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1. A Czech Free Harbor is located in Szczecin (Stettin) at position A on the annexed map. The quay, which is almost half a mile long, was recently completed. It is divided into two parts by gates and wire netting. The southern part is used by the Czechs and the northern part by the Poles. The water alongside the quay has a depth of 28 ft., but off the northern end of the quay a wide approach must be made since the water is only 6 ft. in depth. It is intended to dredge the corner, but the harbor authorities were waiting until the quay had settled. 25X1
2. The harbor has two 7½-ton mobile cranes at the Czech end of the quay. Crane parts were seen on the Polish side of the quay but they were not assembled.
3. The Czech area has one warehouse of approximately 1,000 ton capacity; the Czech administration offices are also on the quay. There are two warehouses of approximately 1,000 ton capacity each on the Polish part of the quay.
4. The quay has two railroad lines running the full length of the quay.
5. On the west bank of the Swine, near Swinoujscie (Swinemuende), the pilot pointed out a wharf that was used exclusively by the Russians for loading and discharging munitions and torpedoes. The locality is known as Alte Swine. This wharf is approximately 1,000 ft. long, has two cranes, and is heavily guarded.

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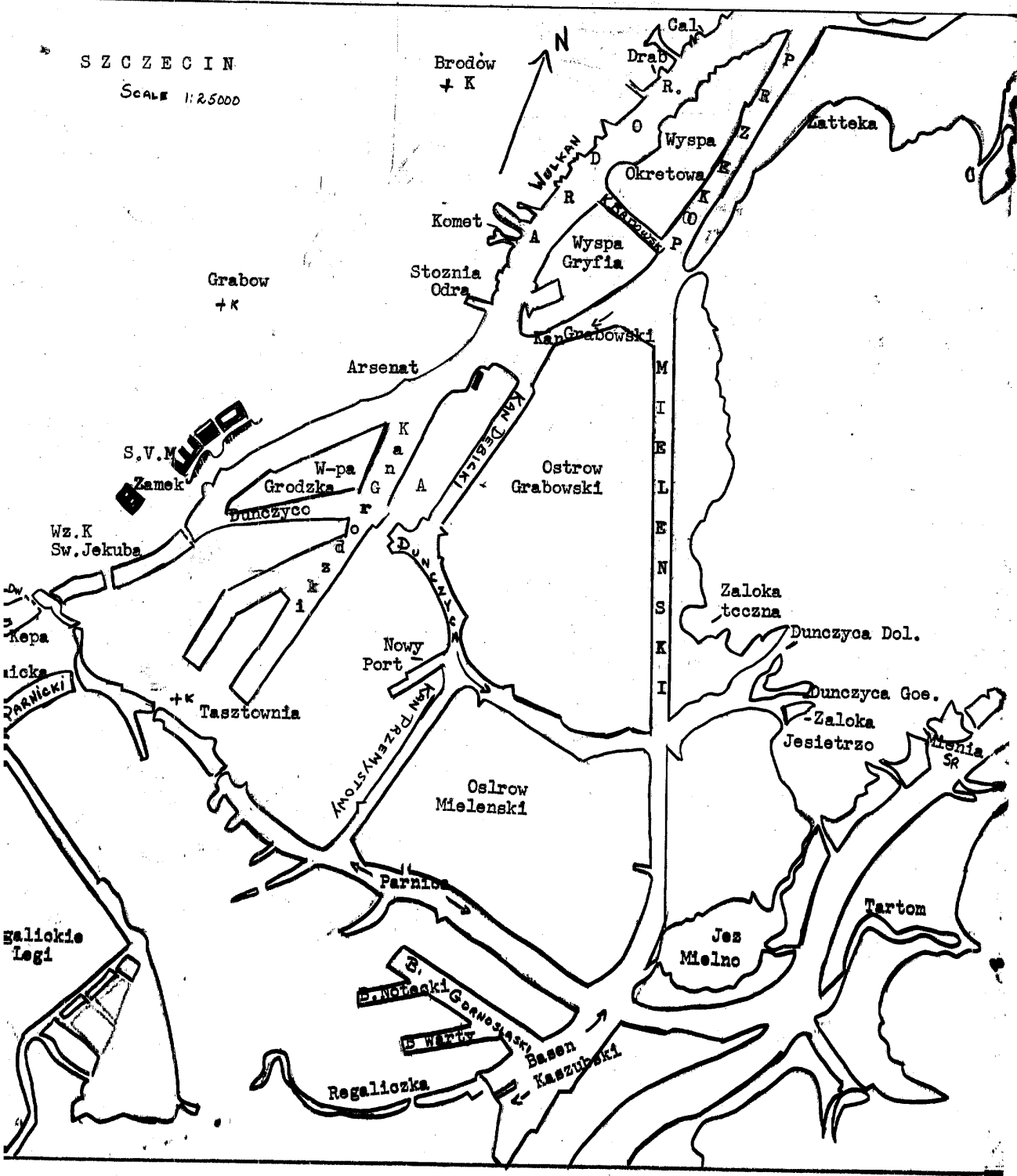
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