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## THIS IS UNEVALUATED INFORMATION

- 1. The watch factory at Ulica Wigury 21, Lodz, produces time fuses for bombs.
- 2. The factory M-32, formerly called Katoda, at Ulica Rudzka 6, Lodz, produces high frequency transformers and other electronic equipment for the Army. A new building, 70 by 30 meters and two stories high, is being built for this factory.
- 3. Lists were being prepared of 25,000 persons who will be forcibly evacuated from Lodz. They are professional men, doctors and lawyers, as well as merchants, artisans, real estate owners, retired persons, and others who are considered enemies of the regime.
- 4. A railroad line has been constructed to the airport located on the Bzura River, seven kilometers northwest of Leczyca (Q53/077). L
- 5. At the beginning of July, a mopping up of partisans took place in the forests near Makowa Gora, not far from Faliszewo (Q53/J43). Seven UB (Security Police) men were killed, and there were several arrests. Communication with the region was forbidden, and the police patrolled the area with dogs. A similar incident occurred near Lipczyce, not far from Radomsko (Q52/T96).
- 6. It was reported early in September 1952 that Greek children, carried away from their homes during the guerrilla campaigns after World War II, were quartered in barracks in Lodz in the Kolonia Robotnicza Nastokach at ill. Listopada. The children, aged 15 to 17, were working in a textile factory at ul. Ofiar 10-go, Wrzesnia (Q52/T86).
- 7. At Lodz, Polish Army personnel are currently giving courses of instruction in automobile and truck driving. Members of sport associations are also taking part in this program, which is being carried through in considerable haste.

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8.	The civil airport at Lublinek(Q52/083) has been separated from the military one. Labor gangs are at work there on some sort of construction project.
9.	The Lodz power plant prepared a plan whereby current in private homes in certain quarters of the city will be turned off three or four times a week between the hours of 5 p.m. and 10 p.m. This plan was not to go into effect, however until after the elections in October 1952. Until then, the electric voltage was merely lowered, resulting in dim lighting.
	1. Comment: reported the construction of a new large military airfield in this locale.

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