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1. The headquarters of an unidentified infantry division, commanded by a general, are located in a large building near the railroad station in Dobrich. The division has a total strength of 8,000-10,000 men and consists of the following units stationed throughout the city;
 - a. The 26 Infantry Regiment, formed in Dobrich during 1950;
 - b. The 46 Infantry Regiment, which has been stationed in the city for a number of years and is quartered with 26 Regiment;
 - c. An unidentified artillery regiment (division), equipped with 40-50 horse-drawn guns;
 - d. An unidentified tank (armored) brigade, which has been stationed in Dobrich since 1950 and garrisoned in newly-constructed quarters; the brigade is equipped with Soviet medium tanks;
 - e. An unidentified motorized artillery battalion (division);
 - f. An unidentified motorized antitank battalion (division);
 - g. An unidentified antiaircraft battalion (division);

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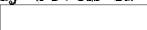
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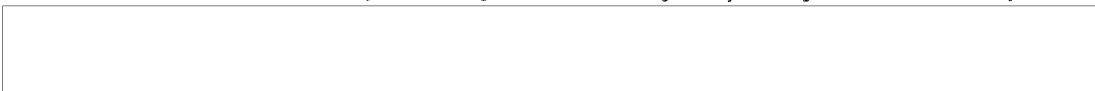
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- h. An unidentified communication company (division), quartered with 26 and 46 Infantry Regiments; and
- i. The 8 Cavalry Regiment.
2. As of March 1947, the 19 Infantry Regiment, commanded by Iliya Shopov, was stationed at Razgrad.
 3. As of October 1947, the 27 Infantry Regiment, which operated a regimental corporals' school, was stationed at Smolyan. Lieutenant Colonel Genchev and Sergeant Draganov were medical personnel of the regiment.
 4. As of April 1949, the 3 Border Company was stationed at Chorbadzhiysko. In 1948, the company commander was Captain Khristo Kolchev who was sent to a military school in the USSR;  50X1-HUM
 5. The Dobrich airfield is under construction north of the city; only authorized personnel were allowed access to the field. Approximately 20-30 monoplanes and bi-planes were stationed at the field; the planes were used mostly for training purposes.¹
 6. There were brick fortifications one meter wide and 7.5 meters deep extending for an unknown distance approximately seven or eight meters inside the Turkish-Bulgarian border south of Elkhovo.  noted two concrete bunkers and barbed wire entanglements in front of the fortifications between Lesovo and Golyam Dervent. 50X1-HUM
 7. Gancho Ivanov Vasilev, a native of Vladimirovo village, Dobrich district, is a member of the Dobrich State Security.
 8. The following personalities are Communists in Orlova Mogila:
 - a. Valyu Donchev Todorov, village alderman;
 - b. Mikhail Dimitrov Mikhailov, Party secretary;
 - c. Stoyil Donchev Todorov, leader of the farmers' cooperative; and
 - d. Khristo Ivanov Stoyanov, "Kircho" Petkov Todorov, Stoyan Yordanov Stoyanov, Stoyan Ivanov Stoyanov, and Stoyan Petrov Stoyanov, Party committee members.



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