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"TRAJAN"

Card I

MGLA-535 (Devel Proj 116 - 7 October 1949) Leader of this connection for Org. 13. Subject is a 35-year old Rumanian (Mazedorumaens) teacher. He attended the Rumanian Mittleschule in Greece and then went to the Teachers' Academy in Cluj. In 1934 he was given instruction for three months by the Rumanian Consul in Janina on requirements of political intelligence. In 1937 he took a three months course in military intelligence with the General Staff in Bucharest. Until 1941 he worked for the Rumanian Foreign Office as head of the political net with the Macedo-Rumanian minorities and simultaneously was working for the Rumanian General Staff. He is an activist of a Rumanian (aromaenisch) minority group. After 1942 he had a connection to the counter-intelligence of the Oberkommando Der Wehrmacht on questions involving minority volunteer groups. In 1943 he became political specialist for a volunteer group in Greece (Identity not given). In 1944 and 1945 he was entrusted with special agent commitments in Greece. He then withdrew from active work and lived in retirement until 1947 when he was recruited by ODEUM. He travels now at times to Rumania. He has no contact with any other intelligence agencies or groups interested in this work. Subject is said to be one of the best intelligence men in southeast Europe. From Dec 48 Subject was in Rumania for ODEUM. He lives in Austria. Has under direction 19 130, 19 132, Subject is considered to be an absolutely trustworthy Rumanian Nationalist with no ties to other intelligence groups. Has proved himself to the organization by the results of the two extended stays he has already made in Rumania. Nothing is known about his family, but if he has one, it presumably lives in the west with him. Cover not known. SEE PROJ 116 for more expansive details on work.

MGLA-549 (Devel Proj 114 - 10 October 1949) 19200 works for him. Recruited 19201. Thinks 19 205 careful and unusually intelligent. When necessary will meet 19 200 in Rumania.

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MGLA-609 Devel. Proj 115 - Subject is head of this operation working for Org 13.  
17 Oct 49 Trained 19150 in intelligence, counter-intelligence, codes, and secret  
inks. Also trained 19 151, 19 152. Established contact with this group  
through its leaders.

MGEW  
15 Feb. 50 Pouch to POB pointing out similarities between TRAJAN and Jon MARGARIT.  
Probably identical.

MEK-  
17 Oct 50 Pouch to POB assigning cryptonym WJ-ERIFKE.

FULL-1307  
IE-49599 arriving in Rome with UnaGE on 16 Nov to see PAPANACE.  
15 Nov 50

FULL-1388  
IE-14224 Subject traveled to Rome as stateless person Jon ADAM with German identity  
5 Dec 50 card supplied by Full.

KAPOK  
WFA-6416 Mihai OPRAN went to Rome to see subject on 17 Nov 50, and proposed that  
8 Dec 50 that they combine efforts in counter intelligence activities in Austria  
and Germany. Subject declined. Jon MARGARIT was with subject when OPRAN  
contacted subject.

MAWA-185  
17 Jan 51 In the summer of 49 [ ] (Austrian desk) was approached by Jan  
MARGARIT MARGARIT, who used the cover name of ANEBU, who attempted to re-  
cruit him for an American organization. MARGARIT lived in street, self-  
gangster. [ ] had contact with MARGARIT for about 4 mos; MARGARIT  
later was transferred to Italy. (Identical?)

MARGARIT, Jon MOLA-1036 ✓ 9 Feb 1950

"Trajan" Card II

Born 17 Mar 1914 at Breaza (Epirus) Greece. Parents were Adam MARGARIT, sawmill proprietor, & Joanna MARGARIT. Attended school at Janina, Greece, graduated from Lyceum at Grebena, Greece. Studied at pedagogical academy at Cluj, Rumania 1929-34. 1934-37 teacher at Breaza, 1937-38 taught at Vodana, school inspector at Salonica from 1938-44. 1936-42 acted as political informer for Rumanian Foreign Office & General Staff, working directly under Prince Emile GHICA. Special task to keep Rumanian gov't informed all steps taken by Greece to suppress Macedo-Rumanian population. After Ger. occupation Greece, ordered work closely with them. Established contact with Ger. Abwehr in late 1942, 1943 formed block against Communist partisans. Stayed in this capacity until 1945. Since 1945 lived in Graz, Austria. Appointed intelligence co-ordinator for Macedo-Rumanians in fall of 1948 by PAPANACE.

Only OSO trace Feb. 1950: 62-8-4-27, 18 Mar. 1948 Official Monitor No. 50  
W Ion Margarit, Police Agent Mar. 48, Harsova Police Commissariat, transferred  
to Constanta Police Hqs.

MGKA 10442 ✓ USFA File # 208 6 Apr 49 TIB request for Reiseausweis and Allied Forces  
Permit for Trieste for Johann MARGARIT. Brown hair, blue eyes, 168 cm, 60 kg.  
oval face. Had inclosed 6 passport photos and completed application.

MOLA 1586 ✓ 7 April 1950

USAGE contact. Macedo-Rumanian, former school inspector & Rumanian Intelli. rep. in Macedonia  
Intelli. co-ordinator for PAPANACE Group.

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MGLA 1597 ✓ 2 May 1950 MGLA 1653 ✓  
WSAGE learned through Jen MARGARIT that BOGDAN had connections mentioned in doc.

MGLA 1540 ✓ 20 Mar. '50 Contacted by ANNER in re: working for "A" staff instead of UNREST.  
Also short personal history of Subj. (see MGLA 1036, para. 3-d)

MGLA 3451 ✓ & 3452 ✓ both of 22 Sept 1950  
MARGARIT approached by Father LEON, Rumanian priest, who expressed intense interest in PAPA-  
HACE's his group. This meeting took place in Strobl, Austria. (Probably Vasile Ion)

KAPOK \* WPPA-6414, 8 Dec 50

Mihal OPRAN encountered subject in Rome on 17 Nov 50 when subject was with PAPANACE. Subject  
told OPRAN that he was leaving for Austria on commercial business. On 20 Nov OPRAN was in  
Innsbruck and was told while there that subject and two other Rumanians had moved into a house  
at Manden (Gmunden?), US Zone Austria and that one of the men had let slip in refugee  
circles that the three were working for the US State Dept. The chief of the local CIC branch  
had called on subject and his associates, asked for an explanation of their activities, and  
when no satisfactory answer was given, ordered them to evacuate the house. When they refused  
to comply, he left stating that he would return with an order for their evacuation. He  
never returned.

MASA-185, 17 Jan 51

In the summer of 1949 one Jan MARGARIT, who used the cover name STANESCU, approached  
[ ] attempted to recruit him for an American organization. MARGARIT lived in  
Strobl/Wolfgangsee. [ ] had contact with MARGARIT for about 4 months. MARGARIT WAS  
subsequently transferred to Italy.

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CARD III

MOLA 5379 ✓ 21 Feb 1951

Revealed to USAGE his knowledge of local intell personalities & ops.

MOLA 5546 ✓ 7 March 1951

USAGE approached in Cafe Moser, Salzburg, 21 Feb by CONSTANTINESCU, who stated he trying locate & contact USAGE & UJ DRIFTER (Margarit). CONSTANTINESCU met USAGE & UJ DRIFTER while they were still employed by GV A.

MOLA 5774 ✓ 22 March 1951

Former V-no of RB-1, given in MOLA 3476 as 19101, based on info given by USAGE, who, retained number list of those person he interested in for future operational use.

MOLA 5419 ✓ 23 Feb 1951

KUALES claims he will get copies of archives of AUBER group for UJ DRIFTER (subj) for payments of 2000 schillings per month for 6 mos. & assistance in emigration for himself & family. Will get archives from CARP & PCPA.

MELA-7499 ✓ Contact between MARGARIT - PAPANACZ is based upon their Macedorumanian 25 July 51 origin and similar political leanings.

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"DUMITRU"

MGLA-549 (Devel Proj 114- 10 Oct 49) Rumanian; age 36. Living Rumania. Attended a Mittelschule in Bulgaria and a Hochschule in Rumania. Reserve officer; deputy leader of this group. Speaks Bulgarian, Rumanian, Turkish, and Russian; and knows Rumania, Bulgaria, Bessarabia, and Transnistria well. He has particularly good opportunities to penetrate the Rumanian and Russian armies. Recruited by 19 050 known well by him and is thought to be an experienced nationalist worker, energetic and discreet. Has recruited a group of Bessarabian-Rumanians, now citizens of the USSR. Subject is deputy to 19 200 and knows only him. Able to move around freely because of official job. Comptroller of a Rumanian tobacco office. Group recruited work as Interpreters for Red army.

MGLA-550 (Devel Proj 114 - 15 Nov 49) Controller Rumanian tobacco office. Interpreters for Red Army.

MGLA-930 27 Jan 50---Possibly Mircea DUMITRU is identical with subject.

19 200

"IULIU"

MGLA\*549 (Devel Proj 114 - 10 Oct 49) Leader of this group who works for 19 050 (see Project 116), and was schooled by him in intelligence, counter-intelligence and secret writing. Rumanian citizen, living in Rumania, with experience in intelligence work. 19 050 knows subject very well and considers him clever, energetic, and a good organizer. He is well acquainted with Rumania, North Bulgaria, Bessarabia, and Transnistria. Subject has arranged five sub-agencies (formerly Residenturas) in East Rumania and Bessarabia; and recruited the leaders for them. He has also planned the communications and has built a courier net. His next tasks are to be the planning and organization of other support points, contacts and courier lines as well as the training of radio operators. (see MGLA-550, para 1-a.) He has no other intelligence connections. Has office in Ungureni, (Judet Ilfov). Known by 19 201, 19 203, 19204, 19 205. Subject knows that the work is taking place with the support of the US, but has no other knowledge of people, installations, or aims.

MGLA-550 Proj. 114 15 November 1949  
Veterinary. Mittelschule in Greece and Hochschule in Rumania.

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"STERIE"

MGLA\*549 (Devel Proj 114 - 10 Oct 49) Hochschule in Rumania. Speaks Rumanian, Greek, Bulgarian, and Turkish. He is familiar with Rumania, Bulgaria, Greece, and the Black Sea area. He was recruited by 19 200 and 19 201. 19 050 ran an indirect check on him and found no adverse material. Subject's position gives him an excellent opportunity to furnish information on the harbor where he works and to watch Soviet and Rumanian troop movements in the Dobrudschka area. He is a Harbor doctor. Studied in Rumania and in a Mittelschule in Greece. Doctor in the Navy during the war. Works in Constanta; described as quiet, thoughtful and a trustworthy nationalist. Knowledge of others and the aims of the organization are not given.

MGLA-550 Proj. 114 15 Nov 49  
Harbor doctor. Studied in Rumania and Mittelschule in Greece. Doctor in Navy during war.

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"TEGA"

MGLA-549 (Devel Proj 114 - 10 Oct 49) Mechanical engineer, 37 years, living in Rumania. Rumanian who attended the Mittelschule in Sofia. Speaks Rumanian, Bulgarian, Turkish, and Russian. Knows Rumania and Bulgaria. Subject can watch the harbor at Galati and penetrate Rumanian and Soviet marine units. He is considered to be a trustworthy patriot, intelligent and a good organizer. Works at his profession aboard the "Romescaria". Graduate of a Technical university in Rumania. Reserve officer in the Rumanian Signal Corps. Knows IULIU and DUMITRU and NICO. Knows purpose of the organization, but no details. Able to move around freely because of official job.

MGLA-550 Proj. 114 15 Nov 49

Works at profession aboard the "Romescaria". Graduate technical university in Rumania. Reserve officer Rumanian Signal Corps.

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"TITI"

MGLA-549 (Devel Proj 114 - 10 Oct 49) Has the task of building up connections to Bessarabia and the recruiting of people for Rumanian-Russian undertakings. Age 34. Judgment of his character is not yet possible. Mittel schule in Albania. Business college in Rumania. Finance Inspector in Rumania. Knows IULIU and DUMITRU. Knows the purpose of the organization, but no details.

MGLA-550 Proj. 114 15 Nov 49

Mittelschule in Albania. Business college in Rumania. Finance Inspector in Rumania.

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"NICO"

MGLA-549 (Devel Proj 114 - 10 Oct 49) Professional school education in Rumania. During the war was a non-commissioned officer of the Rumanian Navy. Now engineer aboard the "Romescaria". Age 36. Through his work he has many opportunities to contact friends in Rumanian and Russian marine circles. He is responsible for the support point in Akkerman, Bessarabia, which is led by a 50-year-old silversmith. and is to build it up. He is also to be responsible for the border crossing points Cartal, Reni, and Ismail. He speaks Rumanian, Greek, and Russian; and knows Rumania and, in particular, the Danube ports and the Black Sea coastal areas. Thought to be unusually intelligent and careful by 19 050. Knows 19 050, IULIU and TEGA. Provided with secret inks.

MGLA - 550 Proj. 114 15 Nov 49

Aboard the "Romescaria".

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