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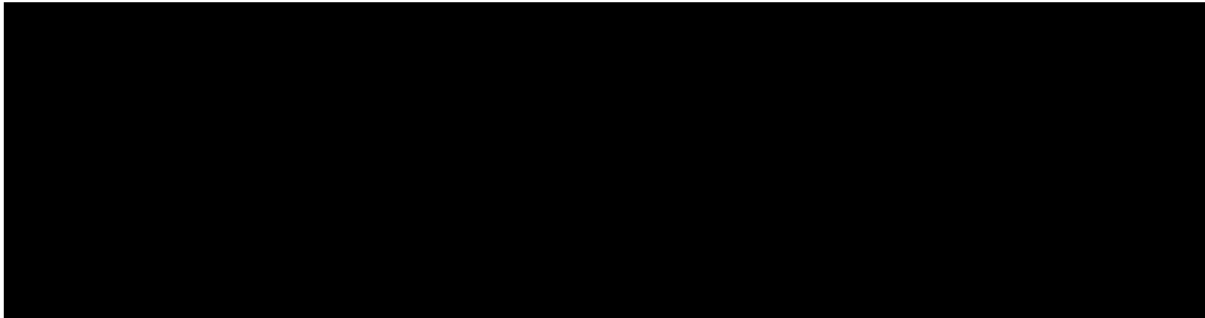
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1. In compensation for the military aid it is receiving from the USSR, the North Korean government has been sending railroad materials to the USSR.* In July 1949, the Soviet army removed one line of the double track between Kaesong (126-34, 37-58) and Sinuiju (124-24, 40-06). In February 1950, they also removed all steel bridges along the line and transported them to the USSR.
2. Beginning 15 February 1950, one of the two steel bridges over the Chang-chon (清川) River at Anju (125-40, 39-36), South Pyongan Province, was removed for transportation to the USSR. Labor from the village was mobilized to effect the removal.

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* [REDACTED] comment. According to previous information, North Korea was receiving via Manchuria shipments of rails which were believed to come from the USSR;

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