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It is reported that an underground organization (Pui de Lei-Young Lions) whose main activity is to circulate anti-Communist literature was discovered in Buzau last fall (1951). Seven members were arrested.

[Redacted] One result has been that the entire Securitate personnel of Buzau was purged for "lack of Socialist vigilance." Some of the underground groups in Rumania at present are as follows:

- a. An organization known by the initials M.O.D.R. is active in and near Barlad, in Moldavia.
- b. Another organization which is known as Umbra (The Shadow) has been actively sabotaging railroads and setting fires at various enterprises and plants.
- c. The Vlad Tepes II organization (Vlad Tepes, the Impaler, prince of Wallachia from 1456-1462) had been led by Colonel Victor Lupan and Gheorge Balan. Both were arrested; Colonel Lupan was executed on 21 June 1951, but Balan escaped.

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