

RUMANIAPOLICE

Security Police
Personalities

Officers And Organization Of The Rumanian Securitatea

SOURCE ROME: A foreign citizen recently repatriated from BUCHAREST
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The personnel of the Rumanian Securitatea:

JIANU (fnu), Vice-Minister of the Interior.

General BULAN (fnu), former Commander of the Securitatea Troops (CTS.) He was recently transferred to the command of the Border Troops and Firemen. General BULAN came from USSR, and it is believed that he is a Soviet citizen of Rumanian origin.

Lieutenant Colonel OLTEANU (fnu), political director of the Securitatea troops of the Rumanian People's Republic, recently fell into disfavor with the Party and was sent as Commander to the Military School at TULCEA.

Lieutenant Colonel PETRASCU (fnu) is Colonel OLTEANU's aide. In a year's time he rose from the rank of Captain to that of Lt.Col.

Captain MELENCU (fnu), second in command of the Political Office of the Securitatea regiment in BUCHAREST.

Major BRUCKNER (fnu), Director of the Dynamo Sport Club (a football club of the Securitatea of the Ministry of Interior.) Major BRUCKNER's superior is Lt.Col. BALAS (fnu), ex-worker in the Aprutura textile factory in BUCHAREST.

Lieutenant Colonel GHINESCU (fnu), Commander of the Instruction Center of TURNU-MAGURELE, is only outwardly a Communist.

Lieutenant Colonel IONESCU (fnu), Commander of the Border Officers' Training School of ORADEA-MARE.

Colonel DIACONESCU (fnu), Commander of the Securitatea brigade of BUCHAREST, was formerly the Commander of the Securitatea regiment of BUCHAREST.

Major SAILEANU Adrian, Professor of the School for Political Officers at ORADEA-MARE, was an officer of the shock troops.

Captain OPRISCU (fnu), member of the Securitatea regiment of CLUJ and "blood brother" of ex-Minister TATARESCU's son (NU). (In Rumania there is a tradition that when two men want to become inseparable friends they make a small cut on their wrists and press the two bleeding cuts together.)

Major RUSU Mircea, Commander of border troops.

Captain VLADIMIRESCU Tudor, Commander of a border troop unit.

Captain TASE (fnu) is a member of the Securitatea brigade of BUCHAREST. He is not a Communist and was an officer of the shock troops.

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ORGANIZATION OF THE MINISTRY OF THE INTERIOR (MAI.)

The main office of the Political Bureau (DGP) is located in the building of the General Insurance Society on Victoriei street.

The Command of the Securitatea troops (CTS) is located in the former Dragomir Niculescu building on Victoriei street.

The Command of the border troops (CTG) is on Granicieri street in the Poparusu-Toamnei section of BUCHAREST.

The main office for the Control of Foreigners is located on Cretulescu street.

Most of the officers of the Securitatea are recruited from among ex-career Army officers. Our source often mingled with many of these officers and saw that some of them were not Communists.

Many former superior officers of militia, that is, from the rank of captain upwards, were discharged on 1 April 1950. Most of these officers were sent to work in various factories, and only those who received the approval of the Securitatea were taken back on the Force.

The BUCHAREST militia headquarters (CMC) are located in the former building of the office of the Prefect of Police.

The Securitatea regiment of BUCHAREST is in the former barracks of the militia troops which is located near the former building of the Prefecture of Police.

The training centers of the Securitatea troops are located at: FALTICENI, TURNU-MAGURELE, TIMISOARA, RADNA (ARAD,) MIZIL, DOROHOI.

The Headquarters of the People's Securitatea is on Rahovei street in the former municipal building (Albastru sector of BUCHAREST.)

All the members of the General Headquarters of the People's Securitatea are ex-workers.

EVAL. COMMENT: Information partly confirmed by other sources.
See items No. 4134, 8404, 10005, 10021, 12284, 12285.