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REMARKS

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- 25X1 1. A brick wall, 2 meters high, was erected parallel to Macherstrasse, the road to Zschornau, across the southern section of the Panzer Kaserne in Kamenz (N 52/A 41) during the period from 10 to 16 June 1952. A Volkspolizei (VP) unit of about 150 police and women police was quartered in the eastern part of the southern section of the installation. most of the police came from Leipzig-Gohlis, while the others came from Zittau. About 100 soldiers wearing red-bordered black epaulets were quartered west of the new brick wall. The section of the installation which is located north of the road to Bernbruch was also occupied by Soviet soldiers. three T-34 tanks were available and that soldiers and VP were jointly trained with these tanks.
- 25X1 2. The barracks installation in Kamenz was partitioned in mid-June, with one section occupied by Soviet units and one by VP. \*
- 25X1 Comment. As early as 7 June 1952, 150 VP were stationed in this installation. Female units of the military VP are stationed in Leipzig-Gohlis. They may have detached personnel to Kamenz. Female personnel attached to military VP units is reported for the first time. The 100 soldiers wearing red-bordered black epaulets are believed to be a rear detachment of the 45th Gds Tank Regt of the 11th Gds Tank Div stationed there. The regiment itself is believed to be in Koenigstrueck where the 11th Gds Tank Div has been stationed since mid-April 1952.