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I. The following shipments were observed at the Frankfurt/Oder marshaling yard between 13 and 19 October 1953:

- B - boxcar
- F - flatcar
- G - gondola car

Date in October	Number and Type of Cars	Load	From	To
13	50 B and F	sheet aluminum machinery parts	Hettstedt Radeberg Halle Magdeburg	Brest Litovsk
	44 B and F	machinery and machinery parts	Dresden Radebeul Magdeburg	"
	24 F	" "	Berlin Magdeburg	"
	16 B	grain	Brest Litovsk	Cottbus 1
	6 F	profile iron	"	Halle
14	50 B and F	sheet aluminum machinery and machinery parts crane parts	Krantelle Hettstedt Eisenspalterei Magdeburg Berlin	Brest Litovsk
	48 B and F	steam boilers crane parts machinery parts	Dresden Eberswalde Magdeburg	Brest Litovsk

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25 YEAR RE-REVIEW

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15	53 B and F	carbide machinery narrow-gauge railroad cars, furniture sulphate of soda	Piesteritz Leipzig Weimar Blankenburg Kaiseroda	Brest Litovsk
	8 F	sectional iron	Brest Litovsk	Chemnitz
16	56 B	empty grain shuttle train	Frankfurt/Oder	Brest Litovsk <sup>1</sup>
	56 G	empty	"	"
17	110 G	"	"	"
19	54 G	"	"	"
	14 F	profile iron and sheet metal	Brest Litovsk	Halle Leipzig
	2 F	2 AA guns	Strausberg	Justerbog 2

2. On 17 October, 33 railroad tank cars were dispatched from Troeglitz to Velten. [redacted] 3

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3. The following shipments [redacted] between 14 and 25 October:

T - tank car

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Date in October	Number and Type of Cars	From	To
14	15 cars	Frankfurt/Oder	Altengrabow
	33 T	Troeglitz	Velten
20	50 T	"	Stettin
	50 cars	Glueckauf	Kuestrin
21	30 T	Boehlen	Zhabinka
	34 cars	Frankfurt/Oder	Justerbog
	44 B	"	Altengrabow
	51 cars	Bischofferode	Kuestrin
22	45 cars	Aue	Brest Litovsk
23	45 "	Buchholz	"
	49 cars	Glueckauf	Kuestrin
24	40 T	Troeglitz	Stettin
	21 cars	Frankfurt/Oder	Justerbog Altes Lager
25	36 cars	Plagwitz	Brest Litovsk

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4. The following shipments were observed passing through the Frankfurt/Oder passenger station between 16 and 23 October:

Date in October	Number and Type of Cars	Load	From	To	
16	20 F	20 aircraft crates	Brest Litovsk	Cottbus	7
20	45 E	ammunition	"	Frankfurt/Oder	4
23	41 B	"	"	"	4

1. Comment. Grain shuttle trains. Grain shipments from the USSR decreased considerably after harvesting time in East Germany.
2. Comment. A gun repair shop of the GDFG, [redacted] is located in Strausberg. 25X1
3. Comment. Delivery of the Troeglitz hydrogenation plant to the large Soviet fuel depot in Velten.
4. Comment. Ammunition shipments from the USSR to Soviet ammunition depots which were reported previously. [redacted] The ammunition shipments mentioned in paragraph 4 are probably not consigned to Frankfurt/Oder but were forwarded from there. 25X1
5. Comment. Deliveries by East German hydrogenation plants to the USSR and Poland. 25X1
6. [redacted]
7. [redacted]

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