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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION
Newark, New Jersey
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FRENC KIRALY
Date of Birth: April 6, 1923, Kocakemet, Hungary
INS file # A10 998 158

Immigration and Naturalization Service, Newark, New Jersey, has conducted investigation into the background of Ferenc Kiraly, who entered the United States at the Port of New York on November 26, 1957. He entered the U.S. as a parolee from Hungary and was processed through the Hotel St. George. Arriving with him were his wife, Julianna Kiraly, nee Vergody, and his three children. He presently resides at 309 South Clinton Street, Trenton, N.J. and is unemployed except for occasional work at a restaurant in Trenton, N.J.

Records of another government agency were found to contain a reference to one Captain Ferenc Kiraly, who was born around 1919 and who had been named as Deputy Chief of the Vehicle Section of Division VII of AVH in Hungary as of May, 1953. This government agency also had information indicating that one Ferenc Kiraly had served in Section XII, Central Service, of the AVH in a commissioned officer capacity since 1944. It was stated that it was believed that this officer was identifiable with the Captain Kiraly mentioned above.

On February 12, 1958 Ferenc Kiraly of 309 South Clinton Street, Trenton, N.J., was interviewed by a representative of INS in an effort to obtain background information which might establish the fact that he was identical with the Captain Ferenc Kiraly reported to have been associated with the AVH in Hungary or eliminate him as being identical with the subject of the allegation.

During the interview Ferenc Kiraly furnished his date of birth as April 6, 1923, stated that he had never been a member of the Communist Party, had no connection in any way with the AVH, had served in the Hungarian Army from October 20, 1943 until August 1, 1944 and the highest military rank attained by him was that of Private.

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Kiraly states he was married on October 16, 1937 in
Belgium, and that Maria and Joseph are his wife's
children from her first marriage while Joseph, Jr. is
his child. He explains that under Hungarian law, Maria, Jr.

Children: Maria Vogel, born September 30, 1948, Budapest, Hungary;
Joseph Vogel, born February 16, 1949, Budapest, Hungary;
Joseph Vogel, Jr., born December 28, 1954, Budapest,
Hungary.
Married: JULIANA KIRALY, nee HOSKODY, born 12/20/17
in Kismegyer, County of Szolnok, Hungary.

Married Status

1938 - 34; present address in Kozsokmet, Hungary.
1936 - 35; states attended part-time state school in
Kozsokmet while working in the same city
as a grocery clerk.

Education

Kiraly states he is an Hungarian citizen, having last
entered the U.S. on November 28, 1957, via plane at New York,
and was processed through the St. George Hotel, Allen Heights
Station from I-55 reflects the following identifying
information: KIRALY, Joseph; birth date: 4/6/31; citizenship:
Hungarian; height: 5 ft. 7 in.; weight: 164; eyes: blue;
hair: fair. Marks: none. AIO 938 155; I.D. Card #18823.

Citizenship and Entry Date

April 6, 1932, Kozsokmet, Hungary

Birth

A summary of Joseph Kiraly's background obtained
from his statement is as follows:
In the report of March 21, 1958, containing
the above information, it was stated that from the limited
identifying data available in connection with the allegation
regarding association with the VLN, it was not possible
to definitely eliminate Joseph Kiraly as being identical
to that it appeared from Kiraly's own statement that the
allegation did not relate to him.

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had to be named "Vogel" since Kiraly's wife at the time of the child's birth was not then divorced from her first husband, Bela Vogel.

Relatives Abroad

Parents - Father, Mihaly Kiraly, born 1895 in Kecskemet, Hungary. Presently resides #85 Abraham Gasa St., Budapest 20, Hungary
- Mother, Judith Kiraly, nee Nagy, born 1900 in Kecskemet, Hungary. Presently resides with husband at above address.

Brothers- Mihaly Kiraly, born 1920 in Kecskemet, Hungary. Presently resides 124 Erinyi St., Budapest 19, Hungary.
- Lajos Kiraly, born 1924 in Kecskemet, Hungary. Presently resides unknown street number on Tiszai St., Budapest 20, Hungary.
- Bela Kiraly, born 1928 in Kecskemet, Hungary. Presently resides USA.
- Karoly Kiraly, born 1931, Kecskemet, Hungary. Presently resides Hotel Hungary, London, England.
- Sandor Kiraly, born 1934 or 1936 in Kecskemet, Hungary. Presently resides Hotel Hungary, London, England.

Sisters - Judith Sarocz, nee Kiraly, born 1926 in Kecskemet, Hungary. Presently resides with parents at #85 Abraham Gasa St., Budapest 20, Hungary
- Ilona Kiraly, born 1945 in Budapest, Hungary. Presently resides with sister and parents at above-mentioned address.

Relatives in the United States

Kiraly states his wife and three children reside with him at 309 South Clinton Street, Trenton, N.J. His brother, Bela, resides 900 South Clinton Street, Trenton, N.J.

Criminal Record

Kiraly advised that he has never been arrested, imprisoned or convicted of any crimes during his lifetime.

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Military Service

Kiraly advised the extent of his military career was as set forth in the background of this report.

Residences

Present - 309 South Clinton Street, Trenton, N.J.

Past - 1946-55; #85 Abraham Gera St., Budapest XX, Hungary.
1955-1/56; Cselote Puszte Farm, Kozed, County of Pest, Hungary
1/56-7/56; # 49 Abraham Gera St., Budapest XX, Hungary.
7/56-11/56; #34 Abraham Gera St., Budapest XX, Hungary.

Employments

Present - Unemployed. States does occasional restaurant work 3 days a week. S.S. Acct. #144-32-8129.

Past - 1946-48; alleged did occasional work on farm. No steady employment.
1948-52; Epelet Vasnerkezlet Iron Factory, Budapest XI, #28 Csurgoi Ave., as a machine operator.
1952-54; Csopoli Vasuvek, Csopol, Hungary, as a machine operator.
1954-55 (Jan.); Tuzolanyag Szallitasi Vallalat, Fuel Supply Co., Budapest, as a delivery man. Company located #18 Thobai Ave., Budapest VII.
1/56-1/56; employed Cselote Puszte Farm in Kozed, Hungary, as a farm machine repairman.
2/56-11/56; #9 Karolati Autoipari Vallalat (bakery), #53 Mester St., Budapest IX, Hungary, as a delivery man

Affiliation with the International Communist Movement

Kiraly denied any affiliation with the Communist Party, the AVH Security Police, or the Military Intelligence, KATPOL. He mentioned that he was a compulsory rank-and-file member of the Trade Union, commencing February 1950.

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Miscellaneous

Participation in the Hungarian Revolution, 1956

Kiraly stated he did not participate in the recent Hungarian Revolution since he was working as a bakery delivery man.

Reasons for Leaving Hungary and Coming to the United States

Kiraly stated he left Hungary because of differences he had with his employer in the bakery, and that he was fearful that the employer would report him to the Russians and the Party, and he would be punished. He claims that he came to the United States to join his refugee brother.

Language Ability

Ferenc Kiraly speaks only Hungarian.

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