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1. There is no aircraft factory in the township of Matyasfold itself, but the No. 1 Central Repair Workshop of the Hungarian Air Force (Honved Legierok 1 Szamu Kozponti Javitomuhelye) is located at Budapest-Matyasfold airfield to the south of the town.
2. Up to the beginning of 1949, the workshops of this unit were engaged almost exclusively in reconstruction of wrecked HAF aircraft. About 80 aircraft in all were reconditioned, including Bucker, Arado-96 and Focke Wulf planes.
3. During 1950 and 1952 capacity of these workshops was appreciably increased by the importation of 17 or 18 machine tools of Russian make.
4. Any major repairs, for which this workshop is considered inadequate, are undertaken by the Ikarus works nearby.
5. Personnel at this shop include one airforce maintenance battalion (Repulési Kiszolgáló Zászlóalj), which is mainly concerned with routine aircraft maintenance, and in addition two special maintenance companies composed of skilled workers.

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