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- Before the war, the Siemens-Flanlawerke A.G. had two main plants, one in Ratibor and one in Berlin-Lichtenberg. The Ratibor plant is now in Poland and the Lichtenberg plant was used as a basis for reconstruction of the firm in East-Germany.\* The Lichtenberg factory is divided into two parts, the carbon rod (Kohlenstifte) plant and the electrode plant (Elektrodenfabrik).
- The firm is an SAG and belongs to SAG Kabel. Under some kind of lease agreement it is usually considered a VEB (Volkseigener Betrieb). \*\*
- The chief personalities of the Siemens-Flanlawerke Lichtenberg are as follows:
  - Russian Director General : Pankov
  - Russian Chief Engineer : Olski (described as not a Communist)
  - German Political Director : Henrion
  - German Technical Director : Ragoss
  - Russian Director General of SAG Kabel: Fomenko
- Production has lately increased but quality is poor. There are no longer many reparations deliveries but considerable interest has been shown by satellite countries.
- Graphite rods are sent to Bitterfeld for graphitizing (Graphitierung).

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Comment: Siemens in West-Germany has reopened the Siemens-Flanlawerke AG branch in Meitingen near Augsburg.

Comment: The Lichtenberg factory has been previously reported as one of the 23 SAG plants which were returned as "People's property" in June 1950.

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