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5. During the period from 13 to 19 June, about 100 soldiers wearing red-bordered black epaulets who were quartered in prepared quarters in the officers' club arrived in the Adler Kaserne and Loewen Kaserne south of Highway 103. During the period from 7 to 12 June, several colonels arrived at the installation. They were billeted in building 11. On 19 June, they were still there and apparently were not engaged in any specific activity. A unit which had arrived in mid-May and was quartered in building 16 was repeatedly seen leaving the installation with eight 57-mm AT guns which had not been previously seen in the installation. Source learned from soldiers that Lieutenant Colonel Lefchenko (fnu), the commanding officer of the unit, left for the U.S.S.R. in early May 1952 for two months of leave. (1)

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[REDACTED]

7. During the period from 13 to 19 June, the former German officers buildings in the Elstal settlement were occupied to capacity by soldiers wearing black-bordered black epaulets. (3)

8. During the period from 13 to 19 June, the Hasenheidenberg barracks installation was vacant. (5)

9. During the period from 10 to 17 June 1952, the permanent garages in Neues Lager west of Altes Lager north of Highway 103 were occupied to capacity by about 25 T-34/85 tanks [REDACTED] and 4 JSU-122 guns. The wooden garages were not occupied.

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10. On 14 June, 24 soldiers were seen practicing with four 120-mm mortars in Altes Lager north of Highway 103. Trucks [REDACTED] left the camp in the direction of Doeberitz. (6)

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11. [REDACTED]

12. On 13 June 1952, four trucks each towing a 122-mm field howitzer including [REDACTED] moved to the troop training grounds coming from the area of the Olympisches Dorf. Two trucks [REDACTED] each towing a 57-mm AT gun left Dallyow in the direction of Rohrbeck.

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13. During the period from 26 May to 12 June, the Flak Kaserne west of the Olympisches Dorf was occupied to capacity. Two trucks, [REDACTED] each towing a light AT gun daily entered the installation at about 4:45 p.m. Many imprints of track-laying vehicles were seen at the exit of the barracks installation leading toward the troop training grounds. (8)

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14. During the period from 10 to 11 June, a column of: 1 sedan; 3 amphibious cars; 26 motorcycles with sidecars; 3 armored personnel carriers each occupied by 12 soldiers; 1 half-track armored personnel carrier mounting a 47-mm AT gun; and 2 trucks [REDACTED] each occupied by 12 soldiers wearing red-bordered black epaulets daily entered the Neues Lager west of Altes Lager. (6)

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[REDACTED]

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16. On 13 May, Colonel Bodokva (fnu) wearing red-bordered black epaulets with artillery insignia was identified as commanding officer of the rear detail with the Unit Klopov in the Olympisches Dorf. On 9 June, three 57-mm AT guns were seen in front of a garage of the Unit Kovalyov.

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Comments.

(1) Information on the occupation of the Adler Kaserne and the Loewen Kaserne was previously submitted. [redacted]. The units of the 1st Mecz Div previously stationed in the two barracks installations are believed to have moved to the Doeberitz troop training grounds on 26 June 1952. Exercises during which the troops were not at their posts for prolonged periods of time were also observed during preceding years. The soldiers who had closely cropped hair possibly were recruits although no information on arrivals in the Soviet Zone of Germany of pertinent trains from the U.S.S.R. is available. There is also a possibility that old soldiers received a special haircut for the summer season. Lieutenant Colonel Levchenko (fnu) is known as alleged commanding officer of a tank regiment in the Adler Kaserne and the Loewen Kaserne. For layout sketch of the Adler and Loewen Kasernes, see Annex 1.

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(3) The Till Eulenspiegel settlement probably is identical with the Elstal settlement. This probably clarifies the quartering area of the engineer unit which was previously believed stationed in the Olympisches Dorf. [redacted] Further information is needed to determine whether these engineers belong to the 18th (?) Engr Bn of the 1st Mecz Div and/or the Second Gds Mecz Army or the Fourth Gds Mecz Army.

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(4) [redacted]

(5) The barracks installation has not been occupied since the fall of 1951.
(6) The Altes Lager and Neues Lager appeared to be still occupied by units of the 1st Mecz Div. [redacted]
(7) The tanks are believed to belong to the 1st Mecz Div.
(8) The Flak Kaserne was apparently occupied by the 37th Mecz Regt of the 1st Mecz Div prior to 12 June 1952 as previously. [redacted]

(9) With the exception of a rear detail stationed in the Olympisches Dorf, the 11th Gds AT Arty Brig (?) is at the Templin troop training grounds with Colonel Khlopov (fnu) who is known from previous reports. [redacted] [redacted] The officers mentioned are known except for Colonel Bodokva (fnu). Kovalyov (fnu) probably is Major Kovalev (fnu) who allegedly is an officer with a motor transport unit of the 1st Mecz Div in the Olympisches Dorf. [redacted]

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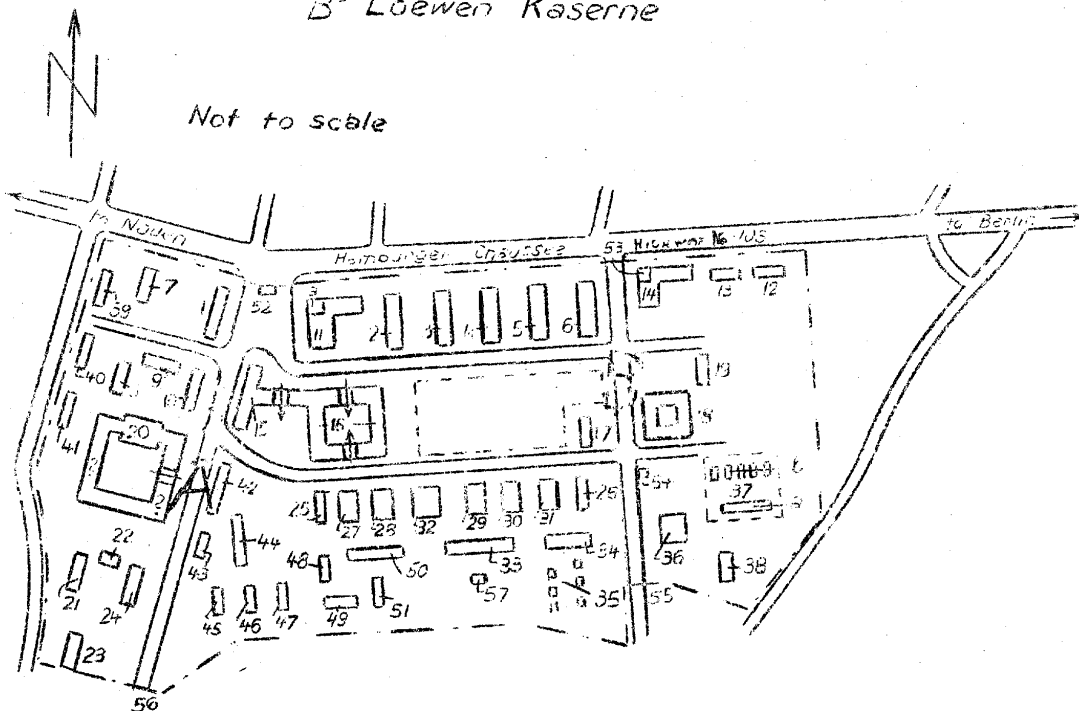
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Annex 1 [redacted] 25X1

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- A - Adler Kaserne
- B - Loewen Kaserne



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Annex 1 [Redacted] 25X1

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- 54 Guard house.
- 55 and 56 Exits for the troop training grounds.
- 75 Tank shed.

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Legend.

- 1 through 6 Four-story buildings for personnel, 20 x 100 meters.
- 7 through 10 Officers quarters (?).
- 11 Four-story buildings for officers.
- a Six-story tower.
- 12 Four-story building for officers, 15 x 35 meters.
- 13 Three-story headquarters building, 15 x 25 meters, with a radio and telephone station on the roof.
- 14 Four-story building housing the officers club, detention room and quarters.
- 15 Three-story building for officers and personnel with garages.
- 16 Three-story building with kitchens and mess rooms for officers and personnel and with quarters and headquarters.
- 17 Low wooden building, 10 x 30 meters, a carpenter's shop (?).
- 18 Three-story building housing kitchens and mess rooms for officers and personnel, shops for craftsmen and officers quarters.
- 19 Infirmary, 15 x 25 meters.
- 20 Stockade (?).
- 21 Quarters for officers and women.
- 22 and 23 Kitchens and mess rooms (?).
- 24 Garage with repair shop.
- 25 and 26 Garages, 15 x 35 meters.
- 27 through 31 Tank garages, 30 x 35 meters.
- 32 Tank garage, 35 x 35 meters.
- 33 Tank garage with repair shop, 20 x 80 meters.
- 34 Gymnasium, 25 x 50 meters.
- 35 Ammunition bunker (?).
- 36 Ordnance shop, 35 x 35 meters.
- 37 Fuel depot, 100 x 100 meters.
- a Shed for tank cars and trucks.
- b Tanks (?).
- 38 Stables.
- 39 through 41 Quarters, Officers club, headquarters (?) (garages?).
- 42 through 51 unidentified.
- 52 Main gate of the Adler Kaserne with guard house.
- 53 Main gate of the Loewen Kaserne with guard house.