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COUNTRY <u>Czechoslovakia</u>	REPORT
TOPIC <u>Winter Exercises in border area of western Czechoslovakia</u>	50X1
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- Maneuvers by Czech Army units and SML units were conducted in the Spicak (R 50/Q 07) - Desenice (R 50/U 93) area from 4 to 9 February 1950. Military units from Kyrsko (R 50/U 99) and Hilsen (R 50/L 04) were observed. [redacted] 50X1-HUM
light tanks (about 20-ton tanks) participated in the maneuvers [redacted] 50X1-HUM
The SML Company [redacted] from Kyrsko was summoned 50X1-HUM to meet a simulated emergency. The company, at Zelena Lhota (R 50/U 98), was employed in delaying action to slow the enemy's advance across the border until the arrival of reinforcements.
- Troops on trucks and motorcycles were seen in the area of Trahnov (7 km southwest of Domažlice (R 50/P 70)), moving toward Babylon (R 50/P 70), on 5 and 6 February 1950 at 3 a.m. no marching columns were observed. The noise of battle was heard from the border area near Warzenried (R 50/U 89) on the Czech side of the border, at the same time. 50X1-HUM
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- [redacted] an infantry unit [redacted] participated in the maneuvers in the area northwest of Volary (R 49/L 55). [redacted] 50X1-HUM

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