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report concerning Soviet mil25X1
rail shipments passing the Magdeburg-Neustadt rail station between 19 July
and 7 August 1958. The report gives the date and time of day (where known) of
the movements, the place of origin and the destination, the number and type of
cars and the load carried, where known. The report also gives a description,
with a rough sketch, of a vehicle which was observed in a shipment which passed
through on the morning of 27 July 1958.

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A. The following railway transports passed through the railway station at MAGDEBURG-NEUSTADT [redacted]
[redacted] The direction from which these transports arrived and the direction in which they departed
is also noted.

<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	<u>Load</u>	<u>Remarks</u>	25X1
19.7.	1230	BIEDERITZ	MAGDEBURG-BUCKAU	13 x 3-axled amphibians 6 x ZIS-151		
				1 x 2-axled flat	Loaded with 2 winches. The winches were new & stood approx. 1.7 m. high.	
23.7.	0940	BIEDERITZ	MAGDEBURG-BUCKAU	9 x T-54 or 34/85 11 x JS-3 6 x TPM M-50 7 x ZIS-151		
27.7.	Morning	BRANDENBURG	Off-loaded Equip- ment driven south along LUNEBURGER Strasse	22 x T-54 13 x A.C.V.s 9 x ZIS-151 4 x ZIS-150 2 x field kitchens	Described in paragraph B. below.	25X1
7.8.		BIEDERITZ	MAGDEBURG-BUCKAU	18 x ZIS-151 12 x TPM M-50		

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B. The A.C.V.s mentioned  above are described as 25X1 follows:

- (a) Completely enclosed and armoured.
- (b) The sides, back and front, sloping.
- (c) Three small, circular openings in each side, approximately 20 cms. in diameter.
- (d) A triangular cylinder of approximately 5 cms. diameter over each rear wheel.
- (e) Sketch as under:



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