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Hungarian Troops.

1. The 28 Artillery Division Headquarters, is located in the former corps building. One of the regiments of this division is likewise stationed in Miskolc and another regiment is in Eger.
2. The former "Rudolf" barracks on Zsolcai Kapu Street is occupied by a motorized infantry regimental staff of the 4 Rifle Division of Nyiregyháza. The regimental units stationed here are as follows:
 - a. Two motorized rifle battalions.
 - b. One 12.7 mm. heavy anti-aircraft machinegun company.
 - c. One antitank company, equipped with six 57 mm. guns.
 - d. One heavy mortar company equipped with six 120 mm. mortars.
 - e. One signal company.

The total strength of these units is about 1,300 men.
3. The Artillery Barracks is located north of the main railroad station, on the street leading to the station. It is occupied by an artillery regiment of the artillery division of Miskolc. This regiment is composed of three groups armed as follows: the first group has twelve 76.2 mm. guns; and the second and the third have twelve 122 mm. guns each.
4. "Szepesi" Infantry Barracks is located on Széchenyi Street (now known as Somogyi Béla Street). It is occupied by a motorized infantry battalion (about 600 men). This is a component of the motorized infantry regiment located in the Rudolf Barracks.

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5. "Csendő" Barracks is located on Tizeshonved Street. It houses the AVH District Headquarters and a school for "police detachment commanders" attended by about 400 men.
6. "Légvédelmi Tüzér (Antiaircraft Artillery) Barracks, located on Szentpéteri Kapu Street, consists of an old and a new section.
 - a. The old section houses an antiaircraft training group composed as follows:
 - 1) Two batteries with four 85 mm. guns each.
 - 2) One battery with six 12.7 mm. heavy machineguns.
 - 3) One battery with six 37 mm. automatic guns.

The personnel housed in this section total about 600 men.

- b. The new section houses a motorized howitzer group of the 4 Rifle Division of Nyiregyháza. It is composed as follows:
 - 1) Two batteries with four 122 mm. guns each.
 - 2) Two batteries with four 152 mm. guns each.

The total strength of this group is about 450 men.

7. Former "Lovassági" Barracks, now called "Tanács Mihály" Barracks is occupied by units of an armored regiment of the 18 Armored Division with the regimental headquarters at Rétság or Gyöngyös. The barracks are also occupied by the following units:
 - a. One reconnaissance tank company with 10 tanks.
 - b. One armored company with ten T34/85 tanks.
 - c. One battery with four 122 mm. howitzers.
 - d. One transportation unit with 24 trucks of various types.

Total number of personnel housed here: about 750.

8. Former "Ilona" Barracks is adjacent to the "Tanács Mihály" Barracks. It is occupied by a border guard battalion of about 450 men.
9. The so-called Food Warehouse, in addition to food and clothing, also contains a transportation unit with about 20 trucks of various types.

Soviet Troops.

10. a. A small Soviet command is housed in the Hotel Korona. In the city districts of Deák, Kazinczy, Széchény, and Ávas, the Soviets have requisitioned private homes to billet the families of high-ranking Soviet officers stationed at Lillafüred.
- b. The new Ujdiósgyőr barracks, located north of the road leading to Lillafüred, now house a Soviet armored battalion with about thirty T34/85 tanks and fifteen 122 mm. JS tanks. Total strength is about 700 men.

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Legend to the enclosed sketch of military installations in Miskolc:

1. Former Rudolf Barracks.
2. Artillery Barracks .
3. Szepesi Infantry Barracks.
4. Csendőr Barracks.
5. Antiaircraft Artillery Barracks.
6. Tancsics Mihály Barracks.
7. Former Ilona Barracks.
8. Food Warehouse.
9. Former Corps Building. Headquarters of 28 Artillery Division.

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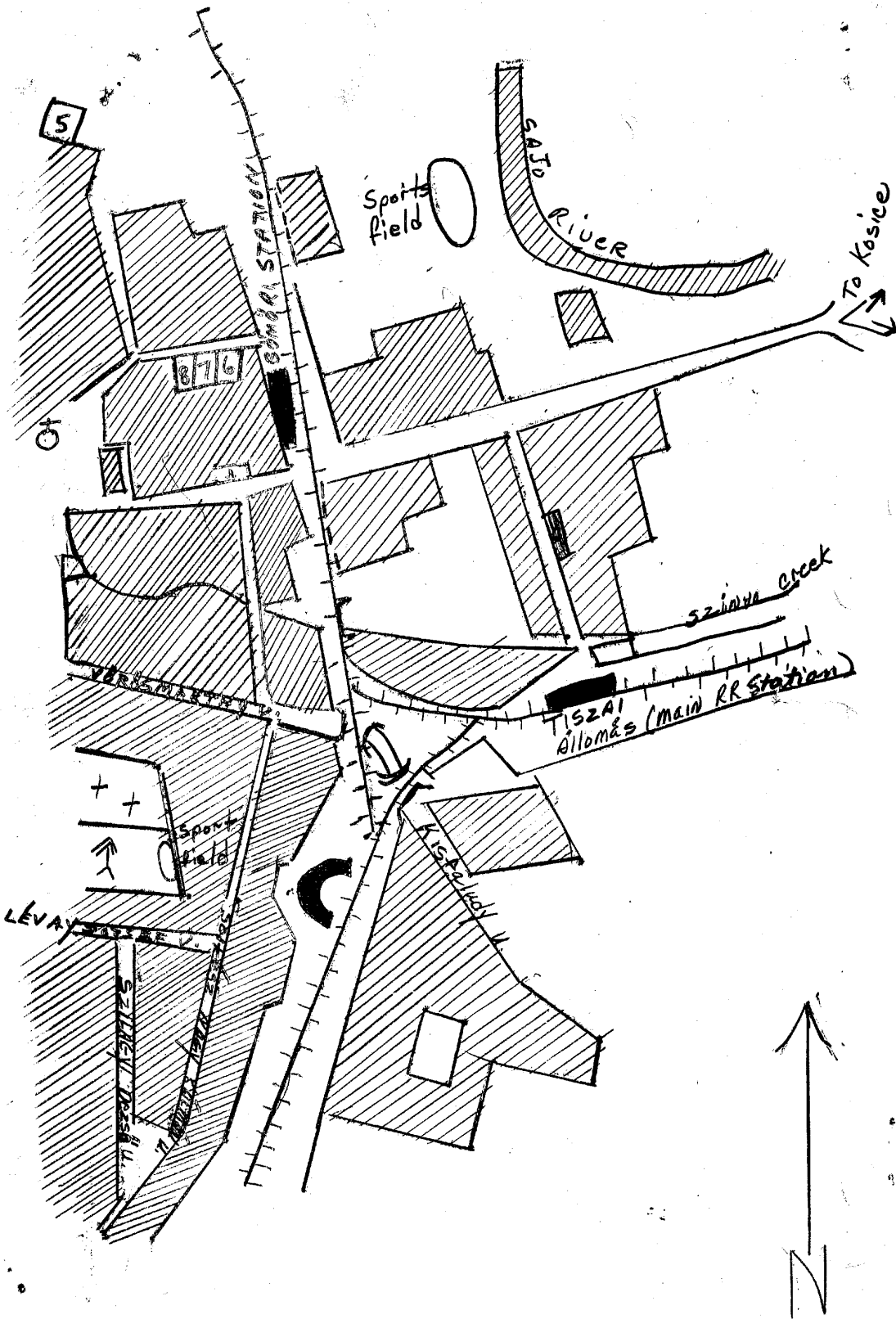
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- Vadász Laktanya (Scout barracks) is located on "Győrszabadhegyi" Street. It is occupied by a Soviet motorized infantry battalion (about 500 men) who have red and black service colors. On the barracks drill field about 30 trucks were seen. [REDACTED] 25X1
- Győrszabadhegyi Artillery Barracks is located on the southeast side of the city of Győr. It is occupied by a Soviet tank battalion whose strength is about 600 men. In the southern corner of the courtyard is the parking lot for trucks and tanks. About 40 tanks (T34/85's) and about 25 trucks are located there. [REDACTED] 25X1
- Tank Barracks is occupied by a Soviet selfpropelled unit whose strength is about 300 men; about 250 men of this unit are housed in the pioneer camp indicated on the sketch with the number 4. The vehicles going from the barracks to the pioneer camp and vice versa [REDACTED] 25X1
- Pioneer camp along the Danube, see number 3 (above). 25X1
- "Zrinyi" Barracks (former "Frigyes) is occupied by a Hungarian pioneer battalion and a Hungarian infantry battalion whose total strength is about 700 men. [REDACTED] 25X1
- On the Island of Győr (Győrsziget) in the boathouse, is a company belonging to the pioneer battalion located in the Zrinyi Barracks; its strength is about 100 men.
- Teleki Utcai Barracks is occupied by a district command of the AVH [REDACTED] 25X1
The total strength of the AVH unit located there, including the training battalion, amounts to about 750 men.

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8. The Barracks complex on Apáca Street is occupied by a Hungarian motorized infantry battalion - belonging to the Infantry regiment of Jutas-Veszprém, which, in turn is subordinate to the 9 Infantry Division. This battalion has a total strength of about 500 men. The main building also contains the offices of the Hungarian city command. 25X1
9. Győr Airfield is located north of the Győr-Komárom railroad line, between the Heese woods and the city. This airfield is being used by the "Maszovlet" company and serves also as practice field of OMRE. Except for the Hungarian and Soviet service personnel there are no military units on the field.
10. Wilhelm Pieck Railroad Car Factory (formerly Vagógyár).

Annex: Sketch map of military installations in Győr.

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1. The Rákospalota airfield is often mistaken for the small airfield at nearby Alag. When completed it is to become an auxiliary military field of the airport at T8k81.
2. The airfield at Rákospalota is located on a grassy surface and its size is about 3,000 x 1,800 m.
3. No hangars and no planes were seen and the airfield did not seem to be in operation.

- Annexes: A. Legend to sketch of the Rákospalota airfield.
B. Rákospalota airfield.

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Legend to the attached sketch of Rákospalota Airfield

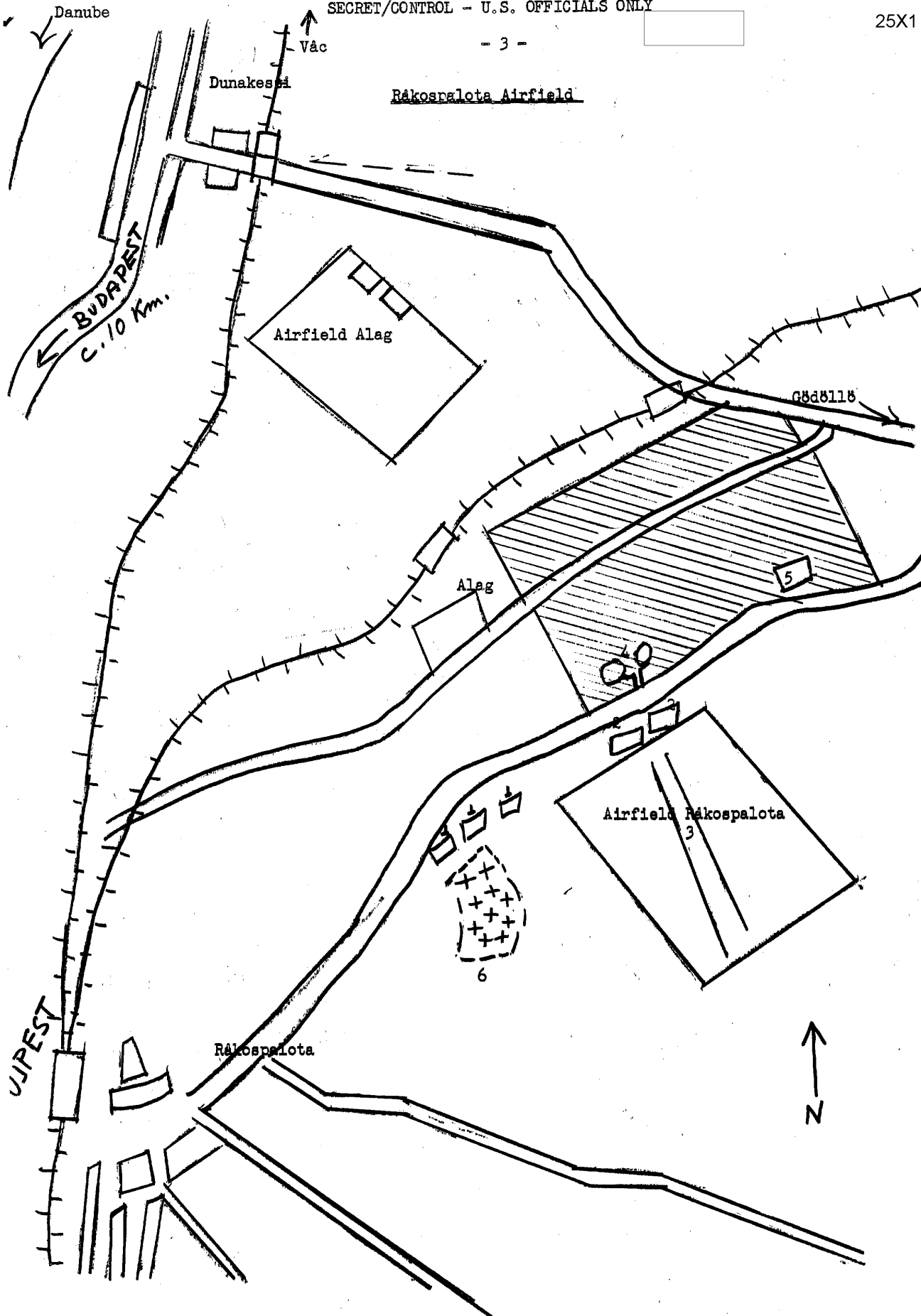
1. Two-story buildings used as living quarters. Each of the three buildings can house about 200 men.
2. Three-story buildings under construction, to be used as living quarters. Each of the two houses will be about 100 x 25 m. and will house about 800 men.
3. Concrete runway about 2,000 m. long and 80 - 100 m. wide. The entire surface of the runway is covered (for preservation and camouflage purposes) with a 10-15 cm. layer of dirt. This can be swept away in one half hour by means of a machine which resembles a snowplow.
4. In the forest, about 100 m. from the road, there are two fuel tanks, each with a capacity of about 100 tons. These tanks protrude only about 2 meters above the ground level.
5. Ammunition dump consisting of six bunker-like structures, each 15 x 8 m. and three-fourths underground.
6. Rákospalota cemetery.

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