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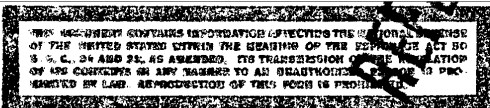
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1. The Ipeil (Intreprinderile Pentru Exploatarea si Industrializarea Lemnului - Enterprises for the Exploitation and Industrialization of Wood) barrel factory, located at Soseaua Viilor No. 52, Bucharest was formerly called the Luther factory. The factory makes wooden barrels, most of which are used for beer. The factory had 600 employees in 1950, but the number was reduced to 400 in 1951.
2. In 1950 the factory produced 70,000 barrels. Workers are required to work eight hours per day, and receive 6,800 to 7,000 lei per month. Each group of workers is required to make 32 barrels in eight hours. In 1951 a new directive required a workers' group to produce 120 barrels each day.
3. The wood used in the barrels is obtained from the Ipeil enterprise. Reportedly the barrels are now shipped to the Soviet Union.
4. Identification cards held by workers are renewable every three months, whereas the cards of non-workers are renewable every month.

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