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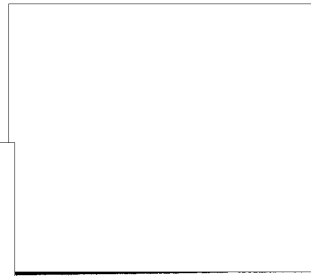
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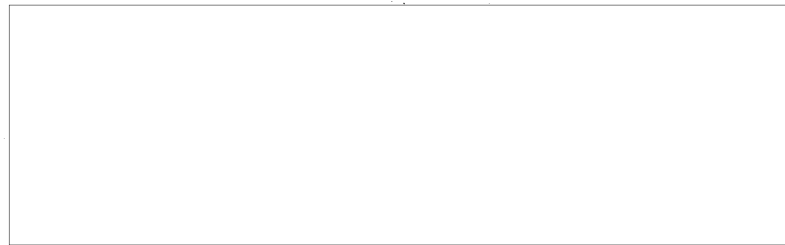
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1. Production of sender tubes RS 782 and RS 789 has commenced at RFT Erfurt. Six have been manufactured to date. A monthly production of 25 pieces will be reached by May 1954. Production of receiver tubes has fallen off a little owing to the increased claims of the special tube LS 50. The falling off is in the types KL 11, KL 12 and the LD series (LD 1, LD 3 and LD 5). The LD series are ultra short wave triodes with steel heads.
2. In spite of all endeavors, the two factories RFT Erfurt and RFT Neuhaus are unable to produce the quantities of tubes required. Altogether 1,836 LS 50 tubes were produced in February 1954, but 60 of them were only partially serviceable. Production of the other series was about the same as in January.
3. Production of frequency stabilizers has been extended to the 90 megahertz area.
4. About 300 germanium diodes were manufactured in February 1954.
5. The Buntmetallwerk Hettstedt is delivering light metal. Poland delivers getter material. 25X1
6. Six two beam oscillographs have been delivered to the Soviet Union.



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