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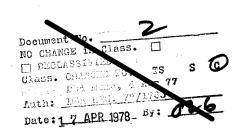
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- Since the Soviet occupation, the Bragag Hydrogenation Plant at Schrerzheide-Ruhland has been impounded by the SMA, then returned to the Germans and finally established as a Soviet-German jointstock company. A Soviet Colonel is in charge of the plant, which is employing 1,000 workers and achieving an output equal to seventyfive percent of the war-time peak production. Repairs being carried out at present aim to raise the output to 100% capacity. A further 500 workers are expected to be employed shortly.
- 2. The synthetic gasoline produced at Schwarzheide-Ruhland is dispatched by rail "to the Bast" and to Czechoslovakia.
- 3. Although the Lauta Aluminum Works was at first earmarked for dismantling, the factory has now been reactivated.



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