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(FOR KEY SEE REVERSE)

- 1. The Central Administration of Inland Waterways (Centralny Zarzad Drog Wodnych Srodladowych) of the Polish Ministry of Shipping (Ministerstwo Zeglugi) is located in Warsaw, at Ulica Emilli Plater 29/31. The Central Administration of Inland Waterways has branch offices in Wroclaw (Breslau), Szczecin (Stettin), Bydgoszcz, Edansk (Danzig), Warsaw, and Krakow.
- 2. The Wroclaw branch office is located at Ulica Kleczkowska 50. The director of the Wroclaw branch office is Orlowski (fnu). This office has two hundred barges under its jurisdiction. They are divided according to the following categories: 30 Plau size (Plauer Mass), 150 Breslau size (Breslauer Mass), 10 Berlin size (Berliner Mass), and 10 canal size (Kanal Mass).
- 3. The Szczecin branch office is located at Ulica Malopolska 44. The office has the following tugs under its jurisdiction:

| Tug | H.P. | <u>Description</u> | | |
|--------------|------|--------------------|--|--|
| ODRA | 180 | a | | |
| WESTERPLATTE | 120 | (30) | | |
| BRZEG | 250 | | | |
| MESTWIN | 250 | Small Dutch type | | |
| BOZYDAR | 250 | Small Dutch type | | |

4. The Wroclaw branch office uses the following tugs in its operations

| between Wroclaw | and Szczecin: | |
|-----------------|---------------|------------------|
| GUBIN | 500 | Two smokestacks |
| DOLNY SLASK | 1.200 | Two smokestacks |
| OPOLE | 350 | Two smokestacks |
| KEDZIERZYN | 280 | One smokestack |
| GLIWICE | 280 | One smokestack |
| RADGOST | 500 | Large Dutch type |
| ZYWIJA | 500 | Large Dutch type |
| JAROWID | 500 | Large Dutch type |
| LADA | 500 | Large Dutch type |
| TRYGLAW | 500 | Large Dutch type |
| PERKUN | 50 (sic) | Large Dutch type |

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5. The Wroclaw branch office uses the following tugs in its operations between Wroclaw and Nowa Sel (Neusalz).

| Tug | H.P. | Description |
|-----------|--------------------|----------------------|
| ZEROMSKĮ | 350 | Passenger type |
| 22 LIPCS | 150 | Passenger type |
| Fornalska | ? . | Self-propelled barge |
| BP 52 | ? | Training ship |
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There are also eight self-propelled barges on this section of the Odero

- There are two tugs constantly operating in the Wroclaw harbor. One of these is the OBRA (sic).
- 7. The Wroclaw branch office uses the following tugs in its operations between Wroclaw and Kozle (Cosel).

| Tug | H.P. | Description |
|-----------|------|---|
| BOZYMIR | 250 | Small Dutch type |
| ZBYSZKO | 250 | Small Dutch type |
| RADOSLAW | 250 | Small Dutch type |
| SEDZIWY | 250 | Small Dutch type |
| JURAND | 250 | Small Dutch type |
| BOGUMIL | 250 | Built in Kozle as a replica of a Dutch type |
| BOGUSLAW | 250 | Built in Kozle as a replica of a Dutch type |
| NYSA | 250 | Very old |
| LESZNO | 250 | Very old |
| MIESZKO I | 250 | Very old |
| SCINAWA | 180 | Very old |

- 8. The Poles use a very poor grade of coal in their tugs and this creates a lot of dissatisfaction among the tug crews. The Poles have a 16-man crew on a Dutch-type tug, and ll-man crew on a small Dutch-type tug, and eight-man crews on diesel-motor tugs.
- 9. The following pay scale exists in the Polish inland waterway fleet.

| Winter | |
|--------------------|---------------------|
| Apprentice | 550 zloty perimonth |
| Able-bodied sailer | 580 zlety per month |
| Deck supervisor | 660 zloty per month |
| Steersman | 760 zloty per month |
| Mechanic | 860 zloty per month |
| Captain | 860 zlety per month |

| Summer | | | |
|--------------------|-------|-------|-----------|
| Apprentice | 550 | zloty | per month |
| Able-bodied sailor | 900 | zlety | per month |
| Deck supervisor | 1,000 | zloty | per month |
| Steersman | 1,100 | zloty | per month |
| Mechanic | 1,200 | zloty | per month |
| Captain | | | per month |

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