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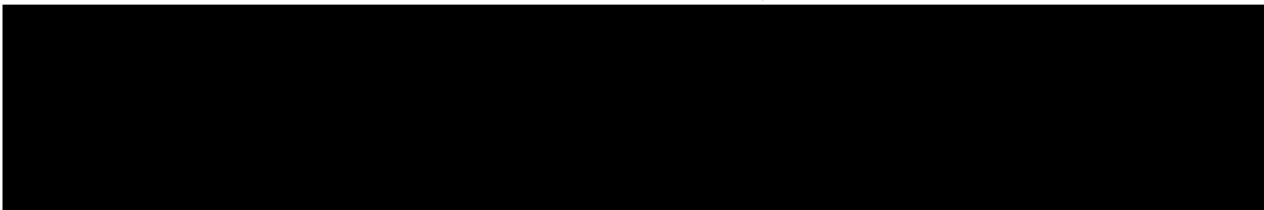
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SUBJECT : Rail Facilities
LOCATION: Verkhoturye, USSR
COORD : 58-53N 60-43E

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MAPS OR CHARTS

ACIC. US Air Target Chart, Series 200, Sheet 0156-8A, 2d ed,
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DOCUMENT

CIA. CR 5A, USSR Railroad Stations and Route Information, May 59 (C)

REMARKS

Verkhoturye (58-53N 60-43E) is 145 miles north of Sverdlovsk on the single-track railroad (Route 454)* leading from Nizhniy Tagil north to Serov.

As shown on the accompanying line drawing, the relatively minor rail facilities include the following: rail yard six to eight tracks wide, 3,400 feet long; locomotive or car repair shop, 210 by 100 feet, containing four or five stalls; turning wye, effective length, 400 feet; water tank, 20-25 feet in diameter; and a coal-storage yard, 1,000 by 290 feet.

The principal industries in Verkhoturye are related to wood processing. These industries are served by a narrow-gauge logging railroad, with total trackage of approximately 125 kilometers, which leads to extensive logging operations east and northeast of Verkhoturye.

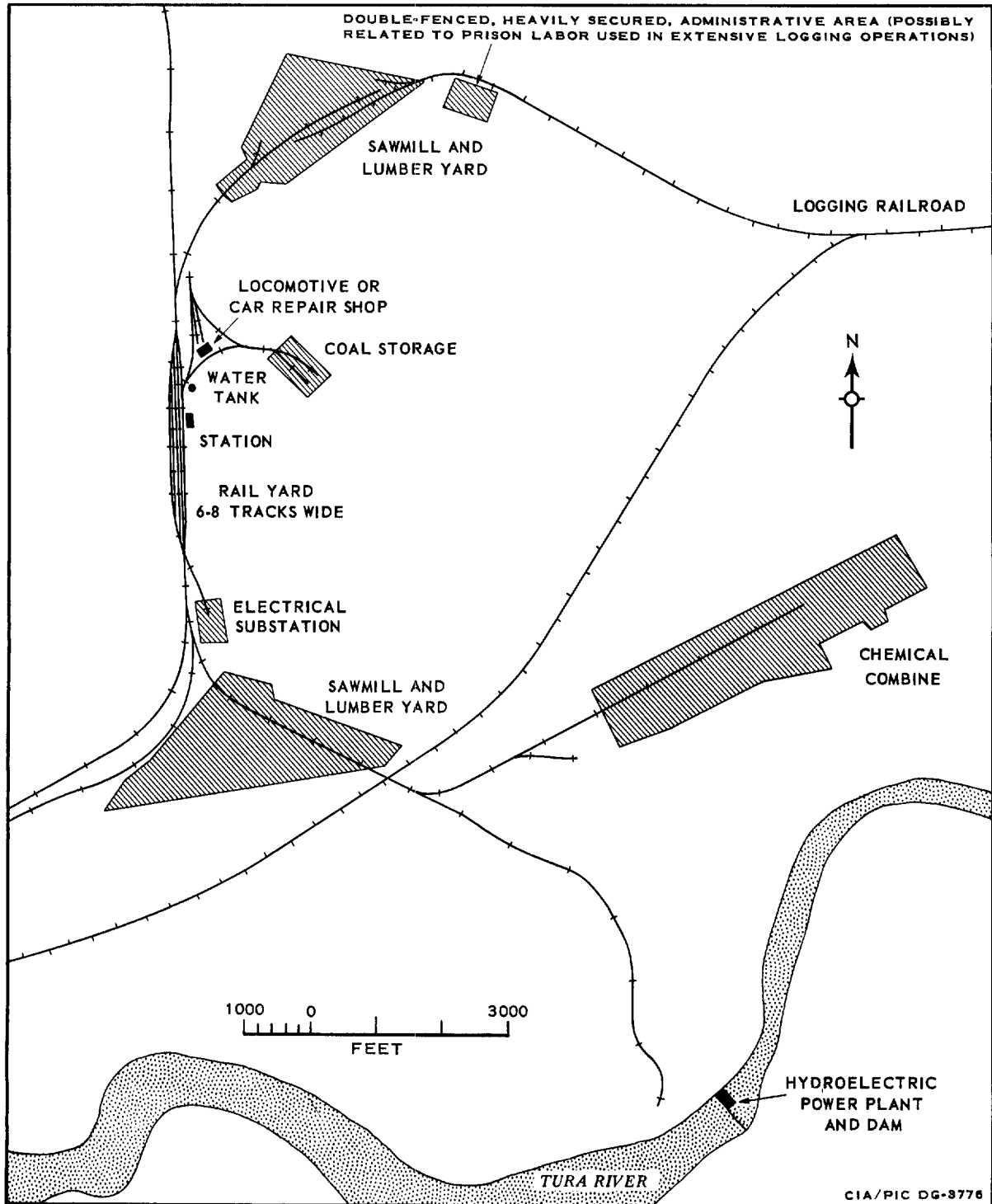
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