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TOPIC Bad Voeslau Airfield and Military Post

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REMARKS

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1. Between 0830 and 1500 on 23 December 1954, no aircraft could be seen at Bad ~~Voeslau~~ airfield because of poor visibility. There was a 10/10 overcast at an altitude of about 800 meters, rain until 1000, southwesterly wind of 15 km/h and visibility of only about 400 meters. There was no air activity.

2. The following observations were made at Bad Voeslau:

Gainfarn Castle was guarded by a sentry who wore black-bordered blue epaulets. One truck and 1 van-like truck were parked in the area of the castle. Two majors wearing blue-bordered blue epaulets, and van-like truck and truck both of them with drivers wearing black-bordered blue epaulets were seen in traffic at the installation. The gates of building No 25 on Hoch Strasse were closed. Jeep with driver wearing black-bordered blue epaulets parked in front of the building. Building No 11 on Gainfarn Strasse appeared to be unoccupied. Part of the windows were broken. Two captains who wore blue-bordered blue epaulets and came from Voeslau Castle entered building No 12 on Wiener Neustaedter Strasse. Sedan with driver wearing black-bordered blue epaulets parked in front of the building. Voeslau Castle was guarded by a sentry wearing black-bordered blue epaulets. Four trucks, 3 vanlike trucks and 2 jeeps were parked in the area of the castle. One major wearing red-bordered black epaulets, 1 major (med) and 2 majors wearing blue-bordered blue epaulets, jeep occupied by personnel wearing black-bordered blue epaulets and red-bordered black epaulets, trucks and van-like truck, all of them with drivers wearing black-bordered blue epaulets were seen in traffic at the castle. Three soldiers wearing black-bordered blue epaulets left building No 14 on Bahn Strasse and proceeded in the direction of the airfield in truck which had parked in front of the building and was occupied by a driver who wore black-bordered blue epaulets. Building No 41 on Bahn Strasse was unoccupied.

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