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11-22-63: (RUM) SUMMARY (WF 493-ST)

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9:14 am G PRODEA to L BUCUR  
og-nc Inquiring if N BUCUR has left home yet to come down to the  
legation. She tells him yes, a few moments ago.  
(Rumanian) gan

10:00 am A BOTA to E PRODEA (LD from NY)  
(28-32) (S) After greetings and brief personal discussion in English, Mrs.  
ic BOTA tells Mrs. PRODEA she is calling because a Mrs. DAVID INCE  
from Long Island wanted to know how to send a package to Rumania  
and someone from legation apparently referred her to the Mission.  
Mrs. PRODEA doesn't know who could have referred her there but  
mentions that C NEGREA & A AFRIM who usually handle such matters  
have been away from the legation. Mrs. BOTA gives following  
address and suggests that she send letter to this person: Mrs.  
DAVID INCE at Ballantine or Valentine Lane in Kingspoint, Long  
Island, New York. Mrs. PRODEA states she will turn the address  
over to consulate section for them to take necessary measures.  
(Rumanian) gan

New York

10:35 am E ZAMFIRESCU to E PRODEA & G LATES  
ic-nc Asking to speak to N ZAMFIRESCU as she has doctor's appointment  
at 11:30 am and wonders what arrangements he has made to get her  
there. Both Mrs. PRODEA & LATES remark that he is in conference  
with BUCUR and the Minister and that they cannot disturb him.  
LATES tells her the conference in BUCUR's office started at  
9:30 am and the others are in there also. She tells him not to  
disturb ZAMFIRESCU as something should be settled by 11:30 am.  
(Rumanian) gan

10:56 am N ZAMFIRESCU to E ZAMFIRESCU  
og-nc Advising that he will come after her right away. She remarks that  
Mrs. MICSUNESCU is supposed to be ready and they will go after  
her also. CLASSIFIED BY 5668-SEL/nde  
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11:10 am M MORARU to N BUCUR (LD from NY)  
(28-37) (S) MORARU asks for clarification concerning new travel restrictions  
ic as he mentions that prior to MARCU's trip to Washington he  
mentioned trip to Niagara Falls. BUCUR replies that he has  
renounced this trip and that BALACEANU has checked with State  
and only way one can go to Niagara Falls is by plane or train but  
not driving. BUCUR also tells MORARU the regulations went into  
effect at time of their receipt. During time of discussion MORARU  
indicates that he might come down next Sunday to see BUCUR. At  
end of conversation BUCUR tells MORARU that from what he has  
heard the comrades here now will probably return to New York  
tomorrow but that the Mission will be advised.  
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11:46 am Miss SARITA GLORIA (ph) to G PRODEA  
ic-nc  
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Caller first asks to speak to C ZAVU and relates that Mrs. BALACEANU suggested she call him concerning where to purchase an English-Rumanian dictionary to assist her in translating some Rumanian music. PRODEA checks and tells her they will send her one if she gives them her address. She relates it is 1707 Columbia Road, N.W., Apartment 409. She also states she has previously received some music from the legation. She thanks PRODEA for his assistance.

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12:36 pm A. AFRIM to Receptionist(Dr. IZENBURG--ph)  
og-nc  
Cancels appointment he had for 2:00pm today and advises her he would like one next week. She says he'll have to call back when the doctor's nurse is there to make a new appointment.

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12:56 pm A AFRIM to C AFRIM  
og-nc  
AFRIM tells his wife he cancelled the appointment. She tells him she has been extremely busy around the place this morning and tells him to enjoy his lunch and she'll see him later today.  
(Rumanian)

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1:07 pm G PRODEA to JACK CARLE (State Department)  
(28-42) (S) PRODEA states he is calling concerning notification of travel  
og previously submitted by O NEDA, one of U.N. advisors, who had planned to return to New York by train but now wishes to return by car, DPL 1746. CARLE tells him this is okay and he will make modification on travel request. CARLE also tells PRODEA he is still trying to work out something on PRODEA's question of yesterday and that he will let him know as soon as possible.  
(See 10:25 am entry on (RUM 13727) (S))

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1:09 pm L MICSUNESCU to G PRODEA  
ic-nc  
Asking if C MICSUNESCU is there. PRODEA tells him no.  
(Rumanian)

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1:09 pm V. VASSILEV(Bulgarian Legation) to G. PRODEA LYUBOMIR POPOV  
ic-nc  
VASSILEV asks for an appointment between his minister/and Mr. BALACEANU on tuesday, 11/26/63. PRODEA advises him that 11:00 am that date at the Rumanian Channery will be fine.

rck

2:07 pm V. VASSILEV(Bulgarian Legation) to G. PRODEA  
ic-nc  
VASSILEV advises PRODEA that LYUBOMIR POPOV was sorry but he forgot about a previous appointment he had tuesday and therefore would like to change the appointment to anytime wednesday. PRODEA says he will have to check with BABACEANU, who is gone at the moment, and let VASSILEV know.

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2:16 pm G. PRODEA to Mrs. I. BALACEANU

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(S) 30-9 *Pres Kennedy*  
PRODEA advises her to turn on TV because Pres. KENNEDY had been shot, and keep them up to date. She says she will.

rck

2:30 pm MRS. KNAPP (ph) to A. AFRIM

(S) ic-nc She says she is calling in regards to MR. HALEY'S visa. She says she will pick it up on Monday.

kws (S)

2:43 pm G. PRODEA to A. SIMION

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(S) 30-11 *(S)*  
PRODEA tells Mrs. SIMION to get a hold of his wife, Mrs. PRODEA, who is having an English lesson, and have her come to the Legation immediately.

(Rumanian)

rck

3:17 pm LOU SINGER to B DOROBANTU

ic-nc Asking if DOROBANTU is coming over today. DOROBANTU says no, that he exchanged with ZAMFIRESCU so he could take two hours today but now in light of "this event" he doesn't think it possible today. SINGER wonders if DOROBANTU can take his future lessons from 11:30 to 1:30 pm on Tuesdays or Fridays and DOROBANTU says no. SINGER will try to work out some arrangements and contact DOROBANTU next week.

gan

3:38 pm BARBARA (LNU) (EVENING STAR) to G PRODEA

(S) 30-12 *(S)*  
ic *Pres Kennedy*  
Asking for official statement from Minister pertaining to the death of the President. PRODEA tells her the Minister is not available at this time. She asks for statement from any official at the legation and PRODEA tells her that no one of authority is present at the legation.

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(29-10) (S)  
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P BALACEANU to G MACOVESCU (LD to Foreign Ministry in Bucharest, Rumania) (G PRODEA places call)

BALACEANU greets MACOVESCU and relates that it is practically impossible to transmit via Telex so he decided to place a personal telephone call. MACOVESCU answers that he has received what has been transmitted by the legation to date and he goes on to tell BALACEANU to "be attent" and to continue to forward what he thinks is important to Bucharest. MACOVESCU remarks that they are especially interested in what the various governments have to say and so requests BALACEANU to send their reactions. BALACEANU states he will send some numbered text to Bucharest in next 15 minutes or so. BALACEANU also remarks that he will remain at legation and continue to forward anything he thinks is important. BALACEANU tells MACOVESCU a few brief details concerning the assassination as he has received them on the radio. He remarks that reports had it that Vice-President JOHNSON had a severe nervous shock when he was told and states that according to reports JOHNSON was in another car at the time. He also states that he has heard that JOHNSON is on his way back to the capital now and has already been sworn in. MACOVESCU thanks BALACEANU for his promptness in calling and they bid one another goodbye.

(Rumanian) gan

*Pres Kennedy*4:46 pm  
(28-40) (S)  
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C. ZAVU to UNIDENTIFIED WOMAN in Women's Section of EVENING STAR

ZAVU tells woman that he heard someone called the legation a short time ago. He is told they are interested in the reaction of the legation to the death of the President. ZAVU replies "we are profoundly shocked. Such acts of elimination of political figures from public life are condemned by every man with a sense of responsibility." She asks for his name and thanks him for calling.

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*Pres Kennedy*6:32  
og  
(30-23) (S)

L. MICSUNESCU to MARCU

MARCU says he is watching TV now and that he ate earlier at the legation. MICSUNESCU says he would like to have MARCU come over for a visit. MARCU says to say he has already eaten.

(Rumanian) kws

6:35 pm  
og  
(30-25) (S)

L. MICSUNESCU to C. MICSUNESCU

He tells her that he should be home around 7:20 pm.

(Rumanian) kws

8:26 pm  
ic  
(30-26) (S)

C. NEGREA to G. PRODEA (LD from Los Angeles)

NEGREA says they arrived today and all is well. They are in the hotel listed in the "program" and he is in room #573. He says his phone number is AR 2-1212. He says he has seen everything important in connection with the trip. He says he will be there until Sunday. PRODEA asks to speak with DUMITRI (ph) and when DUMITRI (ph) comes on phone, PRODEA addresses him as "Minister". He tells DUMITRI (ph) that the plane from Paris to Bucharest has

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been changed. Now it only goes on Wednesdays and Sundays, instead of Thursdays. DUMITRI (ph) says that reservations for Wednesday would be best since they arrive in Paris on a Tuesday morning. NEGREA then gets back on phone and gives PRODEA name : F. B. LOGAN (ph) El Paso-San Juan Division, Farmington, New Mexico. PRODEA tells NEGREA that he should call the legation day or night if he desires to. Byes.  
(Rumanian) kws

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