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1. Between 24 and 26 November 1950, the Hindenburg Kaserne, Schwerin M 54/T 46) seemed to be occupied to capacity by not less than 1,000 troops who wore red-bordered black epaulets with artillery insignia, and black-bordered black epaulets. [Redacted] the installation quartered an artillery and a signal unit. (1)

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2. The Freiherr von Fritsch Kaserne was fully occupied by about 1,000 troops, most of whom wore black-bordered black epaulets, and some red-bordered black epaulets and black-bordered red epaulets. No heavy weapons were observed, whereas signal equipment was repeatedly seen. (2)

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3. The Krueger Kaserne seemed to be fully occupied by about 1,000 troops wearing red-bordered black epaulets with tank insignia. (3)

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4. The Moltke Kaserne was occupied to capacity by not less, and presumably more, than 1,000 troops. Soldiers observed wore red-bordered black epaulets with tank and artillery insignia. [Redacted] the installation quartered tank and AT artillery units.

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5. The Adolf Hitler Kaserne was occupied to capacity by about 5,000 troops wearing red-bordered black epaulets with artillery insignia, and black-bordered red epaulets. (6)

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6. [redacted]  
total of 10 to 12 groups of fuel tanks, each group having a capacity of not less than 50,000 liters, were located in the yards of both the Moltke Kaserne and the Krueger Kaserne. The tanks were allegedly filled with diesel fuel. The fuel dump about 300 meters from the Moltke Kaserne was allegedly filled with gasoline and serviced passenger cars and motorcycles of the units in the Krueger and Moltke Kasernen. (7)

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7. [redacted] the ammunition of the units in the two barracks installations was stored in a fenced ammunition dump opposite the Krueger Kaserne. The dump contains three semi-underground storage buildings and a watch tower. It is brightly illuminated at night and guarded by sentries. (7)

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- [redacted] comments.  
(1) Compare with similar information of late August [redacted]

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- (2) The Freiherr von Fritsch Kaserne, like the Hindenburg Kaserne, is believed to quarter signal and artillery units. The strength estimate corresponds with previous estimates [redacted]

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- (3) The units stationed in the Krueger Kaserne are believed to include the 74th (?) Tank SP Regt of the 94th Gds Mtz Rifle Div. This assumption is strengthened by the observation of personnel wearing tank insignia.

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- (4) [redacted]

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- (5) Since the Krueger Kaserne and the Moltke Kaserne form a single billeting area, it is difficult to determine the occupation of the individual installations. In addition to the 74th (?) Tank SP Regt, several artillery units are believed to be quartered in the billeting area.

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- (6) The strength figure appears too high, since only up to 2,500 troops were previously reported to be quartered in the installation. [redacted]  
(7) The supply installations were reported for the first time. The statement that they were the fuel and ammunition dumps of the units in the two barracks installations was probably correct.

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