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1. Unrest among the peasantry because of state grain collections has grown sharply during the summer. Acts of sabotage involving the burning of crops and attacks on state officials charged with effecting grain collections are on the increase.

2. The Rumanian Government is proceeding against the rich peasants (chiaburi) because this element is the foundation of peasant resistance to the regime. In some villages of Transylvania where the peasantry is on guard against the activities of the Communists, effective power is exercised by the peasantry and the local Communist officials do not dare to intervene.

3. A sharp clash between the peasantry and the Militia occurred at Dragoestii, in Ilfov County.* A large number of persons were killed and wounded and hundreds of peasants were arrested after the outbreak had been put down.**

25X1 [redacted] Comment: There is a Dragoestii de Sus and a Dragoestii de Jos in Ilfov County. The report does not indicate whether the clash occurred in Dragoestii de Sus or in Dragoestii de Jos.

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