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- In December 1954 a total of 64,988,857 kg of various goods were transported in 3,777 freight cars through the Czechoslovak-Austrian border stations Devinska Nova Ves (Pl49/X89) - Marchegg (Pl49/S70) in both directions. Of this quantity 49,142,583 kg in 2,695 carloads and 14 cases went from Marchegg to Devinska Nova Ves, and 15,846,274 kg in 1,082 carloads and 18 various containers went in the opposite direction.

The following goods were involved:

A. Metals	-	-
B. Metal goods	1,717,113 kg in	102 carloads and 8 cases
C. Chemicals	2,235,718 kg in	172 carloads and 3 barrels
D. Liquid & solid fuels	44,333,620 kg in	2,312 carloads
E. Textiles	562,060 kg in	49 carloads
F. Foodstuffs	9,887,126 kg in	707 carloads
G. Lumber	5,269,238 kg in	318 carloads
H. Other items	983,982 kg in	117 carloads and 21 cases
Total	64,988,857 kg in	3,777 carloads and 32 various containers

Apart from this, 1,374 empty tankers went through the two border stations, 1,330 from Poland to Austria for refilling, and 44 in the opposite direction (mostly to Poland for repair).

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2. Shipments in the direction Marchegg - Devinska Nova Ves during December 1954 went to the following countries in the following quantities:

	Czechoslovakia:		Poland:		Hungary:		Total:	
	kg	cars	kg	cars	kg	cars	kg	cars
A.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
B.	2,217	1	209,242	20	1,473,880	78	1,685,339	99
C.	65,452	5	133,894	12	135,834	8	335,180	25
D.	-	-	43,941,840	2,290	-	-	43,941,840	2,290
E.	139,302	9	-	-	-	-	139,302	9
F.	2,896,934	254	-	-	-	-	2,896,934	254
G.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
H.	18,903	2	104,814	14	10,027	1	133,744	17
Total	3,122,808	271	44,389,790	2,336	1,619,741	87	49,132,339	2,694

In addition there was one carload (10,244 kg) of raw cotton to Bulgaria bringing the total of "textiles" (E) to 149,546 kg in 10 carloads, and the grand total to 49,142,583 kg in 2,695 carloads.

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(Abbreviations: AU - Austria
 CSR - Czechoslovakia
 cld(s) - carload(s)
 DNV - Devinska Nova Ves)

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3. Imports to the CSR via Marchegg - DNV were composed of:

- a. Metal goods 2,217 kg
 - in one cld [] & eight cases (AU) 25X1
 - (1) Set of wheels (Radsatz) 1,200 kg
 - in one cld to Trnava (Pl9/T22) [] 25X1
 - (2) Iron springs 535 kg
 - in four cases to DNV from AU
 - (3) Spare parts for diesel engines 376 kg
 - in two cases to Jelsava (Q50/X91) from AU
 - (4) Ironware (unspecified) 106 kg
 - in two cases to Spisaka Nova Ves (R49/D87) from AU
- b. Chemicals 65,452 kg
 - in five clds (2 AU; []) 25X1
 - (1) Burnt magnesite 28,500 kg
 - in two clds to Bratislava from AU
 - (2) Cryolite 15,000 kg
 - in one cld to Sv.Kriz nad Hronom (Q50/071) [] 25X1

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(3) <u>Diocetyl phtalate</u> in one cld to Bratislava	<input type="text"/>	11,812 kg	25X1
(4) <u>Polyvinyl chloride</u> in one cld to Bratislava	<input type="text"/>	10,110 kg	
c. <u>Textiles</u> in nine clds	<input type="text"/>	139,302 kg	25X1
(1) <u>Raw cotton</u> in eight clds to Bratislava		134,860 kg	
(2) <u>Synthetic yarn</u> in one cld to DNV		4,442 kg	25X1
d. <u>Foodstuffs</u> in 254 clds	<input type="text"/> 64 AU; <input type="text"/>	2,896,934 kg	25X1
(1) <u>Apples</u> in 150 clds to DNV from: <input type="text"/> AU		1,662,785 kg 1,026,200 kg in 86 clds 636,585 kg in 64 clds	25X1
(2) <u>Oranges</u> in 35 clds to DNV	<input type="text"/>	407,513 kg	25X1
(3) <u>Wine</u> in 14 clds to various stations in Slovakia from: <input type="text"/>		184,630 kg 153,920 kg in 12 clds 30,710 kg in 2 clds	25X1
(4) <u>Rice</u> in six clds to Bratislava	<input type="text"/>	100,700 kg	25X1
(5) <u>Lemons</u> in eight clds to DNV	<input type="text"/>	91,768 kg	
(6) <u>Tangerines</u> in eight clds to DNV	<input type="text"/>	88,687 kg	25X1
(7) <u>Plum jam</u> in seven clds to various stations in Slovakia	<input type="text"/>	78,540 kg	25X1
(8) <u>Chestnuts</u> in six clds to DNV	<input type="text"/>	70,000 kg	
(9) <u>Shelled hazel nuts</u> in six clds to DNV	<input type="text"/>	59,560 kg	25X1
(10) <u>Dried figs</u> in four clds to DNV	<input type="text"/>	43,408 kg	25X1
(11) <u>Shelled almonds</u> in three clds to Trnava & Trebisov (R49/E62)	<input type="text"/>	34,544 kg	25X1
(12) <u>Grape fruit</u> in three clds to DNV	<input type="text"/>	34,115 kg	25X1
(13) <u>Locust (Johannisbrot)</u> in two clds to Zilina (Q50/092)	<input type="text"/>	16,963 kg	25X1
(14) <u>Dates</u> in one cld to Trnava	<input type="text"/>	12,600 kg	25X1

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(15) Raisins 11,121 kg
 in one cld to Surany (P49/Y79) []

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e. Other items 18,903 kg
 in two clds [] & five cases (AU)

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(1) Empty (used) sacks 18,621 kg
 in two clds to Bratislava

(2) Collective consignment 282 kg
 in five cases to DNV

4. The goods consigned to Poland consisted of:

a. Liquid fuels 43,941,840 kg
 in 2,290 tankers from AU

(1) Crude oil 26,209,280 kg
 in 1,534 tankers from Vienna
 to: Trzebinia 23,470,950 kg in 1,389 tankers
 Jedlice 2,738,330 kg in 145 tankers

(2) Gasoline 7,430,460 kg
 in 311 tankers from Vienna
 to: Wroclaw 2,153,700 kg in 86 tankers
 Limanowa 1,577,340 kg in 62 tankers
 Slawcice 1,556,160 kg in 61 tankers
 Zagorzany 1,072,840 kg in 52 tankers
 Czechowice 1,070,420 kg in 50 tankers

(3) Gas oil 6,840,810 kg
 in 306 tankers from Vienna
 to: Nowa Sol 2,040,320 kg in 89 tankers
 Slawcice 1,508,400 kg in 69 tankers
 Wroclaw 1,438,440 kg in 65 tankers
 Kosle 986,680 kg in 44 tankers
 Szczecin 835,670 kg in 38 tankers
 Bierawa 31,300 kg in 1 tanker

(4) Petroleum 3,461,290 kg
 in 139 tankers from Vienna to Bierawa

b. Metal goods 209,242 kg
 in 20 clds [] which contained:

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Caterpillar cranes 104,608 kg in 9 clds
 auto spare parts 54,606 kg in 5 clds
 transformers 26,740 kg in 3 clds
 ironware (unspecified) 18,357 kg in 2 clds
 ball & roller bearings 4,931 kg in 1 cld

c. Chemicals 133,894 kg
 in 12 clds [] which contained:

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chestnutwood extract 100,000 kg in 9 clds
 magnesium oxide 27,480 kg in 2 clds
 cellulose acetate 6,414 kg in 1 cld

d. Other items 104,814 kg
 in 14 clds [] which contained:

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auto tires 68,469 kg in 9 clds
 auto tubes 22,032 kg in 3 clds
 collective consignments 14,313 kg in 2 clds

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5. The goods consigned to Hungary consisted of:

- a. Metal goods 1,473,880 kg
in 78 clds from AU which contained:
- semi-finished iron goods 374,850 kg in 19 clds
 - rolled iron sheets 284,480 kg in 17 clds
 - "platinen" (sic) 282,950 kg in 14 clds
 - steel wire 265,880 kg in 12 clds
 - steel rods 142,954 kg in 9 clds 25X1
 - molded iron 58,970 kg in 3 clds
 - iron wire 57,596 kg in 3 clds
 - steel rollers (Stahlwalzen) 6,200 kg in 1 cld
- b. Chemicals 135,834 kg
in eight clds (5 2 AU; 1) which contained: 25X1
- calcium carbide 100,594 kg in 5 clds 25X1
 - phthalic anhydride 25,140 kg in 2 clds from AU
 - and 10,100 kg in 1 cld 25X1
- c. Other items 10,027 kg
in one cld (AU) and one sack which contained: 25X1
- "Stampfmasse" (sic) 10,000 kg in 1 cld
 - cork 27 kg in one sack

6. The only item consigned to Bulgaria (Vac) via Marchegg - DNV was one cld (10,244 kg) of raw cotton 25X1

7. Shipments in the direction DNV - Marchegg during December 1954 went to the following countries in the following quantities:

	Austria:						Total:	
	kg	cars	kg	cars	kg	cars	kg	cars
A.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
B.	19,384	1	-	-	12,390	2	31,774	3
C.	989,344	71	265,000	23	646,194	53	1,900,538	147
D.	391,780	22	-	-	-	-	391,780	22
E.	329,090	31	74,546	6	8,878	2	412,514	39
F.	4,308,563	282	1,440,339	89	1,241,290	82	6,990,192	453
G.	-	-	3,310,201	195	1,959,037	123	5,269,238	318
H.	37,928	8	247,271	19	563,039	72	848,238	99
	6,076,089	415	5,337,357	332	4,430,828	334	15,846,274	1,081

In addition there was one cld (2,000 kg) of personal goods to Jugoslavia bringing the total of "other items" (H) to 850,238 kg in 100 clds, and the grand total to 15,846,274 kg in 1,082 clds.

These goods came from the following countries in the following quantities:

	Czechoslovakia:		Poland:		Hungary:		Total:	
	kg	cars	kg	cars	kg	cars	kg	cars
A.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
B.	31,774	3	-	-	-	-	31,774	3
C.	1,890,538	146	-	-	10,000	1	1,900,538	147
D.	391,780	22	-	-	-	-	391,780	22
E.	402,474	38	-	-	10,040	1	412,514	39
F.	6,955,192	451	-	-	35,000	2	6,990,192	453
G.	5,269,238	318	-	-	-	-	5,269,238	318
H.	566,975	48	-	-	283,263	52	850,238	100
Total	15,507,971	1,026	-	-	338,303	56	15,846,274	1,082

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8. Exports from the CSR via DNV - Marchegg were composed of:

a.	<u>Metal goods</u>	31,774 kg	25X1
	in three clds [] 1 AU)		
	(1) <u>Steel machine</u> (unspecified)	19,384 kg	
	in one cld from DNV to AU		
	(2) <u>Enamelled bath-tubs</u>	11,190 kg	25X1
	in one cld from Bratislava []		
	(3) <u>Double-wheel</u> (dvojkoli)	1,200 kg	25X1
	in one cld from Trnava []		
b.	<u>Chemicals</u>	1,890,538 kg	25X1
	in 146 clds (71 AU; [])		
	(1) <u>Charcoal</u>	705,039 kg	
	in 72 clds from DNV & Hnusta (Q49/D33)		
	to: []	357,569 kg in 35 clds	25X1
	AU	197,470 kg in 22 clds	25X1
	[]	150,000 kg in 15 clds	25X1
	(2) <u>Starch</u>	415,000 kg	
	in 28 clds from Boleraz (P49/S97) & Spisska Nova Ves		
	to: []	310,000 kg in 21 clds	25X1
		105,000 kg in 7 clds	
	(3) <u>Sulphuric acid</u>	306,190 kg	
	in 18 clds from DNV to AU		
	(4) <u>Cellulose</u>	273,625 kg	
	in 17 clds from Ruzomberok (Q50/C99) & Martin (Q50/G69) []		25X1
	(5) <u>Carbide</u>	106,000 kg	
	in six clds from Novaky (Q49/T97) to AU		
	(6) <u>Chlorosulphonic acid</u>	38,960 kg	
	in two clds from Bratislava to AU		
	(7) <u>Zinc sulphate</u>	15,750 kg	
	in one cld from DNV to AU		
	(8) <u>Bleaching lye</u>	15,000 kg	25X1
	in one cld from Liptovsky Hradok (Q50/D28) []		
	(9) <u>Ground feldspar</u>	14,635 kg	
	in one cld from DNV to AU		
	(10) <u>Juniper-tree volatile oil</u>	339 kg	
	in three barrels from Liptovsky Mikulas (Q50/D19) to AU		
c.	<u>Solid fuels</u>	391,780 kg	
	in 22 clds to AU		
	(1) <u>Hard coal</u>	271,800 kg	
	in 11 clds from the Ostrava coal basin		
	(2) <u>Pitch coke</u>	119,980 kg	
	in 11 clds from Sokolany (R49/E22)		

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- d. Textiles 402,474 kg
in 38 clds (31 AU; [redacted]) 25X1
- (1) Crushed flax & flax waste 384,090 kg
in 34 clds from DNV
to: AU 324,090 kg in 30 clds
[redacted] 60,000 kg in 4 clds 25X1
- (2) Oakum waste (odpadky koudale) 5,000 kg
in one cld from DNV to AU
- (3) Cotton fabrics 4,905 kg
in one cld from Rybarpole (Q50/G99) [redacted]
- (4) Socks & stockings 4,506 kg
in one cld from Kezmarok (R50/D79) [redacted] 25X1
- (5) Textiles (unspecified) 3,973 kg
in one cld from Svit (Q50/D59) [redacted] 25X1
- e. Foodstuffs 6,955,192 kg
in 451 clds (282 AU; [redacted]) 25X1
- (1) Maize 2,478,580 kg
in 152 clds from various stations in Slovakia
to: AU 1,530,580 kg in 95 clds
[redacted] 948,000 kg in 57 clds 25X1
- (2) Rye 2,309,195 kg
in 153 clds from various stations in the CSR
to: AU 2,243,745 kg in 149 clds
[redacted] 65,450 kg in 4 clds 25X1
- (3) Barley 1,935,309 kg
in 127 clds from various stations in Slovakia
to: [redacted] 1,175,840 kg in 78 clds 25X1
AU 435,760 kg in 29 clds
[redacted] 323,709 kg in 20 clds 25X1
- (4) Chicory root 117,530 kg
in eight clds from DNV [redacted] 25X1
- (5) Cottonseed oil 45,490 kg
in three clds from DNV to AU
- (6) Ground red pepper 30,498 kg
in four clds from Nove Zamky (Pl8/Y78) to AU
- (7) Pickled cucumbers 16,100 kg
in two clds from Stupava (Pl9/S80) [redacted] 25X1
- (8) Malt sprouts 12,690 kg
in one cld from DNV to AU
- (9) Fresh horseradish 9,800 kg
in one cld from Kosice (R49/E34) to AU
- f. Lumber 5,269,238 kg
in 318 clds [redacted] 25X1
- (1) Tree trunks & logs 2,755,791 kg
in 161 clds from various stations in Slovakia [redacted] 25X1

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| (2) | <u>Cut lumber</u> | 1,884,590 kg | |
| | in 116 clds from Slovakia | | |
| | to: <input type="checkbox"/> | 1,608,230 kg in 100 clds | 25X1 |
| | | 276,360 kg in 16 clds | |
| (3) | <u>Sets of wooden crates</u> | 316,007 kg | |
| | in 21 clds from Slovakia <input type="checkbox"/> | | 25X1 |
| (4) | <u>RR sleepers</u> | 219,850 kg | |
| | in 14 clds from DNV <input type="checkbox"/> | | 25X1 |
| (5) | <u>Oaken & beech-wood friezes</u> | 58,200 kg | |
| | in four clds from DNV <input type="checkbox"/> | | |
| (6) | <u>Poles</u> | 34,800 kg | |
| | in two clds from DNV <input type="checkbox"/> | | 25X1 |
| g. | <u>Other items</u> | 566,975 kg | |
| | in 48 clds <input type="checkbox"/> 8 AU; 1 Jugoslavia) & 15 boxes (AU) | | 25X1 |
| (1) | <u>Fodder</u> | 195,205 kg | |
| | in 13 clds from DNV <input type="checkbox"/> | | 25X1 |
| (2) | <u>Sheet glass</u> | 133,000 kg | |
| | in eight clds from DNV <input type="checkbox"/> | | 25X1 |
| (3) | <u>Newsprint</u> | 101,206 kg | |
| | in eight clds from Ruzomberok <input type="checkbox"/> | | 25X1 |
| (4) | <u>Wrapping paper</u> | 31,740 kg | |
| | in two clds from Ruzomberok <input type="checkbox"/> | | 25X1 |
| (5) | <u>Fennel seeds</u> | 30,300 kg | |
| | in two clds from DNV <input type="checkbox"/> | | 25X1 |
| (6) | <u>Feathers</u> | 14,970 kg | |
| | in three clds from DNV | | |
| | to: <input type="checkbox"/> | 9,850 kg in 2 clds | 25X1 |
| | AU | 5,120 kg in 1 cld | |
| (7) | <u>Medicinal herbs</u> | 12,886 kg | |
| | in three clds from DNV | | |
| | to: AU | 7,886 kg in 2 clds | |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> | 5,000 kg in 1 cld | 25X1 |
| (8) | <u>Hollow glassware</u> | 11,022 kg | |
| | in three clds from Lednicke Rovne (P50/O60), Strieborna (Q49/D02) & Trencin (P49/T58) to AU | | |
| (9) | <u>Medicinal (spa) mud</u> | 10,660 kg | |
| | in one cld from Piestany (P49/T44) to AU | | |
| (10) | <u>Glass products (unspecified)</u> | 8,600 kg | |
| | in one cld from Nemsova (P49/T59) <input type="checkbox"/> | | 25X1 |
| (11) | <u>Grease-proof paper</u> | 6,916 kg | |
| | in one cld from Ruzomberok <input type="checkbox"/> | | 25X1 |
| (12) | <u>Rubber products (unspecified)</u> | 5,230 kg | |
| | in one cld from Bratislava <input type="checkbox"/> | | 25X1 |
| (13) | <u>School exercise books</u> | 2,690 kg | |
| | in one cld from DNV to AU | | |

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- (14) Personal belongings 2,000 kg
in one cld from Samorin (Pl9/Y18) to Jugoslavia
- (15) Cartridges 550 kg
in 15 boxes from Povazska Bystrica (Q50/071) to AU

9. Shipments from Hungary via DNV - Marchegg consisted of:
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| a. | <u>Other items (millet straw)</u> | 283,263 kg | |
| | in 52 clds <input type="text"/> | | 25X1 |
| b. | <u>Foodstuffs (sunflower seeds)</u> | 35,000 kg | |
| | in two clds <input type="text"/> | | 25X1 |
| c. | <u>Chemicals (starch)</u> | 10,000 kg | |
| | in one cld <input type="text"/> | | 25X1 |
| d. | <u>Textiles (rags)</u> | 10,010 kg | |
| | in one cld <input type="text"/> | | 25X1 |
10. The only item shipped to Jugoslavia via DNV - Marchegg was one cld (2,000 kg) of personal belongings from Samorin, Slovakia.
11. Apart from empty tankcars there were no shipments from Poland during December 1954 via DNV - Marchegg.

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