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Information

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1. On 9 January 1954, the Infanterie Kaserne in Brandenburg was occupied by about 750 troops. The installation was guarded by sentries wearing red-bordered black epaulets, some with artillery insignia. No activity was seen in the billeting area on 7, 8, and 9 January. Vehicles observed                      25X1

2. On 9 January, the Flak Kaserne was occupied by about 550 troops. The installation was guarded by sentries wearing red-bordered black epaulets with artillery insignia. At about 2 p.m. on 28 December 1953, a column of 5 trucks towing a 45-mm AT gun each and 5 other trucks, truck                      with 30 ammunition boxes; 2 unnumbered radio trucks; and sedans occupied by three officers each, left the Flak Kaserne. The same troops returned at about 4 p.m. On 7 January, 120 soldiers were practicing with 3 x 76-mm and 5 x 45-mm AT guns in the barracks yard. On 8 and 9 January, up to 180 soldiers received basic training.                      25X1

3. On 9 January, the General-Feldzeugmeister Kaserne was occupied to capacity by about 1,000 troops. The installation was guarded by sentries wearing red-bordered black epaulets with artillery and motor transport insignia. No training activity was observed on 7, 8, and 9 January.                      25X1

4. Between 6 and 10 January, neither loading nor unloading activity was observed at the Brandenburg-Altstadt railroad station.

                     Comment. In early January 1954, similar observations with regard to the above barracks installations were made                      25X1  
The vehicle                      at the Infanterie Kaserne belonged to the 10th Gds Tank Div; some of these at the Flak Kaserne to the 20th Army AT Arty Brig                      and those at the General-Feldzeugmeister Kaserne to the 124th Hvy How Arty Brig                     . 25X1

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