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25X1X SOURCE [REDACTED]

- 25X1X 1. Between 25 and 27 September 1951, [REDACTED] the Landesjugendheim in Strausberg (N 53/V 15) housed artillery officer schools. Ten captains and senior lieutenants, carrying books and notebooks, were seen standing at the door of a garage which sheltered an artillery piece of about 80 mm. Twenty other officers received theoretical instruction at the athletic field. Gate guards wore red-bordered black epaulets with artillery insignia. All windows of the installation were lighted at nightfall. [REDACTED] was seen entering the billeting area. *
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2. Two units of about 80 men each and a third unit of about 40 men, led by NCOs, were seen marching from the Infanterie Kaserne to the former Burschenfuersorgeheim on 26 September. The troops wore red-bordered black epaulets, including some with artillery insignia. **

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