

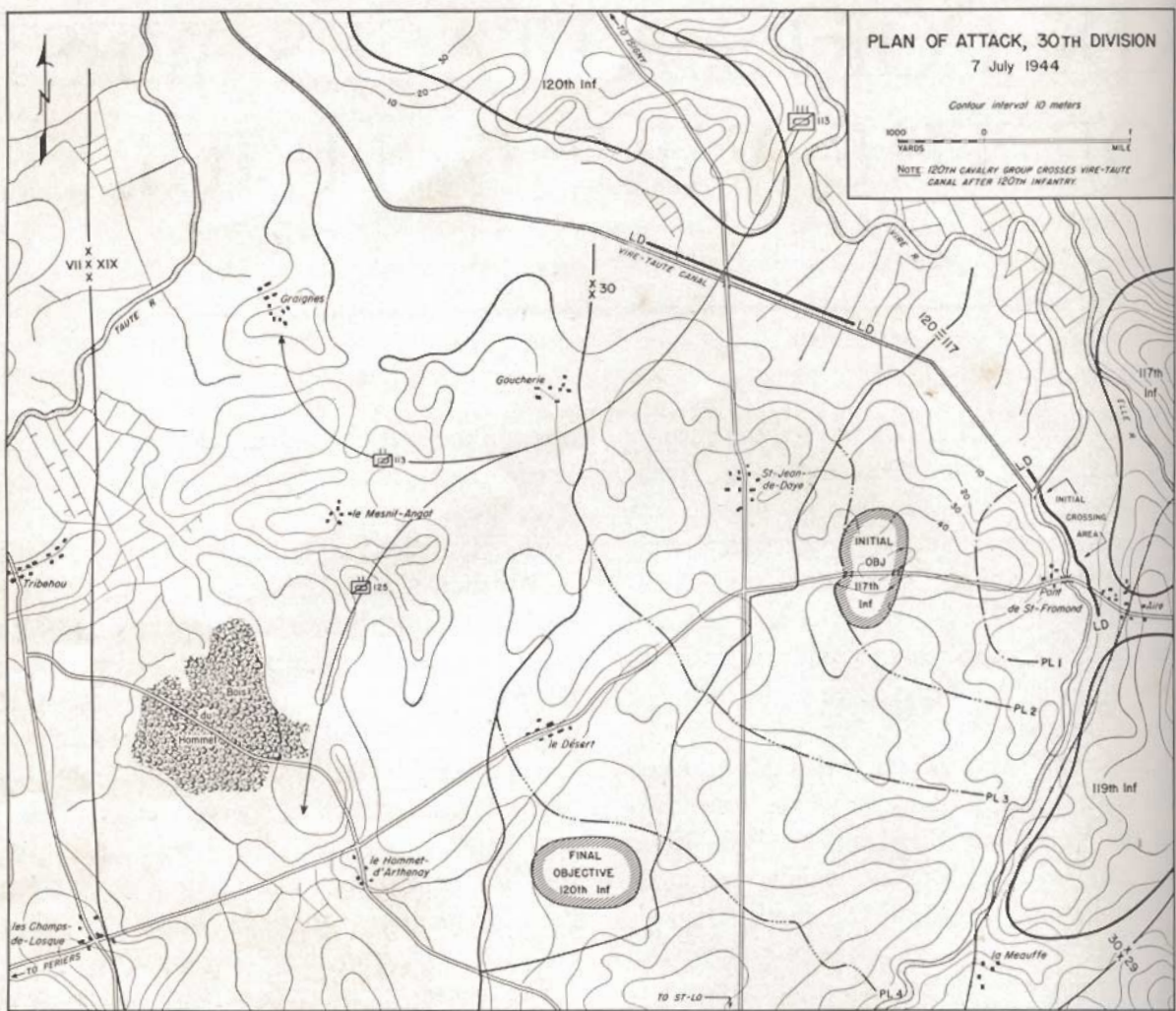
PLAN OF ATTACK, 30TH DIVISION

7 July 1944

Contour interval 10 meters

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NOTE 120th CAVALRY GROUP CROSSES VIRE-TAUTE CANAL AFTER 120th INFANTRY



120th Inf

VIRE CROSSING, 117TH INF

Positions at noon, 7 July 1944

Contour interval 10 meters

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TAUTE - VIRE CANAL

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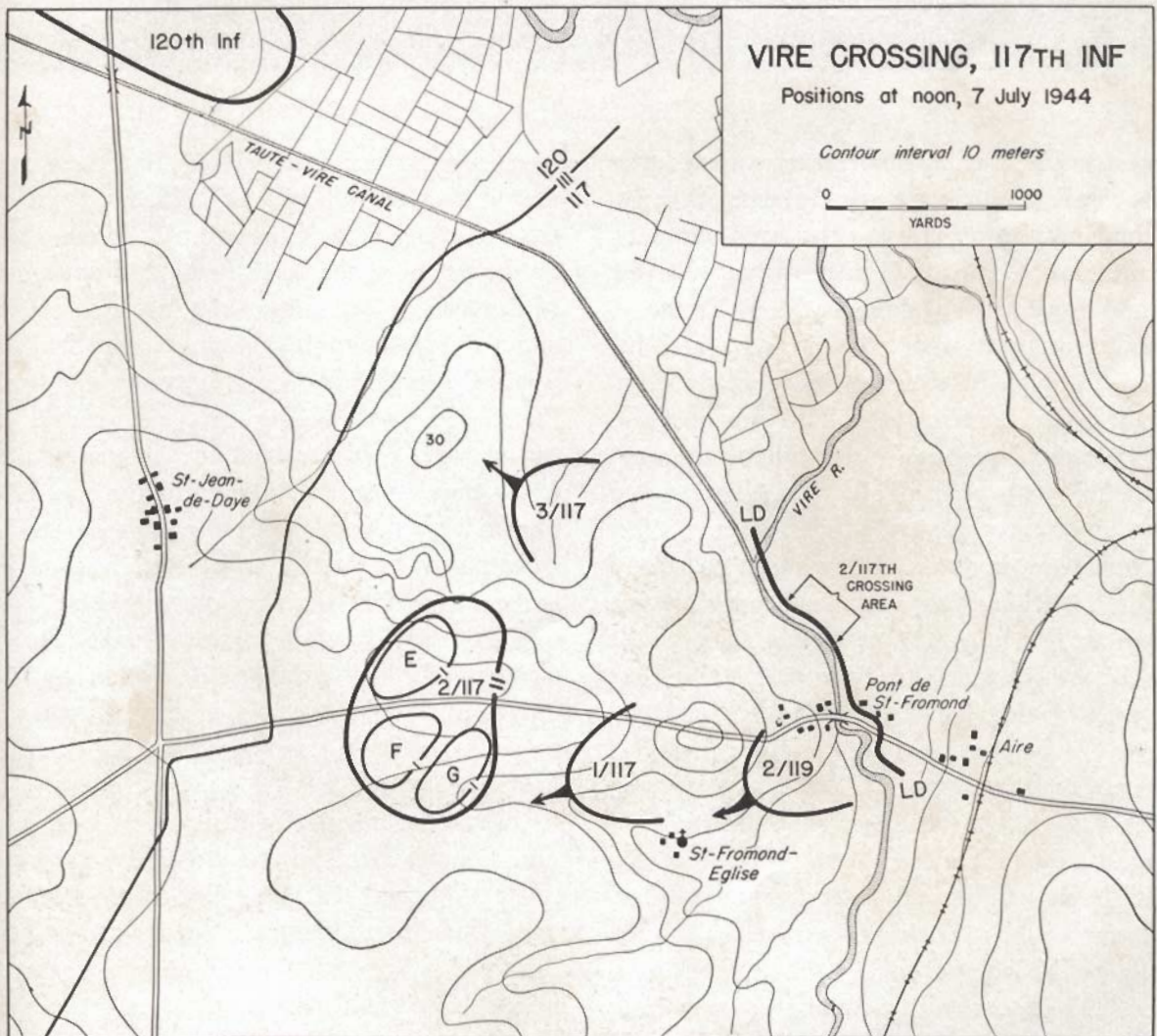
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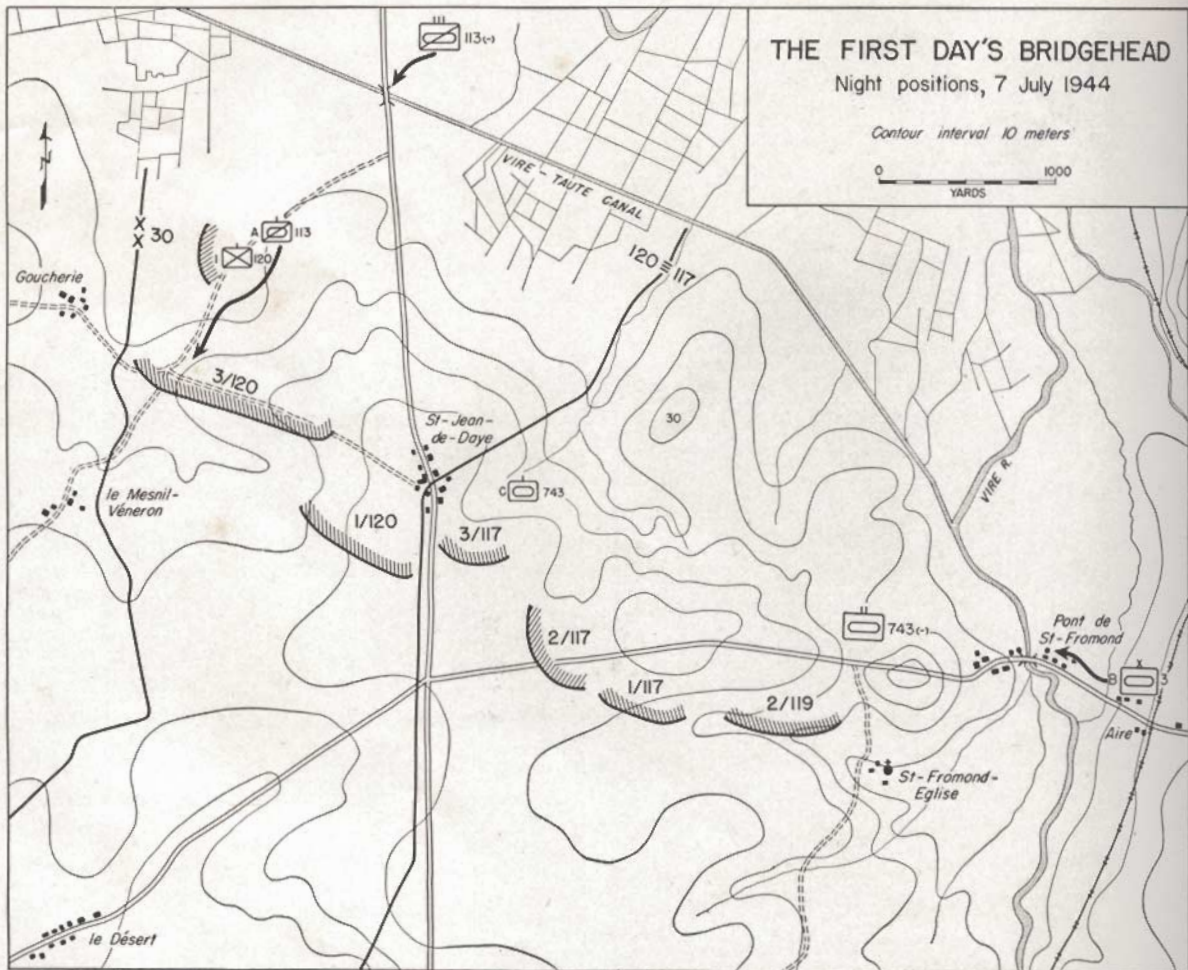


THE FIRST DAY'S BRIDGEHEAD

Night positions, 7 July 1944

Contour interval 10 meters

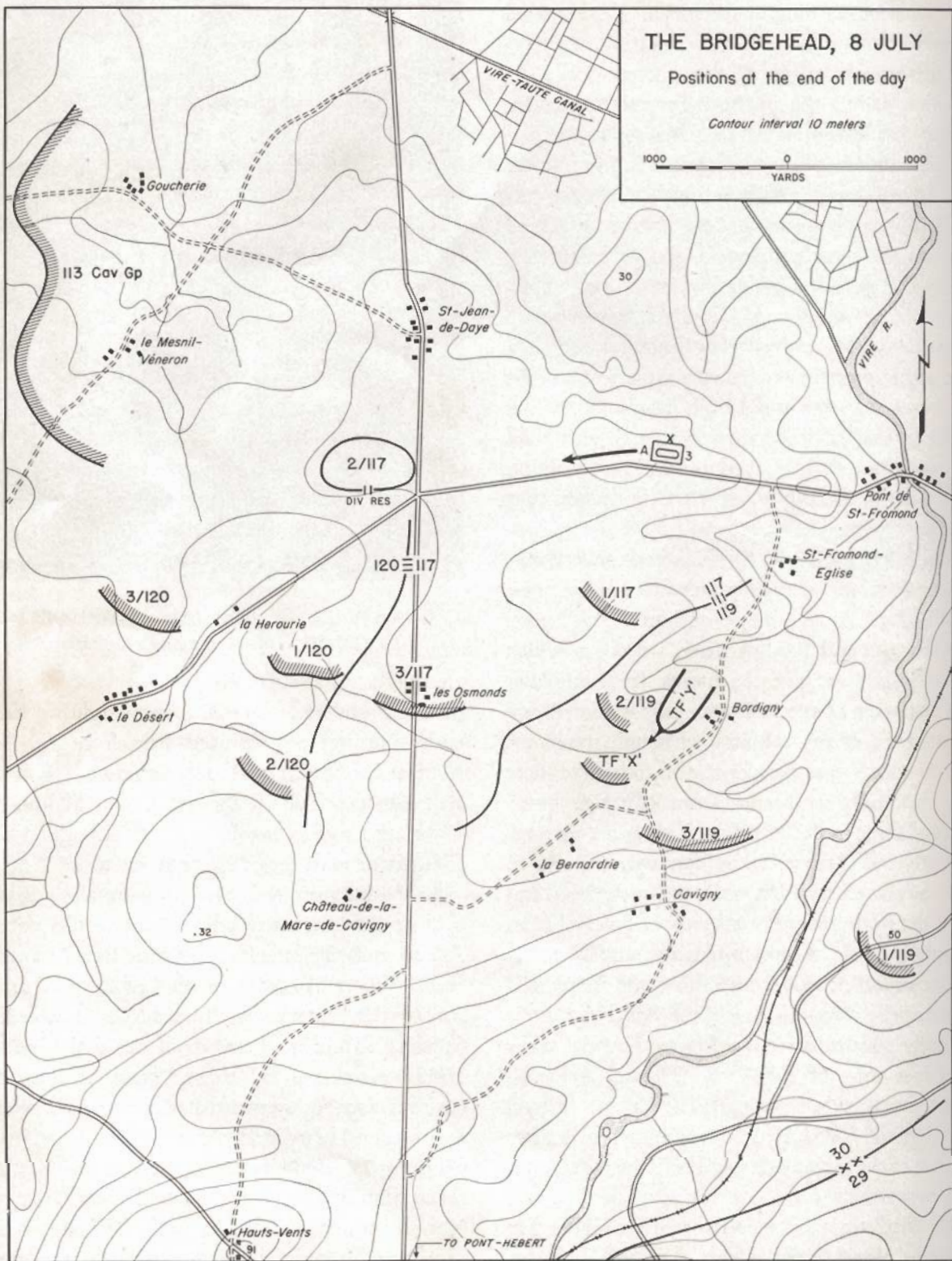
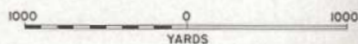
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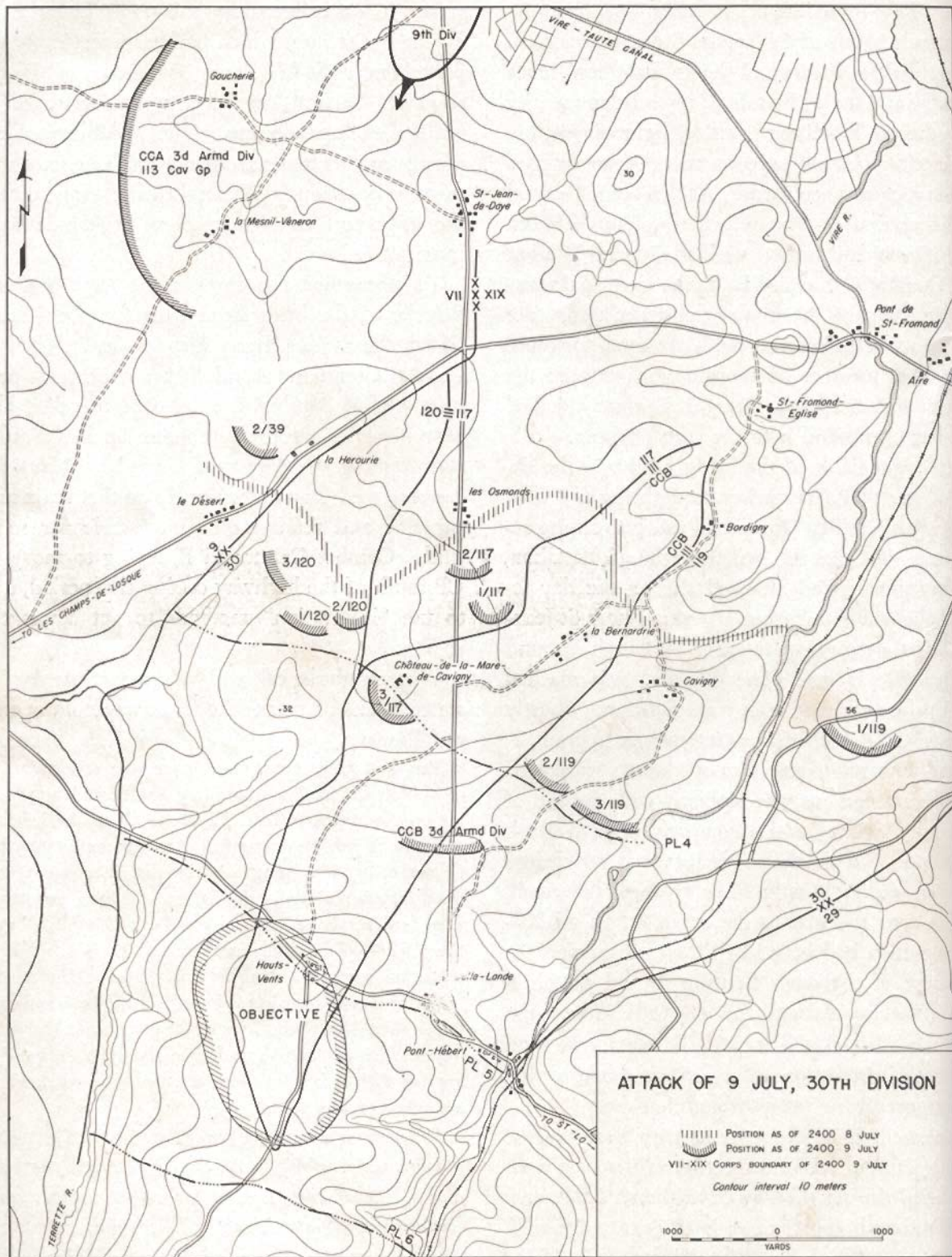


THE BRIDGEHEAD, 8 JULY

Positions at the end of the day

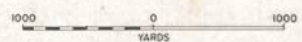
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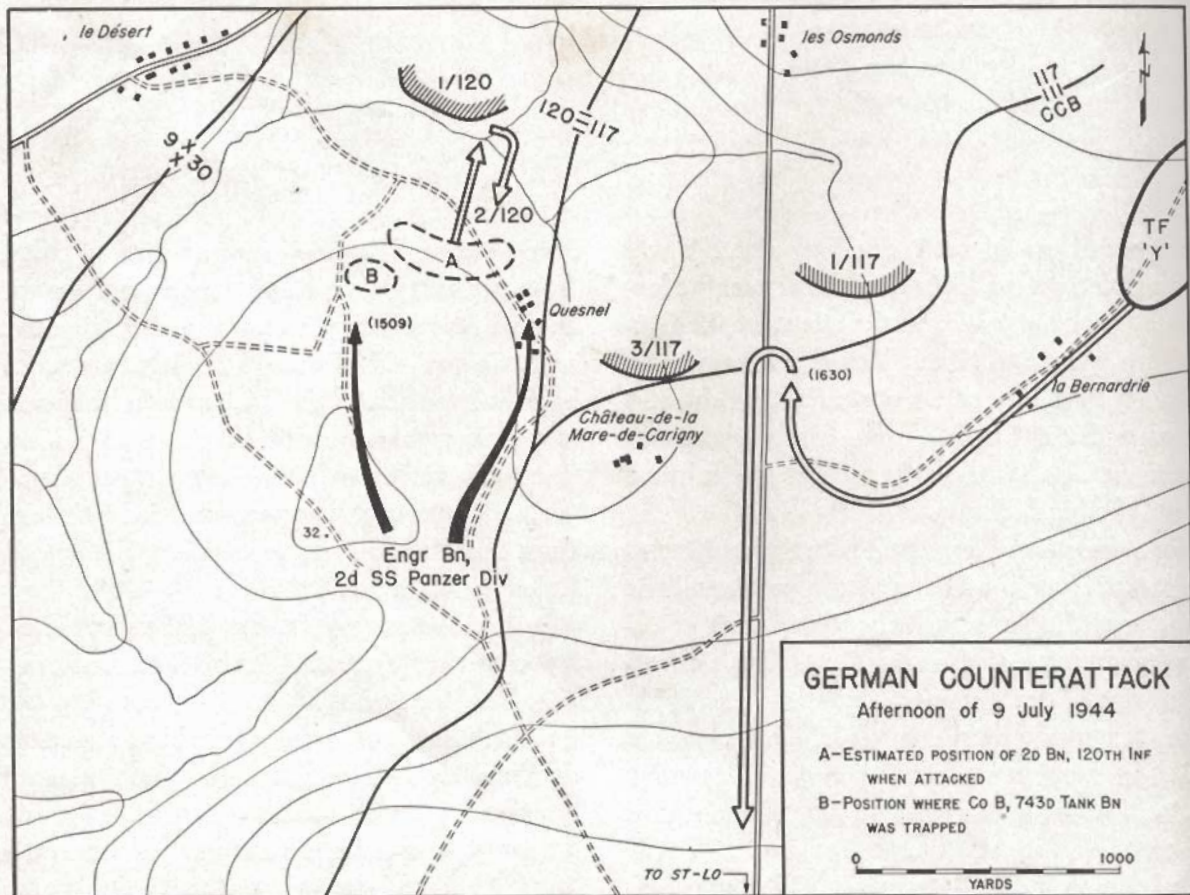




ATTACK OF 9 JULY, 30TH DIVISION

[Hatched Area] POSITION AS OF 2400 8 JULY
 [Wavy Line] POSITION AS OF 2400 9 JULY
 [Dashed Line] VII-XIX CORPS BOUNDARY OF 2400 9 JULY
 Contour interval 10 meters



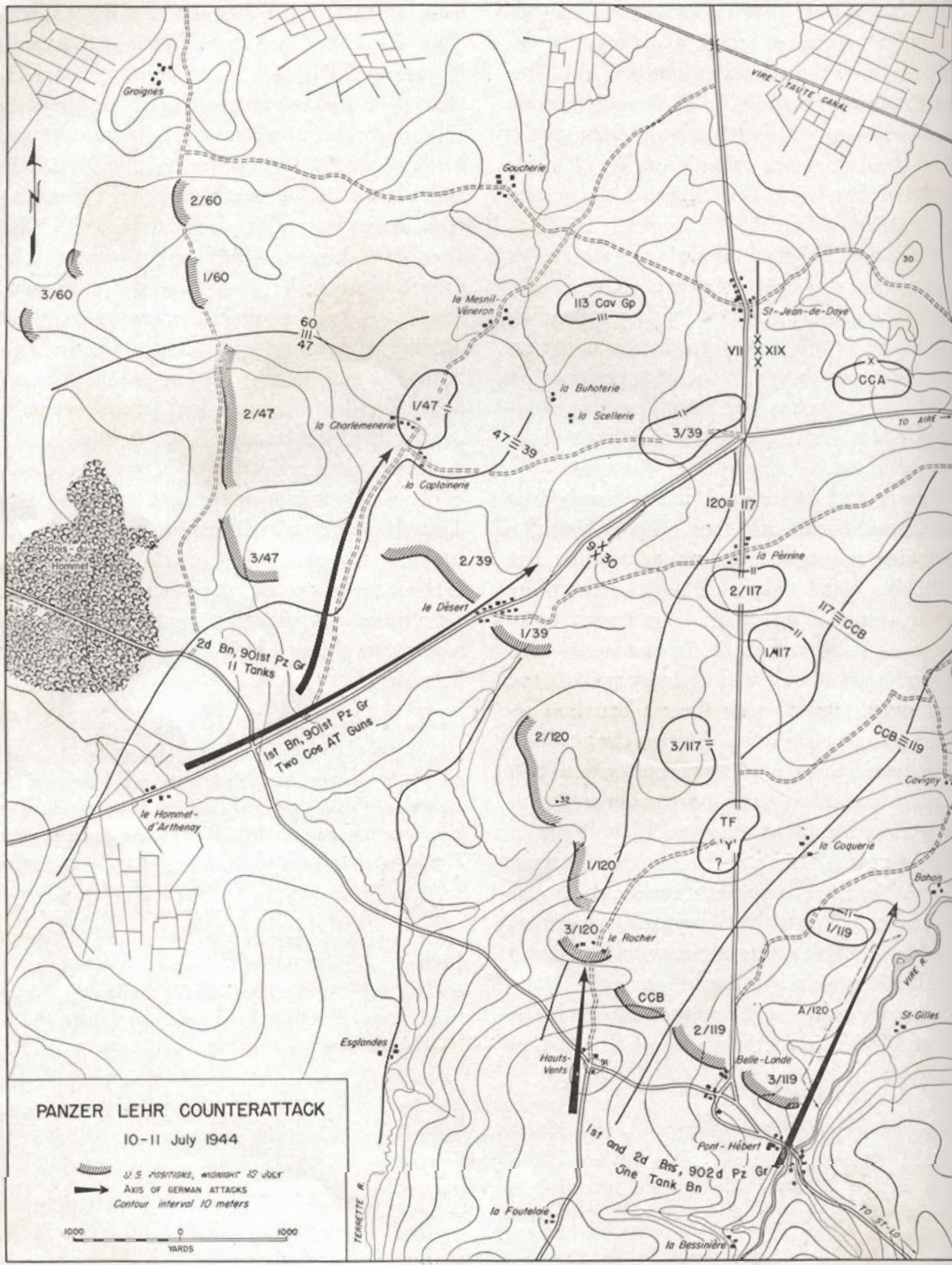


GERMAN COUNTERATTACK

Afternoon of 9 July 1944




A—ESTIMATED POSITION OF 2d BN, 120TH INF
WHEN ATTACKED

B—POSITION WHERE CO B, 743D TANK BN
WAS TRAPPED



PANZER LEHR COUNTERATTACK

10-11 July 1944

-  1/5 positions, midnight 10 July
-  AXIS OF GERMAN ATTACKS
-  Contour interval 10 meters

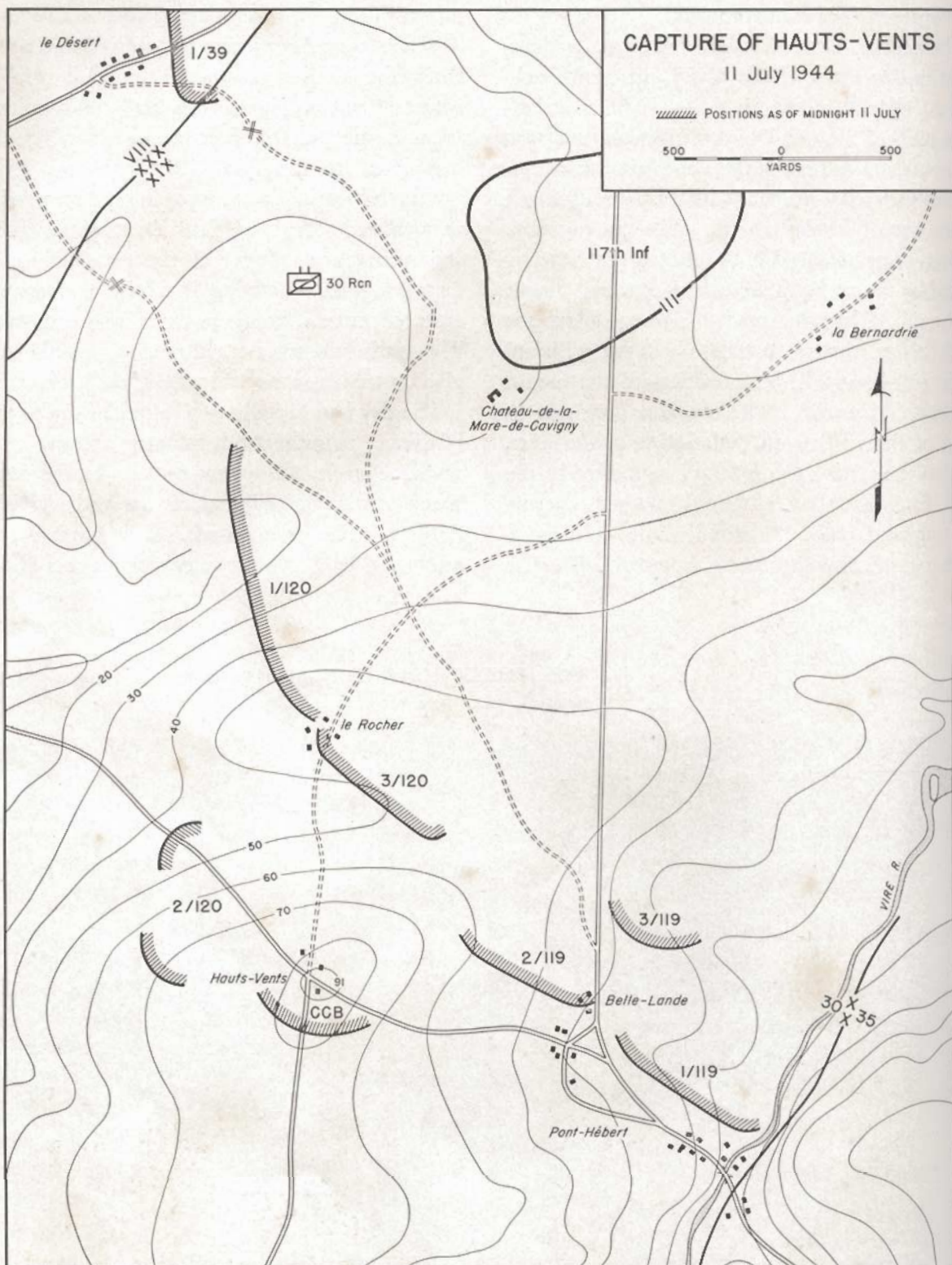


CAPTURE OF HAUTS-VENTS

11 July 1944





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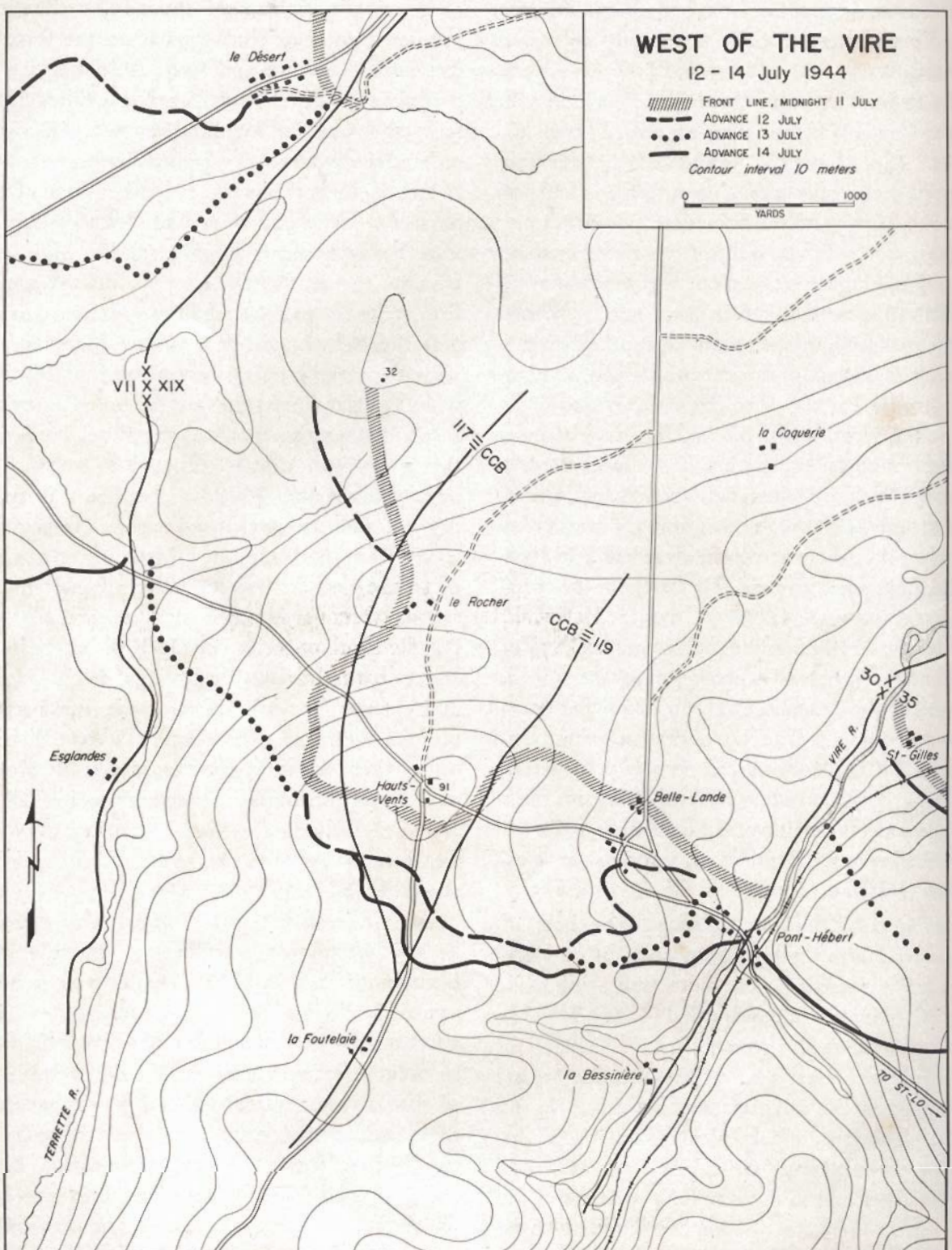
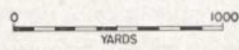
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WEST OF THE VIRE

12 - 14 July 1944

-  FRONT LINE, MIDNIGHT 11 JULY
-  ADVANCE 12 JULY
-  ADVANCE 13 JULY
-  ADVANCE 14 JULY
- Contour interval 10 meters



WEST OF THE VIRE

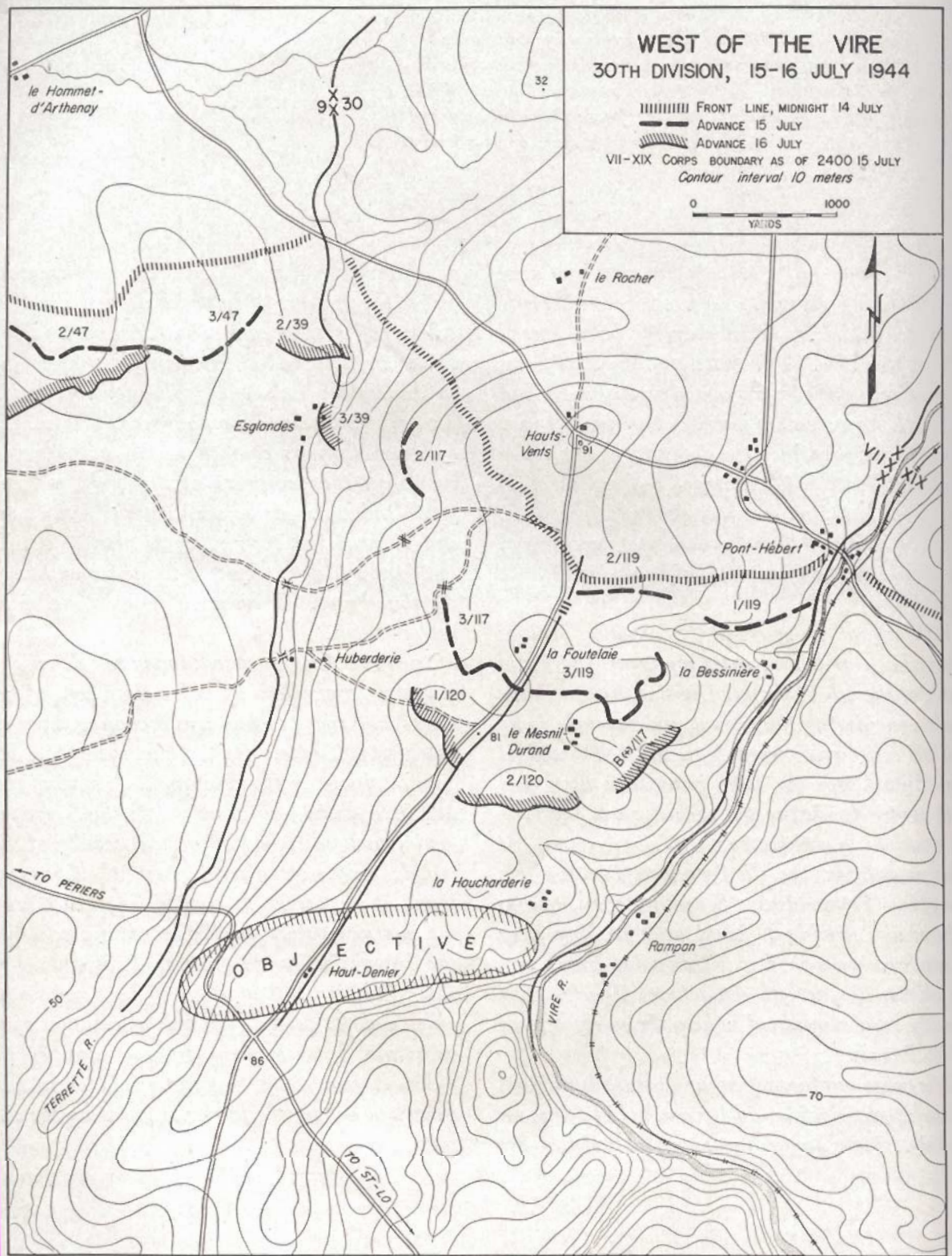
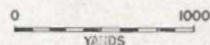
30TH DIVISION, 15-16 JULY 1944

||||| FRONT LINE, MIDNIGHT 14 JULY

--- ADVANCE 15 JULY

/// ADVANCE 16 JULY

VII-XIX CORPS BOUNDARY AS OF 2400 15 JULY
Contour interval 10 meters



FINAL GAINS, 30TH DIVISION 17 - 19 July 1944

- ||||| FRONT LINE, MIDNIGHT 16 JULY
 - ADVANCE 17 JULY
 - ADVANCE 18 JULY
 - ////// ADVANCE 19 JULY
- Contour interval 10 meters

