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It is correct that the T-34 tanks overhauled at the Kirchnöser repair shops  
are receiving new guns. These guns have muzzle screens and medium long barrels.  
They are almost the same as the guns used in the Stalin I tanks, but the cyclic  
rate is better. Besides guns, the T-34 tanks are also getting new turret  
turning rings.

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