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COUNTRY East Germany

REPORT

TOPIC Rail Freight Traffic Through East German Border Stations

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EVALUATION [Redacted] PLACE OBTAINED [Redacted]

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DATE OF CONTENT [Redacted]

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1. The following shipments which were dispatched to Brest Litovsk [Redacted] between 27 October and 7 November 1954:

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Date	Number of Axles or Cars	Tons	Dispatched From
<u>October</u>			
27	102 axles	800	Dresden
29	64 "	450	Spremberg
<u>November</u>			
4		800	Dresden-N
7	25 flatcars		Hilberholz

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2. [Redacted] the following shipments were to arrive on the GDR via Frankfurt/Oder:

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Dispatched To
Smithau
Keinsdorf
Altenpoppin
Satzkorn

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Each of the trains consisted of 1 converted tender, 1 bunker and 10 flatcars, the latter with loads exceeding standard measurements.

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3. The following shipments were observed passing through the Muellrose railcad station between 7 and 12 November:

7 November. At 2210, 48 flatcars with 78 trucks from the direction of Frankfurt/Oder in the direction of Cottbus. 1

10 November. At 2049, 32 flatcars with 38 guns, presumably 107-mm field guns of type M 1940/M 60 from Merseburg in the direction of Cottbus. 3

At 2206, 55 boxcars with uranium ore from the direction of Cottbus to Brest Litovsk. 4

12 November. At 1720, 10 flatcars with 10 guns, presumably 152-mm howitzers of type M 1937 from Frankfurt/Oder in the direction of Satz Korn [redacted] 2

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4. The following shipments were observed being dispatched from Frankfurt/Oder:

7 November. 47 flatcars with 2 trucks each to Roederau 1

9 November. 9 boxcars with ammunition to Altengrabow. 4

5. On 10 November, a westbound train of 50 flatcars with about 100 motor vehicles coming from Frankfurt/Oder was observed at Kuestrin-Kietz. 1

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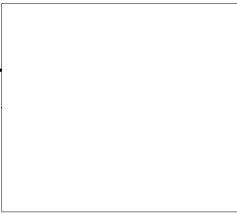
6. [redacted] a shipment of 2 boxcars and 10 flatcars with 789 tons was dispatched from Frankfurt/Oder to Satz Korn on 12 November

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7. The following shipments from Brest Litovsk were observed arriving at Fuerstenwalde-Sued:

Date in November	Number of Flatcars	Load
11	43	trucks
12	4	sedans
18	43	trucks



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1. Comment. These shipments were connected with the motor vehicle exchange program. [redacted]

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2. Comment. The shipment [redacted] was also reported in paragraphs 3 and 6 of the present report. Although source of paragraph 3 recorded guns it is, for the following reasons, believed that the shipments involved tanks: According to paragraph 2 the load exceeded standard measurements and, as indicated in paragraph 6, the heavy load necessitated a small number of flatcars (probably of type RRym). The shipments were dispatched to places where one tank division each of the four mechanized armies are stationed. According to a previous report from Satz Korn, 10 tanks of undetermined type were unloaded there on 13 November; [redacted]

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According to a report from Altruppin, 15 RRym-type flatcars, including 3 loaded with one tank each were observed there on 13 November; twelve additional tanks were seen in front of the railroad station, all tanks were covered by tarpaulins which reached to the ground.

3. Comment. Probably used guns which were returned to the USSR.

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4. Comment. Uranium ore from the uranium ore mining district in Saxony.

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