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1. The Standard Company which produces military equipment such as radios, telephones, telegraphic equipment, teletypes, etc. The company was formerly associated with the Siemens Company of Germany and with a UK company. It employs three or four thousand people.
2. Gamma Factory, one of the largest producers of optical equipment for military purposes in Hungary. Produces field glasses, gun sights for various types of weapons, etc. Employs four or five thousand people.
3. Fogaskerekgyár - a cog-wheel factory which produces railroad wheels, axles for railroad cars, etc. Employs about 600 people. Existed before World War II, but in the postwar period it has expanded to about four times its original size.
4. Cable factory which makes cables for underground telephone lines, cable cars, etc. Existed before World War II, but was less than one-fourth its present size at that time.
5. Magyar Allami Fémkutatató Intézet (State Metal and Iron Research Institute). This large T-shaped building which was constructed in about 1949, consists of about three stories above ground and an underground section as well. It is a scientific institute, and what actually goes on there is a closely guarded secret. There was a prison camp directly behind this institute which was

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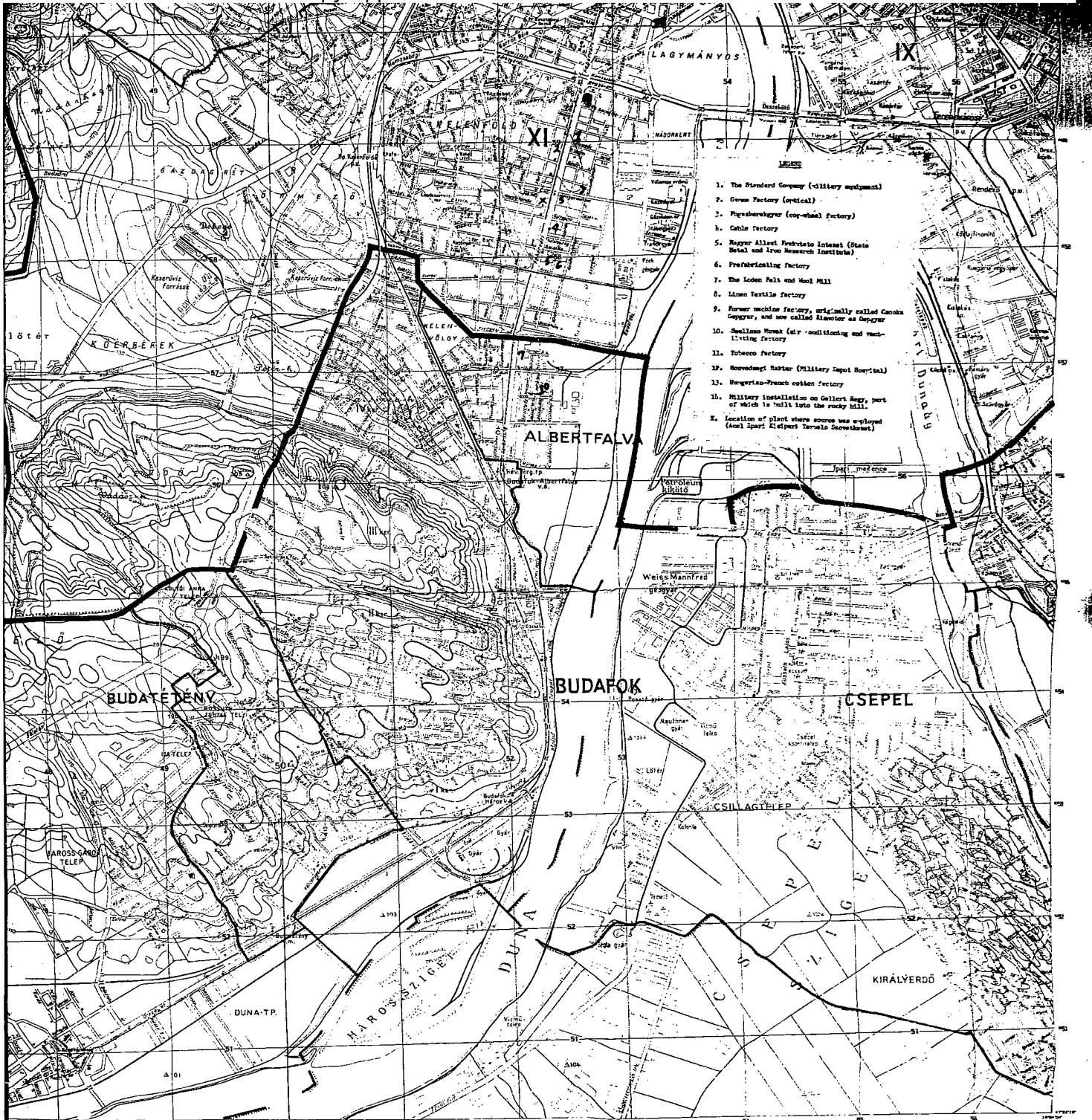
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used until about 1952. The buildings, watch towers, etc, of the prison are still there, but they are no longer in use.

6. Prefabricating factory which faces Andor Ut. This large company, which makes concrete blocks, prefabricated walls, etc (not of wood, but of concrete or cement), was started in 1948 and finished in 1951 or 1952. [redacted] they are actually making more at this factory than the general public is aware of. 50X1-HUM
7. The Loden Felt and Wool Mill. This company burned down in about 1947 but was rebuilt.
8. Linen Textile Factory. The director of this company is a graduate of the "Red Academy" -- a political academy in northwest Budapest (third district). the graduates of which are placed in key positions in factories. [redacted] 50X1-HUM
The factory which employs about 1500 people, is at least 50% larger than it was before World War II.
9. Former machine factory, originally called Csonka Gépgyár, and now called Kismotor és Gépgyár, which produces outboard motors for small landing craft. It also makes agricultural equipment and aircraft engines (not jets). The plant is very large. It has about tripled in size since World War II, and now covers a full block (which is larger than an average city block). It employs at least 1500 people. The factory has two stories above ground, and an underground section.
10. Szellőző Művek - a factory which makes air-conditioning and ventilating equipment. It also produces threshing machines. This company was built in 1948 or 1949.
11. Tobacco (cigarette) factory.
12. Honvédségi Raktár - Military Depot Hospital and Blood Donor Station. The building is at least 150 meters long and 50 or 60 meters wide, and has two stories. It extends from the street to the railroad tracks. The building itself is right on the street, so there is no fence in front, but there is a fence between the building and the railroad tracks. It is a prewar installation.
13. In one corner of the triangular property on which the hospital is located is the Hungarian-French cotton factory.
14. Military installation on Gellert Hegy, part of which is built into the rocky hill. The front of the installation is a three-story building. It was started in 1947 and finished in 1952 or 1953. Inside there is a military communications center and jamming installation. Some of the radio transmitting directed against the freedom fighters in the rebellion of October 1956 originated here.

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1. The Standard Company (Military equipment)
2. Glass Factory (optical)
3. Paperworks (cigarette factory)
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11. Tobacco Factory
12. Handmade Hat (Military Depot Hospital)
13. Hungarian-French cotton factory
14. Military installation on Gollort hill, part of which is built into the rocky hill.
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