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1. [redacted] 7 boxcars with 15 tons of AA ammunition from Finow near Eberswalde arrived at the Sachsenhausen railroad station on 14 March 1951. The ammunition, which was said to have come from the former Hirsch copper & brass plants in Eberswalde, Finow, and Finowfurth, was hauled off by trucks to the former Sachsenhausen concentration camp.

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2. Three boxcars were loaded with AA ammunition in Sachsenhausen and dispatched to Finowfurth on 9 April. The ammunition was said to have been part of the shipment which had arrived from Finow on 14 March. It allegedly was unserviceable.

3. The following supply shipments left Frankfurt/Oder between 3 and 7 April: 50X1-HUM

<u>Shipment</u>	<u>Destination and Date</u>
Eight AT guns, about 88 mm, with pneumatic tires and a long barrel.	Strausberg 3 April
Twenty new caterpillar tractors for the Soviet Army.	Fuerstenwalde 5 April
Ten boxcars with ammunition.	Toward Eberswalde 5 April
Twelve boxcars with ammunition.	Toward Cottbus 6 April
Thirty flatcars with pig-iron and steel plates.	Unknown 6 April

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Shipment

Destination and Date

Train of 45 railroad cars, including 2 boxcars with soldiers, 6 flatcars with special 4-axle trailers, 4 boxcars with one 8-ton Diesel truck each, and 3 boxcars with 2 tractors each

Toward Jueterbog
15 April

Train of 22 railroad cars with soldiers

Toward Berlin
16 April

Troop train of 42 railroad cars, including 2 coaches with soldiers and flatcars with 12 tanks, several armored scout cars and motorcycles

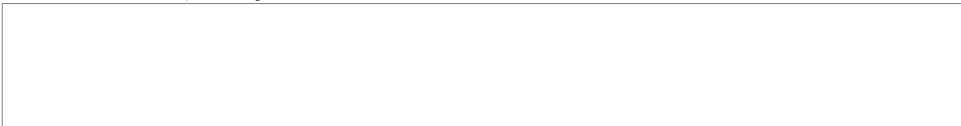
Toward Berlin
17 April

7. A troop train with an undetermined number of soldiers wearing red-bordered black epaulets, 13 tanks and 3 field kitchens passed through Doeberitz at 2:45 p.m. on 21 April.

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* Comment. The unidentified AAA Regt of the 25th Tank Div may be stationed in the Sachsenhausen concentration camp, since the AA ammunition was hauled to the installation.

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*** Comment. Some of the trains probably carried components of the 6th Gds Tank Div from Wittenberg to the Jueterbog area.

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