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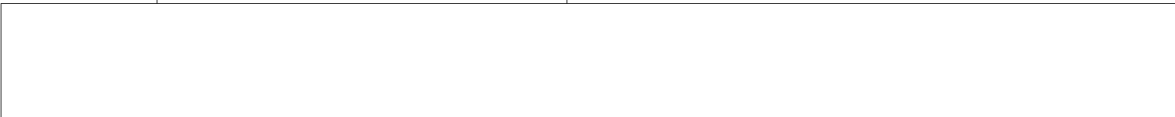
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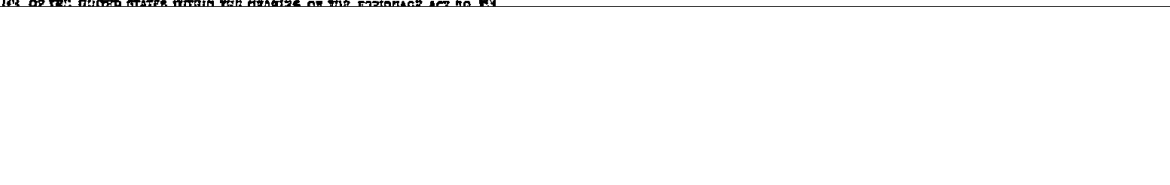
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1. [redacted] the following rail shipments crossed the border in the directions indicated during the period from 1 through 9 September 1952:

- B - boxcar
- F - flatcar
- G - gondola car
- T - tank car
- R - refrigerator car

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Date in September	Number and Type of Cars	Load	From	To
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a. Westbound

4	1 B 35 G	ore	Ernst Litovsk	Ziltendorf (1)
5	3 R 1 R	butter Caucasian champagne	"	Erfurt
	6 R	butter	"	Weimar, Leipzig, Chemnitz
	4 R	"	"	Halle
	2 G	harvesters		
	4 F	flax harvesters		
	1 F	grass mowers		
	2 F	agricultural machines		
	1 F	1 special tractor		
	2 F	harvesters	"	Dresden, Erfurt
	3 G			
	50 G	ore	"	Ziltendorf (1)
	2 T	holzol	"	Gruenau

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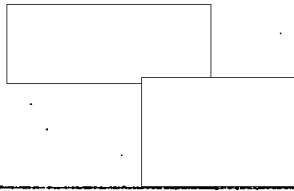
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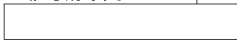
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Date in September	Number and Type of Cars	Load	From	To
5	59 G	ore	Erest-Litovsk	Ziltendorf (1)
	2 B	"	"	" (1)
	32 G			
	6 F	sheet metal	"	Chemnitz
	13 F	iron tubes	"	
	2 B	military goods	"	Muellrose 
	1 B	sheet metal	"	Halle 
	4 G	anthracite	"	
	1 G	sheet metal	"	Wiederitzsch
	2 B	structural iron	"	Leipzig
	8 G	iron tubes	"	
	3 F	wheel sets	"	Weimar (2)
	4 G	pig iron	"	Sangerhausen
	2 B	empty aluminum drums	"	Bilenburg
	5 T	empty	"	Leipzig (3)
	34 G	ore	"	Ziltendorf (1)
	2 P	electro welding wire	"	Finsterwalde
	2 B	steel bands	"	Soemmerda
	2 B	structural steel	"	Leipzig
	2 E	wool	"	
	2 B	colophony	"	
	2 B	carbon black	"	
	2 G	anthracite	"	Halle
	2 B	graphite	"	Koettwitz, Heidenau
	2 B	wool	"	Wiesenburg
	60 F	10 tanks	"	direction of
	6 B	escort personnel	"	Eberswalde (1)
	38 G	ore	"	Ziltendorf (1)
	18 F	29 tanks	undetermined	undetermined
	2 E	escort personnel		

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Date in September	Number and Type of Cars	Load	From	To
5	3 B	military goods	Brest-Litovsk	Frankfurt/Oder
	5 B	"	"	"
	2 B	"	"	"
	14 B	"	"	Muellrose
7	5 F	agricultural machines	"	Erfurt
	2 F	"	"	Halle
	21 B	cotton	"	Dresden, Riesa
	4 E	wool	"	Wiesenburg
	2 B	"	"	Lengsfeld
	1 R	Caucasian wine	"	Erfurt
	1 R	canned fish	Poland	Sonneberg
	1 R	"	"	Torgau
	5 T	benzol	Brest-Litovsk	Velten
	5 B	sheet metal	"	Erlenschlag (sic), Halle
	2 B	carbon black	"	Dresden
	1 B	wool	"	Wiesenburg
	5 B	"	"	Leipzig (3)
	4 T	empty	"	"
	12 T	"	"	Bohlen (3)
	3 F	wheel sets	"	Weimar (2)
	2 F	sheet metal	"	Leipzig
	3 F	iron tubes	"	Lindenau
	3 G	structural iron	"	Weimar
	2 G	anthracite	"	Bad Liebenstein
	1 G	anthracite	"	Saalfeld
	2 G	pig iron	"	"

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Date in September	Number and Type of Cars	Load	From	To	
7	2 G	pig iron	Brest-Litovsk	Meuselwitz, Halle, Chemnitz, Aue, Schmiedeberg, Freiberg, Radebeul-East	
	2 B 35 G	anthracite	"	Halle, Erfurt	
	1 B	wool	"	Wiesenburg	
	19 R	butter	"	Goerlitz, Erfurt, Halle, Gross Reschen (sic), Weimar, Plauen, Zwickau, Dresden	
	31 G	ore	"	Ziltendorf (1)	
	5 R	canned fish	Poland	Chemnitz, Zwickau, Dresden, Gotha, Cottbus	50X1-HUM
	4 B	military goods	Brest-Litovsk	Wuensdorf	[Redacted]
	6 B	"	"	Muellrose	
	3 B	"	"	"	
	2 B	"	"	"	
	4 B	"	"	"	
	1 B	cauliflower	Poland	Wuestenbrand	
	2 F	iron tubes	Brest-Litovsk	Chemnitz	
	1 F	structural iron		[Redacted]	50X1-HUM
	2 F	rails			
	5 F	sheet metal	"	Wiederitzsch	
	3 F	iron tubes	"	Leipzig-Lindenau	
	1 F	1 model KDP caterpillar tractor		undetermined	
	36 G	ore	"	Ziltendorf (1)	
	10 G	manganese ore	"	Boehlen	
	1 G	anthracite	"	Stiege/Harz	
	6 G	"	"	Fuerstenberg/Oder	

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Date in September	Number and Type of Cars	Load	From	To	
7	10 G	ore	Brest-Litovsk	Ziltendorf (1)	
	15 G	anthracite	"	Fuerstenberg/Oder Pirna, Leipzig	
	6 G-	manganese ore	"	Boehlen	
	6 G	pig iron	"	Lauchhammer, Grossenhain, Chemnitz, Halle	
8	4 F	8 T-34 tanks	"	Prenzlau	50X1-HUM
	10 F 1 B	20 tanks escort personnel	"	"	
	10 G 11 G	manganese ore ore	"	Ziltendorf (1)	
	9 G	anthracite	"	Fuerstenberg/Oder, Muehlhausen, Eisenach, Nordhausen, Langensalza	
	2 E	wool	"	Wiesenburg	
	3 B	"	"	Lengsfeld, Leipzig	
	5 B	empt. aluminum drums	"	Merseburg	
	2 B	pitch	"	"	50X1-HUM
	8 T	benzol	"	Frankfurt/Oder	
	8 T	"	"	Velten	
	6 T	"	"	Frankfurt/Oder	
	73 G	ore	"	Ziltendorf (1)	
	4 G	pig iron	"	Halle, Freital, Goerlitz	50X1-HUM
	10 F	20 T-34/B5 tanks	"	Prenzlau	
	5 F	10 T-34 tanks	"	"	
	2 F	2 new 3-axle trucks	"	Fuerstenwalde	(5)

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Date in September	Number and Type of Cars	Load	From	To
8	8 T	empty	Brest-Litovsk	Leipzig (3)
	1 F	iron tubes		
	1 B	paper bags	"	Unterbreizbach
	6 T	empty	"	Eoehlen, Merseburg (3)
	3 B	raw bast fibre	"	Dresden
	1 B	steel ropes	"	Chemnitz
	1 F	iron tubes		
	1 B	escort personnel	"	Prenzlau
	9 F	18 T-34 tanks		
	4 F	4 T-34 tanks	"	"
	1 B	4 T-34/85 tanks escort personnel		
	34 F	new trucks	"	Greifswald
	12 F	"	"	Magdeburg
	52 G	ore	"	Ziltendorf (1)
9	3 G	iron wire	"	Uberswalde
	10 F	sheet metal	"	Berlin-Weissensee, Thale
	1 F	"	"	Leipzig
	5 F	iron tubes		
	1 F	structural iron		
	3 F	"	"	Wiederitzsch
	2 F	"	"	Chemnitz
	2 F	tubes		Hilbersdorf
	1 G	pig iron	"	Cossebaude
	1 G	"	"	Brandenburg
	3 G	anthracite	"	Berlin-Lichtenberg
2 F	agricultural machines	"	Schwerin	
1 B	hoops	Poland	Halle	

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Date in September	Number and Type of Cars	Load	From	To	
9	3 E	empty aluminum drums	Brest-Litovsk	Merseburg	
	23 T	empty		(3)	
	2 F	flax harvesters	"	Erfurt	
	1 F	1 tractor	"	Halle	
	3 B	bronze	"	Fuerstenwalde	
	1 B	lead	"	Chrdruf	
	1 B	exhibition goods	"	Leipzig	
	8 B	wool			
	3 B	colophony			
	13 B	wool	"	Leipzig, Wiesenburg, Lengenfeld	
	12 B	cotton	"	Riesa, Dresden	
	2 B	tea	"	Dresden	
	1 F	flax harvesters			
	1 B	motor vehicle tires	"	Halle	
	9 B	copper	"	Berlin-Rummelsburg	
	4 B	colophony	"	Berlin-Lichtenberg	
	4 B	aluminum			
	2 B	tin			
	3 B	lead			
	4 B	bronze			50X1-HUM
	2 E	military goods	"	Muellrose [Redacted]	
	43 G	ore	"	Ziltendorf (1)	

b. Eastbound

5	21 F	Rym-type, 6-axle empty tank shuttle train	Rostock, Prenzlau	Brest-Litovsk (4)	
6	22 G 24 F	machinery and cranes	Leipzig	"	[Redacted] 50X1-HUM
7	3 F	mobile cranes	Wiederitzsch	"	
	16 F	machine parts	Magdeburg	"	

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Date in September	Number and Type of Cars	Load	From	To	
7	6 B	carbide	Piesteritz	Brest-Litovsk	
	3 B	machine parts	Dresden	"	
	5 F				
	5 F	machinery	Sangerhausen	"	
	18 B	potash	Frankfurt/Oder	Reppen	
	24 B	ammonia	border		
	3 F	machinery			
	6 G				50X1-HUM
	1 B	Igelit	Bitterfeld	Brest-Litovsk	[Redacted]
	26 T	4-axle paraldehyde	Merseburg	"	
	2 G	pit props	Biesenthal	Hungary	
	12 B	ammonium sulphate	Wolfen	Brest-Litovsk	
	5 B	whitening	Sagard	Budapest	
	18 F	mobile crane parts	Wiederitzsch	Brest-Litovsk	
	17 F	boiler parts	Riesa	"	
	28 F	structural members and bridge sections			
	13 F	crane parts	Leipzig	"	
	4 F	railroad slowing cranes Nos 77 and 78			
	8 B	undetermined	undetermined	undetermined	
	6 F	boiler parts	Ichtershausen	Brest-Litovsk	
	4 F	undetermined	Fluor	"	
	23 B	"	Merseburg	"	
	32 B	"	Wolfen Piesteritz	"	
8	33 F	wheel sets	Cottbus	" (2)	
	1 B	aluminum	Danzig-Harbor	Budapest	
	1 G	battery parts			
	45 F	machinery	Leipzig	Brest-Litovsk	[Redacted] 50X1-HUM

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Date in September	Number and Type of Cars	Load	From	To
8	28 F	empty tank shuttle train	Frankfurt/Oder	Brest-Litovsk
	20 F 1 B	trucks escort personnel	Altenburg	"
	33 F 1 B	trucks escort personnel	Haldensleben	"
	48 B	sections of prefabricated houses	Frankfurt/Oder	"
	9 G	tiles		
	27 F	empty tank shuttle train	"	"
	15 F 1 B	trucks escort personnel	"	"
	464 undetermined	miscellaneous goods	"	"

2.

the following Soviet supply shipments crossed the border en route from Brest-Litovsk during the period from 31 August through 9 September 1952:

Date	Number and Type of Cars	Load	Dispatched to
31 August	31 B	ammunition	Biesenthal
	2 T	fuel	Velten
	3 B	troops	Cottbus
	? F	55 x 3.1-ton trucks	Eberswalde
	? F	25 x 3.1-ton trucks	"
	? F	29 x 32-ton tanks	Frenzlau
1 September	11 B	military goods	Fuerstenwalde
	? F	32-ton tanks	Frenzlau
	1 B	military goods	Quellrose
	1 B	"	Frankfurt/Oder
2 "	? F	48-32-ton tanks	Frenzlau
3 "	? F	31 x 32-ton tanks	"
4 "	? F	21 x 32-ton tanks	"

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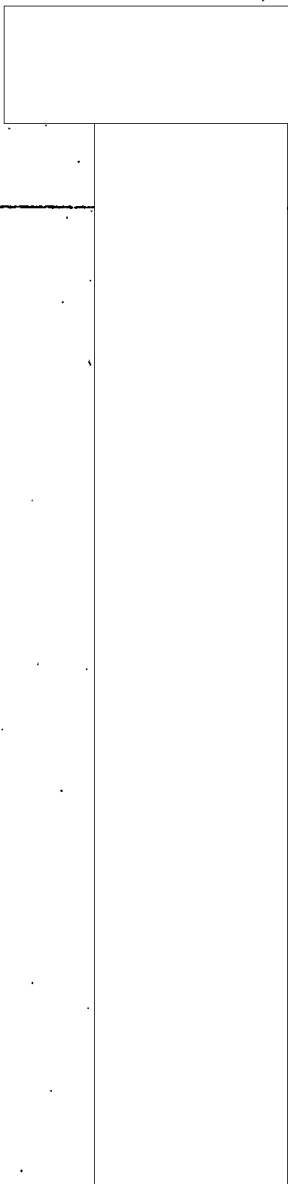
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Date	Number and Type of Cars	Load	Dispatched to
5 September	? F	55 trucks	Weimar
	? F	60 "	Heustrelitz
6 "	? F	37 x 32-ton tanks	Prenzlau
	14 B	military goods	Muellrose
	10 B	"	Frankfurt/Oder
7 "	10 B	ammunition	"
	15 B	military goods	Muellrose
	4 F	"	Fuerstenwalde
	18 B	ammunition	"
	26 B	"	Altengrabow
	? F	35 trucks	Dallgow
	2 F	military goods	Strasberg
	7 B	"	Frankfurt/Oder
	4 B	ammunition	Wuensdorf
	25 B	"	Jueterbog
8 "	? F	trucks	Summersdorf
	5 T	fuel	Velten
	? F	19 x 30-ton tanks	Prenzlau
	10 B	military goods	Frankfurt/Oder
	3 B	"	Bernau
	2 B	"	Muellrose
	2 T	fuel	Velten
	? F	16 trucks	Wittstock
	? F	20 "	Mersburg
	? F	45 "	Eberswalde
	? F	20 "	Magdeburg
? F	25 x 32-ton tanks	Prenzlau	
9 "	? F	53 trucks	Dallgow
	? F	19 "	Crawinkel
	2 B	military goods	Frankfurt/Oder
	2 B	"	Fuerstenwalde
	1 B	"	Kirchmoeser



Comments.

- (1) Raw materials deliveries to the Foundry Combine East near Frankfurt/Oder.
- (2) Standard-gauge wheel sets sent to Soviet rail transfer points for use by the former German freight cars returned from the U.S.S.R.
- (3) Deliveries by East German hydrogenation plants to the U.S.S.R. and returning empty railroad tank cars.
- (4) These shipments were reported previously.
- (5) These shipments were connected with the vehicle replacement program.

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