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1. Two cantonment buildings located on the shore of the Baltic Sea, near Gross-Schwanssee, ten km NE of Travemuende (M 54/O 00), were occupied on 16 April 1950 by about 150 troops wearing black-bordered red epaulets. The troops were assigned to patrol duty along the shore. The cantonment buildings were built in mid-March 1950.
2. On 21 April 1950 local residents said that sixty to eighty soldiers had been assigned to coastal defenses near Coos, north of Dranske (N 55/P 58), about two weeks ago. The soldiers were allegedly quartered in former AA emplacements and brushwood huts.

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