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More Top Aides Are Shifted at F.B.I.

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WASHINGTON, Nov. 14 — J. Edgar Hoover has appointed a new assistant to direct the investigative operations of the Federal Bureau of Investigation and has demoted the man who for the last year has headed the bureau's sensitive Domestic Intelligence Division.

No public announcement of the changes has been made by the F.B.I., but they are reported in the November issue of the bureau's magazine for employees, *The Investigator*.

According to the magazine, Mr. Hoover, the bureau's director, named 66-year-old Alex Rosen as his assistant in charge of investigative operations. That post was held until last month by William C. Sullivan, who was apparently forced by Mr. Hoover to retire because of a dispute over policy. Neither the bureau nor Mr. Sullivan will comment on the incident.

Mr. Rosen was formerly in charge of the bureau's General Investigative Division. Taking his place will be Charles W. Bates, who has been special agent in charge of the Chicago office.

According to *The Investigator*,

Mr. Hoover also named Edward S. Miller as acting assistant director in charge of the Domestic Intelligence Division.

There was no mention in the magazine of what had happened to the man who held that position, Charles D. Brennan, but the bureau's public relations office said he had been demoted to inspector.

It is not known what caused the demotion of Mr. Brennan. There have been other recent changes in the bureau's hierarchy.

In September, James H. Gale, an assistant director of the bureau, who was its chief organized-crime fighter, retired at the age of 49.

No. 3 Aide Named

And in July, Mr. Hoover appointed W. Mark Felt, the 58-year-old head of the internal inspection division, to the No. 3 job in the bureau. This caused speculation that Mr. Hoover had settled on the man he would like to succeed him.

Mr. Rosen was born in New York, received his education in Ohio schools and was graduated from Ohio State University in 1927. He received an

LL.B. degree from the Cleveland Law School in 1930 and entered the F.B.I. in 1933.

He became special agent in charge in Cleveland in 1938 and was appointed an inspector in 1939. He was made an assistant director in charge of the Investigative Division in 1942 and was named assistant director of the General Investigation Division in 1961.

Mr. Miller, the acting head of domestic intelligence, was born in East Pittsburgh and served in the Army from 1942 to 1946. He received his bachelor's degree from Grove City College, Grove City, Pa., in 1949 and joined the bureau in 1950.

Mr. Miller worked as assistant special agent in charge in Mobile, Honolulu and Chicago before returning to Washington as a supervisor in the bureau's internal inspection division.