144 - Progresul Metallurgical Enterprise.

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- 145 - Smardanul Nou Shipyards (formerly the Ghecet Shipyards)
- 146 - Former Soviet military hospital, now empty and guarded by the Rumanian Navy.
- 147 - Dynamo Mechanical Workshop.

Note: Nos. 106, 107, and 108 were razed in 1960 and blocks of buildings, about 20 to a block and five stories high, were built.

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