

FROM: 240850 JAN 45
 TO: 241340 JAN 45

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TIME	SMP.	Action
IN	OUT	NO.
INCIDENTS, MSGS, ORDERS, ETC. Taken		
	0850	Col Johnson to 2d BN 6 - advance on hill. Arty is at your command. Check with arty before advancing to see if they have stopped firing concentrations 1st BN line *but
	0855	
	0920	Col Johnson to 1st BN 6 pull "B" Co back under cover. Keep OP's and consolidate "A" Co As soon as 2d BN takes hill pull back "C" Co.
0930		Cannon Co new pos (8271 - 9022)
0930		2d BN 2 to S-3 2d BN sent out patrol to top of hill. mortar fire is being recd in BN area
1030		2d BN 5 to S-3 patrol has ret'd and "E" Co is jumping off at 1030 to take hill.
	1035	Col Johnson informed Col Stephens of above and received permission to send units of 1st BN to take baths
1040		2d BN 5 to S-3 "E" Co jumped off to take hill and 2d BN has units ^{on} ^{at} ^{the} ^{hill} ^{will} ^{be} ^{at} ^{the} ^{road} ^{block} ^{at} ^{Regt'l} ^{boundary} .
1040		① Overlay 2044 Div AT gun pos
1120		2d BN 5 to S-3 units are apparently on the hill since BN plans est RB in 20 mins.
	1125	S-3 notified G-3 of above.
1200		2d BN 5-3 TO S-3 "E" Co IS ON THE HILL AND WE ARE SENDING OUT MEN TO THE ROAD BLOCK. ^{Took hill} ^{at 1030}
	1205	S-3 NOTIFIED G-3 OF ABOVE.
	1340	Div line out

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				INCIDENTS, MSGS, ORDERS, ETC. Taken
1425				Div line in.
		1425		Col Johnson to Col Stephens. 2d BN KO'ed a Tiger tank with arty fire and are now establishing roadblock at Regtl boundary.
1500				2d BN 6 to Col Johnson. there are 3 Mark II tks at (842-854) and an SP gun at (836-859) holding ^{us} up from putting in RB.
		1505		Col Johnson tells G-3 TO LNO to check his TD BN if they can shoot on above
		1510		Col Johnson to 119TH S-3. gives above info and asks them to check if they can shoot on tks and SP gun.
		1515		S-3 gives above coordinates to Div arty to shoot at
		1520		S-3 notified G-3 of above.
		1525		Col Johnson explained to Col Stephens that attempts were made to get around both sides of the hill toward RB pos and 3 tanks and one SP gun are holding up progress.
		1535		Col Johnson asked G-3 if 119TH has an OP on hill in front of their pos. and was told they have but not on nose of the hill.
1550				119TH 3 to S-3 their men can't see the tanks and SP gun from their pos.
1550			(2)	105 Engrs Road Clearance Rpt No 73
1620				119TH to S-2 one veh and inf were picked up S of "Abner" and they were given permission to shoot since we have no traps there.
1625				2d BN 6 to S-3 en 145 crossed RR tracks in front of "F" Co into woods and arty is shooting on them.

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IN	OUT NO.	INCIDENTS, MSGS, ORDERS, ETC. Taken
	1710	S-3 to 1st BN 5 to move TD's down around woods in front of "C" Co's pos covering road to their front.
	1715	S-3 asks G-3 where 7th Armd Ren. is going that is passing in front of 1st Bn.
1718		S-3 gives 2d Bn 6 instructions to patrol woods tonight N side of hill next to RR tonight.
1720		G-3 to S-3 only info on 7th Armd move is that they have an obj to our front.
	1730	Col Johnson gives 119th S-3 coordinates of haystacks (8289-8520) and (8320-8521) where SP gun fired at 2d Bn and to check them from his pos.
1730	(3)	Overlay of AT gun pos.
1815		2d Bn 6 to Col Johnson says he plans mining RJ and covering it with MG's. 7th Armd has plot of tks at (839-876) to support atk at (855-871)
1955		Col Stephens to Col Johnson. Bn Co's may go to Paris 28 JAN.
	2000	Col Johnson in conf call to Bn Co's sends above msg.
	2010	Col Johnson was told by 2d Bn 6 that he is going to mine RJ and if 7th Armd muss pass thru he will take up mines.
2050		2d Bn 2 to S-2 party left at 2000 with mines to mine RJ.
2200	(4)	OVERLAY TO ACCOMPANY 117th IWF. LNET REPORT.
2200	(5)	OVERLAY SHOWING DIV. BOUNDARIES
2200	(6)	OVERLAY SHOWING DISPOSITION OF 1ST DIV. & LFL FLANK OF XVILL COMES

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IN	NO.	INCIDENTS, MSGS, ORDERS, ETC. Taken
	0830	S-3 TELLS 1ST BN 3 TO WITHDRAW "C" CO FROM PRESENT POSITIONS.
	0900	Col Johnson checks situation of 2d Bn with 2d Bn G.
0935		Gen Harrison in CP
1000		2d Bn line in.
	1020	Gen Harrison and Col Johnson out to 2nd Bn CP.
1030	①	Overlay 30th Div AT def.
1245		Gen Harrison and Col Johnson back in CP
	1335	2d Bn line out
1350		2d Bn line in
	1400	Gen Harrison out
	1400	S-3 checked with G-3 pos of 7th Amrd to see if plot of "E" Co on the hill could be withdrawn. They can't be withdrawn yet since 7th Amrd has not moved far enough to 2d Bn's front.
	1530	G-2 inquired of S-2 situation and was told that everything is quiet except for scattered arty in 2d Bn area.
	1735	S-3 inquired of 2d Bn 3 situation report. Saw on this morning to their front and fired arty on them. Plat of "E" Co still out on top of hill.
	1745	S-3 inquired of "E" Co CO situation rpt. Friendly paratroop Bn is in woods to his left front and there is SA and rocket conc in that woods. "E" Co pos are receiving no enemy fire

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IN	OUT	NO. INCIDENTS, MSGS, ORDERS, ETC. Taken
	0015	S-3 TO G-3 ~ 2ND BN PATROL RECEIVED FIRE FROM HILL AT (843854) AND RETURNED AT 252330.
	1505	Both Div lines out
1520		1st BN line in
1530		Both Div lanes in
1615		2d BN 3 informed S-3 that 2d BN patrolled Rt 1 into StVith and found it cleared of em.
1700		G-3 to S-2 when Regt. moves from present pos to new area. There will be strict radio silence.
2100	①	Overlay 3d Army pos.
	2245	Div. lines out

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1235				G-3 TO S-3 - SEND NO LESS THAN ONE CO TO CONTACT 17TH A.B. AT 838833 ON DIV. ORDER.	
		1240		S-3 NOTIFYS 2ND BN OF ABOVE MSG AND TELLS THEM TO MAKE PLANS TO SEND CO.	
1445			①	OVERLAY FROM DIV HQ SHOWING CONTACT POINTS WITH VIII CORPS.	
		1450		CO GIVE CO. CO "C" 823 TO BN PERMISSION TO MOVE BACK TO ASSEMBLY AREA WITH THE EXCEPTION OF ONE PLATOON.	
1525				G-3 TO S-3 119TH INF MADE CONTACT WITH VIII CORPS.	
1605				CREW LINE IN	
1625		-		G-3 TO S-3 THE TROOPS OF VIII CORPS ARE COMING UP FROM THE SW TOWARD NEUBRUCK ON THE MAIN ROAD. IF THEY KEEP COMING UP ROAD YOU MAY CONTACT THEM IN NEUBRUCK. IF THEY DONT STAY ON ROAD YOU WILL HAVE TO MAKE CONTACT AT POINT SHOWN ON OVERLAY. THEY ARE NOW 1000 YARDS NORTH OF PL "C" ON ROAD	
		1630		S-3 TO S-3 2ND BN GIVE HIM THE ABOVE INFORMATION AND TOLD HIM TO KEEP A SHARP LOOKOUT.	
		1700		S-3 TO 2ND BN - SEND PATROL TO TRY TO CONTACT TROOPS OF VIII CORPS ON MAIN ROAD. IF PATROL MAKES	

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TIME	IN	OUT	SFP. NO.	Action INCIDENTS, MSGS, ORDERS, ETC. Taken
				CONTACT THEM SEND REST OF Co. TO MAKE CONTACT. IF THIS IS ACCOM- PLISHED THAT IS ALL WE WILL HAVE TO DO
1800				2ND BN REPORTS HEAD OF COLUMN OF III CORPS IS AT 837853 - WE ARE SENDING PLATOON TO MEET THEM AT NEUBROCK.
	1805			S-3 TO G-3 - GIVES HIM ABOVE MSG - G-3 SAYS YOU DO NOT HAVE TO SEND Co JUST LEAVE PLATOON THERE WITH TWO TANKS.
	1810			S-3 NOTIFYS 2ND BN OF ABOVE MSG FROM G-3. - S-3 OF 2ND BN SAYS THEY HAVE MADE CONTACT AND IT IS WITH 346 TH REGT. - WILL SEND OFFICERS NAME CONTACTED LATER.
1840				2ND BN TO S-3 - WE MADE CONTACT WITH CAPT L.E. NADLER OF Hq. Co 346 TH REGT OF 87 TH DIV AND HAVE ONE PLAT AND TWO TANKS IN NEUBROCK. - AT OTHER CONTACT POINT WE CONTACTED "I" Co OF 346 TH REGT - THEY HAVE ORDERS TO DIG IN ALONG ROAD AND ARE DOING SO.
	1845			S-3 NOTIFYS G-3 OF ABOVE MSG.
	1850			S-3 TELLS 2ND BN TO BRING IN SQUAD THAT WAS IN POSITION ON HILL.
	1940			BOTH CO DIV LINES OUT
2006				DIV LINES IN.
2300			②	Overlay pos trps w front.

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0030			①	Overlay Routes and assembly areas
0100			②	Overlay pos. trps on W front.
		0630		Col Johnson out on leave to Paris. AND ALL BN COMMANDERS 3RD BN CHECKS OUT - MOVING TO NEW AREA.
1030				OLD CP CLOSED
		1415		NEW CP OPENED IN PETIT-HALLEUX BELGIUM RT (69649299)
1500				3RD BN CLOSED INTO NEW AREA AS OF 1215
1545				1ST BN. CLOSED INTO There AREA 1545
1800				GAS SCHOOL WED 31 ST JAN 0800 - 1600 - 1 off per Regt, 1 off per BN 2 - NOSE per Co. for REGT here + REGT CP
1815				BATHS - STAUFLLOT 0800-1700 THURS 1 ST FEB 45 from Custom 21
		2010		J-3 TO G-3 - WE CLOSED INTO AREA RT 2005.

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2200			Regiment in Assembly area (rest period) today.
			1st, 2nd, 3rd Bns cleaned billets and reorganized.
2230		①	Overlay bus trips Belgium border.

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0900		①	TRAINING MEMO ^{#1} THIS HQ
1100		②	TNG AND MAINTENANCE MEMO FROM 119 TH INF.

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0930			GEN HARRISON IN CP
	1000		GEN HARRISON OUT
1210		①	INFORMATION OVER WAY