



NY 105-24495

Investigation and Intelligence Service at Washington, D.C. No record could be located which could be identified with the subject, CONNORIAN GAVRILESCU.

On June 13, 1957, T-1, who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised one ROBERT BROWN, a member of Russian extraction, had knowledge of a person named GAVRILESCU. BROWN stated he knew this individual in Germany where GAVRILESCU had been held in a detention camp.

According to BROWN, this GAVRILESCU was a dangerous person, a robber, etcetera, who would do anything for money. GAVRILESCU was not politically minded but was the type who would do political work for pay. If GAVRILESCU has arrived in the United States, he is probably using false papers. This GAVRILESCU is about 30 years of age and approximately 5'4" in height.

T-1 advised BROWN had departed from New York by ship and would presently return in about ten days.

On June 8, 1957, T-2, who is acquainted with many individuals in the New York area, and has furnished reliable information in the past, advised that GAVRILESCU is not known to him.

T-2 related that there are a father, MICHAEL BORN, and two sons, ROBERT (the younger son) and JIM BORN, who are reported to be residing at an unknown address in Brooklyn, New York. This source believes the BORNs may have some knowledge of GAVRILESCU, and it may be possible to ascertain where they are residing.

On June 28, 1957, T-3 advised that the BORNs may be residing with or known to DANIEL GAVRILESCU, who resides in Brooklyn. This individual apparently owns a home in Brooklyn and is employed as a refrigerator repair man.

SECRET

NY 8725

NY 105-24495

T-2 further recollected that there are two individuals known to him by the name of GAVRILESCU. One of these was a former Rumanian Air Force pilot, who was dark complexioned and approximately 5'4" in height. He was a right hand man of COUREANU and also EORIA SIMA, leaders of the Rumanian Iron Guard. The second individual would now be approximately 49 years of age and was a Rumanian Army officer.

T-2 stated, in addition, that there were rumors that the Air Force pilot, mentioned above, had been in San Francisco last year at which time he was illegally in the United States. He was reputed to be a close friend of ROMBO STEFANESCU, who has commented that GAVRILESCU was a sailor on a German ship.

On June 27, 1957, T-1 advised ION COSTACHE had returned to New York as scheduled, but the informant missed seeing him as COSTACHE stayed only one night before departing on a European voyage which would last approximately 45 days.

T-1, however, related it had come to his attention that EUGEN BORA, while visiting a restaurant on 42nd Street, New York City, with two friends, was overheard speaking Rumanian by a stranger. This individual introduced himself as GAVRILESCU, and exhibited an Argentine passport. He claimed to have entered the United States as a tourist from Canada.

This source did not know where EUGEN BORA resides, but expects to see him or hear about him in the future.

The Rumanian Iron Guard (RIG) has been described by Bishop VIGREL DOMISE TRIPA, an alleged former RIG leader, and by THEODOR HUMITA, an admitted former RIG member, as being an extremely radical, nationalistic, political organization founded in Rumania in the early 1930's. The RIG collaborated with the Nazi German Government during World War II.

Both Bishop TRIPA and THEODOR HUMITA have stated that the RIG is definitely anti-Communist.

- P -

- 3 -

INDEX

CS COPY

7 Aug. 1957

BEST AVAILABLE COPY