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Doctor Charles H. Kremer  
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A confidential source, who has furnished reliable information in the past, recently furnished the following information:

Doctor Charles H. Kremer, 253 West 72nd Street, New York City, a practicing dentist who was born in Romania, left at the end of July, 1967, for Tel Aviv, Israel, for a convention of Romanian Jews. Our source said that Dr. Kremer is President of a Romanian-Jewish organization in the United States. At the conclusion of this convention, Kremer will visit Bucharest, Romania, where he will see Moses Rosen, the Chief Rabbi of Romania.

[ ] Our source learned that Dr. Kremer is striving to depose Bishop Valerian Trifa of the Romanian Orthodox Church of the United States and Canada. Our source said that Kremer has accused Bishop Trifa of being a "war criminal" from Romania and intends to gather evidence and assistance from the Romanian Government against Bishop Trifa. The source said that it is generally known in the Romanian colony in New York City that Kremer has been in contact with Romanian officials in the United States.

Our source said that Kremer has also promised the leaders of the new Romanian Orthodox Church "Saint Gheorghe" in New York City, that he would seek assistance for that parish in Romania by requesting that Romanian Church leaders establish a library in the new parish and assist with "other problems" of the new parish. Our source said that this parish was formed when its members broke away from the jurisdiction of Bishop Trifa because of a conflict with the local pastor in New York City and, although it is presently independent, it now appears to be moving toward an alliance with the church of the Patriarch in Romania.

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