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SOME STATISTICS ON CZECH 1949-50 INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION

MANUFACTURING FIGURES FOR 1949 -- Berlin, Chemische Industrie, No 4, Apr 50

According to figures published by the Czechoslovak statistical office, the country's 1949 production included the following (in tons):

| Cellulose | 252,276 |
|-----------------------------|---------|
| Paper | 274.942 |
| Cardboard | 80,341 |
| Soap | 29,124 |
| Hollow glass | 132,158 |
| Table glassware | 135,535 |
| Glass items (miscellaneous) | 9,934 |
| Industrial porcelain | 7,740 |
| Cotton yarn | 75,797 |
| Wool yarn | 35,399 |
| Linen yarn | 8,941 |

Synthetic fiber production for the first 11 months of 1949 is given as 23,678 tons.

INCREASE TRUCK PRODUCTION -- Vienna, Verkehr, 10 Aug 50

Production and export of trucks in Czechoslovakia are steadily increasing. In 1947 truck production amounted to 182 percent of the 1946 level, 243 percent in 1948, and 252 percent in 1949. Production costs have been dropping since 1946.

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FULFILL FIVE-YEAR PLAN -- Prague, Rude Pravo, 16 Jul 50

The following table shows the percentage fulfillment of the 1950 industrial plan during the months of May and June and the first half of 1950.

| Industry | May 50 | June 50 | lst Half 50 |
|----------------------------------|-----------|------------|-------------|
| Mining | 107 | 106.9 | 104.8 |
| Power | 100 | 103 | 102.3 |
| Metallurgy | 102.2 | 98.9 | . 102.2 |
| Heavy machinery | 97.2 | 98.4 | 100.1 |
| Vehicles | 105.9 | 98.4 | 97.9 |
| Precision machinery | 105.9 | 104.4 | 104.8 |
| Chemical | 106.3 | 111 | 103.2 |
| Light metal | 94 | 91.4 | 97 |
| Construction materials, ceramics | 98 | 101.8 | 101.5 |
| Glass | 98.2 | 125.9 | 106.1 |
| Wood | 103.3 | 108.5 | 103.5 |
| Paper | 104.3 | 100.2 | 101.8 |
| Textiles, clothing | 103.8 | 100.2 | 101.7 |
| Leather, rubber | 107.3 | 107 | 104.1 |
| Phonographs | 150 | 117.2 | 114.6 |
| Film | 111.2 | 169.4 | 101.4 |
| Total (excluding food) | 103.2 | 102.6 | 102.3 |
| Food | | | 107.1 |
| Transportation | | 114.5 | · |
| Freight transportation (ton-km) | | 119 | • |

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